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SDPD Asks for Community's Help With Preventing and Solving Violent Crime

San Diego – There has been a disturbing surge of violent crimes in our city. All too often, these crimes involve gang violence and the use of firearms.

Overall, San Diego has seen a 129% increase in gang-related shootings since January 1st.

SDPD has recovered more than 1,000 firearms from various investigations in the same time period. Nearly 20% of the recovered firearms were ghost guns. Ghost guns are firearms assembled from kits and do not have serial numbers.

In its commitment to public safety, SDPD is asking for the public's help if they have any information on the following violent crimes from the last two weeks:

- Homicide at 6900 Eastman Street on June 30th
- Homicide at 4599 Ladera Street on June 28th
- Homicide at 300 Market Street on June 26th
- Homicide at 2800 Boston Avenue on June 24th
- Homicide (Child Abuse Related) at 300 53rd Street on June 21st
- Homicide at 4100 F Street on June 20th
- Homicide at 7800 Burlington Way on June 18th
- Homicide at 2900 Camino del Rio North on June 17th
- Attempt Homicide at 4100 Fairmount Avenue on June 29th
- Attempt Homicide at 4400 University Avenue on June 29th
- Suspicious death near I-5 and Washington Street on June 26th
- Non-Fatal Shooting at 4300 Alamo Drive on June 28th
- Non-Fatal Shooting at 4200 Altadena Avenue on June 26th
- Non-Fatal Shooting at 54th Street and Imperial Avenue on June 25th
- Non-Fatal Shooting and Armed Robbery at 3700 6th Avenue on June 25th
- Non-Fatal Shooting at 1325 S. 28th Street on June 21st
- Discharging a Firearm at 3800 Highland Avenue on June 25th

SDPD is working hard to stop further violence by collaborating with its longstanding community partners. SDPD is also conducting proactive patrols and investigations

focusing on violent crime, gang violence, and getting illegal guns off the street. The San Diego Police Department is asking anyone who may have information about these crimes to contact Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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