



PRESS RELEASE

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San Jose Police Department
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The San Jose Police Department Announces The Operation Identification Program

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WHAT: San Jose PD Operation Identification Program

WHERE: 533 Coleman Avenue, San Jose, CA 95110

WHEN: Friday, June 23, 2006 at 1:00 PM

UPDATE: Due to circumstances beyond our control, the event originally scheduled for this Friday, June 23, 2006, will have to be **postponed**. It will be rescheduled shortly, hopefully within the next 2-4 weeks. We apologize for any inconvenience.

On Friday, June 23, 2006, at 1:00 PM, the San Jose Police Department in partnership with Target and the City Library System will be hosting a press conference to announce the return of the Operation Identification Program. Operation Identification is a nationally recognized property identification program, which allows law enforcement agencies to identify and return stolen items to the rightful owners. The goal of this program is to deter thefts and aid in the recovery of stolen property.

One of the most effective tools you can use to help prevent crime here in San Jose is a simple electric engraving pen. With this pen you can inscribe your driver's license number on items of value in and around your home. As part of Operation Identification, electric engraving pens are available without charge on loan from any of the libraries in the City of San Jose.

Operation Identification supports the Neighborhood Watch program, where a group of citizens gather to watch over each other and their homes or businesses.

The program is made possible by a generous grant from Target.

BY: Sgt. N.M.Muyo #2086

DATE: 6-21-06

TIME: 1:00PM

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PRESS OFFICER BRIEFED BY UNIT COMMANDER (CIRCLE) YES NO