

### **National Coffee with a Cop Day is next week!**

Join the Foothills officers on Wednesday, October 3rd at Manzano Mesa Multi-Generational Center starting at 1:00 p.m. for coffee and conversation.

**Trending Tuesday:** The APD Crime Analysis Unit reports that during the period of 9/24-9/30 there were 142 auto burglaries reported to APD. The numbers ranged from a high of 45 in the North East Area Command to a low of 14 reported from the South West Area Command. The Foothills Area Command had 18 reported auto burglaries for that week, placing us fourth out of the six APD Area Commands for that type of crime being reported. I continue to see Foothills Area Command reports noting many people 'hiding' purses in their vehicles and walking away. Folks, we just can't leave items of value of any type in a vehicle and walk away.

**Hot Wheels:** The APD Crime Analysis Unit reported that auto thefts continue to be on a decline. For the period of 9/24-9/30 APD took 72 stolen vehicle reports; 9/10-16 netted 90 stolen vehicle reports and 9/17-23 netted 78, so we are on a downward trend! Don't let your guard up, folks – continue to be vigilant and practice good crime prevention principles. For the six APD Area Commands the numbers ranged from a high of 22 stolen vehicles reported from the North East Area Command to a low of 5 stolen vehicles reported from the South West Area Command. The Foothills Area Command logged 11 stolen vehicle reports for the 9/24-30 period, placing us third out of the six Area Commands for auto thefts reported. What were the most popular types of vehicles to steal last week? Hyundais (18/8 of 18 were Sonatas), Fords (11/7 were pick ups) and Kias (8/5 were Optimas). Most popular places to steal vehicles last week according to APD Crime Analysis were apartments (23), single family residences (22), then retail (6), lodging (5), businesses (3) and car dealerships/mechanics (2).

### **Daily Property Crime in the Foothills Reported on Monday, October 1<sup>st</sup>**

**4 Stolen Vehicles:** 5800-block of Villa Drive NE, 400-block of Dunes Court SE, 12400-block of Skyline Rd NE, 5200-block of Mesa Del Oso Rd NE.

**3 Commercial Burglaries:** 12600-block of Central Ave NE, 500-block of Paisano St NE, 1600-block of Eubank Blvd NE.

**4 Residential Burglaries:** 6100-block of Parktree Place NE, 900-block of Nakomis Drive NE, 1700-block of Monte Largo Drive NE, 10600 block of Menaul Blvd NE.

**2 Auto Burglaries:** 10300-block of Hotel Avenue NE, 1600-block of Eubank Blvd NE.

**Entries:** Cutting lock (trailer), unforced entry to fork lift. I'm seeing a little uptick here (just 2 cases this week) of trailers/RVs and construction equipment being targeted for burglary. Remember, these vehicles are attractive to burglars too!

**Items left in unattended vehicles that were stolen:** Items from trailer, batteries from fork lift.