Daily Property Crime in the Foothills Reported on Monday, September 24th

1 Armed Robbery/Commercial: 1300-block of Juan Tabo Blvd.
1 Stolen Vehicle: 5800-block of Eubank Blvd NE.
1 Commercial Burglary: 10800-block of Central Ave NE.
1 Residential Burglary: 10100-block of Menaul Blvd NE.
2 Auto Burglaries: 1700-block of Eubank Blvd NE and 10700-block of Academy Rd NE. Entries were both forced; one via a small opening to a camper/trailer and the other by breaking a window. Items stolen were a TV, lantern, skillets. The other vehicle had significant damages from failed attempt to enter by breaking a door lock and a failed attempt to steal the vehicle leaving behind damages to the steering column/ignition.

Trending Tuesday: The APD Crime Analysis Unit tells us that during the prior week (9/17-23) APD took 149 auto burglary reports. The Foothills Area Command was the second lowest of the six APD Area Commands for auto burglary reports during that week. The numbers ranged from a high of 47 reported auto burglaries to a low of 5 throughout those six APD Area Commands and the Foothills logged 14 incidents.

Hot Wheels Report: APD Crime Analysis reports that for the same week (9/17-23) APD took 70 auto theft reports. The numbers are declining for this type of crime; the week of 9/10-16 Crime Analysis reported 87 stolen vehicle reports filed and the week of 9/3-9 they tracked 116 auto theft reports taken by APD citywide.

The Foothills took 8 auto theft reports during the past week and the numbers among the six APD Area Commands ranged from a high of 24 stolen vehicles reported to a low of 2 reported broken down by Area Commands.

The most popular places to steal vehicles during the week of the 17th were apartment parking lots (21 cases), single family residential neighborhoods (13) and then from 6 to 2 cases reported from overnight lodging spots, retail, businesses and parks citywide.

The most popular vehicles to steal the week of the 17th were Fords (10, 4 were pick-ups), Hondas (8) and Kias (7 and all Optimas) per Crime Analysis Unit's figures.

Today is National Security Awareness Day, designated by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. We have all heard the phrase, "If you see something, say something." Today is a day designed to raise awareness of terrorism and terrorism-related crime and the public's vital role in being aware and reporting suspicious incidents.