

## GREELEY POLICE DEPARTMENT

**General Order 253.00****Reviewed: 11/23****253.00 NEIGHBORHOOD ACTION TEAM**


- The mission of the Neighborhood Action Team is to proactively reduce crime, to reduce the fear of crime, and to improve the quality of life in the community. The unit will engage in geographic areas of responsibilities in problem solving activities, working with Neighborhood Building Blocks as needed. Additionally, NAT will establish contacts with the community in order to gain public support for the Department and improving relationships between the Department and public it serves. NAT will develop and coordinate community service programs, presenting them to the children and adult populations of the community. To reduce crime, the Greeley Police Department will present crime prevention programs as needed and requested and use and develop proactive and innovative crime prevention strategies.
- NAT will identify and target neighborhoods experiencing increased criminal activity, decline in “quality of life issues” and gang activity using community policing and problem oriented policing approaches;
  - To obtain information about neighborhood concerns in targeted neighborhoods, NAT will conduct surveys, organize community meetings, and work with NB2. Strategies will be developed to impact concerns.
  - To participate in agency efforts to address minority concerns.
  - To address concerns at chronic call locations.
  - To provide foot and bicycle patrol as needed.
  - Develop cooperative efforts between the police department, neighborhood associations, service groups, other city departments, schools and other civic organization in addressing community problems.
  - Bring patrol officers into problem solving.
  - Interact with the Weld County Drug Task Force on drug related issues.
  - Perform other duties as assigned by the Chief of Police or Operations Deputy Chief.

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- NAT officers will be responsible for implementation of crime prevention programs in their geographic areas to include:
  - Assisting with Neighborhood Watch/Operation ID.
  - Working with UNC Police coordinating CrimeStoppers tips.
  - Residential and commercial security surveys.
  - Women's safety.
  - Shoplifting prevention.
  - Robbery.
  - Crime and the elderly.
  - Check fraud and counterfeiting.
  - General Crime Prevention.
- NAT officers will participate in departmentally sponsored community service activities. NAT will be responsible for maintaining the equipment used in the respective program presentations. The community service activities include:
  - Pedestrian Safety: Presentations will be given to educate children (K-3) about the importance of wearing a seat belt.
  - Tours: Tours of the police facility will be given to groups and individuals.
  - Bicycle Safety/Rodeo: Presentations will be given on bicycle safety to elementary school children. Bike rodeos may be organized to teach basic safety and operation. Annual school spring bike rodeos have been organized by the NAT unit.
  - Halloween Safety: in October, the community requests presentations on Halloween safety tips to grade school children and childcare centers.
  - Cop Card Program: NAT will coordinate the department's trading card program geared toward elementary age children. Responsibilities will include locating sources of sponsorship and obtaining 3 bids for printing of the cards.
  - Internships: It is the responsibility of NAT to schedule internships through surrounding universities and high schools.

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- Patch Request: Officers from other jurisdictions request a shoulder patch from GPD. Using a form letter, a GPD patch is sent requesting a patch in return.
- Operation Safe Stay: NAT will partner with community stakeholders to provide training and support for the safe and practical management of multifamily housing.
- Shoplifting Task Force: NAT will partner with businesses to provide shoplifting prevention training and assist in enforcement.

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