

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Sunday, October 4, 2026

CONTACT: SDPD Media Relations Unit at MediaInquiry@pd.sandiego.gov

SOUTHERN DIVISION UPDATE: Walk-Up Services to Resume Oct. 5 in Mobile Unit Outside Police Station

*SDPD WORKING TO ENSURE SERVICES CONTINUE
FOR SOUTHERN DIVISION RESIDENTS*

SAN DIEGO – Following the temporary closure of the Southern Division police station, the San Diego Police Department (SDPD) will resume providing walk-up services to residents on Monday, October 5, 2026.

Using a mobile command unit positioned inside a secured gate, SDPD will provide typical services that a resident might receive when walking into the station for assistance. Common services include but are not limited to auto theft reports, missing persons reports, signing off citations, court information, property release requests, vehicle burglary reports, miscellaneous theft reports, and hit and run accident reports.

The hours of operation will be Monday to Thursday from 6 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Anyone needing assistance can park in the main lot at 1120 27th St. and will be assisted by the officers working the mobile front counter.

For emergencies, community members should continue to dial 9-1-1.

For non-emergencies, please call (619) 531-2000.

Many crimes can also be reported online at www.sandiego.gov/police.

STATION CLOSURE UPDATE

Out of an abundance of caution, SDPD's Southern Division station was closed to the public and SDPD employees on Tuesday, September 29, 2026, due to a potential mold issue at the facility.

The City has taken several steps to assess and remedy the issue.

On Thursday, Oct. 1, the City completed a thorough cleaning of the facility. This was done by a professional contract vendor to ensure that all furniture, walls, floors, carpets and other areas are cleaned using a specialized concentration of antimicrobial cleansing agent. Additionally, upon completion of the cleaning, the contractor fogged the interior of the facility with the same agent to eliminate the potential for amplification of mold spores that are not visible.

A visual assessment of the HVAC ducting was initiated on Friday, Oct. 2, which did not reveal any immediate signs of mold within the system.

The County of San Diego Department of Environmental Health and Quality began an Indoor Air Quality investigation on Friday, October 2. Samples collected during that inspection have been sent for rush analysis. Those will give additional insight into next steps.

Southern Division patrol officers will continue to temporarily operate out of Southeastern Division, responding to calls for service as usual.

SDPD will provide additional information as it becomes available.

###