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Embarcadero SAFE Navigation Center: March 2026 Written Report

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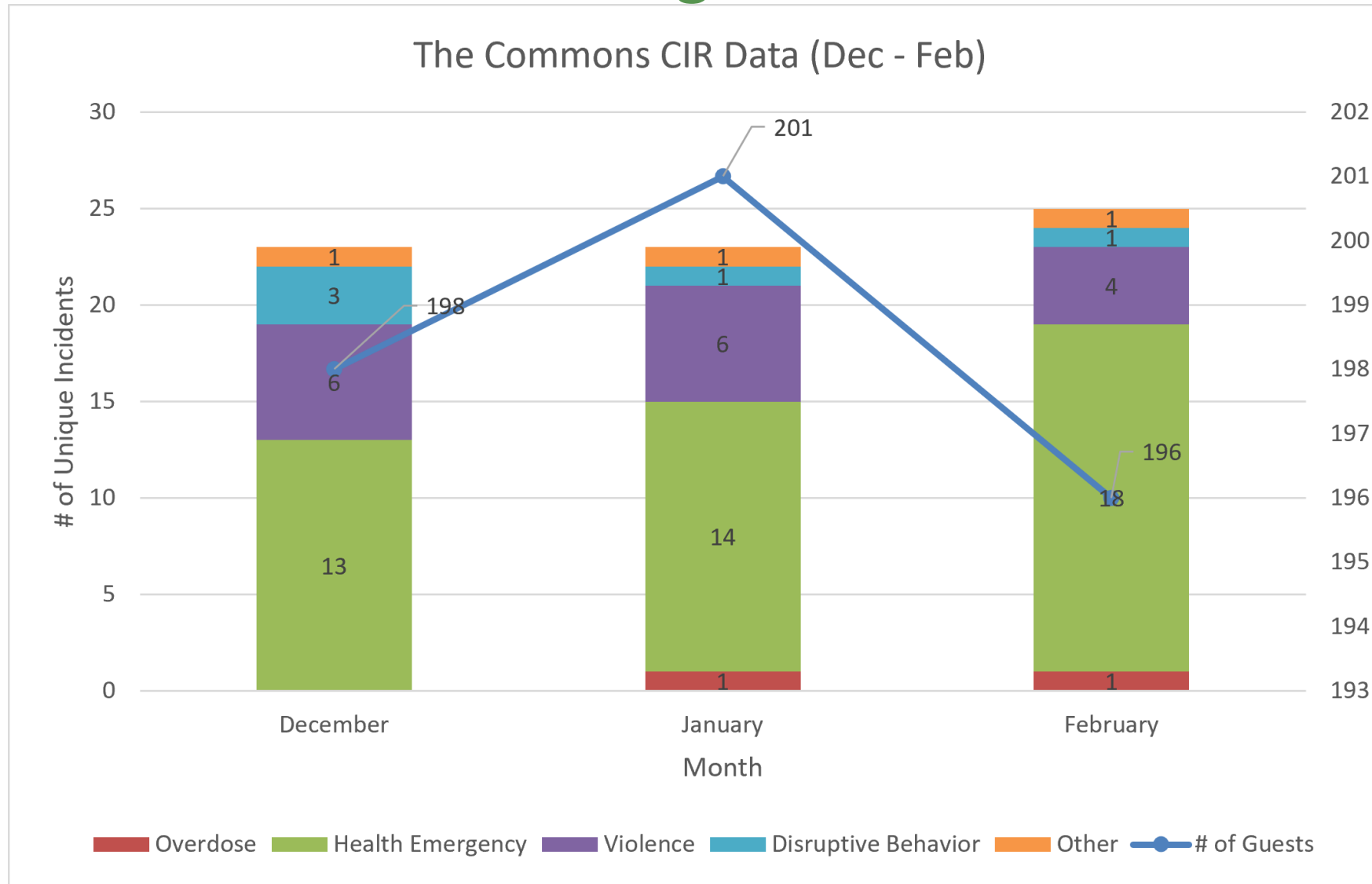


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Monthly Report



Embarcadero SAFE Navigation Center



Number of Guests

Dec - 198
Jan - 201
Feb - 196



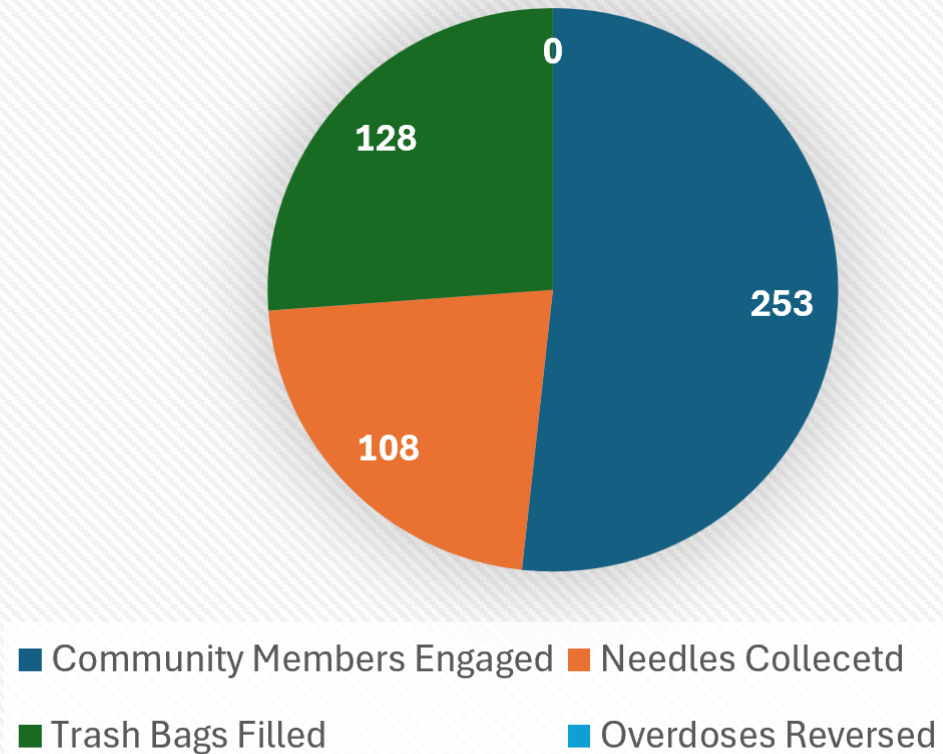
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Five Keys Operations



Five Keys Dedicated Services

Tasks Completed in February



Map reflects Five Keys dedicated street team zone.

Street Team Calls for Support & Responses

- 1 communication for the month of February.
 - The call concerned someone setting up a tent along the fence of the Navigation Center.
 - Staff spoke with the person.



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Public Safety

San Francisco Police Department
Sgt. Brandon Smith



Public Safety

Public Safety Staffing is a combination of **Overtime Officers** and **SFPD Ambassadors** assigned to the Safety Zone around the Navigation Center.

Regular Deployment Hours are:

SFPD Overtime Patrol

- 7 days per week - 11:00 AM – 9:00 PM

SFPD Ambassadors

- Mon-Fri - 10am-8pm

February had **24 days out of 31** with full staffing levels.



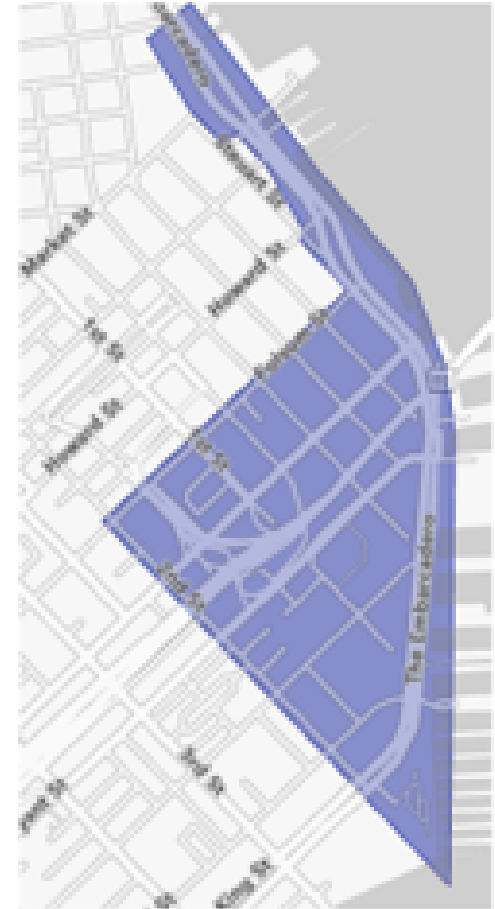
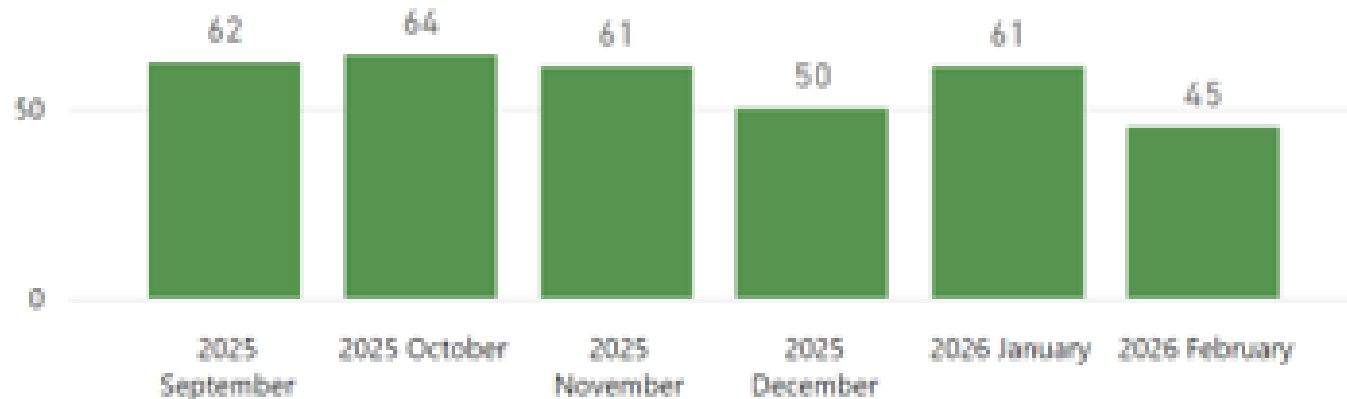
Police Incidents

Police Incidents within the Safety Zone

The data shown below is public police incident data from the Open Data Portal here: <https://data.sfgov.org/Public-Safety/Police-Department-Incident-Reports-2018-to-Present/wg3w-h783>. Incidents within the Safety Zone (shown at the right) are presented below.

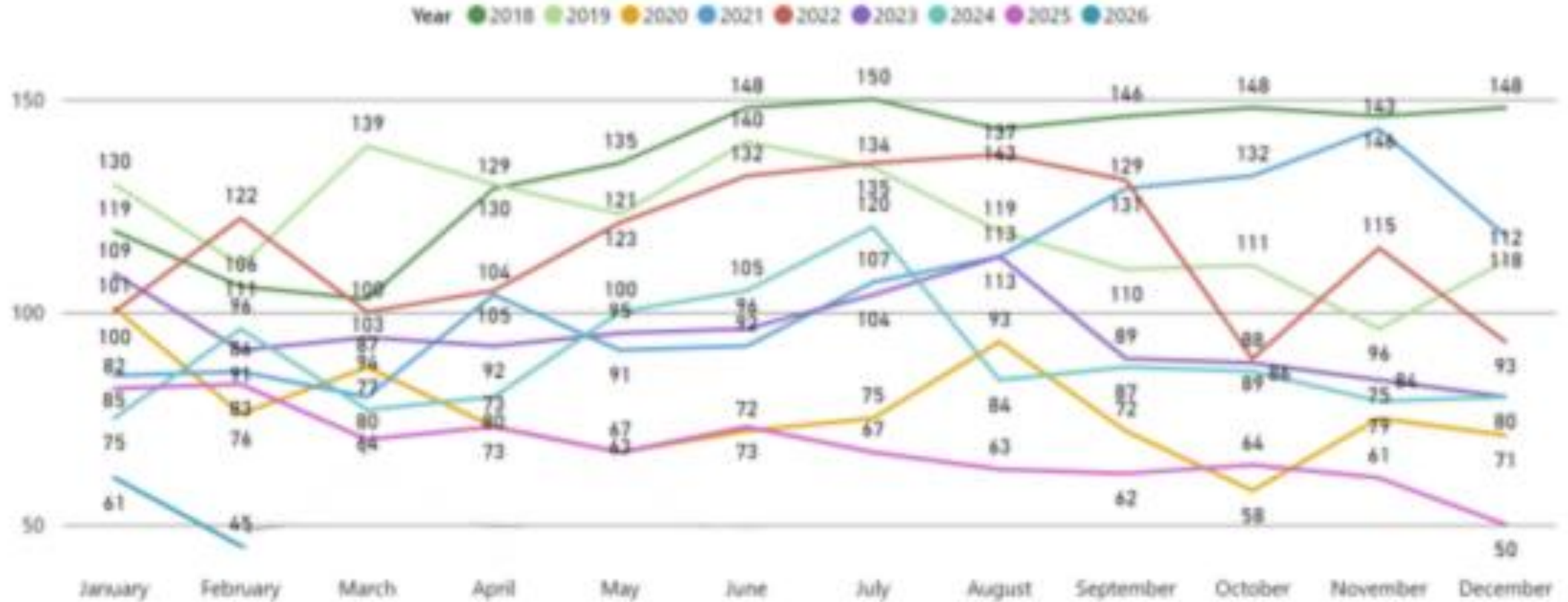
Note: Data was last updated on 7/08/2026, and data is only shown through the last complete month. Counts for previous months may increase in future reporting, as additional incidents may be added to the database.

Distinct Incidents in Safety Zone in Last Six Months



Police Incidents

Distinct Incidents in Safety Zone by Month and Year



Police Incidents in February 2026

Incident Category	Distinct Incidents in Safety Zone	Distinct Incidents - Citywide
Burglary	8	236
Larceny Theft	8	1,162
Assault	7	470
Other Miscellaneous	7	416
Miscellaneous Investigation	4	118
Malicious Mischief	3	348
Fraud	2	254
Missing Person	2	172
Motor Vehicle Theft	2	242
Non-Criminal	2	268
Other Offenses	2	51
Stolen Property	2	31
Vehicle Impounded	2	13
	1	25
Case Closure	1	35
Drug Offense	1	482
Homicide	1	3
Lost Property	1	220
Offences Against The Family And Children	1	96
Robbery	1	76
Traffic Collision	1	35
Warrant	1	386

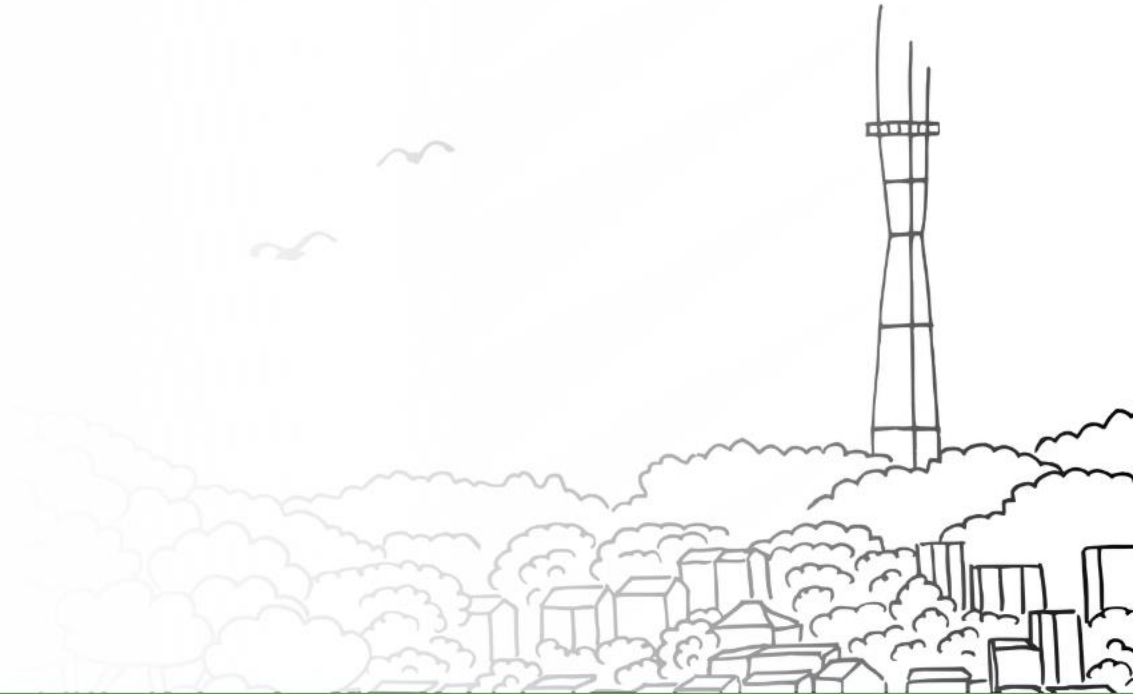




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Appendix Slides

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Street Team

- Five Keys Street Team start patrols
- Request support through public line
415-594-3997
- Two staff members walking the highlighted area from 7am - 9pm providing immediate response during
- Picking up trash and moving people along.
- Community will be provided referrals to appropriate agencies or services



Proposed Development – Seawall Lot 330

- Development **timelines** for Seawall Lot 330 are currently anticipated to begin by **mid-2027**.
- Activation **of the lot will only be** until development is ready to begin.
- **180 day notice** (at minimum) is to be provided to HSH by the Port, supporting a responsible **6-month** winddown and demobilization of the Program.
 - Work with ~200 guests on **customized exit plans** including housing and other shelter programs; and
 - **Demobilization** of the site by Public Works.

Reporting Concerns: Embarcadero

For latest guidance and resources on reporting concerns about street crises and conditions visit: <https://www.sf.gov/coordinated-street-response-program-1>

- ✦ Text the **Five Keys** public text line at **415-594-3997** to report:
 - ✦ Concerns related to the Navigation Center (noise disturbance, etc.).
 - ✦ Basic trash clean up and syringe pick-up in the area.
 - ✦ Response times are usually within the hour. If call back is required, will be returned within 24 hours.

- ✦ Call **311** to report:
 - ✦ **Tents, structures and encampments**
 - ✦ Abandoned RV/vehicle or shopping carts
 - ✦ Trash, debris, human or animal waste
 - ✦ Medical waste (You can also text SF Aids Foundation Syringe Disposal at 415-801-1337)

**Five Keys provides regular outreach and engagement to unhoused neighbors in addition to SFHOT and SFPD Beat Officers. Five Keys cannot directly refer unsheltered neighbors into the program and does not have the authority to move people or resolve encampments. If Five Keys cannot address concerns received via public text line, they will respond with guidance on who to call.*

Reporting Concerns: Embarcadero

Police Non-Emergency

415-553-0123

If there is no safety concern, but an issue needs to be addressed, please report to Police Non-Emergency.

Examples:

blocked driveways, suspicious activity

911

If you see someone's life in danger, crime in progress, or a fire please report to 911.

Dispatch will ask questions to ensure the appropriate team responds.

Key Terms: Embarcadero SAFE Navigation Center Data Dashboard

- **Exits by Destination:** Reflects the exit destination of guests leaving the program. We anticipate seeing additional exits to housing for Housing Referral Status clients as additional housing resources become available.
- **Homeless Situations:** Emergency shelter, hotel or motel temporarily, host home shelter, safe haven, place not meant for habitation.
- **Institutional:** Hospital, psychiatric facility, substance use treatment facility, jail, prison, foster care, long term care facility.
- **Permanent Housing:** Rental, owned by client with or without housing subsidy, staying with family or friends on permanent tenure.
- **Temporary Housing:** Transitional housing or homeless persons, staying with friends or family on temp tenure, hotel or motel, residential project or halfway house, or Host home.
- **Other:** Deceased, no exit interview completed, other, client doesn't know, client prefers not to answer, or data not collected.

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- **Coordinated Entry Status:** (CE Status) is determined on a case-by-case basis after an individual completes the Coordinated Entry Primary Assessment that determines if an individual is Housing Referral Status or Problem-Solving Status.
- **Housing Referral Status:** Determined based on vulnerability, housing barriers and chronicity of homelessness. Individuals identified as Housing Status will be assigned a Housing Navigator who will match the household with available housing.