A MOVING GUIDE TO HELP YOU FIND THE RIGHT NEIGHBORHOOD FOR YOUR FAMILY

PHONE NUMBERS

Emergencies
9-1-1

General Police Information
(707) 543-3600

General Fire Information
(707) 543-3500

Police Administration
(707) 543-3550

Neighborhood Watch
(707) 543-3653

Santa Rosa
Chamber of Commerce
(707) 545-1414

WEBSITES

City of Santa Rosa
Neighborhood City Services
RAIDS Online
SRPD Crime Statistics

Santa Rosa Police Department
965 Sonoma Avenue
Santa Rosa, CA 95404
(707) 543-3600
www.santarosapd.com
Moving can be an exciting adventure for some; however, it can also be stressful and at times, unpredictable.

If you are planning on moving to the City of Santa Rosa, the following information may be helpful to you when looking at potential neighborhoods:

- Drive through the neighborhood at different times of the day, night, and on weekends to see what types of activities are occurring.
- Talk to neighbors on the street you are considering living on as well as the neighbors to the rear. Find out what their perceptions of the neighborhood are and whether or not they are happy living there.
- Does it appear the homeowners have pride in their properties?
- Are the houses and yards well maintained?
- Are the trees and shrubs trimmed to allow greater visibility in order to enhance a feeling of safety?
- Are there abandoned or broken down cars on the street or near the property you’re looking at?
- Is there a lot of vehicle traffic on the street you’re looking at?
- Are speed limits and other traffic laws practiced by the drivers?
- Is the neighborhood part of an association that enforces Conditions, Covenants, and Restrictions (CC&R’s)?
- Utilize the resources that are available through your real estate agent. In addition to real estate information, their office should provide you with names and numbers of the utility companies you will need to contact in addition to letting you know which schools are in or near your new neighborhood.
- Neighborhood Watch Program: check with neighbors in the area for the “Captain” of the neighborhood.

If you will be renting:

- In addition to what has already been listed, talk to the property manager to find out other specifics about the property.
- Find out what problems (if any) were noted with the last renters.