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**PRESS RELEASE**

**Milpitas National Night Out 2014**

**DATE:** August 7, 2014  
**SUBJECT:** National Night Out  
**LOCATION:** City of Milpitas – City Wide

It's that time of year once again! The Milpitas Police Department is encouraging residents to host or attend neighborhood parties on Thursday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2014, to celebrate "America's Night Out Against Crime", National Night Out. National Night Out will be celebrating its 31<sup>st</sup> year of community involvement, where neighborhoods take a stand against crime.

The 31<sup>st</sup> Annual National Night Out is sponsored by the National Association of Town Watch and locally co-sponsored by the Milpitas Police Department. The Milpitas Citizen Advisory Commission will be collaborating with the Milpitas Police Department once again to make this years National Night Out another success.

National Night Out is an excellent way to build neighborhood relationships and to strengthen police and community partnerships. Over the past years, Milpitas residents have used National Night Out as a tool to initiate local Neighborhood Watch groups and to get reacquainted with the people in their neighborhood. Most National Night Out parties become neighborhood potluck dinners and ice cream socials that last well into the evening. Officers from the Milpitas Police Department will pay a visit to each individual gathering, meet with the residents, distribute crime prevention material and answer questions that concerned residents may have. The children will enjoy police stickers and a peek inside of the police vehicles that the officers use on a daily basis as they patrol the city.

Milpitas residents interested in hosting a National Night Out neighborhood party or to obtain information should contact **Officer Mitchell Timko** at (408)586-2529 or via email at [mtimko@ci.milpitas.ca.gov](mailto:mtimko@ci.milpitas.ca.gov).

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