

Hello readers,

Here lately, the police department has been getting a lot of phone calls and Emails from citizens who wish to report problems and violations they observe. The tone or attitudes of the reporting parties are humorous and I wanted to share them with you. Here are some samples:

“Chief, my neighbor’s windows are too dark on his blue ??????. If you come by after 5, you’ll bust him.”

“There’s a dog near my house that barks a lot. I am not sure where, but if you drive past my house between 6 and 10, you’ll be able to hear it.”

“Chief, my neighbor is leaving his trash cans out at the curb until Wednesday evening most of the time and sometimes until Friday. All you have to do is come by after trash day and you can get em.”

“I saw “?@?@?” driving through the school zone talking on her cell phone. She does it everyday so if you watch for her (car) you’ll get her. Don’t tell her who told you.”

I want to encourage folks to report things that are detrimental to the safety and well being of the public and I love to hear from someone reporting a hazardous violation or problem. Based on the wording of some of these “tips” it seems that some people believe that the police are just sitting around waiting just so we can “get them.” Have a great weekend!

Outdoor Storm Sirens Tested (weather permitting): First Wednesday of the month @ noon

***Phone numbers: Emergency???? Dial 911.** To have a police officer sent to you in a non-emergency, call 972-547-5350. During normal business hours, the APD number is 972-924-2848.

If you have a question or comment, please email: kjenks@annatexas.gov