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Subject: San Carlos Police Chief to Host Twitter Town Hall

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San Carlos, CA – The City of San Carlos is inviting the public to attend its first Twitter Town Hall on Tuesday, February 2, 2016 from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. to discuss home safety and the recent burglaries in San Carlos. This virtual town hall meeting will expand on the community discussion that began on January 6, 2016 at a town hall meeting held at City Hall, where San Carlos Police Chief Greg Rothaus and other members of the Sheriff’s Department presented information about burglaries and home safety and took questions from the large assembly of interested residents.

Residents can submit questions directly to Chief Rothaus via Twitter on their computers or mobile devices and have them answered in real-time. Participating is easy! Simply follow the three steps below.

1. Sign in / sign up for Twitter. If you don't have a Twitter account, don't worry! You can sign up quickly (and for free) at www.twitter.com.

2. Follow the City of San Carlos at @CityofSanCarlos.

3. On Tuesday, February 2, tweet your question regarding burglaries or public safety in San Carlos to Chief Rothaus from 7:00 and 8:00 p.m. Use the hashtag #AskSCPoliceChief.

Chief Rothaus encourages residents to participate and said, "We really want to provide as much information to people in as many venues as we can. A Twitter Town Hall is a great way for people who have trouble attending a town hall meeting in person to obtain important public information and have their questions answered. We feel a community is safer when its citizens are well informed and allowed to ask questions about public safety."

“Public safety is the top priority of the City of San Carlos and I'm glad the Sheriff's Office is using every communication channel available to provide helpful public information,” said Mayor Cameron Johnson. “I encourage San Carlos residents to take advantage of this opportunity to tweet with the Chief and learn how to help keep our community safe.”