



## **MONTEREY POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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### **PORTOLA-CRESPI MONUMENT**

On Saturday, 9-19-09, at approximately 0844 hours, Monterey Police Officers responded to a past tense vandalism on the recreation trail, located approximately 100 yards south of the HOUGHTON M. ROBERTS BEACH parking lot. Upon arrival, Officer discovered that the wooden cross belonging to the PORTOLA-CRESPI MONUMENT was cut down by an unknown suspect or suspects, sometime between 9-17-09, at approximately 0900 hours and 9-19-09, at approximately 0830 hours.

If anyone should have any information regarding the vandalism, please contact the Monterey Police Department at 831-646-3830 or at [WATCH@ci.monterey.ca.us](mailto:WATCH@ci.monterey.ca.us)

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