

## UNET Actions to Address Community Concerns

UNET has conducted the following projects in the past and will continue to conduct these projects in the future:

“Party Patrols” – During the historically busy times for UCR student parties in the neighborhoods, UNET officers adjust their schedules to respond to loud party complaints. Significant responses where there are large numbers of students present, underage drinking, and/or violations of the law are summarized and sent to UCR Student Judicial Affairs for review of possible disciplinary action.

DUI Check Points – UNET officers conduct DUI check points several times a year to address drunk driving that is related to local establishments that cater to college students.

Traffic Enforcement Projects – UNET officers conduct traffic enforcement projects on a monthly basis to address the most common police complaint in the University area. Officers focus solely on enforcing the California Vehicle Code in areas that have been identified as problem areas by the community.

Surveillance Projects – UNET officers conduct plain clothes surveillance projects at random times in the neighborhoods to be vigilant in addressing property crime occurrences.

UNET officers regularly attend two monthly local community group meetings; the University Neighborhood Association and the UCR Apartment Association. The information collected at these meetings helps UNET to know when and where to conduct the projects mentioned above.

UNET plans to implement the following new programs to address community concerns from a fresh perspective:

UNET Code Enforcement Officer – Beginning in August 2005, there will be a Riverside Code Enforcement officer assigned full time to the UNET team. This officer will ride with UNET officers on a regular basis, addressing code concerns such as: parking problems, abandoned vehicles, housing occupancy issues, housing and landscape maintenance issues, and other safety and quality of life issues. These issues will be addressed quickly and efficiently with the full time Code Enforcement officer’s complete attention focused on the UNET area.

UNET officers will be adjusting their schedules to work past 1a.m. on the weekends to address the growing concerns about crowd and traffic disturbances at the University Village in the early morning hours.