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CRIME PREVENTION PROGRAM

Lincoln, CA, May 20, 2008 -- The Lincoln Police Department is launching a new Crime Prevention Program designed to provide information, technology and services for our community in an ongoing effort to keep Lincoln a safe place to live.

Examples of the new crime prevention strategies currently available include:

- **Crime Mapping** – A link from the Lincoln Police Department website to the Sacramento Bee providing access to a City map and the ability to search crime information such as crime location, address, time frame, types of crimes and other related information.
- **Weekly Crime Activity Report** – A weekly listing of reported crime activity. This information will also be used to identify and map crime trends in order to develop apprehension and prevention strategies as well as area-specific bulletins for the Neighborhood Watch and community groups.
- **A Strengthened Partnership** - with Community and Neighborhood Watch groups to provide information and resources that will assist the public in keeping informed about activity in their neighborhood and to avoid becoming the victim of a crime.
- **Monthly Community Meetings** - throughout the city allow us to address specific citizen concerns in specific neighborhoods. Surveys will be distributed to identify the top 10 concerns in your neighborhood.

For more information on the new Lincoln Police Department Crime Prevention Program, log on to the Police Department website at www.lincolnpd.org. Future topics of community interest on the Lincoln Police Department website include; Child Safety, Home Security, Personal Security, Business Security, Drug Awareness, Gang Awareness, and Neighborhood Watch.

For additional information, contact Community Services Officer Paul Tyler.

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