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# ***GANG HOMICIDE REWARD PROGRAM***

**What is the reward for?**

In May 2007, the Santa Ana Police Department, with the help of an anonymous donor, created a Gang Homicide Reward Program. The one million dollar donation will be used by the police department to offer monetary rewards for information leading to the arrest of gang homicide suspects.

**How do I know which homicide cases are eligible for the reward?**

Reward offers are automatically established for all gang related homicides committed within the City limits, except in cases where the Chief of Police deems the reward is unnecessary or may jeopardize the ongoing investigation.

**Who is eligible for the reward?**

Anyone with information leading to the arrest of gang homicide suspects is eligible for the reward, except for employees of law enforcement agencies or public officials and their relatives, and anyone acting as an agent for the suspects.

**How much is the reward?**

Reward amounts can range from \$100 to \$50,000 per incident. The amount of the rewards will be determined on a case-by-case basis depending on the value of the information given and the level of involvement in the prosecution of the suspect.

**Can there be more than one reward for a single homicide case?**

Yes. There can be multiple rewards for any single case.

**If I have some information about a homicide, how can I contact the Santa Ana Police Department?**

Call us at [\(714\) 245-8390](tel:7142458390).

**Do I have to reveal my identity to provide information about a gang homicide suspect?**

No, you can request to remain anonymous. However, if you choose to submit a claim for a reward, your true identity must be confirmed to establish eligibility for any reward.

**Can I make donations to this program?**

Yes. We accept any monetary donations to the Gang Homicide Reward Program in order to continue seeking public assistance with unsolved gang homicides after the initial one million dollars is depleted. Any donations will be designated strictly for this program. If you are interested in making a donation, please contact the Public Information Officer at (714) 245-8029 for more information.