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Exchange Zone Available at Pleasanton Police Department

PLEASANTON, *Calif.* – The Pleasanton Police Department is pleased to announce the completion of an “Exchange Zone” in the front parking lot of the police department, located at 4833 Bernal Avenue.

The Pleasanton Police Department Exchange Zone is a well-lighted, designated parking area located in front of the Police Department. It is under 24-hour video surveillance although it is not monitored in live time. Police officers will not be present during transactions, but this designated area will potentially deter individuals wanting to engage in criminal activity. Additionally, using the Exchange Zone helps citizens maintain a level of privacy by not disclosing the location of their homes.

Parking lots and front lobbies of police departments have been used by parents to exchange children for many years. Recently these areas have been used by private parties to complete a variety of private party transactions, including online purchases. The Exchange Zone is now available to use for these purposes; park in these spaces at any time for exchanges, no appointment necessary.

Questions regarding the Pleasanton Police Department’s Exchange Zone may be sent to Shannon Revel-Whitaker at srevel-whitaker@cityofpleasantonca.gov.