



Dear North Seattle Precinct Community Member:

I am inviting you to participate in a community conversation to learn about your safety concerns and thoughts about public safety.

The Safe Communities Initiative is modeled on the Youth and Families Initiative and will follow a similar path. The goal of the initiative is to bring residents, police officers and City departments together to have a candid conversation about the specific things that communities need to improve safety. The community's priorities will serve as a guide for how the City, SPD, and the neighborhoods will move forward in this effort. This process seeks to address chronic neighborhood issues and concerns that will require the coordinated efforts across City departments (SPD, Parks, SDOT, Neighborhood groups, schools, etc.) to understand, address, and resolve.

Our precinct will be holding a series of community conversations to learn about the concerns of you and your neighbors. You can attend either the large group conversation or a small group conversation. Both present an excellent opportunity for neighborhood residents to meet with each other, as well as members of the North Precinct, to focus together on concerns in our neighborhoods.

Our large group conversation will be taking place on October 10, 2012 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at the North Seattle Community College, located at North Seattle Community College in the cafeteria. The small group conversations will begin early in 2013 and we will update you on times and locations as these meetings are scheduled.

You can sign up for these opportunities by going to <http://www.seattle.gov/safe>.

We look forward to talking with you!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Capt. R. Clark". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Captain Robin Clark
North Precinct Commander