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CRIME DOWN IN OAKLAND

Crime down 34% in the first 3 months of 2010

Oakland (CA) – The Oakland Police Department announces a 34% reduction for “Part 1” crimes in the month of March. Crime was significantly down in every major category, except for Residential Robberies (+8%). Significant decreases for the month were Rapes (-45%), Robberies (-27%) and Burglaries (-31%). The Oakland Police Department wants to remind residents to view a safety brochure on the OPD website.

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