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SDPD Seeks Information on Series of Hate Crimes in the Hillcrest Community

San Diego – The San Diego Police Department (SDPD) is seeking information on a series of attacks by subjects driving around and shooting gel-type pellets. All of the incidents are being investigated as hate crimes.

So far, there have been four documented cases within the last week in the Hillcrest neighborhood, the last one being on Sunday morning at around 2 a.m. in the area of 10th Ave. and University Ave.

The suspects were seen driving in a light-colored minivan and described as white males. At this time, there are at least four victims, but were not seriously injured.

The San Diego Police Department wants to remind residents that if they see something, they should say something. Anyone with information about the crimes or persons involved should contact San Diego Police at (619) 531-2000 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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