



## **Vacaville Police Department**

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## *Press Release*

**Today's Date:** 02/10/12  
**Date & Time Occurred:** 02/10/12 5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.  
**Submitted By:** Sgt. Kim Humbert  
**Phone:** 707-449-6265  
**Case Number:** 12-00953, 12-00954, 12-00957, 12-00958,  
**Type of Crime/Incident:** Alcoholic Beverage Violation Enforcement  
**Location:** City of Vacaville  
**Suspects:** Harpal Singh, 20, Vacaville resident  
Elyse Brown, 24, Vacaville resident  
Brenda Blanchfield, 37, Vacaville resident  
Manvir Singh, 22, Fairfield resident

### **FOUR CLERKS CITED FOR SELLING ACOHOL TO MINORS**

On Friday, February 10, 2012, officers from Vacaville Police Department's Youth Services Section conducted directed enforcement in an effort to combat alcoholic beverage consumption by juveniles.

Officers worked with juvenile decoys who, under the direct supervision of officers, attempted to buy alcohol from businesses throughout the city.

Purchases were attempted at convenience stores, grocery stores, and liquor stores throughout the city. Of the 54 local businesses that were visited, four clerks sold alcoholic beverages to the decoys. Three of the sales were to a 17-year-old decoy who was not asked for his identification, and the fourth sale was to a 19-year-old who showed valid identification. The clerks were arrested and released on a notice to appear for a violation of 25658(a) CVC – Selling alcoholic beverages to minors.

The funds for this operation and the Alcohol, Tobacco and other Drugs efforts of the Vacaville Police Department's Youth Services Section is made possible through grants from the Solano County Board of Supervisors and the Reducing Rates Coalition.

Additional proactive enforcement actions such as these will be taking place in the future. Residents are encouraged to report suspected illegal activity to the Police Department by calling the 24-hour non-emergency number 449-5200.

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Criminal activity can be reported at [www.cityofvacaville.com/departments/police](http://www.cityofvacaville.com/departments/police), or you can call "Crime Stoppers" and leave an anonymous tip at 707-644-STOP.(7867). Crime Stoppers may pay up to \$1,000 for information that leads to an arrest.