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The City has asked the USPS to accommodate a specific area for protected First Amendment activity in front of the Berkeley Main Post Office so that the communication of concerns about the sale of the facility can continue. USPS personnel have expressed their support of that idea, however, details have not yet been confirmed.

The following summarizes some of the serious criminal activities that have required intervention by the Berkeley Police Department:

Date	Activity
August 10, 2013	BPD responded to a call for "Code 3" and found an unknown white female having seizures in a tent. A verbally aggressive companion wielding a stick and a dog denied access to the suspected tent. The involved female eventually told responders to leave her alone and refused medical treatment and units cleared the scene.
August 15, 2013	A male suspect identified with the encampment slapped a fellow camper after she asked to borrow a phone that the suspect had just stolen from one of the tents. According to witnesses, the suspect was agitated and wanted to return to the tents. The protesters confronted the suspect and told him to leave the area. The suspect began to yell and scream, then picked up a pipe and a chair and threw them at the protesters. The suspect ran and two or three protesters gave chase across Allston Way to Shattuck Avenue, the suspect then grabbed the victim with one arm and stabbed him in the leg. The victim kneeled down, saw blood on his leg and realized that he had been stabbed. Many community members were in the area and saw parts of the incident and chase as it unfolded. Four witnesses participated in field show-ups. BFD paramedics transported the victim to Highland Hospital with non-threatening stab wounds to thigh. The weapon was not recovered. The suspect was arrested and booked
August 16, 2013	BPD received a report of a white female masturbating at the Post Office. On arrival, the reporting party pointed her out. The involved party was known to BPD.
August 19, 2013	A sergeant noticed a camper with a large concealed knife. BPD officers attempted to arrest him and he resisted. He was arrested and subsequently found to be a juvenile. The knife was 8-1/2 inches long.