

SAFE OMAHA! – NO MORE **Gun Violence!**

According to official Omaha Police Department reports, homicides in Omaha are down 27% in 2009. Felony assaults are also down this year. We want to stay on this path of decreasing gun violence. One life lost to gun violence is one too many. Let's come together to Keep Omaha Safe! Residents deserve a safe and peaceful place to live. Help keep our neighborhoods and community safe!

If you're tired of shootings, gun violence, and funerals, let's work together to end gun violence! We've lost too many lives to senseless death. **Enough is Enough. No More Gun Violence! No More Funerals! No More Shooting!** YOU HAVE OTHER OPTIONS!

10 ways the community can help stop gun violence. We believe that we must stop violence by first providing better opportunities and support.

COMMUNITY VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION COLLABORATION

(These agencies will assist you or refer you to one of our other partners...please mention Omaha 360 – VIP)

1. **Education & Employment Opportunities** - Please call Urban League of Nebraska at 402-453-9730.
2. **Housing Support** - Need assistance with housing...Please call the Family Housing Advisory Services at 402-934-7921.
3. **Support Services** – Need help with Emergency Assistance or Basic Needs – Food, Clothing, and other...Please call ENCAP (Eastern Nebraska Community Action Partnership) at 402-453-5656 ext. 200.
4. **Spiritual Support** - Need prayer or want to talk to a Pastor or Minister. Please call 402-594-9254.
5. **Getting out of a Gang, Helping Your Child Get Out of a Gang, or Seeking Help with Mediation (Squashing Beef)**
If you or someone you know wants to change their lifestyle and get out of a gang or if you need someone to help with mediation (squashing beef) – Please call Impact One Community Connection at 402-932-2855.
6. **Gun Violence Victim Support Group** – If you have family member or friend to gun violence and want to be a part of a support group – Please call the Center for Holistic Development at 402-502-9788.
7. **Reentry and Recovery Group** – If you or someone you know is returning from jail or prison and need help getting reconnected in the community – ENCAP (Eastern Nebraska Community Action Partnership) at 402-453-5656 ext. 200.

OMAHA POLICE DEPARTMENT

(The following contact information (8-10) will help you reach the Omaha Police Department or Crime Stoppers)

8. **Report gang activity in your neighborhood.** Please call the Gang Hotline at 444-5990.
9. **Report illegal activity or have knowledge about a gun violence crime.** Please call 444-STOP, send a text message to 274637 (crimes) or www.omahacrimestoppers.net. (This call is anonymous)
10. **Report an illegal firearm** – Please call 444-STOP, send a text message to 274637 (crimes) or www.omahacrimestoppers.net (This call is anonymous)

If this is an emergency, please call 911.



Empower Omaha!
*Rise Up and Rebuild the Village
Do Your Part...Live the Covenant!*



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We're all in this together...to Stop Gun Violence!*

If you would like to volunteer, contribute, or support efforts to stop gun violence in our communities and city, please e-mail us at info@empoweromaha.com or call us at 402-502-5153. For more information go to

www.empoweromaha.com

Omaha 360 is an initiative of the Empower Omaha Violence Intervention and Prevention Collaboration

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