



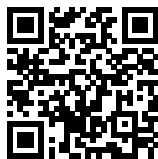
My missing cat, Timothy Leadbelly, is a large, short-haired, neutered male a "tuxedo tabby" cat -- gray with dark markings and white paws, a white chin, and a white chest (white "bib") -- but from the sides or above, he looks mainly gray. Unlike many tabbies, the end of his nose is a pale pink (and the fur above it is white).

Last seen at home in 2600 block of Jones in Walnut Creek but may have strayed much further away by now.

I am offering a \$200 reward for his safe return. Alternatively, I am offering some compensation for any reliable proof of his whereabouts or condition, good or bad. It's also possible that he's been adopted by someone after being mistaken for a feral, neglected or abandoned cat after being lost and surviving on his own outside for months now. I am desperate to know what has happened to him, good, bad or otherwise. I have had this cat since he was a kitten, and he is now 8 years old.

SMARTPHONE PICS OF CAT SIGHTINGS ARE ESPECIALLY USEFUL. If you see him, please do NOT chase him. Instead, text me a photo with info on when and where you saw him.

I can be reached by phone, text or email. Thanks for reading and for any tips, help, or suggestions you can offer!



NOTE: A very similar-looking cat has been spotted near Walden and Jones; another lives in The
Hillside on Oak Ridge. Another one lives in the area of Walnut near the Hampton
apartment. The Walden cat was more white with a few dark spots than mine. The Gora/Chen
cat was a gray nose and a pink rat, who had a pink nose. All these cats are smaller than mine.
It is possible that the cat is feeding at the outdoor feeding station on Jones Street, where several
other tabbies visit, or in Northwoods on Jones or at a couple of outdoor feeding bowls in Carriage Place on

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