



MEMORANDUM

POLICE DEPARTMENT

TO: CAROLYNN PETRU, INTERIM CITY MANAGER

FROM: MARK VELEZ, CHIEF OF POLICE

SUBJECT: MONTHLY REPORT FOR AUGUST 2019

DATE: SEPTEMBER 05, 2019

OVERVIEW

During August of 2019, there were eleven Part I Crimes; six were residential burglaries, one was a theft from a classroom (PVHS), and four were thefts from vehicles.

Of the burglaries, all occurred while the victims were away from their homes. In these cases, the suspects gained entry to the residences by smashing a rear glass door / window. The suspects ransacked multiple rooms, specifically targeting the master bedrooms and removed the victims' property. In three of these cases, the suspects removed / destroyed the alarm panel / systems to avoid detection.

Of the larcenies, three were from parked and unsecure vehicles. In these cases, the suspects gained entry into the vehicles through unlocked doors and removed the victims' property. In the fourth case, the suspects gained entry to the vehicle by smashing the vehicle's window. The suspect entered the vehicle and removed the victim's property. In the fifth case, the suspects had access to the facility and entered the building through an unsecure door. The suspects removed currency from a cash box and fled the area undetected.

CRIME INFORMATION DATA

Crime	Aug-18	Aug-19	% Change	2018 YTD	2019 YTD	% Change
Homicide	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
Rape	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
Aggravated Assault	0	0	N/A	0	3	N/A
Robbery	0	0	N/A	2	0	-100%
Burglary	1	6	500%	16	28	75%
Larceny	4	5	25%	52	31	-40%
Auto Theft	0	0	N/A	1	1	0%
Arson	0	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
Total	5	11	120%	71	63	-11%

FIELD OPERATIONS ACTIVITY

RESPONSE TIMES

Response times=from the time Dispatch receives the call until the first officer's arrival

Priority 1 (emergency/immediate response)

Priority 2 (immediate response, non-emergency)

AVERAGE RESPONSE TIMES

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
Priority 1	2:35	2:23	2:21	2:06	2:23	1:23	2:51	2:36					2:19
Priority 2	4:25	4:35	4:49	4:03	4:58	4:43	4:32	6:01*					4:45

*Increase due to calls being held while higher priority calls were being handled

TRAFFIC CITATIONS

Type	Aug-18	YTD	Type	Aug-19	YTD
Moving/Equipment	179	1,286	Moving/Equipment	73	626
Speed	55	138	Speed	44	468
Parking	81	886	Parking	79	685
Warning	21	423	Warning	17	179
Total	336	2,733	Total	213	1,958

SOCIAL HOST ORDINANCE CITATIONS

Aug-19	YTD
0	3

TRAFFIC COLLISIONS

Type	Aug-19	YTD
Injury	0	8
Non-Injury	4	34
Hit and Run	0	11

FOUR-YEAR TRAFFIC COLLISION COMPARISON

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2016	5	13	8	5	8	11	3	3	3	6	5	4	74
2017	5	7	4	4	3	4	3	3	3	7	6	5	54
2018	6	3	9	4	4	11	6	8	10	4	5	11	81
2019	3	4	9	5	9	7	1	4					42

YTD TRAFFIC COLLISIONS

Cause	Location	I	N/I	H/R	B
Stop Sign	PVDN/Via Campesina	x			x
3' Law	600 blk PVDW	x		x	x
Failure to Yield	PVDW/Via Zumaya		x		
	300 blk PVDW	x			
	PVDW/PVDN		x		
	Via Anita/PVDW		x		x
	PVDW/Via Corta		x		
Unsafe Start	Via Valmonte/PVDN		x		
Unknown	700 blk Via Somonte		x	x	
	800 blk Via Rincon		x	x	
	PVDW/Via Coronel		x	x	
	200 blk PVDW		x	x	
	2400 blk Via Carrillo		x	x	
	3400 blk Via La Selva		x	x	
	PVDN/Via Adarme	x			x
	2200 blk Paso Del Mar		x		
	300 blk Paso Del Mar		x	x	
	700 blk Via Del Monte		x	x	
Unsafe Speed	100 blk PVDW		x		
	1500 blk Via Zurita		x		
	2000 blk Via Fernandez		x		
	1400 blk Via Coronel		x		
	1000 blk PVDW		x		
	900 blk Via Del Monte		x		
DUI	2100 blk PDM		x		
	700 blk Via Del Monte	x			
	100 blk PVDW		x		
	Paseo Lunado/PVDW		x		
	Via Pinale/Via Del Monte		x		
	600 blk PVDW	x			
	Yarmouth Rd/PDM		x		
Unsafe Turn	3600 blk PVDN		x		
	1200 blk Granvia Altamira		x		
	Via Coronel/Via Zurita		x	x	
	700 blk Via Del Monte		x		
	600 blk Cloyden RD		x		
	2000 blk Paseo Del Mar		x		
	Paseo Lunado/Via Rivera		x		
	3100 blk PVDN		x		
Following too closely	Via Coronel/Via Boronada	x			x
Unsafe Backing	1800 blk Dalton RD		x	x	
Lane Violation	Via Navajo/Via Palomino	x			

I: Injury

NI: Non-Injury

HR- Hit and Run

B= Bicycle involved

ARRESTS

Charge	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Drunk in Public	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	2					5
Solicitation	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0					1
Firearms Violation	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0					2
Trespassing	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0					2
Peeping	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0					1
Warrant	13	4	19	6	13	9	11	10					85
Drugs	3	4	4	3	1	3	7	1					26
Stolen Vehicle	2(1*)	2(1*)	2*	2	0	0	0	3*					11
DUI	2	7	6	5	2	4	2	4					32
Driver License	7	2	8	5	6	7	4	4					43
Evading Officers	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1					3
Muni Code	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					1
Domestic Violence	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	1					6
Burglary	0	1	0	6	0	1	0	0					8
Obstruct Officer	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1					4
Identity Theft	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0					2
Theft Access Card	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0					1
Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4					7
Violate Court Order	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0					2
Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2					2
Grand Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4					5
Battery	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0					5
TOTAL	30	22	43	29	27	34	32	37	0	0	0	0	254

*Based on Automatic License Plate Reader alert

TWO-YEAR ARREST COMPARISON

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Totals
2018	44	43	44	41	53	54	39	44	22	38	14	14	450
2019	30	22	43	29	27	34	32	37					254

INVESTIGATIONS ACTIVITY

PART 1 CRIME DATA – CLEARANCE CURRENT MONTH:

Crime	August 2019 Reported	Cleared	Percent
Homicide	0	0	N/A
Rape	0	0	N/A
Aggravated Assault	0	0	N/A
Robbery	0	0	N/A
Burglary	6	0	0%
Larceny	5	0	0%
Auto Theft	0	0	N/A
Arson	0	0	N/A
Total	11	0	0%

**Cleared cases include cases that were reported prior to this month, but cleared this month.*

PART 1 CRIME DATA – CLEARANCE YTD:

Crime	2019 YTD Reported	2019 YTD Cleared	2019 Percent
Homicide	0	0	N/A
Rape	0	0	N/A
Aggravated Assault	3	3	100%
Robbery	0	1	100%
Burglary	28	6	22%
Larceny	31	9	29%
Auto Theft	1	2	200%
Arson	0	1	100%
Total	63	22	35%

**Cleared cases include cases that were reported prior to this year, but cleared this year.*

STOLEN AND RECOVERED VEHICLES – YEAR TO DATE

Status	Quantity
Reported Stolen in PALOS VERDES ESTATES	1
PALOS VERDES ESTATES stolen vehicles recovered	1
Recovered in PALOS VERDES ESTATES (stolen in other jurisdiction)	10

**Recovered stolen vehicles include ones that were reported stolen prior to this year, but recovered this year.*

CRIMINAL COMPLAINTS PRESENTED TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY:

Type	Monthly	2019 Year to Date
Felony	1	8
Misdemeanor	16	105
Total	17	113
Office Hearings	0	0
D.A. Rejections	1	14
Interest of Justice	0	1
Further Investigation	1	5
Insufficient Evidence	0	7
Deferred for Parole Revocation	0	0
Vic. Non-Desirous of Prosecution	0	0
Other	0	1

JUVENILE ARRESTS YEAR TO DATE:

2018	2019
6	3

CASELOAD:

Open Investigations: 74

Cases	August 2019	2019 YTD
Total Opened	18	138
Total Closed	10	149
Closed By Arrest	4	32
Closed By Exception	0	20
Closed Admin	3	56
Clearance Rate	57%	48%
Closed ROA	2	26
Closed Other	0	8
Closed Unfounded	1	7
Closed/Suspended	0	2