



# MEMORANDUM

POLICE DEPARTMENT

TO: KEN RUKAVINA, ACTING CITY MANAGER

FROM: MARK VELEZ, CHIEF OF POLICE

SUBJECT: MONTHLY REPORT FOR DECEMBER 2019

DATE: JANUARY 13, 2020

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## **OVERVIEW**

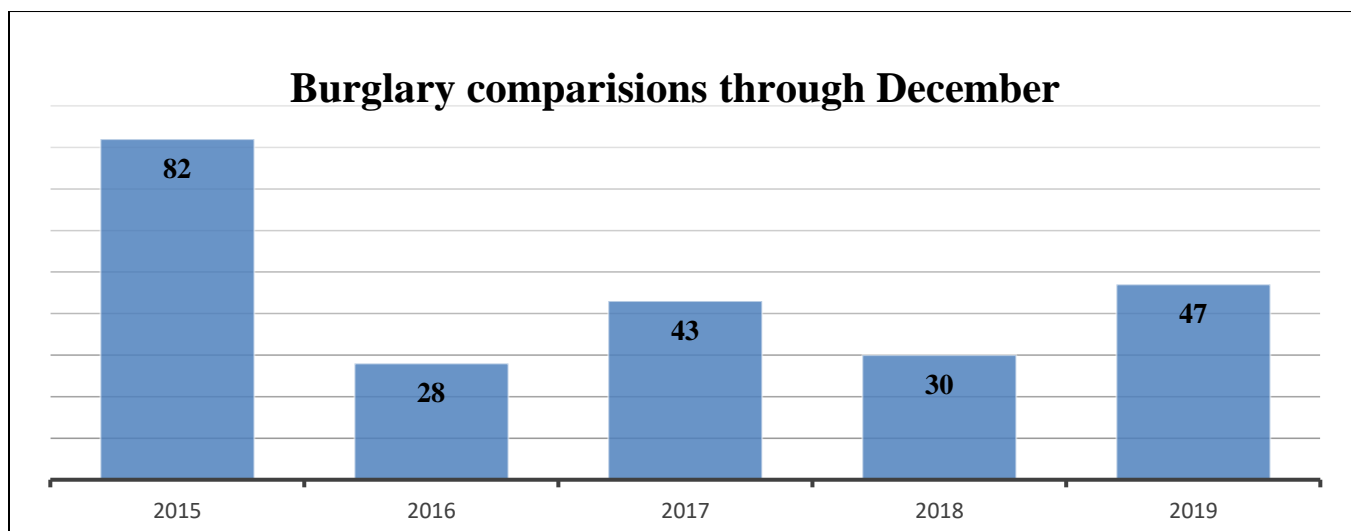
During December of 2019, there were seven Part I Crimes; four were residential burglaries, two were thefts from vehicles, and one was a theft of property from a residence.

Of the burglaries, one occurred while the resident was away from their home. The suspect(s) in this case smashed the rear bedroom window to gain entry and ransacked several bedrooms. In the second case, the suspect(s) attempted to gain entry to the residence by prying open door handles of the rear French doors. The suspect(s) were unsuccessful and fled the location. In the third case, the suspect entered an unlocked vehicle where he gained access to a garage door opener left inside. The suspect proceeded to open the garage door to the residence where he removed property from the victim's garage. In this last case, the suspect smashed a rear window to gain access into the residence. Officers responded to the location and subsequently arrested the suspect.

Of the larcenies, two were from unsecured vehicles where the suspect(s) entered the vehicles and removed the victims' property. The third larceny occurred at a residence where property was removed without permission.

**CRIME INFORMATION DATA**

Crime	Dec-18	Dec-19	% Change	2018 YTD	2019 YTD	% Change
Homicide	0	0	n/a	0	0	n/a
Rape	0	0	n/a	1	0	-100%
Aggravated Assault	0	0	n/a	1	3	200%
Robbery	0	0	n/a	2	1	-50%
Burglary	7	4	-43%	30	38	27%
Larceny	4	3	-25%	67	47	-30%
Auto Theft	0	0	n/a	2	3	50%
Arson	0	0	n/a	0	0	n/a
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-36%</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>-11%</b>



**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	3:30	3:21	2:29	3:05	2:35
Priority 2	4:25	4:35	4:49	4:03	4:58	4:43	4:32	6:01*	4:57	4:16	4:45	4:47	4:44

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

**TRAFFIC CITATIONS**

Type	Dec-18	YTD	Type	Dec-19	YTD
Moving/Equipment	73	1664	Moving/Equipment	31	812
Laser	82	464	Laser	29	621
Parking	185	1,271	Parking	75	1,081
Warning	14	471	Warning	23	247
<b>Total</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>3,870</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>2,761</b>

**SOCIAL HOST ORDINANCE CITATIONS**

Dec-19	YTD
0	4

**TRAFFIC COLLISIONS**

Type	Dec-19	YTD
Injury	0	14
Non-Injury	2	44
Hit and Run	0	14

**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	8	2	4	2	58

**YTD TRAFFIC COLLISIONS**

Cause	Location	I	N/I	H/R	B
Stop Sign	PVDN/Via Campesina	x			x
	1300 blk PVDW		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		
	PVDW/Via Carrillo	x			
	100 blk PVDW	x			x
	Via Valmonte/Via Alcance		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 Paseo Del Mar		x		
	300 blk Paseo Del Mar		x	x	
	700 blk Via Del Monte		x	x	
	1100 blk Granvia Altamira		x	x	
	Via Campesina/Via Segunda		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		
	2700 blk PVDN		x		
	2800 PVDW		x		
	1300 blk Granvia Altamira		x		
	800 blk PVDW	x			
	100 blk PVDW		x	x	
	900 blk PVDW	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		
	PVDW/Via Chico	x			
	Paseo Del Mar/PVDW	x			x
Following too closely	Via Coronel/Via Boronada	x			x
Unsafe Backing	1800 blk Dalton RD		x	x	
	Via Pinale/Via Del Monte		x		
Lane Violation	Via Navajo/Via Palomino	x			
Inattention	500 blk PVDW		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	0	1	0	1	7
Solicitation	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Weapons Violation	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Trespassing	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Peeping	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Warrant	13	4	19	6	13	9	11	10	7	2	6	4	104
Drugs	3	4	4	3	1	3	7	1	6	3	1	4	40
Stolen Vehicle	2(1*)	2(1*)	2*	2	0	0	0	3*	2	1*	2	0	16
DUI	2	7	6	5	2	4	2	4	3	3	6	4	48
Driver License	7	2	8	5	6	7	4	4	2	6	3	1	55
Evading Officers	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Muni Code	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Domestic Violence	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	7
Burglary	0	1	0	6	0	1	0	0	6	0	2	1	17
Obstruct Officer	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	4
Identity Theft	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	4
Theft Access Card	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	3	0	4	6	20
Violate Court Order	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	3	0	1	8
Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	3
Grand Theft	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	1	0	6
Extortion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Vandalism	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Poss. stolen prop.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Battery	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>363</b>

\*Based on Automatic License Plate Reader alert

## TWO-YEAR ARREST COMPARISON

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Totals
<b>2018</b>	44	43	44	41	53	54	39	44	22	38	14	14	<b>450</b>
<b>2019</b>	30	22	43	29	27	34	32	37	33	22	26	28	<b>363</b>

## INVESTIGATIONS ACTIVITY

### PART 1 CRIME DATA – CLEARANCE CURRENT MONTH:

Crime	December 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	4	10	333%
Larceny	3	0	0%
Auto Theft	0	0	N/A
Arson	0	0	N/A
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>142%</b>

*\*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	1	2	200%
Burglary	38	18	47%
Larceny	47	10	21%
Auto Theft	3	3	100%
Arson	0	1	100%
<b>Total</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>40%</b>

*\*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	3
PALOS VERDES ESTATES stolen vehicles recovered	3
Recovered in PALOS VERDES ESTATES (stolen in other jurisdiction)	12

*\*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	16
Misdemeanor	0	146
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>162</b>
Office Hearings	0	0
D.A. Rejections	0	21
Interest of Justice	0	1
Further Investigation	0	6
Insufficient Evidence	0	13
Deferred for Parole Revocation	0	0
Vic. Non-Desirous of Prosecution	0	0
Other	0	1

**JUVENILE ARRESTS YEAR TO DATE:**

2018	2019
8	6

**CASELOAD:**

Open Investigations: 75

Cases	December 2019	2019 YTD
Total Opened	18	201
Total Closed	21	214
Closed By Arrest	11	56
Closed By Exception	1	21
Closed Admin	4	77
Clearance Rate	75%	50%
Closed ROA	3	35
Closed Other	1	11
Closed Unfounded	0	14
Closed/Suspended	1	3