

BAL HARBOUR

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OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE MANAGER

LETTER TO COUNCIL

NO. 024-2016

To: Mayor Martin Packer and Members of the Village Council
From: Jorge M. Gonzalez, Village Manager 
Date: February 5, 2016
Subject: Bal Harbour Police Department Weekly Report for the week of
January 29, 2016 through February 4, 2016

The purpose of this Letter to Council (LTC) is to transmit to you a Weekly Report from the Bal Harbour Police Department that I requested in order to enhance the flow of communication and transparency.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to call the Chief or me directly.

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Weekly Summary Report

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Week of: 01/29/2016 thru
02/04/2016

Calls for Service		Reports		Arrests		Code Enforcement		Traffic Enforcement	
Primary	92	Incident	42	Felony	02	Warning	01	Citation	80
Back Up Outside Jurisdiction	01	Crash	01	Misdemeanor	00	Notice	00	Warning	35
								Parking	83
Total	99	Total	45	Total	02	Total	00	Total	198

Collins Avenue Traffic Safety & Enforcement Initiatives			
Citations	67	Warnings	24

Traffic Enforcement Details				
Day	Date	Location	Citations	Warnings
Friday	01/29/16	Collins Avenue Traffic Enforcement Detail	06	03
Friday	01/29/16	"Twenty is Plenty"	00	00
Friday	01/29/16	96 St/Harding Avenue Pedestrian Crosswalk Detail	00	00
Saturday	01/30/16	Collins Avenue Traffic Enforcement Detail	26	07
Sunday	01/31/16	9700 Collins Avenue	01	00
Monday	02/01/16	Collins Avenue Traffic Enforcement Detail	06	07
Tuesday	02/02/16	"Twenty is Plenty"	00	00
Tuesday	02/02/16	96 St/Harding Avenue Pedestrian Crosswalk Detail	19	07
Wednesday	02/03/16	"Twenty is Plenty"	00	00
Wednesday	02/03/16	North Lot Parking Enforcement Detail	17	00
Thursday	02/04/16	"Twenty is Plenty"	00	00
Thursday	02/04/16	North Lot Parking Enforcement Detail	11	00



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Noteworthy Incidents

The incidents listed below are included in the above totals.
However they are sufficient interest to be noted.

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
01/31/16	Hazardous Conditions	One Harbour Way
Narrative / Comments		
The Bal Harbour Police Department was contacted due to the smell of gas in the area of 1 Harbour Way. Upon the arrival of police officers and the Miami-Dade Fire Department a gas leak was discovered along the swale. The fire department concluded that the gas leak did not require an evacuation of the surrounding residents. The police officers secured the area until the arrival of the gas company. The small leak was caused by the intrusion of a tree root into the gas line. The gas company was able to repair the leak.		

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
02-02-16	Airplane Crash Assist Miami Dade and Coast Guard	Baker Haulover Cut 10300 Block and the Beach
Narrative / Comments		
The Bal Harbour Police Marine Patrol overheard a call over the emergency frequencies regarding a small airplane crashing near the Haulover Inlet. The Marine Patrol Vessel arrived within minutes and observed that the two occupants had exited the aircraft and were being assisted ashore by a life guard. The Bal Harbour Marine Patrol assisted the coast guard in securing the crash site until the aircraft was raised and hauled to the Haulover Marina for further investigation into the cause of the crash.		

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
02-02-16	Possible Code Violation	10275 Collins Avenue Harbour House
Narrative / Comments		
The Bal Harbour Code Enforcement Department received a complaint regarding a resident maintaining 5 to 6 dogs and running a dog kennel out of their apartment. The investigation revealed the resident was in compliance of the two dog maximum requirement of the Village Code. Although this resident has been cited in that past for violating the allowed maximum number of dogs, upon inspection of the apartment there was no evidence of a kennel operation. The resident has been observed walking several dogs at a time, however there is no code restricting the number of dogs a person can walk.		



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Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
02/04/16	Arrest / Felony Theft & Burglary	9703 Collins Avenue St. Regis Hotel

Narrative / Comments

Three subjects boarded a taxi in South Beach and directed the driver to the St. Regis Hotel. Upon arrival all three subjects fled from the cab without paying for services. The subjects gained access to a storage room at the St. Regis Hotel where bicycles are stored removing two bicycles and fleeing the area. Bal Harbour police officers located the suspects and recovered the stolen bicycles which were returned to the St. Regis Hotel. The suspects were arrested and transported to jail.

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
02/04/16	Garbage Can Fire	9703 Collins Avenue

Narrative / Comments

The Bal Harbour Police Department along with the Miami-Dade Fire Department was dispatched to the St. Regis Hotel due to a garbage can on fire near the pool area of the premises. The fire department extinguished the small fire without any further incident. The source of the fire is unknown but appeared to be accidental.

Completed by: Captain M. De La Rosa

Date: February 04, 2016