

BAL HARBOUR

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OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE MANAGER

LETTER TO COUNCIL

NO. 099-2016

To: Mayor Martin Packer and Members of the Village Council

From: Jorge M. Gonzalez, Village Manager 

Date: May 20, 2016

Subject: Bal Harbour Police Department Weekly Report for the period of May 13, 2016 through May 19, 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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Chief of Police



Sunday	05/15/16	Harding Avenue and 96 Street Crosswalk	01	00
Monday	05/16/16	Collins Avenue Radar & Traffic Enforcement Detail	01	01
Monday	05/16/16	Frontage Road (Wrong Way)	00	02
Monday	05/16/16	9700 Collins Avenue(Shops Detail right turns)	02	02
Tuesday	05/17/16	Collins Avenue Radar & Traffic Enforcement Detail		
Tuesday	05/17/16	9700 Collins Avenue(Shops Detail right turns)		
Tuesday	05/17/16	Harding Avenue and 96 Street Crosswalk	00	01
Tuesday	05/17/16	Frontage Road (Wrong Way)		
Wednesday	05/18/16	Collins Avenue Radar Traffic Enforcement	04	01
Wednesday	05/18/16	Harding Avenue and 96 Street Crosswalk	00	00
Wednesday	05/18/16	Frontage Road (Wrong Way)	00	01
Wednesday	05/18/16	9700 Collins Avenue(Shops Detail right turns)	00	00
Thursday	05/19/16	Collins Avenue Radar & Traffic Enforcement Detail	00	00
Thursday	05/19/16	9700 Collins Avenue(Shops Detail right turns)	07	00
Thursday	05/19/16	Frontage Road (Wrong Way)	00	00
Thursday	05/19/16	Harding Avenue and 96 Street Crosswalk	00	00

Noteworthy Incidents

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

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
05/14/16	Assist Citizen	Intracoastal Waterway
Narrative / Comments		
While conducting patrols of the intercoastal waterway, the BHPD marine patrol discovered an unoccupied vessel adrift. The officers secured the vessel and located the owner who was riding a jet ski. The investigation revealed that vessel's anchor had dislodged which caused it to drift away.		



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Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
05/14/16	AOA/Surfside Police	9600 Collins Avenue
Narrative / Comments		
<p>The Surfside Police Department requested the assistance of BHPD in reference to a suspected impaired driver which they had detained. The DUI certified Bal Harbour police officer responded and after conducting a field sobriety test determined the driver was not impaired. The driver was issued citations by the Surfside Police officers and released.</p>		

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
05/15/16	AOAW Bay Harbor Islands Police	1361 97 th Street (Bay Harbor Island)
Narrative / Comments		
<p>The Bay Harbor Islands Police Department requested assistance regarding two males that had fled. Officers responded and assisted Bay Harbor Island officers with establishing a perimeter. After a brief perimeter, officers located the males hiding in the rear of a residence and took them in custody. The individuals were arrested and charged accordingly.</p>		

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
05/16/16	Possible Fishing Violation	Beach Jetty
Narrative / Comments		
<p>A concerned citizen contacted the Bal Harbour Police Department regarding a male on the jetty possibly spear fishing. Officers responded immediately and located the individual walking along the jetty in possession of a spear gun. The officers informed the individual that spear fishing was not permitted in the area of the beach. The individual then left the area without incident.</p>		

Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
05/17/16	Assist Miami Dade Fire Department	Collins Avenue and 108 Street Haulover Park Beach
Narrative / Comments		
<p>The Bal Harbour Marine Unit and an off duty Bal Harbour police officer responded to an emergency call for assistance, reference several swimmers in distress. The off duty officer along with a county life guard rescued the swimmers and brought them back to land. Three of the swimmers required medical attention, the the other two swimmers did not survive. This incident received media attention.</p>		



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Date	Incident/Arrest	Location
05/18/16	Hazardous Conditions	10201 Collins Avenue
Narrative / Comments		
<p>A concerned citizen notified police regarding a large volume of water spilling onto the street. Further inspection revealed that the construction area's on site well was overflowing as well as an irrigation pipe was flowing water. The heavy rains and high tides were also a contributing factor. The water was flowing into the storm drains however the outside northbound lane was partially flooded. The lane was closed as well as the sidewalk utilizing cones and signs. The on duty coastal supervisor and police officers established a safe zone for pedestrians to traverse around the standing water. Officers remained on scene throughout the night. The water leak was capped and the roadway re-opened prior to the morning rush hour traffic.</p>		

Completed by: Captain M. De La Rosa

Date: May 19, 2016