

**City Manager's Bi-Weekly Report
April 2, 2015**

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OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

Spring Egg Hunt

The Parks & Recreation Department will be holding their annual Spring Egg Hunt at the Senior Center on Saturday, April 4th at Senior Center from 10 AM to 1 PM. Pre-sale tickets are \$7 or \$10 at the door if there is space available.

Commission/Board Vacancies

On Tuesday evening, the City Council interviewed candidates for seats on the Planning Commission and the youth candidates for the Community & Library Services Commission. The City Council will be considering making appointments in these categories on April 14, 2015. Interviews for adult members of the Community & Library Services Commission will be scheduled shortly. The City is still seeking candidates for possible appointment to one seat on the County Mosquito & Vector Control District Board of Trustees. More information can be found on the City's website.

Local Entertainment

On Friday, April 20th, I attended the spring musical at Hercules High School. They were doing "The Drowsy Chaperon" which was a fun show and the cast and crew did a great job. I hear from many residents that they would like to see more entertainment options here in Hercules and my experience with The Drowsy Chaperon reminded me that we have some good local entertainment options that also support our schools. Many music and theater programs at our High School are open to the public and I am sure the students performers would love to have you in the audience.

Grants Single Audit

The City's Independent Auditors have completed the annual audit of Federal and State grants which is called the Single Audit. The audit was completed in a timely manner and there were no audit findings or exceptions. Special thanks go to our Finance staff and other staff members involved in grants for helping to ensure a timely and complete audit.

Part-Time Employment

The City has numerous part-time and seasonal job opportunities currently available in Parks & Recreation including our child care and aquatics programs. Check out what is available on our website.

Waste Water Plant Update

The 90% plans for the \$48 M Pinole-Hercules Waste Water Treatment Plant were completed and submitted for review by the design firm and are now being reviewed by the Cities of Pinole and Hercules and our third party construction management firm. This represents a key milestone in getting the plant upgraded and expanded in the near future.

Hercules Point Access Reminder

The Police Department has received calls regarding people walking and fishing on the Hercules Point which is located west of the railroad tracks near Bayfront. We would like to remind the community that crossing railroad tracks is a violation of the law and being on the Point is considered trespassing. Hercules Point is City property and staff will be mending the fences and posting no trespassing signs. So please, do not cross the tracks or trespass on the Point.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT **Planning Division**



**COMMUNITY FIELD MEETING –
Regarding Historic Masonic lodge and
surrounding historic buildings –
Thursday, April 23, 2015 at 6:00 pm at
corner of Railroad and Promenade
Avenues in Hercules
(Across from Lelia’s restaurant)**

The property owner, David Curry, will be presenting his plans of the historic buildings and potentially giving a tour of the Masonic Lodge Building to the community in the field. If you have questions, ideas, or suggestions on how to make this a successful part of our community, please plan on

attending and bring a friend. **YOUR IDEAS AND INPUT MATTER!!!**

Administrative Use Permits Approved

- Advanced Dermatology Car, Inc., to be located at 500 Alfred Nobel Drive Suite 185 was approved for the Flora Ting’s dermatology medical office
- Apartment by the Bay, at 1021 Main Street, was approved to rent out the granny flat above the garage through Airbnb.com for daily or weekly lodging at the residence of Lorena Cruz

Building Inspection Division

	Mar 13, 2015 Thru Mar 27	FY 2014/15 YTD
Number of the permits issued:	18	609
Total Fee Collected:	\$14,820.44	\$473,019.87
Number of Inspections:	11	264
New Housing:	0	20

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Maintenance & Operations – Staff completed their regularly scheduled janitorial and facility-related tasks in public parks and buildings, repaired street lights throughout town, replaced street signs that were faded or damaged by graffiti, abated graffiti and repaired pedestrian lights in Victoria By The Bay, patched potholes on Willow Avenue, and assembled trash cans obtained through grant funding. M&O staff also coordinated with the West Contra Costa County Integrated Waste Management Authority on solid waste issues, Ducks Unlimited on the Chelsea Wetlands Restoration Project, and provided direction to the City’s landscape maintenance contractors on water reduction strategies.

Engineering – Construction on the \$6M Bay Trail phase of the Intermodal Transit Center (ITC) continues and is approximately 55% complete. Staff is working with the environmental regulatory agencies to secure the permits for Path to Transit, which is the next phase of the ITC project and scheduled to go out to bid this April/May. The Willow Avenue rehabilitation project is under design. Staff has issued an encroachment permit for Town Centrale to install a storm drain line across South Front Street so minor traffic delays may be experienced when traveling on this street. The concrete bus pullout on San Pablo has been poured as part of the Victoria Crescent/Alexandria development.

PERMITS: 3/15 – 3/28

Sewer Lateral Inspection Program:

- Number of application received: 2
- Sewer Lateral Inspection Fees Collected: \$250
- Number of Certifications issued: 2
- Number of Deficiency Notices issued: 0
- Number of Condominium Waivers issued: 1

Wide Load/Transportation Permits Issued: 2

Encroachment Permits Issued: 6

PARKS AND RECREATION

The Parks & Recreation Department offers a wide variety of recreation classes and programs that cater to all ages and help to promote a healthy lifestyle. Classes and programs provide a great opportunity to have fun and exercise while interacting with others in a safe environment. A sampling of classes offered is provided below. For additional information, to access a full listing of classes and programs or to register, please visit the City website at www.ci.hercules.ca.us or register online at www.herculesrec.com today.

Parks & Recreation Summer 2015 Activity Guide – Are you interested in having your business or company advertised in our Fall/Winter 2015 edition of the activity guide? Hercules Parks & Recreation prints and distributes 10,000 copies and is sent out to all residents in Hercules. Advertising with us is a great way to get your business out there to all community members of Hercules and letting them know what you have to offer. Call (510) 799-8291 or via email at vflores@ci.hercules.ca.us today!

New Guide Feature Application! – The City of Hercules Parks & Recreation Department has now released their electronic and printed versions of the Spring/Summer 2015 Activity Guide. You may take a look at our printed or online versions at www.ci.hercules.ca.us for the most up to date classes and new programs that will be offered in 2015.

Facilities: The City of Hercules offers several conveniently located facilities to rent for your meeting, wedding reception, graduation, retirement or baptism. Halls range from a capacity of 10 to our largest which has a maximum capacity of 300. Visit the City website at www.ci.hercules.ca.us or call (510) 799-8291 for more information on facility locations, dates available and amenities offered at each location.

Recreation Classes: Hercules Parks & Recreation is always interested in bringing on new programs, classes and services for the community to enjoy. Please contact Vanessa Flores at (510) 799-8290 or vflores@ci.hercules.ca.us for additional information or to submit applications of interest.

Parks & Recreation Online System - Hercules Parks & Recreation online registration system (www.herculesrec.com) has been updated. Make sure to take a look at the new site with improved features. If you have any questions feel free to contact recreation offices at (510) 799-8291.

Sports Programs: Our programs help promote a healthy lifestyle, while providing an environment in which people of all ages can enjoy themselves. Whether it is recreation team sports you are seeking, or an individual leisure activity/hobby, the City of Hercules is proud to offer it. To access a full listing of classes or to register, please visit our website at www.herculesrec.com.

Recreation Classes: We have classes that are ongoing year round which include yoga, Zumba, piano and guitar! To access a full listing of classes or to register, please visit the City website at www.ci.hercules.ca.us.

Seniors/50+: Come to the Senior Center to enjoy the CC Café, or to participate in an Art Class, Card Club, Ping Pong, Tai Chi, Zumba Gold, Low Impact Exercise Classes, Dance Club, or Hula Dance.

Your annual membership of \$20.00 gives you access to over 30 classes and programs at a discounted rate.

Aquatics: The Hercules Swim Center is a beautiful place that provides valuable resources to the community of Hercules, by providing a place for families, adults, teens and children to recreate! The Swim Center's programs specialize in fostering human development, strengthening safety and security, promoting health and wellness, and providing recreational experiences.

Lap Swim:

Monday – Friday: 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Ages: 14+

Fees: Resident: Youth & Senior \$4/ Adult \$5

Non-Resident: Youth & Senior \$5/ Adult \$6

EBSD Year Round Membership: The City of Hercules East Bay Silver Dolphins is a USA swimming team that practices & competes year-round! The team & coaches are dedicated to fostering a positive and challenging environment for athlete growth in the East Bay! Swimmers will have fun while improving their skills, sportsmanship, and self-esteem. EBSD believes that while swimming is fun and great exercise, it also teaches important life skills such as self-motivation, the importance of hard work and dedication, setting and obtaining personal goals, and time management. Each swimmer is an important part of the team. They learn to have fun together and provide encouragement and motivation for their teammates:

Dates: 3/1/15 – 9/31/15

USA Registration Fee: Year Round Swimmer \$80.00 (made payable to EBSD)

Code: 52200-A-L

Spinners: Monday – Thursday: 6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Fee: \$66.00

Intermediate: Monday – Friday: 5:00 p.m. – 6:15 p.m. Fee: \$83.00

Advanced: Monday – Friday: 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. / 7:00 p.m. Fee: \$94.00

Teens: Our goal is to provide programming that will foster human development, promote health and wellness, and increase cultural unity with life experiences. As our youth grow into teens, we want to give them a sense of ownership and belonging to the community. We accomplish this through the many enjoyable programs and activities available at the Teen Center, "T.H.E. S.P.O.T." (Teens of Hercules Empowering through Spirit, Perseverance, Outreach, & Teamwork) located at 2007 Refugio Valley Road. Registration is now being accepted for the Fall S.P.O.T. Before and After school program.

Tiny Tots & Little Learners: A great introduction to your child's "First Learning Experience". They will have fun making their first school friends, learning through play, games, and arts and crafts. Our loving and qualified staff will guide them in socialization and self-help skills. Children have so much fun; they do not realize they are learning! Our program runs with the school year, September – June. Come see what keeps our children smiling! Children must be completely toilet trained.

- Registration: April 6th at the Community Center

- Tiny Tot program has a 5 day Jr. Kindergarten program
- Monday, Wednesday, Friday: Pre-K Program
- Tuesday/Thursday: Little Leaner Program

Before & After School Child Care: The new school year is upon us and there are limited spots available, if you are interested in the program feel free to give us a call at (510) 245-4803 today.

Friends of the Hercules Library Spring Book Sale:

Thousands of used Books + CD's, DVD's, VHS tapes for sale! All proceeds from the Book Sale and from Friends of the Hercules Library Book Store go to support the collections and programs at our library. Members of the Friends of the Hercules Library can enter one hour early at 10 a.m.

Date: 4/18/15

Time: 11a.m – 5:30 p.m. Hardbacks \$1.00, Paperbacks .50 cents, Children's Books .25 cents, CD's, DVD's, VHS .50 cents.

Date: 4/19/15

Time: Noon – 4:30 p.m. \$2.00 per bag. Fill your own bag(s) from remaining stock!

Location: Hercules Library, 109 Civic Drive & Sycamore

UPCOMING EVENTS*

**Events are subject to change. Please visit the City Calendar available on the City's website for the most up-to-date information.*

Egg Hunt:

Annual Egg Hunt

Date: 04/4/15

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Location: Hercules Senior Center, 111 Civic Dr.

Fees: Pre-ordered \$7.00 and \$10.00 Day of the Event, if space is available

For More Information call 510-799-8291 or visit www.ci.hercules.ca.us.

Rec Expo:

Come to this free event and take a look at all of the programs and services that Hercules Parks & Recreation will be offering for spring and summer 2015! Meet summer day staff, aquatics staff, and recreation class instructors and try out a demo of most classes and even get your questions answered in person! On this day only receive 10% off programs/classes that are paid off in FULL!

Date: 04/11/15

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Location: Hercules Community Center, 2001 Refugio Valley Road

Fees: FREE

For More Information call 510-799-8291 or visit www.ci.hercules.ca.us.

Community and Library Services Commission Meeting: Monday, April 13, 2015, 7:00 p.m.
Hercules City Hall, Council Chambers.

City of Hercules 9-Hole Golf League:

The league is a Minimum of (8) – 2 player teams and a maximum of (16) – 2 player teams per night, using a modified Stableford system. A Round Robin format will be utilized to establish weekly opponents. The length of the league will be determined by the number of teams that register. All participants must have an established NCGA Handicap (handicap based on 18 holes). If players do not have a handicap, one will be assigned, and adjusted accordingly.

PRIZES: Weekly Script Money will be determined by nightly point totals. A League Playoff will be determined by the team's win/loss record during the regular season. A CHAMPIONSHIP NIGHT will include and AWARDS CEREMONY AND A COMPLIMENTARY DINNER AT FRANKLIN CANYON!

Date: Beginning 4/22/15

Tee Times: 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Location: Franklin Canyon Golf Course, Highway 4

Entry Fees: \$236 per Resident team \$246 per Non-Resident team (Fees must be paid in advance)

Green Fees: \$13 per person per night to walk \$18 per person per night for a golf cart

Green Fees are subject to change Fees include a free bucket of range balls each week

To register and for more information call 510-799-8291, visit www.ci.hercules.ca.us or register in person at 2001 Refugio Valley Road.

Hercules Running Rebels Poker Tournament Texas Hold ‘Em Fundraiser:

Come support this great fundraiser to help raise funds for the Hercules Running Rebels and City of Hercules, Parks and Recreation Department programs and services. Must be 21 or older to participate. It's includes dinner from OUTBACK.

Date: 04/25/15

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Location: Hercules Community Center, 2001 Refugio Valley Road

Fees: \$60 Buy-In, \$20 Re-Buys, \$40 Add On, & Raffle Prizes

Dinner Only \$25.00

For More Information call 510-367-0420 or visit www.herculesrunningrebels.com .

2015 Hercules Citywide Annual Garage Sale

Date: 4/25/2015

Time: 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Register for the 2015 Annual Hercules City-Wide Garage Sales event that will occur on Saturday, April 25, 2015. Co-sponsored by the City of Hercules and the Hercules Sister City Association (HSCA) to support the Youth Ambassador Program, this event encourages the re-use and recycling of unwanted items. The registration form can be found at:

<http://www.ci.hercules.ca.us/index.aspx?page=18&recordid=4230> .

Just complete and submit it with your payment to the address shown on the form. For any questions, just call 510-724-7063. Please note that this year's event will be held only once to encourage more participation as the event, held in the last several years also in September, will not be scheduled.

Community Clean-Up Day & E-Waste Event

Date: 5/2/2015 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Cost: FREE for Hercules Residents - Must show ID

Location: Hercules Corporation Yard
1000 Sycamore Avenue
Hercules, California 94547

This event brings residents, businesses and volunteers together for a common goal, to beautify the community! Spruce up your yards, sidewalks and streets! Dumpsters will be placed at the Hercules Corporation Yard where you can drop off your trash. Only outdoor trash, yard clippings, and tree limbs will be taken as well as small appliances and furniture. Electronic waste will also be accepted. Anyone interested in volunteering call 799-8291.

POLICE DEPARTMENT



**Officer Michael Johnson
San Jose Police Department
End of Watch: March 24, 2015**

Our thoughts and prayers go out to fellow Police Officer Michael Johnson, his family and the members of the San Jose Police Department.

Patrol & Investigations Priority Calls

THE FOLLOWING CASES ONLY REFLECT A PARTIAL LIST OF CALLS FOR SERVICE THAT POLICE PERSONNEL RESPONDED TO.

Theft By False Pretense: On March 19, 2015 at 10:30 a.m an officer was dispatched to the 2200 block of Redwood to check the welfare of a female who was possibly being scammed. The victim received a phone call from suspect "Roy Cage" who identified himself as an IRS investigator. He told the victim she owed back taxes and if she didn't pay she would be arrested. Officers were able to contact the victim at the bank before she withdrew the cash.

CRIME PREVENTION NOTE: This is an on-going scam and many Hercules Residents have been called, or have been actual victims, of a “phony IRS” agent scammer. Be advised the IRS **DOES NOT** call people telling them they owe back taxes, and/or that the police have a warrant for your arrest. Do not give, or confirm, any personal information to these people. Do not send them any money, in any form (check, money order, pre-paid cash cards, or give them a credit card number). If in doubt call the IRS or the police. Go to the Police Website, the Police Log for March 28, 2015, for additional details.

Lewd Conduct: On March 19, 2015 at 1:12p.m. officers were dispatched to the 1500 block of Sycamore Ave (Lucky Store) to investigate a report of a subject exposing himself inside of the store. An adult male was contacted leaving the men's restroom. The adult female victim positively identified the male as the person she saw standing behind her, with his pants lowered, and exposing himself. 33 year old Melvin Russell, of Rodeo, was arrested for Lewd Conduct, and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Fraud by Forgery: On March 19, 2015 at 1:17p.m. officers was dispatched to the 1600 block of Sycamore Ave (Bank of America) for a report of a fraud in progress. Officers contacted the reporting party who was a bank employee. The reporting party stated an adult male entered the bank and presented a check to be cashed. The male appeared to be nervous and the reporting party became suspicious. The reporting party contacted the owner of the check, who said he did not write the check and did not know the subject trying to cash it. An Officer spoke to the owner of the check and confirmed he did not know the suspect and he did give him permission to be in possession of his check. 26 year old Lucas Mitchum, of San Lorenzo, was arrested for Forgery, Second Degree Burglary, and Attempt Grand Theft.

Theft by False Pretense: On March 19, 2015 3:41p.m., an officer was dispatched to HPD for a lobby detail. A Hercules resident reported he responded to a Craigslist add for a rental property out of state (Portland). He deposited \$3,100 into the suspect's bank account but never received the promised keys to the property.

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol: On March 20 at approximately 10:38 p.m. an Officer conducted a traffic stop, on a blue 2004 Toyota Camry, for DUI indicators. The driver displayed the objective symptoms of being under the influence of alcohol. The driver could not complete the Standard Field Sobriety Test due to a language barrier. The Preliminary Alcohol Screening device showed the driver was above the presumptive level, for the purposes of driving. 33 year old Sandeep Singh was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Assault with a Deadly Weapon/Possession of a Concealed Firearm/Obstruct Peace Officer/Possession of Controlled Substance/Public Intoxication: On March 21, 2015 at approximately 11:51p.m., Officers heard several gunshots in the area of the 800 block of Willow Ave. Officer located two males running away from the area. One male took off northbound on Willow Ave. An Officer gave chase. The officer observed the subject take a revolver, from his waist band, and toss it into the creek. 36 year old Victor Francisco Casco Jr, of San Pablo, was apprehended. The officer found a small amount of a substance, suspected to be a controlled substance on Casco's person. A second, 36 year old male, subject was also apprehended. It was

determined that the two males, along with a third unidentified male, got into a physical altercation with three victims in the parking of Burger King. During the fight, one of the males fired at pistol at the victims. The three 20 year old male victims were contacted. No one sustained any injury, as a result of the incident. The victims identified both subjects as being involved in the altercation. Officer were unable to locate the firearm, that night, due to the water and the darkness. Casco was arrested for the above charges and transported the Martinez Detention Facility. The second male was arrested for Public Intoxication and cite released to a responsible party.

Supplement to Shooting @ Willow Shopping Center: On March 22, 2015, at 8:00 a.m. officers checked the area under the footbridge where the revolver from last night's incident was dropped. Search & Rescue units were requested to assist with the search. At about 1:30 p.m., an S&R worker located a revolver in the creek, near the footbridge.

Auto Burglary: On March 22, 2015 at 7:27 p.m., an officer was flagged down, by a Hercules resident, in the shopping mall at 3600 San Pablo Ave. The reporting party stated he parked, and locked, his vehicle at 7:00 PM. When he returned to his vehicle his right front passenger window was shattered. The loss was a camera

Attempt Residential Burglary: On March 22, 2015 at 8:14 p.m., Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Pavon for a rear sliding door shattering. Officers did an area check, for a possible responsible party, and did not locate anyone. Officers contacted the reporting party who stated her dog barked a couple of times, just prior to her hearing two consecutive pounding noises, as the rear slider glass broke. Officers found both glass panes of the rear glass slider shattered and the rear screen door pulled open.

Driving under the influence solo vehicle accident: On March 22, 2015 at 10:28 p.m., Hercules Officers were dispatched to Sycamore Ave at Willow Ave. for a vehicle accident. Upon arrival officers located a Ford pick-up, facing backwards, blocking both e/b lanes of Sycamore Ave. It was determined that the adult male driver, of the pick-up, lost control of his truck and struck the freeway support in the center island. The driver refused medical. The driver showed symptoms of intoxication. After completing the Standard Field Sobriety Test 23 year old Christian was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Theft from Residence: On March 24, 2015, at 11:26 a.m., a Country Run resident reported someone stole a checkbook from his residence. He recently had company over and suspected one of his guests stole the checks

Fraud, Commercial Burglary, Forgery & Probation Violation: On March 24, 2015, at 2:36 p.m., Officers responded to Bank of America for a subject attempting to cash a fraudulent check. An officer detained a subject matching the suspect's description in front of Home Depot. A bank employee positively identified 35 year old Jeremy Villanueva, from American Canyon, as the suspect. Villanueva is currently on felony probation. Villanueva pointed out a Hyundai, parked nearby, and said his friends were in the car waiting for him. There was no one in the car. The vehicle was towed for displaying false tabs and expired registration. An inventory search of the car disclosed check fraud indicia. Villanueva was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Recovered Stolen Vehicle: On March 24, 2015, at 3:57 p.m., a resident in the 100 block of Sequoia reported a suspicious unoccupied pick-up parked across his house. An officer checked the vehicle, a 2005 Ford F250, and determined the Ford had been reported stolen to San Pablo PD yesterday.

Theft from Vehicle: On March 24, 2015, at 4:23 p.m., a resident in the 100 block of Violet reported someone stole his wallet from his parked vehicle sometime last night.

Stolen Vehicle: On March 24, 2015, at 5:47 p.m., a resident in the 200 block of Sparrow reported his 2003 gray Honda Pilot was stolen today between 7:45 a.m. and time of call.

Stolen Plates: On March 24, 2015, at 5:50 p.m., a resident in the 100 block of Trestle Cove reported someone stole the license plates of his 1994 Honda Accord sometime during the last two weeks.

Stolen Automobile: On March 25, 2015, at 5:17 p.m., a resident in the 200 block of South Wildwood reported his 2005 black Ford F250 was stolen within the last half an hour.

Vandalism & Trespassing: On March 25, 2015, at 5:21 p.m., a real estate agent reported, between 2:00 p.m. yesterday and time of call, someone broke a rear window and left miscellaneous clothes inside a vacant property currently for sale in the 2000 block of Redwood. No one was located inside the property. At about 6:14 p.m., the agent reported a Hispanic adult male, wearing a white jacket and blue jeans, approached the front door of the property. The male walked away when he saw the agent. An adult male, matching the description, was contacted in the 2200 block of Lupine, in front of his residence. He denied going inside the property on Redwood. He was advised to stay away was the address and released.

Missing Person: On March 25, 2015 approximately 8:29 p.m., Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Halsey Ct for a missing person. A 75 year male was last seen by his wife at approximately 1100 hours. His wife believed he left the house in her dark gray 2013 Ford Edge but his destination was unknown. The missing person was considered "at risk" as the family thought he might be suffering from early onset dementia. A Be on the Look Out was sent out to CCCSO and Berkeley PD (as the missing person was known to frequent locations in both jurisdictions). CHP was also contacted and a Silver Alert was activated. The male was entered into Missing and Unidentified Person System. On March 26, 2015, at approximately 9:30AM, investigators located the missing person in Napa. He had been involved in a traffic collision and transported to a hospital. He condition is unknown at this time. All alerts have been cancelled.

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol: On March 26, 2015, at approximately 1:38 a.m., an Officer conducted a traffic stop, on a green 1994 Honda Accord, for a vehicle code violation. The driver, 23 year old Monica Angelica Delapaz of San Pablo, displayed the objective symptoms of intoxication. She performed poorly on the Standard Field Sobriety Test. The Preliminary Alcohol Screening device showed her to be over the presumptive limit for the purposes of driving. She was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. She was cite/released to a responsible party.

Auto Burglary: On March 27, 2015 at 7:08 a.m., an officer was dispatched to the 3600 block of San Pablo Ave for a report of an auto burglary. An officer observed a blue Dodge Caravan with a shattered driver's window. The victim parked the van at 7:00am in front of Chase Bank. She returned to the van at 7:08am to find the window shattered and her backpack missing.

Traffic Collision: On March 27, 2015 at 1:50 p.m., an officer was dispatched to San Pablo Ave at John Muir regarding a traffic collision. Both parties agreed to an exchange of info only.

Theft: On March 27, 2015 at 6:44 a.m., an officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Paradise regarding a theft of a bicycle. The reporting party said sometime last night someone stole her grandson's red and black 26'' mountain bike.

Embezzlement: On March 27, 2015 at 12:49 p.m., an officer was dispatched to the 1600 block of Sycamore (Home Depot) for a report of embezzlement with a suspect in custody. The officer spoke with the reporting party, a Loss Prevention officer. The reporting party stated he had conducted an investigation of suspicious activity by a Home Depot employee. During the investigation the reporting party discovered the employee conducted several fraudulent transactions. Based on the reporting party's statement, and investigation, 35 year old Sharon Woodcox was arrested for Embezzlement and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Residential Burglary: On March 27, 2015 2:47 p.m., an officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Overlook Terr. For a possible residential burglary. The reporting party said she left her home at about 1:45pm today. When she returned home at about 2:45pm she saw her glass rear slider and been shattered. There were no signs that entry was made into the house.

Stolen Vehicle: On March 28, 2015 at 8:22 a.m., an officer was dispatched to the 3100 block of South Front for a report of a stolen vehicle. The reporting party stated, sometime after 9:30pm last night, someone stole his silver 2008 Honda Pilot from in front of his residence.

Trespassing: On March 28, 2015 at 4:00 p.m., officers were dispatched to the 2300 block of Redwood for a possible trespasser. The caller reported seeing an adult male, with a black shirt and a black backpack, walk into the rear yard of a vacant home listed for sale. Officers contacted 18 year old William Carter, of Vallejo, inside of the residence. The owner of the home was contacted and wanted prosecution. Carter was arrested for Trespassing and cite released.

Possession of a stolen vehicle: On March 28, 2015 at 8:48 p.m., an officer ran the plate of a Toyota Pick-up preparing to get gas in the Shell parking lot. The license plate/vehicle came back as a reported stolen vehicle to San Rafael Police on 3/19/2015. The officer stopped the vehicle between Jack in the Box and Shell. The vehicle's ignition was heavily damaged. 34 year old Israel Fernandez, of Richmond, was arrested for Possession of a Stolen Vehicle and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Possession of a Controlled Substance/Probation Violation: On March 29, 2015 at 1:37 a.m., an officer was dispatched to the Shell Gas Station, at 3900 San Pablo Ave, for a report of a possible drunk driver, who almost ran into the fuel truck. The driver was described as an adult male in an older white Honda. The officer located the vehicle with the hood up. The officer contacted the

male and determined he was not intoxicated. The male was found to be on searchable probation. During the search the officer located an open cigarette pack of cigarettes, in the subject's back pocket, containing a small paper bundle wrapped into a rectangular. The bundle contained a small amount of crystalline substance, believed to be a controlled substance. 55 year old Darrell Williams was arrested for Possession of a Controlled substance and violating his felony probation. Williams was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility

Trespassing/ Petty Theft and possession of Stolen Property: On March 30, 2015 at 5:21 a.m., an officer contacted an adult male, sitting in a disabled Ford Focus, in front of the Cal Trans corporation yard on Willow Ave. The hood of the vehicle was up and spare battery was sitting in the engine compartment hooked up to the primary battery with jumper cables. The officer asked the male if he needed assistance. An employee of Cal Trans walked out and told the officer the subject had stolen the battery, and fuel, from the yard. The employee positively identified the male as the one he saw walking out of the yard with the battery. 41 year old Kurt Anderson, of Vacaville, was arrested for Trespassing; Petty Theft; and Possession of Stolen Property.

Assist Pinole PD: On March 30, 2015 at 11:50 p.m., Pinole PD was in pursuit, of a stolen Jeep Cherokee, on n/b San Pablo Ave. at Hercules Ave. The pursuit continued n/b on San Pablo Ave to Victoria Crescent East (in Hercules). The 17 year old driver hit the roundabout and flattened three tires. The vehicle came to a stop on the curb just east of the roundabout and the driver fled on foot. The Pinole Officer lost sight of him. Hercules Officers set up a perimeter and as CHP Helicopter arrived on scene. The suspect later attempted to walk by officers, near Victoria Crescent East and Crepe Myrtle, without the sweatshirt he was wearing when he originally fled. He was arrested and Pinole Police continued their investigation.

Mental Health Evaluation and Battery on Medical personnel: On March 31, 2015 at 1:23 a.m., Hercules Units, and Pinole Officer, responded to the area of the 100 block of Paradise. The reporting party said a naked adult male was outside yelling, cussing, and making verbal threats. Officer located a 50 year old male standing outside. The male continued yelling and making threats. The male was told to get on the ground and he refused. The male attempted to kick one of the officers, who then Tased him. The male remained standing, with his hands balled up, and continued to refuse officers' commands. Officers were finally able to contain the subject. Once the scene was secure Fire and ambulance were allowed to enter the area. The subject was placed on a gurney and put into the ambulance. The subject spat in the face of one of the Paramedics (considered to be a Battery on Medical Personnel). Officers determined the subject met the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. He was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

**HERCULES POLICE BI-WEEKLY STATS
(3-19-15 TO 4-1-15)**

CALLS FOR SERVICE	691
REPORTS	78
TRAFFIC CITES	26
PARKING CITES	32
ADULT ARRESTS	25
JUVENILE ARRESTS	0
ARSONS	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTS	1
HATE CRIMES	0
TOWED VEHICLES	16
PART 1 TOTAL	25

PART 1 CRIMES BROKEN DOWN	----
HOMICIDE	0
RAPE	0
ROBBERY	0
ASSAULT	3
BURGLARY	4
LARCENY	12
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	6

UPCOMING EVENTS*

**Events are subject to change. Please visit the City Calendar available on the City's website for the most up-to-date information.*

Hercules Spring Egg Hunt – Saturday, April 4, 2015, 10:00 a.m. at Hercules Senior Center

Planning Commission Meeting – Monday, April 6, 2015, 7:00 p.m. at City Hall – Council Chambers

Rec Expo – Saturday, April 11, 2015, 10 a.m. at the Hercules Community Center

Community and Library Services Commission Meeting - Monday, April 13, 2015, 6:30 p.m. – at City Hall – Council Chambers

City Council Meeting – Tuesday, April 14, 2015, 6 p.m. at City Hall – Council Chambers

Planning Commission Meeting – Monday, April 20, 2015, 7 p.m. at City Hall – Council Chambers

West County Mayors' and Supervisors Association – Thursday, April 23, 2015, 8 a.m. at City Hall – Council Chambers

Hercules Citywide Annual Garage Sale – Saturday, April 25, 2015, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

City Council Meeting – Tuesday, April 28, 2015, 6 p.m. at City Hall – Council Chambers