

**City Manager's Bi-Weekly Report
June 26, 2015**

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OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

FY 2015/16 Annual Budget Adopted

On Tuesday evening this week, the City Council approved a budget for the 2015/16 fiscal year which starts on July 1st. The good news is that the City's operating budget of \$13.8 million is balanced with a small operating surplus, though supporting a much reduced level of services to the community. The City Council also allocated some one time funds to a variety of one-time purposes, including topping up the City's reserves to help us get through any future tough times. The City's overall budget for FY 2015/16 including capital projects totals just over \$61.8 million. The final adopted budget which incorporates the changes made by the City Council will be available on the City's website the second week of July.

An Update about Hercules Fiscal Stability and Essential Services

With community support, the City has avoided insolvency and reduced a \$9 million deficit, while improving fiscal stability and accountability. A recently commissioned independent community survey shows that residents in the City of Hercules think the City is moving in the right direction and want to continue this positive momentum. Through this survey, respondents also had an opportunity to rank their service priorities.

The community's top priorities include:

- Maintaining the City's financial stability and enhancing fiscal accountability
- Maintaining the local Hercules Police Department, including:
 - Maintaining the number of police officers patrolling neighborhood streets
 - Improving 9-1-1 response times
 - Expanding neighborhood crime prevention programs
- Attracting business to Hercules
- Preventing cuts to street maintenance

The City of Hercules will continue to keep the community informed about the City's ongoing efforts to maintain financial stability, accountability and essential City services.

For more information, please see our [Frequently Asked Questions](#) and [Community Presentation](#) about maintaining Hercules fiscal stability and essential services.

Muir Pointe Update

The removal of excess soils from the Muir Pointe site on John Muir Boulevard is well underway. The approved haul plan has trucks utilizing John Muir Parkway directly onto Highway 4 and Interstate 80 in order to minimize any local disruptions. Truck operations are limited to 8 AM to 5 PM. Once soils removal is complete is completed in about three weeks, rough grading of the site will commence.

4th of July

We are just a week out from a fabulous 4th in Hercules! The community fun run, parade and expo are shaping up thanks the Hercules Rotary and many community volunteers. Information of the events is available through this link: [Fourth of July](#). There is also still time to volunteer to support the day's events or to donate. I hope to see you on the 4th!

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Planning Division

Administrative Use Permits approved by the Planning Director or Planning Commission for:

- Construction of a permanent Clean Energy Server (referred to as a Bloom Box fuel cell alternative green energy technology) with surrounding 40'x18' painted smooth faced concrete masonry block enclosure with wrought iron mesh gates within existing parking space in the south-easterly portion of the Home Depot parking lot.
- Administrative Use Permit for PTO Express, Inc. tax services at 1511 Sycamore Avenue, Suite C
- Home Occupation permit for Butler Tay Arts web development/graphics/embroidery designs and computer trouble-shooting at 109 Goldenrod Drive.

Muir Pointe Subdivision starts moving dirt!

While staff has been working to review the Final Subdivision Map for the approved 143 lot single family home subdivision called Muir Pointe, dirt has been flying. The subdivision will be located adjacent to John Muir Parkway between Alfred Noble and Linus Pauling Drives (also known as Parcel C). The dirt stock pile removal began this week and is anticipated to complete the off-hauling trucks for this rough grading phase in about 2 weeks.



Building Inspection Division

	June 5 Thru June 19 2015	FY 2014/15 YTD
Number of the permits issued:	17	750
Total Fee Collected:	\$8,6608.19	\$521,966.76
Number of Inspections:	13	342
New Housing:	0	43

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Maintenance & Operations – Staff completed their regularly scheduled janitorial and facility-related tasks in public parks and buildings. They coordinated with the West Contra Costa County Integrated Waste Management Authority on solid waste issues, Ducks Unlimited on the Chelsea Wetlands Restoration Project, and continue to evaluate water reduction strategies. Staff repaired streetlights and signs throughout town and is working with contractors on weed abatement for the Summer season.

Engineering – Construction on the \$6M Bay Trail phase of the Intermodal Transit Center (ITC) continues and is approximately 75% 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 was advertised for bid on June 4. Design on the Willow Avenue and Refugio Valley Road rehabilitation projects is moving forward on schedule. Rough grading for the Muir Pointe residential development is underway and anticipated to last 2 weeks. The 100% Plans for the \$48M Pinole-Hercules Waste Water Treatment are undergoing review. Staff also met with the City's consultant to post the annual sewer assessments to the Contra Costa County tax roll.

PERMITS

Sewer Lateral Inspection Program:

- Number of application received: 4
- Sewer Lateral Inspection Fees Collected: \$500
- Number of Certifications issued: 5
- Number of Deficiency Notices issued: 2
- Number of Condominium Waivers issued: 2

Wide Load/Transportation Permits Issued: 7

Encroachment Permits Issued: 2

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, please visit the City website at www.ci.hercules.ca.us or www.herculesrec.com today.

Parks & Recreation Advertisement Opportunities: Are you interested in having your business or company advertised in our Fall 2015 edition of the Activity Guide? Hercules Parks & Recreation prints and distributes 10,000 copies which are sent out to all residents in Hercules. Advertising with us is a great way to promote your business to all community members of Hercules and let them know what you have to offer. Please contact Vanessa Flores at (510) 799-8290 or email vflores@ci.hercules.ca.us for additional information or to submit applications for an advertisement in our Activity Guide.

Facilities: The City of Hercules offers several conveniently located facilities to rent for your company meeting, wedding reception, graduation, retirement, baptism or other event. Capacities range from 10 people to 300 people. Visit the City website at www.ci.hercules.ca.us or call (510) 799-8291 for more information on facility locations, dates and amenities offered at each location.

Recreation Classes:

- We are now taking registrations for summer Lego Camps for ages 5-13 years old. We will be offering Minecraft, Engineering FUN, Chima Engineering, and Lego Robotics camps. All camps are one week long and do fill, so register now!
- Circus Circus Camp offers children the opportunity to learn a wide range of circus skills with an emphasis on juggling, uni-cycling, stilt walking, rolla bolla, hooping, and acrobatics.
- Drawing Camps for ages 4-10 are a great option for activities this summer for your child! We have camps that will allow your child to create fun animal drawings, under the sea activities, and even explore the world of Eric Carle.
- We are now taking registrations for summer Public Speaking and Debate Camps. Camps are for ages 6-14 and include learning how to write speeches, manage public speaking anxiety and so much more! All camps are one week long and do fill, so register now!

To access a full listing of classes or to register, please visit our website at www.herculesrec.com.

Hercules Parks & Recreation is always interested in bringing on new programs, classes and services for the community to enjoy. Please email Vanessa Flores at vflores@ci.hercules.ca.us for additional information or to submit applications of interest.

Sports Programs:

- We are now offering great sports camps for ages 3-14 with Skyhawks Sports Academy! Summer camps include Cheerleading, Golf, Flag Rugby, and even Volleyball. All camps are a week long and a great way to have your child try out a new sport!
- We have various basketball camps for ages 5-12 years this summer! Participants will learn, develop and enhance their knowledge and skills in basketball during this camp.

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: 7:00-8:00pm

Ages: 14+

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

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

Individual Swim Passes:

Use swim passes for Lap Swim/Water Walking Therapy, and Public Swim hours. These passes do not expire and are for individual use.

TYPE OF PASS	YOUTH FEES (RESIDENT)	YOUTH FEES (NON-RESIDENT)	ADULT FEES (RESIDENT)	ADULT FEES (NON-RESIDENT)
Dynamite Pass (10 Visits)	\$30.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$50.00
Frequent Pass (25 Visits)	\$75.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$125.00

Public Swim:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 1:15-3:30pm

Saturdays 1:30-5:00pm

Fees: Resident: Youth & Seniors \$5/ Adult \$6

Non-Resident: Youth & Seniors \$6/ Adult \$7

Unlimited Family Swim Pass:

The family swim pass is designed for a family of four to enjoy unlimited visits during our Public Swim hours this summer. This pass is valid from 06/06-08/15 during Public Swim hours. *Please note, this pass may not be used during Lap Swim/Water Walking hours or pool themed days.

TYPE OF PASS	RESIDENTS	NON RESIDENTS
Unlimited Family Swim Pass	\$200.00	\$250.00
Additional Member	\$25.00	\$25.00

EBSD Year Round Membership:

The City of Hercules East Bay Silver Dolphins (EBSD) is a USA swimming team that practices & competes year-round! The team & coaches are dedicated to fostering a positive and challenging environment for athletic 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 to their teammates.

Dates: 06/01/15-09/31/15

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

Code: 52200 I – 52200 L

Spinners: Monday-Thursday: 6:30pm-7:00pm Fee: \$66.00

Intermediate: Monday-Friday: 5:00pm-6:15pm Fee: \$83.00

Advanced: Monday-Friday: 5:00pm-6:30pm/7:00pm 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 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 Summer and Fall S.P.O.T programs.

Before and After School Child Care:

Our Child Care programs provide a nurturing, caring environment with a variety of age-appropriate activities and events. Our talented, courteous staff is CPR/First Aid certified, with accredited college units and trained in school-age programming to provide the ultimate child care services. Our goal is to create a pleasant, fun secure, caring environment. There is an annual \$50 registration fee per child which increases to \$100 in months of July/August due to expanded hours. Fees may be increased with a 30-day notice. First day of school and Child Care is August 24, 2015.

2015 Summer Camps for upcoming Kindergarten to Fifth graders: We are a Child Care program with staff who are all over 18 years old and have the training in school-age programming through accredited colleges. All staff members are First Aid and CPR certified and have all passed a live scan/ background check. We will provide your child with a safe and nurturing environment. You need to provide a lunch each day and we provide the fun! We serve two snacks and provide entertainment on Wednesdays. The campers will go to the Swim Center every Tuesday/Thursday. Come join the theme-based summer program which will be starting on June 10th, 2015.

“Back in the Saddle” Themed week at Summer Camp: On Wednesday, June 17th our K-2nd grade campers enjoyed pony rides and were able to interact with small farm animals.





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.*

Celebrate Hercules Join us for Food and Festivities! Saturday, July 4, 2015

5k & 1 Mile Fun Run & Kids Run: Racers will begin registration and check in at 7am. Race starts at 8:30am. Information regarding the Race and race registration can be found at www.hercules4thofjuly.com

The Festival: The Festival will be ongoing throughout the day from 7am to 2pm in Refugio Valley Park. The Festival will showcase music, booths and food from local and regional; merchants.

The Parade: The Parade will begin after the race at 10:45am at the corner of Sequoia & Redwood Roads, continuing down Redwood to Sycamore and concludes at Refugio Valley Park. Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Hercules and Celebrate Hercules 4th of July Committee. For more information go online to www.hercules4thofjuly.com or Info@herculesdynamiterun.com.

Hercules 4th of July – “Honoring Our Heroes”: Please join us on July 4th for an Independence Day Celebration, “Honoring Our Heroes”. Veterans from all branches of service are encouraged and welcomed to participate in our Parade. Contact Hercules Police Chief, Bill Goswick, if you would like to attend. Email: wgoswick@ci.hercules.ca.us or call (510)799-8274. Details will be forwarded to you by email. We would like to honor you for your service to our great country!

Volunteers Needed, Hercules 4th of July Celebration!

To volunteer, send your name, age (if under 18), email and phone number to Patty O’Day, (925)209-5250, email: pattyoday@earthlink.net.

Under The Sea Drawing Camp: Under the sea makes us think of mermaids, fish, shipwrecks and even sharks! All of these will inspire our work as we draw many animal and human characters

found under the sea. Our last day will be exciting as we combine the subject matter we have learned into one larger drawing with a story of its own. Media used will include pencils, color pencils and markers.

There is a \$10.00 lab fee paid at the first class.

Ages: 5 – 8 years

Dates & Times: 7/6/15 – 7/10/15 Monday – Friday, 1pm – 3pm

Location: Community Center Press Room, 2001 Refugio Valley Road

Code: 201418-A

Fees: \$89 – Residents \$94 - Non-Residents

For more information and how to register go online to www.herculesrec.com, in person at 2001 Refugio Valley Road and/or call (510)799-8291.

Cheer Camp: Skyhawks Cheerleading Camp teaches the essential skills to lead crowds and support the home team! Each cheerleader learns proper hand & body movements and jumping techniques. The week concludes with a choreographed performance. All participants receive pom-poms, a t-shirt, and a merit award. Participant-to-coach ratio is 10:1. The Instructor is from Skyhawks Sports Academy, Inc.

Ages: 5 – 10 years

Dates & Times: 7/27/15 – 7/31/15, Mondays – Friday, 9am – 12pm

Location: Woodfield Park

Code: 21401-B

Fees per camp: \$129 – Residents & Non-Residents

Flag Football Camp: Flag Football is a fun and safe introduction to “America’s Game”. Participants learn the fundamentals of passing, rushing, receiving and defense along with the rules, strategy and play-calls of the game. The camp ends with Skyhawks Super Bowl, where campers show-off their new skills with their new friends. Participant-to-coach ratio is 12:1. The Instructor is from Skyhawks Sports.

Dates & Times: 7/27/15 – 7/31/15, Monday – Friday, 9am – 12pm

Location: Woodfield Park

Code: 21400-B

Fees: \$129 Residents & Non-Residents

Hercules Police Department Press Release

On June 22, 2015 at 9:02am, Hercules Officers were dispatched, to the 2200 block of Pheasant Drive, for an attempted residential burglary which just occurred. The reporting party stated 2 adult males tried to enter his house from an upstairs balcony. The reporting party yelled at the males and they jumped down and fled through the backyard side gate. The two suspects got into a White Mini Van and fled S/B Pheasant Dr. towards Turquoise Dr. Officers began a search of the

surrounding area for the White Minivan. The suspects were described as two young adult males. One was reportedly African American; and the second suspect was reportedly Hispanic or African American.

An officer found a White '98 Plymouth Voyager parked in front of a house in the 100 block of Emerald Way. Officers checked the house and found the side garage door ajar. There were fresh pry marks, and a broken door clasp on the ground, inside the garage door. The door leading into the house, from the garage, was locked but also had fresh pry marks. A Detective saw two African American males walking in the 200 block of Emerald Way. The Detective detained one of the males. The second male continued walking away, W/B on Emerald Way. Another officer detained the second male. Both males admitted driving the Voyager found parked in the 100 block of Emerald Way. An infield show-up was done with the reporting party from Pheasant Dr. He could not positively identify the two males. However, he positively identified the Voyager as vehicle the suspects left in.

At approximately 9:30am, a resident from the 100 block of Falcon Way reported an attempted residential burglary, which occurred at approximately 8:30am, this morning. The victim described the suspects as two African American males, last seen leaving in a white Mini Van. This victim stated he had the suspects on video. An infield show-up was done victim from Falcon Way. He positively identified the males as the two suspects who attempted to burglarize his home.

19 year old Travell Warren, of Hercules and 19 year old Ronnell Kent, of Oakland, were arrested for First Degree Residential Burglary (Emerald Bay), two counts of Attempted First Degree Residential Burglary (Pheasant Dr and Falcon Way), three counts of Conspiracy to Commit Burglary, and Violation of Probation. Both suspects are currently on probation for prior theft charges.

These suspects were apprehended because of the quick action by the two of the victims in this incident.

The victims from Pheasant Drive, and Falcon Way reported hearing the doorbell ring, but did not answer the door. The victims then saw the suspects trying to get into their homes. The victim on Emerald Way was not at home.

There may be additional burglaries, in the general area, which have not been discovered. Residents are advised to call the police if they suspect someone attempted, or successfully entered their home.

Patrol & Investigations Priority Calls

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

Auto Burglary: On June 10, 2015, at about 6:45am, an officer was dispatched to 3700 San Pablo Avenue to investigate a report of an auto burglary. At about 6:40am, the reporting party parked her 1986 Nissan in front of Chase Bank. At about 6:42am she returned to find her driver's side

window smashed and her backpack missing. Inside the backpack was an Apple MacBook Pro laptop.

Vandalism: On June 10, 2015 at 8:09am an officer was dispatched to the 300 block of Newbury for a report of a vandalism. The reporting party said last night an unknown suspect spray painted the front of her residence and slashed the tires on her vehicle.

Residential Burglary: On June 10, 2015 at 1:17pm, an officer was dispatched to the 1000 block of North Shelter Bay for a report of a residential burglary. The reporting party said between 12:00am and 2:00am this morning, their garage was burglarized

Recovered Stolen Vehicle: On June 10, 2015 at 1:18pm, HPD officers were dispatched to the rear of 1625 Sycamore Avenue (Home Depot) for a recovery of a stolen vehicle. An Officer located the late model grey Honda Civic parked near the rear entrance of Home Depot. The vehicle was reported stolen to Antioch PD earlier today. The hood of the vehicle was still warm. Officers did a short surveillance on the vehicle. Officers were advised the victim's wallet, and car keys were stolen from the break room of her job. The suspect description was an African American male; 5-10-6-00 tall, and 200lbs, wearing black and white shoes, khaki pants, red shirt, red cap and a tattoo on his neck. Officers saw a male, matching the description, walking E/B on Sycamore Ave, and contacted him. The clothing description matched, but the subject could not be positively identified. During the contact the subject complained of chest pains. He was transported, by ambulance, to a hospital. Investigators will follow up on this case.

Identity Theft: On June 10, 2015, at 5:00pm, an officer processed an on line report. A resident from the 100 block of Sunflower Court reported unauthorized transactions found on her credit report. The reporting party said in 2010 she had a laptop stolen from her car. She didn't think much about it. Recently she checked her credit reports and found open accounts she didn't recognize. The reporting party believes her identifying information was retrieved from her stolen laptop and used fraudulently.

Residential Burglary: On June 10, 2015, at approximately 6:38pm, a HPD Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Coventry for a residential burglary report. The reporting party stated that she left her residence at approximately 8:15AM. When she returned home at approximately 6:30PM she noticed that front door had been forced open and that the residence had been ransacked. The loss was Jewelry and money.

Unauthorized use of an access card: On June 10, 2015 at approximately 7:19pm a HPD Officer was dispatched to the 1200 block of Willow Ave for an unauthorized use of an access card report. The reporting party said someone was able to obtain her debit card number and make fraudulent purchases in Hercules and Pinole.

Mental Health Evaluation: On June 12, 2015, at about 6:44am, officers were dispatched, to the 100 block of Paradise Dr., to evaluate a 14 year old male who hit his mother. The mother stated she and her son had a verbal argument about attending school and her son hit her. The mother had no visible injuries. Officer contacted the juvenile and determined he met the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. He was transported, by ambulance, to a local hospital.

Miscellaneous Report: On 6/12/15, at about 4:59pm, officers were dispatched to a report of a child locked in a vehicle in the Glenwood complex. Officers located a 6 year old male locked inside of a 2007 Mercedes SUV. The child was alert and active. A family member arrived on-scene. The vehicle was unlocked, with the assistance of Fire Department. The child was removed from the vehicle and turned over to the family member. The child did not require immediate medical attention. Officers determined an adult female, living in the Glenwood complex was responsible for watching the child. Apparently the child was looking for a toy, in the vehicle, when a playmate accidentally locked the child inside. There were no signs of neglect or willful endangerment by the care giver. A case was taken for documentation purposes.

Vehicle Collision: On June 3, 2015, at about 7:50am, officers were dispatched to Sycamore Ave & Civic Dr. on a report of a vehicle into a tree. Officers contacted the solo 37 year old female driver standing outside of her vehicle (1999 Toyota Tacoma Pickup). The female did not show any signs or symptoms of intoxication. The driver stated that she panicked and mistook her gas pedal for the brake and accelerated. She went onto the island, at the intersection. She collided into a tree, and knocked it down, and came to rest onto a second tree.

Commercial Burglary: On June 13, 2015, at about 8:09am, officers responded to an alarm at 1511 Sycamore Ave #B (Hercules Pet Clinic). Officers observed the front door was shattered. No one was found inside. A rock was located inside the lobby and several drawers behind the front counter were opened.

Theft/Vandalism: On June 13, 2015, at about 10:42am, officers were dispatched to Refugio Valley Park to investigate a report a possible vandalism that just occurred. The reporting party saw two female adult suspects take a banner which belonged a Rodeo resident. The reporting party provided the direction the suspects fled. Two female adults, were contacted along Refugio Valley Rd across from the high school. The subjects admitted to taking the banner because they did not think the owner, of the sign, had the appropriate permits to erect it in the park. The property owner was contacted and stated he wished to press charges. The suspects were released pending further investigation.

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol: On June 13, 2015 at approximately 8:16pm, a HPD Officer contacted a subject walking away from a vehicle she left, parked blocking a private driveway, in the 1000 block of Rock Harbor Point. The s17 year old female displayed objective symptoms of being under the influence of alcohol. She was placed under arrest for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. The Preliminary Alcohol Screening device indicated the juvenile was over the presumptive limit, for the purposes of driving. It was further determined the juvenile did not have a driver's license. The juvenile was cite released to her father.

Warrant Arrest: On June 14, 2015 at 8:09am, Hercules Officers went to the 300 block of Porthole Court Hercules where officers arrested 21 year old Gaganjeet Singh, of Hercules, for an outstanding warrant. The Warrant was held by Pinole P.D. and issued on June 1, 2015. Singh was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Domestic Violence – Spousal Battery: On June 14, 2015 at 9:29am, Hercules Officers were dispatched, to the 1000 block of Canterbury Street, for a domestic violence battery. The victim stated her husband just pushed her down. The victim stated her husband had a Shotgun, inside a

closet, with a gun lock on it. Officers contacted the 44 year old female, victim standing at the front door, crying. Officers contacted the 34 year old husband, inside the house, who was cooperative. Both parties stated they had an argument and there was physical contact from both the husband and wife. Neither of the parties wanted prosecution and there were no visible injuries to either party. Officers checked the residence and no weapons were located. The husband agreed to leave for the night. The case will be forwarded to the D.A.'s Office for review.

Hit and Run Vehicle Collision: On June 14, 2015 at 11:26am, an officer was dispatched to a report of a hit and run that just occurred in the parking lot of Lucky, 1590 Sycamore Ave. The reporting party stated he was backing out of a parking stall when he was backed into by the suspect vehicle who was also backing out of a parking stall. The reporting party described the suspect vehicle as a newer model White Ford truck. It was last seen exiting the parking lot and turned right onto Sycamore Ave. An area check for the suspect vehicle was done, but it was not located

Auto Burglary: On June 14, 2015 at 2:39pm, an officer was dispatched to Franklin Canyon Golf Course to take a report for an auto burglary. The victim stated she parked her White '14 BMW in the lower parking lot at 9:30am. She returned to her at 2:30pm and found the right front passenger window shattered. The suspect stole the victim's purse from the right front passenger floorboard.

Mental Health Evaluation: On June 14, 2015 at 23:58pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Daisy for an 18 year old male attacking his father. Officers located the subject, in his parents' bedroom, confronting his father. Officers determined the male met the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation.

Auto Theft/Possession of Stolen Property/Burglary/ Possession of a Controlled Substance:

On June 15, 2015 at 5:17am, an officer was driving through the Shell gas station lot at San Pablo Ave and Sycamore Ave. The officer saw a white male walking away from a Lexus RX 330. The officer ran the license plate on the Mobile Data Computer in the patrol vehicle. The plate returned to a Lexus reported stolen to CHP on June 4, 2015. The officer drove around the station and saw the male driving the vehicle. The officer maneuvered his patrol vehicle, to block the Lexus, and activated his overhead lights. The driver exited the Lexus and ran N/B away from the officer. The officer ordered the male to stop, which he did. The officer checked the interior of the Lexus and found a purse belonging to a Hercules resident. The officer contacted the owner of the purse. The victim, and her husband checked both their vehicles. They found both vehicle were unlocked and had been ransacked. The victims stated they locked both vehicles when they parked them. When officers searched the Lexus they found a substance, believed to be a narcotic, located in the center console. 25 year old Justin Kent was arrested for Auto Theft; Possession of Stolen Property; Auto Burglary; and Possession of a Controlled Substance. A records check showed Kent had four Felony warrants, out of Napa County. The total bail was \$2,222,220. Kent is also on Felony Probation out of Napa County.

Stolen Vehicle: On June 15, 2015 at 7:13am, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Paradise Drive to take a report for a stolen vehicle. The victim stated an unknown suspect stole her Silver '01 Mitsubishi Gallant from her apartment's assigned parking stall. The theft occurred between 9:00pm last night and 7:00am this morning. Once the vehicle was entered into the Stolen Vehicle System, it was discovered the vehicle had been towed by Richmond P.D., at 1:45am last

night. The vehicle was on fire, when Richmond P.D. initially responded, and was impounded as a hazard.

Recovered Stolen Vehicle: On June 15, 2015 at 8:08am, an officer located an outstanding stolen vehicle in the 300 block of Bristol. The vehicle, a Black '95 Nissan Pathfinder was reported stolen to El Cerrito P.D. on 06/11/2015.

Identity Theft: On June 15, 2015 at 11:08am, an officer was dispatched to the 1500 block of Sycamore Ave to take an identity theft report. The victim stated an unknown suspect gained access to her credit union checking account and was able to withdraw money without you're her consent.

Domestic Violence – Domestic Battery/Drunk in Public/Warrant Arrest: On June 15, 2015 at 11:33am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Maritime Terrace for a report of an unwanted subject. The victim stated she just broke up with her girlfriend and the ex-girlfriend pulled her hair, pushed her down, and refused to leave. Officers were advised the suspect had an outstanding Misdemeanor Warrant, out of Madera County, issued on 11/17/2014. Officers observed both parties exit the front door of the residence and sit down on the front steps. The suspect had a strong odor of alcohol coming from her person and was unsteady on her feet. The victim had a cut on her ear. 23 year old Xochilt Yahuaca was arrested for Domestic Battery; Public Intoxication; and Out of County Warrant. She was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Annoying or Molesting a Minor: On June 15, 2015 at 3:18pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched, to a report of a suspicious circumstance, which occurred near the bus stop on San Pablo Ave. at Hercules Ave. A 15 year old male stated an adult Asian male sat in a Green 4 DR sedan watching him for approximately 10-15 minutes. The victim described the male as being in his late 30's, 5'06", Medium build, White t-shirt, Black basketball shorts, and White tennis shoes. The adult male exited the vehicle and walked up to the victim at the bus stop. The suspect asked the victim if he wanted to make some money and attempted to solicit a sexual act. The victim said he wasn't interested and the suspect walked to his parked car and drove away. Officers did an area search, for the vehicle and suspect, but did not locate him. The investigation is continuing.

Recovered stolen Vehicle: On June 16, 2015 at 12:29am, an officer located a Blue 4 Dr. Ram 1500, in the 500 block of Bristol. The vehicle was reported stolen on June 8, 2015 by Solano County SO.

Auto Burglary: On June 16 at 2:16am, an officer was dispatched to an Auto Burglary at 1625 Sycamore Ave., Home Depot. The Oakley resident stated the vehicle was parked in front of the loading area while he was working.

Shoplifting Burglary: On June 16, 2015 at 8:26pm, an officer was dispatched to a theft, which occurred 20 minutes earlier, at Lucky. The reporting party stated she saw two adult males, in their 50's, just walking around inside the store. When they left the store one them had his baggy pants obviously loaded with items. She confronted the males, outside the store. They were getting into a GMC Yukon. The male who had the baggy pants, had a wardrobe malfunction. His pants fell to his ankles exposing the packages of hamburger he had just stolen. The males fled the area prior to the police officers arrival. The investigation is continuing.

Obstructing/Resisting a Police Officer: On June 16, 2015 at 11:36am, a citizen came to the HPD lobby to complain about an adult male, allowing his two pit bulls to be off leash, at Foxboro Park earlier that morning. The dogs charged her while she was at the park. The reporting party contacted the dog owner and he ignored her concern. On June 17, 2015 at 7:38am, two officers went to Foxboro Park to investigate the complaint. The Officer observed an adult male, allowing his two pit bulls to run around the park off leash in violation of Contra Costa County Ordinance 416-4.2. The male, and his dogs, left the park when he saw the Officers. An Officer attempted to contact the male. The male ignored the Officer and headed back towards Foxboro Park. The second Officer attempted to get the male to stop by activating his lights and siren to get his attention. The male continued to ignore both Officers verbal commands to stop. The first Officer told the male he was going to be cited for having his dogs off leash. The male became argumentative and again walked from the officers. The male was advised if he did not stop he would be arrested for obstructing an officer. The male stopped and called his Mother who came to the scene. The mother identified her son as 23 year old Javier Ellis. This was not the name the male gave the Officers. Ellis was advised he was under arrest for Obstructing a Police Investigation. Ellis actively resisted and put on the ground to be handcuffed. An Officer sustained an abrasion to his left knee and an injury to his left wrist/forearm. Ellis was transported to Martinez Detention Facility. The Officer was evaluated, at a local hospital. He was diagnosed with a muscle strain to his left wrist/forearm.

Battery: On June 17, 2015 at 2:07pm, an Officer was dispatched to take a report for a battery, which occurred June 16, 2015. The reporting party stated her 12 year old daughter was visiting her Father at the Victoria Green Apartments yesterday. The daughter was reportedly "punched", by a 15 year old female, and sustained a black eye.

Miscellaneous Investigation: On June 18, 2015 at approximately 3:09am, HPD Officers were dispatched, to the area of Turquoise Drive and Emerald Way, for a welfare check on a 90 year old male walking around the area. Officers located the subject. He only spoke Mandarin so Officers had to use the Translation Line to communicate with him. It was determined he lives at in the 200 block of Agate. He was returned to his residence and his son was advised.

Auto Burglary: On June 18, 2015, at about 9:51am, an officer was dispatched to 3700 San Pablo Avenue regarding an auto burglary which had occurred within the last 30 minutes. At about 9:20am, the victim parked, and secured, his 2015 Nissan in the parking lot near the Shell Gas Station. When he returned at 9:55am, he found driver's side window smashed and his backpack missing from the passenger seat.

Stolen Vehicle: On June 18, 2015 at 10:15am, an officer was dispatched to HPD for a stolen vehicle report. The reporting party said, on June 16, 2015 at 9:00pm, his 35 year old son took his blue 1999 Ford F-250 without permission.

Violation of a Criminal Order: On June 18, 2015 at 10:01am, an officer was dispatched to the 200 block of Dartford for a report of a court order violation. The reporting party said her estranged husband tried to contact her, via email, which is in violation of a restraining order she has against him.

Residential Burglary: On June 18, 2015 at 2:05pm, an officer were dispatched to the 1000 block of Avocet for a report of a residential burglary. The incident occurred between June 16, 2015 and time of call today. There were no signs of forced entry. Officers contacted the reporting party's adult son, who admitted he removed some property "from his residence". The reporting party declined to prosecute.

Possession of Burglary Tools/Probation Violation: During the above contact, a second male was at the scene. It was determined the second male was on searchable probation for felony vehicle theft. During the contact the second male claimed ownership a box in the passenger seat of a truck, and two backpacks in the bed of the truck. A search of the backpacks yielded a set of keys, several of which were "shaved." 22 year old Victor Hugo Hernandez was arrested for Possession of Burglary Tools and Violation of Probation. He was transported the Martinez Detention Facility.

Vandalism: On June 18, 2015 at 5:36pm, officers were dispatched to 2000 Central for a report of vandalism. The reporting party said her neighbor was banging on her door with a closet rod. The 42 year old neighbor was contacted at his home. He admitted to knocking on his neighbor's because she was making noises that interfered with him turning of his drums. The reporting party's door sustained minor scratches.

Residential Burglary: On June 18, 2015 at approximately 8:42pm, a HPD Officer was dispatched to the 200 block of Sparrow Drive for a residential burglary report. The reporting party stated that she left the house at approximately 7:00pm and returned around 8:30pm. She discovered the side garage door had been pried open.

Petty Theft: On June 18, 2015 at approximately 9:51pm an HPD Officer was dispatched to the 3700 block of San Pablo Avenue for a theft from an unsecured vehicle. The Pinole resident stated an unknown subject took his wallet (containing cash, and a debit card), from inside of his friends unlocked 1991 Toyota 4Runner. The debit card had already been used at the Home Depot in Hercules.

Found Property: On June 19, 2015 at 6:57am, an officer confiscated two license plates from a Ford Mustang, in the 200 block of Grissom. The plates came back to a Chevy registered to a rental car company. The registered owner said the plates were on the car when he purchased it, two weeks ago, from a seller on Craigslist. DMV told him the plates on the Mustang were not the right plates but he kept them on anyway. The plates were taken as found property to be returned to DMV.

Vandalism: On June 19, 2015 at 5:36pm, officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Hidden Cove for a report of vandalism. The reporting party said, between June 18, 2015 at 7:00pm and June 19, 2015 at 9:00am, someone through two rocks at his company's vehicle.

Miscellaneous Investigation: On June 19, 2015 at approximately 10:03pm, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 200 block of Grenadine for a possible residential burglary. The reporting party stated he left his house today at approximately 8:00am. When he returned home, he noticed that the screen to the kitchen window had a hole in it. Officer's checked the residence and it appeared that no entry was made. It appeared the screen had been damaged for a long time. There were no signs of a burglary or vandalism.

Theft from an Unlocked Vehicle: On June 19, 2015, an officer processed an on-line report from a resident in the 300 block of Scotts Valley. The reporting party stated his wife came home from work at 5:00am and saw the trunk of his vehicle was open. When the reporting party checked his car, he saw everything from his glove compartment was strewn all over the car.

Recovered Stolen Property: On June 21, 2015 at 10:31am, an officer was dispatched to a lobby detail regarding a civil stand by to recover stolen property. The reporting party stated her home was burglarized in San Mateo, two months ago, and the iPad was stolen. The reporting party sent an alert to her iPad stating it was stolen and offered a reward. The reporting party received a call stating a Hercules resident had her iPad and wanted a reward. An Officer went to the residence and recovered the stolen iPad. The person with the ID said his father bought the iPad at a Flea Market in Oakland. The case will be forwarded to San Mateo P.D.

Residential Burglary: On June 21, 2015 at 12:26pm, an officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Shepard St. to take a report for a burglary of a vacant residence. The incident occurred between 7:00pm on Friday night, and the time of call today. The suspect forced entry to the vacant home via the side garage, then kicked in the garage door that leads into the house. The suspect disconnected the dishwasher and pulled it out from the, and also disconnected a washing machine. Neither the dishwasher, nor washing machine, was taken. Nothing else was stolen from inside the vacant home or from the garage.

Stolen Vehicle: On June 21, 2015 at 1:14pm, an officer was dispatched to the 100 block of South Wildwood to take a stolen vehicle report. The reporting party said an unknown suspect stole his Green '95 Honda Civic from Village Parkway at Devonwood. The incident reportedly occurred after 5:30 p.m. yesterday. When the vehicle was entered in the Stolen Vehicle System it was determined CHP towed the Civic, from SB I-880 at Hegenberger Road, at 7:23am, on 06/20/15.

Battery: On June 21, 2015 at 1:56pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Grissom St. for a 911 disconnect. The female caller gave her address, and asked for Police, before hanging up. Officers contacted the adult female victim. She had fresh scratches to her neck/chest area and a bump on her head. The victim stated her adult daughter-in-law assaulted her then left. Officers checked the area but didn't locate the suspect.

Mail Theft: On June 21, 2015 at 2:21pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 1000 block of Chelsea Way to take a stolen mail report. The reporting party said she found her mailbox open today at 2:00 p.m. and found it contained no mail. The victim last saw her individual mailbox closed and locked at 9:00am on June 18, 2015. The victim said she was expecting mail and believes it was stolen by an unknown suspect.

Misdemeanor Warrant Arrest: On June 21, 2015 at 7:10 pm, an officer recognized 28 year old Robert Mallot, who he knew to have a warrant. The officer contacted Mallot and arrested him for the warrant issued on May 21, 2015. Mallot was given a new court date, cited, and released.

Felony Warrant Arrest: On June 21, 2015 at 9:36 pm, an officer was driving in the area of 3900 San Pablo Ave. The officer observed a male sitting in a vehicle, previously investigated as having invalid license plates. 58 year old Daniel Dimatteo, of Vallejo, had an outstanding felony warrant,

held by Marin County; and a Misdemeanor warrant held by Sonoma County. Dimatteo was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Residential Burglary/Attempted Residential Burglary/Conspiracy/Probation Violation: On June 22, 2015 at 9:02am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 2200 block of Pheasant Drive for an attempted residential burglary which had just occurred. The reporting party saw at 2 adult males try to make entry into his house from an upstairs balcony. The reporting party yelled at the suspects and they fled through the backyard side gate. The two suspects got into a White Mini Van and fled S/B Pheasant. The suspects were described as two young adult males. The reporting party did not get a good look at the suspects, but said one was African American and the other one was possibly Hispanic.

An officer found a White '98 Plymouth Voyager parked in front of a house in the 100 of Emerald Way. Officers checked the residence and found the side garage door ajar. The door had fresh pry marks and a broken door frame strike plate on the ground inside the garage door. The door leading into the house also had fresh pry marks. Officers observed two African American males walking in the 200 block of Emerald Way. Both males were detained and the Voyager was registered to one of them. The victim from Pheasant Drive could not positively identify, but did identify the Voyager as the involved suspect vehicle.

At approximately 9:30am, a resident from the 100 block of Falcon Way reported an attempted residential burglary which occurred at approximately 8:30am. The victim described the suspects two African American male adults, last seen leaving in a white Mini Van. The victim stated he had the suspects on video. An infield show-up was done. The victim from Falcon positively identified the males as the two suspect who attempted to burglarize his home. He also identified the vehicle.

19 year old Travell Warren of Hercules and 19 year old Ronnell Kent of Oakland, were arrested for First Degree Residential Burglary (Emerald Way), two counts of Attempted First Degree Residential Burglary (Pheasant Drive and Falcon Way), three counts of Conspiracy to commit Burglary, and Violation of Probation. The total Bail was \$335,000. Both suspects were transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Vehicle Collision – Property Damage Only: On June 22, 2015 at 2:44pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched to Sycamore Avenue at Lupine Road for a vehicle collision involving a Gray Nissan Maxima and a White Toyota Camry. Officers located the Maxima facing E/B, of W/B Sycamore Avenue. The Maxima was disabled with damage to the right front wheel well/quarter panel and to the right rear quarter panel. The Toyota Camry was located along North curb of W/B Sycamore Avenue. The driver of the Maxima was driving in the #1 lane of E/B Sycamore Avenue at Lupine Road, when she failed to yield at the stop sign. The driver of the Camry was making the right turn from N/B Lupine Road into the #1 lane of E/B Sycamore Avenue. The driver of the Maxima collided with the Camry. The driver of the Maxima turned hard left, into the center median, causing her vehicle to drive over the center median and into the #1 lane of W/B Sycamore Avenue. Neither of the party were injured.

False information to an Officer: On June 22, 2015 at 11:16pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the grassy area of Chelsea for a report of an adult male running around the complex

wearing no clothing. Officers located a 26 year old, from Roseville, attempting to hide, near a carport, in front of 1300 Chelsea. The male was not wearing any clothes, below his waist and had his shorts in his hand. The subject gave the officers a false name. A witness stated he saw male three times. Twice he was clothed, and the third time the male was looking into a residence window. He was not wearing his shorts at the time. A second witness saw the male looking at him through a window but was unable to see the male below the waist. An officer arrested 27 year old Michael Minued, of Roseville, for False Information to a Police Officer. Minued was cited and released.

Shoplifting: On June 23, 2015 at 11:21am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to a report of a theft that just occurred from Rite Aid, 1560 Sycamore Avenue. The reporting party said the suspect left the store carrying a bottle of alcohol. The suspect was described as an African American male, in his 40's, tall, wearing blue jeans, black leather jacket, and black hat. The suspect was last seen, on foot, towards the Lucky shopping center. An officer was flagged down by the Lucky store manager. The manager reported a theft which had just had occurred. The suspect matched the description of the suspect from Rite Aid. The manager stated the suspect loaded up a shopping cart containing meat and alcohol and left the store without paying for the items. The manager confronted the suspect, in the parking lot, and the suspect said, "Just take it." The stolen items were recovered and brought back to the store. The suspect was seen leaving in the Silver sedan with a second African American male adult. Rite Aid declined to file a case.

Attempt Petty Theft and Possession of Burglary Tools: On June 24, 2015 at 2:52am, Hercules units were dispatched, to the 1200 block of Willow Avenue, for subjects in black hoodies breaking into a white Honda. Officer observed a subject, wearing a black hoodie and backpack, run across Willow and jump the fence into Foxboro Downs. Officers stopped a second subject leaving the area, on a bicycle, n/b on Willow Avenue. The adult female was in possession of a bolt cutter and 5 shaved keys. An infield lineup was conducted and the reporting party identified the female as the person he saw kneeling near a clothing donation station. Officers checked the donation box and observed damage on the lock, and the metal guard protecting the donation station, consistent with being made by bolt cutters. 27 year old Tiffany Nurss, of Rodeo, was arrested for Attempt Petty Theft and Possession of Burglary Tools. Nurss was cited and released.

Attempted Residential Burglary: On June 24, 2015 at 8:51pm, an officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Coventry for a report of an attempted residential burglary. Sometime between 1:00am and 7:00am, this morning, someone removed the screen from the victim's kitchen window and broke the glass. No entry was made into the residence.

Auto Burglary: On June 24, 2015, at about 10:17am, an officer was dispatched to 3700 San Pablo Avenue to investigate a report of an auto burglary. At about 10:00am, the reporting party parked and secured her 2005 Ford F-150 in the parking lot near the Starbucks. At about 10:05am she returned to her vehicle to find her driver's side window smashed and her Samsonite briefcase missing from the passenger seat.

CRIME PREVENTION TIP: MOST THEFTS ARE CRIMES OF OPPORTUNITY. DO NOT LEAVE ANY VALUABLES VISIBLE IN YOUR VEHICLE, EVEN FOR A SHORT

PERIOD OF TIME. IT ONLY TAKES SECONDS FOR A CRIMINAL TO SMASH OUT YOUR WINDOW AND GRAB YOU VALUABLES.

**HERCULES POLICE BI-WEEKLY STATS
(6-11-15 TO 06-24-15)**

CALLS FOR SERVICE	708
REPORTS	92
TRAFFIC CITES	23
PARKING CITES	16
ADULT ARRESTS	26
JUVENILE ARRESTS	1
ARSONS	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTS	3
HATE CRIMES	0
TOWED VEHICLES	18
PART 1 TOTAL	179

PART 1 CRIMES BROKEN DOWN	----
HOMICIDE	0
RAPE	0
ROBBERY	0
ASSAULT	1
BURGLARY	8
LARCENY	13
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.*

4th of July 5k Run and Parade

Celebrate Hercules

Date: 7/4/2015 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Cost: Free

Location: Refugio Valley Park
Hercules, California 94547

Planning Commission Meeting

Date: 7/6/2015 7:00 PM

Location: City Hall - Council Chambers
111 Civic Drive
Hercules, California 94547

Community and Library Services Commission Meeting

Date: 7/13/2015 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

Location: Council Chambers, City Hall
111 Civic Drive
Hercules, California 94547

City Council Meeting

Date: 7/14/2015 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Location: City Hall Council Chambers
111 Civic Drive
Hercules, California 94547

Planning Commission Meeting

Date: 7/20/2015 7:00 PM

Location: City Hall - Council Chambers
111 Civic Drive
Hercules, California 94547

Finance Commission

Date: 7/27/2015 7:00 PM

Location: Hercules City Hall - Council Chambers
111 Civic Drive
Hercules, California 94547

City Council Meeting

Date: 7/28/2015 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Location: City Hall Council Chambers
111 Civic Drive
Hercules, California 94547