

**City Manager's Bi-Weekly Report  
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**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER**

**Police Officer of the Year**

Congratulations to Reserve Police Officer Connie Van Putten on being selected as the Hercules Police Officer of the Year. Connie was recognized at the January 12, 2016, City Council meeting where she was also honored for his 50 years of service in the law enforcement profession. After a long career as a Police Officer rising to the rank of Captain in the San Diego and Union City Police Departments, Connie began volunteering for the City of Hercules after retirement. She also became a Reserve Police Officer and is a truly valued volunteer working almost daily for the Police Department in her volunteer capacities, including serving as the Public Information Officer for the Police. Thanks to Connie for all of her efforts to make Hercules a better place.

**Sycamore Crossing Update**

The planned Sycamore Crossing retail center which will be anchored by a new Safeway continues to move forward, as discussed at the City Council meeting on December 8<sup>th</sup> and as shared in my last Bi-Weekly Report, is being delayed by the process to secure permits from the State regional water Quality Control Board. There are a series of small wetlands on the site which the regional Board has asked the developer to review alternatives to what they have proposed for wetlands mitigation. Terramar, the developer, has their environmental consultant responding to a number of questions regarding possible alternatives which should be going to the Regional Board shortly according to the project manager for Terramar this week. The developer now has until June 30, 2016, to acquire the site from the City's Successor Agency, and getting their permits is a condition to the sale proceeding.

**Updates Current and Planned Development Activity**

- The Victoria Crescent subdivision off of San Pablo had completed 34 houses by December 31 and remaining 9 homes should be completed in the first few months of the year.
- The final tract map for Muir Pointe subdivision of 144 single family detached homes to be located on John Muir Parkway, west of Alfred Noble Drive, is in review. It is anticipated their first building permits will be pulled in March or April (depending on when the fire hydrants and streets are installed, weather permitting).
- Aventine, the 4-story mixed used building, with approximately 10,000 square feet of retail (for which tenant improvements have not yet been submitted) and 147 apartments should be opening the building in 4 phases starting in March:
  - Phase 1 opening date targeted for March 15, 2016 to include 41 apartment units in the west wing 2nd and 3rd floors, 1st floor west wing residents

lobby/clubroom/library/outdoor patio and leasing office and 110 stalls of underground and partially exposed onsite parking under the west wing and adjacent to the alley.

- Phase 2 opening 30-days after Phase 1 with 30 apartment units released on the west wing of the 1st and 4th floors
- Phase 3 opening 30-days after Phase 2 with 41 apartment units released on the east wing 3rd and 4th floors, 1st floor east wing residents’ lobby/yoga room/business center/fitness rooms and remaining 57 stalls of underground parking under the east wing.
- Phase 4 opening 30-days after Phase 3 with 35 apartment units released on the east wing 1st and 2nd floors.

Leasing information on Aventine can be found at this link: [Aventine](#); Aventine also has a pre-opening leasing office at 1375 Sycamore Avenue in Hercules.

## **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

### **Building Inspection Division**

	<b>Dec 31,15, thru Jan 14, 16</b>	<b>FY 2015/16 YTD</b>
Number of the permits issued:	34	366
Total Fee Collected:	\$24,839.55	\$192,258.63
Number of Inspections:	17	192
New Housing:	0	0

## **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 retrofitted outdoor lighting at City Hall to LED. They also cleaned catch basins, trimmed vegetation, replaced street signs, and repaired fencing at various locations throughout town.

Engineering –Construction on the \$11.7M Path To Transit phase of the Regional Intermodal Transit Center is moving forward, but has slowed down due to the rain. The contractor plans to install the new sewer line on Bayfront over the next month, weather permitting, which will require some traffic detouring. The Willow Avenue Rehabilitation Project and Community Center Parking Lot Repaving Project are substantially complete, some minor punch list items remain and are being completed as weather allows. Final grading for the Muir Pointe residential development has been completed and the developer is now installing the underground utilities. Bids for the Pinole-Hercules Wastewater Treatment Plant were opened and are currently being evaluated. Two bids were received, with Kiewit submitting the low bid amount of \$43,143,000, which is higher than the Engineer’s Estimate of \$39,850,000. The bids will be further evaluated at the Pinole-Hercules Joint Wastewater Subcommittee and respective City Councils over the next month. Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin this March or April and last approximately

2 ½ years. Design on the Refugio Valley Road Rehabilitation Project is moving forward and on-track for construction this Summer.

## PERMITS

Sewer Lateral Inspection Program:

- Number of application received: 5
- Sewer Lateral Inspection Fees Collected: \$625
- Number of Certifications issued: 2
- Number of Deficiency Notices issued: 4

Wide Load/Transportation Permits Issued: 0

Encroachment Permits Issued: 4

## PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The Parks & Recreation Department offers a wide variety of classes and programs that promote community, a healthy lifestyle, and provides recreational experiences and fun for all ages. For additional information visit [Parks & Recreation](#) or [register online](#) today!

**The Hot Roasted Garlic Crab Feed Fundraiser is this Saturday, January 23 at the Hercules Community Center.** Thank you to all of those who purchased tickets – tickets were sold out as of Wednesday, January 20. The Parks & Recreation Department, East Bay Silver Dolphins, and Hercules Piranhas appreciates the community's support of our local swim teams!

**Updated Ohlone Dog Park Rules and Regulations:** Please review [our updated rules and regulations](#) for use of the Ohlone Dog Park. The dog park is a valuable asset for our community and we appreciate the park patrons assisting in the care and upkeep of the facility. Please take a few minutes to review the rules and regulations. Updated signage has been posted at the park. Any violations of the rules and regulations of the Dog Park should be promptly reported to Hercules PD at (510) 724-1111 to assist us with ensuring the dog park is a safe and enjoyable environment for all.

**Affordable ways to promote your business:** We have many signboard locations around the city that have proven to be an effective and affordable promotional opportunity for businesses. To advertise in our sign boards, email [Vanessa Flores](#).

**President's Week Camp is fast approaching!** Grab a spot in our President's Week Camp, February 16-February 20, for K-5<sup>th</sup> Graders or 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Graders. We'll provide fun activities to keep your child busy during this time off from school.

**Follow us or give us a like on Social Media** – Follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter \(@herculesrec\)](#), and [Instagram \(@herculesrec\)](#) for program information, announcements, or to see the fun everyone's having in our great programs.

**Openings in our Teen After School Program:** At T.H.E. S.P.O.T., (2007 Refugio Valley Road), teens can find valuable programming to help foster human development, promote health and wellness, and increase cultural unity with life experiences. [Check out this great program](#) as a way to keep your teen busy after school and involved in the community.

**Advertise your business in the Summer 2016 Activity Guide:** We are accepting ads until February 8 for the Parks & Recreation Summer 2016 Activity Guide. The guide is a great way to promote your business or service. Please email [Vanessa Flores](#) for additional information or to submit an application.

**We're on the lookout for some volunteers to assist with light office work:** Have an hour to spare here or there? What about a teen looking for something to do for an hour or so after school? We're looking for volunteers interested in assisting us with light office work such as filing, copying, and organizing paperwork as we get ready for summer programming. Hours available Monday-Thursday. Give us a call at (510)799-8291 if you're interested in volunteering or email [Samantha Wallace](#).

**Do you have a special talent or skill you would like to share with the community?** Hercules Parks & Recreation is always interested in bringing on new classes and services for the community to enjoy. Please email [Vanessa Flores](#) for additional information or to submit a program proposal.

**Ring in the year of the Monkey!**

**Date:** Tuesday, February 9, 2016

**Time:** 6 PM

**Location:** Hercules Library 109 Civic Drive, Hercules, CA

Ring in the Year of the Monkey at the Hercules Library with a special Mandarin music story time with local author Laura Lee. Followed by a Lion Dance from Yee's martial Arts!

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**



***Hercules Police Explorers win big in Arizona Competition***

On January 15-17 the Hercules Police Department Explorers competed in a National Police Explorer Tactical Competition in Chandler, Arizona. This competition is unlike other Explorer

Competitions in that Explorers work together as a team towards solving problems through teamwork and tactics. The emphasis was on TEAM WORK. The Explorers, ages 14-20 years old, competed in one of the largest Explorer events where over 800 Explorers and 200 advisors from 55 explorer posts in more than 10 states participated. Corporal Barazoto and Officer Miller trained the Explorers every Sunday starting in October and this year the training schedule was very demanding because the Explorers needed to train for different events. The events that they were selected to participate in was not known until two days prior to the competition. The following is the results of their hard work and dedication.

1st place- 10 Man Hostage Rescue

2nd place -5 Man Hostage Rescue

2nd place - Marijuana Field Raid

5th place- Vehicle Assault

5th place - Robot Operations

5th place - Team 3 Mile Run

### *Congratulations and Job Well Done!*

**THE FOLLOWING CASES ONLY REFLECT A PARTIAL LIST OF ACTUAL CASES TAKEN. CALLS FOR SERVICE NOT GENERATING WRITTEN REPORTS ARE NOT USUALLY LISTED.**

#### **Warrant Arrest Felony Resisting Arrest and Giving False Information to a Police Officer:**

On January 8, 2016. At 10:02am, an officer stopped a gray Mercedes for a vehicle code violation. The right front passenger, a 25 year old male, stated he had a California identification Card. A records check did not yield a California License or a California identification Card for the subject. He then said he had a Texas driver's license and again no record was located. Officer conducted a fingerprint recognition scan determined the male to be 25 year old Vincent Lewis Harris. Harris had an extraditable warrant for his arrest out of the US Marshals Service, Arlington VA. While taking Harris into custody he became combative and physically resisted officers in their attempt to secure him in the backseat of a marked patrol car. During his resistance. Two officers sustained minor injuries during the struggle. One officer and a mild sprain to his left wrist and the other officer had a minor injury to his right hand. Lewis was arrested for Felony Resisting Arrest, Giving False Information to a Police Officer; and the Felony Warrant. He was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Residential Burglary:** On January 8, 2016, at about 10:42pm, an Officer responded to a residence in the 100 block of Kensington Circle for a reported burglary that occurred between 8:00am and the time of call. Officers determined that the point of entry was a smashed rear glass sliding door. As of now, the items missing include jewelry, a purse and cash.

**Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol:** On January 9, 2016, at about 1:24am, an Officer initiated a traffic stop, on a 2014 Toyota Camry, for a speed and stop sign violation. The driver, 38 year old Wilder Oswaldo Cruz of Antioch, displayed objective symptoms of being under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. Oswaldo was administered Standard Field Sobriety test. The Preliminary Alcohol Screening Device indicated Oswaldo was over the presumptive limit, for the purposes of driving. Oswaldo was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. He was

cited and released to a responsible party.

**Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol:** On January 9, 2016, at about 3:01am, an Officer initiated a traffic stop, on a 2012 Nissan Altima, for a stop sign violation and DUI indicators. The driver, 22 year old Laura Mota of Hercules, displayed objective symptoms of being under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. Mota refused to perform the Standard Field Sobriety Test, and the Preliminary Alcohol Screening Device testing. She was placed under arrest for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. Mota was Cited and released to a responsible party.

**Domestic Violence:** On January 9, 2016 at 1:54pm, Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Dartford Way for a report of a domestic violence incident. The responsible party was a 31 year old male from San Jose. The victim was contacted at the address. The suspect was located on Brighton/Edinburgh. The reporting party said the suspect twisted her arm and slammed her head against a wall, four times, creating a lump on her forehead. The suspect said the lump on the victim's head was self-inflicted. A witness verified the reporting party's account. Paramvir Virk was arrested for Felony Domestic Violence and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Mental Health Evaluation:** On January 9, 2016, at about 8:31pm, Officers responded to a residence in the 100 block of Eagle Court regarding someone trying to hurt him. Upon arrival, Officers contacted an adult male subject sitting on the front porch. The subject began having convulsions and requested to be taken for a mental health evaluation. The subject was transported by ambulance to the Contra Costa County Regional Medical Center.

**Warrant Arrest:** On January 10, 2016 at 11:44am, Hercules Officers went to Amber Court. and arrested 40 year old Tamas Tothpapp, of Hercules, on a cite releasable Misdemeanor Warrant, issued on 01/08/2016. The subject was cited, with a new court date, and released.

**Warrant Arrest:** On January 10, 2016 at 8:50am, Hercules Officers went to the 2000 block of Pheasant Drive and arrested 33 year old Remml Rojas of Hercules, for an outstanding Warrant 01/05/2016. Rojas was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Warrant Arrest:** On January 10, 2016 at 9:03am, Hercules Officers went to the 100 block of Maple Court and arrested. 31 year old Nohemi Perez for an outstanding Misdemeanor Warrant, issued January 7, 2016. Officers issued the subject a citation, with a new court date, and released her.

**Domestic Battery:** On January 10, 2016 at 10:20am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Marsala Court for a report of a domestic battery which just occurred. The reporting party stated her boyfriend "roughed her up" and left on foot; and was possibly walking down Refugio Valley Rd. An Officer contacted the reporting party. She did not have any visible injuries and was actually determined to be the primary aggressor. An officer contacted the victim walking on Sunset Drive at Midship Drive. The victim did not have any visible injuries and declined to prosecute the female suspect. The female was advised to stay away from the condo.

**Prisoner Transport:** On January 10, 2016 at 11:03am, a Transport Officer responded to Marin County Jail to pick up 36 year old Brandon Wells, of Vallejo, on our outstanding Misdemeanor Warrant. The Warrant was issued on 10/20/2015. Wells was transported to the Martinez Detention

Facility.

**Petty Theft:** On January 10, 2016 at 2:05pm, a supervisor processed an online police report regarding a theft from an unlocked vehicle. The reporting party, from the 1100 block of Earnest Street stated, between 01/05/16 at 1:20 p.m. and 01/09/16 at 10:30 a.m., an unknown suspect gained entry into unlocked Green '13 Kia Soul that was parked on Earnest St. The suspect stole a garage door opener for the reporting party's detached garage and her Fast Trak transponder.

**Lost or Stolen License Plates:** On January 10, 2016 at 4:50pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 400 block of Lighthouse Court to take a report for stolen license plates. Reporting party said she parked her Silver '90 BMW 525i at the Richmond Marina today at 12:10 p.m. When she returned at 4:00 p.m. she noticed both license plates had been removed and stolen by an unknown suspect.

**Air Rifle turned in for destruction:** On January 11, 2016 at 11:49am, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Elderberry Court for an item to be turned in for destruction. The reporting party gave the Officer an air rifle that belonged to his deceased son. The air rifle was taken back to the PD and entered into Evidence for destruction.

**Suspicious Circumstance:** On January 11, 2016 at 12:25pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Weiss Court to take a report for mail theft. The reporting party said there were mailboxes opened on Weiss Court and O'Neil Circle. The Officer contacted the reporting party who showed him his surveillance video showing an unknown race male or female opening mailboxes at two houses on Weiss Court. It is unknown if any mail was taken from the opened mailboxes.

**Identity Theft:** On January 11, 2016 at 5:17pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Azalea Court to take an identity theft report. The reporting party said he received notices in the mail today regarding fraudulent credit card applications submitted, using his personal identifying information, without his knowledge.

**Petty Theft / Possession of Stolen Property / Violation of Probation:** On January 11, 2016 at 11:03pm, an officer conducted a traffic stop, on a white Saturn Vue, with no license plate attached. The Saturn and did not have a temporary registration in the corner of the windshield. The officer contacted the adult male driver who said he was unlicensed. A records check showed the driver did not have a driver's license and was on probation. The adult female passenger, in the right front seat, stated the male was driving the vehicle because of the trailer dolly attached. The passenger stated she recently purchased the vehicle. When she was asked for the paper work to the car she began looking through the car. The officer watched as she picked up a handful of mail from the floor board and tried to put it in the glove box. He asked her for the mail and saw that there were several pieces of mail addressed to several residents in the 1500 block of Partridge Dr, in Hercules. The officer asked where they got the mail and male said he found it on the ground and placed it into the vehicle and forgot to return it. A second officer contacted 3 of the 6 owners of the mail and confirmed they were the victims of mail theft, and wished to press charges. 42 year old Richard Erickson, of Vallejo, was arrested for Possession of Stolen Property, and Violation of Probation. He transported to the Martinez Detention Facility. 54 Roseanna Harper, of Vallejo, was arrested for Petty Theft and Possession of Stolen Property. She was issued a citation and released.

**Misdemeanor Warrant:** During the above traffic stop the rear seat passenger, 44 year old Tanya Knight of Richmond, was found to have an outstanding warrant held by Contra Costa Sheriff's Office. She was arrested and released on a citation, with a new court date.

**Courtesy Report for Outside Agency:** On January 12, 2016, at 8:07am, an Officer was dispatched to HPD for a courtesy report of a stolen rear license plate. The Hercules resident said she parked her 2007 Nissan Altima in the parking in Lincoln, CA, on January 9, 2016, at approximately 2100 hours. On January 10, 2016 at 1100 hours, she realized her rear license plate was taken from the rear of her vehicle. The plate was entered Stolen Vehicle System.

**Warrant Arrest:** On January 12, 2016 at 2:14pm, a Police Assistant advised an officer there was a male, at the front counter, with a possible arrest warrant. The adult male was attempting to get a contents release from a towed Chevy S10 pickup truck. On January 4, 2016 an officer towed the unoccupied truck for no valid registration. During an inventory search the officer found a wallet belong to 51 year old Christopher Bovee, of Martinez.

During the investigation the officer learned Bovee had an outstanding Felony No Bail Warrant issued on 12/30/2015. The wallet was placed into Evidence for Safekeeping. An officer contacted the male, at the front counter, who identified himself as Christopher Bovee. The officer verified the subject was indeed Bovee and was advised the warrant was still current and valid. Bovee was arrested for the warrant and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Auto Burglary:** On January 12, 2016 at 5:22pm, an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail to take an auto burglary report. The Texas resident said he parked his Red '13 Dodge Dart on Tsushima St. at Sycamore Ave, near the construction site, at 7:00 a.m. this morning. At 4:00 p.m. the reporting party found the right rear passenger window had been shattered. An unknown suspect stole a DeWalt Drill combo kit and an Apple Laptop computer from the rear passenger seat.

**Hit and Run:** On January 13, 2016 at 8:12am, an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail regarding a late reported hit and run vehicle collision. The incident occurred on January 12, 2016, in the parking lot of Hercules High School. The reporting party said she parked her White '14 Honda Accord, at approximately 6:20 p.m. in the parking lot near the Basketball Gym. She returned at 8:35 p.m. and found fresh damage to the left front quarter panel and left front bumper. A witness saw a newer model White vehicle speeding away, after hearing the vehicle collision. However the witness did not see the vehicle collision.

**Miscellaneous Incident:** On January 13, 2016 at 1:21pm, an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail regarding a possible parental abduction. The reporting party said his estranged wife had taken off with their four children (ages 10, 8 year old twins, and 3), and would not tell him where they were. The reporting party has filed a petition for sole custody of the children, but the wife left before she could be served. The officer contacted the wife, and spoke to the children, via phone. The officer determined the woman and children were in a Shelter, and safe. The wife said she is in the process of filing an opposing petition. The case has been referred to the District Attorney's Office Child Abduction Unit for coordination and appropriate action.

**Petty Theft:** On January 13, 2016 at 2:59pm, was dispatched to the 1000 block of Sanderling Way, regarding a theft. Reporting party said an unknown suspect stole a package from her front porch yesterday, 01/12/16. The reporting party ordered three packages from Walmart.com. The tracking information stated the packages were delivered at 4:00pm. The reporting party arrived home at 5:00 p.m. she noticed one of the three packages was missing. The package contained shoes. The reporting party also reported 4 pairs of shoes had also been stolen from her front porch between 12/30/15 and 01/01/16.

**Solo Vehicle Collision:** On January 13, 2016 at 3:02pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched to Willow Avenue at Mariner's Point, for a report of a vehicle colliding into a tree; and the driver was reportedly unconscious. Officers located a Green '99 Buick stopped in the #1 lane of N/B Willow Ave, North of Mariner's Point. The investigation indicated the Century drifted from the #1 lane of N/B Willow Ave, jumped the curb of the center median, and colliding into a tree. The driver backed up and stopped in the #1 lane. The driver, a 58 year old female, of Rodeo, was conscious when Officers and Rodeo-Hercules Fire arrived. The driver appeared to have lost consciousness, while driving, causing her to lose control and collide with the tree. The right front passenger is a 23 year old male. Both parties were transported to a hospital for complaints of pain.

**Vandalism:** On January 13, 2016, at about 8:04 pm, an Officer responded to Round Table Pizza located in the 1500 block of Sycamore Ave for a reported vandalism to a vehicle. The victim, of El Sobrante, said when he arrived at the restaurant he had a verbal altercation with a 25 year old female. The argument was regarding her being parked in the hash marks next to the handicap stall where he parked. Both parties went their separate ways and the reporting party went inside the restaurant. He returned about 15 minutes later and saw that three driver side windows were smashed on his 2009 Honda Odyssey.

**Warrant Arrest:** On January 13, 2016, at about 10:03pm, an Officer initiated a traffic stop, on a 1991 Lexus, at Willow and Hawthorne, for an expired registration violation. A passenger, 34 year old Ashley Ushe of Oakland, was determined to have two outstanding no-cite traffic related warrants out of Alameda County. She was placed under arrest for the warrants and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Commercial Burglary:** On January 14, 2016, at about 5:09am, Officers were dispatched to the Optometrist in the Creekside Shopping Center, located in the 1500 block of Sycamore Ave, for an alarm with a main office motion activation. Officers were advised a witness saw a male subject, wearing a black hoodie, a ski mask and jeans, running near the business, about 4:55 am. This subject was reportedly associated with a newer model Chrysler 300, with large rims, being driven by a heavy set Caucasian female adult. Officers found the front door of the business was smashed. The interior of the business was checked and no suspects were located. An area check for the Chrysler and associated subjects was conducted with negative results. A responder arrived at the business and confirmed about \$3,000 in various glasses were taken.

**Vandalism:** On January 14, 2016 at 6:40am, an officer was dispatched to Willow Food & Liquors for a report of a vandalism. The reporting party said, between 6:35am and 6:40am this morning, an unknown suspect shattered a side window of the business with a brick. No entry was made into the business.

**Identity Theft:** On January 14, 2016 at 9:08am, an officer was dispatched to the 1200 block of Canterbury for a report of identity theft. The reporting party said an unknown suspect attempted to open a line of credit using her identifying information.

**Identity Theft:** On January 14, 2016 at 9:37am, an officer contacted the reporting party via telephone regarding identity theft. The reporting party said during a check of his credit report he found activity/accounts that he did not authorize.

**Outside Assist/Felony Evading** On January 14<sup>th</sup> 2016 at approximately 9:11pm, HPD units were notified that CCCSO deputies were in pursuit of a silver BMW SUV on WB Hwy 4. As the pursuit neared the city limits a HPD Officer observed the SUV take the Willow Ave exit and turn northbound. CCCSO deputies were held up in traffic and Hercules PD took over the pursuit. The pursuit continued northbound on Willow Ave and reached a top speed of approximately 85MPH. The SUV failed to stop at multiple red lights and stop signs. The SUV stopped at the dead end of California St and 4 suspects fled on foot. A perimeter was established using HPD and CCCSO personnel. A firearm was found near the SUV. No suspects were located. The case is being handled by CCCSO.

**Residential Burglary** On January 14<sup>th</sup> 2016 at approximately 8:21, a HPD Officer was dispatched to the 1000 block of Regatta Point for a residential burglary report. The reporting party said his residence was broken into sometime within the last week. Entry was made via a garage window. Two laptop computers were taken from an adjacent room. The victim did not notice the missing items or the open window till today.

**Grand Theft** On January 14<sup>th</sup> 2016 at approximately 10:07pm, a HPD Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Meadowlark Way for theft of packages. The reporting party said he had multiple packages delivered to his residence, on January 11<sup>th</sup>, but he never received them.

**Possession of a Forged Prescription:** On January 15, 2016 at 4:09pm, Officers were dispatched to Rite-Aid on a report of an attempt to submit forged prescriptions for controlled drugs. 34 year old Anita Maria Quintana, of Vallejo, was taken into custody and later cited out.

**Outside Assist (Vallejo PD):** On January 15, at approximately 4:30pm, HPD officers were contacted by a 34 year old female, from Vallejo. The female claimed she was being forced into prostitution (all incidents in Vallejo). An outside agency assist case, for human trafficking, was taken. Vallejo PD contacted and advised.

**Outside Assist:** On January 16, 2016, at about 3:01 am, Hercules Officers responded to the 2900 block of Estates, at the request of Pinole PD, to assist with an adult male threatening to kill himself with a handgun. Pinole PD contacted the male and determined that he did not meet the criteria for a mental health evaluation. Pinole PD verified there was no weapons present. Pinole PD took a report. HPD provided cover and perimeter support.

**Petty Theft:** On January 16, 2016 at 3:30pm, an Officer was dispatched to 200 block of Sparrow for a report of mail theft. The officer contacted the reporting party via telephone. The reporting party said sometime after 2:00pm today an unknown suspect stole items from her mailbox.

**Misdemeanor Warrant (cite Release):** On January 16, 2015 at 11:54pm, an Officer stopped a vehicle, on Willow Avenue at San Pablo Avenue, for a non-working third brake lamp. During the stop the officer learned that 22 year old Felease Mclane had a citable Misdemeanor warrant issued on 12/10/2015 for burglary. Mclane was cited and released on scene.

**Petty Theft:** On January 17, 2016 at 9:04am, a supervisor processed an online police report regarding a petty theft from an unlocked vehicle. The reporting party, who live in the 100 block of Schooner Cove, stated an unknown suspect gained entry into his car sometime between 5:00 p.m. on 01/03/16 and 8:00 a.m. on 01/04/16.

**Stolen Vehicle:** On January 17, 2016 at 9:27am, an Officer was dispatched to the 200 block of Beechnut Drive to take a stolen vehicle report. The reporting party said at 9:00 a.m. this morning he noticed his Gray '93 Toyota Camry was missing/stolen from his driveway. The reporting party stated his son last saw the Camry in the driveway last night at approximately 7:00 p.m. or 8:00 p.m.

**Recovered Stolen Vehicle:** During the above investigation the reporting party said there was a White '95 Toyota Camry, which he did not recognize, parked in front of his house in the 200 block of Beechnut. The officer determined the vehicle was reported stolen today to CHP-Oakland. The vehicle was recovered.

**Annoying or Harassing phone calls:** On January 17, 2016 at 9:38am, an Officer was dispatched, to the 1100 block of Regatta Point, to take a report for annoying or harassing phone calls. The reporting party said he received a call this morning, from an unknown female caller, threatening him and his family. The reporting party said he received several similar calls from the same female caller last night as well.

**Possible Pinole P.D. Theft Suspect:** On January 17, 2016 at 2:14pm, a Parking Enforcement Volunteer observed an occupied vehicle, parked at the Creekside Center, near Taco Bell. The vehicle, a Black '04 Hyundai Sonata, with No Plates, was occupied by an adult male. The Parking Volunteer observed the Sonata had chipped paint on the hood as well as duct tape holding the hood closed. The vehicle's occupant, and the vehicle, matched the suspect & suspect vehicle description from a recent theft in Pinole. A HPD Officer contacted the occupant of the vehicle and sent the information to Pinole PD for follow-up.

**Possible Endangerment:** On January 17, 2015 at 6:00pm, a mother reported her son 7 year old son told her his father put him in the trunk of the car and took him for a ride. The incident reportedly occurred on Friday January 15, 2016. The child stated he was in the trunk for 3-10 minutes. He said his daddy said he might have to fight someone, and did not want the child to see. The father denied the incident. The child showed no sign of injury or trauma. The case has been referred to investigations for follow-up

**Warrant Arrest:** On January 17, 2016 at 9:30pm, Hercules Officer's served an arrest warrant at a residence in the 100 block of Wadi Run. 18 year old Jose Fernandez for his outstanding Welfare and Institution Code warrant issued on January 13, 2016. He was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Found Property:** On January 18, 2016 at 10:56am, an Officer contacted two adult male pedestrians, walking W/B in the 1500 Block of Sycamore Avenue. They were pushing a Home Depot shopping cart loaded with recyclables. Both males stated they were transients. One of the males was in possession of a Debit card which was issued to another person. The debit card owner was contacted and stated he lost the card and had closed the account. He did not indicate he wanted the property back. The Debit card was later entered into Evidence as Safekeeping. Both males were released.

**Misdemeanor Warrant arrest (Cite Release):** On January 18, 2016 at 7:24pm, an Officer arrested 34 year old Eshane Buie, at her residence, in the 100 block of Glenwood. Buie had an outstanding Misdemeanor Warrant, issued January 6, 2016. The officer issued Buie a citation, with a court date, and released her at the scene.

**Auto Burglary PC 459:** On January 18, 2016 at 8:03pm, a resident from the 100 block of Larkspur Ct reported his 2003 Chevrolet Tahoe had been burglarized. The reporting party said he parked and locked his vehicle, in his driveway, on December 26, 2015 and left the on vacation. He returned today and noticed the sunroof was missing from his Tahoe. Also missing from the vehicle were the radio and instrument cluster.

**Criminal Treats:** On January 17, 2016 at 9:17pm, a resident from the 500 block of Mahogany reported an unknown male knocked on her front door. When she looked out the window the unknown male made verbal threats, stating she had property which was not hers. The male is described as an African American male; 35 years old; 5-11; and 150lbs. The male was gone when officers arrived.

**Mental Health Evaluation:** On January 17, 2016 at 11:45pm, a concerned person called stating her 34 year old boyfriend is texting her stating he is going to harm himself. Officers went to a residence, in the 500 block of Turquoise, and contacted the male. It was determined the male met the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. He was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

**WC SHIFT STATS**  
**Date: 01/07/16-01/20/16**

CALLS FOR SERVICE	687
REPORTS	82
TRAFFIC CITES	22
PARKING CITES	21
ADULT ARRESTS	24
JUVENILE ARRESTS	0

ARSONS	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTS	2
HATE CRIMES	0
TOWED VEHICLES	12
PART 1 TOTAL	163

PART 1 CRIMES BROKEN DOWN	----
HOMICIDE	0
RAPE	0
ROBBERY	0
ASSAULT	1
BURGLARY	4
LARCENY	12
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	2

### **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.*

#### **Hot Roasted Garlic Crab Feed**

**Date:** 1/23/2016 5:00 PM - 9:30 PM

**Cost:** Adults \$45; Children 3-12 years \$25; party of (6) \$240

**Location:** Hercules Community Center  
2001 Refugio Valley Road  
Hercules, California 94547

#### **Finance Commission**

**Date:** 1/25/2016 7:00 PM

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

#### **City Council Meeting**

**Date:** 1/26/2016 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

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

#### **Planning Commission Meeting**

**Date:** 2/1/2016 7:00 PM

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