

**City Manager's Bi-Weekly Report
October 28, 2016**

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CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

Interstate 80 Full Closure Overnight November 5th to 6th

Construction on the San Pablo Dam Interchange will require the closure of Interstate 80 overnight from 11 PM on Saturday night November 5th to Sunday morning November 6th at 7 AM. More information on the closure and detours is available through this link: [Interstate 80 Closure Information](#)

Path to Transit Update

Progress continues on the City's Path to Transit project which is extending John Muir Parkway with a new bridge across Refugio Creek to Bayfront Boulevard and related improvements. The Bridge structure is substantially complete and the work in the creek bed has been completed with the temporary diversion of Refugio Creek having been removed and natural flow restored.

City Council Meeting Rescheduled to Wednesday, November 9th

Due to Election Day, the regular City Council meeting of Tuesday, November 8th has been cancelled and rescheduled to Wednesday, November 9th.

Sales Tax Update – 2nd Quarter

The City actively monitors its key revenues to ensure we maintain a sound financial footing. Detailed information on the second quarter sales tax showed that there was a healthy 5.1% increase in sales taxes for that quarter over the same quarter last year. There was a one-time adjustment due to a misallocation of \$96,000 in that quarter which reduced actual receipts when compared quarter to quarter. With that adjustment we are on track to meet or slightly exceed our budgeted sales tax revenues for the 2016/17 Fiscal Year.

Westside Parks Amenities Community Workshop

The City will be hosting a workshop on possible new amenities in parks on the Westside of town to which all interested residents are invited. The workshop will take place at the Library on Thursday, November 3rd at 7 PM.

Reusable Bags

Don't forget to stop by City Hall to get your free City of Hercules reusable bag! These reusable bags remind you to recycle and make shopping easier.

Community Center Pool Re-plastering

On Tuesday evening this week the City Council awarded a contract for the re-plastering of the pools at the Community Center. The work will commence in December and will continue for just over two months during the slowest season for pool use. This just over \$190,000 project is funded with Development Impact Fees and is designed to extend the life of the pools and to ensure a safe and healthy aquatics environment. The pools were completed in 1991 and are well used community amenity.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

NOVEMBER 8, 2016 ELECTION

There are five candidates vying for three open seats on the Hercules City Council. Visit the City's website at www.ci.hercules.ca.us for additional information regarding the candidates.

Polling Places are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, November 8th, Election Day. In addition voters may drop off completed absentee ballots at City Hall Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. from now up through Election Day. To locate your polling location, look on the back of your sample ballot or go to www.cocovote.us

Unofficial election results will be posted to the Contra Costa County Election Department website at www.cocovote.us starting at 8 p.m. on Election Night and will be updated several times throughout the evening. These results will include ballots cast at the polls and ballots that were mailed to the Election Department and counted that evening.

The County will continue to update results through December 6, 2016 at which time it is expected the County will have counted all the remaining absentee ballots and provisional ballots cast at the polls.

The Hercules City Council is expected to certify the results of this election and seat the new council members at its regular meeting on Tuesday, December 13, 2016.

COMMISSION VACANCIES

The City Council is recruiting for interested residents to fill upcoming vacancies on the Planning Commission and the Finance Commission. If interested, you may complete an on-line application by going to the City's website, Commission Application. For questions, contact Sherry M. Kelly, Interim Administrative Services Director/City Clerk at 510.799.8215 or at skelly@ci.hercules.ca.us.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Building Inspection Division

	Oct 7 Thru Oct 21 , 2016	FY 2016/17 YTD
Number of the permits issued:	41	324
Total Fee Collected:	\$14,178.35	\$293,129.94
Number of Inspections:	12	113
New Housing:	1	5

Planning Division

Administrative Use Permits, Administrative Design Review Permits, Temporary Use Permits, Home Occupations Approved by the Planning Director or the Planning Commission

- Temporary Use Permit # 16-47 to operate a temporary outdoor Christmas Tree Lot from November 19, to December 24, 2016 at the Lucky Store #718 parking lot

Upcoming Planning Commission Meeting, Monday, November 7th at 7pm in Council Chambers

- Potential Denial of illegally constructed Art Studio addition on hillside of 124 Topaz Court

AVENTINE MIXED-USE BUILDING RESIDENTIAL UNITS COMPLETE

The residential portions of the Aventine building finally received their permanent CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY!!! One hundred and thirty two (132) leases have been signed and 128 apartment units are occupied at the mixed use building on Sycamore Avenue (90% leased up, excluding the 10,000 square feet of commercial space that has not yet been rented out).

There is 1 studio unit at \$2,250 per month, 5 one-bedroom units at \$2,625 per month, and 9 two-bedroom units at \$2,840 per month remaining. For further info on the apartment units, visit the residential leasing office onsite or view the updated website at AventineHercules.com before the last 15 apartments are gone!!!

If you or someone you know is interested in leasing one of commercial sections of the building, contact Adria Giacomelli at Lockhouse at 925-627-7905 or 925-997-2307 or by email at adria@lockhouse.com

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Maintenance & Operations – Staff completed their regularly scheduled custodial and facility-related tasks in public parks and buildings. They are in the process evaluating the trees in Refugio Valley Park for pruning; conducted a coordination meeting with PG&E regarding street lights,

utilities, and the City's new trench cut ordinance; ordered 5 new public works vehicles; had the sections of creeks cleaned by Civic Corps, and are preparing for winter weather by cleaning storm water inlets.

Engineering –Construction on the \$11.7M Path To Transit phase of the Regional Intermodal Transit Center is in 2/3rds complete. The contractor is completing Bayfront Bridge which spans over Refugio Creek, the rechanneling Refugio Creek, and the roadway extension. The Bay Trail West segment has been designed and is slated for construction Summer 2017. The developer for the Muir Pointe residential development completed the installation of the underground utilities on-site. The \$46M Pinole-Hercules Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade Project is moving forward, the contractor is constructing the new headworks facility and solid waste handling facility. The City's pavement management program update is nearing completion and staff is focusing on transportation-related grant funding opportunities.



Path To Transit Project - Refugio Creek Restoration

PERMITS

Sewer Lateral Inspection Program:

- Number of application received: 6
- Sewer Lateral Inspection Fees Collected: \$750
- Number of Certifications issued: 3
- Number of Deficiency Notices issued: 4

Wide Load/Transportation Permits Issued: 2

Encroachment Permits Issued: 1

PARKS AND RECREATION



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

AQUATICS:

Fall Swim Hours:

The Hercules Swim Center is now on its fall schedule! Lap swimming is available on Monday and Wednesday from 7:00-8:00 p.m., and Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 6:00-7:00 p.m. Participants must be 14 years and older to participate. The drop in rate per visit is as follows: Adults = \$5 residents / \$6 non-residents, and Youth 14 to 17 years = \$4 residents / \$5 non-residents.

Swim Teams:

The Hercules East Bay Silver Dolphins are now taking registration for their year round swim program from October 2016 to September 2017. To join the team, swimmers must be able to swim 25 yards unassisted; swim practices are based on the swimmer's swimming ability which is determined by the coaching staff. Beginners are classified as Spinners (\$80 per month), intermediate swimmers are classified as Age Group (\$86 per month), and the advanced swimmers are the Advance Group (\$96 per month). At the time of registration, the swimmer's first (October 2016) and last (September 2017) months dues are paid in full, as well as a USA swimmer fee of \$80. Can't join in October, don't worry, the team takes new swimmer year round! Join our competitive USA swim team today!

CHILD CARE:



Tiny Tots Programs (Preschool):

Tiny Tots celebrated Halloween this week with parades and songs. Parents were very excited as many photos were taken of the children in costume. Happy Halloween!



In-Service Day:

There will be an In-Service Day at the Lupine Child Care site on November 1. School is closed that day for parent-teacher conferences. We provide all day care for families as needed. Advanced sign-ups are required.

2016-2017 K-5th Grade Before & After School program:

Child Care at Ohlone and Hanna Ranch are full and have wait lists at both Child Care-Before and After School sites. Lupine has limited space available. For more information contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291.

We are on the lookout for qualified staff. For more information contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291, or you can apply online at www.ci.hercules.ca.us.

FEE CLASSES:**Beginner's Yoga**

This is a slower paced class for the beginning student or for those wishing to return to their practice in a more gentle way. This class will teach simple breath work to aid in calming the central nervous system. Much of the class will be done in a seated or reclined position, but will also include a gentle standing flow sequence. All levels are welcome. Come try out a class, drop-ins are \$15 per class! For more info or to register, visit www.herculesrec.com.

Little Dragons:

Our Little Dragons programs for ages 3.5-6 years are a great introduction of the fundamentals through practice and play. These classes will prepare students for the next level in their Karate career. The Beginning Little Dragons (ages 3.5-6) is held on Mondays from 5-5:30pm, and the Intermediate Little Dragons (ages 4.5-6) is held on Mondays from 5:45-6:15pm. Classes are held at our Ohlone Community Center which is located at 190 Turquoise Drive. For more information or to register, visit www.herculesrec.com.

Karate:

Students will learn the basic fighting skills of Karate, self-discipline, self-esteem and confidence in protecting themselves. We offer a free trial on Tuesdays from 6:00-6:45pm at the Ohlone Community Center. Students ages 7 and up are welcome, so [sign up](#) today!

ACTIVITY GUIDE:**Winter/Spring 2017 Guide:**

We are in the final proofing stages of the Winter/Spring 2017 Activity Guide! This guide will include programs that run from January-April, and will be released in late November. Look for the revised Rec Expo Week coming this Spring.

Are you interested in becoming an independent contractor?

The Hercules Parks & Recreation Department is on the lookout for new classes and services for the community to enjoy. If you have a special talent or skill, and would like to share it with the community, please contact [Vanessa Flores](#) for additional information on how to become an independent contractor or simply submit a program proposal.

SENIORS:

Halloween Costume Contest:

Come join us for our first annual costume contest which is being sponsored by the Friends of the Hercules Senior Center. This event will be held on Monday, October 31st from 1:00-3:00pm at the Senior Center. Enjoy music, dancing, refreshments, desserts and more! Wear your best costume to win the grand prize! For more info, call 510-799-8219.

SPECIAL EVENTS:

Tree Lighting

Planning for the City of Hercules nonprofit community Holiday Tree Lighting event is underway. The Holiday Tree Lighting event will be on Sunday, December 4, 2016 from 5:00pm to 7:00pm at the Hercules Community Center. If you are interested in getting involved with the event, the next Tree Lighting planning meeting will be at the Community Center on November 2, at 6:00pm.

SPORTS:

Nothing to report this time.

TEENS:

TYC Halloween Workshop:

Come dressed up in your best costume and take part in TYC's Halloween Workshop! Children ages 1-12 will enjoy face painting, making their own Halloween treat, arts and crafts, and so much more! Tickets are \$7 per child, and \$5 per additional child and can be purchased the day of the event. This event will be held at the Hercules Teen Center on Saturday, October 29th from 10:00am-12:30pm. For more information, call 510-799-8291.

2016-2017 6-8th Grade After School program:

Registration for our popular after school Teen program, THE SPOT, are still being accepted. THE SPOT is a safe place for Teens grade 6th-8th to come and get help with homework, socialize with friends, play fun group games, and much more! Our staff is there to provide assistance in all areas. For more information contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

Join Our Team!

Are you looking for a fun, friendly and incredible job opportunity? Then the City of Hercules is the place for you. The Parks and Recreation Department has many fun and exciting opportunities for enthusiastic people who enjoy working with youth, teens and families. Come join our team as a Child Care/Preschool Leader, Aide or Recreation Leader, a Sports Coach/Referee/Scorekeeper, a Facility Attendant, Teen Programs or make a splash as a Lifeguard/Swim Instructor. Specific qualifications may apply for each position. For more information contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291, or you can apply online at www.ci.hercules.ca.us. Don't wait, join our team now!

MARKETING:

Don't forget to like us on Social Media:

Look for updated program information and announcements, or just follow us on Social Media. [Facebook](#), [Twitter \(@herculesrec\)](#), and [Instagram \(@herculesrec\)](#) highlight some of the fun and creative programming happening in our great programs and facilities.

Promote your business around town:

The Hercules Parks & Recreation Department offers an affordable way to advertise your business through our signboard and banner program. There are several signboard and banner locations around the city that have proven to be an effective and affordable promotional opportunity for businesses. To advertise on our signboards or to display your banner, email [Vanessa Flores](#) for rates and availability.

HERCULES PUBLIC LIBRARY

Update on New Staff at the Hercules Library!

Julia Layne our new Youth Services Librarian will be joining us starting November 1st. Michelle Krasowski our new Adult/Teen Services Librarian will be joining us starting November 28th. Please join me in welcoming them both to the Hercules community.

Community Clean-up Day at the Hercules Library – Friday October 28th, 3:30-5:30pm

Come lend a hand to help us get ready for our 10 Year Anniversary Open House on November 6th. Many hands make light work – please join us and show your support for the library!

Hercules Library Coloring Club – Saturday October 29th, 11:00am-1:00pm

Who says coloring is only for kids?! Everyone is welcome to join us for our coloring club! We provide the colored pencils, crayons, and coloring pages or you can bring your own! Stop in, sit down, get creative and have fun! 11-12 kids and adults, 12-1 adults only please. Meets the last Saturday of every month.

Diwali Celebration with Kalaikoil Dance & Arts of India – Saturday October 29th, 1:00pm

The Kalaikoil Dance and Arts of India Studio of Dublin will be performing as we celebrate Diwali. Plus we'll have mhendhi (henna) hand stamps after the program for children.

Business Planning for Entrepreneurs –

4 week course, Tuesday evenings beginning November 1st, 6-8:30pm

Whether you have a new or existing businesses this four week class will offer you assistance with marketing, legal structures, financials and sales. Taught by the Small Business Development Center of Contra Costa County.

This class will be taught in Spanish.

Registration is required. Register by visiting www.contracostasbdc.org or through the library.

Minecraft Saturday returns! Saturday November 5th, 10-11:30am

Please register online or by calling the library at 245-2420 one week prior to each session. Please be on time! If you are more than 10 minutes late we will have to open up your spot to the wait list. If your child is 7 years old or younger, parent must stay with their child.

Kids are expected to respect library rules in the game, meaning we respect each other's work and use appropriate language. Participants who fail to follow rules may be asked to log out for the session. Please call library staff if you have questions!

Hercules Library 10 Year Anniversary Celebration – Open House is almost here!

Sunday November 6th 1:00pm-5:30pm

It's been 10 years since the Hercules Library opened its doors to the public! Everyone is invited to an open house celebration featuring a special Tagalog Storytime, a magician, music, Broadway Rhythm dancers, face-painting, guest speakers and more!

HeritageQuest with the Contra Costa County Genealogical Society –

Monday November 7th 6:00-7:00pm

Curious about your family history? Want help with completing your family tree? A volunteer from the Contra Costa County Genealogical Society will be available to help you use HeritageQuest, the library's new Genealogy program, to discover more about your family history! Registration suggested as space is limited. Please register online or by calling the library at 245-2420

HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

Press Release

From October 1st through the 25th Hercules Officers have taken 26 Auto Burglary reports. Twenty-three of the incidents were window smashes, two were unknown entry, and one was from an unlocked vehicle. Most of the loss was electronics, such as laptops and GPS'. In six cases there was no loss reported and in two of the cases the loss is unknown. The pattern of the locations are as follows:

- Five cases occurred in the 800 block of Willow (around Starbucks and the restaurants). The time frame is late evening 7:00pm to 9:00pm.
- Three case in the 1500 block of Sycamore (around Big Lots). The time frame is from 7:00pm to 9:00pm.
- Three case in the 500 block of Dutch Elm. The cases were discovered at around 4:00am and appeared to happen overnight (the same day).
- Two cases occurred at the Franklin Canyon Golf Course between 10:00am and 4:00pm.
- Two cases occurred in the 3700 block of San Pablo Avenue (near Chase Bank and Kinders). The time frame was 3:00pm to 8:00pm.
- Two cases occurred in the 100 and 200 block of Glenwood. The time from was 10:00pm to 11:00am. We also had two Auto Thefts from the 100 block of Glenwood. One occurred overnight, and the other one between 6:30am and 7:30am.

- Two cases occurred in the 100 block of Beryl Court. There was also a vehicle vandalism (window smash) case that did not rise to a burglary.
- Two cases occurred in the 1200 block of Willow Avenue. One occurred overnight and the other during the day.
- There was one case in the 100 Block of Lapis, 100 Block of Maple, 100 block Chelsea, 100 block of Black Walnut, and 3200 block of South Front. The time frame in the residential areas seem to be overnight.
- The six cases on Dutch Elm, Beryl and Black Walnut all occurred October 24th.

Citizens are reminded not to leave any valuables in their vehicles. The thieves appear to be looking for laptops, GPS devices, smart phones, cash, etc.

The Police Department is increasing patrols, particularly in the commercial shopping areas, Golf Course, and apartment complexes. Please remember the Police Officers cannot do it all. We rely on the members of our community to be our eyes and ears. Report suspicious activity and let an officer investigate. Your diligence may keep you or your neighbor from being a crime statistic.

Patrol & Investigations Priority Calls

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

Mental Health Evaluation/Vandalism: On October 11, 2016 at 6:42am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to Home Depot, 1625 Sycamore Avenue for a report of a disturbance. The store manager said an adult male came into the store, threw coffee creamer on the ground, smashed a Pumpkin, and then fled the store. Officers checked the area but didn't locate the subject. At 7:28am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 1000 block of Turquoise Drive for a report of a possible suicidal subject armed with a knife. The subject matched the description of the male at Home Depot. The reporting party said the subject used a knife to cut up a road sign. The male was last seen walking up the fire trail from Marsten Ranch. Officers interviewed the reporting and determined it was unknown if the subject was still armed with the knife. Officers located 33 year old Justin Kemal, a transient, just South East of the Radio Tower. East Bay MUD employees positively identified Kemal as the subject they saw vandalize their road sign with a knife. The supervisor wanted to press charges against Kemal for the vandalism. While seated in the back of the patrol car Kemal complained of having a mental health episode and stated he wanted to kill himself. He was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center for a Mental Health Evaluation. Kemal was later released from the hospital. He was arrested for the Vandalism and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Identity Theft: On October 11, 2016 at 11:46am, an Officer was dispatched to lobby detail regarding a fraud. A Hercules resident said she was notified that someone had forged her checks and cashed them. The reporting party later learned an unknown suspect used her name, and personal identifying information, to create fraudulent checks.

Search Warrant: On October 11, 2016 at 2:14pm, Hercules Detectives went to the 200 block of

Newbury Street to serve a Search Warrant related to a 2012 sexual assault investigation. The Search Warrant was served and evidence was collected.

Vandalism: On October 11, 2016 at 3:35pm, an Officer responded to the 100 block of Oxford Street to take a vandalism report. The reporting party stated the rear window of his 04 Nissan was shattered by an unknown suspect. The incident occurred sometime between 2:20pm – 4:30pm.

Auto Burglary x 2: On October 11, 2016 at 5:57pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 3700 block of San Pablo Avenue. Two vehicles, a Gold '01 Saturn and a Maroon '02 Honda, were parked near Chase Bank and had the left rear passenger windows shattered by an unknown suspect. The auto burglary's occurred sometime between 3:00pm – 5:50pm.

Mental Health Evaluation: On October 12, 2016 at 5:05am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 800 block of Forest Run. The reporting party said his 43 year old daughter was trying to jump off their second story deck. The father was able to pull his daughter back onto the deck. The female met the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. She was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

Petty Theft: On October 12th 2016 at approximately 7:02pm, an Officer responded to the 100 block of Glenwood for a petty theft report. The victim stated that her silver Apple iPhone 6 was stolen from her unlocked vehicle while parked. There is no suspect information.

Warrant Arrest x2: On October 12th 2016 at approximately 9:40pm, an Officer conducted a traffic stop on a black 2015 Nissan Sentra in the 500 block of Parker Avenue. The officer determined that the driver, 46 year old April Margarita Salas of El Sobrante, was wanted on a felony warrant for a theft related offense. The passenger, 35 year old Dustin Michael Flatt of Hayward, was wanted on a parole violation warrant. Both subjects were placed under arrest and transported to the Main Detention Facility.

Traffic Collision: On October 13, 2016 at 7:09am, Officers responded to the 3800 block of San Pablo Avenue for a report of a hit and run collision. The collision occurred in the intersection of San Pablo Avenue and Sycamore Avenue. One of the parties was contacted on scene and it was later determined there was no hit and run collision.

Suspicious Circumstance: On October 13, 2016 at 1016am, an Officer responded to the 1500 block of Sycamore Avenue for a theft report. The victim stated she had a large amount of money in her purse. She left her purse inside of her house while visiting a neighbor. When she returned to her house, she noticed the money was missing from her purse. There were no signs of forced entry and no evidence of anyone having been inside the victim's house.

Lost Property: On October 13, 2016 at 9:38am, an Officer responded to the Police Department for a report of a lost wallet. The RP reported that she lost her Louie Vuitton wallet sometime after 7:30am this morning. The RP last saw her wallet when she placed it on the counter at a local business. Inside the wallet was the RP's driver's license, three credit cards, medical cards, three gift cards, and \$5 cash. The RP cancelled all of her cards.

Outside Assist: On October 13, 2016 at 11:26am, Officers assisted Richmond PD in taking a subject into custody on their Ramey Warrant. The subject was taken into custody without incident.

Auto Burglary x3: On October 13, 2016 at 12:00pm, an Officer responded to the 3600 block of San Pablo Avenue to investigate a theft from a vehicle. When the officer arrived, he was contacted by two additional victims. All three vehicles had their windows shattered and property stolen from inside. Total loss from all three vehicles was estimated at over \$5,500. Total damage to all three vehicles was estimated at \$1,100.

Warrant Arrest On October 14th 2016 12:59am, an Officer conducted a records check of the registered owner of a gold Pontiac Grand Prix. The registered owner, 26 year old Jesse Robert Streater of Rodeo, was discovered to have a no bail warrant out for his arrest. Streater was taken into custody and transported to Main Detention Facility in Martinez.

Petty Theft On October 14th 2016 at approximately 6:56pm, an Officer took a petty theft report of a stolen cell phone.

Auto Burglary On October 14th 2016 at approximately 8:33pm, an Officer responded to the 1100 block of Chelsea for an auto burglary that occurred in the 800 block of Willow Avenue earlier in the day. The victim stated he parked his vehicle in the parking lot at approximately 6:45am. Upon his return, the right passenger window was shattered and his black canvas bag containing a green bowling ball and bowling shoes were taken. There is no suspect information available.

Battery: On October 14, 2016, at about 10:53am, an Officer responded to the 1900 block of Refugio Valley Road for a report of a battery. This incident is still under investigation.

Mail Theft: On October 15, 2016, at about 2:15pm, an Officer responded to a residence in the 300 block of O'Neil Circle for a reported mail theft that occurred sometime yesterday. There is no suspect information.

Commercial Burglary – Coin Theft: On October 16, 2016 at 10:26am, an Officer responded to the 1200 block of Willow Avenue to take a report for a commercial burglary of the laundry room. The officers met with the reporting party who stated that two unknown suspects forced entry into the laundry room at approximately 4:55am and broke into four dryers. The unknown suspects were inside the laundry room for approximately 20 minutes and cut into/drilled out the locks of the dryers. The suspects then stole approximately \$300-\$400 in quarters from these four dryers. The first suspect is described as a 30 year old black male adult, heavyset, full beard, with a possible scar on the top of his head. The second suspect, is an unknown race male, approximately 25-30 years old, thin build, with dark hair. This incident is still under investigation.

Unattended Death: On October 16, 2016 at 10:55am, Officers responded to the 200 block of Redwood Road for a report of an unresponsive 87 year old male. Fire and ambulance responded and determined that the victim was deceased.

Violation of a Criminal Protective Order/Felony Probation Violation x 2: On October 17, 2016 at 9:30am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Thistle Court for a report of a violation of a court order. The reporting party stated she has a Criminal Protective Order (served and filed) against 25 year old Brandon Jackson of Oakland. He was outside her house but had left the area. Officers located Jackson in the 100 block of Daisy Court. The reporting party signed a Complainant's Arrest Form requesting prosecution. Jackson was arrested and transported

to the Martinez Detention Facility. Jackson was found to be on formal Felony Probation. Violation of Probation charges were added to the arrest.

Mental Health Evaluation: On October 17, 2016 at 12:15pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Fir Court for a report of a female that was found unresponsive. The reporting party stated his 41 year old wife had intentionally taken pills to overdose. Officers located the female lying, semi-conscious, at the bottom of the stairs. Fire was able to rouse the female from her semi-conscious state. The female was determined to meet the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. She was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

Unauthorized use of an access card: On October 17, 2016 at 1:01pm, an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail to take a report for an identity theft. The Hercules resident stated an unknown suspect gained access to his credit card account information. The suspect then fraudulently used the account information to purchase approximately \$500 worth of items.

Auto Burglary: On October 17, 2016 at 2:47pm, an Officer was doing a security check of Franklin Canyon Golf Course, 3500 Franklin Canyon Road. He was flagged down by a Richmond resident, standing by his Silver '02 Honda Accord. The reporting party stated his vehicle had been burglarized. The driver's side window was shattered and the unknown suspect removed a Tom-Tom GPS with hard case from the center console area. The burglary occurred between 10:30am – 2:30pm.

Lost Property: On October 18, 2016 at 3:59am, a case number was taken for an on line report. The Hercules resident reported losing a cell phone on October 17th, between 6:00 – 9:00pm, between Lucky's and Big Lots.

Suspicious Circumstance: On October 18, 2016 at 6:50am, Officers responded to the 100 block of Grenadine Way. The reporting party stated she was warming her vehicle up in the driveway and went inside her house. When she returned to her vehicle she observed a Hispanic male adult, 6'0", bald, wearing a dark blue or black puffy jacket, seated in her driver's seat going through her vehicle. The reporting party confronted the HMA and he got out of the vehicle and was last seen walking towards Mandalay Avenue. Officers checked the area, but were unable to find the suspect.

Residential Burglary: On October 18, 2016 at 11:02am, Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Schooner Cove for a report of a residential burglary. When the victim returned home they found their rear sliding glass door broken and side garage door unsecure. Officers arrived and made entry into the home. When officers checked the residence they found a window screen that had been cut. Officers didn't find the rear sliding glass door shattered or any other damage. It didn't appear that entry was made by the suspect. The homeowner reported her iPad as missing.

Lost Property – Cell Phone: On October 18, 2016 at 3:3 pm, an Officer responded to the Police Department lobby for a report of a lost cell phone that occurred on Linus Pauling Drive.

Lost Property – Passport: On October 18, 2016 at 4:39pm, an Officer responded to the Police Department lobby for a report of a lost passport.

Auto Burglary PC 469/460(b): On October 18, 2016 at 7:24pm, an Officer responded to the 1500 block of Sycamore Drive for a report of an auto burglary. The victim parked her vehicle in the

parking lot and went into a nearby business. When she returned she found the right front passenger window shattered. Missing from the vehicle was a backpack which had been on the passenger floorboard. The backpack contained baby clothes and baby items. There is no suspect information available.

Vandalism PC 594: On October 18, 2016 at 8:50pm, an Officer responded to the 1500 block of Sycamore Drive. The reporting party stated she parked her vehicle and went into a nearby business. Upon returning to her vehicle she discovered her vehicle was damaged. No items were missing from the vehicle. There is no suspect information

Auto Burglary PC 469/460(b): On October 18, 2016 at 9:02pm, an Officer was flagged down by the reporting party in the 1500 block of Sycamore Drive. The victim stated that he parked and locked his vehicle and went into a nearby business. Upon returning to his vehicle he found the rear passenger window of his vehicle shattered and several items missing. Missing from the interior was a Sony Camera and lens, an iPod, and Headphones. There is no suspect information.

Auto Burglary PC 469/460(b): On October 18, 2016 at 9:10pm, while conducting a security check in the 1500 block of Sycamore, an officer located a Toyota pick-up parked behind the businesses with the left rear window smashed and a backpack on the ground. The officer located the victim who checked the contents of his backpack and determined nothing was missing. There is no suspect information available.

Stolen Vehicle: On October 19, 2016 at 7:25am, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Glenwood to take a stolen vehicle report. The reporting party said an unknown suspect stole his 2000 Silver Civic sometime between 6:30am – 7:30am that morning.

Mental Health Evaluation: On October 19, 2016 at 11:39am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the care home in the 1800 block of Redwood Road. The reporting party said a 78 year old female resident assaulted a care employee as the resident was going AWOL. The female was last seen walking away down Redwood with a walker. Officers located the female on Redwood Road near Cedar Court. The female met the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. She was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

Residential Burglary: On October 19, 2016 at 5:00pm, an Officer handled a phone detail regarding a residential burglary. The reporting party lives in the 300 block of Pepperwood. October 16, 2016 at 3:26pm, the reporting party called the police regarding a possible residential burglary which occurred between October 15th, at 3:35pm and the time of call. She said when she got home, on the 16th, the upstairs bedroom window was open. The window was closed and the blinds were down when she left the previous night. Officers checked the house but didn't find any evidence of forced entry or a burglary. Today, the reporting party said she has discovered some of her electronic equipment, and jewelry, were missing.

Identity Theft (BobCop): On October 19, 2016 at 5:29pm, a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding an identity theft. The Hercules resident stated that she was notified by Wells Fargo Bank, an unknown suspect walked into their Palmdale, CA. bank branch and attempted to obtain a personal loan using her name and personal identifying information. The reporting party has never banked with Wells Fargo Bank and didn't authorize anyone to use her name and personal identifying information.

Court Order Violation On October 19th 2016 at approximately 6:48pm, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 200 block of Bobolink Way for a suspicious circumstance. The reporting party said someone knocked on his door and several moments later the power went out at his residence. Officers discovered the PG&E meter was missing from the side of the house. The reporting party said he received two voice messages, from his adult son, today which is in direct violation of a served court order. The reporting party thinks his son is also responsible for taking the meter box. The reporting party wished to press charges and he signed a Complainant's Arrest form.

Supplement to Runaway Juvenile On October 19th 2016 at approximately 9:32pm, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 3100 block of South Front Street for a family dispute. It was discovered the female juvenile was still listed as a runaway juvenile from (September 12th 2016). The family dispute was resolved and Juvenile was removed from MUPS.

Warrant Arrest: On October 20, 2016 at 10:39am, an Officer checked on an occupied vehicle in the 2200 block of Redwood. The lone occupant, 41 year old Joseph Balajadia of Vallejo, had a no-cite misdemeanor warrant out of Solano County. Balajadia was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Assault with a Deadly Weapon/Warrant Arrest/Brandishing an Altered BB gun: On October 20, 2016 at 5:12pm, Officers were dispatched to the 800 block of Willow for a man with a gun call. The reporting party said an adult African American male, wearing a white shirt and black pants, was pointing a gun at her. An Officer located the male at the entrance to 844 Willow. The male was holding what appeared to be a real hand gun at his side. When the Officer contacted the male he dropped the gun and laid face down on the ground and was detained. The investigation indicated the male was walking southbound on Willow Avenue. The male was confronted by the reporting party, an adult female, who accused him of hitting her 18 year old daughter. The male denied the allegation and started walking away. The female retrieved a two-by-four, with nails driven through it, and followed male. The female struck the male several times across the front of his body. There was no evidence the male was hit with the nails. The male said he pulled out a black replica handgun to defend himself. The female was arrested for Assault with a Deadly Weapon and transported to Hercules Police Department. During the booking process, the female complained she thought she was having a miscarriage. The female was transported, by ambulance, to County Hospital. She was released pending further investigation. The male was found to have a misdemeanor warrant. He was cited out for brandishing an Altered BB Gun and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility for the warrant.

Warrant Arrest On October 20th 2016 at approximately 10:30pm, an HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop, on a green 1994 Toyota Tercel, in the 1500 block of Sycamore Avenue. 21 year old Jessica Lea Flathers, of Napa, had a no bail warrant out of Sonoma County She was placed under arrest and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Mental Health Evaluation On October 21st 2016 at approximately 12:35am, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 1900 block of Lupine Road, for a female who said she wanted to kill herself. Officers located a 20 year old female, who was visibly distraught, and crying. She told the Officers she wanted to kill herself tonight. She was determined to meet the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. She was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

Identity Theft: On October 21, 2016 at 3:27pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Dogwood Court for a report of identity theft. The reporting party said her bank informed her of suspicious activity on one of her accounts. An unknown person tried to cash a fraudulent check created from one of victim's credit cards accounts.

Suspicious Circumstance On October 22nd 2016 at approximately 4:00am, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 1100 block of Regatta for an adult male who was running away from a silver vehicle with the alarm going off. Officers were not able to locate the subject. The vehicle was a silver Nissan Murano registered in the 1100 block of Regatta. The driver's door was open but no theft was confirmed. Officers were not able to contact the registered owner, and a notification card was left to contact HPD.

Domestic Violence/Criminal Threats/Brandishing a weapon not a firearm On October 22nd 2016 at approximately 4:53am, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Paradise Drive for a physical altercation between a husband and wife. The investigation indicated the 24 year old wife slapped/punched her adult husband in the face. The victim sustained cuts to his face and lips but declined medical attention. The female brandished a knife at the victim and stated she would kill him, and herself, prior to leaving the residence with a knife. The female returned to the residence and was placed under arrest. She was transported to HPD. During the interview it was determined the female met the criteria for a Mental Health Evaluation. She was transported, by ambulance, to the County Regional Medical Center.

Warrant Arrest: On October 22, 2016 at 8:00am, an Officer responded to the Napa County Detention Facility to take custody of 23 year old Brenda Rodriguez on our warrant. Rodriguez was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Identity Theft (BobCop): On October 22, 2106 at 5:00pm, a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding an identity theft. The reporting party said someone fraudulently opened an EBMUD account in his name.

Identity Theft (BobCop): On October 22, 2106 at 5:02pm, a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding an identity theft. The reporting party was contacted, after applying for food stamps, through a State of California program. He was told someone is using his SSN and working in San Diego, CA.

Driving under the influence of alcohol: On October 23, 2016 at 2:12am, an Officer stopped 44 year old Nelson Alvarez, for DUI indicators, on Hercules Avenue at Titan. The Standard Field Sobriety Test was administered, and the Preliminary Alcohol Screening device indicated Alvarez was above the presumptive limit for the purposes of driving. He was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility

Use, Discharge or Carrying of Weapons Prohibited/Towed Vehicle – False Tab: On October 23, 2016 at 9:04am, an Officer checked an unoccupied Black '96 Honda Accord parked in lot of Chase Bank, 3600 San Pablo Avenue. The officer was contacted by the Accord's owner. The owner was advised the Accord's registration expired as of September 2014, but had a 2017 year tab affixed to the rear license plate. The owner admitted he placed the 2017 year tab on his Accord. The owner was told the Accord was being towed and he told Officers he had a BB gun underneath

the driver's seat. The Officer located a Beretta 92/96 style Air Pistol, loaded with .177 BB pellets, underneath the driver's seat. 27 year old Immanuel Hayes cited/released, and the Air Pistol was taken for evidence.

Auto Burglary: On October 23, 2016 at 8:23pm, an Officer was dispatched to an auto burglary in the 1200 block of Willow Avenue. The Antioch resident stated she parked and locked her 2007 Kia Sorrento at 7:30am and returned at 10:51pm. She found the right rear passenger window shattered. The glove box and center console open but nothing was missing.

Stolen Vehicle VC 10851: On October 24, 2016 at 5:31am, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Glenwood for a stolen vehicle. The reporting party stated she last saw her 1997 Red Acura at 7:00pm. She did not hear or see anything during the night.

Auto Burglary: On October 25, 2016 at 7:08am, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Maple Court to take an auto burglary report. The reporting party stated an unknown suspect shattered the right front window of a Blue '06 Dodge Charger sometime between 10:30pm and the time of call. The interior of the Charger was ransacked, but nothing appeared to be missing.

Obstructing, Delaying, or Resisting a Police Officer: On October 25, 2016 at 9:20am, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Tanager Way for a report of a possible domestic violence incident. The reporting party said nothing physical was happening, but her son's girlfriend was in the backyard crying. Officers arrived and could hear a female crying/yelling in the backyard. Officers contacted a 36 year old male at the front door. The male was advised the Officers were investigating a Domestic Violence call and they needed to check on the welfare of the crying female. The male was requested to submit to "modified pat search", for weapons, due to the nature of the call. The male initially complied, but tensed up and resisted the Officer when he started to pat search him. The male pushed backwards attempting to pull away from the Officer. Damien Herrera was arrested for obstructing, or delaying the Officer during an investigation. Officers contacted a 34 year old female, in the backyard. She was upset and was crying. She stated she had not been assaulted, but agreed she should leave the house for a while. Herrera was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Lost Property – Wallet: On October 25, 2016 at 9:16am, an Officer handled a lobby detail regarding a lost wallet. The reporting party stated he last saw his black leather wallet on Thursday, October 20th. He thinks he may have lost his wallet somewhere between getting gas in El Sobrante to returning home to Hercules.

Auto Burglary x 2: On October 25, 2016 at 10:06am, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Lapis Court to take an auto burglary report. The reporting party said his two vehicles both had the right front passenger window's shattered. The first vehicle was parked facing south on Lapis Court., a Blue '08 Mercury Mountaineer was parked in front of his house. The second vehicle, a Tan '00 Mercury Grand Marquis, was parked in the open visitor parking area in the court. Both vehicles had the glove boxes opened. However, nothing appeared to have been taken. The burglaries occurred sometime between 12:30am and 10:00am today.

Disorderly Conduct – Drunk in Public: On October 25, 2016 at 3:56pm, Hercules Officers were dispatched to the area of Sycamore Avenue at Civic Drive for a suspicious subject. The reporting party saw an adult male, outside the Library. The reporting party said the male had

a bottle of wine and was drinking the wine from a cup. Officers arrived and saw the described male, seated on the ground, at the park next to the Hercules Library. He had a small glass cup which appeared to contain wine. Officers contacted the male and he exhibited objective symptoms of being under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. 62 year old Donald was arrested for Drunk in Public and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Petty Theft: On October 25, 2016 at 2:55pm, an Officer was contacted by Home Depot Loss Prevention at the Martinez Home Depot store. Loss Prevention stated they had a 56 year old male, in custody, for a theft from their store. The suspect admitted to taking a DeWalt reciprocating saw (Valued at \$299) and a DeWalt Hammer Drill (Valued at \$379) from the Hercules Home Depot store. The theft occurred today at 11:24am. The theft was verified via Hercules' Home Depot's video surveillance cameras. Hercules Home Depot, did not report this theft. Martinez P.D. booked the male for their case. A case was taking for the Hercules loss.

Forgery check fraud: On October 25, 2016 at 6:47pm, a Hercules resident came to HPD to report a fraud. She stated an unknown person used her checking information to create false checks and then cash them without her permission.

Auto Burglary: On October 25, 2016 at 9:09pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 800 block of Willow Avenue for an auto burglary. The Officer contacted the El Segundo resident who stated he parked and locked his Kia Sportage at 7:15pm. When he returned to his vehicle, at 9:09pm, he found the rear window shattered and his Dell laptop and Bose headphones missing.

Outside Assist for Violation of a Court Order: On October 26, 2016 at 5:45am, a Hercules resident reported being the victim of a court order violation. She stated that she has a no contact order against her ex-husband who lives in Charlotte, North Carolina. She stated that he has been sending her emails with the last one received on Monday October 24th. This is a violation of the court order. The report will be forwarded to Charlotte PD.

WC SHIFT STATS
Date: 10/13/16-10/26/16

CALLS FOR SERVICE	682
REPORTS	96
TRAFFIC CITES	20
PARKING CITES	6
ADULT ARRESTS	27
JUVENILE ARRESTS	0
ARSONS	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTS	0
HATE CRIMES	0
TOWED VEHICLES	8
PART 1 TOTAL	157

PART 1 CRIMES BROKEN DOWN	----
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HOMICIDE	0
RAPE	0
ROBBERY	0
ASSAULT	3
BURGLARY	5
LARCENY	33
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	2

Upcoming Events

Hercules Westside Parks Improvements

Date: 11/3/2016 7:00 PM

Location: Hercules City Hall Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547

Planning Commission Meeting

Date: 11/7/2016 7:00 PM

Location: City Hall - Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547

City Council Meeting - CANCELLED

Date: 11/8/2016 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Location: City Hall Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547

Adjourned Regular City Council Meeting

Date: 11/9/2016 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Location: City Hall Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547