

HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

WATCH COMMANDER'S SHIFT REPORT



DATE: April 5, 2016

TIME: 0700-0700

DAY: Tuesday

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

Auto Burglary/Commercial Burglary/Possession of Stolen

Property/Possession of Burglary Tools/Towed Vehicle: On April 5, 2016 at 10:15 a.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to 1551 Sycamore Ave. (Creekside Mall) for a report of a Caucasian adult male and female, attempting to use a stolen credit card inside Big Lots. The couple fled the store driving a Dirty White Toyota Camry, with, paper plates. The vehicle was seen driving towards the mall entrance/exit. An officer located the Camry stopped at the gas pumps, at Shell gas station, 3900 San Pablo Ave. The Camry was occupied by two subjects, matching the description of the suspects. 41 year old Kevin Farrell I was found to be in possession of the stolen credit card. The stolen credit card was taken from a window smash auto burglary earlier today at a park in Pinole. The victim reported the auto burglary, then received the electronic notification her stolen credit card was being used at Big Lots. The victim stated her Black purse, with brown leather wallet, was stolen from her vehicle during the auto burglary. An inventory search, of the Camry, was done. The victim's purse and wallet were found inside. The suspects were arrested for Auto Burglary; Commercial Burglary (entering Big Lots with the intent to commit theft with a stolen credit card); Possession of Stolen Property; and Possession of Burglary tools. They were transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Domestic Violence – Battery: On April 5, 2016 at 2:23 p.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to a report of a possible Domestic Violence Battery, occurring within the past 10 minutes, near Hercules Ave. at Village Parkway. An anonymous caller stated they saw an African American male, driving a Black Dodge Challenger, choking or beating a female passenger. The Challenger was last seen turning onto Village Parkway towards South Wildwood. An officer located the Black Challenger in the 200 block of South Wildwood. The vehicle was occupied by a 25 year old female, who fit the general description of the driver. The driver stated she and her girlfriend had an argument, but she did not choke her girlfriend. The second party

was not at the scene. She was contacted and stated there was an argument, but no physical contact. A case was taken for documentation.

Public Works Call-Out: On April 5, 2016 at 5:30 p.m. an Officer was dispatched to Sycamore Ave. at Redwood Rd. for a report of a suspicious circumstance. The reporting party stated a truck was pulled over to the side of the curb and the driver appeared to be laying something on the ground. The Officer located the vehicle. He saw a 5 gallon bucket of epoxy resin had fallen out of the back of the truck. The driver was trying to clean it up. The Officer had to shut down the E/B Sycamore Ave. lane of traffic and call out Public Works to assist with the clean-up.

Unattended Death: On April 5, 2016, at 8:26pm, officers was dispatched to Range Ct. The Fire Department had received a call from a male stating he was having trouble breathing and might not be able to open the front door. Officer arrived on scene and the fire department forced entry through the front door. They found a 41 year old male lying on the floor in his bedroom and not breathing. Fire performed CPR. The male was pronounced deceased at 8:56pm. The male had existing medical conditions and there was no signs of foul play. The coroner was notified and he released the body to the family.

Vandalism: On April 6, 2016, at 1:16am, an officer was dispatched to the 1500 block of Swallow for a vandalism which had just occurred. The reporting party heard a noise and looked outside to see an adult female vandalizing his daughter's vehicle.