

HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

WATCH COMMANDER'S SHIFT REPORT

DATE: April 23-27, 2020

TIME: 1900-0700

DAY: Thursday - Monday

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

Strong arm Robbery: On April 23, 2020, at approximately 11:58 am, a citizen called to report there had been a strong arm robbery at Lucky located in the 1500 block of Sycamore Ave, approximately 10 minutes prior to the time of call. An officer contacted an employee and determined that a subject attempted to steal a shopping cart full of meat. The suspect, who was described as a "large Black Male Adult," approximately 6 feet tall, 400 pounds, wearing a face covering attempted to exit the store without paying. A Manager attempted to stop him and a struggle ensued. The suspect pushed the manager causing him to fall to the ground. Most of the merchandise was recovered however, the suspect was able to take a bag full of unknown items. The suspect left in a silver two door sedan that was parked in front of the store and drove away towards Refugio Valley Rd.

Theft of a Handgun: On April 23, 2020, at approximately 5:09 pm, an officer was dispatched to a residence in the 2300 block of Redwood Rd for a reported lost or stolen handgun. The victim said he is in the process of moving and noticed his firearm was missing after movers that were hired left the residence. Officers are conducting follow-up investigation.

Attempted Residential Burglary: On April 23, 2020, at approximately 8:26 pm, Officers were dispatched to a residence in the 200 block of Carson St for an attempted residential burglary that just occurred. The resident heard a loud banging sound and saw a subject (no description) running away from the front of his house. The suspect was last seen leaving in a silver Honda or Toyota vehicle. It appears the suspect attempted to force open the heavy metal front screen door by using a pry tool but was unsuccessful. An area check was conducted for the vehicle but was not located.

Hit and Run: On April 24, 2020, at approximately 12:19 am, Officers were dispatched to the area of Sycamore Ave and Willow Ave for a non-injury hit and run collision. The victim stated a dark colored SUV driven by a Black male adult collided with the rear of her vehicle while she was stopped at a red traffic signal. The suspect vehicle was last seen heading toward W/B I-80. No further information is available at this time.

Outside Assist: On April 24, 2020, at approximately 7:30 pm, CCC Sheriff's Office requested emergency assistance for a shooting that occurred in the area of Mariposa and California in Rodeo. Officers arrived on scene and assisted with securing the crime scene and crowd control.

Shoplifting: On April 25, 2020, at about 1:13 pm, officers were dispatched to Rite Aid located at 1560 Sycamore for a theft that just occurred. The suspects were described as two Black males and they were last seen driving away in a black SUV eastbound on Sycamore Ave. An Officer located the vehicle and conducted an investigative traffic enforcement stop. The driver was identified as a 31 year old male out of Richmond, and the passenger, a 24 year old male out of Richmond. An infield show up confirmed they were the suspects and the stolen merchandise was located in the vehicle. Both subjects were cited and released.

Residential Burglary: On April 25, 2020, at about 2:30 pm, an officer was dispatched to a residence in the 1100 block of Rock Harbor for the report of a residential burglary that occurred overnight. The reporting party stated that someone entered through the unlocked front door and stole an unknown amount of US currency. Nothing else was taken.

Suspicious Circumstance: On April 25, 2020, at about 5:13 pm, a female came into the police department to report that she was being followed by a subject in her neighborhood. She had a description and other related information to the suspect. It was later determined to be someone who lived in her neighborhood and it was a misunderstanding. The Officer took a case for a suspicious circumstance to document the incident.

Natural Death: On April 25, 2020, at approximately 8:03 pm, Officers were dispatched to a residence in the 100 block of Iris Ct for a non-breathing subject. Officers arrived on scene and rendered care until relieved by AMR/Fire. At about 8:45 pm, the 76 year old male was pronounced deceased. There were no signs of foul play and the coroner released the body to the family.

Stolen Vehicle: On April 26, 2020, at approximately 5:17 am, an Officer took a report for a stolen black 2019 Nissan Sentra taken from the 100 block of Hollyhock Ct. The vehicle was last seen at approximately 6:30 pm yesterday. There is no suspect information.

Domestic Battery: On April 26, 2020, at approximately 8:30 am, Officers were dispatched to the area of the 3800 block of San Pablo Avenue for a physical altercation between a Black male adult, and a Black female adult associated with a gray SUV in the parking lot. Officers arrived and located the vehicle at the south end of the parking lot near Chase Bank. Officers contacted a 29 year old male from San Francisco, and a 25 year old female from Sacramento. Both parties had minor injuries including scratches and redness. Both parties were fairly uncooperative however, the female did say the male grabbed her and held her down in the car. An independent witness said he observed the male punching the female while they were seated in the vehicle. A records check also revealed that the male had an outstanding warrant for assault held by Alameda County SO. He was determined to be the primary aggressor and was arrested for Felony Domestic Battery, and the outstanding warrant. The female declined prosecution against the male but requested an Emergency Protective Order. An on-call judge granted an EPO and the male was served before being transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Coroner's Case: On April 26, 2020, at about 7:02 pm, Officers were dispatched to a residence in the 200 block of Apollo for an outside assist for Rodeo-Hercules Fire. Dispatch advised the reporting party said they found an unresponsive female subject inside the condo. Officers arrived along with Rodeo-Hercules Fire and located a 65 year old female subject who was deceased in her master bedroom. There were no other signs of criminal activity and the cause of death appears to be self-inflicted. A Hercules PD Chaplin was called to console family who were already on-scene. The CCCSO Coroner responded and took possession of the body.