

# HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

## WATCH COMMANDER'S SHIFT REPORT

DATE: August 26-31, 2020

TIME: 0700-0700

DAY: Wed/Monday

**THE FOLLOWING CASES ONLY REFLECT A PARTIAL LIST OF ACTUAL CASES TAKEN. CALLS FOR SERVICE NOT GENERATING WRITTEN REPORTS ARE NOT USUALLY LISTED. ALL THOSE ARRESTED ARE PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY**

**Shoplifting:** On August 26, 2020 at 1:07 pm, officers were dispatched to Big Lots at 1551 Sycamore Ave. The reporting party stated that an African American, adult male and female, entered the store then selected items and left without paying. The suspects fled in a silver Chevy Impala.

**Found Property:** On August 26, 2020 at 3:58 pm, a resident brought in keys that were located at Hanna Ranch Park.

**Hit and Run:** On August 26<sup>th</sup> 2020 at approximately 7:20PM a HPD Officer took a report for a hit and run collision that occurred sometime within the last 6 days in the 100 block of Tidewater.

**Reckless Driving/Unlicensed Driver:** On August 26<sup>th</sup>2020 at approximately 11:40PM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle doing donuts. The 20 year old male driver, was determined to be unlicensed. He was cite/released from the scene.

**Found Property:** On August 26, 2020 at 11:14 am a citizen reported finding a Razor Scooter in the area of the 100 block of Mandalay Ave. The officer was not able to locate the owner of the scooter and a case was taken for found property.

**Death Investigation:** On August 27, 2020 at 2:52 pm, HPD Officers were called to a residence in the 200 block of Dartford. Paramedics were already on scene. A 34 year old female was pronounced deceased at 3:00 pm. The Coroner's Office arrived and took custody of the body.

**Death:** On August 27, 2020 at 5:01 pm, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 1500 block of Sycamore for an unresponsive 74 year old female. Fire and Police personnel conducted CPR for thirty minutes before she was pronounced deceased at 5:40 pm. The Coroner was contacted and released the subject's body to the family.

**Possession of Controlled Substance/Warrant Arrest:** On August 27<sup>th</sup> 2020 at approximately 9:13PM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop. During the course of the contact, probable cause was established to conduct a search which revealed a substance, suspected to be a narcotic. The subject was also wanted for a \$50,000 warrant, for narcotics violations, out of Napa County. The 28 year old male driver was taken into custody and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Domestic Violence** On August 27<sup>th</sup> 2020 at approximately 9:59PM HPD Officers were dispatched to a residence in the 100 block of Maritime Terrace for a 911 disconnect. Officers determined a domestic incident had occurred between the husband and his 57 year old wife.

The wife slapped her husband on the face once during an argument. The female was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Theft By False Pretenses:** On August 28, 2020 at 7:34 am, an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Coventry for a Fraud report. The victim stated that he lost a large amount of money in a scam.

**Strong Arm Robbery:** On August 28, 2020 at 1:41 pm, officers were dispatched to the 1700 block of Yosemite Ave for the report of a Robbery that had just occurred. The victim reported an African American male; approximately 20-25; years 5-8; 220 pounds; wearing a blue sweatshirt; pulled her purse from her and ran away towards John Muir Parkway.

**Possession of controlled substance:** On August 28<sup>th</sup> 2020 at approximately 9:09PM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop. Probable cause was established to conduct a search and a 25 year old male was placed under arrest for possession of suspected narcotics. He was cite/released at the scene.

**Warrant Arrest:** On August 29<sup>th</sup> 2020 at approximately 4:04AM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop. A 27 year old male was taken into custody on non-citable warrant and transported to the Martine Detention Facility.

**Identity Theft:** On August 29, 2020, at 9:52 am, an officer was dispatched to the 200 block of Starling for an identity theft report. The Victim stated someone used his name to purchase a BMW, and he received a bill stating he owed the full price of the vehicle. After further investigation, it was determined the BMW was purchased in Berkeley, and the dealership reported it as a stolen on August 19, 2020.

**Warrant Arrest:** On August 30, 2020, at approximately 10:03 am, an Officer stopped 1998, Dodge Caravan for an equipment violation. The 45 year old male driver had a misdemeanor warrant out of Alameda County. The warrant was confirmed and not citable. The subject was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Driving Under the Influence:** On August 30, 2020 at 9:09 p.m. An Officer did a traffic stop on a Black '02 Honda Accord, .6,mnbvcin the parking lot of Burger King, 836 Willow Ave., for vehicle code violations. The 25 year old male driver, of Vallejo, was found to have a suspended or revoked driver's license needing DMV proof of service. The subject displayed objective symptoms of being under the influence of alcohol. The subject was given the Standard Field Sobriety Test; and the Preliminary Alcohol Screening device indicated he was over the presumptive limit for the purposes of driving. He was arrested and was later cite released to a responsible person.

**Warrant Arrest 5X:** On August 31, 2020, at approximately 1:09 pm, an Officer contacted a 30 year old male in the 700 block of Willow Avenue. The subject had three warrants out of Napa County and two warrants out of Solano County. All the warrants were not citable. The subject was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

**Violation of Domestic Violence Protective Order:** On August 31, 2020, at approximately 5:35 pm, HPD Officers were dispatched to the 800 block of Willow for a court order violation. An Officer contacted a 47 year old female in the parking lot. She said her 46 year old ex-husband, drove up behind her car when she parked to get food from a restaurant. The male blocked her car in, and then followed her into a restaurant yelling at her. The female said she was afraid of the male. The male left the area before Officers arrived. There is a valid,

served, Domestic Violence Restraining order in the system. Officers checked the area for the male and were unable to locate him.

**Vehicle Tampering – Catalytic Converter:** On August 31, 2020 at 8:48 p.m. an Officer was dispatched to the upper parking lot of Valley Bible Church, 1477 Willow Ave., for a suspicious event. The reporting party stated there was a large object in the parking lot. An Officer located the reporting party who showed the Officer the large object. It was determined to be a catalytic converter taken from a Valley Bible Ford E-450 Van. The vehicle was parked near the Day Care Center. An unknown suspect cut the catalytic converter from the Van and left it lying on the ground. The unknown suspect may have been spooked by the reporting party during the attempted theft. The cut catalytic converter was returned to a responsible party.

**Found Property:** On August 31, 2020 at 10:25 p.m. an Officer was dispatched to the area of Refugio Valley Rd. at Partridge Dr. for a suspicious event. The Hercules resident said someone dumped some baby stuff on the corner and she was concerned a baby may have been dumped too. The Officer located a baby stroller and other related items left abandoned on the corner. The Officer didn't find any evidence indicating a baby was left abandoned. The stroller and other items were collected as found property.