

Mid-Year Budget Update

On Tuesday, March 8th, the City Council will be receiving a mid-year budget update. The City's general fund budget is tracking well at the half-way point with revenues mostly at or slightly above where they should be and expenditures in all departments at or below where they should be at this point. The mid-year budget review serves as a good touch point to ensure we are on track financially and it also serves as the launch point for the development of the proposed FY 2016/17 budget which will be considered in May and June for the fiscal year which will start July 1st.

Aventine First Occupancies

The new four story apartment building on Sycamore is quickly moving towards completion with occupancy to occur in four phases. The first apartments are expected to be welcoming their new residents by mid-April.

Business Community Roundtable

The City Council's Economic Development Subcommittee will be hosting a Business Community Roundtable on Wednesday, March 9th at 4PM with the target audience being small businesses here in Hercules. The Roundtable will take place in the City Council Chambers.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Building Inspection Division

	Feb 12 thru Feb 26, 16	FY 2015/16 YTD
Number of the permits issued:	18	444
Total Fee Collected:	\$5,695.51	\$217,980.34
Number of Inspections:	15	233
New Housing:	0	0

Planning Division

Progress on Alexandria by the Bay by City Ventures

Forty-three homes have been completed within the newest subdivision and 1 home anticipated to be complete within a few weeks. Once all homes are completed, Gardenia Loop will be slurry sealed, a new design enhancement will be put in place at the entryway into the subdivision, and all landscaping, ponding basin, and playground will be inspected. It is anticipated that all work will be complete by the end of March, weather permitting.

Progress on Muir Point 144 Home Subdivision by Taylor Morrison Builders

The master house plan construction drawings are being reviewed by Contra Costa County Building Division. Additionally, the Final Map has been reviewed in coordination with City Engineering and should be presented to City Council in the month of March for acceptance and recordation.

Progress on Chelsea by the Bay Wetland Project near Sante Fe and Railroad Avenues

Several years ago the City embarked on a project called the “Chelsea Wetlands Project” which would turn an existing partial wetland area into a tidal march with daily water flows matching the tides. Duck’s Unlimited has partnered with the City to do most of the ground work necessary to bring the project into being. Staff has recently received a commitment from PG&E to donate a necessary piece of property within the wetland that is needed in order to accommodate a new 12’ wide connection from the existing wetlands into the Pinole Creek. Staff has completed most of the necessary paperwork to take the Donation Agreement to City Council to accept the donation of land per the draft agreement. Additionally, City staff has reviewed the Section 404 permit application prepared by Ducks Unlimited and submitted to the Army Corps of Engineers for processing review. Depending upon the amount of time it takes outside agencies to issue permits, it is hoped the project construction can begin in Fall 2016. Lastly, Duck’s Unlimited has been successful in getting an extension on the grant funds given the various project delays.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



Public Works Employees Mark Botin and Efren Telmo convert a pathway light at City Hall to energy efficient LED.

Maintenance & Operations – Staff completed their regularly scheduled custodial 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, continue to retrofit City Hall and Senior Center outdoor lighting to energy saving LEDs, are rebuilding 2 Heritage garden signs, and are working with PG&E to resolve power issues to street lights on John Muir Parkway. They also oversaw the traffic striping on Refugio Valley Road, Lupine, Redwood, and Sycamore Avenue.

Engineering – Staff is focusing on the project financing and grant administration. The contractor for the Path to Transit plans to install the new sewer line in Bayfront over the next month, weather

permitting, which will require some traffic detouring. The Bay Trail West segment is under design and slated for construction Summer 2017. The developer for the Muir Pointe residential development is now installing the underground utilities. The \$46M Pinole-Hercules Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade Project continues to progress. Pinole will be considering award later this month in March. Staff from Pinole and Hercules are currently working with the State Water Resources Control Board to secure the loans to fund the project. 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 while construction has begun on the public improvements for Aventine.

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!

Upcoming Events!

Egg Hunt Eggstravaganza – Saturday, March 26, from 10:00am-1:00pm, at the Foxboro Center. Tickets are \$7.00 before March 24, and \$10.00 the day of the event.

Rec Expo – Saturday, April 30, from 10:00am-2:00pm, at the Hercules Community/Swim Center. Learn about new programs and activities and get a jump start on Summer registration!

Community Clean Up Day – Saturday, May 7, from 8:00am-11:00am at the City Corp Yard, 1000 Sycamore Avenue. Event is free to Hercules residents – dumpsters available to drop off outdoor trash, yard clippings, tree limbs, small appliances, furniture, and E-waste including fluorescent light bulbs and batteries.

Volunteers needed for Community Clean Up Day! The City needs 140+ volunteers to assist with this free event for our residents. To sign up to be a volunteer or to sign up your nonprofit group, contact Allie Ikeda at aikeda@ci.hercules.ca.us or (510) 799-8291. Volunteer shifts are from 7:30am-11:30am, or until cleaned up, on May 7. Volunteers needed onsite at the Corp Yard and for clean-up in City parks.

There is 1 full color glossy advertising page available in our Summer 2016 Activity Guide. Promote your business in our brochure that will be direct mailed to 4,000+ households and businesses in Hercules. Contact Vanessa Flores via [email](#) or at (510) 799-8291 for more information.

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

Now hiring for Swim Instructors, Lifeguards, Sports Camps, and Facility Attendants. Come be a part of our great Parks & Rec team. Apply [online](#) today!

ZUMBA Update: We are in the process of bringing on new Zumba instructors to continue our popular classes. Past participants will be notified via email as soon as we can resume classes.

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.

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.

HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

Reward for Person(s) Responsible for Placing Tacks in Ohlone Dog Park

The organization People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) has graciously offered to sponsor a \$1,000 reward regarding the incidents of tacks being placed in the Ohlone Dog Park.

On January 30, and February 6, 2016 citizens reported finding tacks in the Ohlone Dog Park, located at 109 Turquoise Drive, Hercules, CA. The reporting parties collected over 400 tacks (the "thumb tack" variety) and turned them over to the officer. There is no suspect information at this time.

PETA's reward is being offered for information leading to the arrest, and conviction, of the suspect(s) responsible for the incidents. It is PETA's hope their offer will encourage responsible citizens to come forward and provide the information needed to stop the person(s) who is threatening the wellbeing of the animal, and the human, community using the Ohlone Dog Park.

Persons with information should call the Hercules Police Department, 510-799-8260. After the suspect(s) is arrested, and convicted, the person making the tip can call PETA to make the claim for the reward. PETA will dispense the reward after verifying the claim through the Police Department and the District Attorney's Office.

Patrol & Investigations Priority Calls

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

Identity Theft: On February 16, 2016 at 9:49 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail to take an identity theft report. The reporting party said she received notices, in the mail, from Nordstrom's and Victoria Secret stating she had opened credit accounts (in store) at the San Francisco locations. The reporting party did not personally open those two credit accounts, nor authorize anyone to do so.

Found Property: On February 16, 2016 at 1:36 p.m., an Officer handled a lobby detail regarding

found property. A citizen turned in a Wells Fargo Debit Card found lying on the ground on Hercules Avenue near Skelly Way. No local contacts or information was found for the owner. The debit card was entered into Evidence for Safekeeping.

Vandalism/Theft: On February 16, 2016, at approximately 2:44 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the Swim Center for the report of a vandalized vending machine. Sometime between Friday, February 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. and February 16, 2016 at 2:30 p.m. someone jumped over the fence into the swimming pool area. They broke open a vending machine and badly damaged it. The cash box was removed and the money was taken.

Misdemeanor warrant arrest: February 16, 2016 6:55 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to Rite Aid for a suspicious subject. The officer contacted 30 year old Brandon Smith, of Hercules. Smith was found to have an outstanding citable misdemeanor warrant. Smith was given a new court date and cited out on scene.

Residential Burglary: February 16, 2016 6:52 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Lotus Court for residential burglary. The reporting party stated he and his wife left the residence at 5:45 a.m. and returned at 6:50 p.m. They entered the residence through the front door and noticed one of their cats was not inside the house. They checked the house and found the rear sliding glass door unlocked. The reporting party was sure the door he locked the door when he left. The exterior patio room door screen was cut allowing a suspect to reach inside and unlock the door. No items appeared to be missing from the residence.

Vandalism to vehicle: On February 16, 2016 at 7:47 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 1000 block of Lavender Place for vandalism to vehicle. The reporting party said he parked, and locked, his vehicle on Saturday, February 13 at 11:30 p.m. He discovered his vehicle window broken today at 7:47 p.m. The rear window of his 99 Honda Accord was broken by a long piece of wood which was found lying on the trunk of the vehicle

Identity theft: on February 16, 2016 at 8:11 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 200 block of Pepperwood for an identity theft report. The reporting party stated an unknown subject used his Discover card to purchase airline tickets. The total cost was over \$3,000. The first two flights were booked on February 11, and included a Los Angeles to Atlanta flight; and Atlanta to Jacksonville. The return flights are booked for February 18. The purchases were made through Triple A on February 10, 2016.

Stolen Vehicle: On February 17, 2016 at 7:08 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 200 block of Sparrow for a report of a stolen vehicle. The reporting party last saw her 2002 Jeep Cherokee parked in front of his house on February 16, 2016 at 8:30 p.m. When she came out this morning the vehicle was gone.

Recovered Stolen Vehicle (Unoccupied): On February 17, 2016 at 11:05 a.m., and Officer located a reported stolen 2001 Kia Sportage in the 100 block of Bristol. The Kia was reported stolen to Richmond PD on February 16, 2016 at 9:30 p.m. The vehicle was returned to the owner.

Residential Burglary: On February 17, 2016, at about 7:24 p.m., Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Beechnut Drive for the report of a residential burglary. The reporting party stated she

is house sitting for the owner of the house. She stated sometime between 9:00 a.m. and 7:24 p.m. today, an unknown subject entered the residence and ransacked the master bedroom. A ladder was located in the backyard and the screen to the upstairs master bedroom was found in the swimming pool.

Found Property: On February 18, 2016 at 1:00 p.m., a Citizen turned in a brown tri-folder with two California identification cards inside. The folder was found near Foxboro Park. The folder and its contents were logged into evidence as found property at HPD.

Stolen Vehicle: On February 18, 2016 at 4:57 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 1000 block of Crepe Myrtle for a report of a stolen vehicle. The reporting party last saw his '99 Tan Altima, parked in front of his house, about a month ago. The reporting party thought his vehicle was towed because the registration was outdated, until he received a toll violation in the mail. The vehicle was entered into the Stolen Vehicle System.

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol: On February 18, 2016, at about 9:27 p.m., an Officer was stopped at the intersection of Beechnut and Redwood Road. He observed a 1998 Dodge Durango, traveling at a speed in excess of 50 mph, northbound on Redwood Road. The Officer stopped the vehicle for a speed violation and a false registration tab. The driver, 33 year old Tedros Yohannes of Hercules, showed obvious symptoms of intoxication. There were also several bottles of alcohol in plain view. Yohannes was administered the Standard Field Sobriety Test. The Preliminary Alcohol Testing device indicated Yohannes was over the presumptive level for the purposes of driving. Yohannes was placed under arrest for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. He was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Identity theft: On 2/19/16 at 12:12 p.m., a Hercules resident reported that she was a victim of ID theft. A large amount of cash was withdrawn from her B of A account without her permission.

Warrant arrest: On 2/19/16 at 4:12 p.m., an Officer observed an occupied black Ford Explorer, with no license plates, had spun out into the wet mud at the WB-80 onramp from Willow. One of the passengers, 38 year old Tiffany Smith, of Vallejo, had a no cite Solano County misdemeanor warrant. Smith was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility. The Ford was dislodged from the mud, by Freeway Service Patrol, and parked at the parking in the 800 block of Willow. The 29 year old female driver of Berkeley, and her two children, were given courtesy rides to Burger King.

Auto Burglary: On February 19, 2016, at about 9:43 p.m., an Officer responded to a residence in the 100 block of Marsala Court for a reported auto burglary. The victim stated she last saw her 2007 Hummer, undisturbed, parked in the parking lot in front of her residence at about 9 a.m. this morning. At about 9:43 p.m., she discovered that the front passenger side window shattered, but was still intact. The rear driver side cargo area window was shattered. The loss was a back pack, and electronics.

Residential Burglary: On February 20, 2016, at about 12:10 a.m., an Officer responded to a residence in the 100 block of Beryl Court for a reported burglary. The victim said she left her residence at about 9:45 a.m. this morning and returned at about 9 p.m. and saw that the living room window was broken and the residence had been ransacked. The items taken include electronics,

cash, and jewelry.

Battery: On February 20, 2016 at 11:49 a.m., Officers were dispatched to the 1600 block of Sycamore on a report a man had punched a woman. Officers contacted a 39 year old female reporting party, of Rodeo. Officer also contacted a 60 year old male, of Rodeo, who was the reported suspect in the incident. The female was visibly upset. She stated the male had punched her on her left shoulder, with his fist, after she got into a verbal argument with male's wife. The incident occurred inside the post office. The male said he only touch the female's shoulder to try and clam her down. There were no witness located that saw the incident. The reporting party had no visible injuries and declined medical.

Battery: On February 20, 2016 at 2:44 p.m., Officers were dispatched to the 200 block of Skelly for a report of an assault. The reporting party was gone when officers arrived. He was contacted by phone and declined to come back to the scene. He said he would come to HPD when he could. The other party was at the scene. He said there was an argument but no punches landed. Deposition pending contact with the reporting party.

Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol: On February 21, 2016, at about 2:25 a.m., an Officer initiated a traffic stop, on a 2016 Volkswagen, at I-80 EB at the Cummings Skyway off ramp for a speed violation. The driver, 22 year old Sofia Perez-Leon of Richmond, displayed objective symptoms of being under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. Perez-Leon was administered the Standard Field Sobriety Test. The Preliminary Alcohol Screening device indicated she was over the presumptive limit for the purposes of driving. She was placed under arrest for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. .She was later cited and released to a responsible party.

Missing Person – Silver Alert Activation: On February 21, 2016 at 9:33 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Grissom Street to take a missing person's report. The reporting party reported his 89 year old Father as a missing person (MP). The MP was last seen leaving a family member's home, in Brentwood, yesterday at 2:50 p.m. The MP was driving an off White '86 Oldsmobile Station Wagon. He was possibly in-route to an unknown location in Antioch. The family has not heard from the MP and he doesn't have a cell phone. The MP reportedly had some existing medical conditions. The officer put out an area wide bulletin and contacted CHP for a Silver Alert activation. At 2:01 p.m. CHP activated the Silver Alert for seven counties. At 5:20 p.m. the Police Department was notified the MP returned.

Warrant Arrest: On February 23, 2016 at 8:11 a.m., an Officer did a traffic stop, at the Shell gas station, for speeding. The driver, 23 year old Jehad Zakot of Hercules, was found to have a suspended or revoked driver's license. Zakot also had an outstanding Misdemeanor cite releasable Warrant, out of Sonoma County Sheriff's Office, issued on 02/19/2016. Zakot was cited and released on the Warrant.

Theft by False Pretense: On February 23, 2016, at 2:04 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to HPD for a lobby detail regarding a fraudulent vehicle purchase. The victim said he attempted to purchase a vehicle (2003 Honda) from Craigslist. The victim communicated with the seller via email and text. The victim sent the agreed amount, via money gram, to Oklahoma City, OK. The vehicle was supposed to be shipped, free of charge, to Hercules, but it never arrived. The victim was given a phone number for "Ebay buyer protection" but when called the person hung up on

him. Investigation revealed the phone number was just registered to a carrier, and the names and addresses were fraudulent.

Hit and Run vehicle collision: On February 24, 2016 at 9:03 a.m., a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding a hit and run to a parked vehicle. The reporting party lives in the 100 block of Decatur Ct. He stated on February 4, 2016 at 8:00 a.m. he noticed new collision damage to the left front quarter panel/bumper of his Black '14 Toyota Prius.

Theft by False Pretenses: On February 24, 2016 at 9:35 a.m., a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding a theft by false pretenses. The reporting party stated on February 5, 2016 she applied, online, to be a mystery shopper. She received a money order, in the mail, for \$990.00 and was instructed to cash the money order using her bank account. The victim was then told to send the money to another party via Western Union. The victim sent the money and later learned the money order was fraudulent and the money she deposited was withdrawn from her account. Further her account now has a negative balance. The victim believes the unknown suspect gained access to her checking account and money after she sent the money via Western Union.

CRIME PREVENTION TIP: *This type of fraud is very prevalent with people applying, on line, for Mystery Shoppers, at Home Sales, etc. The scammers send the victim a money order, check, or even a cashier's check. The victim is instructed to put the money in their bank account. Then the victim is told to send all, or part of the money back to the sender, or another party. The money conveyances look real, but are often counterfeit. Before you send any money, make sure the check, or money order has cleared the bank. Anytime someone wants you to send their money back, or to someone else, it should be a red flag.*

Hit and Run vehicle collision: On February 24, 2016 at 10:24 a.m., a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding a hit and run to a parked vehicle. The reporting party stated she was visiting a friend here in the 300 block of Scotts Valley. She parked her car on February 21, 2016. When she returned to her car on February 23, 2016 she noticed new collision damage to the left front quarter panel.

Auto Burglary x 2: On February 24, 2016 at 12:49 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail to take an auto burglary report. The reporting party lives in the 2200 block of Forest Run. She stated her Tan '94 Honda Accord has been the victim of two recent auto burglaries. On February 2, 2016 the reporting party found the trunk open and her two front doors unlocked. A number of miscellaneous items were taken. She did not report this Burglary to HPD, only to her HOA. On February 24, 2016 at 10:30 a.m. The reporting party found her driver's side door open ajar. The two front doors were again found unlocked. Boyle found a number of items missing from the interior.

Harassing Phone Calls/IRS Scam: On February 24, 2016, at 2:00 p.m., a male called Hercules Police Department, main office, using profane language with the civilian call takers. The male had an accent, and called approximately 15 times. The phone number came back to a resident in Pinole. Officers contacted the person to whom the phone number belonged (victim). The victim did not have an accent and his voice did not match the caller. The victim said he has received numerous calls, today, from a male with a heavy accent. The male said he was with the IRS and the victim owed the IRS a lot of money. The caller told the victim he was going to send Police

Officers to his house to arrest him if he did not pay money. The suspect spoofed the victim's cell phone number and used the number to call the Hercules Police Department. The Police Department was harassed in an attempt to get Officers to actually go to the victim's house and scare him into paying.

CRIME PREVENTION TIP: *This appears to be another version of the IRS Scam. Citizens should know the IRS **DOES NOT** phone people when they owe taxes. They certainly do not ask you to pay your back taxes with a pre-paid cash card, or by sending a money-gram. The IRS scammer often tries to intimidate their victim's by telling them there is a warrant out for the victim's arrest; the police are on their way to arrest the victim; or the Child Protective Services is going to take the victim's children away. **THIS IS NOT THE PRACTICE OF THE IRS.** The scammer is trying to scare the victim into paying money they do not owe.*

Court Order Violation: On February 24, 2016, at about 8:50 p.m., Officers were dispatched to a residence in the 1200 block of Willow Avenue for an unwanted, and restrained, 29 year old male. It was confirmed there was a valid court order on file requiring the male to stay 100 yards away from the protected/ reporting party. Shane Jackson was placed under arrest for being in violation of the court order and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Theft of Catalytic Converter: On February 25, 2016, at about 5:04 a.m., an Officer took a report that was submitted on-line for a theft of a catalytic converter. The incident occurred in the 1300 block of Willow Avenue (the BART lot). The victim said he parked his 2002 gold Toyota Tacoma in the lot at about 8:00 pm Thursday last night. When he returned about an hour later, he saw that Catalytic converter was missing.

Auto Burglar: On February 25, 2016, at about 5:45 a.m., an Officer responded to a report of an auto burglary in the 100 block of Stone Pine Court. The victim said his 2003 Toyota Camry, parked in front of his residence, was burglarized sometime between 2/24/16 at 6:01 pm and 2/25/16 at 5:39 a.m. Taken was a set of Calloway golf clubs.

No Trespassing Signs Posted at Hercules Point: *The point of land, just West of Bay Front, is known as Hercules Point; and is owned by the City of Hercules. This area has been used as a fishing spot; and recently has been used by transients to set up illegal camp sites. As of February 25, 2016 formal "NO TRESPASSING" signs have been posted for the entire Hercules Point area. Violators will be issued a citation.*

Auto Burglary: On February 25, 2016 at 7:09 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 1000 block of White Birch Cove for a report of an auto burglary. The reporting party parked her locked vehicle, in the driveway, last night at about 6:00 p.m. This morning, she saw that the trunk and driver door of her vehicle were ajar. The vehicle had been ransacked. Miscellaneous items were stolen.

Battery: On February 25, 2016 a Hercules School Resource Officer responded to the 100 block of Driftwood Cove to interview a victim of an assault. The 14 year old Hercules Middle High School student reported being assaulted, on campus, yesterday by another 14 year student.

Identity Theft: On February 25, 2016 at 2:03 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 200 block of

Ben Lomond for a report of identity theft.

Stolen Vehicle: On February 26, 2016, at about 6:21 a.m., an Officer responded to a residence in the 100 block of Paradise Drive for a reported stolen black 4DR 1990 Honda Civic. The vehicle was taken between midnight and the time of call.

Found Property: On February 26, 2016, at about 6:21 a.m., an Officer was investigating the above incident. The officer found a gray Murray's men's bicycle, and a pair of red bolt cutters in the area where the vehicle was stolen. It is unknown if these items were associated with the vehicle theft. Both items were taken and entered into safekeeping.

Theft: On February 26, 2016 at 2:14 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to Valley Bible Church for a report of a theft. The reporting party said, sometime between 8:00 a.m. yesterday and 12:00 p.m. today, an unknown suspect stole the church's portable hot dog cart.

Traffic Collision: On February 27, 2016, at about 3:27 a.m., an Officer responded to the area of Hercules Avenue and Titan for a reported collision between a 2008 GMC and a parked vehicle. An exchange of information was completed.

Auto Burglary: On February 27, 2016 at 3:07 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to 3500 Franklin Canyon Road regarding an auto burglary. The report was second hand information from an employee. The officer located a Toyota Highlander with the rear passenger side window shattered. Attempts were made to contact the owner, or driver, with negative results. A note was left, on the vehicle, to contact HPD. As of 7:00 p.m., the owner/driver of the Highlander had not made contact.

Drunk in Public: On February 27, 2016, at 8:30 p.m. hours, Officers were dispatched, to the area Shell, for a report of a vehicle speeding and hitting a curb. Officers located the vehicle parked in the #2 lane of Sycamore Avenue, just east of Willow Avenue Three adult male subjects were standing on the sidewalk next to the vehicle. Officers could not determine who driving at the time of the incident. Two of the males displayed obvious signs of intoxication. 44 year old Johnny Smith, of Albany; and 28 year old William Carter, of Vallejo, were arrested for being drunk in public. Both males were transported to the Martinez Detention Facility. The third subject was released at the scene.

Driving under the influence of alcohol/ under 21: On February 27, 2016, at 11:39 p.m. hours, an Officer made a traffic stop on vehicle for running a red light. The 17 year old male driver, of Richmond, displayed signs of intoxication. He was arrested for a Minor Driving under the Influence of Alcohol. He was cited, and released to a responsible adult.

Driving Under the Influence: On February 28, 2016 at 1:06 p.m., an Officer conducted a traffic stop in the 2000 block of Refugio Valley Road. The driver, 68 year old Jacqueline Ann Cook of Albany, was determined to be driving a suspended license. During the contact, the officer suspected Cook was intoxicated. Limited Standard Field Sobriety Tests were administered due to Cooks complaints of physical pain. Cook was arrested for Driving under the Influence of Alcohol. She was cited and released to a responsible party.

Auto Burglary: On February 28, 2016 at 8:06 p.m., a Resident from the 100 block of Hawk Court reported an unknown person shattered one of his van's windows. The incident occurred between

7:00 PM and the time of call. The suspect stole a backpack containing electronic items.

Auto Burglary: On February 28, 2016 at 8:57 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the corner of Bobolink and Hawk Court for a report of two suitcases on the curb. The officer located a Nissan, in the 200 block of Bobolink, with a rear window shattered. The suspect removed the two empty suitcases and left them on the curb. The vehicle owner said she parked, and locked, her Nissan in front of her residence at 6:00 p.m.

Suspended Driver/Providing False Name to Peace Officer: On February 29, 2016, at approximately 10:29 a.m., an Officer stopped a yellow GMC box truck, on O'Neil Circle, for expired registration. The driver gave a name which could not be verified. He was identified, by the use of a finger print scanner, as 49 year old-Eleuterio DelacruzGarcia of Oakland. He had a suspended driver's license. DelacruzGarcia initially gave the false name because his driver's license was suspended and he did not want to get in trouble. DelacruzGarcia was issued a citation for driving with a suspended driver's license, and giving a false name.

Mail Theft: On February 29, 2016, at approximately 10:57 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of South Shelter for a report of mail theft. The victim showed the officer a surveillance video. The video showed, at approximately 9:01 a.m., a newer model possibly 2015, charcoal gray four door with a hatch back drove by the front of the residence. The vehicle looked like possibly a Honda Fit or Toyota Prius. The vehicle drove out of view, and subsequently came back into view driving the opposite direction. The driver, who appeared to be an unknown race male wearing a dark colored hooded sweat shirt, drove directly next to the victim's mailbox, opened it, and took a letter from the mailbox. The vehicle then drove away. The driver never got out of the vehicle. The video did not show the license plate of the vehicle or a better description of the suspect.



The victim said he put a letter in his mail box at approximately 8:00 a.m., and he put the red flag up on the mailbox to let the postal employee know there was mail to go out inside the mail box.

CRIME PREVENTION TIP: Do not leave letters, to be mailed, in your mail box. The red flag not only alerts the mail man, of the mail, it also alerts crooks. Mail all your letters at the post office, or a regulation mail box. It is also suggested residents have locking mail boxes.

Disturbing the Peace on School Grounds: HPD officers were dispatched to Ohlone Elementary School for a disturbance between a teacher and a parent. The parent reportedly used some offensive language, towards the teacher, while the children were present. The teacher wanted to press charges and signed a Complainant's Arrest Form for Disturbing the Peace on school grounds.

Misdemeanor warrant arrest X 2: On February 29, 2016 at 7:33 p.m., Officers were dispatched

to the 100 block of Maritime Terrace for a civil standby. Officers determined, one of the parties, 24 year old Yahuaca, Xochici had two out of County misdemeanor warrants. One held by Madera County and the other by Tulare County. Yahuaca was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Vandalism: On February 29, 2016 at 9:15 p.m., a Resident from the 300 block of Sorrento Court reported her vehicle was vandalized. The officer located the gray TOYOTA SOLARA LP, with two broken driver side windows, on Miramar near Palermo Ct. Nothing appeared to be disturbed inside the vehicle. The vandalism occurred sometime between 6:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Misdemeanor warrant arrest: On February 29, 2016 at 10:42 p.m., an Officer made a traffic stop in the 700 block of Willow Avenue. The driver, 47 year old Mirenda Milliams of Vallejo, had an outstanding Misdemeanor no bail warrant. Williams was arrested and transported to The Martinez Detention Facility.

Stolen License Plate: On March 1, 2016 at 11:05 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to 900 Alfred Nobel Drive to take a report for a stolen front license plate. The reporting party said an unknown suspect stole a front license plate from his White '98 Ford F800 box truck which was parked at his business. Another license plate was found attached to the front of the box truck. The theft of the front license plate occurred sometime in the past year. They were unable to give a more specific time frame.

Outside Assist: On March 1, 2016 at 1:52 p.m., Pinole P.D. responded to Domestic Violence incident, which had just occurred, in the 700 block of San Pablo Avenue. Pinole P.D. requested a Spanish speaking Officer from Hercules P.D. to assist with translating for the victim. As the Officer was interviewing the victim the male suspect returned. The Pinole, and Hercules, Officer pursued the suspect on foot and apprehended him a short distance from the apartment. The Hercules Officer assisted Pinole P.D. with translating during their interview of the suspect.

Hit and Run vehicle collision causing injury (Late Reported): On March 1, 2016 at 2:34 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail to take a late reported hit and run vehicle collision report. The reporting party said on February 25, 2016, at 11:30 p.m., he was riding his Red/White '00 Honda 650R dirt bike E/B Refugio Valley Road. He turned into the entrance to Hercules High School to check on his headlight. As he slowed, to make the right turn, he was hit from behind by a Red colored unknown make/model vehicle. He was thrown approximately 30 feet from his dirt bike into the intersection. The suspect vehicle made no attempt to stop or to render him aid. He last saw the suspect vehicle driving E/B Refugio Valley Road. The reporting party never saw the driver. The reporting party sustained injuries to his back and arms. However, he has not sought medical aid.

Identity Theft (BobCop): On March 1, 2016 at 5:00 p.m., a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding an identity theft. The Hercules resident stated he recently learned an unknown suspect requested a copy of his 2015 year IRS transcripts without his consent or knowledge.

Identity Theft (BobCop): On March 1, 2016 at 5:11 p.m., a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding an identity theft. The Hercules resident stated that on 02/16/16 she received a notice, in the mail, from the IRS advising her an unknown suspect tried to open an online services

account using her name and personal identifying information.

Identity Theft (BobCop): On March 1, 2016 at 5:25 p.m., a Supervisor handled an online police report regarding an identity theft. A Hercules resident stated that on 02/16/16 he received a notice, in the mail, from the IRS advising him an unknown suspect tried to open an online services account using his name and personal identifying information. This reporting party lives at the same address has the above victim.

Vandalism: On March 2, 2016 at 2:52 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the parking lot of 2000 Refugio Valley Road for a report of an auto burglary. The officer contacted the reporting party and determined a vandalism had occurred, and not a burglary. Sometime between 9:00 a.m. and 2:45 p.m today, and unknown suspect shattered the rear windshield of the RP/V's blue 2013 Hyundai Sonata. No entry was made into the vehicle.

Residential Burglary: On March 2, 2016 at 6:02 p.m., an Officer were dispatched to the 2100 block of Pheasant regarding an alarm activation. Upon arrival, officers located a shattered rear slider door. The only items confirmed stolen at this time is jewelry.

WC SHIFT STATS

Date: 02/18/16-03/02/15

CALLS FOR SERVICE	737
REPORTS	75
TRAFFIC CITES	30
PARKING CITES	20
ADULT ARRESTS	12
JUVENILE ARRESTS	0
ARSONS	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTS	0
HATE CRIMES	0
TOWED VEHICLES	13
PART 1 TOTAL	150

PART 1 CRIMES BROKEN DOWN	----
HOMICIDE	0
RAPE	0
ROBBERY	0
ASSAULT	3
BURGLARY	7
LARCENY	10
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	3

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.*

Planning Commission Meeting

Date: 3/7/2016 7:00 PM

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

City Council Meeting

Date: 3/8/2016 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

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

Economic Development Subcommittee Meeting

Date: 3/9/2016 4:00 PM

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

Community and Library Services Commission

Date: 3/14/2016 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

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

Planning Commission Meeting

Date: 3/21/2016 7:00 PM

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

City Council Meeting

Date: 3/22/2016 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

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

Finance Commission

Date: 3/28/2016 7:00 PM

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