



Monthly Statistical Report



Officers Participated in the Summer Reading Program at Hoquiam Library on July 11th

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HOQUIAM POLICE DEPARTMENT

215 Tenth Street, Hoquiam Washington 98550

Jeff Myers, Chief of Police

MONTHLY REPORT for July 2013

By: Deputy Chief Don Wertanen

POLICE ACTIVITY:

- The department handled 1419 law incidents for the month, issued 53 infractions, 16 criminal traffic citations, 26 criminal citations, 23 parking infractions and made 119 criminal arrests.
- During the month, Animal Control Officer Bob Hill handled 103 “animal problem” complaints, 38 abandoned vehicles, 3 code enforcement issues and 59 parking complaints; 39 animals were impounded.
- **On 07-15-13** at about 1825 hours, officers responded to a burglary complaint in the 1100 block of Washington Avenue where over \$8,000 in jewelry was stolen. The investigation revealed a 26 year-old Aberdeen man and 19 year-old Aberdeen woman had pawned the items at Bryan and Sons Jewelry in Aberdeen. The case is still under investigation with charges pending on the two suspects for trafficking in stolen property.
- **On 07-18-13** at about 1530 hours, officers were dispatched to the area of the 300 block of Lincoln Street for a report of a fight involving a knife. Officers arrived in the area and were advised the male suspect had run into an abandoned building along the river. Officers searched the building and located the suspect standing on a very unstable dock over the water. The male was very uncooperative and screaming. As the officers attempted to arrest him for trespassing, the suspect began to fight vigorously with the officers, grabbing at their duty belts and Det. Blundred’s tie, nearly choking him. The 24 year-old Aberdeen man was eventually subdued and booked into the city jail for two counts Assault 3rd Degree, Resisting Arrest and Trespassing. Drugs are believed a contributing factor in the suspect’s actions. While in custody at the city jail, the suspect became disorderly and again fought with officers in the jail area. The suspect was taken to court on 07-29-13 where he pled guilty to Resisting Arrest and Trespassing. He is under review for the felony assault charges.
- **On 07-20-13** at about 2253 hours, an officer saw a small pick-up traveling the wrong way over the Simpson Avenue bridge and advised other units in the area. An officer located a small pick-up parked in the 200 block of 10th Street. As he approached the vehicle he saw a female squatting by the front of the vehicle urinating in the street. The officer contacted the female who was very intoxicated and could not communicate with officers. Since it was not possible to determine if she was the driver, the 23 year-old Aberdeen woman was arrested for Disorderly Conduct and taken to the city jail.
- **On 07-21-13** at about 1056 hours, officers responded to a vehicle prowl complaint in the 1100 block of Wheeler Avenue. It was reported two engine blocks and a specialty vehicle radiator had been stolen from the residence the day prior. Unknowingly the suspect, a 22 year-old Hoquiam man, tried to sell the radiator to the nephew of the victim. At this time charges have been filed with the Grays Harbor Prosecutor’s Office for Trafficking Stolen Property in the First Degree. Detectives are still trying to locate the engine blocks.

- **On 07-21-13** at about 2140 hours, officers were dispatched to the 500 block of Levee Street for an unknown details traffic accident. When they arrived they located a silver mid-size sedan facing north on Levee street. The vehicle had extensive front end damage with the right front wheel completely torn off. Officers contacted the driver, a 25 year-old Neilton man, who tried to give several different stories as to how the accident happened. While talking with the driver it became obvious the subject had been consuming alcohol. Also officers were able to determine the vehicle had struck the east end of the Riverside Bridge and traveled all the way across the bridge along the north sidewalk before coming to rest on Levee Street. The man was subsequently arrested for DUI and taken to the station for processing. He was later released to a sober/responsible adult.
- **On 07-24-13** at about 0938 hours, officers responded to an apartment in the 500 block of 9th Street which had been unfit to inhabit. The city building inspector was on scene and believed there were subjects in the apartment. Officers entered and contacted a 27 year-old Hoquiam man and 20 year-old Hoquiam woman; both are known to officers as transients and drugs abusers. The two subjects were arrested for trespass. The male was also arrested for possession of drugs (heroin). Both of the subjects had valid warrants for their arrest through Grays Harbor County and were booked into the county jail. The location is being abated by the Building Department as it has been a constant location of drug offenders and other problems.

BUDGET:

- For the month, **212.75 hours** of overtime was expended for patrol as listed below.

Patrol Coverage	85.5 hours	Shift Extension	14.25 hours
Training	58 hours	Court	23 hours
Investigations	32 hours		

Overtime expended for the month that was not under patrol or investigations above:

Administration	25 hours	(Administrative Assistant)
Police Services	84 hours	(Jail Coverage)
Drug Task Force	26 hours	(DTF Detective)

PERSONNEL:

- Police Services Officer Noffsinger was injured during an off duty exercise session which resulted in a broken hip. He will be out of service for several weeks to recover. His shift is being filled by Temporary Correction Officers and our Police Services Officers.
- Chief Myers and the sergeants attended a one-day training session at CJTC regarding officer involved shooting investigations.
- Department members attended Defensive Tactics training which was instructed by Officer Blodgett who is a State Certified Master Instructor. The topics covered in this session were ground fighting and team arrests. The training was held on two days so both patrol teams could attend.
- Detective Blundred attend an 8-hour training course for Negotiators held at the Aberdeen Police Department. This is on-going training he needs to keep current on different negotiating techniques.
- Department members participated in the summer reading program at Timberland Library. They read stories to children and visited with them answering questions about police work.
- Anniversaries this month included A.A. Candi Wertanen at 27 years with the department and Officer Gary Bryant with 12 years. Both are valued employees and great assets to the department and city.

FACILITY:

- A new 30 pound capacity washer was purchased to replace the 20 pound washer we had purchased for the jail. Since the old washer was incorrectly installed and did not run properly. We also discovered it was too small for our needs. The new unit should be installed very soon.
- A new freezer was purchased from Ace Hardware for extra storage of jail food.
- A dogwood tree was donated by Crime Watch and planted in the side yard of the station in memory of "Enno". A marker was donated by Harbor Monument commemorating "Enno's" service.

VOLUNTEERS:

- For the month, CRIME WATCH members volunteered a total of 190.75 hours of service, which included residence and business checks. Crime Watch volunteers also assisted with the McCleary Bear festival this year. Crime Watch held their annual barbeque at Betsy Sidel's house. The members received awards for the hours they have severed the community; Mike Stamon with 500-hours and Ken and Gayle Powell with 1000-hours each.
- For the month, the Hoquiam Police Explorer Post logged a total of 103.5 hours, which was a combination of patrolling with officers and meetings.

STATISTICAL REPORTS:

The following statistical reports encompass police activity for the month. The first statistical report titled "Law Incident Analysis, Time Reported" is a summary of each law incident by the day of the week and by the time of day.

The second statistical report is a listing of "Law Total Incident Report, by Location Code". The three general areas of the city are designated by location codes: HPD Baker 6 is defined as the east end, HPD Baker 7 is the downtown area and west to the high school, and HPD Baker 8 is the north end of town from Emerson Avenue. Any location codes that are outside of the city were likely generated as a result of phone call requests to the station, traffic safety patrols or agency assists.

The third statistical report, "Total Law Incident Report, by Nature of Incident" shows the total for each of the basic law incident types handled by the department.

The final two monthly reports included in this packet are "Total Traffic Citation Report, by Violation" and "Total Offense Report, By Statute Description". The first report lists the specific infraction or criminal charge and the number of violations issued under that charge. The second report is reflective of the number of "arrests" made under each statute. The two reports may overlap on some misdemeanor offenses if an arrest/booking was made followed by the issuance of a criminal citation. The second report captures felony arrests, but may not include misdemeanor or felony cases which were submitted to the prosecutor for review of charges (cases cleared without an arrest).

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,


DON WERTANEN
Deputy Chief of Police

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Law Incident Analysis, Time Reported

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Hour	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Total
00:00-00:59	4	5	11	8	17	6	10	61
01:00-01:59	6	9	3	1	3	8	4	34
02:00-02:59	3	7	4	6	7	4	2	33
03:00-03:59	3	4	1	1	2	1	2	14
04:00-04:59	7	8	1	3	2	5	1	27
05:00-05:59	3	4	3	4	2	2	0	18
06:00-06:59	1	5	4	3	1	2	1	17
07:00-07:59	8	1	3	4	4	1	1	22
08:00-08:59	14	16	9	5	10	5	2	61
09:00-09:59	13	14	14	8	10	3	7	69
10:00-10:59	16	15	14	6	12	11	5	79
11:00-11:59	12	18	18	7	20	9	12	96
12:00-12:59	14	11	17	13	10	5	2	72
13:00-13:59	15	11	9	16	8	6	3	68
14:00-14:59	17	12	15	13	13	7	1	78
15:00-15:59	26	13	11	11	10	5	6	82
16:00-16:59	23	17	12	9	9	12	12	94
17:00-17:59	7	6	13	7	7	6	6	52
18:00-18:59	6	9	7	12	9	6	5	54
19:00-19:59	14	8	7	14	4	4	13	64
20:00-20:59	16	10	10	11	12	10	7	76
21:00-21:59	12	17	14	13	20	7	13	96
22:00-22:59	11	3	13	7	18	18	10	80
23:00-23:59	14	9	14	14	10	9	2	72
Total by Day	265	232	227	196	220	152	127	1419

Report Includes:

All dates between `00:01:00 07/01/13` and `23:59:00 07/31/13`
All agencies matching `HPD`
All offenses observed
All offenses reported
All offense codes
All nature of incidents
All location codes

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Law Total Incident Report, by Location Code

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Location Code	Total Incidents
(Not Defined)	35
South Aberdeen	1
Baker 12	8
Baker 15	3
Baker 16	1
Central Aberdeen	12
West Aberdeen	8
HPD Baker-6	509
HPD Baker-7	491
HPD Baker-8	347
East Aberdeen	1
Montesano	1
Aberdeen-15	1
Hoquiam-15	1

Total Incidents for This Report: 1419

Report includes:

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All agencies matching `HPD`
All natures
All locations
All responsible officers
All dispositions
All clearance codes
All observed offenses
All reported offenses
All offense codes
All circumstance codes

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Law Total Incident Report, by Nature of Incident

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Nature of Incident	Total Incidents
911 Hang-Up Call	14
911-Open Line	31
Abandoned Vehicle	40
Agency Assistance	57
Alarm	12
Animal Problem	112
Assault	6
Assault 4th Domestic Violence	4
Assault With a Knife	1
Burglary	21
Citizen Assist	68
Citizen Dispute	16
Civil Matter	1
Code Enforcement	7
Court Appointed Jail Time	2
Custodial Interference	3
Dead Body	5
Disorderly Conduct	58
Driving Complaint	36
Controlled Substance Problem	5
Intoxicated Person	1
DUI Alcohol or Drugs	3
Domestic Violence	1
Extra Patrols	3
Family Fight	6
Felony Eluding	1
Fireworks	20
Forgery	1
Found Property	20
Fraud	11
Harrassment (Not Defined)	21
Impounded Vehicle	1
Information Report	3
Juvenile Problem	6
Liquor Law Violation	1
Lost Property	3
Criminal Mischief	22
Criminal Mischief Dom Violence	2
Deranged Person	2
Missing Person	2
Noise Complaint	12
Obstructing	1
Overdose	1
Parking Problem	71
Traffic Accident w/ Damage	20
Unconscious Person	6
Traffic Accident, w/ Injuries	2
Prowler	3
Recovered Stolen Vehicle	2
Resisting/Interfering /Officer	1
Reverse Escort	4
Runaway Juvenile	1
Sex Offense	3
Shoplift	3
Subject Stop/Field Int.	78

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Nature of Incident	Total Incidents
Suspicious Person/Circumstance	126
Theft	37
Under \$250	1
Theft-Motorcycl	1
Threatening	8
Trafficking in Stolen Property	2
Traffic Hazard	19
Traffic Violation	18
Traffic Stop	217
Trespassing	35
Unsecure Premise	5
Theft From Vehicle	12
Vehicle Theft	1
Violation Court Order	11
Warrant Arrests	3
Warrant Arrest Hoquiam Warrant	29
Warrant Arrest Other Agency	23
Warrant Service	7
Warrant Arrest by Other Agency	8
Weapon Offense	1
Welfare Check	18

Total Incidents for This Report: 1419

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All agencies matching `HPD`
All natures
All locations
All responsible officers
All dispositions
All clearance codes
All observed offenses
All reported offenses
All offense codes
All circumstance codes

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Total Traffic Citation Report, by Agency

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Agency	Citations	Violations
Hoquiam Police Department	118	140
Report Totals	118	140

Report includes:

- All dates of issue between `00:01:00 07/01/13` and `23:59:00 07/31/13`
- All agencies matching `HPD`
- All issuing officers
- All areas
- All courts
- All offense codes
- All dispositions
- All citation/warning types

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Total Offenses Report, by Statute

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Statute Code	Statute Description	Total
26.50.110	Vio Prot Order-DV	4
46.20.342(c)	Drive W/Lic Susp/Revoked 3	2
46.61.024	Attempt Elude Purs Police Veh	1
46.61.500	Reckless Driving	1
46.61.502	Driving Under the Influence	1
5A.25.020	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	1
5A.25.020.1b	INTENTIONAL RISK OF ASSAULT	1
5A.25.070	Disorderly House	1
5A.70.020	POSSESS DRUG PARAPHERNALIA	3
69.41.030(2)(B)	Poss Legend Drug W/O Pres.	1
69.41.070(1)	Viol Legend Drug-Fraud Forgery	1
69.50.000	VUCSA Felony	7
69.50.401	VUCSA	1
69.50.401(a)(1)	VUCSA Manufacture/Delivery	1
69.50.401.A1II	SCHED I,II,III OTHER	1
69.50.4013(2)	Cont Sub-Poss No Prescription	1
9.35.020	Identity Theft	1
9.41.250	Dangerous Weapon Violation	1
9A.36.021	Assault 2	2
9A.36.031	Assault 3	2
9A.36.041 (DV)	Assault 4	4
9A.44.050	Rape 2	1
9A.44.132(1)(B)	SOR/FEL Fail to Reg-2 Priors	1
9A.48.090	Malicious Mischief 3	2
9A.52.025	Burglary Residential	2
9A.52.070	Criminal Trespass 1	6
9A.52.080	Criminal Trespass 2	2
9A.56.040	Theft 2	1
9A.56.050	Theft 3	6
9A.60.020	Forgery	2
9A.76.020	Obstruct Law Enforcement Off	2
9A.76.040	Resisting Arrest	3
9A.76.175	Make False State to Public Ser	2
9A.82.050	TRAFFIC STOLEN PROP	3
9A.82.050(2)	Trafficking Stolen Property 1	1
FTA	FAIL TO APPEAR	47

Total Offenses: 119

Report includes:

All offense dates between `00:01:00 07/01/13` and `23:59:00 07/31/13`
All offense codes
All statute codes
All location codes
All alcohol/drugs
All crime clases
All jurisdictions
All entry codes
All courts
All arresting agencies matching `HPD`
All arrest types
All arresting officers
All arresting dates

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