

POLICE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

August 15, 2011

Following is the police department report for July. The department report given to council on July 26th focused more on a yearly update. I was out of town the first week of August so things have been a bit behind while I catch up.

As you can see thefts, trespasses and criminal mischiefs continue to be high. Most of these are related to thefts and attempted thefts from vehicles. Most of these are occurring at night and the officers are adjusting to do more bike and foot patrol. We also had 4 burglaries, three of which were residential. Harassments and assaults were also high in July. Of the 15 combined reports, 6 were cleared by arrest and related to domestic violence calls.

The department is also investigating a vehicular assault that occurred on July 28th in the 200 Blk. N. Main St. A male subject was struck by a vehicle while crossing the street. Based on witness statements and accounts by the victim a subject driving a vehicle drove past the victim several times as he walked across the street hitting him on the last pass. The vehicle left the scene. The vehicle and driver have been identified and charges are pending.

Reports Taken	Apr	May	June	July
Alcohol violations	4	2	1	2
Assaults	4	3	2	5
Burglaries	4	3	1	4
Controlled Substances	8	5	0	1
Criminal Mischief	18	9	10	8
Disorderly Conduct	3	2	4	3
Disturbing the Peace	10	13	5	13
DUI	1	3	4	11
FTA	2	1	0	4
Harassment	7	12	4	10
Thefts	22	23	24	25
Trespass	16	7	14	14

On July 27th Gunnison Dispatch hosted the bi-monthly RICC (Regional Interoperability Communications Committee) meeting. The committee is comprised of all the Communications Directors/Supervisors from Mesa/Grand Junction dispatch, Delta, Montrose, Nucla, San Miguel, Alamosa CSP and Montrose CSP. The group is planning for an upcoming simulated training to involve a tour bus rollover accident on HWY 92 which encompasses three counties, Montrose, Delta and Gunnison. The Grand Junction area agencies are planning to host several upcoming trainings if funding can be found in the region. The committee also discussed Next Gen 9-1-1 issues and proposals at the different centers, lunch was provided by Pie Zan's.

