

POLICE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

August 5, 2013

The numbers of reports are fairly consistent for July. A few cases do stand out for the month. On July 8<sup>th</sup> a subject was identified from a surveillance video when he reentered a local business. After being questioned by officers several pieces of property were recovered from earlier thefts. On July 24<sup>th</sup> officers took a report of a burglary and stolen vehicle from a local business. A suspect was later contacted on a traffic stop and property was recovered. Further investigation located the vehicle where it had been hidden and it was recovered. On 7/26 officers also took a report of a stolen vehicle from the hospital. The vehicle was later located at a residence in the county and recovered. Charges were filed in all three cases.

Reports Taken	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Alcohol violations	1	2	2	1
Assaults	2	5	5	2
Burglaries	0	4	3	6
Controlled Substances	3	3	3	1
Criminal Mischief	9	20	7	6
Disorderly Conduct	6	3	4	5
Disturbing the Peace	13	9	13	14
DUI	2	3	2	2
FTA	2	0	1	0
Harassment	7	9	1	5
Thefts	18	30	19	28
Trespass	6	2	5	3
Animal - Complaints	24	28	36	38
Animal – Vicious	0	0	1	4
Bicycle, Warnings	1		41	16
Bicycle, Tickets			5	0
Moving Violations, Warnings	26	32	51	30
Moving Violations, Tickets	3	5	12	7
Parking Violations, Warnings	9	2	8	8
Parking Violations, Tickets	43	23	44	75

July continued to be busy with all the activity in town. The 4<sup>th</sup> has already been discussed but went off without any issues. Cattlemen’s Days was also a big draw to the area and no problems were experienced. Planning is underway for the Car show August 16 and 17<sup>th</sup>. We are also making preparations for the return of WSCU students with a concert scheduled for August 24<sup>th</sup> and classes begin on August 26<sup>th</sup>. We will also be involved in several programs for WSCU students, such as Good Neighbor Program, talks to the sports teams, dorms and freshman orientation. Chris Danos will also be teaching the policing class for the sociology department again this fall. We will also be providing services to the public schools starting on August 26<sup>th</sup> with Rob Whiting back in his School Resource Officer role and other officers assisting with increased patrol, school zones, classes throughout the school year at all grade levels and having an officer present on a regular basis to interact with the kids and faculty.

Work is continuing on the new building. The flooring was planned to start the week of July 29<sup>th</sup> but was delayed due to a shipping issue with materials which won't arrive until the week of August 5<sup>th</sup>. A meeting was held on 8/1/13 with all the subcontractors to insure everyone was on task with the building schedule, LEED Certifications and general questions.

The month of July is generally the busiest month of the year, for communications, with the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Cattlemen's Days and all the other outdoor activities that take place in Gunnison County and Hinsdale County. Of note, we only receive 9-1-1 Statistics from CenturyLink a month behind, so you can see there were 393 9-1-1 calls in May, and 644 9-1-1 calls in the month of June, all other calls that dispatch answers (other than 9-1-1), in June 13,067 and in July 15,014. CenturyLink also provides other information for our use which helps with planning, equipment choices and funding considerations. Of the 644 9-1-1 calls in June 66.15% were from wireless numbers and 1.09% were from VoIP phones. In conjunction with the Gunnison/Hinsdale 911 Board we are watching these numbers as cell phones make up a very small part of the 911 funding available.

I've referred to EMD in past reports to Council but Chuck provided a better description of what it entails. The term "Emergency Medical Dispatching" or EMD, are medical calls that require the giving of Medical Protocols over the phone until the arrival of law enforcement or ambulance services on scene of a call. There are 38 different medical protocols on a set of flip cards. Protocols cover areas from abdominal pain, overdose/poison ingestion, vehicle accidents, to childbirth, and each dispatcher is required to pass a certification course in the Medical Doctor approved protocols. The 40 EMD calls reported for July represents 8 hours and 22 minutes that the dispatchers have spent on the phone with ill or injured victims or bystanders willing to providing aid until help has arrived on scene to take over.

	Apr	May	June	July
Ambulance Pages	123	123	108	183
Fire Pages	30	30	45	44
EMD calls	10	14	13	40
9-1-1 Calls	355	393	644	**pending
Admin	10390	11179	13067	15014
Search and Rescue Calls	1	0	1	5

Kyle completed one year of service as a police officer in July.

If, you have any questions, please contact me, office 641-8250.  
Keith

\*\*pending: 9-1-1 call statistics are received directly from the phone company and are not available until later in the month. So reporting of the actual number is always posted in the following month.