



# MEMORANDUM

Police Department

DATE: March 29, 2016

TO: Dominic Lazzaretto, City Manager

FROM: Robert Guthrie, Chief of Police (*P.F. for R.G.*)  
By: Kristin Blair, Crime Analyst

SUBJECT: Arcadia Police Department Weekly Activity Report

	Calls for Service	Formal Investigations
March 20 to March 26	927	141
Total Year to Date for 2016	12,272	1,669

For the period of Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, through Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, the Police Department responded to 927 calls for service of which 141 required formal investigations. The following is a summary report of the major incidents handled by the Department during this period.

Sunday, March 20:

1. Just after 9:49 a.m., an officer responded to a residence in the 000 block of Hacienda Drive regarding a vandalism report. An investigation revealed an unknown suspect smashed the driver's side window and fled undetected. No loss was reported and no witnesses were located.
2. Around 4:16 p.m., an officer responded to the Santa Anita Race Track, 285 West Huntington Drive, regarding an intoxicated subject. Upon contacting the 29-year-old male from Covina, the officer detected a strong odor of alcohol emitting from his breath and body. The officer determined he was unable to care for himself. He was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Monday, March 21:

3. At about 1:56 p.m., an officer responded to Foothill's Middle School, 171 East Sycamore Avenue, regarding a possible child abuse report. The officer discovered the juvenile victim had a bruised cheek from being hit with a closed fist by his father. The 44-year-old male from Arcadia was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

4. At approximately 10:51 p.m., an officer responded to Souplantation, 301 East Huntington Drive, regarding an auto burglary report. An investigation revealed an unknown suspect used a blunt tool to smash the rear passenger window before stealing the victim's iPads, Apple watch, and medical foot bone model. The investigation is ongoing.

Tuesday, March 22:

5. Around 11:19 a.m., an officer responded to Burlington Coat Factory, 1201 South Baldwin Avenue, regarding a theft report. A witness reported seeing two suspects conceal numerous items of merchandise in their purses before exiting the store, failing to make payment.

Both of the suspects are described as black females in their early 30's, and approximately 5'6" to 5'8". The suspects fled in a silver Mazda sedan. The investigation is ongoing.

6. Just after 10:13 p.m., officers responded to the 800 block of West Duarte regarding an unknown trouble call. Upon contacting the reporting party, an involved male walked away from officers, ignoring several demands to stop. The suspect then fled from officers on foot. The 25-year-old male from Arcadia was eventually located and a records check revealed he had an outstanding misdemeanor warrant. He was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Wednesday, March 23:

7. Shortly after 11:23 a.m., an officer responded to Arcadia Methodist Hospital, 300 West Huntington Drive, regarding a fraud report. An investigation revealed the victim's credit card information was stolen while attempting to pay his co-pay. The investigation is ongoing.
8. At about 9:13 p.m., officers responded to the intersection of Holly Avenue and Longden Avenue regarding a traffic collision with an unknown amount of injuries. Officers located the driver of the sole vehicle and noticed signs of drug use. During a search of the vehicle, officers located a glass smoking pipe and a glass jar with marijuana residue. The 23-year-old male from Arcadia was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Thursday, March 24:

9. At approximately 5:10 a.m., officers responded to the 200 block of East Camino Real Avenue regarding an activation of an Arcadia Police Department GPS tracker. Arcadia PD detectives had previously deployed decoy packages containing bait property and tracking devices to combat the increase in package thefts from residential areas. An investigation revealed two suspects had the stolen package, property, tracking device, as well as methamphetamine and additional stolen property in their vehicle. A 19-year-old female and a 26-year-old female, both from Canoga Park, were arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

10. Just after 10:09 p.m., an officer initiated consensual contact with a subject standing near the area of Foothill Boulevard and Santa Anita Avenue. During a consensual search of his person, the officer discovered the suspect was in possession of drug paraphernalia. A 19-year-old male from Van Nuys was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Friday, March 25:

11. At about 2:19 p.m., an officer responded to Albertson's, 298 East Live Oak Avenue, regarding a petty theft report. An employee witnessed the suspect conceal two bottles of alcohol before exiting the store, failing to make payment. The 29-year-old male from Santa Clarita was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.
12. At approximately 8:55 p.m., officers responded to the 200 block of Monte Place regarding suspicious circumstances. A resident came home to find an unknown male next to a vehicle in his driveway. An investigation revealed a burglary had occurred at the residence. Officers located the vehicle being driven by the suspect who failed to yield. A pursuit ensued, traveled to the vicinity of LAX, where the 32-year-old male from Paramount was ultimately arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Saturday, March 26:

13. Just after 3:31 p.m., an officer responded to Macy's at the Santa Anita Mall, 400 South Baldwin Avenue, regarding a petty theft report. A loss prevention specialist witnessed the suspect conceal items in a shopping bag before leaving the store, failing to make payment. The 29-year-old male from La Puente was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.
14. At about 11:57 p.m., officers responded to the 1000 block of East Camino Real Avenue regarding an activation of an Arcadia Police Department GPS tracker. An investigation revealed an 18-year-old male and a 19-year-old female, both from Arcadia, had removed the stolen property (and tracking device) from the package, placed the property in a bag and fled the scene on a bicycle. Both suspects were arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.