



MEMORANDUM

Police Department

DATE: September 9, 2026
TO: Dominic Lazzaretto, City Manager
FROM: Mario Castro, Detective Bureau Sergeant
By: Kristin Blair, Crime Analyst
SUBJECT: Arcadia Police Department Weekly Activity Report

	Calls for Service	Formal Investigations
August 30 to September 5	1,020	119
Total Year to Date for 2026	34,769	3,706

For the period of Sunday, August 30th through Saturday, September 5th, the Police Department responded to 1,020 calls for service, of which 119 required formal investigations. The following is a summary report of some of the incidents handled by the Department during this period.

Sunday, August 30:

At approximately 1:13 p.m., an officer responded to a residence in the 1400 block of South Santa Anita Avenue regarding a burglary investigation. The officer discovered that sometime between August 27th and 30th, someone broke into a lock box, used the key to enter the home, and fled with clothing. It appears as though the suspect used the utilities while inside the home.

Monday, August 31:

At approximately 2:19 p.m., an officer responded to a parking lot in the 600 block of West Duarte Road regarding a theft from vehicle report. The officer determined that someone entered the victim's unlocked vehicle and stole cash. The suspect is believed to be a female with dark hair. The investigation is ongoing.

Tuesday, September 1:

At approximately 8:03 a.m., an officer responded to 7-Eleven, located at 102 East Huntington Drive, regarding a battery report. An investigation revealed the suspect pushed the employee when the employee attempted to confront the suspect for stealing. The suspect was located nearby. The 48-year-old male transient from Los Angeles was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking. A records check revealed he had an outstanding misdemeanor warrant.

Wednesday, September 2:

At approximately 12:54 p.m., an officer responded to the intersection of Colorado Place and San Juan Road regarding a vehicle blocking traffic. Upon contacting the driver, the officer detected a strong odor of alcohol. Through a series of tests, the officer concluded the suspect was driving under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. The 32-year-old male from Arcadia was arrested and transported to the Arcadia City Jail for booking.

Thursday, September 3:

At approximately 7:29 p.m., an officer responded to the front counter of the Arcadia Police Department regarding an extortion report. The victim stated the suspect threatened to release AI-generated sexual content of the victim if he did not pay a ransom. The investigation is ongoing.

Friday, September 4:

At approximately 5:47 p.m., an officer responded to a residence in the 2300 block of Lenta Lane regarding a burglary investigation. The officer discovered the victim returned to his home and interrupted a burglary in progress. The two suspects fled and stole 2 bicycles. The suspects are both described as elderly males.

Saturday, September 5:

At approximately 10:48 a.m., an officer responded to a residence in the 500 block of East Sandra Avenue regarding a fraud report. An investigation revealed an unidentified suspect, operating under the guise of a Spectrum employee, convinced the victim into shipping two phones, which the suspect subsequently stole.