

Beach/Parks/Recreation

Weekly Highlights May 15, 2024

- This past weekend, new lifeguards completed their ocean rescue training and testing. Topics included advanced first aid and team rescues along with final written test and skills evaluation. The training will continue through next weekend. Lifeguards will also be providing lifeguard protection on the beach only on weekends until Memorial Day weekend at which time they will provide lifeguard protection seven days per week through Labor Day. During the times where there are no lifeguard services on the beach, Flagler Beach Fire Department will be the primary responders to all beach emergencies.
- All returning lifeguards will be completing their rehire packets during the upcoming week so that the full staff of lifeguards will be ready to work during the Memorial Day weekend.
- Community water safety awareness education will continue with a school presentation at Wadsworth Elementary School on Friday, May 17.
- Lifeguard towers from last season will be relocated to the beach this upcoming weekend.
- ATVs and Jet skis are still being operated on a regular basis in order to keep all of our summer rescue vehicles and vessels properly maintained.
- Application packets and information about the Junior Lifeguard summer programs are currently available on the City website.

FBFD Operational Response Report

This weekly report conducted by the Flagler Beach Fire Department contains the following data:

- Number of incidents responded to over the dates listed below.
- Incident types.
- Total number of incidents for 2024.

Report Conducted: May 2 - May 8

Flagler Beach Fire Department
Deputy Chief Stephen Cox
Scox@Fbfire.org



Weekly Incident Response Data

Last 7 Days ▾ May 2, 2024 - May 8, 2024 ▾

41%

FIRE
Percentage of Total Incidents

59%

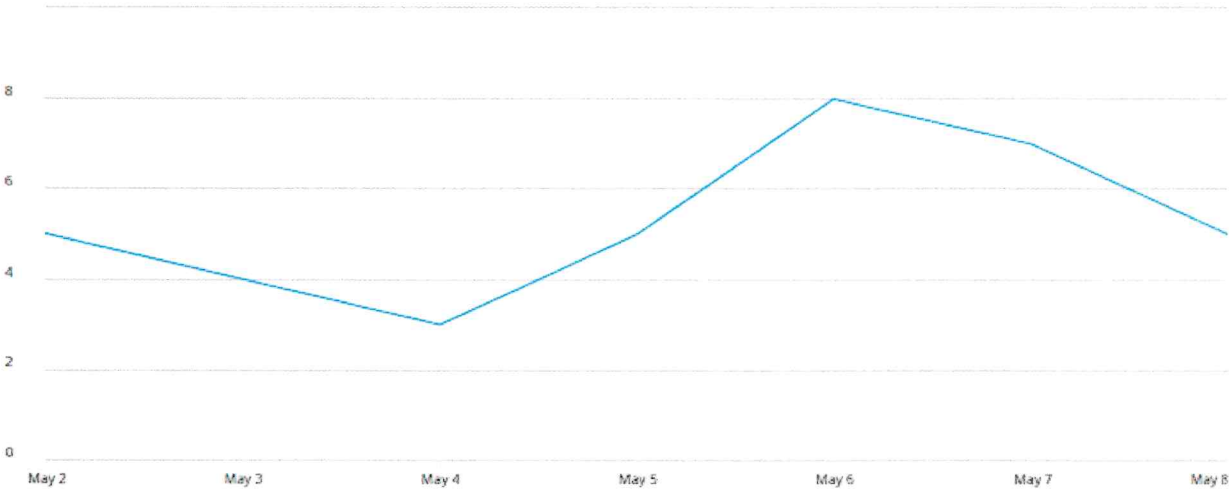
EMS
Percentage of Total Incidents

37

INCIDENTS
In Selected Time Slice

7

DAYS
In Selected Time Slice



Counts	% Rows	% Columns	% All											
	5/2/24	5/3/24	5/4/24	5/5/24	5/6/24	5/7/24	5/8/24	5/9/24	5/10/24	5/11/24	5/12/24	5/13/24	5/14/24	Total
(32) Emergency medical service (EMS) incident	4	2	2	5	5	3	1							22
(42) Chemical release, reaction, or toxic condition			1											1
(55) Public service assistance		1			1									2
(61) Dispatched and canceled en route	1				2	3	2							8
(62) Wrong location, no emergency found		1					1							2
(70) False alarm and false call, other						1								1
(74) Unintentional system/detect... operation (no fire)							1							1
Total	5	4	3	5	8	7	5							37

Total Number of Incident for 2024

579

Penny Overstreet

From: Robert Pace
Sent: Thursday, May 16, 2024 11:27 AM
To: Dale Martin
Cc: Penny Overstreet; Katherine Monroy
Subject: Weekly Highlights

Mr. Martin,

The following are the weekly highlights;

- Smoky Bear Reading Challenge

I have been working with Melissa Parish on a Smoky Bear Reading Challenge to take place over the summer. The challenge involves selected books on wildfires, fire prevention and completing the books by a specified deadline. Some of the books are going to be supplied by FEMA and the rest will be secured by Mrs. Parish. Children can begin to select their books at the June 1st Friday. There will be a party at the fire station on July 20th to recognize the accomplishments of the kids. The children will receive station souvenirs and local businesses will supply gift certificates as prizes.

- Fire Hydrant Update

I have continually met with Supervisor Crews to discuss the status fire hydrants within the city. In addition, we have both participated in phone conferences with the R&M Solution representative (Mike George). This has been much headway over the last couple months since finding many hardware issues with city hydrants. The majority of the stainless-steel bolts have been replaced. There are currently 10 hydrants still requiring accessory parts. Technicians from R&M Solutions are expected in town over the next couple of weeks to complete the final repairs. The scope of work for the repairs, maintenance and replacement of fire hydrants for next year was once again reviewed.

- Upcoming Women's Club Events

A member of the Flagler Beach Women's Club (Mary Louk) reached out Chief Doughney and I to discuss upcoming events. I have reported several times that the department works with the Women's Club regularly throughout the year on projects. This involves special events as well. Smokin' at the Firehouse did very well last year and it is scheduled for October 12th this coming year. The Chili Challenge has taken place for years in veterans Park. The next event is being requested to take place in Betty Stefluk Park. The Chili Challenge will take place this year on January 25th.

- Staff Progression with State Certified Fire Officer Classes

As you and I have discussed in detail, continual education and obtaining State Fire Officer Certification is of the utmost importance. I am very proud of the progress staff is making. What level of Fire Officer Certification will be dependent on a members time, service and rank. Some members have already completed certification, some are waiting to sit for the State exam and some are making significant progress. As evaluations approach, I am confident in stating, all members will receive favorable ratings in this area.

- ResQCPR Pump

A ResQCPR Pump is a manual pump that with compressions during CPR. Compressions can certainly be delivered by hand, but the ResQCPR Pump can deliver more efficient and thorough compressions, thus higher quality care for our local residents. The ResQCPR Pump is a budgeted item within the 23/24 budget. This is one of the few remaining items to be purchased. The pump has gained much attention over the last couple of years. This would stand to reason, because this item has been backordered for the department the last couple of months. Lieutenant Rainey is working with her medical supplier and hopes to take delivery of the ResQCPR Pump over the next couple of weeks.

- Florida State Certified Fire Apparatus Pump Operator Course

The Flagler Beach Fire Department is hosting the Pump Operator Course here at the stationhouse this week. The Fire Apparatus Pump Operator program is designed to prepare Florida firefighters for service as fire department Driver/Engineers. Pump Operators have an understanding of emergency vehicle operations, fire service hydraulics, fire-related physics and chemistry and successful relay operations. To be certified as a Fire Service Apparatus and Pump Operator in the State of Florida, an individual must successfully complete 90 hours of basic certification training for Apparatus and Pump Operations and pass a State written examination. This class is also a prerequisite for the State Certified Aerial Operator Course. Firefighters representing the three agencies within the county participated in the class this week. FF/EMT John Strickland, who is one the department's newer members, was in attendance. This is also one of FF Strickland's annual goals. I am confident he will be successful in passing the course by tomorrow's conclusion.

- Impact Issues

There are no scheduled events to take place within the city this weekend.

I look forward to talking to you soon.

Thanks,

Robert Pace

Fire Chief

Flagler Beach Fire Rescue

320 S. Flagler Ave

Flagler Beach, Florida 32136

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Custom ▾

May 9, 2024 - May 15, 2024 ▾

61%

FIRE
Percentage of Total
Incidents

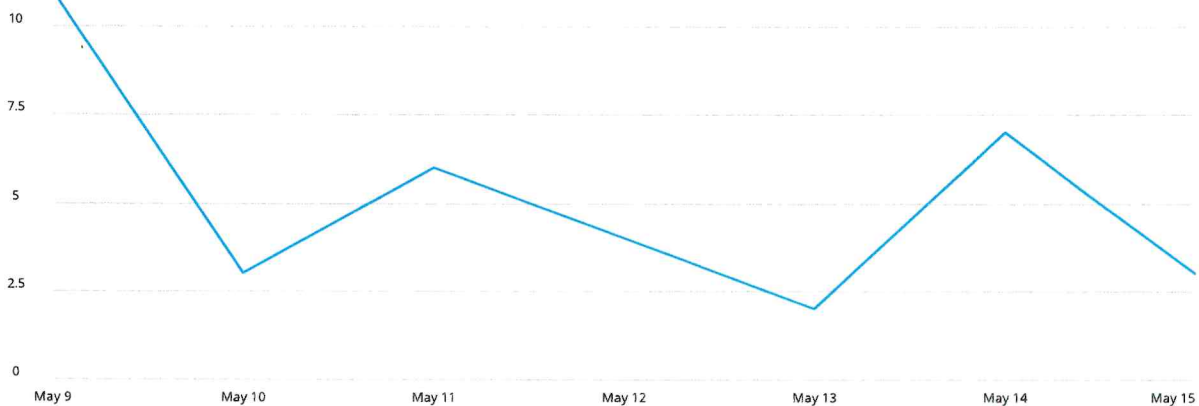
39%

EMS
Percentage of Total
Incidents

36

INCIDENTS
In Selected Time Slice

7

DAYS
In Selected Time Slice

Counts

% Rows

% Columns

% All

	5/9/24	5/10/24	5/11/24	5/12/24	5/13/24	5/14/24	5/15/24	5/16/24	5/17/24	5/18/24	5/19/24	5/20/24	5/21/24	Total
(32) Emergency medical service (EMS) incident	5	1	3	2		1	2							14
(44) Electrical wiring/equipm. problem			1		2	1								4
(51) Person in distress			1											1
(55) Public service assistance	1					1	1							3
(61) Dispatched and canceled en route	4	2		1		3								10
(62) Wrong location, no emergency found	1													1
(70) False alarm and false call, other			1											1
(73) System or detector malfunction						1								1
(74) Unintentional system/detect... operation (no fire)				1										1
Total	11	3	6	4	2	7	3							36



FLAGLER BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT
 Matthew P. Doughney, Chief of Police
 204 South Flagler Avenue
 Flagler Beach, FL 32136
 386.517.2023

Chief's Weekly Report

From: Friday		5/10/2024		To: Thursday		5/16/2024
Calls For Service	72	Felony Arrest	1	Reports Written	12	Citations Issued
Self-Initiated	33	Misd. Arrest	1	Comm. Policing	13	Warnings (Written/Verbal)
Traffic Stops	53	City Ordinance	1	Security Checks	315	
						31
						67

Chief's Weekly Summary

Friday: 5/10/24 @ 6:24 a.m. / Alarm Commercial / 215 South Oceanshore Boulevard (Funky Pelican): Patrol Officers responded in reference to an alarm at the restaurant. Upon arrival Officers made contact with Staff, who advised that they accidentally set it off. No further action was required.

Friday: 5/10/24 @ 10:26 a.m. / Crash - No Injury / 2300 Block Moody Boulevard: A Patrol Officer responded to a crash involving a deer and a motor vehicle. The vehicle had minor property damage but was drivable. The deer was deceased and was removed from the roadway.

Friday: 5/10/24 @ 1:50 p.m. / Illegal Parking / 100 Block of 14th Street South: A Patrol Officer received a complaint from a citizen about a bucket truck that had been parked on the City right-of-way for approximately ten (10) days. The Officer was able to locate the equipment rental company, and they advised that they would pick up the equipment. **Update:** The assigned Officer checked the location on Saturday, May 11th, and the equipment had been removed. **Good Job!**

Friday: 5/10/24 @ 2:01 p.m. / Assist Public / 204 South Flagler Avenue: A Patrol Officer was requested to call a citizen with questions about camping within the City. The Officer not only answered the citizens questions about camping, but he also provided valuable advice on safe and suitable locations to camp.

Friday: 5/10/24 @ 2:17 p.m. / 911 Investigation / 400 Block of Palm Drive: A Patrol Officer responded to a residence in reference to a "911" investigation. The caller advised Dispatch that the call was accidental, and upon arrival, the Officer confirmed that there were no problems or emergencies at the residence. No further action required.

Friday: Dayshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following location and times;

2100 block of Moody Boulevard, from 6:16 a.m. to 7:17 a.m. Four (4) traffic stops were conducted, with three (3) written warnings issued, and one (1) State Traffic citation issued.

Friday: 5/10/24 @ 6:28 p.m. / Welfare Check / 100 Block of Lantana Avenue: The reporting party requested that Officers conduct a welfare check at a residence. The residents were found to be okay, and the reporting party was advised of Officers findings. No further action needed.

Friday: 5/10/24 @ 10:28 p.m./ Suspicious Incident / 1200 Block of South Flagler Avenue: Patrol Officers were dispatched in reference to a drone flying over the residence. The drone was no longer in the area upon our Officers arrival. The reporting party was advised of Florida Statutes that govern drone usage. No further action required.

Friday: 5/11/24 @ 2:34 a.m. / Electrical Issue / 2800 Block of South-Central Avenue: Patrol Officers were dispatched to the area to assist Station 11 with several transformers that blew due to thunderstorms. Officers assisted Station 11 with ensuring that no residences in the area were on fire. Florida Power & Light (FP&L) were contacted to repair the blown transformers.

Friday: Dayshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following location and times;
300 block of Roberts Road, from 8:15 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. No violations.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 8:32 a.m. / Alarm Residential / 1500 Block of North Daytona Avenue: Patrol Officers responded to an alarm at a residence. The alarm company advised that the alarm had been triggered by the homeowner, who opened the front door without disarming the alarm. Officers contacted the homeowner, who confirmed that everything was fine, and the alarm was reset. No further action required.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 10:45 a.m. / 911 Investigation / 2200 Moody Boulevard (Wadsworth Park): Patrol Officers responded to the Park in reference to a "911" hang-up call to Dispatch; that was geo-located to the Park. Officers thoroughly checked the Park, which was crowded and no emergencies were observed. No further action required.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 11:11 a.m. / Lost Property / 800 Block of South Oceanshore Boulevard (Beach): A Patrol Officer contacted the reporting party, who advised that she lost her pink lanyard on the Beach. At the time the property was lost, the lanyard had three (3) keys, a Driver's License, and a credit card attached. A Police report was completed.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 1:38 p.m. / Disturbance / 2200 Moody Boulevard (Wadsworth Park): A Patrol Officer responded to the Park in reference to a call of possible threats being made. The responding Officer made contact with the reporting party, who advised that two (2) coaches yelled at each other, and during this engagement, someone used profanity. There were no threats of violence, nor were any criminal acts committed. No further action required.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 4:36 p.m. / Disturbance Verbal / 414 Beach Village Drive (Publix): Patrol Officers responded to the plaza in reference to a report of a male subject yelling at Staff in the parking lot. The subject was located and Management from Publix was contacted. Management requested that the male subject be trespassed from the property. A Notice of Trespass was issued, and the male subject was given a courtesy ride to the south City limits at his request. No further action required.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 6:38 p.m. / Physical Disturbance / 100 Block of South Oceanshore Boulevard: Patrol Officers were dispatched to the area in reference to several juveniles fighting with another juvenile in the middle of A1A. Prior to our Officers arrival, most of the juveniles had fled the area. The juvenile victim was still on scene, but he was highly uncooperative and refused to speak with Officers. The juveniles mother picked him up and wished to speak with her husband before deciding to pursue charges or not. A Police report was completed.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 7:34 p.m. / Suspicious Vehicle / 100 Block of Lantana Avenue: Patrol Officers were dispatched to the area in reference to the reporting party thinking that a vehicle was in the area to commit burglaries. Officers located the vehicle in question and had a consensual encounter with the occupants. It was determined that nothing criminal or suspicious had occurred.

Saturday: 5/11/24 @ 10:55 p.m. / Crash - No Injury / 1700 Block South Oceanshore Boulevard: Patrol Officers were dispatched to the area in reference to a single vehicle crash; with the raised concrete median. The investigation revealed that the elderly male Driver was having a medical issue, when his vehicle struck and then became lodged on top of the concrete curbing. The Driver was transported to Advent-Health South, and his vehicle towed by Rogers Towing. A State Crash report was completed.

Sunday: 5/12/24 @ 8:26 a.m. / 911 Investigation / 900 Block of North Oceanshore Boulevard: Patrol Officers responded to a "911" hang-up call. The Officers checked the area and nothing suspicious was found. No further action required.

Sunday: 5/12/24 @ 8:46 a.m. / 911 Investigation / 20th Street South: Patrol Officers responded to a "911" investigation. A Patrol Officer located a bicyclist who had her phone in a basket, and she advised that the call was made by accident. No further action required.

Sunday: 5/12/24 @ 8:55 a.m. / 911 Investigation / 3100 Block of South Oceanshore Boulevard: A Patrol Officer responded to a "911" investigation. The call was made inadvertently by an eleven (11) year old child by accident. No further action required.

Sunday: Nightshift Officers completed a course in the online "Briefing Room", titled; "Safely deploying tire deflation devices". Officers watched a video on the topic and also watched the official "stop-stick" training video. Nightshift Officers spent several hours at the beginning of shift patrolling the Pier/Boardwalk area and Wickline Park in an attempt to deter any juvenile criminal activity.

Monday: 5/13/24 @ 1:30 a.m. / Crash - No Injury / 1300 Block of South Oceanshore Boulevard: Patrol Officers were dispatched in reference to a single vehicle crash; with the raised concrete median. After the crash investigation was completed, a criminal investigation was conducted. Although the Driver did show some indicators of impairment, he did not show enough to justify an arrest. The Driver was picked up by a friend. John's Towing removed the vehicle and a State Crash report was completed.

Monday: Chief Doughney attended the 7th Judicial Circuit's Child Abuse Death Review (CADR) committee meeting via TEAMS from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The committee reviewed three (3) Flagler County cases from calendar year 2022.

Monday: Dayshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following location and times; 1800 block of South Flagler Avenue, from 12:40 p.m. to 1:25 p.m. No violations.

Monday: Nightshift Officers conducted training by watching a video from Mr. Gordon Graham, titled; "Self-Control in Use of Force." The squad watched the video and discussed the topic in depth.

Monday: 5/13/24 @ 5:53 p.m. / Notification-Welfare Check / 400 Block of 10th Street North: Patrol Officers responded to a residence in reference to a female at this location who hadn't been seen for a week. Despite there being no answer at the home, and her mail piling up, an Officer was able to confirm her safety upon contacting a neighbor. No other action was needed at this time.

Monday: 5/13/24 @ 8:02 p.m. / Information / South City Limits of Oceanshore Boulevard: Patrol Officers responded promptly at the request of Volusia County Officials in reference to a report of a body in the ocean that was floating north. The area was thoroughly checked with negative results. Volusia County personnel, to include their Air-One helicopter also had negative results. No further action required.

Monday: Nightshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following locations and times; 1800 block of South Flagler Avenue, from 6:58 p.m. to 7:24 p.m. No violations.

2100 block of North Oceanshore Boulevard, from 7:34 p.m. to 8:18 p.m. One (1) traffic stop, with one (1) written warning issued.

2200 block of Moody Boulevard, from 8:34 p.m. to 8:59 p.m. One (1) traffic stop, with one (1) written warning issued.

Tuesday: 5/14/24 @ 12:37 a.m. / Traffic Stop / 100 Block of 2nd Street North: A Patrol Officer completed a traffic stop on a vehicle for an expired tag violation. A check via tele-type revealed that the vehicle had a "seize tag order" attached. The tag was seized and submitted into Property & Evidence. John's Towing responded and removed the car, and the Driver was issued a State Traffic citation for Driving While License Suspended; without knowledge. A Police report was completed.

Tuesday: 5/14/24 @ 8:49 a.m. / Larceny (Delayed Reporting) / 414 Beach Village Drive (Publix): A Patrol Officer responded to Publix in reference to a delayed shoplifting that occurred on 5/13/24. The Store Manager advised that over a \$1,000.00 worth of merchandise was stolen yesterday, to include over the counter medications, make up, and hygiene products. A Police report completed.

Tuesday: 5/14/24 @ 9:40 a.m. / Reckless Driver / 2200 Block of South Oceanshore Boulevard: A Patrol Officer was dispatched in reference to an anonymous complaint of dump trucks speeding in the area. The Officer conducted radar operations in the area for forty-five (45) minutes, with no speeding violations. As calls for service permit, Officers will monitor traffic in this area for compliance with the posted speed limit.

Tuesday: 5/14/24 @ 10:18 a.m. / Illegal Parking / 100 Block of South Daytona Avenue: A Patrol Officer was dispatched in reference to a maroon Toyota SUV illegally parked on the sidewalk; blocking parking spaces for the Flagler Fish Company. The responding Officer attempted to locate the owner, but was met with negative results. The vehicle was cited and towed by Johns Towing. A Police report completed.

Tuesday: Dayshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following locations and times;
1800 block of South Flagler Avenue from, 10:35 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. No violations observed. Top speed 21 mph.
2200 block of South Ocean Shore Boulevard from, 9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. (report of speeding dump trucks) No violations observed.
1800 block of South Flagler Avenue from, 2:05 p.m. to 2:35 p.m. (Traffic Enforcement) No violations observed. Top speed 27 mph.

Tuesday: 5/14/24 @ 9:25 p.m. / Narcotics – Arrest / 2200 Block Moody Boulevard: A Patrol Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for a moving violation. Upon the Officers approach to the vehicle, he noticed a strong odor of Cannabis coming from within. A subsequent search of the vehicle revealed Cannabis buds, grinders, and various smoking materials. Additionally, the Officer found several vials of suspected liquid THC and pills that were not prescribed to the occupants. As a result, a female passenger was arrested and transported to the Flagler County Inmate Facility without incident. Furthermore, a Police report was completed. **Good Job!**

Tuesday: 5/15/24 @ 1:05 a.m. / Driving Under the Influence - Arrest / 2400 Block Moody Boulevard: A Patrol Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for a moving violation. Upon approaching the car, the Officer noticed the Driver appeared to be impaired. The investigation resulted in the Driver being arrested for Driving Under the Influence (DUI) he was and transported to the Flagler County Inmate Facility without incident. A Police report was completed. **Good Job!**

Tuesday: Nightshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following location and times;
2200 block of Moody Boulevard, from 7:22 p.m. to 7:39 p.m. One (1) traffic stop, with one (1) written warning issued.

Wednesday: 5/15/24 @ 2:43 a.m. / 911 Investigation / 3600 South Oceanshore Boulevard: Patrol Officers responded to a report of a “911” hang up phone call; with no answer upon callback. The area was thoroughly checked, and no emergencies was observed.

Wednesday: 5/15/24 @ 4:06 a.m. / Alarm Commercial / 2303 Moody Boulevard (CVS): Patrol Officers responded to the business for a reported alarm activation. The business was checked and appeared secured. The severe overnight weather could have been the cause, due to heavy thunderstorms in the area.

Wednesday: 5/15/24 @ 4:17 a.m. / Alarm Residential / 2500 Block of South Oceanshore Boulevard: Patrol Officers responded to a reported residential alarm. The home was checked and appeared secured. Again, severe weather could have been the cause, due to heavy thunderstorms in the area overnight.

Wednesday: Chief Doughney and Chief Pace participated in Wellness Walk Wednesday from 8:00 a.m. to 8:50 a.m. Chief Doughney also attended the Department Head Staff meeting at City Hall with Mr. Martin from 9:00 a.m. to 9:40 a.m.

Wednesday: 5/15/24 @ 6:12 a.m. / Alarm / 217 South Flagler Avenue (Friends Café): Patrol Officers responded to alarm at the business. The alarm was inadvertently set off by an employee, and there were no problems at the business. No further action required.

Wednesday: 5/15/24 @ 1:47 p.m. / 911 Investigation / 400 Block of Palm Drive: Patrol Officers responded to a "911" hang-up that occurred at a residence. Our Officers made contact with the residents. who advised there was no emergency and that the call was a misdial for the information line; 411. No further action required.

Wednesday: 5/15/24 @ 5:02 p.m. / Fraud / 204 South Flagler Avenue: The victim of a scam reported that he lost \$13,351 over an unknown subject calling him and acting like they were from Amazon. This led to the victim driving to a predetermined Bitcoin ATM that the scammer had access to the surveillance camera system, and the victim deposited all of his savings into the machine. Then scammer used a QR code to scan and deposit the money into his/her account. A Police report was completed.

Wednesday: Nightshift Officers conducted briefing training: by reviewing our new evidence packaging manual that was just updated. Nightshift Officers conducted "Operation Backstreets", patrolling the residential streets throughout our City to deter criminal activity.

Thursday: 5/16/24 @ 9:40 a.m. / Disabled Vehicle / Moody Bridge: A motor vehicle ran out of gas on the Bridge, and the vehicle was moved out of the traffic lane by a Deputy from the Flagler County Sheriff's Office prior to our Officers arrival. Upon our Officers arrival he stayed with the elderly male driver to help him contact AAA. AAA responded and added gas, and vehicle was removed by the registered owner. No further action required. **Good Job!**

Thursday: 5/16/24 @ 10:51 a.m. / 911 Investigation / 300 Block of 11th Street North: A Patrol Officer responded to a "911" call investigation, and it was determined to be accidental; pocket dial. No further action required.

Thursday: 5/16/24 @ 3:22 p.m. / Security Check / 1000 Block of South Flagler Avenue: The reporting party advised that she is out of town, and that she saw that her landscapers were acting suspicious around her property. According to the reporting party the workers appeared to be surprised to see her surveillance cameras. The residence and the surrounding areas were checked, and the landscaping workers had already departed the area.

Thursday: 5/16/24 @ 3:41 p.m. / Traffic Stop / 7th Street South and South Daytona Ave: A Patrol Officers observed a vehicle drive around a stopped school bus; with stop signs extended. A traffic stop was conducted and Driver advised that his dogs medicine (which he was trying to locate) was more important than the safety of children. Two (2) State Traffic citations were issued. **Good Job!**

Thursday: 5/16/24 @ 7:45 p.m. / Suspicious Incident / 2200 Block of North Central Avenue: Patrol Officers were dispatched to a residence that's under construction in reference to people being on scene and removing concrete blocks. Officers were able to locate the vehicle in question as it was leaving the residence, and the ensuing investigation determined that the subjects had permission to remove the blocks. No further action was required.

Thursday: 5/16/24 @ 8:44 p.m. / Unattended Death / 1400 Block of South Flagler Avenue: Officers were dispatched to a residence at the request of a family member who hadn't heard from her brother in two (2) weeks. Upon arrival our Officers arrived, they located the deceased male in a front bedroom. Staff from the Medical Examiner's Office responded and took possession of the deceased. Flagler County Animal Services also responded and took possession of a dog that was in the residence. An out-of-state victim notification was conducted. A Police report was completed

Thursday: Chief Doughney was the guest speaker at this week's meeting of the Flagler Beach Rotary Club, which was held at Santa Mari Del Mar Church; in Father O'Flaherty Hall. The meeting started at 8:00 a.m. and concluded at 9:00 a.m. After the meeting concluded, a 4th of July parade meeting with the Rotarians was held to discuss logistics for this year's parade. The meeting concluded at 9:45 a.m. Deputy Chief Blanchette attended two (2) meetings for the Family Life Center (FLC), from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The first meeting was with the Finance Committee, the second was with the Executive Board of Directors. Chief Doughney assisted dayshift Patrol with parking enforcement during lunchtime, issuing four (4) City parking citations. Lastly, Chief Doughney attended a "United Flagler 4th" planning meeting at Palm Coast City Hall, from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Monthly Training: Officers worked on their May 2024 online monthly training through Police Law Institute. This month's topic is; **Mobile Home and Motor Home Law.**

FP&L Webinar: On Wednesday, from 10:00 a.m. to 10:40 a.m., Chief Doughney participated in an online webinar, hosted by Florida Power and Light (FP&L). The webinar was titled; "Responding to life, death and personal injury emergencies" and the webinar provided safety tips in advance of this year's Atlantic Storm season.

Kiwanis Club Award: Chief Doughney attended an award ceremony held at Pine Lakes Golf Club in Palm Coast, from 11:45 to 1:30 p.m. The Flagler Kiwanis Club, for the past eighteen (18) years, have recognized Law Enforcement Officers from Flagler Beach, Bunnell and the Flagler County Sheriff Office. The annual award ceremony is held in May, to coincide with National Police Week, and our Department's recipient as "Officer of the Year" for 2024 is Officer Maria Guerrero. Chief Doughney graciously accepted the award on Officer Guerrero's behalf, and the award will be presented to Officer Guerrero at the May 23rd regular meeting of our City Commission.

New Police Officer: On Monday, May 13th, Officer Johnny Saunders started his career with the Flagler Beach Police Department. Sergeant Bingham took Officer Saunders to the Flagler County Archery and Gun Club on Monday, May 13th in order to qualify him with his duty weapon, so he can begin his field training on Wednesday, May 15th. Officer Saunders has twenty-three (23) years of Law Enforcement experience with the Wilmington, Delaware Police Department and we're looking forward to his experience yielding positive dividends for our Department and our community. Welcome aboard Officer Saunders!



City of Flagler Beach

Water Treatment Plant



To: Dale Martin, City Manager

From: Jim Ramer, Water Plant Superintendent

Subject: Monthly Report for April 2024

May 1, 2024

In April, we produced 17,502,000 gallons of drinking water. This amount was 118,000 gallons less than the amount we treated in March. The rainfall for February was 2.90 inches. We used 2,800 Gallons at the plant and used 16,032 Gallons for irrigation. The fire department used 25,000 gallons. Flushed the North End of town due to low chlorine residual. We used 729,000 gallons. We flushed Lakeshore Dr. due to low chlorine residual. We used 7,636 gallons.

We have routine duties that we perform every day on each of our shifts. We collect samples every hour to make sure we keep the chemistry of the drinking water within the parameters for DEP. We regularly perform over 200 tests on the City water and raw water daily between the three shifts. We do routine plant maintenance. We mow the plant grounds. We collect monthly Well samples for statics and drawdowns for St. Johns River Water Management. We keep daily records for our monthly reports that are required to be turned in to the Department of Environmental Protection Agency. We also do quarterly reports for DEP on disinfection byproducts. We have the midnight shift flush the trains with high pH permeate water. We do yearly TTHM and HAA5 tests. We clean both de-gasifiers every two weeks.

DEP requires us to take five bacteriological samples from the distribution system monthly, according to our population. All samples passed on April 9th.

I have Santiago performing weekly vehicle checks. He checks all the fluids such as Brake fluid, windshield wiper fluid, transmission fluid, and all the lights.

The staff worked on the cooling system on the VFD at Well 14. Ehab had to change fans on the VFD. That saved the City around \$7,000 for a new VFD.

We collected our monthly Bacteriological test and our quarterly VOC, SOC and RADS.

We collected a quote on a new truck that needs to be replaced on next year's Budget.

We collected our monthly Wells and plant meter readings.

James Mesuita gave me his three weeks' notice of employment. Leaving for St Johns county better pay.

We worked on Well 12 VFD.

Ehab switched handles on Degasifier valves.

A new trainee Austin Albrecht started on April 22nd.

