

**FLAGLER BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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Chief's Weekly Report

From: Friday		9/20/2024		To: Thursday		9/26/2024	
Calls For Service	79	Felony Arrest	0	Reports Written	21	Citations Issued	31
Self-Initiated	27	Misd. Arrest	4	Comm. Policing	19	Warnings (Written/Verbal)	38/7
Traffic Stops	76	City Ordinance	10	Security Checks	235		

Chief's Weekly Summary

Friday: 9/20/24 @ 8:49 a.m. / Suspicious Person / 2024-00017525 / 1316 South Ocean Shore Boulevard: While on patrol an officer observed a white female walking through the alleyway behind the old Lazy Hours Motel. After circling the block the female disappeared. The female was located at the motel and had a cart of belongings. She advised she was staying there for a few days. The property manager was contacted and requested the female trespass from the property. No further action was taken.

Friday: 9/20/24 @ 4:55 a.m. / Crash w/ Injuries / 2024-00017550 / 215 South Ocean Shore Boulevard: Officers responded in reference to a silver Honda Elantra VS a bicycle. It appears the male on the bicycle was eastbound crossing at the crosswalk. The Hyundai stopped at the crosswalk, then continued southbound on A1A, then continued and crashed into the bicycle that was fully in the crosswalk. FHP was notified due to the male on the bicycle was called as a trauma alert due to head trauma. The male was airlifted to Halifax Hospital. The investigation was turned over to FHP.

Friday: Dayshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following locations and times;
 1880 Block North Ocean Shore Boulevard from 6:58 a.m. to 7:58 a.m. (Traffic Enforcement) No violations were observed.

Friday: 9-20-24 @ 6:52 p.m. / Trespassing / #24-00017551 / 1 Henry Circle: Officers responded to a report of a female sleeping on the property, and the caller wanted her trespass. The female was located and escorted off the property.

Friday: 9-20-24 @ 9:26 p.m. / Noise Complaint / #24-00017560 / 1112 South Oceanshore Boulevard: Officer responded to a live music report at the business. Contact was made, and there was no live music at this location. No police action was needed.

Friday: 9-20-24 @ 10:34 p.m. / Drunk Driver / #24-00017564 / 2600 Moody Boulevard: An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a motorcycle for speed. The investigation resulted in the driver being taken into custody and transported to the inmate facility without incident. Additionally, a police report was completed.

Friday: 9-21-24 @ 12:48 a.m. / Disturbance Physical (DV) / #24-00017574 / 319 Moody Boulevard: Officers responded to a report of a fight in the parking lot. The investigation resulted in DV charges being generated. Additionally, a police report was completed.

Friday: 9-21-24 @ 2:08 a.m. / Disturbance Physical / #24-00017577 / 319 Moody Boulevard: Officers responded to a report of a fight in the parking lot. The investigation resulted in the victim refusing to prosecute anyone involved. The proper paperwork was completed, in addition to a police report.

Saturday: 9/21/24 @ 11:31 a.m. / Suspicious Incident / 2024-00017619 / 1400 North Ocean Shore Boulevard: Officers responded to a call of an older white male who went into the ocean swimming but had not returned after an hour and a half. The male was located a short while later on the beach at 12th Street walking back to 14th Street where his car was.

Saturday: 9/21/24 @ 12:33 p.m. / Suspicious Incident / 2024-00017621 / 252 Ocean Palm Drive: Officers responded in reference to a boat possibly in distress on the west side of the ICW. Upon arrival, the boat was seen with a male in the water pulling the boat into deeper water. FCSO marine unit responded, but upon arrival, the boat had already left the area and was heading southbound. No further action was taken.

Saturday: 9-21-24 @ 5:59 p.m. / Crash Hit and Run / #24-00017629 / 200 block South Oceanshore Boulevard: Officer responded to a report of a crash hit and run of a parked car. The owner was located and advised they did not wish to file any reports. No police action was needed.

Saturday: 9-21-24 @ 10:33 p.m. / Drunk Driver / #24-00017655 / 2600 Moody Boulevard: An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a Truck for speed. The investigation resulted in the driver being taken into custody and transported to the inmate facility without incident. Additionally, a police report was completed. See below for additional information.

Saturday: 9-21-24 @ 11:48 a.m. / Baker Act / #24-00017662 / 600 block South Oceanshore Boulevard: Officers responded to a report of a male who needed assistance. The investigation resulted in the male being taken into custody and transported to Halifax for treatment. Additionally, a police report was completed.

Sunday: 9/22/24 @ 7:07 a.m. / Residential Burglar Alarm / 2024-00017690 / 1500 Lambert Avenue: Officer responded in reference to an alarm called in by Alarm Pro. Upon arrival, the officer contacted the homeowner, who had been identified by his ID. The owner advised that he accidentally set off the alarm but put the proper code in after. No further action was taken.

Sunday: 9/22/24 @ 8:47 a.m. / Disturbance Verbal / 2024-00017693 / 2139 North Ocean Shore Boulevard: Officers responded in reference to a verbal disturbance between a male and female over the door being locked and the male not being able to access the common home. The

male, at one point, slapped a phone out of the female's hand, and the female slapped keys out of the male's hand. Both advised that there was nothing physical between the two of them other than the items being knocked out of each other's hands. The female advised she was going to work, and they would be separated for the rest of the day. Police report completed.

Sunday: 9/22/24 @ 12:23 p.m. / Civil / 2024-00017702 / 126 Oak Lane: Officer responded in reference to a female calling in because her neighbor's father was blocking the swale with concrete blocks. Upon arrival, the male had left the area. A few small concrete blocks were seen at the edge of the driveway in the swale. Contact was made with the male, and he was advised that he could not block the swale. The male removed the concrete blocks.

Sunday: 9/22/24 @ 3:08 p.m. / Security Check / 2024-00017710 / 111 South Daytona Avenue: Officer conducted a security check at the Compass Hotel complex and found more tagging that was near the previous tag. We are not sure if it is new or part of the previous incident. At this time an email was sent with the other pictures of the tags. The whole complex was checked with no other tags found.

Sunday 9-22-24 @ 6:34 p.m. / Animal Complaint / #24-00017724 / 1000 block South Oceanshore Boulevard: Officer responded to a report of a dog at large on the beach. The Officer had previously verbally warned the dog's owner of the leash law (9-22-24 @ 6:04 p.m.). The owner was cited for a violation, and proper paperwork was completed.

Sunday: 9-22-24 @ 11:10 p.m. / Trespassing / #24-00017740 / 2200 Moody Boulevard: While securing the park, an Officer located a subject. The Officer trespassed the subject and advised him to leave. The subject refused to go, and when the Officer attempted to take the subject into custody, he resisted. The subject was eventually taken into custody. The male was taken to Advent for an injury and then transported to the inmate facility. Additionally, a police report was completed.

Monday: 9/23/24 @ 9:17 a.m. / Narcotics / Case # 2024-00017778 / 1200 North Oceanshore Boulevard: A bale of marijuana washed up on shore. It was submitted into evidence for destruction. A case report was completed.

Monday: 9/23/24 @ 9:28 a.m. / Reckless Driver / Case # 2024-00017780 / 1600 North Oceanshore Boulevard: A motorcycle traveling south on A1A from this location that was all over the road & dragging its kickstand. A traffic stop was conducted in the 600 block of South Oceanshore Boulevard and the driver was found to be operating the motorcycle without a valid license. He was taken into custody without incident & transported to the Inmate Facility. A case report was completed.

Monday: 9/23/24 @ 12:44 p.m. / Property Found / Case # 2024-00017781 / 204 South Flagler Avenue, FBPD: A phone was found on the beach and turned into the lobby. It was submitted into evidence for safekeeping. A case report was completed.

Monday: Dayshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following locations and times;

3500 South Oceanshore Boulevard, 8:15 AM - 9:00 AM, no violations observed.

2200 Moody Boulevard, 2:15 PM - 2:45 PM, no violations observed.

3500 South Oceanshore Boulevard, 3:00 PM - 3:45 PM, three (3) traffic stops, two (2) written warnings, and one (1) verbal warning.

Monday: 09/23/24 @ 9:59 p.m. / Welfare Check/ 2024-00017807 / 1778 N. Central Avenue: Officers were dispatched in reference to a welfare check on an 87-year-old male. The RP was his sister, who advised that she talks to him on the phone every day; however, today, he did not answer his phone. Contact was made with the subject, who was well. He was advised to call the RP.

Monday: 09/24/24 @ 2:48 a.m. / Security Check / 2024-00017820 / 400 Beach Village Drive (Hi Tulip Cafe): While conducting a security check on the business, the rear door was found unsecured. There were no signs of forced entry or anything suspicious located. The door was able to be secured.

Monday: Offer Luttrell, the newest member of the Police Department, began his road training phase with his first Field Training Officer, Officer Guerrero.

Tuesday: 9/24/24 @ 9:23 a.m. / Trespassing / Case # 2024-00017842 / 201 South Flagler Avenue, Beachside Laundromat: Homeless female on scene causing issues with staff. She was issued a trespass warning and left the property without incident.

Tuesday: 9/24/24 @ 9:28 a.m. / Commercial Vehicle Fire / Case # 2024-00017843 / Clubhouse Drive @ South Oceanshore Boulevard: The large drilling machine that is being used for the seawall project caught fire due to a hydraulic leak. FBPD & VCSO shut down A1A for approximately two (2) hours while the fire was extinguished by Station 11 & Station 16.

Tuesday: 9/24/24 @ 10:27 a.m. / Larceny Follow-up / Case # 2024-00017797 / 337 12th Street North: New details were provided from the homeowner & victim in this case. A supplement report was completed and the information was passed along to the investigating Officer.

Tuesday: 9/24/24 @ 10:42 a.m. / Fraud / Case # 2024-00017846 / 300 4th Street North: Two (2) stolen checks were issued to the reporting party for rent payments. The checks were stolen out of Volusia County which has already completed its investigation. A case report was completed and a charging affidavit will be completed to be sent to the State Attorney's Office for review.

Tuesday: 9/24/24 @ 12:57 p.m. / Verbal Disturbance / Case # 2024-00017848 / 159 Lantana Avenue: The reporting party heard a male & female arguing while out on a walk. She did not hear any threats being made or see any physical violence. Officers attempted contact at the residence but no one came to the door.

Tuesday: 9/24/24 @ 1:32 p.m. / Crash Hit & Run No Injury / Case # 2024-00017849 / 611 North Oceanshore Boulevard, FB Winery: Delayed from Monday evening. Two (2) vehicles were involved with no injuries and one (1) of the vehicles left the area after the crash. Officers were able to review video footage and identify the suspect vehicle utilizing our LPR system. A long-form was completed.

Tuesday: 9/24/24 @ 4:23 p.m. / Animal Bite / Case # 2024-00017852 / 401 North Oceanshore Boulevard, Sally's Ice Cream: A female was bitten on the leg by a small dog. A case report was completed and notifications were made.

Tuesday: Dayshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following locations and times; 1800 North Oceanshore Boulevard, 8:15 AM - 8:45 AM, no violations observed.

Tuesday: 09/24/24 @ 6:32 p.m. / Welfare Check/ 2024-00017855 / 2200 Moody Blvd. (Wadsworth Park): RP reported that a young female was lying on the ground and passed out. When the RP checked on the female, she woke up and began walking away. The RP asked if she needed medical assistance, which she declined. The RP wanted the police to check on her. Officers walked the area but could not locate the female. There were several people present due to a youth soccer game going on. No other people reported seeing the female in question.

Tuesday: 09/24/24 @ 9:09 p.m. / Property Damage / 2024-00017861 / 1848 S. Oceanshore Blvd. (Oceanside Grill): Officer was dispatched in reference to a vehicle that suffered damage from a parking lot curb stop. Contact was made with the driver of the vehicle, who advised that the curb stop had a piece of rebar protruding out of it. The rebar caught her bumper after pulling too far forward and damaged the vehicle. A case number was provided to the driver and the manager of the business was notified. A case report was completed.

Tuesday: 09/25/24 @ 12:20 a.m. / Business Alarm / 2024-00017866/ 105 Moody Blvd Unit E: Officers responded to a commercial burglar alarm. The building was secure, and no signs of forced entry were observed. The business owner arrived on the scene and checked inside the business. She advised that a sensor had fallen from a window, which triggered the alarm. The alarm was false, and no further action was taken.

Tuesday: 09/25/24 @ 3:05 a.m. / Unsecured Building / 2024-00017875 / 914 S. Oceanshore Blvd.: Officers were conducting a security check at a listed house watch when they observed a neighboring residence with an open garage. Officers were familiar with the homeowners (The Hagmans) and agreed that this was very unusual for them. Dispatch was able to call the homeowners and had them step outside. They advised that they must have inadvertently left the garage open and were grateful we contacted them so they could close it.

Tuesday: 09/25/24 @ 4:02 a.m. / Shoplifter / 2024-00017884 / 408 S. Oceanshore Blvd (711): Officers were dispatched to 711 in reference to an unknown suspect who filled a cup at the soda fountain and departed the business without paying for it. The suspect left the area on a bicycle heading north. Officers BOLO'd the area; however, he was not located. The clerk completed a sworn written statement and was provided a case number. The clerk advised that she has to contact the business owner in the morning to inquire if he wants to prosecute. This case will be pending further investigation. A case report was completed.

Tuesday: Nightshift Officers conducted proactive traffic enforcement at the following locations and times; 1800 block of N. Oceanshore Blvd. from 0244 hours to 0304 hours, no violations observed.

Tuesday: Deputy Chief Blanchette attended the special meeting workshop of the City Commission at City Hall from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. regarding the possible annexation of Veranda Bay.

Wednesday: 9/25/24 @ 6:32 p.m. / Larceny / 2024-00017917 / Beachfront Motel: 1544 S. Ocean Shore Blvd.

Preliminary investigation revealed that a former motel manager allegedly stole more than \$20k in petty cash over the course of a year. When the motel owner learned of the discrepancy, he confronted the suspect. The suspect, citing a breach of contract, immediately resigned. The victim is involved in a number of civil issues against the suspect; he is represented by an attorney. His attorney suggested he contact the police regarding the aforementioned criminal aspect (the alleged larceny). Attempts have been made to contact the suspect, but her whereabouts are unknown. She presumably resides in the Daytona Beach area. A case report was generated.

Wednesday: 9/25/24 @ 11:43 a.m. / Suspicious Vehicle/ 2024-00017905 / 2500 block Palm Avenue. Police were dispatched to a suspicious vehicle that was legally parked in the 2500 block. Further investigation revealed that the registered owner was working on his new residence, located across the street from where he parked his vehicle. No crime was committed.

Wednesday: 9/25/24 @ 5:13 p.m. / Suspicious Incident / 2024-00017918 / Truist Bank: 2410 Moody Blvd. An investigation revealed that an unknown female juvenile telephoned the bank asking if it was okay for her to rob it. No other details were mentioned. The bank employee brought the matter to their security staff, who later advised the police of the aforementioned. Police made several attempts to call the suspect, which contained a local area code. The first attempt resulted in a person answering the phone but not saying anything; that person then terminated the call. The subsequent attempts resulted in busy signals. Investigative efforts were used to determine the caller's identity and location. It is suspected that a spoofing application was utilized, which is a program used to misrepresent the caller's personal information and whereabouts.

Wednesday: 9-25-24 @ 6:00 p.m. / 911 Hang-up / #24-00017919 / 2568 Block South Oceanshore Boulevard: An officer responded to a report of a 911 hang-up. The area was checked, and no emergency was located.

Wednesday: 9-25-24 @ 11:11 p.m. / Suspicious Incident / #24-00017934 / 2140 South Flagler Avenue: Officers responded to a report of a subject walking around the home. Officers checked the area with negative results.

Wednesday: 9-26-24 @ 12:02 a.m. / 911 Hang-up / #24-00017939 / 1628 South Daytona Avenue: Officers responded to a report of a 911 hang-up. Contact was made with the caller, who advised he accidentally dialed. No emergency, he said.

Wednesday: 9-26-24 @ 2:34 a.m. / Animal Bite / #24-00017942 / 408 South Oceanshore Boulevard: Officers responded to a dog bite report. They contacted the RP, who stated she reached into the car, and her daughter's dog bit her hand. All needed paperwork was completed and faxed. Additionally, a police report was completed.

Thursday: 9/26/24 @ 8:08 a.m. / Ordinance Violation / 2024-00017955 / South Ocean Shore Boulevard @ 23rd Street South (On Beach): Officer responded reference to two white males on the beach making sandbags with beach sand. Upon arrival, the two males had already left the area, but a concerned citizen advised the males were on South Central Avenue and provided an address. Contact was made with the males who had about 15 sandbags in the back of a truck. The males admitted to taking the sand but did not know they were not allowed. The males returned the sand to the beach where it was taken from. No further action was taken.

Thursday: 9/26/24 @ 8:58 a.m. / Suspicious Person / 2024-00017957 / 2656 Ocean Shore Boulevard: Officers responded in reference to an elderly male who came up from the beach acting strange and appeared confused. Upon arrival, contact was made with the male who did not know where he was and was not talking. The male appeared that he was in the ocean and had cuts and scrapes. The male was turned over to Flagler County Fire Rescue and transported to Advent South for treatment.

Thursday: 9/26/24 @ 9:49 a.m. / Welfare Check / 2024-00017963 / 805 Ocean Marina Drive: Officers responded to a request to contact the caller's father, whom the caller has not been able to reach. Upon arrival, officers were attempting to make contact when a neighbor advised that the male had left in his vehicle. The caller was called back and advised.

Thursday: 9/26/24 @ 3:26 p.m. / Water Rescue / 2024-00017971 / North Ocean Shore Boulevard @ 3rd Street North (On Beach): Officers and the fire department responded to two female teens who appeared to be in trouble trying to swim, per the reporter. Upon arrival, two female teens were located in the area but were not in trouble; they were playing in the waves. No further action was required.

Thursday: Dayshift Officers conducted Operation Piggybank: Due to yesterday's Suspicious Incident at Truist Bank, Officers utilized a spare police vehicle as a ghost car and parked it in the bank parking lot. The vehicle was moved several times throughout the shift, so it appeared that an officer was at the bank.

Thursday: The Day and night Shift Officers working today underwent ballistic shield training, which Officer Schoenbrod conducted. This training consisted of learning techniques and skills to effectively use and navigate dangerous situations using cover from our newly purchased ballistic shield. All Patrol personnel will be trained in this new, potentially lifesaving equipment.

Thursday: Deputy Chief Blanchette attended tonight's abbreviated City Commission meeting. The Commission only approved budget items.

Thursday: 9-26-24 @ 6:36 p.m. / Notification-Welfare Check / #24-00017975 / 3400 Block South Oceanshore Boulevard: Officers responded to a report of several surfers going out in the ocean, and now the caller can't find them. They checked the area, and due to the ocean current, they were in the 2200 block. No police action was needed.

Thursday: 9-27-24 @ 1:28 a.m. / Assist Public / #24-00017984 / 2002 South Daytona Avenue: Officers responded to a report of a trampoline that flew away due to high winds from the storm. Officers were able to move the trampoline and secure it for the night.