



MEDINA POLICE DEPARTMENT

DATE: April 11, 2022
TO: Interim City Manager Stephen R. Burns
FROM: Acting Chief Jeffrey R. Sass
RE: Police Department Update – March 2022

The following is a summary highlighting some of the Medina Police Department activity in March 2022.

Follow-up Items from March Meeting: A few items that have been addressed from last month's meeting are:

- Councilmember Jennifer Garone requested that a notice be sent out to all building development contractors in the city. Rob Kilmer with Development Services sent a letter from the Police Department to encourage them to help keep the city's streets safe by reducing their speeds and to watch out for walkers, cyclists, and pets.
- Councilmember Bob Zook requested that a speed limit sign be added to the digital speed signs. We are working with Director Ryan Osada to have this completed. Below is a picture taken of a digital speed sign in the City of Bellevue with the speed limit posted above which will be a model for us to follow when implementing our signs shortly.



Catalytic Converter Task Force: Interim Chief Jeff Sass represented the City of Medina at a media presentation of the Eastside Task Force for Catalytic Converters. The event was hosted by the Bellevue Police Department and several local news channels were in attendance. The task force, consisting of eight Eastside law enforcement agencies as well as the King County Sheriff's Office, will share information and resources to address the growing and costly problem for vehicle owners who spend thousands of dollars replacing a stolen catalytic converter.

Catalytic converters are devices that transform the toxic exhaust gases from internal combustion engines into pollutants that are less toxic. Converters are sold for the precious metals that are inside the muffler, including platinum, palladium, and rhodium.



Marine Patrol: Mercer Island Marine Patrol started off the month of March training ten new Marine Patrol Officers that will be attending the Marine Patrol Academy in April and May. Officers spent time on the vessels and were shown the jurisdictions that are patrolled and areas of direct patrolling. Medina residents may have seen their patrols vessels practicing vessel stops just south of the 520 Bridge. They also began their yearly buoy survey and will start replacing missing buoys over the next two months in preparation for the boating season.

The Marine Patrol had no calls for service for Medina but did hose off the floating dock twice this month due to the geese gathering on the dock.



Medina Emergency Radio Group: An additional emergency operations center radio antenna was installed on the City Hall roofline, increasing the radio coverage and signal strength for the radios used during an emergency. The existing aging radio antenna was also replaced, adding additional signal strength to the emergency radio system.

Save the Date (s):

1. Shredder/Drug-Take-Back/E-recycle is set for April 23rd from 9A-12N at Medina Park.
2. Emergency Preparedness Committee Virtual Meeting, Wednesday, April 13, 4P-5:30P.



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MONTHLY SUMMARY
MARCH 2022



FELONY CRIMES

Nothing to report.

MISDEMEANOR CRIMES

Hit and Run Collision	2022-00000912	03/01/2022
A Police Officer was notified of a city streetlight being struck by an unknown vehicle in the 8600 Block of Lake Washington Boulevard. There is no time frame when this had occurred.		

Domestic Violence	2022-00001194	03/22/2022
A Police Officer responded to a reported domestic violence call.		

OTHER

Warrant Arrest	2022-00000945	03/07/2022
A Police Officer was dispatched to the 7700 Block of NE 24 th St for report of a suspicious subject. The officer conducted a record's check on the individual that returned with a warrant with the Department of Corrections. The subject was placed into custody and booked into the Score Jail.		



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City of Medina



March 2022 - Monthly Report

CRIMES	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Burglary	0	1	2	13
Vehicle Prowl	0	3	4	13
Vehicle Theft	0	3	0	2
Theft (mail & all other)	0	1	5	15
ID Theft/Fraud	0	3	4	11
Malicious Mischief (Vandalism)	0	1	1	6
Domestic Violence/Violation of No Contact Order	1	2	1	10
Disturbance, Harassment & Non-DV Assault	1	3	5	17
TOTAL CRIMES	2	17	22	87

COMMUNITY POLICING	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Drug Violations - Referrals to Treatment	0	0	0	1
Community Assists	4	27	25	116
House Watch Checks	49	157	135	548
School Zone	24	72	51	304
Mental Health	3	8	4	49
TOTAL ENFORCEMENT	80	264	215	1018

TRAFFIC	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Collisions				
Injury	0	0	0	0
Non-Injury	1	3	6	18
Non-Reportable	0	0	N/A	N/A
Traffic Stops				
Citations/Infractions/Parking	48	99	23	171
Warnings	152	413	102	1808
Directed Patrol	18	49	120	488
TOTAL TRAFFIC	219	564	251	2485

CALLS FOR SERVICE	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Animal Complaints	3	11	9	33
Residential Alarms	21	57	41	242
Missing Persons	0	1	2	9
Suspicious Activity/Area Checks	15	49	41	304
Medical Call/Assist Fire Department	3	7	13	47
Juvenile (underage party, substance use, etc.)	0	1	4	11
TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE	42	126	110	646

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Town of Hunts Point



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CRIMES	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Burglary	0	0	0	1
Vehicle Prowl	0	0	0	1
Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	2
Theft (mail & all other)	0	1	1	3
ID Theft/Fraud	0	0	1	1
Malicious Mischief (Vandalism)	0	0	0	2
Domestic Violence/Violation of No Contact Order	0	0	2	2
Disturbance, Harassment & Non-DV Assault	0	2	1	1
TOTAL CRIMES	0	3	5	13

COMMUNITY POLICING	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Drug Violations - Referrals to Treatment	0	0	0	0
Community Assists	0	1	1	11
House Watch Checks	6	21	20	66
Mental Health	2	2	3	5
TOTAL ENFORCEMENT	8	24	24	82

TRAFFIC	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Collisions				
Injury	0	0	0	0
Non-Injury	0	0	0	1
Non-Reportable	0	0	0	0
Traffic Stops				
Citations/Infractions/Parking	14	24	5	28
Warnings	27	71	17	187
Directed Patrol	3	11	15	38
TOTAL TRAFFIC	44	106	37	254

CALLS FOR SERVICE	Current Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021	Year-End 2021
Animal Complaints	0	1	0	5
Residential Alarms	0	8	4	24
Missing Persons	0	0	0	0
Suspicious Activity/Area Checks	0	4	5	33
Medical Call/Assist Fire Department	2	2	2	2
Juvenile (underage party, substance use, etc.)	0	0	0	1
TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE	2	15	11	65

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2022 Burglaries & Vehicle Prowls Medina & Hunts Point

