POLICE REPORT FOR COUNCIL MEETING 5-11-2009

STATS:

Calls for service83
On Views1326
Miles Driven5755
Tickets669
Arrest 20
Traffic Arrest13
DWI1
Harris County Warrant (theft)1
Public Intoxication1
Urinating in Public1
Poss of Marijuana2
Fict. MVI1

On Monday 5-11-2009, the Shoreacres Police Department Code Enforcement Officer David Newman and I will go through the city with the list of homes that received a letter from us about trash in yards. That list will be checked against the list of people who have contacted me at City Hall stating they needed more time and or working on the problem. The residents that have not contacted City Hall are cleaned up the trash are demolition debris will receive a citation for the Municipal Court of the City of Shoreacres. Those residents that have called and requested more time will be given two more weeks and if nothing has appeared to have been cleaned up will get a citation.

Officer Dodeus Manolescu has given me verbal notice that he will be leaving the Shoreacres Police Department effective the 18th or 25th of this month. He will be going to work with the Port of Houston Police Department because of a much better pension system, more pay and better benefits. We will be loosing one of the finest police officers to ever work for the Shoreacres Police Department. We will also be loosing his valuable expertise in the Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division. Officer C. (Missy) Newman will take over the Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division. She has already been approved by the state and meets all requirements to work DOT. She was trained ahead of time for just this type of event.

Randall J. French Chief of Police City of Shoreacres

April 2009 Monthly Comparison - This Month/Last Month

	CATEGORY	04/09	03/09	Change
Index	Assaults*	0	1	-1
Crimes	Burglary of Habitation	1	1	0
&	Burglary of Vehicle	0	1	-1
Calls	Burglary of Building	1	0	1
For	Theft	4	6	-2
Service	Auto Theft	0	0	0
	Criminal Mischief	2	2	0
	Criminal Trespassing	0	0	0
	Disorderly Conduct/Harassment	2	0	2
	Intoxicated Person/DWI/Drugs	2	5	-3
	Arson	0	0	0
	Auto Accidents	0	2	-2
	Arrest	20	19	1
	Assist EMS/Fire	6	4	2
	Alarm	2	4	-2
	9-1-1 Hang Ups	3	3	0
	Suspicious Person/Vehicle	16	17	-1
	Animal Calls	1	4	-3
	Assist OLEA	10	10	0
	Miscellaneous Calls	26	30	-4
	All Calls for Service	83	93	-10
	Total Acitivity	177	202	-25

^{*}Includes, but not limited to cases of Family Violence and assaultive Offenses

Cases Closed This Month

Cases	Cases	%
Reported	Closed	Closed
28	21	75.00%

Shoreacres Police Department Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Unit 2009 Weekly Statistics

Unit #: 906 / 907/ 908

DATE	BOQ	ВОР	DGM	TOTALS
LEVEL 1	12	23		35
LEVEL 2	29	8		37
WEIGHED				0
HAZ MAT	2	8		10
OTHER BULK	2			2
CARGO TANK		13		13
DRIVER VIOL	8	14		22
TRUCK VIOL	147	40		187
TRAILER VIOL	97	37		134
WEIGHT VIOL				0
DRIVER OOS				0
TRUCK OOS	16	4		20
TRAILER OOS	10	3		13
DOT CITATIONS	42	13		55
WEIGHT CITATION	-			0
CITY CITATIONS	24	6		30
ACCIDENTS				0
CALLS	1			1
ASSIST	42	7		49
REPORTS	3			3
ARRESTS	2			2
DOT DAYS	18	12		30

DAILY AVERAGE

2.4

APRIL



May 4, 2009

To: Chief Randall J. French

From: Cpl. Dodeus Manolescu

Re: Two week notice

Dear Chief French,

It is with a heavy heart that I am writing this letter as notice of end of service under your command at Shoreacres Police Department. I am currently processing with the Port of Houston Authority Police Department where I can provide better benefits for myself and my family.

I am making this decision not because I am not happy where I am, what I am doing or in any way disgruntled. I am only doing this because our present retirement is not very good. Our benefits for after retirement are not going to be enough to make it. I had hoped to see improvement in our benefits, but with Hurricane Ike having struck, and cause a blow to the city taxes, I see the additional delay in our retirement increasing, and or our benefits.

I want to thank you for giving me the chance to work under your experienced command and guidance. It has been an honor to serve you and your command. I thank you for the job entrusted to me, and the free hand to perform the job and duties entrusted to me by you.

It is an honor to work with a great group of officers under your command, and will apply all new acquired skills in the future.

I have advised the Port of Houston that I wish to give my current employer two week notice prior to ending my employment, and this letter is that notice as long as nothing changes. As per our conversation I reserve the right to withdraw this letter and my last day tentatively would be during the week of May 18, 2009 and May 22, 2009.

Sincerely,

Dodeus P. Manolescu Corporal, Badge #906

Shoreacres Police Department

Commercial Vehicle Enforcement

As per our conversation Lakeview is planning to go to the 800mzh radio system in July. The UHF radios we are now using will not work. I asked Sgt. Bianchino to check some prices for us on the new 800mzh radio and attached is the best price we have been able to find. When I spoke with Chief Savage from Lakeview dispatch he stated if all goes well the hope to have the new system up and running in July of this year. Any new radios we buy will need a shoulder microphone and a few extra batteries. We have chargers already.

Chief R. J. French

700mhz and 800mhz radio systems and radios

Spoke with Harris County Regional Radio Chief director David Dodson today. Dodson advised Harris County does not rent radios anymore as they did in the past. However, he did say the new 700 mhz system will go on-line May 12th this year. And the two systems 700 and 800 will continue to run together until 2012 when mandated by FCC that all agencies use 700mhz digital. At that time 800mhz will be disbanded.

I spoke with Lone Mountain Communications in Nevada where we have purchased used radios before. They have in stock refurbished 800mhz portables and mobiles at a great price and with warranty.

Motorola MTS 2000 portable(handheld) radio \$400 each

Motorola MCS 2000 mobile(car) radio \$400 each

We currently have the following 800mhz radios in use:

8 Motorola MTS 2000 portable radios.