



City of Marco Island

Meeting Date: March, 2018
To: City Council
From: Chief Al Schettino
Through: Gil Polanco, City Manager
Re: March 2018 Monthly City Council Report



Sergeant Haueter, Governor Rick Scott and Chief Schettino at school safety press conference



Congratulations to MIPD's newest Sergeant Kyle Kreiss, a twelve Year law enforcement veteran



Chief Schettino honors Officers Hernandez and Stafford at City Council Meeting for saving a life



MIPD participates at the Chamber of Commerce Business Expo at Mackle Park



Family Church of Marco conducts community service project, cleaning ALL MIPD Vehicles

EVENTS

- Chief Schettino and Sergeant Mark Haueter attended a press conference, where Governor Rick Scott announced his School Safety Bill providing additional resources to bolster school security on March 2nd, 2018.
- That same morning, Officers joined students at Tommie Barfield Elementary School for Read Across America Day celebrating with a green eggs and ham breakfast.
- Officers Hernandez and Stafford received a life saving proclamation from the City on March 5th. The award was for the officers' lifesaving efforts.
- A ceremony was held for Kyle Kreis as he was promoted to Sergeant on March 8th
- The MIPD participated in the Marco Island Chamber of Commerce Business Expo held on March 13th at Mackle Park.
- The Family Church conducted a community service project on March 17th, washing and cleaning all MIPD vehicles.
- Sergeant Hector Diaz, an original member of MIPD, was honored with a Lifesaving Proclamation and medal at the March 19th City Council Meeting.
- The Code Compliance Magistrate Hearing was held March 27th. A total of 22 cases were heard.
- On March 29th Chief Schettino, Captain Baer, Adam Nelson and Chief Murphy lead a discussion for all city employees regarding active shooter work place safety.
- On March 19, 2018, Marco Island City Council passed Resolution 18-22 which provided for the hiring of three (3) additional officers to augment and strengthen security and safety coverage of the public schools located within the City of Marco Island at an approximate cost of \$300,000 (includes salary, benefits and equipment). In April 2018, the Police Department intends to purchase three additional police vehicles utilizing the Florida Sheriff's Association Cooperative Purchasing Program (State Contract). This purchase is required to keep current fleet / staff balances and provided for routine or mission based as well as emergency deployments. Funding for these purchases will be facilitated by the funds allocated by Resolution 18-22, and if necessary, the City's Capital Replacement program. No additional funding will be requested.

**Detective Bureau Monthly Report
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INVESTIGATIONS:

Case Follow Ups: 27

SIGNIFICANT CASE INFORMATION/INCIDENTS:

MIPD180156 Theft of Fishing equipment 1170 Edington Pl 03 01 2018: Theft of fishing equipment left outside, no video surveillance or suspect information. *No witnesses or suspects. Case is inactive.*

MIPD180160 BATTERY DV PERSON 65 486 PEPPERWOOD CT 3 02 2019: *Arrested-Female subject transported to NJC battery over 65, suspect of 17-0949 Case. SAO filed charges.*

MIPD180166 Theft 960 Chalmers Dr 030518 : Stolen trailer tag FL PC422X, entered into FCIC/NCIC. *No witnesses or suspects. Case is inactive.*

MIPD180168 Trespass Warning 826 E Elkcam 03 06 2018: *Male subject trespassed from Sand Bar.*

MIPD180169 Information 1401 Trinidad Ave 03062018: *MICMS Student being threatened via texts, Parents and parties involved interviewed, no direct threats made.*

MIPD180171 Information 51 Bald Eagle Dr 03 07 2018: House listed on Craigslist unbeknownst to owner, fraudulent emails and numbers checked via TLO search. *No witnesses or suspects. Case is inactive.*

MIPD180182 Information 51 Bald Eagle Dr 03132018: *Civil contractor dispute about flooring, case closed.*

MIPD180185 DUI Resisting W/O Violence 599 S Collier Blvd 03 13 2018: *Video of suspect obtained and investigation is continuing. SAO charges pending.*

MIPD180186 GRAND THEFT 900 S COLLIER 03142018: *Grand Theft of iPhone from Sunset Grill – traced to Naples apartment complex. CCSO assisted with follow-up. No witnesses or suspects. Case is inactive*

MIPD180190 Exposure of Sexual Organs 320 N Barfield Dr 031518: Arrested-Landscaper masturbating at the church on lunch, video obtained. *SAO charges pending.*

MIPD180191 BURGLARY 1021 ANGLERS COVE 031518: Arrested-Male subject identified after breaking into Dolphin Tiki, surveillance video obtained. *SAO charges pending.*

MIPD180196 Burglary 1600 Windmill Ave 03 17 2018: TVS stolen from home under construction. *No witnesses or suspects. Case is inactive.*

MIPD180202 Information - Fraud 334 Hendersen Ct 3 18 18: Bank Account compromised no monetary loss. *Fraud education provided.*

MIPD180204 Criminal Mischief Theft 600 E Elkcam Cir 032018: *Suspect broke into mailboxes at post office, CCSO crime scene responded. Postal Inspector is handling the criminal investigation.*

MIPD180206 Info Only 467 Kendall Dr 032018: Fraudulent charges to credit card, no financial loss. *Fraud education provided.*

MIPD180209 Death Investigation 837 W Elkcam Cir 03-21-18: 73 yo male died in sleep, *not suspicious.*

MIPD180210 DCF Referral 121 Delbrook Way 03202018: *No MIPD assistance required at this time.*

MIPD180212 Fatal Traffic Crash 1968 San Marco Rd 03 22 18: 30 yo male, Anthony Britt deceased high speed crash, FHP conducting THI, *case pending investigation.*

MIPD180214 Death Investigation 763 Pelican Court 3 22 2018: Deceased male age 60, *not suspicious.*

MIPD180215 Check Fraud 51 Bald Eagle Dr 3 22 18: Checks stolen from MI Post Office washed and cashed, *Postal Inspector is handling the criminal investigation.*

MIPD180219 Information on Identity Theft 418 Tarpon Ct 03 24 18: *Fraud education provided.*

MIPD180221 Death Investigation 845 Collier Ct 03 24 18: Deceased male age 72, *not suspicious.*

MIPD180225 Theft of shingles 1629 San Marco Rd 03 28 2018: 7 Bundles of shingles (\$189) stolen from driveway. *No witnesses or suspects. Case is inactive.*

MIPD180226 Theft 1293 Jamaica Rd 032918: \$17,500 deposit for roof repairs not completed, original report. Later determined approx. 30 homeowners involved with fraudulent contracts by RSACR and Star Construction services. *Investigation ongoing with assistance from DBPR, CCSO economic crimes unit and SAO.*

MIPD180230 Sexual Battery 684 Bald Eagle Dr 03292018: 16 yo female from MIA, occurred November 2017. *Search warrant granted for Facebook and subpoena issued for cell phone records. CAC interview performed.*

MIPD180231 Warrant 2023 San Marco Rd 03 29 2018: *Arrested-Male subject with Petit Theft Warrant from Marco Island P.D.*

MIPD180236 Death Investigation Tigertail Beach 3 30 2018: 53 yo female unconscious on beach died during transport, suspected drowning, *not suspicious.*

MIPD180239 Stolen Bike 1150 Bald Eagle Drive 3 31 2018: Bicycle stolen - no suspects or serial numbers. *Case inactive.*

PERSONS ARRESTED: 16

OTHER AGENCY ASSISTS: 1

WARRANT HOT LIST CHECKS: 280

DCF REFERRALS/FOLLOW-UPS: 1

SUBPOENA REQUESTS: 2

WARRANT REQUESTS: 1

WARRANT ARRESTS: 1

QUARTERLY SEX OFFENDER CHECKS: 0

FLYERS/BULLETINS: 2

MARCH 2018 CASES

<u>Open</u>	<u>Closed</u>	<u>Cleared</u>	<u>Inactive</u>	<u>Pending</u>	<u>Total</u>
6	59	16	5	0	86

Marco Island Police Department
CRIME REPORT

51 Bald Eagle Drive
239 389-5050

April 15, 2018

DATE: 03/17/2018

INCIDENT: Possession of Marijuana

An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for failing to maintain lane. The male driver was arrested for Possession of Marijuana and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 03/17/2018

INCIDENT: Possession of a Controlled Substance

Officers were dispatched to the Marriott in reference to a male causing a disturbance. The male was arrested for Possession of a Controlled Substance and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 03/18/2018

INCIDENT: DUI with Property Damage

Officers were dispatched to the vicinity of E. Elkcam Circle and 6th Ave. in reference to a single car vehicle crash. The female driver was arrested for DUI and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 03/18/2018

INCIDENT: DUI

An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for a seatbelt violation. The female driver was arrested for Possession of a Controlled Substance and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 03/21/2018

INCIDENT: Death Investigation

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on West Elkcam Circle in reference to a death investigation. Investigation continues.

DATE: 03/22/2018

INCIDENT: Fatal Vehicle Crash

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on San Marco Rd in reference to a fatal vehicle crash with property damage. Investigation continues.

DATE: 03/22/2018

INCIDENT: Death Investigation

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on Pelican Court in reference to a death investigation. Investigation continues.

DATE: 03/24/2018

INCIDENT: Death Investigation

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on Collier Court in reference to a death investigation. Investigation continues.

DATE: 03/29/2018

INCIDENT: Warrant Arrest

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on San Marco Rd. in reference to a disturbance. A male occupant was arrested for an active warrant and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 03/30/2018

INCIDENT: Death Investigation

Officers were dispatched to Tigertail Beach in reference to a death investigation. Investigation continues.

DATE: 03/30/2018

INCIDENT: DUI

An Officer responded to a single vehicle accident located at 6th Ave. The female driver was arrested for DUI and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 04/01/2018

INCIDENT: Leaving the Scene of an Accident

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on Orange Ct. in reference to vehicle striking a mailbox and leaving the scene. The female driver was located and arrested for Leaving the Scene of an Accident and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 04/07/2018

INCIDENT: Death Investigation

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on Abbeville Court in reference to a death investigation. Investigation continues.

Report Marine

In March, our two Marine Officers assisted with road patrol coverage, assisting with staffing needs due to training events or members on leave. Marine officers attempted inspection of eight vessels in Smokehouse and Factory Bays reference City of Marco Island ordinance 327.53 (marine sanitation devices): 2 vessels were found to be in compliance and 6 vessels were found to be unattended.

35 Events –

Details:

Vessel Stop - Verbal Warning	10
Vessel Stop - Written Warning	4
Suspicious Incident	2
Marine Emergency Response Team Callout	1
Safety Inspection	1
Missing Child	1
Reckless vessel	1

Total Beach Patrol Hours = 170 Hours

Total Beach Patrol Events = 105 events:

In addition to routine Police and Community Service Officers patrols of the beach in March, additional personnel (Police, Auxiliary, & Community Service Officers) were deployed in the evening and early morning hours to monitor youth spring break activities. During patrols officers were successful in increasing beach safety, as well as reducing litter and underage drinking.

Details –

Glass on Beach - Verbal Warning	19
Glass on Beach - Written Warning	17
Trash / Debris Removal	3
Info / Directions	2
Suspicious event	2
Impaired person - Detained	1
911	1
Littering Verbal Warning	1
Code Violation	1
Fire	1
Dog - No located	1

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	
Foot Patrols	1,198	1,070	1,154										2018
	1,585	983	1,125	980	1,226	1,098	1,182	1,073	738	759	1,005	1,362	2017
Parking Complaints	36	38	22										2018
	69	54	51	32	35	12	24	9	5	5	12	16	2017
Noise Complaints	23	25	49										2018
	42	31	45	47	25	22	50	32	10	9	33	47	2017
Traffic Stops	675	512	459										2018
	495	433	476	584	770	695	816	695	414	769	569	684	2016
Traffic Citations	66	33	38										2018
	44	35	49	54	72	75	78	70	56	66	78	54	2017
Traffic, Parking & Vessel Written	307	189	153										2018
	132	210	177	218	349	361	405	412	187	296	214	278	2017
Vehicle Crash	25	38	33										2018
	43	54	60	46	23	19	19	15	11	30	23	23	2017
CAD Events	3,968	3,639	3,923										2018
	3,859	3,438	3,864	3,496	4,085	3,597	4,073	3,986	3,527	3,605	3,706	4,093	2017
Criminal Cases - Open	12	6	6										2018
	16	10	13	12	8	9	8	4	12	12	20	10	2017
Criminal Cases - Closed	22	62	59										2018
	78	38	42	38	52	30	51	46	37	42	62	54	2017
Criminal Cases - Cleared	20	18	16										2018
	20	18	13	29	28	25	28	23	25	3	21	18	2017
Criminal Case - Follow-Ups	21	34	27										2018
	30	20	13	16	32	18	21	22	24	16	17	24	2017
Crime or Incident Reports Taken	72	87	93										2018
	80	66	83	90	112	77	95	77	72	126	109	115	2017
Persons Arrested	25	19	16										2018
	19	21	13	32	29	30	29	31	29	34	22	18	2017
Beach Patrol Events	50	57	105										2018
	88	110	192	151	123	89	109	99	53	77	93	91	2017
Beach Patrol Hours	89	127	170										2018
	135	122	227	197	215	156	196	268	157	181	186	179	2017
Marine Patrol Events	20	16	35										2018
	19	16	34	17	33	18	44	45	22	21	30	30	2017
Code Violations Reported	228	188	214										2018
	479	409	458	375	425	268	293	302	139	133	304	237	2017
Notice of Violations Issued	132	96	116										2018
	166	162	157	124	93	114	176	137	16	29	152	72	2017
Stop Work Orders Issued	4	9	7										2018
	3	2	2	3	-	7	1	3	1	-	21	4	2017
Code Cases - Opened	119	92											2018
	174	113	117	96	114	94	169	125	26	67	66	58	2017
Code Cases - Closed	98	76											2018
	146	104	134	82	102	71	155	173	42	16	193	105	2017
CSO Activities	770	771	795										2018
	1,394	1,290	1,027	996	794	718	802	1,046	650	745	1,046	928	2017
Total	7,980	7,202	7,490	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2017
Total	9,116	7,739	8,372	7,715	8,745	7,603	8,824	8,693	6,253	7,041	7,982	8,500	2016

2017 CRIME STATISTICS

The FBI's UCR program is a nationwide, cooperative statistical effort of nearly 18,000 law enforcement agencies with a primary objective to generate reliable information for use in law enforcement administration, criminologists, sociologists, legislators, and the media. "Part I" offense classifications included the violent crimes of murder and non-negligent manslaughter, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault, and the property crimes of burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft and arson. There are many factors which affect crime including the economy & unemployment, family dynamics, population density, social problems to include drug abuse, climate, crime opportunities and the relationship between citizens and their law enforcement organizations. The Marco Island Police Department has always made crime reduction a priority. In 2000, the City of Marco Island had 398 index crimes, in 2008 there were 217, 96 in 2016 and in 2017 we experienced 133. The 95 index crimes recorded in 2016 represented the lowest number of index crimes reported on Marco Island since the inception of the Department in 2000. Though the increase in 2017 was 38.5%, the actual number of additional incidents was 37. Like all agencies we believe one crime is too many. Regrettably we noted an increase in crime in 2017, specifically larcenies and burglaries after Hurricane Irma - specifically 36 larcenies, 5 burglaries to vehicles and 4 burglaries to structures. This is not uncommon in communities that suffer significant damage in a natural disaster. From a numerical standpoint, the 2017 increases included

	2016	2017
Sexual Assault	1	2
Aggravated Assault	1	9
Burglary	13	16
Larceny	76	97
Motor vehicle theft	5	9

Reductions were observed in simple assaults (16%) and Domestic Violence (22%). Adult arrests increased 93.2%, while arrests of those under 18 years of age increased 66.6%.

In 2016, a review of all municipalities with a population (+ / - 10%) that of Marco island including the City of Naples (Lake Mary, Opa-Locka, Pinecrest, Maitland, Belle Glade, Tavares, New Port Richey, Stuart, Vero Beach, Safety Harbor, Auburndale, Seminole, Punta Gorda, Lake Wales and Naples) was conducted. It demonstrated that Marco Island had the:

- Lowest number of Index crimes;
- Lowest crime rate per population;
- Only municipality with no robberies;
- Highest reduction of index crimes from previous year;
- Fewest aggravated assaults (1);
- Fewest Burglaries (13);
- Fewest thefts (76);
- Fewest motor vehicle thefts (5);
- Tied for lowest for lowest murder (0);
- Tied for 3rd lowest sexual assault (1).

Statistics which are currently available from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement for the 1st half of 2017 again show virtually identically statistics excluding the areas of sexual assault and aggravated assault.

We anticipate the final numbers reflected in the yet to be published 2017 annual report will be analogous. Additionally, the same report indicated the City of Marco Island has the lowest total index crimes reported in Collier County and 2nd highest clearance rates. With respect to clearance rates, those cited for MIPD are higher than the state-wide average. Of 284 municipalities measured, regardless of population size, Marco Island is tied for 80th lowest for index crimes reported.

Index crime clearance rates have increased from 12.2% in 2015, to 13.5% in 2016, and were 23.3% in 2017. Crimes may be cleared by arrest (Arrested, Charged with the commission of the offense or turned over to the court for prosecution whether following arrest, court summons, or police notice). They may also be cleared by exception - examples of exceptional clearances include, but are not limited to, the death of the offender; the victim's refusal to cooperate with the prosecution after the offender has been identified; or the denial of extradition because the offender committed a crime in another jurisdiction and is being prosecuted for that offense. Clearance rates on Marco Island are a function of the emphasis placed on crime reduction. This includes quick response times to crime scenes, thorough field investigations and reports by patrol personnel and intensive and extensive follow-ups of all crimes by experienced Detectives. The Officers and staff of the Marco Island Police Department recognize that the prevention of crime provides the best measure of a Department's effectiveness.

Decreasing violent crimes against persons is a priority; however it is the most difficult to effect, as most incidents occur in private settings not visible to police patrols or community members. When engaging in public speaking engagements, or school presentations, we advocate for a reduction in crimes of violence. We participate in Domestic Violence prevention advocacy groups such as the Naples Shelter for Abused Women and Children's Board of Directors and Task Force. Reducing thefts and burglaries through proactive neighborhood and commercial patrols, intelligence-led policing, and community policing are also important primacies. It should be noted that the FBI's UCR report only measures violent crimes and specific property crimes. The Marco Island Police Department recognizes it has a substantial role in preventing, responding to and prosecuting not only Index crimes, but other crimes including but not limited to drugs (sales or use), impaired driving, or vandalism as well as environmental and quality of life issues such as noise, beach regulations or other code enforcement matters.

There are a number of processes that assist MIPD in its endeavor to reduce and prosecute crime. They include:

- Working with the community to establish relationships, trust and two-way communications;
- Intelligence-led, predictive and proactive policing;
- Innovative and consistent training of personnel;
- Recruitment and retention of qualified personnel;
- Partnerships with allied public safety agencies (MIFRD, CCSO, NPD, FWCC, etc.)
- Technology.