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LETTER TO COMMISSION

No.: 15-2025

To: Mayor Charles W. Burkett, Vice Mayor Tina Paul, and
Members of the Town Commission

From: Mark Blumstein, Acting Town Manager *MB*

Date: January 13, 2025

Subject: **Surfside Police Department Weekly Activity Report**
Week of January 6 - 12, 2025

The purpose of this Letter to Commission (LTC) is to transmit the attached Police Weekly Activity Report for the subject week.

I trust you will find this Report more informative and insightful to better understand how our Town police, parking officers and community service aides serve our Town and its residents, businesses and visitors.

If you have any questions or need additional information, feel free to contact me.

Enclosed: Surfside Police Weekly Activity Report, Week of January 6 - 12, 2025



Town of Surfside Police Department

POLICE WEEKLY ACTIVITY

January 6, 2025 – January 12, 2025

<i>Calls for Service</i>		<i>Reports</i>		<i>Arrests</i>		<i>Traffic Enforcement</i>		<i>Checks</i>		<i>Total</i>
Primary	56	Incident	12	Felony	0	Citations	189	Business District		44
Assist Other Agency	2	Crash	6	Misdemeanor Includes Traffic	0	Warnings	137	Town Properties		64
Total	58	Total	18	Total	0	Parking	293	Beach		48
								Watch Orders		60
							Total			619

Enforcement Activity Summary

Monday, 01/06		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	41	0
Collins Avenue	13	N/A
Harding Avenue	6	N/A
Residential Area	3	N/A

Tuesday, 01/07		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	38	2
Collins Avenue	3	N/A
Harding Avenue	4	N/A
Residential Area	14	N/A

Wednesday, 01/08		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	66	7
Collins Avenue	11	N/A
Harding Avenue	9	N/A
Residential Area	14	N/A

Thursday, 01/09		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	36	5
Collins Avenue	5	N/A
Harding Avenue	7	N/A
Residential Area	12	N/A

Friday, 01/10		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	41	6
Collins Avenue	10	N/A
Harding Avenue	13	N/A
Residential Area	13	N/A

Saturday 01/11		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	32	0
Collins Avenue	11	N/A
Harding Avenue	9	N/A
Residential Area	6	N/A

Sunday 01/12		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	39	2
Collins Avenue	8	N/A
Harding Avenue	12	N/A
Residential Area	6	N/A

Parking Enforcement Officers				Community Service Aides			
Officer	Parking Citation / Warning		Reports	Officer	Parking Citation / Warning		Reports
C. Acosta 0700-1700 W,R,F,SA	67	0	0	H. Popoteur 0700-1700 W,R,F,SA	Resigned		
W. Perez 0700-1700 W,R,F,SA	76	0	0	F. Fermin 0700-1700 M,T,W,SU	75	6	0
J.C. Castro 1200-2200 M,T,W,SU	OUT	OUT	OUT	D. Laurent 0700-1700 W,R,F,SA	75	7	0

SQUAD A	0800 to 1800 Wed,Thu, Fri, Sat					
	Calls for Service	Reports	Arrests	Traffic Enforcement		Checks
				Ct	War	
F. Colonna	0	0	0	12	10	7
L. Arch	2	2	0	4	1	8
T. Campbell	3	2	0	6	4	9
L. Ruiz	5	3	0	6	3	9

SQUAD B	0800 to 1800 Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed					
	Calls for Service	Reports	Arrests	Traffic Enforcement		Checks
				Ct	War	
A. Lorente	0	0	0	0	3	4
M. Cruz	2	1	0	0	4	4
A. Lage	3	1	0	7	6	3
J. Rosario	5	3	0	10	5	12

SQUAD C	1400 to 0000 Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat					
	Calls for Service	Reports	Arrests	Traffic Enforcement		Checks
				Ct	War	
J. Valino	2	1	0	19	7	7
J. Matthews	5	0	0	6	6	6
B. Luke	6	1	0	7	4	10
D. Hernandez	3	0	0	19	7	9

SQUAD D	1400 to 0000 Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed					
	Calls for Service	Reports	Arrests	Traffic Enforcement		Checks
				Ct	War	
C. Lovellette	0	0	0	3	9	8
B. Gabriel	5	1	0	6	7	12
D. Saffo	6	0	0	11	6	6

SQUAD E						
2300 to 0900 Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat						
	Calls for Service	Reports	Arrests	Traffic Enforcement		Checks
				Cit	War	
J. Torres	0	0	0	10	1	24
S. Villegas	4	0	0	9	7	18
R. Ravelo	6	1	0	48	16	15

SQUAD F						
2300 to 0900 Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed						
	Calls for Service	Reports	Arrests	Traffic Enforcement		Checks
				Cit	War	
D. Leon	0	0	0	1	3	4
A. Knight	0	0	0	1	4	16
M. Smith	1	2	0	4	11	20

Summary of Activities and Event

Criminal Investigations

The Criminal Investigations Unit (CIU) continues to work on open cases.

Collins Avenue

Citations	Warnings	Park Cit	Arrests	Reports	Field Reports	Ride Share Contacts	Delivery Trucks
56	0	0	0	8	0	N/A	N/A

Throughout the week officers conducted frequent area checks of the beach, hardpack and jogging paths.

The officers conducted bicycle patrols throughout the Town.

Officers responded to the Solimar Hotel in reference to a victim of fraud. The fraud occurred online so the victim was referred to IC3.gov.

Officers assisted a resident with retrieving property from apartment he shared with ex-girlfriend.

Harding Avenue							
Citations	Warnings	Park Cit	Arrests	Reports	Field Reports	Ride Share Contacts	Delivery Trucks
60	0	0	0	6	0	N/A	N/A
<p>Officers assisted a citizen with a vehicle V.I.N verification of his vehicle.</p> <p>Officers assisted a male who was feeling suicidal. He was transported to Mt. Sinai for further evaluation.</p>							

Marine Patrol / Beach Safety Officer Details						
Stops	Citations	Warnings	Arrests	Reports	AOA	Contacts
<p>Miami Beach Marine Patrol will soon begin to assist with patrolling of the Town's waterways.</p>						

Summary of Noteworthy Calls for Service

01/06/2025	Suspicious Vehicle	9049 Carlyle Avenue
Officers responded to the above location in reference to an anonymous complaint about an occupied vehicle parked on the street. Officers made contact with the driver who advised that he was waiting for his friend, a construction worker, who arrived shortly after.		

01/06/2025	Vehicle Accident	200 Blk 95 Street
Officers responded to above location in reference to a two-car accident. A town "No Parking" sign was knocked over because of the crash. Cones were placed in the area and Public Works were notified.		

01/07/2025	Injured person	9281 Dickens Avenue
Officers responded to the listed location in reference to an 88-year-old female who collapsed. Miami Dade Fire rescue responded and transported the female to Mt. Sinai for further treatment.		

01/08/2025	Information	88 th Street and Harding Avenue
Officers observed road work being conducted. The crew was unable to provide a permit. Workers stopped working and left. The report was forwarded to Code Department.		

1/8/2025	Incident Assist other Agency	1324 Biscaya Drive
Officers responded to the above location in reference to assist Miami Dade Sheriff's Office who was conducting an eviction on the ex-wife of the listed owner. The female left property in the front lawn and was advised to contact the Sheriff's office and advise when she was retrieving the property.		

01/09/2025	Suspicious Vehicle	9200 Block of Bay Drive
Officers observed an occupied vehicle parked in the above listed location. Contact was made with a female inside of the vehicle. Female was sleeping and advised that she was homeless. The female refused any form of assistance. The female had no wants or warrants and left the area.		

01/09/2025	Information	9200 Collins Avenue (Residence Inn)
Officers responded to the listed location and met with the hotel manager. The hotel manager advised that an employee of the hotel found a firearm (Glock 45) in a restroom. The firearm had no issues per records check. The firearm was impounded for safekeeping.		

01/09/2025	Incident	9273 Collins Avenue
Officers responded to the listed location in reference to a complaint of a disturbance in the condominium's billiard room. Officers met with the male who was causing a disturbance due to an argument he was having on his phone. Male left the area with no further incident.		

01/10/2025	Domestic Dispute	9400 Blk Collins Avenue (Municipal Parking)
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Officers responded to the listed location in reference to a disturbance in progress. The officers met with the complainant who advised that she was having a verbal dispute with her husband prior to him walking away from the lot. The complainant advised that her husband had hit her earlier in the morning. A canvass of the area was conducted for the husband to no avail. The complainant was given DV packet. Report was forwarded to the Criminal Investigations Unit.

01/11/2024	Theft	9024 Collins Avenue #3
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Officers responded to the above-listed location and met with the complainant. The complainant advised his plants were stolen from the common area of the building. There was no surveillance available.

01/12/2025	Disturbance	9011 Collins Avenue (Four Seasons)
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Officers responded to the listed location in reference to a complaint of a female that was locked in the bathroom for more than 3 hours. The female was gone when officers arrived.

01/12/2025	Injured Person	9400 Harding Avenue (Publix)
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Officers responded to the listed location in reference to an employee who was hit on the nose by a box that fell. The employee was transported to Mt. Sinai by Miami Dade Fire Rescue for further treatment.