

Craig Police Department

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TO: *Peter Brixius, City Manager*

FROM: *Jerry DeLong, Chief of Police*

DATE: *April 8, 2020*

SUBJECT: *Activity Report – March 2020*

1. *Crime and Patrol Summary*

See attachments. The department responded to 973 requests for service during the month of March. Community Service responded to 111 requests for service.

Normally, I report on department activities within the community. This month I want to change it up and thank our community for all their efforts in dealing with Covid-19. This crisis has been a strain on our entire nation, but our community has stayed together. We are all working together to return to our normal daily life as soon as possible. I applaud the efforts of our businesses for not only providing the essentials to our citizens but looking out for all of our first responders as well by providing items that are in short supply nationwide. Several businesses have established special times for our senior citizens which helps with anxiety but maintains independence.

Several members of our community that have taken upon themselves to sew masks for the 1st responders. Several citizens have used their own money and supplies to make these masks to protect our community. Businesses have also provided materials for masks at their expense.

On April 8th Pastor/Councilmember Tony Bohrer provided food for all of the law enforcement officers, detention staff and communication officers. This meal was greatly appreciated by everyone at the Public Safety Center.

Unfortunately, crime continues to occur in Craig at this time but so do daily acts of kindness that may go by unnoticed. We have a great community.

Stay well-Stay calm-Stay kind- Stay Craig Strong

2. Community Service

CSOs Hannah Wood and Wacie Laabs handled the following calls during the month of March.

- Red tagged six abandoned vehicles. Two vehicles were towed.*
- No weed complaints*
- One code violation*
- Five junk/trash violations*
- No Administrative Warnings were issued*
- Two code citations were issued*
- Two parking warnings were issued*
- Six parking citations were issued*
- Abatements Conducted in 2020: Cost of Abatements - \$0.00*

Please see the attached Code Enforcement Activity Reports. The Speed Trailer was not deployed during the month of March.

3. Miscellaneous

Nothing to report

4. Investigations – Detective Sergeant Marvin Cameron

- Major case investigation - First Degree Assault*

On the evening of March 17, 2020 Craig Police Officers responded to the Regional Memorial Hospital for a male that was being treated for multiple stab wounds.

Patrol Officer Hashir interviewed a witness to the assault. Detectives Rimmer and Cameron responded and assisted in this investigation. Probable cause was developed and Det. Rimmer was able to secure an arrest warrant for a male resident of Craig as well as two search warrants.

On March 18, 2020 a male suspect was arrested for the assault and taken into custody without incident. The two search warrants were executed and yielded valuable evidence that will be used in any future prosecution.

This investigation was truly a team effort between the Patrol Division, Detective Division and the Moffat County Special Response Team who assisted with the arrest and execution of the search warrants.

➤ *Activities in March*

Continue to work on an investigation of an alleged sexual assault on a child that occurred over three years ago in Craig. This investigation is near completion and will be forward to the District Attorney's Office for review of charges.

Continued to work on a sex assault on a child case with possible other crimes committed.

Filed several cases with the District Attorney's Office for review of charges.

Continue to attend weekly DV meetings with Open Heart Advocates.

Attended the DV / SA monthly meeting.

Attended the monthly Criminal Justice meeting.

Continue to assist Routt County Sheriff Office with conducting interviews and executing search warrants regarding the homicide case in Routt County

Daily administration duties.

SRO Nathan Businger Activities

- *Attended several events and meetings including SAPP Meeting, MCSD Safety Team Meeting, Colorado POST Driving SME Meeting*
- *Continued investigations on reports taken previously*
- *Daily Training Bulletins*
- *Assisted patrol officers in gathering information on students (CMS, MCHS, Sandrock, Ridgeview, Sunset) that were involved in various cases*
- *Conducted investigation for sex assault that occurred at a private residence*
- *Schools were closed from March 16th, through March 31st due to Governor's Orders. Worked investigations during this time out of the schools*
- *Assisted Detective Rimmer on a search warrant in the county*

Elementary School Activities

- *Sunset Elementary – Attended Litaracy Carnival*
- *Sunset Elementary – 5th grade D.A.R.E. with Detective Rimmer*
- *Sandrock Elementary – Traffic complaint during afternoon pick-up*
- *Ridgeview Elementary – Answered protection order questions*
- *Sandrock Elementary – Spoke with a student about stealing and potential consequences*

- *Sunset Elementary – Worked with 5th grade teachers on finishing out the D.A.R.E. program for the year*
- *Sunset Elementary – Delivered an iPad to a guardian that couldn't make it to the school to pick it up during the closure*

CMS Activities

- *Assisted Moffat County investigator on sex assault case*
- *Report of student in possession of fireworks on school property*
- *Tobacco violation, student brought pack of cigarettes to school*
- *Report of sex assault by student*
- *Report of inappropriate conversations on student's iPad with unknown recipients*
- *Attended Parent Teacher Conferences*
- *Presentations on Alcohol for 6th, 7th, 8th grade health and P.E. students*
- *Attended dependency and neglect hearing for student at Moffat County Court*
- *Answered questions regarding cell phone that is in Craig P.D. evidence*
- *Safe2Tell – Fighting*

MCJS Activities

- *Report of a fight after school, off school property*
- *Report that school was unable to contact a guardian due to outdated contact information*
- *Answered some questions about a motor vehicle crash that occurred on school property*
- *911 hang-up from parking lot after school*
- *Report of a fight that occurred during lunch, one student was arrested for 3rd degree assault*
- *Completed and submitted five search warrants to SnapChat (Snap, Inc.) on active investigation for sexual exploitation/criminal extortion*
- *Safe2Tell – Smoking/Tobacco*
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- *Safe2Tell - Alcohol*

YES Opportunity School

- *Nothing to report*

Investigator Norm Rimmer

- *Completed investigation that resulted in an arrest warrant and a search warrant for the charges of sexual assault on a child, sexual assault by one in a position of trust. Suspect subsequently arrested.*

- Completed investigation for abuse of a corps case. Sent to District Attorney's Office
- Completed a search of a residence pursuant to a search warrant for a domestic assault involving a handgun.
- Investigation for a stabbing, second degree assault. Investigation resulted in an arrest warrant and three search warrants for evidence. Suspect subsequently arrested.
- Operated on the Moffat County SRT executing three different search warrants at three different locations.
- Continued work on Sexual Assault investigation
- Death Investigation involving a drug overdose. Continue to investigate and pursue witnesses for interviews.
- Assisted ACET with investigations
- Attended monthly DV and SART review meetings
- Attended the monthly Child Protection Team Meeting
- Continued to teach DARE in the 5th Grade
- Off last 10 days of March for vacation

5. *Training*

March 9th through 13th, Sergeant Will Roland attended Leadership and Police Organization (LPO) training in Denver, Colorado.

During March, sworn personnel completed numerous PoliceOne Academy trainings.

During March, department personnel completed numerous Lexipol Daily Training Bulletins.

6. *Upcoming Events*

Nothing to report

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**Monthly Calls for Service
Mar-20**

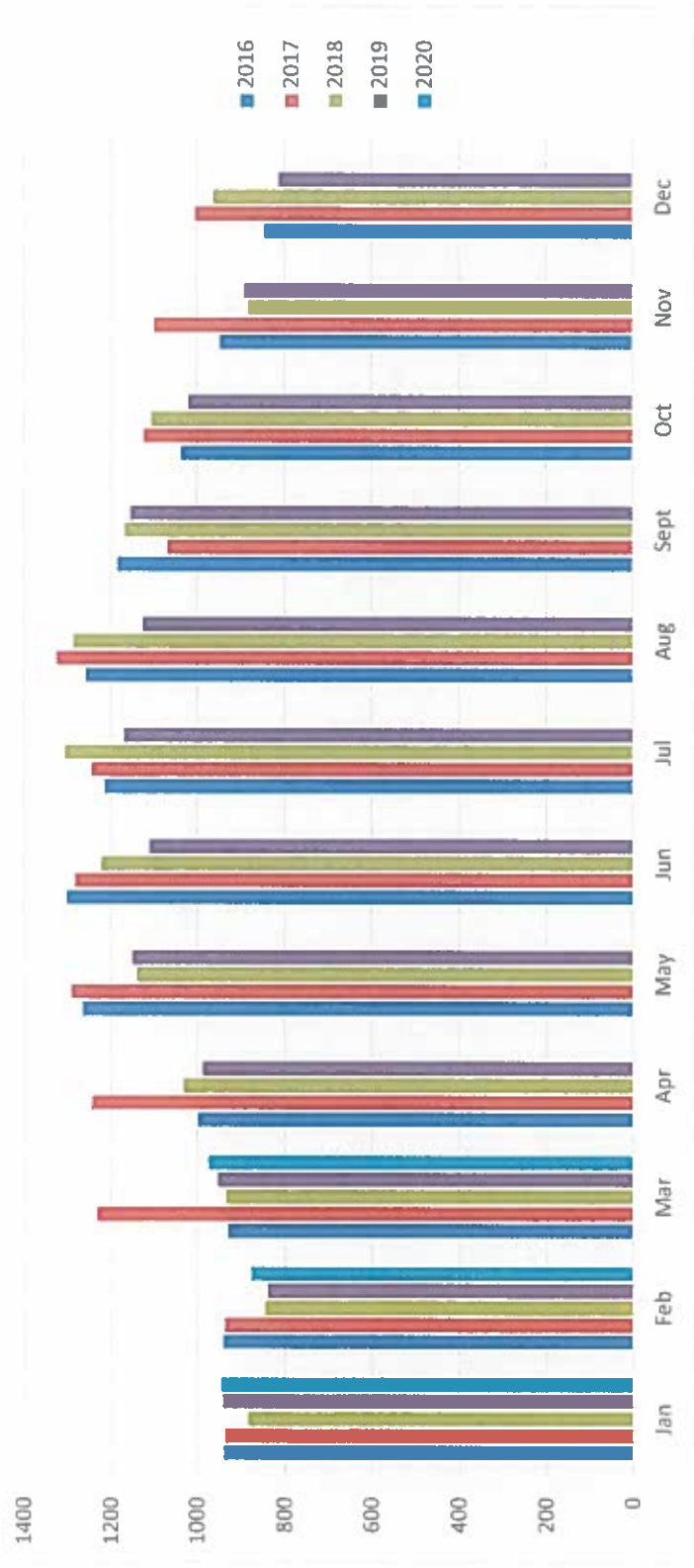
911 Hang-Up	69	Motorist Assist	8
Abandoned Vehicle	4	Noise Complaint	8
Accident - Hit and Run	7	Open Door	2
Accident - Injury	2	Parking Complaint	19
Accident - Property Damage	6	Parole Check	3
Accident - Unknown Injury	2	Pedestrian Contact	12
Agency Assist	97	Person Found	1
Alarm	8	Power/Gas/Phone Incident	2
Animal Complaint	111	Property Found/Recovered	8
Animal Injured	1	REDDI Report	9
Assault	9	Road Kill	2
Bar Check	1	Road Rage	4
Burglary	11	Safe 2 Tell	4
Capitol Complex Request	1	Security Check	12
Checkpoint - DUI	1	Sex Crime	1
Child Abuse/Neglect	6	Shots Fired	2
Civil Problem	57	Suicide - Attempted	7
Code Enforcement	10	Suspicious Article/Person/Vehicle	61
Complaint	13	Theft	26
Criminal Mischief	2	Threat	7
Disturbance	24	Tow Request	2
Domestic Violence	17	Traffic Stop	116
Drug Violation or Incident	7	Transport	3
Drunk Pedestrian	9	Trespass	13
Escape	1	Unattended Death	1
Extra Patrol Request	22	Unknown Problem	11
Fire Call	2	Vandalism	4
Fraud	11	Vehicle Stolen	1
Harassment	16	VIN Inspection	28
Litter Violation	1	Warrant	23
Menacing	1	Weapon Violation	6
Mental Health Incident	2	Welfare Check	30
Missing Person/Runaway	5	Wildlife	1

Total 973

Calls for Service

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2016	939	940	929	998	1265	1302	1213	1257	1183	1035	947	845	12853
2017	936	937	1231	1243	1291	1283	1243	1324	1067	1123	1098	1004	13780
2018	884	845	933	1031	1138	1221	1305	1286	1167	1105	882	962	12759
2019	941	839	952	986	1149	1109	1168	1124	1153	1019	890	813	12143
2020	944	876	973										2793

Calls for Service 2016-2020



Code Enforcement Warnings

WARNINGS BY DATE				Mar-20						
Address	Name	Date	Violation			Case number	Notes	Badge	Disposition	
			Junk/Trash	Weeds	Vehicles	Code				
1185 Rose St.	Rowley, Kenneth	2/24/2020	x				20P00322	Admin warning sent 2/24 - need compliance by 3/17	585	Complied 3/12/2020
403 Taylor	Angela Vialpando	3/10/2020	x				20P00389	admin warning #1983	585	Complied 3/17/2020
800 blk E. 7th St.	Henry Anlinson	3/12/2020			flat trailer		20P00397	no plates/VIN	585	Red tagged 3/12/2020 Complied 3/12/2020
1100 blk Rose St.	Bennett, Ed	3/19/2020			Black Chevy Jimmy		20P00423	expired plates	585	Red tagged 3/19/2020 Complied 3/30/2020
858 E. 10th St.	Rowley, Kenneth	3/19/2020			White Cordova 5th wheel		20P00422	over 22' in length, warned on 3/16	585	Red tagged 3/19/2020 Complied 3/27/2020
638 Barclay St.	Guzman Perez, Norma	3/23/2020			dark blue BMW SUV		20P00439	blocking alley, expired plates	585	Red tagged 3/23/2020 Towed 3/26/2020
Paulson's parking lot	Rothermund, Chris	3/24/2020			white Cadillac Seville		20P00449	no plates, looks lived out of	585	Red tagged 3/24/2020
Bus station parking lot	Moschetti, Matthew	3/25/2020			green Dodge minivan		20P00454	expired plates, abandoned	585	Red tagged 3/24/2020 Towed 4/1/20
662 Conner Dr.	Kerns, Bonnie	3/30/2020	x				20P00482	admin warning #2033 sent 4/1	585	given 45 days at Bonnie's request to comply
660 Conner Dr.	Ages, Deb							admin warning #2034 sent 4/1	585	
601 Rose St.	?	3/30/2020	x				n/a	warned 3/30/2020	585	Warned
713 Legion St.	Deoden, Patricia	3/31/2020	x			x	20P00485	Marlin came out for raw sewage above ground	585	Warned, given til 4/17 to comply
TOTAL COMMUNITY SERVICE COMPLAINTS HANDLED IN MARCH 2020:			41							
VIN INSPECTIONS HANDLED IN MARCH 2020:			16							

TOTAL COMMUNITY SERVICE COMPLAINTS HANDLED YEAR TO DATE:		132
VIN INSPECTIONS HANDLED YEAR TO DATE:		69

Code Enforcement Contacts March 2020		Abatement Conducted:		
Junk/trash	5			
Abandoned Vehicles (Red Tagged or Warned)	6	Property Address	Cost of Abatement	Cost Billed to Property Owner (including 20% Inspection and Incidental Fee)
Vehicles Towed	2			
Weeds	0			
Code Violations	1			
Cases Held Over	1			

CITATIONS ISSUED

NAME	ADDRESS	CITE #	VIO DATE	DATE ISSUED	VIOLATION	NOTES	BADGE
Bonnie Kerns	2210 W 3rd St #22	2033	3/30/2020	3/31/2020	junk/trash	662 Conner	585
Deb Ages	660 Conner Dr.	2034	3/30/2020	3/31/2020	junk/trash	660 Conner	585
Code Citations Issued - March 2020			2				

PARKING WARNINGS AND CITATIONS

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ANIMAL CONTROL REPORT

MONTH OF MARCH 2020

ANIMAL COMPLAINTS HANDLED:	
ANIMAL CONTROL	72
OFFICERS	39
TOTAL	111

MOCO COMPLAINTS BY CSO	1
SUMMONS & COMPLAINTS	3
VICIOUS DOGS WITH INJURY	1
VICIOUS DOGS W/O INJURY	4

ANIMAL IMPOUNDS:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
CRAIG - Owner Relinquish	0	0	1	0	5	6
CRAIG - Stray	12	0	5	2	0	19
MOCO - Owner Relinquish	1	0	0	0	4	5
MOCO - Stray	6	0	0	0	0	6
TOTAL	19	0	6	2	9	36

IMPOUND DISPOSITION:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
RELEASED TO OWNER	14	0	0	0	9	23
ADOPTED	5	0	6	1	0	12
EUTHANIZED	0	0	1	1	0	2
TRANSFERRED	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	19	0	7	2	9	37

FERAL CATS EUTHANIZED BY CSO:	0
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REMARKS:

YEAR TO DATE TOTALS 2020

ANIMAL COMPLAINTS HANDLED:	
ANIMAL CONTROL	109
OFFICERS	68
TOTAL	177

MOCO COMPLAINTS BY CSO	2
SUMMONS & COMPLAINTS	7
VICIOUS DOGS WITH INJURY	1
VICIOUS DOGS W/O INJURY	4

ANIMAL IMPOUNDS:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
CRAIG - Owner Relinquish	1	0	1	0	0	0
CRAIG - Stray	15	3	12	4	0	27
MOCO - Owner Relinquish	2	0	0	0	0	2
MOCO - Stray	8	0	2	0	0	6
TOTAL	26	3	15	4	0	48

IMPOUND DISPOSITION:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
RELEASED	18	0	0	0	9	27
ADOPTED	7	3	10	3	0	23
EUTHANIZED	0	0	6	1	0	7
TRANSFERRED	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	25	3	16	4	9	57

FERAL CATS EUTHANIZED BY CSO:	0
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ANIMAL COMPLAINT WARNINGS AND CITATIONS

CITATIONS ISSUED BY DATE

NAME	ADDRESS	CITATION #	DATE	DATE ISSUED	VIOLATION	NOTES
Baker, Nathan	838 Ashley	41784	6/11/2019	6/11/2019	At large x2/vicious x1	Summons
Chastain, Kyler	1681 Yampa	41780	4/25/2019	4/27/2019	At large X2	\$100 PA
Chastain, Kyler	1681 Yampa	41783	5/10/2019	5/10/2019	Cruelty	Summons
Chastain, Kyler	1681 Yampa	41786	6/16/2019	6/17/2019	At large x2, vicious x1	Summons
Cory, Dana	2000 Baker Drive	41782	5/9/2019	5/10/2019	Neglect	Summons
Echols, Bailey	3415 Essex Ct.	41789	6/27/2019	07/03/19	Barking	\$50 PA
Evans, Peyton	615 Riford Rd #3A	41785	6/16/2019	06/17/19	At large X2	\$100 PA
Felten, Timothy	836 Ledford	41787	6/15/2019	06/17/19	Barking	\$50 PA
Gray, Patrick	825 E 7th #25	41739	4/9/2019	04/09/19	Barking	\$50 (written by Laehr)
Messerly, Amy	390 Stout #2	c06930	05/13/19	05/30/19	At Large, Vicious	Summons
Osborn, Bert	694 Colorado	c06929	04/28/19	04/30/19	Vicious, at large	Summons
Picking, Christopher	479 Washington	41779	04/25/19	04/25/19	At large/vicious X2	Summons
Reynolds, John W	375 Hawthorn	41781	05/06/19	05/06/19	At large	\$50 PA
Shroyer, Wyatt	2210 W 3rd St #1	C06925	03/31/19	04/06/19	At Large	\$50 PA
Shroyer, Wyatt	2210 W 3rd St #1	C06926	04/01/19	04/06/19	At Large	\$50 PA
Shroyer, Wyatt	2210 W 3rd St #1	C06927	04/02/19	04/06/19	At Large	\$50 PA
Terry, Cory	3401 Essex Ct.		05/26/19	05/26/19	At large	\$50PA (written by Lyons)
Winkler, Erin Faye	480 Rose St.	41791	07/11/19	07/11/19	At large X2, vicious X2	Summons
McFeaters, Shane	780 Rose St.	41794	9/30/2019	09/30/19	At large	\$50 PA
Brown, Heather (see K. Kusner)	3410 Ridgeview Road	42101	9/20/2019	9/19/2019	Barking	Summons
Batchelor, Sharon	415 W. 13th St.	41796	10/16/2019	10/16/2019	At large/vicious	Summons
Young, Jessica	949 Breeze St.	41797	10/21/19	10/21/19	At large X2, vicious X1	Summons
McFeaters, Shane	780 Rose St.	41798	11/5/2019	11/06/19	At large/vicious	Summons
Fross, Amber	1061 Shepherd Dr.	42109	1/22/2020	01/22/20	At Large x2	\$100 PA
Steir, Sonny	638 Barclay St.	41038	02/03/20	02/03/20	At Large/ Vicious	Summons
	672 Rose St.	warning	02/05/20	02/05/20	At large	warning
Duarte, Brenda	1284 Marianna Way	C41045	3/16/2020	3/16/2020	At large	summons
Bruchez, Keenan	1283 W. 10th St.	c42551	3/16/2020	3/17/2020	Vicious	Summons
Barrett, Jessica	2061 B. St - upstairs	c42196	3/19/2020	3/19/2020	At large x2, vicious x2	Summons (Caudell)
	951 Colorado St	warning	3/24/2020	3/24/2020	At large	warning
Spor, Liz; Plummer, Donald; Spor, Marty	Colorado Inn #8	warning	3/25/2020	3/25/2020	Neglect	warning and seized dog
Steir, Sonny	638 Barclay St.	C42552	3/26/2020	3/27/2020	at large, vicious 2nd offense	summons
Foos, Jennifer; Kelsch, Jeremy; Richardson, Brandon	1474 N. Yampa #39	warning	4/1/2020	4/1/2020	excessive amount of animals	warning