

FORT MORGAN POLICE DEPARTMENT COUNCIL REPORT



TO: Acting City Manager Chief Keith Kuretich, Mayor, and City Council
FROM: Darin Sagel, Lieutenant of Operations
DATE: April 15, 2008

MARCH 27- APRIL 9, 2008

Calls For Service	1472	Impounds	9
Case Reports	93	Adult Arrests	43
Traffic Summons	61	Juvenile Arrests	12
Penal/Ordinance Summons	18	Parking Summons	6

COMMUNITY CONCERN

With the warmer weather around the corner and some moisture at hand, community members should prepare to combat weed growth throughout the city. The City of Fort Morgan has an ordinance prohibiting land owners or tenants from allowing weeds to grow on their property, including the alleyways and easements. There are several options that people can use to combat weeds. Among these are weed sprays, mulching, and mowing. The best way to combat weeds is to act on them before they grow large enough to produce seeds, which will spread and create more weeds. Contact the Fort Morgan Police Department at (970)867-5678 with any specific questions regarding this ordinance. Also, visit our website at www.fortmorganpolicedept.com and look under "Announcements!" for links to the Colorado Weed Management Association and Colorado State University which will provide additional information to help you combat the weeds on your property.

COMMUNITY RESOURCE

- CRO Doll assisted at the "Prom Expo" sponsored by S.A.R.A. at the Fort Morgan High School.
- CRO Doll and Officer Ramstetter completed a presentation for about 25 students from MCC. This presentation was to demonstrate what the R.A.D. (Rape Aggression Defense) program can offer.
- CRO Doll and Sergeant Schossow hosted a recruitment booth at the Arapahoe Community College Career Fair.

TRAINING

- Detective Steve Vosburg attended a 24 hour training course on Financial Investigative Techniques. This course was held in Jefferson County.
- Officer Brackett, CRO Doll, Sgt. Schossow, and Lt. Crone attended an 8 hour seminar regarding Terror Awareness. This course was hosted at MCC.
- Detective Brown attended an 8 hour re-certification/update for Horizontal Gaze Nystagmus Instructor.
- Officers Kaber, Vazquez, Jansma, and Sergeant Sharp attended an 8 hour seminar on Gang Awareness. This course was offered in Loveland.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF MEETINGS & APPEARANCES

- Staff attended the following meetings and events: Community Meeting reference the Circle Drive Project, Communications Board meeting, City Council, Inter-Agency Social Support Team, Collaborative Management of Multi-Agency Services (HB-1451), Sick Bank Board Meeting, B106 Community Corner, FMPD Supervisors Meeting, and the City of Fort Morgan IT Advisory Board.

Fort Morgan Police Department
Month End Report - March, 2008

Monthly Activity					
Calls For Service	Arrests	Traffic Summonses	Other Summonses	Overtime Parking Tickets	Offense Reports
2644	112	94	74	48	217

Oral Warnings					
Animal Violations	Bicycle Contacts	Parking	Pedestrian Contact	Refuse Violations	Loud Noise
36	2	22	6	2	22
Traffic Contacts	Traffic Contacts-Lights	Water Violations	Weed Violations	Others	Total
239	60	0	0	58	447

Alarms Responded To					
Reason -	Malfunction	Employee Error	Power Outage	Other	Unknown
	3	8		3	4
Type	Audible	Silent	Burglar	Motion	Intrusion
Total: 18	8	6	2	1	1

Animal Shelter					
	Adopted	Released	Transferred	Disposed	Remaining
FMPD	19	11	3	3	12
Sheriff's Office	6	5	1	0	1
Log Lane	0	1	0	0	2
Total Impounded: 64					

Hours of Duty					
Administrative	Patrol	Court	Accident Investigation	Other Investigation	Other Duties
755.25	2,290.00	35.50	2.00	1,193.25	388.00
Overtime	Clerical	Miles Driven			
211.00	453.00	13,841			

Police Department Collections					
Parking	Bicycle	Photocopies	Animal Shelter	DUI	Restitution
\$810.00	\$6.00	44.48	\$478.00	\$178.21	\$0.00
Other	899.14	Total: \$2,415.83			