

FORT MORGAN POLICE DEPARTMENT COUNCIL REPORT



TO: Acting City Manager Chief Keith Kuretich, Mayor, and City Council

FROM: Darin Sagel, Lieutenant of Operations

DATE: May 6, 2008

April 10, 2008 – April 30, 2008

Calls For Service	2305	Impounds	14
Case Reports	127	Adult Arrests	65
Traffic Summons	83	Juvenile Arrests	22
Penal/Ordinance Summons	23	Parking Summons	26

CRIME OF THE WEEK

On April 26th and 27th, 2008, Burlington Northern Santa Fe reported the theft of approximately 4,590 feet of number 6 copper wire. The wire was taken from the power lines along the track between Sherman and Main Streets. The theft of copper wire continues to be on the increase throughout the region. Not only does this affect the victims of the theft, but it can affect all of us by creating power outages, increased costs in replacing the copper products, and the potential danger of power lines being exposed.

If you see any suspicious activity along the railroad tracks or anywhere in the community where a theft could be occurring, please call the Fort Morgan Police Department at 970-867-5678, or in the case of an emergency, call 911.

COMMUNITY RESOURCE

- CRO Doll attended the S.A.R.A. Board meeting on April 21st.
- CRO Doll and Police Chaplain Bob Schreiner attended a Child Internet Safety seminar held at the Loveland Police Department.
- Preparations are being made for National Police Week Activities.

TRAINING

- Officer Ken Jansma attended a 40 hour Field Training Officer class in Washington County.
- Officers attended one of two Firearms in-services held at the Fort Morgan Police Department along with Firearms Qualifications, which are also being held during the month of April.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF MEETINGS & APPEARANCES

- Staff attended the following meetings and events: City Council, City Council Retreat, Domestic Violence Audit Team, City of Fort Morgan IT Board, Management meeting, and a Website Audit Webinar.

YOU ARE INVITED!

May 11 through May 17 is National Police Week with May 15th being designated as National Peace Officer's Memorial Day. The Fort Morgan Police Department and Morgan County Law Enforcement agencies would like to invite you our National Police Officer's Open House on Saturday, May 17th from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Fort Morgan Police Department, 901 E. Beaver Ave. We will start the event with the dedication of the Police Officer's Memorial Bench that has been placed at the Fort Morgan Police Department. There will be demonstrations, department tours, child fingerprinting, and many other activities and informational tables from a variety of Morgan County Law Enforcement agencies. While supplies last, we will be serving free hotdogs and refreshments starting at noon.