

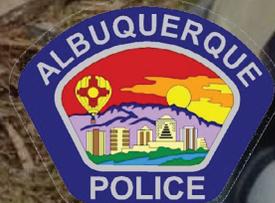
# ALBUQUERQUE POLICE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT JUNE 2013



***APD's Operation Hope  
Assists Victims of  
Oklahoma Tornado***



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## APD Notables...

### Field Services Bureau

#### Southeast Area Command...

- On June 22, Officer S. Molina responded to a call at an apartment complex. The call stated a female was sleeping outside by the door of an apartment. Officer Molina's investigation revealed that the female was the tenant who lived in the apartment. She was sleeping outside because of a severe mold problem that she had been dealing with for the last seven months. The problem was causing health problems for the resident and that she was taking prescription medicine to help combat the symptoms. The resident told Officer Molina that she could no longer afford her prescription. Officer Molina located and transported the woman to a pharmacy, purchased a prescription for her, then drove her to a local hotel and paid for a room for her so she could get a good night's rest. Officer Molina also gave her some information on who to contact to assist her with resolving her apartment issue.
- On June 13, Officers R. Mitchell and M. Benavidez responded to a structure fire at a northeast apartment complex. Officer Mitchell, along with two other individuals, entered the burning structure and rescued several individuals from their apartments and yards, including a newborn baby. Officer Mitchell used his body to shield the baby from the flames. Officer Mitchell suffered minor smoke inhalation from his actions.
- Officer Bartlett was on patrol when he observed a vehicle commit a traffic violation. Officer Bartlett stopped the vehicle and contacted the driver. After conducting an investigation, Officer Bartlett discovered that the vehicle had been reported stolen. The driver was arrested for transferring or receiving a stolen vehicle and several misdemeanor crimes.
- Team 1 officers were dispatched to a domestic dispute where a male subject had pointed a handgun at his girlfriend and threatened to shoot her. The male was last seen leaving their shared motel room. Officers arrived in the area and attempted to locate the subject. The APD Air Support Unit and UNM police assisted officers. They were able to locate the male offender and place him in custody.
- On June 3, Lonestar (a service similar to OnStar) phoned APD and advised that a stolen vehicle was currently parked at a large retailer parking

lot on San Mateo. ROP Unit detectives and Southeast officers established surveillance on the vehicle and ultimately stopped it near Highland High School. The vehicle had over 15 occupants, two of which had felony warrants.

- On June 21, two males and a female broke into a residence and took possession of three televisions, a rifle, computer parts, sunglasses, designer clothing and jewelry totaling over \$15,000. The trio contacted a female and went to her motel room. At the room, the occupant traded two grams of heroin, \$50 and one night's stay in the room for some of the jewelry, clothing, I-phone and sunglasses. Around noon of the next day, the room occupant's ex-boyfriend picked her up and spoke with two of the suspects about the stolen property. The driver agreed to give the female a ride to a thrift store to sell the stolen items in return for gas money. At the thrift store, two of the suspects were arrested. The pair implicated the others involved in the scheme.
- On June 23, a female and her boyfriend met at a local restaurant. The boyfriend demanded to see the girlfriend's phone. After looking at the phone, he called her a name and got verbally aggressive. The girlfriend tried to leave but the boyfriend told her to come into the restaurant where he gave her back her phone then demanded it back again. The boyfriend pulled out a handgun and pushed it against her leg telling her to give him the phone or he would shoot her. The girlfriend left to go home and the boyfriend followed her, grabbing her arms causing bruising and scratching. He forced her to his house where he choked her for several seconds to where she couldn't breathe. When police arrived, the boyfriend took out his gun and wrapped it in a shirt and hid it in the house. He was booked into the Metropolitan Detention Center. A search warrant was conducted for the residence and four firearms were located as well as several rounds.

#### Foothills Area Command...

- Team 1 participated in a POP project and conducted four field briefings in the area during June. Each field briefing consisted of an hour long tactical plan that focused on quality of life issues. The tactical plans yielded 31 traffic citations, 12 graffiti referrals, three parking citations and two misdemeanor arrests as well as numerous citizen contacts.

- On June 25, a suspect attempted to burglarize an ATM machine by attaching a chain to the machine and pulling it from its foundation. The attempt was unsuccessful. The suspect was located a short time later and attempted to elude police. The suspect crashed behind an apartment complex and fled on foot. A perimeter was established and the suspect was located and taken into custody. The vehicle he was driving was stolen and the suspect is believed to be involved with an officer-involved shooting that occurred earlier this year.
- On June 27, Valley Area Command units responded to assist swing shift officers in reference to a residential burglary suspect who fled on foot. Units helped set up a perimeter and eventually took the suspect into custody. The suspect had dropped two bags of property taken from the residence. The bags contained miscellaneous items and four loaded handguns.
- On June 12, Officer C. Luttrell conducted a traffic stop involving a stolen vehicle. The driver was a convicted felon and was in possession of ammunition, a police radio belonging to the Bureau of Indian Affairs, methamphetamine, and stolen credit cards. The offender was connected to multiple auto burglaries.
- On June 23, Officers C. Luttrell, R. DelGreco, and Sergeant F. Simmons responded to a suspicious person call. At the scene, they found a 60-year-old male that was not breathing and did not have a pulse. The trio performed CPR on the male. When medics arrived the male had a pulse and was transported to Presbyterian Hospital.
- On June 29, as part of the Singing Arrow Revitalization Project, the Horse Mounted Unit, Open Space officers, COAST, personnel from the Mayor's Office and City Councilor Don Harris assisted Foothills Area Command officers with a cleanup effort. The group worked with Solid Waste staff to address numerous complaints and safety issues within the Hidden Valley Arroyo. Squatters and illegal dumpers had turned the area into a dirty campground. The hard-working group spent the morning doing a complete clean up of the arroyo and addressing the needs of the homeless population that had taken up residency.
- On June 14, Officer Altman observed a male who was attempting to enter numerous cars in a parking lot near Candelaria and Eubank

NE. Officer Altman contacted the male and subsequently arrested him for outstanding warrants.

- On June 19, officers were dispatched to a forgery call. The offender's vehicle was located and stopped. The female driver requested her purse that was still in the vehicle. When officers checked the purse, several driver's licenses, credit cards and notebooks with victim's information was found. A passenger in the vehicle was charged with fraud, conspiracy and identity theft. Detective Burton interviewed the driver which resulted in the female admitting to 15 auto burglaries and identity theft.

### Valley Area Command...

- On June 16, Officer Landavazo responded to a call for service in which a driver had passed out at the wheel in the parking lot of a gas station. Officer Landavazo interviewed witnesses and initiated a DWI investigation. The offender had three prior DWI convictions. The offender was booked for a felony DWI 4th offense.
- On June 19, Sergeant Carr initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle. The driver had three outstanding misdemeanor warrants. The driver was also found to be intoxicated and charged with DWI.
- On June 20, Sergeant Carr initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle. The driver of the vehicle was found to have an outstanding felony warrant out for his arrest. The subject was also charged with aggravated DWI.
- On June 21, Officer Landavazo was assigned to work the Downtown Tactical Plan. He initiated two traffic stops that resulted in DWI arrests.
- On June 26, Officer Romero was dispatched to a stabbing call at a nearby hotel. The offender fled the scene in a vehicle. With the help of the Air Support Unit, officers were able to initiate a traffic stop on the vehicle and place the offender in custody without incident. The victim was stabbed in the neck, but luckily did not sustain life threatening injuries. The offender was charged with aggravated battery.
- Officer D. Faeth responded to a call from a female who found an unknown male walking inside of her residence. Officers arrived on scene and located the subject sleeping on the couch while the caller hid in her bedroom. Through officer's investigation, it was determined that the male was highly intoxicated and believed he was at a friend's house. No items were taken nor did the male force his way inside. He was later

- booked into the MDC for criminal trespass.
- Officer D. Shrouf was working the Downtown Tactical Plan when he was flagged down by several patrons that advised him that an unknown male was in the progress of vandalizing a marked police cruiser which was parked nearby. The male, who was armed with broken glass, resisted arrest but was taken into custody.
- On June 4, Valley Area Command officers were dispatched to Central Avenue where it crosses the Rio Grande River. The caller stated that a male was attempting to throw a woman off the bridge and into the river. Additionally, there was another man lying on the ground nearby. The man was bleeding and appeared to have been stabbed several times. An attempt to locate was distributed regarding the offender's vehicle. The vehicle was located on I-40 eastbound exiting on Carlisle. Lieutenant S. Lopez stayed on the initial scene and acted as incident commander. Sergeant A. Sedillo got behind the offender vehicle and conducted a felony stop with the assistance of Northeast Area Command officers. The offender was taken into custody without incident.
- On June 8, Albuquerque and Bernalillo County 911 operators received numerous calls in response to a male subject who was driving a golf cart aggressively and causing disturbances at businesses. Officers L. Acosta, G. Sheldon and E. Martinez were advised by dispatch that a golf cart had been stolen from a repair shop the night before. As they were attempting to locate, officers observed a male subject driving a golf cart in the middle of 4th Street, almost causing several accidents. The subject saw officers and attempted to flee. Officers recognized the individual from a previous incident and yelled his name. The subject, who was caught off guard because officers knew who he was, stopped running and was taken into custody without incident or injury. He was subsequently arrested on felony charges.

### **Southwest Area Command...**

- On June 14, a call was received that a male was cutting copper wires from a power pole outside of a northwest location. Detective V. Ficke observed a male matching the suspect's description a short distance away. He appeared to be pulling wires out of a sprinkler control box. Detective Ficke attempted to contact the

male to see what he was doing. He immediately began running northbound on Coors Boulevard. Officers located the subject and followed him to a local motel. A short time later, the subject came out of the room and surrendered to officers. Officers observed a large amount of copper wire inside the room.

- On June 25, officers were dispatched in response to four unknown males in the caller's backyard. The caller yelled at the males and they left, running southbound. Officers were able to find the four subjects a short distance away and detain them. Two out of the four subjects were found to have outstanding felony warrants for residential burglary. The victim positively identified the subjects. The subjects were taken to the Southwest Area Command Substation to be interviewed regarding recent burglaries in the area. The two subjects with warrants were booked.
- The Southwest Area Command implemented a property crimes tactical plan for 15 days in June. Officers conducted several surveillance operations, warrant arrests, and saturations. The tactical plan yielded one felony warrant for aggravated assault; four felony warrants for burglary; and one felony warrant for fleeing from law enforcement officers. Also, officers completed one felony warrant for aggravated battery; five misdemeanor warrants; an in-custody arrest for aggravated assault with a motor vehicle; and two in-custody arrests for possession of a stolen vehicle, which has led to an investigation into a possible stolen auto parts ring.
- Officer S. Maher was on a call when he heard the sound of an engine revving and tires squealing. Officer Maher observed a Jeep Cherokee intentionally losing traction and driving dangerously in the parking lot of a fast food restaurant. The vehicle left the parking lot and proceeded to drive erratically on Central Avenue. Officer Maher conducted a traffic stop on the vehicle. Officer Maher found the driver to be highly intoxicated, and noticed an ignition interlock device inside the vehicle. The passenger of the vehicle was also intoxicated. Officer Maher located two children in the back seat, ages four and 12. The four year old child was not properly restrained. The four year old child admitted to blowing into the interlock device to start the car. Officer Maher was concerned for the well being of the children, as

it appeared they had not bathed in several days. He contacted CYFD and placed the children into protective custody. CYFD advised Officer Maher that the children had just been returned to the mother a few days ago. The driver was arrested for DWI and two counts of child abuse; the passenger was also arrested for two counts of child abuse.

- Open Space officers logged 1,802 hours of patrol in June on everything from foot and vehicle patrol to ATV, bike, hovercraft and horse patrol. Open Space officers issued 267 misdemeanor citations ranging from littering, animal restraint, glass containers, illegal camping, parking and traffic and made 13 arrests. Additionally, Open Space officers attended community events and made significant contacts with 2,020 visitors to the Open Space areas answering questions, handling problems, and instructing them on the fire restriction closures. The Horse Mounted Unit had 621 citizen contacts throughout the course of their monthly duties while on Bosque fire patrol and at community events.

### **Northwest Area Command...**

- On June 3, Officer L. Mares arrested a suspect for an outstanding felony warrant for probation violation.
- On June 3, Officer H. Alvidrez arrested two males and a female for felony aggravated assault with a deadly weapon. The three attempted to steal property belonging to a grocery store and in the process pulled a handgun on store employees before fleeing.
- On June 17, Officer M. Acata arrested a man for aggravated battery at a local grocery store. The offender was arrested after hitting a 3 year old boy on top of the head with a hammer causing a skull fracture.
- On June 17, Officer M. Benavidez arrested a man for aggravated assault on a household member. It was reported that the man forced entry into his mother's home, armed himself with a baseball bat, and damaged several items in his mother's home. The victim was in fear of an immediate assault and called police. Upon officer's arrival, the offender was found sitting on the living room couch still holding the bat.
- Two tactical plans in Taylor Ranch were conducted by Officer Morant to address increases in residential burglaries. In two days, he contacted 21 residents about their garage doors being open.

- On June 3, Northwest Area Command field officers were dispatched to a local grocery store in response to an armed robbery. Upon officer's arrival to the store, a description of the offender was quickly broadcast. A Northwest Field Services officer observed the offender's vehicle traveling north on Coors, but the driver refused to stop. The driver abandoned his vehicle and fled on foot. Officers arrested two subjects inside the vehicle. Officers set up a perimeter and K9 was called to the scene. After a search, K9 apprehended the suspect. The stolen property was returned to the grocery store.
- On June 6, Northwest Impact Team detectives received several reports of a female who had attempted to enter residences through dog doors and open garages. A large amount of money was taken during one of the burglaries. Detective Larranaga was assigned the case and worked all day to identify the offender. Detective Larranaga tracked the suspect to a residence in Rio Rancho, where she was arrested and booked into the MDC.
- On June 11, Northwest Impact Team detectives conducted a property crime tactical plan in the area of Coors and Quail NW. Detectives observed a male looking into vehicles at a strip mall parking lot. Detectives contacted the male and questioned him about his activity. A NCIC check revealed the suspect had a felony warrant for burglary and was recently featured on APD-TV and Crimestoppers. Detectives also discovered that the suspect was an unregistered sex offender. Detectives contacted the BCSO SORT Unit, who immediately sought an arrest warrant.
- On June 17, Northwest officers responded to a suspicious call at a retail shop located on Coors NW. Upon arrival, officers observed two male subjects rolling copper wire into spool. The subjects attempted to run while officers arrived on scene. The subjects were detained and the Northwest Impact Team was called to the scene. A search of the area revealed that the copper wire was stolen from a nearby restaurant's electrical box. Both subjects were responsible for over \$30,000 of damage.

### **Northeast Area Command...**

- On June 25, Officer McMurrugh was dispatched to a northeast location in response to a wanted person call. A Tennessee law enforcement agency notified APD that a suspect

was at the location and had an extraditable warrant for her arrest. Officer McMurrough made contact with the suspect, verified the warrant, and placed her under arrest without incident.

- On June 29, Officer Thoma was dispatched to a local bank in response to an armed robbery call. Officers arrived on scene and were able to get valuable information about the offenders. The information was broadcast. Officers notified the FBI and supplied them with all known information. On June 30, the offenders of the armed robbery were apprehended near Deming, NM when they tried to run a road block that was set up by Border Patrol.
- Officers were dispatched to a northeast location in response to a residential burglary call. While en route, information was gathered from the caller that she had returned home to find a man taking a bath in her upstairs bathroom. The victim admitted to leaving her door unlocked. Prior to police arrival, the man fled on foot but was apprehended approximately one block away. Officer Powers conducted the investigation and determined that the suspect could be charged with residential burglary based on finding property from inside the home on his person.
- Team 3 officers utilized the daily and weekly "hot spot" maps to identify and target areas within the area command that were experiencing a high level of property crimes. Officers were assigned to patrol the hot spot areas and take a zero tolerance approach to enforcing any illegal activity and contacting suspicious individuals. Two stolen vehicles were recovered as part of the operation. Team 3 officers also utilized weekly field briefings in the hot spot areas to increase officer visibility and presence. Team 3 officers produced 143 moving citations, four towed vehicles, two seized vehicles, and three misdemeanor arrests.
- Officer Huston was investigating a felony domestic violence call when the offender returned to the apartment. Upon seeing officers, the offender fled to his vehicle and drove from the parking lot. The offender quickly crashed his vehicle and fled on foot. Officer Huston was able to apprehend the offender with the help of responding units. The offender was booked on multiple felony charges.

## **Investigative Bureau Scientific Evidence Division...**

- The Major Crime Scene Team responded to eight call outs in June.
- The Field Investigator Unit responded to 1,354 calls, wrote 1,201 reports, and collected 834 latent fingerprint cards during June.
- The New Mexico DNA Identification System (NMDIS), received 790 new convicted offender/arrestee DNA samples in June, with a cumulative total of over 90,500 collected. 1,223 samples were analyzed, data uploaded and searched in CODIS, with a cumulative total of over 84,500 searchable DNA profiles. As a result of these convicted offender/arrestee samples, 32 unsolved cases were matched to convicted offenders/arrestees, 12 case-to-case matches were made, with a resulting total of 50 investigations being aided.
- The Firearm and Tool Mark Group completed a multi-year project to host the international Association of Firearm and Tool Mark Examiner (AFTE) conference. The massive project was spearheaded by Examiner Jay Stuart.
- In June, Identification Technicians and 1 rehire officer supported the following backgrounds; 89 case dispositions, 48 employment, 33 firearms, 96 FBI and 26 CODIS requests. 275 RAPs and photos were distributed, 16 new APD applicants were fingerprinted, 1,623 fingerprints were classified in AFIS and 1,971 new and old arrests were processed into the Tiburon criminal history record.
- In June, Evidence Technicians and one rehire officer received 4,357 evidence items, duplicated 2,141 audio/video recordings and supported 48 pretrial viewings. Efforts to reduce inventory resulted in 543 items returned to owners, 2,344 items disposed and \$1,412.02 was recovered from auction income. Staff processed 9,370 case disposition transactions into the evidence history.

## **Property Crimes Division...**

- On June 13, Auto Theft Unit detectives were contacted by Officer S. Hurtado who notified them that he had found an unoccupied stolen vehicle. Detectives arrived on scene and set up undercover surveillance. A short time later, a male subject entered the vehicle and attempted to drive away. The unit stopped the vehicle and took the male into custody. Detectives interviewed the suspect and he told detectives

that he was paid to take vehicles from Santa Fe, and transport drugs in the stolen vehicle. The suspect was booked into the MDC.

- On June 4, Auto Theft Unit detectives were conducting random patrol operations. Detectives located a suspicious vehicle parked at a local motel that had been involved in several reported crimes. Detectives contacted the occupant of the vehicle and identified him. The occupant was found to have a felony warrant for his arrest. Detectives also located four grams of heroin and half a gram of methamphetamine. He was booked into the MDC.
- On June 20, Auto Theft Unit detectives were conducting random patrol operations. Detectives located an active stolen vehicle and set up undercover surveillance on the vehicle. A short time later, a male entered the vehicle and attempted to drive the vehicle away. Detectives stopped the vehicle and identified the driver. The driver was interviewed and admitted to driving the vehicle and knowing the vehicle was stolen. The driver was also found to have a felony warrant for his arrest. During the process, his girlfriend contacted detectives. The girlfriend's information was also run in NCIC and she was found to have a felony warrant for her arrest. Both subjects were booked into the MDC without incident.
- The Wrecker Services Unit, along with the Auto Theft Unit, completed the annual wrecker rotation. The process also included the inspection of all the tow trucks that operate for the City of Albuquerque.
- The Auto Theft Unit garage staff conducted over 60 VIN inspections in June. The Auto Theft Unit conducted three VIN etching events in June. A total of 255 vehicles were etched.
- The Auto Theft Unit conducted random patrols in an attempt to locate stolen vehicles. A total of eight stolen vehicles were located and recovered by the unit in June.
- During June, the White Collar Crime Unit cleared 28 cases, nine of which were sent to the District Attorney's office for prosecution. Seventeen cases were assigned to the White Collar Crime Unit in June. The White Collar Crime Unit is carrying 119 active cases.
- On June 13, Detective Sandoval assisted the U.S. Secret Service with a warrant in the Southwest Area Command. During this warrant, \$4,000 in counterfeit currency was located, and one subject was arrested.

- Detective Crawford obtained two arrest warrants. Both individuals were participating in a scheme to defraud local businesses of merchandise by writing worthless checks in excess of \$15,000.
- During June, the value of cases cleared by the White Collar Crime Unit was over \$774,137.
- The Criminal Nuisance Abatement Unit (CNAU) continued to respond to referrals from area commands, the Safe City Strike Force, neighborhood associations and City Council members. CNAU conducted patrol operations at City housing properties. CNAU conducted numerous interventions with owners, landlords and occupants of problem properties. In June, CNAU posted 103 units as substandard, identified 14 problem properties, and visited 182 properties.
- Detectives with CNAU, Pawn and Metal Theft Units assisted the DEA in Operation Synergy that focused on the illegal drug "spice". Seven commercial businesses had warrants. CNAU provided security for fire marshals as they conducted their inspections of the businesses.
- On June 6, a residential burglary was reported at a northeast location. The victim arrived while the crime was in progress and chased the four offenders in a vehicle. Sergeant Vigil located the vehicle and stopped it. NITe Detective K. Church and other field units assisted in the felony car stop. Detective Church took over the case and all subjects were transported to the Main and interviewed. Detective Church had the vehicle sealed for a warrant. The victims were contacted and identified the subjects and identified some of their stolen property in the vehicle. After the investigation, all four subjects were arrested for the burglary. All of the property was returned to the victim.
- On June 7, NITe detectives responded to an ETS activation near Singing Arrow and Dorado. The offender entered the vehicle and took bait property. He walked to a local motel and met with his friend who offered to buy the property for \$20. The offender then left the area before NITe detectives tracked and located the property. Once the property was located, detectives spoke to the offender's friend. NITe detectives found the offender, and he admitted to the burglary and selling the property to his friend. His friend advised that he knew the property came out of an unknown car but still chose to buy it, so both subjects were arrested.

- On June 12, NITe detectives responded to an ETS activation. The offender entered the bait vehicle and took property. The offender was located driving around and eventually went to a fast food restaurant where he was arrested. He admitted to the burglary and property was recovered. Sergeant B. Werley and Officer J. Oguin assisted in the investigation.
- Organized Crime Unit (OCU) detectives were contacted by loss prevention staff from a major retailer in reference to a male subject, who had just committed a theft and left the area in a blue vehicle. OCU detectives were aware that the suspect was responsible for thefts valued at over \$10,000. The suspect would exit stores through a fire exit and then leave the scene. Immediately after the call from loss prevention, Northwest Area Command field officers were successful in taking the offender into custody.
- OCU detectives worked with a home improvement store's loss prevention staff to successfully locate and arrest a male and a female. The couple had committed thefts of copper wire on at least five different occasions from several home improvement locations. Each of the five thefts was well over \$500. On numerous occasions, the couple would take their one year old son along.
- OCU detectives assumed case responsibility on an investigation involving a male subject, who was utilizing a pocket knife to cut electronic devices from locked peg hooks. During the course of the investigation, the suspect was identified as the offender in an armed robbery.

### **Criminal Investigations Division...**

- The Homicide Unit responded to seven call outs in June. Of the seven, five were homicides and two were major cases. This brings the total number of UCR homicides in Albuquerque to 16 through the end of June. Fourteen of these were adult homicides and two were CACU cases from 2012 that became homicides in 2013 due to investigation.
- The Armed Robbery Unit responded to 18 call outs and cleared 25 cases in June, and sent 19 of those to the District Attorney's office for prosecution. The Unit completed 16 arrests, wrote 11 arrest warrants and served four search warrants. The Robbery Unit had 50 new cases assigned and the Unit has 85 active cases.
- The Sex Crimes Unit responded to eight call-outs in June, cleared 34 cases, and sent 11

of those to the District Attorney's office for prosecution. There were 37 new cases assigned. The Unit served eight search warrants. The Unit has 82 active cases.

- The FASTT Unit cleared 31 cases in June. The Unit generated 35 cases, made nine in-custody arrests. The Unit has 20 active cases.
- There were 93 new runaways/missing persons reported to the Missing Persons Unit in June. The Unit cleared 90 total cold case / runaways / missing person cases. The Unit has 107 active cases.
- The CIT/ COAST team conducted two tactical plans in June that targeted panhandlers and aggressive panhandling. Team members focused on the I-25 and I-40 corridors and surrounding areas. Team members offered resources, gave warnings, cited and even made arrests on occasions. COAST focused on homeless subjects and advised them about resources.
- In June, the Crimes Against Children Unit (CACU) received 643 referrals for review and possible assignment. CACU detectives were assigned a total of 95 new cases. They also conducted six search warrants. CACU responded to 31 call outs.
- Student Resource Officers Saavedra and Lilly were utilized to perform welfare checks on children. Lilly performed 42 home visits and received 21 referrals with one summons. Saavedra performed 49 home visits and received 26 referrals with one felony referral to CACU and one summons.
- Detective Peer participated in a citywide warrant round up tactical plan for sex offenders. Seven arrests were made during the operation.
- Detective Walsh and Hawkes spearheaded a SPEED Operation targeting individuals who wanted to engage in sexual activity with a perceived 12 year old child. The operation resulted in four arrests.

### **Special Investigations Division...**

- On June 1, Intel Unit detectives assisted the Gang Unit with electronic surveillance in a high profile investigation and resulted in a SWAT activation. A search warrant and arrest warrant was issued, resulting in the arrest of a homicide offender.
- On June 26, Intel Unit detectives assisted the ROP Unit and Impact Team with electronic surveillance involving the shooting of a two year old child.

- On June 4, ROP Unit detectives assisted Field Services Bureau officers with the apprehension of a suspect who had committed a brutal attack against his mother and another male. The suspect threw his mother from a bridge and attempted to throw the male from the bridge when he was stopped by citizens. ROP Unit detectives responded and assisted Northeast field officers with apprehending the man who was driving his mother's vehicle.
- On June 3 through 5, ROP Unit detectives assisted the Violent Crimes Unit with a homicide investigation. ROP detectives assisted with surveillance, securing of locations and recovery of the weapon believed to have been used in the homicide. Numerous witnesses were contacted and turned over to Violent Crimes detectives. ROP detectives also assisted with the apprehension of the offender.
- On June 11, ROP Unit detectives assisted Foothills Field Officers, K-9, and SWAT with yard-to-yard searches related to a residential burglary and auto theft investigation. ROP detectives responded and assisted with the apprehension of the offender.
- On June 18, ROP Unit detectives assisted Violent Crimes with a fatal stabbing investigation. ROP detectives assisted with surveillance and identifying witnesses related to the homicide.
- On June 27, ROP Unit detectives responded to a shooting of a 2 year old child. ROP detectives responded quickly and assisted Southeast Area Command field officers, Impact Team detectives and CACU with the investigation. The offender was quickly identified and warrants were issued. ROP detectives conducted several interviews and surveillance. The offender later turned himself in.
- On June 1, Gang Unit detectives completed the fugitive search/arrest for a gang member who was located hiding in his mother's residence in the South Valley. A lengthy SWAT standoff resulted in his arrest. Both suspects were taken into custody and gave full confessions on the homicide of an eight year old girl. Gang Unit detectives worked 22 consecutive hours to locate and capture both suspects.
- On June 5, Gang Unit detectives were called to assist ROP Unit detectives on a fugitive hunt for a homicide offender. Gang Detectives were able to use investigative techniques to locate him hiding in a residence. He was taken into custody without incident.
- On June 11, Gang Unit detectives conducted a search warrant in collaboration with the FBI. Two suspects were arrested on federal narcotics charges. The search and arrest were based on a long-term investigation completed by Gang Unit detectives using undercover and confidential informants.
- On June 14, Gang Unit detectives learned that a man had been released from jail by mistake. Gang Unit detectives were able to locate the inmate and surround his residence. A lengthy SWAT standoff took place, but the man was eventually taken into custody.
- On June 24, Gang Unit detectives were contacted by Armed Robbery Unit detectives for assistance in locating a suspect. The wanted man was suspected in participating in seven armed robberies throughout the city. Gang Detectives were able to locate the suspect and took him into custody without incident.
- Due to ongoing problems at a Downtown bar, the Gangs Street Team conducted a month long tactical plan at the business. A recent spike in fights and disorderly conduct at or near the club, as well as reports of minors being allowed resulted in the additional attention. Street Team members posted outside the location and conducted surprise walkthroughs. Several instances of underage kids being inside were documented, as well as alcoholic containers. All reports were forwarded to CNAU. The tactical plan resulted in greatly reduced traffic in and around the club, and a corresponding drop off of calls for service.
- On June 14, Gangs Street Team assisted Northeast Area Command officers with a home invasion investigation. Two offenders had broken into an elderly couple's house in the middle of the night. A 90 year old female resident was able to escape, but her 93 year old husband who suffers from dementia was not. Gangs Streets Team detectives, along with K9, and Northeast officers formed a plan and were able to secure the elderly male, and then get both subjects in custody. One subject was hiding under the bed the elderly male was sleeping in. Both subjects appear to be responsible for additional home invasions of elderly residents.
- On June 15, Gang Street Team Detectives Hernandez and Endzel responded to a fight in progress call at San Mateo and Highland. Upon arrival, one male was armed with a firearm. The

detectives were able to get him into custody. During the subsequent investigation, the suspect admitted that a gang member tried to rob the male for his shoes. He was booked, and the gun was seized.

- During June, Vice Unit detectives made 17 felony arrests, and 61 misdemeanor arrests including 27 prostitution arrests. Unit detectives conducted 53 undercover operations and conducted 187 hours of surveillance in reference to multiple criminal offenses.
- Vice Unit detectives assisted in the location of a rape and kidnapping victim for Sex Crimes Detectives, as well as locating and identifying a possible suspect.
- Vice Unit detectives focused intensely on street level prostitution to address the concerns of the community in the Southeast and Southwest Area Commands. This resulted in multiple arrests, criminal summons and towed vehicles, as well as numerous tips and informants being generated.
- In June, the Criminal Interdiction Unit completed four felony arrests and executed one felony warrant. Unit detectives also seized 12 pounds of marijuana, two pounds of cocaine, four pounds of heroin, and seized four vehicles.
- Detectives Irwin and Sinclair deployed their narcotic K-9's on several packages at the request of U.S. Postal Inspectors. Two pounds of marijuana and one pound of heroin was seized from two separate packages.
- Detectives deployed a K-9 while on a traffic stop, which resulted in the K-9 indicating on a package within the vehicle. Three pounds of heroin and one vehicle was seized.
- Central Narcotics assisted the DEA as part of a nation wide "Spice" round-up/warrant service. The Central team was responsible for the service of two search warrants at two separate locations. Approximately two pounds of Spice, \$20,000 and one vehicle was seized from these locations. One subject was arrested by the DEA.
- Central Narcotics, with the assistance of HSI and U.S. Postal Inspectors, conducted a controlled delivery of a package from the Netherlands to an Albuquerque address. Once the occupant took possession of the package, detectives served a search warrant at the residence. 613 MDMA (ecstasy) pills, five firearms and one vehicle were seized. The investigation also yielded two felony arrests.
- Central Narcotics detectives, with the assistance

of HSI, conducted a buy/bust for a quantity of cocaine. 2.3 pounds of cocaine and one vehicle was seized, in addition to three felony arrests completed.

- APD detectives were requested to assist the U.S. Marshal Service with a fugitive they had in custody. The call-out involved detectives from Narcotics, Auto Theft and Burglary. Five warrants were cleared, two stolen motorcycles were recovered, two ounces of methamphetamine was seized and miscellaneous stolen property was recovered.
- DEA Task Force Officers took part in a nationwide Spice take down that was a spin off from a Spice case that was originally initiated by Detective Novicki. The case was ongoing for several months and resulted in five federal arrests and four state arrests. Detectives seized almost \$1.2 million (including over 30 seized bank accounts). Approximately 100,700 packets of synthetic cannabinoids, five kilos of treated plant material, one pound of marijuana and 4.5 kilos of untreated material. 18 vehicles were also seized with an approximate value of \$200,000. Additionally, 13 weapons were seized.
- DEA Task Force Officers worked a joint operation with BCSO that resulted in the seizure of 2.1 kilos of heroin, two federal arrests and the seizure of a 2012 Ford F350.
- HIDTA Detective Walsh conducted several operations at the bus depot and train stations resulting in the seizure of \$5,010. He deployed his K-9 for narcotic searches 27 times.

## Chief's Staff

### Communications Division...

- The APD 911 Communications Center staff answered 74,108 incoming 911 and 242-COPS calls in June. There were 28,531 calls answered for 911 and 45,577 calls answered for 242-COPS. 911 Operators answered 89.47% of the 911 calls within 10 seconds (the national standard is 90%; APD's standard is 92.0%); operators also answered 94.19% of the 242-COPS calls within 30 seconds (APD's goal is 90% answered within 30 seconds).
- Interviews were conducted for the APD 911 Communications Data/Recording Coordinator position and a recommendation for hire was submitted to Human Resources.
- The Emergency Communications Manager participated as a panel member on the State of

- New Mexico Interview Board for the position of Director of Communications with the Department of Public Safety.
- The Emergency Communications Center Manager, Administrator and two Shift Supervisors attended the national National Emergency Number Association (NENA) Conference held in Charlotte, North Carolina from June 14 to June 20. The conference included educational and training sessions and presentations on new technologies, leadership, and 911 best practices.

### **Planning and Policy Division...**

- The Policy and Procedures Review Board (PPRB) met to review 2-52 Use of Force standard operating procedure, Detention of Witnesses, and a major crime canvass and witness information form. PPRB also reviewed 2-56 Responding to Calls and the new grooming standards policies.
- Division staff said goodbye to Lupe Gallegos, who retired on June 14.
- Division staff managed the replacement of VCT tile in Payroll file room and carpet replacement on the third floor of the Law Enforcement Center.
- Staff completed the 2012 Annual Report, distributed hard copies to staff, and created a PDF for posting on the web.

### **Support Services Bureau**

#### **APD Academy...**

- APD Recruiters assisted applicants prior to testing weekend to measure their physical abilities by demonstrating the physical tests and allowing them to perform the physical tests so the applicant can see where they are before they come for testing weekend.
- The Recruiting Sergeant met with Real Time Solutions to discuss rebuilding the recruiting website and submitted the quote for funding.
- Members of the Recruiting Unit assisted with the MOE Firearms Qualifications at the range during June.
- Members of the Recruiting Unit helped create new pamphlets for recruiting. The Unit also created and received a new display board for use at recruiting functions.
- Detective C. Frank is the DRE Coordinator for New Mexico. Detective Frank taught a DRE class in Chicago from June 3-14.

- The physical training program for the 109th Cadet Class continued as 19 cadets scored in the 91st percentile on their third assessment. Regularly scheduled 2013 physical assessments continued with 245 officers completing the assessments throughout seven dates. The Wellness Unit continued to work closely with Albuquerque Public Schools in planning for a future PSA academy within their educational system.
- The Advanced Training Unit neared the end of the 2013 MOE Cycle. Most of the department has attended and also completed their 2013 DPS Day Qualifications. Additional dates for makeups were identified. Advanced Training assisted with the current cadet class in session.
- The West Range was responsible for the firearms requirement for this cycle and continued to teach a buckshot shotgun refresher class. Each student is required to pass the Limited Scope Proficiency Familiarization (LSPF) for the weapon and then participate in a live fire segment. The West Range Staff also continued with remedial training and transitions as needed.
- The Tac Range maintained its current schedule up until the final week of June when it was decided to temporarily close the range until all concerns of the range could be met. Officer D. Bartram is coordinating with City Range Manager David Sanchez to ensure there is adequate training space for specialized units such as SWAT and K9 who use the Tac Range often.
- The 109th Cadet Class completed their twelfth week of training in June. They began the month with 40 hours of defensive tactics training. They completed their eight hour Taser Certification Course. The cadets completed Phase #1 of reality based scenarios, and they were also provided eight hours of supplemental F.A.T.S. training. Class 109 received eight hours of firearms maintenance training, which included three NMDPS qualifications. The Behavioral Sciences Division and CIT provided 16 hours of crisis management training. Eight hours of the crisis management training were reality-based scenarios. The CIT scenarios require cadets to interact with professional actors portraying emotionally disturbed persons. This training is focused on improving cadet's verbal de-escalation skills.

## **Metro Traffic Division...**

- The Traffic Unit issued 3,070 citations in June.
- The DWI Unit completed 177 DWI and three DRE arrest in June.
- The Seizure Unit confiscated 122 vehicles in June, totalling \$188,440.
- In June, the Motors Unit completed ten misdemeanor arrests. The Unit issued 1,651 moving citations, including 69 for cell phone use while driving. The Unit conducted tactical plans in June that produced 626 citations.
- On June 3, Air 5 assisted Northwest units, K-9 and SWAT officers in establishing a perimeter in the area of Montano and Rio Grande to search for a male robbery offender who was seen running with a handgun. Air 5 remained at the scene, searching for the offender and ultimately he was taken into custody by K-9 apprehension. Two other offenders were taken into custody prior to Air 5's arrival.
- On June 5, Air 5 responded to the area of Tramway and Central in response to a Foothills unit that had observed an occupied stolen vehicle. The stolen vehicle fled on westbound on I-40 from the officer. Air 5 located the vehicle at Juan Tabo and I-40 eastbound traveling at a high speed and passing slower traffic on the shoulders of the roadway. No units were engaged or near the stolen vehicle. Air 5 followed the vehicle until it exited at Louisiana and nearly collided with a slower vehicle. The vehicle then turned northbound on Louisiana and entered an underground parking structure. Units were directed to the location. Northeast units determined from store security video that a male and female had exited the vehicle and walked northbound across Indian School Road into the Uptown shopping center. Air 5 searched the area and located a male and female walking westbound across Louisiana at America's Parkway and into the Coronado Mall parking lot. A Northeast bike officer ran across Louisiana and contacted the two subjects. After only a few seconds, both subjects ran. The bike officer chased and apprehended the male offender. Air 5 officers watched as the female ran into a large retail store. Air 5 established a perimeter around the mall and had several reports of the female entering and leaving different locations. Video from the store revealed the female stole several items of clothing, changed and walked out of the south doors of the store. She was not located. The stolen vehicle was recovered.

## **Professional Standards Division...**

- Central Records welcomed Christopher Raphael to the Imaging Unit.
- Records revenue for Insurance and Accounts was \$9,283.75 for 2,008 requests. Citizen requests and register revenue totalled \$5,356 over 837 requests.
- Metro Court Officers processed 128 individuals who were remanded by the court and booked.
- Officers assisted 13 individuals who were remanded and assisted with bonding out; 27 individuals booked with misdemeanor warrants; 43 individuals who were found to have misdemeanor warrants were assisted in bonding out; and responded to 1,104 calls for service in June.

## **Homeland Security Division...**

- Staff designed and began EOC reconfiguration to support the new ESF framework.
- OEM staff participated in a biological detection system exercise on June 12. Staff participated in an airport full-scale exercise preparation meeting.
- OEM staff used grant funding to purchase 50 resource team equipment bags, four pallet jacks, one electric hand forklift, and 11 laptops. Staff were assigned to inventory internal and external OEM equipment located throughout the city.
- Staff developed and submitted an EOC situation report form to the appropriate approval committee for review.
- A proactive outreach program —ABQ BE READY— is being developed to inform and engage the citizenry, business, and non-profits in disaster preparedness. Materials are being gathered and an initiative plan is being developed.
- One CERT training class was completed with 21 new volunteers. In June, 46 CERT volunteers donated 1,004 hours to the City of Albuquerque.
- The EOC was activated to a Level 3 on June 1 for a Department of Health Hepatitis outbreak notification. The Situation Assessment Team was notified and two staff members developed situation reports and sent them to the state EOC throughout the event. Additionally, the EOC was activated to a Level 3 on June 12 in response to local power outages. Staff developed situation reports and vulnerable population maps and called all facilities to assess needs and provide support.
- In June, the Real Time Crime Center made

major strides in gaining and developing more databases to assist officers in the field, established new video cameras to access and developed a detailed Crime Analysis reporting system.

- The Video Production Unit continued to perfect the Daily 49 in June. Five APD-TV monitors were added to the 911 Center in June. APD-TV began sending out department-wide emails in June every time the Daily 49 was launched. The Unit noted that with the emails the number of web-based views doubled.
- The Video Unit set up a video trailer for the Northeast Summerfest and monitored the event. Overall, the video network was utilized 44 times in June on active calls.
- The RTCC bridge was active in 614 calls for service in June and in 60 percent of the calls it passed critical information to officers. Domestic violence calls accounted for more than 21 percent of the RTCC bridge's activity in June. The RTCC assisted the Southeast with the most calls (151).
- Court Services staff scheduled 164 pretrial hearings; processed 434 arraignments; submitted 297 felony cases to the District Attorney's office; and submitted 565 summons to Metro Court.
- The Alarm Unit collected \$78,725 during June.
- The Telephone Report Unit generated 466 reports and 160 supplemental reports resulting in a savings of 1,627.60 hours of Field Services time and a savings of \$25,040.
- In addition, the Telephone Report Unit received 359 Cop Logic (online) report resulting in a savings of 933.40 hours of Field Services time and a savings of \$14,360.

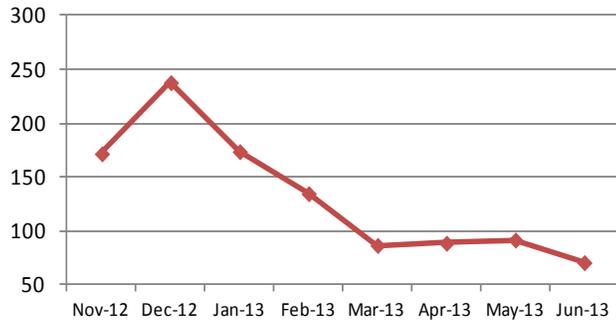
### Special Operations Division...

- In June, APD's Bomb Squad responded to 14 call outs. These included a suspicious package at a bank, a suspicious package under a bridge on the Bosque bike path, and a suspicious threatening letter sent to an abortion clinic.
- The Bomb Squad also responded to a suspicious device tied to the undercarriage of a car. The device turned out to be a GPS tracking device.
- The Squad conducted a search for explosives in the Bank of the West Building. A bomb threat was called in for the building, and security evacuated the entire building. After a thorough search, no explosives were located.
- APD's Bomb Squad also assisted on two search warrants. The first helped the FBI execute a

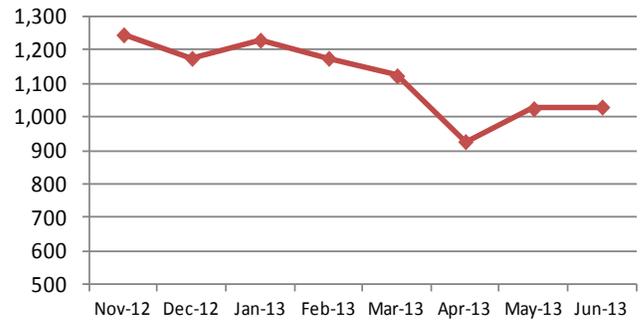
- search warrant on a subject who called in a bomb threat to a FBI building. The second helped the APD Foothills Impact Team execute a search warrant. The Team was in a residence taking a subject into custody when they located a homemade-looking grenade device in the house. After the warrant was signed, the APD Bomb Squad entered the house and removed it. The device was an improvised flash bang.
- APD's Bomb Squad also assisted APD's SWAT team with robot support at a southwest Albuquerque location. The search was for a homicide suspect who barricaded himself inside the house. He was taken into custody after a K9 apprehension.
- During June, the K9 Unit completed their annual recertification on all police service dogs (PSD) through Adlerhorst. All PSDs passed certification without any problems.
- The K9 Unit responded to 89 call outs, conducted 93 building searches, 10 area searches, five searches for armed offenders and made nine K9 apprehensions. The officers of the K9 Unit also participated in 143 hours of SWAT activations
- In June, the Prisoner Transport Unit processed 1,741 prisoners through the Prisoner Transport Center. The Albuquerque Police Department arrested 1,433 prisoners and other law enforcement agencies arrested 308 prisoners. The Prisoner Transport Unit made 256 trips to the MDC and accepted 11 walk-in prisoners at the MDC.
- The PTU continued in June with the Mobile Transport Operations Sunday through Tuesday for approximately six hours a day. In June, the PTU generated 152 mobile transports to MDC.
- The APD-AFD Public Inebriate Intervention Program (PIIP) operation worked Wednesday through Saturday for approximately 8 hours a day in the month of June. The PIIP Team generated 227 public inebriate transports to the MATS facility. The feedback from the field is very good and the PIIP Team is having a significant impact on "Down and Out" calls for service.
- In June, the PTU assisted the Foothills Area Command with approximately 60 hours of hospital guard duty assignments.
- The savings in hours and fuel costs for June was \$23,971.

**Trend Analysts**

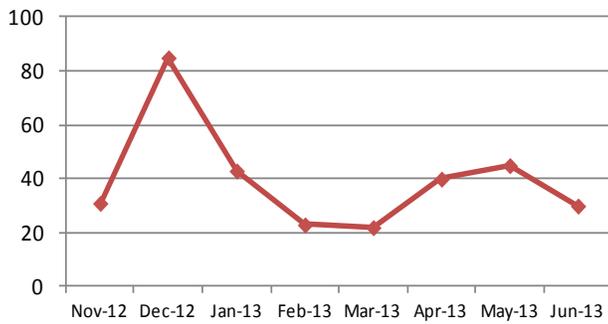
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**Parking Citations**



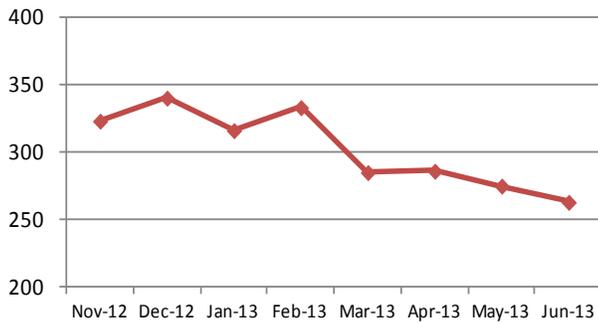
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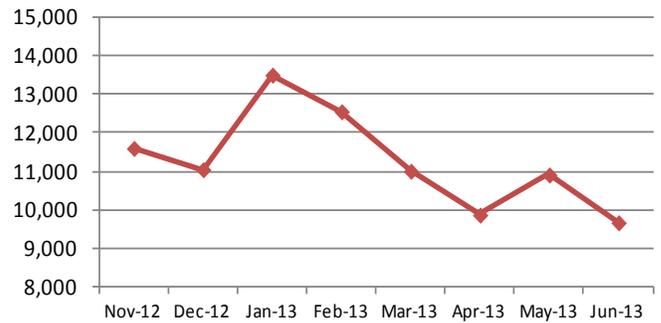
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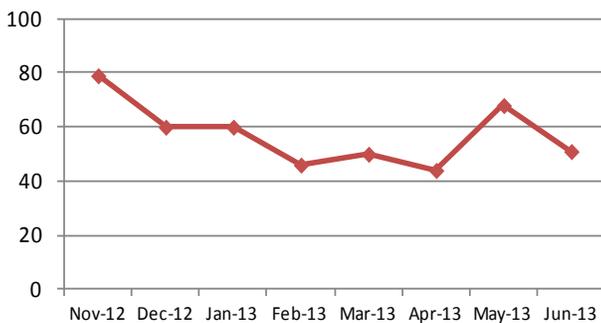
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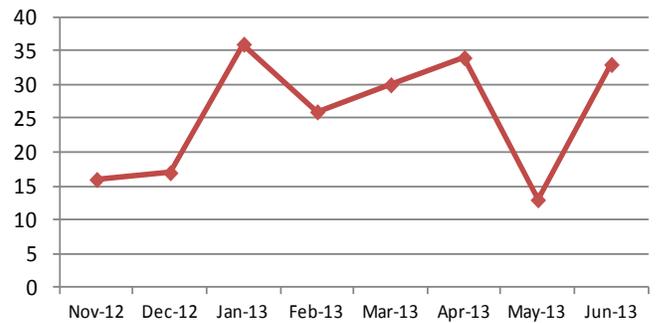
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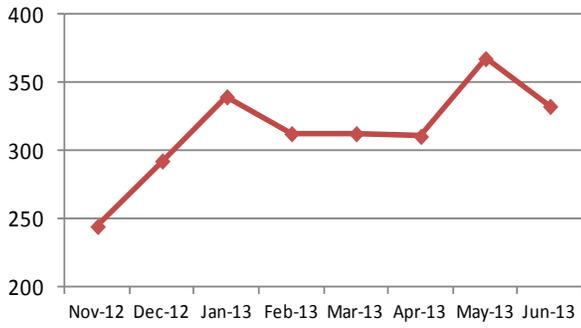
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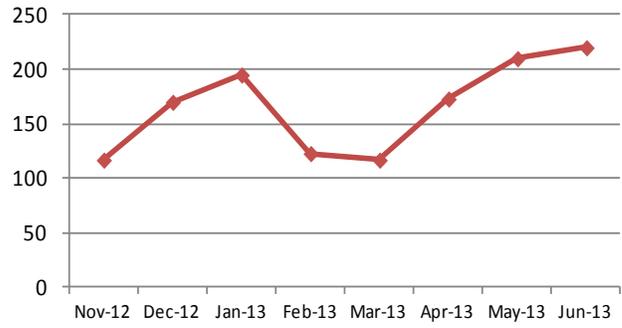
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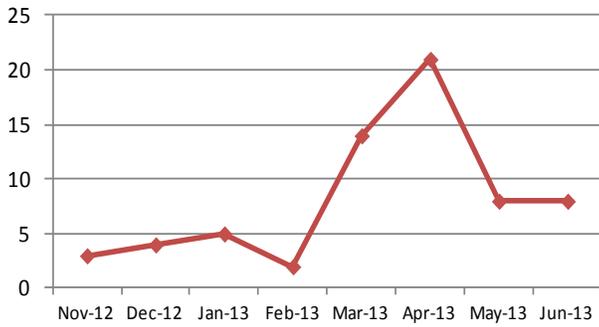
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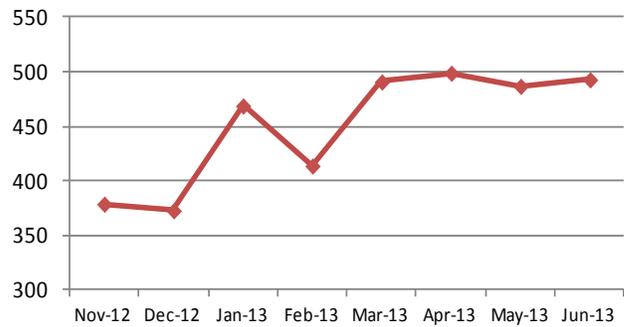
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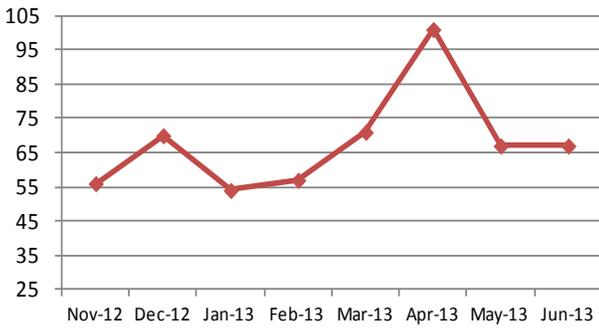
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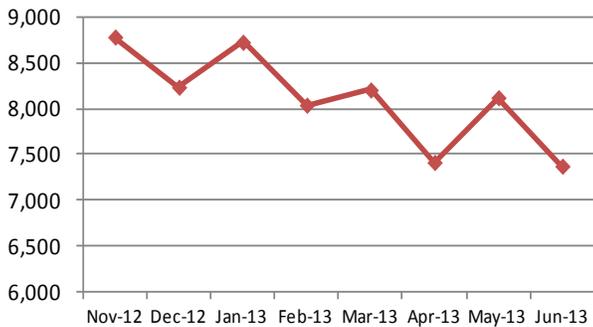
**Littering Citations**



**Criminal Trespass Citations / Arrests**



**Police Reports Written**



**Drinking in Public Citations / Arrests**

