



City of Marco Island

Meeting Date: JULY 2019
To: City Council
From: Acting Chief Dave Baer
Through: Mike McNees, City Manager
Re: 2019 Monthly City Council Report



Officers gather together prior to 2019 Memorial Day Service at Vereran's Park

Events

- Special detail officers were requested by JW Marriott for their Roadhouse concert series April 28 through May 1st. MIPD Officers provided a total of 310 hours of beach and event security over the three days while still meeting normal operational requirements.
- May 1st began Sea Turtle Season. Officers are patrolling our beaches to ensure the safety of this endangered species. Each May and continuing through early August, female loggerhead sea turtles crawl out of the Gulf of Mexico and nest on Marco Island's beach. The baby turtles, or hatchlings, will emerge after the nests are laid. Hatchlings generally are emerging from early July through the end of October each year. The season ends October 31st. During this time residents are subject to Beach Lighting Law Compliance, keeping beach free of barriers, and reporting injured or dead turtles to

the proper authorities. Sea turtle season details were posted on department social media and the City's website. A Community Service Officer has been assigned to conduct periodic night patrols to ensure compliance with lighting restrictions.

- May 5th began Hurricane Preparedness Week. It is time to evaluate what you need to do to protect your home and family NOW, before the first storm of the season forms.
- On May 16th members of the MIPD attended Police Officer Memorial Week service in Naples.
- May 20th began the statewide "Click it or Ticket" campaign which will be in effect through June 2nd. After the two-week enforcement period of our "Click it or Ticket" operation, a post survey was conducted which revealed 92% of motorists and front seat passengers were in compliance! MIPD conducted 311 traffic stops during the initiative.
 - ✓ 28 warnings for seatbelts
 - ✓ 6 citations issued for seatbelts
 - ✓ 33 citations issued for other violations
- Coffee with the Chiefs was held at Dunkin' Donuts May 21st. Chief's Schettino and Murphy were in attendance as well as many other officers and fire fighters. Staff had many opportunities to interact with the public.
- PD Honor Guard was present at Marco Island's Memorial Day Ceremony May 27th.
- May 31st marked the retirement of Chief Al Schettino after ten years of service to Marco Island, and four decades in law enforcement. At the same time, Captain Dave Baer was named as our Acting Chief.
- In an effort to preserve our water quality the Department seeks to remind others of the restrictions regarding fertilizer application. "Timing of Fertilizer Application." No applicator shall apply fertilizers containing nitrogen or phosphorous to turf and/or landscape plants during the rainy season (June 1 – September 30) and the prohibited application period to saturated soils." Public education regarding fertilizer was affected by posting a variable message board at the Jolly Bridge, utilizing Department social media and the City's website.



Honor Guard on Memorial Day at Veteran's Parade

Departmental Awards Ceremony

After a nearly a seven-year hiatus, the Department conducted an awards ceremony on May 29th, honoring citizens, businesses, non-governmental organizations, allied public safety organizations, as well as civilian and sworn staff. The following community members received awards for:

Community Service – Robert Boone

Community Excellence – Police Foundation

Community Appreciation – Katherine Cook, Knights of Columbus, Battaglia Family, Jim Von Rintlen, Family Church of Marco Island

Hurricane Irma Recognition- Marco Island Academy, Paradise Fuel, 7-11 of Marco, Da Vinci Ristorante, Kretsch's Restaurant, Mango's Dockside Bistro, Splittin' Waves, Publix, Marco Island Beach Ocean Resort, JW Marriott Island Beach Resort, Marriott Crystal Shores, Esplanade of Marco Island, Gulfview Club, Executive Auto Repair, Jupiter Police Department, Florida Highway Patrol, Chris Byrne, Lisa Smith, Tom and Kelly Feiner

Commendation for Service- City of Marco Island Information and Technology Department, Lee County Electric Cooperative, Marco Island Fire Rescue Department, Collier County Sheriff's Department, Marco Island Fire Foundation, Florida Fish and Wildlife Commission, Naples Police Department, United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 9-5, Marco Island Chamber of Commerce

In accordance with Departmental General Orders, Officers and civilian staff were issued over 300 awards in the following categories, Volunteer Excellence, Civilian Volunteer of the Year, Civilian Employee of the Year, Physical Fitness, Professional Development, Higher Learning, National Defense, Safe Vessel or Vehicle Operations, Honorable Police Service, Departmental Origination, Meritorious Service, Community Service, Emergency Operations, Chief's Achievement. Purple Heart, Community Service Officer of the Year, Reserve / Auxiliary Officer of the Year, Officer of the Year, and Lifesaving.

Training

- Captain Dave Baer attended the Governor's Hurricane Conference the week of May 12th.
- Detective Mark Huffor attended a general instructor refresher course.
- Sergeant Zachary Kirsch and Officer Adam Nelson attended Oleoresin Capsicum (pepper-spray) Instructor.
- Officer Juan Monsalve attended traffic crash report training.
- Sergeant Brian Granneman attended Leadership Development.
- Officer Alejandra Moreno completed her in-house Field Training program and is now on solo patrol. Congratulations!

Special Duty Hours

JW Marriott Roadhouse Concert	98
Farmer's Market	12
Jewish Center	18
Rose Marina Corporate	10
Presbyterian Church	6
Total Hours	<u>144</u>

Auxiliary and Reserve Officers

Six officers volunteered 182 hours during May. Additionally, four officers worked 100.5 hours at special detail events.



Officer Juan Monsalve makes new friends attending a speed measurement course

Incident Reports and Arrests

DATE: 05/26/2019

INCIDENT: Indecent Exposure

Officers were dispatched to the South end of the beach in reference to a suspicious incident. A male and a female were arrested for indecent exposure and were transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 05/26/2019

INCIDENT: Impaired Driving

An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a motorcycle for reckless driving. The male driver was arrested for Driving Under the Influence and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 05/28/2019

INCIDENT: Driving without a Valid License

An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for speeding. The male driver was arrested for driving without a valid license and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 05/28/2019

INCIDENT: Warrant Arrest

Officers were dispatched to vicinity of Sheffield Avenue in reference to a male approaching homes soliciting for business. The male was arrested for an active warrant and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 06/02/2019

INCIDENT: Death Investigation

Officers were dispatched to a residence located on Tahiti Road in reference to a death investigation. Investigation continues.

DATE: 06/04/2019

INCIDENT: Driving under the Influence with Property Damage

Officers were dispatched to Swallow Avenue in reference to a single vehicle crash. The male driver was arrested for Driving Under the Influence with Property Damage and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 06/10/2019

INCIDENT: Driving Under the Influence

An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for a headlight violation. The female driver was arrested for Driving Under the Influence and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

DATE: 06/12/2019

INCIDENT: Driving Under the Influence

An Officer conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for failing to maintain lane. The female driver was arrested for Driving Under the Influence and was transported to the Naples Jail Center.

**Detective Bureau Monthly Report
May 2019**

INVESTIGATIONS:

Case Follow Ups: 37

SIGNIFICANT CASE INFORMATION/INCIDENTS:

Grand Theft 829 W Elkcarn Circle – Property manager suspected of embezzling funds from property owners. DBPR notified. [Ongoing investigation](#)

Burglary Dwelling 773 Holly Court – Unknown suspect(s) entered home and removed several electronics and appliances totaling in approximate loss of \$9,000. [Ongoing investigation](#)

Carry a Concealed Weapon & Possession of Narcotics 695 Bald Eagle Drive – Officers were advised of a suspect brandishing a firearm inside a bar. Officers made contact with the suspect and conducted an investigation. Probable cause was established to arrest the suspect for carrying a concealed weapon. Further investigation found the suspect was also in felony possession of marijuana oil. [Case cleared by arrest](#)

Stolen Vehicle Tag 400 S Collier Blvd – Unknown suspect(s) removed a South Carolina plate from the victim's vehicle at the Marriott Hotel. No witnesses, no cameras, and no leads towards developing a suspect(s). [Inactive](#)

Stolen GPS from Vessel 81 Gulfport Court – Unknown suspect(s) removed a GPS from the victim's vessel. The GPS's serial number was entered in to FCIC/NCIC, but no hits were generated. No witnesses, no cameras, and no leads towards developing a suspect(s). [Inactive](#)

Burglary Vessel 385 Angler Drive – Unknown suspect(s) removed fishing rods from a docked boat at Calusa Marina. No witnesses, no cameras to depict a suspect(s), and no leads to follow-up on. [Inactive](#)

Uttering a Forged Check 690 Bald Eagle Drive – An individual attempted to pass a fraudulent \$2,391 check at the First Florida Integrity Bank. An investigation was conducted, and a suspect was developed. [Felony warrant request sent to State Attorney's Office](#)

Driving While License Permanently Revoked 1969 San Marco Rd – Officers encountered a suspect driving on a permanently revoked license who was also on felony probation. The suspect was booked into the county jail on a felony traffic offense and was later charged with violating his probation. [Case cleared by arrest](#)

Exposure of Sex Organs 720 South Collier Blvd – A young adult couple were nude and engaging in sexual intercourse in public. The couple was arrested and transported to the Collier County Jail. [Case cleared by arrest](#)

Burglary Auto 905 San Marco Road – Victim advised an unknown person(s) removed her beach bag from her vehicle while she was unloading groceries. In the beach bag was her identification, credit cards, and some cash. No witnesses, no cameras, and no leads towards developing a suspect(s). [Inactive](#)

Resisting a Law Enforcement Officer with Violence 400 South Collier Blvd – Officers were dispatched to the Marriott Hotel in reference to a possible domestic disturbance taking place in one of the guest rooms. During the investigation, the arrestee fought the Officers by kicking them and attempting to bite them. Ultimately the male was taken into custody without incident. **Case cleared by arrest**

Shooting 1062 Harley Ave – Officers were dispatched to a shooting that occurred in apartment 207. The spent round traveled into apartment 208 and almost struck one of the occupants. An investigation was conducted, and a suspect was identified. **Capias warrant sent to State Attorney's Office for discharging a firearm while under the influence of alcohol**

Fraud 50 Bald Eagle Drive – Suspect contractor produced fraudulent documents to the City of Marco Island's Building Department. **Investigation ongoing**

OTHER AGENCY ASSISTS: 2
WARRANT HOT LIST CHECKS: 252
DCF REFERRALS/FOLLOW-UPS: 1
SUBPOENA REQUESTS: 1
WARRANT REQUESTS: 3
WARRANT ARRESTS: 1
QUARTERLY SEX OFFENDER CHECKS: 0
FLYERS/BULLETINS: 1

May 2019 CASES

<u>OPEN</u>	<u>CLOSED</u>	<u>CLEARED</u>	<u>INACTIVE</u>	<u>PENDING</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
6	61	12	6	8	93



D.A.R.E. 5th grade winner Thereasa with Chief Schettino, Sgt Haueter and Officer Rodriguez

Marine Report

In May, our two Marine Officers spent nearly every assigned shift covering the road due to personnel shortages. No marine sanitation inspections were conducted. Marine Sergeant Hood and Marine Officer Ferris assisted the Collier County Sheriff's Office on May 12th with their regional operations associated with the Great Dock Canoe Race.

34 Events –

Details:

Vessel Stop - Verbal Warning	10
Vessel Stop - Citation	6
Vessel Stop - Written Warning	2
Suspicious Incident	2
911	2
Marine Emergency Response Team	2
Obstruction	1
Disabled Vessel	1

Beach Report

Total Beach Patrol Hours = 109 Hours

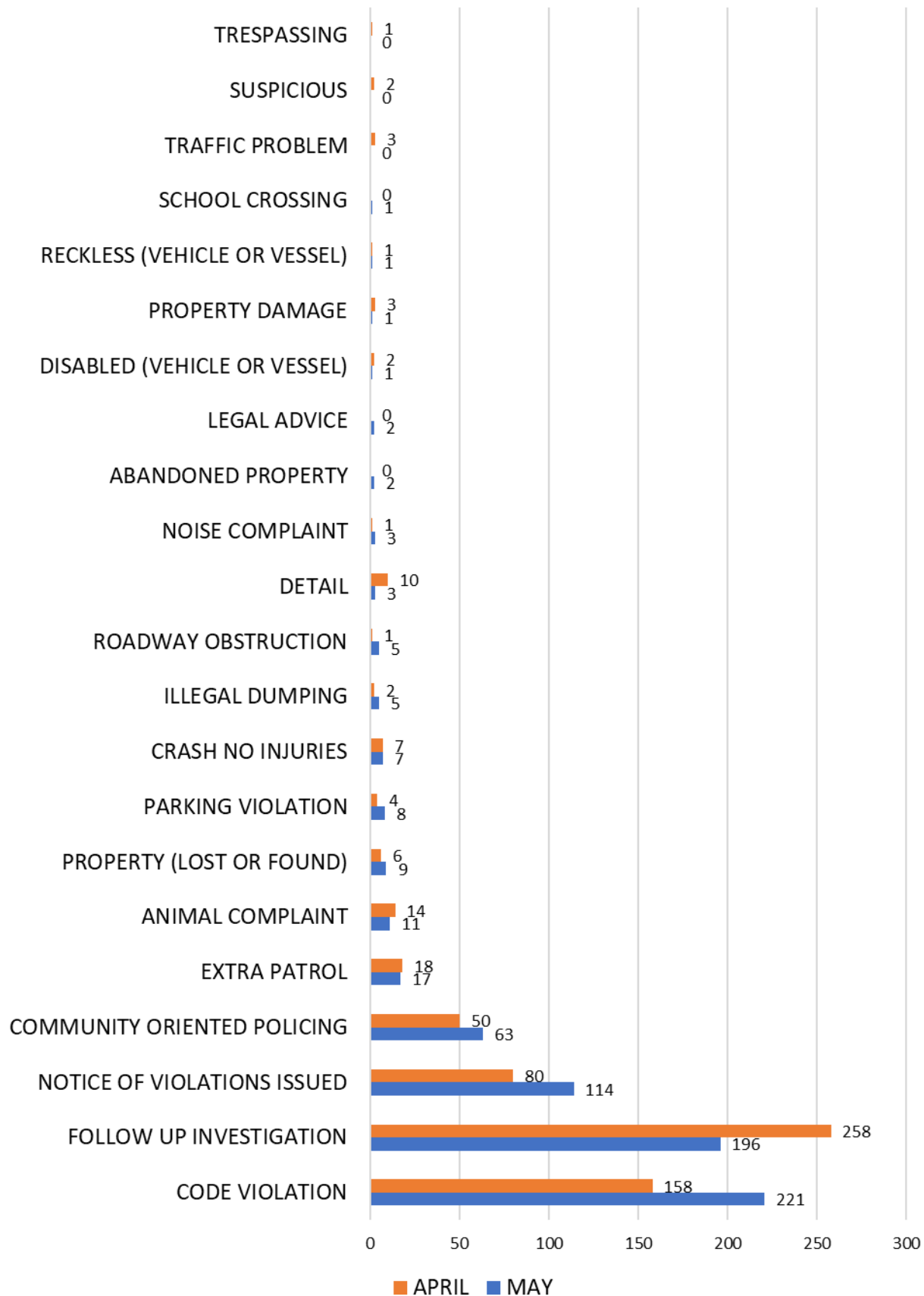
Total Beach Patrol Events = 106 events:

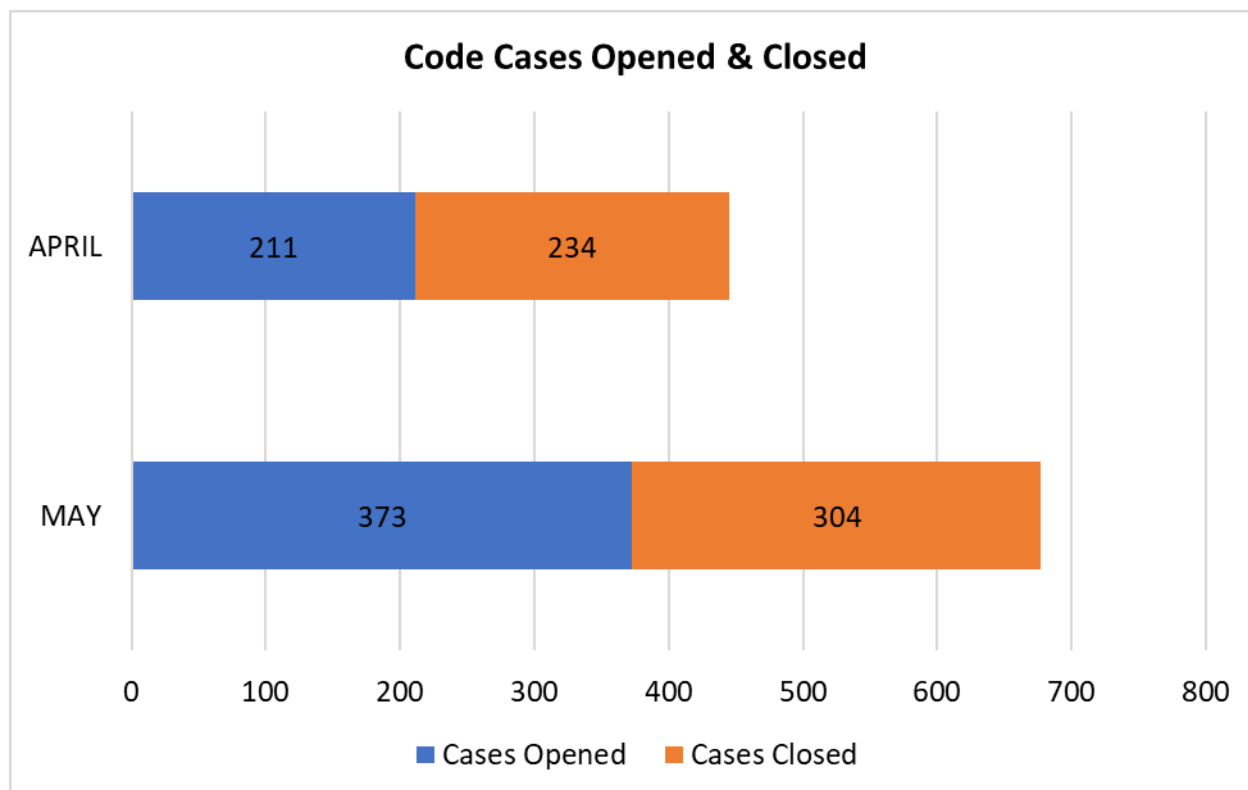
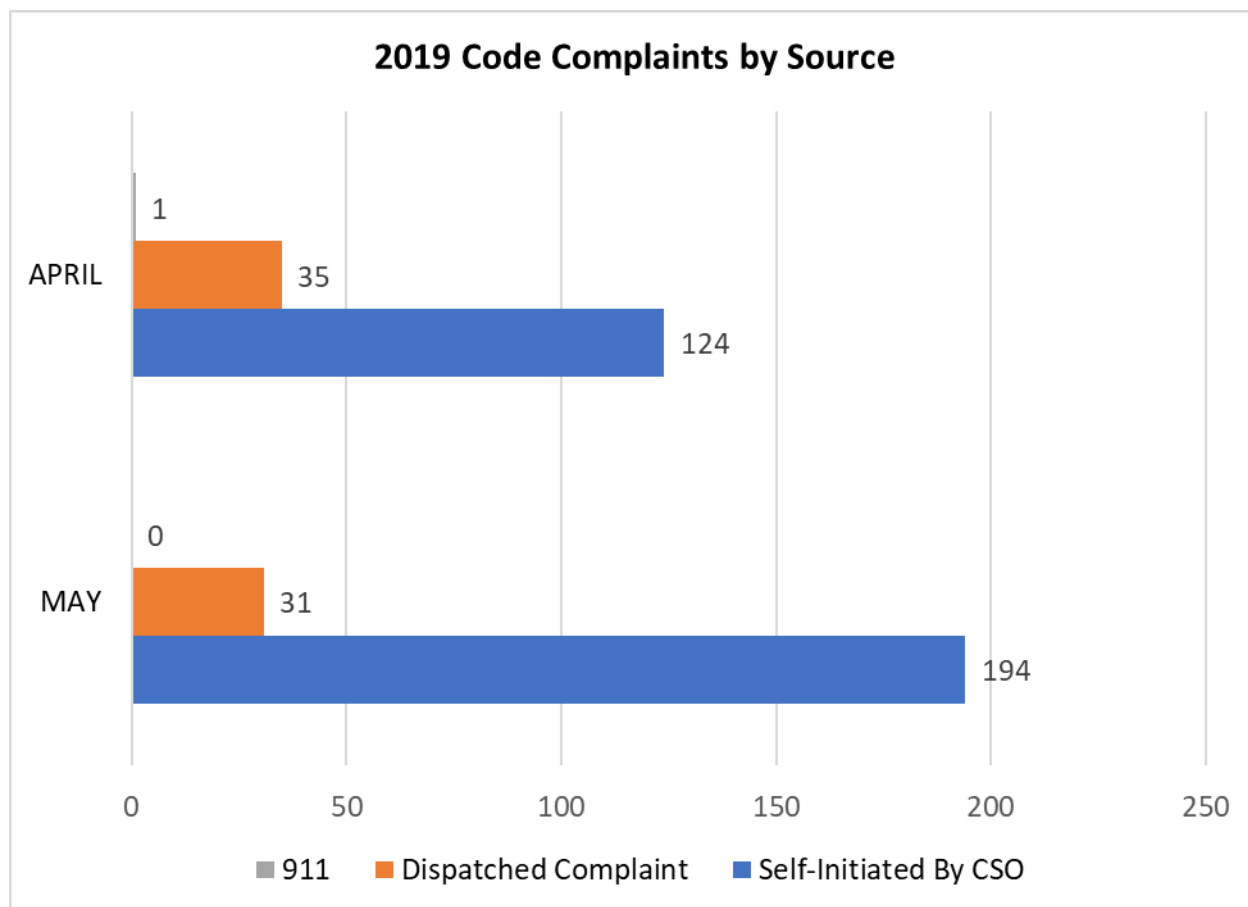
Details –

Community Service Officer Lindenmuth conducted two night patrols of the beach for turtle lighting compliance.

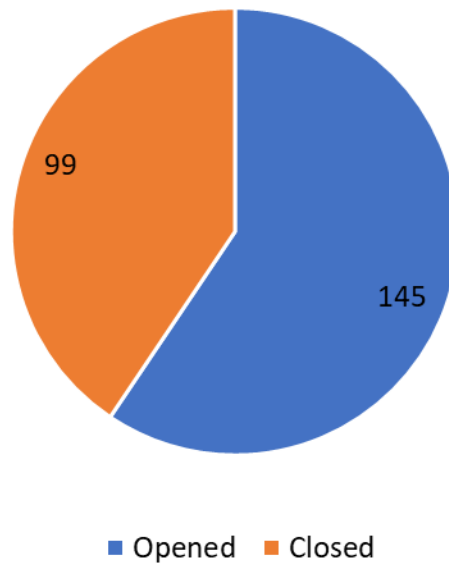
Pictures & Badges w/ Families	11
Turtle Lighting Violations - Notice of Violation Issued	9
Info & Directions	4
Removed Trash or Debris	3
911	2
Animal Assist	2
Vessel Stop - Verbal Warning	2
Dog on Beach - Verbal Warning	1
Dispute	2
Glass on Beach - Verbal Warning	1
Medical	1
Assist	1

2019 Community Service Officer CAD Activity





May 2019 Code Enforcement Violations by Type



OPEN		CLOSED	
Right of Way Sidewalk	52	Overgrown Weeds	15
Construction temporary use permits	16	Other Violation	13
Other Violation	15	Right of Way Sidewalk	11
Overgrown Weeds	10	Sea Turtle Protection	9
Boat and Boat Trailers	10	Construction temporary use permits	8
Sea Turtle Protection	9	Boat and Boat Trailers	7
Stormwater pollution prevention for construction	5	Litter & Debris	6
Noise General	4	Stormwater pollution prevention for construction	4
Contractor disturbing protected species	4	Public Nuisance	4
Illicit/Illegal Discharges	4	Abandoned or Derelict vehicle/trailer	4
Construction site litter	4	Right of Way Obstruction	4
Right of Way Obstruction	3	Noise General	2
Public Nuisance	2	Illicit/Illegal Discharges	2
Litter & Debris	2	Construction site litter	2
Vehicle Parking	2	Vehicle Parking	2
Right of Way	1	Debris and Abandoned Property	1
Irrigation	1	Public Nuisance Pool	1
Signage	1	Right of Way	1
		Trash on swale	1
		Seawall / Dock	1
		Landscape Certification	1

May 2019 Code Enforcement Magistrate Hearing			
<u>NAME / LOCATION</u>	<u>VIOLATION</u>	<u>FEE</u>	<u>DECISION</u>
LEMAN, 775 ORCHID CT	NOISE	\$50	\$250 - RENTER ONLY NOT OWNER
BROUGHTON, 400 S COLLIER BLVD	PARKING	NO	FINE \$5
MORALES, 191 LEEWARD CT	LITTER AND DEBRIS, POOL BARRIER, PUBLIC NUISANCE POOL	\$50	\$50 - 14 TO COMPLY OR \$50/DAY *RECORD AGAINST PROPERTY
HANHIE & KELLY ROOFING, 488 CAPRI CT	CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY USE PERMITS	\$50	\$250
SIMPSON, 1235 N COLLIER BLVD	PARKING ON UNAPPROVED SURFACE	NO	FINDING - NO COSTS
SOUTH TERRA CORP & KAM CONCRETE, 1125 CAXAMBAS DR	ACTIVITIES IN A PROTECTED ZONE		CONTINUANCE
LORENZ & KAM CONCRETE, 1115 CAXAMBAS DR	ACTIVITIES IN A PROTECTED ZONE		CONTINUANCE
RISBARA & OAKBROOK HOMES, 762 ORCHID CT	CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY USE PERMITS	\$50	\$250 - CONTRACTOR ONLY
SZCZEPANSKI, 387 EDGEWATER CT	PUBLIC NUISANCE, DEBRIS AND ABANDONED PROPERTY, PUBLIC NUISANCE	\$50	\$250 CORRECT W/ 15 DAYS OR \$100/DAY
FLINCHUM & S MENDOZA COMPLETE LAWN CARE, 1893 CASCADE CT	ILLICIT DISCHARGE	\$50	\$500 - CONTRACTOR ONLY
LEE COUNTY ELECTRIC & BLUE MARLINE MARINE, 108100 MARTINIQUE CT	CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY USE PERMITS	\$50	\$250 - CONTRACTOR ONLY
CBME LIVING TRUST & AUBUCHON HOMES, 143 GREENVIEW ST	CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY USE PERMITS	\$50	\$250 - CONTRACTOR ONLY

THEBEAU & OAKBROOK HOMES, 846 ELM CT	CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY USE PERMITS	\$50	\$250 - CONTRACTOR ONLY
DELLA MORTE & CRUZ, 908 ARAWAK AVE	ILLEGAL SIGNS	\$50	\$50 & 15 DAYS TO COMPLY OR \$50/DAY
CRUZ & DELLAMORTE, 900 ARAWAK AVE	ILLEGAL SIGNS	\$50	\$50 & 15 DAYS TO COMPLY OR \$50/DAY
HEIM & NOVA HOMES, 143 SAXSON ST	CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY USE PERMITS	\$50	\$500 CONTRACTOR ONLY



Officers above receive Lifesaving medal of honor

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	
Community Oriented Policing Activities	1,198	1,070	1,154	1,271	1,124	885	974	1,242	1,152	1,290	1,335	1,238	2018
	1,321	1,116	1,184	1,219	1,268								2019
Parking Complaints	36	38	22	27	27	8	5	20	13	14	14	15	2018
	14	23	20	13	10								2019
Noise Complaints	23	25	49	29	34	22	42	34	14	27	22	46	2018
	29	29	44	29	27								2019
Traffic Stops	675	512	459	547	549	568	663	713	549	744	702	723	2018
	683	600	640	550	722								2019
Traffic Citations	66	33	38	44	49	53	57	52	55	67	46	63	2018
	59	55	91	48	91								2019
Traffic, Parking & Vessel Written Warnings	307	189	153	171	316	245	169	281	186	228	221	196	2018
	160	114	81	48	91								2019
Vehicle Crash	25	38	33	29	27	27	38	31	20	34	39	28	2018
	42	42	61	38	37								2019
CAD Events	3,968	3,639	3,923	3,874	3,768	3,308	3,397	3,918	3,562	4,023	3,815	3,860	2018
	4,126	3,623	3,991	3,590	3,742								2019
Criminal Cases - Open	12	6	6	5	3	5	6	6	10	6	11	4	2018
	6	15	27	9	6								2019
Criminal Cases - Closed	22	62	59	58	41	33	37	37	45	14	35	40	2018
	55	55	40	68	61								2019
Criminal Cases - Cleared	20	18	16	23	21	31	17	19	20	20	15	29	2018
	15	19	17	15	12								2019
Criminal Case - Follow-Ups	21	34	27	23	29	38	26	31	32	36	27	42	2018
	21	41	43	39	37								2019
Crime or Incident Reports Taken	72	87	93	85	93	81	80	82	89	59	70	88	2018
	92	92	102	104	106								2019
Persons Arrested	25	19	16	22	20	81	80	18	19	20	15	29	2018
	15	19	17	15	13								2019
Beach Patrol Events	50	57	105	87	68	78	93	79	96	93	97	73	2018
	122	71	128	123	109								2019
Beach Patrol Hours	89	127	170	99	153	143	125	118	174	134	168	97	2018
	100	110	152	158	106								2019
Marine Patrol Events	20	16	35	19	15	10	22	37	18	20	21	29	2018
	7	9	32	19	34								2019
Total	6,629	5,970	6,358	6,413	6,337	5,602	5,831	6,718	6,054	6,829	6,653	6,600	2018
Total	6,867	6,033	6,670	6,085	6,472	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2019



Night shift Officers conducting "Click it or Ticket" operation at Collier and Bald Eagle