## City Manager's Bi-Weekly Report September 2, 2021





#### CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

## City Hall Offices Closed in Observance of Labor Day



In celebration of Labor Day, City Offices will be **closed** on Monday, September 6th, 2021.

#### **Vote Here!**



Hercules Library is a Polling Place and ballot drop-off location for September's gubernatorial recall election. You can come by any time to drop off your completed ballot in the box outside in front of the library. The library will be open on Tuesday, September 14<sup>th</sup> for in-person voting in the meeting room.

For questions about the library as a polling place, please call us at (510) 245-2420. If you have questions about voting or where to vote please contact Contra Costa County Elections, <a href="https://www.cocovote.us/">https://www.cocovote.us/</a>.

#### **Community Cleanup Day**



The Community Cleanup Day is less than a month away. The annual event is back, and it will be held Saturday, September 11, from 8-11am at the City of Hercules Corporation Yard located at 1000 Sycamore Ave. This will be the 3<sup>rd</sup> and final event of the year that included *a Mattress ONLY event held in Pinole June 12, and the Household Hazardous Waste event held in Hercules June 26.* Suggested donations for this event include: Cars \$5 – Pickup Trucks \$10 – Large Trucks and/or Trailers \$20.

#### **Please NOTE:**

- No construction or commercial dumping will be allowed!
- No Household Hazardous Waste allowed!
- This event is for Hercules residents you must show proof of address.
- Residents are required to dump their own trash from their vehicles.
- Volunteers are needed to help with the event.

If you'd like to volunteer, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 799-8291.

#### **Outdoor Book Sale**

Friends of the Hercules Library

## **OUTDOOR BOOK SALE**

Hercules Library Parking Lot • 109 Civic Dr. & Sycamore

\*Used books + CDs and DVDs\*

ONE DAY ONLY Sunday September 19, 2021 12 - 4 pm



Hardbacks • \$1.00 Paperbacks • 50¢ Children's Books • 25¢ CDs and DVDs • 50¢

All proceeds from the Book Sale and from the *Friends of the Hercules Library* Book Store go to support the collections and programs at our library.

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES**

#### **Hercules Commission Vacancies (Term Expirations 12/31/2021)**

The Hercules City Council is currently recruiting residents for appointment to the Planning Commission, Finance Commission, Community and Library Services Commission. Applicants

must be residents of the City of Hercules, 18 years of age or older and registered to vote with the exception of the Student Commissioner which must be a high school student and a resident of Hercules. The Application Deadline is **November 1, 2021**. Commissioner terms begin in January 2022. Contact Lori Martin, City Clerk, at 510.799.8215 or at <a href="martin@ci.hercules.ca.us">lmartin@ci.hercules.ca.us</a> for additional information.

Applications are completed through the City's website at:

https://www.ci.hercules.ca.us/government/commissions-committees

## Planning Commission – Two (2) Vacancies with terms ending December 2023

The Planning Commission meets the first and third Mondays of every month at 7 p.m. The Commission is advisory to the Council and has statutory duties imposed by State law. The Commission:

- Performs all functions assigned to it by the zoning and design review ordinances of the City.
- Reviews and makes recommendations to the Council on the general plan, specific neighborhood plans, tentative subdivision maps, environmental impact reports, and planned unit developments.
- Reviews the capital improvements program and makes recommendations to the Council.
- Provides design review of proposed buildings and other construction projects and reviews landscape plans.
- Grants use permits and variances.

Finance Commission – Two (2) Vacancies with terms ending December 2023. The Finance Commission meets the bi-monthly on the third Wednesday at 7 p.m. The Commission is advisory to the Council and has the following duties:

- Quarterly review of City's financial status; review and comment on audit reports, the proposed operating budget and the capital improvement program budgets.
- Makes recommendations to the Council with respect to budget priorities.
- Advises the Council on matters of policy and public interest related to the management of the City's finances and budget.
- Serves as the Oversight Committee for Measure "A," including providing an annual report, to ensure that utility user tax funds are spent in accordance with the voter approved measure adopted in June 2013.
- Serves as the Oversight Committee for Measure "O," including providing an annual report, to ensure that the sales tax revenues approved by Hercules voters are spent in accordance with the voter approved measure adopted in June 2012.

# Community & Library Services Commission – Two (2) Vacancies with terms ending December 2023 (1 Student Commissioner and 1 Commissioner) December 2021.

The Community and Library Services Commission meets on the second Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the Hercules City Council Chambers located at 111 Civic Drive, Hercules, CA 94547. The Commission is advisory to the Council and has the following duties:

- Develop plans and recommendations for parks, playgrounds, recreational facilities, and use of community buildings.
- Work with the Parks and Recreation Department on the development and evaluation of recreation programs and community activities/events.

- Provide assistance and support in the planning and operation of City sponsored community events
- In cooperation and consultation with the Parks and Recreation Department, make recommendations to the City Council with respect to priorities for recreation, library, and community services expenditures in the City's capital improvement program.
- Review and comment on the annual operating and capital improvement budgets for the Parks and Recreation Department.
- Make recommendations with respect to community service needs such as child care, youth summer employment, senior activities/programs, and recreational programs.
- Review and make recommendations with respect to fees for the use of parks, playgrounds, recreational facilities, and community buildings.
- Advise on matters of policy and public interest related to the management, use and preservation of library facilities and property.
- Render such other specific services as are consistent with the role of an advisory board on the library system, to include recommendations and advice to the county librarian on matters related to the Hercules library.
- The Commission member serving as the City's Area Representative to the Contra Costa County Library Commission shall routinely report to the entire Community and Library Services Commission on actions taken at the Contra Costa Library Commission meetings.
- Review and make recommendations regarding the Arts in Public Places Program and exhibits at the Hercules Public Library.
- Oversee the Heritage Memorial Garden Plaque Program which is designed to recognize Hercules residents or civic leaders and enhance the historical aspect of the garden.
- Oversee the Library Art Exhibition Program which is designed to review art pieces submitted by participants of the program to be allowed to display their art pieces at the Hercules Public Library.
- Such other duties relating to recreation activities and community and library service needs as may be directed by the City Council.

<u>Regional Appointments – Open Until Filled:</u> For an application to one of our Regional Appointments, contact Lori Martin, City Clerk 510-799-8215, <u>lmartin@ci.hercules.ca.us</u>.

## **City Council Public Comment Process**

Public Comments may now be given live at City Council meetings by logging into the Zoom meeting. The Zoom meeting login information can be found on the Agenda Cover page.

Written comments submitted by 4:00 p.m. on the meeting date will be provided to City Council and posted to the City's agenda webpage and will not be read aloud. If you wish to speak at the time of the public comment period use the "raise hand" feature in zoom or \*9 if calling in by phone and a staff member will admit you into the meeting to make your comment and at the conclusion will move you back to the "attendee" zoom room. Public comments are limited to 3 minutes. For all City meetings, instructions on the public comment process can be found on the front page of the agenda.

## **Council Meeting Public Participation**

## PUBLIC PARTICIPATION DURING COUNCIL MEETINGS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Under the Governor's Executive Order, City Council meetings may be conducted utilizing teleconferencing or other electronic means consistent with State of California Executive Order N-29-20 dated March 17, 2020, regarding the COVID-19 pandemic. The live stream of the meeting may be viewed on television Comcast Channel 28 and/or online at https://hercules.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx.

In accordance with Executive Order N-29-20, the public may only view the meeting on television and/or online and not in the Council Chamber. Due to the current health pandemic, Hercules City Hall is closed to the public during Council Meetings, however members of the public can participate electronically by following the instructions on the very first page of each City Council Agenda. Hercules City Hall and Police Department are open to the public during normal business hours with face coverings and social distancing requirements. Normal business hours are Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the office of the City Clerk (510-799-8215). Notification 48 hours prior to a meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to that meeting [28 CFR 35.102.35.104 ADA Title II].

## **Human Resources**

For a current listing of employment opportunities at the City of Hercules go to: <u>Hercules Employment Opportunities</u>.

## **City Meeting Schedules**

## **City Council Meetings**

The Hercules City Council meets regularly on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of the month. \*\*Please Note that for the month of November and December the City Council will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday only. The 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday in November and December have been canceled.

### **Community and Library Services Commission Meetings**

The Hercules Library and Community Services Commission meets regularly on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month. Please refer to the Agenda cover for Zoom information to watch the meeting live.

#### **Finance Commission Meetings**

The Hercules Finance Commission will meet regularly every other month on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday. The Finance Commission 2021 regular meetings will be held on January 20<sup>th</sup>; March 17<sup>th</sup>; May 19<sup>th</sup>; July 21<sup>st</sup>; September 15<sup>th</sup>; and November 17<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Planning Commission Meetings**

The Hercules Planning Commission meets regularly on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of the month.

To view live broadcasts of Hercules City Council and Planning Commission meetings tune in to Hercules Government Channel 28 on Comcast Cable.

To view City Council and Planning Commission meeting videos online go to: <u>Hercules Meeting Videos</u>.

Viewing of **LIVE** City of Hercules City Council and City Commission meetings can be done by performing the following:

- 1. Browse to the City of Hercules website at: www.ci.hercules.ca.us
- 2. Click the "I Want To" menu.
- 3. Click the "View City of Hercules committee meetings" link.
- 4. Locate the desired meeting and date.
- 5. Click the associated "**Video**" link (Video status is as follows):
- · **Video** = Video is available for on demand viewing.
- In Progress = Video is available for viewing during live recording.
- · Not Available = Video is either unavailable or has not been recorded.

#### **CCTV Meeting Broadcast Replay**

Broadcasting of the Hercules City Council meetings and Planning Commission meetings has resumed on Hercules Cable television (HCTV) Channel 28. The following is the Contra Costa Television (CCCTV) Broadcast replay schedule of Hercules City Council and Planning Commission meeting videos.

## **City Council Meeting**

Meetings will replay on the following dates & times after the live meeting broadcast:

- Thursday at 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday at 1:00 p.m.

#### **Planning Commission Meeting**

Meetings will replay on the following dates & times after the live meeting broadcast:

- Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

#### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

#### **Building & Planning Departments Open**

Community Development staff are working to process new building permits and inspection requests. The Department front desk is open to the public, Monday–Thursday, 8:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m., and 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m. by appointment. Per Bay Area Health Officials, visitors must wear a face covering and maintain safe physical distance to the extent practical. For questions and assistance, please contact Shiva Matinpour (Community Development Specialist) at 510-799-8244 or via email (smatinpour@ci.hercules.ca.us).

The Contra Costa County Conservation & Development Department (which provides building and

plan check services for the City) has more detailed information about current construction safety protocols during the COVID-19 pandemic at: https://www.coronavirus.cchealth.org/health-orders

## **Building Inspection Division**

	Aug 2 thru Aug 13, 2021	FY 2021/22 YTD
Number of Permits Issued:	24	135
Total Fees Collected:	\$18,638.55	\$89,285.48
Number of Inspections:	23	107
New Housing:	0	0

#### **Planning Division**

• Tentatively approved Minor Modification #21-04, a request by Marni-Lyn Fox, representing Hercules Development Partners LP, to reduce the residential unit count and increase the building sizes and heights of limited sections of an east-facing façade at Bayfront Blocks M/P & O, 1100 & 1200 Bayfront Loop Road, 2300 John Muir Parkway. (Final day to appeal: September 2, 2021)

## **Planning Commission**

At its next meeting on **Tuesday, September 7** (rescheduled from Monday, September 6 due to the Labor Day holiday), the **Planning Commission will hold public hearings for the following**:

- Design Review Permit (DRP) #21-02 to install a Bloom Clean Energy Server at Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc., an existing 96,750-square-foot research and development site at 4000 Alfred Nobel Drive in Hercules, CA. The site is in a Planned Office—Research & Development Mixed-Use (PO/RD) zone.
- Design Review Permit (DRP) #21-04, for a 12-ft.-high, 486-sq.-ft., free-standing pergola on the rear patio at the Civic Arts Building at 1991 Railroad Avenue in Hercules, CA. The applicant is Mohammed Azam, doing business as "Leila by the Bay" restaurant. The building is owned by the City of Hercules and is on a 1.14-acre site that is part of the Waterfront District and zoned Historic Town Center. The building itself is subject to the Hercules Design Guidelines for Historic Preservation.

At its following meeting **on Monday, September 20, the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing for the Franklin Canyon RV Resort project**, a proposal to convert the existing Franklin Canyon Golf Course into a recreational vehicle campground with amenities, including a new 10,000-square-foot clubhouse, and approximately 70 acres of open space to be granted to the John Muir Land Trust. The project approvals include a lot line adjustment, parcel map (to divide the property into two parcels), and a design review permit.

## **City Council**

The City Council will hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. at its regular meeting on Tuesday, September 14, 2021, to consider an appeal of Minor Modification #21-03 for the Safeway

Center, located at the northeast corner of the intersections of Sycamore Avenue and San Pablo Avenue in Hercules (4080 San Pablo Avenue). Modifications to the previously approved site plans and designs include:

- Replace three bike lockers (with capacity for six bikes) with bike racks of equal capacity, resulting in three on-site bike lockers (two outside the Safeway store and one outside the fuel kiosk);
- Plant hedges along the east edge of the property in lieu of trees along the east and north edges of the property due to existing underground gas line, retaining wall, and limited space;
- Relocate two trees at northwest corner of the property; and
- Remove hanging plants on lights poles.

## **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**



## **Maintenance & Operations**

Staff completed their regularly scheduled custodial and facility-related tasks in public parks,

buildings, and sewer lift stations. They cleaned up numerous illegal dumping, repaired streetlights, removed litter on roadways, and replaced a section of fence behind Leila's restaurant. Engie continues to advance the Energy Generation and Conservation Project. They are currently working on the HVAC upgrades and finishing the solar arrays. Staff began inventorying street signs for replacement on private streets. A contractor was secured for the streetlight replacements in Village Parkway and the gems/birds neighborhoods. The streetlights are in the process of being fabricated and installation is anticipated to start the first week of October.

## **Engineering**

The public improvements were completed for the Bayfront Development Blocks Q&R including sidewalks, loop road and the abandonment of Linus Pauling. The design plans are also under review for the Sycamore Crossing development project, including the EBMUD relocation of the waterline into San Pablo Avenue and hotel. The improvement plans reached 100% completion for the mile long segment of replacement sewer trunk main leading into the Pinole-Hercules Water Pollution Control Plant and the project will be bid out once permits are obtained from regulatory agencies. Design on the Regional Intermodal Transportation Center (RITC) is advancing utilizing \$1.2M in grant funding. Plan check is underway for private development projects including the Hilltown development, Franklin Canyon RV Park, America's Tire Store, and the Willow Storage Facility. The Civic Drive/Sycamore Avenue Pedestrian Enhancement Project is nearing completion.

#### **Permits**

Sewer Lateral Inspection Program:

- Number of application received: 8
- Sewer Lateral Inspection Fees Collected: \$1,088
- Number of Certifications issued: 9
- Number of Deficiency Notices issued: 6

Wide Load/Transportation Permits Issued: 4

Encroachment Permits Issued: 13

## PARKS AND RECREATION

#### **Aquatics**

## Aqua Zumba® NEW!

The Aqua Zumba® classes take place on Tuesday and Thursday from 4:00-4:45pm at the Community Swim Center. Participants have the choice of registering for the full 5-week session or they can drop-in to any class for a \$15 drop-in fee. Aqua Zumba® blends the Zumba philosophy with water resistance, for one pool party you shouldn't miss! There is less impact on your joints during an Aqua Zumba® class so you can really let loose. Those looking to make a splash by adding a low-impact, high-energy aquatic exercise to their fitness routine while moving to amazing world music must join the fitness fun! You can sign-up for the Aqua Zumba® at www.herculesrec.com.

#### **Fall Swim Lessons**

Fall Swim Lessons are going strong at the Hercules Swim Center. Classes are offered on Saturday mornings. Participants have the opportunity to learn to swim in our fun group or private swim lessons at the Hercules Swim Center. Our patient, safety-orientated instructors will help you every step of the way. Classes are available for beginners through advanced. Visit <a href="www.herculesrec.com">www.herculesrec.com</a> to register.

#### **Fall Programs**

## Breakfast Club, Rap and S.P.O.T programs

The 2021- 2022 school year began Monday, August 16. Limited space still remains. Registration forms are available online at the City of Hercules Parks and Recreation web page. Go to the program name and submit your paperwork through the 24-hour mail slot at the Community Swim Center, or drop it off between 10:00am and 6:00p Monday – Thursday. All programs follow current COVID safety protocols.

We strive to bring your child a safe experience under the current climate. Join a program and meet new friends and hang out with them.

#### **Preschool – Tiny Tots**

Our Preschool program is known as Tiny Tots. Tiny Tots is designed to develop the "whole child" in all aspects of your child's development. Children are offered the basic learning skills of language, fine motor skills, communication skills, shapes, colors, number, and gross motor development. Our Tiny Tots programs feature theme-based curriculum with an academic component. We follow the County Health Officials recommendations for a classroom ratios and stable groups. We offer both AM and PM classes to accommodate all safety protocols. This includes face masks, hand washing, small groups, and facility cleaning. Don't miss out - go to the City of Hercules Parks and Recreation web page and toggle on Preschool for more information. NOTE: Enrollment numbers are extremely limited.

#### Fee Classes

## **Calling All Contractors**

The Hercules Parks and Recreation Department is in the planning stages for the 2022 Winter/Spring Activity Guide. The guide will cover the first four months of 2022 (with classes being offered in January through April). If you have a special skill or have ever thought about sharing your expertise with others, we'd love to talk to you about becoming an Independent Contractor. Whether you are woodworking, music, dance, photography, or any number of other uniquely specialized programs, let us help you become a teacher to share your knowledge, or to help you generate that extra income you've been thinking about. Share your passion with others and become an Independent Contractor with the City of Hercules. For more information contact us at 510-799-8291.



#### Karate

We are excited to bring our very popular Karate program back indoors. Karate is scheduled to being in October, and classes will be held at the Senior Center. Karate will be offered for youth as well as adults. Classes will be held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. For more information, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291, or visit <a href="www.herculesrec.com">www.herculesrec.com</a> to register.

#### **Jazzercise**

We are excited to announce that Jazzercise is scheduled to return indoors in October. Classes will be held at the Guy Van Domselaar Room at Samara Terrace. Classes will be held Monday through Thursday from 6:30-7:30p, Saturday from 8-9a, and Sunday from 9-10a. For more information please contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291.

#### **Parks**

#### **Picnic Rental Reservations**

We have several outstanding picnic opportunities available in our parks system here in Hercules. Some picnic areas are covered, many have BBQ pits, playgrounds, open fields, and other sports amenities. To find out more, or to book your event contact our main office at (510) 799-8291.

#### **Seniors**

#### **Blood Drive**

The results from the Blood Drive on Tuesday, 8/24. We registered 21 donors, collected 22 units, and had 2 first-time donors. Those 22 donations can potentially help save up to 66 lives. The next scheduled blood drive will be on Tuesday, December 15, from 2-7pm at the Senior Center. The blood drive is done in partnership with the American Red Cross. To schedule your appointment, visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code HERCULES or call 1-800-RED-CROSS (1800-733-2767).

#### **Membership**

This week we celebrated two of our members Birthday's. Morena, who volunteers daily during our lunch program, her birthday was on Thursday, August 26, we had cupcakes while playing bingo. She also received balloons, cards, and birthday wishes from her friends at the Senior Center.

On Tuesday, August 30, we celebrated Barbara's Birthday, who volunteers daily at our front desk, her area was decorated with streamers, balloons, and cards. Everyone wished her a Happy Birthday when entering the Senior Center and they enjoyed cupcakes at lunch.





#### Café Costa

Look out for NEW hot entrées on the menu in September for our In-person meals at the Senior Center. We are bringing back some of our popular lunches such as; Beer Battered Fish with clam chowder, Oven Fried Chicken, All Beef Hot Dog, & Cheeseburger. We are averaging between 20 and 25 people for lunch. Also, we are welcoming back the weekly 5-Frozen meal packs to- go, every Tuesday at 11am. If you haven't already done so, come check us out at Café Costa (formerly known as CC Café). To participate, all you have to do is contact the Senior Center at (510) 799-8219, to place your order in advance.

#### Classes

Activities at the Senior Center are back! This week we had Tuesday Tai chi, Beginning and Advance line dance, Belly Dance Class, and Bingo! Our activity schedule is available online or you may pick up a schedule in-person at the senior center. Class fees are a \$1-member or \$3-non-member.

#### **Food Bank**

On Tuesday, August 17, there were 216 people that participated in the Contra Costa Food Bank's FREE food distribution at the Hercules Senior Center. The Food Bank comes out the first and third Tuesday of the month, and distributes fresh fruits, vegetables, and canned goods. The next FREE food distribution is scheduled for Tuesday, September 7.

#### **Sports**

#### Flag Football – NFL

An official NFL Flag League is here in Hercules. This fall NFL Flag Football will be playing 1-day/week (Sundays) for 7-weeks. There will be a 1-week preseason that includes evaluations, a 5-week regular season, and 2-weeks of play-offs. Teams will practice for 1-hour before kick-off. Whether you are looking for a positive introduction to the exciting game of Flag Football, or off-season training for the upcoming football season, NFL Flag leagues are the perfect platform for your child to develop their skills, confidence, and passion, for Football through play! Friend requests are available. Bring your friends or come make new ones. This league is hosted by Pack Football Club. All participants receive a reversible NFL Flag Jersey and NFL Flag Belt. The program begins on Sunday, September 19, so don't delay and sign up today.

#### **Basketball - Hoops Never Stops Academy (H.N.S.A.)**

H.N.S.A. is back! Coach Marcus is offering his popular "Study Hall" program which is a foundational training for parents and players to learn how to practice and improve basketball skills on their own by using the H.N.S.A. (4) pillars of practice as a map for them to follow the process. These programs are designed for all skill levels whether you're a beginner or advanced player. For more information, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291. Or to register, please visit us at www.herculesrec.com.

#### **National Academy of Athletics (NAOA)**

NAofA is returning this fall with a variety of instructional youth sports programs such as All Sorts of Sports After School Program, Junior Hoops, Hoop Group Basketball, Hit & Run T-Ball, and a Volleyball Developmental Program. These fun and exciting programs were developed for participants between the ages of 3-13. Programs will begin the week of September 13<sup>th</sup>.

Registration is still available, and you can register on our website at www.herculesrec.com.

#### **X-Fit Training**

Would you like your child to be the next American Ninja Warrior? X-Fit Lil' Ninja Warrior is designed for all levels. This is a non-competitive program that helps your child develop gross motor skills, core strength, balance, and control of their body in an athletic atmosphere. Your Lil' Ninjas will be getting fit while overcoming obstacle courses. To register for this program, please visit our website at www.herculesrec.com.

#### **Teens**

#### T.H.E. S.P.O.T.

THE SPOT is the premiere Teen program in Hercules. At T.H.E. S.P.O.T. we are currently assisting with homework. After our homework hour the kids have been participating in a





friendly pool tournament. This is an almost daily occurrence and they are getting better at the game. They sometimes have ping pong tournaments, but the pool table is all the rave. Some of the kids have been challenging each other in a game of chess (or checkers) as well. Space is available, so come join the fun and be a part of T.H.E. S.P.O.T. For more information please visit us at <a href="https://www.herculesrec.com">www.herculesrec.com</a>.

#### **HERCULES PUBLIC LIBRARY**

#### Hercules Library's open hours:

Tuesday: 10am-8pm Wednesday: 10am-8pm Thursday: 10am-8pm Friday: 9am-5pm Saturday: 9am-5pm Sunday/Monday: Closed

Please note that Contra Costa County Libraries, including Hercules, require all individuals, regardless of vaccination status, to wear face coverings when indoors in public settings, with limited exceptions.

September is Library Card Sign Up Month! Come to the library all month for fun – and get a library card!

## **Discover Hercules Scavenger Hunt**



## Click here for the Discover Hercules Scavenger Hunt!

Celebrate National Library Card Sign Up Month by joining us in the Discover Hercules Scavenger Hunt. Come to the library to pick up a scavenger hunt map or print it out by clicking the link above, and then visit each of the listed locations. Either take a picture at each location and tag us on Instagram (herculeslibraryccclib) and/or complete the suggested activity to get credit for your visit. Once you complete the scavenger hunt, return it to the Hercules Library for a prize (while supplies last) and find out how to get your own library card!

## **Library Card Sign-Up Month Coloring Contest**



To celebrate Library Card Sign Up Month during the month of September, come to the front desk at the Hercules Library to participate in our Library Card Sign-up Month Coloring Contest!

Pick up one of our library card coloring sheets at the front desk and color it however you want. Bring your completed design back to the front desk during the month of September to be entered into the contest for a fun prize!

And don't forget to sign up for a library card while you're there if you don't already have your own. As long as you can write your name and live in California, you can get a library card!

#### **Celebrate Latinx Heritage Month**

Celebrate Latinx Heritage Month Take & Make Craft September

Thanks to the Friends of Crockett, Hercules, and Rodeo libraries for supporting the celebration.



Friends & Hercules Library





#### September 15-October 15

Hercules, Crockett and Rodeo libraries are offering a free piñata take and make craft for kids. Come by to pick yours up while supplies last!

## **Upcoming Virtual Programming**

# Online ESL Conversation Group



ESL Conversation Club – Hercules Library Group! Wednesdays, 1:30-2:30pm, Zoom

Have fun and practice your English! Every week we meet on Zoom to read a short article, learn new vocabulary words, and have a great discussion. This group is best for intermediate to advanced learners, but all are welcome. **Please email Librarian Robyn at robyn.brown@library.cccounty.us for information on how to join.** 



All that I do not yet know: Poetry Reading/Workshop Tuesday, September 7, 2021

Writing poetry helps us come to know the world, both the world around us and our shifting inner landscapes. In this poetry reading/workshop, poet Krissy Kludt will read some of her work and share how poetry has been a tool for processing life, particularly during this last year. She will guide a few simple, accessible writing exercises. No writing experience or poetic talent required. **Please click here to register for this virtual program.** 



WOW presents: deYoung Museum, Judy Chicago: A Retrospective Wednesday, September 8, 2:00-3:00pm Please click here to register for this virtual program.

The deYoung Museum has prepared a celebration of the life and work of a pioneering feminist artist. Judy Chicago rose to international prominence with her landmark installation *The Dinner Party*, which was first exhibited in San Francisco in 1979. *Judy Chicago: A Retrospective* is the first exhibition to offer a comprehensive overview of the artist's entire career. This talk will explore Chicago's full body of work, from her early forays into minimalism to her current work that addresses mortality and environmental issues.



The Changing Seasons - Birds of the East Bay Hills with Bob Lewis
Tuesday, September 14, 6:00-7:00pm
Please click here to register for this virtual program.

The Bay Area is rich in varying habitats that are home to many bird species. As the seasons change, some birds arrive, others depart, and some just stay here at home. We'll talk about many bird species that can be found in our gardens, with some discussion of things one can do to enrich these bird habitats. The talk includes many illustrations of our local birds.



All About Honeybees
Wednesday, September 22, 5:00-6:00pm
Please click here to register for this virtual program.

Learn all about honeybees in this special presentation from Master Apprentice Beekeeper Ann Moser! Ann Moser is a Master Apprentice Beekeeper (UC Davis) and a member of the Mt. Diablo Beekeeping Association, where she served as a Board Member for 4 years. She currently maintains a pollinator friendly garden and hosts a multitude of honey bees among her pollinator guests.

## **Get in Touch!**

Members of the public can contact Hercules Library at (510) 245-2420; or <u>email</u> or <u>chat</u> online with library staff from 10am-5pm Monday through Friday. We continue to post content on our Instagram account: herculeslibraryccclib and our <u>Facebook page</u>. Or, come on by and say hello in person.

#### HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

THE FOLLOWING CASES ONLY REFLECT A PARTIAL LIST OF ACTUAL CASES TAKEN. CALLS FOR SERVICE NOT GENERATING WRITTEN REPORTS ARE NOT USUALLY LISTED. All THOSE ARRESTED ARE PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 18, 2021, at approximately 10:55 am, an Officer stopped a 2005, Kia Optima. The 40 year old male driver, from Markleeville, had a misdemeanor warrant. The subject was arrested, issued a citation with a new court date, and released from the scene. **H21-1041** 

Warrant Arrest 2X: On August 18, 2021, at approximately 11:50 am, an Officer stopped a 2002, Oldsmobile SUV at 76 Gas Station on Willow Avenue, for an equipment violation. The 38 year old female driver, from Vallejo; and the 35 year old male passenger, of Vallejo, both had misdemeanor warrants. The female had two warrants out of Solano County which were both citable. The male had a no cite warrant out of Napa County. The driver was arrested, issued a citation, and released from the scene. The passenger was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility. H21-1042/1043

**Found Property:** On August 18, 2021, at approximately 1:38 pm, an Officer was dispatched to the 800 block of Willow Avenue for a disturbance with construction workers, who were trying to put locks on the dumpsters, and two transients. The Officers contacted a 28 year old male, and a 65 year old male, both transients out of Rodeo. The older male was driving a 2003, Chevrolet Tahoe, which had a 2 different license plates. The rear plate belonged to the Chevrolet. The subject said he just purchased the vehicle and was unaware the plates did not match. The front plate was seized to be returned to DMV. The two subject left the area. **H21-1044** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 18<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 7:07PM a HPD Officer checked on an occupied vehicle in the 1500 block of Sycamore. The 36 year old female occupant, of San Francisco, was taken into custody for a citable warrant held by Newark PD. She was cited and released at the scene. **H21-1045** 

**Parole Violation and Drugs:** On August 18<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 9:55PM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop in the 800 block of Willow Ave. The 41 year old male driver, of Hayward, was determined to be on parole. A compliance checked turned up suspected narcotics. The subject was placed under arrest and a parole hold was granted. He was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility for booking. **H21-1046** 

**Evading:** On August 18<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 11:11PM a HPD Officer attempted to conduct a traffic stop on a purple Honda Accord, with a temporary plate. The vehicle failed to yield, and a pursuit was initiated. The pursuit was terminated in the area of WB I-80 and Fitzgerald Ave. The vehicle was occupied by two males. **H21-1047** 

**Warrant Arrest:** On August 19<sup>th</sup> 2021n at 12:46AM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic. The 55 year old male driver, of Vallejo, had a warrant out of Solano County. He was arrested, cited, and released at the scene.**H21-1048** 

<u>Auto Burglary</u>: On August 19<sup>th</sup> 2021, at 9:00 AM an officer responded to 100 block of S. Wildwood regarding an auto burglary. The victim advised he parked his landscaping work truck with a trailer attached and between 7:00 AM and 8:15 AM an unknown suspect(s) forced entry into the trailer and stole approximately \$3000 worth of landscaping tools. **H21-1049** 

**Shoplifting:** On August 19<sup>th</sup> 2021, at 2:25 PM officers responded to Home Depot at 1625 Sycamore Avenue regarding a white male adult suspect associated with a silver Dodge Ram with a camper shell, stealing power tools. The unknown suspect attempted to take \$446 worth of merchandise and got away with \$35 worth. The rest of the items were recovered by employees. **H21-1051** 

**Stolen Vehicle:** On August 19<sup>th</sup> 2021, at 6:26PM a HPD Officer was dispatched to Home Depot for a stolen vehicle report. A tan 2010 Chevy S10 with a dark blue truck bed was taken from the parking lot. There is no suspect information. **H21-1053** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021, at 12:02AM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop in the area of Willow Ave and EB I-80. The driver, a 35-year-old female of Richmond, was taken into custody on a warrant for traffic related charges. She was cite/released with a new court date. **H21-1057** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021, at 1:39AM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop in the area of EB I-80 and Cummings Skyway. The driver, a 37-year-old male of San Francisco, was taken into custody on a warrant out of Santa Cruz Sheriff's Office. He was cite/released with a new court date. **H21-1058** 

Stolen Vehicle Recovery: On August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 7:28 AM officers responded to the 1100 block of Santa Fe in regards to a Richmond Public Works truck that had just been stolen off their city property. Officers located the F-150 at Williams and Woodfield. A high-risk stop was conducted and the solo occupant, a 32-year-old male from San Pablo, was taken into custody. The male was transported to Martinez Detention Facility and the vehicle was released to City of Richmond employees. **H21-1060** 

**<u>Battery:</u>** On August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 8:16 AM officers responded to Hannah Ranch Elementary at 2482 Refugio Valley Road in regards to parents in a physical altercation. A 33-year-old female from Hercules and a 38-year-old-female from Antioch were involved in the physical altercation. There were no injuries and both parties did not want prosecution on the other. A case will be sent to the District Attorney for review. **H21-1061** 

<u>Controlled Substance:</u> On August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 1:14 PM officers responded to the BART Lot at 1375 Willow Avenue for a subject looking under vehicles associated with a white Camaro. The white 1999 Camaro was located occupied by three occupants. BART PD responded as well, and we assisted in their investigation. The passenger a 30-year-old female from Santa Cruz was found to be in possession of suspected methamphetamine. She was cited and released on scene. The other subjects were identified and released by BART PD. **H21-1062** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 8:41PM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop in the area of Parker Ave and 7th Street. The driver, a 37-year-old male of Pinole, was taken into custody on a warrant for traffic offenses out of Mendocino County. He was cite/released with a new court date. **H21-1064** 

**Evading:** On August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 11:40PM a HPD Officer attempted to conduct a traffic enforcement stop on a black BMW coupe in the area of Willow Ave and San Pablo Ave. The vehicle failed to yield, and a pursuit was initiated. The pursuit was terminated in the area of WB I-80 and Appian Way when visual contact was lost. The vehicle was later located unoccupied at Bayfront Park and was towed. **H21-1065** 

Ramey Warrant/Possession of Firearm: On August 21<sup>st</sup> Officers received a FLOCK Camera notification of a felony vehicle. The vehicle was a silver 2015 Lexus GS 350 associated with a subject wanted for various felony charges. At 2:13 PM an officer located the vehicle in the area of San Pablo Avenue and Sycamore Avenue. A high risk stop was initiated and the driver, a 31 year old male from Richmond, was detained. The suspect had a Ramey Warrant from Walnut Creek and he was taken into custody. During a search of the vehicle a loaded 9mm Ruger was located in the glove box with an extended 22 round magazine. The subject was transported to Martinez Detention Facility without incident, and Walnut Creek was contacted. **H21-1066** 

<u>**DUI:**</u> On August 21<sup>st</sup> 2021 at 9:26PM a HPD Officer conduced a traffic enforcement stop in the area of San Pablo Ave and Hercules Ave. The driver, a 31-year-old female of Richmond displayed

the objective symptoms of alcohol intoxication. After the Standardized Field Sobriety Tests, she registered a BAC of .124 via the PAS and was placed under arrest. The female was cite/released to a family member at the conclusion of the blood draw. **H21-1067** 

<u>Drugs:</u> On August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021 at 12:56AM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop in the area of Viewpoint and Coral. A probable cause search was conducted a suspected heroin was located. A 31-year-old male was placed under arrest. He was cite/released at the scene on his promise to appear. **H21-1068** 

**Shoplifting:** On August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021 at 8:14 AM officers were dispatched to Rite Aid at 1560 Sycamore Avenue in regards to a theft in progress. The suspect was described by employees as a black or white male wearing a gray hoody and carrying a Safeway bag. The suspect placed various electronics in the bag and fled without paying. The suspect was not located and there is no further information. **H21-1069** 

**Possession of a Firearm:** On August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021 at 8:47 AM an officer conducted a traffic stop on a gray 2006 Volkswagen Passat at 4080 San Pablo Avenue. The driver was identified as a 20-year-old male from Vallejo. During a consent search of the Passat, officers located a loaded unserialized Glock type 9mm handgun with 15 rounds in the magazine and one in the chamber. The driver was arrested and transported to Martinez Detention Facility and the vehicle was towed. **H21-1070** 

<u>Identity Theft:</u> On August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021 at 7:58 p.m. An Officer was dispatched to Scotts Valley to take a report for a credit card fraud. The victim stated her B of A debit card was used in Martinez without her consent or knowledge. The victim told the Officer an unknown suspect gained access to her B of A account and withdrew \$2,000 within the past two days. The victim has had possession of her debit card and is most likely a victim of ATM skimming/card cloning. **H21-1073** 

**Prisoner Transport:** On August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021 at 9:51 p.m. an Officer picked up 40-year-old male of Newark from Santa Rita (Alameda County Jail) on our outstanding Felony No Bail Warrant. The Warrant was issued on 08/13/2021. Kumar was transported to Martinez Detention Facility. **H19-1458** 

**Shoplifting:** On August 23, 2021, at approximately 3:25 pm, HPD Officers were dispatched to Home Depot for a theft that just occurred. The suspect was described as a bald white male adult approximately 6 feet tall wearing a gray tee-shirt and blue jeans. The suspect left on foot but left a white van behind. Officers arrived and contacted a male at the white van pointed out by the witness. The white van turned out to not be associated to the suspect, and the suspect was not located. The suspect stole miscellaneous merchandise valued at approximately \$151.00 and left it all behind in the parking lot. All the merchandise was returned to Home Depot. (**H21-1077**)

Annoying or Harassing Phone calls/text messages: On August 23, 2021 at 7:35 p.m. An Officer was dispatched to an HPD lobby detail regarding a family being harassed and stalked. The Officer met with the victim who told the Officer he and his family are in fear of his former PG&E coworker, a 46-year-old male of Fresno. The victim told the Officer that the suspect believes he owes him money from a previous dog breeding business they had together. The victim showed the Officer screenshots of numerous recent harassing text messages and phone calls from the suspect.

A case was taken to be sent to the District Attorney. (H21-1079)

Catalytic Converter Theft: On August 24, 2021, at approximately 7:40 am, an Officer was dispatched to Ebbtide Cove for the report of a catalytic converter theft. Sometime between August 23 at 7:00 pm and August 24 at 7:30 am an unknown suspect stole the catalytic converter from a 2004 Honda Accord while it was parked on Regatta. (**H21-1080**)

<u>Catalytic Converter Theft:</u> On August 24, 2021, at approximately 12:01 pm, an Officer was dispatched to 100 block of Flowering Ash for the report of a theft of a catalytic converter. Sometime between August 20 at 2:00 pm and August 24 at 9:00 am, an unknown suspect stole the catalytic converter from a 2004 Honda Accord when it was parked on the street in front of the residence. (**H21-1081**)

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 24, 2021, at approximately 1:06 pm, an Officer checked a 2001, Dodge Van parked on the onramp to Highway 4 eastbound from Claey's Lane. The driver, a 40-year-old male from Ukiah had a misdemeanor warrant for violation of a court order out of Mendocino County. He was cite/released with a new court date and released from the scene. (**H21-1082**)

<u>Conspiracy/Vehicle Tampering/Attempted Grand Theft – Catalytic Converter:</u> On August 25, 2021 at 4:17 a.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to the area of Glenwood for an interrupted catalytic converter theft that just occurred. The reporting party advised a Red Chevy Suburban and a Black BMW were working together attempting to steal a catalytic converter from a Silver 2007 Honda Accord. Officers contacted the reporting party (RP) who told them he saw an unknown race male wearing a black hoodie get out of the BMW and use a floor jack to jack up his neighbor's Accord. The RP told Officers he came outside and confronted the suspects who then fled in their vehicles. An Officer located a Red '01 GMC Yukon that was being followed by a Black BMW driving on Village Parkway. The Officer did an investigative traffic stop on the Yukon and identified the driver as 41-year-old male of Richmond. He was detained and a vehicle search was done. The Officer located items consistent with being used in catalytic converter thefts. The male was interviewed and denied involvement in the attempted catalytic converter theft. Another Officer drove to South Wildwood to attempt to locate the BMW. The Officer saw three subjects (2 males & 1 female) walking away at a fast pace near the 100 block of South Wildwood and detained them. They were identified as a 42-year-old male of El Sobrante, a 33-year-old male of San Pablo and 28-year-old female of Richmond. A black hooded sweatshirt with gloves was located discarded where the 42-year-old male had been walking. A search of the BMW was done, and Officers located a floor jack, Sawzall's, cordless drills, and other tools associated with catalytic converter thefts. All three suspects were interviewed and denied attempting to steal the Accord's catalytic converter. The tools from the BMW's trunk were seized as evidence and a case was taken to be sent to the District Attorney for review. (Case H21-1086)

MSIN: On August 25th 2021 at 8:30PM a HPD Officer was dispatched to a residence in the 2100 block of Redwood Rd for a child custody dispute. The RP advised he has a child custody order issued in Alabama and was attempting to pick up his daughter but was unable to do so due to the child's mother not complying. **H21-1092** 

Reckless Driving: On August 25th 2021 at 9:27PM a HPD Officer observed a silver Mitsubishi

Outlander doing "donuts" in the Creekside Center Parking lot. The driver, a twenty-year-old male of Richmond was cite/released with a court date and the vehicle was towed. **H21-1093** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 26th 2021 at 2:16AM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop. The driver, a 39-year-old female of Stockton was taken into custody on multiple warrants for theft out of LA County. She was cite/released. **H21-1094** 

<u>Located Missing Person:</u> The above mentioned 39-year-old female was also listed as a missing person in the Missing and Unidentified Persons System (MUPS) and removed by HPD. **H21-1095** 

Throwing Object at Moving Vehicle: On August 26, 2021 an officer was flagged down at the 1000 block of Shorebird Drive in regards to a possible vandalism. On August 10, 2021, the victim (V) from Hercules was driving his 1968 Stingray Corvette northbound on San Pablo Avenue near Craftsman felt a loud thump on the driver's side of the vehicle. When he looked back, he saw two males and one of the males in a throwing position. When he arrived home, he noticed significant damage caused by the object thrown by one of the males. **H21-1097** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 26th 2021 at 10:53PM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop in the 3500 block of Franklin Canyon Rd. The driver, a 31-year-old male of Fairfield was determined to have a warrant for traffic offenses out of San Bernadino County. He was cite/released with a new court date. **H21-1098** 

Warrant Arrest: On August 27th 2021 at 1:32AM a HPD Officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop on Cummings Skyway. The driver, A 28-year-old female of Clearlake was determined to have a warrant out of Clearlake PD and a warrant out of Lake County. She was cite/released with new court dates. H21-1099 / H21-1100

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> A 31-year-old male of Clearlake, the passenger during the above listed traffic stop, also had a warrant out of Lake County. He was cite/released with a new court date. **H21-1101** 

<u>Hit and Run:</u> On August 27th 2021 at 7:27PM a HPD Officer took a report for a hit and run that occurred in the 500 block of Alfred Nobel Dr at 11:00AM. The suspect vehicle was described as a white sedan. **H21-1103** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 28th 2021 at 1:32AM a HPD Officer checked on a suspicious vehicle in the area of Cummings Skyway and I-80. The driver, a 29-year-old male of Richmond was determined to be wanted for a citable domestic violence warrant. He was cite/released with a new court date. **H21-1105** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 28th 2021 at 2:45AM a HPD Officer checked on a suspicious vehicle in the 4000 block of San Pablo Ave. A 25-year-old male of Vallejo was taken into custody on a non-citable warrant a firearm offense. He was transported to Martinez Detention Facility. **H21-1106** 

**Found Property:** On August 28, 2021 at 1:48 PM an officer contacted a citizen (RP) from Hercules at the HPD lobby. RP advised she located a DJI Mavic Drone on her property. The drone was collected by the officer for safekeeping. **H21-1109** 

Warrant Arrest: On August 28, 2021 at 10:50PM an Officer checked on a suspicious Green '00 VW Golf with no license plates on the E/B SR-4 on-ramp from Willow Ave. A 53-year-old male of San Francisco was determined to have an outstanding no cite warrant of San Francisco County S.O. He arrested and transported to MDF. Case H21-1110

Warrant Arrest x 6/Towed Vehicle: On August 28, 2021 at 1:03am an Officer checked on a Blue '06 Honda Civic parked at the Shell gas station with expired registration. A 39-year-old male was found to have six outstanding warrants (1 Felony and 5 Misdemeanor). The felony warrant was out of Mendocino County (Case H21-1111) and the misdemeanor warrants were out of Lake County S.O. (H21-1112) and Clearlake P.D. (H21-1113). The vehicle was towed and the male was taken to MDF.

Warrant Arrest/Possession of a loaded unregistered firearm: On August 29, 2021 at 2:22 a.m. an Officer did a traffic stop on a Silver '10 Toyota Camry on N/B Willow Ave for a traffic offense. The driver was identified as a 29-year-old female of Vallejo. The passenger was identified as a 25-year-old male of Vallejo. Both subjects were found to have several outstanding warrants out of Contra Costa County and Solano County. During a probation search, the Officer located a loaded unregistered Glock 17 style semi-auto (Polymer 80) pistol underneath the rear of the driver's seat. Both subjects were transported to HPD where they were interviewed then transported to MDF. Case H21-1114

Carrying a concealed firearm/Probation Violation: On August 29, 2021 at 8:11 p.m. An Officer was driving through the Safeway parking lot when they saw a male exit the southeast exit of the store carrying a Safeway handbasket full of food items. The Officer stopped and detained the subject for a shoplifting investigation. The subject was identified as a 64-year-old male of Crockett and admitted to shoplifting. The male told an Officer his Blue '03 Acura TL was parked unlocked in parking lot. Officers located his vehicle and did a probation search. Inside the glovebox, an Officer located an unloaded Connecticut Arms & Manufacturing Co. single shot .44 cal. Rimfire Derringer "Bulldog" pistol. The male was cited and released on scene. Case H21-1115

**Possession of a controlled substance:** On August 29, 2021 AT 11:26 pm an Officer checked on an occupied suspicious Red '16 Dodge Dart parked at the Safeway gas station. The driver was identified as a 35-year-old male of Clearlake. The passenger was identified as a 28-year-old female of Clearlake on searchable probation. A probation search was done and three small plastic baggies containing suspected Heroin was in the female's possession. She was cited and released on scene. **Case H21-1116** 

Resisting/Arson/Open Container of Alcohol: On August 30, 2021, at approximately 8:11 am, HPD Officers were dispatched to San Pablo Avenue and Hercules Avenue for a black male adult lighting paper on fire. Officers arrived and contacted a 35-year-old male of Hercules sitting in the bus stop and lighting something on fire. The male initially refused to identify himself and refused to comply with Officers orders. When they attempted to place him in handcuffs to detain him, he pulled away and was resisting. The male was ultimately arrested for resisting, delaying, or obstructing an Officer, arson, and possession of an open container of an alcoholic beverage. He refused any medical attention and was transported to MDF and booked. **H21-1118** 

<u>Vandalism:</u> On August 30, 2021, at approximately 8:45 am, an Officer was dispatched to 4040 San Pablo Avenue for the report of vandalism to a vehicle. The Officer arrived and contacted the

victim and determined sometime between 8:00 am, and 8:15 am, an unknown suspect broke the front and rear passenger windows to his 2018 Lincoln. There was nothing missing from the vehicle, and the estimated damage to repair the windows was \$1,000.00. **H21-1119** 

Auto Burglary: On August 30, 2021, at approximately 11:37 am, an Officer was dispatched to Safeway gas station for an auto burglary that just occurred. Approximately 5 minutes prior a black male adult wearing a black hooded jacket and a black face mask opened the passenger door of the victim's car, a 2021, Volvo XC60, and stole her purse with over \$100,000.00 in jewelry and her cell phone inside of it. The suspect vehicle was described as a silver Honda and it was last seen driving towards San Pablo Avenue. Using the flock camera, the suspect vehicle was determined to be a newer model, silver Infiniti Q50. There was no further info. **H21-1121** 

<u>Warrant Arrest:</u> On August 30, 2021 at 10:08 p.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to an outside assist for BART PD at the Transit Lot, 1372 Willow Ave. Dispatch advised a WestCat Bus Supervisor reported a female passenger was not exiting the bus and was slumped over in her seat. Officers arrived and located a 31-year-old female of Vallejo at the rear of the bus and determined she was not having a medical emergency. She was found to have an uncitable felony warrant out of San Jose P.D. She was arrested and transported to MDF. **Case H21-1123** 

Restraining Order Violation/Warrant Arrest: On August 30, 2021 at 11:56 p.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to Moraine Ct. for an unwanted subject. Dispatch advised the reporting party's (RP) ex-husband was inside the house refusing to leave. Dispatch advised the male had an outstanding citable Misdemeanor Warrant out of Newark P.D. and there was a current served DV restraining order with the RP as the protected party and the male as the restrained party. Officers arrived and located the male trying to hide inside the garage. The male was arrested and transported to MDF where he was booked for violating the restraining order as well as the outstanding warrant. Case H21-1125

Conspiracy/Vehicle Tampering/Attempted Grand Theft: On August 31, 2021 at 5:57 a.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to Glenwood for an in-progress catalytic converter theft. The reporting party advised two white male suspects were attempting to steal a catalytic converter from a silver '07 Honda Accord. The RP also advised the suspects backed their Silver '05 Infiniti FX 35 into the owner of the Accord's carport. Officers arrived and detained both suspects next to the Accord. Officers found a floor jack underneath the Accord and a pair of gloves as well as a Sawzall. An infield show-up was done with the RP and he positively identified both suspects. They were identified as a 29-year-old male of Redding and a 34-year-old female of Richmond. Both were interviewed on scene before being transported to MDF. Case H21-1129

Missing Person: On August 31, 2021 at 10:22 p.m. An Officer was dispatched to 1500 Block of Swallow Way to take a missing person's report. The RP reported his adult son, a 30-year-old male of Hercules as a voluntary missing adult/at-risk. Dispatch entered the son into the Missing and Unidentified Person System (MUPS). Case H21-1131

#### WC SHIFT STATS

Date: 08/18-08/31

CALLS FOR SERVICE	846
REPORTS	90
TRAFFIC CITES	33
PARKING CITES	91
ADULT ARRESTS	47
JUVENILE ARRESTS	0
ARSONS	0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTS	0
HATE CRIMES	0
TOWED VEHICLES	12
PART 1 TOTAL	10

PART 1 CRIMES BROKEN DOWN	
HOMICIDE	
RAPE	
ROBBERY	
ASSAULT (everything from simple battery to	
aggravated)	
BURGLARY (residential or commercial)	1
LARCENY (auto burglary or thefts)	9
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

## City Hall Offices Closed in Observance of Labor Day

**Date:** 09/06/2021

Location: Hercules City Hall

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94558

## **Planning Commission Meeting**

**Date:** 09/07/2021 7:00 PM

**Location:** City Hall Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547

## **Community Clean-Up Day**

Date: 09/11/2021 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Location: Corporation Yard 1000 Sycamore Avenue Hercules, California 94547

## **Community and Library Services Commission**

**Date:** 09/13/2021 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM **Location:** City Hall Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547

## **City Council Meeting**

**Date:** 09/14/2021 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM **Location:** City Hall Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547

## **Finance Commission**

**Date:** 09/15/2021 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM **Location:** City Hall Council Chambers

111 Civic Drive

Hercules, California 94547

## **Planning Commission Meeting**

**Date:** 09/20/2021 7:00 PM

**Location:** City Hall Council Chambers

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