

## **POLICE DEPARTMENT SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES REPORT**

January 2020

Audubon Park rebounded from the crime spree during December. There was only one reported crime. However, the crime was a phone scam. Major Laun posted the scam on the police facebook page. Here is a brief synopsis of the police forces activity for January:

**Reported Crime:** There are many victims to phone scams like the one that happened to the Audubon Park resident in January. Suspect will call victim and ask for them to pay for gift card for several reasons (Donate to church, bail family member out of jail, keep victim from losing their social security number etc.) Yes, these scenarios are true.

**Traffic Violations:** Police conducted seven traffic stops in January. Four were given warnings and three were written tickets.

**Parking Citations:** Seven Parking Tickets were written for "Overnight Parking on Street" violations and three courtesy notices were written for parking violations.

**Suspicious Persons:** We stopped eight non-residents of Audubon Park we believe were in the neighborhood with the intent to commit a crime. One of the suspects we stopped was a juvenile carrying a loaded gun inside of his jacket pocket. The gun has not been reported stolen. We believe the gun is stolen. The juvenile was cited and released to his parents. They told us they do not know where he got the gun and it was not their gun. We are working with the ATF to try to locate the owner of the gun. Officer Snook stopped this suspect. He did a great job! This is a reminder of how dangerous our job is.

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