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Mayor,

Just a few stats detailing some of the activities of the Police department after adding the additional reserve officers.

As of January 2012 arrests have increased. Twenty out of the 30 arrests made have been made in the last 3 months after the additional reserve officers were added to the department. Arrests range from drug possession, driving while intoxicated, and possession of weapon, just to mention a few (see list of arrests). The above does not include citations issued for minor offenses, Class "C" violations which are heard here in municipal court.

Patrol miles have increased by about 1,000 miles per month, meaning extra patrols of our city streets. The additional reserves have allowed Police to respond to more then one call for assistance at the same time.

Examples :

Just this week officers responded to a call where a dog bit his owner, requiring medical attention. At the same time a call of a suspicious person (prowler with a back pack) was reported across town. One Officer was able to remain with the bite victim, while other Officers responded to the suspicious person call.

Just a few days later two officers were conducting a traffic stop on a suspicious vehicle when they observed a second vehicle driving recklessly, screeching tires, and running a stop sign. One officer was able to break away from the fist traffic stop and detain the second vehicle, leading to an arrest of a person driving while intoxicated.

We have also been able to maintain our low crime rate some months reporting as little as one offense reported per month. It is hard to calculate how many offenses our officers have prevented just by their presence on the streets. However I can tell you that we have had persons that had been arrested arguing with each other say, "I told you we should not have come to Rancho Viejo, because I knew we would get caught." The word is getting out, don't come to Rancho Viejo and commit a crime because you will be caught. I firmly believe that Police presence is a great crime deterrent.

Chief M. Cruz, Jr.

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Adult Arrest

log

2012

AR-01-12	1/1/2012	M	ASSAULT FAMILY VIOLENCE
AR-02-12		L	
AR-03-12	2/15/2012	R	WARR MC 11 0221
AR-04-12	3/17/2012	M	DWI
AR-05-12	3/21/2012	L	WARR MC 11 0231
AR-06-12	3/28/2012	R	WARR MC 11 0336
AR-07-12	3/29/2012	M	FAILURE TO ID
AR-08-12	4/2/2012	L	
AR-09-12	4/11/2012	R	POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA
AR-10-12	4/27/2012	M	THEFT CLASS A
AR-11-12	05/20/2012	L	POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA
AR-12-12	5/22/2012	R	DWI
AR-12-12	5/22/2012	R	Resist Transport
AR-13-12	5/26/2012	M	UNLAWFUL CARR WEAPON
AR-14-12	5/26/2012	L	POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA
AR-15-12	6/26/2012	R	WARR MC 11 0337
AR-16-12	6/27/2012	M	WARR MC 11 0290
AR-17-12	7/21/2012	L	DUI
AR-18-12	7/22/2012	R	PUBLIC INTOXICATION
AR-19-12	7/26/2012	M	WARR MC 11 0390
AR-20-12	7/27/2012	R	assault (strangulation)
AR-21-12	8/1/2012	L	WARRANT 2012GMG000029
AR-22-12	8/8/2012	R	WARRANT 2012GMG000031
AR-23-12	8/12/2012	M	DWI
AR-24-12	8/15/2012	L	WARR MC 11 0002
AR-25-12	8/23/2012	R	WARR MC 12 0079
AR-26-12	8/24/2012	M	WARR MC 11 0064
AR-27-12	8/24/2012	L	WARR MC 12 0212
AR-28-12	8/25/2012	R	DWI
AR-29-12	8/26/2012	L	DWI
AR-30-12	8/28/2012	M	WARR MC 12 0094
AR-30-12	8/28/2012	M	EVADING ARREST
AR-30-12	8/28/2012	M	RESISTING ARREST