

RICHMOND POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

December 29, 2015-January 11, 2016

TRAFFIC TICKETS

Speeding: 12

Operating left of center: 1

No registration: 2

Vehicle not inspected: 13

Operating after suspension (civil): 5

Failure to carry registration: 2

Plates not assigned to vehicle: 1

Limitations on backing: 1

No insurance: 4

Possession of license: 1

TOTAL TICKETS ISSUED: 42

WRITTEN WARNINGS: 56

PARKING TICKETS: 1

INCIDENTS REPORTED

Accidents: 9

Parking complaints: 2

Directed patrols: 2

Vandalism: 1

Motor vehicle complaints: 2

Traffic hazard: 1

Citizen dispute: 1

Message delivery: 1

Lost property: 1

Agency assists: 15

Citizen assists: 6

Suspicious circumstances: 2

Alarms: 4

Found property: 1

Theft of services: 1

Sexual offender registry checks: 2

TOTAL INCIDENTS REPORTED: 51

ARRESTS: 0. This is the first time in over a year that we were able to go through a two week period and not have to take someone into custody.

- December 29, 2015@20:51 hours, Officer John Hamlin was requested to assist the Vermont State Police with a reported domestic at a Jericho home. Officer Hamlin arrived first at the scene and discovered both adult parties were highly intoxicated. Both the State Police and members of

Richmond police have responded to this home on numerous occasions as the parties involved have become combative in the past with law enforcement. The male registered a BAC of .30% and was taken to the jail by Troopers. The female registered a BAC of .304% and she was transported to ACT1 by Officer Hamlin.

- December 30, 2015@08:33 hours, both myself and Cpl. Rick Greenough responded to a two vehicle collision with injuries at Huntington Road and Besaw Road. Both crews from Richmond Rescue as well as the fire department also responded. Both patients from this collision were transported to the emergency room with one male operator suffering from head lacerations and a brain bleed. While I was still at this scene waiting for the tow trucks to clear the vehicles and Cpl. Greenough on his way to the emergency room another single vehicle accident with injuries came in at 09:09 hours. This second crash was located on East Main Street after the first "S" curve east of the fire house. The 4WD pickup truck had been heading east when it failed to make the hard left hand corner and went off the road and landed on its wheels after dropping down an 8-10 foot embankment. The adult male passenger suffered a severe back injury upon impact with the ground. As both of Richmond's rescue squads were transporting victims from the first collision, Williston Rescue responded to the scene and transported the passenger to the emergency room. At the time of these accidents the road surface was a combination of snow, slush and ice.
- December 30, 2015@19:00 hours, Officer John Hamlin responded to yet another two vehicle accident located at the intersection of Bridge and Main Street. Williston Police responded to the scene to assist with traffic control as neither vehicle was operational. Two tow trucks were summoned to the scene and removed both vehicles. No injuries were reported as a result of this collision.
- December 31, 2015@23:50 hours, Officer Mat Nadeau assisted the Williston Police Department. Seems an Uber taxi driver was transporting a bunch of underage intoxicated teenagers when things went sour. Initially all the female teenagers provided false names and false parental contact information, but all but one decided to give the correct information. One young lady was charged by Williston P.D. with false information to law enforcement and she will be answering that charge in court.
- January 2, 2016, Cpl. William Bullock was able to locate two out of the three registered sex offenders that reside in Richmond. The third has a difficult home to get to in bad weather and he will also be contacted. We have to do these checks for the state on a quarterly time frame.
- January 3, 2016@19:23 hours, Cpl. Brett Lindemuth responded to the interstate near exit 11 for a reported accident. Troopers were currently tied up with numerous other accidents. Cpl. Lindemuth ended up investigating two accidents near this location. Vehicles involved in both of these collisions had to be towed from the scene.
- January 4, 2016@00:27 hours, Officer John Hamlin was dispatched to the area of Southview and Westall Drive for a theft complaint. A cab had transported six people from Burlington to this location and one male tried to pay the fare with a credit card but when the card was denied all six took off on foot. Several Troopers responded to the scene along with Officer Hamlin in an

attempt to locate the 4 males, 2 females but the only description the cab driver could give was all in their twenties and white. None were located.

- January 4, 2016@10:00 hours, Cpl. Brett Lindemuth responded to a local business when they found hypodermic needles in one of their garbage receptacles. Located were 7 needles along with a rubber strap to wrap around the arm. These items were collected and the needles were disposed of at Richmond rescue.
- January 7, 2016, Officer Mat Nadeau was called to assist Richmond rescue with an unresponsive male who was not breathing at the Mobil. Turns out the gentleman was having a heart attack and was transported to the emergency room.
- January 11, 2016@ 11:00 hours, a couple from Richmond came into the office to turn in an I-Pad that they found in the Town of Danville. The I-Pad was password protected and the only thing to go on was the location and the screen saver photo. Cpl. Brett Lindemuth was able to track the owner down after researching the screensaver on Google and a couple of phone calls later the happy owner from the Cambridge area was able to be contacted.
- January 11, 2016@ 18:38 hours, Officer John Hamlin was asked to assist the Vermont State Police with a possible domestic assault at a home in Bolton. Turns out the call was exaggerated by the teenage daughter who was upset after an argument with the family.

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