

RICHMOND POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

February 27, 2018-March 12, 2018

TRAFFIC TICKETS

Speeding: 6

Vehicle not inspected: 15

Cell phone violation: 2

No registration: 3

Defective equipment: 2

No insurance: 3

Signals required: 2

Traffic control signals: 1

Operating after suspension (civil): 1

Possession of marijuana: 2

Failure to yield: 1

Plates not assigned: 1

TOTAL TRAFFIC TICKETS ISSUED: 39

TOTAL WRITTEN WARNINGS ISSUED: 40

PARKING TICKETS ISSUED: 1

ARRESTS

Operating under the influence (alcohol): 1

Disorderly conduct: 1

Aggravated domestic assault: 1

Arrest on warrant: 1

Bad check: 1

Assault on law enforcement officer: 1

Operating under suspension (criminal): 1

False pretense or tokens: 1

Domestic assault: 1

TOTAL ARRESTS/CHARGES: 9

INCIDENTS REPORTED

Accidents: 9

Property watch: 1

Traffic hazard: 1

Disorderly conduct: 1

Juvenile problem: 1

Larceny: 2

Noise disturbance: 1	Wanted person: 1
Motor vehicle assists: 2	Agency assists: 14
Citizen assist: 1	Motor vehicle complaints: 7
Animal problem: 1	Service of APO: 1
Found property: 1	Consent search: 1
Family fight: 1	Alarms: 2
Operating after suspension (criminal): 1	Suspicious circumstances: 3
Welfare check: 2	Domestic assault: 2
Search warrant: 1	Operating under the influence: 1
VIN number verification: 2	Fraud: 1
Assault: 1	Parking complaint: 1
Vandalism: 1	

TOTAL INCIDENTS REPORTED: 64

- February 27, 2018, Cpl. William Bullock began the process of serving subpoenas on members of the fire department and the rescue. Today he assisted the courts with 3 served. These and many other agency assists during this two week period were subpoenas served by our officers in regards to the case on the Interstate where 5 youths were killed.**
- February 28, 2018@ 08:38 hours, Cpl. Brett Lindemuth arrested an adult male on a parole violation warrant. This was an easy arrest as a family member escorted him in to start getting his life in order and to get off the drug habit. Per the arrest warrant he was taken to the county jail to be held until the judge held a hearing.**
- February 28, 2018@ 15:40 hours, Cpl. William Bullock began an investigation into a fraud at the bank in which a bogus \$5,500.00 check was cashed. Working with the bank security, other police departments and the U.S. Secret Service the female was identified who has been doing the same at other banks in the state and up the east coast in similar amounts. She was apprehended and lodged at the county jail being held on \$250,000.00 bail. She has been charged in state court by Cpl. Bullock and other state departments. In is anticipated that the U.S. Secret Service will also get her prosecuted by the U.S. Attorney under federal law as the identity she was using was stolen out of New Jersey.**
- February 28, 2018@ 22:16 hours, Cpl. John Hamlin was dispatched to a family fight at a home located on Hidden Pine Drive. The initial call from a family member indicated that an adult**

male was threatening to shoot his wife with a handgun so 2 units each from the Vermont State Police and the Williston Police also responded. The initial caller had misunderstood the argument between the husband and wife. It was over an ill chicken that the husband wanted the wife to shoot and kill and they were arguing over this fact. Alcohol was a factor in this call so it was determined it would be better if the husband went somewhere else for awhile to sober up and let the situation calm down.

- **March 1, 2018@ 16:09 hours, Cpl. William Bullock responded to a domestic assault call at a home located off East Hill Road. A teenage male had assaulted his mother by physically grabbing her and then throwing a glass wine bottle at her which smashed on the floor and then fled the home. Evidence was collected to include photographs of the injury and the youth was located and cited into court for a misdemeanor charge of domestic assault.**
- **March 1, 2018@ 23:12 hours, Cpl. John Hamlin stopped a vehicle on West Main for a traffic violation. A computer check revealed that the 32 year old male operator was currently criminally suspended. He was taken into custody and processed at the office before being released on a citation ordering him into Chittenden Superior Court to answer the charge.**
- **March 2, 2018@ 21:50 HOURS, Cpl. John Hamlin was dispatched to an East Main Street home for a domestic assault call where the female victim was alleged to have been choked. Two units from Williston Police and one from the State Police were assigned to assist. When John arrived at the scene the 31 year old male had fled on foot. While speaking with the victim it was observed that she had been choked by the suspect so Richmond Rescue was summoned to the scene. While interviewing the victim the two units from Williston were checking the surrounding area looking for the suspect who was located on foot on Cochran Road and taken into custody. Rescue ended up transporting the female victim and her 3 year old to the Medical Center and John processed the suspect who was taken to the county jail on conditions set by a judge that John contacted. The suspect was to be arraigned that Monday.**
- **March 3, 2018@ 21:28 hours, Cpl. John Hamlin assisted the Williston Police Department locate a teenage male who was identified by security video shooting out street lights with a gun. Also the female with him at this time was wanted on a warrant. The suspect's home was approached and John secured the rear of the house while the 2 Williston officers went to the front. The teenage male was located and charged with the crimes while the female was not with him at this time and they are still searching for her.**
- **March 4, 2018@ 00:56 hours, Cpl. John Hamlin assisted the Vermont State Police with a traffic stop on Brown's Trace Road. The male operator was eventually taken into custody for DUI after registering a roadside breath test of .167%. John stood by with the vehicle until the tow truck arrived while the operator was taken back to the barracks to be processed.**
- **March 5, 2018@ 12:32 hours, Cpl. Rick Greenough was returning to Richmond from a meeting in Winooski when he went through the drive-up window at Dunkin for a coffee. It came to his attention of a male in the parking lot who appeared under the influence so he went to check on him. The male became combative and spit in the face of Rick who had requested Essex P.D. for assistance. While patting the male down Rick located a package of drugs as well as a loaded magazine for a .380 handgun. The male was taken into custody and a search warrant**

was applied for by Essex while Rick processed and later jailed the man on charges of assault on a law enforcement officer and disorderly conduct. The search warrant was granted and executed two days later with Rick as part of the search team. Located in the man's vehicle were a crack pipe, almost 40 grams of powdered cocaine, several syringes with liquid cocaine, nearly 100 prescription pills believed to be oxy's and over \$1,700.00 in cash. The male will be additionally charged with several felony drug charges and D.E.A. was notified for potential federal charges.

- **March 6, 2018@ 08:31 hours, Cpl. Rick Greenough responded to a home in the trailer park for a juvenile problem. Officers have responded to this same home on numerous different occasions. Rick stood by until an interventionist from Howard Mental Health could deal with the situation.**
- **March 7, 2018, Sgt. Mat Nadeau finalized a bad check case from a local business and the female was cited for us by the Washington County Sheriff's Office.**
- **March 7, 2018@ 14:39 hours, Cpl. John Hamlin assisted Richmond Rescue with a call on West Main Street for an elderly male that had fallen but did not know who he was. When John arrived he recognized the man as the same one he dealt with earlier who was lost. John was able to give rescue his name and address and that of his wife. The man was transported to the emergency room and John went to the couple's home on Church Street to notify his wife.**
- **March 11, 2018@ 05:50, Cpl. John Hamlin while processing a suspected DUI operator who registered a BAC of .220% located a semi auto loaded handgun. The 25 year old male suspect is a convicted felon and on the sexual offender registry is barred from possessing firearms. John requested assistance from Williston P.D. while he processed the man for DUI, Williston applied for a search warrant for his vehicle and home. The home occupied by 3 people found no weapons, however the search was difficult as the filth was so bad they couldn't even find the floor. A shotgun however was located in the vehicle. The man was taken to the county jail on the DUI and several other weapons charges and the federal bureau of A.T.F. was notified of the guns.**
- **March 11, 2018@ 23:01 hours, Sgt. Mat Nadeau stopped a car on Route 117 after it blew through the stop sign while getting off the interstate. Upon approaching the vehicle he could smell the odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle and the female operator gave consent to search. Located in the vehicle were marijuana and a pipe. The operator was released with traffic tickets for possession of marijuana and failure to stop for the stop sign.**

SUBMITTED BY: Alan F. Buck

Chief of Police-Richmond

March 13, 2018