

RICHMOND POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

February 14, 2017-February 13, 2017

TRAFFIC TICKETS ISSUED

Speeding: 27

Vehicle not inspected: 11

Failure to carry registration: 2

Cell phone: 3

Possession of license: 2

Operating left of center: 2

Possession of Marijuana (civil): 1

Failure to yield: 1

Operating after suspension (civil): 1

No insurance: 1

No registration: 1

Possession of Open Container (Passenger): 1

No license: 2

Defective equipment: 1

Unreasonable or Imprudent Speeds for Conditions: 1

TOTAL TRAFFIC TICKETS ISSUED: 57

TOTAL WRITTEN WARNINGS ISSUED: 60

INCIDENTS REPORTED

Accidents: 4

Motor vehicle complaints: 10

Citizen assist: 2

Assault: 1

Larceny: 1

Property watch: 3

Noise disturbance: 1

VIN number verification: 5

Citizen Dispute: 2

Agency assists: 7

911 Hang Up: 3

Suspicious: 5

Vandalism: 1

Ride Along: 1

TOTAL INCIDENTS REPORTED: 45

ARRESTS:

Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon: 1

TOTAL ARRESTS: 1

- February 15th, 2017: Officer Hamlin and I responded to a report of 3 vehicles that had slid off the roadway on Kenyon Road due to rapidly deteriorating road conditions. Bee There Towing was dispatched to the scene to pull the vehicles back onto the roadway. While the tow company attempted to pull one of the vehicles back onto the roadway, a secondary collision occurred between a vehicle attempting to navigate through the accident scene and one of the vehicles that had slid off. Kenyon Road between Johnnie Brook and Turkey Hill was closed temporarily. All vehicles involved in the incident sustained minimal damage. Richmond Highway Department treated the roadway. All vehicles were pulled back onto the roadway and were underway shortly thereafter.
- February 16th, 2017: Officer Hamlin assisted Vermont State Police with several slide offs on Interstate 89 between Exits 11 and 12. Officer Hamlin provided emergency lights while tow trucks were dispatched to the area to pull the vehicles back onto the roadway.
- February 18th, 2017: Corporal Bullock responded to a motor vehicle complaint on Millet Street. The complainant contacted 911 reporting that she had been transporting (2) 100 lb propane tanks in a minivan when she smelled propane leaking. The tanks were removed from the vehicle. Fire and Rescue responded to the scene. Rescue transported the female to the UVM Medical Center ER for evaluation after she complained about having a headache and feeling dizzy.
- February 20th, 2017: Corporal Greenough responded to a report of a dump truck that had gone off the road on Huntington Road near the Farr Farm. The dump truck was trailering a man lift when the load shifted and overturned the trailer pulling the dump truck off the roadway. Truck and trailer were pulled back onto the roadway. The trailer was reloaded and the vehicle was back underway after approximately 3 hours.
- February 20th, 2017: I received a request to assist Vermont State Police in intercepting a vehicle that was reported traveling south bound in the north bound lane of Interstate 89. Trooper Howard was able to intercept the vehicle on French Hill and bring it to a stop. I arrived on scene shortly thereafter to block the vehicle in so it could not continue. The female operator was ultimately taken into custody and charged with Careless and Negligent Operation. I remained on scene while Anytime Towing removed the vehicle from the roadway.
- February 22nd, 2017: Officer Hamlin stopped a vehicle on the Bolton Valley Access Road for an expired inspection sticker while working a Governor's Highway Safety Detail. Upon making contact with the occupants, he detected an odor of marijuana as well as intoxicants. The male passenger surrendered a pipe and a small amount of marijuana concealed in his backpack. Consent was granted to search the vehicle. Officer Hamlin additionally located 2 open Budweiser containers within the vehicle. Related violations were issued to the parties before being released.
- February 22nd, 2017: I conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle in the parking lot of the Mobil on West Main Street for defective equipment and failure to maintain lane. Upon speaking with the

operator I detected an odor of marijuana coming from the interior of the vehicle. Consent was granted to search the vehicle. A small amount of marijuana and several pieces of marijuana were located in the vehicle and seized. Additionally an open container was located under items on the passenger seat. Related violations were issued to the operator prior to his release.

- February 22nd, 2017: I received a report of an assault that had taken place on Kenyon Road earlier in the evening. The complainant advised while traveling north on Kenyon Road, a vehicle traveling in the opposite direction blocked the roadway with his vehicle not allowing him to pass. A male exited the vehicle and approached the driver's side of his vehicle. The two engaged in a verbal altercation which led the male to pull a knife, place it against the complainant's throat and begin threatening him. The complainant sustained a minor laceration to his neck during the altercation prior to fleeing the area in his vehicle. The complainant identified the male who was later located at a residence in Hinesburg. Accompanied by Sgt. Casco of Hinesburg Police Department, Officer Hamlin and I took the male into custody and brought him back to Richmond Police Department for processing. The male was under the supervision of the Department of Corrections in Addison County as a result of a similar incident that had taken place in June of 2016. The male was charged with Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon. He was ordered held on \$25,000 bail and transported to the Chittenden Regional Correctional Center where he was transferred into the custody of the Department of Corrections.
- February 27th, 2017: Corporal Lindemuth was conducting a directed patrol in the town of Huntington when he came upon a male who appeared to be retrieving pieces of his vehicle that were scattered across the recreational fields in Huntington Center. The recreational field had sustained significant damage to the turf where it appeared a vehicle had been doing "donuts". The male who was known to Cpl. Lindemuth through prior law enforcement contact denied causing the damage. The investigation is ongoing.
- February 27th, 2017: I received a request to assist Vermont State Police with a traffic stop on Interstate 89 south bound near mile marker 77. It was determined that one of the male occupants of the vehicle had an outstanding warrant out of Orange County for Failure to Appear. I assisted Trooper Brown in taking the male into custody. Due to none of the other vehicle occupants possessing a valid operator's license, I stood by with the vehicle until arrangements could be made for a licensed operator to arrive on scene to remove the vehicle and its occupants.

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