

The City of Lewes



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Police Department

SEPTEMBER Activity 2020

Calls for Service

Officers responded to **113** complaints in September.

Lewes Police responded to 4 calls to assist other agencies outside of our jurisdiction: 4 for DSP Troop 7.

- **Assist Other Agencies**

<u>Type of Complaint</u>	<u>Location of Assist</u>	<u>Time Assisted</u>
Robbery DSP	Five Points Lewes	30 minutes
Mental Patient DSP	17000 Block Cadbury Circle	2 hours
Accident DSP	Five Points Lewes	30 minutes
CPR DSP	36000 Block S Overfalls Dr	15 minutes

Criminal Arrest: 5 – adult subjects arrested for a total of 13 charges

1 – juvenile arrest with 1 charge

Miscellaneous Complaints (see attached)

- Theft complaints – 4
 - 2 – property
 - 1 – identity
 - 1 - Fraud

Traffic

- 7 – Accidents
 - 6 – Property Damage (Canal Front Parking Lot, E Savannah Rd & Anglers Rd, Cape Henlopen Dr & Ferry Terminal Rd, Front St, E Savannah Rd & Anglers Rd, and Kings Highway)
 - 1 – Personal Injury (E Savannah Rd & Cape Henlopen Dr)
- 87 – traffic violations
- 329 – traffic warnings

September Speed Enforcement Initiative – During the month of September 2020, members of the Lewes Police Department conducted nine (9) group Lidar/Radar speed enforcement efforts at the following locations:

- 1) New Road Corridor (3 times)
- 2) Cedar Avenue Corridor
- 3) Savannah Road in the area of Shields Elementary (5 times)

As a result of these efforts, a total of 2597 vehicles were measured for speed. Of that total, 300 vehicles were stopped for speeding resulting in 282 written warnings, 16 speeding tickets and 14 other tickets (license/registration/insurance violations).

In the interest of safety and coinciding with the start of the new school year, the department intensely focused on the Savannah Road corridor to remind motorists of the importance of our school zones.

Community Policing Efforts

Business/Property/Foot/Bike Patrols

- Business Check hours: 14 hours
- Business Checks: 255
- Property Check hours: 2
- Property Checks: 6
- Business Contact hours: 28.25 hours
- Business Contacts: 177
- Foot Patrol hours: 54 hours
- Foot Patrol: 101
- Bike Patrol hours: 1

Calls for Service by Incident Type – September 2020 Monthly	
CALLS	# of Incidents
911 Disconnect	3
Accident/Crashes	7
Alarm	14
Assault	1
Assist other Agency	19
Civil	1
Community Contact	1
Criminal Mischief	2
Disorderly Conduct	1
Domestic	3
DUI	1
Found/Lost Property	6
Local Fugitive	1
Marijuana - Civil	1
Noise	2
Non-Criminal	4
Offensive Touching	1
Open door/Property Check	4
Overdose	2
Parking Violation	3
Public Assist	9
Suspicious Person	2
Suspicious Vehicle	1
Theft	4
Traffic Service	1
Traffic Violation	1
Traffic Warning	2
Transport	2
Trespass	2
Welfare Check	12
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