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CCOP PATROL REPORT: FRIDAY 03/18/2016 Roving Foot Patrol (RFP) - 21:30-24:00

Report submitted 03/19/2016 by Chf. G. Carey

CONDITIONS:

The weather was clear with temperatures in the lower 50s. The crowd was small for a Friday night with open parking spaces in the Castro Theatre lot. There were several incidents that involved angry people this time, with no apparent interconnection This was Trainee Reiss' and McLaughlin's second patrol.

NOTABLE INCIDENTS

21:30 HRs Start of Patrol at 150 Eureka St

21:55 HRs 4096 18th St. Wellbeing Check (910): Well being check of WMA about 50 with short cropped hair sitting on sidewalk with belongings; denied offer of medical or shelter assistance with "hell no!" He was seen yelling to several other 915 types across the street. (We later encountered two SFPD officers on foot patrol and suggested they chat with this individual about this aggressive tone.)

- 21:58 HRs 497 Castro Street, Wellbeing Check (910): WMA asleep on sidewalk near Cliff's Variety. Offered medical or shelter. Declined assistance.
- 22:02 HRs Castro Theater parking lot, Trespass (601): 3 BFA; 1 WFA loitering near a car with his trunk open. They were notified of loitering ordinance; women at first told us they were not going to park there but were just transferring belongings into a different vehicle, but were then seen leaving the parking lot.
- 22:19 HRs: Eureka Valley Library, 1 Jose Sarria Ct, Wellbeing Check (910): Spoke to BMA who was sitting on the wall near the entrance, singing to himself, offering medical or shelter. He said he was self-contained and had a tent so did not need help. While talking with the first individual a second BMA who was sitting on the sidewalk next to the building got up and left the area before we could engage with him.
- 22:23 HRs: Department of Public Health Center, 3850 17th St. Light Out: Noted that
 the southern light on the side of the building is still not working. We have found that 311
 calls do not work to report issues on this building, and the lights on the building provide
 the only illumination to the southern section of Pond Street. Patroller We will follow up
 with the deputy sheriff at the building to get this corrected.
- 22:38 HRs: 3998 18th St. Wellbeing Check (910): Check conducted on person under blanket; person denied assistance.
- requested information regarding blankets. We told him where the closes Fire Department was and then gave the flyer from Homeless Connect that lists all of the free food and noncity shelters. He decided he wanted us to request the HOT van to take him to a shelter. As we were placing the call for service, he suddenly freaked out because one of the addresses for free food contained that address "666" and was the mark of the devil and he ran northbound. After he left, we spoke to a second BMA who was camped out in the hair salon doorway that is not posted with a MPC25 sign. He also refused service but did accept the flyer with the list of feeding locations and other services.
- 22:55 HRs 2300 Market Street, Loud Verbal Argument (418): 5 BFA with 1 WMA and 1 BMA in their mid 20s. As we crossed Market Street it appeared that a fight was escalating with one BFA being pushed by a second BFA against a utility pole shouting and arguing. When we arrived, their attention turned from the argument to us, with the explanation that the BFA being held was the sister of one of the other females and that she had too much to drink. Discussed with group need for assistance and call was placed to Special Patrol Police. We explained that the police were on their way, and the argument ceased and the group proceeded up 16th Street, presumably to their vehicle, so we cancelled the PSP call.
- 23:08 HRs 2306 Market at Wells Fargo ATM, Trespass (601): BMA outside of ATM sleeping in the corner of the ATM lobby area. We explained that it is illegal to be within 15 feet of an ATM. He claimed he did not know that. We performed well being check; male denied assistance. We waited for BMA to pack up his belongings to vacate premises. We recognized him as the OCD person who frequents the area moving garbage containers around.
- 23:20 HRs: Castro MUNI station North escalator, Loitering: HMA was charging phone at utility cabinet near bottom of escalator; spoke to HMA, explaining that was not allowed. We notified the Muni booth agent (Greg); HMA vacated premises. The agent commented that Muni needs to install a more substantial lock on the cabinet, as this is a frequent infraction.

- 23:23 HRs: South plaza of Harvey Milk Plaza Castro MUNI station, Trespass (601): Person(s) sleeping under blanket behind the large pillar under Harvey Milk Plaza
 walkway. We have repeatedly encountered the same person sleeping there for months,
 and have had little effect. We notified Special Patrol Police who said they would deal with
 it after the bars closed.
- 23:24 HRs: Harvey Milk Plaza, Smoking: 2 HMA / 1 HFA smoking outside Soul Cycle; persons notified of no smoking ordinances; stopped smoking.
- 23:25 HRs: Harvey Milk Plaza: skateboarder on sidewalk: Young WMA came rapidly skating on the upper level of the plaza. We notified him of no skateboarding; WMA ceased skating.
- 23:42 HRs: 461 Castro St., Intoxicated Males (811) and Threatening response (650): WMA and HMA were walking northbound on Castro Street in front of Cliff's Variety. The HMA was not commutative and barely able to walk even with the WMA assistance. The WMA became very belligerent and inebriated with collapsing inebriated HMA. We asked if his companion needed help. They stopped at Castro, but it was unclear whether that was their intended destination or whether they were waiting for the HMA to vomit before moving on. We asked whether they lived there and the WMA refused to answer and continued to aggressively engage with patrol The HMA eventually opened the front gate. The HMA partially fell down the concrete stairs while inside gated area but before reaching the door. Special Patrol had been called and Ricky arrived just after the pair had gotten inside the door.
- 23:51 HRs: Walgreens Parking Lot 18th St, Loitering in Parking Lot (601): Cadillac license check in with driver regarding loitering; driver said there was a loud argument coming from the red car in the northeast corner of the lot left parking lot. He then left the lot.
- 23:51 HRs: Walgreens Parking Lot 18th St, Trespass (601) and Threatening behavior (650): Red Hyundai with yellow dealer DGDG plate. WMA loitering in car. SrPIr Wong discussed loitering ordinance. WMA (long grey sleeved sweater with blue jeans) became very angry. Chf Carey tried to further reason with him, but he became even more belligerent about constitutional rights and not needing to follow any city rules, etc. Patrol Special Police were notified. WMA attempted to lock his car with an adult male still inside the car after WMA and AMA had angry discussion. The WMA walked across the street to Badlands and was met by both PSP officers Ricky and John where he continued to rant. AMA later exited the car and was joined by another HMA. Castro Patrol spoke to the two AMA re: well being of WMA; denied assistance.
- 00:03 HRs: Post Office 18th St Station, Wellbeing Check (910): Older BMA was asleep next to the newspaper stand. We offered medical or shelter and services were declined.

00:08 Hrs: End of Patrol

Passing Calls:

Badlands, 440 Bar, Q-Bar, 17th Street Deli, Beaux, The Café, 7/11 Store, Dapper Dog, The Mix, KD Liquors, Brewcade, Muni Station Agent, Duboce Triangle