BARTOW POLICE DEPARTMENT

November 2021

Bryan S. Dorman
Chief of Police

Monthly Activity Report

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DELTA SQUAD/Sergeant John Zorn
1830-0630 NIGHT SHIFT

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:
Officers completed their monthly Police One and Police Law Training.
K-9 Officer Gonzalez conducted K-9 Training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:
- ***SMITH, KENNY:*** *Petit theft, Possession of Meth, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.*
- ***THOMAS, ERIC:*** *Battery on Commitment Facility Staff.*
- ***WILLIAMS, Cornelius:*** *Threats Toward Public Servant and Assault on a Law Enforcement Officer.*
- **MEJIA, BRISNETH**: Felony Driving While License is Suspended or Revoked.

COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:

Delta Squad was responsible for 14 arrests and issued 37 traffic citations this month.

Officers continued heavy patrols and focused on business and residential checks throughout the night.

ALPHA SQUAD / Sergeant David Bilbrey
0630-1830 DAY SHIFT

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:
Squad members completed required monthly online training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:
- **SUMRALL,TAUREAN SHUNDRA**: Officers Charette and Morales were assisting a sleeping motorist at the intersection of Van Fleet/Broadway Ave. when they were alerted that the driver possessed a suspended license. The driver quickly fled on foot and officers engaged in a foot pursuit. The driver was apprehended in front of Beall's Outlet. The taser was deployed by Officer Ledford. A book bag recovered from the scene contained 75 grams of cannabis, scales, baggies, cash, and a loaded 9mm semi automatic magazine. The vehicle was inventoried prior to towing and the search revealed a 9mm pistol in the glove compartment which matched the magazine found in the backpack. After being medically cleared, the suspect was charged accordingly then delivered to the county jail.
- **JONES, CHRISTOBAL Tyrone, Jr.** A Polk County warrant was issued on 11/08/2021 for the following: Aggravated assault with a Deadly Weapon without the intent to Kill (reference Polk County SO warrant case #0079630 for further information).
- Officer Dallas Haynie investigated a fraud case, and after some excellent police work, Officer Haynie was able to recover the victim's $11,000. Great work Officer Haynie!

COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:
Alpha Squad made 12 arrests and issued 18 traffic citations for the month of Nov.

On Nov. 18th Sgt. Bilbrey conducted a K-9 demonstration for students at Floral Avenue Elementary for The Great American Teach-In. Sgt. Bilbrey allowed all the students to pet K-9 Brody at the conclusion of the event.

BRAVO SQUAD / Sergeant John McKee
0630-1830 DAY SHIFT

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:
Officers Anderson and Agostino attended Crisis Intervention Team Training. Sgt. McKee attended FBI-LEEDA Executive Leadership Institute Training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:
- **HILL, TONYA**: Warrant Arrest other Jurisdiction.
- **WILLIAMS, Jeffery**: Warrant Arrest Other Jurisdiction.
- **LOVE, Kennon**: Aggravated Assault & Disorderly Conduct.
- **GONZALEZ, Juan**: Warrant Arrest Other Jurisdiction.

OTHER ACTIVITY/INFORMATION
Bravo Squad members made a total of 15 arrests and issued 51 citations.

CHARLIE SQUAD / Sergeant Ken Fender
1830-0630 NIGHT SHIFT

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:
Officers completed Police Law and Police One Training.
Officers completed Active Shooter Training

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:
- **JIMENEZ, JUAN**: Driving While License is Suspended Habitual Traffic Offender
- **WOLF, DAVINA**: Warrant from Hillsborough County for Violation of Probation and Trafficking in Stolen Property.
- **JOHNSON, SHELDON**: Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon and Resisting/Obstructing an Officer.

OTHER ACTIVITY/COMMUNITY SERVICE
Officers focused on business and residential checks during the night, and conducted heavy patrol in several auto dealerships due to catalytic converter thefts. Heavy patrol was conducted in the area of 1350 E. Main St, US 17 and MLK Blvd for noise violations.

DETECTIVE / INVESTIGATIONS
CSI / EVIDENCE SECTION
Sergeant William Stevens

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:
Detectives completed monthly online training.
Det. Lewis completed a Drone Familiarization Course.
All detectives participated in Active Shooter Training.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- *ALLDAY, Taaka: Driving While License is Suspended or Revoked, Possession of Methamphetamine.*
- *JONES, Christobol: Aggravated Assault.*

OTHER ACTIVITY/COMMUNITY SERVICE:
Sgt. Stevens and Capt. Diaz are attending Rotary Club Meetings each week.
The Crime Scene Technicians assisted CST in decorating the dept. building inside and outside for Christmas.

Community Services Team C.S.T.

Sergeant Luke Hauser
CST Supervisor

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:
Members of CST completed Online Training this month.

SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:
PEED, Kristyne: Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.
PAUL, Michelle: Trafficking in Meth., Possession of a vehicle to Traffic Drugs, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Possession of Meth within 1000 feet of a school.
MORALES, Jovany: Possession of Meth. and Drug Paraphernalia.
DEBOARD, Victoria: Possession of Meth. and Drug Paraphernalia.
HALL, Dwayne: Possession of Meth. and Drug Paraphernalia.

CST made a total of 7 arrests and issued 8 citations.

COMMUNITY EVENTS/PROGRAMS:

- CST Coordinator Lyn Bryan completed the Oct. Monthly Report and posted it on the city's Police website.
- The Monthly Chief's Chat was held at Unfiltered on Nov. 2 at 7:30 AM.
- Wed. Nov. 10th, CST coordinated a swearing in ceremony for newly appointed Chief Dorman. The event was held at City Hall.
- Nov. 17th CST Lyn Bryan, Capt. Michelle Smith and Capt. Lauro Diaz along with other city employees Pamela Sams and Carol Ann Hunt attended a Job/Career Fair hosted by CareerSource and Polk Vision and Central Florida Development Council. The event was held at Winter Haven Chain of Lakes Facility.
- Nov. 18th CST Sgt. Luke Hauser, Training Coordinator Linda Waligorski, and Crime Scene Tech attended a Career/Job Fair held at Webber International University.
- Nov. 18th was the Great American Teach-in and several officers participated in this annual event. CST Nick Donnelly spoke to the students at Spessard Holland Elementary School.
- Nov. 20th, Officers Zach Williams and Sadel Joseph and several members of the Bartow Fire Dept. assisted the Church Service Center distributing Thanksgiving dinners and turkeys.
- Monday, Nov. 20th Officer Donnelly assisted the Church Service Center in the Thanksgiving Dinner/turkey give aways.
- On Sat. Nov. 26th an organized search party was assembled and about to embark on a search for a missing Autistic Child when suddenly, the child was discovered in Lakeland.

Bartow Police Volunteer Hours

NOVEMBER 2021		2021 TOTAL
C.O.P. Volunteers	16.50	118.50
Reserve Officers	13.00	161.00
Other Volunteers	5.50	160.75
TOTAL	35.00	440.25

Swearing-In New Chief of Police Bryan Dorman

The appointment of new Bartow Police Chief, Bryan S. Dorman, was made official on Nov. 10th with a swearing-in ceremony held at Bartow City Hall. The Oath of Office was administered by Mayor Scott Sjoblom after a moving opening prayer by Mr. Carver Young.

City Manager George Long expressed his support of the new Chief of Police and wished him well in his new appointment.

Chief Dorman began his career with the Bartow Police Department in 1998 as a 20-year-old young man.

Bartow Police Chaplain, Bishop Herman Music, also a former Bartow Police Officer, closed the ceremony with humorous stories of the past with Chief Dorman as his FTO and then benediction closing prayer.

Honoring Bartow Police Members on Veterans Day - Nov. 11, 2021

Young 6-year old Dressed as a Police Officer on Senior Night

Colton, the young man pictured with School Resource Officer Guzman and Capt. Michelle Smith, was proud to wear his police uniform and was delighted to meet a couple of fellow officers.

Colton attended the Senior Night Football game on Nov. 5th dressed in his uniform in order to escort his sister across the field.

Bartow Police Officers Begin Drone Training Classes

Bartow Police Department Officer Mark Sills, and Det. Evan Lewis began a series of trainings required to operate drones. The Bartow Police Department will purchase a drone in early 2022.

The drone will enhance many of the services provided by the Bartow Police Department, including: Search and Rescue, Chasing Suspects, Mapping the City, Crime Scene Investigation, Traffic Management & Flow, Large Event Management, and Disaster Relief.

Officer Mark Sills

Det. Evan Lewis

Job/Career Fairs

The Bartow Police Department participated in two Job/Career Fairs this month. The 2021 Veterans and Community Job Fair was held on Wednesday, Nov. 17, 2021 and hosted by CareerSource Polk, Polk Vision and Central Florida Development Council.

A second job fair was held on Thursday, Nov. 18, 2021 at Webber International University in Babson Park.

Career Fair at Webber International University with Sgt. Hauser and Crime Scene Tech Savannah Puls

Nov. 17th Job Fair-Captains Smith and Diaz with Carol Ann Hunt and Pamela Sams

Active Shooter Training

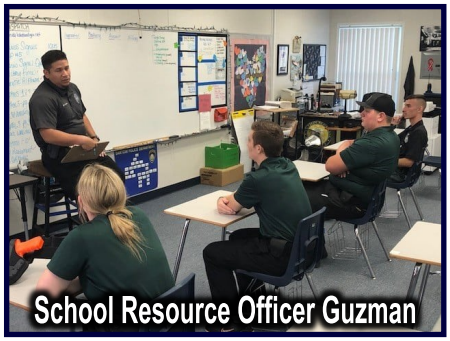
This month the Bartow Police Department partnered with the Bartow Fire Department to provide a portion of the Active Shooter Training.

All sworn members participated in the all-day training.

Bartow Police Explorers Participate in Competition

The Bartow Police Explorers participated in Bartow High School's Criminal Justice, Fire and Medical Academies during the Regional FPSA (Florida Public Service Association) Competition held at Bartow High School earlier this month.

The Central Region FPSA Competition includes several events such as: Obstacle Course, Use of Force, Traffic Stops, Defensive Tactics, Bunker Gear Race, Physical Agility, Firefighting Skills, Referral Writing, 911 Exam, Public Information Officer and more.



School Resource Officer Guzman

We are very proud of the Bartow Police Explorers who participated in the events. Matt, who entered the competition impromptu, placed 4th overall in Traffic Stops and Obstacle Course.

Marin was terrific as a "driver" as she was subjected to multiple traffic stops. Leah did a great job manning the obstacle course and fingerprinting. Jaden and Ben worked very hard supporting the Fire Cadets in the Blackout Search and Rescue. Thank you to SRO Guzman who participated as a Guest Judge.

Senior Marin Waligorski

The Bartow Police Explorer Program is open to young people aged 14-21, and is supervised by Reserve Officer Mike Butler and Captain Michelle Smith.

Bartow Officers Compete for a Spot on the Newly Created Tactical Team

This month tryouts for a newly created Tactical Team began with the physical agility portion.

In the Physical Agility portion, applicants were required to complete an obstacle course within a specific time frame. Bartow Firefighters were on standby for anyone requiring medical assistance.

In addition to the Physical Agility portion, the selection process also includes oral interviews, and those will take place in December.

The Tactical Team will be under the direction of Captain Diaz and Sgt. Hauser.

Feed Tampa Bay Provides Thanksgiving Turkeys to Bartow Residents With Help From Volunteers

Firefighters Morgan Clyatt, Brandon Peeler and with the million dollar smile, Police Officer Sidel Joseph

On Nov. 20th and again on the 22nd, Police Officers from the Bartow Police Department and Firefighters with the Bartow Fire Department assisted *Feed Tampa Bay* by helping other volunteers distributing Thanksgiving Turkeys.

Police Officer Zach Williams

Search Party Gathers at Spessard Holland Elementary School

Thank you all for helping find this child and bring him safely home!

On Friday Nov. 27, one day after a child with Autism was reported missing and endangered, a public request was made on social media outlets, seeking volunteers to help search for the missing child.

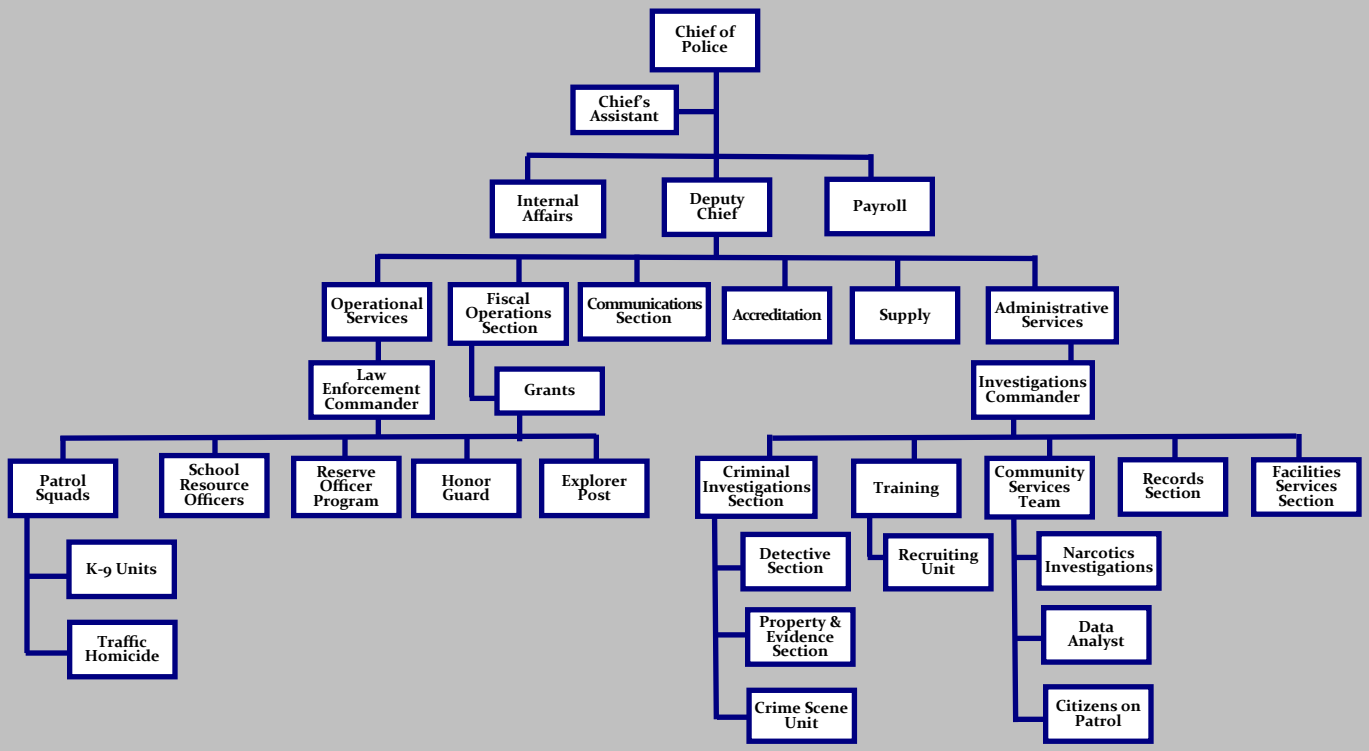
Several citizens, police volunteers, reserve officers answered the call to come out and help. Hundreds of followers on Facebook shared the post regarding the missing child.

Fortunately, just before the search was to begin, the child was located and returned to his parents.

We are so appreciative to all the citizens who came out to search and for those who shared our social media posts.

Administrative Section

Organizational Chart



POLICE OFFICER

V. Agostino
A. Belony
B. Cerezo
J. Charette
S. Fernandez
D. Haynie
E. Holland
S. Joseph
A. Ledford
J. March
D. Morales
E. Pinckney
A. Roque
J. Sellers
M. Sills
A. Valerio
Z. Williams

SERGEANT

L. Hauser
J. McKee
K. Fender
J. Zorn
W. Stevens
R. Tagliarini

DETECTIVE

T. Strickland
E. Lewis
A. White
B. Riley

COMMUNITY SERVICES

L. Bryan
N. Donnelly
R. Driesler
S. Fernandez

TRAINING

L. Waligorski

PUBLIC SAFETY AIDE

T. Pride
S. Bryan

K9 OFFICER

A. Anderson/Falco
D. Bilbrey/Brody
A. Gonzalez/Rico

CRIME SCENE

S. Puls
K. Gadd

SUPPORT STAFF

S. Orem
K. Jones
N. Renteria
G. Jones

COMMUNICATIONS

S. Dolphy
M. Johnting
A. Jones
D. Matheny
J. Modzelewski
R. Prine
L. Tomlinson
K. Trowell
J. Casselman

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER

A. Guzman
J. Sidler
J. Franchetti
H. Manrow
D. Schussler

RECORDS

M. Jordan
C. Albright

ADMINISTRATION

B. Dorman
M. Smith
L. Diaz

MAINTENANCE

(open position)

Personnel and Training

NON-SWORN OPENINGS	**4**
♦ Dispatch	2
♦ Support Staff	2

SWORN OPENINGS	**3**
♦ Deputy Chief	1
♦ Police Officers	2

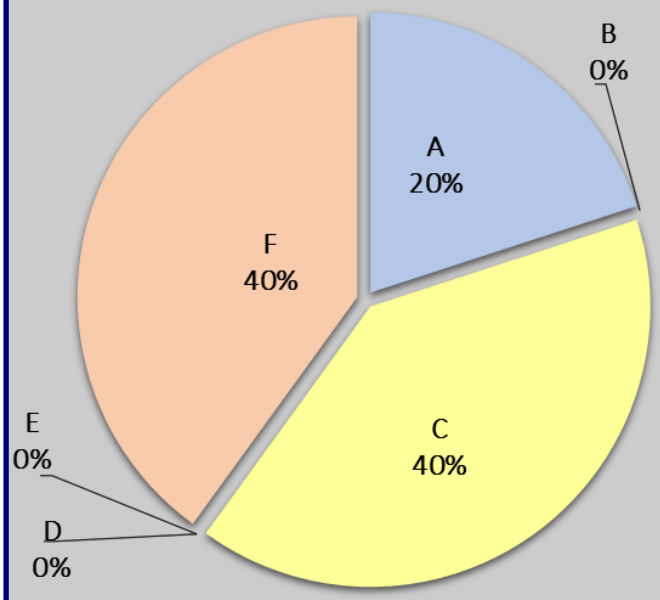
Total Non-Sworn Staff	21
Total Sworn Staff	40
TOTAL POLICE DEPT. STAFF	**61**

RACE	DEPARTMENT TOTAL		SWORN		NON-SWORN		SUPERVISION BY RACE	
White	45	74%	27	66%	18	86%	9	90%
Hispanic	9	15%	9	24%	0	0	1	10%
Black	6	10%	4	10%	2	9%	0	
Pacific Islander	1	2%	0		1	5%	0	
TOTAL	**61**		**40**		**21**		**10**	

GENDER	DEPARTMENT TOTAL		SWORN		NON-SWORN		SUPERVISION BY GENDER	
Male	34	56%	34	85%	0	0%	8	80%
Female	27	44%	6	15%	21		2	20%
Total	**61**	**100%**	**41**	**100%**	**21**	**100%**	**10**	**100%**

NOVEMBER 2021 PROPERTY CRIME STATISTICS

Zones/Beats A-F Nov. 2021



Property Crime Type	NOV.	2021 total
Residence: *Home/Apartment/shed*	2	36
Conveyance: *Vehicle/Truck bed/Boat*	3	72
Business: *Commercial business/School/Church*	1	11
TOTAL	5	119

PROPERTY CRIMES BY BEAT / ZONE		
BEAT	NOVEMBER 2021	
26A	1	20%
26B	0	0
26C	2	40%
26D	0	0
26E	0	0
26F	2	40%
TOTAL	5	

** To see what zone/beat you live or work in, see page 12 of this report.*

PROPERTY CRIMES 2021 - 2017	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
JAN	7	16	10	18	27
FEB	14	14	19	11	15
MAR	8	16	8	35	15
APR	9	7	9	20	16
MAY	11	4	12	24	16
JUNE	10	13	11	7	24
JULY	7	9	20	26	20
AUG	12	16	21	24	39
SEPT	10	11	24	28	19
OCT	26	12	29	32	19
NOV	5	11	33	34	15
DEC					
TOTAL	119	129	196	259	225

Property Crimes were down 81% in Nov. from last month, and NO property crimes were reported in Beats B, D and E.

Burglaries to vehicles were down by 91%.

Despite the low number of property crimes this month, 60% of those were to unsecured Cars, homes or sheds

60% of all the burglaries this month were of items were NOT locked up and secure.

So far in 2021 the following firearms have been stolen from *unlocked cars*:

- One (1) AR-15 Rifle
- One (1) Taurus 9mm Semi Automatic
- One (1) Smith & Wesson .38 revolver
- Two (2) Glock 9mm Semi Automatic
- 15 rounds of Glock 9mm ammunition
- Two (2) Glock magazines w/ammo

Each night at 9:00 PM check vehicles to make sure they are locked, and REMOVE firearms and secure them away from children

#9PMROUTINE

Patrol Statistics

Response Time	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Emergency	2:51	4:31	2:51
Non-Emergency	5:26	5:26	5:22

Calls for Service/ Police Incidents	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Total Calls for Service	1904	1510	1573

Police Reports and Arrests	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Police Reports	364	276	297
Total Arrests	80	47	51

Collisions & DUI Arrests	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Fatal	0	0	1
Serious Bodily Injury	0	1	2
DUI Arrest	2	3	3

TOTAL COLLISIONS	2020	2021
	539	561

Parking Citations	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Total Issued	25	42	7

Patrol Case Clearance	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Property/Persons Crimes Total	99	94	89
Property/Persons Crimes Total Cleared	68	69	62
Clearance Rate	69%	73%	70%

Citation Statistics

CITATIONS BY DAY OF THE WEEK								
	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thru	Fri	Sat	Total
Jan	44	38	27	46	28	29	33	245
Feb	22	19	8	24	30	46	15	164
Mar	40	44	68	34	26	24	62	298
Apr	34	36	39	32	57	48	34	280
May	36	34	25	42	25	34	51	247
June	59	39	59	47	27	16	45	292
July	33	30	52	44	40	60	57	316
Aug	71	72	72	72	72	72	71	502
Sept	43	47	34	40	45	42	46	297
Oct	47	43	39	37	33	56	53	308
Nov	33	38	31	44	24	231	23	214
Dec								
TOTAL	462	440	454	462	407	448	490	3163

COMMONLY ISSUED CITATIONS							
	Fail to Obey Traffic Control Device	Unlawful Speed	Careless Driving	Seat Belt	Parking Violation	Handicap Parking Violation	Total
Jan	58	14	13	3	0	1	89
Feb	30	10	22	2	2	0	66
Mar	46	22	23	4	30	4	129
Apr	32	29	33	8	0	0	102
May	44	19	14	6	6	0	89
June	43	35	1	8	19	4	110
July	37	28	22	`10	1	2	100
Aug	59	55	25	4	16	0	159
Sept	34	44	17	6	1	0	102
Oct	35	30	19	2	1	1	88
Nov	9	16	10	4	1	4	44
Dec							
TOTAL	427	302	199	57	77	16	1078

CITATIONS BY ZONE / BEAT 26A - 26F								
	26A	26B	26C	26D	26E	26F	OTHER	Total
Jan	25	13	23	50	11	120	3	242
Feb	22	7	8	29	10	87	1	163
Mar	20	50	18	49	17	134	10	288
Apr	36	22	35	52	14	113	8	272
May	34	14	36	53	15	89	6	241
June	20	39	11	83	12	109	18	292
July	22	31	30	17	74	23	119	316
Aug	68	73	56	109	35	161	0	502
Sept	42	20	25	69	21	101	119	316
Oct	25	45	35	56	20	121	6	308
Nov	21	12	32	52	20	77	0	214
Dec								
TOTAL	335	326	309	619	249	1135	190	3163

** See Bartow Beat/Zone Map on the last page of this report.*

Investigations Statistics

Property Crimes	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Burglary	27	11	2
Theft	16	17	15
Motor Vehicle Theft	1	3	1
Arson	0	0	0
Total Property Crimes	**44**	**31**	**18**

Persons Crimes	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Homicide	0	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	1	0
Robbery	0	2	1
Aggravated Assault	2	2	5
Total Persons Crimes	**2**	**5**	**6**

Other Crimes	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2020	NOVEMBER 2021
Other Assault	0	1	15
Drugs/ Narcotics	15	7	8
Financial Crimes	1	0	3
Weapons Possession	0	0	2
Total Crimes	**16**	**8**	**28**

City of Bartow Zones 26A - 26F

26A North of West Main St. (Hwy 60) to Van Fleet, West of Van Fleet to Broadway Ave. (Hwy 98)

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Polk St. Center, Gause Academy, Manor at West Bartow
- Stephens & Spessard Holland Elementary Schools
- Wind Meadows, Highland Lakes Estates, Richland Manor
- Saddlewood, Magnolia Walk, Griffins Green & Landing
- Holiday Inn Express Portions of Lyle Pkwy/EF Griffin Rds.

26B South of West Main St. West of Broadway Ave-mostly residential

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Square Lake Estates, Wildwood Cemetery
- Floral Ave. Elem., First Methodist School
- 555 Ballpark Facilities, Bartow Chevrolet,
- Thunder Chrysler Dodge, Laurel Meadows & the Villages
- Civic Center, Library, Polk School Bd Offices, Mosaic Pk
- Floral Lakes Mobile Home Community

26C South of Main St. East of Broadway Ave, West of Hwy 17-mostly residential

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Bartow Elementary Academy, Post Office
- Bartow Middle/High Schools, Mary Holland & Nye Jordan Pks
- Oak Hammock Mobile Home Pk
- Church Service Center
- Family Dollar Store

26D East of Hwy 98, North of Van Fleet Dr. and Hwy 60 Bypass-primarily a business district

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

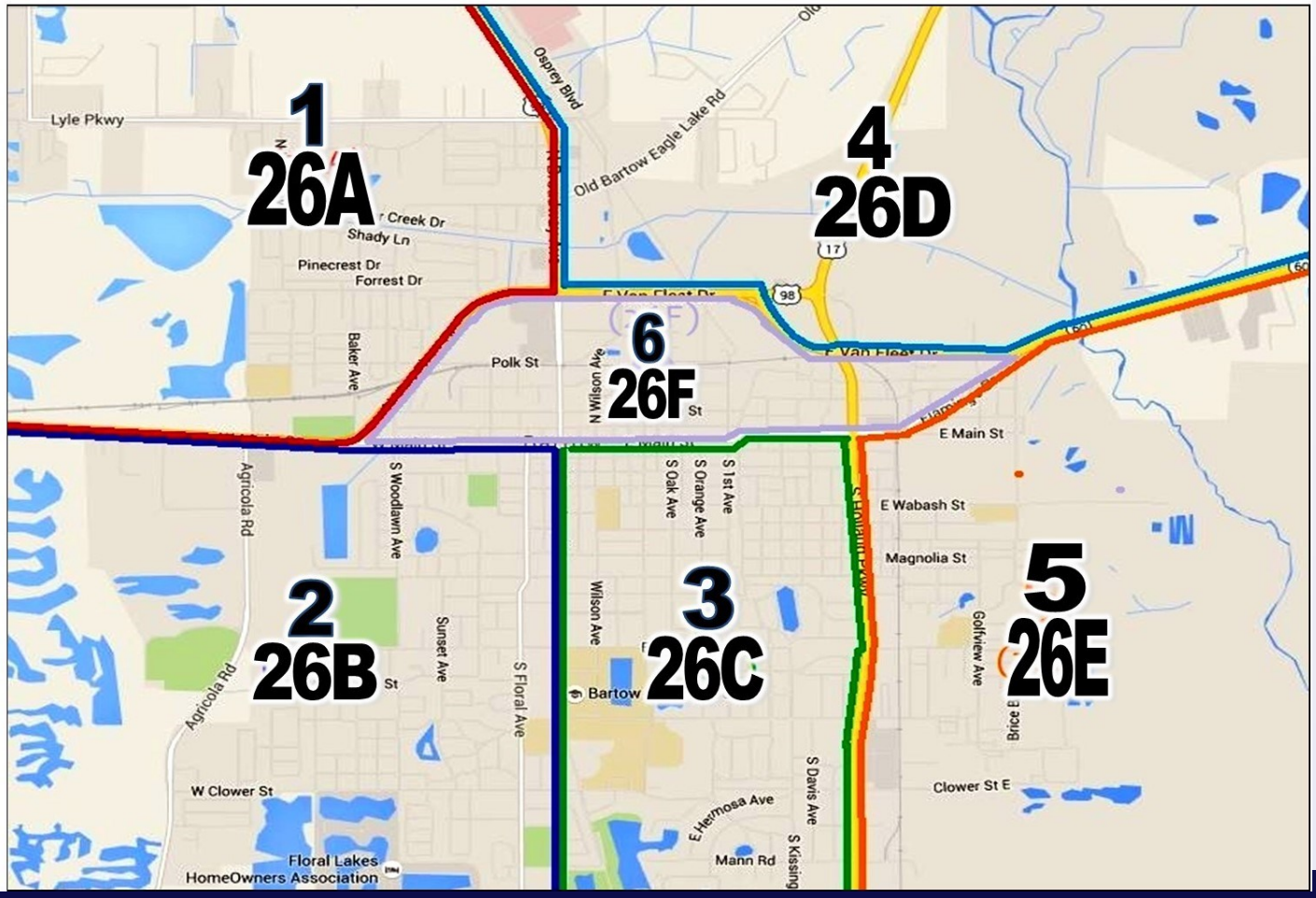
- Bartow Ford & Ernest Smith Blvd, Racetrack, Ruby Tuesdays
- Old Bartow Eagle Lake Rd, The Meetinghouse
- James Pointe, Taylor Brooke Subdivisions
- Fountain Place Apt, Badcock, Tractor Supply, Aldi
- Walmart, Bear Creek Apts. The Hampton Inn

26E East of Hwy 17, South of East Main St and Flamingo-mixture of businesses and residential

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Azalea Gardens, Carver Village, Union Academy, Golf Course
- Savannah Court, Rohr Home, Bartow Center
- Jail Annex Facilities, Polk Health Dept, Peace River CSU
- County Extension Office/Livestock Pavilion
- Peace River Citrus Plant, George Harris Youth Center

26F North of Main St. (Hwy 60) to Van Fleet Drive (Hwy 60 Bypass)-center of town

NOTABLE LOCATIONS:

- Historical Courthouse, Polk Co. Courthouse, PCBC Offices
- Historical Church St, Summerlin Oaks Apts.
- Publix Shopping Center, Lowes, PCSO Book-In/Jail Intake
- Bartow City Hall, DOT Offices, Tax Collector
- Women's Care Center,