

# BARTOW POLICE DEPARTMENT

*February 2022*



**Bryan S. Dorman**  
**Chief of Police**

## Monthly Activity Report

*Prepared by: Lyn Bryan, CST*



## 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

- ♦ **CAMP, Elbert III:** Poss. Meth, Poss. Firearm by Convicted Felon, Poss. Ammunition of Felon, Poss. Short-Barreled Shotgun
- ♦ **COLCHADO, Ruby:** Poss. Alprazolam
- ♦ **ARROYO, Alyssa:** Poss. Meth
- ♦ **THOMPSON, Tydarion:** Poss. Alprazolam
- ♦ **TEXERIA, Richard:** Driving While License Suspended Revoked Permanently
- ♦ **GARCIA, Francisco:** Poss Cocaine
- ♦ **BARNHART, Gabriel:** Carry Concealed Firearm
- ♦ **DUMIRE, Brandon:** Written Threat to Kill
- ♦ **ENGLE, Tyler:** Agg Assault Deadly Weapon w/o Intent
- ♦ **CALDWELL, Michael:** Poss. Meth
- ♦ **CREWS, Cassie:** Domestic Violence, Agg Assault w/o Intent

### COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:

Delta Squad was responsible for 23 arrests and issued 54 traffic citations this month.

K-9 Officer Gonzalez deployed Rico 10-times which lead to a total of three (3) arrests.

Officer Morales completed his one year probation period.



Newest Members Officer Saint Juste and Officer Paul

## ALPHA SQUAD / Sergeant David Bilbrey 0630-1830 DAY SHIFT

### EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Squad members completed required monthly online training.

### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ **Battery on a Law Enforcement Officer:** Officers responded to locate an escapee from CSU. The Subject was located at Georgia/Golfview and officers attempted to make contact. During the incident the subject became combative with the officer on scene and pushed the officer in the chest. The subject then attempted to flee and continued to be combative and ultimately struck officer about the face. Taser was deployed twice without effect. Eventually the subject was taken into custody and charged accordingly.

### COMMUNITY SERVICE/OTHER:

Alpha Squad made 9 arrests and issued 31 traffic citations for the month of February.

On Friday, Feb. 10th K-9 Sgt. David Bilbrey presented a demonstration with his K9 Partner Brody at the monthly Kiwanis Club Meeting. The demonstration displayed the highest level of excellence set by a Bartow Police K-9 Team.



## BRAVO SQUAD / Sergeant John McKee 0630-1830 DAY SHIFT

### NEW MEMBERS:

Officer Saint Juste has been assigned to Bravo Squad for his First Phase of training.

### EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Officer Joseph completed the Narcotics and Other Dangerous Drugs Course.

### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ **HARTSOUGH, Jason:** Battery on a Law Enforcement Officer.

### OTHER ACTIVITY/INFORMATION:

Bravo Squad issued 33 citations during the month of February and made 12 arrests.

Officer Jordan March was promoted to the rank of Corporal and has been assigned to Bravo Squad.

## CHARLIE SQUAD / Sergeant Ken Fender 1830-0630 NIGHT SHIFT

### EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Corporal J. March is currently in supervisor training.  
Officers completed Police Law and Police One training.

### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

**BURCH, Kevious:** Felony Criminal Mischief.

**MCKINZIE, Darrel:** Trespassing, Possession of Meth and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

Charlie Squad members made 20 arrests and issued 60 citations this month.

### OTHER ACTIVITY/COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Officers conducted heavy patrols in the area of auto dealerships for catalytic converter thefts, the area of 1350 E Main St. and US 17 and MLK Blvd for noise violations.



## DETECTIVE INVESTIGATIONS CSI / EVIDENCE SECTION



**Captain William Stevens**

### EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Detectives completed monthly online training.

Det. Riley and Det. Lewis attended the 1st Phase of HERO Interview Training.

### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

- ♦ **ANDREWS, Jeffery:** Sexual Battery
- ♦ **Juvenile:** An arrest warrant issued for a Juvenile for Discharge of Firearm, Aggravated Assault w/Deadly Weapon and related charges.

### OTHER ACTIVITY / COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Deputy Chief Diaz and Captain William Stevens are active members of Rotary Club. They hosted a Rotary Picnic this month.

Crime Scene Technicians participated in several community service activities this month, including the L.B. Brown Festival held on Feb. 12-13, the SyFy Friday-fest held on Feb. 18 in downtown Bartow, and they presented a Crime Scene Program for Kiwanis Club on Feb. 22.

Crime Scene and Detectives have been participating in the Intern Program. The three young college seniors from Webber International University have been working in a wide variety of law enforcement capacities appropriate to their criminal justice studies.

# Community Services Team C.S.T.

## Sergeant Luke Hauser CST Supervisor

### EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

Members of CST completed Online Training this month.

Sgt. Hauser completed CVSA Operator Training at Volusia County Sheriff's Office.

Detective Fernandez completed Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs at the Polk State College.

### SIGNIFICANT ARRESTS:

**CARUTHERS, Carla:** Possession of Meth, Alprazolam and Drug Paraphernalia.

**STRICKLAND, Dean:** Possession of Meth, and Drug Paraphernalia.

**WOESSNER:** Possession of Meth and Drug Paraphernalia.

**WATSON, Cheryl:** Possession of Meth, and Drug Paraphernalia.

**JONES, Britney:** Possession of Meth, Alprazolam and Drug Paraphernalia.

CST was responsible for 8 arrests this month and issued 14 citations.

### COMMUNITY EVENTS/PROGRAMS:

- CST Coordinator Lyn Bryan completed the January Monthly Report and posted the report and the monthly Crime Statistics to the Police Dept. website.
- Officer Donnelly participated in the LB Brown Festival on Feb. 5-6 and the Annual SyFy Event Feb. 18-19
- The Monthly Chief's Chat for Feb. was canceled due to Covid concerns.
- CST Technicians Christina Gadd and Savannah Puls presented to the Kiwanis Club.
- CST members Sgt. Hauser, Officer Luke Donnelly and Lyn Bryan presented at a Kiwanis Club meeting on Friday, Feb 25th.

### Bartow Police Volunteer Hours

FEBRUARY 2022		TOTAL TO DATE
C.O.P. Volunteers	21.00	21.00
Reserve Officers	24.00	44.50
Other Volunteers	3.50	3.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>49.50</b>	<b>69.00</b>



**Chief Bryan Dorman, Kristina Gadd, Savannah Puls, and Kiwanis President Chelsea Young**



# L. B. Brown House Festival

## Feb. 4-6, 2022



1. Officer Joseph, relaxing on the porch.
2. Officer Belony, Intern Cody Braden, Officer Anderson, CSI Savannah Puls, Officer Williams, Officer Joseph, Officer Donnelly, CSI Kristina Gadd.
3. CSI Kristina Gadd
4. The L.B. Brown House Museum.
5. Gwen Jones, with a Buffalo Soldier.





# Captain Michelle Smith and Deputy Chief Lauro Diaz in Leadership Class XIX.

Bartow Police Department's Captain Michelle Smith and Deputy Chief Lauro Diaz, who are part of the Bartow Chamber of Commerce's Leadership Class XIX, enjoyed a tour of the State Capitol as part of the Tallahassee tour.

The Chamber's Leadership Bartow program was established in 1984 to enhance the civic participation of emerging leaders within the greater Bartow area. Leadership Bartow selects the best and brightest individuals in the Bartow area to participate in the two-year program oriented to developing leadership skills and fostering understanding of the major issues facing the Bartow area.



## ANNUAL SYFY EVENT TAKES OVER THE TOWN

Bartow's Annual Syfy event held each year in February took place on Feb. 18-19, 2022. Bartow Police Members and the Interns participated in the kick-off event Friday from 5:00 PM- 9:00 PM and all day Saturday.







The Bartow Police Department held an Oath of Office Ceremony at City Hall Monday morning. Chief Bryan Dorman promoted five current members to new positions, and hired one new police officer. Bishop Herman Music, Bartow Police Chaplain, gave the opening prayer.

Mayor Steve Githens provided spirited opening remarks to the audience and thanked the members of the police department for their service.

The newest member of the City of Bartow PD family is Officer Yvens Saint Juste. Officer Saint Juste is from Bradenton, and he attended the Miami Dade College School of Justice. This is his first law enforcement job. Welcome to Bartow Officer Saint Juste!



Officer Yvens Saint Juste



Corporal Vincent Agostino

Four current members of the department were given the Oath of Office and sworn in today as the new Corporals. Each of the four squads will have one Corporal working under the guidance of the Squad Sergeant. The Sergeants are tasked with mentoring, guiding, and coaching the Corporals to prepare them as future Sergeants. The four corporals are: Corporal Jordan March who has been with the department since 2015, Corporal Mark Sills 2016, Corporal Jonathan Charette 2018, and Corporal Vincent Agostino in 2019. Congratulations Corporals!



Corporal Jonathan Charette



Deputy Chief Lauro Diaz

Finally, Captain Lauro Diaz, was sworn in as the new Deputy Chief of Police. The Bartow Police Department is fortunate to have the knowledge and experience that DC Diaz brings with him. Congratulations Deputy Chief Diaz!

Several family members and friends were in attendance to share in this honor. We wish all of these members of the Department long and fulfilling careers!



Corporal Jordan March



Corporal Mark Sills



# Bartow Police Department Earns Second Accreditation



Chief Bryan Dorman, Telecommunications Coordinator Jane Casselman, Accreditation Manager Kathryn Jones and Communications Volunteer Melinda Dorman were in St. Augustine this month to attend the Florida Accreditation Conference.

During the conference, the Bartow Police Department earned their second Accreditation! The first being the Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation, earned in Oct. 2020. The Bartow Police/Fire Communications center was awarded accreditation this week from the Florida Telecommunications Accreditation Commission.

"I am so proud of the work Jane and Kathryn did for us to earn our second accreditation. It was such a pleasure to hear from the Commission what I already knew; our team is professional, dedicated and exceeding industry standards. This is definitely a red letter day for our agency", said Chief Dorman.

Congratulations to our dual accredited Bartow PD Team!

## Swearing-In New Captain and New Police Officer

The Bartow Police Department held a second Oath of Office Ceremony this month, swearing in newest member, Police Officer Duane Paul, and 15 year veteran, Sgt. William Stevens.

Officer Duane Paul, sponsored by the Bartow PD to attend Polk State Law Enforcement Academy, is the first officer sponsored in recent history. The last being Captain Hiram Saunders, sponsored in 1988, who retired after serving over 32 years at this agency.

Officer Paul was recruited by Bartow citizen Carver Young. Mr. Young met the young man and noted that he possessed the characteristics and qualities that make a good police officer. Officer Paul graduated from the academy earlier this month, and was the top Physical Recruit.

Sergeant William Stevens took the Oath of Office as he was promoted to the rank of Captain, Investigations Commander. Captain Stevens started his career at the Bartow Police Department in 2007 after serving in the United States Army. In 2017 he was promoted to the rank of sergeant and has most recently been assigned as the Sergeant overseeing the Investigations Section for several years.

Several BPD members both on-duty and off, Academy Instructors, and friends of Officer Paul and Captain Stevens were in attendance for the celebration.

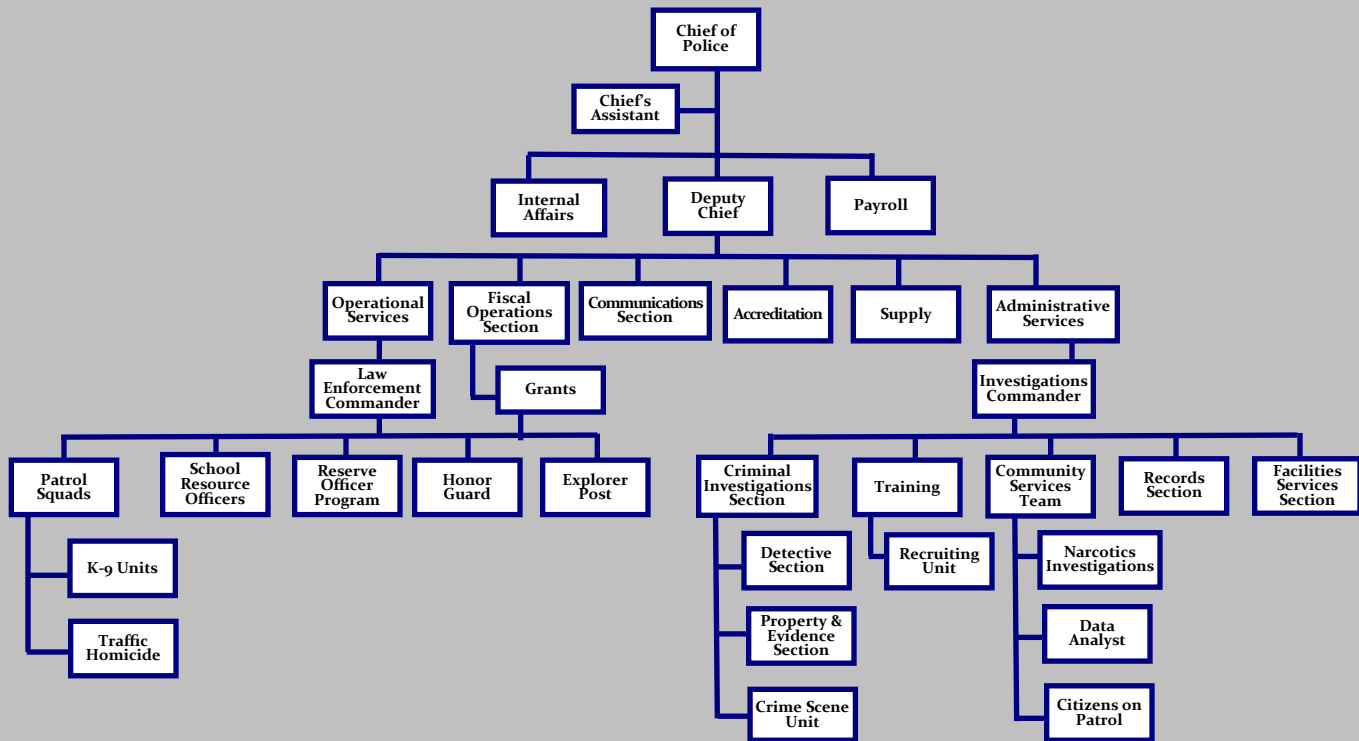


in 2020 after 32 years of service.



# Administrative Section

## Organizational Chart



### CORPORAL

J. March  
M. Sills  
J. Charette  
V. Agostino

### POLICE OFFICER

A. Belony  
B. Cerezo  
D. Haynie  
E. Holland  
S. Joseph  
A. Ledford  
D. Morales  
D. Paul  
E. Pinckney  
A. Roque  
Y. Saint Juste  
J. Sellers  
A. Valerio  
Z. Williams

### SERGEANT

L. Hauser  
J. McKee  
K. Fender  
J. Zorn

### 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. Johnsting  
A. Jones  
D. Matheny  
J. Modzelewski  
R. Prine  
L. Tomlinson  
K. Trowell  
J. Casselman

### SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER

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

### RECORDS

M. Jordan  
R. Henry

### ADMINISTRATION

B. Dorman  
M. Smith  
L. Diaz

### MAINTENANCE

(open position)



# Personnel and Training



## NON-SWORN OPENINGS 4

- ♦ Dispatch 2
- ♦ Support Staff 2

## SWORN OPENINGS 2

- ♦ Sergeant 2

Total Non-Sworn Staff 21

Total Sworn Staff 41

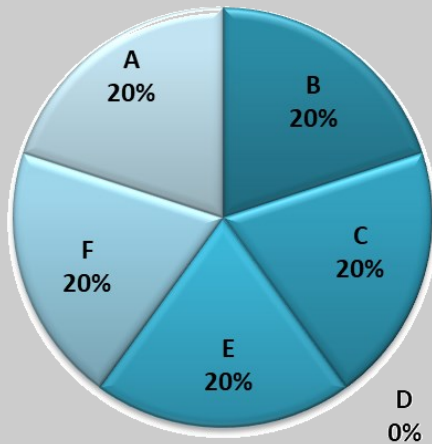
**TOTAL POLICE DEPT. STAFF 61**

RACE	DEPARTMENT TOTAL		SWORN		NON-SWORN		SUPERVISION BY RACE	
White	44	71%	26	63%	18	86%	9	90%
Hispanic	9	15%	9	22%	0	0	1	10%
Black	8	13%	6	15%	2	10%	0	
Pacific Islander	1	2%	0		1	5%	0	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>62</b>		<b>41</b>		<b>21</b>		<b>10</b>	

GENDER	DEPARTMENT TOTAL		SWORN		NON-SWORN		SUPERVISION BY GENDER	
Male	35	56%	35	85%	0	0%	8	80%
Female	27	44%	6	15%	21		2	20%
<b>Total</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100%</b>

# FEBRUARY 2022 PROPERTY CRIME STATISTICS

Percentage of Burglaries by Zone/Beat



Property Crime Type	FEB.	2022 TOTAL
<u>Residence:</u> Home/Apartment/shed	4	4
<u>Conveyance:</u> Vehicle/Truck bed/Boat	1	3
<u>Business:</u> Commercial business/School/Church	0	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>

PROPERTY CRIMES BY BEAT / ZONE		
BEAT	JANUARY 2022	
26A	1	20%
26B	1	20%
26C	1	20%
26D	0	0
26E	1	20%
26F	1	20%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	

*\* The Zone Map is on the last page of this report.*

## PROPERTY CRIMES 2022 - 2018

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
JAN	4	7	16	10	18
FEB	<b>5</b>	14	14	19	11
MAR		8	16	8	35
APR		9	7	9	20
MAY		11	4	12	24
JUNE		10	13	11	7
JULY		7	9	20	26
AUG		12	16	21	24
SEPT		10	11	24	28
OCT		26	12	29	32
NOV		5	11	33	34
DEC		7	6	13	30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>259</b>

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO REMOVE VALUABLES FROM YOUR VEHICLE EACH NIGHT BEFORE TURNING IN.**

**So far in 2022 one (1) Firearm was stolen from an unlocked car.**

*\* Sig Sauer P238 ACP semi-auto, single shot, 380 caliber pistol.*

**This is NOT a gun safe.**



**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	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Emergency	2:26	2:21	3:41
Non-Emergency	5:30	5:26	5:15

Calls for Service/ Police Incidents	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Total Calls for Service	1618	1654	1563

Police Reports and Arrests	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Police Reports	321	324	359
Total Arrests	63	44	54

Collisions & DUI Arrests	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Fatal	0	0	1
Serious Bodily Injury	2	0	2
DUI Arrest	0	1	3

TOTAL COLLISIONS	2021	2022
	638	85

Parking Citations	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Total Issued	1	1	20

Patrol Case Clearance	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Property/Persons Crimes Total Offenses	106	133	134
Property/Persons Crimes Total Offenses Cleared	78	104	98
Clearance Rate	74%	78%	73%

# Citation Statistics

## CITATIONS BY DAY OF THE WEEK

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thru	Fri	Sat	Total
Jan	26	33	32	18	34	28	44	215
Feb	26	30	42	35	21	23	26	203
Mar								
Apr								
May								
June								
July								
Aug								
Sept								
Oct								
Nov								
Dec								
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>418</b>



## COMMONLY ISSUED CITATIONS

	Fail to Obey Traffic Control Device	Unlawful Speed	Careless Driving	Seat Belt	Parking Violation	Handicap Parking Violation	Total
Jan	21	18	15	1	1	0	56
Feb	6	20	18	3	20	8	67
Mar							
Apr							
May							
June							
July							
Aug							
Sept							
Oct							
Nov							
Dec							
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>123</b>

## CITATIONS BY ZONE / BEAT 26A - 26F

	26A	26B	26C	26D	26E	26F	OTHER	Total
Jan	23	27	16	57	31	61	0	215
Feb	6	20	18	3	20	0	0	67
Mar								
Apr								
May								
June								
July								
Aug								
Sept								
Oct								
Nov								
Dec								
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>418</b>

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



# Investigations Statistics

Property Crimes	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Burglary	4	3	3
Theft	15	23	9
Motor Vehicle Theft	3	3	3
Arson	0	0	0
<b>Total Property Crimes</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>15</b>

Persons Crimes	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Homicide	0	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	1
Aggravated Assault	3	2	5
<b>Total Persons Crimes</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>

Other Crimes	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2021	FEBRUARY 2022
Other Assault	1	34	21
Drugs/ Narcotics	16	7	11
Financial Crimes	3	7	2
Weapons Possession	0	1	2
<b>Total Crimes</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>36</b>



# 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,

