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**LETTER TO COMMISSION**

No.: 115-2025

To: Mayor Charles W. Burkett, Vice Mayor Tina Paul, and  
Members of the Town Commission

From: Mark Blumstein, Town Manager *MB*

Date: March 24, 2025

Subject: **Surfside Police Department Weekly Activity Report  
Week of March 17 to March 23, 2025**

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The purpose of this Letter to Commission (LTC) is to transmit the attached Police Weekly Activity Report for the subject week. I trust you will find this Report more informative and insightful to better understand how our Town police, parking officers and community service aides serve our Town and its residents, businesses and visitors.

*If you have any questions or need additional information, feel free to contact me.*

Enclosed: Surfside Police Weekly Activity Report, Week of March 17 to March 23, 2025.



## Town of Surfside Police Department

### POLICE WEEKLY ACTIVITY

March 17, 2025 – March 23, 2025

Calls for Service		Reports		Arrests		Traffic Enforcement		Checks	Total
Primary	66	Incident	23	Felony	0	Citations	83	Business District	38
Assist Other Agency	0	Crash	4	Misdemeanor or Includes Traffic	0	Warnings	27	Town Properties	73
						Double Parking	6		
Total	66	Total	27	Total	0	Parking	233	Beach	43
								Watch Orders	124
						Total	349		

### Enforcement Activity Summary

Monday, 03/17		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	25	3
Collins Avenue	0	N/A
Harding Avenue	3	N/A
Residential Area	9	N/A

Tuesday, 03/18		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	52	5
Collins Avenue	3	N/A
Harding Avenue	2	N/A
Residential Area	3	N/A

Wednesday, 03/19		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	35	6
Collins Avenue	8	N/A
Harding Avenue	1	N/A
Residential Area	0	N/A

Thursday, 03/20		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	34	1
Collins Avenue	5	N/A
Harding Avenue	2	N/A
Residential Area	4	N/A

Friday, 03/21		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	43	4
Collins Avenue	7	N/A
Harding Avenue	4	N/A
Residential Area	10	N/A

Saturday 03/22		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	28	6
Collins Avenue	4	N/A
Harding Avenue	2	N/A
Residential Area	0	N/A

Sunday 03/23		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Town Wide	16	2
Collins Avenue	7	N/A
Harding Avenue	9	N/A
Residential Area	0	N/A

## JAYWALKING STATS

WARNINGS	CITATION
10	0

## Summary of Activities and Event

Criminal Investigations							
The Criminal Investigations Unit (CIU) currently has 21 open cases.							

Collins Avenue							
Citations	Warnings	Park Cit	Arrests	Reports	Field Reports	Ride Share Contacts	Delivery Trucks
35	N/A	N/A	N/A	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
Throughout the week officers conduct frequent area checks of the beach, hardpack and jogging paths.							

Harding Avenue							
Citations	Warnings	Park Cit	Arrests	Reports	Field Reports	Ride Share Contacts	Delivery Trucks
23	N/A	N/A	N/A	7	N/A	N/A	N/A
Throughout the week officers conduct frequent area checks throughout business and residential areas.							

Marine Patrol / Beach Safety Officer Details						
Stops	Citations	Warnings	Arrests	Reports	AOA	Contacts
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Miami Beach Marine Patrol advised that they are available to respond to the town's waterways when it is necessary.						

## Summary of Noteworthy Calls for Service

03/18/2025	Incident	8716 Harding Ave
<p>An officer conducted a watch order in response to a homeowner's complaint about someone leaving trash behind her house. The area behind the complainant's home belongs to F.P.L.</p> <p>This morning, the officer observed a homeless woman in the area. She stated that she does not sleep there but uses the location to store her belongings. The property was being stored on F.P.L. land, but no representative of F.P.L. was available to address the matter.</p> <p>A records check was conducted on the woman for any outstanding wants or warrants, but none were found.</p>		

03/18/2025	Domestic Disturbance	9595 Collins Ave (Solimar)
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An officer responded to a call regarding a domestic disturbance. The complainant stated that her nephew was staying in the unit without permission and that she wanted him to leave. The officer spoke with the nephew, who claimed that his mother had given him authorization to stay in the unit. He had already moved his belongings into a bedroom and had been residing there for several weeks. The complainant was advised that the only way to remove the nephew from the unit would be through a formal eviction order.

<b>03/18/2025</b>	<b>Suspicious Incident</b>	<b>9293 Harding Ave (Surfside PD)</b>
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An officer responded to a report of a suspicious incident. The complainant attempted to purchase a bicycle listed online, but the seller insisted on accepting only cash. She found it suspicious that the seller was unresponsive to phone calls during the transaction. The complainant did not suffer any financial loss.

<b>03/21/2025</b>	<b>Trespass</b>	<b>9567 Harding Ave</b>
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Officers responded to a call regarding a Black female who had shoplifted and was yelling at customers. Upon arrival, the store manager stated that they wanted the female trespasses but did not wish to prosecute the theft, as it involved only a few chicken wings. The female, who was homeless, was formally trespassed and given a homeless resource card to help her access shelter and support services. An officer on scene generously purchased food for her, and she left the area grateful. She then took a bus, stating that she was heading to a shelter to seek assistance.

<b>03/22/2025</b>	<b>Theft</b>	<b>9500 Block of Abbott Ave</b>
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Bal Harbour PD reported a theft at the Shops of Bal Harbour involving two male subjects. One suspect was taken into custody at the scene, while the second fled toward Surfside. An SPD officer spotted the fleeing suspect in front of Flanigan's, but he continued westbound on 95th Street from Harding Avenue. A perimeter was established, and the MDPD K9 unit, along with aviation support, responded to conduct a thorough search of the area. Despite extensive efforts, the suspect was not located.