



COALINGA POLICE DEPARTMENT'S
SECONDS QUARTER REPORT

Apr through Jun 2020

Staffing Report:

▶ Authorized Strength:	16 sworn/ 17 funded FY 2019/2020
▶ # of Personnel Available:	12
▶ # of Personnel Modified Duty/Leave, Injured:	1
▶ # of Personnel in field training:	1
▶ # of Full Time Vacancies:	2

Our Successes:

Total Incidents	3886
Calls for Service	2785
Officer Initiated Incidents	1101
Traffic Stops	275
Other OIA Incidents	826
Bus/Building checks	140
Veh/Ped Check	119

Total Officer Reports	287
Collision	14
Courtesy	6
Criminal Collision	0
Felony	63
Information	84
Infraction	2
Misdemeanor	94
Voided	4
Unclassified Reports	20

Total Misdemeanor & Felony Arrests	70
Misdemeanor Arrests	46
Felony Arrests	24

Total Citations	102
Infraction	30
Misdemeanor	6
Moving Vehicle	15
Muni Code	1
Parking	48
Unclassified	2

Fls	4
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Quarterly UCR Report

	2020	Second Quarter	2019	Second Quarter	Diff
Homicide		0		0	0%
Rape		4		0	100%
Robbery		1		1	0.0%
Felony Assault		12		9	33.33%
Misd Assault		7		10	-30%
Burglary		5		10	-50.0%
Theft		15		38	-17.14%
Arson		1		1	0%
Vehicle Thefts		3		4	-25%

The City has shown a reduction in Part 1 Crimes in the following areas: Rape, Aggravated Assault, Burglaries and Thefts, however, there has been an increase in the areas of Robbery, and Simple Assaults. The officers and support staff are working hard to keep crime down in the city even with a reduction in staff.

DA Filing Rate: 2020 Second Quarter

Cases Submitted to DA	27	
Charges Filed	12	(44%)
Declined to Prosecute	15	(56%)
Other Disposition from DA	0	
Reasons Declined to Prosecute		
Furtherance of Justice	0	
Lack of Evidence	1	(7%)
Mutual Combat	0	
Pending FU	0	
Pled to another charge/case	0	
Statue of Limitations	0	
Victim Request	0	
Other	14	(93%)

Notable Second Quarter Activity:

Shots Fired at a Vehicle

On Saturday, May 9, 2020, around 9:15pm, Officers were dispatched the area of Phelps and Gregory regarding several shots being fired. Upon arriving, Officers learned that two vehicles, one being similar to a newer Dodge Challenger, were involved in the shooting. After the shooting, both vehicles fled in opposite directions. Officers did recover some evidence at the scene. It is unknown if the vehicles were shooting at each other at this time.

The case is still being investigated and the department asks if anyone had information regarding this case, to please call the Coalinga Police Department at (559) 935-1525 option #1, you can remain

Gang Member Arrested for Firearms Charges

On Sunday, May 17, 2020, around 10:30pm, Officers initiated a traffic stop of a vehicle for expired registration. The driver of the vehicle, Coalinga resident, Gracie Pulido, was found to be unlicensed and was issued a citation for driving without a license, no insurance and expired registration as of 2015.

Upon completing an inventory of the vehicle prior to it being towed, a loaded .357 Magnum revolver was located under the passenger seat. Coalinga resident, and known Bulldog Criminal Street Gang member, Ricardo Aguilera, who had initially tried to leave the area when the vehicle stop was initiated, was arrested for possession of a firearm by a felon / addict, felon carrying a loaded firearm and being a criminal street gang member in possession of a firearm. Aguilera was transported to the Fresno County Jail.

Burglary Case Update on May 18, 2020

On February 6, 2020, Coalinga resident Oscar Remy Garcia was arrested for charges including battery, dissuading a witness, stalking, petty theft, discharge of a firearm or BB device, possession of a drug paraphernalia, robbery and for making criminal threats after being released on a burglary case.

On Friday, May 15, 2020, Garcia pled to several charges, including harassing a witness, witness intimidation, domestic battery, burglary, and reckless discharge of a firearm and will be sentenced to at least 3 years in prison.

GANG-RELATED SHOOTINGS THROUGHOUT TOWN

On Sunday, June 21, 2020, at about 9:53pm, officers responded to the area of Warthan Street and Sacramento Street regarding a report of shots fired. Upon arriving, the reporting party stated their friend had been shot at by unknown subjects in a dark colored sedan. Several shell casings were recovered in the area. The vehicle was last seen fleeing westbound on Sacramento Street. The victim in this case refused to provide any information.

On Tuesday, June 23, 2020, at about 12:20am, officers responded to the Tara Glenn Apartment Complex on a report of shots being fired into an apartment. Upon arriving, officers contacted the victim who said she was inside her apartment with her two young children when she heard a loud bang and noticed the glass from her window break. During the investigation, it was found a 12-gauge shotgun was used by the suspect(s). One round was fired into the apartment, narrowly missing one of the victim's children. It is believed the intended target was a neighboring gang member.

On Tuesday, June 23, 2020, at about 12pm, officers responded to the West Wood Apartment Complex on a report of people being shot at. The victims, known Norteno Criminal Street Gang Members, were sitting outside of their apartment when a dark colored sedan passed by, firing

several rounds at the group. The group ran inside of their apartment and the vehicle fled the area, through the apartments. Nobody was injured during the shooting. Shell casings were recovered at the scene.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE STANDOFF LEADS TO ARREST

On Wednesday, June 24, 2020, at about 3am, Officers were dispatched to the Save Mart parking lot to meet with a victim of alleged domestic violence. Upon arriving, officers contacted the victim, who related that her boyfriend, and father of her two children, had physically attacked her after arguing with her. The victim said that her boyfriend, 30-year-old Coalinga resident John Canfield, had dragged her out of the bed by her hair and then kicked her in the face and stomped on her back several times as he pushed her out the front door, off the porch and onto the walkway. The victim said their two children were left inside the residence, so she walked to Save Mart and called the police.

Officers then contacted Canfield at their residence the 100 block of E. Houston. Canfield refused to come out of the house for the next few hours despite officers attempts to talk him out. During that time officers could see Canfield inside the residence, drinking alcohol and smoking marijuana.

Due to Canfields uncooperative state and given the fact that he was becoming more intoxicated as he continued to drink and smoke, officers were given no other option but to force their way into the residence to take Canfield into custody and for the welfare of the infant children. Canfield immediately surrendered and was taken into custody without further incident. The children were found safe in their bedroom and turned over to their mother.

Canfield was transported and booked into the Fresno County Jail for charges including Domestic Violence and Child Endangerment.

WELFARE CHECK LEADS TO DISCOVERY OF A BODY

On Thursday, June 25, 2020, at about 10:30pm, Officers were dispatched to the 800 block of Circle Drive for a welfare check on a neighbor that had not been seen in several days. Upon arriving, Officers located a body inside of the trailer. Upon discovering the body, the Fresno County Coroner was contacted and responded. There were no signs of foul play upon examining the trailer and the body. The body was taken to the Fresno County Coroners Office for further examination.

NARCAN

During the month of June 2020, 3 Officers attended a train the trainer course on the proper way to administer Narcan. Narcan is used to counter act the effects of certain narcotics. The Police department was added to the State of California's list of trained law enforcement agencies on the use of Narcan and has received their first order of Narcan. There is NO cost to the city for the Narcan while the city is enrolled in the current program. All officers will be trained over the next few weeks on how to properly administer the drug and will receive their Narcan.

Respectfully Submitted:

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