

Ridgecrest Police Department

# RPD monthly report

## Shelter Floats Receives 3rd Place in Parade

### Special points of interest:

Officer Lawson in the Community Policing Report

On October 14, 2006, the Ridgecrest Animal Shelter participated in the fall parade. A special **“thanks”** to George and Judy Pommerenke and Lisa Roland, who offered their help with decorating the float and allowed the Shelter to use their pick-up to drive the float. We had members from the IWV Humane Society join us, and we took several shelter dogs. Sticking with the theme, we dressed the

animals up in western gear. The male dogs wore cowboy hats and gun belts and the female dogs wore feather boas. The dogs enjoyed getting out and the community members were more than supportive and amused by the four legged western gang.

a big smile on the faces of everyone who was involved.

We thought the exposure would be great for the shelter and its residents. Never did we expect to win 3<sup>rd</sup> place, but we did and that put

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## Monthly Report regarding Community Policing

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- 911 Calls

During the month of October, 2006, Officers of the Ridgecrest Police Department initiated at least twenty new Community Oriented Policing contacts in their assigned districts. Some of the issues identified by the officers as problems were poor lighting (streetlights) and traffic problems in the area of Faller School. New graffiti was

located in another area of Ridgecrest and removed by PACT.

During this same month, Officer Kristen Lawson contacted an elderly female resident who was a victim of vandalism. Unknown suspects had knocked her mailbox over and pulled it out of the ground. Officer Lawson

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## DESERT EMPIRE FAIR

*"THANK YOU TO OUR VOLUNTEERS FOR THEIR CONTINUAL DEDICATION AND SUPPORT OF OUR COMMUNITY"*

From October 12<sup>th</sup> through the 15<sup>th</sup>, Ridgecrest Police Officers along with PACT Volunteers worked together at the **Desert Empire Fair** and also at the **Parade**. The Department had fourteen citizen volunteers assisting Officers to insure the safety of patrons at the fair-

grounds and during the parade. The total hours given by our volunteers on these days came to fifty-six hours.

The Police Department and the community are very fortunate to have such dedicated and passionate volunteers willing to help during such events.

I wish to commend our volunteers for their continual support of our community.



## Monthly Report regarding Community Policing

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learned that the victim had no family in the area and that she was physically unable to do it on her own. In the true spirit of Community Oriented Policing, Officer Lawson went to the victim's residence on her day off to repair the mailbox for the elderly female. Sergeant Jon Wheeler, also on his own time, accompanied Officer Lawson to the residence.

While Officer Lawson and Sergeant Wheeler were working on the mailbox, two other Ridgecrest residents, Mr. Tom Lara and Mr. Mark Ball stopped and asked if they could assist in the repairs. This turned out to be a big event with a positive impact for the

Ridgecrest Police Departments' Community Policing project. It is with great admiration that I commend Officer Lawson, Sergeant Jon Wheeler, Mr. Lara and Mr. Ball, for showing us what "**community**" is all about.

# Desert Empire Fair Parade 2006

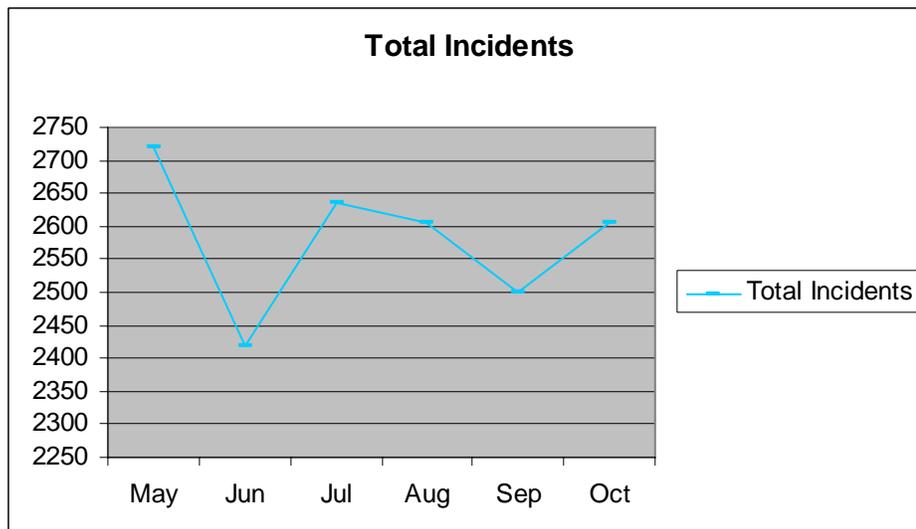
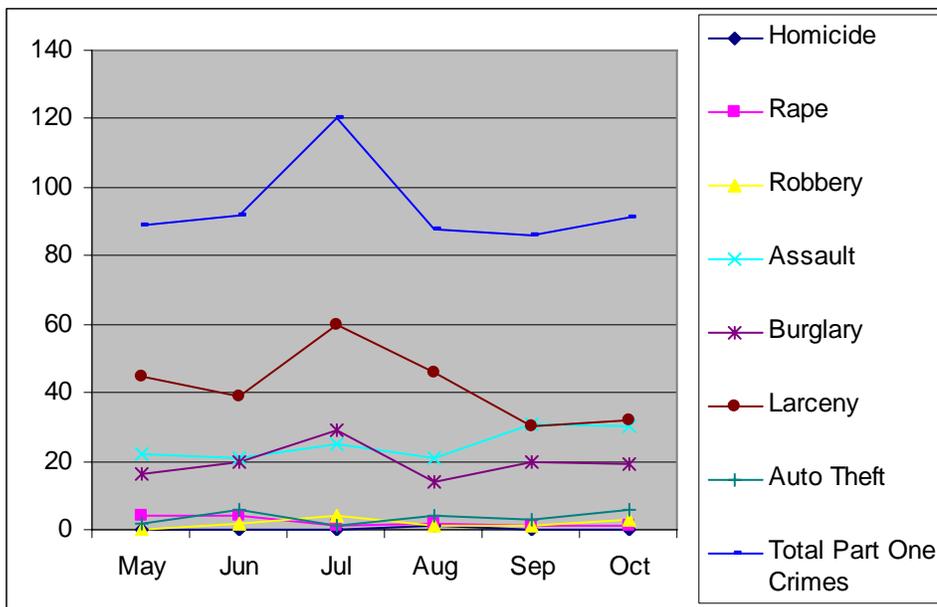


# Ridgecrest Police Department

Prepared November 15, 2006

## Crime for the Last Six Months

Crimes	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Total
Homicide	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Rape	4	4	1	2	1	1	13
Robbery	0	2	4	1	1	3	11
Assault	22	21	25	21	31	30	150
Burglary	16	20	29	14	20	19	118
Larceny	45	39	60	46	30	32	252
Auto Theft	2	6	1	4	3	6	22
Total Part One Crimes	89	92	120	88	86	91	566
Total Incidents	2719	2419	2636	2605	2501	2605	15485



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	2006		2005		2006
	<b>OCT</b>	<b>OCT</b>	<b>OCT</b>	<b>OCT</b>	
	<b>MTD</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>MTD</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>YTD</b>
<b><u>Crime/Reports:</u></b>					
Part-One Crimes	91	928	91	849	9%
All other Crime Reports	156	1707	200	1635	4%
Traffic Accidents	17	274	22	211	30%
Miscellaneous Reports	76	802	81	771	4%
Traffic Citations	339	2954	424	2882	2%
All other Reports	8	86	10	99	-13%
Total of all Reports	348	3797	404	3565	7%
<b><u>Arrests:</u></b>					
Part 1 Arrests	27	316	25	308	3%
Narcotic Related Arrests	14	325	28	286	14%
All other Felony Arrests	19	199	15	164	21%
Total other Misd. Arrests	110	1230	140	1057	16%
Total all Arrests	170	2070	208	1815	14%
Total all Juvenile Arrests	26	367	43	303	21%
Total all Adult Arrests	144	1703	165	1512	13%
<b><u>General Information:</u></b>					
Total Service Hours	1998	20104	2046	18447	9%
Total Activity Hours	1348	13917	1438	13051	7%
Total Patrol Hours	650	6188	608	5396	15%
Total Calls for Service	2605	24436	2782	26107	-6%
Total Value Prop. Stolen	71465	548755	96269	751315	-27%
Total Value Prop. Recovered	28867	284594	94105	438872	-35%

**RIDGECREST POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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**PATROL STATISTICS  
REPORTING PERIOD: OCTOBER 2006**

11/08/2006

<b>Statistic</b>	<b>Count</b>
Total Incidents	2605
Calls for Service	1419
Officer Initiated Incidents	1186
Traffic Stops	559
Other OIA Incidents	627
Bus/Building checks	2
Veh/Ped Check	77
Total Officer Reports	348
Accident	17
Documentation Purposes Only	54
Felony	91
Information Only-no Crime	22
Infraction	4
Misdemeanor	149
Status Offense	3
Unclassified Reports	8
Total Misdemeanor & Felony Arrests	167
Misdemeanor Arrests	128
Felony Arrests	39
Total Citations	339
Bicycle	1
Felony	1
Infraction	117
Mini Bike	1
Misdemeanor	108
RMC Violation	6
Vehicle - Moving	94
Vehicle - Parked	7
Unclassified	4
FIs	0



ACCIDENTS INVOLVING DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE FOR 2006

11/08/2006

MONTH	NO. OF ACCIDENTS	DUI INVOLVED	FATAL DUI	NO. FATALITIES
JANUARY	31	0	0	0
FEBRUARY	31	4	0	0
MARCH	38	2	0	0
APRIL	44	2	0	0
MAY	35	0	0	0
JUNE	28	2	0	0
JULY	18	1	0	0
AUGUST	24	2	0	0
SEPTEMBER	41	1	0	0
OCTOBER	17	1	0	0
NOVEMBER	1	0	0	0
DECEMBER	0	0	0	0
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TOTALS	308	15	0	0



ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF COLLISION FOR 2006

11/08/2006

MONTH	NO. OF ACCIDENTS	----- COLLISIONS INVOLVING ... -----			
		VEHICLES	MOTORCYCLES	BICYCLES	PEDESTRIANS
JANUARY	31	10	1	0	0
FEBRUARY	31	17	1	1	0
MARCH	38	17	0	0	3
APRIL	44	17	0	1	2
MAY	35	17	1	0	0
JUNE	28	14	0	0	1
JULY	18	4	1	0	0
AUGUST	24	14	0	1	0
SEPTEMBER	41	26	1	2	2
OCTOBER	17	17	0	1	1
NOVEMBER	1	1	0	0	1
DECEMBER	0	0	0	0	0
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TOTALS	308	154	5	6	10



ACCIDENT SUMMARY BY SEVERITY FOR 2006

11/08/2006

MONTH	NUMBER	--- ACCIDENT CLASSIFICATION ---					--- INJURY TOTALS ---		
		FATAL	MAJOR	UNKNOWN	MINOR	NO INJ	FATAL	MAJOR	MINOR
January	31	0	1	2	7	21	0	1	3
February	31	0	1	6	11	13	1	0	9
March	38	0	2	3	12	21	0	2	4
April	44	0	1	7	9	27	0	1	7
May	35	0	1	7	10	17	0	1	10
June	28	0	1	5	8	14	0	2	5
July	18	0	0	3	1	14	0	0	4
August	24	0	0	4	10	10	0	0	5
September	41	1	2	8	17	13	1	2	10
October	17	0	1	3	13	0	0	1	4
November	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
December	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>62</b>

1	2	3	4	5	6
CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	OFFENSES REPORTED OR KNOWN TO POLICE (INCLUDE "UNFOUNDED" AND ATTEMPTS)	UNFOUNDED I.E. FALSE OR BASELESS COMPLAINTS	NUMBER OF ACTUAL OFFENSES (COLUMN 2 MINUS COLUMN 3) (INCLUDE ATTEMPTS)	TOTAL OFFENSES CLEARED BY ARREST OR EXCEPTIONAL MEANS (INCLUDES COL. 6)	NUMBER OF CLEARANCES INVOLVING ONLY PERSONS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE
<b>1. CRIMINAL HOMICIDE</b>					
a. MURDER AND NON-NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE (score attempts as aggravated assault) If homicide reported submit Supplementary Homicide Report	11				
b. MANSLAUGHTER BY NEGLIGENCE	12				
<b>2. FORCIBLE RAPE TOTAL</b>	20				
a. Rape by Force	21	1	1	1	
b. Attempt to commit Forcible Rape	22	1	1	1	
<b>3. ROBBERY TOTAL</b>	30				
a. Firearm	31	3	3	2	
b. Knife or Cutting Instrument	32	2	2	1	
c. Other Dangerous Weapon	33				
d. Strong-Arm (Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc.)	34	1	1	1	
<b>4. ASSAULT TOTAL</b>	40				
a. Firearm	41	30	1	29	19
b. Knife or Cutting Instrument	42				5
c. Other Dangerous Weapon	43	1	1	2	1
d. Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc.) - Aggravated injury	44	1	1	1	
e. Other Assaults - Simple, Not Aggravated	45	28	1	27	16
<b>5. BURGLARY TOTAL</b>	50				
a. Forcible Entry	51	19	19	7	
b. Unlawful Entry - No Force	52	3	3	1	
c. Attempted Forcible Entry	53	16	16	4	
				2	
<b>6. LARCENY-THEFT TOTAL</b>	60				
		32	1	31	10
<b>7. MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT TOTAL</b>	70				
a. Autos	71	6	6	1	
b. Trucks and Buses	72	2	2		
c. Other Vehicles	73	4	4	1	
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	77	91	3	88	40
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CHECKING ANY OF THE APPROPRIATE BLOCKS BELOW WILL ELIMINATE YOUR NEED TO SUBMIT REPORTS WHEN THE VALUES ARE ZERO. THIS WILL ALSO AID THE NATIONAL PROGRAM IN ITS QUALITY CONTROL EFFORTS.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> NO SUPPLEMENT TO RETURN A REPORT SINCE NO CRIME OFFENSES OR RECOVERY OF PROPERTY REPORTED DURING THE MONTH   | <input type="checkbox"/> NO AGE, SEX, AND RACE OF PERSONS ARRESTED 18 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER REPORT SINCE NO ARRESTS OF PERSONS WITHIN THIS AGE GROUP |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER KILLED OR ASSAULTED REPORT SINCE NONE OF THE OFFICERS WERE ASSAULTED OR KILLED DURING THE MONTH  | <input type="checkbox"/> NO MONTHLY RETURN OF ARSON OFFENSES KNOWN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT REPORT SINCE NO ARSON OCCURRED                                 |

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October 2006

Month and Year of Report

CA0150600

Agency Identifier

23,000

Population

11/07/2006

Date

PAT RICHARD, Records Supervisor

Prepared by

Title

Ridgecrest Police Department, CA

Agency and State

MICHAEL AVERY, CHIEF

Chief, Commissioner, Sheriff, or Superintendent

**RIDGECREST POLICE DEPARTMENT  
GENERAL INVESTIGATIONS  
MONTHLY SUMMARY**

**OCTOBER 2006**

CATEGORY				TOTAL
DIRECT FILES	DA / COURT		90	90
CLOSE OUTS	INVEST.	193		193
	DIRECT	143		143
REFER TO D.A. / JUV. PROB.			16	16
DA COMPLAINT SHEETS RETURNED			73	73
SUBPOENA'S SERVED			11	11
TOTAL		336	190	526

PREPARED BY: JOYCE MARKWITH

APPROVED BY: P. Wheel

# *Overtime Usage*

*Fiscal Year 2007*

<u><i>Overtime Type</i></u>	<u><i>Total Hours</i></u>
55 Ridgecrest Patrol	26.5
56 Shelter Services	11.5
AM Administrative Duty Meetings	100.5
AR Administrative Duty Records	0.5
ARM Administrative Duty Repair/Maintenance	6
AS Administrative Duty Station Assingments	19
AT Administrative Duty Training	167.5
CA Court Appearance	71
CS Court Stand-by	6
IF Investigations Criminal Follow Up	137.25
II Investigations Interviews	30.25
IR Investigations Traffic Related	38.5
IV Investigations Vice / Narcotics	1.5
PB Prisoner booking	36
PT Prisoner transportation	92
RC Report Writing Criminal	228.25
RI Report Writing Information	21.5
RT Report Writing Traffic	23.25
SC Shift Coverage In Court	2
SE Special Events	293.5
SL Shift Coverage On Sick Leave	66
SS Shift Coverage Shortage	292.5
ST Shift Coverage On Time Off	214
 <b><i>Total Hours:</i></b>	 1885

# Ridgecrest Police Department

## Animal Control Section

Monthly Report of Activities  
October 2006

	CITY	NAWS	KERN CO	SAN BERN	Current Year		Previous Year	
					MTD	YTD	MTD	YTD
Dispatched Calls	184	2	0	0	186	1699	214	1747
Field Calls	22	0	0	0	22	223	22	180
Emergency Calls	1	0	0	0	1	26	5	30
<b>Impounded Dogs:</b>								
Public	45	2	14	2	63	526	59	571
A.C.O.	26	1	12	4	43	540	56	485
Total	71	3	26	6	106	1066	115	1056
<b>Impounded Cats:</b>								
Public	70	5	24	5	104	1004	119	1082
A.C.O.	19	0	0	0	19	156	15	130
Total	89	5	24	5	123	1160	134	1212
Miscellaneous Animals:	6	0	0	0	6	63	1	41
Dead Animals:	4	0	0	0	4	79	11	100
Cumulative of Animals Handled:	170	8	50	11	239	1825	261	2409
<b>Dispositions</b>								
Dogs Adopted	16	1	6	1	24	251	38	248
Dogs Released	26	2	5	2	35	330	38	312
Dogs Euthanasized	16	0	13	3	32	384	31	387
Cats Adopted	6	0	2	0	8	117	22	222
Cats Released	7	0	0	0	7	39	3	31
Cats Euthanasized	69	5	20	4	98	856	98	804
Animals Euthanasized:	85	5	33	7	130	1240	129	1191
<b>Fees Collected</b>								
Licenses								
		MTD		YTD		Pre MTD		Pre YTD
		\$905.00		\$10,511.00		\$568.00		\$9,448.00
Vaccinations		\$205.00		\$2,020.00		\$270.00		\$2,200.00
Shelter Fees		\$2,665.00		\$31,050.00		\$3,660.00		\$30,395.00
<b>Total Fees Collected</b>		\$3,775.00		\$43,581.00		\$4,498.00		\$42,043.00

Prepared By: Mary Stage

Reviewed By: \_\_\_\_\_

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## RESERVE ORGANIZATION

### MONTHLY SUMMARY

October, 2006

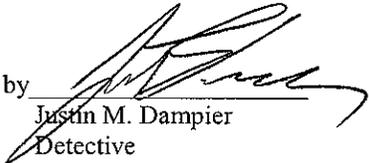
	Current Month	YTD Total
Reserves Hrs.	169.5	865.5

During the month of October, Reserve Officers worked the following hours:

Officer Kiren	2
Officer Dysart	48
Officer Schatz	9
Officer Robbs	8
Officer Dorrell	56.5
Officer Regan	38
Officer Mitchell	8
Total hours:	169.5

This month, members of the reserve organization augmented patrol, assisted with range, provided prisoner transports, provided security at BHS football games, and assisted at the fair and Grand Prix located at the fairgrounds. Reserve Ofc. C. Dysart also completed 32-hours of POST training.

Prepared by

  
Justin M. Dampier  
Detective

**-PACT MONTHLY REPORT  
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<u>PACT Volunteer</u>	<u>Hours</u>				
Executive Director	2.0				
Financial	2.0				
Fundraiser	84.5				
Training	9.0				
Administrative RPD	167.0				
Administrative Org	52.0				
Vehicle Maint.	0.0				
Animal Welfare	254.0				
Child ID	47.0				
EOC	5.0				
Graffiti Task Force	7.5	# Sites	4	Sites YTD	121
Nuisance Abatement	0.0				
Patrol	236.0	# Houses	21	Houses YTD	185
Preventive Patrol	0.0				
Surveillance	0.0				
<b>PACT HOURS</b>	<b>866.0</b>			<b>YTD Hours for 2006</b>	<b>8064.0</b>
Non-member hours	0.0			<b>YTD Hours for 2005</b>	<b>7825.0</b>
Chaplain hours	9.0				
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>875.0</b>			<b>Total Hours for 2005</b>	<b>9,423.6</b>

Volunteers served 7 subpoenas and attempted to serve 17 additional times.  
 Four evidence runs were made to Bakersfield.  
 Motocross on October 1<sup>st</sup>.  
 Overnight patrol at Burroughs High School October 12, 2006.  
 Volunteers patrolled the fair grounds October 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>.  
 Eighteen volunteers worked the parade duty on October 14<sup>th</sup>.  
 Volunteers patrolled October 28<sup>th</sup>.  
 Volunteers patrolled October 31<sup>st</sup>.  
 Four graffiti sites were cleaned up with seven and a half volunteer hours being spent.  
 Seventeen volunteers attended the October 25th Coffee.  
 The Chaplain Corps logged nine hours.

Prepared by Virginia Smith, PACT Coordinator

# RIDGECREST POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPLORER ORGANIZATION

## MONTHLY SUMMARY

**OCTOBER 2006**

	Current Month	YTD Total	Last YTD	Percent Change
Explorers	256	613	2011	-328

During the month of October the Explorers worked a total of 256 hours. The hours were comprised of events (Indian Pow-Wow security and Relay for Life), meetings, and ride alongs. Recruitment for new people is currently on going. B.H.S. is currently running as part of their regular announcements information regarding joining the post. There are currently 8 active Explorers, including two new applicants.

Prepared by



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Explorer Advisor