

Code Violation

Panama City Police Department Investigation Narrative
Ofc. J. Walker #2605

I was dispatched to the area of Beach Drive and Frankford Avenue in reference to taxi service, H2O, aka Beach Girls Taxi LLC, picking up passengers at the Marina Civic Center, without a City Permit. An employee with Red Cab, Lane Davidson, stated he witnessed a blue Chrysler Pacifica pick up several passengers at the Civic Center. Davidson also stated he spoke to the passengers at the Civic Center and they stated they called H2O because they offered cheaper rates. I was able to locate and conduct a traffic stop on the Chrysler at 13th Street and Beck Avenue. I made contact with the driver, Kerri Benson, and explained the reason for the stop to her. She could not provide me with the proper permit. It should be noted this is the second time I have dealt with Ms. Benson picking up passengers in the City without a permit. This incident was documented for Code Enforcement.

PCPD 16-12367 8/29/2016 7:10:05PM 818 E 8TH CT

BURGLARY

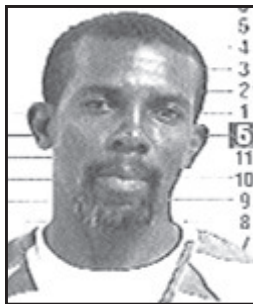
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PCPD OFFICER Koyon

On 8/29/16 I was dispatched to 818 E 8th Court, in reference to theft of a bicycle. I made contact with the complainant, Lizzette Holcomb, who stated that her blue and white Sweeney bicycle had been stolen from her front porch. She also stated that she knew who stole it. At this time she showed me a video on her phone where she confronted the individual she believed to have stolen her bicycle. In the video there was a white male standing in front of the house located at 812



E 8th Street. In the video Holcomb can be heard telling the white male she knows he took the bicycle. The white male can be heard admitting that he took the bicycle off her porch but that he would have to steal it back from the person he sold it to, because he didn't have the money to buy it back. The male verbally identifies himself in the video as Ryan Colvin. Holcomb gave him a chance to return the bicycle and when he failed to do so, she called the police. I went to 812 E 8th Street to attempt to make contact with

Colvin. However, when I arrived, one of the occupants, Angel Bergh, stated that when he saw my patrol vehicle, he said, "fu** that," and ran out the back door of the residence. Bergh stated Colvin admitted to her that he stole the bicycle. I returned to 818 E 8th Street and took a sworn recorded statement from Holcomb. She stated she wished to pursue criminal charges against Colvin. The recorded statement will be attached to this report. Photographs of where the bicycle was located will also be attached. The bicycle was last seen on her covered front porch, located in her front yard, which is completely fenced in within the curtilage of the dwelling. Later on 8/29 an anonymous source informed dispatch Colvin was back at the address. Officers returned to the scene and took him into custody. Colvin provided a sworn post-Miranda statement in which he admitted to stealing the bike off her porch. Colvin provided a written apology, confessing he committed this offense, and he signed it. A copy of the interview will be attached to this report. Colvin was transported to the Bay County Jail for Burglary of a Dwelling.



PCPD 16-12369 8/29/2016 7:55:13PM
1342 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR
BLVD; SHADY HAVEN; OLD LEES

Drugs

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PCPD OFFICER Cheri

I was in my SCU uniform and driving around in an unmarked police truck. I drove by the Shady Haven hotel and a black male started talking to me. I drove past the male and stopped. The male started walking toward my truck, so I leaned out the window and asked for a "twenty" referring to \$20 worth of crack cocaine. The male related he had it and pulled out 1 rock of suspected crack cocaine from his shorts. He held the item in his left hand and put both hand into my truck. I grabbed his right hand and tried to hold on to him. I informed him I was the police and he was under arrest. When I leaned back it appeared he could see my police badge around my neck and he started pulling harder to get away from me. He broke free and fled down 13th Ct and then through a wooded area.

After about 50 yards, I caught up to the male and arrested him. He was identified as Orlando Lenard. The item of suspected crack cocaine was not located along the path that the suspect ran. After paperwork was completed, Lenard was transported to the jail without incident.

PCPD 16-12389 8/30/2016 9:09:04AM

Vagrancy



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PCPD OFFICER Wood

On 08/30/16, I responded to a panhandler call at the intersection of 11th St and Florida Ave. I made contact with the

complainant Charlotte Gauthier. Gauthier stated that a black male was standing at the corner and was asking people for money. Gauthier told me she is the crossing guard at Jinks Middle School, and she watches Johnson asking for money every day. I made contact with the male Tony Johnson. I told Johnson that he could not ask people for money. Johnson stated he understood and walked away. I responded to a second call concerning Johnson at the same location. As I began to walk up to Johnson he began to yell at me and say "leave me the fu** alone".

I told Johnson why I was there at which time he stated that he was panhandling and will keep doing it. Johnson stated "as soon as you leave I'm going to panhandle and I don't care that it's illegal".

At that time Johnson was placed under arrest for panhandling. I transported Johnson to the Bay County Jail where he was charged with violation of City ordinance 17-1, panhandling. Gauthier filled out a witness statement and it will be attached to this report.



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