



Palos Verdes Estates Police Department

Weekly Crime Report

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10-15-19 ID Theft 2400 Blk PVDW

Between November and December 2017, unknown suspect(s) gained access to victim's credit card information and makes unauthorized purchases and changed the victim's address.

10-15-19 Romance Scam 2400 Blk Via Pinale

Between January 2019 and today's date, named suspect starts an online relationship with the victim and asks for money and gifts. After the victim realizes they are being scammed, the suspect is still able to convince the victim to send \$10,000 cash to an individual in New Jersey.

10-15-19 Grand Theft Auto Arrest 3000 Blk PVDN

At approximately 5:12 AM, an officer received a hit of a stolen vehicle on the Automated License Plate Reader. The officer located the stolen vehicle and conducted a traffic stop and arrested the Driver.

10-16-19 ID Theft 3000 Blk Via Borica

Between 10-14-19 and 10-16-19, unknown suspect(s) obtained victim's personal identifying information by unknown means. Suspect(s) used the information to attempt to fraudulently open lines of credit.

10-16-19 Pursuit 300 Blk PVDW

At approximately 1:50 AM, an officer attempted to conduct a traffic stop for a minor traffic violation, which resulted in the suspect failing to stop and a pursuit engaged. The pursuit was terminated due to safety concerns and detectives are conducting a follow-up investigation.

10-18-19 Traffic Offense Arrest 1700 Blk PVDW

At approximately 8:54 AM, an officer conducted a traffic stop and arrested the Driver for violation of Ignition Interlock Device.

10-19-19 Dangerous Weapon/Hit and Run Arrest 600 Blk PV Blvd

At approximately 12:39 AM, an officer conducted a traffic stop and arrested the Driver for Possession of Metal Knuckles and Hit and Run.

10-20-19 Harassment 800 Blk Gatos Place

Prior to today's date, unknown suspect(s) obtains victim's telephone number by an unknown means and text messages victim with annoying/harassing text messages.