


# BAL HARBOUR

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OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE MANAGER

LETTER TO COUNCIL

NO. 053-2020

To: Mayor Gabriel Groisman and Members of the Village Council  
From: Jorge M. Gonzalez, Village Manager   
Date: April 10, 2020  
Subject: **Bal Harbour Police Department Weekly Report for the period of April 3, 2020 through April 9, 2020**

The purpose of this Letter to Council (LTC) is to transmit to you a Weekly Report from the Bal Harbour Police Department that I requested in order to enhance the flow of communication and transparency.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to call Chief Raleigh Flowers or me directly.

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## Bal Harbour Police Department Weekly Summary

**2020 Week #14:** Friday, April 03, 2020, through Thursday, April 09, 2020

Calls for Service		Reports		Arrests		Code Enforcement		Traffic Enforcement	
Primary	27	Incident	17	Felony	00	Violations	00	Citations	00
Assist Other Agency	01	Crash	00	Misdemeanor Includes Traffic	00	Warnings - Verbal and Written	04	Warnings	03
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>00</b>	Investigations	04	Parking	01
								<b>Total</b>	<b>04</b>

**2019 Week #14:** Friday April 5, 2019, through Thursday, April 11, 2019

<i>Calls for Service</i>		<i>Reports</i>		<i>Arrests</i>		<i>Code Enforcement</i>		<i>Traffic Enforcement</i>	
Primary	43	Incident	18	Felony	00	Violations	00	Citations	19
Assist Other Agency	02	Crash	03	Misdemeanor Includes Traffic	02	Warnings	00	Warnings	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>02</b>	Investigations	00	Parking	00
								<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>

### Weekly Marine Patrol Enforcement

Stops	06
Contacts	32
AOA	00
Reports	00
Citations	00
Warnings	06

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### Enforcement Activity Summary

Friday, April 3		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location / Detail Type	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Village Wide	00	00
Radar Enforcement on Collins Avenue	00	00
9700 Collins Avenue / Shops Illegal Right Turns	00	00
North Lot / Frontage Road	00	00
Residential 20 MPH is Plenty AM & PM Details	00	00
Harding Avenue & 96 Street / Crosswalk	00	00
All other Collins Avenue Enforcement Results	00	00

Saturday, April 4		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location / Detail Type	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Village Wide	00	00
Radar Enforcement on Collins Avenue	00	00
9700 Collins Avenue / Shops Illegal Right Turns	00	00
North Lot / Frontage Road	00	00
Residential 20 MPH is Plenty AM & PM Details	00	00
Harding Avenue & 96 Street / Crosswalk	00	00
All other Collins Avenue Enforcement Results	00	00

Sunday, April 5		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location / Detail Type	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Village Wide	00	00
Radar Enforcement on Collins Avenue	00	00
9700 Collins Avenue / Shops Illegal Right Turns	00	00
North Lot / Frontage Road	00	00
Residential 20 MPH is Plenty AM & PM Details	00	00
Harding Avenue & 96 Street / Crosswalk	00	00
All other Collins Avenue Enforcement Results	00	00

Monday, April 6		
Traffic Enforcement Details		
Location / Detail Type	Citations	Warnings
Parking Enforcement Village Wide	00	00
Radar Enforcement on Collins Avenue	00	00
9700 Collins Avenue / Shops Illegal Right Turns	00	00
North Lot / Frontage Road	00	00
Residential 20 MPH is Plenty AM & PM Details	00	00
Harding Avenue & 96 Street / Crosswalk	00	00
All other Collins Avenue Enforcement Results	00	02

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<b>Tuesday, April 7</b>		
<b>Traffic Enforcement Details</b>		
<b>Location / Detail Type</b>	<b>Citations</b>	<b>Warnings</b>
Parking Enforcement Village Wide	00	00
Radar Enforcement on Collins Avenue	00	00
9700 Collins Avenue / Shops Illegal Right Turns	00	00
North Lot / Frontage Road	00	00
Residential 20 MPH is Plenty AM & PM Details	00	00
Harding Avenue & 96 Street / Crosswalk	00	00
All other Collins Avenue Enforcement Results	00	01

<b>Wednesday, April 8</b>		
<b>Traffic Enforcement Details</b>		
<b>Location / Detail Type</b>	<b>Citations</b>	<b>Warnings</b>
Parking Enforcement Village Wide	00	00
Radar Enforcement on Collins Avenue	00	00
9700 Collins Avenue / Shops Illegal Right Turns	00	00
North Lot / Frontage Road	00	00
Residential 20 MPH is Plenty AM & PM Details	00	00
Harding Avenue & 96 Street / Crosswalk	00	00
All other Collins Avenue Enforcement Results	00	00

<b>Thursday, April 9</b>		
<b>Traffic Enforcement Details</b>		
<b>Location / Detail Type</b>	<b>Citations</b>	<b>Warnings</b>
Parking Enforcement Village Wide	01	00
Radar Enforcement on Collins Avenue	00	00
9700 Collins Avenue / Shops Illegal Right Turns	00	00
North Lot / Frontage Road	00	00
Residential 20 MPH is Plenty AM & PM Details	00	00
Harding Avenue & 96 Street / Crosswalk	00	00
All other Collins Avenue Enforcement Results	00	00

## Summary of Activities and Events

### Code Enforcement

The Code Enforcement Unit conducted inspections of several construction sites in the gated community after receiving a complaint of a possible violation of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) protocols. The NPDES protocols require construction sites to ensure contaminants do not enter the water discharge system. Code Officers discovered a construction site on the 100 block of Bal Cross Drive did not have adequate NPDES barriers and issued the property owner a written Code Violation Warning. Code Officers spoke with the site supervisor and ensured all barriers were in place before the close of the day.

The Code Enforcement Unit visited three other construction locations within the gated community located on Bal Cross Drive, Balfour Drive, and Camden Drive. Although these locations had some level of NPDES barriers, they barriers were near their end-of-life and did not appear to sufficiently protect the drainage systems. The site manager for each of these sites agreed to replace the barriers by the end of business day.

The Code Enforcement Unit returned to all of the above locations on the day the warnings were issued at 5:00pm and noted all NPDES barriers had been replaced and were property positioned.

### Criminal Investigations

The Criminal Investigations Division (CID) continues to assist Patrol and Police Administration during the Covid-19 emergency. The CID assisted with the compilation of situational reports for staff, and conducted daily patrols of the Village to enhance police visibility.

## Summary of Noteworthy Calls for Service

### 04-03-2020 through 04-09-2020 Enhanced Patrol

### Bal Harbour Village

The Police Department enhanced staffing and patrols during the Covid-19 emergency to ensure the safety of the community. Officers are monitoring the beach, jetty, and walking paths to ensure pedestrian safety and compliance with social distancing directives. Officers increased patrols of the condominiums along the west side of Collins Avenue. Officers continue frequent patrols of the gated community to ensure compliance with Covid-19 directives.

### 04-03-2020

### Suspicious Incident

### 10100 Block of Collins Ave

Officers responded to a condominium on the west side of Collins Avenue after a caller reported a woman jumping over the fence into the gated community. When officers spoke in person with the complainant, she corrected her account and stated she saw a woman sitting on the dividing wall but never saw her jump into the gated community. Officers conducted a canvass of the area to ensure no unauthorized persons entered the Village.

<b>04-03-2020</b>	<b>Noise Complaint</b>	<b>10200 Block of Collins Ave</b>
An anonymous caller reported loud music at a condominium on the west side of Collins Avenue. Officers responded and located the source of the loud music. The unit owner promptly turned off the music and the complaint was resolved without further action.		
<b>04-04-2020</b>	<b>Covid-19 Investigation</b>	<b>10200 Block of Collins Avenue</b>
Officers responded to a condominium building on the east side of Collins Avenue regarding approximately seven women participating in a yoga class together. Officers located the group in the common area as they were gathering their belongings to leave. Officers reminded the women of the social distancing requirements and they all agreed to adhere to the proper protocol.		
<b>04-04-2020</b>	<b>Fraud</b>	<b>9700 Block of Collins Avenue</b>
The complainant called the police to report his soon-to-be ex-wife used his American Express card without his authorization. The couple is in the process of divorcing and not living together at the time. The complaint claimed false charges totaling about \$1,800. The case was forwarded to the Criminal Investigations Division for further review.		
<b>04-05-2020</b>	<b>Suspicious Incident</b>	<b>9700 Block of Collins Avenue</b>
The police department received a call from a woman claiming her soon-to-be ex-husband left to Chicago with several pieces of jewelry belonging to her. The report appears to be a counter allegation to one received on 04-04-2020 where the complainant's husband claims she made fraudulent charges on his credit card. The case was forwarded to the Criminal Investigation Division for further review.		
<b>04-05-2020</b>	<b>Suspicious Person</b>	<b>10200 Block of Collins Ave</b>
Officers were called to the scene of an eastside hotel regarding a male sleeping in a cabana. Officers located the male and learned the man was recently homeless and without a job. Officers assisted the man by providing the name and location of local shelters. The man left the area without further incident.		
<b>04-05-2020</b>	<b>Simple Battery</b>	<b>9600 Block at Collins Ave</b>
A resident of an eastside condominium was walking along Collins Avenue when several cyclists passed alongside her as they headed northbound. One of the bicyclists sprayed the complainant with his water bottle. The complainant was not injured as a result of the incident.		
<b>04-08-2020</b>	<b>Death Investigation</b>	<b>10200 Block of Collins Ave</b>
Police officers were summoned to a beachside condominium regarding a death investigation. Family members discovered the victim deceased in his bathroom. There were no obvious signs of foul play and the victim had a long history of medical issues. There is no indication at this time the death is Covid-19 related.		

Completed by: Raleigh Flowers, Chief of Police

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