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MONTHLY LAW ENFORCEMENT REPORT TO THE ENNIS TOWN COMMISSION

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Every house within Ennis Town Limits has an assigned identifying number also known as an address. Addresses are crucial for emergency personnel when responding to the location of an emergency. These numbers are also important for UPS and FedEx to deliver your packages to the correct house.

Recently throughout town several new and existing houses have been found missing address or have address that can't be read from the street.

- Make sure the numbers are large enough and can be easily seen from the road. Numbers should be at least four inches tall.
- Numbers should be in a contrasting color from the color of your house so the address stands out and can be quickly spotted.
- Select numbers that are easy to read and not in a cursive style design.
- Keep trees and plants trimmed to not block the house numbers.
- Install a light above the numbers or use reflective numbers so the address can be noticeable at night.

Ennis Town Code 9-2-1 requires house numbers (address) on all structures.

Speed Signs are still working but the data remains elusive due to the Windows, speed sign program, and Bluetooth issue.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns please ask, my door is always open, email is available, and my phone is on.

“The purpose of life is not to be happy. It is to be useful, to be honorable, to be compassionate, to have it make some difference that you have lived and lived well.” — Ralph Waldo Emerson

SYNOPSIS:

During the month of May 2023, law enforcement responded to 66 incidents and/or calls for service. The Ennis Police Department issued 33 citations, issued 54 warnings, and fingerprinted 11 people for various non-criminal background checks. This month's speeding citations averaged 19 MPH over the posted speed limit.

INCIDENTS AND CALLS FOR SERVICE:

Date	Location	Agency	Nature of Call	Disposition	TIME
5/1	W Fagin	EPD	Wildlife (Deer) Complaint	Closed	D
5/2	Charles	EPD	Truancy - Juvenile Problems	Closed	D
5/2	W Main St	EPD	Found Property - Returned	Closed	D
5/2	Hutchins Ln	EPD	Report of Lost Property	Closed	D
5/3	Undisclosed	EPD	Abuse	Closed	D
5/3	N Main St	MCSO	Dog Bite Complaint	Closed	N
5/4	E Main St	EPD	Suspicious Person	Closed	D
5/5	Veterans Memorial	EPD	Vandalism	Closed	D
5/6	Sewage Lagoon	EPD	Trespassing - Vehicle	Closed	D
5/6	Sewage Lagoon	EPD	Trespassing - Person	Closed	D
5/6	Otis Ave	EPD	Suspicious Person	Closed	D
5/7	E Steffens St	EPD	Crash - Car vs Parked Car	Closed	D
5/8	W Main St	EPD	Public Assist - Homeless Person	Closed	D
5/8	E Main St	EPD	Suspicious Person	Closed	D
5/9	Lions Park	EPD	Suspicious Vehicle	Closed	D
5/9	Lions Park	EPD	Report of Lost Property	Closed	D
5/9	Charles	EPD	Trespassing	Closed	D
5/9	W Main St	MCSO	Homeless Person Begging for Food	Closed	D
5/9	E Hugel St	EPD	Suspicious Circumstances	Closed	D
5/10	W Main St	EPD	Found Property - Returned	Closed	D
5/10	E Main St	EPD	Sign Violation - Enforcement	Closed	D
5/11	Otis Ave	EPD	Trespassing Complaint	Closed	D
5/11	Charles	EPD	Disturbance	Closed	D
5/11	Charles	EPD	Missing Person - Found	Closed	D
5/11	N Main St	EPD	Theft	Closed	D
5/11	W Main St	EPD	Suspicious Person	Closed	D
5/12	Fairgrounds Rd	EPD	Wildlife (Antelope) Complaint	Unfounded	D
5/12	E Main St	EPD	Parking Complaint - Vehicle Legally Parked	Unfounded	D
5/13	W Main St	EPD/MCSO	Dog Bite Complaint	Closed	D
5/13	E Main St	MCSO	911 Hangup	Closed	N
5/14	N Main St	EPD/MCSO	Panic Alarm - Accidental Push	Closed	D
5/14	Otis Ave	EPD	Suspicious Circumstances	Closed	D
5/14	Forest Service Dr.	EPD	Welfare Check - Homeless Person	Closed	D
5/15	US287	EPD	Abandoned Vehicle	Closed	D
5/15	N Main St	EPD	Crash - Car vs Car	Closed	D
5/15	Town	EPD	Traffic Control for School Cleanup Day	Closed	D
5/16	E Main St	EPD	Theft	Open	D
5/16	W Fagin	EPD	Suspicious Circumstances	Closed	D
5/17	W Hugel	EPD	Suspicious Circumstances	Closed	D

5/17	E Hugel St	EPD	Dog Barking Complaint	Closed	N
5/18	Charles	EPD	Truancy - Juvenile Problems	Closed	D
5/18	N First St	EPD	Ordinance / Encroachment Enforcement	Closed	D
5/19	Charles	EPD	Suspicious Circumstances	Closed	D
5/19	Beaverhead	EPD	Dispute over Property	Civil	D
5/19	E Main St	EPD	Homeless Person Begging for Money	Closed	D
5/19	Comley	EPD	Injured Deer Complaint	Closed	D
5/21	Comley	EPD	Injured Deer Complaint	Closed	D
5/21	Undisclosed	EPD	Abuse Complaint	Closed	D
5/21	US287	EPD/MCSO	Public Assist - Homeless Person	Closed	D
5/21	E Main St	EPD	Lost Property - Wallet	Closed	D
5/22	US287	EPD	Suspicious Homeless Person	Closed	D
5/23	Charles	EPD	Disturbance	Closed	D
5/23	US287	EPD	Welfare Check - Homeless Person	Closed	D
5/23	Otis Ave	EPD	Theft	Closed	N
5/24	S Third Street	EPD	Horse Complaint	Closed	D
5/24	W Hugel	EPD	Lost Property - Firearm	Closed	D
5/25	S Third Street	EPD	Chicken / Rooster Complaint	Closed for now	D
5/25	W Armitage	EPD	Theft	Closed	D
5/27	Nicole Way	EPD	Wildlife Complaint - Bobcat eating her birds	Closed	D
5/27	W Main St	EPD	Suspicious Circumstances -Person Begging	Closed	D
5/27	W Main St	MCSO	Crash - Car vs Deer	Closed	N
5/28	E Main St	EPD	Posting untrue things on Facebook	Civil	N
5/28	W Hugel	EPD	Injured Deer Complaint	Closed	D
5/28	E Main St	MCSO	Parking / Homeless Compliant	Closed	N
5/29	W Main St	EPD	Theft	Closed	D
5/30	Jefferson	MCSO	Welfare Check	Closed	N

D = Day Call 0600-1800 N = Night Call 1800-0600
58 Day Calls and 8 Night Calls

EPD CITATION ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY:

Traffic Citations-	
Speeding	15
Careless Driving	2
Failure to Drive on the Right of Roadway	2
Stop Sign Violation	1
Seatbelt Violation	1

Criminal Citations-	
Theft	1
Criminal Trespass	1

Ordinance Violations-	
Sign Violation	2
Nuisance Dog Barking	1
Failure to Register Dog	1
Dog on Exterior of Vehicle – leash required	1
Vicious Dog	1

EPD PARKING TICKET ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY:

Blocking Fire Hydrant	1
Parked Where Official Signs Prohibit	1
Parked within a Crosswalk	1
Parking Across Lines E Main Street	1