



Town of Atherton

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DATE: NOVEMBER 1, 2023

TO: TRANSPORTATION, BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN
SAFETY COMMITTEE

FROM: STEVEN D. McCULLEY, CHIEF OF POLICE

RE: TRAFFIC REPORT –OCTOBER 2023

The following is a summary of the activities that have occurred during the month, as well as a summary of the collision, citation and DUI statistics for the Police Department.

TRAFFIC COMPLAINTS

The Atherton Police Department did not receive any traffic complaints for the month of October.

MONTHLY DUI REPORT

Three (3) arrests were made for Driving Under the Influence during the month of October. One (1) of the arrests was the result of a traffic collision.

TRUCK ENFORCEMENT DATA

No truck stop details were performed during the month of October.

TRAFFIC OFFICER SCHEDULE

Sergeant Metzger, Officer Rojas, Officer MacDonald, and Officer Gatto were assigned to the Traffic Division during the month of October. These officers utilized their police motorcycles and worked traffic enforcement as time and calls for service permitted. Officer Rojas had ten days of training during the month of October. Officer MacDonald had four days of training during the month of October. Sergeant Metzger had six days of training during the month of October. Officer Gatto had one day of training during the month of October.

Sergeant Metzger was scheduled for 168 hours and produced 207 combined cites.
Officer Rojas was scheduled for 108 hours and produced 90 combined cites.
Officer MacDonald was scheduled for 129 hours and produced 116 combined cites.
Officer Gatto was scheduled for 108 hours and produced 67 combined cites.

TRAFFIC COLLISION DATA

During the month of October, a total of nine (9) traffic collisions occurred in the Town of Atherton. Six (6) of the collisions involved injuries. Two (2) of the collisions were hit-and-runs. One (1) of the collisions involved a driver who was driving under the influence.

The collisions occurred in the following locations:

- 1) El Camino Real at intersection with Watkins Avenue (Minor Injury)
Thursday, 10:44 AM, Broadside, Failure to Yield
Vehicle #1: Westbound on Watkins Avenue
Vehicle #2: Northbound on El Camino Real
- 2) El Camino Real at intersection at Atherton Avenue (Hit and Run)
Thursday, 7:56 PM, Rear End, Unsafe Speed
Vehicle #1: Northbound on El Camino Real
Vehicle #2: Northbound on El Camino Real
Vehicle#3: Northbound on El Camino Real
- 3) Marsh Road, 200 feet East of Middlefield Road (DUI Crash)
Thursday, 10:13 PM, Head On, DUI and Double Yellow Line
Vehicle #1: Eastbound in the westbound lane of travel of Marsh Road
Vehicle #2: Westbound on Marsh Road
- 4) Tuscaloosa Avenue, 100 feet East of Selby Lane
Saturday, 12:47 PM, Hit Object, Unsafe Speed
Vehicle #1: Eastbound on Tuscaloosa Avenue
Object #1: Raised planter box on Tuscaloosa Avenue
- 5) Alameda De Las Pulgas, 25 feet south of Walsh Road (Minor Injury)
Tuesday, 5:20 PM, Broadside, Failure to Yield
Vehicle #1: Westbound Leaving Las Lomitas Parking Lot
Vehicle #2: Northbound on Alameda De Las Pulgas

- 6) Barry Lane at the intersection with Barry Lane
Wednesday, 12:19 AM, Hit Object, Unsafe Speed
Vehicle #1: Southbound on Barry Lane
Object #1: Fence
- 7) Atherton Avenue at the intersection with Selby Lane (Hit and Run)
Wednesday, 8:12 AM, Side Swipe, Unsafe Passing on the Right
Vehicle #1: Westbound on Atherton Avenue
Vehicle #2: Westbound on Atherton Avenue
- 8) Watkins Avenue at the intersection with El Camino Real (Minor Injury)
Tuesday, 6:26 PM, Rear End, Unsafe Speed
Vehicle #1: Northbound on El Camino Real
Vehicle #2: Northbound on El Camino Real
- 9) El Camino Real at the intersection of Watkins Avenue (Minor Injury)
Wednesday, 12:24 PM, Broadside, Failure to Yield
Vehicle #1: Westbound on Watkins Avenue
Vehicle #2: Northbound on El Camino Real

Of the above collisions, one (1) occurred during the morning commute period, 6:00am to 10:00am, Monday through Friday.

Of the above collisions, one (1) occurred during the afternoon commute period, 3:00pm to 7:00pm, Monday through Friday.

TRAFFIC CITATION DATA OCTOBER 2023

Citations Warning Citation Parking Citations:

662 371 47 Total written citations = 1,080

Non-Written Traffic Contacts:

Verbal Warnings:	= 128
Investigative Traffic Stops:	= 8



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