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To: Kevin Murphy
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From: William Taylor
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Re: Council Response

9/12/17 8.13 – Councilor Belanger – Request the City Manager work with the Lowell Police Department to enhance safety patrols along street corridor from Kearney Square to Kerouac Park.

In response to enhancing safety patrols along street corridor from Kearney Square to Kerouac Park the Lowell Police Department (LPD) has utilized several strategies which include, but not limited to, assigning extra patrols in the area and working with other city departments. The LPD has been able to utilize state grant funding to assign an extra officer on foot patrol to this location from mid-afternoon up until 8pm on a daily basis. Also, assigned Officers worked with various city departments to address any issues in the area such as the removal of excess vegetation that was blocking views of the park from the street, lighting repairs and any other damages that needed to be addressed.

Attached, please find a review of the computer aided dispatch (CAD) calls for service produced by the Crime Analysis Unit. In summary the data showed that the highest percentages of calls are Proactive Policing calls. The LPD Sector Captain will continue to monitor the area



Lowell Police Department

Kerouac Park– 93 Bridge St

All information is for the timeframe of 9/1/17-11/27/17 for the address of 93 Bridge St.

- ◆ For the timeframe listed above, there have been a total of 157 calls to this location. Seventy-three percent of the calls to this location have been for Proactive Policing, which includes Directed Patrols, Foot Patrols, Property Checks, and Warrant Checks. For the complete breakdown of calls please see the table to the right.
- ◆ During the same timeframe, there were a total of 8 reports, which resulted in 3 arrests and 1 summons.
- ◆ There have been a total of 30 FI's conducted at this location.

Call Category	# of Calls
Arrest/Wagon Request	1
Assistance	1
Disturbance	4
Fight	10
Medical	19
Police Business	1
Proactive Policing	114
Service Call	1
Suspicious	2
Theft	1
Traffic/MV Charges	2
Unknown	1
Total	157