

# Maynard Police Department

Monthly Report  
August 2019

Mark Dubois  
Chief of Police



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## Incidents

On August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019 the Maynard Police Department was notified by the FBI they intended to serve a warrant to Steven Hardy, 32 of Maynard. The Maynard Police Department, the Acton Police Department alongside FBI Agents formed a perimeter in the area and began searching the woods for Hardy after he left the residence on an ATV. After a lengthy search, Hardy was located by Sergeant Duggan of the Maynard Police Department and taken into custody without further incident. Please see the press release issued Department of Justice US Attorney's Office of Maine for details in regards to the case.



### Department of Justice

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#### Men Charged with Conspiring to Interfere with Commerce by Robbery

Portland, Maine: United States Attorney Halsey B. Frank announced that **Eric Mercado**, 32, of Lowell, Massachusetts, was arrested in Georgia, and **Steven Hardy**, 42, of Maynard, Massachusetts, was arrested in Maynard, and both were charged today by criminal complaint unsealed in U.S. District Court in Maine with conspiring to interfere with commerce by robbery.

According to the complaint, on May 10, 2019, Mercado, Hardy and others drove from outside of Maine to a residence in York, Maine in order to commit an armed home invasion robbery to steal marijuana and marijuana sales proceeds. Both men, wearing face masks, entered the residence armed with firearms which they discharged during the attempted robbery. After discharging the firearms, they fled.

If convicted, they face up to 20 years in prison and a \$250,000 fine.

Mercado's initial appearance in U.S. District Court in Savannah, Georgia and Hardy's initial appearance in Worcester, Massachusetts, have not yet been scheduled.

The ongoing investigation is being conducted by the FBI, in conjunction with the York Police Department.

A criminal complaint is merely an accusation, and a defendant is presumed innocent unless proven guilty in a court of law.

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## Incidents (continued)

On August 26<sup>th</sup>, the Maynard Police Department began to receive reports of damage to windows of Main Street businesses. Additionally, entry had been gained into two of these businesses McDonald's Restaurant and Oliver's Wands and Wizarding Wares. Additionally items were taken from Oliver's Wands and Wizarding Wares. Maynard Police Department Detectives conducted a thorough investigation, and were able to obtain the identity of the individual responsible. Please see the statement below issued by Chief Mark Dubois:

MAYNARD — Chief Mark W. Dubois is pleased to report that, after a thorough investigation, the Maynard Police Department has arrested a suspect in last week's spree of vandalism that left five Main Street businesses damaged. JEREMY BEARSE, AGE 27, OF ACTON was arrested on Friday after police served a warrant at his home. He has been charged with:

- Breaking and Entering in the Nighttime (Two Counts)
- Malicious Destruction of Property (Five Counts)
- Larceny from a Building
- Breaking and Entering into a Depository
- Attempt to Break into a Depository

Maynard Police detectives initiated an investigation on Monday, Aug. 26 after five Main Street businesses were vandalized or broken into overnight Sunday into Monday. Several businesses had windows damaged by shots from a BB or pellet gun. At least one business had been entered, with various items thrown around and damaged. One business had several items reported missing as well. Investigators obtained helpful surveillance footage from a McDonald's restaurant that was vandalized. The investigation lead police to BEARSE and police applied for and received a search warrant for his residence and vehicle. BEARSE is known to police and is currently on probation for armed robbery. A probation violation warrant is being sought. BEARSE has been held since Friday at the Middlesex House of Correction and Jail in Billerica pending arraignment Tuesday morning. The Acton Police Department assisted Maynard Police in apprehending BEARSE. Maynard Police Detective Trista Manchuso was the lead investigator. Chief Dubois praised the work of detectives in bringing a resolution to this disturbing case.

"I am pleased with the hard work and dedication of our investigators who have worked to identify and arrest a suspect in this brazen crime spree that damaged several businesses in Maynard's downtown," Chief Dubois said. "The Maynard Police Department exists to ensure the safety, security and well-being of our citizens, visitors and businesses, and I want to reassure our business community that this case is an example of our commitment to that duty."



## Community Outreach

Ofc. Maskalenko attended the annual Maynard Public Library's Summer Reading Raffle hosted at the Thoreau Club in Concord.

On August 6<sup>th</sup>, Chief Dubois co-hosted a presentation at the Assabet Valley Boys and Girls Club alongside Middlesex District Attorney Marian Ryan.

Ofc. Maskalenko attended the bike rodeo on August 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Fowler School.



## Training

Ofc. Maskalenko attended a two day Active Shooter course called ALERRT at Regis College in Weston.



## Animal Control

### Total Number of Calls: 59

Complaints: 5

Lost Dogs:

Lost Cats: 2

Cat Related (Other):

Animal/Wildlife Calls: 16

Miscellaneous: 29

### Total Number of Animals Picked Up: 0

Unlicensed Dogs:

Unclaimed Dogs:

Still in Animal Control Custody:

Surrendered to Humane Shelter:

### Total Number of Citations Issued: 0

Unlicensed:

Leash Law/Not Under Owner Control:

Other Offenses:

Court Summons Processed:

### Total Number of Human Bites:

### Total Number of Animal to Animal Bites:

### 10 Day Quarantine Orders (Human Bite):

Issued: 0

Released: 2

### 10 Day Quarantine Orders (Animal Bite):

Issued: 0

Released: 0

### 45 Day and 6 Month Quarantine Orders:

Issued: 2

Released: 1

### Animals Sent to State Lab for Testing:

Bats: 2

\* One unsatisfactory specimen per lab. One Negative result



# Motor Vehicle Stops

Action Taken	
Civil Citation	23
Written Warning	61
Verbal Warning	208
Arrests (Motor Vehicle Related)	8
Criminal Complaint	2
<b>Total Motor Vehicle Stops</b>	<b>302</b>



# Motor Vehicle Accidents

Location	Number of Motor Vehicle Accidents
Acton Street	1
Main Street	3
Nason Street	3
Powder Mill Road	1
Turner Road	1
Waltham Street	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>





# Arrests

Steven Francis Hardy Maynard MA 32 Fugitive From Justice on Court Warrant	Jason Chaves Maynard MA 36 Warrant Arrest Warrant Arrest Warrant Arrest Warrant Arrest
Andrew David Mathieu Maynard MA 27 OUI Liquor .08% Negligent Operation of Motor Vehicle One Way Street Violation	Fabienne A Jeune Maynard MA 31 Warrant Arrest
Frank C Luciano Framingham MA 24 OUI Liquor .08% Negligent Operation of Motor Vehicle Possess Open Container of Alcohol in MV Speeding in Violation Special Regulation	Jean Wesner Vilbrun Acton MA 40 Negligent Operation of Motor Vehicle MV Lights Violation Possess Open Container of Alcohol in MV OUI Liquor .08% 2 <sup>nd</sup> Offense



# Arrests

<p>Onix X Concepcion            Maynard MA            30            OP MV with License Suspended            Crosswalk Violation            Failure to Notify RMV of Name/Address Change</p>	<p>Adam Joseph Surreau            Concord MA            36            OUI Liquor .08% 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense            Negligent Operation of Motor Vehicle            Failure to Stop for Police            Speeding in Violation Special Regulation</p>
<p>Leonardo Medina Jr            Maynard MA            38            OUI Liquor .08%            OUI Drugs            Negligent Operation of Motor Vehicle            Fail to Stop/Yield</p>	<p>Jeremy Bearse            Acton MA            27            Warrant Arrest</p>
<p>Scott D Fillmore            Lunenburg MA            57            Operate Without Ignition Interlock            OP MV with Suspended License Subsequent Offense            Operate MV In Violation of License Restriction            MV Lights Violation</p>	<p><b>Total: 13</b></p> <p>It is important to note that subjects are placed under arrest based upon probable cause and the arrest, in and of itself, is not a determination of guilt. Arrests that are not listed may represent juvenile or domestic violence arrests, or those placed into protective custody.</p>