



**AGENDA**  
**Community Policing Advisory Committee**

May 23, 2018

9:00 am

Council Chambers, Town Hall

Pages

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**
3. **ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA**  
**THAT the agenda for the May 23, 2018 Community Policing Advisory Committee be accepted as presented.**
4. **ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING** 3  
**THAT the minutes of the April 18, 2018 Community Policing Advisory Committee be approved and signed by the Chair and Secretary.**
5. **BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES**
6. **DELEGATIONS**  
(None received)
7. **REPORTS**
  - 7.1 **POLICE MONTHLY STATISTICS** 7  
**THAT the April 2018 OPP Monthly report be received for information.**
  - 7.2 **MONTHLY FALSE ALARM REPORT** 17  
**THAT the March 2018 False Alarm report be received for information.**

**8. CORRESPONDENCE**

(None received)

**9. OTHER BUSINESS**

**10. UPCOMING MEETINGS**

June 20, 2018 - 9:00 am, Council Chambers

July - No Meeting

August - No Meeting

**11. ADJOURNMENT**

**THAT the May 23, 2018 meeting of the Community Policing Advisory Committee be adjourned at \_\_\_\_\_ am.**



**MINUTES**  
**Community Policing Advisory Committee**

April 18, 2018  
9:00am  
Council Chambers, Town Hall

Committee Members Present: Peter McAsh  
Mayor Strathdee  
Fred Stam  
John McGarry  
Councillor Don Van Galen

OPP Present: Detachment Commander Rob Scott  
Staff Sargent Stephane Pilon

Staff Present: Brent Kittmer, Board Secretary

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Van Galen called the meeting to order at 9:00am.

**2. DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**

None declared.

**3. ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA**

**Moved By** J. McGarry

**Seconded By** F. Stam

That the agenda for the April 18, 2018 Community Policing Advisory Committee be accepted as presented.

**CARRIED**

**4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING**

**Moved By** P. McAsh

**Seconded By** F. Stam

THAT the minutes of the March 21, 2018 Community Policing Advisory Committee be approved and signed by the Chair and Secretary.

**CARRIED**

**5. BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES**

None raised.

**6. DELEGATIONS**

None received.

**7. REPORTS**

**7.1 POLICE MONTHLY STATISTICS**

R. Scott reviewed the March 2018 OPP Monthly report.

In response to Chair Van Galen, Rob Scott explained the following related to school lockdowns:

- School has protocols to make a decision regarding a lockdown. Not always are the police involved.
- If the OPP are involved, they will issue public media releases.
- If the OPP are not involved, the communications procedures are determined by the school board.

In response to Mayor Strathdee, Rob Scott explained there was an error in the monthly report regarding focused patrols. Rob Scott clarified that there is a current focused patrol in St. Marys regarding noise complaints and a downtown entertainment.

**Moved By** F. Stam

**Seconded By** J. McGarry

THAT the March 2018 OPP Monthly report be received for information.

**CARRIED**

**7.2 MONTHLY FALSE ALARM REPORT (March 2018)**

**Moved By** P. McAsh

**Seconded By** F. Stam

THAT the March 2018 False Alarm report be received for information.

**CARRIED**

## 8. CORRESPONDENCE

None received.

## 9. OTHER BUSINESS

### 9.1 Discussion - Community Concerns re: Increased Graffiti and Tagging

Chair Van Galen raised this item for discussion at the request of Council from the April 10, 2018 Town Council meeting.

Rob Scott offered the following information and suggestions:

- The recent tagging in St. Marys is likely youth oriented and not gang related. As a result, it can be difficult to identify culprits because there is no commonly known tag used.
- The OPP will reach out to the School officer to educate youth, and review social media to determine if anyone is taking credit for the work.
- The OPP will increase patrol hours in affected areas.
- Work to encourage downtown property owners to call the police if they see someone suspicious in their alley ways, or affected areas.
- File reports with the OPP after tagging occurs so that the OPP can focus their patrols to these areas.
- Quick removal of tags is a good strategy so that no publicity is drawn to the tag. This can have a discouraging effect to the tagger.
- Work with youth to develop an area where tagging and graffiti art is promoted. This has been a successful strategy employed in larger centres.
- Reach out to other communities to determine strategies they have taken to reduce graffiti and tagging.

## 10. UPCOMING MEETINGS

Chair Van Galen noted the upcoming meetings as listed on the agenda.

## 11. ADJOURNMENT

**Moved By** F. Stam

**Seconded By** J. McGarry

THAT the April 18, 2018 meeting of the Community Policing Advisory Committee be adjourned at 9:50am.

**CARRIED**

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Chair Don Van Galen

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Brent Kittmer, CAO / Clerk, Board Secretary



# Perth County



## St. Marys Community Policing Advisory Committee Report



April 2018



# Perth County OPP Community Safety and Engagement Report

## St. Marys 2018/April

### Calls for Service

2018: 157

2017: 187

2016: 115

### Public Complaints

Policy

Nil

Service

Nil

Conduct

Nil

### Secondary Employment

N/A

### DAR - Community Safety / Mobilization Hours

Number of Cruiser Patrol Hours:	111.75
Number of Foot Patrol Hours:	25.50
Number of School Patrol Hours:	20.25
Number of Specialized Patrol Hours:	Nil
Number of Focused Patrol Hours:	20.00
Number of Community Mobilization Hours:	21.75
Number of RIDE Program Hours:	3.50
Number of Auxiliary Hours:	6.00

### Detachment Initiatives

Number of Targeted Media Releases:

#### **NUMBER OF TARGETED MEDIA RELEASES:**

20 media releases were placed on the Perth County Media Portal, including 4 county-wide and 3 specific to St. Marys.

These included:

- A release about an online scam targeting a senior

Three media interviews were conducted: all on radio. One WR Twitter post was also made.

# Perth County OPP Community Safety and Engagement Report

## St. Marys 2018/April

	Media releases are put out to in an attempt to educate, create awareness, and emphasize the need for the public's help in solving crimes.
Crime and Traffic Campaigns/Initiatives:	<p>There were 2 Collisions in St. Marys in April (2 Property Damage).</p> <p>There was 1 RIDE program conducted in St. Marys in April with negative results.</p>
Public Education Campaigns:	<p><b>PUBLIC EDUCATION &amp; CAMPAIGNS:</b></p> <p>Four media releases were issued this past month pertaining to county-wide information and/or public education campaigns. These included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A release about five stunt drivers being charged</li> <li>• A release about auto theft prevention</li> <li>• A release about a scam involving cryptocurrency</li> <li>• A release about vehicles not stopping for school buses</li> </ul> <p>New Canadians Initiative: Draft updates have been reviewed by Corporate Communications and are in the edit phase. Filming takes place in June. Project launch-September 2018.</p> <p>Project Lifesaver: Approximately 6 new clients have been registered with the program following the media re-launch in March 2018. Annual refresher training is being reviewed.</p> <p>Coffee with a Cop/Tea With the OPP: planning is underway. The community based initiative will provide opportunities for members of the public to attend small coffee shops to meet informally with the police and discuss community concerns. Perth County OPP Auxiliary Unit has partnered with PC Brown to create the education materials.</p>
Crime Stoppers:	<p>8 Total new OPP tips (Perth County only)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 2 Perth Drugs</li> <li>➤ 6 Perth Intelligence</li> </ul> <p>One meeting attended and one presentation completed.</p>
Continuous Learning:	<p>Block Training – 4 Officers</p> <p>TRU Selection – 1 Officer</p> <p>Use of Force Training – 1 Officer</p>

# Perth County OPP Community Safety and Engagement Report

## St. Marys 2018/April

	Drug Recognition Training – 1 Officer Crime Conference – 6 Officers UAS Training – 1 Officer ERT Training – 1 Officer Public Order Unit Training – 1 Officer TIMR Training – 1 Officer
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<b>Community Engagement</b>
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School/Youth Officer Hours / Calls for Service:	There were six calls for service at St. Marys DCVI in April. These included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School concerned about older person associating with a young student. FYI for police, no allegations of improprieties, just concerns, police to follow-up</li> <li>• Student needs to be spoken to about assaultive behaviour with mother during drop-off times at school, clearly suffering from MHA issues</li> <li>• Unwanted person/threats - police were requested to attend to D.C.V.I. High School in St. Mary's for a report of an unwanted person. Teacher reporting that a student was currently in the school and had been asked to leave. Student refusing to leave. Proceeded to punch lockers, police spoke to student and school, trespass notice to be enforced</li> </ul>
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Community Mobilization Officer:	PC Dekoning has continued with the Opioid/Fentanyl presentations in the three Perth County High Schools in our OPP area and will conclude the presentations to the grade 9 classes in May. The strategy moving forward is to continue with the education to our students in the fall. <p>PC Dekoning has spent a considerable amount of time this month attending the assisted living homes in Perth County. The residents that reside in the homes are high needs and require assistance to carry on day to day functions. The ratio in these homes is often one staff to one resident and the homes are privately funded. PC Dekoning attends these locations on a regular basis to speak to the residents and staff in order to continue to build strong relationships and offer advice and recommendations when required. The Police are aware that we will receive calls for service at these homes so PC Dekoning has spent a significant amount of time being a presence and offering assistance to the residents, staff and officers who are called to the homes.</p>
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# Perth County OPP Community Safety and Engagement Report

## St. Marys 2018/April

	<p>PC Dekoning also attended and presented at the Perth County Citizens Police Academy speaking about what role Community Mobilization plays in today's policing.</p> <p>There were six mental health calls for service in St. Marys in April, up from five in March.</p>
Focused Patrol Initiatives:	<p>18-169 Focused patrol initiated in response to noise complaints in and around the Customs House bar late at night. Ongoing from March 23<sup>rd</sup>-April 15<sup>th</sup>. Patrols were made during the late night hours.</p> <p>18-186 Patrols of financial institutions throughout the county due to recent bank robberies in the area. This ran from April 3<sup>rd</sup>-May 3<sup>rd</sup>.</p>
Community Events:	<p>St. Marys bicycle rodeo on May 26<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Mock tornado disaster in Rannoch on May 31<sup>st</sup></p>

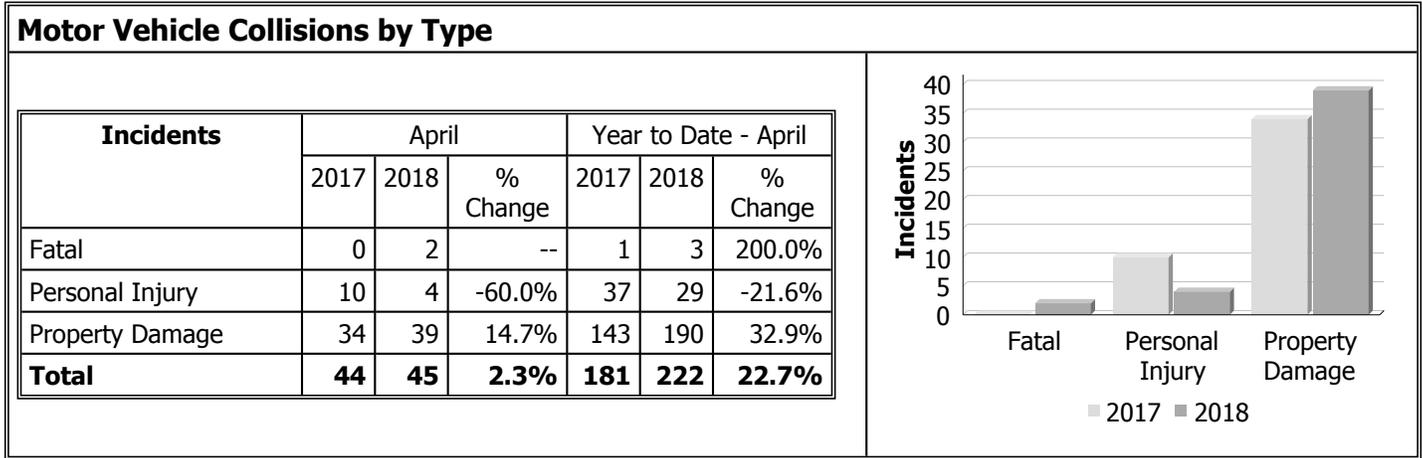
### Noteworthy Occurrences

- Police observed an ATV riding through town at a high rate of speed. Followed and identified the driver who was issued two tickets.
- Two parties were involved in a road rage incident where one party pointed a firearm at the other. One party arrested and charged. Confirmed it was a pellet gun.

### Looking Forward

Trends:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Over the first four months of 2018, the number of violent crime incidents in St. Marys stood at 19, up from the five-year average of 12.</li> <li>• Over the first four months of 2018, the number of property crime incidents in St. Marys stood at 30, down slightly from the five-year average of 31. These types of incidents are expected to rise in May and June.</li> </ul>
Detachment Pressures:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current vacancies / Block Training / Other Training / Annual Leave</li> <li>• Staffing pressures resulting from retirements, transfers, developmental opportunities, parental/maternity leaves, workplace accommodations</li> </ul>
Community Pressures:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increased traffic with the return of nicer weather</li> <li>• Get message out to lock vehicles and other property</li> </ul>

**Police Services Board Report for St. Marys  
Collision Reporting System  
April - 2018**



**Data Utilized**

- SQL online application reporting system – OPP CRS 2.3.09
- Collision Reporting System Business Intelligence Cube

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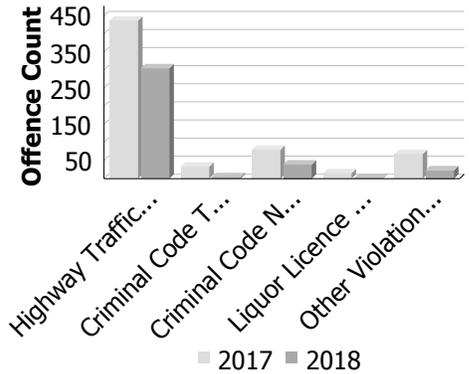
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**Police Services Board Report for St. Marys  
Integrated Court Offence Network  
April - 2018**

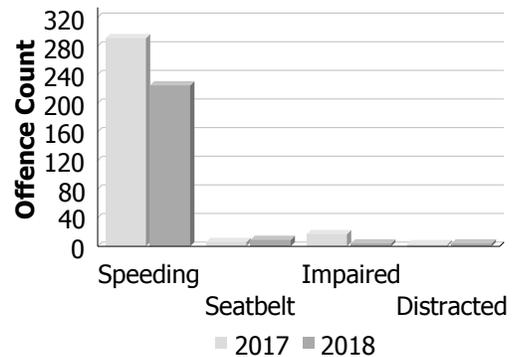
**Criminal Code and Provincial Statute Charges Laid**

Offence Count	April			Year to Date - April		
	2017	2018	% Change	2017	2018	% Change
Highway Traffic Act	437	305	-30.2%	1,288	1,193	-7.4%
Criminal Code Traffic	33	4	-87.9%	50	34	-32.0%
Criminal Code Non-Traffic	80	39	-51.2%	288	188	-34.7%
Liquor Licence Act	15	2	-86.7%	45	34	-24.4%
Other Violations	68	23	-66.2%	201	95	-52.7%
<b>All Violations</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>-41.1%</b>	<b>1,872</b>	<b>1,544</b>	<b>-17.5%</b>



**Traffic Related Charges**

Offence Count	April			Year to Date - April		
	2017	2018	% Change	2017	2018	% Change
Speeding	291	225	-22.7%	745	713	-4.3%
Seatbelt	6	9	50.0%	21	33	57.1%
Impaired	17	4	-76.5%	33	24	-27.3%
Distracted	3	4	33.3%	51	43	-15.7%



Integrated Court Offence Network data is updated on a monthly basis: Data could be as much as a month and a half behind.

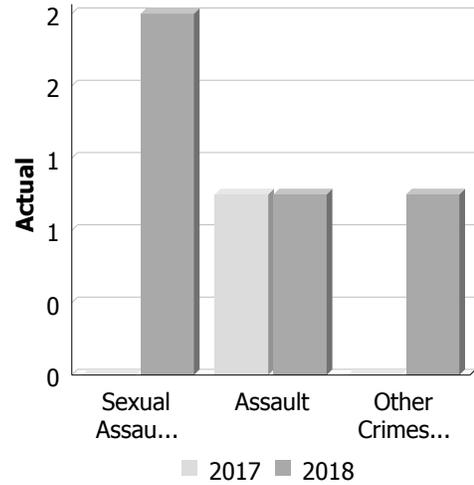
**Data Utilized**

- Ministry of Attorney General, Integrated Court Offence Network
- Integrated Court Offence Network Charge Business Intelligence Cube

**Police Services Board Report for St. Marys  
Records Management System  
April - 2018**

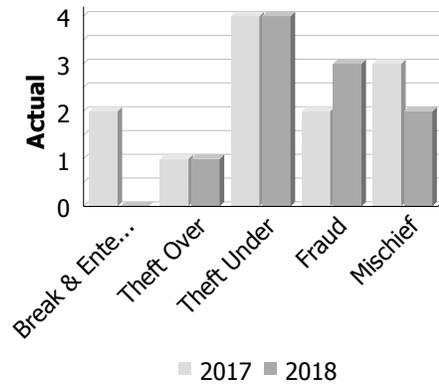
**Violent Crime**

Actual	April			Year to Date - April		
	2017	2018	% Change	2017	2018	% Change
Murder	0	0	--	0	0	--
Other Offences Causing Death	0	0	--	0	0	--
Attempted Murder	0	0	--	0	0	--
Sexual Assault	0	2	--	0	2	--
Assault	1	1	0.0%	4	13	225.0%
Abduction	0	0	--	0	0	--
Robbery	0	0	--	0	0	--
Other Crimes Against a Person	0	1	--	1	3	200.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>300.0%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>260.0%</b>



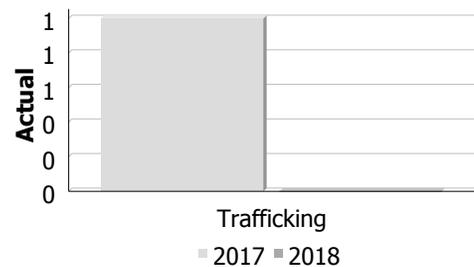
**Property Crime**

Actual	April			Year to Date - April		
	2017	2018	% Change	2017	2018	% Change
Arson	0	0	--	0	0	--
Break & Enter	2	0	-100.0%	2	0	-100.0%
Theft Over	1	1	0.0%	7	3	-57.1%
Theft Under	4	4	0.0%	10	13	30.0%
Have Stolen Goods	0	0	--	0	0	--
Fraud	2	3	50.0%	6	8	33.3%
Mischief	3	2	-33.3%	8	6	-25.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>-16.7%</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>-9.1%</b>



**Drug Crime**

Actual	April			Year to Date - April		
	2017	2018	% Change	2017	2018	% Change
Possession	0	0	--	1	2	100.0%
Trafficking	1	0	-100.0%	1	0	-100.0%
Importation and Production	0	0	--	0	0	--
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-100.0%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.0%</b>



**Clearance Rate**

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**Location code(s):** 6N00 - PERTH COUNTY

**Area code(s):** 6224 - St. Marys, 6296 - DVCI (St Marys District Collegiate and Vocational Institute)

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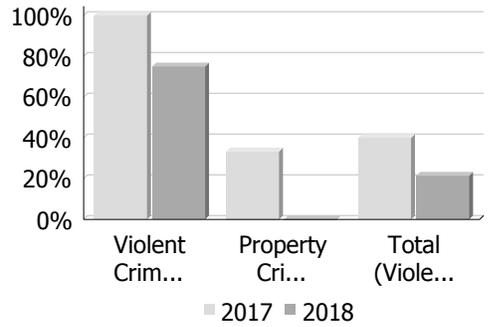
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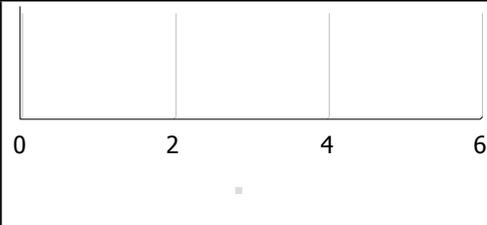
**Police Services Board Report for St. Marys  
Records Management System  
April - 2018**

Clearance Rate	April			Year to Date - April		
	2017	2018	Difference	2017	2018	Difference
Violent Crime	100.0%	75.0%	-25.0%	80.0%	88.9%	8.9%
Property Crime	33.3%	0.0%	-33.3%	18.2%	16.7%	-1.5%
Drug Crime	0.0%	--	--	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%
<b>Total (Violent, Property &amp; Drug)</b>	<b>40.0%</b>	<b>21.4%</b>	<b>-18.6%</b>	<b>31.0%</b>	<b>45.1%</b>	<b>14.2%</b>



**Criminal Record and Vulnerable Sector Screening Checks**

Actual	April			Year to Date - April		
	2017	2018	% Change	2017	2018	% Change
Criminal Record Checks	0	0	--	0	0	--
Vulnerable Sector Screening Checks	0	0	--	0	0	--



Data contained within this report is dynamic in nature and numbers will change over time as the Ontario Provincial Police continue to investigate and solve crime.

**Data Utilized**

- Major Crimes
- Niche RMS All Offence Level Business Intelligence Cube

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**STATEMENT OF FEES  
COLLECTED RECOVERABLE EXPENSES**

Perth County Detachment  
St Marys

Month of: April 2018			
Service	Received	Cash	Sub-Total
Record Checks - Employment	32	\$800.00	\$800.00
Fingerprints			
Insurance Requests			
Occurrence Reports			
RCMP			
<b>Totals</b>			<b>\$800.00</b>

Year to Date (includes current month)			
Service	Received	Cash	Year to Date
Record Checks - Employment	84	\$2100.00	\$2100.00
Fingerprints			
Insurance Requests			
Occurrence Reports			
RCMP			
<b>Totals</b>			<b>\$2100.00</b>

**FALSE ALARM REPORT**  
**Town of St Marys**  
**01 April - 30 April 2018**

INCIDENT NUMBER	DATE	MUNICIPAL ADDRESS	COMMON NAME	CANCELLED PRIOR TO POLICE ARRIVAL	OTHER NOTES
<b>APRIL</b>					
LP18098227	13-Apr-18	84 Wellington St. S.,	Foodland	Attended	FALSE
LP18099624	14-Apr-18	25 Lindsay Atkinson Dr.,	Little Falls Elementary School	Attended	FALSE
LP18100163	14-Apr-18	300 Thomas St	Westover Inn	Cancelled	FALSE
LP18103134	18-Apr-18	88 Queen St. W.,	Graham Energy Ltd	Cancelled	FALSE
LP18103815	18-Apr-18	41 Pelissier St.,	Residential	Attended	FALSE
LP18107890	22-Apr-18	408 James St. S.,	Public Works	Attended	FALSE
LP18110443	25-Apr-18	Water St. S.	Vehicle Alarm	Attended	FALSE/Not found