



Residents of Hedwig Village,

You are receiving this Crime Report because you are on the city of Hedwig Village email list. It is meant to provide you with information on what is taking place in your community. This information should be used to help protect you and your family from becoming a victim of crime. You can also see crime incident information at any time by visiting [www.CrimeReports.com](http://www.CrimeReports.com).

**In July 2017, we had the following criminal incidents in the Residential District of Hedwig Village:**

**Murder**

This month saw the tragic, senseless murder of one of our residents, Janeil Bernard. On July 2, 2017, Ms. Bernard was beaten and stabbed to death in her home. Our investigators determined the son of her former maid, Michael Susberry, committed the crime in an attempt to steal money and valuables. Mr. Susberry, along with a female companion, were arrested and charged with Capital Murder.

**Burglary**

On July 21, 2017, a front door to an apartment in the Le Renaissance apartment complex was pried open and the apartment was ransacked, but no property was stolen.

**Criminal Mischief**

In July 15, 2017, a resident on Robinwood reported that a fence picket was damaged.

**In the Commercial Districts, we had the following criminal incidents in July 2017:**

6 Burglaries of Motor Vehicles  
2 Criminal Mischief (damage to property)  
2 Forgeries  
5 Thefts (4 shopliftings, 1 theft from the bed of a truck)

**Arrests - July 2017**

**The Hedwig Village Police Department arrested 54 persons in July for the following charges (note: some persons had more than one charge):**

Burglary of a Motor Vehicle - 2  
Criminal Trespass - 1  
Failure to Identify - 2  
Forgery - 2  
No Driver's License/Invalid Driver's License - 7  
Outstanding Warrants - 17  
Possession of a Controlled Substance (Cocaine) - 3

Possession of a Controlled Substance (Crack Cocaine) – 2  
Possession of a Controlled Substance (Ecstasy) – 2  
Possession of a Controlled Substance (Heroin) - 1  
Possession of a Controlled Substance (Methamphetamine) - 3  
Possession of a Controlled Substance (Xanax) – 2  
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia - 2  
Possession of Marijuana – 4  
Prohibited Weapon (Knuckles) – 1  
Public Intoxication – 5  
Theft – 1

If you know another Hedwig Village resident who would like to receive these emails please refer them to the city of Hedwig Village website at [www.hedwigtx.gov](http://www.hedwigtx.gov) for e-notification signup.

Along with this information, there are some simple things you can do to protect you and your property: always lock the doors to your house, garage and vehicles; keep items out of view inside your vehicle whether shopping or at home; and the most important - be aware of your surroundings and **in the event anything seems wrong or out of place call the police department immediately**. Please review the Hedwig Village Police Department Safety Guide at the following link for more valuable crime prevention tips <http://hedwigtx.gov/upload/template/0011/Crime%20Prevention%20Guide22.HVPD.pdf>

In the event you want to commend the actions of a specific police department employee or have any questions or concerns you can contact me personally by calling the department at (713) 461-4797, or by e-mail at [dgott@hedwigtx.gov](mailto:dgott@hedwigtx.gov)

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