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1. **Misdemeanor - Possession of Marijuana (over 1 ounce):** On Thursday, June 8, 2017 at 4:35 PM, Detective Drew Bishop arrested **Edward Hauser**, age 43, of 88 Winchester Road, South Kingstown on a charge of **Possession of Marijuana (more than 1 ounce)** after members of the Richmond Police Department executed a court-authorized search warrant at his business called "**Pass the Glass**" located at 93 Kingstown Road, Wyoming. The search warrant led to the seizure of approximately 3.6-ounces of dried marijuana. While searching the 2nd floor of the business, officers located a large makeshift tank containing an alligator which was approximately 5 feet in length. Mr. Hauser did not possess the requisite permit, so members of the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management responded to retrieve the animal from the premises. Mr. Hauser was processed at the station and was released with a summons to appear in 4th District Court on June 29th, 2017 for arraignment on the above charge.
2. **Misdemeanor - DUI (1st offense - BAC greater than .15):** On Saturday, June 10, 2017, at approximately 9:34 PM, Corporal William Litterio and Patrolman Ryan Donohue arrested **Lawrence H. Roos**, age 64, of 4824 South County Trail, Charlestown on a charge of **Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol and/ or Drugs (1st offense - BAC greater than .15)**, after Corporal Litterio stopped a vehicle traveling in the breakdown lane of Church Street in Alton. The operator, Lawrence Roos, was arrested on suspicion of DUI after performing a series of standard field sobriety tests. He submitted to a Breathalyzer test that resulted in BAC (blood-alcohol-content) readings of **.220 (1st phase)**, and **.204 (2nd phase)**. Mr. Roos was processed at the station, and was released with a summons to appear in 4th District Court on June 22nd, 2017 for arraignment on the above charge.
3. **Misdemeanor - Possession of Alcoholic Beverages by Underage Person:** On Saturday, June 10th, 2017 at approximately 2:10 AM, Corporal William Litterio arrested **Ryan Rougier**, age 18, of 25 Clark Street, Westerly on a charge of **Possession of Alcoholic Beverage by Underage Person**, after he stopped to investigate a suspicious vehicle parked in the Meadowbrook Pond fishing area and found Mr. Rougier in the vehicle with a teenage friend and an open can of beer. Cpl. Litterio was assigned to a grant-funded *Impaired Driving*

Enforcement Detail sponsored by the **Rhode Island Department of Transportation's Office on Highway Safety**. Mr. Rougier was released with a summons to appear in 4th District Court on June 22nd, 2017 for arraignment on the above charge.

4. **Arrest Warrant - FELONY- Fraudulent Use of Credit Cards:** On Sunday, June 11th, 2017, at 3:44 PM, Corporal William Litterio arrested **Christopher Godfrey**, age 36, of 13A Spring Street, Hopkinton on the strength of an **outstanding arrest warrant** held by the Richmond Police Department charging him with **Fraudulent Use of Credit Cards**, after recognizing Mr. Godfrey as a passenger in a vehicle passing his cruiser on Main Street in Wyoming. The arrest warrant stemmed from an investigation by Detective Drew Bishop into a complaint by a Hopkinton resident that their credit card had been stolen and used fraudulently in May 2017 at the Cumberland Farms and Speedway Gas Station in Wyoming. Mr. Godfrey was processed at the station and was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Joseph Scott. He was subsequently released on recognizance pending a future court date.
5. **Misdemeanor - Domestic Disorderly Conduct:** On Sunday, June 11th, 2017 at 10:07 PM, Corporal William Litterio and Patrolman Ryan Donohue arrested **David Kennedy**, age 47, of 5B Poplar Avenue, Richmond on a charge of **Domestic Disorderly Conduct**, after officers were dispatched to that address for a domestic disturbance in progress. Mr. Kennedy had allegedly yelled obscenities, threw furniture, and threatened to destroy the belongings of a housemate who hid his car keys out of concern he was too intoxicated to drive. Mr. Kennedy was processed at the station, and was arraigned before Justice of the Peace James Callaghan. He was released on \$2,000 personal recognizance, and was served with a no-contact order barring him from any contact with the alleged victim.
6. **Misdemeanor - Possession of Alcoholic Beverages by Underage Person:** On Monday, June 12th, 2017 at approximately 9:00 PM, Patrolman Ryan Donohue arrested **Bailey F. Hislop**, age 20, of 152 Richmond Townhouse Road, Richmond on a charge of **Possession of Alcoholic Beverage by Underage Person**, after being dispatched to the Beaver River Playground to investigate suspicious activity that a neighbor had reported. He arrived to find two unoccupied vehicles parked at the playground which were unlocked and contained several identifications, cellular phones, and an open bottle of vodka. A short time later, Ms. Hislop and three other minors walked out of the woods towards the officer. Ms. Hislop was released at the scene with a summons to appear in 4th District Court on July 20th, 2017 for arraignment on the above charge.
7. **Misdemeanor - Operating on Suspended License (3rd Offense):** On Thursday, June 15th, 2017, at 11:50 PM, Patrolman Brock Taylor arrested **Shawn P. McColl**, age 45, of 3794 South County Trail, Richmond on a charge of **Operating on a Suspended License (3rd or subsequent suspended license violation)**, after a motor vehicle stop on South County Trail revealed that his

license had been suspended on September 12, 2016 for *No Proof of Insurance*, and this constituted more than three (3) suspended license violations. He was processed at the station, and was released with a summons to appear in 4th District Court on July 13th, 2017 for arraignment.

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