



**Chief's Report
Ruston Police Department
Tuesday, August 17, 2021**

Chief of Police:

During the previous 28 days the Police Department logged 144 calls for service. We have responded to 5 calls for service at the Silver Cloud which included unregistered guests (homeless) or intoxicated and belligerent guests. Both which required two officers (TPD assisted at 2).

The new Stay Out of Areas of Racing (SOAR) signs are in place per the ordinance and officers have begun issuing infractions to the appropriate offenders. The Department will conduct extra patrols on Friday and/or Saturday evenings in which one officer will be in an unmarked car to spot the violators and another officer nearby serving as the traffic stop car.

The City received an one-time grant from the State to help defray the cost of body-worn cameras. We are about 2-3 months away from securing vendor, training the officers, and fielding the devices.

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