

2015 vs 2016 Buellton Police Stats

Part 1

City of Buellton			
	2015	2016	Total
Forcible Rape	1	0	1
Robbery	1	3	4
Agg Assault	2	2	4
Burglary	15	16	31
Larceny-Theft	39	60	99
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	5	5
Total	58	86	144

Larceny-Thefts by Type

Type	2015	2016	2016 Notes
Auto - Forced Entry	4	7	4 were in clusters
Auto - Unlocked	11	24	15 were in clusters
Auto Accessory	1	2	
Bicycle	2	9	5 incidents same time frame
From Building	3	1	
Other	9	15	
Purse Snatching	2	0	
Shoplifting	7	2	
Total	39	60	

Larceny-Theft Clusters/Series

After reviewing the 2016 larceny-theft reports there were 5 clusters and 1 series.

Clusters - A cluster is two or more similar crimes that happen in the same area in the same time period

2/20/16 Hotel parking lot 2 forced entry and 1 unlocked vehicle
3/2/16 Same neighborhood 5 unlocked vehicles
3/23/16 Same neighborhood & other related incidents in Solvang
5 in Buellton (7 total) unlocked vehicles entered and items removed
10/18 – 22/16 3 different locations 6 high-value bikes stolen
11/30/16 Same neighborhood 2 locked and 4 unlocked vehicles entered and items removed

Series - A series is a string of similar crimes that happen over time and are associated together based on MO and/or suspects

October 2016 Unknown suspect forced entry into 4 water vending machines. Similar incidents in the same timeframe happened in other parts of Santa Barbara, Ventura and San Luis Obispo Counties.

“Other” examples:

Iphone left on counter and suspect took
Mail theft
Stolen package
Stolen bench
Failure to pay cab fare
Fraudulently written and/or cashing check
Fraudulent use of debit card
Stole generator from property
Stolen laptop

Burglaries

4 burglaries were part of a series of 9 incidents in the area that are related to other incidents in Santa Barbara and Ventura counties.

1 other burglary is related to other incidents in Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo Counties