

Sol Azteca – MPD Incident Data

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South Police District

Total Calls for Service to 1821 S. Park Street

- 16 Calls for service in 2014
- 56 Calls for service in 2015
- 38 Calls for service to date in 2016
 - ALERT meeting held in April of 2016
 - 10 Noise complaints since April of 2016
 - Numerous other complaints made directly to commanders and the NPO via phone or e-mail

2016 Notable Incidents

- 2016-141568 – Substantial Battery in the parking lot of Sol Azteca at approximately 1:45am on May 1
 - Witness to the fight said that the disturbance began inside the bar and then went outside involving a person who was working as a bouncer
 - Bar owners did call police but did not contact police on arrival
 - One witness driving by described 13 people standing in front of Sol Azteca with two men fighting

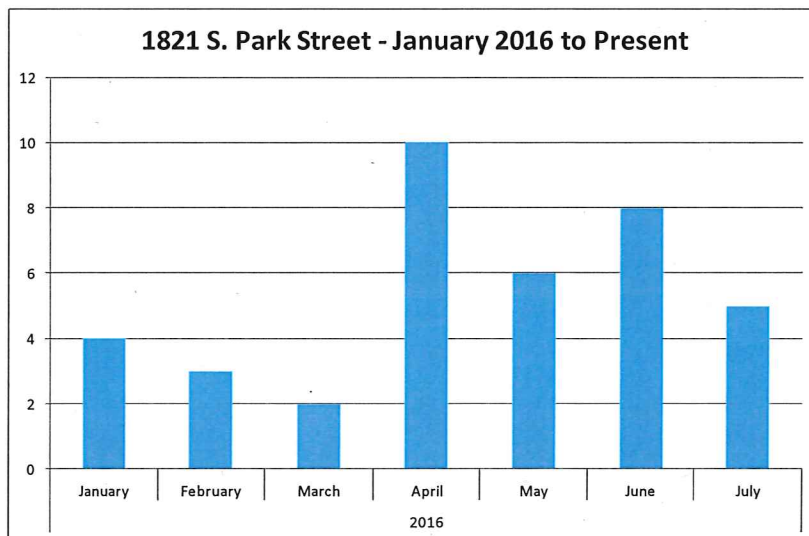
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- 2016-165414, May 19 at approximately 11:30pm.
 - An off-duty Shorewood Hills Officer observed a physical disturbance in front of Sol Azteca involving 8 people. The disturbance broke up and people fled the area before officers arrived.
- 2016-161331, May 22 at 2:40am
 - Caller reports 3 women outside trying to fight people. People fled prior to police arrival.

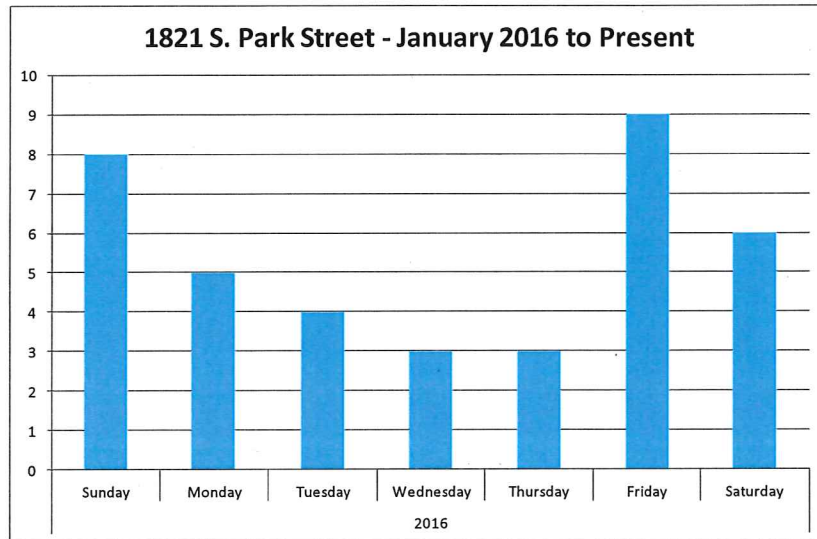
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- 2016-189023, June 6 at 1:11am.
 - Officers respond to a disturbance between customers and disagreement about money where a weapon threats to use it was mentioned. Bar staff did call and had confronted the suspect after the threats were made. No arrest was made.

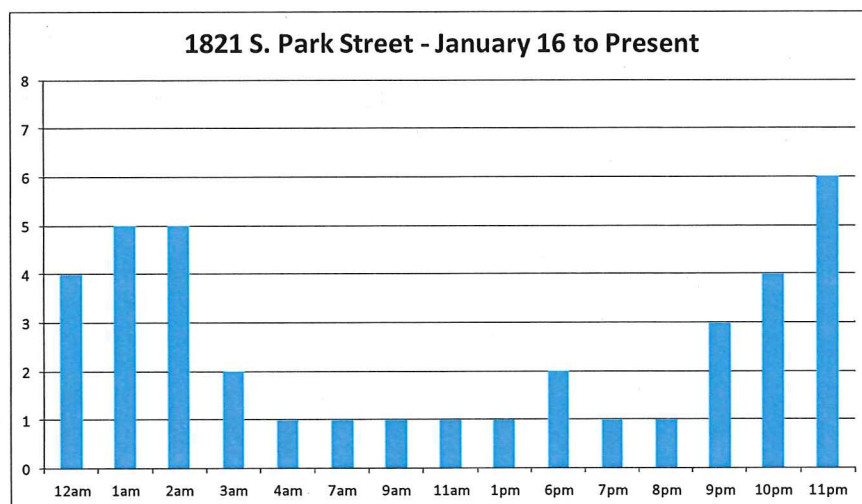
2016 Incidents by Month



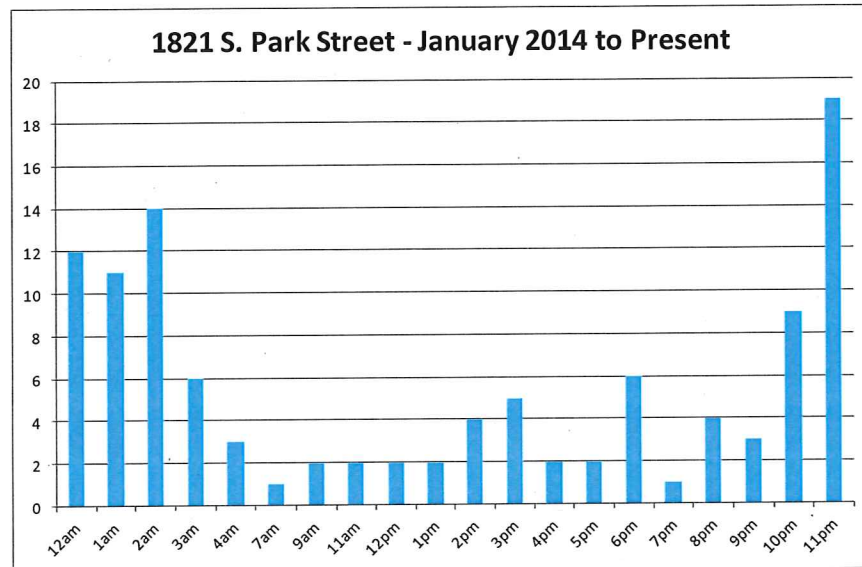
2016 Incidents by Day of the Week



Incidents by Time of Day for 2016



Incidents by Time of Day 2014-2016



Community Meeting on July 12

- Neighbors and two patrons (who do not live in the neighborhood) attended
- Majority of neighbors voiced a desire for an earlier close time during the week
- Amplified noise from the bar and patron noise, loitering and disturbances at closing time were the major concerns
- Subsequent phone and in-person contacts with neighbors have also been in support of an earlier close time due to noise and concerns with people loitering around the business and in the neighborhood after the bar closes

Proposed Conditions

- Closing time of 12am Sunday to Thursday with sales ending at 11:30 p.m., and closing time of 2:30 am on Friday and Saturday. ****Owners not in agreement with this****

****Agreed to already at the July ALRC meeting:**

- Prior to the regular October 2016 (proposed change to November) meeting of the Alcohol License Review Committee, a community meeting is to be held to discuss noise, loitering, trash, etc. and to re-evaluate the closing times.
- Parking lot exit onto Beld Street will be gated and closed after 9pm every night (forcing traffic to come and go from Park St).
- Security will be hired and will sweep through the lot at closing time to encourage patrons to leave the area.
- Sol Azteca staff will not use the outdoor trash bin or the rear door facing Beld Street after 9pm.
- Sol Azteca will move the outdoor trash bin so that it is adjacent to the building and will have it surrounded with fencing.
- Sol Azteca staff will move interior speakers so they direct amplified sound towards S. Park Street.
- Sol Azteca staff will sweep the parking lot for trash and alcohol containers at least once every day.
- The applicant must appear before the Alcohol License Review Committee at their regular October (proposed change to November) 2016 meeting.
- The establishment must meet the definition of a restaurant under MGO 38.02 at all times of operation.