Coeur d'Alene Police Dept Downtown Bar Report

October 28th to December 8th, 2011



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INTRODUCTION

This report was compiled on December 8, 2011 at the request of Captain Childers.

The types of information used to create this report include calls for service, crime reports and field interviews extracted from our Summit database.

Database records were reviewed and compiled based upon both how the record is related to a specific bar or bar activity in general in the downtown Coeur d'Alene area. The following is a table of the establishments and addresses associated with them.

BAR	LOCATION
BAJA BARGARITA	115 N 2ND
SHORE LOUNGE	115 S 2ND ST
SPLASH	200 E SHERMAN AVE
CDA BREWING COMP	209 E LAKESIDE AVE
EAGLES LODGE #48	209 E SHERMAN AVE
TORCH LOUNGE (RENDEZVOUS)	216 E COEUR D ALENE AVE
WINE CELLAR	313 E SHERMAN AVE
ICON	317 E SHERMAN AVE
THE BEACON	325 E SHERMAN AVE
THE MOOSE MARKET	401 E SHERMAN AVE
MIK & MACS (MIK'S)	406 N 4TH ST
IRON HORSE	407 E SHERMAN AVE
LAKERS INN	407 N 2ND ST
CRICKETS	424 E SHERMAN AVE

Notably, it is not always possible to obtain information about where a suspect may have been drinking (e.g. too inebriated) or if a particular crime is directly related to a specific establishment. In that context, the purpose of this report is to provide a general overview of downtown activities in an effort to increase communication between bar establishments and local law enforcement with the final goal of improving public safety.

Information on BAC (Blood Alcohol Content) as referenced in this report:

State of Idaho BAC DUI Laws:

- All drivers with a BAC .08 or higher (enhanced if BAC .20 or more)
- Under 21 years of age with a BAC of .02 or higher
- Commercial Drivers with a BAC of .04 or more

Incidents with Warnings or No Reports Taken:

Disorderly / Citizen Disputes / Alcohol Related:

Friday, October 28, 2011: 2246 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1505269 – Welfare Check – Overly intoxicated 21 year old male (BAC = .257) at 4th & Sherman who is barely able to walk and falling over. Subject had been at Moose Lounge and took taxi home. No report.

Saturday, October 29, 2011: 2051 hours

313 E Sherman Ave - #CD1505486 – Disorderly – Unwanted intoxicated male at the **Wine Cellar** who had been asked to leave, but keeps coming back – concerned the male is going to fall down the stairs. **No report taken.**

Sunday, October 30, 2011: 0047 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1505528 – Disorderly – Passed out intoxicated female. Left with friends. Warning.

Friday, November 11, 2011: 0005 hours

N 407 E Sherman Ave - #CD1509018 – Alcohol Offense – At Iron Horse. No further info available. Warning.

Friday, November 11, 2011: 0132 hours

N 4th St & E Lakeside Ave - #CD1509030 – DUI – Call reference an intoxicated male driving a pickup on 4th St. The reporting party (Iron Horse bartender) tried to tell the male to get out of the vehicle; however, the male would not listen. Unable to locate – gone on arrival.

Friday, November 11, 2011: 2103 hours

N 6th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1509277 – Disorderly – Intoxicated female on the corner that may hurt herself (stumbling into the roadway). The female was highly intoxicated and could not tell the reporting party her name, where she was going or who she was with. No report taken.

Saturday, November 12, 2011: 0141 hours

N 2nd St & E Lakeside Ave - #CD1509321 – Disorderly – Intoxicated male refusing to exit the cab. Male is highly intoxicated, mumbling and talking to himself. No report taken.

Sunday, November 13, 2011: 0214 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1509544 – Poisoning – 21 year old unconscious male slumped over on bench in front of Beacon, extremely intoxicated and vomiting. Medical Called – No Report.

Tuesday, November 15, 2011: 0200 hours

407 E Sherman Ave - #CD1510133 – DUI – Intoxicated female and male were in **Iron Horse**. Someone from bar called them a taxi because they were too intoxicated to drive; however, before the taxi arrived they got in their vehicle and left. **Unable to locate – gone on arrival.**

Thursday, November 17, 2011: 2322 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1511036 – Welfare Check – Intoxicated female running around wearing shorts with no shoes. No report taken.

Sunday, November 20, 2011: 0022 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1511612 – Disorderly – Female, no coat, sitting on bench with friends in front of the **Beacon**, passed out, leaning on friend's shoulder and not dressed for cold weather. Her friends were trying to get her into a cab, but she fell out so they sat her on the bench where she is now vomiting on the ground. No report taken.

Thursday, November 24, 2011: 0038 hours

N 3rd St & E Foster Ave - #CD1512780 – Traffic Offense – Possible intoxicated driver. Unable to locate – gone on arrival.

Battery / Fights:

Saturday, October 29, 2011: 2223 hours

N 2nd St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1505500 – Unwanted Person – Female asked to leave Baja Bargarita but refusing. Female was warned and trespassed.

Sunday, October 30, 2011: 0016 hours

317 E Sherman Ave - #CD1505520 – Disorderly – Male destroying his bike in front of the **Beacon. Warning (not to do that downtown).**

Sunday, October 30, 2011: 0208 hours

N 3rd St & E Lakeside Ave - #CD1505545 – Fight – Male stated he was jumped in front of the **Rendezvous**. The people involved did not need medical attention, and the male did not want to press charges. No report taken.

Sunday, October 30, 2011: 0250 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1505561 – Battery – Someone jumped by four males in the alley behind the Beacon – says males were bouncers form the Beacon. Unable to locate – gone on arrival.

Monday, October 31, 2011: 1729 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1505999 – Disorderly – Male in front of Mik's, jeans falling down and yelling obscenities. Unable to locate – gone on arrival.

Friday, November 11, 2011: 0028 hours

209 E Sherman Ave - #CD1509023 – Welfare Check – Male at **Eagles** bleeding profusely from his hand. **Unable to locate – gone on arrival.**

Saturday, November 12, 2011: 0105 hours

314 E Sherman Ave - #CD1509317 – Unwanted Person – Three males at front door of the **Icon** refusing to leave and stirring up problems. **No report taken.**

Saturday, November 12, 2011: 0419 hours

E Front Ave & E Sherman Ave - #CD1509333 – Unwanted Person – Male on scene refusing to leave—keeps coming back and is passed out by the fireplace in the front lobby of the Coeur d'Alene Resort. No report taken.

Sunday, November 13, 2011: 0241 hours

N 3rd St & E Coeur d'Alene Ave - #CD1509547 – Fight – Fight between eight people with one person getting physical – lots of screaming. **No report taken.**

Battery / Fights (continued):

Sunday, November 20, 2011: 0052 hours

317 E Sherman Ave - #CD1511616 – Disorderly – Intoxicated male kicked out of **Icon** and physically being held down by bouncers. **Warning.**

Saturday, November 26, 2011: 0154 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1513268 – Fight – One male punched another male and is walking away. The victim is outside of the **Icon**, bleeding and needing medical attention (hit head on ground). Warning.

Saturday, November 26, 2011: 0303 hours

115 S 2nd St - #CD1513276 – Unwanted Person – Couple were asked to leave the Coeur d'Alene Resort but are refusing to leave. Unable to locate – gone on arrival.

Sunday, November 27, 2011: 0159 hours

115 S 2nd St - #CD1513487 – Trespassing – Two males that were just trespassed by officers at the Coeur d'Alene Resort have returned. Warning.

Sunday, November 27, 2011: 0526 hours

N 8th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1513500 – Battery – Male says he was beaten up in front of a bar in the area an hour ago by unknown subjects. Victim had hurt arm and back, but refusing medical. The victim was intoxicated and wanted a ride to Post Falls. **No report taken.**

Saturday, December 3, 2011: 0050 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #CD1515171 – Fight – In small park near Icon, male versus female Icon bouncers have detained. No medical needed. No report taken.

Saturday, December 3, 2011: 0050 hours

317 E Sherman Ave - #CD1515174 – Battery – Someone got knocked out behind the **Icon**. Victim did not want to pursue charges. **No report taken**.

Incidents with Arrests, Citations or Reports Taken:

Fights / Batteries / Resisting/ Disorderly

Friday, October 28, 2011: 0124 hours

216 E Coeur d'Alene Ave - #11C33978 – Fight

Officers responded to a **fight** call at the **Rendezvous** and upon arrival found the suspect, a 37 year old male, on the ground with a bouncer from the bar holding him down. Whenever the male was let up, he began swinging—trying to hit people and saying derogatory things about women. The male was bleeding from his nose, and when he spoke, he mumbled and slurred his words, threatening the officers (he was going to "kick our ass" & we did not know "who we were fucking with"). He smelled of alcohol, and his eyes were red and glassy. Officer retrieved a pocket knife from his pocket and deposited him in the back of the patrol car. A short while later, the suspect appeared to calm down and said he was sorry. Because the officer could not hear the suspect very well through the barrier in the patrol car, the officer. A second officer arrived to assist in restraining the suspect; however, during this process, one officer was kicked in side of the face. **The male was arrested for fighting in public, obstructing and spitting in a police vehicle.**

Sunday, October 30, 2011: 0138 hours

101 E Sherman Ave - #11C34197 – Domestic Dispute

Officers were flagged down by a taxi driver who reported a male and female **verbally arguing** in the parking lot of the **Bonsai Bistro**. The officer responded to the location and spoke with the male who told him it was a verbal argument between the two because his wife is a bitch, and he cannot stand how rude she is. **Both were given domestic violence pamphlets and separated to different locations for the evening.**

Sunday, November 6, 2011: 0041 hours

407 E Sherman Ave - #11C34865 – Battery

Officers responded to a **battery** call at the **Iron Horse** involving a 48 year old male who was pushing the bouncers and other customers. When officers arrived there were numerous people in front of the bar, and the situation became tense and rapidly evolving as the suspect began to draw a crowd – putting himself and others in danger by running into the street and refusing to cooperate with police. Officers secured the suspect on the ground; however, he resisted being handcuffed requiring several officers to secure him. The male was intoxicated and slurred his words. According to witnesses, the male had been bothering customers in the bar, groping females and had been asked to leave. He was allowed to finish his beer before leaving; however, he then became obnoxious with the bar staff telling them to "go fuck themselves," and when bouncers attempted to escort him from the premises, he swung a fist at a female customer. When questioned by officers, the suspect was evasive and not truthful. **He was arrested on three counts of battery.**

Sunday, November 6, 2011: 1257 hours

317 E Sherman Ave - #11C34897 – Battery

Officers responded to a **battery** call reference an incident that had occurred the previous evening (2200 hours) at the **lcon.** According to the victim, a 53 year old male from Spokane, he and his lady friend had been dancing at the lcon when an unknown male pushed him aside and began dancing with his date. The "victim" tried several times to get his lady back, but the male kept getting in between the two. Fearing for her safety, the "victim" punched the male in the face; however, the next morning he received medical attention for his hand (which was broken), and now he wanted to file a police report. A report was taken.

Sunday, November 20, 2011: 0055 hours

317 E Sherman Ave - #11C36322 – Resisting

Officers responded to a **disorderly subject** call at the **lcon** reference a male who had been fighting with the bouncers and unwilling to leave. At the same time, the bar caught two males who were attempting to steal beer from the downstairs cooler and as the officer was then trying to question the theft suspects, another male (26 years old)—who was very intoxicated and impaired kept putting his arm over the theft suspect's shoulders and would not leave. When officers attempted to push the drunken man away (to continue the theft investigation), the male wouldn't leave (he was pushed away and returned several times). Finally, the **intoxicated male was arrested for obstructing.** It is unclear what happened with the disorderly male or theft suspects.

Sunday, November 27, 2011: 0111 hours

200 E Sherman Ave - #11C36920 – Fight

Officers responded to a **fight** call at **Splash** and upon arrival, found three individuals on the floor of the Plaza Shops across from the bar – two of the males were security on top of the suspect, a 29 year old male. Apparently the male had punched another bar patron and while being escorted from the bar began to fight with security. The male was intoxicated and had been drinking at a bachelor party that evening. At first, he was uncooperative and reluctant to speak with officers, but

then admitted to hitting someone and became apologetic and emotional. The male was cited for battery and escorted out of the bar.

Saturday, December 3, 2011: 2301 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #11C37544 – Battery

Officers responded to a **fight** call outside **The Moose** and upon arrival, found numerous people in the street and an injured 37 year old male who told officers he knew the male (43 years old) who punched him. The suspect male was later located and arrested.

DUI & Other Incidents

Monday, October 31, 2011: 1854 hours

N 4th St & E Sherman Ave - #11C34371 – Alcohol Offense

Officers responded to a **welfare check** call regarding a male who was sitting outside the **VFW** talking to himself and seeing things. Upon arrival, officers contacted the male who told them he was just sitting there drinking "tea" (two cans of Sparks beer). The male was intoxicated. His eyes were glassy and bloodshot, and he had a hard keeping his balance—stumbling from side to side.

Monday, October 31, 2011: 2324 hours

401 E Sherman Ave - #11C34395 - Petit Theft

Officers responded to a **petit theft** call involving a stolen cell phone at the **Moose Lounge**.

Friday, November 11, 2011: 0100 hours

217 W Appleway (Taco Bell) - #11C35414 - DUI

Officers arrested a 24 year old female for **DUI (BAC = .120)** after a routine traffic stop (vehicle drifting from side to side while driving down 4th St and nearly hitting the curb as well as running a red light). When officers made contact with the female in the Taco Bell parking lot, she was clearly intoxicated – smelled of alcohol, red bloodshot eyes and slurred speech. The female told officers she had only consumed one beer that evening but later changed her story and admitted to drinking at **Moon Time** and the **Moose Bar**.

Saturday, November 12, 2011: 0057 hours

400 Block E Sherman Ave - #11C35505 – DUI

Officers arrested a 18 year old male for **DUI (BAC = .251)** after contacting him in the parking lot behind **Crickets** where he appeared intoxicated and admitted to recently driving his vehicle to the lot. Officers observed the male was very intoxicated – swaying from side to side, smelling of alcohol, bloodshot eyes, and had difficulty comprehending simple instructions. During his conversation with officers, the male told them several times he was drunk.

Saturday, November 19, 2011: 2255 hours

S 3rd St & E Front Ave - #11C36313 – Alcohol Offense

Officers cited a 30 year old female for **Open Container** after observing her sitting in a vehicle with an open container of Four Loko.

Sunday, November 20, 2011: 0139 hours

N 4th St & E Haycraft Ave - #11C36325 – DUI

Officers arrested a 26 year old male for **DUI (refused breath test)** after a routine traffic stop (ran a red light). The male smelled of alcohol and told officers he did not stop because he didn't want to slide on the ice. He admitted to drinking one drink at the **Beacon** earlier in the evening. He was also arrested for driving with a suspended license.

Thursday, November 24, 2011: 0020 hours

N 4th St & E Miller Ave - #11C36669 – DUI

Officers arrested a 21 year old male for **DUI (.091)** after a routine traffic stop (no turn signal). The male smelled of alcohol. He told officers he had not consumed any alcohol that evening was driving home after being downtown.

Friday, November 25, 2011: 2017 hours

400 Block E Lakeside Ave - #11C36827 – DUI

Officers cited a 33 year old male for **Open Container** after observing him standing in the street with an open can of beer.

Sunday, November 27, 2011: 0123 hours

N 4th St & E Coeur d'Alene Ave - #11C36921 – DUI

Officers arrested a 44 year old male for **DUI (BAC = .131)** after a routine traffic stop. The male admitted to officers he had been drinking alcohol at **Moon Time, Crickets** and the **Moose Bar.**

Tuesday, December 1, 2011: 0222 hours

N C St & W Short Ave - #11C37282 - DUI

Officers arrested a 27 year old male for **DUI (BAC = .275)** after responding to an **unknown medical** problem call. It appears the suspect called a tow company to fix a flat tire; however, when the tow company arrived, they found an unconscious male in the driver's seat of the vehicle. Once conscious, the intoxicated male told officers his tires were flat because he hit a curb; however, quickly changed his story stating he was not driving. The male was heavily intoxicated – smelled of alcohol, bloodshot, glassy eyes, and spoke with a slur. He told officers that he had been drinking at the **Rendezvous** that evening and was getting a ride home with a girl (couldn't remember her name) that must have ran off. This was the male's second DUI.