

Monthly Report

October 2016



Accreditation demonstrates the professional achievements of the men and women of this Department. This recognition further demonstrates our collective dedication to excellence in professional Law Enforcement. By voluntarily meeting New Jersey Law Enforcement Accreditation Commission standards, the North Plainfield Police Department has shown itself willing to be held to a higher level of professionalism, building trust between the Department and the citizens it serves

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ADMINISTRATION:

Staffing:

The Police Department is operating below its authorized strength of 48 sworn Officers, and 6 fulltime civilian personnel. Staffing and deficiencies:

- 4 police officers
- 1 Lieutenant's position
- 2 administrative assistants (chief and records) have been reduced to 29 hour part-time positions.

Injured Officers:

- No reported injuries during October.

Promotions, New Hires and Retirements

- No promotions, retirements or new hires in October.

A Sample of Investigations & Arrests

On October 4, 2016 a business on the highway reported 6 large glass panel windows shattered upon opening the business. The business estimated the damage to be approximately \$5500.00. An investigation was conducted and a suspect was identified, located and interviewed where after a while he admitted to doing the damage. The case was screened with the Somerset County Prosecutors Office and the suspect was charged and released and is currently awaiting the court process.

On October 10, 2016 an investigation was started for the theft of a delivered package left outside the residence. The suspect was located several blocks away, stopped and arrested. The property was recovered and returned to the resident and the suspect was charged at the Municipal Level for theft and turned over to the Somerset County Jail on bail.

On October 13, 2016 a Borough business reported a burglary to a company vehicle with construction tools taken by the suspect. During the course of the investigation a suspect was identified and located. The suspect confessed to the crime and was able to direct detectives towards the location of the stolen equipment. The equipment was located and returned to the business and the case was screened with the Somerset County Prosecutors Office. The suspect was charged and released and is currently awaiting the court process.

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On October 20, 2016 a resident was the victim of an online scam where he sent money via Western Union and received nothing in return for the payment of US funds. During the investigation the suspect was identified and located out of state. A summons was sent to the suspect to answer in the North Plainfield Municipal Court for this incident.

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CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION:

A comparison of Adult incident reports:

	Month	YTD
Investigated	68	509
Closed	29	304
Active	16	77
Suspended	23	128
Unfounded	0	0
Forwarded to SCPO	6	37

A comparison of Juvenile incident reports:

	Month	YTD
Investigated	20	189
Closed	12	172
Active	7	9
Suspended	1	7
Unfounded	0	0
Forwarded to other Agencies	3	79

Community Outreach

Operation Good Morning continues to call Boro senior citizens that have signed up for the program. The agency was present at the school for a health fair. Detective Domizi sent out 15 first time false alarm notices and 6 false alarm warnings to businesses and residents that have violated the boro ordinance. Detective Domizi also did 12 Spanish to English translations for the department.

Narcotics Strike Force

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The Narcotics Strike Force spent approximately 58 man hours in the Boro doing surveillance and gathering information on narcotic activity. During that time several citizen complaints were addressed with members of the Strike Force speaking directly to the citizen complainants. A follow up to an investigation led to a motor vehicle stop with 1.2 kilos of cocaine seized and the arrest of the suspect.

Other Matters

Detective Segeda instructed mandatory agency wide refresher training for the ASP baton, OC spray and tactical handcuffing on two separate dates in October. Three background investigations for Firearm Identification Cards and one raffle background investigation for a raffle were completed in October.

Adjudications & Judicial Proceedings

Anthony Tucceri was sentenced to one year in prison by Superior Court Judge Cawtherqak in October based on a theft investigation and the subsequent arrest and recovery of the stolen property. Members of the Detective Bureau testified in one Superior Court Hearing and once before the Municipal Court in October.

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PATROL DIVISION:

	Month	YTD
MILES ON Marked PATROL	1,2472	128,828
MILES ON Unmarked PATROL	420	3,665
Total MILES ON PATROL	12,892	129,248

Traffic summonses issued:

Type of summonses	Month	YTD
Driving While Intoxicated (DWI)	4	26
Moving Hazardous Violation	110	970
Moving Non-Hazardous Violation	170	1,546
Ordinance Violation	11	107
Parking Violation	204	2,208
Radar	25	232
Written Warnings	397	2,708
Other Summons	0	0
Totals	923	7,814
Refusal Breath Test	2	8

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Radar Posts

STREET	TIME SPENT
Brook Avenue	2 Hours
Clinton Avenue	16 Hours
Farragut Road	1 Hour
Greenbrook Road	6 Hours
Grove Street	28 Hours
Harrison Avenue	1 Hour
Leland Avenue	16 Hour
Myrtle Avenue	7 Hours
Norwood Avenue	12 Hours
Rock Ave.	5 Hours
Route 22	29 Hours
Somerset Street	21 Hours
Warfield Road	7 Hours
Watchung Ave	11 Hours
West End Ave	2 Hours
Radar Posts Highlighted	164 Hours
Total Radar Posts	195
Total Radar Hours	241

School Enforcement:

SCHOOL	TIME SPENT
East End School	10 Hours
Somerset School	8 Hours
Stonybrook School	17 Hours
West End School	9 Hours
High School	11 Hours
Charter School	17 Hours

Speed Sign:

STREET	LENGTH OF TIME
Mountain Ave.	10/01-10/31
Jackson Ave.	10/01-10/31
Westervelt Ave.	10/01-10/31

Parking Enforcement Report:

Tickets:	Title 39		Meter Related		Total	
	Month /	YTD	Month /	YTD	Month /	YTD
Totals	267	1,715	423	3,144	690	4,859

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Meters		Permits		Total Revenue	
Monthly	YTD	Monthly	YTD	Monthly	YTD
9,589.36	89,037.59	1,080.00	4,030.00	10,669.36	103,105.09

Monthly Accident Totals

Accidents for the Month: 91

Summons Issued at Accidents:

Refuse Breath Test	0	Driving While Intoxicated	2
Hazardous	44	Non Hazardous	17
Alcohol Related	0		

Breakdown of Reportable/Non-Reportable Accidents:

Rt 22-Reportable	36	Rt 22 Non-Reportable	1
Boro Streets- Reportable	39	Boro St Non-Reportable	6
Private Property-Reportable	8	Private Prop Non-Reportable	1
Total Reportable Accidents	83	Total Non-Reportable Accidents	8

Accident Injury Report:

Reports W/Injuries	14
Persons Injured	17
Fatal Accidents	0

Total Accidents YTD 767

Summons Issued at Accidents:

Refuse Breath Test	3	Driving While Intoxicated	13
Hazardous	320	Non Hazardous	81
Alcohol Related	0		

Total Summons Issued YTD 417


Breakdown of Reportable/Non-Reportable Accidents:

Rt 22-Reportable	266	Rt 22 Non-Reportable	22
Boro Streets- Reportable	320	Boro St Non-Reportable	23
Private Property-Reportable	105	Private Prop Non-Reportable	31

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Monthly Arrest Analysis	Month		YTD	
	Adult	Juvenile	Adult	Juvenile
Murder	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	3	0
Robbery	1	3	4	3
Aggravated Assault	1	0	7	0
Burglary	0	0	4	1
Larceny/Theft	4	0	30	3
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0
Simple Assault	5	0	48	1
Arson	0	0	0	0
Forgery	0	0	1	0
Fraud	0	0	3	0
Embezzlement	0	0	1	0
Stolen Property	0	0	3	0
Criminal Mischief	1	0	8	3
Weapons	0	0	2	3
Prostitution	0	0	1	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	1	0
Violation of Drug Laws	7	1	61	8
Gambling	0	0	0	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	4	0	22	0
Liquor Law Violations	1	0	1	0
Disorderly Conduct	3	0	16	3
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0
Curfew and Loitering	---	0	---	0
All Other Offenses	23	0	147	2
Total UCR Arrests for Month	50	4	327	27
Contempt of Court Arrests Other	38	0	181	0
Grand Total Arrests for Month	88	1	544	36

Respectfully submitted,



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