# **Monthly Report**

April 2017



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:

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

# Injured Officers:

- Officer Brid continued to work on light duty since March 27, due to a surgery he had on November 3; a result of an on duty accident he had on December 9, 2014. As of April 30, he was out of work for 74 days and on light duty for 21 days.
- Sergeant McKay suffered serious injuries when he was involved in an off duty motor vehicle accident on February 3. As of April 30, he was out of work 56 days.
- Officer Jean-Baptiste was placed on administrative leave March 6, due to a complaint requiring an investigation. As of April 30, he was out of work for 32 days.

#### Promotions. New Hires and Retirements

• There were no new hires, promotions, or retirements in April.

### A Sample of Investigations & Arrests

On March 20, 2017 a person came in to police headquarters to report that there was a person possibly practicing dentistry out of an apartment. An investigation was launched and it was determined that the person was in fact running a dentist business out of an apartment with crude tools and residential furniture as his work area. A search warrant was obtained and an arrest warrant and the male was charged with possession of a controlled dangerous substance and no license to practice. He was charged and released and is awaiting the court proceedings.

On April 1, 2017 a resident reported another delivered package theft from a porch. During the investigation a camera captured the suspect leaving the area. This suspect was known to officers of this agency for similar crimes. A summons was issued for him and served on him at the Somerset County Jail where he was on unrelated charges. He is awaiting the court proceedings.

On April 9, 2017 patrol units responded to a local business for a recent shoplifting incident. While searching and finding the suspect search incident to arrest he was found to be in possession of over 25 prescription pills in a prescription bottle not for him. The suspect was charged with the possession of the pills and released and is awaiting the court proceedings.

On April 11, 2017 a resident reported another delivered package theft from a porch. The victim has a home security camera system on the residence and captured a quality image of the suspect and his vehicle. The pictures were posted to the town and police department Facebook page and requested assistance from the public. The next day the suspect was identified and upon speaking with him numerous other items were recovered that were not his or his families. Almost all of that property was returned to grateful owners and the suspect was charged and released awaiting the court proceedings.

NOTE: We are required by the Rules of Court to include herein a statement explaining that the charges are merely an accusation and that the defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

### **CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION:**

### A comparison of Adult incident reports:

	Month	YTD
Investigated	80	335
Closed	62	229
Active	2	37
Suspended	16	69
Unfounded	0	7
Forwarded to SCPO	5	25

### A comparison of Juvenile incident reports:

	Month	YTD
Investigated	9	55
Closed	9	52
Active	0	2
Suspended	0	1
Unfounded	0	0
Forwarded to other Agencies	5	33

### Community Outreach

The Community Forum meeting was attended by Detective Domizi. Domizi also was on hand at the Valley National Bank Shredder truck event where people were encouraged to shred important documents to stop identity theft. Detective Domizi also attended a two day training seminar presented by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. The unit also sent out 31 False Alarm Activation letters to first time activations and 3 False alarm warning notices.

### Narcotics Strike Force

The Narcotics Strike Force were in town for 10 hours doing surveillance and conducting follow up interviews on complaints received from residents.

## Adjudications & Judicial Proceedings

On April 7, 2017 Nicholas J Alleyne was sentenced to 4 years in state prison for his role in a robbery on January 21, 2009 in the boro. Alleyne was sentenced by Superior Court judge, honorable Bury in Somerville.

On April 21, 2017 Nathaniel Johnson was sentenced to 5 years in state prison for his role in the above robbery on January 21, 2009 in in the boro. Johnson was also sentenced by Judge Bury of the Superior Court in Somerville.

On April 11, 2017 Toni Bolton was sentenced to 3 years in state prison for possession of a Controlled Dangerous Substance. Bolton was sentenced by Judge Reed of the Superior Court in Somerville.

Members of the Detective Bureau testified before the Superior Court Grand Jury three times in April.

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### PATROL DIVISION: MONTHLY REPORT APRIL 2017

	Month	YTD
Miles on marked patrol	14,533	55,122
Miles on unmarked patrol	630	2165
Total miles on patrol	15,163	57,287

# Traffic summonses issued:

Type of summonses	Month	YTD
Driving While Intoxicated (DWI)	4	7
Moving Hazardous Violation	93	327
Moving Non-Hazardous Violation	141	509
Ordinance Violation	6	31
Parking Violation	137	646
Radar	20	83
Written Warnings	311	1,427
Other Summons	0	0
Totals	717	3,035
Refusal Breath Test	3	3

### Radar Posts

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STREET	TIME SPENT
Clinton Avenue	14 Hours
Farragut Road	1 Hour
Greenbrook Road	10 Hours
Grove Street	25 Hours
Interhaven Avenue	1 Hour
Leland Avenue	7 Hours
Mountain Avenue	1 Hour
Myrtle Avenue	12 Hours
Netherwood Avenue	4 Hours
Norwood Avenue	5 Hours
Rock Avenue	1 Hours
Rockview Avenue	1 Hour
Route 22	26 Hours
Somerset Street	22 Hours
Warfield Road	1 Hours
Washington Avenue	1 Hour
Watchung Avenue	7 Hours
West End Avenue	5 Hours
Westervelt Avenue	8 Hour
Willow Ave.	2 Hours
Radar Posts	142 Hours
Highlighted	
Total Radar Posts	178
Total Radar Hours	241 Hours

# School Enforcement:

SCHOOL	TIME SPENT
East End School	15 Hours

Somerset School	4 Hours
Stonybrook School	12.5 Hours
West End School	13 Hours
High School	23.5 Hours
Charter School	Closed for construction

### Speed Sign:

STREET	LENGTH OF TIME
Harrison Ave.	04/01-05/05
Myrtle Ave.	04/01-05/05
Warfield Rd. West	04/01-05/05
Warfield Rd. East	04/01-05/05
Norwood Ave.	04/01-05/05

### Miscellaneous Information:

- During the month our officers made 69 arrests.
- Unmarked patrol was conducted in the borough for a total of 165 hours covering a total of 630 miles.
- We responded to 97 Rescue squad calls.
- We conducted 60 building or premise checks.
- We conducted 22 walking beats.
- We investigated 55 General alarms.
- We made 557 Motor Vehicle Stops and conducted 178 Radar Posts.
- Plains clothes details made 12 arrests during the month.

# Parking Enforcement Report:

Tickets	<b>S</b> :	Title 39	) <u> </u>	Meter Relate	d	Total	
	Mor	nth /	YTD	Month /	YTD 1	Month /	YTD
	Totals	233	835	263	972	496	1,807

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9,804.70	37,259.20	1,110.00	5,170.00	10,914.70	42,429.20

# Monthly Accident Totals

Accidents for the Month: 73

Summons Issued at Accidents:

Refuse Breath Test 3 Driving While Intoxicated 4 Hazardous 24 Non Hazardous 8

Alcohol Related	4				
Breakdown of Reportable/Non-Reportable Accidents:					
Rt 22-Reportable Boro Streets- Reportable	26 42	Rt 22 Non-	Reportable on-Reportable	0	
Private Property-Reportable Total Reportable Accidents	4 72	Private Pro	p Non-Reportable Reportable Accidents	0	
Accident Injury Report:					
Reports W/Injuries	19				
Persons Injured	20				
Fatal Accidents	0				
Total Accidents YTD		296			
Summons Issued at Accidents:					
Refuse Breath Test		3	Driving While Intox	icated	5
Hazardous		75	Non Hazardous		26
Alcohol Related		4			
Total Summons Issued YTD		113			
Breakdown of Reportable/Non	-Repo	ortable Accid	lents:		
Rt 22-Reportable	•	113	Rt 22 Non-Reportab	le	8
Boro Streets- Reportable		131	Boro St Non-Report	able	8
Private Property-Reportable		30	Private Prop Non-Re	eportable	6
Total Reportable Accidents Y	ΓD	274 Total Non-Reportable A		le Accidents YTD	22
Accident Injury Report:					
Reports W/Injuries		56			
Persons Injured		67			
Fatal Accidents		0			

# Miscellaneous Information Traffic:

- Traffic cover 13 hours as court Officer.
- Ofc. Mote attended the state traffic officers meeting.
- 04/19- Sgt. Kardos worked Somerset County Car Seat Fitting Station, Hillsborough.

- 04/19- Sgt. Kardos walked with the Stony Brook School for their walking school bus.
- 04/18- Sgt. Kardos attended meeting with the Borough and College Achieve Charter School.
- 04/10- Traffic handled parking complaint from resident at 212 Mountain Ave.
- 04/18- Traffic conducted a distracted driving detail with SCSD on Rt 22.
- 04/26- Traffic conducted a DMV MIT detail.

### Service Division

	Month	YTD
Fees Collected	\$460.40	\$1,763.50
Calls for Service/Responses	2724	10,782
Discovery Requests	24	74
Report Requests	454	1,791
Pieces of Evidence/ Property	37	130

Offense	Month	YTD		
Homicide	0	0		
Rape	0	4		
Robbery	4	12		
Assault, Agg:	1	3		
Assault Simple	14	41		
Burglary	2	24		
Larceny	41	139		
M.V. Theft	2	10		
Arson	0	1		
Domestic Violence	29	120		
Bias Incidents	0	0		

### Monthly Arrest Analysis

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		uvenile		/Juvenile
Murder	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	0	0
Robbery	3	0	3	0
Aggravated Assault	1	0	7	0
Burglary	0	0	1	0
Larceny/Theft	3	0	11	1
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0
Simple Assault	6	0	13	0
Arson	0	0	0	0
Forgery	0	0	1	0
Fraud	1	0	3	0

Embezzlement	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	1	0	2	1
Criminal Mischief	0	0	1	0
Weapons	0	0	0	0
Prostitution	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	0	0
Violation of Drug Laws	15	0	37	0
Gambling	0	0	0	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	1	0	4	0
Liquor Law Violations	0	1	0	1
Disorderly Conduct	0	0	1	0
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0
Curfew and Loitering	0	0	0	0
All Other Offenses	14	2	63	3
<b>Total UCR Arrests for Month</b>	45	3	153	6
Contempt of Court Arrests Other	16	0	158	0
Grand Total Arrests for Month	61	3	311	8

# 3 JUVENILE ARRESTS FOR THE MONTH

Respectfully submitted,

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