Monthly Report

May 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 May 31, he was out of work for 74 days and on light duty for 44 days.
- Sergeant McKay suffered serious injuries when he was involved in an off duty motor vehicle accident on February 3. As of May 31, he was out of work 79 days.
- Officer Jean-Baptiste was placed on administrative leave March 6, due to a complaint requiring an investigation. As of May 31, he was out of work for 48 days.

Promotions, New Hires and Retirements

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

A Sample of Investigations & Arrests

On May 29, a resident came home to a burglary in progress. A description of the suspect was obtained from the victim and given out to all on duty personnel. The suspect was spotted by a patrol officer and he was detained. A show up at the scene of the stop was conducted and the victim positively identified the suspect as the person attempting to enter his residence. The suspect was charged with third degree Burglary and Criminal Mischief. He was transported to the Somerset County Jail and is awaiting court proceedings.

On May 30, a local business reported a burglary where the suspect removed a cash register from the business. While reviewing the surveillance footage from the business security system a suspect was spotted and a patrol alert was issued showing the suspect. On May 31, 2017 an on duty patrol officer spotted the suspect who was stopped and arrested on non-related charges. At headquarters the suspect gave a post Miranda statement that he did in fact steal the cash register and pointed officers to its location.

The suspect was charged with third degree Burglary and Theft and transported to the Somerset County Jail and is awaiting 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	99	434
Closed	58	287
Active	1	38
Suspended	40	109
Unfounded	0	7
Forwarded to SCPO	7	32

A comparison of Juvenile incident reports:

	Month	YTD
Investigated	27	82
Closed	27	79
Active	0	2
Suspended	0	1
Unfounded	0	0
Forwarded to other Agencies	16	49

Community Outreach

The community police unit sent out 34 False Alarm Activation letters to first time activations and 6 False alarm warning notices. Detective Domizi began teaching GREAT to Spanish speaking school age children. Detective Segeda did a DNA and Forensics presentation to 4 separate Science classes at the high school.

Narcotics Strike Force

The Narcotics Strike Force executed two search warrants in the county, which led to the following seizures; 2 pounds of marijuana, 30 bricks of heroin, 1 hand gun, 200 xanax pills, 200 ecstasy pills and \$75,000 in cash. 18 people were arrested along with 2 people still outstanding.

Adjudications & Judicial Proceedings

On May 5, 2017 the Honorable Judge Reed of the Superior Court in Somerville sentenced Rodney Terry to 18 months in prison for his actions of assaulting one of our officers and spitting in his face three times while being processed for a DWI arrest in April of 2016.

PATROL DIVISION: MONTHLY REPORT

	Month	YTD
Miles on marked patrol	13,435	68,557
Miles on unmarked patrol	550	2,715
Total miles on patrol	13,985	71,272

Traffic summonses issued:

Type of summonses	Month	YTD
Driving While Intoxicated (DWI)	3	10
Moving Hazardous Violation	60	387
Moving Non-Hazardous Violation	157	666
Ordinance Violation	11	42
Parking Violation	149	795
Radar	8	91
Written Warnings	370	1,802
Other Summons	0	0
Totals	760	3,800
Refusal Breath Test	2	2

Radar Posts

STREET	TIME SPENT
Clinton Avenue	19 Hours
Duer St.	2 Hours
Farragut Road	2 Hours
Greenbrook Road	20 Hours
Grove Street	23 Hours
Leland Avenue	12 Hours
Mountain Avenue	3 Hour
Myrtle Avenue	3 Hours
Netherwood Avenue	4 Hours
Norwood Avenue	8 Hours
Rock Avenue	7 Hours
Route 22	23 Hours

Somerset Street	24 Hours
Warfield Road	8 Hours
Washington Avenue	1 Hour
Watchung Avenue	14 Hours
West End Avenue	3 Hours
Radar Posts	176 Hours
Highlighted	
Total Radar Posts	166 Hours
Total Radar Hours	214 Hours

School Enforcement:

SCHOOL	TIME SPENT
East End School	14.5 Hours
Somerset School	2 Hours
Stonybrook School	13 Hours
West End School	12.5 Hours
High School	17.5 Hours
Charter School	Closed for construction

Speed Sign:

STREET	LENGTH OF TIME
Leland Ave.	05/05-05/31
Myrtle Ave. East	05/05-05/31
Myrtle Ave. West	05/05-05/31
Watchung Ave.	05/05-05/31
Clinton Ave.	05/05-05/31

Miscellaneous Information:

- Unmarked patrol was conducted in the borough for a total of 172 hours covering a total of 550 miles.
- We responded to 78 Rescue squad calls.
- We conducted 173 building or premise checks.
- We conducted 107 walking beats.
- We investigated 52 General alarms.
- Plains clothes details made 15 arrests during the month and both teams are now putting out plain clothes details.

Parking Enforcement Report:

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Tickets: Title 39		Meter Related		Total	
Month / YTD Month /		ΓD Month	/ YTD	2 220	٦
Totals 229 1064	303	1275	532	2,339	
Meters Permits		Total Reven	nue		
Monthly / YTD Month		YTD Me	onthly /	YTD	7
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Accidents for the Month:		76			
Summons Issued at Accidents					
Refuse Breath Test	1	Driving Whi	le Intoxica	ted 2	
Hazardous	17	Non Hazardo	ous	5	
Alcohol Related	0				
Breakdown of Reportable/Nor	-Repo	ortable Accide	nts:		
Rt 22-Reportable	30	Rt 22 Non-R	eportable	4	
Boro Streets- Reportable	31	Boro St Non-Reportable 2			
Private Property-Reportable	5	Private Prop Non-Reportable 4			
Total Reportable Accidents	66	Total Non-R	eportable A	Accidents 10	
Accident Injury Report:					
Reports W/Injuries	8				
Persons Injured	9				
Fatal Accidents	0				
Accidents Year To Date As On	f				
Total Accidents YTD		372			
Summons Issued at Accidents	:				
Refuse Breath Test		4	Driving V	While Intoxicated	7
Hazardous		92	Non Haza	ardous	1
Alcohol Related		4			
Total Summons Issued YTD		138			
Breakdown of Reportable/Non	-Repo	ortable Accide	nts:		
Rt 22-Reportable		143	Rt 22 No	n-Reportable	12
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Boro Streets- Reportable	162	Boro St Non-Reportable	10
Private Property-Reportable	35	Private Prop Non-Reportable	10
Total Reportable Accidents YTD	340	Total Non-Reportable YTD	32
Accident Injury Report:			
Reports W/Injuries	64		
Persons Injured	76		
Fatal Accidents	0		

Service Division

	Month	YTD
Fees Collected	\$568.10	\$2,331.60
Calls for Service/Responses	2966	13,748
Discovery Requests	24	98
Report Requests	454	2,245
Pieces of Evidence/ Property	47	177

Offense	Month	YTD
Homicide	0	0
Rape	2	6
Robbery	6	18
Assault, Agg:	0	3
Assault Simple	9	50
Burglary	9	33
Larceny	40	179
M.V. Theft	2	12
Arson	0	1
Domestic Violence	28	148
Bias Incidents	0	0

Monthly Arrest Analysis

•	Month		YTD	
	Adult	/Juvenile	Adult /	Juvenile_
Murder	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	0	0
Robbery	1	0	4	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	7	0
Burglary	2	0	3	0
Larceny/Theft	3	0	14	1

Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	0	0
Simple Assault	2	1	14	1
Arson	0	0	0	0
Forgery	0	0	1	0
Fraud	1	0	4	0
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	1	0	3	1
Criminal Mischief	2	1	3	1
Weapons	0	0	0	0
Prostitution	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	0	0
Violation of Drug Laws	6	1	43	1
Gambling	0	0	0	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	3	0	7	0
Liquor Law Violations	1	0	1	1
Disorderly Conduct	2	0	3	0
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0
Curfew and Loitering	0	0	0	0
All Other Offenses	7	0	70	3
Total UCR Arrests for Month	38	3	191	9
Contempt of Court Arrests Other	43	0	201	0
Grand Total Arrests for Month	81	3	392	11

• 3 JUVENILE ARRESTS FOR THE MONTH

Respectfully submitted,

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