

Monthly Report

June 2022



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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NORTH PLAINFIELD POLICE JUNE 2022 MONTHLY REPORT

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ADMINISTRATION:

Staffing:

The Police Department is operating below its authorized strength of 48 sworn Officers. Staffing and deficiencies:

- 2 Patrol Officers
- 1 SLEO III Officer
- 1 Parking Enforcement P/T

Injured Officers/Officers on Leave:

- Ofc. Richard Dow sustained a hand injury on March 11, 2022 during a training exercise. He has missed fifty-four (54) days of patrol work thus far.
- Ofc. Alexis Castillo transitioned to light duty on June 2, 2022 for maternity leave. She has missed sixteen (16) days of patrol work thus far.

Promotions, New Hires and Retirements:

- There were no promotions, new hires, or retirements this month.

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A Sample of Investigations & Arrests

On June 6, 2022 at 1915 hrs., patrol responded to an anonymous phone call about package theft in the area of Warfield Road and Redmont Road. The caller related that a male got out of a vehicle, approached the residence, picked up a package from the front of the residence, and got back into the vehicle. The caller observed the vehicle turn towards Vermeule Park. Police later observed an unoccupied black Subaru parked at the park. Later, five males were seen leaving the park and it was later determined that those individuals exited that vehicle. Prior to entering the park, the officer was able to look inside the vehicle and in plain view he observed black Nike Airforce 1 high tops on the front passenger floor and an open Amazon package in the middle of the rear seat. After determining the identity of the victim of theft, the officer reviewed the surveillance video from that address and identified the suspect who stole the package. The suspect, a juvenile, was taken into custody and transported to police headquarters. The suspect was processed and released to a family member pending charges.

On June 9, 2022 at 0512 hrs., patrol responded to a business on Watchung Avenue near Pearl Street for the report of a young juvenile found walking by herself. The four year old female was transported to headquarters and an effort was made to go door-to-door in the area to locate her address. A detective was assigned to assist patrol and after two

