



POLICE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

Wethersfield



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SPECIAL PROJECTS / ACHIEVEMENTS / INNOVATIONS

During the month of July 2015, members of the Detective Bureau initiated or were assigned follow up to sixteen (16) new cases. The major case investigations involved; seven (7) burglaries and one (1) assault. Detectives also continue to perform town background investigations and backgrounds for pistol permits applicants.

Four members of the Wethersfield Police Cadets attended the Cadet Academy at the University of Hartford on 07/26/15 thru 08/01/2015.

MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

Patrol Division

Patrol Division (Case of Interest)

Support Services Bureau

Thirty-one persons were taken into custody and held requiring 472 hours of incarceration. Of the persons held, twenty-one were arrested on warrants. Twenty-one males and ten females were transported to court. The females incarcerated by the department required 148 hours of matron and/or officer coverage.

There were 163 phone calls and 83 calls for service involving animal control issues. Of the calls for service, fifty-four were handled by the part-time animal control officers and twenty-nine were handled by police officers. Eight animals were impounded with four being redeemed, three sold as pets, and one carrying over. Wethersfield Animal Control Officers covered for ten calls in Newington. Newington Animal Control Officers covered for ten calls in Wethersfield. Eight warnings were issued for unlicensed dogs.

Wethersfield Public Safety Dispatchers received and handled 1014 E-911 emergency phone calls.

The Wethersfield Volunteer Fire Department (WVFD) was dispatched to 43 calls for service.

The Wethersfield Volunteer Ambulance (WVAA) was dispatched to 101 calls for service and Aetna Ambulance to 269 calls for service.

Administrative Services Bureau

This department has responded to 43 alarm calls in month of July. Residential locations made up 24 (56%) of the total, non-residential locations made up 16 (37%), and State / Town government made up 3 (7%) of the total alarm incidents. The alarms received were: 37 burglar, 4 holdup / panic, and 2 fire. There currently are 1,663 alarm registrations on file, 42 of which experienced alarm(s) this month; this represents a 97% compliance rate. Three new alarm registrations were entered this month. During this month, \$1,325 in alarm billing has occurred. There have been 131 actions performed by this unit with the CryWolf system, and 113 items of correspondence sent out.

Detective Division

On 7/7/2015 Patrol officers were dispatched to a local motel on the report of an assault. The complainant said that a male friend had been stabbed in the parking lot and she did not know where the suspect had gone. Officers arrived and found the male victim lying in the parking lot with at least one stab wound to his back. The victim complained of a feeling of numbness in his lower legs. The victim was transported to the hospital.

Detectives investigated and found that the victim drove to the hotel to see the female complainant. While in the parking lot there was a confrontation with another male friend of the complainant. The male suspect stabbed the victim in the back and fled on foot through the parking lot. Detectives later identified the suspect and obtained a warrant for his arrest. On 7/9/2015 the suspect turned himself into police headquarters. He was placed under arrest and charged with Assault in the First Degree and held on bond. The arrestee was later brought to GA 15 in New Britain.

Juvenile Detective

The Wethersfield Police Department handled approximately 54 incidents, involving approximately 73 juveniles during the month of July 2015. In these incidents 1 Juvenile was arrested, 4 Juveniles were diverted for parental discipline and 1 Juvenile was seen at the Wethersfield Juvenile Review Board.

Training Division

On Friday, July 10, 2015, Officer Kenneth Newton attended a training class entitled "**DRAEGER Instructor Recertification**". This training was held at the Connecticut State

Police Laboratory, Meriden, CT. This class is required to remain a certified training instructor for the Intoxilyzer (DWI) Machine.

On Monday, June 8, 2015, Detective Christopher Morris began attending “**Cybercop 315-Windows Artifacts.**” This training class was held at the Manchester Police Department, Manchester, CT. Detective Morris is assigned to the CT Regional Digital Investigative Squad and this training certifies him do forensic computer investigations.

On Tuesday, July 27, 2015, Officer Shane Murphy, along with his canine, Marley, attended a one day training class entitled “**Police Canine/ Police Canine Handler Training.**” Officer Murphy and Marley participated in this monthly canine training with several other area law enforcement canine teams. Training included evidence recovery and tracking, and narcotics searches.

On Wednesday, June 30, 2015, Officer Nuno Martins, along with his canine, Thor, attended a one day training class entitled “**Police Canine/ Police Canine Handler Training.**” Officer Martins and Thor participated in this monthly canine training with several other area law enforcement canine teams. Training included evidence recovery and tracking.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wethersfield Detectives are working with the Mid-State Narcotics Task Force, assisting with personnel and the development of active narcotic cases. Detectives are also working closely with the Drug Enforcement Agency to investigate local individuals.

The Wethersfield Police Cadets will be assisting in National Night Out event on 08/04/2015 at Mill Woods Park.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

	JULY 2014	JULY 2015	YTD 2014	YTD 2015
Criminal Arrests				
Criminal Arrests	80	100	472	506
Burglaries and Robberies				
Residential Burglaries	3	4	19	10
Commercial Burglaries	1	3	19	4
Armed Robberies	0	0	1	2
Strong-Arm Robberies	0	0	1	1
Family Violence Arrests				
Family Violence Arrests	3	12	54	48

Traffic Related

Infractions/ MV Summons	207	112	1163	1151
DUI	10	6	57	36
MV Crashes	55	50	335	462
Parking Tags	40	29	539	478

Miscellaneous Activities

911 Calls	1057	1014	5237	6712
Alarm Responses	61	43	410	394
Records Requests	269	233	1435	1534
Prisoners Transported	12	31	127	108
Child Car Seat Installations	0	0	22	24