



Memorandum

To: Shea Charles, City Manager
From: George Basar, Chief of Police
Date: April 25, 2017
Subject: Monthly Report – March 2017

Below is a statistical report of the Howell Police Department for the month of March, 2017:

CALLS FOR SERVICE

Officers responded to 889 calls for police service.

The Howell Police Department prides itself on a proactive rather than reactive philosophy of policing. This preventative approach is reflected in the Calls For Service in March, 2017:

- Building Check at 153 (in which 13 were found open);
- Assist EMS at 103;
- Foot Patrol at 97;
- Citizen Assist at 63;
- Suspicious Activity at 51 (30 Suspicious Situations, 13 Suspicious Vehicles and 8 Suspicious Persons).

Further, Officers:

- Area Checks at 45;
- Assist Fire at 34;
- Assist Non – Law Enforcement Agencies 31;
- Motorist Assist 25;
- Welfare Checks 21.

Criminally, Howell Police Officers handled:

- 8 Larceny Complaints (3 larceny of personal property from motor vehicle, 3 larceny from a building and 2 larceny from grounds);
- 6 Driving While License Suspended complaints;
- 5 Assault complaints;
- 3 Accident, Hit and Run, Vehicle/Pedestrian;
- 3 Intimidation/Stalking complaints.

**The OSSI system does not differentiate between the Assault and Battery that involved a Domestic relationship and an Assault and Battery under non-domestic circumstances.*

ARRESTS

Overall, the department executed 15 physical arrests. These arrests include 7 Obstructing Justice arrests, 2 Operating While Intoxicated arrests, 1 Assault and Battery arrest, 1 Burglary – No Forced – Residence arrest, and 4 other arrests.

WARRANTS REQUESTED

During the month of March, the Howell Police Department submitted 58 warrant requests to the Prosecutor’s Office and the City Attorney. Of the cases submitted, 49 criminal/traffic charges were obtained, which includes 42 misdemeanor offenses and 7 felony offenses. 9 resulted in no charges.

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT/TRAFFIC CRASHES

Traffic Enforcement:

In March, Howell Police Officers completed 150 traffic stops. Of those traffic stops, Howell Officers issued a total of 96 Uniform Traffic Citations (UTC).

The top 5 citations issued are as follows:

- Speeding 1-10 over limit at 26;
- Expired License Plate at 20;
- Driving While License Suspended/Denied, Revoked at 8;
- Disobey Traffic Control Device at 6;
- Fail to Stop in Assured Clear Distance at 6.

In the month of March Howell Officers issued 89 parking citations.

Traffic Crashes:

On the crash side, Howell Police Officers responded to a total of 35 traffic crashes, of which 25 are reportable*.

PIA	PDA-Traffic Area	PDA Non-Traffic Area	Accident-Hit and Run
1	21	10	3

**Property Damage Accident-non traffic area, occur on private property and therefore are not reportable.*

DEPARTMENTAL STATISTICS

The Following is an analysis of Departmental productivity on a shift level.

A breakdown by shift is as follows:

Shift	Reports	Arrests	Citations	Parking Citations
Days A	237	2	26	33
Midnights B	148	5	25	6
Days C	239	1	13	26
Midnights D	260	7	32	24
Other*	5	0	0	0
Total	889	15	96	89

**Other includes Criminal Investigations, LAWNET and Desk Personnel.*

This data can be refined to averages per shift, per day:

Shift	Reports	Arrests	Citations	Parking Citations
Days A	7.6	0.1	0.8	1.1
Midnights B	4.8	0.2	0.4	0.2
Days C	7.7	0.0	0.8	0.8
Midnights D	8.4	0.2	1.0	0.8

RESIDENTIAL VACATION CHECKS

During the month of March, Howell Officers conducted 533 Residential Vacation checks.

SPECIAL EVENTS

There were no special events to report on for the month of March, 2017.

DETECTIVE BUREAU

The Detective Bureau is currently assigned 10 active investigations. During the month, the Detective was able to close seven (7) investigations. Two (2) Fraud investigations were closed. Three (3) Threats investigations were closed. One (1) Burglary investigation was closed, and One (1) Embezzlement investigation was closed.

LAWNET

The LAWNET Officer reported the following seizures:

- 6 gams of Marijuana;
- 1.5 grams of Heroin.

Additionally, 14 investigations were initiated and 5 arrests were executed.

EVENTS OF INTEREST:

- On March 2nd, LAWNET Officers conducted surveillance on a known Heroin dealer that resides in the City of Howell. LAWNET Officers followed the suspect to the City of Detroit where officers

witnessed Heroin being purchased. After the purchase, a traffic stop was conducted on the suspect vehicle and the Heroin was located. Suspect was lodged at the Livingston County Jail.

- On March 2nd, Howell Officers responded to the Howell Post Office for an assault and battery investigation. Howell Officers discovered an 82-year-old male had been the passenger in a vehicle and he grabbed the steering wheel and jerked the car almost causing an accident. When his wife stopped, he then started to attack her and threw her to the ground. Howell Officers had to struggle with the male subject to get him under control. He was transported by EMS to the hospital for treatment of dementia.
- On March 7th, LАWNET Officers were conducting surveillance in Howell on a suspected Heroin dealer. Officers witnessed a Heroin suspect enter a retail store in Howell. When the suspect exited the store, LАWNET officers made contact and discovered stolen property from the store on the suspect. The suspect was interviewed and released. The report was sent to the Livingston County Prosecutor's Office for review.
- On March 7th, LАWNET Officers were conducting surveillance on a Heroin suspect that lives in the City of Howell. LАWNET officers also received information that this suspect is linked to a Heroin overdose in the City of Brighton. A traffic stop was conducted and the suspect was arrested on Felony Warrants. The suspect was lodged at the Livingston County Jail.
- On March 11th, Howell Officers were dispatched to an accident where the female driver had run over a fire hydrant. The female driver turned onto Livingston St and was traveling east when she went off the roadway and hit the street sign and a fire hydrant. The hydrant was broken off at the ground. The driver was given SFST's which she failed. She was arrested and failed a breath test at the Livingston County Jail. She was lodged for OWI.
- On March 13th, LАWNET Officers were conducting surveillance in Howell City on Heroin suspects. LАWNET officers followed the suspect to the City of Detroit where Heroin was observed being purchased. The suspects then traveled back to Howell and a traffic stop was conducted. During the stop, Heroin was discovered and the suspect was lodged at the Livingston county Jail.
- On March 22nd, Howell Officers were dispatched to a B&E in progress. Night Shift officers immediately responded and found the suspect inside of the residence. There were indications that the female subject was huffing paint when she broke into the rear of the residence. The female was arrested without incident and lodged at the Livingston County Jail.