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City of Howell
Police Department

Memorandum

To: Shea Charles, City Manager
From: George Basar, Police Chief
Date: August 9, 2016
Subject: Monthly Report – July 2016

Below is a statistical report of the Howell Police Department for the month of July, 2016:

CALLS FOR SERVICE

Officers responded to 969 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 July, 2016:

- Building Check at 142 (in which 7 were found open);
- Foot Patrol at 106;
- Assist Non-Law Enforcement Agency at 81;
- Assisted EMS 79 times;
- Citizen Assist 59.

Further, Officers responded to:

- Area Checks 55 times;
- Suspicious Activity 52: (43 Suspicious Situations, 5 Suspicious Persons and 4 Suspicious Vehicles);
- Welfare Checks 30 Times;
- Assisted Motorists 26 times;
- Assisted Fire Department 21 times.

Criminally, Howell Police Officers addressed:

- 13 Driving While License Suspended complaints;

- 12 Larceny complaints (4 Larceny from a Building, 3 Larceny from Grounds, 2 Larceny from Motor Vehicle, 1 Larceny of Parts/Accessories, 1 Larceny of Gasoline and 1 Larceny Other);
- 6 Assault and Battery complaints;
- 5 Damage to Property complaints;
- 4 Violation of Controlled Substance Act (VCSA) 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 27 physical arrests. These arrests include 9 Obstructing Justice Arrests, 5 Operating While Intoxicated Arrests, 3 Family Offense – Non Support/Neglect Family Arrests, 3 Larceny (2 Larceny of Personal Property from Motor Vehicle and 1 Larceny from Yards) Arrests, 2 Assault and Battery Arrests, , 2 Driving on Revoked, Suspended or Refused License Arrests and 3 other arrests.

WARRANTS REQUESTED

During the month of June, the Howell Police Department submitted 52 warrant requests to the Prosecutor’s Office and the City Attorney. Of the cases submitted, 38 criminal/traffic charges were obtained, which includes 27 misdemeanor offenses and 11 felony offenses. 14 cases resulted in no charges.

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT/TRAFFIC CRASHES

Traffic Enforcement:

In July, Howell Officers completed 204 traffic stops. Of those traffic stops, Howell Officers issued a total of 157 Uniform Traffic Citations (UTC).

The top 5 citations issued are as follows:

- Speeding 1-10 over limit at 60;
- Expired License Plate at 14;
- Defective Equipment Violations at 9;
- Disobey Traffic Control Device at 9;
- Drove While License Suspended/Denied, Revoked at 8.

In the month of July, Howell Officers issued 174 parking citations.

The top 5 parking citation are as follows:

- Parking on Designated Streets Over Posted Time Limit at 59;
- Right of Hard Surface at 27;
- All Night Parking (As Posted) at 22;
- Parking in Parking Lot Over Posted Time Limits at 22;
- On or Encroaching Upon A Sidewalk at 13.

Traffic Crashes:

On the crash side, Howell Police Officers responded to a total of 30 traffic crashes, of which 22 are reportable*.

PIA	PDA-Traffic Area	PDA Non-Traffic Area	Accident-Hit and Run
2	16	8	4

**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	Citations	Arrests	Parking Citations
Days A Team	233	26	5	58
Midnights C Team	284	37	12	14
Days B Team	213	48	5	72
Midnights D Team	228	46	5	30
Other*	11	0	0	0
Total	969	157	27	174

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

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

Shift	Reports	Citations	Arrests	Parking Citations
Days A Team	7.5	0.8	0.2	1.9
Midnights C Team	9.2	1.2	0.4	0.5
Days B Team	6.9	1.5	0.2	2.3
Midnights D Team	7.4	1.5	0.2	1.0

RESIDENTIAL VACATION CHECKS

During the month of July, Howell Officers conducted 161 Residential Vacation checks.

SPECIAL EVENTS

There were no special events in the month of July.

TRAINING

- On July 21st, Records Technician Tonya Hubbard attended a 4 hour MITN training course.

DETECTIVE BUREAU

The Detective Bureau is currently assigned eight active investigations. During the month, the Detective closed four of the investigations. These investigations are listed below.

- 3 - Criminal Sexual Conduct investigations;
- 1 - Death Investigation.

LAWNET

The LAWNET Officer reported a productive month with the following seizures:

- 25 Marijuana plants;
- 15 doses of Tramadol;
- 3 grams of Marijuana Wax;
- 2 grams of powder Cocaine.

Additionally, 16 investigations were initiated and 1 arrest was executed.

Events of Interest:

- On July 1st, Howell officers took a report of a stolen bicycle. There were no suspects at the time the report was made. Later in the same shift, officers were dealing with a subject at the Kensington Inn who was under 21 and had been drinking and was causing a problem. While talking with the subject in his room, officers noticed a bike that matched the description of the stolen bike from earlier in the shift. The subject was questioned about the bike and confessed to stealing it earlier in the day. The 20 year old subject was lodged at the Livingston County Jail for the larceny.
- On July 3rd, two black males were observed cutting the catalytic converter of a minivan in a parking lot Pine Hill Apartments. The subjects fled the area prior to officers arriving on scene. Plate information was obtained from witnesses. Investigation continues.
- On July 4th, Howell officers were meeting with DPW along N Michigan Ave near Grand River due to a water main break in the alley. The DPW truck was parked along N Michigan Ave with all the yellow warning lights activated. An intoxicated driver hit the DPW truck in the rear end. The 18 year old driver failed sobriety tests and was arrested and lodged at the Livingston County Jail for Operating While Intoxicated (OWI).
- On July 12th, Howell officers were dispatched to a larceny from vehicle complaint in progress at the Yorkshire Apartments. The caller advised that two male subjects were entering into vehicles and appeared to be throwing things out of each vehicle. Officers arrived and caught two males in the process of stealing from the vehicles. The subjects were highly intoxicated and taken into custody. The subjects were lodged at the Livingston County Jail.
- On July 16th, officers were dispatched to the Country Clipper business for a Breaking and Entering (B&E) complaint. Officers arrived and found the front door of the business had been broken out. No suspects at this time. Investigation continues.
- On July 26th, LAWNET Officers assisted the Howell Police Department with a traffic stop where one of the occupants was in possession of Marijuana Wax. LAWNET took custody of the Wax and opened an investigation.