



CITY OF DANBURY

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE
375 MAIN STREET

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October 24, 2016

MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Mark D. Boughton
Members of the City Council

From: Patrick A. Ridenhour, Chief of Police

Subject: **Police Department Monthly Report
October 2016**

I submit this report of the activities of the Danbury Police Department for the month of October.

Community Services (See attached)

Training

9/1, 20, 27 Legal Updates – Chief Ridenhour, D/C McColgan, Det. Capt. Weston, Capt. Myles, Capt. Mulvey, Sgt. Georgoulis (Each attended one session)

9/15 Animal Control Class – ACOs Mortara & Simone

9/19-22 Child Passenger Safety Course – Sgt. Antonelli, P.Os. Morrill & Anderson

9/20 NE Crisis Negotiators Association – Lt. LeRose & Sgts. Schretzenmayer & Mable

9/30 CIT Refresher – Sgts. Mable & Cooney, Det. Usher & P.Os. Agosto, Rudisill, Guss, Grundman, D. LaFantano, Gillotti, Elste, Fernandes, Lyder, Zalenski, Martinez & Anderson

10/6 Emotional Survival – P.Os. Reo, Basile, Fernandes & Galgano; PPOs Schalkam, Martin, O'Connor, Mongelli & Wolen

10/12-14 Leading People in an Increasingly Dynamic World – Capt Mulvey, Det. Lts. Williams & Carroccio, Lts. LeRose & Corrado & Det. Sgt. Marcus

9/26-10/4 SWAT Basic – P.O. Contreras

9/26/10/7 Basic Police Firearms Instructor Course – P.Os. Iaquinto & Malone

10/27 Death Notification Workshop – Det. Sgt. Marcus, Sgts. Lowe, Matt Georgoulis, Mable & Carlson

10/31-11/4 Internal Affairs Investigations – Det. Lt. Bishop & Sgt. Fabich

Chief's Significant Meetings

10/2 American Cancer Society Breast Cancer Walk

10/3 9-1-1 Oversight Board

10/5 Citizen's Government Academy
10/6 City Council Meeting
10/7 Tribuna Meeting
10/7 U.S. Attorney's Meeting – New Haven
10/11 Detective Promotions – City Hall
10/11 Grievance Meeting
10/12 Mayor's Cabinet Meeting
10/12 Hologic Tour
10/14-10/20 IACP Conference – San Diego, CA
10/17 9-1-1 Oversight Board (Deputy Chief)
10/20 Business Supports the Arts Breakfast – Matrix (Deputy Chief)
10/20 NAACP Dinner – Anthony's Lake Club (Deputy Chief)
10/24 Panic Button Test/Rave Meeting – Danbury High School
10/24 Hispanic Heritage Awards – Meriden
10/25 Brazilian Pastoral Council Meeting
10/26 Grievance Hearing – Wethersfield
10/27 Arbitration – Wethersfield
10/31 WCSU Women's Basketball Tip-Off Breakfast

Respectfully submitted,

Patrick A. Ridenhour
Chief of Police

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Attach.



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Patrick A. Ridenhour, Chief
Department of Police
375 Main Street

Lt. Vincent P. Daniello
Community Services Division
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To: Patrick A. Ridenhour – Chief of Police

From: Vincent P. Daniello – Lieutenant

Re: Community Services Division – Activity Reports & Staffing Levels
September 15 – October 15, 2016

Date: October 19, 2016

Community Conditions Unit:

(Sgt. Antonelli, Officers T. Zalenski, S. Cameron, M. Morrill, R. Anderson)

-See attached report - **Sensitive Information** -

Community Affairs Unit: No officer assigned

(-1 Officer) Responsibilities divided amongst Lt. Daniello and CSD

-No report attached

GTF/UNIT:

(P.O. K. Utter)

See attached report - **Sensitive Information**

City Center Liaison: No officer assigned as of 10/11/16

(P.O. R. Perun *** promoted to Detective on 10/11/16)

-See attached report

Police Activities League:

(No police personnel assigned)

No Report

School Based Officers:

(P.O. S. O'Brien, P.O. M. Martinez, P.O. B. Hayes, P.O. R. Morlock)

-See attached report(s)

*****Current Staffing Levels*****

1 Lieutenant
1 Sergeant
9 Patrol Officers (-2)



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Department of Police
375 Main Street

Matthew McNally, Lieutenant
Patrol Division

Date: October 19, 2016

MEMORANDUM

To: Chief Patrick A. Ridenhour
From: Lt. Matthew McNally
Subject: **Police Explorer Monthly Activity Report – September 2016**

Again, this September was a very busy month for the explorers. In keeping with preparedness month, and current world events, as we came into the 15th anniversary of the 9/11/01 terrorist attacks against our nation, our training and education focus for the month was aimed at disaster preparation, NIMS, CERT, and Homeland Security.

On Wednesday the 7th, there was the **DFD vs. DPD Charity Softball** game in Rogers Park. 22 explorers and post advisors were in attendance. The explorer program was one of the charity recipients. The explorers assisted with traffic control and parking in the lots, as well as hawking items to raise money for the charities.



On Thursday the 8th, the Explorer Program held its First Night Open House for new prospective members. Deputy Chief Shaun McColgan was in attendance, and the post had approximately 20 new youth and their parents in attendance to check out what the program is all about. On Thursday, September 15th, the newest Basic Explorer Skills Training (BEST) class began with approximately 19 potential explorer candidates. The next entry class will be held on Thursday, March 30th, 2017

September 9th, 34 explorers including our explorer honor guard, along with several advisors participated in the annual **9/11 Memorial Service** held at the southern end of Elmwood Park on Main Street. Explorers assisted the police with manning traffic posts, blocking and re-routing traffic around the solemn service. Our Honor Guard presented colors with all the other honor guards.



On September 10th and 11th explorers and advisors were split into different squads/details to cover the many assignments associated with the **Taste of Greater Danbury** weekend events. These assignments commenced at 0700 on Saturday (9/10) and continued until approximately 2030 hours on Sunday (9/11). On Saturday, 57 explorers between 2 shifts (8-4 & 3-11) were at the Taste of Danbury securing the streets around the Danbury Green, assisting vendors to their vending locations, and assisting the assigned Special Events officers with crowd control/security duties. We did return on the 11th as scheduled and had 37 explorers on two shifts (8-5 and 12-9) explorers work through various shifts and assignments during the weekend hours. Besides covering the three street entrances to the Taste of Danbury (as we have done since its inception), explorers and their advisors also took on other activities.

On Sunday, the weather was excellent and the turnout at the Taste of Danbury was very good. Explorers and their advisors secured from the Taste of Danbury at approximately 2100 hours after cleaning up and packing away all their equipment from the day's event.



Scenes from the Taste of Danbury



Working the Explorer Command Post

Also on Saturday, September 24th, the post continued with CPR/AED/ First Aid training at police headquarters. This American Heart Association training is being provided to all explorers and adult advisors, free of charge to the Post with the costs provided by Securitas Security Services USA, Inc. Securitas is providing all the books, materials and the cost of the two instructors, John Lassen and Vinnie Terentino. We are able to get a class of 18 explorers and advisors at a time through. So far we have had four classes complete the training and test successfully.

Due to several explorers leaving for college and the military, as well as some internal house cleaning of those who have been absent more than allowed, we ended the month with 85 explorer cadets. We did see an increase with the new incoming Basic Explorer Skills Training class beginning at the end of the month. The next new open enrollment has already been scheduled for Thursday, March 30th, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,

Lt. Matthew McNally

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Post Advisor/Program Coordinator

**2016 UNIFORM CRIME REPORT
CITY OF DANBURY**

	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>April</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>June</i>	<i>July</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>YTD</i>
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Forcible Rape	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	4				15
Robbery	4	3	3	5	6	6	9	3	4				43
Assault	2	0	1	2	5	5	5	4	0				24
Burglary	5	10	12	10	15	7	15	13	13				100
Theft	69	81	77	60	71	58	69	80	79				644
Motor Vehicle Theft	12	15	5	3	9	20	7	15	7				93
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Totals	98	110	99	80	106	96	105	118	107				919

**2015 UNIFORM CRIME REPORT
CITY OF DANBURY**

	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>April</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>June</i>	<i>July</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>YTD</i>
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Forcible Rape	4	11	1	4	3	1	2	3	1				30
Robbery	4	7	5	6	3	4	5	8	8				50
Assault	2	2	5	4	4	4	6	3	4				34
Burglary	20	15	25	9	17	15	9	11	17				138
Theft	84	67	73	90	86	76	68	80	78				702
Motor Vehicle Theft	4	9	9	15	4	4	11	13	4				73
Arson	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0				3
Totals	118	111	120	128	118	104	101	118	112				1,030

*Please Note: UCR Stats are subject to change due to monthly crime modifications

**2016 DANBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS
CITY OF DANBURY**

CALLS FOR SERVICE

2016

	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>April</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>June</i>	<i>July</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>YTD</i>
Calls for Service	3,902	3,959	3,908	4,876	4,435	4,673	5,004	5,447	4,562				40,766

2015

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Calls for Service	5,274	5,030	6,445	5,701	7,049	6,263	6,121	6,320	5,138				53,341

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

2016

	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>April</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>June</i>	<i>July</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>YTD</i>
Property Damage	208	312	300	302	371	301	322	385	328				2,829
Personal Injury	38	48	26	46	41	47	44	52	35				377
Total Traffic Accidents	246	360	326	348	412	348	366	437	363				3,206

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Property Damage	326	340	382	211	334	312	329	310	311				2,855
Personal Injury	79	50	76	83	90	96	109	104	114				801
Total Traffic Accidents	405	390	458	294	424	408	438	414	425				3,656

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

2016

	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>April</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>June</i>	<i>July</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sept</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec.</i>	<i>YTD</i>
Verbal Warning	151	117	136	218	141	131	148	157	134				1,333
Written Warning	16	13	7	34	18	13	11	20	7				139
Moving Violation	198	167	134	1,890*	298	365	500	792*	297				4,641
Total Enforcement Action	365	297	277	2,142	457	509	659	969	438				6,113

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Verbal Warning	155	116	93	203	55	199	90	99	80				1,090
Written Warning	11	5	20	44	6	22	24	27	9				168
Moving Violation	125	67	211	1,325*	159	837*	609*	1,061*	210				4,604
Total Enforcement Action	291	188	324	1,572	220	1,058	723	1,187	299				5,862

*Traffic Enforcement Grant(s)