



CITY OF DANBURY
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE
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May 27, 2008

MEMORANDUM

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

From: Alan D. Baker, Chief of Police

Subject: **Police Department Monthly Report
May 2008**

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

Personnel

Department – 148 sworn personnel. 3 officers remain out on injury leave.

Community Services (See attached)

Training

5/1 Duty Weapon Qualifications – Several Officers
5/5-5/7 Beyond Basic Supervision – Lt. Gantert
5/5-5/8 Patrol Rifle Instructor – P.O. Scocozza
5/6 Duty Weapon Qualifications – Several Officers
5/6-5/8 NY Tactical 2008 Expo & Conference – Sgts. Krupinsky & Marcus, Dets.
Trompetta & Lopez, P.O. Conrad
5/9 The Bulletproof Mind – Lts. Merrick & Browne, P.O. Tragni
5/12 White Collar Crime & Terrorism Training – Det. Bertram
5/12-6/2 MRT – P.O. Rodriguez
5/14 Duty Weapon Qualification – Several Officers
5/15 Clarifying Vision – Capt. Mulvey, Lt. Gantert
5/15 Children with Disabilities & the Legal System – Det. Sgt. Williams & Dets.
Mable & Daniello
5/16-5/18 EMT Recertification – Sgt. Bishop
5/19 Minimal Facts – Dets. Mabel & Daniello
5/23 Child Abuse Conference – Det. Sgt. Williams & Det. Halas

5/27 Reality Based Training – Capt. Mulvey & P.O. Brevard
5/28-5/30 Investigating Domestic Violence Homicides – Det. Sgt. Williams & Det. Halas
5/30 Understanding Islamic & Militant Terrorism – Capt. Mulvey & Lt. McNally

Chief Baker’s Significant Meetings

5/1 City Center Meeting
5/1 Danbury Exchange Club – Officer of the Year
5/6 Common Council Meeting
5/8 Attorney Meeting
5/9 Legal Issues – Corporation Counsel
5/9 Attorney Meeting
5/13 Supervisor’s MPP
5/14 Mayor’s Cabinet Meeting
5/14 Firearms Training
5/14 IT Meeting – Wade Anderson & Finance
5/19 Meeting with Mayor Boughton
5/19 Memorial Day Parade Meeting
5/21 Greater Danbury Chamber of Commerce – Leadership Danbury
5/21 City Center Meeting
5/22 Radio Meeting
5/23 Danbury Police Department Annual Memorial & Awards Ceremony – PAL
5/26 Memorial Day Parade
5/27 Macerich Corp. – Danbury Fair Mall Security
5/28 Lebanese Flag Raising Ceremony
5/28 Police Recruiting Team Meeting/Luncheon
5/29 FBI National Academy Training – Fairfield University
5/30 Disciplinary Hearing

Respectfully submitted,

Alan D. Baker
Chief of Police

ADB:mrl
Attach.



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Alan D. Baker, Chief
Department of Police
120 Main Street

Lt. John M. Browne
Community Policing Unit
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May 21, 2008

To: Alan Baker, Chief of Police
From: John M. Browne, Lieutenant
Re: Community Police Unit Activity Report
May 2008

Community Affairs Unit:

-See Attached Report

Community Conditions Unit: Sensitive Information

-See Attached Report – (DO NOT RELEASE)

GTF/UNIT: Sensitive Information

-See Attached Report – (DO NOT RELEASE)

City Center Liaison: Sensitive Information

-See Attached Report – (DO NOT RELEASE)

Police Activities League:

-See Attached Report

Current Staffing Level:

-Authorized staffing level: 1 Lieutenant; 2 Sergeants; 12 Officers

Lt. John M. Browne
Community Police Unit

**Community Affairs-PO Mortara
April 15, 2008-May 15, 2008**

CPS Fitting Station:

- 4/21 10 Seats w/ 570
- 4/28 04 Seats w/ 478
- 5/05 15 Seats w/ 546
- 5/12 11 Seats w/ 535

Month's total: 40

2008 YTD: 264

Meetings/ Presentations:

- 4/16/08 Danbury Senior Center – Senior safety presentation (Personal safety – Scams- Identity theft)
- 4/17/08 AARP – Senior safety presentation (Personal safety – Scams- Identity theft) St. Anthony's Church - Grandville Ave.
- 4/24/08 Dept. Social Services- Downtown Escort (cancelled by same)
- 4/30/08 Tour/ Safety presentation – Danbury Police Department
- 5/01/08 St. Gregory's Holy Name Society – Safety Presentation (youth to adult) Personal/Home Safety – Internet Safety – Scams – Identity Theft
- 5/07/08 GE Corporation Emergency Preparedness/ Safety Day Organizational Meeting
- 5/08/08 Assisting city elementary school update emergency response plan.

Other:

- Citizens Police Academy Concluded. Session went well
- Fleet issues- Body shop/Graphics coordination- following up on all recent purchase orders, along w/coordinating numerous appointments for collision/ glass repairs, estimates, meeting with estimators. Dealing with daily issues of emergency lighting/vehicle equipment, Fleet Auto supply lighting issues- will continue well into 2008 due to upgrades being put into place for newer products that we are currently using. Routine fleet issues and vehicle maintenance/repair issues being coordinated on a daily basis by way of daily maintenance logs and contact with PW and DPD fleet personnel.
- Telephone calls dealing with many police as well as civil and general advice issues. Working with residents and businesses to remedy issues throughout the community on a routine basis.
- Burglary Alarm issues/ Updates.
- Proactive patrols of neighborhood watch locations. Spoken with both active and non-active NW groups. Offered assistance in regenerating programs to those inactive- Spoken with several prospective watch groups, have heard back from none.
- Tribuna Article
- Coordinated other safety presentations that I was unable to attend due to conflicting schedules. Two such presentations were attended by PO Usher at Boehringer Ingleheim. Informational safety handouts were given previously for reproduction. Continuing to coordinate and plan for upcoming presentations and meetings.

2008 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 |
| Forcible Rape | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Robbery | 10 | 4 | 4 | 3 | | | | | | | | | 21 |
| Assault | 13 | 10 | 8 | 8 | | | | | | | | | 39 |
| Burglary | 17 | 19 | 22 | 20 | | | | | | | | | 78 |
| Theft | 90 | 82 | 88 | 79 | | | | | | | | | 339 |
| Motor Vehicle Theft | 13 | 11 | 14 | 5 | | | | | | | | | 43 |
| Arson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Totals | 143 | 126 | 137 | 116 | | | | | | | | | 522 |

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|---------------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Homicide | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Forcible Rape | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Robbery | 14 | 4 | 7 | 3 | | | | | | | | | 28 |
| Assault | 9 | 2 | 14 | 18 | | | | | | | | | 43 |
| Burglary | 16 | 17 | 26 | 20 | | | | | | | | | 79 |
| Theft | 90 | 80 | 89 | 92 | | | | | | | | | 351 |
| Motor Vehicle Theft | 6 | 14 | 7 | 8 | | | | | | | | | 35 |
| Arson | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Totals | 139 | 117 | 144 | 143 | | | | | | | | | 543 |

**2008 DANBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS
CITY OF DANBURY
CALLS FOR SERVICE
2008**

| | <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 | 4,700 | 4,341 | 4,754 | 4,576 | | | | | | | | | 18,371 |

2007

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|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|---------------|
| Calls for Service | 5,037 | 4,913 | 6,137 | 4,783 | | | | | | | | | 20,870 |

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

2008

| | <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 | 269 | 331 | 209 | 272 | | | | | | | | | 1,081 |
| Personal Injury | 45 | 64 | 52 | 67 | | | | | | | | | 228 |
| Total Traffic Accidents | 314 | 395 | 261 | 339 | | | | | | | | | 1,309 |

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|--------------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Property Damage | 329 | 400 | 303 | 291 | | | | | | | | | 1,323 |
| Personal Injury | 53 | 79 | 56 | 52 | | | | | | | | | 240 |
| Total Traffic Accidents | 382 | 479 | 359 | 343 | | | | | | | | | 1,563 |

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

2008

| | <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 | 127 | 118 | 103 | 90 | | | | | | | | | 667 |
| Written Warning | 8 | 7 | 5 | 3 | | | | | | | | | 58 |
| Moving Violation | 184 | 203 | 134 | 100 | | | | | | | | | 621 |
| Total Enforcement Action | 319 | 328 | 242 | 193 | | | | | | | | | 1,082 |

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|---------------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Verbal Warning | 178 | 180 | 219 | 90 | | | | | | | | | 667 |
| Written Warning | 5 | 23 | 28 | 2 | | | | | | | | | 58 |
| Moving Violation | 249 | 376 | 531 | 170 | | | | | | | | | 1,326 |
| Total Enforcement Action | 432 | 579 | 778 | 262 | | | | | | | | | 2,051 |