



WHITESTOWN METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

Dennis R Anderson - Chief of Police



WMPD Report to Council October 2017

UPDATE:

1. WMPD Body Camera Purchase: (24 Units) 24 X \$199 = \$4776

The agency is purchasing 24 new VIEVU-LE 5 Body Camera to replace the existing VIEVU-LE1 currently in-use. Many of the LE1's are failing and are in need of replacement. The Board of Police Commissioners reviewed this item at their regular meeting on September 5, 2017 and voted unanimously to purchase the replacements. The funding source will be from the 2017 Police, Other Services & Charges line.

2. LEXPOL Policy Review.

The new policy review is well underway. The Police Commissioners began their review in August and have received between 10-12 polices each week for review since 8/14. This process will continue through the December PCM at which time, all polices will be adopted together and rolled out on January 1, 2018.

3. Boone County – Animal Control Officer (UPDATE)

This position was approved at the county level and has been funded for 2018. In the weeks and months ahead, the Sheriff we will approaching each of the Town Councils of Whitestown, Lebanon and Zionsville with respect to the adoption of the new County Animal Control Ordinance that will then permit the County Animal Control Officer to provide enforcement across political subdivision lines through an MOU.

*****WMPD surpassed the 2016 total 'Calls for Service' of 12,547 - 2017 YTD: 13,523**

STATISTICS: (Snap-shot)

	Aug/2015	Aug/2016	Aug/2017
1. Calls for Service comparisons:	985	945	1699
2. Arrests: (All categories)	15	16	80
3. Crash Reports: (All categories)	16	31	36

***<complete static report attached>

TRAINING:

1. SRT Officers – Range, Physical Tactics. (8 Hours)
2. C.I.L.E.T.C. – Undercover Operations (40 Hours) (PSO Jurkash)
3. Indiana Attorney Generals Conference (24 Hours) (Chief Anderson, Capt. Savage & Lt. Rolston)
4. Emergency Vehicle Operations – ILEA (All staff)

PUBLIC RELATIONS:

1. Website email from Tommy Dunwoody regarding the professional interaction with our officers during a traffic stop. Even though Dunwoody was driving on a suspended license and received a traffic citation, he felt compelled to let me know how much he appreciated our service and the professionalism of our officer involved.
2. Public Safety CADET K. Johns has completed our PS Cadet Program and has begun her first semester in a Paramedic Science Program. It is her intentions to complete her Paramedic Training and then obtain her firefighting certifications prior to attending I.L.E.A. with the hopes of returning to WMPD as a Public Safety Officer.

Respectfully submitted;

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