



Hubbardston Police Department Monthly Report August 2016

Calls for Service:	1115	Change from Previous Month:	+35
Arrests/Criminal Complaints:	6	Change from Previous Month:	-4
Motor Vehicle Accidents:	6	Change from Previous Month:	+2
Traffic Stops:	135	Change from Previous Month:	+4
Assist Ambulance	26	Change from Previous Month:	+4

Results of Motor Vehicle Stops:

Action Taken By Officers: Verbal:	93	Change from Previous Month:	-5
Written:	7	Change from Previous Month:	+2
Fines :	35	Change from Previous Month:	+2

Firearms Processing:	18	Change from Previous Month:	-
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Community Policing Events/Programs:

Resident Bill Shea of The Ruptured Duck has donated over \$9,000 to support several community policing events in the coming months. These will include helmet giveaway on field day as well as child id kits, A Halloween party with DJ and food on Halloween, a movies in the park in the fall and lunch with a cop at the Center School. Thanks to Bill Shea for his generous donation.

We continue to advise Facebook followers of scams, road construction and news of interest. In regards to social media we have increased our followers on Facebook from 2054 to 2084 and Twitter from 2750 to 2930. The feedback continues to be extremely positive and followers continue to grow.

Budget Information/Concerns:

August, as was July, was hard on the budget, as is always the case when vacations must be covered. I expect things to settle down in September. Special thanks to the voters at the Special Town Meeting for voting to approve additional funds for police protection. Thank You.

Equipment and Capital Equipment needs/Concerns:

Car 1 has finally reached the end of its life. It is due to be replaced by mid-September with a new Ford Explorer.

Personnel Information:

The current personnel continue to fill shifts and work the required details for road projects. The morale remains excellent and officers have been working well together.

Grants:

There were no grant opportunities this month however I am still exploring a MIAA grant for body cameras.

Records:

No Update

Policy Updates:

Reviews of policies are ongoing.

Respectfully Submitted:

Dennis G. Perron
Chief of Police 09/08/2016