



Hubbardston Police Department Monthly Report February 2016

Calls for Service:	933	Change from Previous Month:	-11
Arrests/Criminal Complaints:	4	Change from Previous Month:	-6
Motor Vehicle Accidents:	13	Change from Previous Month:	+8
Traffic Stops:	129	Change from Previous Month:	-19
Assist Ambulance	20	Change from Previous Month:	+3

Results of Motor Vehicle Stops:

Action Taken By Officers: Verbal:	108	Change from Previous Month:	-4
Written:	5	Change from Previous Month:	-4
Fines :	16	Change from Previous Month:	-11

Firearms Processing:	17	Change from Previous Month:	+11
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Community Policing Events/Programs:

Winter storms dominated our activities in the month of February as slick roads caused multiple motor vehicle spin outs and accidents. February 24th was a particularly difficult day as the town said good by to a promising young lady involved in an accident just over the town line in Barre. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

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 1790 to 1875 and Twitter from 2450 to 2511. The feedback continues to be extremely positive and followers continue to grow.

Budget Information/Concerns:

Officer Dominic Walker will be leaving to go to the academy as a self-sponsor on March 29th. Current part time officers will be stepping up to cover these weekly shifts until October, when Ofc. Walker returns.

I have full faith that these officers can handle the additional shifts.

Equipment and Capital Equipment needs/Concerns:

The 2013 Police Interceptor mileage is at 108,000. The 2007 Explorer is at 89500 miles and the 2011 Crown Victoria is at 123000. The 2007 Explorer was hit broadside while blocking the roadway and has been out at the body shop for extensive repair. The maintenance costs in December were limited to oil changes

Personnel Information:

The current personnel continue to fill shifts and work the required details for road projects. Details have been particularly busy with tree cutting crews. The morale is excellent and officers have been working well together. The comradery has been particularly high.

Grants:

There were no grant opportunities this month.

Records:

We continue to scan old and new reports and shred older reports as approved.

Policy Updates:

Reviews of policies are ongoing.
Respectfully Submitted:

Dennis G. Perron
Chief of Police 03/03/2016