



Monthly Operations Report

SUBJECT: PPD Stats-August 2020

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Chief of Police

SUMMARY and RECOMMENDATIONS:

Crime statistics, traffic studies, and officer activities for August 2020.

BACKGROUND:

This monthly report provides an overview of criminal activity within the Town of Purcellville. The report outlines the previous month's crime activity, with comparisons to the same period of the previous year. Also provided are clearance numbers for arrests.

Productivity information includes; calls for service, officer initiated activity, reports written, vehicular crashes handled, and the number of hours the town was patrolled by a single officer. Also included in this report are traffic citation data and traffic study results. This data assists the Police Department in developing strategies in combating crime, assessing the patrol officer's workload, and maintaining the highest quality of life possible for residents and visitors within the Town.

ISSUES:

N/A.

CORRELATION TO STRATEGIC INITIATIVES:

The patrol work of the officers directly promotes community well-being by ensuring safe neighborhoods and low incidents of criminal activity. Their focus on community engaged policing strengthens community partnerships, and work with neighboring law enforcement agencies ensures collaboration of law enforcement services for the Town.

BUDGET IMPACT:

N/A

Crime Statistics

Crime Part	Offense	Aug-20	YTD-20	Aug-19	YTD-19
0 (non-reportable offenses)	CURFEW	3	5	3	4
	FAMILY OFFENSES	2	23	4	29
	FRAUD	3	18 (SO-7)	3 (SO-1)	18 (SO-6)
	TRESPASSING	-	6	-	2 (SO-1)
	Total	8	52 (SO-7)	10 (SO-1)	53 (SO-7)
1 (Felonies and some Class 1 & 2 Misdemeanors)	ASSAULT	4	4 (SO-1)	-	5
	AUTO THEFT	-	(SO-1)	-	3 (SO-1)
	BURGLARY	2	4	-	3
	LARCENY	6	33 (SO-9)	3	25 (SO-7)
	ROBBERY	-	-	-	-
	RAPE	-	(SO-1)	-	(SO-2)
	Total	12	41 (SO-12)	3	36 (SO-10)
2 (Class 3 & 4 Misdemeanors and some Class 1 & 2 Misdemeanors)	DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	5 (SO-1)	23 (SO-4)	3 (SO-1)	20 (SO-3)
	DRUNK IN PUBLIC	-	6	2 (SO-1)	13 (SO-3)
	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	3	10 (SO-2)	-	6
	DUI	2	14 (SO-2)	5 (SO-1)	29 (SO-4)
	LIQUOR LAW VIOL.	1	5 (SO-1)	1	6 (SO-2)
	NARCOTIC RELATED EVENT	3	11 (SO-7)	5	32 (SO-22)
	SIMPLE ASSAULT	3	14 (SO-5)	2	20 (SO-11)
	WEAPONS VIOL.	(SO-1)	(SO-3)	-	1 (SO-1)
	Total	17 (SO-2)	83 (SO-24)	18 (SO-3)	127 (SO-46)
	Total	37 (SO-2)	176 (SO-43)	31 (SO-4)	216 (SO-63)

Discrepancies in numbers in comparison to each Staff Report could result due to delayed reporting, reclassification of incident, or reporting after the incident occurred. Data pulled from Case Reports Modules of RMS, includes all IBR Coded offenses reported in each incident.

Arrests by Arrest Type

Arrest Type	Aug-20	YTD-20	Aug-19	YTD-19
On-Scene Arrest (in custody)	5	26	7	41
Summoned/Cited	1	8	5	29
Taken Into Custody (Warrant Service)	4	9	-	23
TOTAL ARRESTS	10	33	12	81

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Traffic Citations by Type

Citation Type	Aug-20	YTD-20	Aug-19	YTD-19
Written Summons	101 (SO-3)	524 (SO-31)	88 (SO-6)	640 (SO-39)
Parking Ticket	4	63	21	81
Warning	21 (SO-8)	301 (SO-35)	122 (SO-14)	658 (SO-56)
TOTALS	126 (SO-11)	888 (SO-66)	231 (SO-20)	1379 (SO-95)

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Productivity Information

Type of Activity	Aug-20	YTD-20	Aug-19	YTD-19
Calls for Service	223	1598	259	1739
Officer Initiated Activity	1540	12794	1521	11225
Reports Written	75	526	75	511
Crashes	6	98	9	132

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Traffic Studies

The Purcellville Police Department and Public Works conducted a traffic study August 10-16, 2020 on East O Street E. of 21st Street

East Bound

- The posted speed limit is 25 mph
- 809 vehicles total traveled EB during the study period
- The combined 85th percentile speed for N bound traffic was 12 mph. This means 85% of the vehicles were traveling at this speed or slower
- Approximately 99.4% were traveling 20 mph or slower
- Approximately 100% of the vehicles were traveling the posted speed limit or slower

The numbers captured indicate no violations. Based on the information the police will continue with a strategy of random/rotating enforcement, with the goal of compliance even when police are not present.

Furthermore, additional signs will be placed on O and 21st Street to indicate that there is no through traffic on O Street.

We remain committed to traffic safety. If you have any other traffic related questions, please call 540-338-7422.