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**“You never know
how much you can
do, until you try to do
more than you can”**

Tony Blauer

Department Statistics

	October 2016	October 2015	Percent Change	2016 Year-to- Date Total	2015 Year-to- Date Total
Arrests – Felony	60	37	62%	539	414
Arrests- Misdemeanor	224	384	-42%	2,143	1,741
911 Calls for Service-Law Enforcement	1,916	2,228	-14%	19,304	23,010
Hazardous Citations Issued	99	125	-21%	857	1,118
Non-Hazardous Citations Issued	77	118	-35%	911	1,200
Blight Citations Issued	16	14	14%	170	175
Detective Bureau - Cases Reviewed	219	203	8%	2,027	2,106
Detective Bureau Clearance Rate	100%	79%	21%	N/A	N/A
Fire Related Calls	100	106	-6%	871	967
Structure Fires	2	0	200%	18	12
Emergency Medical Responses	336	326	3%	3,315	3,178
Response to Resistance	6	6	0%	44	40



Community Based Policing



Community Policing Officers Recap

- Spent approximately 240 hours conducting low to moderate income patrol.
- Attended South End Citizen District Council meeting.
- Attended City-wide Citizen District Council meeting.
- Attended Bay City Beautification committee meeting.
- Attended Bay City School Board meeting.
- Attended Senior Citizen Task Force meeting.

Patrol Operations Division



Quality Service Opportunities

First Platoon

- Two Public Safety Officers assisted employees at the 7-11 store on Columbus Avenue after a customer had a medical issue and collapsed, knocking down a display. The officers helped clean up the display.
- A Public Safety Officer assisted a citizen in the downtown area with directions.
- A sergeant assisted a motorist having car trouble by following them to their apartment building across town to make sure the vehicle did not break down again.

Second Platoon

- A Public Safety Officer assisted the Delta College Police Academy by acting as an evaluator/instructor for two days of scenario training.
- A sergeant assisted a stranded motorist by jump starting their vehicle which had a dead battery.
- A Public Safety Officer assisted with a breaking and entering investigation involving a victim who was deaf by using their ability to communicate using sign language.
- A Public Safety Officer responded to a call from a citizen who could hear a hissing sound coming from somewhere within the residence. The citizen called Central Dispatch to tell them how much they appreciated the way the Public Safety Officer handled the call. They specifically commented on how polite and understanding they were.

Other Agency Assist

First Platoon

- None

Second Platoon

- On October 18th, officers assisted the Michigan State Police Fugitive Team with the apprehension of a subject with a parole absconder warrant.
- On October 23rd, officers assisted the Bay County Sheriff's Department as they were investigating a poaching complaint. They needed assistance transporting the poached deer to the DNR check station. Officers used the department pickup truck to transport the deer.
- On October 26th, the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department requested our assistance in the apprehension of a suspect in a homicide. Officers were familiar with the suspect and were able to take them into custody without incident. They were turned over to the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department.

Enforcement Efforts

First Platoon

- None.

Second Platoon

- On October 8th, an officer stopped a vehicle for improper lane use and smelled marijuana when making contact with the driver. They searched the vehicle and located a quantity of marijuana and also a scale with cocaine residue on the scale. A felony warrant was subsequently issued.
- On October 19th, two Public Safety Officers sat on a suspected drug house and stopped a vehicle after leaving the residence. They were able to search the vehicle and found crack cocaine, marijuana and suspected heroin which led to multiple felony charges.
- On October 21st, a Public Safety Officer located a stolen vehicle after recognizing it from a BOLO. The officer attempted to stop the vehicle and the driver pulled into a driveway and fled on foot. The Public Safety Officer along with other officers were able to apprehend the suspect who also had a felony warrant for CCW.
- On October 28th, two Public Safety Officers drove to an address to attempt a warrant arrest for a subject who had a "no bond" warrant. The subject was assaultive and uncooperative, they were able to take him into custody using minimal response to resistance.

Traffic Enforcement Efforts

First Platoon

- Officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 8 hours and 50 minutes hours working the following areas: S. Water St., Marquette Ave., Hart St., Lincoln St., 18th St., Cass Ave., Harrison Ave., Salzburg Ave., Wenona St., Columbus Ave., Lafayette St., Broadway Ave., and Sidney St.
- Officers conducted a traffic detail in the area of N. Union St between Euclid Ave. and N. Henry St. 3 verbal warnings were issues for speeding.
- Officers conducted a traffic detail in the area of S. Water St. and 19th St Officers issued 2 citations for speeding and 2 verbal warnings for speeding.

Second Platoon

- Officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 8 hours 3 minutes working the following areas: Midland St., Broadway Ave., Lafayette Ave., Kosciuszko Ave., N. Henry St., Lincoln Ave., Farragut St., Independence Bridge, Woodside Ave., Salzburg Ave., Columbus Ave., Veteran's Memorial Bridge, Wenona Ave., River Rd., Center Ave., and Monroe St.
- Officers worked a traffic details in the following areas Broadway Ave. & Cass Ave, Midland St. & Barclay St., Farragut St. & Kosciuszko Ave., Broadway Ave. & Lafayette Ave. and Independence Bridge. 9 traffic stops were initiated which yielded 7 citations being issued, 5 fugitive arrests, and 1 physical arrest.
- Officers worked a traffic detail in the area of S. Lincoln Ave & Kosciuszko Ave. One citation was issued for a speed violation, 1 verbal warning was given for a speed violation and 1 citation was issued for a red light violation.

Crime Suppression Efforts

First Platoon

- Officers completed 134 park checks, totaling approximately 21 hours and 45 minutes.
- Officers completed 79 actions of "Appeared Secure" for building checks. Officers left door hangers at a total of 13 businesses. Officers recorded business checks totaling approximately 9 hours and 12 minutes spend on checks.
- Officers continued to complete C.O.P. (community oriented policing) stops during their shift, totaling 99 for the month.

Second Platoon

- Officers completed 299 park checks, totaling approximately 34 hours and 41 minutes.
- Officers completed 324 actions of "appeared secure" for building checks. Officers left door hangers at a total of 141 businesses. Officers recorded business checks totaling approximately 22 hours and 9 minutes spent on checks.
- Officers are continuing to do C.O.P. (community oriented policing) stops during their shift, totaling 106 for the month.

Reserve Unit Activity

- Two reserve officers worked a Bay City Central Varsity football game.
- Two reserve officers worked the All Saints High School Homecoming parade.
- Seven reserve officers worked on "Gate Night" conducting numerous field contacts.
- Background investigations are being conducted on new reserve applicants.

Support Operations Division

Detective Bureau Recap

Exceptional Cases Investigated or Cleared by Arrest:

- The Detective Bureau investigated a strong arm robbery where a man gave a hitchhiker a ride and when he dropped him off the man took his wallet. The victim grabbed the suspect and an altercation ensued and the suspect fled on foot while the victim gave chase. The suspect dropped the victim's wallet and ran into a nearby home. Officers that responded to the scene interviewed witnesses and the victim, who stated he didn't want to press charges because he is from Tennessee. This suspect is also the suspect in a home invasion RA where he pushed his way into an elderly woman's home, assaulted her, and took \$200 cash from her. The Detective Bureau re-interviewed the victim of the strong arm robbery and changed his mind about pressing charges on the suspect. While the detectives were driving from the victim interview they located the suspect and arrested him. The Prosecutor's Office issued a felony larceny from a person warrant for the suspect.
- The Detective Bureau investigated three Breaking and Entering cases where the same victim had been broken into. The Detective Bureau found that the suspect was lodged in the Bay County Jail on unrelated warrants and interviewed him. The Detective Bureau obtained a confession from the suspect regarding his involvement and was able to get one of the stolen items back. The Prosecutor's Office issued a two count felony warrant; home invasion and larceny in a building.
- The Detective Bureau investigated a breaking and entering where a man and his girlfriend left their house for the weekend. When they returned they found their home had been broken into and several items were stolen. The suspect attempted to pawn some of the stolen silver and when he did the clerk at the pawn shop called for police. Road patrol seized the silver and arrested the man. The Detective Bureau attempted to interview the suspect but they declined. The Detective Bureau had the victim come to the Law Enforcement Center to identify the recovered stolen property and he identified the silver as his. The Prosecutor's Office issued a receiving & concealing for the man. The Detective Bureau met with the Prosecutor to have them issue a breaking and entering warrant as well.

Quality Service Opportunities

- None.

Identification Bureau Activity

Background Checks – **13**

Bicycles Logged In - **0**

Calls Out – **2**

Court Ordered Fingerprints – **15**

Evidence / Property Logged in – **476**

Impounds Logged in – **20**

In Custody Fingerprints – **7**

Telephone Inquiries – **92**

Photo Cases – **90**

Photo Requests – **7**

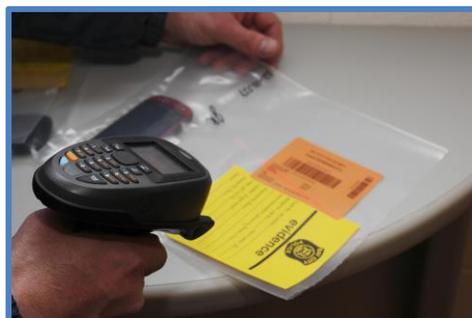
Prosecutor Requests – **5**

Officer Requests – **7**

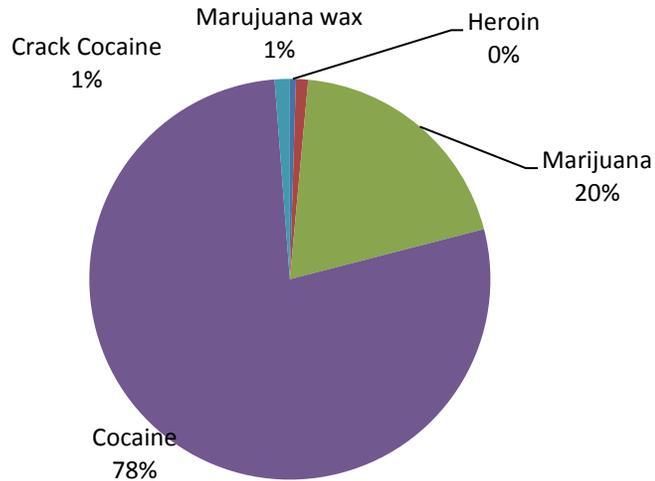
Applicant Prints – **1**

Property Inquisitions – **8**

Miscellaneous Requests – **9**



V.I.P.E.R/F.B.I. Safe Streets Taskforce



DRUG TYPE	STREET VALUE
Heroin	\$20
Crack Cocaine	\$40
Marijuana	\$100
Cocaine	\$3,190
Marijuana Wax	\$50

VIPER / SSTF

Active Cases	10
Search Warrants	2
Arrests	7
Outside Agency Assist	2
Traffic Stops	5

Detroit Bay City Resident Agency Child Exploitation Task Force

Active Cases	2
Search Warrants	0
Arrests	0
Outside Agency Assist	1
Forensic Exams	2

Fire Operations Division



Operational Assignments

- Pre- surveys: 5 pre –surveys were completed for businesses within our jurisdiction. The pre-surveys are being sent to Bay County Central Dispatch to be entering into the mapping feature on the iPads onboard the fire apparatus.
- Vehicle Maintenance: Engine 4 remains out of service due to an oil leak and Engine 2 was sent in for repairs for an engine coolant leak and an air break issue.
- Small Tools/Equipment Maintenance: Annual service was conducted on extrication equipment.
- Building Maintenance: Fall leaf cleanup continues at all 4 stations.
- Self- Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA): 41 SCBA cylinders were filled. 2 SCBA units were repaired. The cascade fill station suffered a failure of the hose leading to cylinder fill number one, the hose was replaced by West Shore Services. 15 air cylinders were sent out for 5 year hydrostatic testing as required by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), Department of Transportation (DOT) and Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA).
- City- Owned Automatic External Defibrillators (AEDs): All city owned AED's were accounted for and verified that they are operational and charged. A new set of infant/child defibrillator pads were delivered and placed into service at the Waste Water Treatment Plant.
- Bay County 911 Liaison: An up to date Fire Division phone list was given to Bay County Central Dispatch.

- Child Care Seat Inspection/Installation: A total of 2 child safety seats were installed in the month of October. A request was sent to the Michigan State Police for a supply of new child seat and ID stickers. Monitoring for any new child safety seat is continued.
- Uniforms/Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): We continue the 2016-2017 cycle of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) inspections and repairs. Another round of PPE has been shipped to Turnout Gear Management, Inc.
- Water/Ice Rescue: The boat motor was run on every Saturday and rescue equipment was checked out. A new Mustang Rescue Suit was purchased to replace a suit that was damaged beyond repair during a water rescue incident.
- Emergency Medical Services (EMS): An Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Quality Assurance Audit was conducted on EMS Incident Reports for the month of September 2016. A lieutenant spoke with the McLaren EMS Director about obtaining needed medical supplies from McLaren Hospital in the future.
- Supplies: Cleaning supplies were ordered for all 4 of the fire stations.
- Hose and Hydrants: A length of hose that was damaged from Engine 1 at a structure fire was removed and replaced.
- Safety Data Sheets (SDS): All station Safety Data Sheet location sheets have been updated.
- Radios: No report.
- Michigan Emergency Medical Services Information System (MI- EMSIS): August 2016 & September 2016 EMS Incident Reports have been sent to the Michigan Department of Community Health.

Quality Service Opportunities

- None.

MUTUAL AID

- There was no Mutual Aid provided during the month of October.
- There was Mutual Aid received 1 time during the month of October.

Regional Response Team 31/TECHNICAL RESCUE TEAM

- No report.

Fire Marshal

- Inspections – 79 inspections were conducted.
- Investigations – 2 fire related investigations were conducted.
- Smoke Detector – Installed 3 smoke detectors for residents and replaced 6 smoke detector batteries for residents.
- Fire Extinguisher Class – 1 class was conducted for the Opportunity Center on Madison.
- Smoke House – The smoke house was taken to Kolb Elementary for a fire prevention and fire safety demonstration.
- Fire Prevention Programs – 3 programs were conducted for residents.

Fire Incidents Investigated

During the month of October 2016 there were three fire incidents investigated.

- On October 13th, a structure fire on N. Sherman (undetermined). Investigated by a Bay County Sheriff Deputy.
- On October 20th, a trash fire inside a residence on Salzburg Ave (accidental). Investigated by the Fire Marshal.
- On October 31st, a structure fire on S. Sheridan (incendiary). Investigated by the Fire Marshal and a detective.

Departmental Training

Law Enforcement Operations

- On October 4th, a Public Safety Officer attended Standardized Field Sobriety Test refresher.
- On October 11th, 3 Public Safety Officer's attended Taser Instructor Recertification.

Fire Operations

- On October 3rd, 6th, 17th, 20th, 24th, and 27th, full-time Firefighters, Public Safety Officers, and part –time paid on call Firefighters attend 8 hour training days on the following topics: apparatus driving and apparatus pumping.
- On October 10th, 13th, 14th, 17th, 20th, and 26th, Fire Division employees attended customer service training held by Delta Community College at the Delta Planetarium in downtown Bay City.
- On October 28th, Continuing Educations Units (CEU's) were conducted with the topics being pediatric assessment, pediatric medication administration, and pediatric medical.