



DUMFRIES, VIRGINIA
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TO: Town Council

FROM: Rebecca S. Edwards
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RE: Police Department Monthly Report
Town Council Meeting November 12, 2013

During the month of September 2013, there were a total of 443 calls for service in the Town of Dumfries and 343 (77%) of them were handled by the Dumfries Police Department. In addition, Dumfries officers made a total of 214 traffic stops resulting in 95 traffic citations, and 8 criminal arrests. There were 11 parking citations issued.

During the month of September there were no juvenile arrests.

On October 10th, staff participated on the Criminal Justice Advisory Board of ECPI to review the curriculum for their Criminal Justice Program.

On October 12th, staff attended the Mayor Yohey Memorial dedication service and took photographs of the event. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide friendly, accessible, professional and efficient services..."]

On October 12th, staff participated in the "Unity in the Community" event at Swans Creek Elementary School. This event was sponsored by a local Girl Scout Troop and offered opportunities for Girl Scouts to meet and interact with professionals from a variety of careers. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide friendly, accessible, professional and efficient services..."]

On October 19th, staff assisted with the ACTS sponsored 3rd Annual I-Walk fund raising event at Merchants Park. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide friendly, accessible, professional and efficient services..."]

On October 24th, staff attended and participated in the Boys and Girls Club "Anti-Bullying Rally". [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide... professional and efficient services..."]

On October 31st, additional staff patrolled and conducted foot patrols during evening hours while "trick-or-treaters" were in the neighborhoods. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide friendly, accessible, professional and efficient services..."]

On October 23rd, the two new 2014 Ford Interceptor SUVs were put into service!

Throughout the month, staff continued to work through the recruitment process of applicants who applied for the vacant police officer positions. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide friendly, accessible, professional and efficient services..."]

The Police Department continues to address the goals and objectives it has established for 2012/2013.

Goal 1: Build Stronger Neighborhood and Business Programs with Emphasis on Participation and Cooperation between Citizens and Community Groups. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide friendly, accessible, professional and efficient services..."]

- During the month of October, 30.5 hours of foot patrols were conducted in the Town.
- During the month of October officers made personal contact with residents and businesses in their assigned communities.

Goal 2: Increase the Safety of Motorists and Pedestrians within the Town. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "Our Small Town is... a safe ... living environment"]

- Officers spent time conducting radar at various locations. This month they maintained high visibility in the areas of Main and Curtis Streets, Old Triangle Road and Graham Park Road, Possum Point Road, Main Street, and Fraley Boulevard.

Goal 3: Maintain a professional and effective Police Department responsive to the needs of the community. [Supports the Dumfries Town Council 2020 Vision: "...Town staff... provide friendly, accessible, professional and efficient services..."]

- Officers responded to 77% of the calls for service in the Town.
- Officers attended refresher and in-service courses held at the station and at the academy.
- Officers addressed 2 quality of life issues with directed patrols and enforcement.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Attachments: As indicated

CALLS FOR SERVICE SEPTEMBER 1 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2013

September, 2013

| TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE SEPTEMBER, 2013 | TOTAL CALLS HANDLED BY DPD | TOTAL CALLS HANDLED BY PWC | % OF CALLS HANDLED BY DPD |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 443 | 343 | 100 | 77% |

| TOTAL VEHICLE STOPS SEPTEMBER, 2013 | TOTAL VEHICLE STOPS YTD | TOTAL CITATIONS SEPTEMBER, 2013 | TOTAL CITATIONS ISSUED YTD | TOTAL ARRESTS SEPTEMBER, 2013 | TOTAL ARRESTS YTD |
|--|----------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|----------------------|
| 214 | 1,755 | 95 | 689 | 8 | 103 |