



## DUMFRIES, VIRGINIA

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TO: Town Council

FROM: Rebecca S. Edwards  
Chief

RE: Police Department Monthly Report  
Town Council Meeting July 9, 2013

During the month of May 2013, there were a total of 529 calls for service in the Town of Dumfries and 415 (79%) of them were handled by the Dumfries Police Department. In addition, Dumfries officers made a total of 233 traffic stops resulting in 85 traffic citations, and 12 criminal arrests. There were 24 parking citations issued.

During the month of May there were no juvenile arrests.

On May 26<sup>th</sup> staff assisted with traffic control for the Rolling Thunder event that departed from the East Coast Harley Davidson Dealership. The event was well attended and there were no issues.

On May 30<sup>th</sup> the Police Department sponsored and staff attended a Women's Self Protection class at the Community Center. This was the third class held in as many years. The twelve ladies who attended were very enthusiastic and enjoyed the class. We received a lot of positive feedback from attendees.

On June 6<sup>th</sup> staff monitored traffic as participants of the Special Olympic Torch Run passed through Town. There were no issues.

On June 11<sup>th</sup> staff welcomed back Senior Patrol Officer Brian Fields! SPO Fields was called to serve active duty as part of the Virginia Army National Guard and had been deployed since January of this year. We were all excited to see SPO Fields and are grateful he returned home healthy!

On June 18<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> Officer Fink conducted training for new Town Staff members on defensive driving. This training is sponsored by VML.

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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.

- During the month of June, 19.5 hours of foot patrols were conducted in the Town.
- During the month of June, officers made personal contact with residents and businesses in their assigned communities.

Goal 2: Increase the Safety of Motorists and Pedestrians within the Town.

- Officers spent time conducting radar at various locations. This month they maintained high visibility in the area along Old Triangle Road and Main Street.
- The Ghost vehicle was not deployed during the month of June.

Goal 3: Maintain a professional and effective Police Department responsive to the needs of the community.

- Officers responded to 79% of the calls for service in the Town.
- Officers attended several refresher 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 MAY 1 THROUGH MAY 31, 2013

*May, 2013*

TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE MAY, 2013	TOTAL CALLS HANDLED BY DPD	TOTAL CALLS HANDLED BY PWC	% OF CALLS HANDLED BY DPD
529	415	114	79%

TOTAL VEHICLE STOPS MAY, 2013	TOTAL VEHICLE STOPS YTD	TOTAL CITATIONS MAY, 2013	TOTAL CITATIONS ISSUED YTD	TOTAL ARRESTS MAY, 2013	TOTAL ARRESTS YTD
233	1,051	85	443	12	61