

THE CITY OF POWELL POLICE DEPARTMENT

HONESTY – INTEGRITY – DEPENDABILITY

Gary L. Vest, Chief of Police



**JUNE 2017
ACTIVITY REPORT**

STATISTICS

	Current Month	Last Month	Last Year
Calls for Service	1,786	1,686	1,777
Dispatched Calls	611	582	550
Police Reports	146	129	118
Adult Arrests	22	11	4
Juvenile Arrests	5	6	1
Traffic Stops	109	107	89
Traffic Citations	39	25	30
Traffic Crashes	22	14	18
False Alarms	36	20	30
House Watches	65	44	69
Preventative Patrols	107	110	138
Stacked Calls	57	42	23

Traffic Citations now include citations written for traffic crashes.
Traffic Crashes now include both public and private property crashes.

NOTABLE CASES

Theft | A \$32,200 ring was stolen from an apartment on Sawmill Parkway. A suspect was identified and a confession was obtained. The property was returned to the owner.

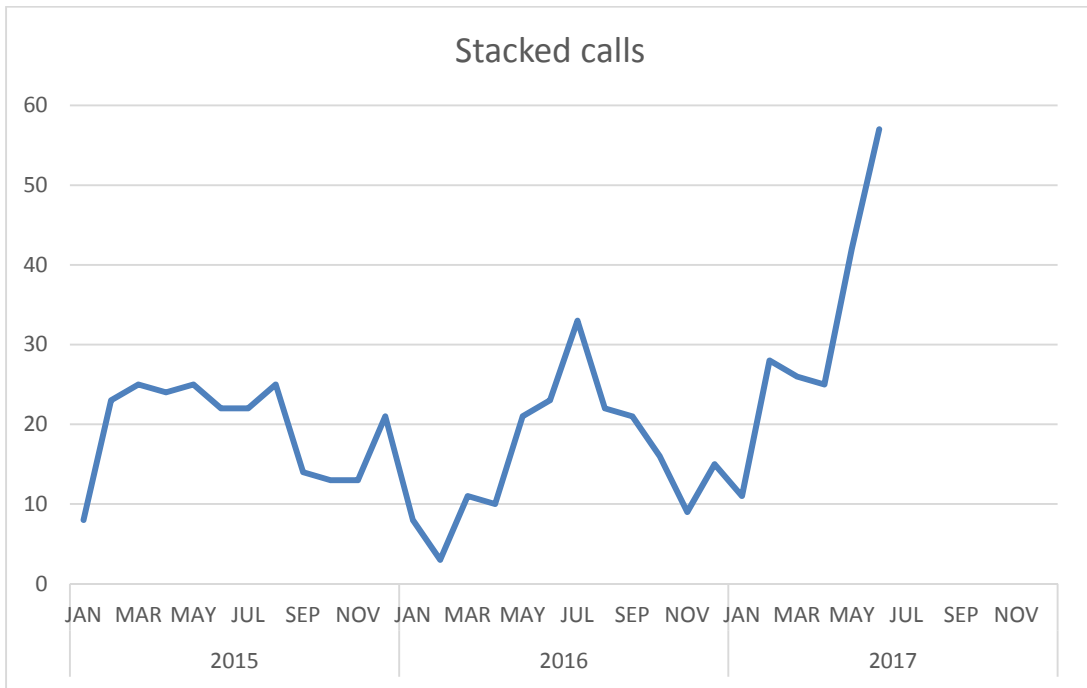
Animal Cruelty | Two individuals were charged with animal cruelty for leaving their dogs in locked cars at Giant Eagle on hot days.

NATURE OF CALLS FOR SERVICE

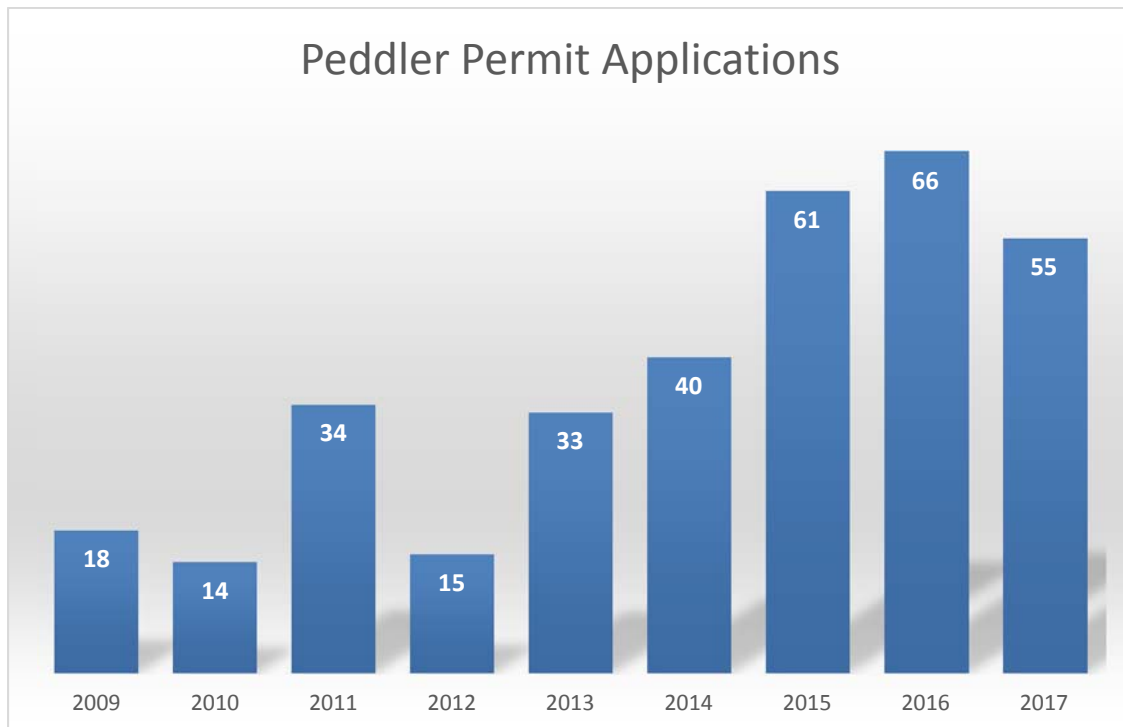
NATURE	MINUTES ON CALLS	PERCENT OF TIME	CALLS	PERCENT OF CALLS
Special Detail	8,848.7	29.5%	95	5.6%
Traffic Control	3,826.8	12.7%	118	6.9%
Business/House Check	3,729.9	12.4%	788	46.2%
Follow-Up/Investigation	2,684.9	8.9%	112	6.6%
Suspicious Activity	1,914.9	6.4%	81	4.7%
Traffic Stop	1,711.5	5.7%	109	6.4%
Traffic Crash	1,560.2	5.2%	29	1.7%
Assist other Agency	1,106.8	3.7%	102	6.0%
Alarm/911 Hang-Up	992.3	3.3%	81	4.7%
Theft	728.7	2.4%	21	1.2%
Investigate Complaint	663.3	2.2%	50	2.9%
Domestic	423.4	1.4%	4	0.2%
Animal Call	326.0	1.1%	15	0.9%
Suicide Attempt	283.6	0.9%	4	0.2%
Missing Person	221.5	0.7%	2	0.1%
Lost & Found	187.4	0.6%	14	0.8%
Vandalism	174.7	0.6%	8	0.5%
Lockout	134.2	0.4%	21	1.2%
Parking	129.7	0.4%	26	1.5%
Juvenile	127.4	0.4%	12	0.7%
Assault	70.4	0.2%	1	0.1%
Harassment/Threats	66.4	0.2%	3	0.2%
Well Being Check	63.1	0.2%	5	0.3%
Drunk	25.9	0.1%	1	0.1%
Stolen Vehicle	12.6	0.0%	1	0.1%
Trash Dumping	11.8	0.0%	2	0.1%
Warrant	0.1	0.0%	1	0.1%

This is the nature of the call as originally reported by the dispatcher.

STACKED CALLS



PEDDLER PERMITS



TRAINING

In June the department completed 91 hours of training to include the **International Police Mountain Bike Conference, Ohio Tactical Officers Conference, Autism and Spectrum Disorders, Force Management System, and Fitness for the Tactically Minded First Responder.**

TRAFFIC SURVEY REPORTS (STEALTH STAT)

South Liberty Street

June 6-9, 2017

Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 th Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	169.3	29.35	33	72
Southbound	135.0	29.49	34	72

Murphy's Parkway

June 13-17, 2017

Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 th Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	91.8	27.47	34	52
Southbound	70.0	27.57	34	56

South Liberty Street

June 28-30, 2017

Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 th Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	98.9	28.52	34	48
Southbound	165.5	28.69	33	49

The 85th Percentile means that 85% of all vehicles were traveling at this speed or slower.

TRAFFIC CRASHES – PUBLIC & PRIVATE PROPERTY

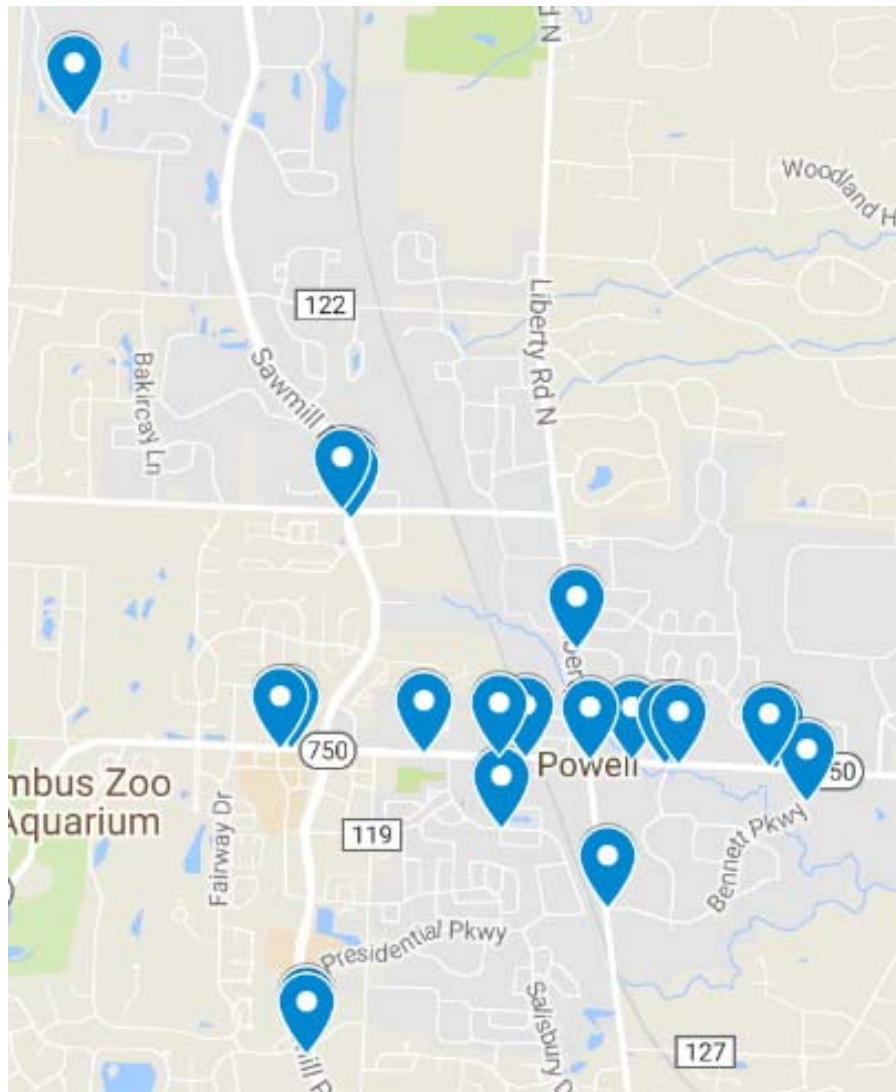
- 6/3/17 **ACDA** | *Injury* | Units 1 and 2 were westbound on SR 750 (in the area of 2409). Unit 2 stopped for traffic and Unit 1, unable to stop, struck the rear of Unit 2.
- 6/6/17 **Failure to Yield** | *Injury* | Unit 1 failed to yield the right of way to Unit 2 in the parking lot adjacent to 3958 W. Powell Rd. As a result, Unit 1 struck Unit 2.
- 6/9/17 **ACDA** | Unit 3 was traveling west on E. Olentangy St. approaching Grace Dr. when she stated she slowed down near the intersection to allow a vehicle to pass through the intersection. Unit 2 was traveling behind Unit 3 and struck Unit 3. Unit 1 was traveling behind Unit 2 and struck Unit 2.
- 6/13/17 **ACDA** | Unit 2 was westbound on SR 750 at Beech Ridge Dr. Unit 1 was also westbound, behind Unit 2 in traffic. Unit 1 failed to use assured clear distance ahead and struck Unit 2.
- 6/14/17 **Failure to Control** | Unit 1 was traveling east on Hickory Rock Dr when they lost control of their vehicle and struck the mailbox at 4590.
- 6/15/17 **Backing** | Unit 1 and Unit 2 were both southbound on Sawmill Parkway, stopped at the light at the intersection with Seldom Seen. Unit 1 put their car in reverse and did not see Unit 2. Unit 1 began backing up and struck Unit 2 with their trailer.
- 6/16/17 **ACDA** | The driver of Unit 2 was in the western northbound lane on Sawmill Parkway. The light turned red, and the driver of Unit 2 began to slow for the traffic signal. The driver of Unit 1 did not realize the driver of Unit 2 had stopped and rear ended Unit 2.
- 6/16/17 **Failure to Yield** | *Injury* | The driver of Unit 2 was driving northbound on the private access drive behind the Enterprise Rent-A-Car shopping center. The driver of Unit 1 was headed southbound and wanted to turn left (east) into the lot behind Enterprise Rent-A-Car. The driver of Unit 1 stated he thought the driver of Unit 2 waved him on to make his turn in front of Unit 2. The driver of Unit 1 then turned into Unit 2 striking Unit 2 in the driver's rear side causing the side airbags to deploy and injuring the driver of Unit 2. The driver of Unit 2 stated he did not give the driver of Unit 1 a signal of any kind and had no idea why the driver of Unit 1 turned into his vehicle.
- 6/16/17 **ACDA** | *Injury* | Units 2 and 3 were stopped in traffic westbound on SR 750 at Olentangy Ridge Pl. Unit 1 was behind Unit 2 in traffic, also

westbound. Unit 1 failed to use assured clear distance ahead and struck Unit 2, pushing Unit 2 into Unit 3.

- 6/19/17 **ACDA** | Unit 2 was eastbound on SR 750 at Industrial Pkwy, stopped in traffic. Unit 1 was also eastbound, behind Unit 2. Unit 1 failed to use assured clear distance ahead and struck Unit 2.
- 6/20/17 **Failure to Yield** | *Injury* | Unit 1 was southbound on Bennett Pkwy. and turned westbound into Arbor Ridge Park. While turning, Unit 1 struck a person on roller blades.
- 6/21/17 **ACDA** | Units 1 and 2 were southbound on Sawmill Pkwy. Unit 2 stopped for the traffic light. The light turned green and Unit 1 thought Unit 2 had moved forward. Unit 1 struck Unit 2.
- 6/21/17 **Failure to Yield** | Unit 2 was westbound on SR 750 at Olentangy Ridge Pl. and Unit 1 was at the stop sign at Olentangy Ridge Pl. and SR 750. Unit 1 failed to yield the right of way at a stop sign while attempting to turn left onto SR 750 and struck Unit 2.
- 6/21/17 **Failure to Control** | *Injury* | Unit 1 was eastbound on Murphy Pkwy. near Wagon Trail S. when the driver became distracted and veered off the roadway striking a fire hydrant and a street sign before coming to a final rest.
- 6/23/17 **ACDA** | Unit 1 and Unit 2 were southbound on Sawmill Parkway just north of North Hampton Drive. Unit 2 stopped for traffic and Unit 1, unable to stop, struck the rear of Unit 2.
- 6/24/17 **ACDA** | Unit 1 and Unit 2 were both traveling westbound on SR 750. Unit 2 came to a stop in traffic, Unit 1 was looking in her mirror and did not maintain assured clear distance ahead, striking Unit 2 in the rear.
- 6/25/17 **ACDA** | *Injury* | The driver of Unit 2 reports that while she was stopped on Seldom Seen Road facing west, Unit 1 struck Unit 2 from behind.
- 6/27/17 **ACDA** | Units 1 and 2 were headed west on SR 750. Unit 2 started to slow down due to traffic and was struck from behind by Unit 1.
- 6/28/17 **ACDA** | Units 1 and 2 were westbound on SR 750 east of Liberty St. Unit 2 stopped for the traffic signal. Unit 1 also stopped but observed the light turn green and started forward striking Unit 2.
- 6/28/17 **ACDA** | Units 1 and 2 were southbound on Liberty Street, approaching Bennett Parkway. While both units were stopped in traffic, Unit 1 accelerated and struck Unit 2 in the rear.

- 6/28/17 **Marked Lanes** | Units 1 and 2 were traveling eastbound on West Olentangy Road, approaching Traditions Way. Unit 2 entered the left turn lane to turn north onto Traditions Way. Unit 1 passed Unit 2 on the right and then made a left turn in front of Unit 2 striking it in the right side.
- 6/30/17 **Stop Sign** | Unit 1 was stated he was at Grace Dr. at the intersection of N. Liberty St. when he initiated a left turn to go southbound. Unit 1 stated he did not see Unit 2 and struck Unit 2. Unit 2 stated he was on N. Liberty St. headed southbound when Unit 1 struck him coming from Grace Dr.

MAP OF TRAFFIC CRASHES



THANK YOU NOTES





Sgt. Roach,

I just spoke to a woman by the name of Kelly Brown. She attended the concert yesterday morning with three children. Ms. Brown walks with a cane and while attempting to cross Olentangy St. with the children, Ofc. Waymire saw that she was struggling. He took it upon himself to cross the street and ask her if she needed help. He proceeded to stop traffic, carried a small child across the street and assisted Ms. Brown with finding a better parking spot. Ms. Brown called to compliment Ofc. Waymire and the agency on our community policing. What she didn't tell Ofc. Waymire is that she was a police officer at the John Glenn International Airport, assigned to the DEA task force, until a few months ago. She had to resign because she suffers from MS and her condition prevents her from performing her duties. She was very happy to see an officer go out of his way when he saw someone in need. Ms. Brown felt compelled to contact the agency to express her appreciation.

Please express our thanks to Ofc. Waymire for conducting himself in a manner consistent with the expectations of the agency. Great Job, Ofc. Waymire!

Respectfully,

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Great job!
Chief [Signature]



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HOUSE DISTRICT 67

On behalf of the members of the House of Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, we are pleased to commend the

POWELL POLICE DEPARTMENT

on being presented with a Meritorious Advanced Accreditation for Law Enforcement with Excellence Award by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies.

The Powell Police Department is, indeed, deserving of high praise, for it has achieved a remarkable record of service to the community. Certainly, the members of this fine agency have striven to deliver quality services to local residents, and all those associated with the department have distinguished themselves as conscientious and hard-working Ohioans.

Over the years, the Powell Police Department has enhanced the quality of life within the surrounding area, and its tremendous efforts have gained the appreciation and esteem of the many residents it has helped to protect. The dedicated members of the department have set an example of excellence that is worthy of emulation, and these exemplary law enforcement officials serve as a source of inspiration for others.

Thus, with great pride, we congratulate the Powell Police Department on this special attainment and extend best wishes for ongoing success.

Representative Andrew O. Brenner
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