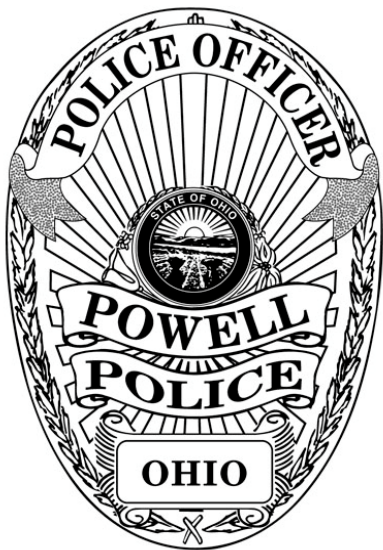


# THE CITY OF POWELL POLICE DEPARTMENT

HONESTY – INTEGRITY – DEPENDABILITY

*Gary L. Vest, Chief of Police*



**JANUARY 2018  
ACTIVITY REPORT**

## STATISTICS

	Current Month	Last Month	Last Year
Calls for Service	1,923	1,552	1,752
Dispatched Calls	506	423	438
Police Reports	101	83	97
Adult Arrests	8	6	13
Juvenile Arrests	4	8	1
Traffic Stops	130	87	136
Traffic Citations	18	11	21
Traffic Crashes	11	10	10
False Alarms	31	22	29
House Watches	67	83	49
Preventative Patrols	101	60	90
Stacked Calls	10	24	11

**Traffic Citations** include citations written for traffic crashes.

**Traffic Crashes** include both public and private property crashes.

## NOTABLE CASES

**Stolen Vehicle** | A resident of Golf Village reported his 2017 gray Ford Edge was stolen from his driveway. The car was unlocked, and the key was inside. The Columbus Division of Police recovered the vehicle and apprehended a suspect.

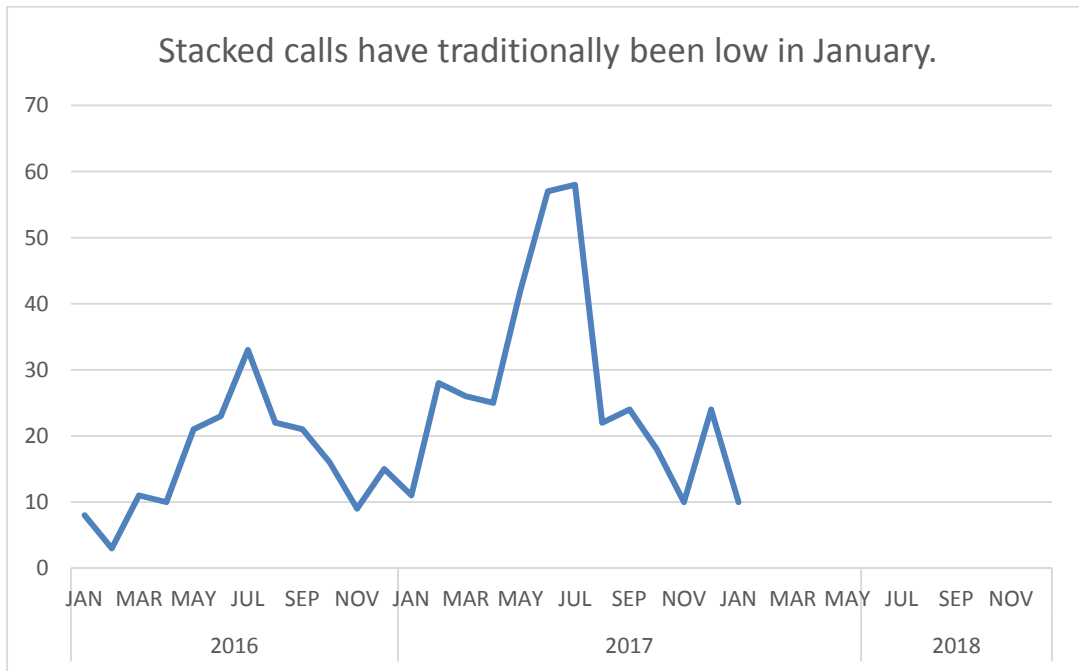
**Sex Offense** | Two suspects have been indicted and arrested after they allegedly assaulted a juvenile at an underage drinking party in June 2017.

## NATURE OF CALLS FOR SERVICE

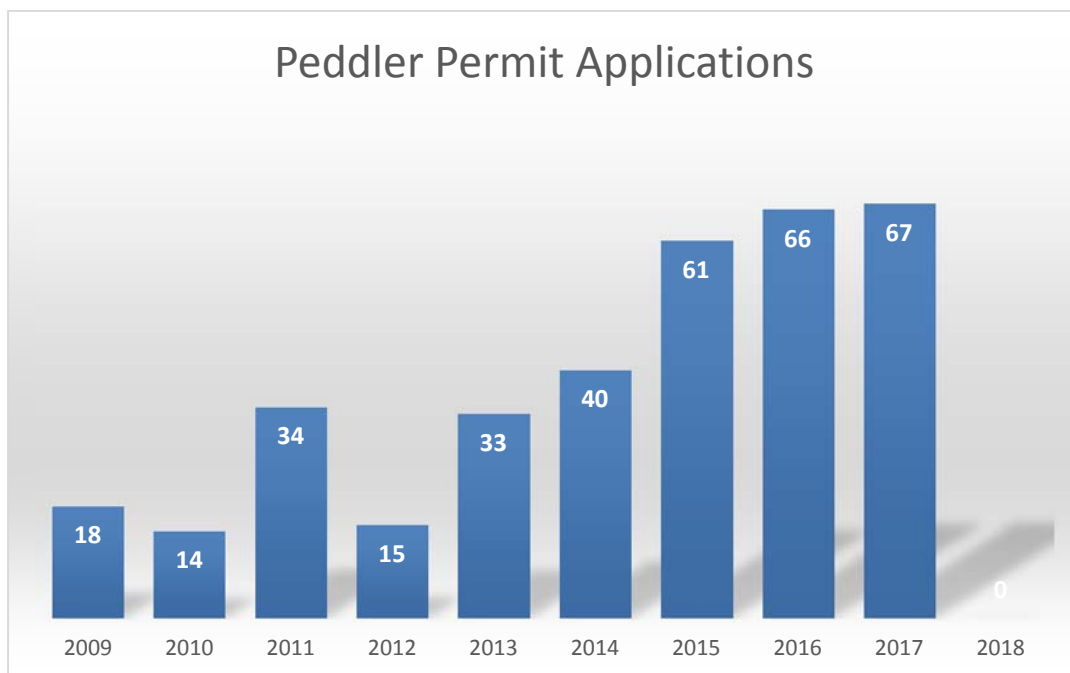
NATURE	MINUTES ON CALLS	PERCENT OF TIME	CALLS	PERCENT OF CALLS
Special Detail	5,508.7	21.6%	122	6.6%
Business / House Check	4,833.4	19.0%	988	53.6%
Follow-Up/Investigation	3,901.6	15.3%	108	5.9%
Traffic Control	1,983.8	7.8%	129	7.0%
Assist other Agency	1,761.3	6.9%	101	5.5%
Traffic Stop	1,180.5	4.6%	130	7.1%
Warrant	966.4	3.8%	3	0.2%
Alarm/911 Hang-Up	841.9	3.3%	81	4.4%
Investigate Complaint	702.6	2.8%	40	2.2%
Theft	600.3	2.4%	12	0.7%
Suspicious Activity	587.7	2.3%	42	2.3%
Traffic Crash	532.0	2.1%	17	0.9%
Suicide Attempt	486.0	1.9%	5	0.3%
Harassment/Threats	436.2	1.7%	8	0.4%
Juvenile	294.3	1.2%	5	0.3%
Well Being Check	206.9	0.8%	5	0.3%
Drug/Drunk	140.3	0.6%	3	0.2%
Missing Person	113.3	0.4%	1	0.1%
Lockout	103.4	0.4%	21	1.1%
Domestic	73.1	0.3%	1	0.1%
Animal Call	70.0	0.3%	4	0.2%
Parking	59.0	0.2%	12	0.7%
Lost & Found	45.5	0.2%	3	0.2%
Mental Health Crisis	37.5	0.1%	1	0.1%
Stolen Vehicle	36.2	0.1%	1	0.1%

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

## STACKED CALLS



## PEDDLER PERMITS



## TRAFFIC SURVEYS (STEALTH STAT)

**Hickory Rock Drive**  
January 3-8, 2018  
Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	13.8	23.69	29	38
Southbound	13.7	24.89	31	55

**Murphy's Parkway**  
January 9-12, 2018  
Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	48.7	29.73	35	60
Southbound	47.3	27.39	34	51

**Bennett Parkway**  
January 17-21, 2018  
Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	Maximum Speed
Eastbound	47.2	29.05	34	55
Westbound	2.4 *	26.73	34	45

\* The Stealth Stat had trouble picking up westbound traffic during this deployment.

**South Liberty Street**  
 January 22-28, 2018  
 Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	124.4	27.21	32	49
Southbound	71.7 *	27.81	33	61

\* The Stealth Stat had trouble picking up southbound traffic during this deployment.

## TRAINING

In January, the department conducted 60.5 hours of training to include **LIFE Physical Fitness Class, Unmanned Aircraft Systems, and Legal Update Bulletins.**

## TRAFFIC CRASHES – PUBLIC & PRIVATE PROPERTY

- 1/2/18      **Hit-Skip** | Unit 1 struck Unit 2 which was parked and unoccupied. Unit 1 left the scene of the crash. Unit 2 was moved prior to the arrival of law enforcement.
  
- 1/3/18      **ACDA** | Unit 2 was stopped heading northbound in traffic, south of Presidential Parkway, on Sawmill Parkway. Unit 1 failed to maintain assured clear distance ahead and struck Unit 2 in the rear.
  
- 1/5/18      **Hit-Skip** | The owner of Unit 2 discovered his vehicle damaged while he was parked at 4002 W. Powell Road.
  
- 1/9/18      **Failure to Control** | Unit 1 was attempting to park next to Unit 2 (stationary) in the lot at 27 Clairedan Drive. Unit 1 slid on the ice and struck the driver-side rear quarter panel of Unit 2.

- 1/10/18 **Failure to Control** | Unit 1 was eastbound on Retreat Ln. west of SR 315. Unit 1 failed to maintain control of the vehicle, drove off the right side of the road, struck several bushes and an irrigation pipe.
- 1/15/18 **Failure to Control** | Unit 1 was northbound in the passing lane of Sawmill Parkway. Unit 1 was entering the driving lane of Sawmill Parkway when the vehicle lost traction and ran off the roadway. The vehicle struck a curb and then struck a street sign. Unit 1 re-entered the roadway and then again struck the curb before coming to a final rest in the snow.
- 1/16/18 **Hit-Skip** | Unit 2 was parked in a lot on Sawmill Parkway between 1450 and 2100 hours. During this time, an unknown vehicle struck the bumper of Unit 2.
- 1/18/18 **Red Light** | Unit 1 was attempting to turn right from the entrance of Giant Eagle to head south on Sawmill Parkway. While doing so, Unit 1 turned on red and struck Unit 2 that was southbound on Sawmill Parkway proceeding through the green light. Unit 1 was cited.
- 1/20/18 **Backing** | Unit 1 was attempting to back from a parking space at 484 W. Olentangy. The driver of Unit 1 did not see Unit 2 driving south in the lot and backed into Unit 2.
- 1/25/18 **Failure to Yield** | Unit 2 was westbound on SR 750. Unit 1 was exiting the lot of 195 W. Olentangy. Unit 1 pulled out from the driveway and struck Unit 2. Unit 1 was cited.
- 1/30/18 **Failure to Control** | Unit 2 was unoccupied and parked at 50 S. Liberty facing eastbound. Unit 1 pulled into a parking spot westbound, in front of Unit 2. Unit 1 failed to use reasonable control while parking and struck Unit 2 head on.

# MAP OF TRAFFIC CRASHES

