THE CITY OF POWELL Police Department

HONESTY – INTEGRITY – DEPENDABILITY

Gary L. Vest, Chief of Police





MARCH 2018 ACTIVITY REPORT

STATISTICS

	Current Month	Last Month	Last Year
Calls for Service	1,810	1,684	1,737
Dispatched Calls	496	433	474
Police Reports	88	98	98
Adult Arrests	7	7	5
Juvenile Arrests	4	0	0
Traffic Stops	125	115	91
Traffic Citations	10	14	11
Traffic Crashes	7	10	15
False Alarms	35	25	32
House Watches	87	51	84
Preventative Patrols	112	119	95
Stacked Calls	17	26	11

NOTABLE CASES

Stolen Vehicle | Police were dispatched to a report of a car sitting on Woodcutter Drive. The car was found to be stolen from Columbus. The driver was taken to Delaware County Jail and charged with receiving stolen property, drug possession, and drug paraphernalia.

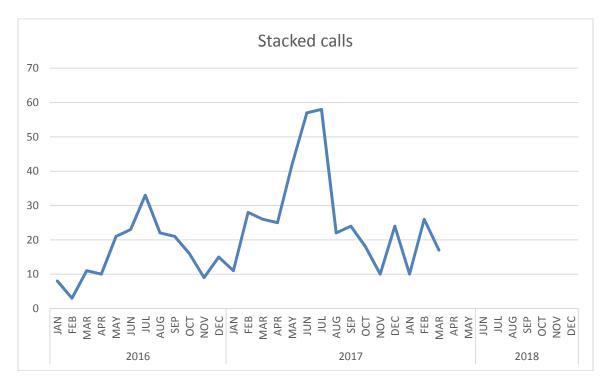
Drug Trafficking | A resident of Ashmoore called police when he found 180 grams (over 6 ounces) of marijuana in his house. The son was charged with drug trafficking.

NATURE OF CALLS FOR SERVICE

NATURE	MINUTES ON CALLS	PERCENT OF TIME	CALLS	PERCENT OF CALLS
Special Detail	7,025.2	24.8%	105	5.9%
Business / House Check	4,624.4	16.4%	967	54.2%
Follow-Up/Investigation	4,143.4	14.6%	83	4.7%
Traffic Control	2,661.1	9.4%	125	7.0%
Assist other Agency	1,750.5	6.2%	93	5.2%
Suspicious Activity	1,319.9	4.7%	62	3.5%
Domestic	1,139.3	4.0%	7	0.4%
Alarm/911 Hang-Up	1,106.6	3.9%	83	4.7%
Traffic Stop	732.1	2.6%	125	7.0%
Juvenile	614.2	2.2%	9	0.5%
Harassment/Threats	432.5	1.5%	5	0.3%
Theft	375.2	1.3%	12	0.7%
Investigate Complaint	349.1	1.2%	21	1.2%
Assault	341.5	1.2%	1	0.1%
Traffic Crash	315.0	1.1%	9	0.5%
Warrant	243.1	0.9%	2	0.1%
Well Being Check	218.6	0.8%	9	0.5%
Lockout	191.2	0.7%	26	1.5%
Animal Call	176.4	0.6%	13	0.7%
Lost & Found	117.4	0.4%	7	0.4%
Parking Complaint	84.5	0.3%	9	0.5%
Drug / Drunk	80.5	0.3%	3	0.2%
Sex Offense	79.8	0.3%	1	0.1%
Suicide Attempt	43.6	0.2%	1	0.1%
Vandalism	42.0	0.1%	2	0.1%
Forgery	40.0	0.1%	1	0.1%
Mental Health	29.9	0.1%	1	0.1%
Trash Dumping	6.7	0.0%	1	0.1%

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

STACKED CALLS



PEDDLER PERMITS



TRAFFIC SURVEYS (STEALTH STAT)

Wildflower Drive

March 5-10, 2018 Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 th Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	16.6	25.02	31	48
Southbound	12.5	26.58	32	41

Hickory Rock Drive

March 12-18, 2018 Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 th Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	16.6	24.43	30	47
Southbound	16.1	25.23	31	50

Murphy Parkway

March 20-26, 2018 Posted Speed Limit – 25 m.p.h.

Direction	Average Vehicles per Hour	Average Speed	85 th Percentile	Maximum Speed
Northbound	54.5	31.00	36	67
Southbound	45.6	30.42	35	54

Average Speed: The average speed of all vehicles registered by Stealth Stat.

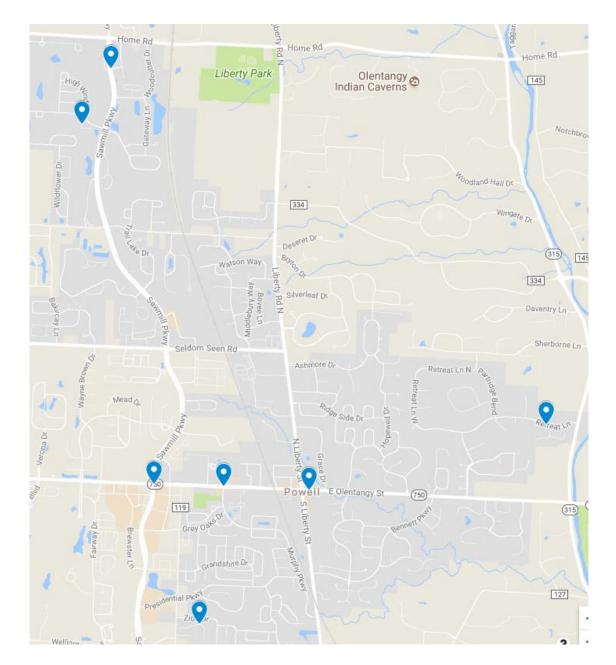
85th Percentile: 85 percent of all vehicles were traveling at this speed or slower.

TRAFFIC CRASHES

- 3/6/18 **Backing** | Units 1 and 2 were parked heading east on Commons Drive. Driver of Unit 1 entered his vehicle and began backing up and struck Unit 2.
- 3/9/18 **Hit-Skip** | The listed accident witness advised that an unknown vehicle left the roadway in front of his home and struck his mailbox. The driver was identified and cited.
- 3/12/18 **Failure to Control** | Unit 1 was slowly heading east through in the parking lot of 15 E. Olentangy Street with an obstructed windshield (ice) when it struck the left side of Unit 2 which was unoccupied.
- 3/15/18 ACDA | Unit 1 stated she "zoned out" while driving northbound on Sawmill Parkway as she was approaching the intersection of O'Connell. She struck Unit 2 which was stopped at a red traffic signal at the intersection. Unit 2 then was pushed into Unit 3. Unit 1 was cited.
- 3/18/18 Failure to Yield | Units 1 and 2 were traveling on SR 750, approaching Sawmill Parkway in opposite directions. Unit 1 made a left turn onto Sawmill Parkway on a yellow traffic light and was struck by Unit 2.
- 3/22/18 **Backing** | Units 1 and 2 were both backing out of parking spots in Kinsale Golf Club. Unit 1 stated he came to a stop, and Unit 2 backed into him. Unit 2 stated they both were backing at the time of the crash. Due to conflicting statements and no witnesses, the at-fault party cannot be determined.
- 3/30/18 Failure to Control | Units 1 and 2 were eastbound on SR750 just West of Murphy Parkway. Both units stopped for the light/traffic at the location. The driver of Unit 1 attempted to reach down for an item which caused his foot to slip off the brake, and Unit 1 struck Unit 2. Unit 1 was cited.

TRAINING

In March the department conducted 40 hours of training to include **Glock Armorer, pistol qualification**, and **firearms training**.



MAP OF TRAFFIC CRASHES

THANK-YOU NOTES



Dear Powell Officers,

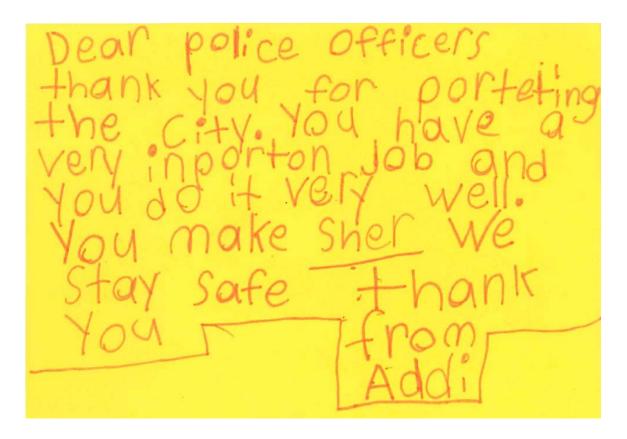
The teachers of Westerville City Schools would like to extend a sincere thank you for your support as we continue to grieve the loss of Officer Joering and Officer Morelli. Your visit to our community was truly appreciated. We are grateful for your presence and participation in the procession as we celebrated the lives of two heroic. Police officers.

Westerville Strong!

-V- Westerville teachers

THANK Thank you forall your hard work and Vedication. Thank IV T)ear sove, EvElyn Hoyt





Dear Powell PD.

Thankyou to your detectives, officers, and dispatchers for your assistance in all issues with ORC thigt while I Velas AP leader at Target. During my time I have learned what it is to be a professional and detailed in my work. It is through observing your detectives and officers that I have been inspired to follow my next career path in the Seattle area. As I move I look to take my experiences to hopefully become Successful in my aspirotions. Thank you for all you've done.

Sincerely, Brian McLarson