

**MONONA POLICE DEPARTMENT
MONTHLY REPORT**



JUNE 2016

OPERATIONS DIVISION

In June of 2016, the Operations Division handled 38 vehicle crashes, which is down a bit from the 48 crashes last month. Vehicle crashes are a significant part of a Police Officer's day. There were 85 traffic warnings, 272 traffic citations, and 54 parking tickets issued. There were a total of 1,547 calls for service in June.

Training

Officer Mielke attended 24 hours of Radar and Laser Operator training

Officer Wunsch did some transition training with Officer Fogeltanz as Officer Wunsch will be assigned as the School Resource Officer for the 2016/2017 school year.

Officer Landon Flora attended a 40-hour Field Training Officer certification training.

Speed Trailer

The Speed Trailer was placed in the 4700 block of Winnequah Road from June 6th through June 15th and in the 4100 block of Monona Drive from June 28th through June 30th. To request the speed trailer, in your neighborhood, contact Officer Jim Reiter at: jreiter@ci.monona.wi.us

Security Checks

Officers performed 155 security checks in the month of June. A security check is when an Officer goes into a business and walks around to meet with staff to discuss any problems that the businesses are aware of. This also serves as a deterrent for theft. For the overnight shift, this entails checking the perimeter of the business and pulling on doors to make sure the businesses are secure.

Retail Thefts

There were 51 retail theft cases in June, up 9 from 42 cases in May. Around 50 cases are typical in a month. These cases can be time consuming if the suspect flees and follow-up outside the City is necessary.

Tellurian Treatment Center

In June we had 5 calls to the Tellurian property totaling 1 hour of police time.

Use of Force Incidents

On June 21st at 4:10pm, Officers responded to a burglary in progress at 3939 Monona Drive. A subject entered the unsecure garage door of a condominium, which was left open for a construction crew. The offender attempted to leave with multiple items. One of the residents detained the subject until the arrival of police. Once back at the PD, the intoxicated suspect became argumentative and clenched his fist and charged at an officer. The male was pushed away and several officers entered the interview room to secure the male into handcuffs. The suspect struggled and was forced up against the wall to gain compliance with being handcuffed, which he then submitted to. (MO16-03587)

On June 23rd, at approximately 5:52 pm, officers observed a vehicle on South Towne that was wanted by the Fitchburg PD. A traffic stop was initiated, however due to the erratic driving in rush hour traffic on the beltline; the officers quickly terminated trying to chase the vehicle. A short time later the car was found abandoned on HWY 51 south of HWY 12. Sergeant Nachreiner and K-9 Miya tracked the offender through a heavily wooded area and took the subject into custody without incident. The driver was charged with two counts of Felony Eluding an Officer, Operating under the Influence (7th offense), possession of Cocaine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. No force was needed to affect the arrest, but we document and review police pursuit attempts under use of force. (MO16-03632)

Citizen Complaints

Citizen complaints will be listed here monthly and the Operations Lieutenant shall prepare an annual summary report for the Chief of Police which will be disseminated to the Police and Fire Commission. The annual summary report shall include but not be limited to: Listing each complaint, explaining any action(s) taken, recommending training needs, and recommending policy changes.

There were no citizen complaints filed in June of 2016

1st Shift Monthly Report

On June 3rd at 11:48 am we received a call of a woman bitten by a Chihuahua while walking on Alder Rd. The dog was not on a leash and was not under the control of anyone. The owner was cited for dog at large (\$98.80 fine) and for having an animal which has attacked 2 or more persons (\$124 fine).

On June 18th at 6:19 am an officer observed some debris in the roadway and damage to a decorative light at the entrance to an apartment complex on Monona Drive. Left behind at the scene was some car debris to indicate the damage was caused by a Hit and Run. The debris indicated the suspect vehicle was a Toyota. The officer then began checking the area for the suspect vehicle. At 7 am the suspect vehicle was located. (Shown below). The 35 year old owner admitted he was driving last night and traveled home from the East Washington Ave area, but had no memory of striking anything or

damaging his car. The owner had insurance so the damage will be covered, but this case could have ended in a tragedy, as the damage to his car was extensive for having no memory of how it occurred.



Officer Overtime Analysis

2016	JUNE Hrs	TOTAL HRS To Date	APPROX COST To Date
TRAINING CONSORTIUM (In-Service)	-	137	\$6,850
OTHER REQUIRED TRAINING (ECIR/Radar/CPR/K9)	12	109	\$5,450
OPTIONAL OFFICER TRAINING	-	3	\$150
SICK LEAVE Coverage	24	160	\$8,000
VACATION Coverage	68	291	\$14,550
FLOATING HOLIDAY Coverage	-	44	\$2,200
MILITARY LEAVE Coverage	36	36	\$1,800
COURT	9.5	98	\$4,900
LATE/EARLY CALL or SERIOUS INCIDENT	9	122.5	\$6,125
Special Event (Meeting, Parade, Festival, Drug Work)	-	117.25	\$5,863
Mental Health Case	-	21.75	\$1,088
Dispatch Coverage	-		
TRAFFIC GRANT (Reimbursed)	78.5	283.5	\$14,175
TOTAL HRS	237.00	1423	
Expense Per Month @ average \$50.00 / HR	\$11,850		\$71,150

Lieutenant Curtis Wiegel is the Operations Commander and 1st shift patrol supervisor. He can be reached at cwiegel@ci.monona.wi.us.

2nd Shift

Officers on second shift conducted 122 traffic stops. We handled 26 Retail Thefts, 17 crashes, and Two Drunk Drivers. We also made 5 warrant arrests.

On June 15, 2016 at 6:43pm police responded to a hotel for a domestic disturbance. While investigating it was determined that a female had \$600 stolen from her. It was also determined that her phone number was on numerous escort service sites. The male had left prior to police arrival. Through the investigation it was discovered that no domestic crime was committed.

On June 21, 2016 at 4:10pm Officers responded to the 3900 block of Monona Dr. for a robbery in progress. Upon arrival Officers found a resident and construction worker holding a male subject down on the ground. The suspect had entered the underground garage of the complex and began stealing items. When the suspect was confronted by a resident, an altercation took place. Both the suspect and resident received minor injuries. The suspect was taken to jail. It was later discovered that the suspect is also a person of interest in other burglaries in Madison.

On June 24, 2016 at 5:55pm Officers were sent to Menards for some male subjects passing a gun around in the car. While responding the suspect vehicle left Menards and went to the Monona Mart Gas Station. Officers arrived on scene and took the occupants out at gun point. The occupants were juveniles. One of the occupants advised that there was a BB Gun in the vehicle under the passenger seat. This was recovered. Parents were contacted and the juveniles were released. The BB Gun was destroyed per the parents request. Below is a photo of the actual gun taken. Could you tell if that's a BB Gun or a real gun?



Sergeant Jeremy Winge is the 2nd shift patrol supervisor and can be contacted at: jwinge@ci.monona.wi.us

3rd Shift

The Monona Police Department third shift officers handled 3 vehicle crashes, 4 retail thefts, and responded to several disturbance calls during the month of June. Officers made 91 traffic stops resulting in 5 OWI arrest. Officers also arrested 1 individual who had an active arrest warrant out for them.

On June 5th, 2016 at 2:42 a.m. a vehicle was stopped for deviating from its lane of traffic on Monona Dr. The operator of the vehicle was arrested for 3rd offense, OWI with a B.A.C. of .13 g/210L.

On June 25th, 2016 at 1:34 a.m. a vehicle was stopped for speeding, 92 mph in a 55 mph zone on Stoughton Rd. The operator was arrested for 1st offense, OWI with a B.A.C. of .13 g/210L.

Sergeant Adam Nachreiner is 3rd shift patrol supervisor and can be contacted at anachreiner@ci.monona.wi.us

INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Detective Unit

During the month of June, 89 cases were reviewed for possible referral to the Investigative Division.

Crime	Number of Cases
Burglary	1
Death Investigation	1
Drug Investigation	5
Fraud	10
Overdose	3
Retail Theft	51
Theft	18

Members of the Investigative Unit were assigned to, or assisted with, 27 incidents.

Current Investigations

MO16-02319 – SEXUAL ASSAULT OF A CHILD

An adult female reported being sexually assaulted as a child, about 15 years ago, while she lived in Monona.

MO16-01700 – RETAIL THEFT

Detectives assisted in investigating and citing a suspect from out of town.

MO16-02863 – THEFT/ID THEFT

A resident was a victim of a theft from his auto, and credit cards were taken and used. Partial suspect information was developed and investigated by detectives, however, no further leads developed.

MO16-02613 - BURGLARY

This was a daytime residential burglary in the 1500 block of Baskerville Ave with forced entry. Several items were stolen from inside the residence. Detectives are still working on leads but have not officially identified any suspects.

MO16-02353 - BURGLARY

This was a burglary from a shared basement in the 6300 block of Roselawn Ave with no force entry. A possible suspect has been identified but Detectives are still trying to gather evidence in the case.

MO16-02624 – SEXUAL ASSAULT

This was an alleged sexual assault between two employees at a business on Monona Drive. This was a lengthy investigation and the incident has been forwarded to the District Attorney's Office to review for potential charges.

MO16-03167 - THEFT

This was a theft from a residence by a subject know by the homeowner in the 6300 block of Ford Street. After investigating and interviewing several associated people, there was enough doubt that the homeowner may have given the suspect permission to sell the items for her son who was in prison. The suspect did sell the items but admittedly never gave the money to the homeowner. Detectives recovered most of the property but are unable to pursue charges due to the possible civil nature of the incident.

MO16-03776 – DRUG INVESTIGATION

Detectives observed two subjects in a vehicle selling marijuana to two other individuals in the 1200 block of East Broadway. The two dealers were arrested and evidence was recovered in the vehicle.

MO16-02752 – STALKING

A male employee who works on Royal Ave reported being stalked by his ex-girlfriend. The victim had obtained a restraining order against the female suspect. The female called the male daily, left threats on his voice-mail, tried to get him arrested several times with false complaints and tried to get him fired from his employment. This female is in hiding and we are actively trying to place her into custody.

MO16-03102 - THEFT

The investigation uncovered a theft perpetrated by the victim's daughter, a known heroin user. The suspect stole from several family members. The case has been forwarded to the DA for charges and a warrant was requested for the suspect.

MO16-03587 - BURGLARY

A resident in the 3900 block of Monona Drive observed someone burglarizing the garage area of the complex. The resident, also a victim, detained the suspect to keep him from leaving while police were called to respond. The suspect was arrested, taken to jail and has been charged with Burglary. The suspect was currently on parole for several other burglaries and is likely to be facing additional prison time. While this incident ended in a positive way, we want to caution the public from taking this type of action which could have resulted in them being injured or assaulted by the suspect.



If you have information to provide in these or other incidents, please contact:
Det. Matthew Bomkamp at mbomkamp@ci.monona.wi.us or Det. Sgt. Ryan Losby at rlosby@ci.monona.wi.us.

Other Activities

Property room management
Municipal court officer duties
Liquor License Review Committee

School Resource Officer

The school year ended somewhat early for all the schools in the Monona Grove School District. The seniors at MGHS ended the year with their last exams on 06-01-16, with graduation being on 06-05-16. The last day of school for all the other students was 06-08-16.

On that last day of school for the seniors a large group gathered in the commons at the end of the day. A senior student in the middle of that group lit a large smoke bomb and placed it on the floor. The crowd dispersed and the school's fire alarms activated. At that time school staff and I were not able to see who lit the smoke bomb. Through investigation we discovered who had done it and obtained an admission. The student received a citation and significant school sanctions.

An accident occurred in the parking lot of the high school. A staff member was backing out of her parking stall that was located on a curved part of the lot. At the same time a student was driving around this curved area. The front of the student's car struck the back of the staff member's car causing significant damage.

While I was at the high school two special education teachers requested emergency help with an out of control student they were transporting. The staff members advised they were travelling on the beltline but were currently stopped in the parking lot of Menards in Monona. I responded to Menards and the student eventually calmed down. The student was released to a parent at the scene.

This is the last report by SRO Shawn Fogeltanz. After seven and one half years as the Monona Grove School Resource Officer he has opted to return to the Patrol Division. Officer Luke Wunsch has been appointed as the new School Resource Officer.

SRO Luke Wunsch can be contacted at lwunsch@ci.monona.wi.us
SRO Shawn Fogeltanz can be contacted at sfogeltanz@ci.monona.wi.us

Clerk of Courts

During the month of June, 382 traffic, municipal ordinance and parking citations were issued. In addition there were 86 warnings issued for various traffic offenses. Twenty-two adults were also referred to the Dane County District Attorney's Office for criminal charges.

Dispatch

The Monona Communications Center dispatches Police, Fire, and EMS, answers routine phone calls from citizens seeking information or wanting police assistance, processes citation payments, prepares and submits accident reports to the State of Wisconsin, files law enforcement related paperwork, and performs many other routine daily duties.

During the month of June, Dispatchers handled 1,547 calls for service. Of these calls for service, 141 calls came in on the 911 lines. Many of the calls for service are converted into incidents which require a report and additional paperwork. On average, each incident, consumes about 1.5 hours of the Dispatcher's time.

Lieutenant Sara Deuman is the Technical Services Commander in charge of Dispatch and Investigations. She can be contacted at sdeuman@ci.monona.wi.us