



Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety



Annual Report 2014





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Mr. Dale Krajniak
City Manager
Grosse Pointe Park, MI. 48230

Dear Mr. Krajniak;

I present to you, Mayor Heenan and the members of the Council the Annual Report for the year 2014. This report describes the events and activities of the Department for the year. The report also reflects the activities, dedication and commitment displayed by all members of the Department, of whom I am extremely proud.

As I have indicated in past reports, the statistics we report are consistent with CLEMIS, the reporting system we participate in. CLEMIS is a multi-jurisdictional program that enables us to monitor activities internally as well as with other agencies in the system. The system is connected directly to the dispatch and our in-car systems. This system also automatically reports our incidents to the State.

In 2014 we had a total of 499 crimes reported. With a five year average of 545 reported incidents this would reflect a 9% decrease. When compared to our three year average of 517 reported, we continue to reduce with a 4% decrease. When you actually have such relatively low numbers in numerous categories, slight increases in a specific area makes a difference percentage wise. When a category has no incidents in the previous year and one in the current that reflects a 100% increase.

One example is in the area of obstructing justice. Basically these are subjects who we investigate on traffic stops or field investigations and discover they are wanted by other jurisdictions and are arrested. We had 52 such cases last year compared to 35 in the previous year. So while it shows

a statistical increase of 50%, it actually means we arrested 17 more wanted subjects than the year before.

Another area was in the crime of Larceny. With 209 cases reported compared to 171 the previous year our Part one crimes increased approximately 4%. As is the case in most incidents of unusual increase, we traditionally discover the problem is focused on a specific individual or group. In the case of the larcenies, and a slight increase in burglary reported this year, the person responsible was arrested. The subject was a parole violator who was arrested one night after a foot chase by responding officers. The subject was charged with numerous counts of larceny from motor vehicles. Detectives realized the similarity of the crimes and after completing their investigation they were able to clear 7 home invasions and dozens of larceny from vehicles cases to the subject involved. He was also found responsible for numerous cases in other Grosse Pointes.

We saw a decrease in vehicle thefts last year. In 2013 we reported 56 stolen vehicles and this year we dropped to 45 reported thefts. This number is more consistent with years past but still greatly reduced from years ago when we had totals that exceeded 100. Aggressive patrol certainly plays a big part and the officers do an outstanding job. Our stolen car task force, ACTION, continues to do a great job and works with neighboring agencies to reduce the totals.

The Detective Bureau also plays a critical role in our overall success. With over 250 adult and juvenile arrests there is a considerable amount of follow-up investigations and court proceedings that need to be done each year. What is impressive is that with the follow-ups and the investigations we are able to clear a number of our criminal cases. The Youth Service Unit, which handles write-up and follow-up work on all juveniles, continues to be a critical part of this success.

Also this year we completed what has been a tremendous challenge to this Department. The Robert Bashara trial ended in December with guilty verdicts on all five counts. He has been sentenced to life in prison without parole. The Detective Bureau, led by Captain David Loch, was responsible for this three year complex and detailed investigation. I am very proud of the work they accomplished in a very professional manner. As a result those involved have been awarded the Chief's Award for 2014.

We did realize an increase in fire activities last year. We responded to 127 calls for service compared to 118 the previous year. Fortunately the vast majority were found to be false alarms. We responded to 7 dwelling fires but with the rapid response from the officers on the road we are able to contain the vast majority of fires to a minimum.

In 2014 we answered 311 request for our medic, which included 6 for services outside of Grosse Pointe Park. This service is a critical one that this Department provides and our EMT's do a great job. To have at least two medics respond to a call, with a response time of minutes, means a great deal to our residents.

The information I have provided reflects just a small portion of the total number of calls for service we handle each and every year. In addition to the numbers given so far, we also responded to thousands of other calls for service. While certainly not of an emergency or criminal nature, they were requests for service from our citizens. I am proud to say they were handled in the same professional manner as the more serious ones.

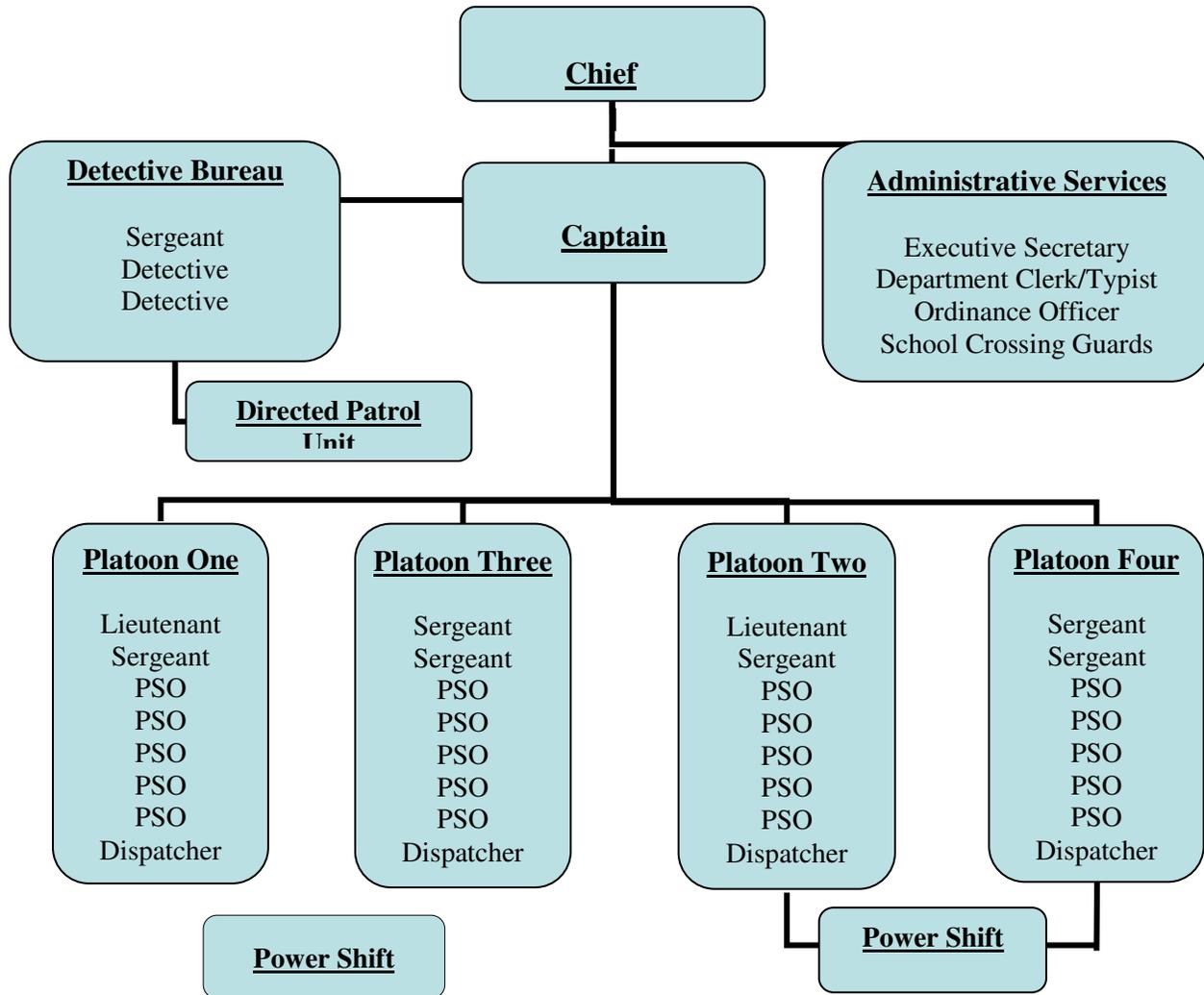
We also, as a service to the community, instituted CRIME MAPPING and NIXLE. These programs show a daily recap of specific crimes as well as the location. We are also able to notify the community through NIXLE of important announcements. Both programs are listed on our Public Safety web site.

In closing I again want to thank you, Mayor Heenan and the members of the Council for your continued support. While I am grateful for your support, I want to also take a moment to compliment the men and women who work for this Department for the professional manner in which they conduct business. I am extremely fortunate to work with the officers, dispatchers and civilian employees who consistently display that professional attitude. Together we stand ready to proudly serve our residents.

Respectfully submitted

David A. Hiller
Chief of Police

Department Organizational Chart



Department Personnel Roster

NAME	RANK	DATE PROMOTED	DATE APPOINTED
DAVID A. HILLER	CHIEF	07-10-01	01-03-72
DAVID P. LOCH	CAPTAIN	12-28-11	02-24-86
EDWARD T. ARNOLD	LIEUTENANT	02-15-08	08-20-90
JAMES M. HOSHAW	LIEUTENANT	12-28-11	02-11-91
JOSEPH T. SREBERNAK	SERGEANT	08-01-96	05-07-90
JAMES M. VOGLER	SERGEANT	07-01-98	09-20-91
JEFFREY M. LONGO	SERGEANT	02-15-08	10-26-92
BRENT E. MERLINGTON	SERGEANT	02-15-08	03-05-96
COLIN D. CONNAIRE	SERGEANT	12-28-11	07-21-03
JAMES A. BOSTOCK	SERGEANT	12-28-11	08-19-03
ANTHONY B. BLAIN	SERGEANT	10-26-12	12-12-01
MICHAEL A. NARDUZZI	DETECTIVE	06-21-09	04-15-96
JEREMY S. PITTMAN	DETECTIVE	10-26-12	02-15-08
CHRISTOPHER G. FLANAGAN	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		02-06-89
NICK F. NEAMONITIS	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		07-17-89
MICHAEL A. NAJM	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		05-16-90
ROBERT W. KROMPATIC	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		06-30-93
CHRISTOPHER S. JONES	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		04-22-94
THOMAS F. LAZARSKI	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		05-27-94
DANIEL J. KOLAR	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		02-08-95
ERIK A. DAVIS	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		12-02-95
THOMAS C. GAMICCHIA	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		11-29-96
MICHAEL L. MILLER	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		07-01-98
RYAN S. MILROTH	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		08-09-99
TERRY L. HAYS	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		05-24-00
STEPHEN W. THIEL	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		07-30-01
RYAN C. WILLMER	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		12-12-01
THOMAS J. TAYLOR	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		07-30-02
RONALD M. LOOSVELT	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		07-21-03
PAUL S. PIONK	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		07-21-03
JESSICA L. WORRALL	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		01-07-04
THOMAS O. CARD	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		03-24-08
ROBERT RUGGERO	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		12-19-12
KEVIN REMUS	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		03-04-14
MARSHALL HALAS	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		03-04-14

Department Personnel Roster

NAME	RANK	DATE PROMOTED	DATE APPOINTED
CHRISTOPHER THOMAS	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER		03-04-2014
JILL A. MAZZARA	CHIEF DISPATCHER	02-24-97	02-01-93
JOSEPHINE V. HENDRIX	DISPATCHER	11-05-00	08-15-94
JODI E. EAST	DISPATCHER	11-05-00	01-07-99
DAWN KELLY	DISPATCHER		07-10-11
MARTAROSE AGUILERA	EXECUTIVE SECRETARY	06-25-01	09-11-95
CAROL A. SEMANN	CLERK/TYPIST		05-28-02
CATHERINE TRUOG	SCHOOL CROSSING GUAF		08-28-13
LAURA VANDEPUTTE	SCHOOL CROSSING GUAF		08-29-13
DAVID L. STEWART	SCHOOL CROSSING GUAF		08-28-07
EDWIN J. MANNING	SCHOOL CROSSING GUAF		03-18-08
SUSAN K. MANNING	SCHOOL CROSSING GUAF		03-18-08

Personnel Separations

NAME	RANK	REASON	DATE OF SEPARATION
LEO G. DERAEDT	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER	Retired	2-1-2014
JOSEPH P. POIRIER	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER	Retired	2-1-2014
KEITH L. ANDERSEN	PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER	Resigned	1-1-2014

Awards

Each year members representing every level of the Department meet in January to form the Honors Board which reviews all recommendations for awards submitted for the previous calendar year. Recognition given by the department include the following awards:

VALOR

For personal heroism above and beyond the call of duty.

CITATION

For exceptional performance of the highest order.

LIFE SAVING

A form of Citation for performance of an exceptional act to preserve life.

WOUND

Any wound requiring medical treatment suffered by a member of the Department during the course of a public safety action that is the result of a felonious assault.

CHIEF'S AWARD

For contributions by an employee who consistently gives outstanding service and contributes time, interest, and effort far beyond that is required.

COMMENDATION

For outstanding performance well above the norm.

CHIEF'S LETTER

For performance that requires official recognition.

The Public Safety Department's awards for 2014 are:

COMMENDATION

PSO THOMAS CARD
SGT JEFFREY LONGO

CHIEF'S AWARD

CAPTAIN DAVID LOCH
SGT. ANTHONY BLAIN
DET. MICHAEL NARDUZZI
DET. JEREMY PITTMAN
SEC. CAROL SEEMAN

Four Year Incident Comparison

PART A OFFENSES	2014	2013	2012	2011
09001-09003 Murder/Manslaughter/Justifiable Homicide		1	1	
10001-10002 Kidnapping/Abduction				
11001-11008 Criminal Sexual Conduct 1-8	1		3	1
12000 Robbery	7	5	5	6
13001 Non-Aggravated Assault	18	14	21	31
13002 Aggravated/Felonious Assault	2	10	8	7
13003 Intimidation/Stalking	2	3	2	4
20000 Arson		2	2	1
21000 Extortion				
22001-22002 Burglary – with Intent	26	22	43	17
23001-23007 Larceny	209	171	186	178
24001 Motor Vehicle Theft	45	56	42	41
24002 Motor Vehicle as Stolen Property	0	6	5	6
24003 Motor Vehicle Fraud	0	2		
25000 Forgery/Counterfeiting	2			1
26001-26005 Fraud	6	1	1	4
27000 Embezzlement				
28000 Stolen Property	3	2		1
29000 Damage to Property	27	37	35	44
30001-30003 Retail Fraud	3	1	3	1
35001 Violation of Controlled Substance	4	9	8	15
35002 Narcotic Equipment Violations	3	1		4
36001-36002 Sexual Penetration – Non-forcible				
37000 Obscenity	1			
39001-39004 Gambling				
40001 Commercialized Sex				
51000 Bribery				
52001-52003 Weapons Offense	2	4	5	1
PART A TOTAL	361	347	387	363

Four Year Incident Comparison

PART B OFFENSES	2014	2013	2012	2011
01000 Sovereignty				
02000 Military				
03000 Immigration				
09003 Negligent Homicide Vehicle/Boat/ Snowmobile/ORV				
14000 Abortion				
22003 Burglary – Unlawful Entry (No Intent)				
22004 Possession of Burglary Tools				
26006 Fraud – Bad Checks		1	4	2
36003 Peeping Tom				
36004 Sex Offense – Other				
38001 Family – Abuse/Neglect Nonviolent				
38002 Family – Nonsupport				
38003 Family – Other				
41001 Liquor License – Establishment				
41002 Liquor Violations – Other	2	6	2	3
42000 Drunkenness				
48000 Obstructing Police	2	6	9	8
49000 Escape/Flight				
50000 Obstructing Justice	52	36	54	69
53001 Disorderly Conduct	3	3	9	6
53002 Public Peace – Other	2			
54001 Hit and Run Motor Vehicle Accident	1		2	
54002 OUIL or OUID	25	22	14	22
55000 Health and Safety	2	1		
56000 Civil Rights				
57001 Trespass	1	2	4	2
57002 Invasion of Privacy – Other				
58000 Smuggling				
59000 Election Laws				
60000 Antitrust				
61000 Tax/Revenue				
62000 Conservation				
63000 Vagrancy			1	2
70000 Juvenile Runaway				1
73000 Miscellaneous Criminal Offense	7	4	4	11
75000 Solicitation (all crimes except prostitution)				2
77000 Conspiracy (all crimes)				
PART B TOTAL	97	81	103	126
Traffic – Non-OWI Arrests	41	42	49	55
TOTAL CRIMINAL INCIDENTS	499	470	539	544

Adult & Juvenile Arrests

PART A OFFENSES	2014	2013	2012	2011
09001-09003 Murder/Manslaughter/Justifiable Homicide		1	1	
10001-10002 Kidnapping/Abduction				
11001-11008 Criminal Sexual Conduct 1-8				
12000 Robbery	5	1	1	4
13001 Non-Aggravated Assault	11	9	15	21
13002 Aggravated/Felonious Assault	8	8	4	8
13003 Intimidation/Stalking				
20000 Arson	1	1	1	
21000 Extortion				
22001-22002 Burglary – with Intent	5	13	23	8
23001-23007 Larceny	20	21	14	35
24001 Motor Vehicle Theft	3	2	3	7
24002 Motor Vehicle as Stolen Property	1	6	7	8
24003 Motor Vehicle Fraud				
25000 Forgery/Counterfeiting	2			
26001-26005 Fraud	1		2	4
27000 Embezzlement				
28000 Stolen Property	3	3		1
29000 Damage to Property	1	1		2
30001-30003 Retail Fraud	1	1	2	1
35001 Violation of Controlled Substance	4	9	12	14
35002 Narcotic Equipment Violations	3	1		4
36001-36002 Sexual Penetration – Non-forcible				
37000 Obscenity				
39001-39004 Gambling				
40001 Commercialized Sex				
51000 Bribery				
52001-52003 Weapons Offense	2	3	4	1
PART A TOTAL	73	80	89	116

Adult & Juvenile Arrests

PART B OFFENSES	2014	2013	2012	2011
01000 Sovereignty				
02000 Military				
03000 Immigration				
09003 Negligent Homicide Vehicle/Boat/ Snowmobile/ORV				
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22003 Burglary – Unlawful Entry (No Intent)				
22004 Possession of Burglary Tools				
26006 Fraud – Bad Checks			2	
36003 Peeping Tom		1		
36004 Sex Offense – Other				
38001 Family – Abuse/Neglect Nonviolent				
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41001 Liquor License – Establishment				
41002 Liquor Violations – Other	1	5	3	3
42000 Drunkenness				
48000 Obstructing Police	2	5	7	6
49000 Escape/Flight			1	
50000 Obstructing Justice	52	33	51	66
53001 Disorderly Conduct	3	1	6	2
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54001 Hit and Run Motor Vehicle Accident				
54002 OUIL or OUID	25	21	14	22
55000 Health and Safety				
56000 Civil Rights				
57001 Trespass	1	3	3	2
57002 Invasion of Privacy – Other				
58000 Smuggling				
59000 Election Laws				
60000 Antitrust				
61000 Tax/Revenue				
62000 Conservation				
63000 Vagrancy			1	
73000 Miscellaneous Criminal Offense	7		4	5
75000 Solicitation (all crimes except prostitution)				2
Traffic non-OWI	22	22	19	21
PART B TOTAL	114	91	111	129
Arrests for other agencies	56	52	55	49
TOTAL ADULT CRIMINAL ARRESTS	243	223	255	294

Clearance Rates for Index Crimes

The following information reflects clearance rates for crimes that are categorized as Index or Part 1 Crimes by the FBI's Uniform Crime Report. Index Crimes include the crimes against person of homicide, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, and the crimes against property of burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft, and arson. Index Offenses, are traditionally used for comparison purposes across the country. Over the years this Department has prided itself on an exceptionally high clearance rate for index offenses. This clearance rate is a result of dedicated work by the officers assigned to both the Uniform and the Detective Divisions of the Department. The clearance rate for the last four years is detailed below.

For each crime, the total numbers of incidents and the clearance rate is listed.

CRIMES	2014	2013	2012	2011	State*
Homicide	0 -	1 100%	1 100%	0	31%
Criminal Sexual Conduct	1 100%	0 0	3 66%	1 100%	24%
Robbery	7 60%	5 60%	5 20%	6 66%	15%
Aggravated Assault	2 50%	10 90%	8 50%	7 72%	36%
Burglary	26 40%	22 43%	43 33%	17 47%	8%
Larceny	209 26%	171 16%	186 10%	178 20%	6%
Motor Vehicle Theft	45 18%	56 12%	42 12%	41 17%	8%
Arson	0	2 100%	2 50%	1 100%	10%

* Statewide Clearance Rate is from 20013

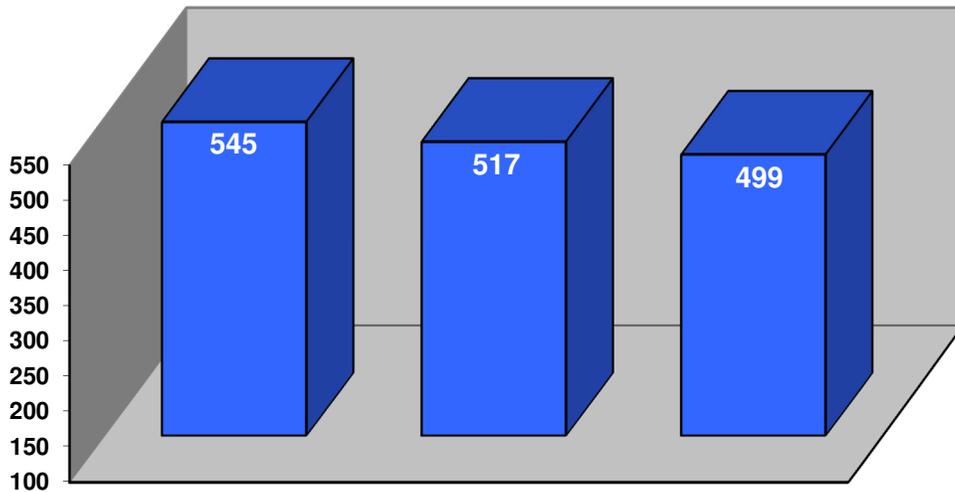
The file classes listed below are used to count each of the eight crimes counted in Index Offenses

Crimes Against Persons: Homicide – 09001 - 09002, Criminal Sexual Conduct (CSC) – 11001 - 11008, Robbery – 12000, Aggravated Assault – 13002

Crimes Against Property: Burglary - 22001-22002, Larceny – 23001-23007, Motor Vehicle Theft – 24001, Arson - 20000

Crime Trends

Total Reported Offenses

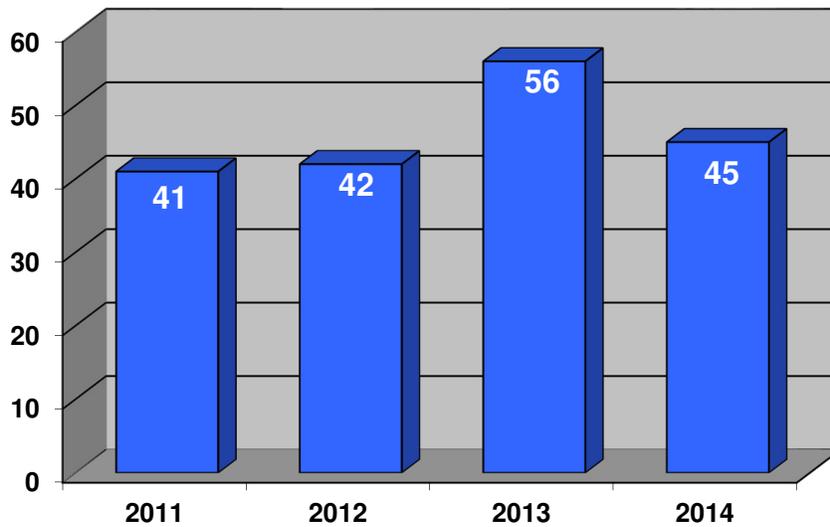


Five Year

Three Year

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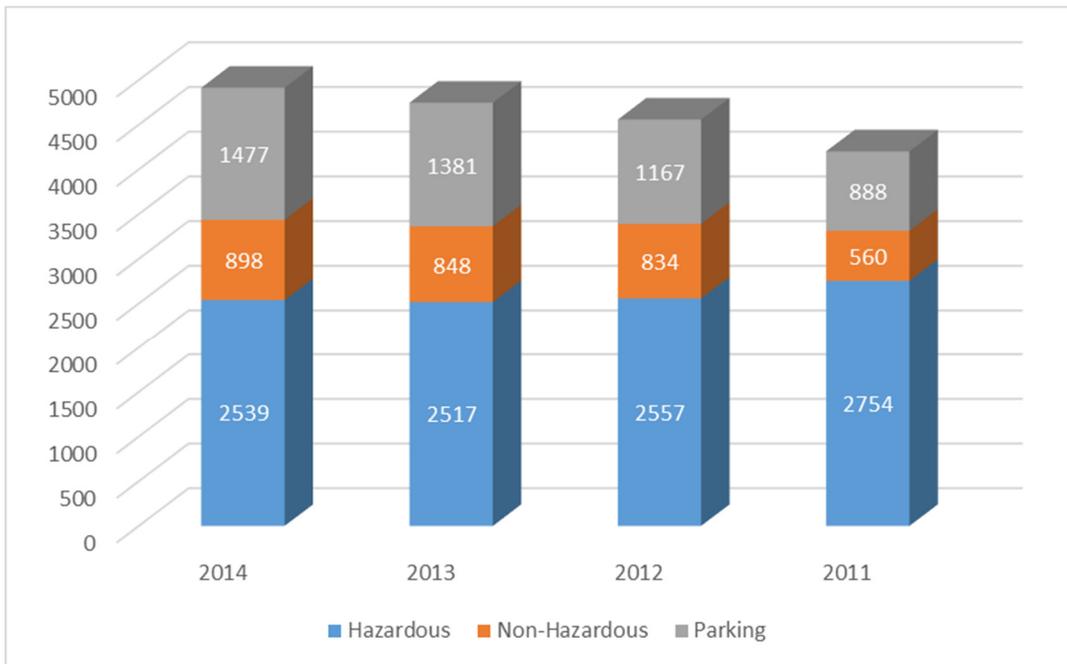
Vehicle Theft



Traffic Enforcement

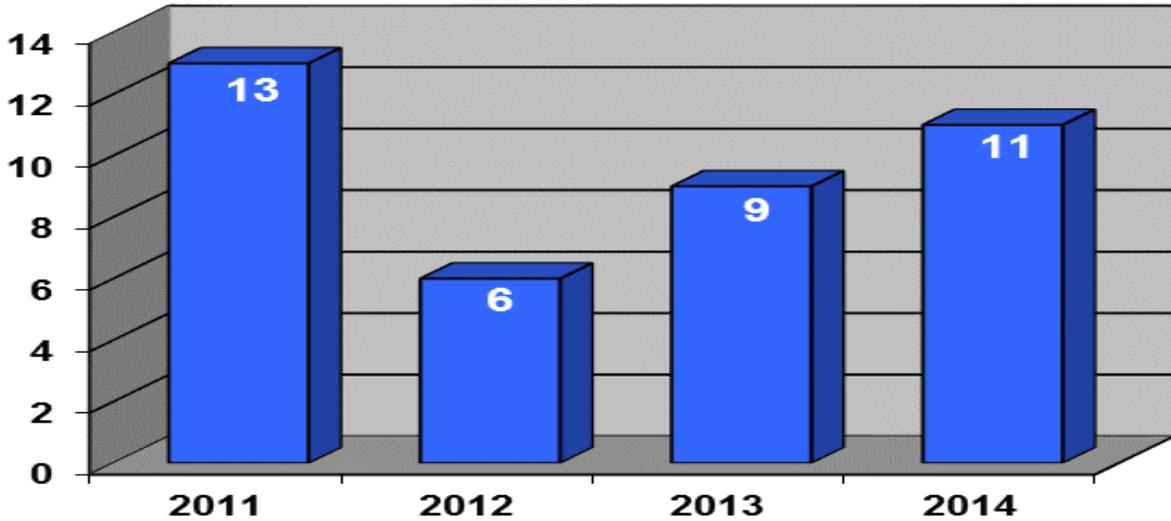
The enforcement of the *Michigan Motor Vehicle Code* and the *Michigan Uniform Traffic Code* is the responsibility of the Patrol Division of the Public Safety Department. By enforcing the traffic codes it is the goal of the Department to reduce personal injury accidents, property damage accidents and pedestrian accidents. Grosse Pointe Park has the remarkable record of not having a pedestrian fatality for more than 44 years. Officers in the course of patrol initiate thousands of vehicle stops. Those stops do not include the number of stops that ultimately lead to arrests.

The department assigns semi-marked radar equipped patrol units on a daily basis. The violations issued by the officers are broken into three basic groups: hazardous, non-hazardous, and parking. The primary violations issued are for speeding. Hazardous violations are issued for such things as, operating while intoxicated, signal lights, stop signs and other moving violations. Non-hazardous violations include violations such as operating with a suspended operator's license, no proof of insurance and improper license plates.

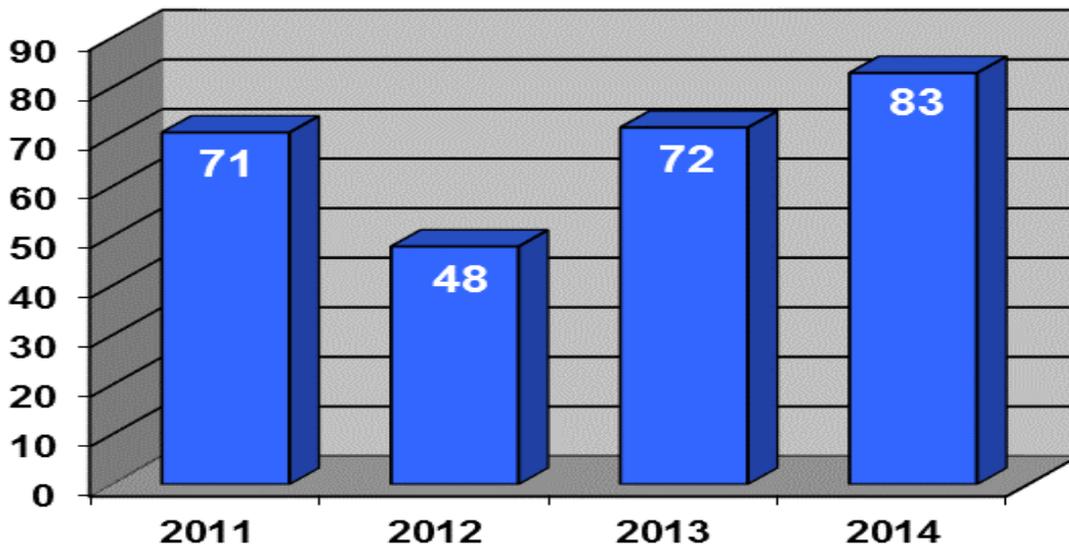


Motor Vehicle Accidents

Injury Accidents



Property Damage Accidents



Fire Activities

The activities listed below reflect the number of fire responses by the Public Safety Department in 2014 compared to the last three years. The Department prides itself on its quick response to any reported fire emergency. By training and equipping officers on the road to immediately assess and evaluate situations upon their arrival, we are able to keep the vast majority of our fires to a minimum.



CLASSIFICATION OF FIRE RESPONSE	2014	2013	2012	2011
Dwelling - Single.	4	13	3	9
Dwelling - Multi Unit.	30	2	5	5
Commercial.	0	0	0	0
Church, School.	0	0	0	0
Other Misc. Buildings.	0	2	0	0
Motor Vehicles.	1	3	3	0
Trash, Leaf.	4	2	3	8
Hazardous Materials Incidents.	1	0	0	3
Rescues.	1	1	0	1
Other Outdoor.	17	6	2	3
False Alarms.	63	56	63	72
Smoke Investigations	30	28	25	28
Mutual Aid.	3	5	5	3
TOTALS	127	118	109	132

Emergency Medical Services



The Department has two basic EMS units to provide primary ambulance response to Grosse Pointe Park, and we continue to provide mutual aid assistance to other surrounding communities. Twenty six of our thirty six of our sworn officers are also licensed as Basic Emergency Medical Technicians. In 2014 the department responded to 311 ambulance runs. The total number of patients seen was 310.

CITY	
Grosse Pointe Park	305
Grosse Pointe City	4
Grosse Pointe Farms	0
Detroit	1
Other	1

DESTINATION	
Beaumont	205
St John	47
Cottage	4
Other	0
No Transport	55

PATIENTS

<u>CAUSE OF INJURY OR ILLNESS:</u>	
Abdominal Pains	14
Allergy/Hives	1
Back Pain	8
Breathing Problems/Choking	35
Heart Problems (nonspecific)	2
Chest Pain	23
Cardiac Arrest	3
Seizures	8
Diabetic Related	4
Hemorrhage	8
Overdose/Poisoning	8
OB/GYN	2
Psychiatric/Behavioral Problems	4
CVA/Paralysis	9
Unconsciousness/Syncope	27
Smoke Inhalation/Burns	0
Assault	0
Drowning	0
Electrocution	0
Fall	27
Heat/Cold/Haz Mat Exposure	1
Shooting	0
Stabbing	0
Motor Vehicle Accident	7
Traumatic Injury Other	32
Unknown Problem/Illness	64
False or Cancelled Runs	0

<u>AGE TOTALS:</u>	
Under 18	22
18 to 64	117
65 and Over	171
No Patient Seen	0

<u>SEX TOTALS:</u>	
Males	153
Females	157
No Patient Seen	0

<u>PATIENT PRIORITY CODE:</u>	
Priority 1	24
Priority 2	112
Priority 3	120
Priority 4 (Dead On Scene)	0
Patient not Transported	55

Administrative Services

The Administrative Service Section of the Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety consists of the Chief, Captain, Executive Secretary, Department Clerk, and the Ordinance Officer. It is the responsibility of the Administrative Service Section to see that the Department operates in a professional manner at all times and to provide support services to the rest of the department. Developing and administering Department Policies and Procedures, working daily with City Officials, maintaining a working relationship with other law enforcement agencies and working closely with the Patrol and Command Unions are just a few examples of the activities of the Administrative Section.

The Executive Secretary and the Department Clerk conduct the daily business of the Department. The payroll, vouchers, purchase orders, Department records, personnel files, new employment applications, and all *Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)* requests received by the Department and the City Attorney are just some of the duties of the Executive Secretary. The Department Clerk is responsible for the daily computer entry of incident report information not entered by the Patrol Division, and all traffic violations and arrest records. The Clerk also provides clerical support to the Detective Bureau.

Ordinance Officer, a part-time position with the Department, are assigned numerous duties pertaining to animal complaints, and assist the Uniform Division with enforcing various parking restrictions throughout the city. They also perform other duties as needed throughout the day that are necessary for the efficient operation of the Department.

Detective and Patrol Activities

The Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety **Detective Bureau**, consisting of one Sergeant, two Detectives and one Public Safety Officer, is the investigative division of the Department. As such, its members perform various duties on a daily basis.

When the Detective Bureau successfully completes the investigation of a criminal matter, whether by arrests or other clearance measures, the case is considered closed or cleared. The Clearance Rate is based on the closure of these cases. Traditionally the Detective Bureau has a closure that exceeds 45%. This is in comparison to the average closure rate for the State which is in the area of 32%. The Detective Bureau also handles numerous other duties and investigations throughout the year.

The **Patrol Division** consists of four platoons. Two supervisors, five officers and a civilian dispatcher comprise a platoon. They are responsible for the continuous protection of the community. The Patrol Division responds to a variety of requests for services on a daily basis including traffic stops and field investigations while on routine patrol. In other sections of the report we outlined the criminal, traffic accident, medic and fire type calls we handled last year. In addition to those calls for service we responded to thousands of additional calls for service. We respond to requests to investigate such things as suspicious activity, disturbances, noise complaints, animal complaints, traffic and parking complaints, trouble with persons, missing persons and many more. We realize that often these may seem very insignificant in nature but we realize that they were concerns to the person reporting. We continually see the importance of our community reporting suspicious activity. We know our residents are the best source of knowledge and we encourage them to call us

Youth Services and Bike Patrol

Youth Services Unit

The Youth Services Unit (YSU) continues to be a valuable asset to both our community and the Public Safety Department. The department is staffed by an YSU officer 24 Hrs a day. As situations arise involving our youth, an YSU officer can be assigned to begin accessing the situation and formulating a proper response.

YSU has consistently supported the Grosse Pointe Public School system. Officers continue to provide instruction on topics such as fire safety, bike safety, stranger awareness they also provide valuable instruction at the district sponsored, Safety Town program.

Some of the cases YSU officers investigated this past year involved child neglect, domestic violence, assault and weapon offenses. YSU officers are also charged with the responsibility of preparing case work for Juvenile Court proceedings.

Bike Patrol

The Grosse Pointe Park Bike Patrol was formed in 2002 and serves the Department with a consistent presence to support the objectives of the uniform division. Utilizing the community policing concept, these officers take great pride in their ability to serve the merchants, the residents and the youth of our community.

Bike officers, with their increased visibility and approachability, are reminiscent of the foot beat officers of days gone by. Bike patrol officers are assigned to the West Park Farmers Market on Saturdays in the summer and have made hundreds of contacts with the merchants, citizens and the youth in our Community to promote a positive, friendly and professional image of our Department.



Education/Seminars/Training

There is an enormous wealth of educational and training courses available through professional organizations, specialized training consultants, local colleges and universities, and online training resources. There are also several employees who are certified in different skills and they participate in regular updates to maintain certification. The following is a summary of the courses, seminars, training as well as the total number of hours attended during 2014. Whenever feasible, personnel are assigned to attend classes that meet the Department's needs. This year we also focused training to address an incident from the previous year. We worked closely with North East Guidance Center to develop sensitivity training for the department. To help insure compliance, supervisors conducted quarterly random individual officer audio checks of traffic and individual stops.

<u>TRAINING</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
Firearms/Active Shooter/Rifle	408
Traffic	116
Emergency Medical Technicians	180
Sensitivity/Cultural Diversity	175
Leadership Potential Development	40
Special Response Team	190
Fire/SCBA/water supply/mutual aid	149
Fire Officer I & II	360
New LiveScan Operation	102
Advanced Dispatch	64
TOTAL	1784