



*Grosse Pointe Park
Department of Public
Safety*



Annual Report



2016

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City of Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety

March 7, 2017

Dear Mr. Krajniak,

On behalf of the members of the Department of Public Safety, I am pleased to present the Annual Report for the year 2016. The report details crime statistics and activities of the Department throughout the year. Department members continue to display dedication and commitment to the City and its residents in tracking and deterring criminals and promoting the safety of the community through aggressive law enforcement and fire prevention procedures.

Overall crime remained flat in 2016. Overall, the numbers of crimes went from 393 in 2015 to 399 in 2016. That number included both index and non-index crimes. The actual number of index crimes reported to the Department was 288 which increased from the 265 reported in 2015. Non-index crimes decreased in 2015 by 13%. The number of non-index crimes reported to the Department was 111 in 2016, which was a decrease from 128 in 2015. Non-index crimes are the less serious category of offenses. There were also 20 juveniles detained for various offenses, which was a significant decrease from 2015. Our officers responded to 9783 calls for service in 2016 involving criminal and non-criminal related runs. This reflects a 31% increase in this category.

The Department Detective Bureau prides themselves on aggressive case investigation and prosecution of the criminal element. The Department has a close working relationship with area Departments and the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office. The City's Public Safety Department is proud of the exceptionally high clearance rate for Index offenses. This clearance rate is a result of dedicated work by the patrol officers and the Detective Bureau.

In 2016, the firefighting activity total decreased five percent from the totals from 2015. We reported to the State of Michigan 467 responses. Those responses include: dwelling, fires, smoke investigations, fire alarms, utility hazards, fuel spills, ambulance runs and car fires in 2016, our EMT's responded to 308 calls for service

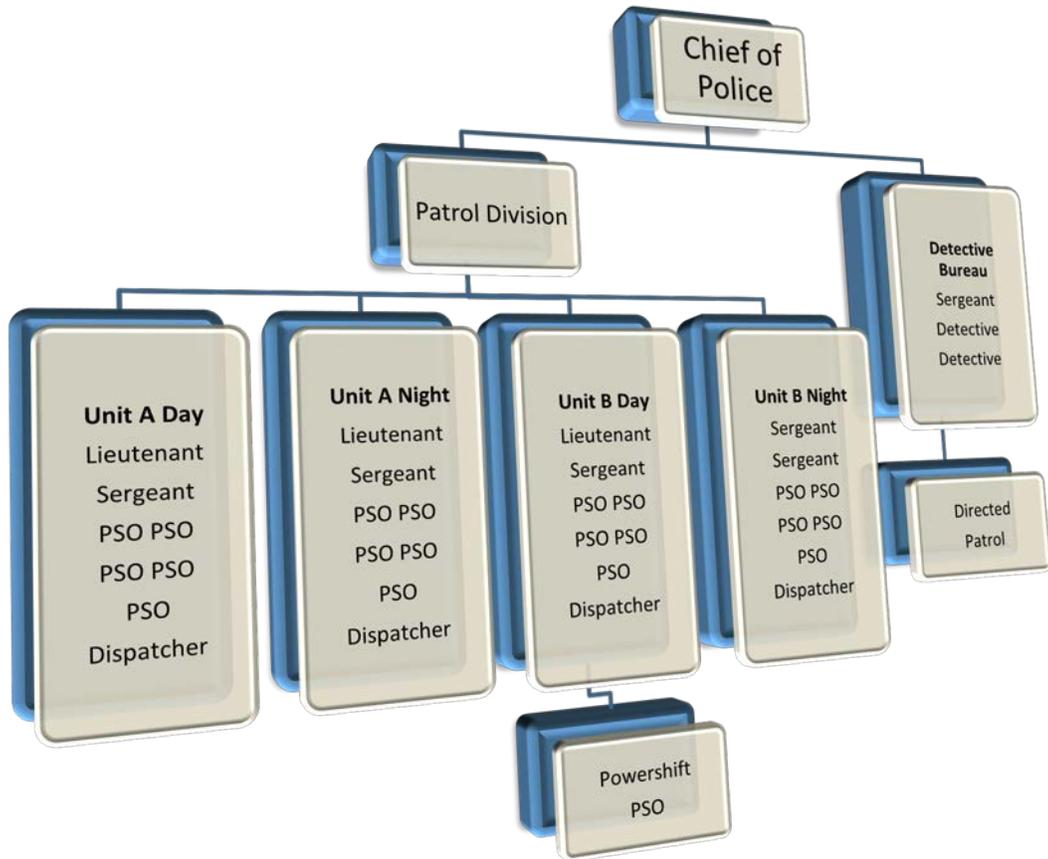
A significant note from 2016, is that the residents of Grosse Pointe Park showed their support for the Public Safety Department by approving a millage request that will help sustain our department for the foreseeable future.

In closing, I am thankful for the support given to the Department in the past year. I would also like to thank all the members of the Department for their commitment to the citizens and visitors of our community. The entire Department is committed to provide as safe and crime free community for our citizens to live in as possible.

Stephen T. Poloni

Stephen T. Poloni
Chief of Police
Director of Public Safety

Public Safety Organizational Chart 2016



Department Personnel Roster

Name	Rank	Date Promoted	Date Appointed
Stephen Poloni	Chief	N/A	12/18/15
Edward Arnold	Lieutenant	02/15/08	08/20/90
James Hoshaw	Lieutenant	12/28/11	02/11/91
Jeffrey Longo	Lieutenant	10/01/15	10/26/92
James Bostock	Lieutenant	10/01/15	08/19/03
James Vogler	Sergeant	07/01/98	09/20/91
Brent Merlington	Sergeant	02/15/08	03/05/96
Colin Connaire	Sergeant	12/28/11	07/21/03
Anthony Blain	Sergeant	10/26/12	12/12/01
Michael Miller	Sergeant	05/23/16	07/01/98
Michael Narduzzi	Detective	06/21/09	04/15/96
Jeremy Pittman	Detective	10/26/12	02/15/08
Christopher Flanagan	PSO		02/06/89
Michael Najm	PSO		05/16/90
Robert Krompatic	PSO		06/30/93
Christopher Jones	PSO		04/22/94
Thomas Lazarski	PSO		05/27/94
Daniel Kolar	PSO		02/08/95
Erik Davis	PSO		12/02/95
Thomas Gamicchia	PSO		11/29/96
Ryan Milroth	PSO		08/09/99
Terry Hays	PSO		05/24/00
Stephen Thiel	PSO		07/30/01
Ryan Willmer	PSO		12/12/01
Thomas Taylor	PSO		07/30/02
Ronald Loosvelt	PSO		07/21/03
Paul Pionk	PSO		07/21/03
Jessica Worrall	PSO		01/07/04
Thomas Card	PSO		03/24/08
Robert Ruggero	PSO		12/19/12
Kevin Remus	PSO		03/01/15
Marshall Halas	PSO		03/01/15
Aristides Reyes	PSO		07/20/15
Brady Baetens	PSO		03/01/16

Public Safety Dispatchers

Name	Rank	Date Promoted	Date Appointed
Jill Mazzara	Chief Dispatcher	02/24/97	02/01/93
Josephine Hendrix	Dispatcher	11/05/00	08/15/94
Jodi East	Dispatcher	11/05/00	01/07/99
Dawn Kelly	Dispatcher		07/10/11

Administrative Services

Martarose Aguilera	Exec. Secretary	06/25/01	09/11/95
Carol Semann	Clerk/Typist		05/28/02
Jessica Pollack	Ordinance Officer		09/25/15
Robin Fissette	ACTION Clerk		09/26/11

School Crossing Guards

Laura VandePutte	Crossing Guard		08-29-13
Arinda Mele	Crossing Guard		08/26/04
Ronald Mele	Crossing Guard		04/02/15
Marcia Farrow	Crossing Guard		08/24/15
Celenah Granger	Crossing Guard		08/18/16
Janet Slowik	Crossing Guard		08/16/16

PERSONNEL

The City of Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety employed a total of 48 employees during 2016. Of the 48 employees, 34 are sworn officers.

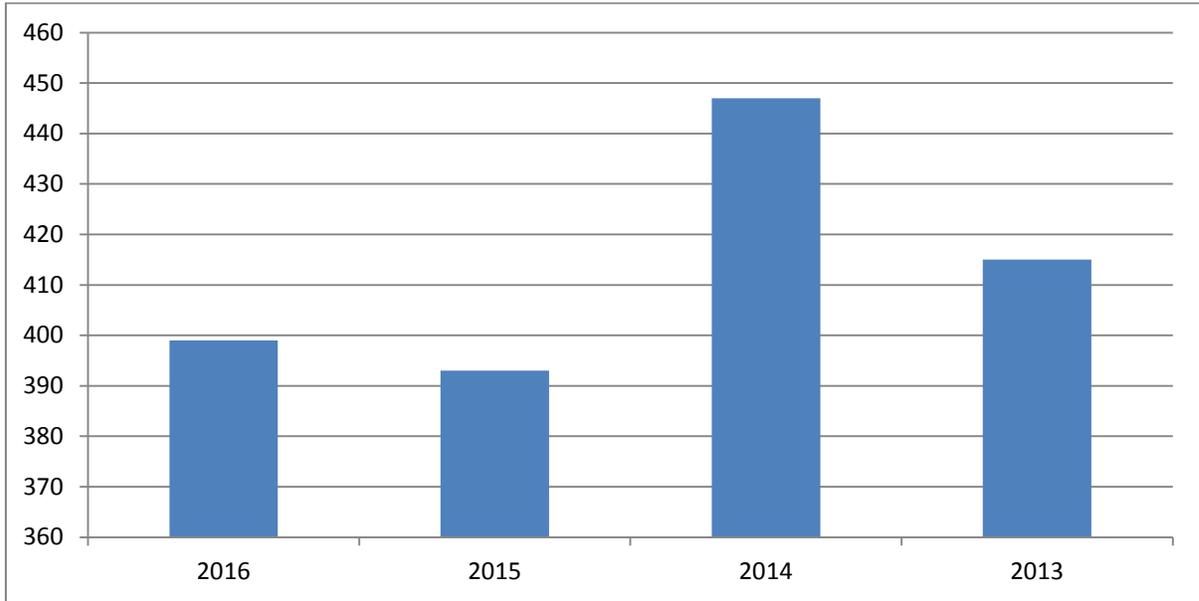
Proactive preventative patrol is the primary function of the department and 86% of the sworn personnel are dedicated to patrol functions. The Detective Bureau has 11% of the sworn staff and the administration is comprised of 3% of the staff. All personnel share in providing basic law enforcement service as needed.

Patrol Division

The patrol division of the City of Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety is comprised of 4 shifts. These shifts have two supervisors and five uniformed patrol officers. The patrol shifts are responsible for the protection of life and property, enforcement of laws and ordinances, fire suppression and emergency medical responses. The patrol division responds to calls for service, traffic enforcement, field investigations and duties or special assignments in specific areas of the city.

2015 UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING

TOTAL REPORTED CRIMES



	2016	2015	2014	2013
Index Crimes	288	265	293	266
Non-Index Crimes	111	128	154	149
Totals	399	393	447	415

2016 UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING

INDEX OFFENSES

OFFENSES	2016	2015	2014	2013
Murder/Manslaughter	0	0	0	1
Forcible Sexual Offenses	2	4	1	0
Armed Robbery	0	3	10	0
Unarmed Robbery	3	0	0	4
Felonious Assault	9	5	2	10
Arson	0	1	0	2
Burglary/Home Invasion	20	29	27	22
Larceny	163	201	208	171
Motor Vehicle Theft	31	22	45	56

*Index crimes are the eight crimes the FBI combines to produce its annual crime index. These offenses include willful homicide, forcible rape, robbery, burglary and aggravated assault, larceny over \$50, motor vehicle theft, and arson. In this chart, the robbery classification is broken down into unarmed and armed robbery for these statistical purposes.

2016 UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING

NON-INDEX OFFENSES

Offenses	2016	2015	2014	2013
Other Sexual Offenses	3	1	0	0
Non-Aggravated Assault	14	15	18	14
Intimidation/Stalking	1	1	2	3
Motor Vehicle Fraud	1	0	0	2
Forgery/Counterfeiting	4	3	2	0
Fraud	21	12	6	1
Embezzlement/Bribery	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	4	1	3	2
Malicious Destruction of Property	26	20	27	37
Narcotics/VCSA	8	10	7	10
Family Offenses	2	1	0	0

Part 1 of 2 Non-Index crime comparisons.

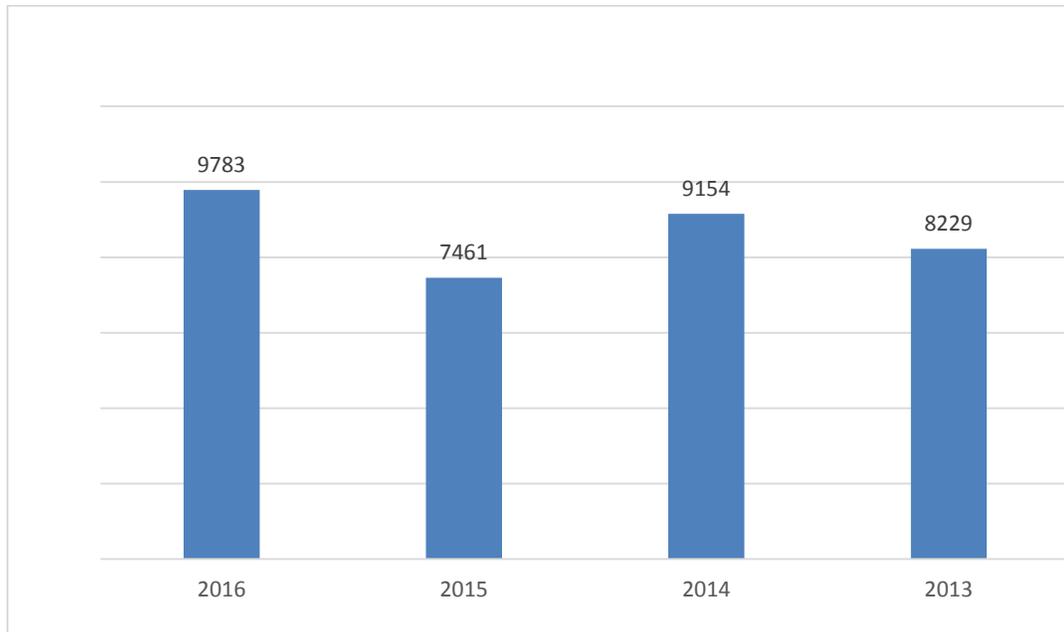
2016 UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING

Non-Index Crime

Non-Index Offenses	2016	2015	2014	2013
Drunkenness/Liquor Law Violations	1	2	2	6
Obstructing Police	8	2	2	6
Obstructing Justice	44	36	52	36
Weapons Violations	1	2	2	4
Disorderly Conduct/Vagrancy	3	2	3	3
Operating While Intoxicated	27	18	25	22
Health/Safety	1	0	2	1
Trespassing	0	2	1	2
Antitrust Law Violations	0	0	0	0
Runaway Juveniles	0	0	0	0

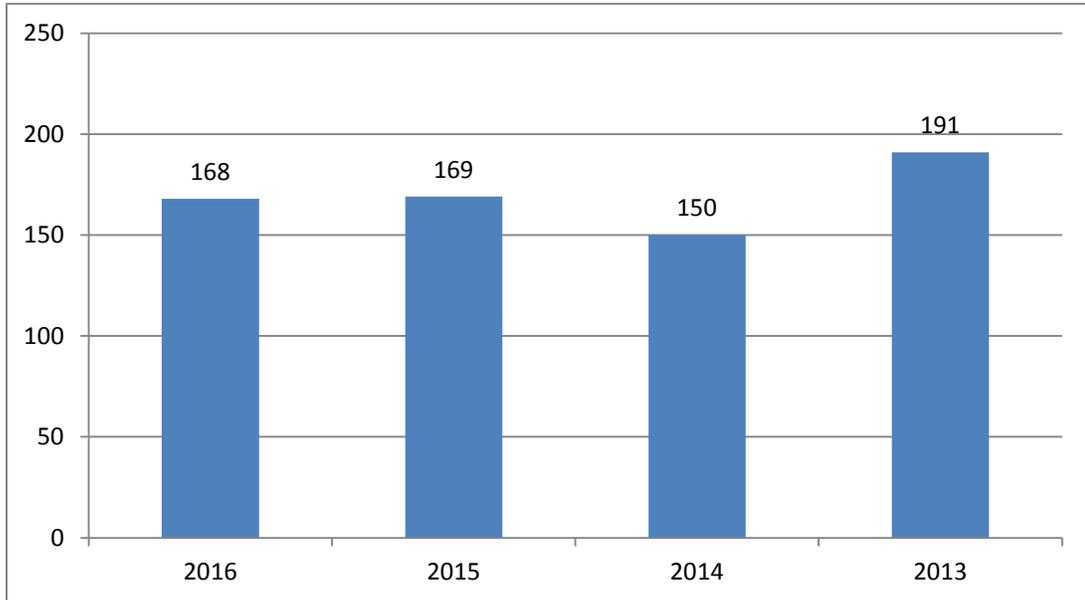
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Calls for Service



These Calls for Service include a response by the police or an incident that has been discovered by patrol units.

4 Year Arrest Statistics



Total Arrests

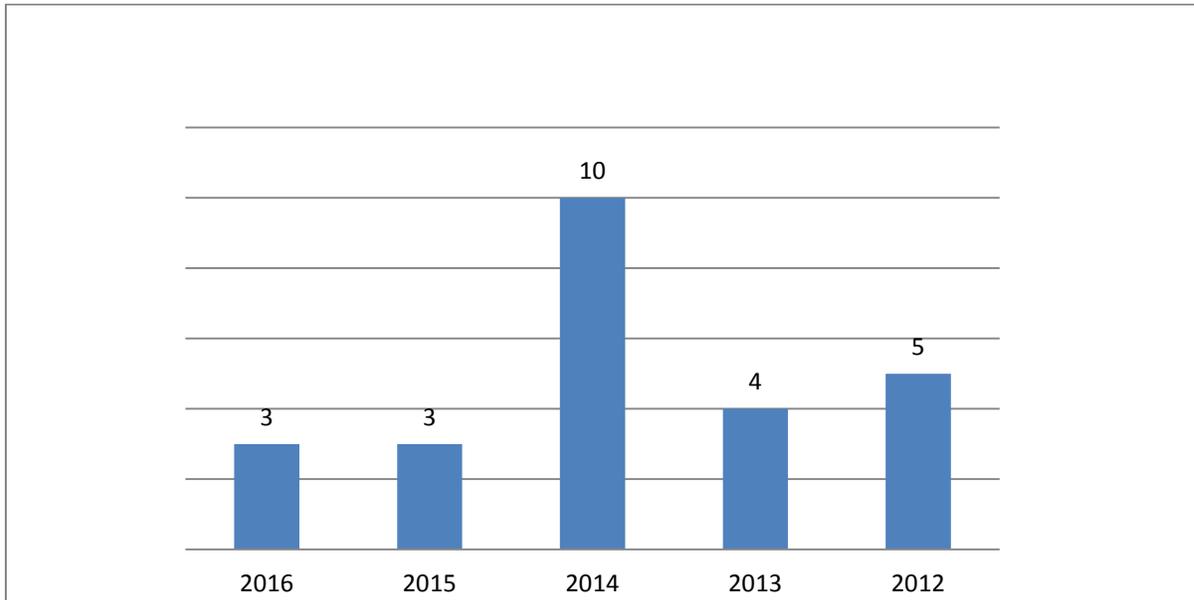
2016 (168)

2015 (169)

2014 (150)

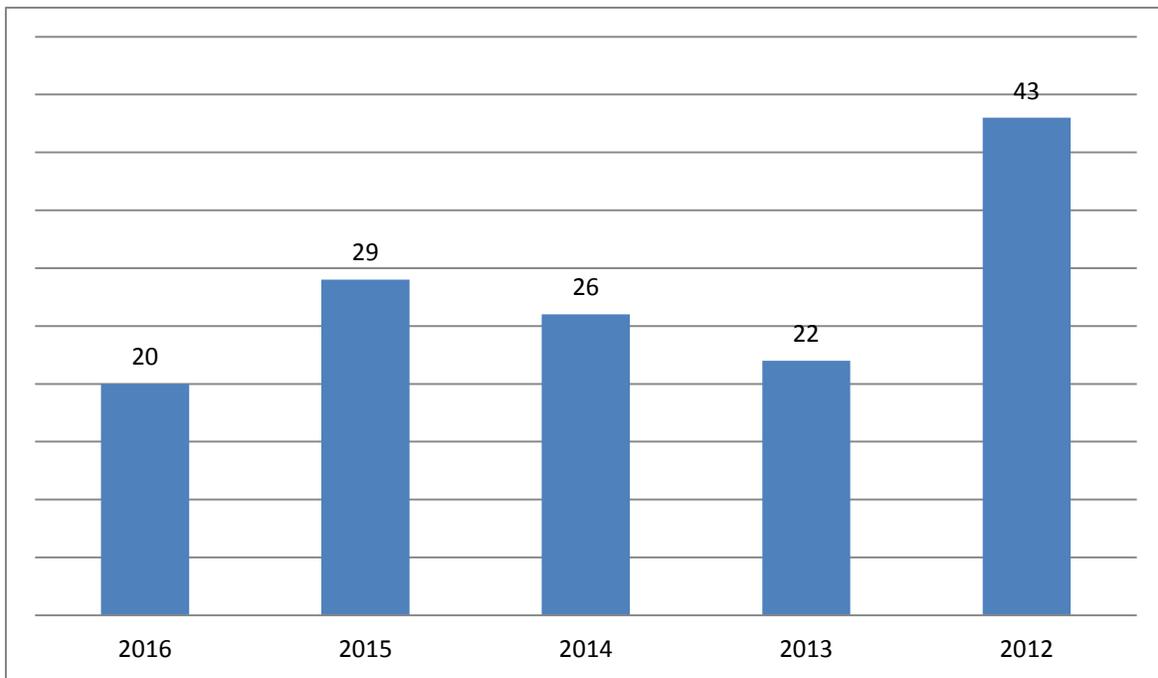
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5 Year Robbery Statistics



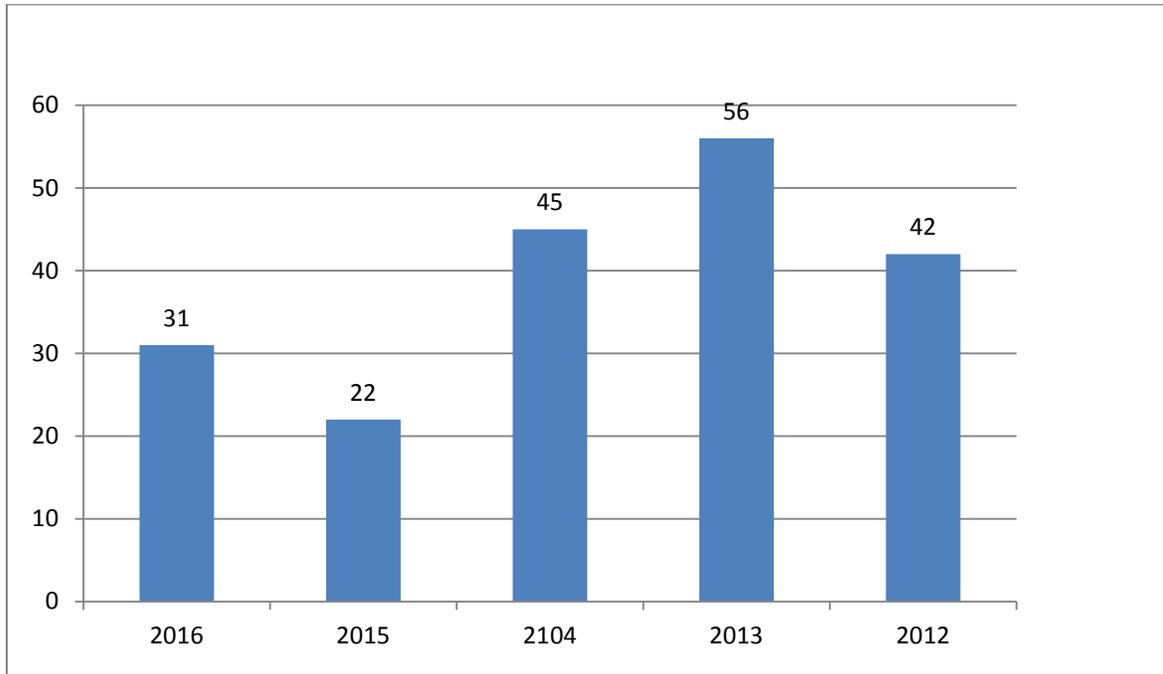
The Robbery Statistics reported include both Armed and Unarmed Robbery. In 2016, the City of Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety responded to three incidents of Robbery.

5 Year Burglary/Home Invasion Statistics



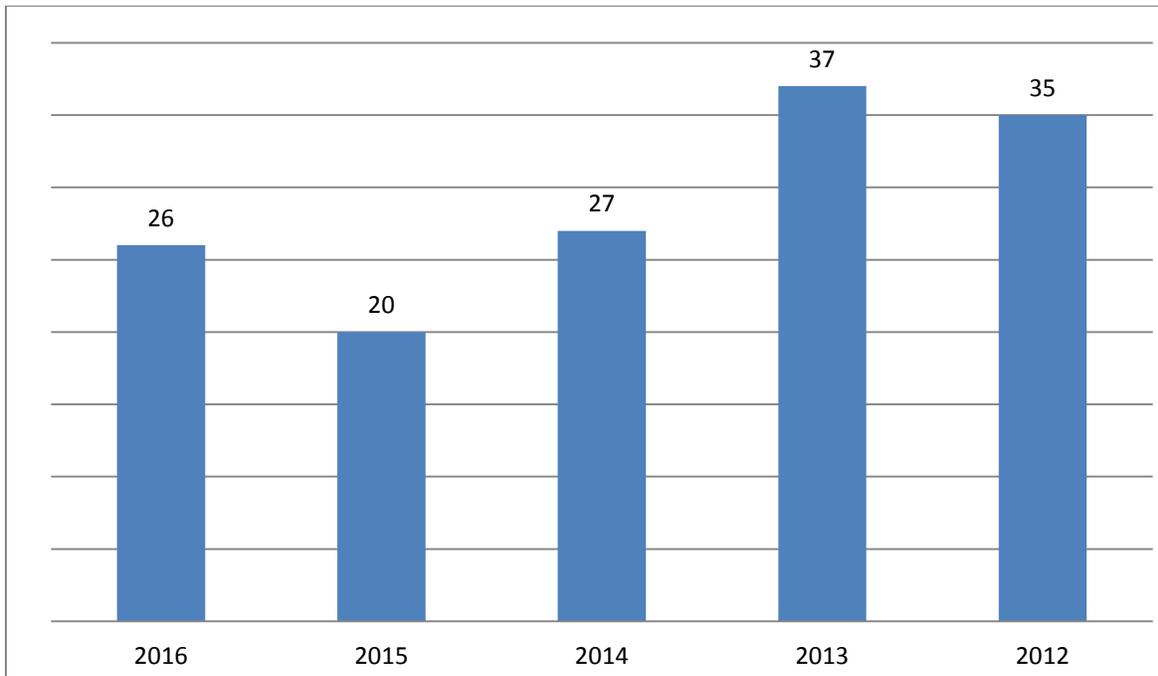
In 2016, the City of Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety responded to 20 incidents. These incidents involve the breaking and entering of residential structures and commercial buildings.

5 Year Motor Vehicle Thefts



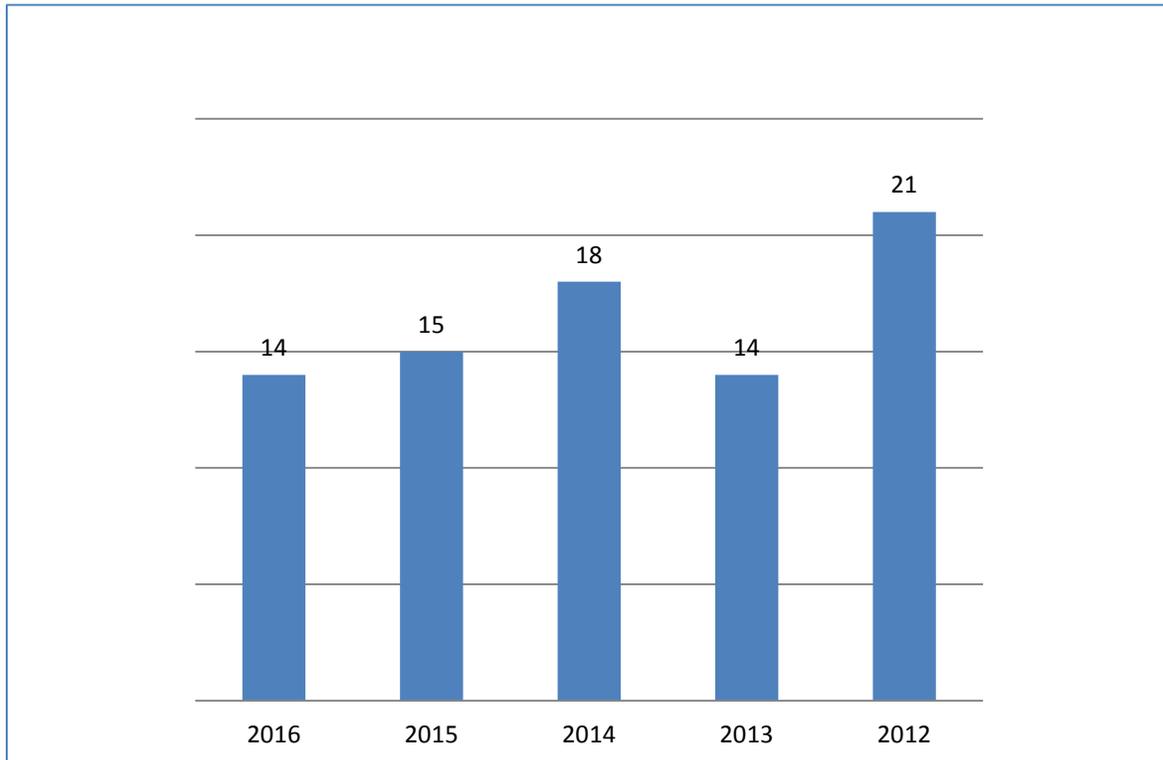
In 2016, thirty-one crimes were classified as motor vehicle theft.

5 Year Malicious Destruction of Property Statistics



In 2016, the City of Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety responded to 26 incidents of Malicious Destruction of Property.

5 Year Assault Statistics



In 2016, the City of Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety responded to fourteen incidents of Simple Assault.

Traffic/Motor Vehicle Violations

One of the primary responsibilities of the uniform division of the Public Safety Department is the enforcement of the Michigan Uniform Traffic Code. The goal of enforcing the Traffic Code is to reduce personal injury accidents, property damage and pedestrian accidents. The department utilizes fully marked and semi marked patrol vehicles which are equipped with traffic radar on a daily basis. The violations issued by officers are broken down into three categories: moving/non-moving, alcohol related and parking violations. The most prevalent violation written is for speeding. Hazardous violations are issued for speeding, stop sign, signal lights and other moving violations. Non-Moving violations are issued for equipment violations, proof of insurance or improper plates. The City of Grosse Pointe Park deploys a separate parking enforcement unit whose violations are not shown below.

Moving/Non-Moving Violations	3017
Alcohol Related	24
Parking Violations	1798

Total Vehicle Violations.....4777
Total Non-Vehicle Violations.....62
Total 2016 Violations.....4839

Motor Vehicle Accidents

Motor vehicle accidents are separated into 2 categories: Property Damage Accidents and Personal Injury Accidents. The Property Damage accidents include motor vehicle accidents where property is damaged and no injury is reported. A Personal Injury Accident includes a motor vehicle accident where some type of injury is reported.

	2016	2015	2014	2013
Property Damage Accidents	89	65	83	72
Accidents with injury	24	19	11	9

2016 Total Motor Vehicle Accidents.....113

2016 Firefighting Response

Dwelling-Single/Multiple	8
Miscellaneous Buildings	2
Outside Fires	2
Mutual Aid Fire Response	4
Smoke Investigations	33
Fire Alarms	72
Wires Down	18
Natural Gas Leak	16
Carbon Monoxide Detection	7
Fuel Spill/Hazmat	1
Ambulance Runs	302
Car Fires	2
Total:	467

In 2016, the Grosse Pointe Park Department of Public Safety had a \$705,504.00 fire loss for the year.

2016 Emergency Medical Services

In 2016, our Basic Life Support Units (EMT's) responded to 308 calls for service. The categories of those responses are listed in the following chart.

Classification	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Auto Accident	6	7	7	12	4
Misc. Accident	52	32	60	62	52
Sick Person	245	269	238	218	257
Assist Other Department	4	7	6	11	2
Dead on Scene	1	4	0	5	2
TOTAL	308	319	311	308	317

Department Awards

The Awards Board is composed of five members, with at least one member of each level of the department and meets whenever awards applications occur. The Public Safety Departments awards are:

POLICE MEDAL OF HONOR - For extraordinary heroism by an officer who knowingly ignores the imminent threat to his/her personal safety.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL - for exceptionally meritorious conduct involving great risk and danger to the officer's personal safety, but less than required for the MEDAL OF HONOR.

COMMENDATION - For outstanding performance, involving personal risk to the officer that prevents a serious crime or the perpetrator is apprehended; for outstanding actions of a nature which bring unusual credit to the department and its members or contributions to law enforcement through the success of difficult programs, projects, or situations.

MERIT - outstanding performance under unusual difficult conditions, but need not involve exposure to physical danger or meritorious actions which would not be eligible for a higher award.

LIFESAVING - For officers who are directly responsible for the saving of a human life.

CHIEF'S AWARD - For individual or units who perform outstanding services in a specific task or in the performance of general duties over an extended period of time.

CHIEF'S LETTER – For performance that requires official recognition.

2016 AWARDS

Department Commendation

PSO Paul Pionk
PSO Brady Baetens
PSO Thomas Lazarski
PSC Jill Mazzara

Distinguished Service Award

PSO Daniel Kolar

Life Saving Award

PSO Erik Davis

Chief's Letter

Det. Jeremy Pittman
Det. Mike Narduzzi
PSO Paul Pionk