



Gerrish Township Police Department

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Gerrish Township Police Monthly Report 06-01-10 through 06-30-10

The Gerrish Township Police Department responded to a total of 202 calls for service for the month of June 2010.

The Department reports 32 civil traffic infractions, 6 misdemeanor violations, 1 fugitive warrant arrests, 2 Township Ordinance Citations and 8 traffic verbal warnings for the month as well. (See attached reports for breakdown).

Training:

The Department reports 28.5 hours of training this month. (See attached breakdown)

Chief Hill highlighted activity for the reported month is as follows:

- 1) I attended a Board Special Work session.
- 2) I chaired a 911 Technical Board meeting.
- 3) I met with RCRC Road Commission Manager Tim O'Rourke 3 times this month reference planning for the Higgins Lake Sunrise Running Festival regarding safety as well as two other issues in the Township.
- 4) I prepared the 2011-2012 Budget as directed for submission by 6-25-10.
- 5) I attended three Higgins Lake Sunrise running festival meetings on behalf of the Police Department, CERT and ACT-NOW.
- 6) I attended a training class on Generational issues in the work place held at the MSP Academy and presented by the FBI National Academy.
- 7) I attended two ACT-NOW Executive board meetings in my advisory capacity.
- 8) I attended the Meridian Road Fire debriefing held at the Roscommon County Road Commission and sponsored by the Roscommon County EOC.
- 9) I met with our CERT coordinator on two separate occasions regarding staffing for the Running Festival.
- 10) I attended the monthly Investigators/Administrators meeting held at Denton Township Police Dept.
- 11) The Running festival went off without major incident. Over 400 runners participated in the various distances offered. We had 31 CERT Volunteers and many ACT-NOW volunteers that participated as our community was well represented.
- 12) I presented an ID Theft and Elder Scam program at the June ACT-NOW meeting.

13) I attended a demonstration of a new Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) program presented by a vendor who wishes to be considered if the RC Dispatch center switches from its current CAD system.

14) I authored a Special Operations Plan for the South Higgins Lake State Park Enforcement on the July 4th weekend.

15) I hosted a final coordination meeting regarding the above plan for the enforcement effort.

16) I attended the Michigan Association of Chiefs of Police summer conference held in Bellaire, Mi. where I received 12.5 hrs of continuing education contact hours in;

*Social networking (face book, MySpace etc.) and enforcement as it relates to same.

*Data Driven Decision making in the Public sector.

*New Freedom of Information rulings and what they mean?

*Civil Rights implication when using social networking sites as a part of the hiring process.

*Extremist groups-trends in Michigan.

*Update on Michigan Fusion Center

* New laws affecting Law Enforcement to include SMOKE FREE LAW, REMOVAL OF VEHICLES AFTER ROADWAY CRASHES, CHILD RESTRAINT LAW CHANGES, PERSONAL PROTECTION ORDERS, TEXTING WHILE DRIVING, HIGH BAC DRUNK DRIVING LAW CHANGES ON 10-31-10, RECKLESS DRIVING CAUSING SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH AND FINALLY AN UPDATE ON MEDIAL MARIJUANA STATUTE.

June 2010 proved to be a busy month with the weather cooperating and providing a vacation spot for people to come. I want to remind everyone of our August 28, 2010 Golf Tournament held at Burning Oak. This is a major fundraiser for the ACT-NOW group and the Police Department to support various benevolent activities in the Township.

In June 2010 we placed in service a 2010 Dodge Charger police package vehicle. The unit replaces a retired 2006 Chevrolet Impala patrol unit. The Impala was recently put up for sale and sold accordingly.

As a reminder, the ACT NOW annual picnic is scheduled for 7-19-10 at the Gazebo behind the hall. Please see www.gerrishpolice.org for more on the events that are coming within the community that your Police Department are active participants in.

I would like to thank the Community and the board for is support of our Missions.

Respectfully Submitted,

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