OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

To: Town Council Members

From: Chief Michael Dove

CC: Dale Cheatham, Town Manager
Board of Police Commissioners

Subj: Monthly Report for March 2011

Date: April 21, 2011

Town Council Members,

Attached to this report are the two additional reports from the Chief of Operations and Chief of Support Services. Contained therein are details of recent activity the Police Department has been involved in. I would also like to bring to the attention of the Town Council the recent community policing events that we have scheduled that are contained in these reports.

During the last scheduled Police Commission meeting, the Commission gave a Conditional Offer of Employment to Aaron Such for the position of full-time police officer. Such will be submitting to phases of our background investigations. I also requested from the Commission that part-time civilian Brenda Habermehl's employment status be changed from part-time to full-time. The Commission passed my requests unanimously. Please note that both employment status updates fit well within our budgetary constraints and are also the result of recent retirements of personnel.

We will be starting the process of going through each line item of our budget for preparation to submit our 2012 budget request to the Police Commission.

I also want to bring to the attention of the Town Council that there was a great deal of discussion about the current status of our department's fleet. Note that last year we paid off all existing debt that the Police Department had incurred for police vehicles and by doing so, we saved approximately $30,000 in interest. Our philosophy from here on out will be to pay totally for purchases of new vehicles without having to take the time and manpower needed to bid for future loans for said vehicles and pay the cost of interest.

With our current status and immediate need of new vehicles, in particular vehicles for K-9 units and Interdiction, we have done extensive research on the Chevrolet police package two-wheel drive Tahoes. We were surprised to find that through State bids, these vehicles are actually less than the current bid for Chevrolet police cars. With the data we collected, we have determined to purchase five new police package Tahoes.

During our last commission meeting, I passed this information on to them and my intentions, and they were all in agreement this is the best course of action for the department. We will be evaluating the use and functionality of these vehicles once they arrive, for future consideration of additional vehicles.

Our department is currently preparing and waiting for our Accreditation assessment. Assessors will be arriving at the Police Department on April 30th. Note that we are re-evaluated through CALEA every three years. We have already sent to the assessors over 300 of our files in the "mail-off" phase of the process. Our Accreditation Manager, Kim Shupert, has received feedback and high praise from the assessors to this point. I will be reporting the findings of our Accreditation assessment upon completion.

Respectfully submitted,

M. Dove / K.P.

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Major Joseph Grimes

MARCH 2011
MONTHLY OPERATIONS REPORT

CHIEF OF POLICE
&
BROWNSBURG POLICE COMMISSION

Brownsburg Police Department

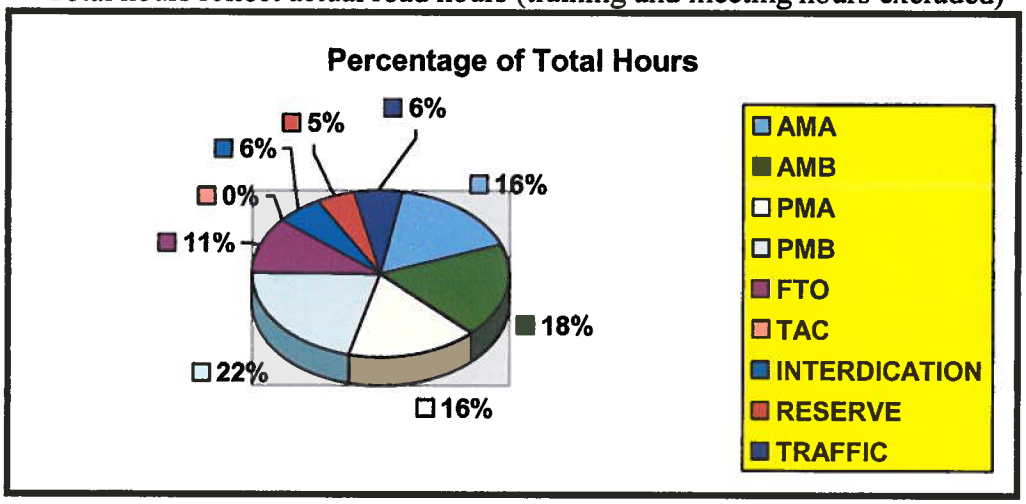
MARCH 2011 OPERATIONS REPORT

The following information contained within this report summarizes information deemed pertinent for dissemination from Major Joseph Grimes, Chief of Operations.

ENFORCEMENT:

During the Month of March, the officers of the Enforcement Division worked a total of 3869 hours, with 418 of those hours being completed by Probationary Officers currently in the Field Training Program (FTO). While 186 hours of the total hours worked were completed by Reserve Officers not in the FTO program, and 225 hours of the total hours were worked by Interdiction Officers.

** Total hours reflect actual road hours (training and meeting hours excluded)



As shown within this document, the Brownsburg Police Department has begun the transition of the new department image as illustrated to the left of this text by the patch that will be worn by all sworn departmental personnel. The design originated from within the agency based upon ideas presented to the Chief of Police by Cpl. David Pyatt. Department members have begun wearing the new patch with the transition to the short sleeve uniform, and all personnel will be completely transitioned to the new design by May 1, 2011.

Major Joseph Grimes and Major John Depinet have worked diligently to update all Mobile Data Terminals (M.D.T.) to the new Verizon Air Card system. This has proven in a short period of time to be a valuable technological advancement in keeping departmental personnel in contact

with the Hendricks County Communication Center, MECA, and a variety of databases/repositories that can be accessed while in the field by officers. There have been several occurrences over the past month that other agencies have not had the ability to utilize the MDT system due to issues with Modems or connectivity; however, due to the Air Card, Brownsburg officers continued to have full MDT capability while all other agencies did not.

On March 5, 2011 Officers were responding to a personal injury accident on I-74. The information given was two vehicles had been involved and ended up inverted with entrapment. Officers proceeded in emergency mode to secure the scene and provide aid. While enroute, Officer Kevin Hyde was involved in a personal injury accident at the intersection of Northfield Drive and North Green Street. Officer Hyde was entrapped in his vehicle and had to be extricated by responding EMS on the scene. Officer Hyde was transported to Methodist Hospital for treatment where it was discovered that his injuries were minor. The driver of the other vehicle was not injured and did not require medical treatment; however, pending chargers of narcotics violations are pending further investigation. Officer Hyde's vehicle was considered a complete and total loss by the insurance company, to which insurance will be providing a check for the vehicle estimated to be approximately $15,500. Officer Hyde returned back to full duty within two weeks of the incident.

INTERDICTION:

Interdiction Units made a total of two arrests in the Month of March for narcotic related offenses. One arrest for possession of Marijuana, and one arrest for possession of Marijuana and Felony possession of Ephedrine.

This group had been in our local CVS and Wal-Mart purchasing the Ephedrine to manufacture meth. I.C.E. (Interstate Criminal Enforcement) Team Members have learned that the Brownsburg Wal-Mart is the preferred store to purchase ephedrine by meth cooks in the Indy area. I.C.E. have begun building a rapport with the pharmacy and have been receiving calls daily from them about suspicious purchases, and we will continue to work to slow this trend.

This month, I.C.E. Team Members also conducted a one day training course for local officers on tactics of criminal patrol ("Aggressive Criminal Enforcement").

The following items were seized and/or recovered:

- Ephedrine—14 grams
- Mariajuana—5 grams
- Arrests—2

During this month, both officers each took nearly 2 weeks off in vacation and or sick time, which had officers removed from the road more than usual.

MOTORCYCLE:

The motorcycles normally start working the street in March. Due to the cold weather this year, Cpl. Tony West only worked about 5 hours on one shift before getting wet from the rain. Cpl. West has created a new spreadsheet that he will track all activities that the specialty performs. For the 1st QTR of 2011, the motorcycle officers that are commonly referred to as the Traffic Unit worked 48 accidents and initiated 134 traffic stops. With the warmer weather Cpl. West anticipates a rise in accident investigations and traffic enforcement with more hours of motorcycle deployment, and with April 1st being the official date of motorcycles being more readily utilized. The main reason for the increase is that the Traffic Unit will begin working a separate shift from the main 12 hour rotation. Starting April 1st, Cpl. West and Officer Dan Rooker will rotate to Mon-Fri shifts with hours of operation being 0730-1530 hours and 1100-1900 hours. These two separate shifts will provide 11 ½ hours of motorcycle coverage Mon-Fri, which results in the unit being dispatched to more accidents and an opportunity to work 4 ½ hours together every day to target areas deemed to be heightened traffic problems. Cpl. West and Officer Rooker have expressed their excitement about this new opportunity, and have indicated that the results will show their dedication to the success of the motorcycle program.

The unit had a training day on the 25th which was approximately 11 hours. Motorcycle officers worked on cone patterns and general riding ability. The training primarily focused on Officer Rooker since he is scheduled to leave for his Police Motorcycle School on April 4th. The unit only spent $27.85 in fuel cost for the month. With fuel costs on the rise again this year Cpl. West believes the Brownsburg Police Department will see the benefit of operating two motorcycles. There were no special details for the month of March.

CANINE:

BPD K9 Division	Crowe/K9 Xarro EOD/Patrol K9	Heller/K9 Manu NARC/Patrol K9	Hyde/K9 Czar NARC/Patrol K9	Maples/K9 Cato NARC/Patrol K9	Totals
Training Hours	38	32	4	8	**82**
Arrests	0	0	5	1	**6**
Extra/Specialized Training	3 day K-9 Seminar w/ Bernard Flinks	3 day K-9 Seminar w/ Bernard Flinks	N/A	N/A	**2**
Demo's	1	0	0	0	**1**
Injuries	N/A	N/A	Ofc/K-9 off 2 wkds due to accident	N/A	**1**
Searches/Sniffs	1	2	4	0	**7**
Number of K9 Calls	1	2	6	1	**10**
Other Highlights of Interest	Assist Whitestown with Bomb Threat at Truck Stop; Yearly EOD Recert	Yearly Narc Recert	See injury above *K-9 not injured* 10g MJ seized; Yearly Narc Recert	K-9 Civil arrest	Bomb Threat 10g MJ seized K-9 Civil arrest; Recertifications

BICYCLE:

April 1st is the projected date for the deployment of the Bicycle Unit for the 2011 year. Cpl. Andy Watts has been in communication with Major Grimes in regards for replacement of personnel of the Bicycle Unit that have either resigned over the past year from the specialty or have verbally indicated potential of no longer being eligible to remain in the specialty. Cpl. Watts has compiled a list of candidates for replacement, and is currently in the process of securing slots in a training course hosted by Plainfield Police Department to train the new bicycle officers once selected.

ERT:

Emphasis on Active Shooter training was greatly influenced by the tragic incident of Columbine. Although facets of this training has existed for many years in law enforcement practices, this particular event greatly influenced tactics and techniques taught throughout the country. Brownsburg Police Department has continued to strive to provide our community with the highest level of safety and security through means of the personnel that we employee, and greatly rely upon innovative training we provide our personnel. Brownsburg has had an Emergency Response Team (E.R.T.) since its development in 2000 which is comprised of personnel from the Brownsburg Police, Brownsburg Fire Territory, and the Pittsboro Police Department. While there are many disciplines E.R.T. train in, Active Shooters has been a major focal point throughout the years past, and continue to be so for the years to come. On March 21, 2011, Brownsburg E.R.T. trained with community members at the Connection Pointe Christian Church on real life scenario based training involving an Active Shooter synopsis with multiple role players. This training, although closely relevant to the recent event in Martinsville, had already been scheduled at the beginning of the year as disclosed earlier being a highly important training issue.

Brownsburg not only focuses on Active Shooter training for the assigned personnel of the E.R.T., but rather ensures that all personnel continuously receive training on this extremely dangerous situation. Throughout the year, personnel from the police department and School Corporation police department receive training, as well as this is one of the specified topics covered in the Brownsburg Police Reserve Police Academy. Members of the E.R.T. aid personnel outside the specialty of the Emergency Response Team in providing training opportunities whether on the job, roll call, or through specific training dates set by the department Training Coordinator to develop and maintain the skills and abilities to respond to an Active Shooter incident.

FTO:

As an update on the current progress of Reserve Officers in FTO, the chart has been included so as to indicate the current status of each officer:

PROBATIONARY OFFICER	PHASE	EXTRA DUTY HRS	FTO HRS	TOTAL HRS YEAR TO DATE	COMPLETED PROGRAM Y/N
1. Jeremiah Bloss	EOP	44	413	457	Y
2. Jeremiah Boswell	S	42	401	443	N
3. Matt Morgan	EOP	0	152	152	Y
4. Chad Bowman	EOP	0	154	154	Y
5. Josh Laker	1	80	104	184	N

E=Experienced
S=Shadow
EOP=End of Program

**Year to Date hours only indicate hours in the FTO program, not hours obtained in the Reserve Academy; Extra Duties Hours include ball games, training, meetings, parades, etc.

Officer Chad Bowman, Officer Matt Morgan, and Reserve Officer Jeremiah Bloss have all completed their final Shadow day of the FTO program, and have been released for solo patrol. Officer Bowman has been assigned to AMA shift under Sgt. Bryan Fultz, and Officer Morgan has been assigned to AMB shift under Sgt. April Summers. All three officers will remain on probationary status with restrictions of utilization of department vehicle until removed from probation by the Chief of Police and Police Commission. Restriction of the department vehicle will be at the discretion of the Chief of Police per department policy based upon each individuals officers prior law enforcement experience.

Officer Josh Laker has completed the majority of his 160 hours Refresher Course as required by the Indiana Law Enforcement Training Academy (ILEA) due to having been out of law enforcement for nearly four years since his graduation from ILEA. Officer Laker is currently on late shift in Phase 1 of the FTO Program, and will be finalizing his refresher hours through department training over the next few months well before the 6 month deadline.

RESERVES:

Officer Corey Sears has developed a plan of action for Prisoner Transport and is continuously communicating with supervisors to ensure they are picked up. It was suggested that he develop a schedule and post the information for personnel to view or access in order to maintain accountability. Officer Sears has been working diligently with Capt. Bullock in developing the most appropriate course of action to ensure transports are being completed, and that documentation is kept in place to track Prisoners that are Not Ready or Ready for pickup.

At the March Reserve Meeting, a schedule was formulated to work several events for the Month of April. Some of the events are:

- **Prisoner Transport – weekly update**
- **Prescription drug drop off- April 2nd**
- **Legion Riders event – April 9th**

- **Easter egg hunt –April 23rd**

TRAINING:

The Month of March continued to be busy within the Brownsburg Police Training Unit. February 28th through March 3rd was set aside for the three new hires to complete their Pre-Basic review prior to their Field Training orientation. Cpl. Andy Watts and Sgt. Pete Fleck completed the Pre-Basic program which included criminal law, traffic law, ethics, physical tactics, and firearms. In addition to the Pre-Basic program conducted in relation to the new hires, the following events were conducted at the Brownsburg Training Facility during the Month of March:

- March 4th Indiana State Police (Drug Task Force)—Indoor Range for single officer recertification
- March 7th US OIG (Office of Inspector General)—Training bay and mats for physical tactics certification
  - Generated revenue in the amount of $180.00
- March 17th Central Indiana Law Enforcement Training Counsel (CILETC)—Monthly meeting
- March 21st Brownsburg ERT—Monthly training
- March 22nd US OIG –Training bay and mats for physical tactics training
  - Again generating revenue in the amount of $180.00
- March 23rd Aggressive Criminal Enforcement instructed by Officer John Maples in cooperation with CILETC
- March 24th IMPD SWAT—SIMS Shoot house and Indoor range
  - Utilization was part of an agreement with their SWAT command to provide any training assistance needed by Brownsburg ERT over the next several months at no cost to our agency
- March 29th Brownsburg hosted Glock Armorers certification course—Training room
  - Event was well attended by numerous agencies from three states
  - Glock has requested the Brownsburg host this training annually
  - Two free training slots were received in exchange for hosting
- March 30th and 31st Brownsburg Off Duty/Back up Weapon Qualifications of department personnel—Indoor range

All of the above training were conducted locally and do not account for the numerous training opportunities that Brownsburg officers are participating in throughout Indiana.

On March 11th, Cpl. Watts met with Dan Kramer of HCC Public Risk Corp, who conducted an audit of the police department risk management through the town insurance carrier. The meeting yielded positive results and a letter was forwarded through Major Grimes' office reflecting their findings.

Finally, the 2011 Brownsburg Police Department Reserve Academy continues meeting every Tuesday and Thursday evening from 6p-10p and every other Saturday. Currently Brownsburg

Police Department has (3) three students who appear to be very motivated toward completion of the academy.

ROLL CALL TRAINING:

Supervisors conducted a total of 10 roll call trainings during the Month of March pertaining to topics such as:

- Court Security (Policy 07.01.01)
- Supervisor Meeting Minutes
- Miranda Warning
- Pyrtle Warning (Consent to search while in police custody)
- Spice Ordinance
- Chief's 2011 Goals and Objectives
- Response to Domestic Violence Calls
- Scorpion Camera Use
- Immediate Detention Policy
- K-9 Use

FLEET:

- New Prisoner Transport Van equipment installation is complete
- TKO finalizing graphics for vehicles
  - Final print for Prisoner Transport van was complete
  - TKO making minor changes to current design at the request of department staff
  - Scheduled to go in for wrap week of April 11th.
- Pricing for wraps on all vehicles
  - Prisoner Transport Van
  - Ford Taurus
  - Chevrolet Tahoe
- The department recorded 2 incidents with vehicles for February
  - Sgt. April Brandt vehicle 07-6 was repaired and is back in service
  - Off. Hyde was involved in a vehicle accident on March 5th where his vehicle was totaled
  - Insurance pay-off was $15,500.00 minus $1000.00 deductable.
- New Officers were assigned and issued their departmental vehicles
- Cpl. Watts was assigned commission 3-01 while his vehicle was assigned to one of the new officers
- Vehicle assignment is as follows:
  - Brandon – 08-03
  - Bowman – 07-07
  - Morgan – 08-05
  - Laker - 07-02
- Department has lost three vehicles to catastrophic failure or accidents in last year
  - 2 – engine failure
  - 1- vehicle accident

- Investigating possibilities of implementing police package Chevy Tahoe's into fleet program
  - Vehicles will be assigned to department K-9 units and Interdiction
- The Department fleet used a total of 4115 gal of fuel with an average of 15.9 mpg.

Labor	Parts	Total	Discount	Total Spent
$6265.29	**$1891.11**	**$8156.40**	**$1840.46**	**$6315.94**

JUVENILE OFFICER:

MONTHLY NUMBERS FOR OFFENSES REFLECT NUMBER OF CHARGES PER CATEGORY

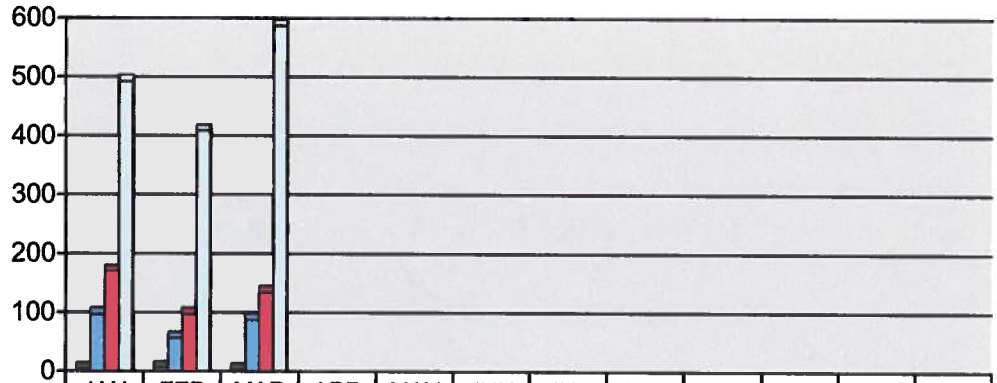
OFFENSE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	
Battery	4		5										
Burglary													
Criminal Mischief	1												
Criminal Recklessness													
Dealing Marijuana													
Dealing Sch III Controlled													
Dealing Sch IV Controlled													
Disord. Conduct			2										
Driving While Suspended													
Engage in Speed Contest		2											
False Informing													
Forgery	4												
Identity Deception													
Immediate Detention	1		1										
Intimidation		1											
Neglect of Depend													
Operator Never Rec.		2	1										
Operate Veh w/ Fake Reg		1											
Poss. Alcohol	1	2	3										
Poss. Controlled Substance	1	1											
Poss. Knife School Prop.													
Poss. Legend Drug													
Poss/Deal Counterfeit Sub.													
Poss. Marijuana	2	1	1										
Poss. Paraphernalia		1											
Poss. Stolen Property													
Public Intoxication			1										
Public Indecency													
Reckless Driving		2											
Refusal to ID		1											
Residential Entry													
Resisting Law Enforcement	1												
Robbery													
Theft	2	4	3										TOTAL YTD
Visiting Common Nuisance			1										
TOTAL CHARGES	**17**	**18**	**18**										**53**
TOTAL ARRESTS	**13**	**12**	**14**										**39**

****Note: Immediate Detentions Count as Arrest, Not a Charge**

STATS:

Statistics on basis of Operations Division as a whole worth noting are as follows:

2011 Statistics



	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
WARRANT ARRESTS	4	6	3									
ARRESTS	97	56	87									
CHARGES	169	97	134									
PWP/BUSINESS CHECKS	492	408	587									

*Statistics indicated above reflect totals of entire department (i.e. Support, Operations, and School) as required by UCR Reporting

Brownsburg Police Department

OWI STATS	2010 BPD OWI ARRESTS	2011 BPD OWI CHARGES	2011 BPD OWI ARREST	*COUNTY WIDE OWI ARREST TOTALS	BPD 2011 % of Total
January	7	18	**10**	**62**	**16%**
February	7	6	**3**	**35**	**9%**
March	6	13	**8**	**46**	**17%**
April	7				
May	5				
June	8				
July	7				
August	5				
September	8				
October	8				
November	6				
December	4				
Totals	78	37	**21**	**143**	**15%**

*** Stats provided by Hendricks Co. Prosecutor include all County Agencies and ISP**

OPERATIONS EMPLOYEE OF THE QUARTER:

2011 1st Quarter Nominations (See Attached Nomination Forms):

- Officer Dirk Fentz
- Officer Joshua O'Brien

POLICING COMMITTEE:

Members of the Policing Committee along with Police Commissioner Ray Kotarski met on Wednesday, March 9, 2011, at 3 pm. The meeting was to discuss the topic of Miranda Warning and Consent Search Warnings (Voluntary or In-custody). The discussion seemed to be very productive, and the committee made several recommendations that have forwarded to the Training Coordinator, Hendricks County Prosecutor, Shift Supervisors, and Accreditation. The recommendations included request for policy change, roll call training topics for discussion, and a joint training venue hosted by Brownsburg with the Hendricks County Prosecutor's Office and possibly an independent entity for source of instruction.

PUBLIC CORRESPONDENCE:

On March 22, 2011, Chief Michael Dove received a letter from an administrator of the Brownsburg Nursing and Rehab facility located on Hornaday Road. The letter was in appreciation of Sgt. April Summers' services over the course of the past eight years (See Attached Letter).

PRIORITY RUNS:

3/02/2011 11-346 Theft
580 W. Northfield Dr. Kohl's – Ofc. Sentany was dispatched to Kohl's reference a theft in progress. Dispatched advised a white male had left the store in a black SUV. The vehicle was located and a stop was initiated. The male driver, Maxwell Beckley (DOB 11/10/1992, WHT Male) was identified as the person who stole the glasses and charged with theft.

03/03/2011 11-350 Fraud
118 Timber Lane – Ofc. Kiritschenko took a fraud report. The victim stated that 18 unauthorized charges totaling $3515 were made on her Chase debit card. No suspects at the time of report.

03/03/2011 11-351 Burglary
505 S. School Street – Ofc. Kiritschenko was dispatched regarding a residential burglary. The victims reported they returned home and found items missing from the residence. Pry marks were discovered on the back garage door. Two televisions, laptop computer and jewelry were reported missing. Officer interviewed neighbors and no one reported seeing anyone near the residence.

03/04/2011 11-357 Theft
1121 Windhaven Circle – Ofc. Anderson responded to a theft from a vehicle report. The victim stated the window of his vehicle was broken out and his GPS device was stolen. No suspects. Value of unit $300.

03/06/2011 11-364 Theft
400 W. Northfield Dr. Wal-Mart-Ofc. McCoy responded to a shoplifter that was fleeing on foot from Wal-Mart. The suspect was identified as Tyler Georgi (DOB 3/27/1989 WHT, Male). Georgi was detained by the Loss Prevention personal and left before meeting with police. Georgi left his ID behind along with the merchandise he had stolen. Ofc. McCoy is filing charges for Theft.

03/06/2011 11-365 Theft
400 W. Northfield Dr. Wal-Mart – Ofc. Anderson responded to a vehicle break-in report. The victim stated he had left his Rx from CVS in his vehicle while he was inside Wal-Mart. When he returned the RX was missing. The vehicle was left unlocked. No suspects.

03/06/2011 11-366 Residential Burglary
135 Cedar Run Dr. Apt. #D – Ofc. Anderson was dispatched in regards to a residential burglary. The victims stated they had left on Friday, March 4th and returned on Sunday, March 6th to find their apartment's front door unlocked. Two televisions, a Play Station 3, a game and a purse were taken from the residence. Partial fingerprints were lifted from the scene.

03/06/201 11-367 Battery
50 E. Northfield Dr. Bricker's Pub- Officers were dispatched reference a fight. Two males were involved in a confrontation at the time of arrival. Witnesses stated Raymond McKinney (DOB 08/07/1957 WHT Male) had become physical with a female at the bar.

03/07/2011 11-371 Theft
580 W. Northfield Dr. Kohl's - Units were dispatched to Kohl's on a report of a juvenile shoplifter getting ready to walk out of the store without paying for items. The female juvenile was accompanied by her mother. Both were asked to return to the store where the stolen merchandise was located on the suspect. Theft charges were filed against the juvenile and she was released to her mother. Value/$72.

03/08/2011 11-376 Theft
651 Settlers Walk –Ofc. Schmidt responded to a theft report at a residence under construction. A representative from Ryland Homes stated when they returned to the site 30 feet of 1 inch copper air conditioner pipe was missing from the site. The house did not have locks on the doors. The estimated cost is $200-$300. No suspects.

03/08/2011 11-379 Domestic Disturbance
1310 Mineral Lake Drive- Ofc. Marcum was dispatched in reference to a 911 call made by a female juvenile stating her father was beating her and her sisters. Ofc. Marcum took statements from the family involved and arrested the father, Moed S Al-Kanany (DOB 06/01/1969 White Male). Al-Kanany was charged with 4 counts of Intimidation and 3 counts of Battery.

03/09/2011 11-380 Death Investigation
415 Williams Dr. – Ofc. Fentz was dispatched reference an unresponsive person. When Officers arrived EMS was already on scene attempting to revive the male. EMS was unable to revive the male. Detective Mike Gill and Coroner Joe Neuman responded to the scene and photos were taken and placed into evidence. Coroner Neuman then took custody of the deceased.

03/09/2011 11-382 Theft
757 Chestnut Lane – Ofc. Bowman was dispatched regarding theft of natural gas. Vectren Energy has shut the service off at the residence and the tenant has turned the gas back on without authorization. Jerry Knecht, Vectren supervisor advised he would locate amore information and forward the information to the Officer.

03/14/2011 11-409 Theft
757 Chestnut Lane-Ofc. Bowman was dispatched regarding theft of a natural gas meter. Vectren representative stated a gas meter had been taken from 755 Chestnut Lane and placed on a meter at 757 Chestnut Lane without authorization. The disconnection of the meter had caused a gas leak. This case is still under investigation.

03/09/2011 11-383 Theft
812 E. Main Street- Ofc. Flowers was dispatched to Laundry and Tan reference a stolen I-phone. The victim stated she had left her I-phone in a tanning room to charge and when a patron went in to use the tanning bed and came out, the I-phone was missing. Value/$300

03/10/2011 11-388 Theft
1800 N. Green Street-Ofc. Kiritschenko responded to a theft from the gym at Connection Pointe. The victim stated he was playing basketball at the church and left his jacket, I-phone and headphones on the bleachers. When the victim returned the I-phone was gone. No suspects. Value/$400

03/11/2011 11-395 Theft
910 E. Main Street – Speedway Gas- Cpl. Crowe responded to a theft of fuel report. Employees stated a white male with an identifiable license plate number pumped gas and drove off on several occasions. The employees stated the same person has stole gas several times in the past few months. $177

03/11/2011 402 Theft
910 E. Main Street--Ofc. Sentany was dispatched to 910 E. Main Street reference a drive off of gasoline. A description of the vehicle and plate number was given. The suspect was identified as, Michael Thompson, (DOB 10/20/1991 white male). Thompson was arrested and charged with Theft.

03/14/2011 11-414 Theft
1800 N. Green Street- Cpl. Abshire was dispatched to Connection Pointe reference a theft report. The victim stated he was playing basketball in the gym when he left his cell phone and wallet with contents on the bleachers. When he finished playing he returned to find these items had been taken. No Suspects. Value/$541

03/15/2011 11-417 Theft
5 Ridgeline Dr. – Ofc. Reed was dispatched regarding a theft from a vehicle report. The victim stated he was visiting a friend and left his vehicle unlocked over night. $1100 in electronics was taken from the vehicle. No suspects.

03/15/2011 11-420 Theft
25 Ridgeline Dr. – Sgt. Fultz was dispatched reference theft from vehicles. The victims stated they had left their vehicles unsecured overnight. When they woke up this morning their garage door was and items were missing from their vehicles. Lori Nossett stated her black Kel Tec .380 pistol was missing from the console of her SUV. The firearm was entered into IDACS as stolen. Dr. Nossett stated a backpack with a stethoscope; computer and an Rx pad were taken from his vehicle. No suspects. Value/$3990

03/15/2011 11-421 Theft
1250 Airport Rd. –East Middle School- Officer Flynn was dispatched regarding theft from a student's backpack. The juvenile stated she had left her backpack in the gym while attending track practice. When she returned her cell phone was missing. Mrs. Schroering, Assistant Principal, reviewed video coverage from the gym and identified a female student take something from a backpack. When questioning the female she initially denied the accusations but later admitted to the theft. She was arrested and charged with theft. The cell phone was returned to the owner.

03/15/2011 11-424 Rape
117 Westbourne Drive – Detective Fults was notified by Cpl. Abshire of a female that had been taken into custody by the Airport Police for an OWI. The female stated to officers there that she had been raped in Brownsburg earlier in the day. Det. Fults responded to take the report. The case is still under investigation.

03/16/2011 11-427 Theft
1471 S Green Street Village Pantry – Cpl. Crowe was dispatched reference a theft case. District manager, Christopher Whitlock stated that he believed an employee was taking money from the business on 03/10/2011. Total amount taken $130. This case is under investigation by Det. Gill.

03/16/2011 11-428 Theft
705 E. Main Street Dairy Queen- Ofc. Paschall took a report from Tyler Vanmieghen, the owner of the Dairy Queen. Mr. Vannieghen stated that he had video footage of an employee taking money from the business. The amount missing is $873.

03/16/2011 11-431 Fraud
809 Harvest Lake Dr. –Ofc. Marcum was dispatched regarding a fraud complaint. The victim stated that someone used his credit card to purchase a computer and clothing. No suspects.

03/19/2011 11-444 Theft
580 W. Northfield Dr. Kohl's- Officer Bowman was dispatched to Kohl's reference a shoplifter. The suspect had left the store in a white Ford Focus. The suspect can be seen on video

making a purchase, leaving the store and putting on sunglasses that were not paid for. This case is still under investigation. Value/$22

03/20/2011 11-453 Burglary
101 S. Grant Street – Cpl. D. Pyatt was dispatched regarding a burglary that had occurred. The victim stated her son had placed his Bicycle in the garage and it was now missing. No force entrance. Value/$300. No Suspects.

03/21/2011 11-457 Theft
580 W. Northfield Dr. Kohl's- Officer Morgan was dispatched to take a theft report involving an employee. The Loss Prevention officer stated a cashier at Kohl had been viewed on video on several different occasions placing money in his pocket while operation the cash register. The suspect, (Ricky D Golden Jr. (DOB 06/03/1983) was interviewed by Officer Morgan and admitted to the crime. Mr. Golden was taken into custody and charged with three counts of theft.

03/21/2011 11-459 Theft
400 W. Northfield Drive Wal-Mart Parking Lot- Officer Marcum was dispatched reference a theft from vehicle. The victim stated she had been at Wal-Mart shopping and left her I-phone in her vehicle. When she returned to leave the store her phone was missing from her car. The vehicle was left unsecured. No Suspects. Value/$150

03/23/2011 11-467 Check Fraud
843 E. Main Marsh Supermarket – Sgt. Fultz was dispatched to Marsh reference a fraudulent check that had been cashed at the store. The check was made out to John H. Byford in the amount $301.88. It was reported that other Marsh stores in Indianapolis had reported the same scenario and were looking for the same subject.

03/25/2011 11-478 Theft
1555 S. Odell Street – Officer Rooker was dispatched to the West Middle School to take a theft report. The victim reported that she was at the School for a banquet on March 24, 2011 in the cafeteria when she placed her phone on a table. The victim then went to get her meal leaving her phone on the table. When she returned her cell phone was missing. Value/$400

03/30/2011 11-505 Theft
763 Greenridge Dr. Apt. E - Officer Marcum was dispatched in reference to a theft report. The victim stated a ring was missing from her apartment. The victim accused her daughter that lives with her of stealing the ring and pawning it. Officer Marcum will be interviewing the suspect. Value/$5000.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Brownsburg Police Department
Police Chief Mike Dove
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March 22, 2011

Dear Chief Dove,

Numerous times in my eight plus year tenure as administrator at Brownsburg Nursing and Rehab Center I have had occasions to ask for assistance from local law enforcement. I have made these requests for a variety of reasons ranging from guidance with a theft or drug issue, calming a family member or resident down by explaining what law enforcement does, and finally to provide inservice education to my staff.

I can think of at least four instances over the past eight years that Officer April Summers has come to the aid of the nursing home. I wish to thank you for allowing her to help us. Officer Summers has always been forceful and direct while presenting a sense of fairness and consistency. It is not always easy to be courteous and polite when the situation calls for stern action. Somehow Officer Summers always manages to do both.

I believe she portrays the Brownsburg Police Department in a very professional and positive vein. I appreciate her and her dedication immensely. Again thank you for allowing her to serve us

Respectfully

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MARCH 2011
MONTHLY SUPPORT REPORT

CHIEF OF POLICE
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Brownsburg Police Department

SUPPORT DIVISION REPORT

The following information contained within this report summarizes information deemed pertinent for dissemination from Major John Depinet, Chief of Support Services.

-Investigations
-Records & Accreditation
-Community Relations
-Public Information
-Purchasing
-Information & Technology
-Human Resources

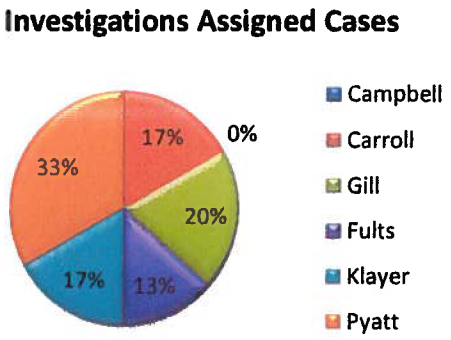
Investigations

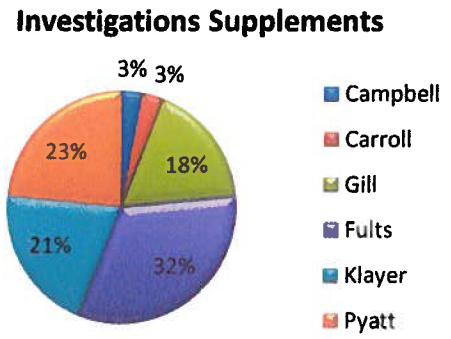
Investigations remains somewhat slow; but during this period they are spending more time on open cases resulting in five detectives making arrests last month.

Sergeant Pyatt is currently working a case involving a 22 year old female who was violently raped in Brownsburg by her employer. The case is still under investigation and charges are expected to be filed soon.

Detective Klayer arrested two juveniles for vehicle theft following a stakeout. After the juveniles were released from high school, they returned to the stolen vehicle and were apprehended.

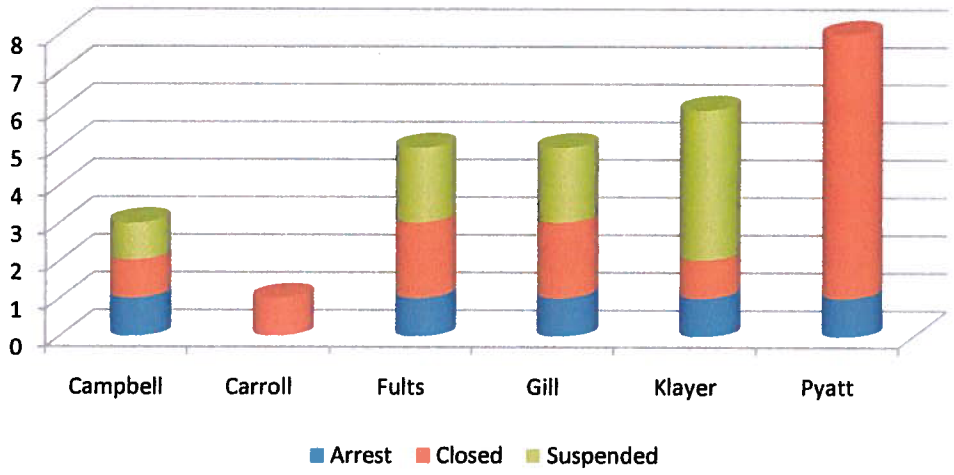
Detective Gill charged one adult, a Village Pantry store employee stealing from the business, with theft.





Detective Fults attended a CVSA certification course. This now provides the department with two certified examiners. He also made an arrest at Marsh for check fraud which has led to a larger investigation involving the Westfield Police Department.

The drug task force was involved with 14 cases in March, ten of which were controlled drug buy cases. Officer Wing and another member of the task force orchestrated nine of these buys.



Records & Accreditation

The department underwent a mock accreditation assessment on March 7th and 8th. The results were very positive. On March 17th, 300 of the 466 accreditation files were mailed off to two assessors for review prior to their arrival. Recently, feedback has been received from both assessors stating our files were in excellent condition with no issues identified. Based on these results, Kim Shupert is quite hopeful for a very successful and positive CALEA on-site assessment. She has also confirmed that our department will be receiving the Meritorious Award for the time we have been nationally accredited. The department looks forward to the July CALEA conference in Cincinnati, Ohio where we expect to receive our 6th accreditation award.

Now that the majority of accreditation on-site preparation is complete, Records employees have been able to focus more on normal operations and incorporating the Laserfiche and Lincware function into the department. Following the actual on-site, employees plan to resume the training program by I.U.P.U.I designed to obtain the Microsoft Office Certificate.

Community Relations

In addition to his routine tours and presentations, Sergeant Fleck began a marketing plan for the R U OK program. The pamphlets have been made and he plans to display these in the lobby and present them at neighborhood watch program meetings.

He also plans to solicit the program to several nursing homes or assisted living residences in the area and plans to contact the Meals on Wheels program in our area to inquire if their clients can be approached about the program.

Not only did Sergeant Fleck attend training last month; he was also active in providing department instruction by training the new recruits and members of the public in physical tactics and self-defense techniques. He also attended a Microsoft PowerPoint Training Class to assist with designing and presenting information to the public.

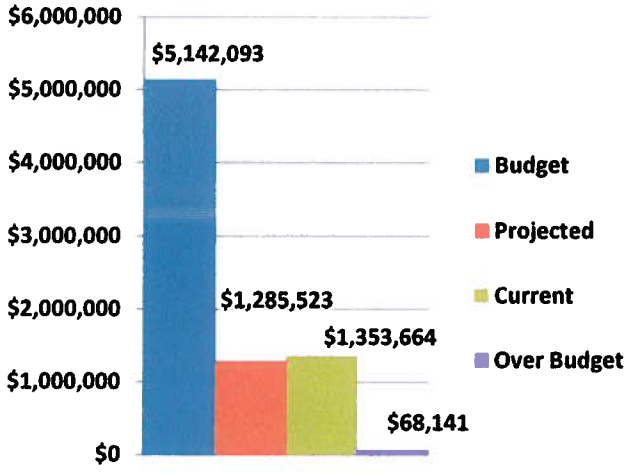
Public Information

The department had 7 media contacts during the month of March. These contacts covered three major incidents which included Officer Hyde's accident, the R U OK program and the Parents Rights class being organized by Sergeant Fleck. We also uploaded five news releases to the department's Facebook page.

Purchasing

As of April 6th, 2011, the department as expended 26.33% of its budget. While we are slightly over budget; it is very early and we remain confident in our numbers.

As directed by the Town, the department will soon begin the 2012 budget process in accordance with provided guidelines and timelines.



Information Technology

Lineware training took place the week of March 21st as scheduled. I, Kim Shupert and Brenda Habermehl all attended the training hosted at our department. Town representatives were also present during portions of the training, but the focus was on how the police department plans to deploy the software.

Brenda has been assigned project lead and has been given direction on how to proceed. There is a large amount of work that must be completed prior to deployment and use by employees. This is a complex process which is going to require support from representatives of Lineware. Due to the close relationship between Lineware and Laserfiche, Brenda has also been assigned the lead with Laserfiche, under the supervision of Kim Shupert, which the department began using approximately 3 weeks ago.

The department has also been working with unit and division heads to obtain content for the website. The information is being reviewed and loaded as it is received.

The website is basically active, but it could take up to a month to load all of the additional data and forms.

The department has entered into an agreement with the Fire Department to share our license for our employee performance database, Guardian Tracking. By sharing our license we were able to have Guardian host our database using a web solution, giving our employees access anywhere with an internet connection. By sharing our resources, it saved the Police Department around $2000 while increasing the security, convenience and ease of maintenance of the data.

Human Resources

Officer Bowman injured his shoulder in training last month; but did not miss any work as a result. The injury occurred during physical tactics training with Sergeant Fleck. Officer Hyde was also injured, resulting in mainly soreness and precautionary measures, in an automobile accident that occurred at Green Street and Northfield Drive. He missed approximately two weeks of work, but has since been cleared.

Major John M Depinet
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