

**QUINCY POLICE DEPARTMENT  
MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** May 21, 2014  
**TO:** Robert A. Copley, Chief of Police  
**FROM:** Planning and Research Officer James Cress  
**RE:** **Monthly Report – For the Month of April 2014**

The monthly statistics are herewith provided for review and information. Totals from the previous month and for the same month from the previous year are also included for comparison purposes. Year-to-Date totals for the current and previous year with percentage differences are included along with other notable information from the department.

ITEM	April 2014	March 2014	April 2013	2014 Totals Year to Date	2013 YTD Comparison	% Difference 2013 to 2014 YTD
Arrests – Criminal	175	205	203	728	785	-7.26%
Arrests – Traffic	352	485	320	1518	1283	18.32%
Arrests – Juvenile	54	57	69	171	208	-17.79%
Ordinance Violations	119	139	170	476	691	-31.11%
DUI Arrests	12	11	6	41	44	-6.82%
Speeding Arrests	60	87	46	246	229	7.42%
Speeding Warnings	73	86	52	246	186	32.26%
Seatbelt Arrests	22	89	19	156	115	35.65%
Seatbelt Warnings	7	6	11	45	80	-43.75%
Number of Seat Belt Surveys conducted	10	10	20	40	80	-50.00%
Seat Belt % of Use	96.1	94.1	92.9	94.9	91.7	3.49%
NOV's – Officers	47	76	81	318	390	-18.46%
Warning Tickets – Officers	366	479	393	1710	1486	15.07%
Tele-serve	1	6	2	18	14	28.57%
Case File Numbers (Assigned Calls)	2813	2894	2991	11159	11402	-2.13%
Case File Numbers – Animal Control	162	176	188	570	692	-17.63%
Warnings – Animal Control	3	3	4	16	10	60.00%
NOV's – Animal Control	14	10	4	26	12	116.67%
Recoveries – Animal Control	57	57	84	188	243	-22.63%
Domestic Recoveries – Animal Control	51	47	75	160	217	-26.27%
Wild Animal Recoveries – Animal Control	6	10	9	28	30	-6.67%
Miles Driven	40048	42382	45823	167948	171222	-1.91%
Gallons Gas – QPD	3473.57	3897.34	3835.91	15137.82	14525.43	4.22%
Gallons Gas – Animal Control	158.97	150.77	134.87	613.1	626.1	-2.08%

ITEM	April 2014	March 2014	April 2013	2014 Totals Year to Date	2013 YTD Comparison	% Difference 2013 to 2014 YTD
Accidents Investigated	93	88	89	426	414	2.90%
Injuries Resulting from Accidents	19	22	23	76	70	8.57%
Fatalities Resulting from Accidents	0	0	0	0	0	∞
Abandoned Vehicles Tagged	6	15	12	40	45	-11.11%
Abandoned Vehicles Disposed of	2	7	10	10	24	-58.33%
Sick Time Taken by All Employees	190	168	123.25	647	605.58	6.84%
Injury Hours Taken by All Employees	36	24	0	108	172	-37.21%
Training Hours	591.79	414.3	752.75	2030.2	2282.4	-11.05%
ProAct Community Talks/Meetings	71	71	48	238	173	37.57%
Volunteers in Policing Hours	100	55.5	98	291	309	-5.83%
D.A.R.E. Hours	26	34	18	119	109	9.17%

### Illinois Uniform Crime Reporting Program Monthly Crime Index

Index Crime Offenses									
Criminal Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault/Battery	Burglary	Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	Arson	Human Trafficking Commercial Sex Acts	Human Trafficking Involuntary Servitude
0	1	0	17	17	106	4	0	0	0
Index Crime Arrests									
Criminal Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault/Battery	Burglary	Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	Arson	Human Trafficking Commercial Sex Acts	Human Trafficking Involuntary Servitude
0	0	0	5	0	41	0	0	0	0
Drug Crime Arrests									
Violations of Cannabis Control Act	Violations of Controlled Substances Act	Violations of the Hypodermic Syringes And Needles Act	Violations of the Drug Paraphernalia Act	Violations of the Methamphetamine Act					
12	1	0	8	6					

The State of Illinois Changed two UCR titles and added two new sections to the information tracking of their UCR database, these changes are reflected in the above chart.

**Street Crimes Unit**

ITEM	2013	2014
	APR	APR
Assigned Calls	83	105
Vehicle Stops	46	53
Other Activity	126	99
Felony Arrests	2	1
Misdemeanor Arrests	11	1
Ordinance Arrests	17	6
Warrant Arrest	27	5
Traffic Arrests	18	19
Ordinance Warnings	30	40
NOV's Issued	2	3

**Canine Units**

**Craig Russell & Dioji**

**Mike Tyler & Kilo**

(pronounced Dee-Oh-Gee)

Narcotic Searches	Number of Sniffs		Number of Finds		Days Training	
Vehicles	19	9	19	8	1	0
Buildings	0	0	0	0		
Other (schools, etc.)	2	2	0	1		
Patrol Activities	Quantity		Other Activities		Quantity	
Area Search	0	0	Apprehensions (Bite)	0	0	
Tracking	0	1	Demonstrations	4	2	
Article Search	0	0	All Other	0	0	
Building Search	0	0	Apprehensions (NO Bite)	0	0	

**Criminal Investigation Section**

Number of Cases Opened in the Month
41

Number of Cases Closed in the Month
32

Cases opened and closed are not necessarily the same cases

Closed Case - Dispositions	
Arrests	17
Administratively closed	3
Prosecution Declined	2
Referred – Probation / SAO	1
Unfounded	2
Exceptionally Cleared	4

( Closed case dispositions may not equal the number of closed cases due to our capturing only those Illinois Uniform Crime Reporting Clearance Codes sent to the State )

## TRAINING HOURS

Class Description	Number of Employees	Total Hours
ADDICTS VICTORIOUS ANNUAL CONFERENCE	6	30
BARNES STOP CASE LAW REVIEW	25	4.25
CROWD CONTROL - CS TRAINING	6	3
DESIGNATED MARKSMAN	5	120
DEVELOPING EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE	1	7
ERT MONTHLY TRAINING	16	96
HAZMAT REFRESHER 2014	20	75
IMPACT OF HANDS-FREE CELL PHONE USE	1	1
MEDICAL MARIJUANA LAW & DUI	57	57
ONE-PARTY CONSENT SEARCH - PEOPLE V KLIMIK	12	2.04
PPCT (PRESSURE POINT CONTROL TACTICS)	69	172.50
THE WINNING MIND FOR WOMEN	3	24
Total Training Hours		<b>591.79</b>

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### Awards / Accomplishments / Promotions / Appointments

#### April 2014 Employee of the Month

Sergeant Douglas VanderMaiden was selected as the April Employee of the Month. He was nominated for this award due to the excellent work he has performed as the Hostage/Barricade/Terrorist (HBT) Coordinator and Field Training Officer (FTO) Coordinator. Both of these secondary positions at the department require a great deal of preparation and commitment in order to be performed properly. He has proven that he has the drive and ability to excel in these areas. In the role of HBT Coordinator, he has been very innovative in the area of training, coming up with new ideas and venues to keep the interest and enthusiasm at a high level for the team members. He has been involved in the planning of numerous high-risk search warrants during his tenure as HBT Coordinator. It is to his credit that there have been no injuries incurred by officers or citizens during any of these high risk situations. Sgt. VanderMaiden is a natural leader and his calm demeanor under adverse situations is well appreciated by the officers he commands.

In the area of FTO Coordinator, Sgt. VanderMaiden again has shown an ability to excel in a very difficult job. He has supervised the field training efforts of four probationary officers during his time in this position. All four officers made it through the program without incident thanks to his efforts. Sgt. VanderMaiden is very concise and up to date with his paperwork involving the FTO program and there have been zero deficiencies noted in the program since he took over as coordinator. Having previously been an FTO has been of great assistance to Sergeant VanderMaiden, as he knows the program inside out. Our agency has benefited greatly from the time and effort he has expended in developing the future officers and leaders of the Quincy Police Department.

# Monthly Highlights

## From Chief Copley

- Attended the “Child Abuse Prevention Month” kick off
- Attended a Department Head meeting
- Attended a “Your Actions Matter” Alcohol Awareness Event at Hy-Vee Wine and Spirits
- Attended a Human Rights Commission meeting
- Met with Health Department personnel regarding potential grant funding for Alcohol Enforcement
- Attended a Child Abuse Awareness Flag Ceremony at the Court House
- Met with fire and Police Commissioners
- Attended PPCT Defensive Tactics training
- Presented to Council at Budget Hearing
- Attended a Town Hall meeting at the Kroc Center
- Attended a meeting regarding Medical Marijuana Zoning
- Attended a DARE graduation at St Peter School
- Attended a DARE graduation at St. Dominic School

## From Deputy Chief Kelty

- Attended Weekly Staff Meetings
- Attended Use of Force Instructors’ Meeting
- Met with City Administration to Prepare for Contract Negotiations
- Negotiated for the City in Union Negotiations
- Attended Independence Day Planning Meeting
- Attended Retirement Party for Past Police Commissioners
- Attended Meeting at Quincy Public Schools for Dave Grossman Presentation
- Attended Phase 3 Meeting for an Officer Coming Off Probation
- Attended Meetings with QU Security and Student Organizers for “Keg Race” Party
- Attended Use of Force Training
- Oversaw Recruit Testing Physical Tests
- Attended City Council Meeting
- Attended QU Drug Task Force Meeting
- Spoke at the Addicts Victorious Annual Conference
- Attended Force on Force Planning Meeting
- Chaired Meeting with Local Media Agencies

## From Deputy Chief Bingheim

- Conducted communications meeting
- Conducted training board meeting
- Attended retirement ceremony for the three outgoing police commissioners
- Attended CIALEE meeting
- Attended PPCT training
- Attended an IPA meeting
- Attended monthly Quincy Area Safety Council Meeting
- Did an interview with Allison Brown of KHQA on e-cigarettes
- Attended the quarterly VOAD meeting

## ProAct Unit - Officer Kelly VanderMaiden and Asst. Deb Beebe

Information submitted by: Officer VanderMaiden

- Located crime and fugitive to profile through Crime Stoppers (CS) and sent information out to the media
- Attended the monthly CS board meeting
- Facilitated week 6 of the Citizen Police Academy (CPA)
- I was a celebrity reader at St. James School family reading night
- Fit bike helmets for SAFE Kids at St. Dominic School in pre-k 4 and first grade
- Located crime and fugitive to profile this week for CS
- Spent the morning at Blessing Daycare
- Taped the fugitive of the week segment at WGEM
- Attended SAFE Kids meeting
- Facilitated week 7 of the CPA
- Profiled crime of the week on WGEM radio
- Printed hundreds of DARE certificates
- Available to answer the CS hotline
- Worked on upcoming DARE graduation outlines
- Range day at PASA for CPA participants
- Proofed trading cards for JK Creative Printers
- Did letter to City Council for Torch Run
- Attended CAT training
- Made arrangements for luncheon after Torch Run
- Ordered safety material off IDOT website

## **ProAct Unit - Officer Kelly VanderMaiden and Asst. Deb Beebe**

Information submitted by: Officer VanderMaiden

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- Facilitated week 8 of the CPA
- Updated master fugitive list for CS
- Located a fugitive and crime to profile through CS
- Did bank robbery presentation at Bank of Quincy
- Sent out a news release on drug take back event
- Taped fugitive of the week segment at WGEM
- Went on WGEM radio to promote drug take back event
- Sent CS information to KHQA and the Quincy Herald-Whig
- Held DARE graduation at St. Peter School
- Facilitated week 9 of the CPA
- Held DARE graduation at St. Dominic School
- Held drug take back event at sub post in the mall
- Taped fugitive of the week segment at WGEM
- Transported drugs from take back to Adams County for them to drop off in Jacksonville
- Completed CS stats and coordinator's paperwork
- Dropped off items for CS convention
- Hours spent finishing up DARE classes, printing DARE certificates, getting items ready for upcoming graduations

## **From Around the Department**

### **Submitted by Administrative Services Sergeant Kathy Schisler**

- Gathered, wrote, and sent all in service training outlines to ILETSB.
- Gathered and sent all instructor bios to ILETSB.
- Conducted 4 roll call training sessions on Medical Marijuana and DUI.
- Surveyed officers to see what kind of training they would like to attend.
- Worked with MTU director to bring future classes to Quincy

### **Submitted by Sergeant Doug VanderMaiden**

**(Shift 1/Squad 1)**

- Erica Scott located Arthur Runnels on 4-01-14 after he fled from a West Central Illinois Task Force investigation involving an Ecstasy drug case. She was nominated for May Employee of the Month
- Shift 1 / Squad 1 officers followed up on numerous leads over a two day period regarding a missing juvenile who had escaped from the Blessing Hospital Psychiatric ward. These follow-ups led to this juvenile's safe recovery.

- **No Submission Received (Shift 1 – Squad 2)**

### **Submitted by Jennifer Sparrow**

**(Chief's Secretary)**

- Set up 25 department physicals & 5 masked hearing tests for employees.
- Scheduled date and times for employees to meet with Nationwide (Deferred Comp) representative
- Scheduled date and times for employees to meet with new Legal Shield Representative, Rich Ellerman
- There were 15 Ride Along's in April
- Attended and took the minutes for two PB&PA Union negotiations
- Assisted with Police Recruit Testing on April 12th
- QPD Purchasing Assistant Gail Newell attended a Fred Pryor seminar at Town & Country Inn & Suites
- Officer Tom Liesen and Quincy's Project Lifesaver Program was featured in the April 2014 North Edition of the Municipal magazine

### **Department Anniversaries:**

- Susan Vahlkamp 25 years
- Greg Benson 15 years
- James Brown 15 years
- Tom Liesen 15 years
- Dave Ludwig 15 years
- Peter Hummel 3 years
- John Wietholder 3 years

**Submitted by: Sergeant Adam Yates (Shift 2 – Squad 1)**

- Officers were called to 2023 Broadway on 4.20/14 and found that a 5 year old had been locked in the basement, unattended, while his mother went to work. The child's mother, Tricia Franklin, was arrested and lodged for Child Endangerment and the child was taken by Department of Children and Family Services
- Four officers assisted with rescuing a female, Haley Houge, from the basement of her burning house at 515 South 17<sup>th</sup> on 4/16/14
- Officer Cirrincione was on injury days for three days due to an injury sustained at the above fire
- A conviction was obtained on Angela Flachs for Aggravated Battery after she used a stun gun on a patron outside of her business
- Officers Chad Scott, Mike Cirrincione, Chris Mueller and Luke Humke were recommended for commendations for their life saving actions at the fire on 4/16/14 at 515 South 17th

**No Submission Received (Shift 2 – Squad 2)**

**No Submission Received (Investigations)**

**No Submission Received (Central Records)**

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cc: Deputy Chiefs Bingheim and Kelty  
Lts. Cox, Dreyer and Simmons  
Sgts. DuHamel, Dusch, Folkenroth, Grott, Long, Nevin, Pilkington,  
Schisler, Summers, D. VanderMaiden, and Yates  
Officers A. Gibson, N. Meyer, K. VanderMaiden  
Ms. Emily Pezzella, Ms. Susan Vahlkamp  
Ms. Glenda Hackemack, Director of Administrative Services  
Mr. Doug Olson, Director of Human Resources  
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