

**QUINCY POLICE DEPARTMENT
MEMORANDUM**

DATE: December 15, 2014
TO: Robert A. Copley, Chief of Police
FROM: Planning and Research Officer James Cress
RE: **Monthly Report – For the Month of November 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	November 2014	October 2014	November 2013	2014 Totals Year to Date	2013 YTD Comparison	% Difference 2013 to 2014 YTD
Arrests – Criminal	178	145	96	1939	2095	-7.45%
Arrests – Traffic	333	269	355	3645	3504	4.02%
Arrests – Juvenile	47	44	23	457	500	-8.60%
Ordinance Violations	97	91	75	1205	1560	-22.76%
DUI Arrests	15	5	16	107	109	-1.83%
Speeding Arrests	43	45	53	479	569	-15.82%
Speeding Warnings	17	27	101	474	550	-13.82%
Seatbelt Arrests	70	11	85	562	409	37.41%
Seatbelt Warnings	5	4	8	81	154	-47.40%
Number of Seat Belt Surveys conducted	10	10	10	120	181	-33.70%
Seat Belt % of Use	94.5	94.3	96	94.7	93.15	1.70%
NOV's – Officers	32	38	51	558	733	-23.87%
Warning Tickets – Officers	288	285	381	3577	3965	-9.79%
Tele-serve	3	6	0	54	43	25.58%
Case File Numbers (Assigned Calls)	2448	2886	2614	31498	33022	-4.62%
Case File Numbers – Animal Control	59	144	124	1579	1989	-20.61%
Warnings – Animal Control	0	5	1	29	29	0.00%
NOV's – Animal Control	1	1	1	35	34	2.94%
Recoveries – Animal Control	20	59	46	658	702	-6.27%
Domestic Recoveries – Animal Control	18	58	39	533	564	-5.50%
Wild Animal Recoveries – Animal Control	2	1	7	125	142	-11.97%
Miles Driven	34724	35804	39043	424375	468693	-9.46%
Gallons Gas – QPD	3425.47	3459.01	3597.2	40451.14	40596.28	-0.36%
Gallons Gas – Animal Control	86.48	131.12	126.5	1520.46	1643.05	-7.46%

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Accidents Investigated	83	112	95	1086	1095	-0.82%
Injuries Resulting from Accidents	17	23	23	216	250	-13.60%
Fatalities Resulting from Accidents	0	1	0	1	3	-66.67%
Abandoned Vehicles Tagged	10	16	4	121	104	16.35%
Abandoned Vehicles Disposed of	1	8	0	41	47	-12.77%
Sick Time Taken by All Employees	109	173	98	1753.67	1461.33	20.01%
Injury Hours Taken by All Employees	0	0	20	219.5	380	-42.24%
Training Hours	637.36	598.45	414	7526.47	6707.02	12.22%
ProAct Community Talks/Meetings	51	70	64	726	616	17.86%
Volunteers in Policing Hours	61.75	90.5	42.25	871.75	835	4.40%
D.A.R.E. Hours	32	38	32	250	246	1.63%

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	2	1	10	16	88	6	1	0	0
Index Crime Arrests									
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0	1	2	3	6	34	1	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					
9	3	0	10	4					

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

Canine Units

Craig Russell & Dioji

Mike Tyler & Kilo

(pronounced Dee-Oh-Gee)

ITEM	2013	2014
	NOV	NOV
Assigned Calls	85	105
Vehicle Stops	27	66
Other Activity	89	134
Felony Arrests	2	8
Misdemeanor Arrests	3	8
Ordinance Arrests	5	10
Warrant Arrest	11	14
Traffic Arrests	9	14
Ordinance Warnings	20	48
NOV's Issued	1	1

Narcotic Searches	Number of Sniffs		Number of Finds		Days Training	
Vehicles	11	4	5	2	1	0
Buildings	0	0	0	0		
Other (schools, etc.)	0	1	0	1		
Patrol Activities	Quantity		Other Activities		Quantity	
Area Search	1	0	Apprehensions (Bite)	0	0	
Tracking	0	0	Demonstrations	1	0	
Article Search	0	0	All Other	0	0	
Building Search	1	0	Apprehensions (NO Bite)	0	0	

Criminal Investigation Section

Number of Cases Opened in the Month
39

Number of Cases Closed in the Month
34

Cases opened and closed are not necessarily the same cases

Closed Case - Dispositions	
Arrests	28
Administratively closed	2
Prosecution Declined	1
Referred – Probation / SAO	2
Unfounded	0
Exceptionally Cleared	0

(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
APR (AVON 12) FIT TESTING	16	4.64
BASIC JUVENILE OFFICER CERTIFICATION	2	64
BREATH ALCOHOL OPERATOR RECERTIFICATION	1	1
CROWD CONTROL	64	161.09
ERT MONTHLY TRAINING	17	70.89
HAZMAT REFRESHER 2014	68	102
INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM (ICS 800) ONLINE TRNG	2	3
ITOA CONFERENCE	4	80
JTAG FORENSIC AND DEVICE REPAIR	1	40
K-9 TRAINING	1	4
MANDATORY FIREARMS FOR OUT OF STATE OFFICERS	1	4
ROLL CALL	74	37
ROLL CALL EBOLA	19	3.23
SNIPER TRAINING	3	3
TASER RECERTIFICATION	23	11.51
WHY GOOD COPS MAKE BAD DECISIONS	6	48
Total Training Hours		637.36

Awards / Accomplishments / Promotions / Appointments

November 2014 Employee of the Month

Sergeant Adam Yates and Officer Nathan Elbus were selected as Employees of the Month for November 2014.

Sergeant Yates and Officer Elbus were nominated for this recognition due to their lifesaving efforts on October 18, 2014. At around 1200 hours that date Officer Elbus was dispatched to the Early Tin Dusters event in the area of Washington Park regarding an unconscious 29 year old male who was not breathing. Upon arrival, Officer Elbus located the victim who was. Officer Elbus used an AED he had signed out to deliver a shock to the victim. Sgt. Yates, who also responded, arrived shortly thereafter and assisted Officer Elbus with 2-man CPR until QFD & EMS personnel arrived on scene at which time they took over care of the victim.

Officer Elbus then began gathering medical history information from the victim's family members to help first responders with treatment. It was learned that the victim had a prior diagnosis of an irregular heartbeat as well as a lengthy medical history. While on scene, paramedics were able to revive the victim who was then transported to the emergency room at Blessing Hospital where doctors confirmed that the victim had a heart beat and the initial prognosis looked favorable for recovery. The victim was placed in ICU where, sadly, he passed away a short time later.

While it is unfortunate that the victim ultimately died, the lifesaving efforts of these officers were not in vain. Their quick and proficient actions prolonged the victim's life, allowing his family the opportunity to see him, say goodbye, and have some closure.

Monthly Highlights

From Chief Copley

- Attended presentation from Quicketts Solutions on E-Tickets
- Chaired the Traffic Commission meeting
- Attended Fire and Police Commission meeting
- Participated in Mediation/Arbitration with PBPA contract negotiations
- Addressed officers attending Riot Control Training at the Civic Center
- Attended the CPA Graduation
- Attended a presentation by Digiticket on E-Tickets
- Hosted a Line Council Meeting in my office
- Participated in the Big Brother/Big Sister “Look Who’s Painting” fundraiser
- Participated in the Project Red Ribbon news conference
- Attended the Adams County Jail Committee meeting

From Deputy Chief VanderMaiden

- Attended weekly staff meetings
- -Attended Digiticket presentation
- -Attended MADD press conference kick-off
- -Attended Quincy health clinic presentation
- -Attended riot control training
- -Coordinated body armor inspection
- -Finalized DRT memoranda of understanding
- -Attended CPA graduation

From Deputy Chief Bingheim

- Participated in a table top exercise on infectious disease response
- Conducted monthly communications meeting
- Conducted a County-wide Radio communications meeting
- Attended a vendor meeting with Quicket Solutions
- Attended CIALEE meeting
- Attended a presentation on First Net
- Attended a presentation on City Health Clinic
- Attended Quincy Areas Safety Council meeting
- Attended vendor presentation by Digiticket
- Attended Annual MADD Red Ribbon Campaign kick off

ProAct Unit - Officer Kelly VanderMaiden and Asst. Deb Beebe

Information submitted by: Officer VanderMaiden

- Completed Crime Stoppers crime and fugitive information
- Sent Crime Stoppers information out to Lamar Advertising, WGEM, Channel 15
- Taped the Fugitive of the Week segment at KHQA and sent Crime Stoppers information to the Quincy Herald-Whig
- Profiled the crime of the week on WGEM radio
- Completed the coordinator’s report and stats for Crime Stoppers board meeting
- Attended Crime Stoppers board meeting
- Facilitated week 9 of the Citizen Police Academy
- I was available to answer the Crime Stoppers hotline and give payout/case information
- Crime Stoppers Fugitive Flyer came out in the Quincy Herald-Whig
- Facilitated week 10 of the Citizen Police Academy
- Worked on the Citizen Police Academy graduation banquet outline
- Set up two DARE graduation dates
- We set up for CPA graduation and held graduation in the evening at the Eagles Club
- Attended informational meeting on QMG/City health clinic
- Completed Taser recertification
- Attended riot training
- Worked on several upcoming presentations
- Located crime and fugitive to profile through the media this week
- Dropped off DARE graduation shirts to several schools
- Started to schedule DARE for next semester
- Picked up DARE essays from Blessed Sacrament and St. Francis Schools
- Sent Crime Stoppers information out to WGEM, Lamar Advertising, and Channel 15
- Taped the fugitive of the week segment at KHQA
- Did an interview with WGEM on home burglary prevention/holidays
- Did an interview with WGEM on shopping/parking lot safety for black Friday
- Finished up DARE classes and printing certificates, scheduled three upcoming graduations

From Around the Department

Submitted by Jennifer Sparrow

(Administrative Office Administrator)

- There were 18 Ride Alongs in October.
- Attended information meeting regarding health clinic
- Attended MADD Project Red Ribbon
- Completed and forwarded STEP News Release to news media
- Assisted in Quincy Mall sub post coverage on Black Friday
- Met with Dan Wood, IDOT Representative, regarding STEP Grant statistics

Submitted by Lieutenant Dan DuHamel (Day Shift)

Dayshift Squad 1:

- On Monday 11-10-14, officers responded to a home invasion/armed robbery that had just occurred at 305 Cedar where the residents had been robbed at gunpoint and the male resident, Josh Nelson, had been pistol-whipped. Through the subsequent investigation of this incident, which involved members of the Nightshift Squad 1 and Investigative personnel, four arrests were made on: Lacey Delcour; Roy Garrett Parker; Marnell Fulton and Murquise Wooden. This was a job well done by all the officers involved in this investigation.
- On Monday, 11-24-14, Officer Erica Scott was responding to a report of an accident at 17th and Spring when she came across a white male who had just abandoned his car in the middle of 17th Street, from Broadway to Spring. As Officer Scott attempted to make contact with the male to find out why he had left his car in the roadway, the male immediately fled from her. With the help of multiple officers working that day, they were able to locate the suspect behind 1535 Broadway. The suspect was identified as Marty J. Johnson, Jr. who had a revoked driver's license, and who also had drugs in his possession. Johnson was charged with Unlawful Possession of Methamphetamine < 5 Grams, Driving While License Revoked, Resisting a Peace Officer, and Unattended Motor Vehicle. He was lodged in the Adams County Jail. Officer Erica Scott was nominated for employee of the month based on this incident.

Dayshift Squad 2:

- On Monday, 11-03-14, Officers Kevin Taute and Jessica Willis were dispatched to an accident at 4th & Maine. Apparently, the suspect vehicle in the accident turned left (West) onto Maine St. from the easternmost lane on 4th Street and cut off the other driver, an Austin Brassfield. Brassfield was able to avoid the collision with the suspect vehicle, but did strike a curb causing damage to the front of his vehicle. Brassfield was then able to catch up to the suspect vehicle at 3rd & Maine, and took a picture of the suspect vehicle's license plate. The suspect vehicle's plate# was U29462, which came back to IDOT's Central Office Motor Pool in Springfield, IL. Officer Taute then contacted IDOT, who told him that the employee assigned to that vehicle was not in Quincy on 11-03-14, and had actually been in the Carbondale, IL area. Officer Taute then spoke with a supervisor at IDOT, who conducted an interview with the employee assigned to the suspect Hit & Run vehicle. After questioning, the employee finally admitted that he was in fact in Quincy on that date, and further admitted that he had caused the accident and had also left the scene. Officer Taute made arrangements with the IDOT employee, identified as Thomas L. Caldwell, to turn himself in at QPD on 11-21-14. Caldwell was arrested for an Improper Turn at an Intersection and Leaving the Scene of an Accident. Officer Taute and Willis were nominated for employee(s) of the month based on this case.

Submitted by Lieutenant Kathy Schisler (Night Shift)

Nightshift Squad 1

- On November 10, 2014 there was a home invasion that occurred just after 4pm. Squad 1 was working that night. The Street Crime Unit worked together with other officers to locate and arrest three of the suspects. Two other suspects were later arrested.
- On November 7, 2014 a couple were involved in a disturbance at a local bar. The male left and later set their apartment on fire. He fled from that incident and broke into the home of an acquaintance. The acquaintance's neighbors called her and said someone was in her apartment. We met her there and were able to apprehend the suspect before he could cause any more damage. This squad worked together to quickly get the residence surrounded, the suspect into custody and lodged in jail, and evidence collected.

Submitted by Lieutenant Kathy Schisler (Night Shift)

Nightshift Squad 2

- (14-30492). Female home alone at 1331 N 5th called in at 0057 hours that someone was in her house. She could hear him in her hallway, then outside of her locked bedroom door. Officers made entry and found a highly intoxicated male, Francis P. Coleman (51 yrs old) trying to get into her bedroom. Apparently they had a relationship 2plus years ago and she has been creeped out by him every since. He was lodged at the County Jail.
- Lieutenant Schisler and Sergeant Randy Wheeler attended a one day training in Springfield, IL called "Why Good Cops go Bad".
- On November 8th, QPD explorers participated in the Veterans Day activities at the airport. Officer Greg Liesen and two explorers went to the airport to help with traffic control, but due to circumstances, there was no traffic to direct.
- On November 26th, explorer Ryan Kuch participated in the Holy Hoops event by dressing up as Mcgruff and Playing QFD's Sparky in a game of CAT. Officer Greg Benson is the department's Explorer Leader.

Submitted by Lieutenant Dina Dreyer (Investigative Section)

- Detective Biswell attended training in Los Angeles, California regarding JTAG Forensic and Device Repair.
- Detective Supervisors and all Detectives attended Riot Control Training at the Oakley Lindsay Center during the month of November.
- The Detective Division was reduced from two members to one member currently assigned to our Central Illinois Task Force due to the recent promotion of Officer James Brown to Sergeant. He was recently assigned to the evening patrol division
- On 11-06-14, QPD officers responded to a structure fire at 1425 Broadway, a four apartment complex. All of the residents had made it out safely without injury. Besides a fire being set in an apartment in the complex a pile of clothing was set on fire under a car in the driveway outside the complex. Evidence in this case was sent to the Illinois State Crime Lab for additional analysis. Further investigation is continuing.

- On 11-10-14, Officers responded to a home Invasion at 305 Cedar in which three b/m suspects wearing masks and armed with handguns had entered the residence. A male resident was pistol whipped and forced to give the subjects cash. Suspects then fled in a vehicle. Detectives located and later arrested all three suspects and the individual who was the getaway driver. All four were lodged in jail.
- On 11-11-14, a female contacted police regarding a male subject who grabbed her while she was walking southbound on the alley 8th to 9th / York to Kentucky at 1501 hours. The male subject had exited a black full size van which was parked in the alley. The victim was able to elbow and kick the suspect to get away. No witnesses have been located up to this point and the investigation is continuing.
- On 11-14-14, Detectives were asked to assist the Carthage Police Department in reference to a theft of a construction trailer and contents stolen from a construction site in Carthage. They had received information that the stolen trailer was in Quincy. The trailer was subsequently located and the construction trailer and tools were turned over to Carthage Police. Arrested was David Speer for Possession of Stolen Property and Tampering with VIN plate.
- On 11-16-14, Akeel Hodge was arrested after officers found him with a 13-year old girl inside a vehicle at Bob Bangert Park. It was found during the course of the investigations that Hodge had sexual intercourse with the girl. Hodge is lodged in the Adams County Jail pending his trial which is scheduled for January 12, 2015.
- On 11-18-14, Kevin D. Fortman, was found guilty of the charge of Financial Exploitation of the Elderly after a two day trial in Adams County Circuit Court. He will be sentenced on January 9, 2015 and could receive between four and fifteen years in the Illinois Department of Corrections. Fortman had power of attorney over his 85 year old mother's affairs. She was living in a Quincy nursing home when Fortman took more than \$8,000 between September 2013 and March 2014. The jury was out for 45 minutes before returning the guilty verdict.
- On 11-20-14, Michael C. Hawk, was arrested on a charge of financial exploitation of the elderly after an investigation. Hawk misused several thousand dollars belonging to an 83 year old family member who is a resident of a Quincy nursing home.

ec: All QPD Personnel

Mayor's Office

Ms. Glenda Hackemack, Director of Administrative Services

Ms. Jenny Hayden, City Clerk,

Ms. Laura Hirt City Clerk's Office

Ms. Vicki Ebbing for Board of Fire and Police Commissioners

IT Department for Aldermen packets