# ANNUAL REPORT

2015

Platteville, Wisconsin POLICE DEPARTMENT



Front Row: L-R: Off. T.J. Sheffer, Sgt Andrea Droessler, Off. Devin Malott, Sgt Kris Purkapile, Off. Coree Lee, Chief Doug McKinley, Off. Matt Froiseth, Dispatcher Laura Brown, Dispatcher Kayla Braley. Second Row: L-R: Off. Pat Cieslewicz, Off. Paul Rehlinger, Off. Candace Koch, Off. Nate Auz, Off. Jake Brown, Det. Amy Hartwig, Dispatcher Janet Sanders, Secretary Jenifer Schmid. Third Row: L-R: Lt. Bruce Buchholtz, Det. Rick Lawrence, Sgt. Ryan Knoernschild, Sgt, Josh Grabandt, Off. Tony Vander Velden, Office Administrator Tim Charles, Off. Sam Vandevort, Lt. Jeff Haas

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## **Police Department**

Doug McKinley, Chief of Police

Home of the University of Wisconsin-Platteville

January 21, 2016

Platteville Residents Council President Eileen Nickels Common Council Members Police & Fire Commissioners City Manager Karen Kurt

Residents, Council Members, Commissioners, and Ms. Kurt,

2015 was a year in which police use of force incidents throughout the nation remained in the headlines. The perceived lack of transparency during the investigation of these incidents and a lack of connection with communities served by the involved police agencies led to intervention by the Federal Government and calls for independent investigations and greater community oversight of law enforcement agencies. Acts of terrorism and active shooter incidents ruled the headlines as well and served as grim reminders that bad things can and will take place in the United States and elsewhere.

Locally at the Police Department we proved the only constant we can count on is that we will experience significant changes in our workforce. This change is difficult because we end up saying good bye to longtime friends and employees with a great deal of institutional knowledge but it also allows us to bring new people on board along with their new ideas and enthusiasm for the field of law enforcement. Perhaps the biggest concern with losing employees is the difficulty with attracting and hiring their replacements. Our experience mimics the national and state-wide trend in which law enforcement agencies are seeing fewer and fewer applicants for police positions. Some of this can be traced to the media's negative portrayal of police officers but other factors contribute to this trend and we need to identify them and take steps to reduce or eliminate them.

Please take the time to read through our Annual Report. It contains statistics on crime and calls for service drawn from our community. It also features our current staff and sworn officers. If you have questions after reading this document please contact me at the Platteville Police Department at 608-348-2313 or via e-mail at mckinleyd@platteville.org.

Sincerely,

Doug McKinley Chief of Police

## **Mission Statement**

We will take an active role in the community to encourage trust and open communication ensuring the highest quality of life.

## **Organizational Goals**

Recognizing that an organization's most valuable resource is its people, we will strive to enhance professional development, provide a safe work environment, and recognize excellence.

We are committed to building public trust through responsible management of department resources and impartial delivery of police services.

To ensure the highest quality of life we will take an active role in the community to encourage open lines of communication.

## **Organizational Values**

Human Life – We believe that nothing is more valuable than human life. We will defend it to the very end. We use the minimum amount of force necessary in all situations that escalate above open dialogue.

Integrity – We believe that integrity is the cornerstone of our values system. We will not compromise others or ourselves.

Diversity – We believe in the richness of diversity. We recognize, appreciate and learn from the many cultures that make up the fabric of our society.

Team Work – We believe an organization's strength rests with its people. Recognizing that each employee is a valuable member of a team enables us to unite as one cohesive unit to achieve common goals.

Caring – We will be caring in all that we do. The needs and concerns of our clients are paramount. We will make every effort to show empathy and sensitivity for victims, complainants and others.

Partnership – We believe the community has a major stake in determining how it should receive police services. Therefore we will foster a true partnership with the community, striving towards obtaining community input in how we provide and deliver police services.

# **Police Organizational Chart**

## **City Council**

## **City Manager**

Responsible for personnel functions for civilian employees

# Police and Fire Commission

Responsible for personnel functions for sworn employees

# **Doug McKinley Chief of Police**

#### **Tim Charles**

Administrative Service

2 Secretaries

#### Lt. Bruce Buchholtz

**Operations Commander** 

#### Lt. Jeff Haas

Support Services Commander

## 4 Sergeants

**10 Officers** 

## 3 Investigators

**6 Telecommnicators** 

**5 Community Service Officers** 

### **Command Staff**

Under the general direction of the City Manager, the Chief of Police is responsible for planning, coordinating, supervising, and evaluating all police department operations. On a day-to- day basis the two Lieutenants' responsibilities include supervising investigators, training, scheduling, purchasing, and communications. The Office Manager supervises the Telecommunications and secretarial staff and assists the Management Team. The Management Team works together in budgeting, policy development, program development, and the general administration of the Police Department.



**Chief of Police Doug McKinley** 

Hired: June 1991

Education: B.A. Criminal Justice Promoted to Lieutenant: October 2002

Named Chief: July 2005

Chief McKinley is a 1990 graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Platteville. McKinley was one of the department's Emergency Vehicle Operations Course (E.V.O.C.) instructors and he has also taught at the U.W.-Platteville Recruit Academy, the Southwest Wisconsin Technical College and as an Adjunct Professor at the UW-Platteville. McKinley was formerly a lieutenant in charge of the Support Services Division at the department as well as the Project

Director of the Iowa-Grant Drug Task Force. Doug started as a patrol officer with the Platteville PD in 1991. Doug began his career in law enforcement as an undercover investigator in the Washington County Sheriff's Department multi-jurisdictional drug unit in West Bend, WI. Doug is a 2001 graduate of the Northwestern University School of Police Staff and Command and a 2005 graduate of the FBI sponsored Law Enforcement Executive Development Seminar.



**Lieutenant Bruce Buchholtz** 

Hired: May 1990

Education: B.A. Psychology, M.S. Justice Administration

Fox Valley Technical School-Police Academy

Promoted to Sergeant: June 1997 Promoted to Lieutenant: August 2005

Lt. Buchholtz is a 1989 graduate of Ripon College. He has served as the department's coordinator of the Tactical Response Team (TRT). Lt. Buchholtz currently serves as Operations Commander. Lt. Buchholtz is a Defensive Arrest and Tactics (D.A.A.T) and Vehicle Contacts instructor and has served as a Field Training Officer. Lt. Buchholtz instructs at both the U.W.-Platteville Recruit

Academy and the Southwest Wisconsin Technical College. He is a graduate of the University of Louisville's Southern Police Institute (107<sup>th</sup> AOC) and graduated in 2007 with a Master's Degree in Justice Administration through the University of Louisville.



**Lieutenant Jeff Haas** 

Education: B.A. Criminal Justice

Hired: March 1995

Promoted to Sergeant: August 2005 Promoted to Lieutenant: January 2009

Lt. Haas is a 1995 graduate of UW-Platteville with a Degree in Criminal Justice. Lt. Haas is currently the Support Services Lieutenant for the police department and is an Emergency Vehicle Operations Instructor. Lt. Haas is a 2007 graduate of the Fox Valley Technical College Executive Development Institute and a 2009 graduate of the FBI sponsored Law Enforcement Executive Development Seminar. Lt. Haas has recently completed the International

Association of Chiefs of Police 'Leadership in Police Organizations' program. Lt. Haas is a former member of the Grant County Crisis Resolution Team and has instructed for UW-Platteville Recruit Academy and for Southwest Wisconsin Technical College. Lt. Haas served on the Platteville Volunteer Fire Department for 18 years, having served in the capacity of Captain and fire investigator. Lt. Haas is also veteran of the U.S. Navy.



Office Administrator Tim Charles

Hired: June 1990

**Education: Technical Communications** 

Tim is a veteran of the U.S Army serving as a Military Policeman and Physical Security Inspector, in Europe, where he also served in the V Corps Honor Guard. Tim is a former police officer for the Village of Cassville and was the A.V. director for the School District for 7 years before joining the Police Department.



**Sergeant Terry Terpstra** 

Education: B.S. - Sociology, Winona State University, Winona, MN

Waukesha County Technical College-Police Academy

Hired: 10-18-99

Promoted to Sergeant 9-11-05

Resigned: May 2015 to become Cuba City's Chief of Police



#### Sergeant Josh Grabandt

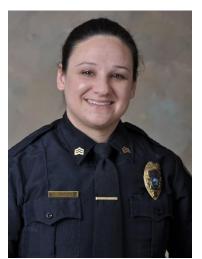
Education: B.S. – Criminal Justice

Hired: 1-3-00

Promoted to Sergeant 10-5-8

Sgt. Grabandt is a 1999 graduate of the U.W. Platteville with a B.S. in Criminal Justice. Josh comes to us with a great deal of experience in Narcotics investigations. Josh is also a member of the departments Tactical Response Team and served for many years as the departments Lead Detective. Sergeant Grabandt is a 2010 graduate of the Fox Valley Technical College Executive Development Institute. Sergeant Grabandt has also taught several courses at UW-Platteville as an adjunct Professor and also instructed at Southwest Wisconsin Technical College. Active in the community, Sergeant Grabandt is

the vice-president on the Platteville School board and a little league coach.



#### Sergeant Andrea Droessler

Hired: 5-13-01

Education: B.S. Criminal Justice. Promoted to SGT August 2013

Sergeant Droessler is a 2001 graduate of the U.W. –Platteville where she also received her Police Recruit Certification. Andrea spent several years as the Department's Community Policing Coordinator, splitting her time between community policing activities and conducting investigations. Andrea returned to the patrol unit in March of 2009. Andrea served as an Officer in Charge and a Field Training Officer until her promotion to Sergeant. She has been an Advisor for the Department's

Explorer Post since 2004. Andrea is a graduate of the 2014-2015 Wisconsin Command College and has assumed the supervisory role of the Field Training Program for the Department.



#### Sergeant Ryan Knoernschild

Hired: 12-1-8

Education: 2005: B.S. Building Construction Management, UW-Platteville

2008: Law Enforcement Academy, S.W. Tech, Fennimore

Promoted to SGT: October 2014

Officer Knoernschild is a 2005 graduate of the U.W.-Platteville, and comes to us from Hazel Green. He was previously employed as a project manager for a construction firm in Racine, WI, but moved back to Platteville to be closer to family and pursue his career in law enforcement. Ryan is currently the lead firearms instructor for the Department.



#### Sergeant Kristine Purkapile

Education: B.S. - Criminal Justice, Minor in Mathematics

Hired: September 2007

Promoted to Sergeant: May 2015

Officer Purkapile is a 2007 graduate of U.W.-Platteville, with a B.S. in Criminal Justice and a minor in Mathematics. Kris graduated from the Southwest Wisconsin Technical College Police Academy in August of 2007. Officer Purkapile grew up in the Evansville, Wisconsin area graduating from the Evansville High School in 2002. Officer Purkapile has achieved the rank of Officer In Charge (OIC) and is a Field Training Officer (FTO). In 2011, Kris became a certified Emergency Vehicle Operations and Control (EVOC) instructor. Officer Purkapile is also serving as a Platteville Explorer Post #480 advisor and an assistant softball

coach for the Platteville High School softball program. Kris enjoys any outdoor activities but is a committed softball player and enjoys biking and traveling.

#### **Police Officers**

Platteville Police Officers provide a wide variety of services to the community. The majority of Police Officers' tasks are traffic enforcement, investigations, and community service calls. Officers are also involved in a number of Community Policing programs geared toward obtaining compliance with community expectations and engaging in other activities designed to inform, train and mobilize the citizens in an effort to reduce or eliminate crime and social disorder.



Officer Terry (T.J.) Sheffer Hired: October 2005

Education: B.S. Criminal Justice, Associate Electronics

T.J. is a veteran of the U.S. Marines where he served 4 years as a field radio operator and 2 years in the Army Reserve. T.J. served as a Police Telecommunicator for 6 years prior to being hired as a Police Officer. Besides a B.S. in Criminal Justice T.J. also received an Associate Degree in Electronics from the Southwest Wisconsin Technical College.



Officer Amy Hartwig
Hired: January 2007
Education, B.S. Criminal Justice

Amy comes to us from the New Glarus Police Department where she had been an Officer since 2004. She graduated from the UW-Platteville in 2004. Amy has also served on the Platteville EMS squad. Amy is currently assigned as a Detective.



Officer Nathan Auz Education: B.S. Criminal Justice Hired: September 2007

Officer Auz is a 2007 graduate of the UW-Platteville, with a B.S. in Criminal Justice. Nathan graduated from the Southwest Technical College Police Academy in August of 2007. In the spring of 2010, Officer Auz earned the rank of Officer in Charge (OIC) and has since become a certified Field Training Officer, a Defense and Arrest Tactics Instructor, Taser Instructor, and a member of the Grant / Iowa County Tactical Response Team. Officer Auz grew up in rural Richland County, Wisconsin and graduated from Ithaca High School in 2003



**Officer Pat Cieslewicz** 

Education: UW Stevens Point.

Hired: 10-6-8

Before coming to Platteville Officer Cieslewicz also worked in Law Enforcement for the Wisconsin DNR and also for the Black Creek Police Department. Off-duty, Pat is an avid outdoorsman. Pat is currently a Firearms and Vehicle Contacts instructor for the Department.



Officer Paul Rehlinger

Education: 2008, B.S. Criminal Justice, 2008, Law Enforcement Academy

Hired: Jan 26, 2009

Paul comes to us from Hartford, WI. Officer Rehlinger was previously employed by the Platteville Police Department as a Community Service Officer. On his off time, if he is not spending time with his family, he tries to stay busy with DIY projects. He also enjoys hunting, fishing, and other outdoor activities.



**Officer Richard Lawrence** 

Hired: May 2009

Education: 1995 Graduate of University of Wisconsin-River Falls; B.S.

Conservation and Land Use Management

2009 Southwest Technical College Law Enforcement Academy

Rick comes to the Dept. from Benton, WI; Graduate of Benton High School Rick spent the previous 14 years working on projects involving the restoration and long-term protection of natural resources in WI, IL, & IA. Officer Lawrence achieved the rank of Officer In Charge (OIC) in 2012, and is currently assigned as a Detective. Officer Lawrence serves as the department's Crisis/Hostage Negotiator. Since 2013, Officer Lawrence has taught in the Criminal Justice Department at UW-Platteville as an Adjunct Professor. Officer Lawrence has been a member of the Benton Fire Department for 17 years, and spent ten years as a member of the Board of Education for the Benton School District.



Officer Matt Froiseth Hired: January 2011

Education: 2010 Graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Platteville; B.A. Criminal Justice and Minor in Business Administration 2010 Southwest Technical College Law Enforcement Academy

Matt was born and raised in Viroqua, WI and worked as a part-time police officer for the Viroqua PD from October 2010-January 2011. Matt enjoys hunting, fishing, and is an avid sports fan.



Officer Jacob Brown Hired November 2011 Education: Bachelor of Science degree UW Platteville Criminal Justice

Jacob comes from Darlington where he was previously employed by the Darlington Police Department and was a Lafayette County Sheriff's Deputy, Jacob enjoys hunting, fishing, and hanging out with his family



**Officer Sam Vandevort** Hired 1-2-12

Education: 2010 Graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Platteville; B.S. Criminal Justice

2010 Southwest Technical College Law Enforcement Academy

Sam was born and raised in Manitowoc, WI. He graduated from Manitowoc Lincoln High School in 2006. He worked security at the Point Beach Nuclear Plant before being hired by the City of Platteville. Sam enjoys movies, swimming and scuba diving.



Officer Candace Koch Hired: August 2013

Education: Graduated from UW-P in 2012 with a B.S. in Forensic Investigation. Completed Police Academy at Southwest Technical College.

Enjoys spending time with family and friends, outdoor activities, fishing, hiking, and working out. Born in Texas, attended college in Virginia and also lived in Oregon. High school graduate from Juda, WI.



Officer Tony Vander Velden Hired: 1-6-2014

Education: 2013 Graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Platteville; B.S. Criminal Justice. 2013 Southwest Technical College Law Enforcement Academy.

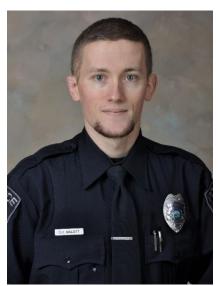
Tony was born and raised in the Random Lake, WI area. He graduated high school in 2009 and spent the following four years attending college in Platteville. Tony enjoys camping, kayaking, and fishing.



Officer Coree Lee Hiring Date: July 2015

Education: B.S. Criminal Justice: Law Enforcement emphasis (UW-Platteville: Spring 2014 Graduate) Southwest Technical College Law Enforcement Academy (August 2014 Graduate)

Coree is from Monroe and was a Military Policeman: Wisconsin Army National Guard (4 Years Served) Coree has also served as a Part-Time Police Officer: and on the Rock River Safety Patrol (DNR Job: 2015) **Hobbies:** Fishing, Scuba Diving, & Camping



Officer Devin Malott Hiring Date: August 2015

**Education:** Associates in Criminal Justice (Southwest Wisconsin Technical College: Spring 2014 Graduate) Southwest Technical College Law Enforcement Academy (May 2014 Graduate)

Devin is from Darlington and is currently an Infantryman in the Army National Guard (4 Years Served). Devin has also served as a Part-Time Police Officer for Lafayette County Sheriff's Office, Argyle Police Department, Shullsburg Police Department, and Belmont Police Department.

**Hobbies:** Fishing, Hunting, Trapping, DYI projects/carpentry

## **Telecommunicators**

The Public Safety Telecommunicators answer telephones for the following city departments and other agencies: the Platteville Police Department, Southwest Health Ambulance Service, Platteville Fire Department, UW-Platteville Police, emergency elevator telephones throughout the city, and all City of Platteville Offices (when those offices are closed). The phones include the Enhanced 911 (E911) system that immediately displays the name, phone number, address and directions to the location of the phone making the call. The E-911 database allows the Telecommunicator to enter information that is pertinent to the location or customer.

The Telecommunicators communicate with all of the previously listed agencies using the following radio systems: Platteville City Government, Platteville Fire, Southwest Health Center, UW-Platteville, Grant County Sheriff, County Simulcast Paging System and Point to Point (connecting all police agencies). The Telecommunicators can also monitor WISPERN.

The Telecommunicators dispatch in excess of 14,000 police, fire, and ambulance calls per year. Public Safety Telecommunicators also enter and retrieve information in and from the State and National Crime databases, vehicle registration files and driver's license files. This information includes criminal activity, missing persons and stolen property. This national computer system allows this department to share information with the nation's law enforcement and criminal justice agencies. The Support Services Commander and the Office Manager supervise the Telecommunicators.



**Telecommunicator Janet Sanders** Hired: 2-10-81

Janet, a UW-Platteville Graduate is the senior Telecommunicator. In addition to her regular duties of dispatching, Janet is responsible for maintaining the parking citation follow-ups, warnings, and mailings.



**Telecommunicator Traci Winkler** Hired 10-3-92

Traci began with the Police Department as a Parking Attendant for a number of years before joining the Dispatch staff as a Part-time Telecommunicator. She later elected to accept a full-time position.



**Telecommunicator Amy Dillman** 

Hired: 5-16-05

Amy has been a Dispatcher with the Grant County Sheriffs Department and the Ripon Police Department and brings a great deal of experience to this job. Amy has attended UW-Oshkosh and is currently attending the U.W. Platteville.



**Telecommunicator Laura Brown** 

Hired: 6-14-05

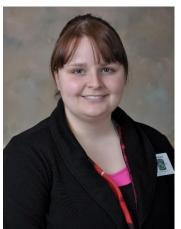
Laura graduated with a B.A in Elementary Education and Early Childhood Education from Augustana College, Sioux Falls, SD in May 1991. Laura has taught in the states of Illinois, Iowa, and Wisconsin. Laura has lived in Platteville since 2002 and was a substitute teacher previously for Platteville School District. In July 2013, Laura became a certified Emergency Telecommunicator from the National Academy of Emergency Dispatch of the United States.



**Telecommunicator Melissa Kress** 

Hired: 2-20-12

Melissa attended UW-Platteville and Southwest Wisconsin Technical College and has a degree in Criminal Justice. Melissa is a Lancaster native and had formerly worked as a Police Dispatcher for Watertown and the Grant County Sheriff's Department.

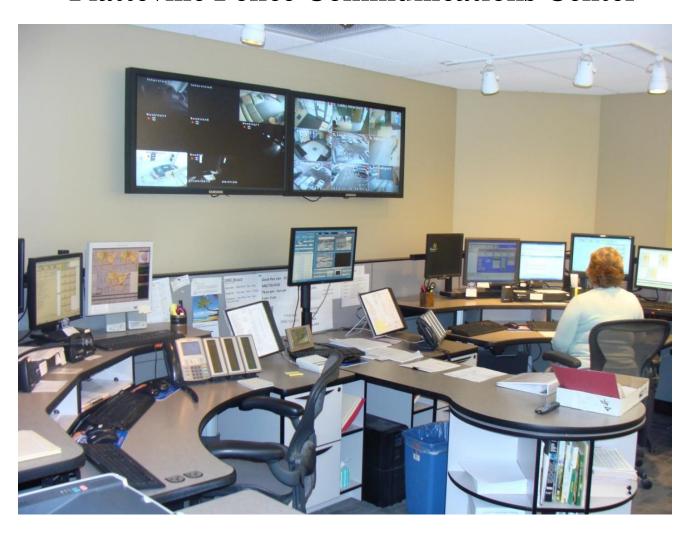


**Telecommunicator Kayla Braley** 

Hired: May 2015

Kayla began working for the Platteville Police Department in May of 2015. She graduated high school in Darlington, WI in the spring of 2011. At the University of Wisconsin-Platteville she earned a degree in Forensic Investigation and is working on a degree in Spanish.

## **Platteville Police Communications Center**



## **2015 Community Service Officers**

The Police Department – Community Service Officer Program completed its 12th year of non-critical service for our community. CSO responsibilities include data entry, parking enforcement, non-critical clerical tasks, funeral escorts, traffic direction, school pedestrian safety, problem solving, etc... to name a few. The CSO's currently also supply support for, the Animal Control Program and the Citizen's Academy. Officers are equipped with a 4-wheel drive truck used for delivery of essential, but non-critical police services.

#### **Secretaries**

The secretaries transcribe and update reports dictated by the Police Officers. When not transcribing reports, the secretaries complete a great variety of clerical tasks for members of the Management Team.



**Secretary Sarah Hake** Hired: April 2009

Sarah is a part-time secretary/receptionist with her primary duties being report transcription, department receptionist, performing clerical duties on the day shift. She is primarily responsible for maintaining video backups and training records. Sarah formerly served as the secretary/office manager of the drug task force from 1999-2004. Sarah enjoys spending time with her family, serving as a volunteer Firefighter, First Responder, fire department treasurer, and steward of her church.



Secretary Jennifer Schmid Hired 1-14-85 (Dispatcher) Transferred to Police Secretary in December 2011

Jennifer is the Full-time secretary/transcriptionist with her primary duties being report transcription, department receptionist and performing clerical duties on the day shift. Jennifer formerly served as a Police Telecommunicator for 26 years.





#### • 2015 Year in Review

- January-the Police Department Officer Manager began submitting our crime statistics to the State and Federal Government via the Incident Based Reporting System (IBRS) rather than using the Unified Crime Reporting System (UCR) which had been in place since the inception of computerized crime reporting.
- January to June-Sgt. Josh Grabandt and Chief Doug McKinley attend LEAN training along with other City and County employees and officials.
- February-Three home invasion/robbery cases are reported to the Police Department. A lengthy investigation ensues and it results in the identification and conviction of a suspect on nine felony charges related to these incidents.
- May-the first annual Derby Days event is held. A large crowd attends the parade and the concert.
- May-Kayla Braley is hired as a part-time Dispatcher.
- May-Sgt. Terry Terpstra resigns to become the Chief of the Cuba City Police Department.
- June-Officer Kris Purkapile was promoted to Sergeant.
- June-Sgt. Andrea Droessler graduated from the Department of Justice's Command College. This is a senior management level course intended for leaders in the field of law enforcement.
- June-a sudden thunderstorm and windstorm batters the City and the surrounding area. Many limbs were blown down and several buildings sustained extensive damage. No injuries were reported.
- July-Coree Lee is hired as an Officer with the Platteville Police Dept.
- August-Devin Malott is hired as an Officer with the Platteville Police Dept.
- September-a community picnic is hosted by the Platteville Police Department Sergeants and Officers. Attendees were treated to hotdogs, punch and cookies. Officers were on hand to answer questions about parking enforcement, little known ordinances and how to be a good neighbor.
- September-a barricaded suspect/hostage incident is successfully resolved with the aid of the Grant County Crisis Resolution Team.
- September-a bicyclist is killed in a collision with a motor vehicle on Business Hwy 151.
- November-racial discord at the Platteville High School results in a number of high profile disputes necessitating police involvement.
- December-the 8<sup>th</sup> annual Shop with a Cop program is held. Members of the Fire Department, Ambulance Service, UW-Platteville Police Department and the Platteville PD all assisted with the event and shopped with children from the community.
- December-a motorist is killed in a three vehicle accident which occurred on Business Hwy 151.
- December-the Library Block Development project breaks ground.

#### Platteville Police Explorers #480

The Platteville Police Explorer Post #480 continues to be lead by Sergeant Andrea Droessler, Sergeant Kris Purkapile and Sergeant Jason Williams. Officer Tony VanderVelden and Officer Kirk Osborn are also assisting as advisors this year.

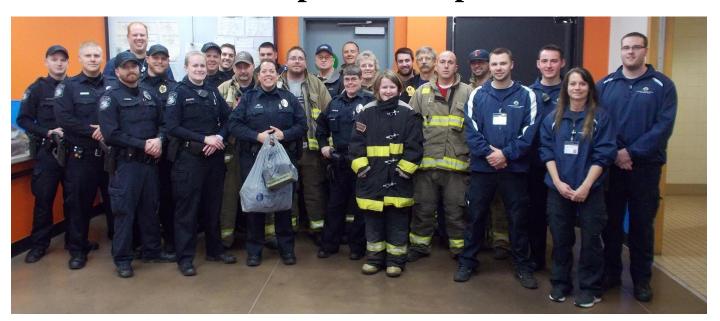
In April 2015, 6 members of the Post participated in the Fox Valley Law Enforcement Explorer Competition. Three teams received plaques, placing in the top three of their events. Mitchel Burkholder and Jeremy Cliff placed 1st and 2nd, respectively, in the individual law test. Overall, Post #480 placed 2nd, out of 18 teams from across Wisconsin.

Post #480 also hosted our annual Taco Dinner in April 2015. This event continues to be a successful fundraiser for Post activities and equipment because of the gracious donations of Los Amigos, the Platteville Elks Lodge and Dairy Queen.

Our annual Open House was hosted in September. We were grateful to see returning members and many new faces eager to learn about law enforcement and assist in the Platteville community. Post #480 members assisted the City and University Police Departments providing traffic and crowd control during Platteville Dairy Days, UW-Platteville Homecoming Parade, Run with the Cops and city wide Trick-or-Treat.

Please contact one of the above listed advisors if you, or someone you know, would like to join!

## Shop with a Cop



**Community Picnic** 



#### Principal functions/major programs (What does this unit do?):

The City is served by 20 sworn officers (this number includes 13 officers, 4 sergeants, 2 lieutenants, and a chief), an administrative assistant/office manager, 4 full-time and 2 part-time dispatchers, 1 full-time secretary and 1 half-time secretary, 5 part-time Community Service Officers, 1 Crossing guard. Together these employees provide the following:

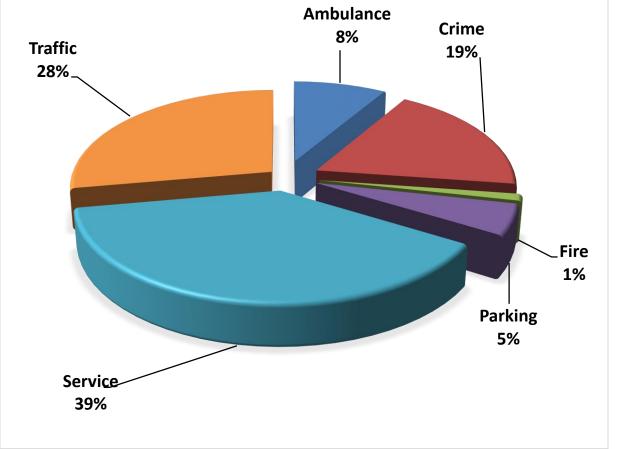
- Dispatch Services: 24-hours a day for Platteville Police Department Officers, the Platteville Emergency Medical Service, the Platteville Fire Dept., and the University of Wisconsin-Platteville Campus Police Dept. Contingency Dispatch Center for the Grant Co. Sheriff's Dept. and back-up 911 Emergency Call Center for Grant Co.
- Enforcement of State statutes, local ordinances and traffic laws
- Specialized Investigations-3 detectives pursue matters requiring time intensive investigation or incidents requiring expertise not typically possessed by line officers
- Patrol of the City to detect criminal activity and to provide a police presence
- Community Policing-engaging members of the community to resolve issues of mutual concern
- Community Service Officers-UW-P Students employed as non-sworn members of the PD; they handle non-emergency calls for service, direct traffic and enforce parking ordinances.
- In-house training of officers-to enhance professionalism, engage in career development, reduce overtime, and provide officers with the skills needed to respond to calls for service in a rapidly changing environment
- Member of the Richland-Iowa-Grant Drug Task Force-a unit specializing in the investigation of drug related incidents
- Crisis Resolution Team-The PD participates in the county-wide tactical team which responds to calls of an elevated risk such as barricaded suspects, high risk warrant service, etc.
- Police Explorer Post #480: training on police topics for youth ages 14-20; police as positive role models, assistance at City functions
- Crossing guard duties at two intersections adjacent to Platteville Schools.

Workload indicators (production data - # of things accomplished this year):

	2014	2015
Ambulance Calls		
Crime	2865	2682
Fire Calls	161	163
Parking	761	748
Traffic		
Calls for Service	5556	5533
Crashes	340	356

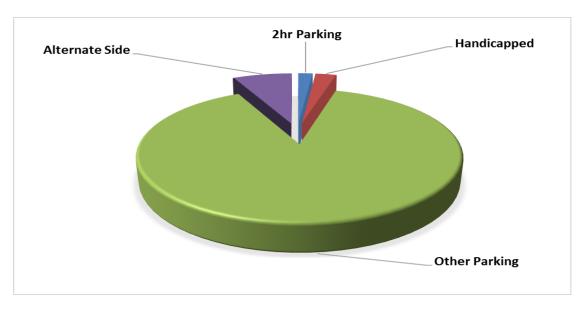
**Police Activities Report** 

Ambulance	Crime	Fire	Parking	Service	Traffic	
1228	2682	163	748	5533	3981	
Ambulance						



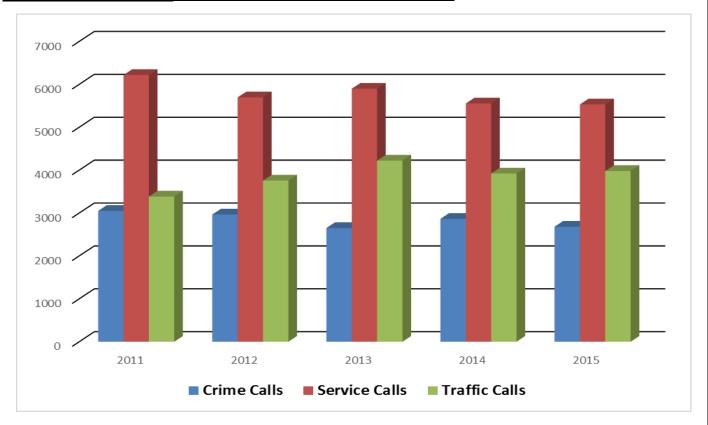
**City Parking Complaints** 

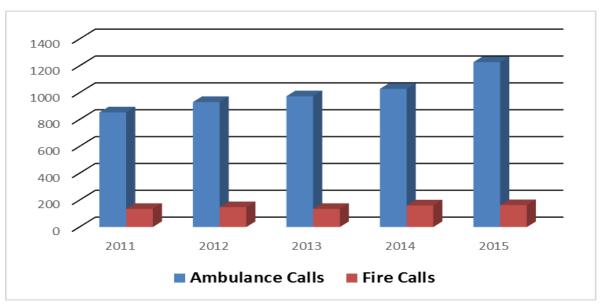
3hr Parking	Handicapped	Other Parking	Alternate Side
13	19	662	54



## **Five Year Analysis of Police Calls**

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Ambulance Calls	854	931	974	1029	1228
Fire Calls	135	148	135	161	163
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Crime Calls	3051	2967	2651	2865	2682
Service Calls	6219	5697	5898	5556	5533
Traffic Calls	3385	3758	4224	3921	3981



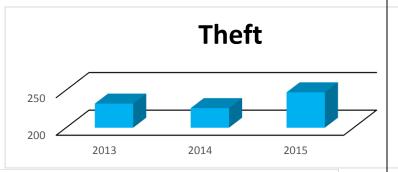


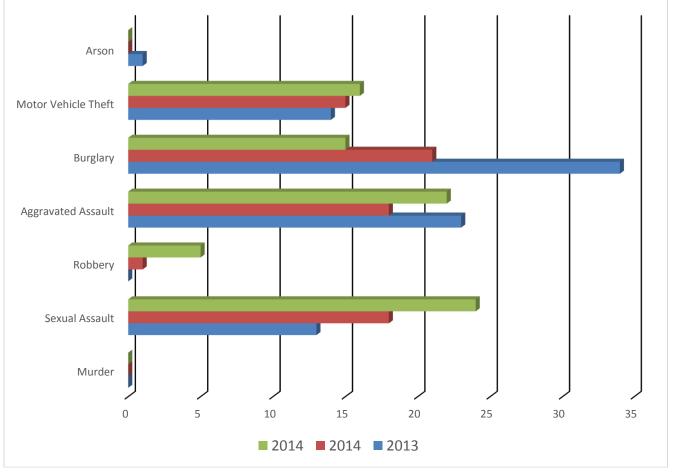
#### **Crime Calls**

In Wisconsin all sheriff's departments, police departments with a population of 1500 or more and University of Wisconsin campuses submit monthly reports to the Wisconsin Department of Justice, Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Office. These Part I crimes fall into eight categories as follows:

- 1. **Murder** willful killing of one human being by another.
- 2. **Sexual Assault** forcible carnal knowledge of a female.
- 3. **Robbery** taking anything of value from a person by force or threat of force.
- 4. **Aggravated Assault** unlawful attack by one person upon another (use or threat of use of a weapon or serious injury).
- 5. **Burglary** unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or theft.
- 6. **Theft** unlawful taking of property from the possession of another (this does not include fraud).
- 7. **Motor Vehicle Theft** theft of a motor vehicle.
- 8. **Arson** willful burning of a structure, motor vehicle, or personal property.

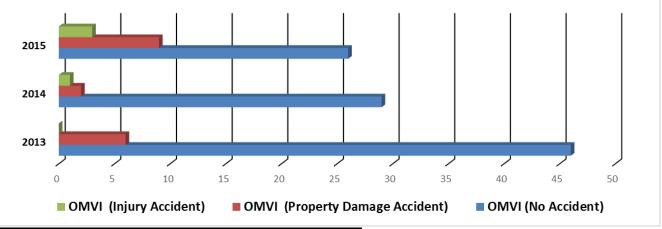
	2013	2014	2015
Murder	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	13	18	24
Robbery	0	1	1
Aggravated Assault	23	18	22
Burglary	34	21	15
<b>Motor Vehicle Theft</b>	14	15	16
Arson	1	0	0



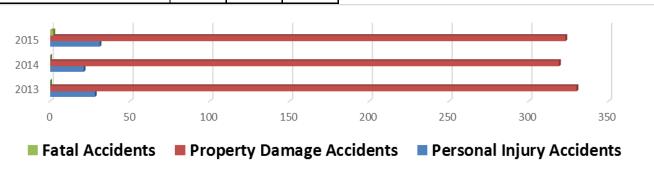


## 2015 Traffic

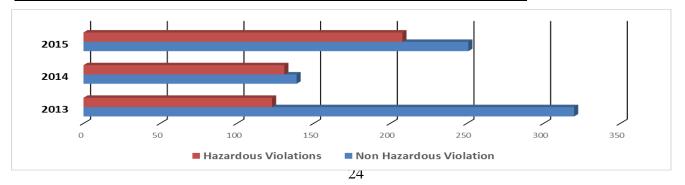
	2013	2014	2015
OMVI (No Accident)	46	29	26
OMVI (Property Damage Accident)	6	2	9
OMVI (Injury Accident)	0	1	3



	2013	2014	2015
Personal Injury Accidents	28	21	31
<b>Property Damage Accidents</b>	330	319	323
Fatal Accidents	0	0	2

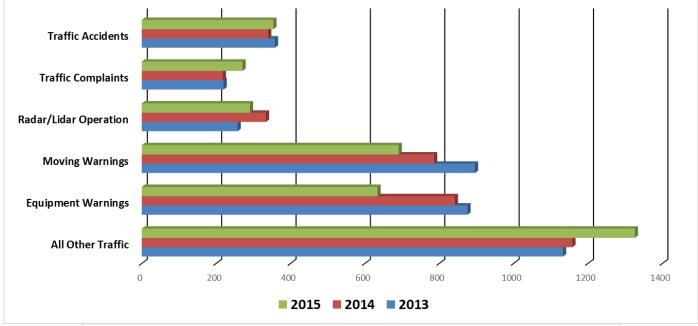


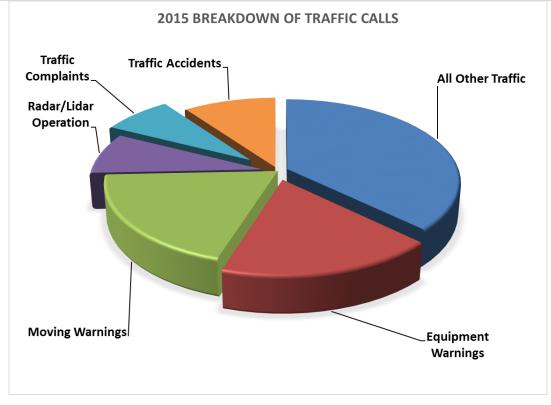
Traffic Violations and Citations	2013	2014	2015
Hazardous (No Accident)	106	83	145
<b>Hazardous</b> (Property Damage Accident)	16	36	51
Hazardous (Injury Accident)	1	12	12
Non-Hazardous (No Accident)	312	131	241
Non-Hazardous (Property Damage Accident)	4	7	7
Non-Hazardous (Injury Accident)	4	1	3



## **Other Traffic**

	2013	2014	2015
All Other Traffic	1133	1158	1326
Equipment Warnings	876	842	634
Moving Warnings	896	786	691
Radar/Lidar Operation	258	334	291
Traffic Complaints	220	218	271
Traffic Accidents	358	340	354





## **Service Calls**

In addition to Crime and Traffic Prevention/Enforcement, the Platteville Police Department responds to a great number of calls for service. Below is a breakdown of Service Calls comparing 2012-2014

	2013	2014	2015
Open Doors	35	57	46
Motorist Assists	136	116	135
<b>Locked Vehicle/Residences Assists</b>	571	581	498
Law Enforcement Assists	286	268	261
Other Civil Assists	674	796	700
Security Checks	484	538	703
Tavern Checks	48	122	79
<b>Special Patrols</b>	147	154	219
Police Escorts	79	67	61
Alarms	137	124	106
Attempt to Locate	16	39	37
Misc. Community Policing	800	784	435
Salvation Army Requests	40	37	30
All Other Service	2445	2565	2223

