



STURGEON BAY POLICE DEPARTMENT



The mission of the Sturgeon Bay Police Department is to serve, protect, and work in partnership with the community to ensure a safe, nurturing environment.

To: The Honorable Mayor
 Members of the Common Council
 Members of the Police and Fire Commission
 City Administrator Josh VanLieshout
 Officers of the Sturgeon Bay Police Department
 Media

From: Captain Daniel J. Brinkman

Subject: Monthly Report for October, 2019

Date: November 11, 2019

The following is a summary of the Police Department’s activities for the month of October that includes crimes investigated, traffic accidents investigated, training completed, and public education provided by department members.

Crimes Investigated

The Department, during the month, investigated a total of 55 crimes.

These crimes can be broken down and classified as follows.

Battery.....	02
Trespass.....	01
Bail Jump.....	04
Disorderly Conduct.....	02
Possess Controlled Substance.....	08
Fraud / Forgery.....	06
Domestic Abuse.....	06
Theft.....	14
Criminal Damage to Property.....	04
Threats to Injure.....	01
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Sex Offense.....	01
TOTAL 55	

The above crimes resulted in the loss of \$2,326 to the community, of which \$405 has been recovered.

Arrests

The Department completed a total of 151 arrests during the month. These arrests encompass violations from traffic to felony, and are listed below by type of violations and number of arrests for each category.

A. Felony Crime Arrest

Bail Jumping.....	04
Possess Controlled Substances.....	03
Strangulation/Suffocation.....	01
Possess Drug Paraphernalia.....	01
TOTAL	09

B. Misdemeanor Crime Arrests

Disorderly Conduct.....	08
Battery.....	03
Bail Jump.....	02
Possess Controlled Substance.....	01
Possess Drug Paraphernalia.....	04
Resist / Obstruct Officer.....	02
Trespass.....	01
Criminal Damage to Property.....	02
Theft.....	04
TOTAL	27

Wisconsin Probation & Parole Arrests / Warrant Arrests	15
TOTAL	15

C. Ordinance Violation Arrests

Possess Tobacco/Vaping Products by Minor.....	01
Possess Marijuana.....	01
Possess Drug Paraphernalia.....	04
Retail Theft.....	02
Habitually Truant Student.....	02
Underage Consumption of Alcohol.....	01
Disorderly Conduct w/Motor Vehicle.....	01
Operate Taxi w/o License.....	01
Allow Animal to Run at Large.....	01
TOTAL	14

D. Traffic Crime Arrests

Fail to Install Ignition Interlock Device.....	03
Operate Motor Vehicle while Revoked.....	05
No Valid Driver's License.....	03
Flee/Elude Officer.....	02
TOTAL	13

E. Traffic Violation Arrests

Operate Motor Vehicle while Intoxicated.....	03
Speeding.....	20
Operate Motor Vehicle w/o Insurance.....	09
Operate Motor Vehicle while Suspended.....	07
Unregistered Vehicle.....	10

No Valid Driver's License.....	04
Seatbelt Violations.....	02
Miscellaneous Violations.....	18
	TOTAL 73

In addition to the preceding arrests, the Department conducted a total of 296 traffic stops during the month and logged 79 violations for various motor vehicle defects and local ordinances and issued 57 written warnings for those violations. A total of 12 parking ticket were issued for parking violations throughout the city.

Traffic Accidents

The Department during the month investigated a total of 15 vehicle accidents. These accidents are categorized into four types.

A. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Fatalities.....	00
B. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Injuries	02
C. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Property Damage	12
(greater than \$1,000.00)	
D. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Property Damage	01
(less than \$1,000.00)	TOTAL 15

Police Service Calls

Department members handled 424 service calls during the month. These calls consist of both citizen requests for police service as described below (339), crimes investigated (55), traffic accidents investigated (15), and Wisconsin Probation and Parole Assists (15).

A. Traffic and Road Incidents	83
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This category consists of all assignments involving assists to stranded motorists, directing traffic, complaints of noisy or otherwise disorderly vehicles, removing obstructions from roadways, and all parking problem complaints.

B. Noise Complaints	07
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These complaints involve private parties, licensed liquor establishments, and parties in public places.

C. Sick and Injured Persons	07
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Assistance rendered to the Ambulance Service and sick or injured persons.

D. Alarms	17
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Officers responded to activated burglar and hold-up alarms at area banks and other business establishments and residences as well as fire alarms.

E. Complaints Involving Animals	26
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Investigations by officers of noisy animals, loose animals, animal bites, wild animals and sick, injured or dead animal complaints.

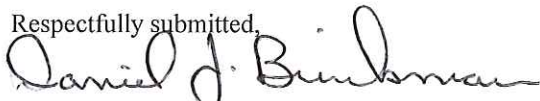
F. Civil Disputes	02
Arguments between neighbors, landlords and tenants, and family members where no crimes have been committed.	
G. Escorts	04
Transporting citizens, money escorts for area financial institutions, funerals, and for area industry and farming.	
H. Citizen Assist.....	39
This category is broad and involves such services as assistance in gas drive-off, emergency notifications, attempts to locate people, retrieval of personal property, and vehicle registration assistance.	
I. Assistance Rendered to Other Agencies	11
Includes assistance to other law enforcement and government agencies.	
J. Suspicious Person / Vehicle / Circumstance.....	23
Involves both citizen complaints and observations by officers on patrol who took investigative action in regard to the suspicious behavior of vehicles and people.	
K. Self-Initiated Field Activity	05
All initiated activity by the officer to include, but not limited to, routine security checks of area industries, businesses, city parks, residences, and compliance checks of local liquor establishments.	
L. Juvenile Problems.....	13
Requests for police service that strictly involve property calls and all unfounded calls for police service. The calls vary from mischief to family problems to runaway situations.	
M. Miscellaneous Incidents	83
Includes arrest warrants served, recovered property calls, and all unfounded calls for police service. This category includes 9-1-1 calls investigated by Department members during the month.	
N. Welfare Checks	19
Includes calls to check on the well-being of a person who has not been heard from or seen for a period of time by family, friends, neighbors, or employers.	

TOTAL 339

Department Training

The joint dive team and SWAT conducted their monthly training session. Four officers completed a 16-hour course on Patrol Tactics, two officers completed a 16-hour course on investigating Internet Crimes against Children and one sergeant completed a week-long Supervisor course.

Respectfully submitted,


 Captain Daniel J. Brinkman