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

From: Captain Daniel J. Brinkman

Subject: Monthly Report for February, 2021

Date: March 12, 2021

The following is a summary of the Police Department's activities for the month of February 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 56 crimes.

These crimes can be broken down and classified as follows.

Disorderly Conduct	10
Bail Jump	05
Battery	03
Possess Controlled Substance	05
Fraud / Forgery	11
Domestic Abuse	06
Theft	02
Child Abuse or Neglect	02
Death Investigation	04
Sex Offenses	03
Threats to Injure	02
Burglary	02
ICAC Investigation	01
TOTAL	**56**

The above crimes resulted in the loss of $1,125 to the community, of which $120 has been recovered.

Arrests

The Department completed a total of 82 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..... 05
Internet Crimes against Children.....01
False Imprisonment..... 02
Physical Abuse to Child..... 02
Burglary..... 01
Possess Controlled
Substance..... 01
Possess Drug Paraphernalia.....01
Sexual Assault..... 01

TOTAL 14

B. Misdemeanor Crime Arrests

Disorderly Conduct..... 05
Violate Court Order..... 01
Bail Jump.....04
4th Degree Sexual Assault..... 02
Criminal Damage to Property..... 02
Resist / Obstruct Officer..... 01
Battery..... 04
Possess Drug Paraphernalia..... 02

TOTAL 21

Wisconsin Probation & Parole Arrests / Warrant Arrests..... 07

TOTAL 07

C. Ordinance Violation Arrests

Disorderly Conduct 01
Disorderly Conduct w/Motor Vehicle 01
Possess Marijuana 01
Illegal Snowmobile Operation on Highway.....01
Refuse to Take Test OWI on Snowmobile 01

TOTAL 05

D. Traffic Crime Arrests

Operate Motor Vehicle while Intoxicated 2nd or More..... 03
No Valid Driver's License..... 01

TOTAL 04

E. Traffic Violation Arrests

Operate Motor Vehicle w/o Insurance.....01
Operate Motor Vehicle while Intoxicated.....05
Operate Motor Vehicle while Suspended/Revoked.....04
Speeding.....07
No Valid Driver's License.....04

Miscellaneous Violations.....10

TOTAL 31

In addition to the preceding arrests, the Department conducted a total of 63 traffic stops during the month and logged 13 violations for various motor vehicle defects and local ordinances and issued 10 written warnings for those violations. A total of 72 parking tickets were issued for parking violations throughout the city.

Traffic Accidents

The Department during the month investigated a total of 09 vehicle accidents. These accidents are categorized into four types.

A. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Fatalities 00

B. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Injuries.....03

C. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Property Damage 05
(greater than $1,000.00)

D. Motor Vehicle Accidents Involving Property Damage 01
(less than $1,000.00) **TOTAL 09**

Police Service Calls

Department members handled 345 service calls during the month. These calls consist of both citizen requests for police service as described below (273), crimes investigated (56), traffic accidents investigated (09), and Wisconsin Probation and Parole Assists (07).

A. Traffic and Road Incidents.....72

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.....04

These complaints involve private parties, licensed liquor establishments, and parties in public places.

C. Sick and Injured Persons.....17

Assistance rendered to the Ambulance Service and sick or injured persons.

D. Alarms.....22

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.....10
Investigations by officers of noisy animals, loose animals, animal bites, wild animals and sick, injured or dead animal complaints.

F. Civil Disputes.....03

Arguments between neighbors, landlords and tenants, and family members where no crimes have been committed.

G. Escorts.....02

Transporting citizens, money escorts for area financial institutions, funerals, and for area industry and farming.

H. Citizen Assist 55

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.....07

Includes assistance to other law enforcement and government agencies.

J. Suspicious Person / Vehicle / Circumstance 20

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.....03

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 04

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 45

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 09

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 273

Department Training

The Joint SWAT Team and Dive Team completed their monthly training. Two officers completed a 32-hour course in Instructor Development and nine officers completed an 8 hours course in Investigating Cases of Elder Abuse.

Respectfully submitted,

Captain Daniel J. Brinkman