



The monthly report is intended to serve as an overview of the Ashland Police Department's effort to combat crime within the Town of Ashland. The report contains information about the number of criminal offenses during the past month and the activities undertaken by the Police Department to improve the overall quality of life for the community.

The data helps the Police Department develop strategies for providing a safe environment in which to live, work, visit and play.

Chief Douglas A. Goodman, Jr.

June 2019

Part 1 Offenses	June 2019	June 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018	YTD Diff	YTD CLR Arrest	YTD CLR Exception	Total Cleared	Total 2018
Homicide									1
Rape		1		2	-2				3
Robbery	1		1	2	-1	0	0	0%	7
Aggravated Assault	4	2	9	8	1	8	0	89%	21
Arson					0				0
Burglary	2		7	7	0	4	1	71%	13
Larceny (below categories)	5	12	74	60	13	14	2	22%	179
Pick Pocket			1		0	0	0	0%	0
Purse-Snatching					0				0
Shoplifting		2	22	20	2	11	0	50%	59
Theft from a Building	2	4	11	15	-4	1	0	9%	27
Theft from a Coin Machine					0				0
Theft from a Motor Vehicle	1	4	19	9	10	2	0	11%	44
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts			3	4	-1	0	0	0%	17
All other Larceny	2	2	18	12	6	0	2	11%	32
Auto Theft	3	1	6	5	1	1	0	17%	10
Total Part I Offenses	15	16	97	84	12	27	3	31%	234

Other Offenses of Community Concern	June 2019	June 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018	YTD Diff	YTD CLR Arrest	YTD CLR Exception	Total Cleared	Total 2018
Destruction/Vandalism	6	11	39	33	6	7	3	26%	66
Drugs/Narcotics	5	6	31	24	7	26	1	87%	54
Weapons Violations	2	2	7	4	3	4	1	71%	11
Drunk in Public	1	3	21	17	4	21	0	100%	38
Liquor Law Violations	1	1	6	4	2	6	0	100%	11

Service Demands and Productivity	June 2019	June 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018	YTD Diff	Total 2018
Calls for Service	531	657	3,223		3,223	6,466
Self Initiated Activities	910	932	7,058		7,058	12,313
Criminal Arrests	31	45	220		220	437
Traffic Summonses	149	93	959	713	246	1,741
DUI Arrests	0	1	18	15	3	31
Accidents	13	10	47	68	-21	126

PATROL OPERATIONS DIVISION

Captain Troy Aronhalt

Patrol Operations is comprised of 16 sworn officers under the leadership of a Captain. Officers are assigned to one of four squads, each led by a Sergeant, working 12-hour shifts. Patrol Operations handles all dispatched calls for service, conducts self-initiated enforcement activities and provides high visibility patrols in hopes to prevent and deter criminal activity.

Patrol Activities	Day Squads		Night Squads	
	710	720	730	740
Responses to Calls	281	247	154	202
Criminal Arrests	4	10	9	6
DUI Arrests	0	0	0	0
Park, Walk & Talks	121	113	105	95
Incident Reports	22	23	12	17
Traffic Stops	74	73	65	40
Field Interviews	2	12	3	4
P2B/C Contacts	4	5	6	15
Adopt a Senior Visits	0	0	0	0
School Visits	12	12	0	0
Bank Checks	11	5	0	0
Funeral Escorts	8	5	0	0
Property Checks	37	36	401	500
Open Doors	1	2	0	10
ECO/TDO	4	3	0	3

STAR Corridor Update

Officers handled **18** calls for service in this area; completed **57** park, walk and talk activities as well as **31** hours of traffic enforcement and general observation time. Officers had **104** community contacts and conducted **2** roll call meetings.

Patrol Highlights

On June 1, officers responded to the 800 block of England Street for an intoxicated subject. After investigating, one subject was arrested for possession of alcohol after being interdicted.

On June 11, officers responded to the 200 block of Ashcake Rd. for an assault. After investigating, one subject was arrested for malicious wounding (aggravated assault).

On June 13, officers responded to a crash in the 700 block of England Street. During the investigation, one of the drivers was discovered to be in possession of marijuana. An arrest was made for possession of marijuana, 3rd offense.

On June 21, an officer conducting intersection traffic enforcement stopped a vehicle in the 300 block of Myrtle Street. The driver was found to be wanted on two felony warrants out of Henrico. The subject was also arrested for driving while suspended.

On June 25, an officer responded to fight call involving a discharge of a firearm. Upon completion of their investigation a female was arrested for 3 felony charges with additional charges pending.

On June 26, officers responded to the 100 block of Arbor Oak. After investigation the suspect was arrested for brandishing firearm, malicious wounding, and drunk in public.

SPECIAL OPERATIONS DIVISION

Major Anthony Callahan

Under the command of Special Operations Division, the **Investigative Unit** is comprised of three investigators led by Lt James Shelhorse. This operational component is responsible for the investigation of all felony and serious/repeat misdemeanor offenses reported to the police department. Additionally, this unit is tasked with proactive investigations into narcotics trafficking and other criminal behavior.

Investigative Activities	
Cases Assigned This Month	7
Cases Assigned (YTD)	37
Cases Cleared (YTD)	27
Clearance Rate (YTD)	72.9%
Surveillance (hours)	2
Report Writing (hours)	10
Search Warrants	4
Warrants Obtained	6
Court Proceedings (hours)	5
Forensic Processing (hours)	14
Meetings with Other Agencies	9

Investigative Highlights

Investigators conducted backgrounds on Support Service candidates.

Investigators taught AED/CPR/Trauma Care for the department members.

Investigators attended Grand Jury and presented cases for all department members.

Investigators attended annual Legal Update and Autism Awareness training.

Investigators responded to investigate multiple B&E calls to process evidence and handle interviews. Several suspects were detained and connected to at least 1 of these burglaries for now and charges placed on several of the individuals. Investigations are still on-going.

Investigators assisted K-9 search volunteers with multiple K-9 tracks stemming from burglary scenes to include the previously mentioned incidents above as well as a vandalism which occurred on Washington Hwy..

Investigators responded to assist with an aggravated assault call in which a firearm was discharged. Investigators assisted with clearing the home, obtaining search warrants and executing the search warrants.

Investigators worked with Child Protective Services in reference to multiple child abuse complaints.

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Under the command of the Special Operations Division, the **Crime Prevention/Logistics Unit** entails several functional components of the agency: Crime Prevention (1 officer), and the Auxiliary Unit (3 volunteer officers) and civilian volunteers all led by Sgt. Marie Kemp. In addition to duties tasked to individual members, this component is responsible for Recruitment, Selection, Training, Public Information, Special Event Coordination, and IT Administration.

Crime Prevention Activities	
Neighborhood Watch Meetings	0
Association Meetings	4
Security Assessments	2
Presentations	3
CPTED Plan Reviews	1
Training (hours)	47
Park, Walk and Talk	12
Adopt a Senior Visits	3
Lunch Buddies	2
Project Lifesaver Visits	3
Special Event Meetings	2
Crime Analysis Meetings	0
Bike Patrol (in miles)	0

Crime Prevention Notes

June 13: MAP & TRIAD Meetings.

June 17: Safety Presentation at St. James the Less Church.

June 19: Safety Presentation at Pratt Industries.

June 21 & 24: Information table at R-MC Freshman Orientation.

Training

June 3-5: New Recruit Training.
June 10 & 17: ICS 300 Training.
June 26: Legal Update & Autism Awareness Training.

Special Events

June 1: R-MC Graduation.
June 15: Strawberry Faire.