



Gerrish Township Police Department

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Gerrish Township Police Monthly Report 08-01-15 through 08-31-15

The Gerrish Township Police Department responded to a total of 149 calls for service for the month of August 2015.

The Department reports 12 various custodial arrest statistics this month. (See attached reports for breakdown).

The Department reports 31 total citations listing 30 traffic violations, 8 misdemeanor charges, 10 verbal traffic warnings. (See attached for breakdown).

Training:

A total of 21 hours of training are reported for this month. (See attached detail document).

Chief Hill highlighted activity for the reported month is as follows:

- 1) The first week of the month, I was on vacation.
- 2) I attended the first Trunk or Treat 2015 coordination meeting to begin planning the October 31, 2015 event.
- 3) I attended the monthly work session as required.
- 4) I attended the ACT-NOW Executive Board meeting in my advisory role
- 5) I attended the Annual ACT-NOW/Gerrish Township Police Dept. Golf outing.
- 6) I chaired and attended the 911 Technical Board meeting held at Roscommon County Central Dispatch.
- 7) I attended the Gerrish Township Regular Board meeting as required.
- 8) I met with CERT Coordinator Sharon Zacny to do a needs assessment for equipment inside the new CERT Trailer. A grant is available from Homeland Security 7th Region for \$1000.00 worth of equipment. A list was generated to be presented to the Region 7 Emergency Management Division at its Regional meeting.
- 9) I traveled to Traverse City and back to pick up the new CERT Trailer that came in at Kelley's Custom trailer.
- 10) I prepared for and attended the Special Assessment Budget Hearing for the 2015-2016 fiscal budget.
- 11) I prepared for and attended the Roscommon County LEPT meeting to present my proposal for the CERT Equipment as same had to be approved by the local board to be distributed to the Regional Board.

- 12) I conducted one staff meeting this month to cover a myriad of issues, concerns and case file management discussion.
- 13) I attended the Monthly LE Administrators meeting at Fred's Restaurant in Roscommon, Mi.
- 14) I attended the final AVI Planning team meeting to shore up the operations portion of the plan in preparation for the 9-2-15 exercise.
- 15) I attended the organizational meeting of the 2015 Kid Helping Kids project to align a budget, organize the coordination and begin fundraising efforts for the project.
- 16) I organized and attended a CERT Training Planning meeting to plan for the scheduled training on 9-30-15.
- 17) I took the CERT Trailer to, and brought same back from New Century Signs in Gaylord for the installation of the graphics on same.
- 18) I attended a Law Enforcement walk through of the Roscommon High School to determine locations of events to occur inside the school area. Threat areas were accessed and an interior plan was devised for the full scale AVI exercise on 9-2-15.
- 19) I attended the Northern Michigan Childrens Assessment Center for the monthly Team meeting as a representative from this Department.
- 20) At the request of a candidate for the custodial position at the Police Department. I met with same to discuss custodial duties, hours expected and answer general questions about the open position.

In other news;

The Department participated in the 6th Annual ACT-NOW/GTPD Golf Outing held at the Redwood Country Club on August 8, 2015 and it was a huge success which generated \$4900.00 for the group for its benevolent contributions to our Community. Thank you to all that participated in golfing, volunteering or sponsoring the event.

- **Coming Events:**

- On Wednesday September 16, 2015 at 4:00 p.m. we will be having our 6th Annual Law Enforcement Torch run to benefit Special Olympics. Administrative Clerk Julie Hill and I have stepped up to spearhead this project. The running, biking or rollerblading event will begin at the Roscommon High School and conclude at Fred's Restaurant. Please come and join us in whatever way you can. Please contact us at the Police Department if you wish to participate in this very rewarding event. Registration the day of the event begins at 3:00 p.m.
- On Saturday September 19, 2015, Officer Shannon Fick will be coordinating this year's Fireman's memorial stuffed animal sale. This year we have multi colored Sharks in three different sizes. Proceeds will go to this year's Shop with a Cop program. Please stop out at the grounds and help us make someone's Holiday a little brighter this year.
- On Friday, October 31, 2015, we will host the 7th Annual Trunk or Treat/Haunted Trail walk at the Gerrish Township Municipal complex. The Trunk or Treat will be from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. and a Halloween Trail will open from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The (DARK) Haunted Trail will be open from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. For more

information please contact Officer Eric Muszynski at 989-821-5207, ext 288 or
Gerrish Township Treasurer Leasa Tulgetske at 989-821-9313, ext 224.

Please watch our website carefully to stay informed about upcoming events and Township News releases. Our site is www.gerrishpolice.org.

I want to thank my Officers for their dedication to the Police Department mission and our Community and Township Board for their support of that mission.

Respectfully Submitted,

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