



Gerrish Township Police Department

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Gerrish Township Police Monthly Report 06-01-15 through 06-30-15

The Gerrish Township Police Department responded to a total of 164 calls for service for the month of June 2015.

The Department reports 24 total citations, recording 27 traffic violations, 6 Misdemeanor violations, 7 Felony arrests and 2 written verbal warnings. (See attached report for breakdown).

The Department also reports 16 custodial arrests for the monthly period. (See attached report for breakdown).

Training:

The Department reports 96 hours of training this month. (See attached breakdown)

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

- 1) I attended the Gerrish Township Monthly board work session as required.
- 2) I attended the ACT-NOW Executive Board meeting in my advisory capacity to the organization.
- 3) I attended the Summer Department range qualification day and qualified with our Department firearms as required.
- 4) I chaired and attended the 911 Technical Board meeting in my Chairperson role.
- 5) I attended the Gerrish Township Regular Board meeting as required.
- 6) I met with citizens of Daytona on the Lake reference some concerns.
- 7) I attended the Roscommon County Law Enforcement Administrators meeting held at Fred's Restaurant.
- 8) I worked on the 2016-2017 Budget preparation as required to meet Special Assessment requirements for public hearings.
- 9) The Higgins Lake Sunrise Run went off without major incident. Over 450 runners participated in the various distances offered. We had 20 CERT Volunteers and many ACT-NOW volunteers that participated as our community was well represented.
- 10) I served at the overall Incident Command for the Higgins Lk Sunrise Run.

- 11) I attended the Michigan Association of Chiefs of Police summer conference held in Harbor Springs, Mi. where I received 32 hours of continuing education and won over \$5000.00 worth of door prizes for the Police Department.
- 12) I met with Digital Ally regarding a Video system setup to retro-fitted into the 2013 Ford Explorer. MI Deal prices were also researched and presented to the board for purchase.
- 13) On a personal and professional note, at the above conference this month, I have been elected by the Northern Michigan Chiefs of Police to be our Legislative area representative on the Legislative Committee for the MACP. The MACP boasts a membership of more than 1000 members and services all Cities, Township and Village Police Departments from 1-man Departments to the size of the Detroit Police Department in the State of Michigan. This position will analyze bills that affect Law Enforcement in the State of Michigan. For more information on the organization please go to www.michiganpolicechiefs.org.
- 14) I was asked to be a speaker at the summer conference of the MACP and bring details of our Community Policing initiatives in Gerrish Township. I presented and was on a panel for discussion 21st Century Police Initiatives.
- 15) I worked with our IT Company Kodiak Group to get a network scanner installed at the office so that all external documents on our police reports could be scanned and included in our Records management system for easy access and inclusion to the reports.
- 16) I spent quite a bit of time on researching and preparing for and gaining an understanding of the new Freedom of Information Act law that passed and will be in place July 1, 2015. I am on schedule for implementation to meet the deadline.
- 17) I attended one Gerrish Township budget work session for consideration of the 2016-2017 Police Budget.

As a reminder, the 16th ACT NOW annual meeting, picnic and block party is scheduled for 7-20-15 at 6:00 p.m. at the Gazebo behind the hall. A brief Annual meeting will be held for the election of Officers for the next year for ACT-NOW. We will also be announcing the annual ACT-NOW Citizen of the Year award.

I want to remind everyone of our 6th Annual Golf Outing Fundraiser on August, 8, 2015 that will be held at the Redwood Gold Course in Markey Township. Registration will be at 9:00 a.m. and shotgun start planned for 10:00 a.m. This is a major fundraiser for the ACT-NOW group and the Police Department to support various benevolent activities in the Township. Please see www.gerrishpolice.org for further details or call the Police Department for more information.

I would like to thank the Community and the board for is support of our Missions.

Respectfully Submitted,

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