

## MONTHLY DEPARTMENT REPORT AUGUST 2009

**DEPARTMENT: HARTFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT**

### 1.) MONTHLY STATISTICAL DATA

ACTIVITY CATEGORY	AUGUST 2009	2009 Total	AUGUST 2008	2008 Total
Calls for Service	695	5,074	653	4,694
Complaints Filed	254	2,109	271	1,990
Written Warnings	236	1,635	235	1,420
Traffic Citations	275	1,993	173	1,094
Municipal Citations	44	559	117	589
15 Day Repair Orders	0	1	165	1,036
Field Interview Cards	13	39	3	46
Adult Arrests (UCR data)	75	704	119	664
Juvenile Arrests (UCR data)	11	253	29	262
<b>Squad Fleet Mileage</b>				
Squad 1	3,261	27195	3,001	22,243
Squad 2	3,736	26312	3,586	26,668
Squad 3	CHANGE OVER	TOTAL PENDING	2,420	22,947
Squad 4	1,093	8,329	1,438	9,672
Squad 5	CHANGE OVER	TOTAL PENDING	3,368	23,912
Squad 6	CHANGE OVER	TOTAL PENDING	563	9,317
Squad 7	592	1953	311	5,178
<b>Total Squad Mileage</b>			<b>14,687</b>	<b>119937</b>
<b>Average Squad Mileage</b>			<b>2098</b>	<b>17134</b>

### 2.) CHIEF'S ACTIVITIES

- ◆ Served on an interview panel for the 2009 Explorer Competition at Volk Field
- ◆ Met with Lieutenant MacFarlan to finalize police radio talk groups for the new radio system
- ◆ Coordinated the Patrol Officer Eligibility List selection process activities
- ◆ Attended and presented to the Common Council regarding the amended Parking Fee Schedule



### 3.) ACCOMPLISHED PROJECTS/TASKS/ACTIVITIES

- ◆ The Patrol Officer Selection process has completed the Physical Agility Testing, the Written Examination, and the Professional Peer Review Panel Interviews. A special thanks goes out to Captain Horvath, Sergeant Fuiten, Lt. Lehl, Lt. MacFarlan, Officer Zywicki, Officer Deckert, Communications Officer Neu, and our civilian volunteers Betsy Wittenberger, Dennis Albrecht, and Denise Groves for their assistance in this process.
- ◆ The Hartford Police Department was selected to receive a \$4,000 equipment grant for our participation in this year's "Click it or Ticket" program. These funds were used to equip our entire patrol fleet with window punches, seat belt cutting tools, new traffic cones, red/white interior dome lighting packages, and a laser movement detector that attaches to our spotlights. The spotlight device sounds an alarm if a



vehicle's door opens or the car being stopped attempts to drive away. This can greatly enhance our officer's safety by alerting them to activities that may have been missed while their heads are down to complete paperwork for their traffic contacts.

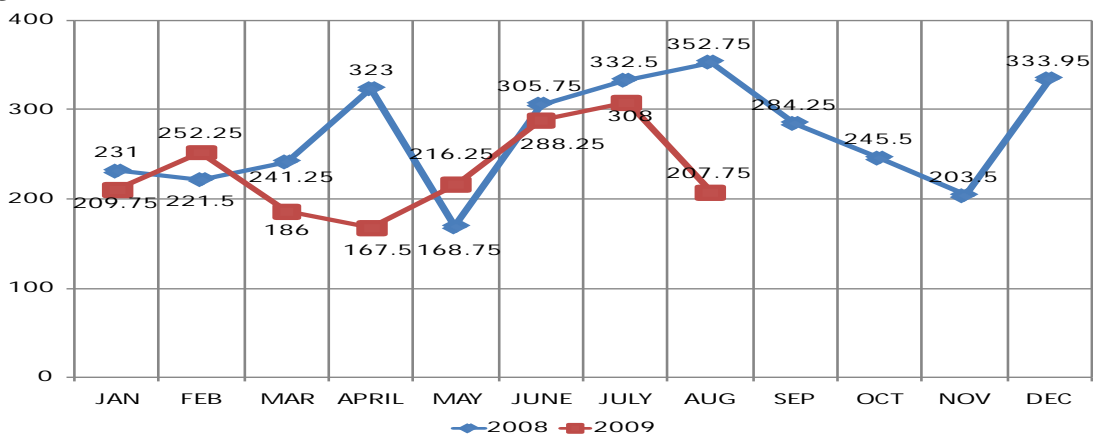
**4.) ANTICIPATED PROJECTS/TASKS/ACTIVITIES**

- ◆ New fleet vehicle changeovers will be completed and all vehicles will be placed into full- time service
- ◆ The Patrol Officer process will be completed and a one-year eligibility list will be put in place to fill anticipated vacancies in 2010

**5.) TRAINING**

- ◆ Sergeant Cummings attended monthly SWAT training with the Washington County Sheriff's Department
- ◆ Roll Call Training topics continue for the patrol staff

**6.) OVERTIME**



**7.) CASES OF INTEREST THIS MONTH.**

- ◆ 08-12-09, a Hartford man was cited for disorderly conduct after a homeowner in the 600 block of Center St. witnessed a male subject with a pink mohawk remove their American flag from their front porch and take off running. Officers were unable to locate the suspect that night, but advised that while off duty the prior day, two officers had seen a subject they knew from previous contacts in town, wearing a pink mohawk. The officers also were aware that this subject has been known to yell anti-government and anti-police propaganda. Further investigation lead to this man being cited for his involvement in this complaint.
- ◆ 08-19-09, a 20-year-old Hartford man was cited for Carrying a Concealed Weapon. Officers located a knife on the subject that was approximately 9 inches in length with a 5 inch blade that did not retract.
- ◆ 09-25-09, a 22-year-old Hartford man turned himself in at our lobby on a Slinger Police Department warrant for his arrest. The subject was able to post bond on that warrant, but during the booking process he was found to have 2.69 grams of marijuana on his person and was subsequently cited for that new offense before being released.

Respectfully submitted,

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