

# MCFARLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT



February 2019 Monthly Report

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## FEBRUARY 2019 MONTHLY REPORT

As observed on the attached Call Summary Report, the McFarland Police Department logged 698 cases in February. This is compared to 533 cases for the same time period in 2018. Cases of interest for the month were: six intoxicated drivers, three domestic disturbances, five disturbances, five juvenile complaints, three thefts, twenty-six traffic accidents, and thirty-three Fire/EMS assists. Officers also logged 202 traffic stops/complaints.

### Cases of interest for the month are as follows:

02/24/2019 An Officer made contact with a subject passed out in a vehicle in the Kwik Trip parking lot. The Officer had a difficult time waking up the driver. Once in contact, the Officer could smell the odor of alcohol coming from the driver. The driver was asked to conduct field sobriety tests and probable cause was established to arrest him for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence-6<sup>th</sup> offense. The driver was also cited for possession of drug paraphernalia. The driver was out on parole from a previous OWI violation. The driver was booked into the Dane County Jail. Blood test results are still pending.

02/27/2019 An Officer stopped a vehicle for a routine traffic violation on Terminal Drive. The driver was found to be under the influence of alcohol and field sobriety tests were conducted. Probable cause was established to arrest the driver for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence-3<sup>rd</sup> offense. The driver was not cooperative during the entire incident and a blood draw search warrant was obtained. The driver was booked into the Dane County Jail. Blood test results are still pending.

### Staffing Report

- Interviews and skill testing have been conducted for the Police Clerk III recruitment. An initial finalist has been identified, and we will be working through the process of making an offer of employment in early March.
- Retired Police Clerk Bonnie Evans continues to fill our front office vacancy on an LTE basis.
- We are currently operating at one officer short due to a shoulder injury received during an altercation with a suspect in the course of an arrest. We have learned that the officer will likely require surgery, and will be on light duty for 6-8 months.

## Equipment Report

- The Department has scheduled staff training for the soon to be implemented TIP411 platform. Once the training is completed, we will then determine how best to serve the community with its features.
- The department is looking into purchasing a Morphident portable fingerprint scanner. This technology allows for officers to instantly identify individuals that may be attempting to conceal their identity.

## Training Report

- Chief Sherven, Lt. Redman, Sgt. Maurer, and Sgt. Job attended the Wisconsin Chiefs of Police Conference in the Wisconsin Dells.
- Sgt. Maurer, Officer Onken, and Officer Miller attended an Active Threat Conference in Oshkosh.
- Administrative Assistance Reimer attended a three-day training in Appleton for WI Open Records Laws.
- Officer Schroeckenthaler attended Instructor Development Training at MATC in Madison.
- Officer Wallace attended Intoximeter Certification Training in Madison.
- Officer Craft attended Joint Threat Liaison Officer/Fusion Liaison Officer Training at the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office.

## Budget Report

- Our injured officer situation has put us slightly ahead of where we should be in terms of overtime expenditures. We will continue to monitor this as the year progresses.

## Other Information

- Our department, along with several others, will be participating in a large-scale study on police use of force. Our participation entails submitting use of force documentation and related policies to the researcher, and we will be required to sign an MOU. This information is already available to the public on our website, and so we are really not releasing anything that would not be available to the public already. Participation in the program was voted on at a recent Dane County Chiefs of Police Association meeting.

- As was reported last month, the Police Explorers recently participated in the State Explorer Competition. They competed against 33 other teams from all over the state (including Madison). They placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in Crime Scene Investigation, 2<sup>nd</sup> in Burglary in Progress, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 1<sup>st</sup> in Shoot don't shoot, and 2<sup>nd</sup> in Overall scores. Once again they represented us well and made our Department proud.



## Incident Analysis Report Summary By Incident Type

McFarland Police Department  
Official Case Report  
**Do Not Re-Release**

Print Date/Time: 03/05/2019 08:17  
 Login ID: mcbgr  
 Incident Type: All  
 Call Source: All

From Date: 02/01/2019 00:00  
 To Date: 02/28/2019 23:59

McFarland Police Department  
 ORI Number: W0137300

Officer ID: All  
 Location: All

Incident Type	Number of Incidents
911 Abandoned Call	5
911 Call Question	3
911 Call Silent	4
911 Call Unintentional	8
911 Disconnect	2
911 Misdialed Call	1
Accident Hit and Run	1
Accident Private Property	2
Accident Property Damage	15
Accident Unknown Injuries	2
Accident w/Injuries	6
Adult Arrested Person	2
Alarm	12
Animal Complaint/Disturbance	1
Animal Stray	4
Assist Citizen	35
Assist EMS/Fire	33
Assist K9	5
Assist Police	30
ATL Person	4
Check Person	26
Check Property	137
Disturbance	5
Domestic Disturbance	3
Drug Incident/Investigation	4
Follow-Up	11
Foot Patrol	1
Fraud	6
Information	21
Intoxicated Person	1
Juvenile Arrest	1
Juvenile Complaint	4
Neighbor Trouble	1
Noise Complaint	1
OMVWI Arrest/Intoxicated Driver	3
Parking Complaint On Street	38
Phone	11
Preserve the Peace	3



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Problem Solving Person	5
Property Found	3
Repo	2
Safety Hazard	19
Serving Legal Papers	1
Suspicious Person	2
Suspicious Vehicle	6
Theft	3
Threats Complaint	1
Traffic Complaint/Investigation	34
Traffic Stop	168
Weapons Offense	1
Weapons Offense Person w/Gun	1
<b>Total:</b>	<b>698</b>