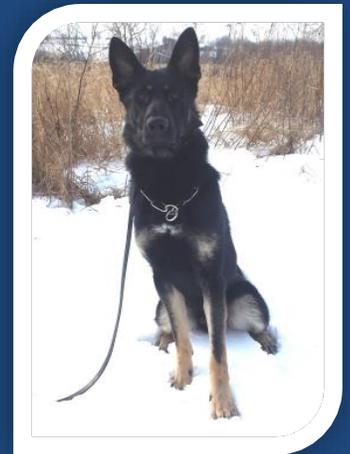
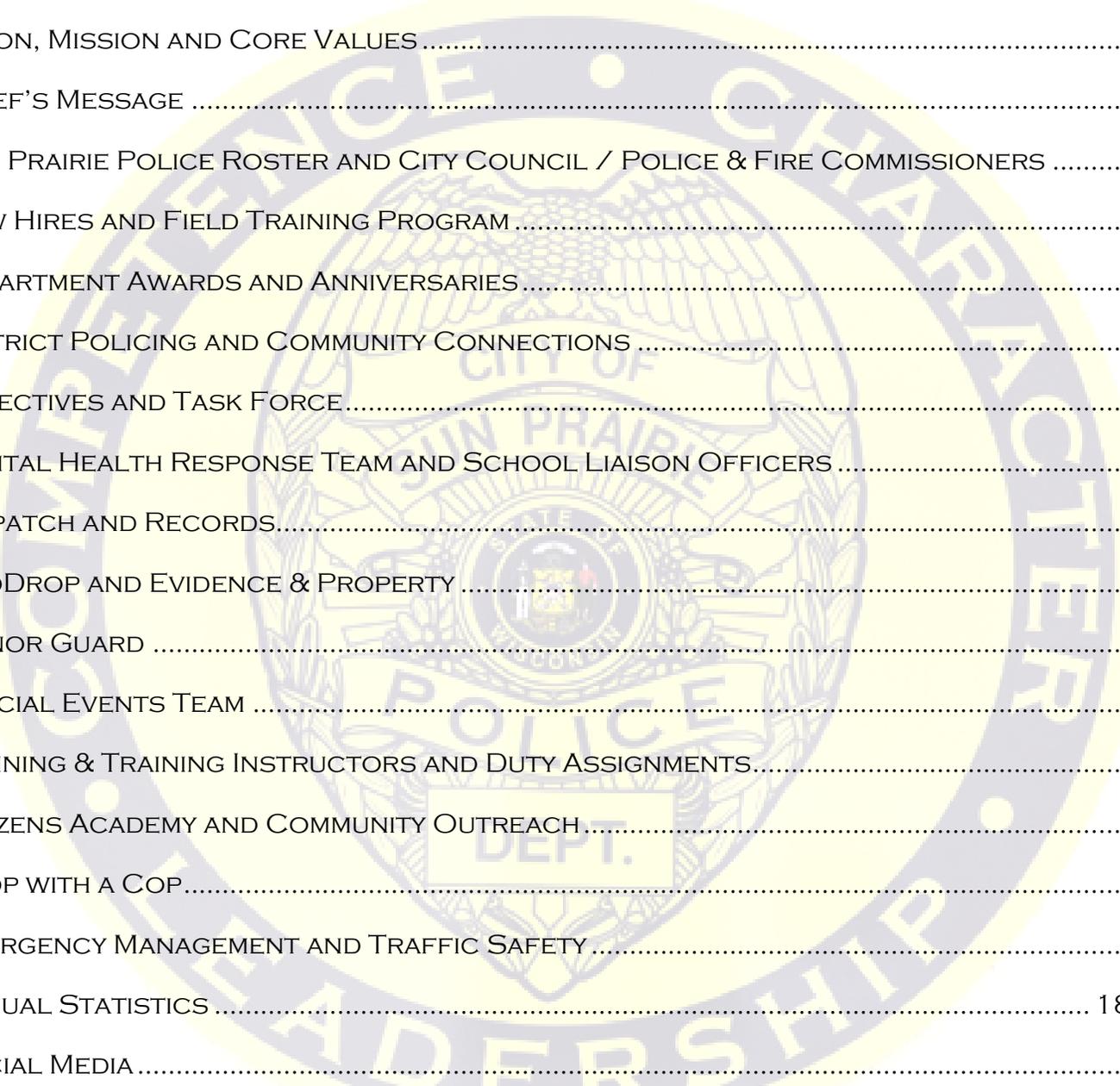


# CITY OF SUN PRAIRIE POLICE DEPARTMENT



## 2015 ANNUAL REPORT



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## VISION

A Sun Prairie where all can live safely and are empowered to share responsibility for public safety solutions, protected by a police department that is trustworthy and offers hope.

## MISSION

We will build relationships and solve problems.

## CORE VALUES

### Exceptional Service and Problem Solving (Competence)

We are committed to providing high quality policing services and strive for continuous improvement. We are responsive to community priorities and expectations, while educating the community on our capabilities and limitations. We measure our success by the number of problems we eliminate through community-based, problem-oriented, data-driven policing strategies.

### Professionalism (Character)

We understand that public trust is the foundation of our profession. We are accountable to ourselves, each other and the community for our words and actions.

### Employee Fulfillment (Leadership)

We view all of our members as leaders with each offering a valuable contribution to our department. We are responsible for the performance, reputation and morale of the department. We recognize and celebrate the accomplishments of our members.



On behalf of the men and women of the Sun Prairie Police Department, I am pleased to introduce our 2015 annual report. The report summarizes and explains who we are, how we operate and the work we accomplish.

As we go about creating a safe community in a trustworthy manner, it is important to remember that everything we do is the result of our smart, caring and hardworking members. As I travel the community, I regularly hear widespread appreciation and support for their efforts. I am proud of their commitment to a profession that values continuous improvement and it is my pleasure to highlight their many accomplishments.

Our mission to build relationships and solve problems does not change. We look forward to strengthening our many essential partnerships throughout the community as we jointly pursue safe streets, effective and fair criminal justice and enjoyable surroundings.

Sincerely,

Patrick Anhalt  
Chief of Police

**SWORN STAFF**

Patrick	Anhalt	Chief
Scott	Faust	Assistant Chief
Brian	Teasdale	Lieutenant
Kevin	Konopacki	Lieutenant
Brenda	Dahlen	Sergeant
Jamie	Peterson	Detective Sergeant
Jason	Lefebber	Sergeant
Larry	Moен	Sergeant
Brian	Luckus	Sergeant
Ryan	Cox	Sergeant
Ray	Thomson	Sergeant
Brandon	Lingle	Sergeant
Randall	Sharpe	Detective
Scott	Bartnick	Detective
James Frank	Smith	Detective
Michael	Wilson	Detective
Christopher	Olander	Police Officer
Jack	Wilkinson	Police Officer
Gary	Nichols	Police Officer
Jill	Koll	Police Officer
Matthew	Koll	Police Officer
Zachary	Bolling	Police Officer
Amy	Bolling	Police Officer
Damion	Verhalen	Police Officer
Jay	Wians	Police Officer
Jon	Lothe	Police Officer
Michelle	Wilson	Police Officer
Todd	Lukens	Police Officer
Jennifer	Nichols	Police Officer
Benjamin	Pluim	Police Officer
Brian	Waldera	Police Officer
Michael	Gough	Police Officer
Jeremy	Rademacher	Police Officer
David	Hall	Police Officer
Daniel	Enger	Police Officer
Christopher	Pederson	Police Officer
Cathleen	Messenger	Police Officer
Brian	Garcia	Police Officer
Barbara	Waldinger	Police Officer
Michael	Hartman	Police Officer
Ryahn	Smith	Police Officer
Kalvin	Barrett	Police Officer
Joshua	Hameister	Police Officer
Matthew	McElroy	Police Officer
Marisol	Lopez	Police Officer
Tommy	Foy	Police Officer
Michelle	Schultz	Police Officer
Jamison	Davis	Police Officer
Nolan	Pickar	Police Officer

**SWORN STAFF, CONTINUED**

Lamont	Crockett	Police Officer
Royse	Sessums	Police Officer
Jason	Scott	Police Officer
Mackenzie	Miller	Police Officer
Tyler	Weinert	Police Officer

**NON-SWORN STAFF**

Dennis	Johnson	Community Service Officer
Karen	Stanek	Executive Assistant
Cindy	Piper	Municipal Court Clerk
Jason	White	Court / Property Officer

**RECORDS**

Kristine	Pittz	Records Supervisor
Anita	Barman	Records Secretary
Peg	Kershner	Records Secretary
Nicole	Vedvik	Records Secretary
Colleen	Hall	Records Secretary
Sarah	Heling	Records Secretary
Tracy	Heath	Records Secretary
Melissa	Hollenbeck	Records Secretary

**DISPATCH**

Sherry	Vike	Dispatch Supervisor
Joseph	Hack	Dispatcher
Chris	Dauck	Dispatcher
Tina	Gebhard	Dispatcher
Rick	Aide	Dispatcher
Nick	Hagen	Dispatcher
Alicia	Santeramo	Dispatcher
Cassie	Crotsenberg	Dispatcher
Cody	Ennis	Dispatcher
Dane	Staven	Dispatcher

**CITY COUNCIL**

- ~ Paul Esser  
Mayor
- ~ Hariah Hutkowski  
District 1
- ~ Russell Fassbender  
District 1
- ~ Bill Connors  
District 2
- ~ Diane McGinnis  
District 2
- ~ George Frank  
District 3
- ~ Mike Jacobs  
District 3
- ~ Al Guyant  
District 4
- ~ Mary Polenski  
District 4
- Council President

**POLICE & FIRE COMMISSIONERS**

- ~ Robert Canfield  
President
- ~ Jeanne Gerg  
Commissioner
- ~ Don Hooser  
Commissioner
- ~ Harold Rayford  
Commissioner
- ~ Martin Redmann  
Commissioner

The Sun Prairie City Council and Mayor Paul Esser continued to support the police department by revising ordinance to support problem solving policing. The police department shares information with elected officials on a regular basis to the benefit of the community.



Sun Prairie Officers enjoy breakfast from the Optimist Club.



Lamont Crockett is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Originally from Milwaukee, he was a security officer for the University of Wisconsin Police Department. Lamont has extensive volunteer activities to include Big Brothers Big Sisters, Safe Walk and as a tutor here in Sun Prairie at Patrick Marsh Middle School.



Originally from Houston, Texas, Royse Sessums was a member of the Texas National Guard prior to joining the Wisconsin National Guard. Royse has been deployed twice in his career, once to Kosovo and once to Iraq. After being a long time helicopter crew member, he attended pilot school and is currently a helicopter pilot. Royse recently earned his criminal justice degree from Madison College.



A native of Lodi, Wisconsin, Jason Scott is a recent graduate of UW-Madison. He worked as a UW-Madison Security Officer for just under three years. Jason has completed Madison College Police Academy and has interned at the State Department of Justice, the U.S. Marshalls Service and the UW-Madison Police Department. He has been active in the criminal justice association on his college campus and has volunteered with Shop with a Cop.



Mackenzie Miller has an associate's degree from Lakeshore Technical College. She is an I.T. specialist for the Army National Guard and has been deployed overseas. Mackenzie graduated from the police academy at Lakeshore Technical College where she served on its honor guard. She recently received her emergency medical technician license. She has volunteer experience in a variety of areas, including as a range instructor.



Tyler Weinert worked as a deputy sheriff for over six years. He has an undergraduate degree from Arizona State University and a graduate degree from The University of Phoenix. Tyler served in the United States Army as an airborne soldier and he was deployed to locations around the world. His volunteer activities include spending time at the school that his children attend.

**FIELD TRAINING PROGRAM**

The Sun Prairie Police Department's Field Training Team prides itself in developing new officers and assuring that all new recruits are prepared for solo patrol. As a unit, our members enjoy being leaders within the police department, and mentoring new officers throughout the training process.

2015 was a busy year for our field training officers, as five new recruits joined the department. We are proud to announce that all five officers have completed the field training program and are now serving the community on solo patrol.



Moen



Rademacher



Waldera



Enger



Waldinger



Hartman



Smith



Garcia



Hall



Messenger



Pederson



Hameister

The Police Department has an awards program designed to recognize staff members for their dedicated service to our community and to our profession. The 2015 Officer of the Year is Tommy Foy, an officer dedicated to community policing and an officer on the Mental Health Response Team.

The 2015 Employee of the Year is Joseph Hack. Joe is a dispatcher committed to providing our officers with the best possible service. He is also a statewide public information instructor.

Officer Gary Nichols received the Chief's Award as a result of his many years of service as a member of the Task Force and the Special Events Team. He also has many years of service as a department firearms instructor.



Chief Patrick Anhalt, Dispatcher Joe Hack, Officer Tommy Foy and Officer Gary Nichols



**2015 ANNIVERSARIES**

**5 YEARS**

Melissa Hollenbeck  
Michael Hartman  
Barb Waldinger

**15 YEARS**

Cindy Piper  
Todd Lukens

**20 YEARS**

Sher Vike  
Peg Kershner  
Brian Teasdale

**25 YEARS**

Chris Olander

**30 YEARS**

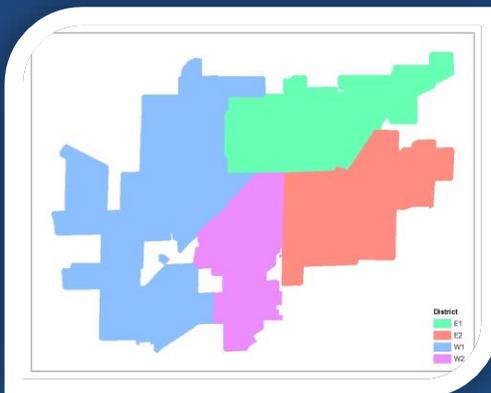
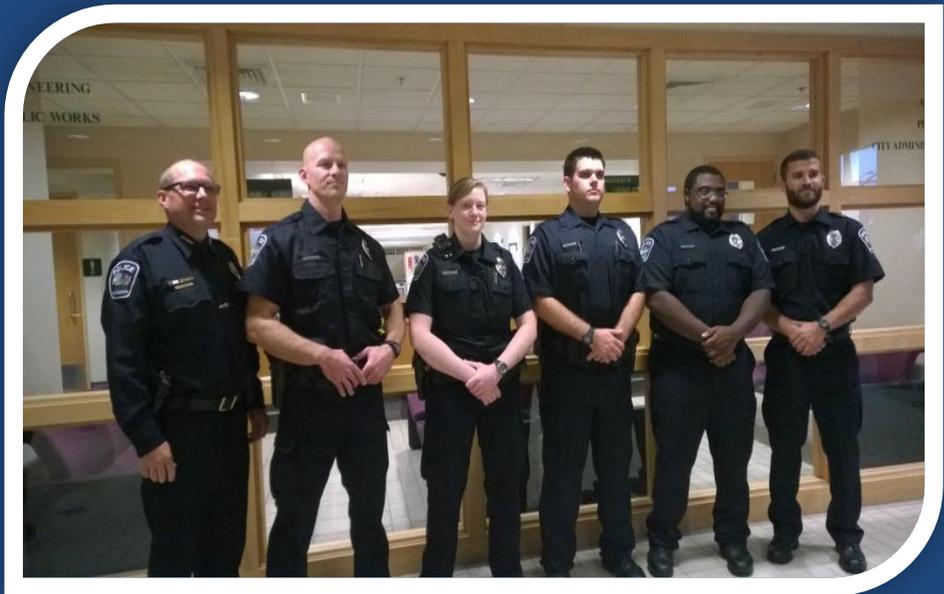
Anita Barman



Police departments typically divide their municipalities into districts to aid patrol officers as they provide police services. The Sun Prairie Police Department is no exception; however, Sun Prairie Officers are assigned to one geographical district for an entire year. Sun Prairie has four policing districts. Officers are assigned to one of those designated districts for the entire year.

This designated assignment in just one district for the entire year allows problem-solving strategies to be effective as patrol officers become familiar with individual areas of our town, allowing them to uncover issues and to address them immediately. Criminal activity, ordinance violations and general quality of life issues will be the focus of patrol officers as they work hard in their assigned district.

Each of the four police districts has a dedicated sergeant uncovering problems and leading a patrol team to identify solutions.



The mission of the Sun Prairie Police Department is, "We will build relationships and solve problems." One of the important ways we incorporate that mission statement is with the department's Community Connections Program. Each sworn officer is assigned a business, which they visit once a month to share information and work together to help solve any issues or concerns that are occurring. If there are no significant issues to discuss, they simply stop in and say, "Hello." These businesses include those that may be more susceptible to serious or repeat criminal offenses, including convenience stores, pharmacies, banks, taverns and grocery / department stores. This one-on-one interaction once a month also lends to a personable relationship with the officers and helps foster a "working together" atmosphere in which the police department empowers those in the community to share responsibility for public safety solutions.

The Detective Bureau consists of Detectives Randy Sharpe, Scott Bartnick, Frank Smith and Mike Wilson and is supervised by Sergeant Jamie Peterson.

Detectives generally work more complex and lengthy investigations such as crimes against children, sexual assaults, robbery, death investigations and frauds. During 2015, over 1,000 hours were dedicated to working crimes against children (child abuse, sexual misconduct, sexual assault). Other top cases include death investigations, robberies and fraud investigations.

During the course of 2015, detectives worked a variety of cases; the more time consuming investigations include:

Homicide.....	1	Robbery.....	6
Death Investigation .....	5	Battery.....	1
Child Abuse .....	6	Burglary.....	5
Sexual Assault.....	28	Fraud.....	8



During the course of 2015, the Detective Bureau investigated numerous high profile cases. Some of the more notable cases included:

- Providence Common Homicide – 1 adult arrest
- Taft Street Home Invasion Robbery – 1 adult arrest
- Bookham Drive Burglary / Sex Assault – 1 adult arrest
- Park Circle Shots Fired – 1 adult arrest
- Stop & Go Robbery – pending
- Child Pornography Distribution – 1 adult arrest
- Multi-State Extortion Case – 1 adult arrest



The Task Force staff consists of Officers Gary Nichols, Todd Lukens, Ben Pluim and Jon Lothe. The unit is supervised by Detective Sergeant Jamie Peterson.

**TASK FORCE SPECIALTY AREAS:**

- Lothe:** Sex offender compliance and second hand dealer compliance
- Nichols:** Gang intelligence – enforcement and education
- Lukens:** Crime prevention – property crimes
- Pluim:** Crime prevention – general



Task Force members are assigned specific neighborhoods based on the history of service calls and amount of city resource dedication. Officers take proactive measures to help reduce repeat calls for service at addresses within their assigned areas. They work closely with property owners to address ongoing issues that affect quality of life for area residents. Task Force staff also assists the Detective Bureau on major case investigations and coordinate most patterned crime investigations in the community.

The Sun Prairie Police Department created the Mental Health Response Team (MHRT) in 2015. Sergeant Brenda Dahlen was assigned to lead the team. Four patrol officers stepped forward and volunteered for the MHRT as an additional duty assignment. Those officers are Michelle Wilson, Josh Hameister, Marisol Lopez and Tommy Foy. Police School Liaison Officers Jack Wilkinson and Damion Verhalen were added to the team as resources in the schools. All members have or are scheduled to attend Crisis Intervention Training (CIT) hosted by the Madison Police Department and NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness).

The goal of the MHRT is to be proactive and establish protocols and relationships with mental health consumers and their families when they are *not* in crisis. The program also hopes to improve law enforcement's perception of consumers and their confidence when interacting with consumers. We believe establishing positive relationships will decrease officer and consumer injuries as well as decrease the time and number of repeat calls for service with mental health consumers. When meeting with the consumer and their family, officers are able to connect them with Journey Mental Health and various other community resources. If a mental health consumer is in crisis, MHRT Officers have the additional training to help their patrol partners navigate through the crisis.



Back Row: Josh Hameister, Michelle Wilson, Jack Wilkinson and Tommy Foy  
Front Row: Damion Verhalen, Marisol Lopez and Brenda Dahlen



Officer Damion Verhalen



Officer Jack Wilkinson



The police department has two officers assigned to work in the schools, teaming with school administration to ensure a safe learning environment for our students. Officer Jack Wilkinson is assigned to provide coverage at the Sun Prairie High School and Prairie Phoenix Academy. Officer Damion Verhalen is responsible for Cardinal Heights Upper Middle School, Prairie View Middle School and Patrick Marsh Middle School.

Both of these officers excel in the relationships they have with school staff and, most importantly, the students. Officer Wilkinson and Officer Verhalen do far more than what most view as their assigned duties. They are present in the community for presentations and safety talks, they attend truancy board meetings and work with our municipal judge to keep kids in the schools. They are at the school sporting events, school dances, school orientations and a long list of additional engagements. They are assigned to participate in the Youth and Family Commission meetings and be on the leadership team for the new Buena Vista Community School. They attend specialized training designed for school officers each summer and, when not at training, are working the road with their patrol partners. Officer Wilkinson and Officer Verhalen are very visible in the community and are key to the success of our Police School Resource Officer Program.

**DISPATCH**

The Sun Prairie Police Department Communications Center serves as the central system and answering point for all incoming inquiries for the department. The center is responsible for coordinating resources for our emergency services within the city. Staffing consists of one supervisor, eight communicators and four limited term employees. The center is staffed on a 24-hour basis throughout the year. Calls for service include both non-emergency and emergency requests. Emergency calls come in through 911 land lines and 911 wireless calls that are transferred from the Dane County Communications Center. Service requests are generally classified as police, fire or emergency medical responses. Dispatchers are valuable support staff for field officers and play an important role in our policing philosophy as we work toward our vision, mission and core values.

**2015 STATISTICS**

Non-emergency telephone calls.....	32,127
Emergency 911 telephone calls.....	2,997
Incoming internal (within city structure) telephone calls.....	8,465
Outgoing telephone calls.....	7,568
Calls for service created.....	30,029



**SPECIAL DUTIES:**

- Process all open records requests
- Prepare statistical information for analysis and presentation
- Manage department social media
- Process applicant and building access fingerprinting
- Provide Municipal and County Court services
- Coordinate web access departmental requests
- Coordinate community relations to include departmental tours and presentations

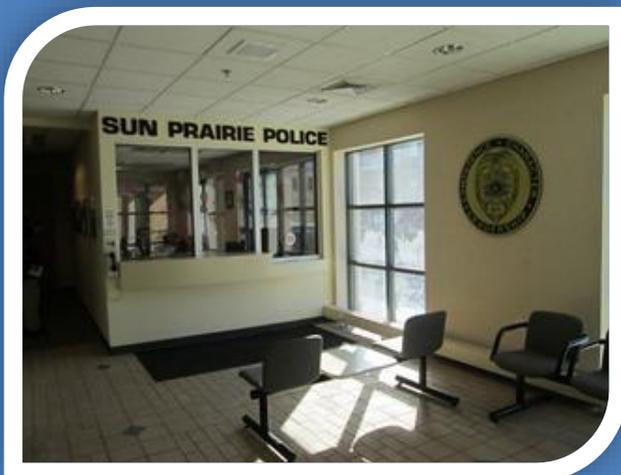
**RECORDS**

The Sun Prairie Police Department Records Bureau consists of a supervisor, six full time employees and one part time employee. The bureau operates out of two locations, one from the 300 E. Main Street facility and one from the 2598 W. Main Street facility. The service windows are open for business from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Friday.

The Records Bureau staff greet the public, assist with general questions, process citation payments, receive and process open records requests, prepare monthly department statistical reports, conduct City background checks, process parking citation suspensions and assist the communication center by initiating call for service requests from citizens who enter our lobbies during business hours. 811 background checks were processed in 2015.

With the growing demand of open records, we felt it was important to create an open records database that would give us the ability to better track the number of requests we process and the time spent processing those requests. We also have the ability to search requests by date and by the processor name. The open records team processed over 1,800 requests in 2015.

Citizens also have the ability now to make online payments for alarm permits, blood draws, municipal citations, parking citations and Shop with a Cop donations.



## MEDDROP



The Sun Prairie Police Department recognizes that the abuse and misuse of pharmaceutical drugs is a serious societal concern. Unwanted and unused prescriptions or over-the-counter medicines can be found in nearly every household in the country. These items may be ingested by children or third parties that wish to abuse the items. In addition, improper disposal is a threat to our environment.

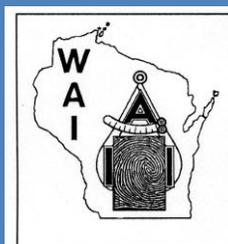
A permanent MedDrop container is available in the lobby of the east police facility at 300 E. Main St. The container is available 24/7 throughout the year.

In 2015, the department disposed of 1,968 pounds of these medications!



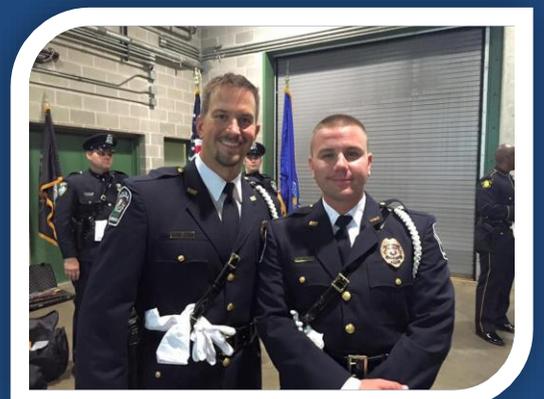
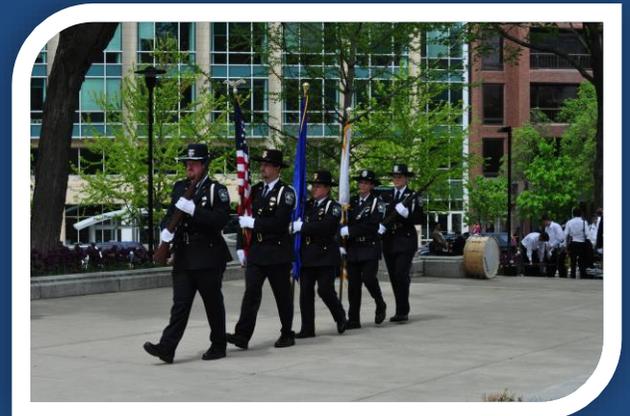
## EVIDENCE AND PROPERTY SERVICES

Court and property services is a combined position handled by one employee who is trained in all aspects of both roles along with maintaining certifications for these positions. The duties for this role will be divided in 2016 and assigned to a court officer and an evidence officer that will be independent of each other. Property responsibilities involve the management of all items that have been classified as evidence, safe-keeping, abandoned or found in relation to field incidents. Property is received from our officers at each of the three department locations (east, west and offsite facilities). Items are managed for court purposes, case disposition, for return to rightful owners or the disposal process. The staff member assigned is a board member of the Wisconsin Association for Identification and an active participant in establishing best practice recommendations throughout the state. The department is now working with Wisconsin Surplus Online Auctioning with several unclaimed property items to generate revenue for the city. The department has partnered with the school district for a bike donation program donating unclaimed bicycles for children.



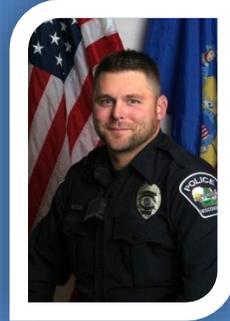
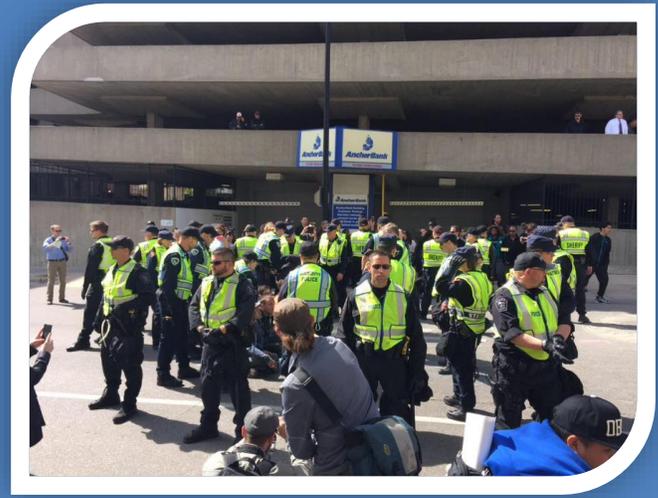
The 2015 Sun Prairie Police Honor Guard consisted of the following members: Sergeant Brenda Dahlen, Sergeant Brandon Lingle, Sergeant Larry Moen, Officer Chris Olander, Officer Amy Bolling, Officer Cathleen Messenger, Officer Josh Hameister and Officer Brian Garcia. The Sun Prairie Honor Guard is proud to represent our police department and the City of Sun Prairie at both local and statewide events. In May, the Honor Guard was invited to stand shoulder to shoulder with their peers on the steps of the Wisconsin State Capitol. They paid their respects to officers who lost their lives while serving the people of Wisconsin.

The team participated in several community events throughout 2015. They had an opportunity to honor and congratulate the accomplishments of their peers at the Sun Prairie Police Department Awards Banquet. The team marched alongside the local veterans in the Memorial Day parade. They presented colors at a ceremony on 9-11 to remember the lives lost in the terrorist attacks in 2001. They rounded out the year by attending and presenting colors at the Citizens Academy graduation in November.



The Special Events Team (SET) is made up of six members from the Sun Prairie Police Department: Sergeant Larry Moen, Sergeant Brandon Lingle, Officer Ben Pluim, Officer Brian Waldera, Officer David Hall and Officer Dan Enger. In addition to our team members, we are joined by six members each from both the Middleton and Fitchburg Police Departments.

This 18-member team is used to assist patrol when situations require advanced tactical training, and to assist with the execution of search warrants. 2015 was a very good year as we executed several search warrants as well as assisted with crowd control with the Dane County Sheriff's Department.



Sergeant Larry Moen  
Sergeant Brandon Lingle  
Officer Ben Pluim



Officer Brian Waldera  
Officer David Hall  
Officer Dan Enger



Our police department is fortunate to have a group of instructors that provide training to their colleagues. These officers deliver instruction in firearms, use of force, vehicle contacts and emergency vehicle operations. These same officers also assist in providing instruction to the Middleton and Fitchburg Police Departments during joint training.

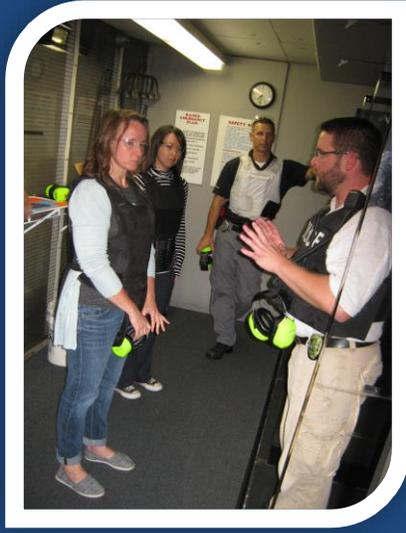
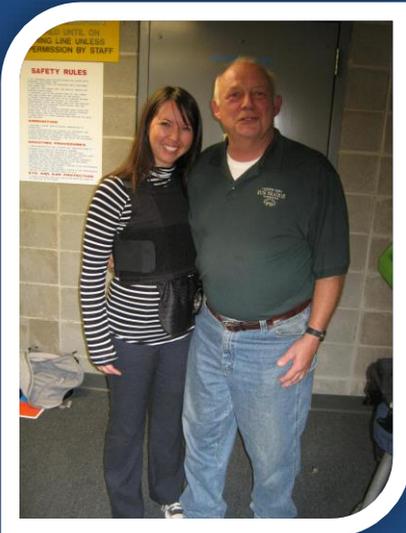


All officers attend four in-service sessions each year. Every employee, officer and civilian alike, are offered additional training opportunities throughout the year.



The operations of our agency are enhanced daily by officers that serve in a variety of duty assignments. We have officers that fill full time duty assignments, including task force members and school liaison officers. Others complete duty assignments in addition to their full time roles within the organization; these assignments include field training officer, honor guard and special events team.





**CITIZENS ACADEMY**

Ten Sun Prairie residents participated in the 2015 Citizens Academy. The program is designed to educate community members about policing in our city, and it is designed to provide officers with valuable feedback from citizens. Officers from the department are proud to provide attendees with instruction on firearms, self-defense and emergency vehicle operations. Other subjects addressed include community policing, dispatch operations and the overall mission of the detective bureau.

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

The department's core values of exceptional service and problem solving drive community involvement for all Sun Prairie Police Officers. Every year, staff participates in National Night Out, Shop with a Cop, Bike Safety and Walk to Schools. Moreover, department members visit schools, provide police department tours and attend civic organization meetings. Each officer is assigned a Community Connection, businesses and schools, with an eye toward providing the best possible police services.





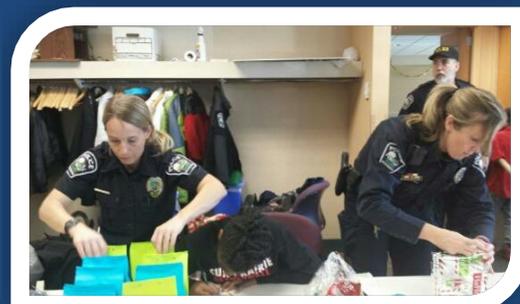
This past year's Shop with a Cop program went over quite well. We had 13 families benefit from our program. Once all our cops gathered, we met our assigned kids and headed out to the buses that T-Durst was again kind enough to donate for our needed rides to breakfast and shopping. Everyone enjoyed a nice breakfast at McDonald's that has been supplied each year by them, as well.



Items purchased for the families this year included toys, electronics, clothing and outerwear. When our family shopping was all said and done, each child was allowed to pick out a gift for themselves, as well.



Our day ended back at the east side police department where the wrapping commenced. Each child and those who assisted were given Shop with a Cop t-shirts, donated by Copper Fire Tees, so that everyone can remember the fun they had. The smiles and thank yous from the families as they picked up their children just made it all worth it.



**EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

The Emergency Management Team for the City is comprised of a director (the police chief) and three coordinators (fire chief, emergency medical services director and the assistant police chief). This group is charged with preparing the community for emergency situations, including weather related disasters. The team has made upgrades to the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and spearheaded an effort at updating the City’s hazard mitigation plan.



**TRAFFIC SAFETY PROGRAM**

In 2015, Sergeant Ryan Cox oversaw the Traffic Safety Program for the police department. He is a member of the Wisconsin Traffic Safety Officers Association.

The department receives several traffic complaints from concerned citizens each year. Some of those traffic complaints involve complaints against a specific motorist in real time. Others are complaints involving a specific area in the city where a specific traffic violation is a concern (e.g. speeding or sign violations). Those are the types of complaints where the department uses a mid to long term plan to address the concern. Those plans include conducting a speed survey, working with other departments or agencies for a possible solution (e.g. working with the Public Works Department to implement traffic signs / lights) and dedicating patrol resources to monitor and enforce a problem area over a period of time.

The Sun Prairie Police Department continued its efforts this year with addressing impaired driving. To help address impaired driving, the Sun Prairie Police Department joined the Capitol Area OWI Task Force again. The police department again also participated in non-funded, Department of Transportation sponsored, Traffic Safety programs including *Click It or Ticket*, *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* and *Drive Sober Winter Mobilization*.

It is clear from the number of complaints and informal conversations that traffic safety is an important concern with the members of the Sun Prairie community. The police department agrees with those concerns and is dedicated, through the department’s Traffic Safety Program, to address those concerns.

For 2016, Sergeant Jason Lefeber will be taking over coordinating the Traffic Safety Program.

**During the course of 2015:**

Traffic Complaints.....	1,103
Speed Surveys /	
Directed Patrol.....	32
Reportable Crashes.....	425
OWI / PAC / RCS Citations.....	164



Sergeant Cox

<b>OUTPUTS</b>				
<b>CALLS FOR SERVICE</b>				
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>2013</b>
Officer Initiated	5,860	6,850	-14.5%	6,276
Public Initiated	13,167	13,032	1.0%	13,279
Total Incidents	19,027	19,882	-4.3%	19,555
<b>TOP 15 CALLS FOR SERVICE TYPES (NON-TRAFFIC)</b>				
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>2013</b>
Motorist / Citizen Assist	1,526	1,668	-8.5%	1,571
911 Disconnect	1,695	1,470	15.3%	1,429
Disturbance	1,628	1,595	2.1%	1,708
Suspicious Activity	763	809	-5.7%	798
Welfare Check	746	626	19.2%	604
EMS Assist	705	629	12.1	569
Alarm	383	338	13.3%	294
Animal Complaint	472	533	-11.4%	484
Theft	263	253	4.0%	292
Retail Theft	272	326	-16.6%	240
Found Property	309	270	14.4%	301
Assist Other Department	300	298	0.7%	337
Uniform Controlled Substance	177	173	2.3%	211
Fraud	159	136	16.9%	144
Damage to Property	218	179	21.8%	230
<b>TRAFFIC SAFETY</b>				
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>2013</b>
Parking Enforcement / Complaint	1,920	1,725	11.3%	2,106
Traffic Stop	2,212	2,868	-22.9%	2,946
Traffic Complaint	1,103	1,282	-14.0%	952
Crash	875	722	21.2%	710
<b>TOP FOUR CRASH LOCATIONS (OCTOBER 1, 2015 – DECEMBER 31, 2015)</b>				
<b>Crash totals only for accidents resulting in injury, death or at least \$1,000 of damage to a vehicle or \$200 in damage to government property</b>				
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>2013</b>
W. Main St. at N. Thompson Dr.	11	6	83%	14
N. Bird St. at Windsor St.	10	3	233%	7
N. Grand Ave. at Windsor St.	7	6	17%	6
S. Grand Ave. at Prairie Lakes Dr.	13	5	160%	4
<b>ENFORCEMENT ACTION</b>				
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>2013</b>
Criminal Traffic Citation	218	186	17.2%	177
Municipal Ordinance Citation	889	926	-4.0%	1,063
Municipal Traffic Citation	1,500	1,533	-2.2%	1,576
Parking Citation	1,165	860	35.5%	1,317
Warning	2,864	3,594	-20.3%	3,458
OWI Arrest	164	146	12.3%	144
Criminal Arrest	504	692	-27.2%	692
<b>MISSION DRIVEN STRATEGIES</b>				
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>2013</b>
Neighborhood Improvement				
Landlord Contacts	431	420	3.0%	482
Community Relations				
Community Connections	471	526	-10.5%	459
Community Relations	116	211	-45.0%	176
Fingerprinting	161	115	40.0%	76
Open Record Requests	2,034	1,114	83.0%	N/A
Crime Prevention				
Permit Reviews	18	N/A	0.0%	N/A
Background Reviews	152	N/A	0.0%	N/A
License Reviews	176	N/A	0.0%	N/A
Alcohol Compliance Checks	267	227	17.6%	162

**OUTCOMES**

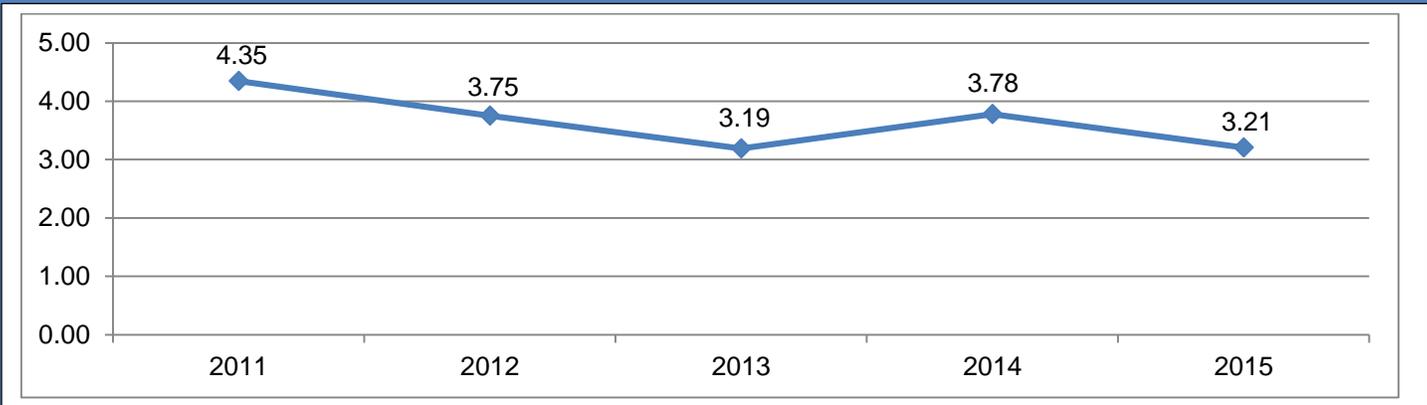
**UNIFORM CRIME REPORTS (UCR) INCIDENTS**

	2015	2014	% CHANGE	2013
Murder	1	0	100%	2
Rape	11	3	267%	4
Robbery	10	5	100%	6
Assault	80	107	-25%	84
Burglary	44	58	-24%	92
Theft	561	672	-17%	689
Auto Theft	15	8	88%	14
Arson	0	1	-100%	3
<b>TOTAL INCIDENTS</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>-15.5%</b>	<b>896</b>

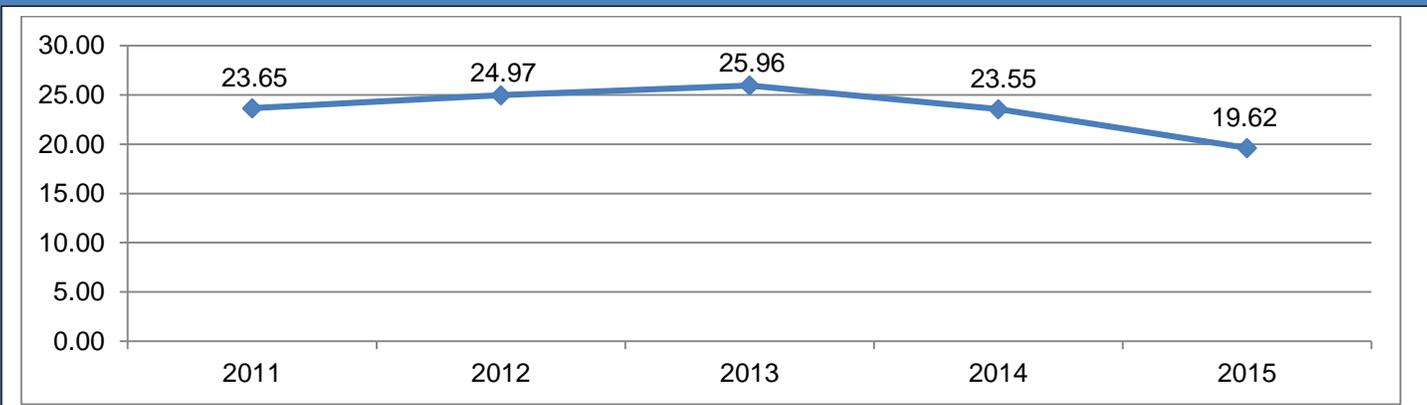
**PROBLEM SOLVING DATABASE**

	ENTERED CONCERNS	CLEARED CONCERNS	ACTIVE CONCERNS
Abatement	2	1	1
Directed Patrol	110	105	5
Drug Enforcement	40	28	12
Frequent Address	11	9	2
Frequent Contact	8	5	3
Reactive – Long Term	8	7	1
Traffic Safety	34	34	0
Warrant	82	71	11
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>260 (88%)</b>	<b>35 (12%)</b>

**TOTAL VIOLENT CRIME PER 1,000 RESIDENTS**  
Murder, Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Simple Assault



**TOTAL PROPERTY CRIME PER 1,000 RESIDENTS**  
Burglary, Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft, Arson



The Sun Prairie Police Department strives to partner with community members in pursuit of our vision and mission. This partnership is essential in our successes as a policing agency. We have developed several resources to further this partnership that are now available to our community.



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Tip 411 offers the option to contact the police department by e-mail with questions and the ability to contact our department anonymously through texts or web messages.



Nixle is a free service that gives our department the ability to communicate with subscribers via e-mail, text and web messages with timely alerts. Citizens can choose to receive text messages, e-mails or both. Alerts may include weather advisories, road conditions / road closures and announcements of snow emergencies.



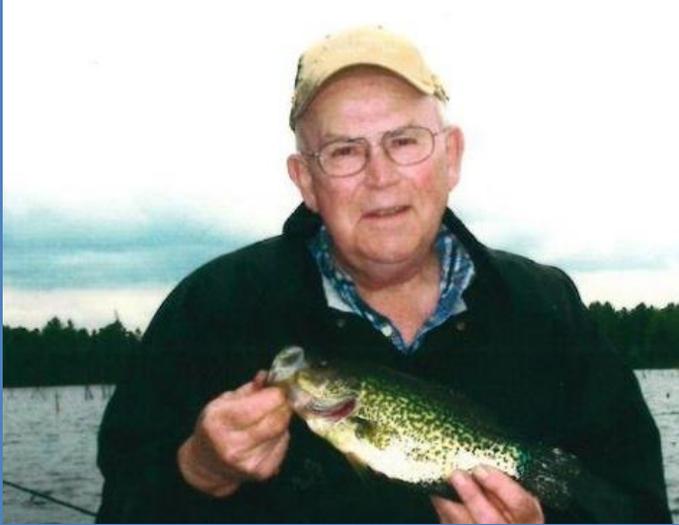
Community members can view a map of Sun Prairie which plots crime that is occurring within the city. Incidents can be filtered by crime type, date range and location.



The Wisconsin Crime Alert Network (WCAN) was established with the goal of creating a partnership between law enforcement and the public to solve crimes and apprehend criminals quickly. The department can instantly send crime alerts by e-mail, text or fax to subscribing businesses or individuals.



Community members are encouraged to visit our department's website. Features include crime prevention tips, crime mapping / analysis, media releases, vacation notifications, victim resources and employment opportunities.



Former Police Chief Raymond Boehlert passed away in 2015. Ray served as the police chief from 1972 until 1991. He started his career as an officer with the Wauwatosa Police Department. Ray was active in Sun Prairie upon his retirement but found time to add hunting and fishing to his schedule. Ray was 77 years old.