



RACINE POLICE DEPARTMENT

ANNUAL REPORT 2014



“Working in partnership with the community
to create a safe environment to live, work, and play”

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Vision Statement

To create a safe and secure environment where residents enjoy a high quality of life



In our pursuit of creating an environment where people feel safe, we continue to embrace the Community Policing Philosophy.

In partnership with the community, we will:

- Prevent and deter crime
- Enforce laws
- Maintain order and safety
- Solve problems
- Be visible and accessible



Core Values

Integrity • Ethics • Professionalism • Leadership • Service • Diversity

ARTHEL L. HOWELL
CHIEF OF POLICE



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Message from the Chief



A Message of Sincere Thanks

On behalf of the men and women who serve as sworn members of the Racine Police Department, I am honored to present the 2014 Annual Report. Through the combined effort of many within the department, and in partnership with the community at-large, we witnessed Part I Crime in Racine drop to a 50-year low in 2014. While additional work remains ahead, the progress to date affirms that we are on the right track. My sincere thanks goes out to all who contributed to our organizational success.

Respect for the Profession

The year 2014 presented significant challenges for the law enforcement community. Following a series of high profile incidents throughout the nation, the integrity of the police profession was placed under scrutiny. In contrast to the national narrative, under the community policing philosophy, on a local level, we continue to enjoy a close working relationship and problem-solving partnership with the citizens we serve.

As we consider the national conversation on the state of policing in our nation, it is important to acknowledge the spirit of cooperation, trust and respect we've cultivated locally. While trust takes years to build, it can be lost in an instant. For this reason, we must remain true to our core values of integrity, ethical conduct, leadership, professionalism, service to the community and organizational diversity. We must continue to earn the trust and respect of those we serve.

Absent from the national headlines in 2014 were the names of the 125 law enforcement professionals who lost their lives in the line of duty. These heroes made the ultimate sacrifice in service to others. As a nation, we owe these men and women a debt of gratitude. As a profession, we honor our fallen members through our continued commitment to individual excellence and organizational integrity.



Arthur L. Hawthorn

DIVISION COMMANDERS



DEPUTY CHIEF JOHN POLZIN
PATROL DIVISION

It is both an honor and a privilege not only to serve my community, but also the Racine Police Department as the Deputy Chief of the Patrol Division. The Patrol Division encompasses many vital components of the Racine Police Department such as: patrol officers, COP, traffic investigators, K9 units, SWAT and the Crisis Negotiations Team. It is our collective goal to work in collaboration with the other Racine Police Department Divisions, as well as the community as a whole, to provide the citizens of Racine a safe community, free from the fear of crime.

As we look back at the 2014 crime statistics, we are once again fortunate to have seen a decrease in Part I Crimes for the year. The collective efforts of all members of the Racine Police Department working in collaboration with those in our community have resulted in a fifty year low in Part I crime statistics. In addition, one of the Racine Police Department's goals for 2014 was to reduce burglaries city wide. I am happy to report that in 2014 we did realize a significant reduction in reported burglaries for the year.

While we have continued to see reductions in Part I Crimes, as well as burglaries citywide, we must remember that every dot on a crime map represents a member of our community that was a victim of a crime. Therefore, we as an agency remain committed to continue in the community policing philosophy to work in collaboration with all stakeholders in an effort to further reduce victimization of crimes for the residents of our City.

I serve as the Commander of the Office of Professional Standards Division. This division is comprised of several key areas including: recruitment and training; policy and procedure review; planning and research; public information; special events, as well as internal affairs.

A major responsibility of the Professional Standards Division involves the recruitment and training of new officers. Critical to the success of the department, and the community policing philosophy we embrace, is the selection of candidates who possess exceptional aptitude to perform the job, while displaying servant leader characteristics and people skills required to be successful in policing our community that is culturally rich and diverse.

As a department, we are tasked with overseeing a number of special events each year. Included among these are the 4th Fest Parade and fireworks, Lighthouse Run, Rotary Post Prom and other events which collectively require months of planning and logistical support.

To that end, we continue to improve our strategies of managing special events under the Incident Command System (ICS) as a component of our continuous improvement philosophy.



DEPUTY CHIEF CARLOS LOPEZ
PROFESSIONAL
STANDARDS DIVISION

DIVISION COMMANDERS

During 2014, the Investigative Division partnered with the Patrol Division, the C.O.P. Unit, and various state and federal agencies to address robberies within the city. This cooperative effort led to numerous state arrests and a federal indictment of a group of individuals that were responsible for multiple robberies throughout southeastern Wisconsin.

The Investigative Division also strengthened its focus on victims of Human Trafficking. Members of the Division provided Human Trafficking training to department members during in service and to many external groups within the community. The U.S. Attorney's Office utilized members of the Investigative Division to provide training at their annual Human Trafficking Conference. Also, members of the Investigative Division worked closely with volunteers within the community to develop the Racine Coalition Against Human Trafficking. This non-profit organization provides significant assistance and resources to victims of human trafficking. Racine Investigators and Supervisors continue to provide management and leadership support to the Racine Human Trafficking Task Force. During 2014 the task force was responsible for nine operations, the recovery of twenty-eight human trafficking victims and the arrest or identification of fourteen suspects that preyed on the recovered victims.



DEPUTY CHIEF TODD SCHULZ
INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION

The members of the Investigative Division take great pride in their contribution toward the City of Racine Police Department's goal of reducing crime. Part I Crime statistics indicate that 2014 represented the second lowest totals for violent crime in the past fifty years. We look forward to building on the success to date.



DEPUTY CHIEF MARK SCHULZ
SUPPORT SERVICES DIVISION

It is an honor to serve as the Commander of the Support Services Division. The Support Services Division is responsible for the oversight of the Records Section, Court Section, Evidence/Property Section, Abandoned Vehicle Section, Technology Section, Radio Communication Resource Department and Community Service Officer Section.

During 2014 the Support Services Division continued to work with the City's Information System personnel as they completed an in house parking citation management system. The new system allows the Community Service Officers to issue parking citations with recently upgraded handheld devices. The new system also included a report that automatically sends suspension notices to the State every night. This has increased the Department's ability to collect past due parking ticket fines.

The Community Service Officer (CSO) positions were brought up to full strength after some turnover during the early part of the year. The CSOs captured and transported over 1470 stray dogs and cats to the Wisconsin Humane Society. They also issued approximately 400 Uniform Municipal Code Citations for various violations related to animal control.

The Support Services Division was again tasked with making cuts to the 2015 budget to help reduce the burden on the city. We were able provide the city with a budget that met the requested reductions.

SHIFT/ UNIT COMMANDERS

Patrol Division



Lieutenant James Zuehlke
1st Shift Patrol Commander



Lieutenant Mark Esch
2nd Shift Patrol Commander



Lieutenant William Macemon
3rd Shift Patrol Commander



Lieutenant Aldred Days
COP Unit Commander

Professional Standards Division



Lieutenant Martin Pavlonis
Training Unit Commander



Lieutenant Steve Wagner
Internal Affairs



Lieutenant David Wohlgemuth
Planning Section

Investigative Division



Lieutenant Chuck Weitzel
General Investigations Commander



Lieutenant Michael Polzin
Special Investigations Commander



Lieutenant Kurt Maurer
Technology

Support Services Division

DEPARTMENT CHAPLAINS

Two of the core values of the International Conference of Police Chaplains (ICPC) state:

1. We respect and honor the badge and the men and women who have earned the right to wear it. And
2. We pledge availability to the needs of law enforcement officers and victims of crime.

As chaplains with the Racine Police Department, and, •as members of ICPC, we share those values and pursue them as we minister to and with all who make up the Racine Police Department.

Recent press reports note that some phases of crime are down in our city. •While we readily acknowledge that is by the "grace of God," it is also in no small measure a credit to the fine men and women who make up our police force.

And, as chaplains we honor that success. •While we are not part of the "crime-fighting," we are here to offer our support in whatever way we can; we pledge ourselves as "available" to you. •While the names and faces of chaplains have changed over the years our purpose remains the same - to be available to you to help in whatever way we can, whether a "work" problem or a "personal" problem, we are here to serve. •And we continue to count that as a huge privilege.

May God continue to bless the Racine Police Department!



Chaplain
R. L. Woods



Chaplain
Art Rader

POLICEMAN'S PRAYER

Lord, I ask for courage; courage to face and conquer my own fears...

Courage to take me where others will not go.

I ask for strength; strength of body to protect others..

Strength of spirit to lead others.

I ask for dedication; dedication to my job to do it well..

Dedication to my community to keep it safe.

Give me Lord, concern; for all those who trust me...

And compassion for those who need me

COMMUNITY ORIENTATED POLICING UNIT

During 2014 the mission of the COP Unit was to make a positive impact on the community it serves. The Officers of the COP Unit were challenged to carry out this mission by implementing problem solving initiatives which focused on the surgical removal of the criminal element along with community collaboration.

The Officers demonstrated a dedication to this mission through an outstanding work ethic, open line of communication and an exceptional display of teamwork. The Officers' ability to truly function as a team was evident in their willingness to take on whatever task was needed to carry out the Unit's mission. The results achieved by this Unit through their efforts were nothing short of astonishing.



Lieutenant Aldred Days
Community Policing Supervisor

"The Officers of the COP Unit have shown a true dedication to the Law Enforcement profession and this group of men and women wear the badge with honor."
- Sgt. Smith

Though the quality of work done by COP Officers is what stands out and makes the largest impact, a high quantity of results was also achieved.



Sergeant Michael Smith
Community Policing Supervisor

The statistical totals for 2014 are as follows: (276) Felony Arrests, (343) Misdemeanor. Arrests, (19) Juvenile Apprehensions, (926) Warrants served, (678) Uniform Traffic Citations and (391) Uniform Municipal Court Citations. This is a total of (2,633) enforcement actions for 2014. This total number of enforcement actions is a 20% increase from the year prior. As a result of the arrests made by the Officers, a total of 3,050 grams of THC, 47.3 grams of cocaine, 3.5 grams of heroin and hundreds of prescription drugs were recovered. This is a total street value of approximately \$35,580 in recovered narcotics by these Officers.

The Officers of the COP Unit recovered 16 firearms during 2014 which were taken from gang members, drug dealers and otherwise violent individuals. These included individuals wanted for attempted homicide, robbery, shootings, burglary, sexual assault, arson and other various violent offenses.

COP INITIATIVES



Aside from addressing the criminal element, Officers of the COP Unit connected with the community at various events which has strengthened the connection between the community and the Police Department. The Officers of the Unit have demonstrated the true balance of the “weed and seed” approach to Community Policing.

On Sunday, August 24, 2014, the COP Unit partnered with “We Are Racine” for the fundraising event “Peacefest.” The entire COP Unit participated in this event and played a major role in its success. Officers sold t-shirts, served food and most importantly were available for a positive interaction with the Public. The event raised over \$7,000. The COP Officers demonstrated a high level of professionalism and represented the Racine Police Department honorably.

In addition, Officers of the COP Unit took part in National Night Out, Juneteenth Day, the Cops and Kids fishing trip, Shop with a Cop, Stuff the Squad event and the Cops and Kids book giveaway just to name a few.

During 2014, two new programs were implemented aimed at a positive intervention to neighborhood Youth. At the 16th Street COP House, “Guys Group” was formed and at the Mead Street COP House “Pizza and Peace” was formed. Both programs have been a huge success and we continue to look for ways to engage the youth of Racine.



2013 POLICE AWARDS



Police Awards 2013 Awards

VALOR



Chief's Leadership Commendation

Lieutenant William Macemon
Sergeant Michael Smith

Life Saving Award

Officer William Burinda
Officer Sarah Nuttall
Officer Angelo Sackman
Officer Allan Wassil

Outstanding Police Service Award

Lieutenant David Wohlgemuth
Criminalist Todd Hoover

Award Of Excellence

Sergeant Richard Rivers
Sergeant Richard Toeller
Investigator Christopher Blackmore
Investigator David Derks
Investigator Hanns Freidel
Investigator Kevin Kupper
Investigator Theodore Schlitz
Investigator Jody Spiegelhoff
Investigator Joe Villalobos
Officer Steven Beal
Officer Amy Matsen
Officer Andrew Matson
Officer Frank Miller
Officer Robert Ortiz
Officer Robert Rasmussen
Officer Venise Voss

Cold Case Award

District Attorney Jacalyn LaBre
Police Chief Art Howell
Investigator Daniel Langendorf
Investigator Todd Morschhauser
Investigator David Rybarik
Investigator Mark Sorenson
Investigator Chad Stillman

Exemplary Officer Award

Sergeant Steven Herold
Sergeant Sarah Weidner
Investigator Neal Lofy
Investigator Donald Nuttall
Investigator Mark Sorensen
Officer David Arvai
Officer Juan Garcia
Officer Fredrick Hyatt
Officer Stephan Jaskowiak
Officer Mindy Keland
Officer Chad Melby
Officer Jeremy Opahle
Officer Michael Seeger

Civilian Employee Police Service Award

Kelly Madisen

2013 POLICE AWARDS

Unit Citation (UPEC)

Lieutenant Charles Weitzel
Sergeant Jessie Metoyer
Sergeant Christian Van Schyndel, Ret
Investigator Melissa Diener
Investigator Kurt Meyer
Officer Nicholas Contreras
Officer Kristi Wilcox



Unit Citation (COP Unit)

Lieutenant Aldred Days
Sergeant Michael Smith
Officer Buddy Buchanan
Officer Timothy Cisler
Officer Nicholas Contreras
Officer Juan Garcia
Officer Wade Holding
Officer Aaron Henry
Officer Justin Koepnick
Officer Robert Ortiz
Officer Bryant Peterson
Officer James Pettis
Officer Richard Prince
Officer Donald Rybarik
Officer Michael Seeger

SERVICE

PROMOTIONS



JOSHUA LAFORGE

Promoted to
Traffic Investigator
July 2014



ALFONSO NUDO

Promoted to
Traffic Investigator
July 2014



LENNOT WEBB

Promoted to
Investigator
August 2014



KURT MEYER

Promoted to
Sergeant
June 2014

2014 Retirees



Officer Stuart Van Swol
4/24/89 - 4/26/14



Officer Michael Vanko
3/07/88 - 4/30/14



Officer Larry Ivy
1/27/86 - 6/26/14



Traffic Investigator Jeff Bruzas
1/27/86 - 6/28/14



Traffic Investigator Phillip Frost
1/13/84 - 6/28/14



Investigator Alan Herriot
1/27/86 - 6/28/14



Officer Maurice Nabors
1/23/89 - 6/28/14



Officer Eric Thill
3/25/85 - 6/30/14



Officer Robert Beaudoin
3/20/89 - 7/31/14



Traffic Investigator Mark Trossen
3/07/88 - 7/31/14



Traffic Investigator Keith Liertz
10/06/85 - 11/21/14



Officer Paul Shatzman
3/07/88 - 11/28/14

MOVING INTO THE 21ST CENTURY

In 2014, the department began utilizing social media in many ways. In a matter of seconds, we could communicate with thousands of citizens. Photos of suspects were released for possible identification, safety tips, and press releases were posted on our Facebook, Twitter, and Nixle accounts.

It became a tool to relay information, interact with the citizens we serve, and provide news to the public. The Racine Police Department currently has almost 7,000 likes on Facebook and continues to grow each day.



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Posted by  Jessie Nethery Metoyer (?) · December 26, 2014 · Edited · 

Update on our Secret Santa surprise we told you about earlier in the week... Last weekend Chief Howell was contacted by a local citizen who wished to remain anonymous. This Secret Santa donated a substantial amount of money for the police department to provide random acts of kindness to deserving and needy members of our community. The Racine Police Department partnered with HSD and the Food Bank to select two families. Each family was provided with a full meal for Christ... [See More](#)



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RACINE HUMAN TRAFFICKING TASK FORCE



The Racine Human Trafficking Task Force began forming in late 2013 and by early 2014 the Task Force and all of its current partners began participating in joint undercover human trafficking operations. Our current partners consist of local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies, along with the Racine Coalition against Human Trafficking, who provide immediate support and services to trafficking victims.

The mission of the Racine Human Trafficking Task Force is to recover enslaved victims from the parties responsible for their exploitation through inhumane practices and mental anguish.

Over the course of 2014, the Racine Human Trafficking Task Force participated and organized both large and small scale Human Trafficking operations, including Operation Cross Country VIII, a federal initiative by the FBI. These operations successfully recovered 40 plus human trafficking victims and identified or arrested 23 parties responsible for the trafficking of these victims.



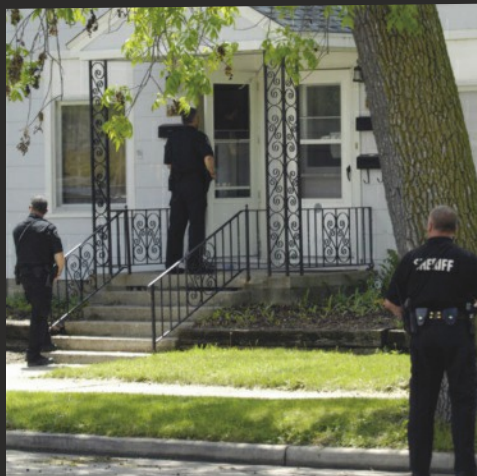
A CITY SEARCHES

On June 2, 2014 at 12:25 p.m., Jesus G. Arroyo escaped the Racine County Jail. Members of the Department of Corrections were transporting Arroyo from Milwaukee to Racine. In addition to a probation hold, Arroyo was wanted in connection with eleven armed robberies throughout the City of Racine. Once inside the LEC garage, still in belly chains and handcuffs, Arroyo observed an open door and made a run for it; sparking a 12 hour manhunt.

Members of the Racine Police Department, Racine County Sheriff's Department and Mount Pleasant Police Department scoured the city for more than 10 hours prior to night fall. Just before midnight, the Racine County Dispatch center received a call from one of Arroyo's family members; Arroyo was at their front door asking for shoes. Arroyo's family refused to let him in and called police. Once officers arrived, Arroyo again fled, still in belly chains and handcuffs. With the assistance of several officers, he was subsequently apprehended. Because of everyone's dedication, teamwork, and community relations, Arroyo was taken successfully into custody.



D.C. Polzin and Officer Arvai search yards with K9 Titan



Officers Pettis and Peterson check residences during the search



Joint efforts by all jurisdictions made the day a success

SHOP WITH A COP



Following the Holiday season of 2013, Officers Dave Arvai and Kristy Brietchaft approached the department about hosting a “Shop with a Cop” event. Many children in the City of Racine go without gifts and basic needs during the holiday season and the Officers wanted to bring a little joy to them.

The Department decided to work jointly with Mount Pleasant Police Department and collectively sponsored 50 children. Together, over \$10,000 was donated from area businesses.

On December 6, 2014, 50 Officers from both the Racine Police Department and the Mount Pleasant Police Department were teamed up with local students, nominated by Racine Unified School District, to shop till they dropped at the Mount Pleasant Wal-Mart Superstore. The smiles on both the Officers’ and students’ faces

made the event such a huge success; one that will become annual.



INAUGURAL POLICEMAN'S BALL



On November 1, 2014, the Racine Police Department hosted the Inaugural Policeman's Ball. Inspired by similar annual events held by other law enforcement agencies, this special event was coordinated to raise funds for the local police K9 programs and the local Police Pals mentoring program.

Entertainment during this event was provided by the Wisconsin-based Dueling Pianos group and local singer-songwriter Haley Klinkhammer. The 2014 Policeman's Ball was an amazing success, bringing members of the community together to enjoy food, fund, and fellowship, all in support of public safety.

Through the generous support of presenting sponsor SC Johnson, local businesses, and private donors, over \$25,000 was raised during this event. A portion of the proceeds raised were used to purchase and train the newest member of our department, K9 "Odin."

Nearly 500 attendees shared this remarkable experience. Plans are currently underway for the 2nd Annual Policeman's Ball. Hope to see you there!



RAPID RESPONSE TO CRIME TRENDS

In 2014, the Racine Police Department faced numerous rapidly developing and escalating crime trends; one of these trends occurring during Third Shift. Officers responded quickly and decisively, stopping the trend in a relatively short time frame.

In April 2014, Racine experienced a large spike in armed robberies at taverns. This was happening throughout the city, but particularly on the Northside. Third Shift Patrol recognized the trend immediately and responded by increasing manpower levels, initiating a robbery squad tasked with visible proactive patrol of taverns, and rapidly responding to any robbery that occurred. All Officers on the shift increased their contacts with the taverns and conducted frequent field interviews with suspicious people observed near the establishments.

Additionally, Third Shift worked closely with Investigations Division and COP Unit to monitor and patrol taverns. The efforts worked and the first break in this crime trend came soon after. Third Shift Officers conducting proactive patrol observed two individuals exiting The Rhino Bar on North Main Street and quickly leave the area. The Officers discovered the suspects had just entered the tavern with firearms and abruptly left. Officers located and arrested the suspects after a handgun and a shotgun were discovered in their possession.

While these were most certainly not the only suspects involved in this crime trend, the robberies stopped suddenly soon after these arrests were made by Third Shift Patrol.



RACINE POLICE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION BOXING CLUB



Founded in 1995, the Racine Police Athletic Association (RPAA) was established to develop and build positive relationships between police officers and area youth through athletic activities. In 2012, the RPAA submitted a grant to the Racine Community Foundation to create a permanent home for the Golden Touch Boxing Club. The members of this club formerly practiced outside of the Lakeview community center. Through the support of the Foundation, the RPAA Golden Touch Boxing Club is now housed in the lower level of the Lakefront YMCA.

During the past 20 years, the RPAA has sponsored a growing number of youth-friendly programs. The RPAA supports other public safety initiatives as well, including the 1st Annual Policeman's Ball. In 2015, the RPAA will become the Racine Police Pals Association to better reflect the broader scope of activities our organization now supports.

The Golden Touch Boxing Club is a great example of the stellar youth we have in the community and the Racine Police Athletic Association is proud to sponsor their efforts.



OFFICER ISSUED PARKING ENFORCEMENT

Type of Violations	2014	2013	% Change
Meter Violations	122	125	-2%
Overtime Parking	4	24	-83%
No Parking Area	509	546	-7%
Loading Zone Violations	98	29	238%
Street Storage	26,232	28,301	-7%
Parking Prohibited	575	415	39%
Restricted Parking	141	199	-29%
Improper Parking	1,284	913	41%
Abandoned Vehicles	648	530	22%
Winter/ Snow Violations	12	431	-97%
School Zone Violations	120	142	-16%
Tow Away Zone	157	107	47%
Misc. Violations	409	754	-46%
Totals	30,311	32,516	-7%

UNIFORM TRAFFIC CITATIONS (UTC)

Type of Violations	2014	2013	% Change
Registration of Vehicle Violations	1,945	1,938	-0.02%
Operator License Violations	5,552	5,375	3%
Improper Lane Usage	444	382	16%
Right of Way- (FYRW)	355	341	4%
Right of Way- Pedestrian (FYRW)	23	25	-8%
Turning and Stopping Violations	506	514	-2%
Required Stops Violations	362	295	23%
Restrictions on Stopping & Parking	27	40	-33%
Speeding Violations	653	1,376	-53%
Reckless Driving	190	181	5%
O.V.W.I – Violations	172	199	-14%
Accident & Accident Report Violations	315	285	11%
ALL OTHER VIOLATIONS	374	331	13%
Radio Amplification Violations	67	51	31%
Seatbelt Violations	799	1,128	-29%
Equipment Violations	1,508	1,580	-5%
Totals	13,292	14,041	-5%

PART I CRIMES

Violent Crime Reported	2014	2013	2014 vs. 2013
Homicides	4	1	300%
Rapes	9	18	-50%
Robbery	200	179	11%
Aggravated Assaults	98	100	-2%
Total Violent Crime	311	298	4%

Property Crime Reported	2014	2013	2014 vs. 2013
Burglary	955	1211	-27%
Theft	1662	1704	-2.5%
Motor Vehicle Theft	106	95	10%
Arson	6	9	-33%
Total Property Crime	2,729	3019	-11%
Total Part 1 Crime	3,040	3313	-9%

INVESTIGATIVE CLEARANCE RATES

Violent Crime Clearance	2014		2013	
	Cases Cleared	Clearance Rate	Cases Cleared	Clearance Rate
Homicides	3	75%	1	100%
Rapes	5	56%	15	83%
Robbery	63	31%	59	33%
Aggravated Assaults	87	89%	126	131%
Total Violent Crimes	158	51%	203	69%

Property Crime Clearance	2014		2013	
	Cases Cleared	Clearance Rate	Cases Cleared	Clearance Rate
Burglary	190	20%	431	36%
Theft	491	30%	532	31%
Motor Vehicle Theft	30	28%	31	33%
Arson	0	0%	2	22%
Total Property Crimes	711	26%	994	33%
Total Part 1 Clearance	869	29%	1197	36%

CITY OF RACINE MUNICIPAL VIOLATIONS 2014

CITY ORDINANCE	Jan 14	Feb 14	Mar 14	Apr 14	May 14	Jun 14	Jul 14	Aug 14	Sep 14	Oct 14	Nov 14	Dec 14	Tot 14
All Alcohol Beverage Violations	2	17	24	6	17	10	23	12	12	2	5	10	140
All Other Liquor Violations	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Entertainment Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Animal License Violations	16	11	14	25	14	29	17	23	20	13	28	15	225
Animal Care/Control Violations	9	5	22	20	21	24	37	15	33	24	28	20	258
Animal Rabies/Vaccination Violations	2	3	6	8	10	20	9	18	16	8	28	7	135
Building Code Violation	10	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	9	25
Business, Occup, Profess- License	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
Cemetery Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Audible Alarms Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Environment Viol-Nuisances	2	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	10
Environment Viol- Weed Control	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Environment Viol- All other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unreasonable Amplification	5	4	4	11	7	9	6	8	13	3	3	2	75
Fire Prevention/Protection Violations	2	3	2	3	1	2	4	1	2	2	0	0	22
Disorderly Conduct	23	55	71	54	75	75	71	45	78	68	48	52	715
Harassing Phone Calls	1	1	0	2	2	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	12
Weapons Violations	1	0	1	2	0	2	0	5	1	0	2	1	15
Obstruction of Public Ways	13	5	8	19	6	5	14	14	13	9	6	9	121
Trespassing Violations	4	4	2	10	6	4	11	12	10	5	3	13	84
Resisting Arrest	6	7	11	13	18	9	16	19	11	10	12	12	144
Failure to Aid Law Enforcement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Obstructing	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	5
Vandalism Violations	1	3	1	0	2	3	2	1	4	0	0	3	20
Theft	5	7	4	13	10	9	10	12	9	16	4	8	107
Possession Marijuana	1	3	2	6	0	3	3	3	9	2	2	2	36
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Gambling Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prostitution Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disorderly House	0	0	2	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	1	10
Littering	1	3	1	0	1	2	2	2	1	2	0	1	16
Curfew- Minor	8	5	14	7	15	39	37	38	11	10	9	11	204
Curfew- Parent	2	1	5	3	2	2	3	5	0	1	2	1	27
Picketing Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud- Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fire Works Violations	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5
Skate Board Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Worthless Checks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
911- Non Emergency Use	8	5	0	3	4	7	3	7	6	2	7	4	56
Tobacco Products Possession by Minor	7	1	4	4	2	3	4	1	9	5	4	2	46
Sale of Tobacco Products to Minor	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Truancy	31	37	36	67	49	29	0	0	44	63	26	30	412
Habitual Truancy	2	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	22	9	1	39
Park Violations	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	5	3	2	0	2	17
Snow on Sidewalk	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Solid Waste Violations	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
ALL OTHER VIOLATIONS	1	2	5	3	3	2	1	3	2	2	5	1	30
2014 MONTHLY TOTALS	169	183	245	286	269	302	287	255	310	274	231	222	3,033
2013 MONTHLY TOTALS	191	202	386	319	373	279	288	245	370	392	257	169	3,471
Percent of Change 2013-2014	12%	-1%	-37%	-10%	-28%	8%	0.03%	4%	-16%	-30%	-10%	-31%	-13%

Note: The yellow highlighted violations are the city ordinances also issued by other city departments.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS STATS



Traffic Accidents	2014	2013	2014 vs. 2013
Fatal Accidents	6	1	500%
Injury Accidents	550	485	13%
Property Damage Accidents	1,443	1,458	- 1.04%
Hit and Run Accidents	743	733	1.35%
Total Traffic Accidents	2,742	2,677	2%



PATROL AREA STATS

Patrol Area 1

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	9	12	-25%
Aggravated Assaults	18	13	38%
Violent Crime Totals	27	25	8%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	59	108	-45%
Theft	133	175	-24%
Auto-Theft	7	5	40%
Arson	0	1	-100%
Property Crime Totals	199	289	-31%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	85	66	29%
Weapons Violations	18	21	-14%
Disturbances	1073	1000	7%
Police Requested	529	635	-17%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,705	1,722	-1%

Patrol Area 4

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	1	0	UND
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	10	18	-44%
Aggravated Assaults	13	15	-13%
Violent Crime Totals	24	33	-27%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	69	53	30%
Theft	118	120	-2%
Auto-Theft	9	3	200%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	196	176	11%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	68	89	-24%
Weapons Violations	19	17	12%
Disturbances	1060	1082	-2%
Police Requested	673	684	-2%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,820	1,872	-3%

Patrol Area 2

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	1	0	UND
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	29	15	93%
Aggravated Assaults	12	28	-57%
Violent Crime Totals	42	43	-2%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	66	78	-15%
Theft	114	107	7%
Auto-Theft	7	6	17%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	187	191	-2%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	83	100	-17%
Weapons Violations	18	40	-55%
Disturbances	1125	1128	0%
Police Requested	428	419	2%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,654	1,687	-2%



Patrol Area 3

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	1	0	UND
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	7	9	-22%
Aggravated Assaults	8	10	-20%
Violent Crime Totals	16	19	-16%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	23	34	-32%
Theft	69	71	-3%
Auto-Theft	7	6	17%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	99	111	-11%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	34	42	-19%
Weapons Violations	21	16	31%
Disturbances	428	486	-12%
Police Requested	364	431	-16%
Miscellaneous Totals	877	975	-10%

Patrol Area 5

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	17	15	13%
Aggravated Assaults	16	16	0%
Violent Crime Totals	33	31	6%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	66	81	-19%
Theft	62	97	-36%
Auto-Theft	7	7	0%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	135	185	-27%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	55	62	-11%
Weapons Violations	27	23	17%
Disturbances	793	794	0%
Police Requested	318	301	6%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,193	1,180	1%

PATROL AREA STATS

Patrol Area 6

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	1	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	26	19	37%
Aggravated Assaults	22	15	47%
Violent Crime Totals	49	34	44%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	76	110	-31%
Theft	226	219	3%
Auto-Theft	14	10	40%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	316	339	-7%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	91	101	-10%
Weapons Violations	35	20	75%
Disturbances	1180	1212	-3%
Police Requested	634	775	-18%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,940	2,108	-8%

Patrol Area 9

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	7	6	17%
Aggravated Assaults	9	6	50%
Violent Crime Totals	16	12	33%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	50	42	19%
Theft	188	148	27%
Auto-Theft	5	5	0%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	243	195	25%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	50	46	9%
Weapons Violations	11	12	-8%
Disturbances	648	620	5%
Police Requested	596	552	8%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,305	1,230	6%

Patrol Area 7

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	14	17	18%
Aggravated Assaults	11	9	22%
Violent Crime Totals	25	26	-4%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	67	90	-26%
Theft	95	84	13%
Auto-Theft	5	6	-17%
Arson	1	0	UND
Property Crime Totals	168	180	-7%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	52	67	-22%
Weapons Violations	17	25	-32%
Disturbances	783	830	-6%
Police Requested	382	468	-18%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,234	1,390	-11%

Patrol Area 8

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	1	0	UND
Robbery	29	33	-12%
Aggravated Assaults	22	25	-12%
Violent Crime Totals	52	58	-10%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	126	126	0%
Theft	235	241	-2%
Auto-Theft	19	17	12%
Arson	1	1	0%
Property Crime Totals	381	385	-1%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	102	114	-11%
Weapons Violations	36	22	64%
Disturbances	1558	1587	-2%
Police Requested	891	1050	-15%
Miscellaneous Totals	2,587	2,773	-7%

Patrol Area 10

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	19	11	73%
Aggravated Assaults	11	7	57%
Violent Crime Totals	30	18	67%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	56	83	-33%
Theft	310	345	-10%
Auto-Theft	9	14	-36%
Arson	1	2	-50%
Property Crime Totals	376	444	-15%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	69	97	-29%
Weapons Violations	13	18	-28%
Disturbances	1049	1130	-7%
Police Requested	705	690	2%
Miscellaneous Totals	1,836	1,935	-5%



COP AREA STATS

16th Street

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	1	0	und
Robbery	6	10	-40%
Aggravated Assaults	12	4	200%
Violent Crime Totals	19	14	36%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	30	44	-32%
Theft	72	69	4%
Auto-Theft	5	6	-17%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	107	119	-10%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	39	28	39%
Weapons Violations	17	26	-35%
Disturbances	479	506	-5%
Police Requested	237	251	-6%
Miscellaneous Totals	772	811	-5%



Richard V. Polzin
Community Oriented Policing Office
1900 16th Street

Villa Street

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	1	1	0%
Rapes	0	2	und
Robbery	8	16	-50%
Aggravated Assaults	18	11	64%
Violent Crime Totals	27	30	-10%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	61	48	27%
Theft	113	103	10%
Auto-Theft	7	2	250%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	181	153	18%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	58	61	-5%
Weapons Violations	51	54	-6%
Disturbances	915	911	0%
Police Requested	578	608	-5%
Miscellaneous Totals	1602	1,634	-2%



Thelma Orr
Community Oriented Policing House
1146 Villa Street

COP AREA STATS



Robert Quintanilla
Community Oriented Policing House
1140 Geneva Street

Geneva Street

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	1	0	und
Robbery	10	12	-17%
Aggravated Assaults	9	12	-25%
Violent Crime Totals	20	24	-17%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	22	28	-21%
Theft	37	40	-8%
Auto-Theft	6	4	50%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	65	72	-10%

Jacato Drive

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	9	8	13%
Aggravated Assaults	12	2	500%
Violent Crime Totals	21	10	110%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	16	24	-33%
Theft	95	98	-3%
Auto-Theft	4	4	0%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	115	126	-9%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	32	32	0%
Weapons Violations	12	11	10%
Disturbances	351	392	-10%
Police Requested	153	175	-13%
Miscellaneous Totals	548	610	-10%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	33	32	3%
Weapons Violations	32	37	-14%
Disturbances	354	456	-22%
Police Requested	183	217	-16%
Miscellaneous Totals	602	742	-19%



2437 Jacato Drive
Community Oriented Policing House

COP AREA STATS

West Sixth Street

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	1	und
Robbery	7	10	-30%
Aggravated Assaults	8	4	100%
Violent Crime Totals	15	15	0%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	32	51	-37%
Theft	40	52	-23%
Auto-Theft	4	2	100%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	76	105	-28%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	23	29	-20%
Weapons Violations	56	64	-13%
Disturbances	441	461	-4%
Police Requested	225	285	-21%
Miscellaneous Totals	745	839	-11%



West Sixth Street
Community Oriented Policing House
1522 West Sixth Street

Mead Street

Violent Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Homicides	0	0	0%
Rapes	0	0	0%
Robbery	4	4	0%
Aggravated Assaults	5	7	-29%
Violent Crime Totals	9	11	-18%

Property Crimes CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Burglary	19	22	-14%
Theft	12	18	-33%
Auto-Theft	2	3	-33%
Arson	0	0	0%
Property Crime Totals	33	43	-23%

Miscellaneous CFS - Type	2014	2013	Percent Change
Simple Assaults	15	13	15%
Weapons Violations	13	15	-13%
Disturbances	234	192	22%
Police Requested	47	54	-13%
Miscellaneous Totals	309	274	13%



William Wadewitz
Community Oriented Policing House
1750 Mead Street

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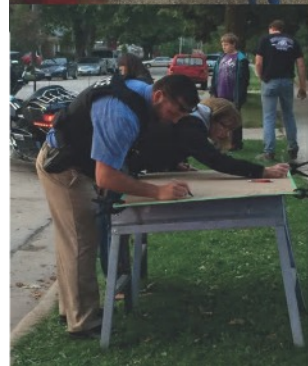
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Honoring the Service & Memory of K9 Marco



Tour of Duty:
January 1, 2006 - July 3, 2014



The Racine Police Department lost a loyal member of the K9 team in 2014 with the passing of K9 Marco.

Along with his handler and partner, Officer Tim Waystedt, K9 Marco patrolled the streets of Racine for over 8 years. K9 Marco will be truly missed. His legacy with the department will live on through the memory of the many officers he supported during his tour of duty.



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