



Evanston Police Department

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Annual Report

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Enclosed within this document are the annual statistics and progress achieved by the Evanston Police Department for the year 2018. Transparency and cooperative effort with the citizens of Evanston, whom we serve, are paramount for a successful municipal law enforcement organization.

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LAW ENFORCEMENT CODE OF ETHICS

As a law enforcement officer, my fundamental duty is to serve mankind, to safeguard lives and property, to protect the innocent against deception, the weak against oppression or intimidation, and the peaceful against violence or disorder, and to respect the constitutional rights of all men to liberty, equality and justice.

I will keep my private life unsullied as an example to all; maintain courageous calm in the face of danger, scorn, or ridicule; develop self-restraint; and be constantly mindful of the welfare of others.

Honest in thought and deed in both my personal and official life, I will be exemplary in obeying the laws of the land and the regulations of my department.

Whatever I see or hear of a confidential nature, or that is confided to me in my official capacity, will be kept ever secret unless revelation is necessary in the performance of my duty.

I will never act officiously or permit personal feelings, prejudices, animosities, or friendships to influence my decisions.

With no compromise for crime and with relentless prosecution of criminals, I will enforce the law courteously and appropriately without fear or favor, malice or ill will, never employing unnecessary force or violence, and never accepting gratuities.

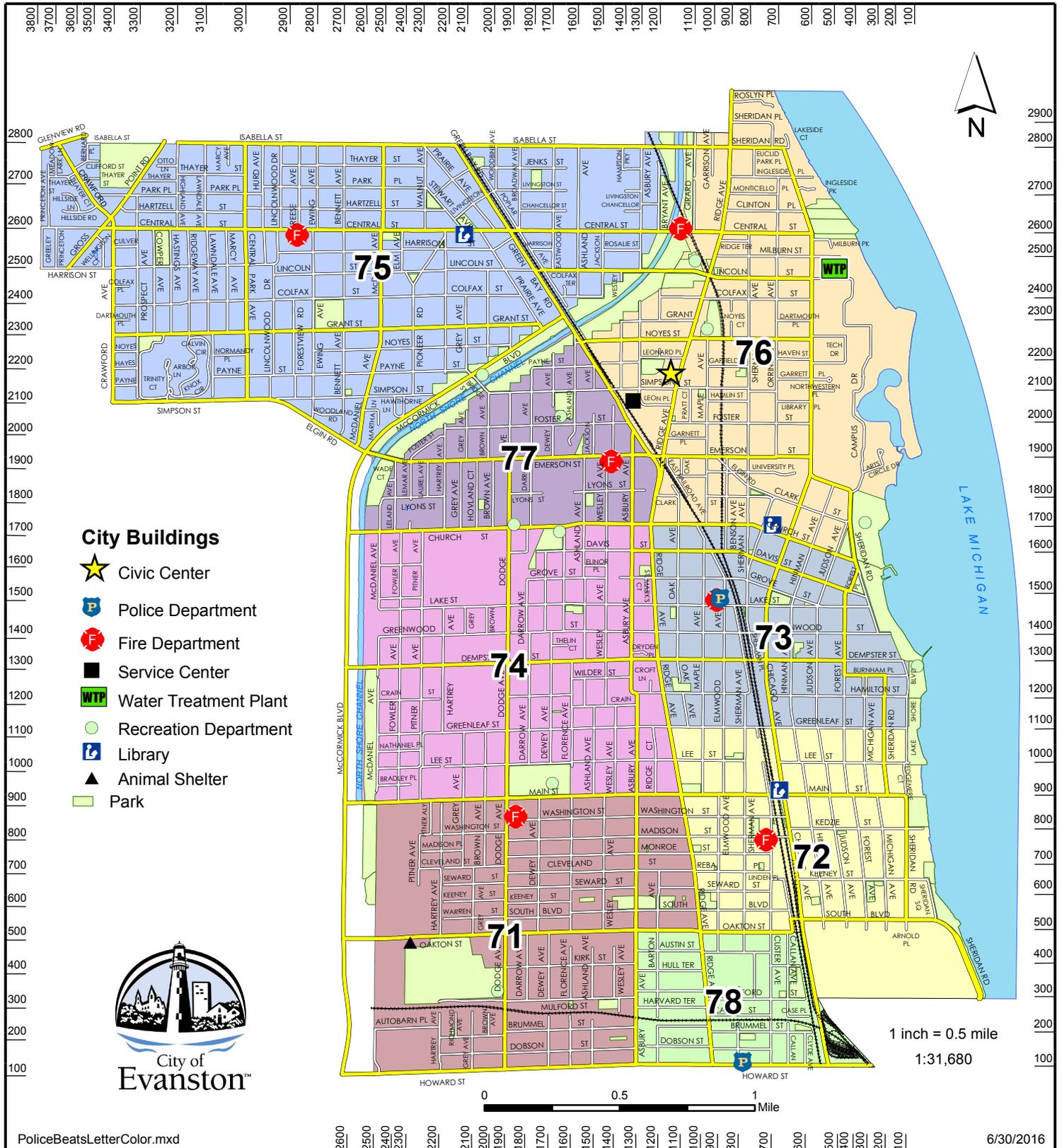
I recognize the badge of my office as a symbol of public faith, and I accept it as a public trust to be held so long as I am true to the ethics of the police service.

I will constantly strive to achieve these objectives and ideals, dedicating myself before God to my chosen profession – law enforcement.

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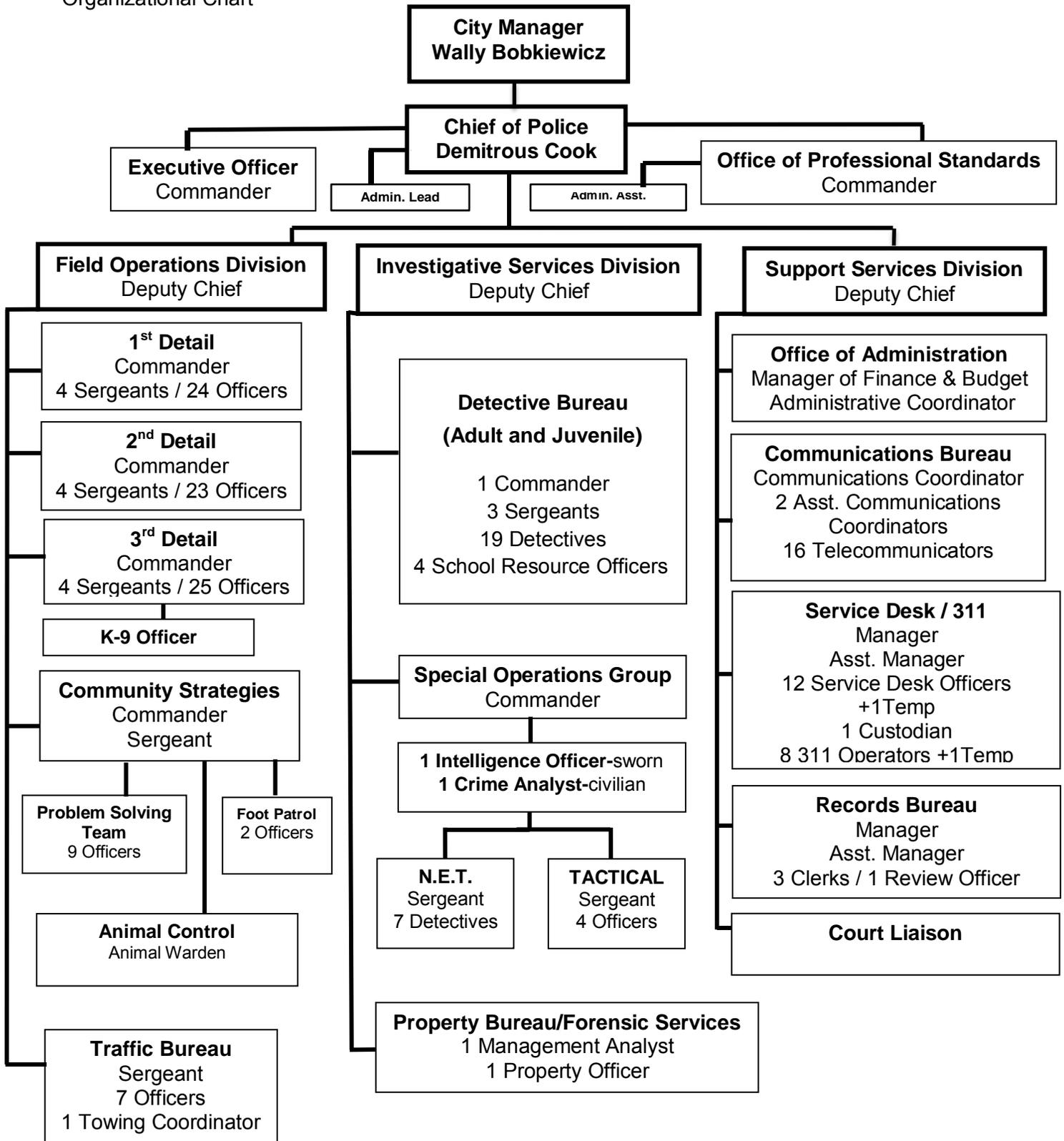
DEPARTMENT PROFILE

City of Evanston Police Patrol Beats



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Evanston Police Department
Organizational Chart



Office of Professional Standards

Complaint Register (CR)

The Office of Professional Standards (OPS) is responsible for investigating allegations of misconduct against the department or any of its members. These investigations are called Complaint Registers. Misconduct by department personnel must be detected, thoroughly investigated, and properly adjudicated in order to maintain public confidence and departmental integrity.

Personnel in OPS register and investigate all allegations. The results then are reviewed by supervisors, who submit recommendations to the Chief of Police regarding case dispositions and/or disciplinary actions. The Chief makes the final determination of each case, based on review of all recommendations. The Office of Professional Standards forwards a letter of disposition to each complainant regarding the case outcome.

Of the 86,934 CAD events received by the department in 2018, The Office of Professional Standards investigated 3 complaint registers.

Departmental Inquiry (DI)

In 2018, the Evanston Police Department continued a system of tracking and recording all complaints. Complaints that are minor in nature are classified as Departmental Inquiries and are handled by first line supervisors. The results and recommendations of the immediate supervisor are submitted to the Chief of Police through the chain of command. The Chief makes the final determination of each case based on review of all recommendations. In 2018, there were 14 Departmental Inquiries recorded.

Administrative Reviews (AR)

Members of the Office of Professional Standards also investigate allegations of rule violations made by an employee against the police department or any of its members. These internally initiated investigations are called Administrative Reviews. In 2018, there were 43 Administrative Reviews recorded.

Use of Force

Use of Force and Resisting Arrest are two other types of incidents routinely investigated by The Office of Professional Standards. Police officers are permitted to use force at a level they deem reasonable and necessary to protect others and/or themselves from bodily harm or to affect the arrest of a person who physically resists. However, Physical force is to be used as a last resort and only after other reasonable alternatives have been exhausted or clearly would be ineffective. Judgment in these matters is not arbitrary, but is governed by state law, departmental policy and procedure, national law enforcement standards and police training.

Whenever physical force beyond mere restraint is used, each officer involved must file a report for review. The department investigates all Use of Force reports. During 2018, there were 27 Use of Force incidents reported

Resisting Arrest and Obstructing a Police Officer

Last year (2018) the Department reviewed 16 cases of resisting and obstructing.

CITIZEN COMPLAINT REGISTERS FILED AGAINST POLICE OFFICERS

01-01-18 THROUGH 12-31-18

Number/ Type of Complaint		Pending	Withdrawn	SOL (Unresolved)	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Exonerated	Sustained	Not City Related
	Unprofessional Conduct								
	False Arrest								
	Improper Service								
2	Excessive force	1	1						
1	Biased Based Harassment / Discrimination	1							
	Miscellaneous								
3	Totals	2	1						

- Totals may not equal dispositions or allegations as complaints may have multiple allegations against multiple officers.

Disposition Classifications

Pending	Still under investigation or administrative review`
Withdrawn	The complaint was withdrawn by the complainant
SOL (Unresolved)	The complainant failed to cooperate further
Not Sustained	There was not sufficient evidence to prove or disprove the allegations
Unfounded	The allegations were proven false or not factual
Exonerated	The incident occurred, but was lawful and proper
Sustained	The allegation was supported by sufficient evidence to justify a reasonable conclusion of guilt
Not City Related	The complaint was not related to any official conduct and was outside the jurisdiction of the Evanston Police Department and the City of Evanston

DEPARTMENTAL INQUIRIES

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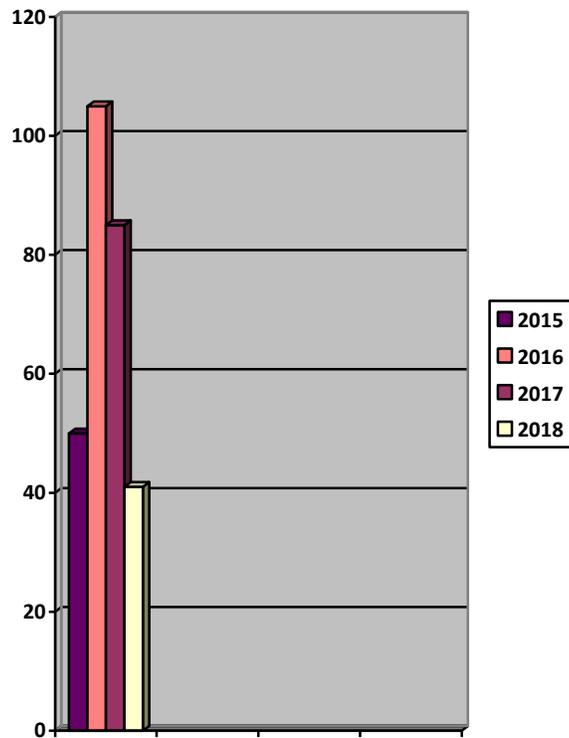
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5	Improper Service			1	2	1	1		
3	Unprofessional Conduct				1	2			
2	Policy Violation			1		1			
4	Miscellaneous	1	2			1			
14	Totals	1	2	2	3	5	1		

OPS investigated 14 Departmental Inquiries in 2018. Complaints that are minor in nature are classified as Departmental Inquiries and are handled by the members' supervisors and OPS investigators.

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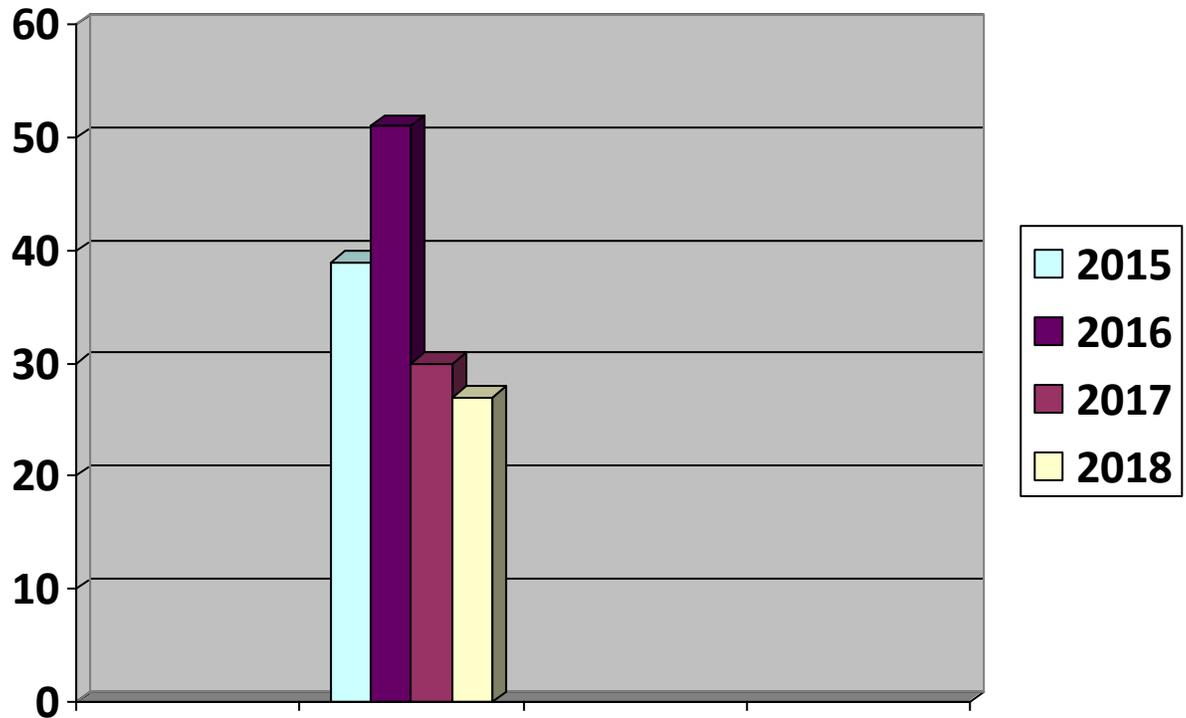
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<u>Year</u>	<u>Administrative Reviews</u>
2015	50
2016	105
2017	85
2018	41

2018 USE OF FORCE GRID



	Weaponless Impact Technique	Non-Impact Control Technique	Allegations of Injury	Chemical Weapons	Impact Weapons	Deadly Force	Taser Deployments	Total Use of Force Investigations
2015	11	19	8	2	0	1	2	**39
2016	22	9	9	2	1	1	12	**51
2017	24	3	2	2	0	0	13	**30
2018	11	2	5	1	0	0	11	**27

**Types of force will NOT equal Total Use of Force (several types of force may be used in one incident).

II.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 2018

Personnel Changes

2018

Retirees

George Gonzalez

Twenty-one years of service

Kevin Champion

Twenty-six years of service

Cathy DeFranceschi

Twenty-one years of service

Jason Parrott

Twenty-six years of service

Mark Buell

Twenty-six years of service

Steven Goldenberg

Thirty years of service

Kathryn Thomsen

Thirty-three years of service

Richard Eddington

Eleven years of service

Division and Bureau Highlights

Investigative Services

DETECTIVE BUREAU

Activity Summary

1038	Number of cases investigated
132	Cleared – no prosecution
142	Arrests
21	Search warrants
566	Cases closed NFA
48	Cases unfounded
141	Missing person cancellations
3	Homicide: Tanuel Major, Larry Cox, Yakez Semark

Domestic Investigation Summary

899	Number of cases investigated
550	Cases cleared no prosecution
36	Arrests
264	Case closed NFA
3	Warrant issued
7	Cased unfounded
22	No criminal intent/follow up

Sex Offender Registration Summary

444	Sex offender registrations
347	Sex offender follow-up

JUVENILE BUREAU

569	Cases assigned
62	Total arrests
25	Cases unfounded
242	NFA

School Resource Officers

207	Cases assigned
16	Arrests
81	NFA
3	Cases unfounded

VICTIM SERVICES PROGRAM

The Victim Services Program provided services to victims and witnesses of crime, as well as to individuals seeking social services assistance in non-crime related situations. Services included in-person crisis intervention and counseling, court advocacy and information and referral for additional services.

As of January 2018, the Victim Services Program was transferred from the Police Department to the Health and Human Services Department. There remains a great deal of cooperation between the two Departments as it pertains to assisting community members when they are affected by the need for applicable services.

Special Operations Group

Neighborhood Enforcement Team – NET

37	Gang members arrested
44	Drug related arrests
6	Search warrants executed
255.7	Grams of cocaine seized
4847.7	Grams of cannabis seized
188	Grams of heroin seized
59.77g/973	Grams of meth/MDMA seized
0	Grams of shatter seized
11	Hydrocodone seized (tablets)
16	LSD seized (tabs)
76	Alprazolam seized (tablets)
326	Methadone seized (tablets)
12	Firearms seized
52	Arrests effected – 45 felonies/7 misdemeanors
10	Warrant arrests executed
19	Tips of illegal sales of narcotics investigated
1	Training sessions conducted within the community

Tactical Team – TAC

23	Felony arrests
28	Misdemeanor arrests
22	Warrant arrests
4	Search warrants executed
15	Firearms seized
47	Surveillance operations

Criminal Intelligence Unit

<u>Intelligence Officer</u>	
98	Tips/Investigations
65	Bulletins
25	Special Projects
3	Arrests

<u>Crime Analyst</u>	
50	Deployment Meetings
70	Bulletins Issued
124	Special Projects
80	Research & Review Hours
52	Training Sessions (in hours)

NET Notable Events for 2018

January

Special Operations conducted a search warrant at 1415 Howard. Target of the warrant was a Lawrence and Winthrop GD, who was staying with an aunt at that location. Recovered from warrant was a small quantity of cannabis and 24 Alprazolam pills. Offender consented to a DNA swab taken by Detective Kleinpaste, which were submitted to lab for comparison to the bottle.

Detectives Klopach and Kleinpaste secured subpoenas and search warrants for snapchat accounts of known gang members who typically flash weapons and/or narcotics in their snaps.

NET detectives continued surveillance and enforcement activities in reference to a long term operation targeting local violent drug dealers.

On varying dates throughout the month, NET Detectives continued to cultivate informants and investigate drug complaints throughout the city.

Throughout the month, NET Detectives assisted patrol in gang suppression and calls for service.

February

NET members assisted patrol with a domestic call for service at 131 Ashland, in which a gun was recovered from outside and the female victim was screaming on the inside. NET members arrived on scene and made a systematic entry into the apartment to secure it after the residents refused open the door. Once inside, three subjects were secured and patrol took over the investigation.

Special Operations Group assisted NORTAF with the [REDACTED] homicide. Three NET detectives were assigned NORTAF duties for the duration of the callout. In addition, SOG executed the search warrant at 2026 Emerson for NORTAF and secured the suspect, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] without incident. Once residence was secured, it was turned over to NORTAF detectives. 18-1121

NET members assisted patrol with a narcotics related call at 2231 Wesley, in which 100+ grams of cocaine and over 10 grams of heroin were recovered after a consent search of residence was granted. 18-1501

NET detectives assisted the juvenile bureau with an arrest of a wanted subject for sexual assault.

NET detectives recovered five handguns and one rifle by way of one gun buyback and a FOID revocation follow up.

Special Operations Group members conducted unit training on search warrant entries and tactics at Great Lakes Naval Base and range training, along with additional room entry training, at the FBI Range in North Chicago.

NET detectives began a long term multi-jurisdictional narcotics investigation, which includes surveillance, enforcement activities and phone monitoring.

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March

NET members responded to the “swatting” incident at 1915 Maple #523. Upon arrival, NET members immediately deployed with their specialized equipment. We were able to clear the rear stairwell first and then secure the 5th floor. After it was determined that calling out the offender was not working, NET members developed an entry plan and executed a systematic entry and room search. The apartment was found to be vacant. After the apartment was secured, members of NET, assisted by NUPD and other EPD members, spoke with residents and secured the remainder of the building.

NET members executed a search warrant at 3640 Main, Skokie, for a weapons investigation. Detective Klopach initiated an investigation into offender’s social media use, which led to a search warrant for the residence. Skokie PD assisted and took offender into custody outside of the house, while Special Operations executed the warrant. Recovered inside of offender’s bedroom was a loaded Smith & Wesson 9mm handgun and 11 Hydrocodone pills. 18-2186

NET members have been working a multi-jurisdictional operation since early this year and have made stops on subjects directly related to the investigation that have resulted in the recovery of one handgun and approximately 67 grams of powder cocaine thus far.

Detective Shanas initiated a social media investigation into narcotics sales. Through his investigation, he made contact with a subject who agreed to sell MDMA to an undercover officer. Purchased were five MDMA pills. 18-1209

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April

NET members assisted the U.S. Marshal's Fugitive Task Force in apprehending a subject wanted out of Washington on an outstanding warrant. Subject was taken into custody at 2001 Emerson without incident.

NET members conducted a traffic stop on offender at 2037 Oakton and recovered approximately 20g heroin, 6g cocaine, 28 Alprazolam pills and 27 Methadone pills. Offender was charged with a variety of felonies and the vehicle was seized.

NET members participated in a multi-jurisdictional Rescue Task Force drill at NIPSTA.

NET members were trained and given access to LinX, a shared law enforcement database.

Detective Tortorello and Detective Klopach participated in a Town Hall meeting at the Civic Center on April 26, which was related to social media investigations.

NET members initiated a narcotics related investigation into a target with connections to Evanston violence. Investigation on-going and numerous hours of surveillance were conducted this month.

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May

NET members assisted on two shooting investigations that occurred near Dewey/Payne on 5/17/18 and 318 Custer on 5/18/18. NET detectives reached out to C/I's regarding these events and received intelligence indicating a conflict between a former D-block member and two current D-block members. The intel received was that this conflict stems from one of the current D-block member's ex-girlfriend now dating a LOC City gang member who is currently aligned with the former D-block member.

On 5/28/18, while assisting TAC on a fleeing and eluding investigation in the 800 block of Hinman, Detectives observed offender (same former D-block member as above) sitting in a vehicle, appearing to be hiding from EPD. Upon investigation, they observed a pistol with an extended magazine sticking out of a bag on the front seat. Offender was taken into custody and charged with Armed Habitual Criminal and parole issued a violation warrant for him as well.

NET members attempted a controlled delivery of 624 MDMA pills to 1107 South Blvd with the assistance of Homeland Security. The delivery was unsuccessful and pills were inventoried for destruction.

While working an on-going investigation with other agencies, NET members recovered 4 ½ ounces of powder cocaine from the target of a federal agency. The cocaine was inventoried at the EPD and held for federal investigation.

NET members initiated a narcotics related investigation into several targets with connections to Evanston and social media.

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June

NET members received C/I information that a known gang member was armed with a handgun in the rear of 2024 Wesley. Upon arrival, NET detectives observed known subject to be concealing something in the front seat of his vehicle. Subject refused verbal commands and was subsequently taken into custody following a Taser deployment. Recovered from the front seat of his vehicle was a loaded 9mm Smith & Wesson with an extended magazine. Subject was charged with Armed Habitual Offender.

NET detectives observed a stolen vehicle in the 700 block of Brummel and safely apprehended the two juvenile offenders inside of it. Both were charged by the Juvenile Bureau.

NET detectives assisted CPD with the execution of a search warrant at 8827 Forestview on 6/20/18.

NET members continued narcotics related investigations into several targets with connections to Evanston and social media.

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Throughout the month, NET Detectives assigned to gun investigations continued working with the Illinois State Police on FOID revocations and Clear/Present Danger follow ups.

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July

Detective Geyer was selected to begin an assignment with a HIDTA team as a task force officer, sponsored by the DEA.

NET Detectives attended in-house range training at the FBI Great Lakes Range. In addition, Special Operations continued training in room entry and warrant tactics.

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August

While assisting on an FBI narcotics investigation, Detectives recovered 10 pounds of cannabis from a suspect. That investigation remains ongoing and that suspect will be charged at a later date.

NET executed a search warrant at 1228 Forest with the target being a drug dealer who sold Fentanyl and cocaine to an undercover officer. Offender was not at the residence and there was nothing of value recovered. A wanted bulletin for the drug dealer's arrest was disseminated throughout EPD.

NET executed another search warrant for an ongoing problem location, 232 Richmond. The target, who was on EHM for a weapons offense, sold cannabis to an undercover officer. Recovered from the residence was 145 grams of cannabis, a loaded .223 rifle magazine (13 rounds) and body armor. The target was charged with the cannabis, the ammunition and several counts of Delivery of Cannabis to an undercover officer.

NET Detectives Klopack and Kleinpaste were activated on two separate NORTAF callouts this month.

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September

NET members, along with NIPAS, executed a search warrant of the residence at 1417 Grey. The targets of the warrant sold cannabis to an undercover officer and were not present. Recovered from the property were numerous items related to drug trafficking. This warrant was related to the undercover Operation Snap Chat.

NET members spent numerous hours working surveillance operations for targets of Operation Snap Chat. This operation is coming to an end and several arrests are forthcoming. This month resulted in three arrests for delivery charges (multiple counts). Those arrested included the charges of:

One offender charged with Delivery of Fentanyl

One offender charged with Delivery of Cocaine

One offender charged with Delivery of Cocaine and Delivery of MDMA

NET members have begun arresting offenders from DEA funded Operation Lake Effect, in which narcotics were sold during 2017 by documented members of the Gangster Disciples and Black P Stone street gangs. Seven offenders have been charged with Delivery of Cocaine related charges resulting from this operation.

NET members assisted Detective Geyer and the HIDTA task force with another long term investigation within the City of Evanston. This investigation is on-going and just beginning.

NET members were assigned to the [REDACTED] [REDACTED] funeral detail on the 1900 block of Asbury. No incidents to report.

On varying dates throughout the month, NET Detectives continued to cultivate informants and investigate drug complaints throughout the city.

Throughout the month, NET Detectives assigned to gun investigations continued working with the Illinois State Police on FOID revocations and Clear/Present Danger follow ups.

Throughout the month, Detective Klopach was assigned to complete Cellebrite forensic collections on several electronic devices, including an assist to Wilmette PD.

Throughout the month, NET Detectives assisted patrol in gang suppression and calls for service.

October

NET members spent numerous hours working surveillance operations for targets of Operation Snap Chat. This operation is coming to an end and many subjects are still

outstanding. This month resulted in 12 arrests for delivery charges of cannabis, MDMA, methamphetamine, codeine and LSD (multiple counts).

NET members arrested one additional offender from DEA funded Operation Lake Effect, in which narcotics were sold during 2017 by documented members of the Gangster Disciples and Black P Stone street gangs. The offender was charged with Delivery of Heroin.

NET members, while making the arrest of a subject wanted for selling MDMA to an undercover officer in conjunction with Operation Snap Chat, obtained consent to search and seize for his residence at 2817 W. Lunt, Chicago. Once inside, detectives recovered two handguns (one 9mm with extended magazine and loaded with 19 rounds and one unloaded .40 caliber handgun), 12 pills of MDMA, 90 grams of cannabis and numerous drug trafficking paraphernalia. The two handguns recovered are suspected of being involved in the shooting from 100 block Custer on 9/20/18. That investigation is on-going, subpoenas and search warrants have been sent out.

Another offender was arrested and charged with delivery of cannabis to an undercover officer. His bond was revoked from a pending case and he is currently in custody at Cook County Department of Corrections. While incarcerated, this offender has made several threats, over the phone, to shoot up a co-defendant's girlfriend's house at 1417 Grey and also co-defendant's residence of 1400 Cleveland. This offender has been soliciting his current girlfriend to make it happen. These recordings have been made available to the Intelligence Officer and he is in contact with the States Attorney's office regarding the conversations.

NET members became aware of Kevin ██████████ ██████████ in Nashville, TN and have been in contact with NPD to obtain intel into Stewart's business. NPD has been very helpful and agreed to give us copies of whatever they obtain. Stewart is suspected of driving a known gang member to 100 Custer to do a shooting on 9/20/18.

NET members assisted Detective Geyer and the HIDTA task force with another long term investigation within the City of Evanston.

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Throughout the month, NET Detectives assigned to gun investigations continued working with the Illinois State Police on FOID revocations and Clear/Present Danger follow ups.

Throughout the month, Detective Klopock was assigned to complete Cellebrite forensic collections on several electronic devices, many associated with Operation Snap Chat.

Throughout the month, NET Detectives assisted patrol in gang suppression and calls for service.

November

NET members spent numerous hours working surveillance operations for targets of Operation Snap Chat. This operation has come to an end. This month resulted in 9 arrests for delivery charges of Amphetamine, Methamphetamine, Cocaine, Alprazolam, and MDMA(multiple counts).

NET members became aware of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] homicide in Nashville, TN in October and have been in contact with NPD to obtain intel into [REDACTED] business. NPD provided NET with copies of his cellphone extraction, which provided valuable intelligence into his lifestyle and the gang members associated with him.

NET detectives assisted SRO Spells with a social media search warrant associated with a sex offense investigation.

NET members assisted Detective Geyer and the HIDTA task force with a long term investigation within the City of Evanston.

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December

NET members began a long term investigation with Detective Geyer and the HIDTA task force involving numerous hours of physical surveillance.

While on physical surveillance for the above investigation, NET detectives observed a drug transaction involving a larger than normal "package" being transferred between vehicles directly adjacent to the detectives. They had a clear, unobstructed, view of the exchange of currency and package. They were able to gather a couple of enforcement cars to make stops on said vehicles. Recovered was a half kilogram of Methadone tablets and two arrests. This investigation has been left open and is on-going.

NET members participated in the December 8th gun buy back at Unitarian Church. In addition, NET members attended the annual fall in-service.

On varying dates throughout the month, NET Detectives continued to cultivate informants and investigate drug complaints throughout the city. Most notably, NET

detectives, with the assistance of TAC, spent a considerable amount of time investigating drug tips at 1802 Lake and 1818 Dodge. 1802 Lake has not produced any enforcement action other than a C-Ticket for a bike light violation and 1818 Dodge has the appearance of being a neighbor dispute rather than a drug complaint. Both drug tips continue to be investigated at this time.

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TAC Notable Events for 2018

January

Detectives conducted a traffic stop for a minor traffic violation. Contact was made with the driver. Detectives approached the driver side of the vehicle and requested the driver to exit the vehicle. Four grams of crack/cocaine were located on the offender's person. Special Operations conducted a search warrant at 1415 Howard. The target of the warrant was a Lawrence and Winthrop GD, who was living with an aunt at that location. Recovered from warrant was a small quantity of cannabis and 24 Alprazolam pills.

9 arrests
41 contact cards.

February

Detectives conducted a traffic stop for a minor traffic violation. Contact was made with the driver. Detectives had previous knowledge that the driver had an outstanding warrant from Cook County Sherriff's Police for (Home Invasion/ Aggravated Domestic Battery). Detectives approached the driver side of the vehicle and requested the driver to exit the vehicle. The driver complied and was instructed to put his hands behind his back. The driver refused verbal commands and a physically struggled with the Detectives. The offender was tased and then taken into custody without further incident. The offender was charged with the active warrant, driving on a suspended driver's license, and resisting arrest.

Detectives were conducting violence reduction patrol in beat 77 because of several recent armed robberies. They observed two subjects acting suspiciously walking in the south alley of 2200 Emerson. They performed a street stop on the subjects later identified as known gang members. A name check revealed that the offender had an active outside warrant for his arrest. The offender was taken into custody for the active warrant, and offender #2 was released on scene. Before going out on the street, TAC

detectives had reviewed surveillance video and photographs of the armed robbery offenders. They noticed that offender #2 was wearing the same clothing as one of the offenders in the video. They contacted the detective bureau and informed them of their contact with Offenders #1 and #2. Offender #1 was placed on hold for the Detective Bureau. Offenders #1 and #2 were charged with several felonies related to the recent armed robberies. A third offender was identified and a warrant was issued for her arrest.

5 Arrests
28 Contact cards

March

Detectives made a traffic stop for a minor violation. They smelled the odor of burnt cannabis emanating from inside the vehicle. The two occupants were asked to exit the vehicle and searched. Detectives searched the inside of the vehicle and located a loaded handgun (.44 caliber) under the front passenger seat. A known gang member was charged with UJW by Felon.

TAC Detectives assisted IDOC with a parole compliance check at 1810 Grey, which is the residence of a parolee. During a search of the offenders sleeping area, a fully loaded .40 caliber Smith and Wesson semi-automatic handgun was located in plain view on a dresser shelf. The offender was arrested for UJW and a parole violation warrant was issued.

TAC Detectives assisted patrol with calls for service and they concentrated on burglary suppression.

7 arrests
18 contact cards
2 guns recovered (included in arrests)

April

Detectives made traffic stop for a minor violation. They smelled the odor of burnt cannabis emanating from inside the vehicle. The driver and passenger were asked to exit the vehicle and a search was conducted. Detectives located 124.5 grams of cannabis and 2.8 grams of ecstasy inside of the vehicle. The driver and passenger were arrested and transported to the station. The driver was charged with possession of 124.5 grams of cannabis, and the passenger was charged with 2.8 grams of ecstasy. TAC Detectives also assisted patrol with calls for service and they concentrated on burglary suppression.

4 arrests
22 contact cards

May

The TAC unit was made aware of illegal activity at a massage studio conducting business at 2807 Central. Contact was made with the Cook County Sheriff's Police Department Vice Unit. A joint undercover operation was performed at that location, and

at the completing of the investigation one arrest for prostitution and violation of the massage licensing act was made.

TAC detectives attempted to stop a black Dodge Avenger, IL plate Y881969 at 200 Chicago, but the vehicle fled the stop. The car was known to Detectives to have been targeted in a recent shooting. The vehicle was subsequently located by Officer Servatius in the 800 block of Hinman. Officer Servatius conducted a traffic stop on the vehicle at 805 Main. The driver was the only occupant of the car. The driver was detained because the car smelled of cannabis, and there was a fully loaded Springfield XD9 9mm handgun visible on the back seat floor. The offender was taken into custody and felony charges for Aggravated UJW were approved. TAC detectives relayed information to NET detectives that led to a second arrest and the recovery of a second firearm.

TAC detectives completed 29 contact cards for the month.

5 arrests

29 contact cards

1 gun recovered (included in arrests)

June

TAC detectives conducted a traffic stop at 555 Howard for a minor traffic violation. The driver, fled on foot and after a short foot pursuit, was taken into custody. Detectives walked the path that the offender fled on foot and located two clear plastic baggies containing suspect cocaine (crack). Detectives found a loaded handgun (HK P30 9mm) under the driver's seat. The offender was charged with UJW by a felon and PCS. TAC detectives observed a known subject, exit the residence at 2130 Wesley and enter a black Mazda (Uber). Detectives had previous knowledge that the offender was wanted by Skokie Police for an investigation. Detectives conducted a traffic stop on the vehicle for a minor traffic violation at 1433 Noyes. The driver was identified as an Uber driver. Detectives asked the driver to exit the vehicle because they smelled the odor of cannabis emanating from inside of the vehicle. The passenger/suspect was taken into custody and searched, and Detectives located a loaded Taurus .45 caliber handgun in his pant leg. The driver was released on the scene without incident. The known offender was charged with Aggravated UJW.

TAC detectives assisted CPD with a search warrant for narcotics.

10 arrests

38 contact cards

2 guns recovered (included in arrests)

July

Detectives made a traffic stop at 2100 Wesley because neither the driver or passenger were wearing their seatbelts. Detectives observed a clear plastic bag of cannabis in plain sight. The two occupants were asked to exit the vehicle. Detectives searched the car and located a loaded handgun (.45 caliber) under the front passenger seat and a total of 161 grams of cannabis. The passenger was charged with UJW and possession of cannabis and the driver was charged with possession of cannabis.

Detectives were on routine patrol when they observed a subject sitting in a parked vehicle in front of 1434 Hartrey. Detectives saw the occupant rolling a cannabis cigarette and made contact with him. The occupant and the car were searched and 44.7 grams of cannabis was recovered. The offender was taken into custody for possession of cannabis.

Detectives conducted a traffic stop for a minor traffic violation. Detectives smelled the odor of cannabis emanating from inside of the vehicle. The driver and passengers were asked to exit the vehicle. Detectives searched the car and located a container with 55 white and blue colored pill capsules. The pills were confiscated and inventoried into property to be sent to the lab for further testing. All the subjects were released on scene.

4 arrests

19 contact cards

1 gun recovered (included in arrests)

August

Detectives conducted a traffic stop for a minor traffic violation. The driver was placed under arrest for a narcotics investigation. TAC detectives charged the driver with possession of cannabis, and he was turned over to NET detectives for the narcotics investigation.

Detectives conducted a traffic stop for a traffic violation, and they made contact with known gang members. The detectives smelled the odor of cannabis emanating from the vehicle, and they searched the occupants and the car. The passenger was found to be in possession of approximately 78.7 grams of cannabis. The passenger was placed under arrest and charged accordingly.

Detectives responded to a suspicious person call at 2636 Orrington and located a subject at 810 Ingleside matching the description. The offender fled on foot and was apprehended after running through the Evanston Hospital ER. The offender was transported to the police station for further investigation. The investigation revealed that the offender burglarized a garage at 800 Monticello, but the victim refused to sign complaints. The offender was released without charges. It should be noted that the offender was on bond for two burglaries when this incident occurred.

TAC detectives assisted NET with a search warrant.

TAC detectives assisted NET with taking several subjects into custody from a long term narcotics investigation.

4 arrests

29 contact cards

September

Detectives conducted a traffic stop for a minor traffic violation. The driver was placed under arrest for a narcotics investigation. TAC detectives charged driver with possession of cannabis, and he was turned over to NET detectives for the narcotics investigation, which was related to their Operation Snap Chat.

Detectives conducted a traffic stop for a traffic violation, and they made contact with two occupants. The detectives smelled the odor of cannabis emanating from the vehicle, and they searched the occupants and the car. One occupant was found to be in possession of approximately 78.7 grams of cannabis. He was placed under arrest and charged accordingly.

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TAC detectives assisted NET with a search warrant.

TAC detectives assisted NET with taking several subjects into custody from a long term narcotics investigation (Operation Snap Chat).

4 arrests

25 contact cards

October

Detectives followed up an investigation regarding property recovered from an offender. The investigation revealed a cell phone recovered from the offender was stolen from a desk in a secure office at Evanston Hospital. The offender was later charged with theft. Detectives responded to 1121 Church for a drug-related call for service. Upon arrival, detectives made contact with a known gang member who was sitting in the front passenger seat of a White KIA (IL Plate AU27036) which registered to a second Evanston gang member. While speaking with offender #1, there was a strong odor of cannabis emanating from the vehicle. Detectives attempted to get Offender #1 to step out of the car at which point he climbed into the drivers' seat and drove away at a high rate of speed ramming a marked squad car. Detectives put out a wanted bulletin for offender #1, and they later obtained a warrant for his arrest.

Detectives conducted a traffic stop at 1309 Simpson on a silver GMC SUV (Illinois Registration- 594319) and made contact with the driver. Upon making contact, there was a strong odor of burned and fresh cannabis emanating from the vehicle. A search of the offender was done yielding 21.3 Grams of Cannabis and 2.5 grams of Hydrocodone. The offender was arrested and charged accordingly.

TAC detectives assisted NET with taking several subjects into custody from a long-term narcotics investigation.

Detectives assisted NET with a long term investigation.

2 arrests

14 contact cards

November

In response to the recent battery/suspicious person calls involving NU female students, detectives conducted patrols in the off-campus housing area of beat 76 and downtown. They spent the majority of the month focusing on this area.

Detectives conducted a traffic stop at 7600 N. Sheridan and made contact with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (DOB: 05/24/99) and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (DOB: 12/08/99). Detectives smelled the odor of unburnt cannabis emanating from the vehicle. [REDACTED] was found to be in possession of approximately 10 grams of cannabis, and he was issued a C-Ticket. Both subjects have previously been arrested in stolen vehicles, and [REDACTED] is a documented Latin King.

Detectives also assisted patrol with calls for service and attempted to pick up several wanted subjects.

Detectives assisted NET with a long term investigation.

2 arrests

15 contact cards

December

TAC Detectives primary duty for the month of December 2018 was assisting NET with surveillance for the ongoing long term investigation/T3 (Wire). TAC units provided valuable surveillance throughout the month and conducted a "Drug RIP" on 12/18/18 to assist with gathering evidence for the case.

On 12/29/18, TAC Detectives worked together conducting surveillance at 1802 Lake (Aldermanic complaint). Detectives observed a violation and issued a C-Ticket to one of the residents of the 1st floor apartment.

TAC Detectives gathered intelligence including acquiring a search warrant for a social media account of a known gang member. The offender was wanted for Agg battery to P.O. TAC Detectives have partnered with the Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force in an effort to locate [REDACTED] and bring him to justice.

TAC Detectives assisted NET with surveillance during a long term investigation.

2 arrests

18 contact cards

2018 Annual Report - Forensic Services Bureau

The Forensic Services Bureau oversees the Property Bureau and the Evidence Technician program.

Evidence Technician Program

During 2018, the following members served as Evidence Technicians:

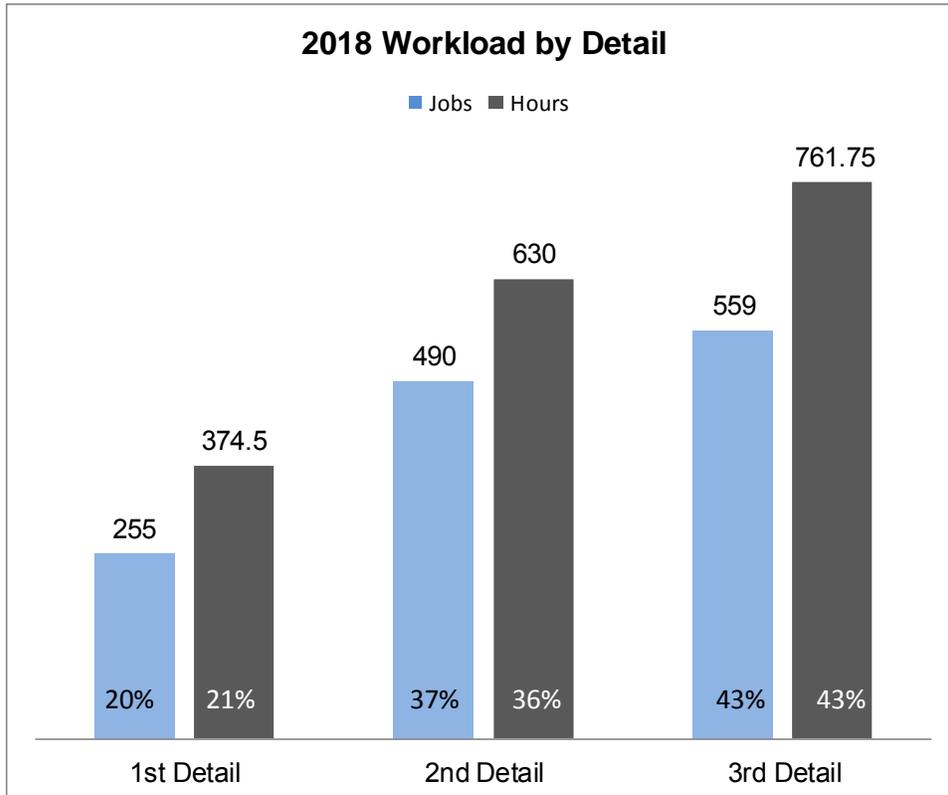
Heidi Bernhardt*	Dagmara Koste	Michael Scheck
Ewa Bonislawski	Adam Kozlowski	Ted Schienbein
Grace Carmichael	Gerard Leeson	Chris Seebacher
Ryan Carrigan	Tim Messing	Tim Sullivan
Ervin de Leon	Sgt. Larry Miller* ^	Sophia Syed
Marla Dukler	Mark Mizell	Richard Tyson
Jaqueline Herrera	Susan Morgan	Amin Virani*
Jason Kleinpaste*	Kyle Popp	Karl Witt

*Denotes Individuals Assigned to NORTAF / ^ Sergeant Miller is a Certified Latent Print Examiner

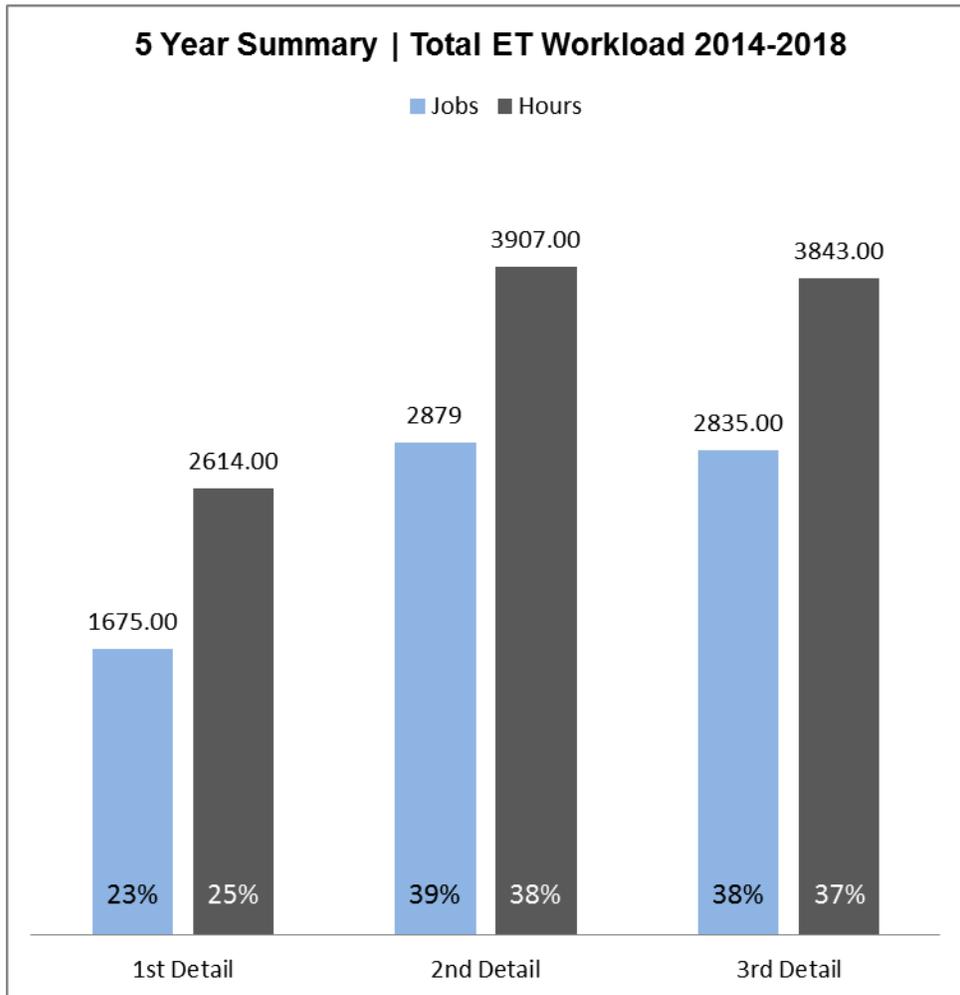
Officers Jaqueline Herrera and Karl Witt were added to the Evidence Technician program during 2018.

During 2018, the evidence technicians responded to 1304 calls for service involving approximately 1776 hours of evidence work.

Evidence Technician 2018 Workload Summary by Detail



Evidence Technician 5 Year Workload Summary



The percentage of workload by detail has been consistent on an annual basis since 2012.

NORTAF Participation

The following evidence personnel are assigned to the Forensic Specialist Unit of the North Regional Major Crimes Task Force (NORTAF):

Michael Wasowicz¹ – Forensic Services Manager (Forensic Operations Supervisor)
Heidi Bernhardt (Forensic Specialist)
Jason Kleinpaste (Forensic Specialist)
Sgt. Larry Miller (Forensic Specialist)
Amin Virani (Forensic Specialist)

Suspect Identifications | ET Work at Scenes

During 2018 the following identifications of suspects were made through Evidence Technician work at scenes.

4 Fingerprint Identifications (Sgt. Miller)
4 AFIS Fingerprint Hits from Lab Submissions
6 CODIS DNA Hits from Lab Submissions²

Joint In-Service Training Program

EPD Evidence Technicians continued participation in a semi-annual joint agency in-service training program. Established in 2015 between the Evanston and Skokie police, the program has expanded to also include Lincolnwood Police Department evidence personnel. The one day training sessions are held on a semi-annual basis.

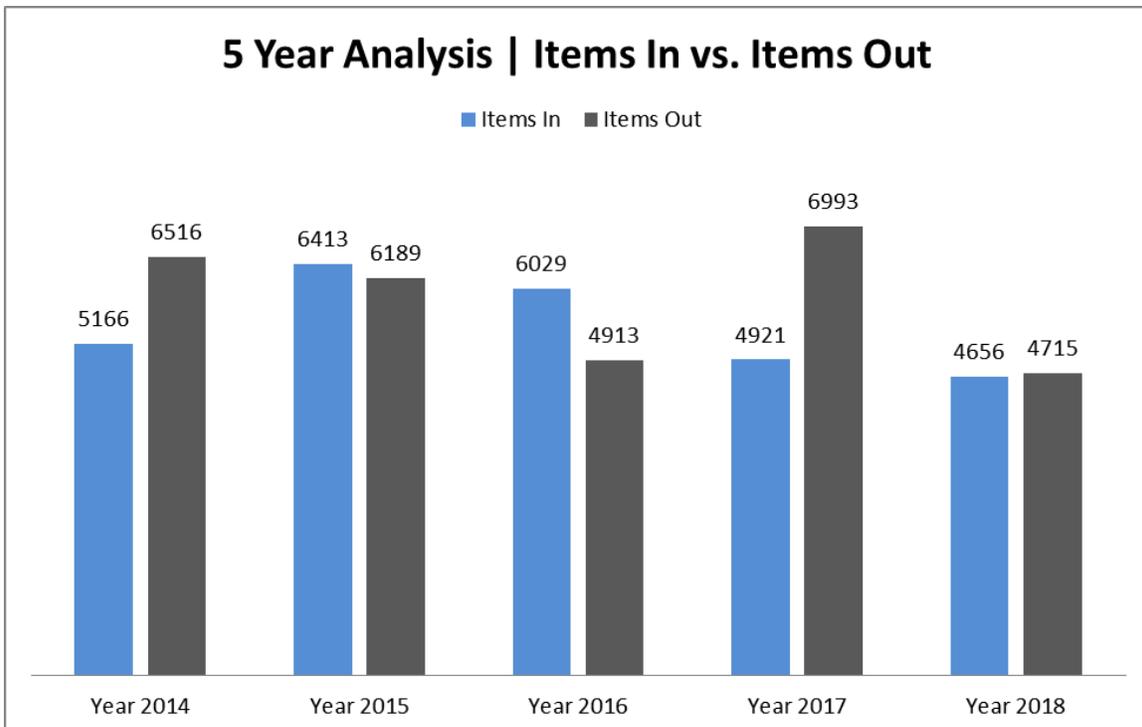
¹ Management Analyst – Forensic Services Bureau

² Does not include sexual assault kits analyzed from sex assault investigations.

Property Bureau

During 2018, the Property Bureau took in 4656 items of property and disposed/purged 4715 items (9,371 transactions)³. Items coming in compared to 2017 fell by 5%, and items purged fell by 33%. Items removed from storage broke down as follows:

Destroyed – Non-BEAST Items/ Non-Firearms	256
Destroyed BEAST Items – Non-Firearms	3132
Destroyed by Lab	0
Destroyed Firearms	252
DEA Disposals	122
Sent to ISP Seizure Unit	0
Returned to Owner	619
Money Items to City Clerk	21
Released to Attorneys	38
Released to Other Police Agencies	57
Retained for Department Use	2
Donation	103
Returned to Finder	5
Transferred to Armory	2
Transferred to Records Bureau	1
Auctioned Through PropertyRoom.com	105



Ideally, to preserve storage space, annual property disposals should equal or exceed annual intake.

³ These transactions only include items coming in for the first time and going out for final disposition. Items transferred to and received back from the crime lab and others are not included.

Drug Disposals

Significant drug disposal continued in 2018 with drugs transferred to NIRCL and the DEA for disposal.

2014 – 2018 Overall Property Disposal Performance

For the five year 2014 – 2018 period, 27,185 items were taken in and 29,326 items were purged for a net of 2141 more items purged than entering the system.

Property Officer

Ms. Susan Morgan continues to operate as the Property Bureau Property Officer.

Subpoena/FOIA Fulfillment

The Property Bureau completed 935 subpoena and 27 FOIA service requests in 2018.

Save-A-Star Drug Drop

Provided by the Save-A-Star Foundation the lobby drop box facilitates public disposal of prescription and non-prescription drugs to prevent abuse and unsafe disposal.

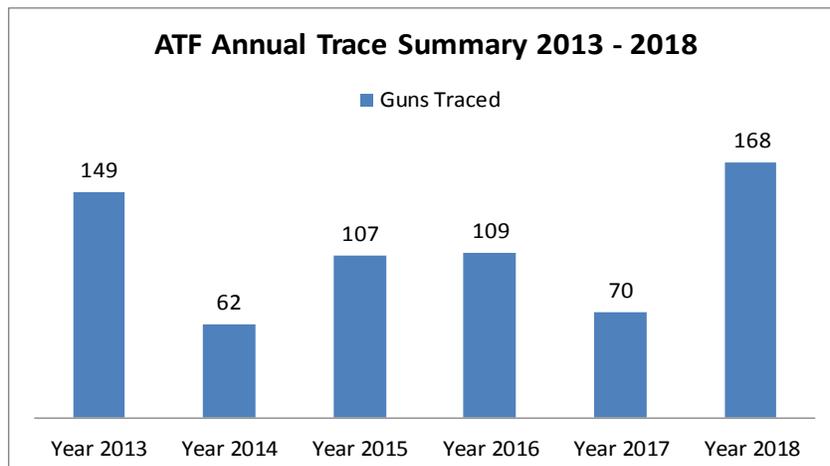
During 2015, the city's health department discontinued its drug collection program resulting in a significant impact on the drug collection handled by the Property Bureau. Since that change, the Save-A-Star collections at the police department have increased every year.

2014	765 Pounds Collected
2015	1489 Pounds Collected (95% increase over 2014 collections)
2016	1558 Pounds Collected (4.6% increase over 2015 collections)
2017	1811 Pounds Collected (16.3% increase over 2016 collections)
2018	1981 Pounds Collected (9% increase over 2017 collections)

ATF e-Trace Submissions

A total of 181 firearms were taken in by the department in 2018 compared to 84 collected in 2017. EPD members inventorying these weapons are responsible for completing the ATF online e-Trace submissions. Not all firearms are traced, generally due to missing or incomplete serial numbers. The Property Bureau acts as the clearinghouse for ATF completed ATF traces disseminating the trace information to the appropriate EPD personnel.

Year 2013 trace activity was higher due to structured gun buy-back events in late 2012 and 2013. Two structured gun buy-back events were held in 2018.



Sex Assault Kit Submission Audit

In 2017 a requirement was added under the state's Sexual Assault Evidence Submission Act (725 ILCS 202) requiring all law enforcement agencies in Illinois to conduct an annual inventory of all sexual assault cases in their custody and provide written notice of the findings to the State's Attorney's Office with jurisdiction.

Though not required until 2016, the EPD property office has been conducting lab submission audits of sex assault evidence since 2012. 2017 was the first year written summaries were required to be filed with the Cook County State's Attorney's Office. This required report was completed and filed with the Cook County State's Attorney's Office on 7/12/2018, with the status of 204 stored sex assault kits covering a time span of 1988 - 2018 documented.

For 2018 there was 100% compliance with state required lab submission for this type of evidence. Three collected kits were not submitted to the lab as they were designated by the victims to be collected and held with no lab submission. Three collected kits were turned over to outside agencies as required by law since the offenses were reported to have occurred outside Evanston.

Other Property Bureau Activities

59 Trips to Crime Lab / 558 Items Submitted

2 Homicide Cases with Inventoried Evidence

- Dissemination of lab reports and ATF traces to officers and investigators
- Downloading of evidence photos to secure storage
- Archiving of lab reports and evidence photos to Laserfiche
- Inventory maintenance and distribution of certain uniform items

Field Operations

Patrol Shifts

86,934	Calls for Service
681	Arrests – 641 Adults / 40 Juvenile
13	Bicycle Citations (c-tickets for bikes on sidewalks)

Problem Solving Team

216	Neighborhood meetings attended
221	Internal meetings - NEW
27	Security surveys conducted
23	Block surveys conducted
703	Officer assists
4	Arrests initiated
41	Tactical missions coordinated
61	C-citations issued
79	Bike Warning Citations issued - NEW
376	School deployments
1,800	Foot patrol hours in business & residential neighborhoods
365	Bicycle patrol hours

Community Strategies

Prevention Programs, Crime Analysis, Crime Prevention Specialist

175	Residential, business and commercial security surveys conducted
49	ALICE trainings conducted (schools, businesses, churches)
127	Speaking engagements
11	Police department tours
196	Youth program meetings (OGA, STAR, Explorer, Project Bridge, The Law and Your Community, Youth CPA)
26	Citizen Police Academy classes coordinated; 47 graduates
40	Special assignments
9	Community groups participated in National Night Out celebrations
25	New members recruited for the Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association

Traffic Bureau

8,118	Total Citations Issued (Moving/non-moving/C-tickets)
2,343	Total C-tickets issued
1,563	Cell phone violations (1,546C + 17Y)
753	Seat belt violations (533C + 220Y)
162	Misdemeanor arrests
9	Felony arrests
40	Impaired driving arrests
15	Drug arrests
1	Speed awareness Campaign in conjunction with Illinois Chiefs of Police
7	IDOT Step Grant Enforcement Campaigns
1	Distracted driver campaign in conjunction with IDOT
446	Crash investigations
458	Hit & run follow-ups
3	Major crash investigations (MCAT) 2 fatal, 1 major injury
7	Northwestern University football games
9	Funeral escorts and traffic control for funerals
18	Special events requiring traffic control
473	Car seats installed by certified Child Safety Seat Installer
146	Junked vehicles
561	Abandoned Auto Investigations
8	Officers certified in 40-Hour mandatory motorcycle training
1	1 st Place Award - Speed Awareness 2018 IACP Traffic Safety Challenge
1	2 nd Place Award - Municipal Division for 2017-2018 IACP Traffic Safety Challenge (Awarded 8/2018)

Bicycle and ATV

Bicycles and all-terrain vehicles are alternative vehicles that make contact with the public possible in a manner not feasible while driving a squad car. As additional neighborhood patrol tools, they facilitate police presence and interaction with the community.

Vehicle	2017 Hours
Bicycle	365

Animal Control

CATEGORY	TOTAL
Bites Reported	38
Dispatched Calls	371
Miscellaneous Calls for Service	1,021
Calls for Service via 311	265
Assistance to Wilmette	111
Animal-related C-Tickets	49

EVANSTON POLICE CLERGY TEAM



The Police Chaplaincy Program

Police chaplains provide crisis intervention and religious solace to Evanston's police officers and citizenry.

Certified by the International Association of Police Chaplains, the chaplains are available 24/7 to provide assistance on an on-call basis.

In addition to serving as emergency responders, the chaplains coordinated Police Appreciation Month activities, including the "Celebration of Service and Memorial" program, and continued their tradition of providing a Thanksgiving meal for all police department officers and staff.

Support Services

Service Desk

687	Prisoners processed
864	Prisoners housed
503	Bail bonds processed
418	Reports taken
53,543	Calls received at Service Desk
1827	Police alarm responses (police dispatched)
2	Civilian Service Desk Officer(s) hired and trained

311 Service Center

123,421	Service calls
32,475	Service requests
1,734	311 live chats
1,123	311 text

Records Bureau

528	Ink fingerprints
198	Livescan fingerprints
766	Report copies provided
3,283	Tickets entered into RMS
981	Subpoenas processed
1,169	Criminal history checks
411	Expungements and records sealed
404	FOIA requests processed
25	Body camera FOIA requests
334	Warrants processed
19,365	Records reviewed (10,394 inc, 1,891 crash, 5,765 supplementals, 1,315 arr)
250	Daily Crime Bulletins

Communications Bureau

36,642	Calls received to 9-1-1
34,438	Non-emergency administrative calls answered
22,253	Placed outside calls
11,629	Police case numbers
86,934	CAD (Computer Aided Dispatch) calls
10,014	Calls dispatched for fire and ambulance service
190	Text-a-Tip received
40	Text-to-911 received

III.

***TRAFFIC STOP DATA
REPORT***

On July 18, 2003, Governor Blagojevich signed a law creating a four-year study to collect data on traffic stops as a methodology to identify racial bias. The traffic stop data-collection study began January 1, 2004 and has continued. The data is collected and compiled by the Illinois Department of Transportation. Northwestern University Center for Public Safety (NUCPS) conducts the analysis.

The following charts reflect the data for Evanston traffic stops. It shows the likelihood of minority drivers being stopped is equal to their presence in the driving population.

TOTAL STOPS 2018: **14,867**
 CAUCASIAN: 9,039
 MINORITY: 5,828

EVANSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT (EPD) TRAFFIC STOPS - LAST FIVE YEARS

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>NUCPS</u> <u>BENCHMARK</u>	<u>COOK CO.</u> <u>BENCHMARK</u>
CAUCASIAN	51.4%	51.1%	49.9%	58.64%	60.8%	52.2%	52.2%
MINORITY	48.6%	48.9%	50.1%	41.36%	39.2%	47.8%	47.8%

2014 **2015** **2016** **2017** **2018**
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<u>REASON FOR STOP</u>			
		<u>Caucasian</u>	<u>Minority</u>
MOVING VIOLATION		80.60%	66.95%
EQUIPMENT		11.63%	21.93%
LICENSE/REGISTRATION		7.10%	10.26%
INVESTIGATION		.67%	.86%

<u>OUTCOME OF STOP</u>			
		<u>Caucasian</u>	<u>Minority</u>
CITATION		55.24%	35.40%
WRITTEN WARNING		3.27%	2.88%
VERBAL WARNING		39.34%	56.95%
INVESTIGATION		.35%	.95%
ARREST		1.80%	3.82%

<u>CONSENT SEARCHES</u>			
		<u>STOPS</u>	<u>CONSENT</u>
CAUCASIAN		9,039	32
			0.35%
MINORITY		5,828	42
			0.72%
TOTAL		14,867	74
			0.49%

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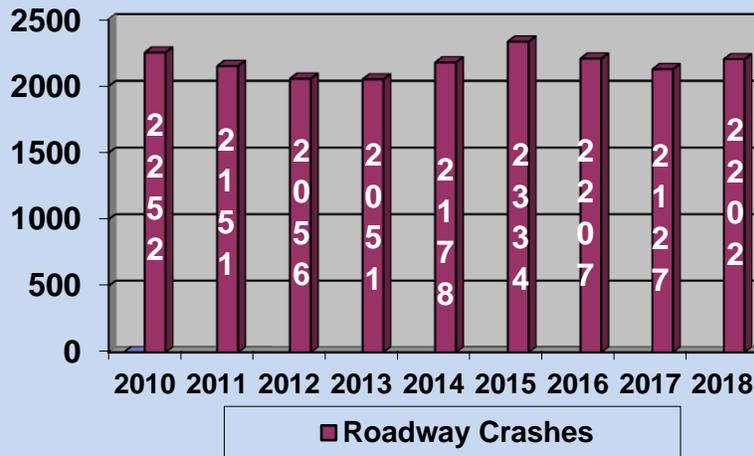
*TRAFFIC CRASH DATA
REPORT*

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Yearly Crash Comparison



From January 1st, 2018 through December 31st, 2018, there were 2,498 crashes reported throughout the City of Evanston. Of the 2,498 crashes reported, Evanston Police investigated 1,837 of the crashes. 661 of the 2,498 reported incidents did not meet the SR-1050 reporting criteria mandated by the State of Illinois. In furtherance, 296 of the crashes occurred on private property resulting in a total of 2,202 Evanston roadway crashes. In comparison to 2017, roadway crashes increased 3.5% in 2018. Evanston had three crashes that were investigated by the North Regional Major Crimes Task Force (NORTAF) Major Crash Assistance Team (MCAT). One was for serious personal injury and two were fatal crashes.

Types of Crashes

Type of Crash	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Pedestrian	65	12	5	6	3	4	2	5	4	6	6	6	6
Pedal Cyclist	59	3	3	3	2	6	5	8	8	10	5	4	2
Animal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Overturned	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fixed Object	121	12	5	4	13	15	7	10	12	10	8	11	14
Other Object	22	1	1	0	3	2	3	3	4	0	3	1	1
Other Non-Collision	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parked Vehicle	533	49	37	31	39	40	51	61	50	51	51	44	29
At least 1 vehicle turning	237	20	26	12	27	16	16	17	14	21	21	27	20
Rear End	379	38	25	11	32	42	33	26	27	39	39	41	33
Sideswipe: Same Direction	177	13	17	15	9	14	10	17	18	14	14	18	16
Sideswipe: Opp. Direction	22	5	2	0	0	4	1	1	1	3	3	2	2
Head On	5	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Angle	216	25	21	13	14	17	19	16	18	19	19	20	16

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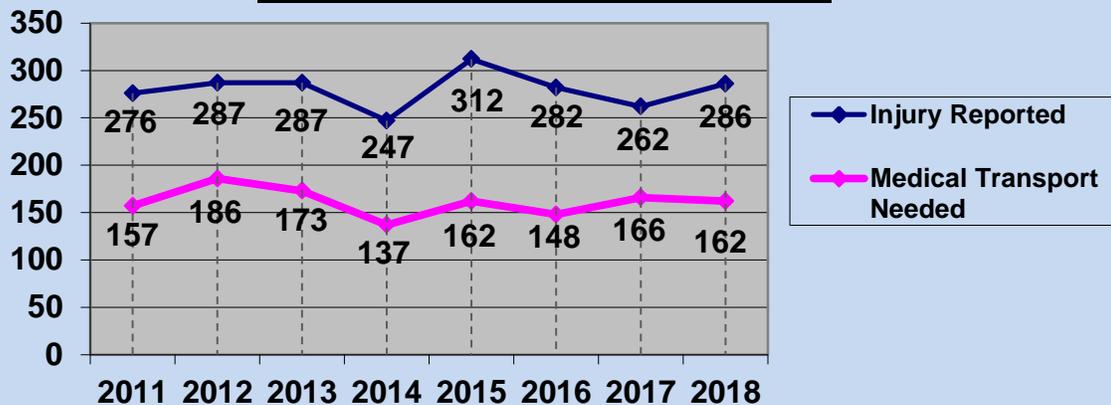


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<u>3 Year Comparison</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Pedestrian	65	63	64
Pedal Cyclist	59	63	66
At least 1 vehicle turning	237	321	285
Rear end	379	562	573
Sideswipe-same direction	177	293	328
Sideswipe- opp. Direction	22	38	34
Angle collision	216	301	379
Head on	5	10	10
Parked vehicle	533	649	698
Fixed object	121	150	168
Other object	22	13	12
Overtuned	0	1	2
Other non-collision	1	7	12
Animal	0	2	2

<u>Roadway Conditions at Time of Crash</u>			
	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Dry:	1,424	1,975	1,637
Wet:	269	362	341
Snow / Slush:	55	51	70
Ice:	557	10	10
Sand/Mud/Dirt:	1	5	1
Other:	1	3	3
Unknown:	80	67	144

Crashes with an Injury Reported



In 2018, of the 1,837 roadway crashes investigated, 286 involved at least 1 person who had claimed an injury. An increase of 9% from 2017. Serious injuries crashes where at least one party required medical transport to the hospital decreased 1% from 2017.



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Contributory Causes for Injury Crashes in 2018

All 286 injury crashes were reviewed. The below chart shows a breakdown of the contributory causes that lead to the injury crashes in Evanston. Failing to yield the right of way and speed, which comprised 63% of the total injury crashes, were the top two contributing factors that lead to the crashes. 8 of the 286 injury crashes were alcohol related.

<u>Contributing Cause</u>	<u>Injury Crashes</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Failure To Yield	114	39.86%
Failure to Reduce to avoid	61	21.33%
Exceeding Speed Limit	2	.7%
Exceed Safe Speed for Conditions	4	1.4%
Following too Closely	9	3.15%
Improper Overtaking	3	1.05%
Improper Turning/No Signal	10	3.5%
Improper Lane Usage	7	2.45%
Disregard Traffic Signal	13	4.55%
Disregard Stop Sign	5	1.75%
Disregard Other Traffic sign	3	1.05%
DUI - when arrested	7	2.45%
Had Been Drinking (No Arrest)	1	0.35%
Distraction - Outside Vehicle	4	1.4%
Distraction - Inside Vehicle	5	1.75%
Cell Phone Use - Other than Text	2	0.7%

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Contributory Causes for All Crashes investigated in 2018

The below chart shows a breakdown of the contributory causes that lead to all crashes investigated (1,837) in Evanston. Again, failing to yield the right of way and speed were the top two contributing factors that lead to the crashes. 30 crashes were alcohol related.

<u>Contributing Cause</u>	<u>Crashes</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Failure to Reduce to avoid	423	23.03%
Exceed Safe Speed for Conditions	18	.98%
Exceeding Speed Limit	11	.60%
Failure To Yield	352	19.16%
Improper Turning/No Signal	78	4.25%
Improper Lane Usage	79	4.3%
Improper Overtaking	59	3.21%
Following too Closely	52	2.83%
Disregard Traffic Signal	40	2.18%
Disregard Stop Sign	9	.49%
Disregard Other Traffic signs	18	.98%
DUI - when arrested	28	1.52%
Had Been Drinking (No Arrest)	4	.22%
Distraction - Outside Vehicle	12	.65%
Distraction - Inside Vehicle	15	.82%
Cell Phone Use - Other than Text	8	.44%
Improper Backing	135	7.35%
Driving Skills/Knowledge/Experience	69	3.76%
Operating in erratic manner	36	1.96%

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Top Ten Crash Locations

2018		2017		2016		2015	
Dodge / Dempster	19	Ridge / Lake	26	Ridge / Lake	29	Ridge / Lake	27
Ridge / Grove	15	Chrch / Maple	25	Ridge / Greenwood	26	Ridge / Grove	24
Church / Maple	14	Ridge / Dempster	21	Ridge / Howard	24	Dodge / Dempster	23
Ridge / Greenleaf	14	Ridge / Greenleaf	21	Dodge / Oakton	23	Howard / Asbury	21
Ridge / Emerson	14	Ridge / Greenwood	21	Asbury / Howard	22	Ridge / Emerson	19
Ridge / Davis	14	Ridge / Church	21	Ridge / Davis	19	Dodge / Main	19
Ridge / Dempster	13	Dodge / Dempster	18	Ridge / Emerson	19	Ridge / Greenleaf	17
Ridge / Church	12	Ridge / Emerson	18	Ridge / Church	18	Ridge / Church	16
Ridge / Oakton	12	Green Bay / Emerson	18	Dodge / Dempster	18	Ridge / Howard	15
Main / Dodge	12	Dodge / Main	18	Dodge / Main	17	1700 Sherman	15

In 2018, 90% of the locations that made the Top Ten crash list in 2017 have either, declined in crashes or did not make the Top Ten crash list for 2018. In an effort to reduce crashes and increase safety, officers from the Traffic Bureau monitored and enforce traffic laws at Top Ten crash locations during their tour of duty.

Some locations to note:

- Ridge / Lake: A Top Ten crash location from 2015 through 2017. Reduced to 11 crashes in 2018, a 58% decline and no longer on the Top Ten Crash list.
- Ridge / Greenwood: 21 crashes in 2017 and reduced to 9 crashes in 2018. A 58% decline and no longer on the Top Ten Crash list.
- Ridge / Greenleaf: 21 crashes in 2017 and reduced to 14 crashes in 2018. A 33% decline.

Ridge Avenue Corridor

Ridge Avenue between Emerson Street and Howard Street is a heavily traveled road during peak rush hours. This section of roadway is consistently host to six of Evanston's Top Ten crash locations (2012 – 2017). In 2018, a total of 241 crashes occurred in the Ridge Avenue corridor. A 14% reduction from 2017. 94 of the 241 crashes occurred at a Top Ten crash location.

In an effort to reduce crashes in the Ridge Corridor, the Evanston Police Department increased education and enforcement while city departments made operational changes. Some changes included a speed limit reduction, signal operational changes, improved traffic control signage, tree trimming to increase visibility, and the utilization of the speed display signs to educate the motorists.

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The police department remained vigilant in the enforcement of traffic laws that are leading causes to injury crashes. A total of 4,311 traffic related citations were issued in the Ridge Avenue corridor. Of those 4,311 citations issued, 1,339 were for speed violations, 901 were for distracted driving, 874 were for disobeying a traffic control device/signal, and 239 were for failing to wear a seat belt.

This collective effort has resulted in a reduction in traffic crashes within the Ridge Avenue Corridor. The below chart is a comparison of intersection related crashes that occurred in the Ridge Avenue corridor.

Location	2018	2017	2016	Increase/Decrease (17-18)
Lake / Ridge	11	26	29	-58%
Greenwood / Ridge	9	21	26	-58%
Church / Ridge	12	21	18	-43%
Greenleaf / Ridge	14	21	11	-33%
Emerson / Ridge	14	18	19	-22%
Dempster / Ridge	13	18	13	-28%
Howard / Ridge	10	15	24	-33%
Oakton / Ridge	12	14	10	-14%
Main / Ridge	8	11	13	-27%
Grove / Ridge	15	11	12	+36%
Crain / Ridge	8	11	5	-27%
Davis/ Ridge	14	9	19	+55%
Madison / Ridge	5	8	5	-
Austin / Ridge	5	7	4	-
Clark / Ridge	4	4	2	-
Washington / Ridge	3	3	3	-
Monroe / Ridge	4	3	2	-

Pedestrians and Bicyclists

In 2018, 60 pedestrians and 58 bicyclists were involved in a crash on an Evanston roadway. A 3% decrease from the previous year but average in the 5 year comparison. In 62 of the crashes, the person involved required medical transport to the hospital for treatment. The below data shows the contributory causes that lead to the Pedestrian/Bicyclists crashes.

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Contributory Cause to Pedestrian/Bicyclist involved Roadway Crashes

Failing to yield right-of-way	72	DUI	1
Failing To reduce speed to avoid crash	9	Vision obscured	1
Operating in erratic manner	4	Driving on the wrong side/wrong way	1
Disregarding a traffic signal	3	Distraction – Inside Vehicle	1
Improper lane usage	3	Road Construction	1
Following too closely	2	Driving skills/knowledge/experience	1
Improper turning/No signal	2	Unable to determine	10
Disregarding a stop sign	2	Not applicable	5

Pedestrian Crash Locations

1200 Hartrey
1300 Chicago
1600 Foster
2100 Ridge
2100 Washington
3000 Central
500 Howard
600 Dempster
700 Brummel
800 Lincoln
900 Grove
900 Judson
Asbury/Central
Asbury/Church
Ashland/Central
Chicago/Church
Chicago/Greenleaf
Chicago/Greenwood
Chicago/Kedzie
Chicago/Sheridan
Chicago/South Bl
Crawford/GrossPoint
Custer/Brummel
Custer/Mulford
Custer/Oakton
Custer/Oakton
Darrow/Dempster
Dewey/Dempster
Dodge/Dempster
Dodge/Emerson

Dodge/Main
Dodge/Oakton
Dodge/Oakton
Elmwood/Washington
Forest/Main
Hinman/Dempster
Howard/Chicago
Maple/Church
Maple/Church
Maple/Clark
Maple/Dempster
Maple/Grove
Maple/Noyes
McCormick/Green Bay
McDaniel/Lake
Oak/Davis
Oakley/Howard
Orrington/Church
Ridge/Dempster
Ridge/Foster
Ridge/Howard
Ridge/Howard
Ridge/Monroe
Ridge/Mulford
Sacramento/Howard
Sheridan/Lincoln
Sherman/Grove
Sherman/Noyes
Sherman/Noyes
Sherman/Washington

Bicyclist Crash Locations

1200 Hartrey
1300 Chicago
1600 Foster
2100 Ridge
2100 Washington
3000 Central
500 Howard
600 Dempster
700 Brummel
800 Lincoln
900 Grove
900 Judson
Asbury/Central
Asbury/Church
Ashland/Central
Chicago/Church
Chicago/Greenleaf
Chicago/Greenwood
Chicago/Kedzie
Chicago/Sheridan
Chicago/South Bl
Crawford/GrossPoint
Custer/Brummel
Custer/Mulford
Custer/Oakton
Custer/Oakton
Darrow/Dempster
Dewey/Dempster
Dodge/Dempster
Dodge/Emerson

Dodge/Main
Dodge/Oakton
Dodge/Oakton
Elmwood/Washington
Forest/Main
Hinman/Dempster
Howard/Chicago
Maple/Church
Maple/Church
Maple/Clark
Maple/Dempster
Maple/Grove
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Ridge/Mulford
Sacramento/Howard
Sheridan/Lincoln
Sherman/Grove
Sherman/Noyes
Sherman/Noyes
Sherman/Washington

V.

OFFENSE SUMMARY

Offense Summary 2018

Evanston Police release the 2018 Crime Statistics for Part 1 Crimes. Part 1 Crimes are defined by the FBI as Murder, Criminal Sexual Assault, Robbery, Aggravated Battery/Assault, Burglary, Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft and Arson. There was a reduction in 3 of the 8 Part 1 Categories in 2018 compare to 2017 equating to a 2.7 percent overall reduction of part 1 crimes.

There was a 4.5 percent reduction in Thefts. There was also a 12.7 percent reduction in Motor Vehicle Thefts and a 25 percent reduction in Arsons.

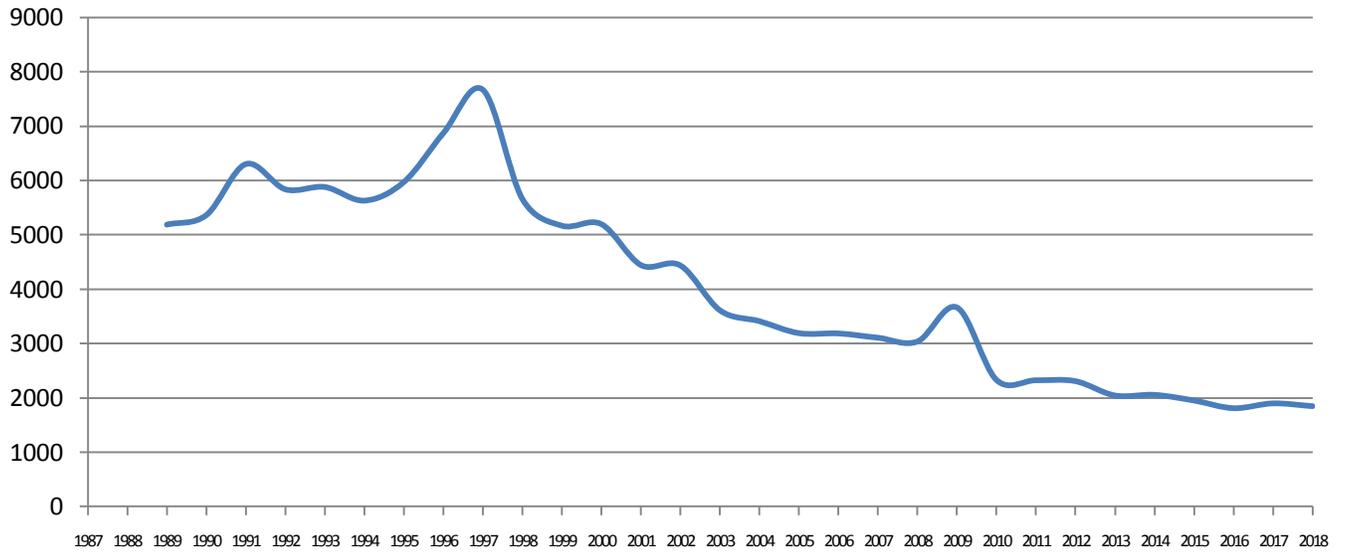
There was an increase in 5 of the 8 Part 1 Categories crimes in 2018 compared to 2017. There was an increase in violent crimes including Aggravated Batteries/Assaults. Even with a rise in violent crime Aggravated Batteries/Assaults remained low in comparison to recent years; there were 5 in 2018 as compared to 10 in 2015 and 16 in 2016.

Thefts and burglaries account for the majority of Evanston's Part 1 Crimes. Excluding retail thefts, most burglaries and thefts were facilitated by valuables, vehicles and residences being left unsecured. The Evanston Police Department is committed to educating the community about how to reduce the likelihood they will be the victim of a burglary or theft. This is done through direct citizen engagement and utilization of the department's social media platforms.

It remains a priority of the police department to target illegal firearms in an effort to reduce violence in our community. Reducing the ability to obtain firearms through recovery efforts or the aggressive enforcement of illegally possessed firearms has suppressed gun violence in Evanston. The Evanston Police Department assisted with two Gun Buyback events in 2018 that took in 90 unwanted firearms. There were also 24 firearms recovered as a result of weapons related arrests.

The Evanston Police Department is constantly striving to reduce part 1 crime each year, thereby improving the quality of life in the City of Evanston. Evanston Police Department strategies are always being reviewed and evolving to ensure that we are achieving the goal of making Evanston the "Most Livable City in America".

Part 1 Crimes



	Murder	CSA	Robbery	Agg Bat/Aslt	Burglary	Theft	MVT	Arson	Crime Index by Month
Jan-17	0	0	0	2	27	96	6	0	131
Jan-18	0	0	4	8	14	75	3	0	104
	0	0	4	6	-13	-21	-3	0	-27
									-20.6%
Feb-17	0	0	0	5	34	71	6	0	116
Feb-18	1	1	7	3	15	70	1	0	98
	1	1	7	-2	-19	-1	-5	0	-18
									-15.5%
Mar-17	0	0	2	5	25	109	3	1	145
Mar-18	0	0	4	9	28	105	7	0	153
	0	0	2	4	3	-4	4	-1	8
									5.5%
Apr-17	0	0	0	1	25	97	5	0	128
Apr-18	0	0	0	8	13	87	4	1	113
	0	0	0	7	-12	-10	-1	1	-15
									-11.7%
May-17	0	1	3	10	33	112	3	1	163
May-18	0	0	6	12	15	103	5	1	142
	0	-1	3	2	-18	-9	2	0	-21
									-12.9%
Jun-17	0	1	4	14	36	170	5	3	233
Jun-18	0	1	4	5	20	100	7	0	137
	0	0	0	-9	-16	-70	2	-3	-96
									-41.2%
Jul-17	0	0	2	7	21	138	4	3	175
Jul-18	0	0	3	9	35	151	9	2	209
	0	0	1	2	14	13	5	-1	34
									19.4%
Aug-17	1	0	8	2	34	186	13	0	244
Aug-18	0	1	7	8	24	167	4	0	211
	-1	1	-1	6	-10	-19	-9	0	-33
									-13.5%
Sep-17	0	0	8	8	11	152	2	0	181
Sep-18	0	1	2	9	43	148	6	0	209
	0	1	-6	1	32	-4	4	0	28
									15.5%
Oct-17	0	1	7	7	16	127	5	0	163
Oct-18	0	2	2	5	24	142	1	0	176
	0	1	-5	-2	8	15	-4	0	13
									8.0%
Nov-17	0	0	2	10	15	86	6	0	119
Nov-18	1	0	5	6	21	95	4	1	133
	1	0	3	-4	6	9	-2	1	14
									11.8%
Dec-17	0	0	4	7	7	78	5	0	101
Dec-18	1	0	3	2	37	115	4	1	163
	1	0	-1	-5	30	37	-1	1	62
									61.4%
2017 YTD	1	3	40	78	284	1422	63	8	1899
2018 YTD	3	6	47	84	289	1358	55	6	1848
	2	3	7	6	5	-64	-8	-2	-51
	200.0%	100.0%	17.5%	7.7%	1.8%	-4.5%	-12.7%	-25.0%	-2.7%

Caution: Using percents to express the change between very small numbers is often misleading (such as, from 1 to 2 is +100%).

**** The percent change from zero to a number is not calculable, and a percent change when there is zero difference is not meaningful.

Firearm Statistics

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Handguns						
Incidents involving handguns	90	84	83	99	106	107
Injury sustained	10	3	19	10	11	4
Death – suicide with handgun	2	1	1	0	2	4
Murder.....	2	1	2	3	1	4
Confiscated	37	36	40	37	24	28
Turned in	21	13	14	17	11	24
Found	3	3	7	24	3	11
Located through investigation	1	2	14	4	1	4
Stolen	8	0	1	3	0	4
Other Firearms						
Death - Suicide w/firearm	0	1				
Incidents involving other firearms	2	6	6	11	11	16
Other firearms turned in or confiscated	11	5	3	27	17	42
Other firearm found	0	4	1	0	0	0
Located through investigation	0	0	2	2	0	0
Stolen	0	0	0	1	0	5
All Firearms						
Persons arrested	35	36	30	18	39	29
Buy Back		19	27	9	10	27
Handguns	74					
Other guns (shotguns/rifles)	31					
Replica guns	2					

Service Calls

2018 Service Calls		2017 Service Calls		2016 Service Calls		2015 Service Calls		2014 Service Calls		2013 Service Calls	
Part I	1842	Part I	1899	Part I	1811	Part I	1963	Part I	2083	Part I	2081
Part II	3047	Part II	5918	Part II	5832	Part II	7368	Part II	9112	Part II	7938
Services	82045	Services	69976	Services	31189	Services	29331	Services	26208	Services	25320
Total	86934	Total	77793	Total	38832	Total	38662	Total	37403	Total	35339

VI.

COFFEE WITH A COP



The Evanston Police Department participated in the national Coffee with a Cop program, which started in 2011 as a way for community members to talk about their concerns and or questions with police officers. The Coffee with a Cop event builds upon the Evanston Police Department's community policing efforts and provides a casual space for residents, business owners and other interested members of the community to chat with officers, ask questions, share concerns, or simply talk in a casual, friendly environment.

Numerous Coffee with a Cop events took place in Evanston throughout the year. They have been successful; allowing officers to engage with residents in a less formal setting and increase the lines of communication between the police and the community.

Coffee with a Cop events will continue in 2019 at locations throughout the city. Dates and locations will be advertised on the Evanston Police Department's twitter account @EvanstonPD.

The Evanston Police Department schedules events throughout the city, allowing all community members to interact positively with it.

VII.

DEPARTMENT BULLETIN

***POLICE RECOGNITION
BY THE COMMUNITY***

COUNTY OF OAKLAND
OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF
MICHAEL J. BOUCHARD



December 20, 2017

Officer Dan Keeler

*Evanston Police Department - Traffic Unit
1454 Elmwood Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201*

Dear Officer Keeler:

Thank you for reaching out to our agency during the tragic loss of Deputy [REDACTED]. The outpouring of support from around the nation was overwhelming and we are so grateful for the kindness demonstrated by our law enforcement family. Deputy [REDACTED] was an amazing man, who inspired so many, and we are a little less complete without him on our team. He will be missed greatly.

Again, I sincerely appreciate your thoughts and prayers during this time of sorrow for Oakland County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michael".

*Sheriff Michael J. Bouchard, C.H.P.P.
Oakland County
President Emeritus, Major County Sheriffs of America
National Sheriff of the Year 2016*

The Sheriff is the highest and only law enforcement official elected by you, the people of Michigan.



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January 15, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60202

Dear Chief Eddington,

On September 21, 2017 Glencoe Public Safety officers were involved in a pursuit with a group of motorcyclists. An officer attempted to stop the group for traffic violations but was unable to complete the stop as the fleeing motorcyclists refused to stop. The pursuit was terminated without any apprehensions. Hours later, a citizen came upon a deceased subject in a hedge row next to the roadway, along the path taken by the fleeing motorcyclists. Investigation revealed that the decedent was likely part of the group that fled hours earlier.

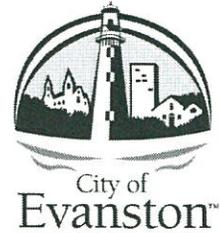
Due to the nature of the incident, the NORTAF Major Crash Assistance Team and Major Crimes Unit assisted in the investigation. Both the crash reconstruction and the criminal investigation were conducted at the highest standards and in a timely fashion. The reports were submitted to the Cook County State's Attorney for final review.

Please extend my sincere thanks to the Evanston police personnel who worked the case – Commander Glew, Detectives Dukler, Giese and Jones, Officers Bernhardt, Kleinpaste, Van Dermeir, Keeler, Tyson and Nieman, and Forensic Services Manager Wasowicz. Their assistance was critical to ensure the mandates of the Police and Community Relations Improvement Act were properly executed. This is the first case of this nature that NORTAF has been involved in, and the units performed exceptionally well. The professional and unbiased assistance provided is much appreciated. Please know that we stand ready to return the courtesy.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cary Lewandowski".

Cary Lewandowski
Director | Public Safety Department
Village of Glencoe
325 Hazel Avenue | Glencoe, Illinois 60022
clewandowski@villageofglencoe.org | (847) 461-1132



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 1/17/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officers Radoslaw Mazur and Brandon Marx

REFERENCE: Caller states someone called for assistance when they noticed her outside and appearing to need help. She was having trouble with her phone and had called AT&T. In the meantime, the officers arrived and assisted her. She said they were extremely nice and even called her son for her. She wants to thank the officers for their help.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

Thank you for the beautiful plant and all off the cards, texts and calls. Your support meant a great deal to both of us during this difficult time



Dear Evanston PD friends,
We would like to express
our sincerest thanks to all of
you for the kindness you've shown
our family during the passing of my
Mom. The plant was beautiful,
and the Police Escort was a very
special honor.

Thank you so much!

*With sincerest thanks
for your kindness
and thoughtfulness.*

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]

and family

[Signature]



E.P.D.

Thank you.

Two small words
for such a
big feeling.

E.P.D. Family,

Your kindness

really made a difference...

Your thoughtfulness

really touched my heart...

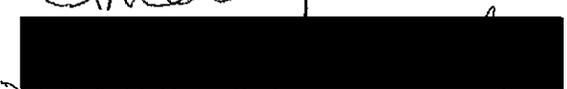
The gratitude I feel

really can't be

put into words.

Thank you all for
your support the flowers
and heart-felt love,

Sincerely



The family of



acknowledges with grateful
appreciation your kind
expression of sympathy

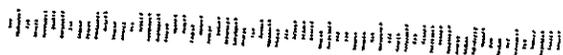
Thank You!

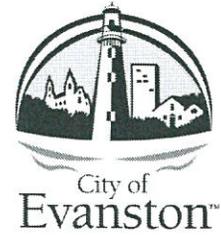
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*Evanston Police Dept
1454 Elmwood Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201*

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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/7/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: **Officer Random Johnson**

REFERENCE: Caller compliments Officer Johnson. She states she had an accident and Officer R. Johnson responded. He was divine and so professional. He was nice and calmed them down after the incident.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

[REDACTED]
Evaston, IL.

Dear Chief Eddington,

[REDACTED] here.
I am the person who was
carjacked and robbed on
Feb 15T - just blocks from
my home at the Market.

I feel extremely
lucky that I was not
harmed - although shocked.

I have spent the last days
re-establishing my identity
which is not a lot of fun!

I did want to tell you
that your police did the

most effective, thorough,
and successful job in this
whole nasty business.

A special shout ^{out} goes to
Detective Mike Jones. He
kept in touch with me
each day in a caring and
concerned way.

I know you must hear a
lot of complaints... but
not from me or my family.

Kind regards,
[REDACTED]

Officer Marcin Kubiak
Detective Michael Jones
Sergeant Jason Kohl

TO ALL MY EPD FAMILY.
THANK YOU ALL FOR SHARING
IN MY SPECIAL DAY IN
PERSON OR IN SPIRIT. THANKS
FOR THE CONTRIBUTIONS,
FRIENDSHIPS, PICTURES AND
SUPPORT. THANKS FOR BEING
A PART OF MY POLICE FAMILY.
I WILL MISS YOU ALL. BE
SAFE AND REMEMBER I AM
ONLY ONE CALL AWAY

Love,





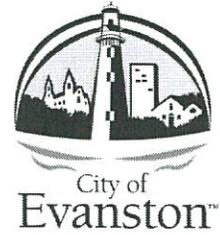
In Loving Memory

Deputy [REDACTED]

End of Watch - February 6, 2018

THE MEN AND WOMEN OF THE
LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
THANK YOU FOR YOUR EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY.
YOUR COMPASSION WILL ALWAYS BE REMEMBERED BY
THE [REDACTED] FAMILY AND OUR DEPARTMENT.





COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/12/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

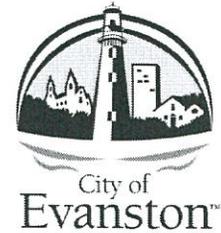
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: **Officer Patrick San Roman**

REFERENCE: [REDACTED] called to compliment Ofc. San Roman regarding a missing person report he took today. Ms. Flores stated that she was very anxious regarding her daughter being missing and Ofc. San Roman's calm demeanor and professionalism greatly reduced her fear and anxiety.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/14/2018

CALLER: Evonda Thomas-Smith

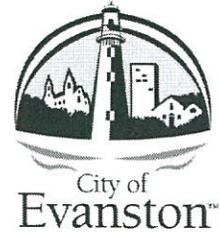
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: EPD Officers

REFERENCE: I want to give my heartfelt and sincere thank you and gratitude for how you serve and protect! I worked with the late Commander Bauer from District 18. He truly was a great man! He was a real community-minded individual which made it so easy to work with him. He helped our team develop the current Trina Davila Center. It is such a loss but I am reminded that I work with phenomenal men and women such as YOU!! From my heart, Thank YOU for running into harms way as we run away from it! With gratitude, Evonda Thomas-Smith RN, MSN, DrPH (c) Director, Department of Health and Human Services

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/15/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Sergeant Elizabeth Glynn and Officer Daniel Keeler

REFERENCE: Resident compliments Sgt. Glynn & Ofc. Keeler for their efficient and professional execution of the snow tow detail on Saturday February 10th. [REDACTED] vehicle was parked in the 700 block of Hinman when Ofc. Keeler knocked on his door and advised him to move his car before it got towed. This extra effort by Ofc. Keeler allowed for [REDACTED] to avoid having his car towed. [REDACTED] also commended Sgt. Glynn for the efficient execution of the snow tows. [REDACTED] stated that he has been quite distraught recently since his small dog "[REDACTED]" was brutally killed by another dog and that this distress is what caused him to mix up which side of the street he was supposed to park on.

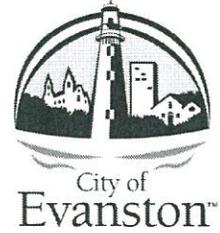
SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File

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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/15/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

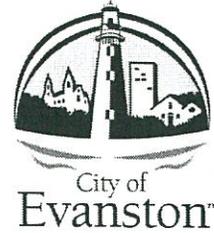
ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Detectives Mikhail Geyer and Kenneth Carter

REFERENCE: Caller states there was a funeral held at his church, the deceased had gang-ties, and people had started drinking, etc. in the parking lot. He said they needed a squad car to come by so they called the Service Desk. He states he needs to thank the Chief and EPD. He also said he appreciates the attention EPD gave to their request; there was no incident and all went ok.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/20/2018

CALLER: [Click here to enter text.](#)

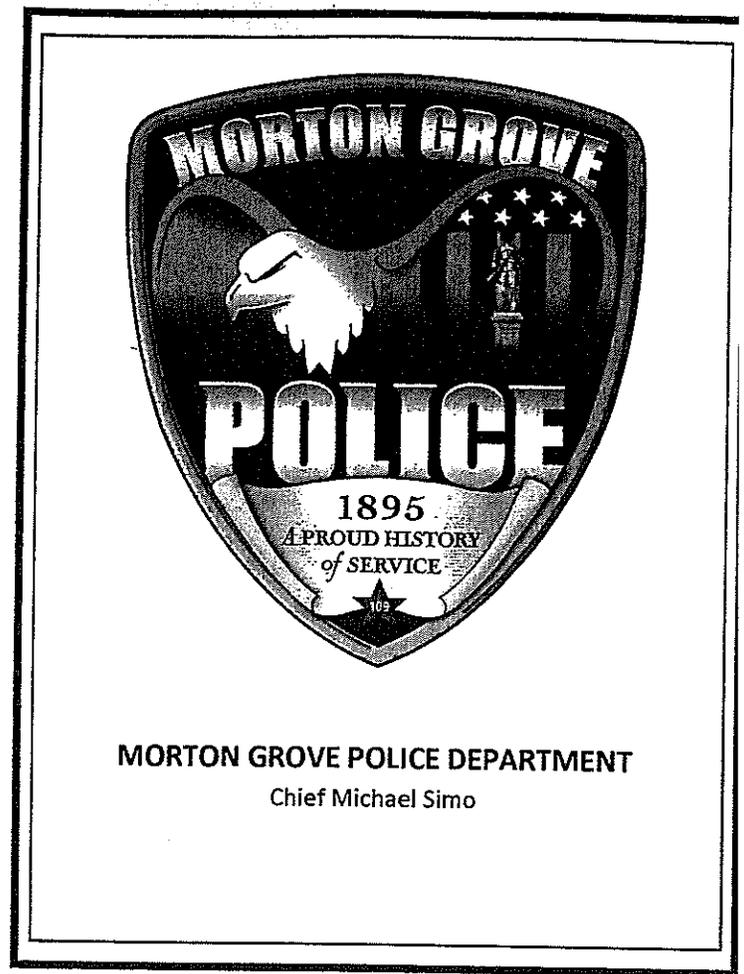
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Service Desk Officer John Martin

REFERENCE: Caller states, as he was completing an assignment to pick up a tent that was used during the Polar Plunge, he received information and directions from SDO Martin. SDO Martin's exceptional assistance made his assignment much easier. Caller says, "thank you".

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
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MORTON GROVE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief Michael Simo

February 20, 2018

Sgt Sophier,

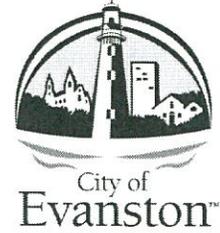
I wanted to say thanks for coming to our staff meeting on Wednesday February 14, 2018 to discuss the NORTAF/Major Crash Assistance Team response with our supervisors. The training was very informative and well received, and we will be better able to respond to a serious crash because of it.

We are fortunate to have the kind of expertise that the MCAT team provides and also to have you as the team commander. Thanks again.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Simo".

Chief Mike Simo and the Morton Grove Police Department



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/23/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Michael Pratt and EPD

REFERENCE: Caller left a message stating she is grateful the officer drove by and saw her garage door open and was kind enough to close it and call her family. She says she can't thank EPD enough for being so watchful and she feels very, very comfortable and is grateful they are keeping an eye on her. She states she is very happy they're looking out for people like her who forget, and says "thank you very much".

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
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Dear officer Bonilawski,

I am sorry for involving you and the other police officer because of my poor Judgements and decision making.

Thank you for caring about me.

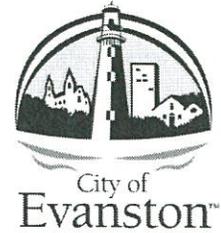
from 

Dear officer Medzela

I am sorry for involving you and the other police officer because of my poor Judgement and decision making.

Thank you for caring about me.

from 



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/23/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: EPD

REFERENCE: Caller states, as a whole, you (EPD) have been very helpful. She said she loves the police and has nothing but admiration, as a resident and as City staff. She lives in town and has seen how the police respond to situations and how they patrol. She said she really means it, it's from the heart!

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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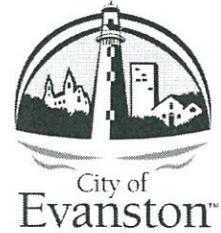
Chief Eddington
EPT

Chief Eddington

2-24-18

Thank you for your ongoing support to the work of equity. More than many I am very well aware of just how busy your schedule is, yet you have found the time to be present at many of the events/trainings my office has offered. Thank you so much enough OUT THANK YOU!!!

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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 2/26/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

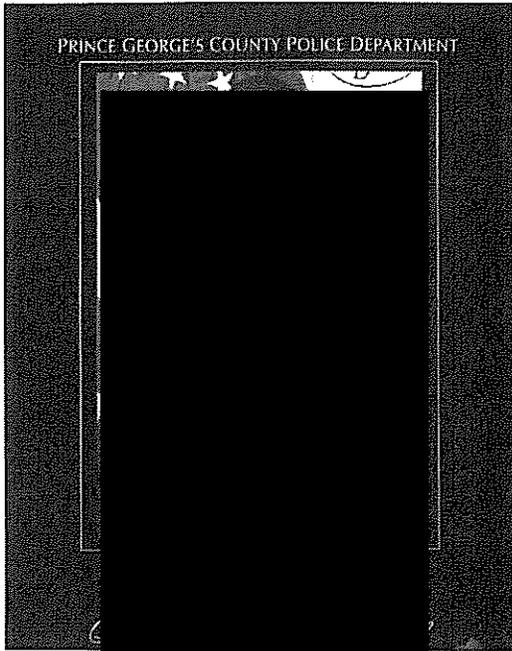
ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Random Johnson

REFERENCE: Good morning. On February 7th I, along with one of our Commanders, was involved in a traffic crash at Chicago and Clark in my department vehicle. The officer who responded, R. Johnson did a wonderful job managing the situation. There were a variety of factors involved in the situation and he navigated each of them with professionalism and poise. He really did a great job. I wanted to make sure and share this with you, even though some pretty significant time has passed.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



[Redacted]

"Think not of those who are slain in Allah's way as dead. Nay, they live, finding their sustenance in the presence of their Lord"

On behalf of the Prince George's County Police Department, thank you for your kind expressions of sympathy as we mourn the loss of our fallen hero, Sergeant [Redacted]. Your support during this difficult time gives us great comfort as we honor his memory.

Sergeant [Redacted]
Prince George's County Police Department
End of Watch
February 21, 2018

Respectfully,

Henry P. Stawinski III
Chief of Police

New Office Inspection/Officer Pat Wozniak

[Redacted]

Mar 22, 2018 2:11 PM

Posted in group: **Police**

Chief Eddington,

My name is [Redacted] and I am a partner in a business where I head our office in Evanston. Our office has been in Evanston about 15 years thus far. I have also been a resident for about 30 years.

We are moving from [Redacted] Church St. to [Redacted] Street. It is a different building, there is not a security guard up front, so I asked the person coordinating the move to see if we could get an inspection from Evanston Police to help us make our office secure.

The detail and quality of the report that Officer Pat Wozniak provided was to me, exceptional. He had gone by our new building at least once before our meeting (though it felt like it might have been more than that) and his suggestions were empirically based and he provided many concrete follow-ups. We are acting on those suggestions now.

I am very gratified that you have developed a police force that allows very skilled and dedicated individuals like Officer Wozniak to flourish.

Many thanks.

[Redacted]



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I cannot express how grateful the Boone County Sheriff's Office is for your recent expression of condolence regarding the death of Deputy Jacob Pickert.

Our agency suffered a great loss when Deputy [REDACTED] was killed in the line-of-duty on March 2, 2018. He was with us for three years and was a vital part of our K-9 division and will be forever missed.

Please know that your kind words and support bring comfort to our agency and his family and friends as we try to heal and fill the void his passing has brought to all of us.

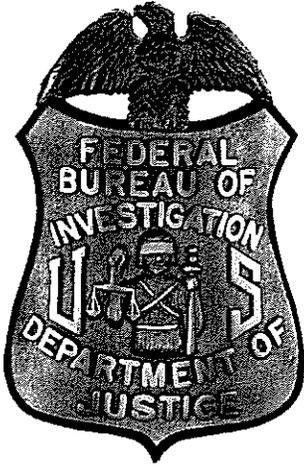
Sincerely,

Sheriff Michael T. Nielsen

Sheriff Michael T. Nielsen

Special Agent [REDACTED]

On behalf of the FBI, I want to thank you for your thoughtful expression of sympathy on the passing of Special Agent [REDACTED], who died as a direct result of her work at the Pentagon after 9/11.



Those who knew Special Agent [REDACTED] knew she was a fighter – she was a fighter as an Agent, and she was a fighter throughout her illness. She fought for justice and to protect the citizens we serve. Special Agent [REDACTED] gave her all at a time when the American people needed her most and asked for nothing in return.

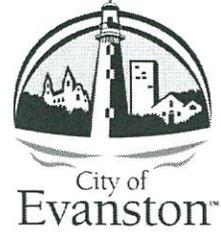
Please know that your kind words of support are truly comforting and appreciated during this difficult time and will be shared with Special Agent [REDACTED]'s family.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "CWray", is positioned above the printed name.

Christopher A. Wray
Director

September 5, 1995 - March 22, 2018



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 3/9/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

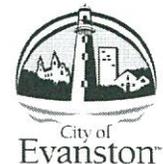
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Det. Brian Hicks

REFERENCE: [REDACTED] called to compliment Detective Hicks for his professionalism and attentive work on a missing person investigation of a relative. [REDACTED] stated Detective Hicks was very helpful, concerned and supportive during the investigation.

SUBMITTED BY: Commander Joseph Dugan

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 3/12/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: 847-475-1273

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Police Officers Mark Buell, Sean Serviss, and Timothy Messing

Last Friday, my dog, [REDACTED] health was in a free fall. I had been back and forth to Veterinarian practice on Thursday during the day and overnight on Friday in the early morning hours. [REDACTED] began to bleed a small amount from her rectum around 5:45AM and I made the decision to bring her back to the all night emergency Veterinarian practice in Skokie. She was able to walk from my back entrance through the building's gang way. It was still dark outside. When we got out the gate she squatted and a large quantity of blood came out of her and spilled onto the sidewalk. I hurried off to the Vet. I left [REDACTED] with the Vet and came home around 7:15AM. There was an Evanston police car in front of my entrance. I knew they were there for business because the car was half in the driving lane of the street. When I got to the gang way I could see that there was a trail of bright red blood that started several feet away from my back door leading to the gate and the puddle on the public sidewalk that I mentioned early. The 2 police officers were in the back of the gang way towards the alley; they were trying to figure out where the blood came from. I was in shock. It was dark when I left with [REDACTED] and I was only aware of the bleeding when she tried to squat by the public sidewalk. I showed the officers the paper work from Blue Pearl Emergency Veterinarian Clinic. I started to cry because it hit me how sick my dog was; there was so much blood. The 2 officers were so kind to me; they wanted to know how my dog was doing. I told them I would get bucket and start cleaning up the blood. Both of the officers said-Don't worry, we will call the Fire Department and they will clean it up. I went inside to call the Veterinarian Office to report how much blood my dog had lost. I also called my Sister because I was in such an emotional state. I was inside my Condo for 10 minutes. When I went outside to thank the officers and fire department personnel they were gone and the gang way had been cleaned. My [REDACTED] was euthanized later in the day on Friday.

So this long story is because I didn't get the names of the 2 officers or get to speak with the fire men/women who came out. The 2 officers were both so compassionate in their response to me about my sick pet. They made a terrible situation in my life a little better. It would have been very difficult for me in my emotional state at the time to clean the blood off the sidewalk. I would like them to know how much I appreciated their compassionate policing in my situation.

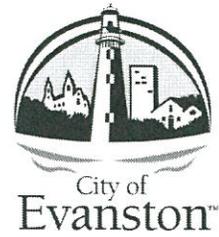
SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File

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Officer/ Staff Member

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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 3/15/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Animal Warden David Rose

REFERENCE: Caller states he had an animal incident at his home and Animal Warden Rose responded. He states the officer was very professional and competent. He thanks the officer for his assistance and said, "the officer was not only professional, but was very courteous in his interaction".

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



Police Employee Commendation Form [#67]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>
Posted in group: Police

Mar 19, 2018 1:10 PM

Date of contact with employee: * Wednesday, March 14, 2018

Approximate time of contact with employee: * 3:00:00 PM

Employee name if known: Police Dept

Employee assignment if known: Active Shooter

Check All That Apply * Other

If other, please specify Response to Active Shooter

What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *

To the City of Evanston, Police Dept,
 I just wanted you to know that some of us really do appreciate all that you do to make this city safe, especially in response to the recently reported citing of a school shooter. While the news media is calling this a hoax, what I saw on TV, on the part of our responders, was no hoax. I saw Police officers at the scene, crouched down behind automobiles, ready to engage an active shooter. What I saw were men and women who were there, at the scene, putting it all on the line to protect this community. That was no hoax. From the depths of my heart, I want to say thank you. I know most of you do your jobs every day without complaining, to support your families and make ends meet. But what I saw a few days ago went above and beyond your respective pay-grades. Again, just to let you know that all of your efforts were appreciated, and not in vain. As a former member of this man's Army, I salute each and every one of you.

Respectfully,
 Lamont Liner

Your Name 

Your Address 

Your Email Address

Your Phone Number

THANK YOU!

[Redacted]
Posted in group: Police

Mar 19, 2018 3:43 PM

Thankx to the men & women of our Evanston Police Department for keeping our streets safe!

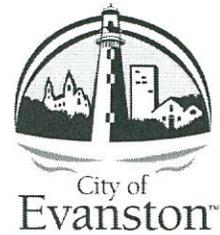


[Redacted]

To Chief Eddington
and All Evanston Police Dept
Thanks to the EPD. for
all your good work

Hope you enjoy the
traditional hamantashen
triangular tarts.
From [redacted]

HAPPY PURIM!
In honor of the joyous holiday
of Purim, that celebrates
Queen Esther and her
cousin Mordechai
being able to convince Persian
King Ahashveros (Xerxes I)
that he should prevent
his wicked vizier Haman
from encouraging the
destruction of the Jews
of Persia in the 4th c BCE.
(From the ^{Scroll} Book of Esther)



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 3/22/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Sergeant Tracy Williams, Officers Daniel Keeler, Martin Neal, Jeremy Nieman, Stanley Samson, Marvin Thomas, Michael Triche, Mark VanDermeir, and Towing Coordinator Reinaldo Rebollar

REFERENCE: Caller states he's calling to compliment Sergeant Williams and the entire Traffic Unit. He says they are "taking care of business". They have recently been monitoring the area near the 2100 block of Dobson and have written many tickets for drivers who don't stop at the stop sign and drive at a high rate of speed in the area. He states, the officers have made the neighborhood safer. He says, "Thanks, to all the Traffic Unit Officers!"

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

March 26th, 2018

Dear Evanston Police,

As a Northwestern employee and mother of a child at the McGaw YmCA Child Care Center, I'm writing to express my deep gratitude for how succinctly and thoroughly you covered and responded to the March 14th gun threat hoax. I very much appreciate your keeping my family safe and wanted to say thank you for this and also everything else you do! I also very much appreciate working with Officer Reballer for our family's car seat inspections! Sincerely,



Police Employee Commendation Form [#68]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>

Mar 29, 2018 2:21 AM

Posted in group: **Police**

Date of contact with employee: * Wednesday, March 14, 2018

Approximate time of contact with employee: * 2:15:00 PM

Employee assignment if known: All employees involved in "Person with a gun" response at Northwestern University

Check All That Apply *

- Other

If other, please specify Quick response by law enforcement

What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *

Dear Evanston PD,

Hello,

My name is [REDACTED], I am a student at Garrett–Evangelical Theological Seminary at Northwestern University. I am a son of a father who is a correctional officer. Every day that my dad goes to work he knows that he is serving the community and that it could be his last time that he sees his family. My uncle is a police officer in Kansas City, Mo. I cannot imagine the emotions that were ruminating in your heads on March 14, 2018 in response to the "person with gun" call at Northwestern University. I know that every day your officers put on the badge they are taking a chance that they may not return. It is with deep sincerity that I express my gratitude to your quick and thorough response to control the situation at the graduate residence. I had a fraternity brother who was killed in a school shooting and I am so thankful that to your response there were no families or friends who had to receive life changing news that day. I want your department to know that as a community member I am thankful for your service and dedication to the city of Evanston. I will be praying for you and your families.

Blessings,

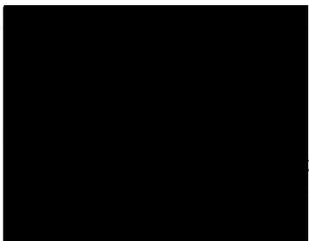
Spenser Johnson

Your Name

Your Address

Your Email Address

Your Phone Number





Department of Police
710 Ridge Road
Wilmette, Illinois, 60091

Office of the Chief of Police

March 30, 2018

Richard Eddington, Chief of Police
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief,

On Wednesday Morning March 28, 2018 at approximately 5:00am, your Officers were called to assist our agency attempting to arrest a subject who was a suspect in burglary from Wilmette. The subject was spotted on the Metra Commuter train and stopped at the Central Avenue stop in Evanston. The subject was bleeding significantly as he had cut himself on a smashed window at our burglary scene. When our Officers approached the subject, he was combative and gestured as if he were pulling a weapon from his waistband. A struggle ensued with the subject attempting to disarm one of our officers by grabbing his holstered firearm. The struggle was prolonged and dynamic, damaging the Officer's duty belt.

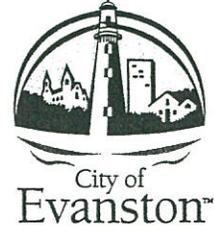
Our Officers were not able to fully control the subject until your additional units had arrived and they were eventually able to place him in handcuffs. The subject was heard repeatedly stating, "Kill me, kill me, kill me". Evanston Officers Burgers, Kane, Gustafson, Masucci, Huber, Roden, Pratt, Kozlowski, Vasquez and Sergeants Pillars and Hart had all responded to the scene.

I want to thank you and commend those Evanston Police personnel who responded in such a rapid, effective and professional manner. We have a longstanding positive working relationship with the Evanston Police. The importance of our mutual aid was never more evident than during this incident where the outcome involving this motivated subject could have been much worse.

Please extend my gratitude to your communications staff and responding Officers and Supervisors for their quick and professional response.

Sincerely,

Kyle Murphy
Chief of Police



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 4/1/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Marvin Thomas #204

REFERENCE: MONTH AFTER I got my car rear ended and only left w/ culprit's license plate picture, I went to the police station to file a report w/ not much expectation. I was impressed w/ work officer put in. I received a call the same day from the officer and he updated me w/ his investigation. As a result of the officers work, I received a call the next day from the other driver and he agreed to pay the damaged in installment without processing through his insurance; which he paid now. I was very happy with the outcome and I'm very thankful to officer Thomas and the Evanston Police Dept. I'll be sure to share my positive experience w/ Evanston Police Dept to the world.

SUBMITTED BY: _____

- CC: Shift File _____
- Administration Personnel File _____
- Officer/ Staff Member _____
- HR Personnel File _____



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 4/4/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Michael Pratt

We were the ones who had our Audi stolen from our driveway on Monday night. Officer Pratt was the one who rang our doorbell at 3:30 am to notify us that it was missing and had been spotted in Lake Co. He couldn't have been nicer! He answered questions, explained processes, asked great questions to help us remember what was in the car that might be lost and what was on the car that might be identifiers (because it was 3:30 am and we were a little stunned). He was just so nice and really helpful.

I'm happy to say that we got a call late last night that our car had been recovered from a garage on Polk street and was at an impound lot near Garfield Park. My husband had quite an adventure this AM when he went to pick it up and had to call CPD because the trunk was full of stolen laptops and cell phones! But overall, there's only minor damage to the car and we're thankful for the best possible outcome of a bad situation.

Anyway, I wanted to let you know how wonderful Officer Pratt was. Please thank him again for us. He really made us feel better about navigating the situation.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File

Administration Personnel File

Officer/ Staff Member

HR Personnel File



PHONE (312) 603-6444
SHERIFF'S OFFICE OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
RICHARD J. DALEY CENTER - ROOM 704
CHICAGO, IL 60602
THOMAS J. DART
SHERIFF

April 5, 2018

Det. Adam Pack
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Det. Pack,

Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that you and your unit have been nominated by Chief Richard Eddington from the Evanston Police Department to receive the Cook County Sheriff's Law Enforcement Unit Citation.

The Sheriff's Unit Citation will be given to law enforcement units from throughout Cook County who have consistently performed beyond the call of duty and have shown excellent dedication, attitude, work ethic and professionalism.

It will be an honor for me to recognize your devotion to duty along with other police officers from throughout Cook County.

The award presentation will be held at Moraine Valley Community College (Building M), on Monday, May 7 at 5:30pm. Dress uniform is expected for this event.

Enclosed is an invitation for you and you are encouraged to have family members attend this recognition ceremony. Your agency and other Cook County officials will receive invitations as well.

To RSVP or for questions, please call the Press Office at (312) 603-4242 or email Sophia.Ansari@cookcountyil.gov. Please be sure to RSVP, as seating is limited.

I look forward to honoring you at the ceremony.

Yours Truly,

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Thomas J. Dart
Cook County Sheriff



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April 5, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington,

Enclosed you will find a copy of the letter that was mailed to your nominee(s) for the Cook County Sheriff's Law Enforcement Medal of Honor Award Ceremony.

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Police Employee Commendation Form [#69]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>
Posted in group: Police

Apr 8, 2018 7:12 PM

Date of contact with employee: * Saturday, April 7, 2018

Approximate time of contact with employee: 9:30:00 PM
*

Employee name if known: Scheinbein

Check All That Apply *
• Police response to your call

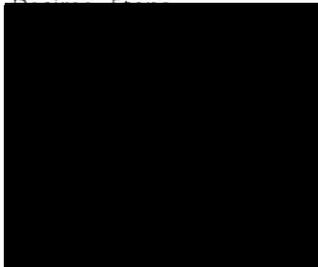
What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *
My son and I appreciate Officer Scheinbein and his partner's quick response and patience with responding to our noise complaint. There was not much they could do but listen to our concerns and talk to our neighbor but we appreciate them showing up on a Saturday evening. The dispatch receiver who took my call was especially kind and helpful too.

Your Name

Your Address

Your Email Address

Your Phone Number



Dear Chief Eddington,

I just wanted to share these pictures with you because your officers, DeLeon and Howard, came to visit my class yesterday! They were just OUTSTANDING! They made the kids feel so comfortable! They were funny and interesting and the students were so engaged! Thank you for knowing that having officers out in the community makes a COMPLETE difference in how the kids relate to the police! I am hoping to get more information about the mentoring program for middle school boys! As an educator, I know kids need more and more support these days! Thank you for giving them more positive options!

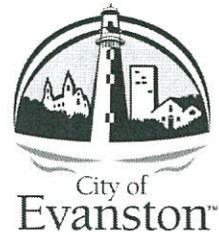
I am going to send one more picture in a minute or two!

Please tell your officers how much we appreciate all they do to help the students and families in our community!

[REDACTED]

Special Education Teacher
Haven Middle School

[REDACTED]



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 4/10/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Kyle Benoit

REFERENCE: Caller left a message stating Officer Benoit was a nice person to deal with. She wants to thank him. Caller states she couldn't remember where she parked her car, as she had parked it in a place she had never parked before. She said Officer Benoit was really kind, nice, and so helpful.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File

Administration Personnel File

Officer/ Staff Member

HR Personnel File

BREVARD COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE



Sheriff Wayne Ivey

Dear Friends,

I cannot express how grateful the Brevard County Sheriff's Office is for your recent expression of condolence regarding the death of Deputy [REDACTED]

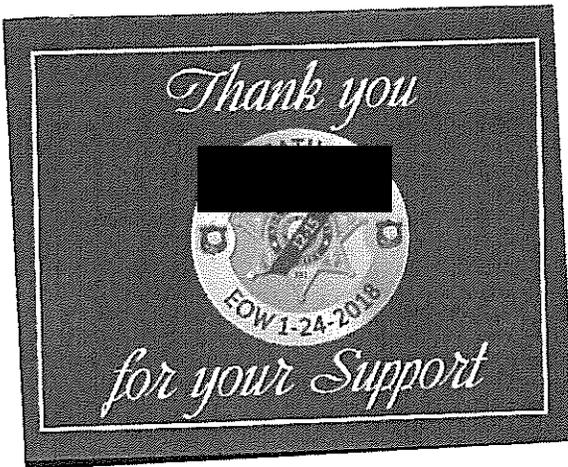
Our agency suffered a great loss when Deputy [REDACTED] was killed in the line-of-duty last month. He was a decorated law enforcement officer and eleven year veteran who will be forever missed.

Please know that your kind words and support bring comfort to our agency and his family and friends as we try to heal and fill the void his passing has brought to all of us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wayne Ivey".

Sheriff Wayne Ivey



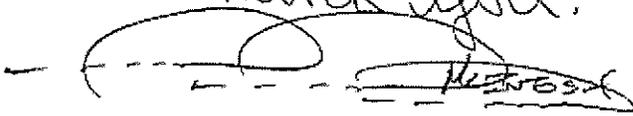
"Together we make an impact larger than individual efforts. Lives are touched, our community is strengthened."

- Adams County Sheriff Michael McIntosh



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Brighton, CO 80601
adcosheriffsfoundation.org

When we could not stand,
you knelt beside us.
From the men and women
of the Adams County Sheriff's
office we thank you.



God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.
Psalm 46:1



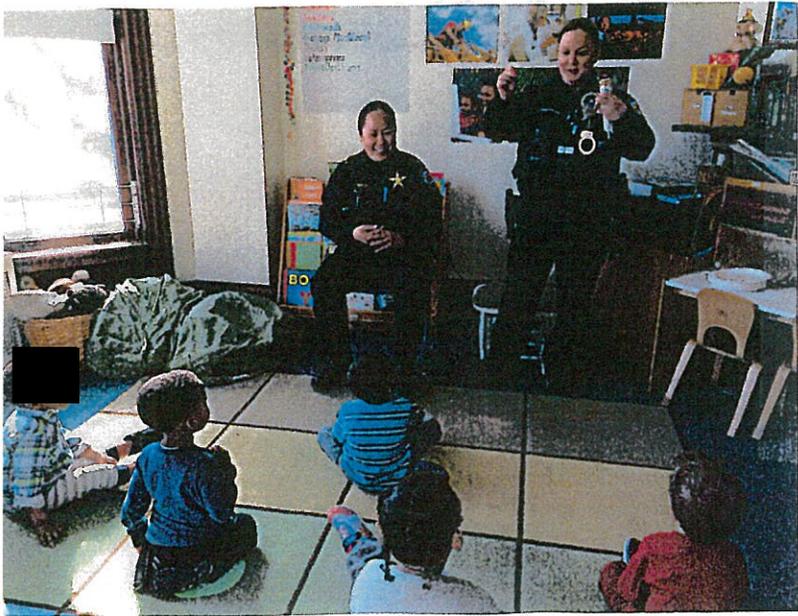
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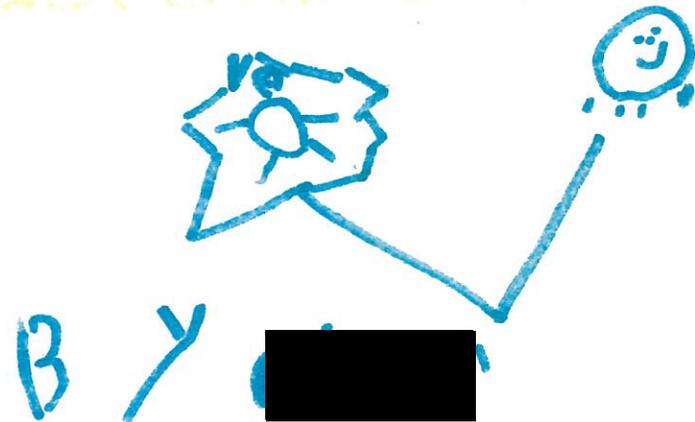


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Thankyou!
Yellow Room



THANK YOU,
OFFICER
HENDERSON





Marvin Thomas.

The whole family was impressed with how efficiently they were able to get us from the funeral home to the cemetery.

My husband was a proud World War II veteran and a big supporter of law enforcement. He would have

Dear Chief,

Thank you for providing an escort for my husband's funeral procession.

Please thank Sgt. Tracy Williams, Officer Michael Trich, Officer Jeremy Niemans, Officer Martin Neal, Officer Stanley Samson and Officer

been honored by the services you provided for our family.

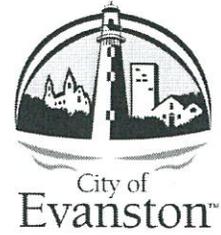
Everston Police Department also honored his military service, when members of your Honor Guard and other personnel greeted him and other veterans when they landed at Midway after an Honor Flight trip.

Thanks again.

AMERICAN GREETINGS

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DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 4/23/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

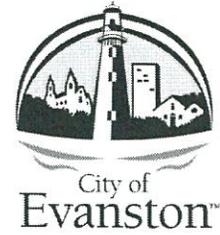
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Todd Burgers and Officer Carl Gustafson

REFERENCE: Caller states she commends the officers for their great service and she appreciates their act of kindness. She states she has been "afraid" of the police since she was a little girl, but these officers have changed her opinion about police officers. She said, "These guys were amazing".

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
- Administration Personnel File
- Officer/ Staff Member
- HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 4/26/2018

CALLER: [Click here to enter text.](#)

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Mark Mizell

REFERENCE: Caller left a message stating she wants to express her gratitude and said she is proud to live in Evanston right now. She said a man was ringing her doorbell and hanging around her stoop so she called the police and Officer Mizell responded. She believed the man was mentally ill and homeless. She said she has a daughter who is mentally ill and if she ever needed assistance, the caller hopes Officer Mizell will show up. She said she could hear the officer talking with the man, telling him that he will wait there with him until the ambulance comes; and he also wished him the best. She said the officer was so engaging and kind that she couldn't imagine anyone handling the situation better.

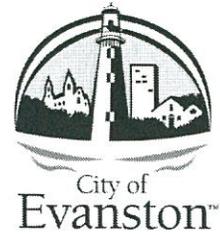
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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 4/30/2018

CALLER: [Click here to enter text.](#)

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: **Officer Grace Carmichael and Sergeant Chelsea Brown**

REFERENCE: Caller left a message stating Officer Carmichael and Sergeant Brown were very nice, helpful, and polite through his entire interaction with them. He states they were very, very, helpful. He just wants to tell them "good job, keep up the good work"

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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Administration Personnel File
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Police Employee Commendation Form [#70]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>

May 5, 2018 9:35 AM

Posted in group: **Police**

Date of contact with employee: * Friday, May 4, 2018

Approximate time of contact with employee: * 3:00:00 PM

Employee name if known: **Amin Virani**

Employee assignment if known: Evidence Technician

Check All That Apply * Other

If other, please specify Ride Along

What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *

I'd like to give high marks to Officer Virani for his professionalism and a great Ride Along experience. He was patient and very knowledgeable; he didn't rush through the ride along; and I learned a great deal from him as we drove around Evanston. I was able to experience a variety of situations and he did a terrific job of explaining each interaction and the hows, whys, and different aspects of each stop. I thought all of his interactions with me, other officers, victims, city residents were exemplary—he was courteous, friendly, and exhibited a high-level of professionalism throughout. Also, I'd like to say thank you to the department in general for the opportunity to do the ride along and for offering the Citizens Police Academy.

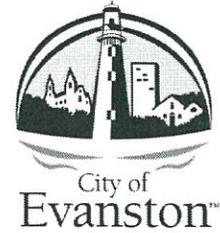
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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 5/7/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

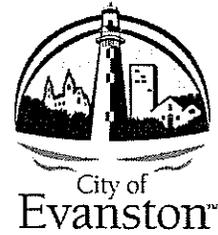
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Grace Carmichael

REFERENCE: Caller states her sister [REDACTED] lives alone in Evanston. She was having some confusion problems, couldn't figure out where things were in her apartment, and was panicked so she called the police. Officer Carmichael responded. The neighbors told [REDACTED] that the officer was really wonderful and helped calm [REDACTED] down. [REDACTED] thanks Officer Carmichael. She states they live far away, but want to keep her sister safe.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 5/9/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officers Nicholas Demos, Matthew Masucci, and Amin Virani

REFERENCE: Caller states he had a domestic disturbance last night. He and his wife were going through a hard time. Regarding the officers who showed up, he states he appreciates the skill and tact with which they operated and they did an incredible job to de-escalate and calm them down.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

Police Employee Commendation Form [#71]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>
Posted in group: Police

May 10, 2018 2:25 PM

Date of contact with employee: * Wednesday, April 25, 2018

Approximate time of contact with employee: 3:00:00 PM
*

Employee name if known: Michael Mangas

Badge or employee number if known: 194

Employee assignment if known: Patrol

Check All That Apply *
• Other

If other, please specify Ride along

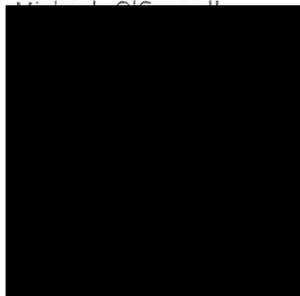
What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *
Officer Mangas demonstrated great competence and professionalism in performing his duties. I would like to commend him for the work he performs in the Evanston community and thank him for his service.

Your Name

Your Address

Your Email Address

Your Phone Number



Police Employee Commendation Form [#72]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>

May 10, 2018 4:13 PM

Posted in group: Police

Date of contact with employee: * Thursday, May 10, 2018

Approximate time of contact with employee: 12:30:00 PM
*

Employee name if known: Henderson

Badge or employee number if known: 110

Employee assignment if known: Problem-Solving Team

Check All That Apply *
 Other

If other, please specify Help coordinating a police station tour

What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *
I spoke to Officer Henderson in order to set up a police station tour for my Cub Scout group. She was efficient, energetic and enthusiastic -- super helpful -- in getting a tour set up on my desired date and time, and walking through all the details. She was polite and patient as I had to pull together some information while we were talking. Incredibly helpful to be able to get my questions answered and arrange the visit all in one phone call! If everyone I worked with was so professional, life would be easier and more pleasant. What a great representative for our police department!

Your Name

Your Address

Your Email Address

Your Phone Number



Your thoughtfulness
will be warmly remembered.

From your friends at
The Mather who are
profoundly grateful
for all you've done
for us and do for
the whole community.

Thank you!

1 message

[REDACTED] Sun, May 13, 2018 at 12:16 PM

To: Michelle Smith <mismith@cityofevanston.org>, [REDACTED]

Dear Ms. Smith,

Thank you for sending not one but three officers this morning! It was wonderful to have them with us for the blessing ceremony.

As always, the EPD came through for us. And as always we are most appreciative of your time and attention in helping St. James minister to her parishioners. Please extend our gratitude to the Chief.

Best,

[REDACTED]



Office of the Chief of Police

May 16, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington:

Please extend my personal thanks to Officer Anthony Sosa and Rony for their participation at our Open House May 6th.

As always, we had a large turnout. Officer Sosa's demonstration with his dog was among the most popular attractions. I hope that they will be able to join us again next year.

The Police Open House is an important and popular community event. I appreciate your support in this annual endeavor.

Sincerely,

Kyle Murphy

Kyle Murphy
Chief of Police

Dear Chief
Eddington
Fellow officers,

Thanks for protecting our
great City of Evanston.
Have a great appreciation
Day!





Notes

TO CHIEF EDDINGTON
AND ALL EPD

In celebration of
Shavuot - (~~Sat~~ eve -
Mon eve)

the Feast of Weeks (^{7 weeks since}
_{Passover})

the Festival of First Fruits

and Receiving the
Ten Commandments
on Mt. Sinai.

Thanks for be there for us
twenty-four hours a day.

EVANSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT 2018 ANNUAL REPORT



Thank you so much for making the YEA! Festival an amazing event this year!

We appreciate all your guidance and support through this process in our inaugural year of Hope Washinushi, new YEA! Board President, shepherding the new leadership through the festival planning and partnering with Bon Events to oversee production.

We had an extraordinary day at Raymond Park with happy families, a diverse Evanston community, over 100 booth participants and lots of art, fun and whimsy for all!

We thank all of you for your support, and our Officers in the park- Officer Vasquez, Officer Sacluti and especially Officers Spells and Rowell day-of who were wonderful to work with.

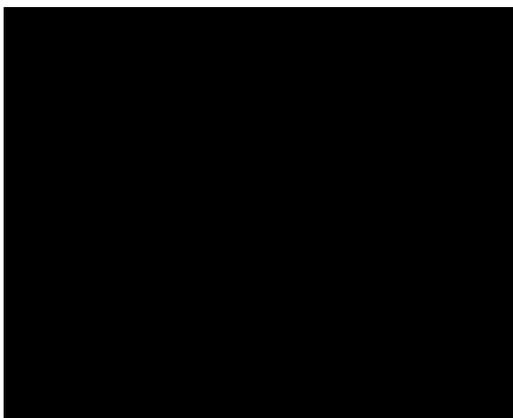
We did our best to make sure at the end of the day all the trash receptacles were closed, the landscaping was clear of debris, the traffic barriers were back in the park and the toilets loading out today.

We've had rave reviews thus far, and the officers at the event reported that we had no neighbor complaints and only two missing children who were quickly reunited with their parents without incident.

We welcome your feedback- good or bad- and hope this was a positive experience for your various departments.

Thank you again,

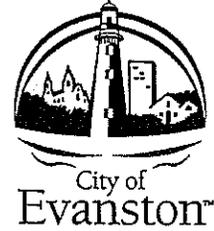
The YEA! Festival Team



Sergeant Tracy Williams
Officer Daniel Keeler
Officer Martin Neal
Officer Jeremy Nieman
Officer Stanley Samson
Officer Marvin Thomas
Officer Michael Triche
Officer Mark VaDermeir

Towing Coordinator Reinaldo Rebollar

Officer Nicholas Curran
Officer Nicholas Demos



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 5/18/18

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: _____

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officers Called

REFERENCE: A drop-in client of ours, [REDACTED], called police on herself yesterday while at Hilda's Place. Officers did an EXCELLENT job working with her and allowing and assisting me to de-escalate the situation. They were patient, calm, and kind while [REDACTED] was anything but. We were able to get her to leave on her own. Great work! Great cops! Thanks

SUBMITTED BY [REDACTED]

- CC: Shift File _____
- Administration Personnel File _____
- Officer/ Staff Member _____
- HR Personnel File _____

OGA Breakfast

[REDACTED]

May 21, 2018 7:34 AM

Posted in group: **Police**

Officer Adam Howard and OGA Facilitators,
Thank you, thank you, thank you! The patience, effort, leadership and vision you have devoted to our young men is truly remarkable. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for creating such an epic program for our city. There were so many moments that I had chills during the breakfast due to the incredible speeches, acknowledgments, and when the young men were awarded. We need more people like you for our boys and today was the day to recognize that our city is one awesome place.

Thank you.

[REDACTED]

Haven Middle School

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**Officer Adam Howard
Officer Robert Robbins
Officer Ervin De Leon
Detective Kenneth Carter
Detective Mario Miller**

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120 S Genesee St.
Waukegan, IL 60085
847-599-2800



SPRINGFIELD OFFICE
238-W Stratton Office Building
Springfield, IL 62706
217-558-1012

RITA MAYFIELD
STATE REPRESENTATIVE • 60TH DISTRICT

May 23, 2018

Enioli Daley


Dear Officer Daley,

I recently read in the *Evanston Roundtable* that you will be receiving the 2018 Evanston Police Department Officer of the Year Award.

Thank you so much for your service to the communities you serve and live in. As a 12 year veteran of the department and with the last five years on the Problem Solving Team, I am sure your work positively impacts many lives every day. Your dedication to community involvement shows as you sit on the boards of Northwest Center Against Sexual Assault and Curt's Café in addition to your police duties.

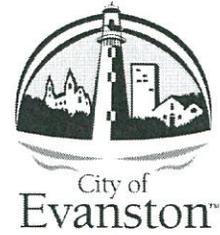
Your hard work and commitment to our community is truly an inspiration. Thank you again.

If you ever have any thoughts you would like to share with me, or if I can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact my full-time constituent service office at 847-599-2800.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Rita Mayfield".

Rita Mayfield
State Representative
60th District



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 5/21/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

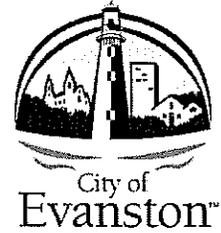
COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Service Desk Officer Georgina Alexander

REFERENCE: Caller stated her daughter was arrested for DUI and gave her sister's name at the time.

Caller spoke with SDO Alexander and gives these comments, "She is an amazing woman. She worked hard and found my arrested daughter's real name, which didn't allow her to give her younger sister a criminal record. Alexander made sure my other daughter didn't get blamed." Caller said "Not everyone takes the time, concern, care, or attention to go that far. It's amazing that someone would do that. It means a lot to someone who doesn't even know this is happening to them."

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 5/31/2018

CALLER: Gerald Gordon (ok to display name)

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Radoslaw Mazur

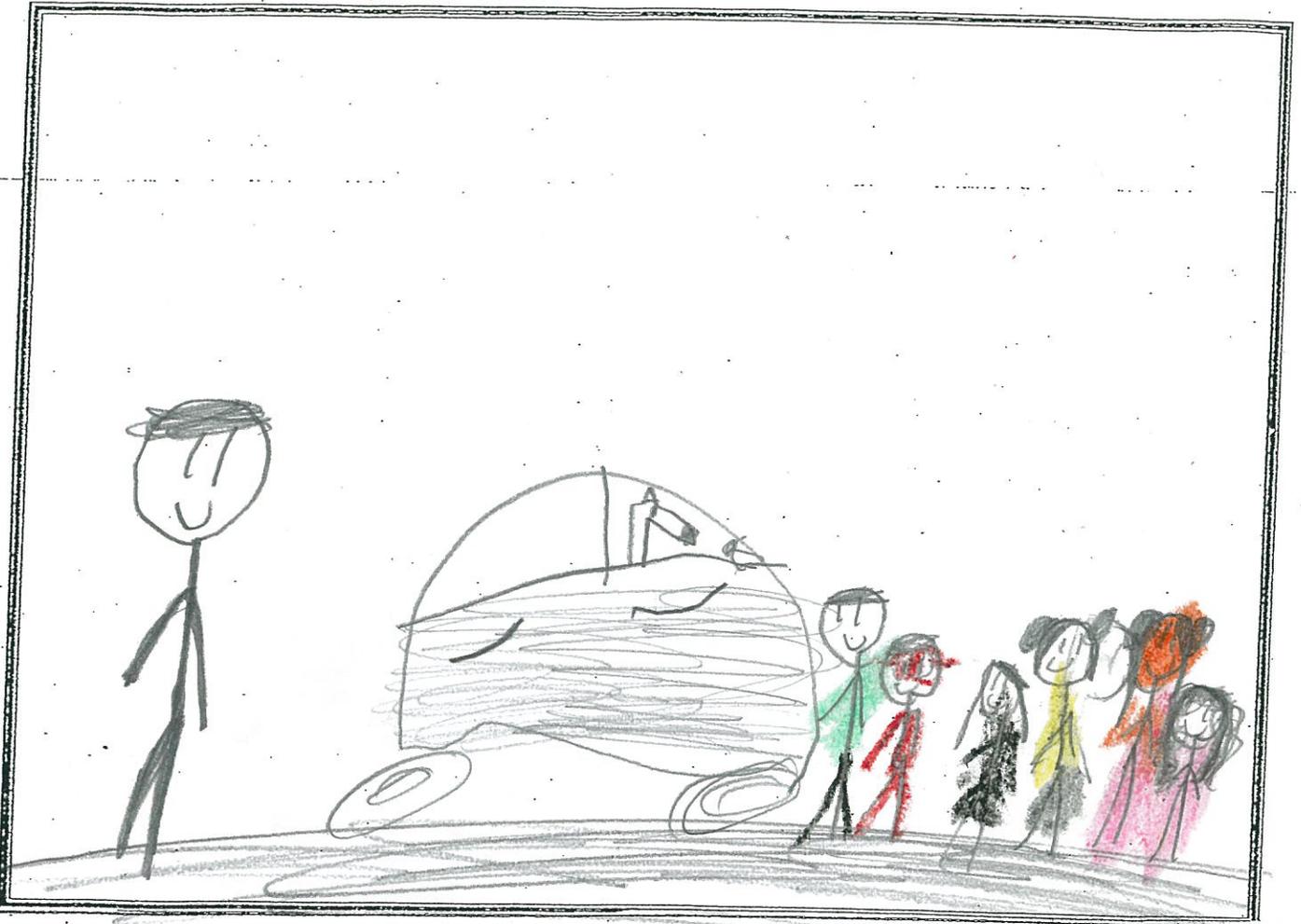
REFERENCE: Caller states he is an elderly man of 85 years old and was out for a walk near Lake and Asbury. He saw a police car stop, put on the flashing lights, and an officer got out of the car. He states Officer Mazur approached him and asked him if he needed any assistance. He thanks Officer Mazur and Evanston Police Department for our service to the community.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

Name: [REDACTED]

Date: 5/18/18



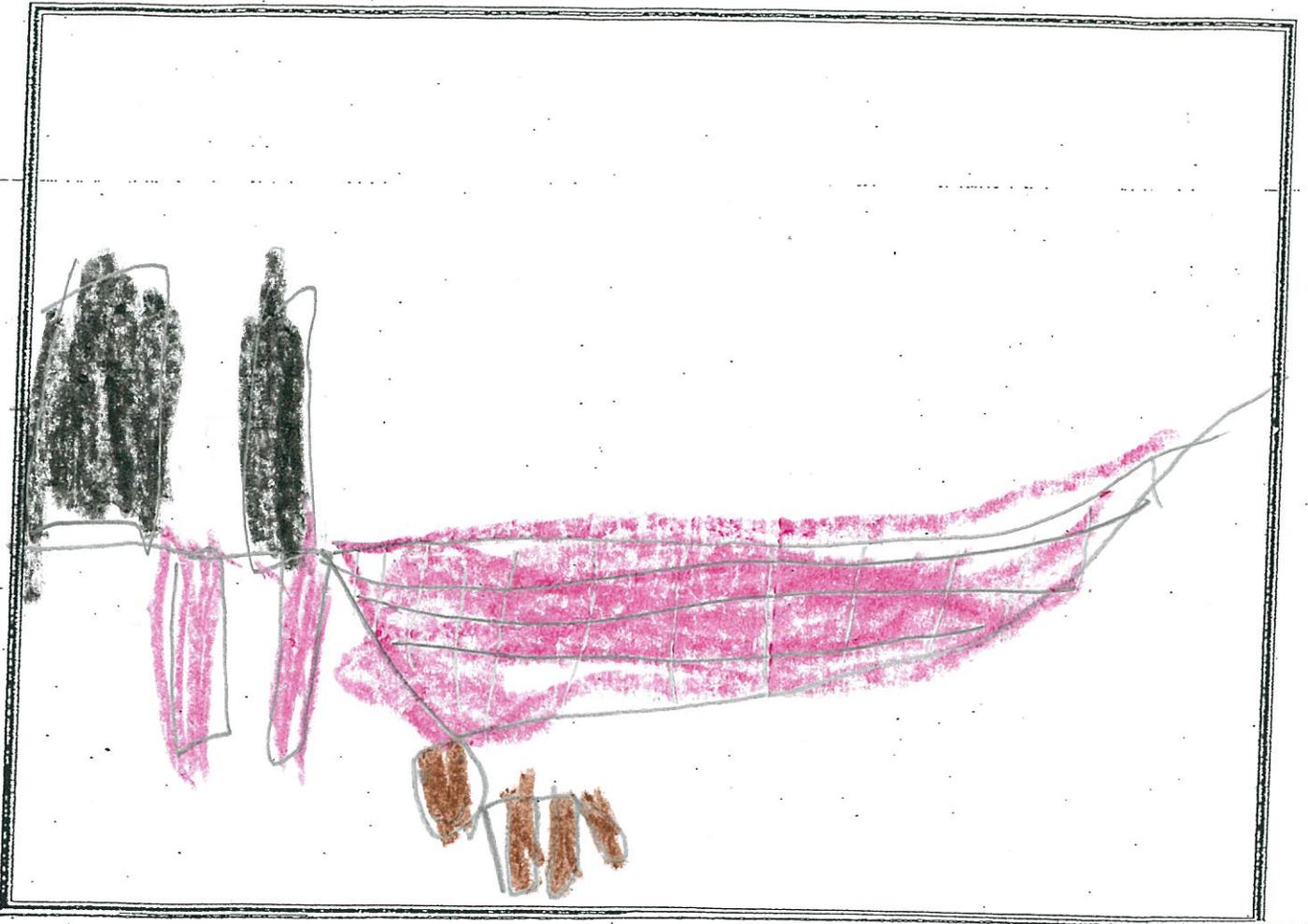
Dear Tony and Ron,
Thank you for coming and
showing us tricks. We really
enjoyed getting into the police
car.

Name



Date:

5/31/18

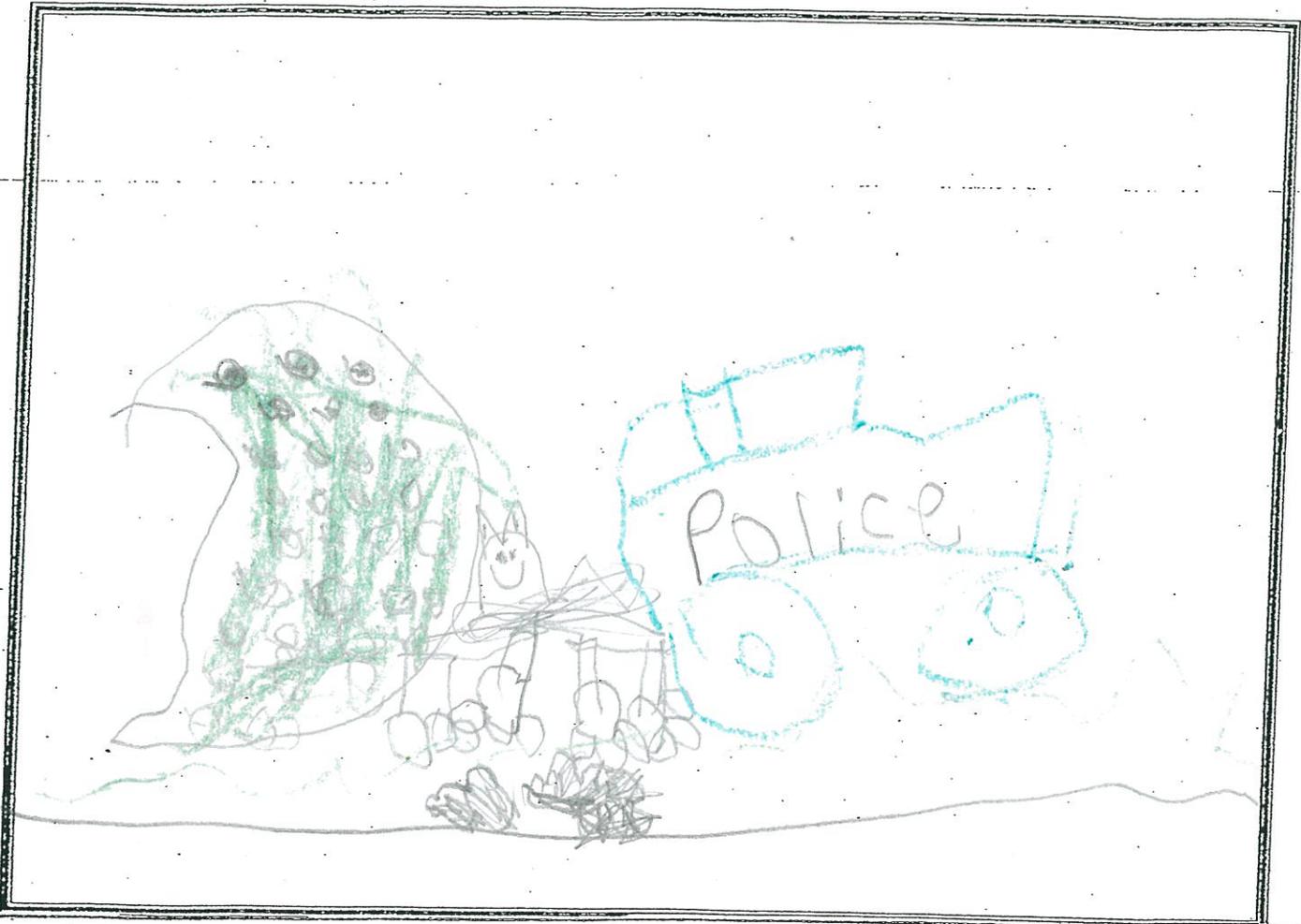


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enjoyed getting into the police car

Name



Date: 5/21/18



Dear Tony and Tony
 Thank you for coming
 and showing us picks.
 We really enjoyed
 getting into the police car.

60202

Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Ave., Evanston Il. 60201

Hello,

I am writing in gratitude to the Evanston Police Department and in praise of Officer Gonzalez.

On Saturday morning, June 2, Officer Gonzalez helped me find my car. I had called the department when the car wasn't to be seen where I just KNEW I had parked it on Maple Street about three hours earlier.

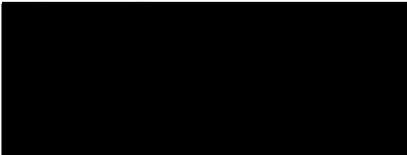
I was absolutely certain I had not turned off Maple to park and was concerned the car had been stolen. Officer Gonzalez, I am sure, realized that despite my certainty, the most likely scenario was that my memory was incorrect.

He very calmly listened to me repeatedly explain where I had parked, while he drove me around, exploring alternatives.

And he was very kind when my car turned up just west of Maple along a cross street. I appreciate his patience.

The dispatcher at 311 also was very helpful. Thanks to both of them.

Sincerely,



Officer Efrain Gonzalez
Service Desk Officer Jana Cram

June 4, 2018

...so very much.

Chief Eddington,

I am so appreciative
of your facilitating
the resolution of [REDACTED]

the NYAD firearms
(through Det. Klopach)
and the Wilmette

traffic incident
(through Sgt. Nieman)

Evanston is lucky
to have you!
Best regards,
[REDACTED]



Richard Eddington <reddington@cityofevanston.org>

Many thanks

1 message

Paul Goren <goren@district65.net>

Tue, Jun 5, 2018 at 4:15 PM

To: "Eddington, Richard" <reddington@cityofevanston.org>

Cc: Steve Hagerty <shagerty@cityofevanston.org>, City Council <CityCouncil@cityofevanston.org>, School Board <schoolboard@district65.net>, "Bobkiewicz, Wally" <wbobkiewicz@cityofevanston.org>, [REDACTED]

Dear Chief Eddington --

I write with a sense of deep appreciation for the Evanston Police Department in the engagement of your officers in D65's ALICE/Active Shooter training today. With your support and the involvement and partnership of EPD, we were able to train just under 900 District 65 employees on what to do in case of an active shooter in one of our buildings. Although none of us ever imagined that this would be something we as educators would spend a professional development day doing, given the current climate it was essential that we completed this important training. Your officers were well prepared, engaging, and helpful as our elementary and middle school teachers and administrators participated in the various scenarios. Thank you for your partnership and collaboration -- we truly appreciate it.

With kind regards,

Paul

Paul D. Goren
Superintendent
Evanston/Skokie District 65
847.859.8010
goren@district65.net

Every child, every day, whatever it takes.

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from [redacted]

to the 3 police

who came to our
lemonade stand

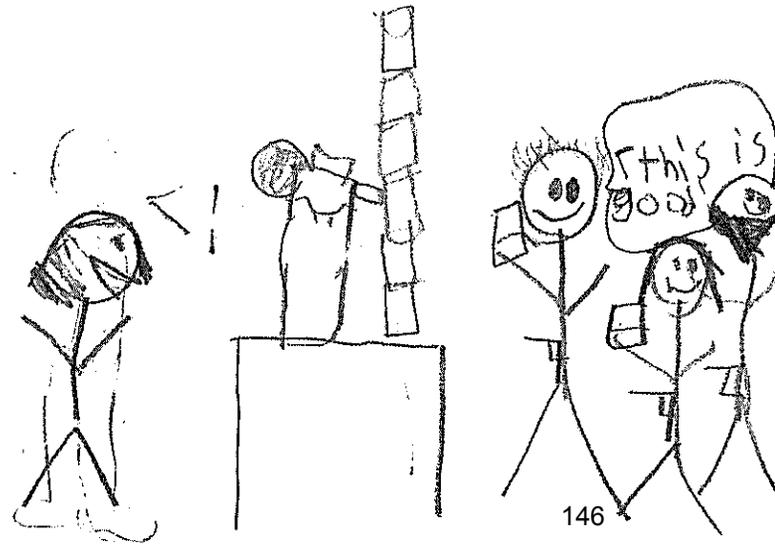
Thank you
for coming
to our lemonade
stand I was surprised
that a police would
come.



from [redacted]

Hi police! you
are so (so) nice. :)

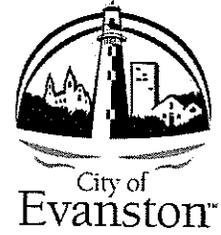
Thank you so
much!
good luck
police!



EPD Family,

Thank you for your prayers,
get well wishes, and support.
Your kindness has touched
my heart and spirit in such
a positive way that it has
encouraged me as I fight to
get well and return to work.

Don [REDACTED]



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 6/26/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

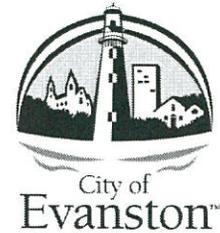
ADDRESS/ EMAIL: .

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Jaclyn Roden and Officer Matthew Masucci

REFERENCE: Caller left a message stating she had to leave her car on the street. Officers Roden and Masucci assisted her and got the car started. She said she's very thankful.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 6/27/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Edwin Gregory

REFERENCE: On June 15, 2018, [REDACTED] called to compliment Officer Gregory's handling of a disturbance between neighbors in the street. Officer Gregory "cooled down the situation" and prevented escalation between the parties involved. Kudos to Officer Gregory!

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

Thanks to all those that either worked on the 4th or assisted in the preparation of the 4th. This was another success for all involved. Job well done.

Sgt. Tracy Williams
Traffic Management Bureau

Please pass along my congratulations and genuine thanks to all the trustees, volunteers, and City staff who helped put on one of the best 4th of July celebrations in the country. This is my favorite Evanston holiday, heat and humidity and all.

We are still a work in progress after 242 years but I'll take freedom and democracy and diversity and all the challenges this can present to the alternative. This country is strong and resilient because of millions of people like yourselves who are committed to its ideals and serving others. I'm proud to know and work with each of you.

Have a wonderful and safe summer!

Steve

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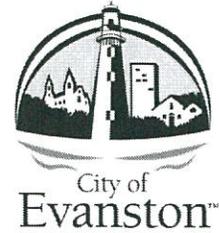
Stephen H. Hagerty
Mayor, City of Evanston, IL

Chief Eddington:
to your request in your
6/13/18 letter to me - with
regards to strengthening
your fireworks - suppression
efforts of July 4th -
Let me say this -
Wow!! Double wow!!

Oh, yes, Chief Eddington,
I found your efforts to
be hugely successful!
Please keep up all the

good work of de-raiding
July 4th ordinance
violators, pre + post
July 4, each year!
(There were a few blasts
in the alley over here on
7-4 but, I called it in + so
did others.)

Please send my thanks
to all the officers involved
in keeping Evaston safe,
this July 4th, Chief Eddington!
Yours truly
[Redacted Signature] 2018



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 7/11/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Nicholas Chipolet

REFERENCE: Caller left a voicemail message stating she is sending a good review for Officer Chipolet because he did a great job helping her and her cousin change a tire. She states he was very nice and kind, so she called to thank him. She also says thank you to the department for having great officers like Officer Chipolet.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
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Schaumburg, Illinois 60173

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www.aaim1.org

July 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Ave
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington,

On behalf of the Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists, it is our great pleasure to acknowledge the exceptional DUI enforcement of **Officer Daniel Keeler**, by awarding a **Certificate of Appreciation** in recognition of these life-saving efforts.

Every year hundreds of people are killed and thousands severely injured as a result of alcohol and drug-related crashes in Illinois. It takes only seconds to become a victim – without warning or choice. Impaired drivers make choices. They choose their weapons – vehicles and alcohol or drugs. We at AAIM, pledge to continue our fight against impaired driving, and to persist in our campaign of this 100% preventable crime.

AAIM conducts its Annual DUI Survey of over 700 Illinois police agencies, with funding from the Illinois Department of Transportation, wherein we request your department's top DUI officers. In response, we ask that you pay tribute to this fine officer, as one of AAIM's Top Cops, with our congratulations and the presentation of the enclosed award. You have our sincere appreciation and heartfelt thanks for exceptional public service.

Respectfully,

Rita Kreslin
Executive Director



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Dear Chief Eddington,

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Rita Kreslin
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Dear Chief Eddington,

On behalf of the Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists, it is our great pleasure to acknowledge the exceptional DUI enforcement of **Officer Justin Conley**, by awarding a **Certificate of Appreciation** in recognition of these life-saving efforts.

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Dear Chief Eddington,

On behalf of the Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists, it is our great pleasure to acknowledge the exceptional DUI enforcement of **Officer Jaclyn Roden**, by awarding a **Certificate of Appreciation** in recognition of these life-saving efforts.

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Executive Director

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DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE•••



John C. Perry

Sheriff

Saluda County Sheriff's Office

Thank you for your most sincere support in
our recent bereavement.

Your gentle sympathy and kindness will be
with great affection and gratitude.

Sheriff John C. Perry and Staff

York City Police



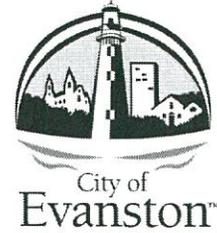
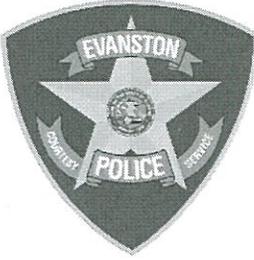
*Thank you for your condolences
& over the loss of our officer,
[redacted] and I will pass your
letter on to the family. I have
received hundreds of letters from
across our country which have
comforted me, my officer and
[redacted] family.*



DEAR E.P.D.,

Thank you for the lovely
plant sent for my mother's
[REDACTED] funeral
services. Your thoughtfulness
was appreciated.

[REDACTED]
& FAMILY



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 6/28/2018

CALLER: Ald. Fleming

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: **Officer Tanya Jenkins**

REFERENCE: At the Youth Steering Committee meeting, Ald. Fleming shared with Mayor Hagerty and the group that her daughter had a really good Safety Town presentation by Officer Jenkins. Ald. Fleming was really impressed with how Officer Jenkins handled the kids.

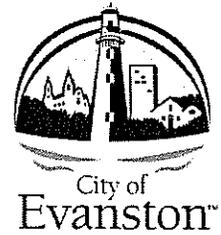
SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

Chief Eddington, for your 7-12-18 letter, Thanking me for taking the time to acknowledge the fine, fine work of your officers on July 4th! It is my hope + prayer, that each year on July 4th, that the efforts of the EPD will continue to be more + more successful; so successful, that fireworks crimes are completely halted!! Please let me know how I can be of assistance in supporting your efforts in this area! Also, I look forward to acknowledging and encouraging these efforts throughout the year, with Evanston officers, I meet, while at stores in Evanston or just doing my walking exercises on Ashland, Osborn, Howard, Beaumont + Dobson streets!

Please note, Chief Eddington, that the health + success of your officers, in every area of police work, is very important to me! So, important, that I keep the EPD in prayer daily, for their safety, success, protection + good health! And it's an honor to do so!! Very truly yours,

x [REDACTED], 7-19-18



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: [Click here to enter a date.](#)
7-13-18

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Gregory Romero, Service Desk Officer Ryan Kollar, Telecommunicators Drucilla Shaw and Daniel Capesius

REFERENCE: Caller thanks EPD for helping her daughter last night. She says her daughter's ex-boyfriend showed up at 2:00 am uninvited. Caller says within two minutes police officers were there and took him away which made her daughter feel safe. Caller says thank-you, thank-you, she cannot thank the police enough and she especially wants to thank the officers who assisted her daughter.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

Evanston Police Department
Chief Richard Eddington
2100 Ridge Ave
Evanston, IL 60201

July 20, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington,

I want to express my sincere gratitude to Lou Velez, who, as a member of the Northern Illinois Police Alarm System (NIPAS) Emergency Services Team (EST) responded to Schiller Park's call for a barricaded suicidal subject.

On June 21, 2018, Schiller Park police officers responded to a residential dwelling for a well-being check on a subject with suicidal thoughts. The subject, while speaking on the phone with a nurse, stated he would not speak to officers, would barricade himself and that officers would have to drag him out. That nurse relayed the information to the police and after numerous attempts by police to make contact with the subject inside the dwelling, Sgt. DiCosola contacted NIPAS EST to respond and assist for the barricaded suicidal subject.

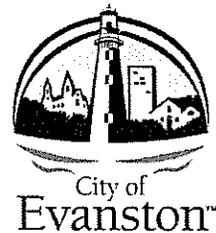
The response of the EST, and of Lou, to our call was timely, professional and impressive. Following a four-hour ordeal, the subject was taken into protective custody peacefully and transported to the hospital for a psychological evaluation. No force was used, no person was injured and no property was damaged, making this an optimal resolution to a critical incident.

This is an example of police professionalism and team work. Please extend my sincere gratitude to your officer.

Sincerely,



Thomas Fragakis
Chief of Police



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 7/27/2018

CALLER: Public Defender Steve Herczeg

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: SDO Maricela Rodriquez

REFERENCE: Public Defender Herczeg had spoken with SDO Rodriquez on the telephone. He said he was very appreciative of her help and attention to detail in being able to deal with his issue and make sure he had the information he needed. He said multiple times how helpful she was and just wanted to pass this along.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File

Thank you for Officer N. Basner

Aug 8, 2018 8:34 AM

Posted in group: Police

I was involved in a car accident yesterday afternoon along Ridge and Grove with my six year old daughter as a passenger. Officer Basner was very kind and patient with us, and helped us through the report process. He allowed my daughter and I to sit in the back of his vehicle while it rained. When a driver from the car repair shop came to pick us up, Officer Basner came out in the rain to make sure my daughter's car seat was properly installed in the new vehicle.

I just wanted to acknowledge what a great job he did for us.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]



Dear Evanston Police;
I just wanted to
extend a thank you for all
that you do in the community
to support and protect your
clients and other professionals.
Thank you!



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 8/23/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: Garrett Seminary/NU

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Adam Howard and Detective Loyce Spells

REFERENCE: On 8/9/18, Officers Adam Howard and Loyce Spells gave a Community Policing presentation to a group of youth students at Garrett Seminary/NU. [REDACTED] was the group's organizer. He complimented the officers' professionalism and ability to connect with the (at first) skeptical group regarding police. Officers Spells and Howard learned of the presentation the day before it was scheduled and eagerly agreed to participate, even with such short notice.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
- Administration Personnel File
- Officer/ Staff Member
- HR Personnel File

8/25/18

[REDACTED], for
being a breath of
fresh air + a
comforting presence
on or about 8/14/18.

I called to speak
with Chief Edderton,
about some rather
confusing issues +
circumstances that
occurred on 8/13/18.

Due to the stressors
of those experiences,
I was probably rather
tense, when I spoke
with you that day.
I do remember, though,
your gentle handling
of me + my situation.
Your kindness + comfort-
ing ways were much
appreciated!
Yours truly,

[REDACTED]



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Marc Hornstein
Chief of Police

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August 27, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington,

I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to **Detective Luis Velez** who recently provided assistance to our agency. During the evening hours of August 13th, Northfield Police responded to a shooting that resulted in a homicide and subsequent activation of the North Regional Major Crimes Task Force.

The suspect was a Winnetka resident and officers were confident he remained armed as he returned home. Knowing the suspect was a threat to public safety; I contacted the NIPAS Emergency Services Team Commander Brian Baker and requested assistance.

Detective Velez responded to the scene and provided invaluable assistance. The suspect was taken into custody without incident and peace was restored in the community. The suspect was ultimately charged with one count of Homicide and Attempted Homicide by Northfield PD.

Please extend my sincere appreciation to Detective Velez for his assistance. Please know we stand ready to return the courtesy if ever the opportunity arises.

Sincerely,

Marc Hornstein
Chief of Police

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Dear Chief Eddington,

I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to **Detective Brian Rust** who recently provided assistance to our agency. During the evening hours of August 13th, Northfield Police responded to a shooting that resulted in a homicide and subsequent activation of the North Regional Major Crimes Task Force.

The suspect was a Winnetka resident and officers were confident he remained armed as he returned home. Knowing the suspect was a threat to public safety; I contacted the NIPAS Emergency Services Team Commander Brian Baker and requested assistance.

Detective Rust responded to the scene and provided invaluable assistance. The suspect was taken into custody without incident and peace was restored in the community. The suspect was ultimately charged with one count of Homicide and Attempted Homicide by Northfield PD.

Please extend my sincere appreciation to Detective Rust for his assistance. Please know we stand ready to return the courtesy if ever the opportunity arises.

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August 27, 2018

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Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
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Dear Chief Eddington,

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ELK GROVE VILLAGE POLICE DEPARTMENT

CHARLES G. WALSH
Chief of Police



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August 27, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Dept.
1454 Elmwood Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington,

On Sunday, August 26, 2018, Elk Grove Village Police Officers responded to a motel on 1000 block of Devon Avenue for a disturbance. Officers located an intoxicated, belligerent male hanging out of a third floor window threatening the guests and responding officers with violence. The subject claimed to have weapons and refused our officers' request to release a three year old reported to be in the room.

The third floor was evacuated and the NIPAS Emergency Services Team responded. The subject was taken into custody without incident and transported to a local hospital.

On behalf of a grateful Elk Grove Village Community, I want to thank **Officer Anna Ostap** of your agency for assisting in response to a potential dangerous situation. It was the professional response from members of ILEAS and NIPAS that allowed this event to conclude in a peaceful manner.

Sincerely,

Charles Walsh
Chief of Police

CW/kp





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Sincerely,

Charles Walsh
Chief of Police

CW/kp





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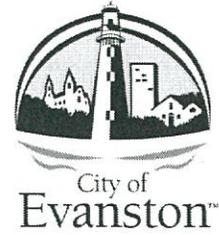
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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 8/29/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

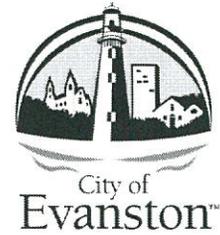
ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Sean Serviss and Officer Juan Alvarado

REFERENCE: Caller stated she wants to thank the officers for their assistance.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

- CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/5/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

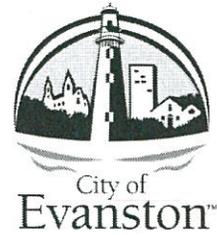
ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer William Arzuaga

REFERENCE: I'm proud of the Evanston Police Department and appreciate all efforts (large and small) to make our community and kids safer. This email is to let you know that Officer Will Arzuaga from the Community Strategies Unit of the Evanston Police Department has made a solid contribution to the security measures of our brand new office here in Evanston, located at 2115 Dewey Ave. Officer Arzuaga visited our office twice, completed two security assessment checklist and provided a detail report with invaluable recommendations. Some of his recommendations have already been implemented and others are in process. Thank you for supporting such an important service. We truly appreciate the effort and time put into this. Thanks again, and best regards,

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/5/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Stanley Samson

REFERENCE: Caller states as she sits on her porch and has her morning coffee, she often witnesses drivers who don't stop at the stop sign near her house. She says today an officer stopped a vehicle that didn't stop at the stop sign. She appreciates the fine job the police are doing.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member
HR Personnel File



Police Department

Patrick L. Kreis
Chief of Police

September 6, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Richard Eddington,

On behalf of the members of the Vernon Hills Police Department, please accept our thanks for the expert assistance provided on July 6, 2018. On that date, Vernon Hills Police were involved in a barricaded Subject situation that lasted approximately four hours. The decision was made to activate the NIPAS Emergency Services Team, which brought us 60 officers.

The offender was ultimately transported to the hospital to be evaluated for his self-inflicted wounds and mental condition.

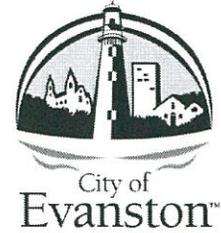
Clearly, without the efficient assistance of NIPAS, the outcome of this case could have been very different. We are grateful to be part of such a highly professional and proficient organization. We are indebted to you for your assistance, and would appreciate you passing along our gratitude and my personal thanks to Officer/Officers Slava Leontiev. Lou Velez

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Patrick L. Kreis".

Patrick L. Kreis
Chief of Police

PLK/ek



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/11/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Tanya Noble

REFERENCE: Caller says she commends Officer Noble for the service gave to her family. Her grandfather passed away and Ofc. Noble responded to the home. She says Ofc. Noble was amazing and her family is grateful for Ofc. Noble's patience and kindness. Caller said there was a lot going on and Ofc. Noble was awesome.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File

Administration Personnel File

Officer/ Staff Member

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September 11, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington,

I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to Detective Mike Jones who recently provided assistance to our agency. During the evening hours of August 13th, Northfield Police responded to a shooting that resulted in a homicide and subsequent activation of the North Regional Major Crimes Task Force.

The suspect was a Winnetka resident and officers were confident he remained armed as he returned home. Knowing the suspect was a threat to public safety; I requested additional support from ILEAS to help establish scene security for inner and outer perimeters.

Detective Jones responded to the scene and provided invaluable assistance. The suspect was taken into custody without incident and peace was restored in the community. The suspect was ultimately charged with one count of Homicide and Attempted Homicide by Northfield PD.

Please extend my sincere appreciation to Detective Jones for his assistance. Please know we stand ready to return the courtesy if ever the opportunity arises.

Sincerely,

Marc Hornstein
Chief of Police

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Officer Matthew Kerley

September 11, 2018

Richard Eddington
Interim Chief of Police
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201-4360

Dear Chief of Police Eddington,

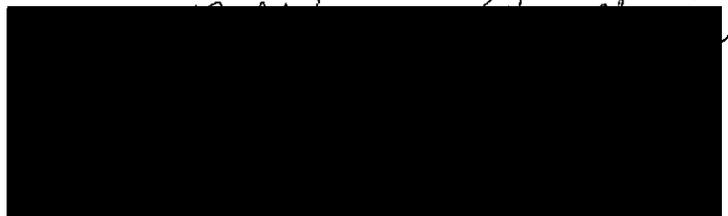
The neighbors of the 800 Block of Hartrey Avenue would like to thank the Patrolman for coming to visit our Block Party last Saturday, September 8, 2018.

The excitement and cheers from our small children when the Officer drove up in his squad car is pure joy! Little kids AND big kids were impressed with the Officer, sorry I did not get his name, and his professionalism. The kids loved climbing inside the squad car and looking at all the instruments. Your Police Officer was very friendly and caring with everyone.

Please thank the Policeman for taking time out of his busy and important schedules to help make our Block Party a success! It is important to us for all of us to work together to foster a working partnership with our Police Department. We appreciate our Evanston Police Department!

Please extend a special thanks to all Evanston Police Departments from all of those on Block 800 Hartrey Ave. Thank you for your valiant and brave service to our community.

Sincerely,

A large black rectangular redaction box covers the signature area of the letter.

Evanston, IL 60202-1513



**CITY OF PARK RIDGE
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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www.parkridgepolice.org

FRANK J. KAMINSKI
CHIEF OF POLICE

September 11, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington,

I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to Officers Nate Basner and Jason Nelson who recently provided assistance for the September 3rd Anti Violence march on the Kennedy Expressway. The NIPAS Mobile Field Force was contacted for assistance with this event. We are thankful for your Officers and appreciate the support they provided that day.

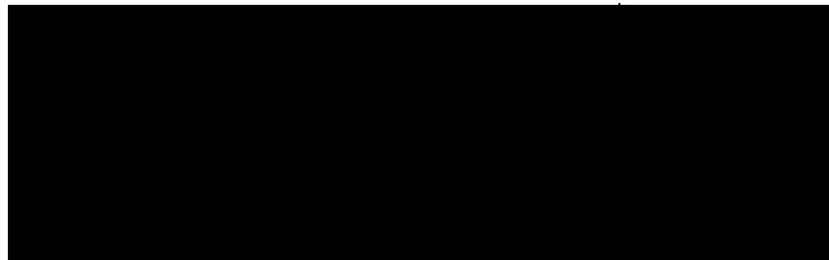
The professional assistance with this event is not to be overlooked. Mayor Maloney also asked me to extend his appreciation for your assistance to our staff and community. Please know that we stand ready to return the courtesy.

Please extend my appreciation to your Officers for their assistance.

Sincerely,

Frank Kaminski
Chief of Police

THANK YOU FOR
KEEPING OUR CITY SAFE.
I AM PRAYING FOR
YOU. 



The Village of Northfield Police Department



Chief of Police
William K. Lustig

350 Walnut Avenue
Northfield, IL 60093

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(847) 446-2131

September 12, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Ave.
Evanston, Illinois 60201

Dear Chief Eddington,

I would like to express my appreciation for the assistance that Sergeants Jason Garner Joe Bush; Detectives Mike Jones, Marla Dukler, Steven Klopach, Tom Giese; Evidence Technicians Amin Virani, Heidi Bernhardt, Jason Kleinpaste, Mike Wasowicz, Larry Miller; NIPAS Officers Slava Leontiev, Lou Velez, Brian Rust, and Anna Ostap provided to the Northfield Police Department.

On Monday, August 13, 2018 at approximately 7:19 p.m., the Northfield Police Department received a call from a resident in the 200 block of Latrobe reporting that her husband was just shot. The offender fled the scene in a gray Honda SUV. The officers, upon entering the scene, observed the victim lying on his back near the front door. The first responding officers secured the scene and began C.P.R. until the paramedics arrived and took over.

The complainant reported that her brother who lived in Winnetka had come to the door, and rang the bell. When the victim answered the door and she heard "pop, pop, pop". The victim stated that she knew they were gun shots.

The offender then entered the residence, and attempted to shoot the complainant. The gun jammed and the complainant was able to flee the residence, and call police. Winnetka Police had located the offender who had returned to his home in Winnetka. The subject was later apprehended by NIPAS, and Winnetka Officers. The subject was charged with one count of Homicide, and Attempted Homicide.

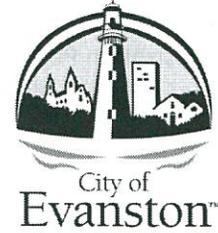
Please express my sincere appreciation to your staff for their outstanding job and teamwork, as well as excellent investigative skills. Please be assured that this Department will respond similarly in matters of mutual interest.

Thanks again,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "William K. Lustig".

William K. Lustig
Chief of Police



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

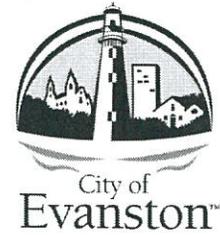
DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/12/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Efrain Gonzalez

REFERENCE: My name is [REDACTED] and I would like to pay a compliment to an officer regarding an observation I made this morning. At approximately 9:45 a.m. I was just about to cross the street at Church and Orrington when an African-American man walked past me (on Church heading East) swearing very loudly at no one in particular. It made me extremely uneasy; about a minute later I saw a police vehicle going in the same direction as the individual. I turned and stared (at a distance) at the 'loud' guy hoping the police officer would notice my attention was on something behind me. I am quite certain he did, as I saw him slowly approach the man and stop his police vehicle to have a word with him. I immensely appreciate the officer's attention to detail, picking up on subtleties and clearly looking out for the public's best interest. I'm originally from Canada; moving to Chicago was quite the 'eye opener' to say the least. It is wonderful to know that the Evanston Police Department is watching out for its citizens. Thanks so much!



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/12/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Service Desk Officer Daneke Anderson

REFERENCE: Caller states someone had parked in her handicap parking spot. She is an elderly, long-time resident. That caused her to park someplace else and she had a difficult walk across the grass with her walker to get to her home. She called the police to assist her by getting the unauthorized vehicle removed. Service Desk Officer Daneke Anderson assisted her. She thanks the police department for their help and prompt action.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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Self-communicator Lynn Fishman

Dear Lynn,

Thank you again A for your kindness + assistance during my parents' accident. You may have noticed I tend to get a wee emotional during a crisis and I really appreciated your steady warmth, compassion and professionalism in the face of my blubbering (pretty easy to see how one [REDACTED] sister ended up in law enforcement and the other did not, eh?). I really appreciate everything you do, not just for me + my family but for all the people who you help on a daily basis.

Thank you again, [REDACTED]

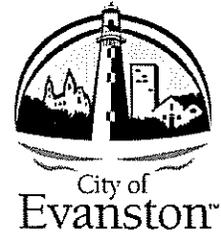
(aka [REDACTED] slightly hysterical sister)

Police Employee Commendation Form [#74]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>
Posted in group: Police

Sep 16, 2018 11:33 AM

Date of contact with employee: *	<u>Saturday, September 15, 2018</u>
Approximate time of contact with employee: *	6:00:00 PM
Employee name if known:	Mokos
Employee assignment if known:	Northwestern U
Check All That Apply *	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Other
If other, please specify	Helping the public
What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *	I was walking from the tailgate parking area with some friends and suddenly experienced (perhaps, a bad hip) sever Sciatica. We were two to three blocks away from the stadium. My friends approached Officer Mokos and he was kind enough to give me a lift to the entrance. I was hobbling terribly and in a lot of pain. Felt somewhat better after I sat in his cruiser a bit. I cannot thank officer Mokos enough. Please convey my gratitude. Truly above and beyond, and a refection on your police department.. [REDACTED]
Your Name	[REDACTED]
Your Address	[REDACTED] 56-3005
Your Email Address	[REDACTED]
Your Phone Number	[REDACTED]



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/20/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [REDACTED]

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Animal Warden Jason Pounds

REFERENCE: Caller states, as she finished her daily meditation at the lake by the big rocks and was about to leave, her keys fell down between the rocks. She thought she would have to walk home then call her landlord to get inside her home. She states, just as she was figuring out how she could get the keys, Warden Pounds "showed up out of the blue like an angel". She stated he improvised a hook to get the keys for her and she is very thankful. She said she had to call and tell us about something good concerning the police because she knows police officers get a bad rep lately. She stated she has already posted the good deed on her Facebook page. She said Warden Pounds did not have a bad attitude, and in fact he was very pleasant.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File
Administration Personnel File
Officer/ Staff Member

9-24-18

DEAR CHIEF EDDINGTON & ALL EVANSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT,
CHAG SAMEACH - HAPPY HOLIDAY!
IN HONOR OF SUKKOT, THE JOYOUS WEEKLONG HOLIDAY STARTING
SUNDAY EVENING SEPT 23, TO REMEMBER THE SUKKAH HUTS USED
WHEN TRAVELING THROUGH THE WILDERNESS FROM EGYPT TO CANAAN
ALMOST 3500 YEARS AGO.

IT IS ALSO A HARVEST HOLIDAY.

HOPE YOU ENJOY THE FRUITS IN HONOR OF THE HOLIDAY.
THE NEXT DAY (MONDAY EVENING OCT. 1 THROUGH TUESDAY EVENING
OCT. 2) IS SIMCHAS TORAH, WITH THE PUBLIC READING OF THE
LAST SEGMENT OF THE TORAH SCROLL, REROLLING THE SCROLL,
AND THEN STARTING CHANTING THE BEGINNING SEGMENT AGAIN.
THUS, WRAPPING UP A MONTH THAT HAS MANY HOLY DAYS.

THANKS TO ALL OF YOU FOR ALL YOUR DEDICATION AND
GOOD EFFORTS DAY IN AND DAY OUT.

BEST REGARDS
[REDACTED]

18-7857

Sept. 24, 2018
Dear Officers Herrera, Kozlowski & Kane,
I'm writing to thank you from the bottom
of my heart for taking care of my son,
[REDACTED] on Sept. 3. You all helped him
and his friends out of harms way on a
night ^{when} ~~where~~ they made some bad choices.
We want you to know how grateful
we are that you helped keep him safe
and you brought him home to us
with gratitude, [REDACTED]

Thank You for Yesterday's Experience

Sep 27, 2018 1:31 PM

Posted in group: Police

Good Morning:

This email is a note of thanks to all who participated in yesterday's field trip for the ETHS Intro to Public Safety class to the Evanston Police & Fire Departments.

The students were abuzz this morning about the experience and were very engaged in conversation about the things they saw during the role play at the police station as well as the tour of Firehouse #3 and the hands-on experience handling fire hose equipment. This level of excitement amongst the students is precisely what we look for as we attempt to engage them over this year long, dual-credit college course. All were engaged and expressed gratitude to be able to participate in these activities and for that, I am most grateful.

I would like to specifically recognize the following individuals:

Detective Brian Rust
Detective Enjoli Daley
Deputy Chief William Pickett
Officer Francesca Henderson
Officer Edwin Gregory
Officer Pat Wozniak
Service Desk Officer Shakira Neubern

Firefighter/EMT Mick Morel

Firefighter/EMT Alfredo Jaimez

Thank you again for assisting us with the development of these young people as they learn about careers in Public Service. I look forward to working with each of you in the coming months.

Best,


CTE, AP U.S. Government & Politics
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1600 Dodge Avenue Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 424-7667 Office
(847) 241-0151 Fax
www.eths.k12.il.us

Real M.M.E.N. Award Recognizes Unsung Heroes



Representatives of the Officer and Gentlemen Academy and John Frazier (posthumous) accept Real M.M.E.N. Awards on Sept. 8 in the Terrace at ETHS. Pictured, left to right, are Joe Martin III, Officer Ervin de Leon, Karli Butler, Nicole Pelayo, Michael Burrell, Jr., Jackie Frazier, Officer Adam Howard, Denise Martin, and Thella Wright.

Photo by
Krissie Harris

STORY BY HEIDI RANDHAVA

Each September, the Joe "Butch" Martin Fund presents Real M.M.E.N. (Men Meeting Evanston's Needs) awards to honor men who unselfishly give their time, resources, and skills to those in need, without the expectation or desire for recognition or compensation.

The 2018 Real M.M.E.N. Awards went to The Officer and Gentlemen Academy, a male mentoring program serving young men in grades 6 through 8; and posthumously to John Frazier, a World War II veteran whose deep commitment to volunteerism and service to others has had a lasting impact on the Evanston community.

The Officer and Gentlemen Academy is a partnership of the Evanston Police Department (EPD) and Evanston/Skokie District 65 that aims to educate, inspire and empower young men in middle school to reach their full potential through enrichment activities, experiential learning, team-building exercises and more. The organization, which will soon celebrate its third year, received the award "for the vision of establishing a brotherhood among African American police officers and young men."

Speaking on behalf of the Officer and Gentlemen Academy, EPD Officer Adam Howard expressed his appreciation for the

support the group has received from Chief Richard Eddington, who will retire at the end of this year. "A special thank you to Chief Eddington for giving us the opportunity to be more than just a police officer and to truly give back to our community," Officer Howard said.

John Frazier served as a sergeant for more than three years in the Air Force during World War II in Guam and the Philippines. He was an active member of the VFW Wm. B. Snell Post 7186 for more than 30 years, chairing the Snell Post's 50th anniversary and researching to find names of the original members. Mr. Fra-

zier also served as a Democratic precinct captain for the Second Ward, and was a dedicated member of the Foster Senior Club for 12 years. During his tenure, club membership doubled. He was ordained as a Deacon of Second Baptist Church in 2006. The Real M.M.E.N. award was given to Mr. Frazier for "his selfless contribution to make the lives of others better in any way he could."

Mr. Frazier's wife, Jackie Frazier, accepted the award on his behalf. "He was one of the real, real, "Real M.M.E.N. of the church, community, and home," said Mrs. Frazier.



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 10/5/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Tanya Noble, Detective Michael Cameron and Detective Loyce Spells

REFERENCE:

Today I witnessed your officers and fire department personnel subdue a young mentally handicapped girl who is going through some sort of manic episode..... The way they try to appease her (the girl) by talking to her, and talking to the mother Of possible ways to resolve the situation. The officers exhibited a professional and calm demeanor they talked to the fire personnel and it appears they went over how they were going to handle the situation it looks like they went over a game plan to make sure nobody got hurt and most importantly that the patient didn't get hurt and I witnessed them being gentle with a girl but in control and I think your guys did really good, unfortunately with the mentally ill in America a lot of people have been getting hurt and killed but today Should be used as a lesson for other departments to follow. Great job guys!

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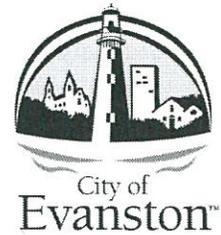
10-9-18
Dear Sgt. Garner :
So appreciate seeing
you, today + meeting
you + the 2 officers!
Talking with all 3
of you nice people,
for me + my brother,
Jim, was a rare treat!
I appreciate knowing
that your Police officers,
do like to meet the

people, they strive to
serve + protect!
Please give me a buzz,
+ get me the names of
the 2 officers that came
out with you, to meet
me + be supportive, today
I want to send both
of them a card, also!!
Thanks again, all your
assistance + hard work, on
my behalf - it is appreciated!
Please stay in touch, in
regards to stuff that is
assumed by the police desk,
with their callers! Thank you!

Dear Chief Eddington,
We are so thankful to you and your officers for all
your help to plan and execute logistics for our
mother and grandmother's memorial service.
Please accept this as a small token of our deepest
appreciation.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 10/15/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Alicja Golec, Officer Sean Serviss

REFERENCE: Caller says his elderly father passed away recently and he is calling to give a compliment to the officers who came to the home. Caller states the officers were extremely professional. They were nice and caring. Caller says his sister called him after she discovered their father deceased and didn't know what to do. Caller told her to call the police/911, because he lives a short distance away in Chicago. Caller appreciates that the officers were at the home even before he arrived, and says they were very respectful, even though his sister was frantic. He thanks the officers.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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10/22/18

Dear Chief Eddington:

Just a tiny note to wish you, your Police Dept, family + friends + our great City - a safe, soothing + relaxing Halloween!

I've been praying for our City + your Police Dept for over a year, by way of Psalm 91. I truly believe, whether in the face of crisis or calm, my God will protect This City, and The Police Dept from

terrible harm! Please be aware of this marvelous unseen gift, that only God's angels can provide!

Due to stressors, not under my control, this card will be my only Winter holiday card to you, Chief Eddington + others, as I have to catch up for lost time.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving + Christmas, New Year's Celebration!

Please continue your fine work with the "firecracker element"! Thank you, Chief Eddington!

Sincerely yours,

[Redacted Signature]

10-15-18

Dear Sgt. Garner:

I have a few questions to ask, before I send cards to the 2 officers, who came by, with you, on Oct 9, 2018, Tuesday. Will definitely send them cards, though!

The 2 officers, who came out - were they the same ones, who went to the 1416-1418 Brummel St address, on Sunday 10-7-18? I have temporarily mislaid the names you gave me, on

October 8th! But, my memory tells me, that these 2 officers of 10-9-18, were not the same ones of 10-7-18!

Please confirm or not, + repeat the info on the names of the officers who went to the Brummel address on 10-7-18. Regardless of my feelings about things, I would like to follow up with those officers, too, with cards - please call or text me (no email), as T, W + F, my bro, Jim, assists me with grocery shopping, laundry etc... + I'm in + out of the apt. Thanks so much! and

also, thanks for your well-wishes with this virus I have! still abit raspy in the throat! But, I am coming along + will be better soon!

Yours truly,

Tender Thoughts





October 12, 2018

Mayor Stephen H. Hagerty
City Of Evanston
2100 Ridge Ave. #2500
Evanston, IL 60201

Re: Responders to 811 Emerson Emergency Tuesday October 9th, 2018

Dear Mayor Hagerty:

On the morning of Tuesday October 9, 2018, there was an incident at our 811 Emerson construction site, which required an emergency response from the City of Evanston Police Department, Fire Department including Captains of the FPD, Paramedics and City Inspectors. Our team contacted the 911 Emergency Center and within minutes of the call, emergency units were dispatched to our construction location. With this letter, I would like to acknowledge the appreciation we have for their immediate assistance from each department as they worked diligently on their respective duties.

I would personally like to thank each and every person who came out that day to not only lend a helping hand but showed immense urgency and concern for all workers affected that day.

Yours truly,



✓ Cc: City Manager Wally Bobkiewicz

Sergeant Gene Mulligan

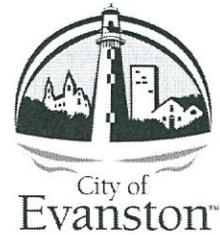
Detective Sean O'Brien

Officer Sean Serviss

Officer Alicja Golec

Officer Dagmara Koste





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DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 10/23/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Griffith and Officer Bonislawski

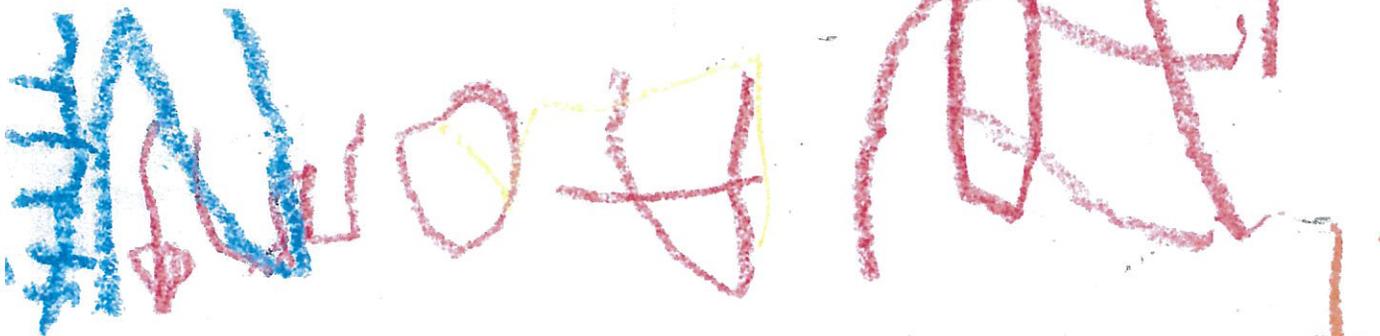
REFERENCE: Chicago resident states she's giving feedback on two officers who helped her, stating, "You guys are wonderful!" She said she's in her 70's, has cancer, and often takes the Metra to Evanston because it's a fun place. Recently, after a movie, she called an Uber to take her back to the Metra station and was told it would be a two minute wait. She waited for ninety minutes and got cold, felt sick, and began crying. She said an officer stopped to help her and summoned another officer. They folded her walker and drove her to the Metra station and made sure she would be ok before they left. She says they were heroes – because it's hard to get a cab sometimes.

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Dear Evanston

Police Officers,

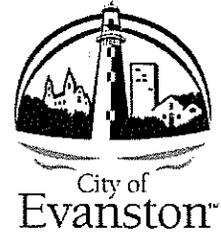


Thank you for helping our town!

LEVIE FIDOL



The School for Little Children Blue Room



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DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 10/29/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

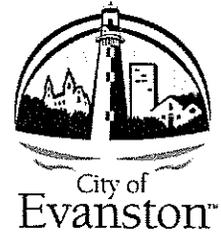
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: EPD

REFERENCE: [REDACTED] of the Jewish Reconstructionist Congregation left a voice message thanking Evanston Police Department for all the work EPD does in keeping our community safe, and especially in the wake of the synagogue shooting in Pittsburg. She added, having a patrol car stationed outside of their Evanston synagogue made the members feel secure during a vulnerable time.

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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 10/29/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: EPD

REFERENCE: [REDACTED] of the Beth Emet synagogue left a voice message thanking Evanston Police Department for sending a patrol car to park in their lot this past weekend, in the wake of a synagogue shooting in Pittsburg.

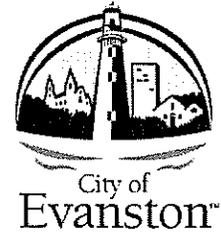
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DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 11/1/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

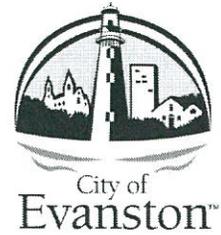
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COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: EPD

REFERENCE: Caller says, "Thank you!" She appreciates the EPD Officers driving along the street with their squad car lights on while kids were out last night trick-or-treating; some of the kids even went to the police cars and talked with the officers. She said this is a good way for the kids to interact with the police and her whole neighborhood is talking about how great it was. She hopes EPD continues to do this.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 11/5/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Jeffrey Appelt and Officer Nicholas Curran

REFERENCE: Caller left a message stating she had an incident regarding her son who did not come home from school. She was panicking and called the police for assistance. She says, "Thank God, we found him." She said that she wants to express her appreciation for the very hard work and dedication of the officers. They were able to calm her down. She said, "Thank you and have a blessed day".

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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[Redacted]

Dear Chief Edington,

It affords me great pleasure in dropping you this note, I cannot hold the silence any longer. I read in the RoundTable you are leaving us, retiring from the Evanston Police Department.

You have done a superb job in Evanston not to mention on the west side where the garbage were knocking us down like Cautis Clay knowing out Sunny Liston. You have made our city safer and very family friendly.

Well, as it been said all good things must come to an end and this is it. Please don't forget chief, you will always be remembered in our prayers. My prayer is that the blessed mother will continue to keep watching over you. *and your family*

Continued success in your future endeavors.

Good Health, long life, lots of happiness and keep smiling.

Yours truly

[Redacted Signature]

Your Name

Hope you enjoy the traditional
honey cake for a
Sweet New Year.
May the sound of the
Shofar (ram's horn)
herald in a year of
happiness, health
and peace.

Thank you for your
dedication and
service. Keep up
the good work.

Dear Chief Eddington
and All Evanston
Police Dept
לשנה טובה תבטחו

*With warmest wishes that you be blessed
with love, health and happiness
throughout this New Year.
May you be inscribed in the book of life.*

Best Regards,




COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/4/2018

CALLER: Sergeant Brown

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Service Desk Officer Jana Cram

I wanted to pass along this exemplary report that SDO Cram completed yesterday. Jana recognized the name on the ID as a missing person she heard about in the news. She looked up the name and confirmed that she was a missing person out of Chicago. She went the extra mile and called CPD and made contact with the case detective. She photographed the found property and included the photos with her report and scanned everything to the case detective.

I was originally going to have an Officer come in and handle this case since it involved some potential follow-up, but Jana was dedicated and was doing such a great job that I felt it was best to let her complete the whole incident. She even went on to review the milestone cameras to check for any activity in the location where the found wallet was located.

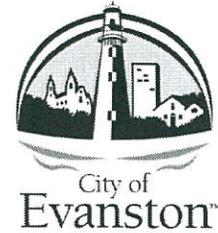
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COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 9/6/2018

CALLER: Sergeant Sophier

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Nicolas Jones

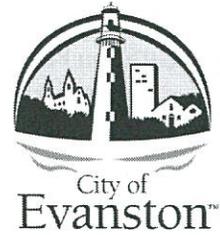
REFERENCE: I would like to thank Officer Nick Jones and recognize his commitment to ETHS and the Evanston Community. This past Sunday, Officer Jones volunteered to provide a uniformed presence at an annual youth soccer tournament sponsored by the Justin Wynn Foundation at ETHS. My daughter played in this tournament. In talking to Nick that day, I learned that he was there on his own time after being approached by friends from his previous job with ETHS. Although he was given a WDO for being there, he was not compensated by the city or the high school. Not many officers would do this, and he was a big hit with the radar gun, measuring the speed of the shots on goal. Nick simply represented EPD well at this event and many people enjoyed having him there.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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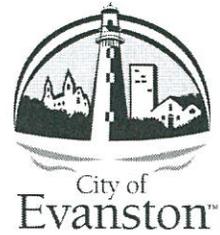
DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 11/14/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officers Daniel Keeler, Ervin DeLeon, Nathaniel Basner, and Sergeant Larry Miller

REFERENCE: Please convey my sincere thanks to Officers Keeler, DeLeon and Basner, and I thank you for serving as our color guard for JourneyCare's Veterans Day programs at Three Crowns, The Mather and Westminster Place over Veterans Day weekend. Your dignified presence conveys great respect for the senior veteran residents in these residences, and it's a wonderful way for the Evanston PD to exhibit yet another way in which you are serving your community. The residents most definitely were impressed to have you there. I'm very grateful to have the support and partnership of the Evanston Police Department in this worthy endeavor. I wish you and your department a most joyous Thanksgiving. You are one of the many blessings for which I'll be giving thanks!



COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 11/15/2018

CALLER: [REDACTED]

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: Officer Amin Virani

REFERENCE: I would like in this letter to offer gratitude to the Evanston police who demonstrated the utmost in professional conduct. They were punctual, thorough, concerned, and stately in every way. They demonstrated professional conduct far and above my expectations and they deserve many thanks.

Evanston is an upstanding community and the officer acted in accordance with this.

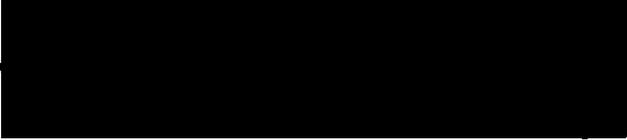
Thank you for your time,

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

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Officer/ Staff Member
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Thank you sincerely for sharing our sorrow.
Your kindness is deeply appreciated
and will always be remembered.

The Family of


*Thank you for the beautiful
peace lily plant that was
sent to us in remembrance
of our dad. He was very proud
of the 35 years he spent as an
Evanston police officer.*


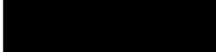
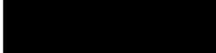
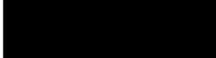
Google Groups

Police Employee Commendation Form [#77]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>

Dec 23, 2018 2:08 PM

Posted in group: Police

Date of contact with employee: *	<u>Saturday, December 22, 2018</u>
Approximate time of contact with employee: *	3:00:00 PM
Check All That Apply *	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
If other, please specify	Funeral
What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *	I would like to thank the two motorcycle officers who traveled, according to Google, 63 minutes to participate in the funeral of Officer Marmolejo.
Your Name	
Your Address	 50060
Your Email Address	 n
Your Phone Number	

Christmas SHINES ITS miracle IN OUR hearts.

Psalm 91 Prayer of Protection for Evanston Police Department

The whole Evanston Police Department, staff, families and friends, shall remain stable and fixed under the shadow of The Almighty, whose power no foe can withstand!

All of you, shall remain stable and fixed emotionally, mentally, intellectually, physically, relationally + spiritually in work, family, friends + all other environments, whether on land, roads, in the air, in a boat.

No bullet, knife, torpedo has your names on it.

No bomb, storm, tornado has your names on it.

No lie can deceive you.

No criminal can harm you, your family, friends + pets.

No winds of adversity has your names on it.

A thousand may fall at your side + ten thousand AT your right hand, but, it (gunfire, chemical warfare, bomb, tornado, flood, enemy attack...etc) shall not come near any of you, your family, + friends + pets. (Psalm 91)

No weapon formed against you will prosper. (Isaiah 54:17)

This has been my prayer since 9/27/17 + continuing. - for this great city!

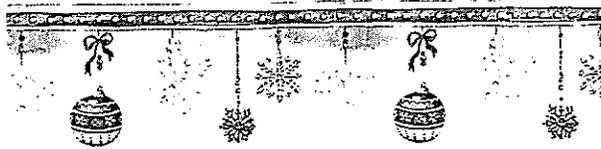
Happy, safe + peaceful holiday celebrations to you all!

Yours truly -

[Redacted Signature]

December 12, 2018

When they saw him,
they worshipped him.

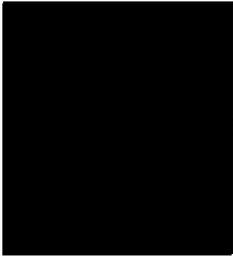
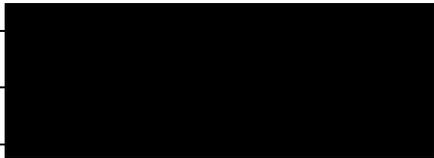


12/15/18

To the
heroic
Evanston
Police Dept.

From our
family
to you all

Thank you
for a job
well done!



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TO EVERYONE AT THE STATION,

Here's to a delightful holiday.



WARMEST WISHES AND AS ALWAYS
THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING YOU DO
FOR OUR COMMUNITY. HAPPY NEW
YEAR AS WELL

- ALL THE STAFF
AT GREENWOOD CARE

[REDACTED]

December 7, 2018

Mr. Richard Eddington, Chief
Evanston Police Dept.
1454 Elmwood
Evanston, IL 60201

Subject: Sergeant Chelsea Brown #4

Dear Chief Eddington:

I am writing today to commend
Sergeant Chelsea Brown. On October 31,
2018, my 85-year old fiancée [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] suddenly stopped breathing
in my condo at the above address.

My immediate reaction was to call
911. The paramedics arrived very
quickly and administered CPR for
30 minutes - sadly, to no avail.

One of the paramedics explained
that the police had to be called and
that they would stay with me until
the police arrived.

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Once several of them arrived at my
condo, most of my interaction was
with Sergeant Chelsea Brown. I
regret that in my state of mind,
I did not get the name of her
partners. I want to express my
gratitude to Sergeant Brown during
this most traumatic event for me
on October 31. She was very professional,
considerate, thoughtful, patient and
sensitive to my situation. She took
the time to explain every step required
to facilitate the pick up of my fiancée's
body to a funeral home on Central St.,
so that his son, who lives in Texas
could authorize it.

I firmly believe Sgt. Brown is
ideally suited for her position with
the Evanston Police Dept. Please
recognize her for her efforts. I
will always be grateful for her
kindness at such a difficult
time for me. Sincerely,

[REDACTED]

Sergeant Chelsea Brown, Officer Brian Rowell, Officer Michael Scheck

Officer Alexander,

December 2018

I just wanted to take this time to thank you for all that you did for me when I was in the Evanston city jail on the weekend of November 24th. I have never been in a situation like that in my life and I accept responsibility for my actions. You may not even know it, but you helped me get through that difficult time just by talking to me and informing me about what was going to happen to the best of your knowledge. In a way, you were my guardian angel because I do not know how I would have made it through the weekend without having someone to talk to. I cannot thank you enough and I wish you all the best in the future.

Sincerely





LINCOLNWOOD POLICE DEPARTMENT

6900 N. Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60712

(847) 673-2167

Jason S. Parrott

Chief of Police

November 29, 2018

Chief Richard Eddington
Evanston Police Department
1454 Elmwood Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201

Dear Chief Eddington:

I would like to express my appreciation for the assistance provided by Sergeant Scott Sophier and Officers Mark VanDermeir, Dan Keeler and Rich Tyson of your department. On Tuesday, November 20, 2018, Lincolnwood Police Officers were dispatched to the scene of an auto accident at Lincoln and Arthur Avenues.

Upon arrival, officers located a vehicle which was struck by another vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed. The damage to the vehicle was substantial and the driver sustained serious injuries along with having to be extricated from the vehicle. It was unclear whether the driver would survive based on the magnitude of the scene. The decision was then made to request a callout for the Major Crash Assistance Team (MCAT).

The professionalism, investigative assistance and dedication of the personnel who responded to assist with this incident was exemplary. Please express my appreciation to your personnel for the assistance provided to members of our Department during this major accident.

Sincerely,

Jason S. Parrott
Chief of Police

Integrity – Duty - Community

DEAR CHIEF EDDINGTON
AND ALL THE EPD,

IN CELEBRATION OF THE HOLIDAY OF CHANUKAH, THE FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS, WE ARE PLEASED TO SHARE SOUFGANIOT (JELLY DONUTS) WITH YOU. THE HISTORY IS IN THE SECOND CENTURY B.C.E., THE HOLY LAND WAS RULED BY THE SELEUCIDS (SYRIAN GREEKS), WHO TRIED TO FORCE THE PEOPLE OF ISRAEL TO ACCEPT GREEK CULTURE & BELIEFS INSTEAD OF TRADITIONAL MITZVAH (GOOD DEEDS) OBSERVANCE AND BELIEF IN G-D. AGAINST ALL ODDS, A SMALL BAND OF FAITHFUL JEWS LED BY JUDAH THE MACCABEE (& HIS FATHER MATATHIAS & BROTHERS), DEFEATED THE ARMY, DROVE THE GREEKS FROM THE LAND, RECLAIMED THE HOLY TEMPLE IN JERUSALEM, & REDEDICATED IT TO THE SERVICE OF G-D.

WHEN THEY SOUGHT TO LIGHT THE TEMPLE'S MENORAH (7 BRANCHED CANDELABRUM), THEY FOUND ONLY A SINGLE CRUSE OF OLIVE OIL THAT HAD ESCAPED CONTAMINATION BY THE GREEKS. THEY LIT THE MENORAH & THE 1 DAY SUPPLY OF OIL MIRACULOUSLY LASTED FOR 8 DAYS, UNTIL NEW OIL COULD BE PREPARED WITH RITUAL PURITY.

IN COMMEMORATION, THE SAGES INSTITUTED THE FESTIVAL OF CHANUKAH, WHICH HAS BEEN OBSERVED EVER SINCE, AS INSCRIBED IN THE BOOK OF MACCABEES.

MOST IMPORTANT IS THE NIGHTLY MENORAH LIGHTING. THE SHAMASH (ATTENDANT) IS USED TO KINDLE THE OTHER 8 LIGHTS, AN ADDITIONAL LIGHT ON EACH OF THE 8 NIGHTS.

SINCE THE CHANUKAH MIRACLE INVOLVED OIL, IT IS CUSTOMARY TO EAT FOODS FRIED IN OIL, EITHER THE CLASSIC POTATO LATKES (PANCAKES) OF JELLY FILLED SUFGANIOT (DOUGHNUTS).

May this season
of light fill your
heart and home
with happiness.

WE HOPE YOU ENJOY THE
RASPBERRY JELLY, CUSTARD,
CARMEL, OR CHOCOLATE
SOUFGANIOT.

THANKS FOR ALL YOUR SERVICE,

BEST REGARDS,



EVENING SUNDAY DEC. 2 -
EVENING MONDAY DEC. 10.

Police Employee Commendation Form [#76]

City of Evanston <no-reply@wufoo.com>

Nov 26, 2018 10:26 PM

Posted in group: **Police**

Date of contact with employee: * Friday, November 23, 2018

Approximate time of contact with employee: * 6:30:00 PM

Employee name if known: **Officer Drengenberg**

Badge or employee number if known: 1540

Check All That Apply *
• Made a report at police station

What would you like to commend about the employee's performance? *

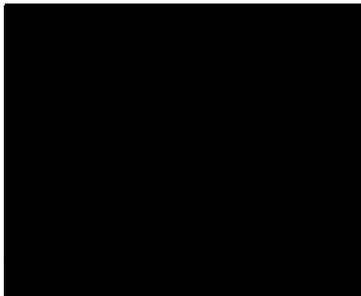
I came to report the theft of my briefcase by a Lyft driver. Officer Drengenberg was patient, professional, and took my report seriously. He attempted to reach the driver with a number I provided in my presence, but was unsuccessful. He explained how the matter would be handled from there and how long I should expect it to take. However, within minutes of my leaving the station, he called to tell me that he had reached the driver by phone and that the driver had agreed to drop off the briefcase later that evening. I picked up the briefcase the next morning but didn't have the opportunity to thank Officer Drengenberg personally. I have had many other positive experiences with the EPD, such as when a homeless person was sleeping in the lobby of my former condo building. The police responded quickly and were very respectful toward the homeless woman rather than becoming aggressive or shaming. I have also had very positive experiences with the Problem Solving Team. I simply wanted to express my appreciation for the excellent work you do. In these troubled times, I am even more appreciative of your service to the Evanston community. Thank you and happy holidays!!

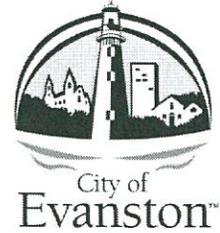
Your Name

Your Address

Your Email Address

Your Phone Number





COMPLIMENTARY EMAIL OR COMMUNICATION FOR A MEMBER(S)

DATE OF COMPLIMENT: 11/21/2018

CALLER: [Click here to enter text.](#)

ADDRESS/ EMAIL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

COMPLIMENTING PRAISEWORTHY WORK BY: **Officer Jeffrey Appelt and Officer Cesar Galindo**

REFERENCE: EPD received a Tweet stating, "Just had a very positive experience with two of your officers. They helped with a sensitive subject and were professional and compassionate. I did not get their names but wanted to say thanks.

SUBMITTED BY: Michelle Smith

CC: Shift File

Administration Personnel File

Officer/ Staff Member

HR Personnel File