

City Council Monthly Report

Groveport Police Department

To: Mayor Lance Westcamp and Groveport City Council

From: Acting Chief Casey M. Adams

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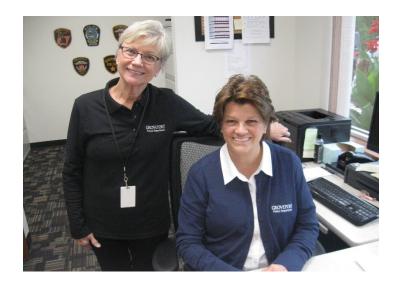
Date: Wednesday, October 7th, 2020

Re: END OF THE MONTH REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

The month of September and early October has been a busy time for the Groveport Police Department. The police department on September 11th, 2020 attended the Madison Township Fire Department & Motts Military Museum 9-11 Memorial Ceremony which is an honor to attend every year for our police department (even in this new normal of smaller groups and social distancing). We also provided traffic control and high visibility patrolling during the First Responders Demonstration March held on Saturday, October 3rd, 2020 at noon. The march went eastbound along Main Street on the South sidewalk which limited the amount of time for road closers and kept East and West bound Main Street traffic moving during the event with little delays and distractions to individuals traveling thru the City of Groveport. The marchers were positive in their message and the march ended around 1pm at the green space next to the ACE Hardware. The police department also received a request and was honored to have the Central Ohio Police Family's Association decorate our patrol-room with personalized messages of encouragement to the police officers serving the City of Groveport.

Finally, with Mayor Lance Westcamp's support the Groveport Police Department was able to utilize uniform funds to purchase our Administrative Assistant Staff Members Kathi Wilson and Kathleen Martensen with profession style logo shirts and outer wear to be worn during work hours, training seminars, and official city functions. Kathi and Kathleen are grateful for this benefit to look professional, and be able to identify themselves as part of the Groveport Police Department.





Groveport Police Department Administrative Staff in newly purchased police department logo wear purchased from uniform funds.



New 2020 Chevy Tahoe placed in service mid-August; vehicle replaced the 2015 Chevy Tahoe that was crushed by a falling tree on Front Street earlier this year.



Chief Adams,

Thank you for sending these pictures, but more importantly, thank you for letting us come in and show our support to your officers. We understand how hard these past few months have been and continue to be for our Blue Family. Please never hesitate to reach out to us if you have an officer or family member that needs support. We are more than happy to make meals, send cards, make phone calls, or meet up in person. We have seen the hurt in our own officers' eyes and just want to be a source of comfort to all LEO's and their families. Thank you for taking the oath and for suiting up every day to protect and serve the community of Groveport.

Respectfully,
Jessie Burr
President of the Central Ohio Police Families' Association







October 2, 2020

Dear Groveport Police Officers,

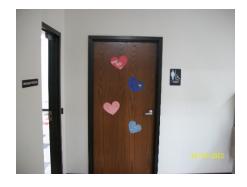
The Central Ohio Police Families' Association would like to offer our most sincere appreciation for your service through answering the call to protect those who cannot protect themselves. You hold the line between good and evil. As your family members, please know that we are your biggest supporters. We have witnessed the toll that our current social climate takes on you. We have stood by you during these tumultuous times and our promise to you is that we will always stand with you.

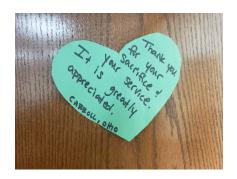
We hope that the Hearts For Heroes decorating your station and many others in Central Ohio are proof beyond doubt that you are loved, supported, and covered in prayer by so many from across our great nation. The National Police Wives' Association collaborated with our organization to coordinate the collection of over 2.000 hearts from your supporters with the goal that you would feel love from all 50 states.

Please accept these gifts as a gesture of our gratitude for your daily efforts to maintain peace in the City of Groveport. This offering has been made possible through our partnership with Operation Gratitude, and carries with it the message that we will always BACK THE BLUE. Each and every bag has been personally packaged with care and prayed over by our members who know how much your life matters. Stay strong and always know we will be waiting for you to come home safe to us. If you or someone you know is in need of support, please contact our organization and we will be happy to assist.

With all of our love,

The Executive Board of the Central Ohio Police Families' Association







Groveport Police Department

Demonstration March Expenses

October 3rd, 2020 Demonstration City Cost

GPD Officer & OT Rate/Hours Worked	Total Cost	GPD Vehicles Utilized 3 hours/3 Gallons Per Car	Total Cost
Interim Chief Casey Adams (\$53.00)(3)	\$ 212.00	\$ 2 a Gallon	
Ptl. Ernest Bell (\$60.09)(3)	\$ 180.27	400-2018 Ford Utility	\$ 6.00
Ptl. Sam Yockey (\$60.09)(3)	\$ 180.27	413-2017 Ford Utility	\$ 6.00
Ptl. Kristin Didyk (\$ 56.63) (3)	\$ 169.83	416-2020 Chevy Tahoe	\$ 6.00
Ptl. David Fairman (\$ 52.31) (3)	\$ 156.92	419-2019 Ford Utility	\$ 6.00
Ptl. Forrest Benner (\$43.70)(3)	\$ 131.09	12 Patrol	\$
4 Administrative Staff Hours	\$ 1,030.38	Vehicle Hours	24.00
15 Overtime Hours	. ,		

Man Power	\$
Cost	1,030.38
Patrol Vehicle	\$
Cost	24.00
Total Cost for	\$
Event	1,054.38





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REPORT TO: MAYOR LANCE WESTCAMP AND THE CITY OF GROVEPORT COUNCIL

September - 2020 – Training, Officer Activities and basic report information: 16 hours of training at the Ohio State Highway Patrol Academy

MUTUAL AID CALLS		Number	REPORTED OFFENSES		Number	
Franklin CO SO		1	Accidents		12	
Madison TWP PD		4	Assaults		0	
Madison Twp. Fire		1	Burglaries		0	
Obetz PD		4	Domestic Disputes		7	
CPD/ CFD/Other Agencies		1	Domestic Violence		0	
Public Assistance		15	OVI and alcohol issues		0	
				Theft Related/ Robbe	ries	14
House Watches		4	Weapon Related Calls		0	
Mileage		14,618	Missing Persons/Juveniles		0	
				Narcotic Related Offe	nses	3
Sheriff's Dispatches/Self-Initiated Calls		191/194	School Related Incidents		0	
Busiest Day(s)		Friday and Tuesday	Stolen/Unauthorized Use		1	
A – Reports Taken –		38.4%	Parking		1	
B – Reports Taken – 56%		41.5%	Threats		3	
C – Reports Taken – 14%		20.1%	Vandalism		1	
Total Reports taken		99	Suicide (attempts)/ DOA		1	
Traffic Citations		25	Sex Related Crimes		0	
Training Hours		16	Arrests made		5	
Referrals (FCCS)		0	Juvenile Complaints		1	
Speed Trailer				Speed Trailer		
Location	Limit	Date Start	Date End	Total vehicles	Highest Speed	Average
		NA				NA
		NA				NA