



St. Clair Township Police Department

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Jeffrey W. Janciga, Chief of Police

Police Department Report for December 2021

1. The month of December 2021 showed fewer hours worked by the department. This is attributable to an open, 40 hour per week position, a COVID 19 quarantine, and the holiday season.
2. I attended a meeting with the incoming Westmoreland County District Attorney and the incoming Chief of the Westmoreland County Detectives. This meeting was held at the Latrobe Police Department. Only myself and Chief Sleasman of Latrobe PD were present with the DA and Chief Detective. This allowed for much input into concerns for our respective areas. I look forward to working with the new District Attorney and her staff. From the beginning of my time with this department, my assessment of the relationship with the DA's office and County Detectives was minimal at best. This is an opportunity for building a working relationship that is beneficial to our communities.
3. I attended a meeting of the Westmoreland County Chief's of Police Association and obtained membership. This group holds meetings once per month. County-wide issues are discussed and plans are developed. As a group, there is a degree of power and influence over law enforcement within Westmoreland County. Further, the meetings of the Westmoreland County Drug Task Force are held in conjunction with these meetings. The importance of attendance at these meetings has been previously stated.
4. I received a letter from the Ligonier Valley Endowment Group indicating that the department's request (for funding for mobile computers, etc) has been received and has been forwarded to the screening committee.
5. The department continues to operate on a "minimal and only as necessary" policy of direct public contact. This is due to the continued number of positive COVID 19 cases in Pennsylvania. This is being done to avoid potentials for required quarantines which would reduce hours worked.

6. I am working on developing departmental training programs which would increase the experience and competencies of our officers. Such training sessions would occur for short periods, while an officer is working. Of particular interest is training in "use of force" and the related policy. This is also a focus of the required, yearly update training of the Municipal Police Officers Education and Training Commission (MPOETC). It is important because the proper application of force (legally and ethically) can reduce officer and citizen injuries. It also can reduce the potential civil liability which a department may encounter.
7. Lastly, I ask that our citizens contact the police when they observe suspicious and/or criminal activity. This request is irrespective of whether or not the Township has an officer working or not. Delays in contacting police when crimes occur can result in missed opportunities to conduct an investigation, initiate a prosecution and achieve satisfaction for victims. Further, crimes that occur that are not reported do not get counted on our monthly "Uniform Crime Report (UCR)" to the state. A UCR report provides a snapshot of criminal activity in an area. Most grant programs are based, at least in part, on the UCR report for an area. A prime example of crime not being reported is retail thefts. Between March 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021, this department has taken zero reports of retail theft. I believe that this is a statistical impossibility considering the presence of numerous retail businesses (2 Dollar General Stores and 1 grocery store to name a few) and a reported drug abuse problem. The 2 issues often go "hand in hand".

Respectfully Submitted,



Jeffrey W. Janciga

Chief of Police, SCTPD

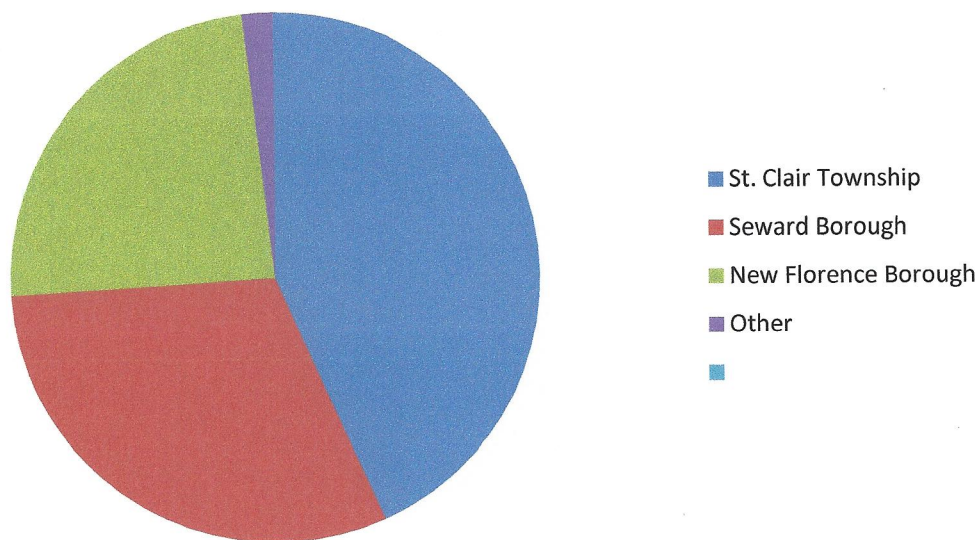
December 2021 Fuel and Mileage Log

Unit Number	Date	Gallons	Total
490 (Explorer) and 491 (Charger)	12/31/21	16.672	\$58.34
492 (Durango)	12/3/21	21.52	\$76.59
	12/8/21	20.937	\$74.51
	12/14/21	21.081	\$75.83
	12/17/21	18.871	\$67.16
	12/23/21	22.099	\$78.43
	12/29/21	18.439	\$65.26
Total Fuel		139.619	\$496.12
Vehicle Mileage			
	Beginning	Ending	Total
490 (Explorer)	22932	23031	99
491 (Charger)	41662	41700	38
492 (Durango)	94307	95950	1,643
	Total		1780

Receipt located to be added to November 2021 Fuel expenditure total

Unit fueled would be either 490/491 on 11/12/21 at 1047 pm at Krevetski's, 13.768 gallons/\$49.00

Reports (December 2021)



The month of December 2021 showed the department filing a total of 102 reports. Of these reports, 2 are on-going, criminal investigations.

Traffic Stops for December 2021 showed a total of 2, with both occurring in St. Clair Township. Both stops were made for equipment violations and warnings were issued.

Reports are lower in quantity this month. This appears to be a direct result of having an open, 40 hour per week position. Further, as to be expected in the time before Christmas, part-time hours are lower than usual. One factor that also contributed to lower than expected hours was a COVID 19 quarantine.

Complaint Location > Street Name:**Date/Time Received:****Call for Service:**

103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211201050000	12/01/2021 05:00:00	Kuvinka
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211201083100	12/01/2021 08:31:00	SR711 School Zone
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211201103500	12/01/2021 10:35:00	Kuvinka
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211202123000	12/02/2021 12:30:00	SR711 (Roadway Plaza)
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211202103000	12/02/2021 10:30:00	
RETURN PHONE CALL - RETURN PHONE CALL	20211202131000	12/02/2021 13:10:00	Kuvinka
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211206080000	12/06/2021 08:00:00	
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211206134500	12/06/2021 13:45:00	SR711 (Roadway Plaza)
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211207084300	12/07/2021 08:43:00	SR711 School Zone
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211207092700	12/07/2021 09:27:00	SR711 (Roadway Plaza)
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211207131500	12/07/2021 13:15:00	SR711 (Roadway Plaza)
PCIVIL - PCIVIL	20211207142500	12/07/2021 14:25:00	Northview
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211208082500	12/08/2021 08:25:00	
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211208083800	12/08/2021 08:38:00	SR711 School Zone
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211208130000	12/08/2021 13:00:00	
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211208141500	12/08/2021 14:15:00	SR711
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211208190000	12/08/2021 19:00:00	Seward
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211209082400	12/09/2021 08:24:00	SR711 School Zone
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211209102000	12/09/2021 10:20:00	Sugar Run
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211213082000	12/13/2021 08:20:00	SR711 School Zone
EE6412 - BURGLARY-NO FORCE RESIDENCE/DAY (20211213113000	12/13/2021 11:30:00	Brooks
PWARRSVC - PWARRANT SERVICE	20211213140000	12/13/2021 14:00:00	Love
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211214080500	12/14/2021 08:05:00	13th
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211214084000	12/14/2021 08:40:00	SR711 School Zone
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211214131000	12/14/2021 13:10:00	Seward
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211214141500	12/14/2021 14:15:00	Kuvinka
EE8426 - MISC OFFENSE CRIMINAL TRESPASS (UCI	20211214094800	12/14/2021 09:48:00	Goat Hill
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211215082300	12/15/2021 08:23:00	SR711 School Zone
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211216083000	12/16/2021 08:30:00	SR711 School Zone
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211217080500	12/17/2021 08:05:00	Education
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211217103000	12/17/2021 10:30:00	Kuvinka
DOMESTIC - DOMESTIC	20211217120000	12/17/2021 12:00:00	Kuvinka
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211220084500	12/20/2021 08:45:00	SR711 School Zone

PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211221084500	12/21/2021 08:45:00	SR711 School Zone
DOMESTIC - DOMESTIC	20211221100000	12/21/2021 10:00:00	New Jersey
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211227125500	12/27/2021 12:55:00	SR711 (Roadway Plaza)
INFORMATION - INFORMATION	20211227131000	12/27/2021 13:10:00	SR711
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211228050000	12/28/2021 05:00:00	Robb
132B01 - 132B1 TRAF HAZ	20211229083500	12/29/2021 08:35:00	Robb
103A03 - 103A3 ADMIN MISC	20211229091500	12/29/2021 09:15:00	Kuvinka
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211229120000	12/29/2021 12:00:00	SR711 (Roadway Plaza)
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211229123000	12/29/2021 12:30:00	SR711 (Roadway Plaza)
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211231151000	12/31/2021 15:10:00	
TRAFFIC STOP - TRAFFIC STOP	20211231152000	12/31/2021 15:20:00	
TRAFFIC STOP - TRAFFIC STOP	20211231172300	12/31/2021 17:23:00	

45 Total Complaints for December 2021, St. Clair Township

Complaint Location > Street Name:

Date/Time Received:

Call for Service:

PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211201074800	12/01/2021 07:48:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211201095900	12/01/2021 09:59:00	Indiana
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211201132000	12/01/2021 13:20:00	SR 56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211202091000	12/02/2021 09:10:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211202130500	12/02/2021 13:05:00	Indiana
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211203061500	12/03/2021 06:15:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211203120000	12/03/2021 12:00:00	Indiana
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211206101500	12/06/2021 10:15:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211207064500	12/07/2021 06:45:00	SR56
EE9601 - COMMUNITY POLICING INIT	20211207100900	12/07/2021 10:09:00	Indiana
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211208062000	12/08/2021 06:20:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211208135200	12/08/2021 13:52:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211209052700	12/09/2021 05:27:00	SR56
ASSIST FD/EMS - ASSIST FD/EMS	20211209091500	12/09/2021 09:15:00	Indiana
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211213064000	12/13/2021 06:40:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211213073000	12/13/2021 07:30:00	13th
CIVIL - CIVIL	20211213080300	12/13/2021 08:03:00	Texaco
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211214063000	12/14/2021 06:30:00	SR56
PWFCCK - PWELFARE CHECK	20211214114000	12/14/2021 11:40:00	Keystone
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211216050000	12/16/2021 05:00:00	SR56
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PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211221041000	12/21/2021 04:10:00	SR56
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211221093000	12/21/2021 09:30:00	Indiana
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211227031000	12/27/2021 03:10:00	SR56
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PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211227122000	12/27/2021 12:20:00	3rd
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211228033000	12/28/2021 03:30:00	SR56
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211228110000	12/28/2021 11:00:00	Indiana
EE9601 - COMMUNITY POLICING INIT	20211228124500	12/28/2021 12:45:00	10th
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211229075000	12/29/2021 07:50:00	SR56
PTRAF - P TRAFFIC DETAIL	20211229105000	12/29/2021 10:50:00	SR711
PTRAFSAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211229133700	12/29/2021 13:37:00	Indiana

32 Total Complaints in December 2021, Seward Borough

Call for Service:	Date/Time Received:	Complaint Location > Street Name:
EE9159 - NOISE/NUI/DIST SUSP ACTIVITY	20211201092100 12/01/2021 09:21:00	Franklin
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211201135400 12/01/2021 13:54:00	7th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211202064200 12/02/2021 06:42:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211202110600 12/02/2021 11:06:00	7th
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211202113900 12/02/2021 11:39:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211203104000 12/03/2021 10:40:00	7th
WANTED PERSON - WANTED PERSON	20211206074000 12/06/2021 07:40:00	Ligonier
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211206111300 12/06/2021 11:13:00	Ligonier
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211206114500 12/06/2021 11:45:00	Ligonier
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211207080500 12/07/2021 08:05:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211207110000 12/07/2021 11:00:00	Ligonier
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211208075700 12/08/2021 07:57:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211215075000 12/15/2021 07:50:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211216074500 12/16/2021 07:45:00	13th
PARK - PARKING COMPLAINT	20211217095500 12/17/2021 09:55:00	Osborne
INFORMATION - INFORMATION	20211217134500 12/17/2021 13:45:00	Mulberry
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211220080000 12/20/2021 08:00:00	13th
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211220133000 12/20/2021 13:30:00	Franklin
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211221082000 12/21/2021 08:20:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211222083000 12/22/2021 08:30:00	SR711 School Zone
ASSIST OTHER AGENCY - ASSIST OTHER A	20211222120000 12/22/2021 12:00:00	Mulberry
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211227084500 12/27/2021 08:45:00	13th
FOOT PATROL - FOOT PATROL	20211227132500 12/27/2021 13:25:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211228042000 12/28/2021 04:20:00	13th
PTRAFAF - PTRAFFIC SAFETY	20211228095200 12/28/2021 09:52:00	7th

25 Total Complaints for Decembr 2021, New Florence Borough