

Monthly Report

August 2022



HIGHLAND HEIGHTS
POLICE DEPARTMENT

MONTHLY REPORT

August 1, 2022 – August 31, 2022

Charges	
Felony	24
Misdemeanor	31
Warrants	6
Violations	37
TOTAL	98
ARRESTS	
DUI	1
Drug Related Arrests	6
Drunkenness	2
All Other Offenses	10
TOTAL	19
Citations	
Traffic	87
Other	36
Parking	2
TOTAL	125

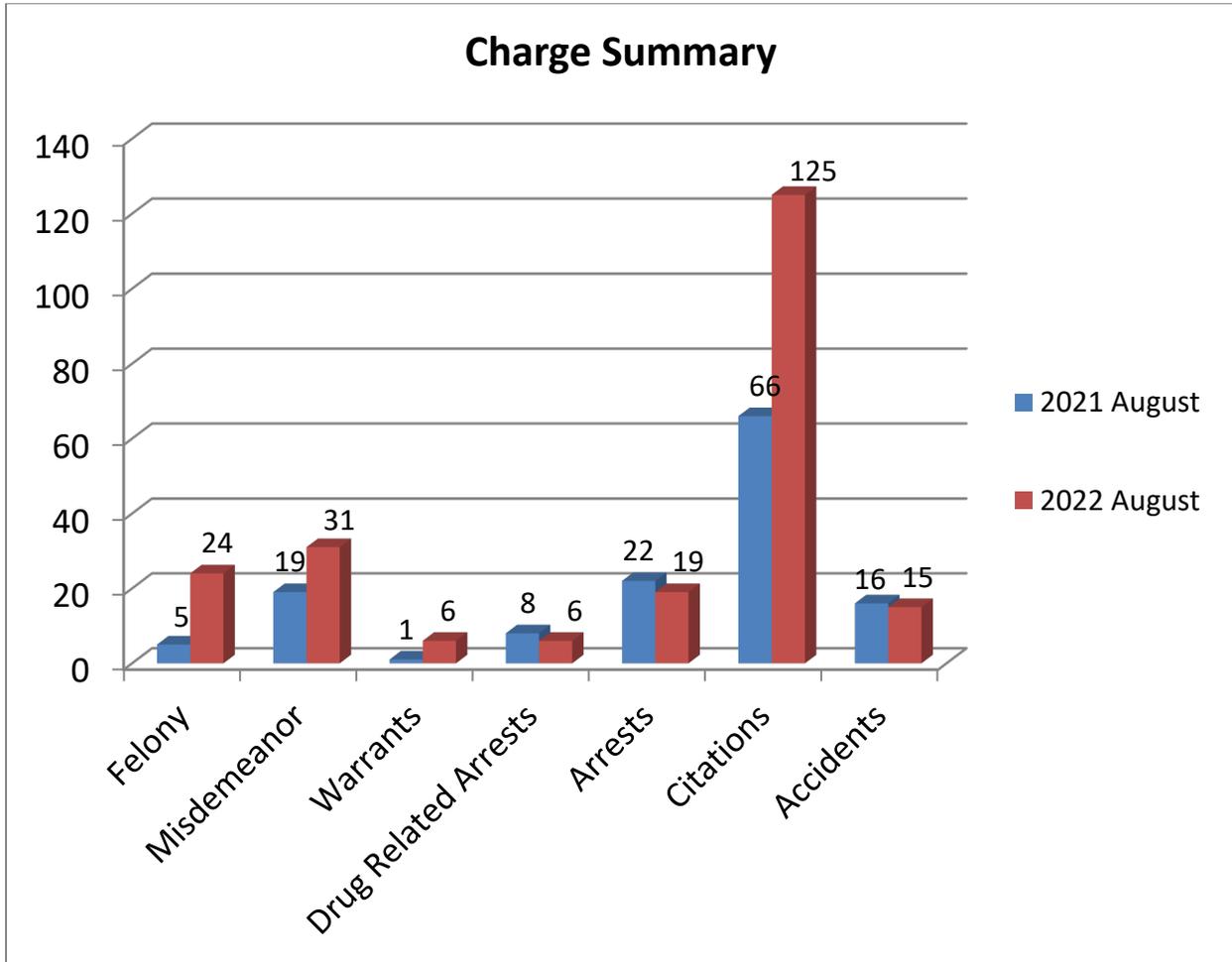
Accidents	15
Call for Service	1088

CALL BY ACTIVITY

August 1, 2022 – August 31, 2022

Alarms	14
Animal Complaint	5
Area Checks	112
Assault	1
Assist Other Agency	15
Burglary	0
Business Checks	148
Disabled Motorist	22
Disorderly Juveniles	1
Disturbance	6
Domestic	6
Fight	0
Harassment	3
Intoxicated Subject	0
Missing Person	0
Neighbor Dispute	2
Parking Complaint	8
Public Contacts	5
Roadway Obstruction	5
Suspicious Person/Vehicle	13
Theft	10
Traffic Stops	134
Vacation Checks	29
Vandalism	3
Vice Activity	1
Welfare Check	9
911 Hang up	2

CHARGE SUMMARY COMPARISON 2020/2021



Call for Service
2021 – 1143
2022 – 1088

S.I.R.T. SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS RESPONSE TEAM

On August 20th Newport Police requested SIRT assist with a hit and run collision between a vehicle and a bicycle on the 11th street bridge. The operator of the bicycle suffered fatal injuries and the vehicle did not stop after the collision. SIRT responded and reconstructed the collision scene. On August 25th Newport Police located the hit and run vehicle in North College Hill. SIRT assisted with drafting search warrants in order to seize the vehicle for its return to Kentucky. After returning the vehicle to Silver Grove Motors it was discovered the suspect had detailed the vehicle in order to remove any evidence. Once the vehicle was lifted up evidence was located on the frame (bicycle tire marks and paint flakes) which matched the bicycle that was run over.

Detective Sergeant John Dunn

OFFICER RECOGNITION

9 August 2022

Memo To: Mr. Greg Meyers, Mayor, City of Highland Heights
Mr. Bill Birkenhauer, Chief of Police, City of Highland Heights

From: "X"

RE: Police support and assistance for "X" and our neighborhood

Kathy and I seize this opportunity to extend our immense respect, appreciation, and gratitude for the work of the Highland Heights Police Department for their seemingly endless but always caring efforts to bring to a close to the "X" family occupation of the properties at "X" and "X".

At the risk of omitting the names of other members of the Police Department who have been instrumental in this effort, we specifically commend Officer Dave Fornash, Sargent Nick Blank, Detective Sargent John Dunn, Officer Patrick Feldman, and Police Social Worker Angie Weinel. These professionals have gone far beyond the call of duty in service to Mrs. "X" and to us in the neighborhood with caring responses to our needs and concerns, with careful and caring guidance and protection for Mrs. X as she has transitioned from a disruptive and very harmful domestic situation into living in a senior facility where she is safe and being given needed care.

Specifically, Police Social Worker Angie Weinel has worked tirelessly to guide Mrs. "X" through many difficult situations with the utmost of professionalism. Kathy has had the pleasure to work with her as this situation unfolded over the past few months and is now drawing to as positive a conclusion as possible for "X". Officer Fornash has been ever present when his professional services have been needed and he has rendered these services unselfishly and quite professionally. Other officers and Police Clerk Mary Oergel have been equally helpful as needed. Clerk Oergel has been particularly supportive when Kathy has needed to contact the department, often with a sense of urgency.

In summary, a big, big thank you and vote of excellence to all these folks. Their presence, service, and professionalism make Highland Heights an excellent community in which to live.

OFFICER RECOGNITION



Kevin (From Loveland Ohio) and Officer Zach Vance

August 13, 2022

Officer Zack Vance,

Thank you for taking the time on Monday, August 8th, to assist Celia and I as we searched for the graves of our great, great grandparents.

You provided directions to get to two local cemeteries, you then took us to a small cemetery in Wilder and gave us directions to a 4th St. Joseph Cemetery next to the Saint John the Baptist Church. It was at this 4th cemetery that we located these grave stones from the late 1800's.

Zack, "Thank You" for your service and for your kindness and helpfulness you shared with us.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Officer Patrick Feldman, Officer Zach Vance, and Officer Britt Ross (not pictured) assisted with the flood recovery efforts in Eastern Kentucky.



Officer Patrick Feldman, The Mayor of Whitesburg Tiffany Craft, and Officer Zach Vance



Officer Zach Vance, Chris Stapleton, and Officer Patrick Feldman



Pictures on pages 10-12 taken by Officer Feldman and Officer Ross in Eastern Kentucky during flood recovery efforts.





TRAINING

All officers completed August Monthly Training-Sexual Harassment, Discrimination, and Misconduct

Chief Bill Birkenhauer and Detective Sergeant John Dunn attended the Annual KACP Conference

Officer Britt Ross attended Breathalyzer Recertification Training and Red Dot Optic Instructor Training

Officer Kim Williams attended Resiliency Training