

MONTHLY REPORT



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To: Harold Boldt
City Manager

From: Robert Harrison
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Date: July 30, 2012

Re: June 2012 Management Report/Quick Reference

This is a snapshot of significant events, issues and activities that occurred within the Police Department during the month of June. Listed below are some highlights of these items. You may find more in-depth information within the complete management report that follows this memorandum. If there are any issues, please contact me or one of the Division Commanders.

- The Department participated in the National DWI Mobilization campaign from June 28th through July 8th. During this mobilization, the Department targeted violators of the State’s DWI laws. The Department’s efforts proved successful through the numerous contacts that occurred during this mobilization period. The Department’s efforts were funded from the DWI & STEP Grant.
- During the month of June, the Department provided law enforcement logistical support for Sparks in the Park. The Department’s primary responsibilities during this event included traffic control and crime prevention patrols within the Four States Fairgrounds.
- In conjunction with the Civil Service Commission, the Department administered a promotional examination for the ranks of Sergeant and Lieutenant. The promotional process during the month concluded with the promotions of Ray Gooch to the rank of Lieutenant and Les Moody to the rank of Sergeant.

PERSONNEL ISSUES

The following personnel actions occurred during this month:

- Retirements None
- Resignations None
- Hiring None
- Promotions None
- Terminations None

IN-SERVICE TRAINING

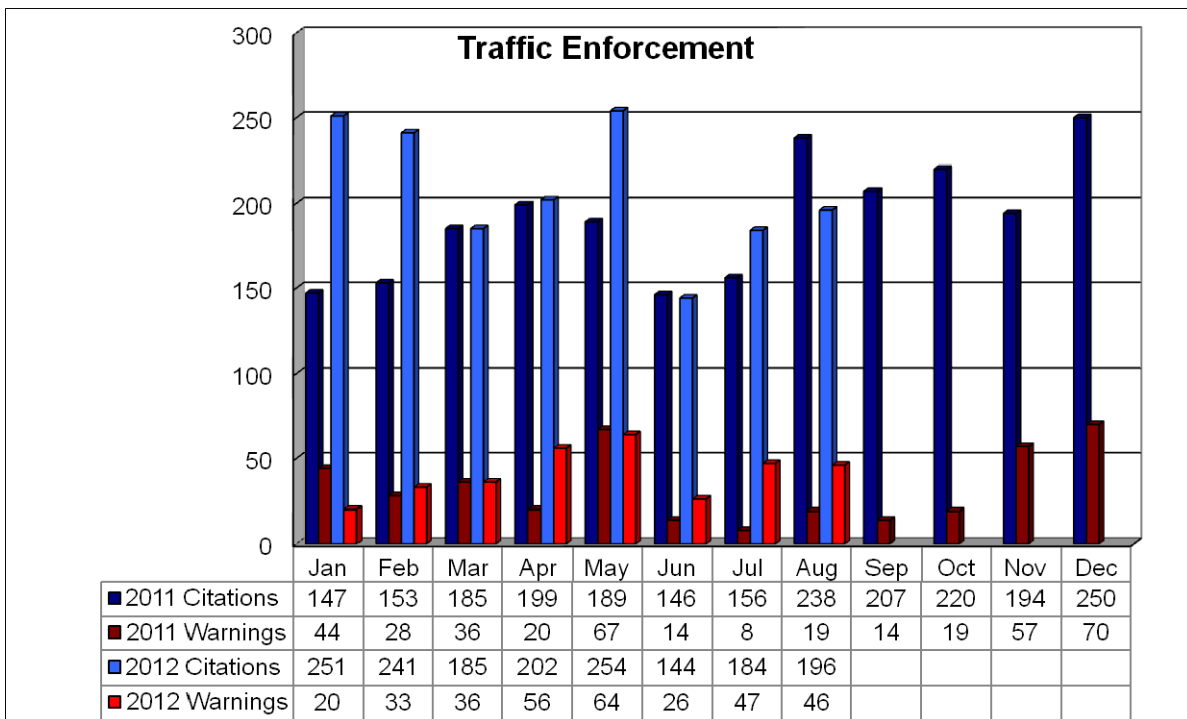
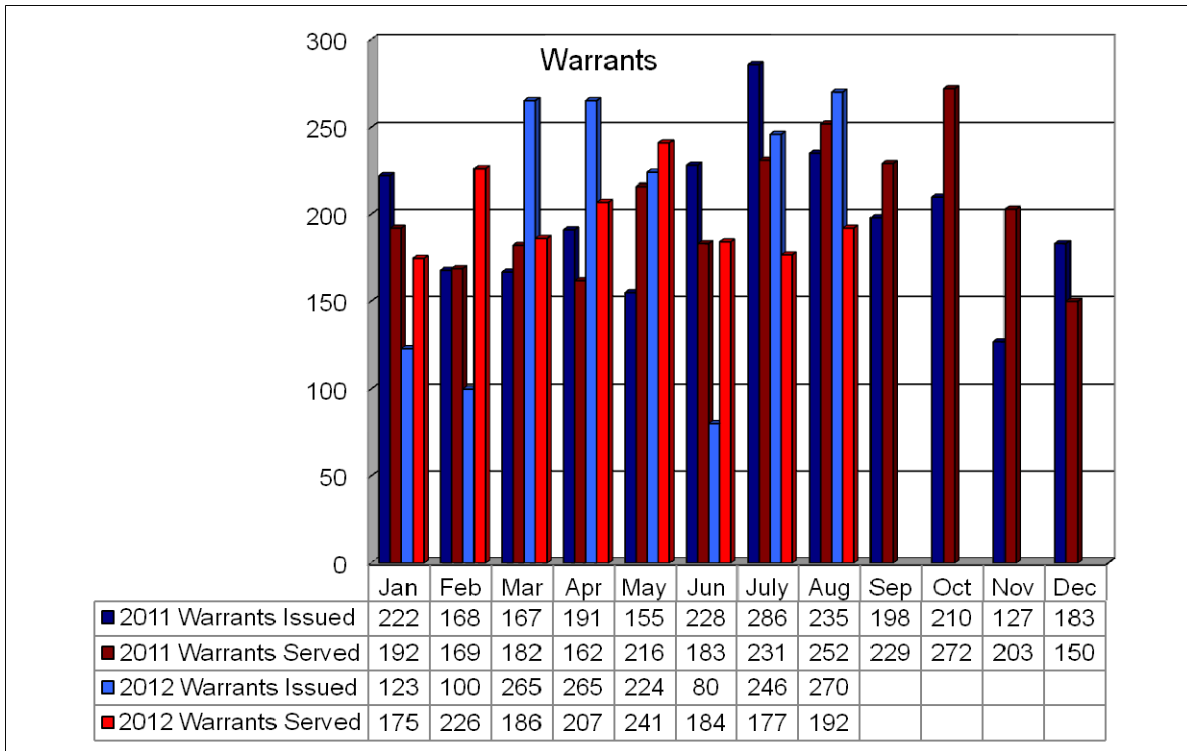


Courses Taken		Hours
SWAT		96
K9		16
Crimes Against Children Conference		64
Association of Chiefs of Police Conference		24
Arkansas DWI Conference		32
August Training Hours		232
Year to Date Total		3,234

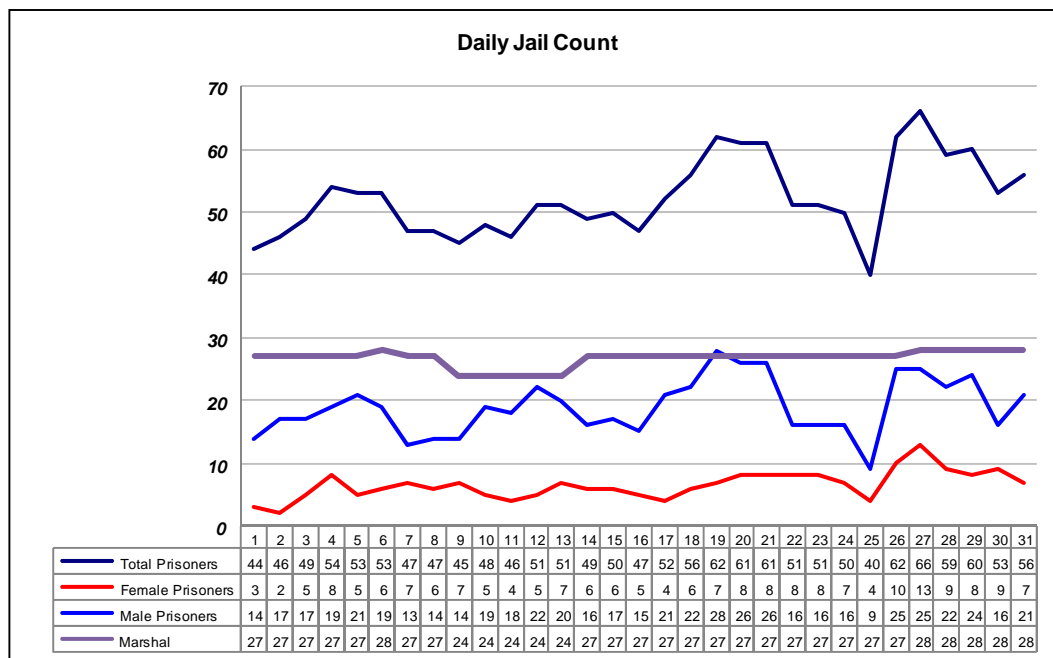
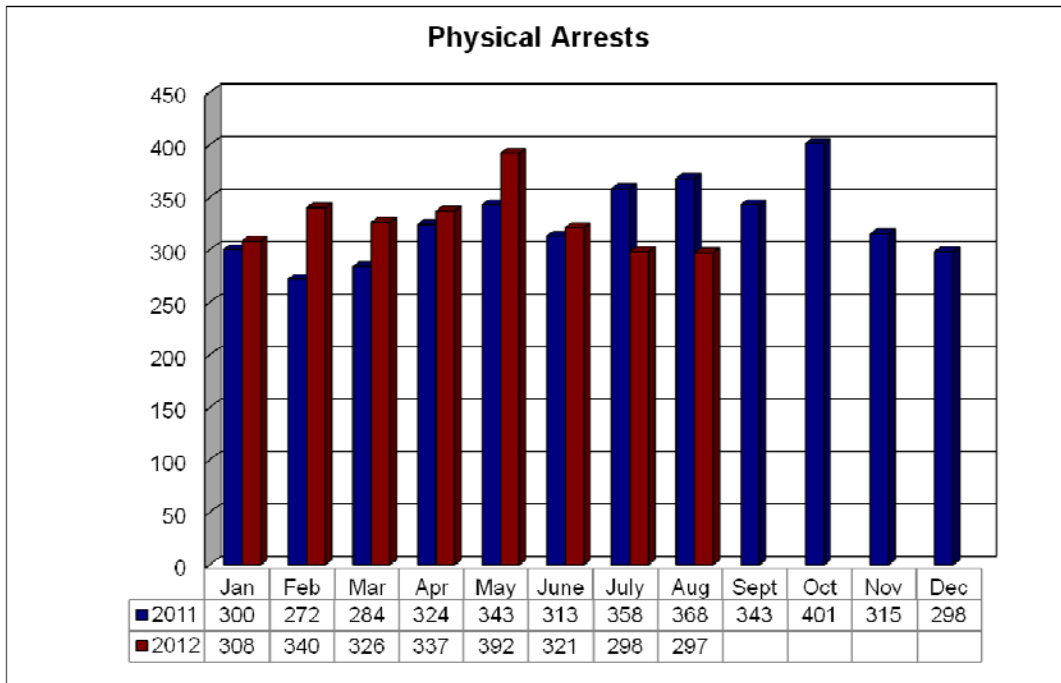
INDEX CRIME

2012 August Case Assignments												
FELONY							MISDEMEANOR					
	Assigned	Cleared	Arrested	Con't.	Unfounded	Clearance Rate	Assigned	Cleared	Arrested	Con't.	Unfounded	Clearance Rate
Anthony, A.							2	0	0	2	0	0%
Briggs, T.	20	0	0	14	6	30%	3	0	0	2	1	33%
Cochran, J.	14	1	4	6	3	57%	4	1	0	2	1	50%
Cross	5	0	4	1	0	80%						
Easley, W.	3	1	0	2	0	33%	9	3	0	4	2	56%
Fincher, A.	24	2	0	19	3	21%	8	1	0	2	5	75%
Furr							4	2	0	0	2	100%
Gatlin, B.	3	1	0	2	0	33%	16	8	2	5	1	69%
Gibbert							3	0	0	3	0	0%
Guzman, A.	1	0	0	0	1	100%	65	15	0	31	19	52%
Haak, Jason	3	0	3	0	0	100%	2	1	0	0	1	100%
Hunter, L.	4	0	1	3	0	25%	68	13	17	38	0	44%
Knouse, J.							13	0	5	8	0	38%
Megason	2	0	2	0	0	100%						
Nall, P.	7	1	1	5	0	29%	3	1	0	0	2	100%
Ontiveros	3	0	2	1	0	67%						
Smith, H.							55	22	0	13	20	76%
Whatley, T.	29	8	4	17	0	41%	4	0	0	1	3	75%
White							6	2	0	4	0	33%
Yonts, S							4	2		2		50%
	118	14	21	70	13	41%	269	71	24	117	57	57%

LAW ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS



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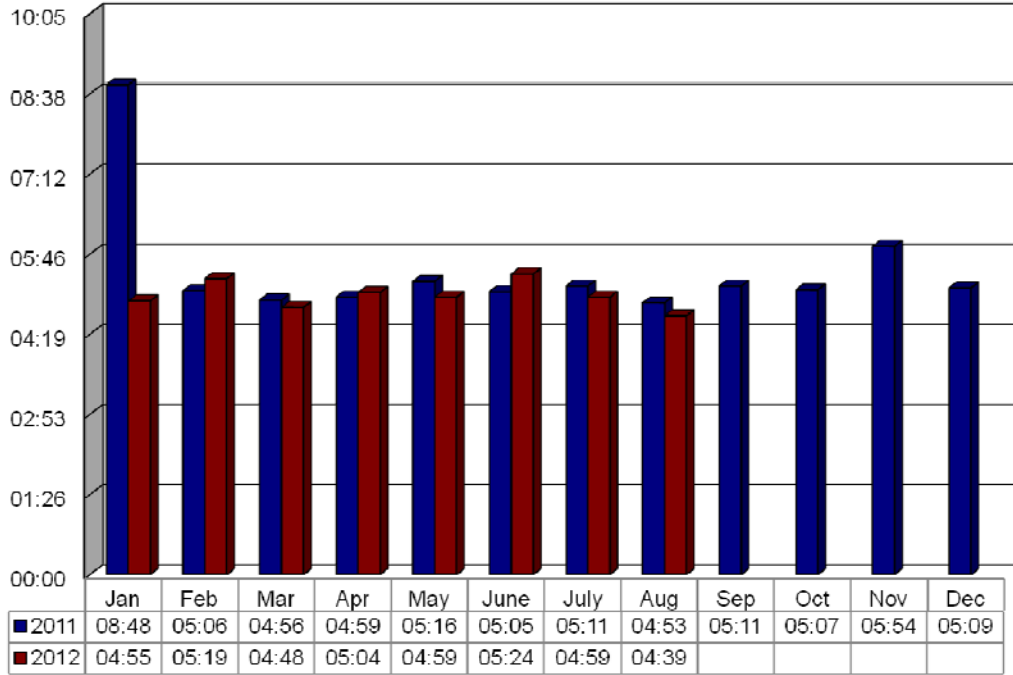


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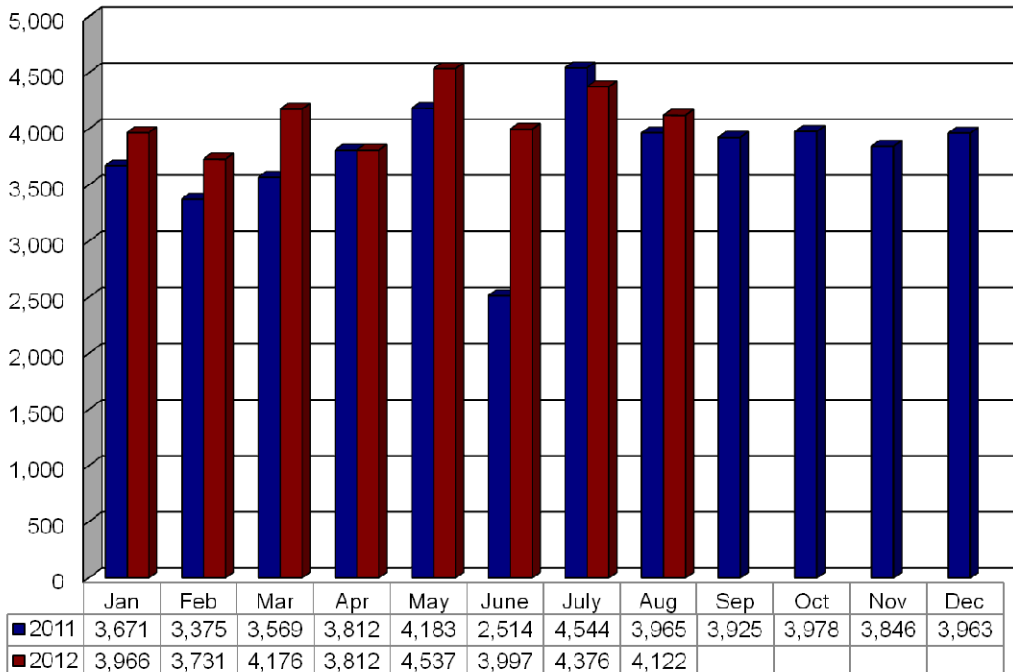
Aug-12	MONTHLY STATUS
OFFENSES-CLASS I	
HOMICIDE	0
ROBBERY	0
RAPE	0
ASSAULT-AGGRAVATED/BATTERY 1 & 2	11
ASSAULT-NON AGGRAVATED/BATTERY 3	8
BATTERY 3 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	24
ASSAULT 1,2,3	2
ASSAULT ON OFFICER	0
FLEEING	2
RESISTING ARREST	2
TERRORISTIC THREATS	2
FAILURE TO SUBMIT TO ARREST	0
BURGLARY(B&E)	0
LARCENY-THEFT/SHOPLIFTING	28
THEFT OF SERVICE	0
THEFT BY DECEPTION	0
HINDERING SECURED CREDITOR	0
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	0
FELONY WARRANTS	24
FELONY ARRESTS	57
OFFENSES-CLASS II	
ARSON	0
FORGERY & COUNTERFEITING	2
FRAUD	21
EMBEZZLEMENT	0
STOLEN PROPERTY/THEFT BY RECEIVING	5
VANDALISM/CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	3
ILLEGAL DUMPING	0
WEAPONS	7
PROSTITUTION & VICE	0
SEX OFFENSES/INDECENT EXPOSURE	1
SEXUAL ABUSE	0
NARCOTICS/FELONY	12
NARCOTICS/MISD	8
POSSESSION OF INSTRUMENT OF CRIME	1
GAMBLING	0
LIQUOR LAW VIOL./MINOR IN POSSESSION	0
POSSESSION OF ALCOHOL	0
CONTRIBUTING TO A MINOR	1
DRUNK/PUBLIC INTOXICATION	19
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	13
LOITERING	2
ALL OTHER	84
CRIMINAL TRESPASS	9
CRIMINAL IMPERSONATION	7
KIDNAPPING	0
FAILURE TO APPEAR-FTA	36
FAIL TO OBEY COURT ORDER-CONTEMPT	91
HARASSMENT/HARASSING COMMUNICATION	12
UNAUTHORIZED USE OF MOTOR VEHICLE	1
SOLICITING	0
VIOLATION OF CITY NOISE ORDINANCE	1
TOTAL VIOLATIONS	415
MISDEMEANOR WARRANTS	168
MISDEMEANOR ARRESTS	240

CALLS FOR SERVICE

Average Response Times



Calls For Service



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Call Priority	August	YTD
1	11	71
2	163	1,328
3	1,439	11,022
4	270	2,407
5	2,174	17,612
6	65	610
Totals	4,122	33,050
Average Response Times	04:39	5:10

Examples of calls associated with each priority level:

- Priority 1 – Urgent Requests for assistance from Fire, EMS, or Police
- Priority 2 – Accident with Injuries, Bank Robbery, Burglary in progress, Homicide, Suicide, House Fire
- Priority 3 – Accident without Injuries, Intrusion Alarms, DOA, Disturbance in progress, DWI, Prowler
- Priority 4 – Funeral Escorts, Curfew Violation, Animal Running Loose, Loud Party, Prostitution
- Priority 5 – Burglary already occurred, Disturbance already occurred, Forgery already occurred
- Priority 6 – Parking complaint, Fireworks complaint, Gas Theft, Loose Animal

NARCOTICS TASK FORCE ACTIVITY

2012 August Narcotics Stats			
Drugs Seized	Quantity	Unit of Measure	Street Value
Cocaine (crack)	98.37	Grams	\$19,460
Cocaine (powder)	3.60	Grams	\$720
Ecstasy (MDMA)	2.50	Grams	\$63
Marijuana	2,694.34	Grams	\$24,527
Methamphetamine	3.10	Grams	\$620
Methamphetamine (ice)	31.18	Grams	\$6,200
Prescription pills	108.00	pills	\$323
Drug Arrests	12	Warrants	3

FEDERAL & STATE GRANT STATUS

2011 JAG Grant: Expires 09/30/2014

In conjunction with Miller County, the Department was awarded the 2011 JAG Grant. The total funding associated with this grant—which is administered through the Department of Justice—is \$46,634. Because the Department of Justice requires the City to split the grant with Miller County, the City is projected to receive \$32,650. The Department intends to purchase two (2) new Crown Victoria police vehicles with the City's portion of the grant.

2011 DOJ Bulletproof Vest Grant: Expires 08/31/2013

This grant pays one half of purchase cost of bullet proof body armor for police officers. National Institute of Justice Standards (BJA/NIJ) recommends that body armor be replaced every five years and the agency provides body armor for every officer and replaces it according to NIJ replacement recommendations. This year's grant will cover half of the cost of approximately 22 vests for a total of \$6,545.00.

2011-2012 DWI Traffic Enforcement Grant: Expires 09/30/12

This grant pays overtime for DWI, speed, and occupant protection enforcement. The Federal amount is \$80,000. We have an in-kind local match of \$80,000 from the regular police budget. Local match (in-kind) uses a salary off-set from one of the patrol officers assigned to the Special Operations Traffic Section, a portion of the DWI / STEP Sergeant's salary and a portion of the Department's



vehicle maintenance cost utilizing a calculation based upon mileage. This program started in 1991 and has been funded for approximately 18 years. This grant overlaps our budget year due to the State of Arkansas being on a different fiscal year.

2011-2012 STOP Violence Against Women Act Grant: Expires 09/30/12



This grant pays the full salary of a police investigator to investigate all cases involving violent crimes committed against women. The grant also pays the salary for a police liaison position (case coordinator). The state amount is \$87,499.90, and the local in-kind match is \$28,694.34 for a total grant package of \$116,194.24.

2010-2011 Texarkana Housing Authority General Fund Officer Positions: Expires 11/31/12

The THA's share is \$130,000.00 and the city picks up the balance needed for salary and fringe for three officers. THA officers are primarily responsible for Texarkana Housing Authority property. The approximate match is 75% federal and 25% local match. The funds received from THA have been deposited into the regular salary line item to simplify our budget tracking.

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