

2018 First Annual Report Middletown Police Department





Middletown Police Department



Mission and Values Statement

The Middletown Police Department is a law enforcement agency working in collaboration with the people of Middletown to provide for the safety and security of the community which it serves.

We are committed to fostering an attitude of cooperation based on mutual respect and understanding between our department and those with whom we interact.

Our presence will enhance the quality of life in Middletown by promoting the ideals of a free society while maintaining the highest ethical standards of policing.

We will protect the rights of all individuals and businesses without discrimination, and we will pursue excellence in the performance of our duties.

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

The first year of the newly-formed Middletown Police Department has laid a strong foundation in creating a first-class law enforcement agency. We take pride in our accomplishments and anticipate great success in our future.

The road to establishing our police department has been a work in progress. December 2017 we hired our first Chief, Ed Blaser, who worked to institute the initial procedures, approvals and paperwork to begin a police department. In February 2018, we hired our first officer to establish training guidelines and begin our patrol. Our next two officers were added in August to finish out our year end with a total of 4 officers on the day shift of 8am—4pm. The end of the year brought the retirement of our first Chief and thus the natural and seamless promotion of Rob Herman to Chief of Police. Chief Herman was

the first officer hired and was born, raised and continues to live in Middletown.

Within our first Annual Report you will see statistics that represent a rolling growth that comes with launching any new department. Please take a look at all we have accomplished within such a short time.

Already the growth continues, 3 more officers were hired in December and their first day was January 2nd; incorporating a mid-watch shift of 4:00-Midnight for MPD. As we grow, we intend to become an integral part of this vibrant, thriving, welcoming community. We are here to respond to the needs of our city, working in cooperation with the Eighth Division of the Louisville Metro Police Department. Our goal is to provide for the safety and security of Middletown's residents and businesses.



Chief Rob Herman

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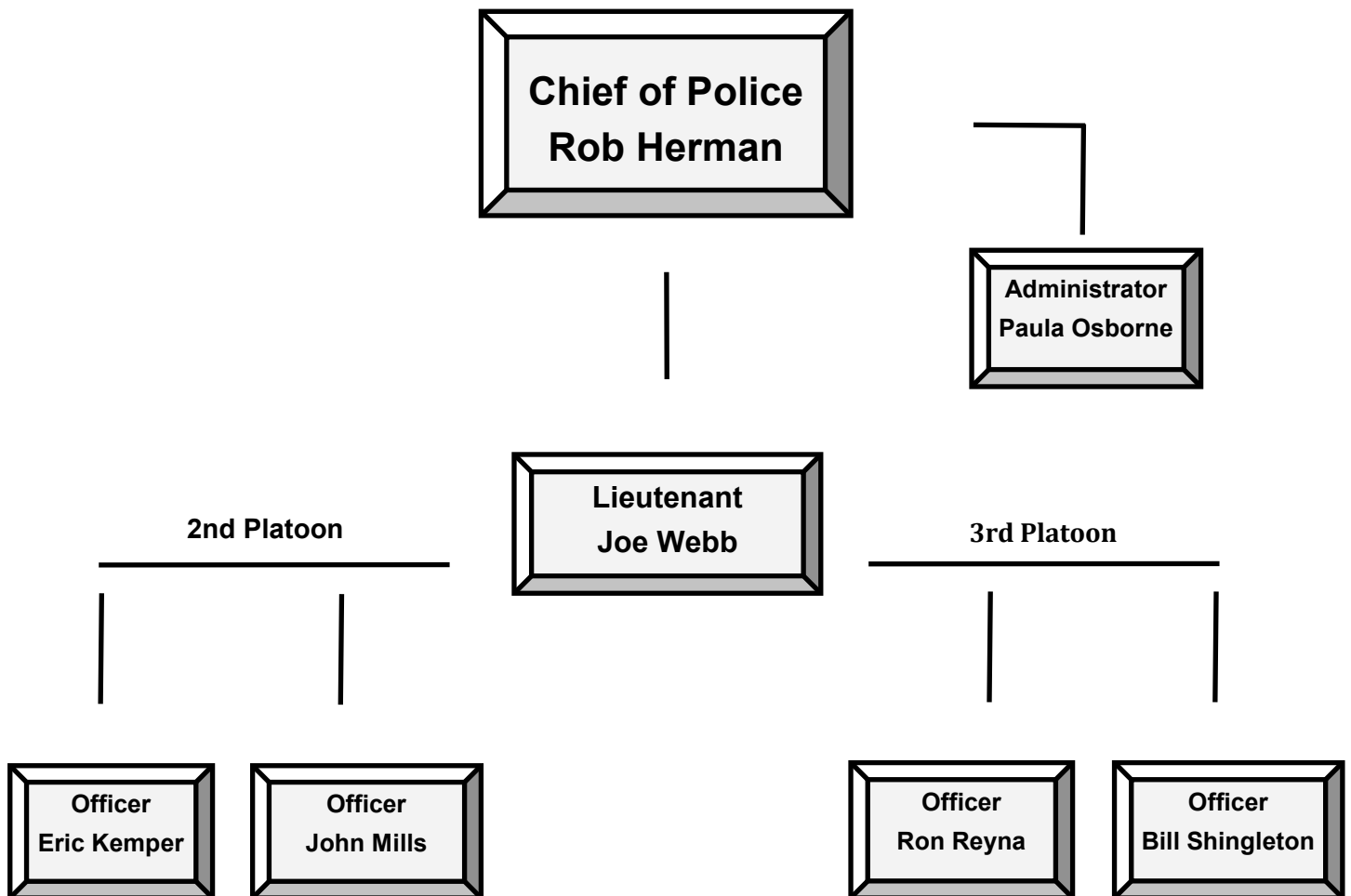
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ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



PERSONNEL

Rob Herman
Chief of Police
Hired 2-22-2018



Joe Webb
Lieutenant
Hired 1-02-2019



Paula Osborne
Administrator
Hired 11-14-2017



Officer Eric Kemper
Hired 8-20-2018



Officer John Mills
Hired 8-20-2018

2nd Platoon

3rd Platoon



Officer Ron Reyna
Hired 1-02-2019



Officer Bill Shingleton
Hired 1-02-2019

STATISTICS

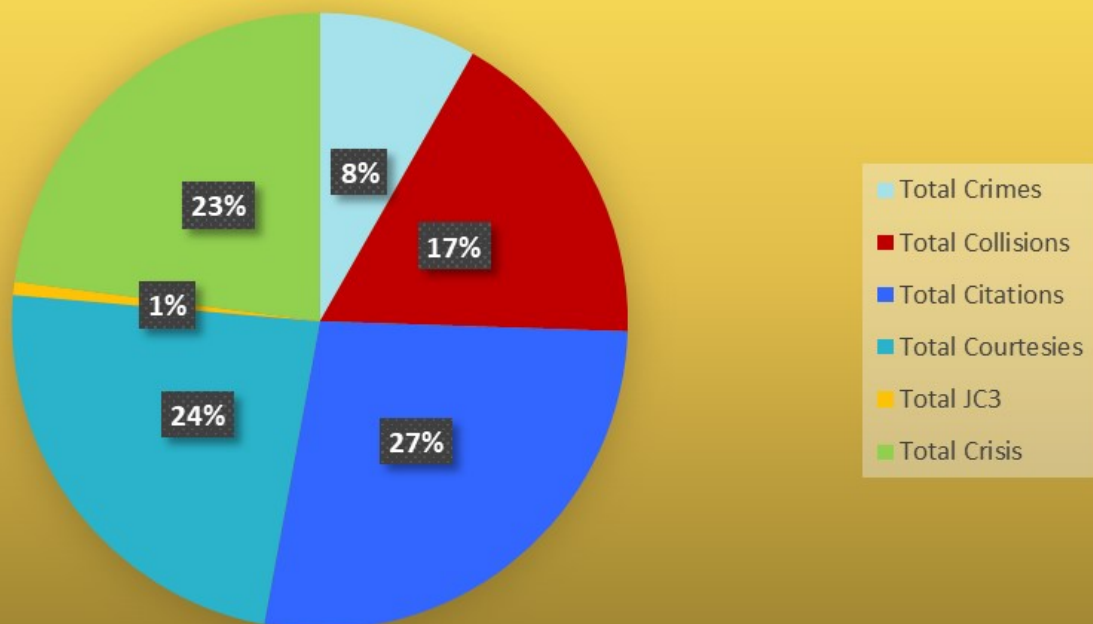
April 14th—December 31st



Type	Amount
Calls for Service	458
Citations	120
Collisions	76
Written Courtesy Notices	102
Domestics	3
Incidents	35
Crisis Intervention	1
Property Watch	33
Parking Citations	36

The statistics for this inaugural annual report regarding Middletown Police Department do not represent a full year. The first day of patrol was April 14th, 2018, giving us 8 1/2 months on the streets with between 1-3 officers on patrol for one shift. That being said, many good things happened through our efforts.

A Breakdown of all MPD Activity in 2018



COMMUNITY



Easter Eggstravaganza

Middletown Police Department is a true community policing department. Last year, MPD attended many events to provide public safety and order. This includes: Easter Eggstravaganza, Middletown Concert Series, VFW 1170 Middletown's Family Freedom Festival, Trunk or Treat and Pancake Breakfast, Eastern Band Eagle Classic Competition, District 19 Clean Up, Middletown 5K Run/Walk, Middletown Family Festival and Craft Show, Patriot Day and Light Up Middletown.



Krispy Crème Opening



VFW



**Middletown's
Family Fun
Festival**



Interview An Officer



**Trunk or
Treat and
Pancakes**

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Trunk or Treat and Pancakes

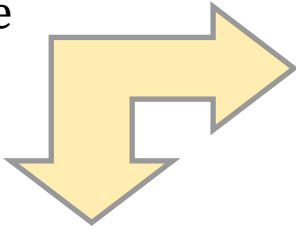
TRAINING

Currently all our officers are retired LMPD officers who have come to us with well over 1,000 hours of training. All new officers complete initial use of force training, along with other Kentucky League of City training. Many of our Officers bring with them unique skill sets that benefit our community such as: Traffic Accident Reconstructionist, Homicide Investigations, Narcotic Investigations, Upper Level Command Experience, Evidence Procedures, and Training Instructor.

Chief Herman attended the Alice (Alert, Lock-down, Inform, Counter, Evacuate) Training for school security. Middletown officers will use this training for emergency responses to all schools in the city. The training was given by the Alice Training Institute hosted by the Jefferson County School Board.

In addition officers attended an Emergency Driving course provided by Jeffersontown Police Department. Some of those photos are below.

Emergency Driving Course



The Middletown Police Department would like to thank the following for providing training, guidance and support:

*Jeffersontown Police Department
Louisville Metro Police Department
St. Matthews Police Department
Ron Howard*

*Audubon Park Police Department
Department of Criminal Justice Training
Kentucky League of Cities
Chief of Police Selection Committee*