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The difference between a successful person and others is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather a lack of will.”

Vince Lombardi

Department Statistics

	March 2020	March 2019	Percent Change	2020 Year-to-Date Total	2019 Year-to-Date Total
Physical Arrests – Felony	22	20	10%	71	74
Physical Arrests- Misdemeanor	38	51	-25%	197	158
911 Calls for Service-Law Enforcement	1,612	1,749	-8%	5,100	5,026
Hazardous Citations Issued	89	127	-30%	326	301
Non-Hazardous Citations Issued	44	39	13%	176	152
Detective Bureau - Cases Reviewed	419	187	124%	1,031	533
Detective Bureau Clearance Rate	100%	56%	44%	91%*	71%*
Fire Related Calls	215	136	58%	547	317
Structure Fires	3	3	0%	6	6
Emergency Medical Responses	175	281	-38%	759	939
Response to Resistance	6	1	500%	10	8

* Average of year-to-date



Community Based Policing



- **Meetings/Trainings**
 - Sobriety Court

- **Events / Presentations / Kids ID**
 - Suicide Awareness Assembly at Handy Middle School.
 - Lock down drills at Zion Lutheran, Immanuel Lutheran, Handy Middle School, Central High School, Western High School, and Auburn Elementary.
 - Read with students at Immanuel Lutheran.
 - Bay County Youth Leadership Program.

- **Blight / Code Enforcement**
 - Community Policing is continuing to enforce blight and disabled vehicles. They are still working heavily with Code Enforcement on the abatement process of several properties throughout the city.

- **Hours spent in low to moderate income areas**
 - 345.75

Patrol Operations Division



Quality Service Opportunities

- **First Platoon**
 - During the month of March, officers from Green Platoon have checked into a dementia patient on Joseph St to check on her well-being. She has appreciated and remembered the officers while they checked on her.
- **Second Platoon**
 - None at this time.

Agency Assist

- **First Platoon**
 - On March 4, officers from the Green Platoon assisted Homeland Security with a federal warrant served upon a Bay City resident.
 - On March 19, officers from the Green Platoon assisted a Department of Corrections employee attempting to apprehend a subject under their supervision who has a warrant for their arrest. The subject observed the probation officer and took flight.
 - On March 23, two sergeants assisted the Department of Homeland Security with a search warrant.

- **Second Platoon**
 - None at this time.

Enforcement Efforts

- **First Platoon**
 - None at this time
- **Second Platoon**
 - None at this time

Traffic Enforcement Details

- **First Platoon**
 - 1st Shift Green Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 11 hours and 45 minutes working the following areas: Broadway Ave, Henry St., Marquette Ave, Thomas St., Jenny St., Water St, Midland St., McKinley St., and 11th St.
 - 1st Shift Blue Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total 35 hours and 20 minutes in the following areas: Washington Ave, Madison Ave, McKinley St, Columbus Ave, Broadway Ave, Garfield Ave, Center Ave, Trumbull St, Henry St, Midland St, State St, and Salzburg Ave
- **Second Platoon**
 - 2nd Shift Blue Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 132 hours and 46 minutes working the following areas: 7th St, Broadway St, Columbus Ave, Cass Ave, Garfield Ave, Hart St, Henry St, Johnson St, Joseph St, Lafayette Ave, Lincoln St, Madison Ave, McKinley St, Michigan Ave, Marquette Ave, Midland St, N Union St, Sixth St, State St, Van Buren St, Washington Ave, Water St, Wenona Ave, and Woodside Ave
 - 2nd Shift Green Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 156 hours and 49 minutes working the following areas: 18th St, Broadway St, Cass Ave, Columbus Ave, Center Ave, S Euclid Ave, Farragut St, Fisher St, Johnson St, Lincoln St, Lafayette Ave, Michigan Ave, Midland St, North Union St, Saginaw St, Salzburg Ave, State St, Washington Ave, Wenona Ave, and Woodside Ave

Crime Suppression Efforts

- **First Platoon**
 - Officers completed 78 Park checks totaling approximately 16 hours and 09 minutes.
 - Officers completed 194 actions of “Appeared Secure” for building checks.
 - Officers left door hangers at a total of 66 businesses. Officers recorded checks totaling approximately 20 hours and 0 minutes.
 - Officers continue to complete C.O.P. stops daily during their shift totaling 90 for the month.

- **Second Platoon**
 - Officers completed 158 Park checks totaling approximately 25 hours and 25 minutes.
 - Officers completed 194 actions of “Appeared Secure” for building checks.
 - Officers left door hangers at a total of 112 businesses.
 - Officers recorded business checks totaling approximately 11 hours and 59 minutes spent on checks.
 - Officers are continuing to do C.O.P. stops nightly, totaling 115 for the month.

RESERVE UNIT ACTIVITY

- The Reserve Unit finished their training academy and were sworn in on March 11.

Support Operations Division

Detective Bureau Recap

The Detective Bureau investigated an indecent exposure case in which a man stood in the open entry door of his home masturbating in front of a minor neighbor. A detective interviewed several witnesses and previous neighbors about the man and his behaviors, all of them corroborated the suspect’s unusual behavior. The suspect’s wife told the Detective Bureau that the suspect would not talk with him. The Prosecutor’s Office issued a felony aggravated indecent exposure warrant for the suspect.

Other Agency Assist

- Nothing to report

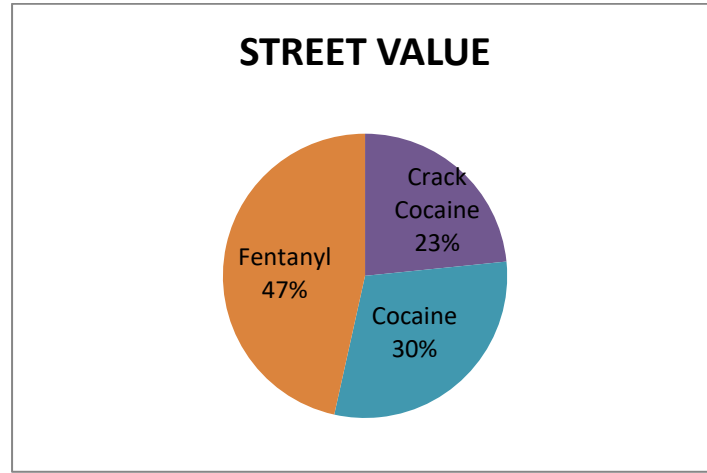
Quality Service Opportunities

- A Corporal gave a presentation to Youth Leadership Bay County on evidence procedures and fire investigations.

Identification Bureau Activity

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Background Checks – 22 • Bicycles Logged in – 0 • Call Outs – 6 • Court Ordered Fingerprints – 13 • Evidence / Property Logged in- 214 • Evidence / Property Disposed of – 35 • Impounds Logged In – 17 • In Custody Fingerprints - 0 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Property Inquisitions - 5 • Photo Cases Logged in – 159 • Photo Uploads to Prosecutor – 68 • Prosecutor Requests – 8 • Officer Requests – 11 • Applicant Prints – 4 • Telephone Inquiries – 55 • Miscellaneous Requests - 14 |
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V.I.P.E.R./F.B.I. Safe Streets Taskforce



DRUG TYPE	STREET VALUE
Fentanyl	\$4,175
Cocaine	\$2,700
Crack Cocaine	\$2,100

VIPER / SSTF

Active Cases	12
Search Warrants	4
Arrests	4
Outside Agency Assist	1
Traffic Stops	3

Northeast Michigan Trafficking and Exploitation Task Force

Active Cases	26
Search Warrants	0
Arrests	0
Outside Agency Assist	0
Forensic Exams	1

Fire Operations Division



Operational Assignments

- Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) – A total of 25 air bottles were filled and 1 bottle was repaired. 3 SCBA units were repaired in-house and 3 were sent out for repair and returned.
- Radios – A headset in 1 Aerial was malfunctioning and the issue is being addressed with FIRECOM.
- Hose – Annual hose testing has been postponed until further notice due to COVID-19.
- Vehicle Maintenance – The reserve apparatus recently had new rear springs installed. 1 Aerial's ladder issues were addressed. Engine 1's hydraulic leak was repaired, and the new driver seat was installed. No major issues with Engine's 2, 4, and 5.
- Water/Ice Rescue – A complete inventory of all ice and water rescue equipment was done for each engine/truck. A running list was created for future use. Weekly and monthly testing of boat 4 and equipment completed and in ready condition. Rescue boat 4 continues to be assigned at Station 1 while Veteran's boat launch is out of service due to high river levels.
- Small Tools/Equipment Maintenance – Annual maintenance of jaws of life equipment is scheduled for May.

- Emergency Medical Services (EMS) – Inventoried all medical stock and personal protective equipment (PPE) at all stations. Ordered N95 masks, gowns, hoods, eye protection, gloves, hand sanitizer; all on back order due to COVID-19.
- Michigan EMS Information System (MI-EMSIS) – Verified with MI-EMSIS that the reports for February were automatically submitted by ESO on our behalf.
- Continuing Education Units (CEUs) – All CEUs have been cancelled until further notice due to COVID-19. All credits will be reapplied for with the state when the social distancing restrictions are lifted.
- Central Dispatch/911 Liaison – Beginning on or about March 15, dispatch protocols pertaining to COVID-19 response were being changed and/or updated multiple times a day. Through the coordinated efforts of central dispatch, the county fire chiefs, Bay County Medical Control, McLaren EMS, and other affected agencies, proper procedures and protocols are now in place that will protect personnel and still allow them to maintain service levels during this pandemic.
- Quality Assurance– NFIRS reports for the month of March were completed, achieving an average of 99% over the eleven categories that are reviewed.
- SDS Sheets – Books at all stations are current with no updates needed.
- Building Maintenance – The City Parks Department used their stump grinder to remove the stumps from the 3 trees that were cut down at Station 4. A ballast for a bedroom light at Station 4 has been replaced. The state conducted their annual CSD-1 inspection of the boilers at each station.
- Uniforms – Job shirts and polo shirts were received from an order that was placed last month. The pants are on back order.
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) – Completed all aspects of internal turnout gear inspections, sent another batch of gear out for advanced inspection, then re-distributed and inventoried accordingly. Repaired 1 broken helmet. Ordered new boots as replacement for defective boots, also contacted distributor concerning warranty on some defective boots.
- City-Owned Automatic External Defibrillators (AEDs) – All city owned AED's are accounted for and in good working order.
- Supplies – An inventory was conducted with supplies ordered accordingly, most of which were geared toward COVID-19 sanitizing.
- Pre-surveys – Waiting to resume pre-surveys once new software has been purchased.

Quality Service Opportunities

- There were no quality service opportunities in March.

Mutual Aid

- The Fire Division received mutual aid on 2 occasions during March.
- The Fire Division provided mutual aid on 1 occasion in March.

Regional Response Team 31/TECHNICAL RESCUE TEAM (RRT)

- There was no activity in March.

Fire Marshal

- Fire Investigations – 2 investigations were conducted.
- Inspections – 5 inspections were done for liquor licenses and service stations.
- Plan Review – None.
- Marijuana Applications – Reviewed and approved 1 application.
- Smoke Detector Program – Installed smoke detectors in 2 residences.
- Training – Trained on driving and pumping on Engine 1, Aerial 1, and 912.
- Complaints – 1 complaint was resolved.

Fire Incidents Investigated

- During the month of March, 2 fire investigations were conducted.
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Departmental Training

Fire Operations

- On March 4, training on size up, reading smoke, and cancer mitigation.
- On March 3, 6, 9, walk through at 111 N. Water Street for each shift.

Law Enforcement

- On March 13, an accident investigator attended Damage Assessment Training.