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*“If your actions
inspire others to
dream more, learn
more, do more and
become more, you are
a leader.”*

-John Quincy Adams

Department Statistics

	November 2020	November 2019	Percent Change	2020 Year-to- Date Total	2019 Year-to- Date Total
Physical Arrests – Felony	12	25	-52%	261	325
Physical Arrests- Misdemeanor	21	65	-68%	453	712
911 Calls for Service-Law Enforcement	1,685	1,710	-1%	19,507	20,955
Hazardous Citations Issued	96	79	22%	1,016	1,191
Non-Hazardous Citations Issued	37	54	-31%	436	609
Detective Bureau Clearance Rate	86%	88%	-2%	78%*	83%*
Fire Related Calls	110	126	-13%	2,849	1,684
Structure Fires	2	1	100%	14	18
Emergency Medical Responses	372	278	34%	2,256	3,256
Response to Resistance	4	3	33%	48	44

* Average of year-to-date



Community Based Policing



- **Meetings/Trainings**
 - Bay County Probation / Parole Case Management Meeting
 - Bay County Sobriety Court
 - Target Solutions
- **Events / Presentations / Kids ID**
 - Bay City All Saints lock down drill
- **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**
 - 228

Patrol Operations Division



Quality Service Opportunities

- **First Platoon**
 - An officer in training and a field training officer observed a group of teenagers playing basketball. The two stopped and “challenged” the teens to a game. Although the Officer in training only scored one point, he was able to build rapport with the teens.
 - An officer assisted a recent domestic violence victim with obtaining food, clothing, and medical supplies.

- **Second Platoon**
 - An officer on general patrol at approximately 0300hrs located a subject laying on a lawn extension next to a bicycle. The subject was highly intoxicated and very cold, due to the cold temperatures. The officer eventually was able to wake the individual and get him medical treatment for possible hypothermia.

Agency Assist

- **First Platoon**
 - None for the month of November.

- **Second Platoon**
 - None for the month of November.

Enforcement Efforts

- **First Platoon**
 - On November 1, an officer heard county radio traffic that a suspected intoxicated driver was heading towards the city. The officer waited at the city limit and was able to locate the suspect vehicle. The officer observed poor driving and conducted a traffic stop. The officer conducted standardized field sobriety tests and subsequently arrested the driver for operating while impaired.
 - On November 8, an officer observed a suspect from a previous assault with a deadly weapon incident at the corner of N. Monroe St. and Columbus Ave. Upon the officer addressing the subject he fled on foot. The officer located the subject hiding inside Jaimie's store. The suspect was arrested for assault with a dangerous weapon.
- **Second Platoon**
 - On November 6, an officer investigated a subject sitting in a parked vehicle on the street in a dark area. The contact led to a petition request being sent to the Prosecutor's Office for minor in possession of alcohol and a probation violation.
 - On November 11, officers on patrol stopped two different vehicles for minor traffic violations. Both resulted in driver's being cited for driving without insurance and the vehicles being impounded.
 - On November 17, an officer on patrol observed a vehicle traveling over Liberty Bridge. The vehicle was crossing over the solid white line. The vehicle was stopped and the driver arrested for operating while impaired.
 - On November 17, an officer on general patrol came upon three teenagers roaming the area of Center Avenue and Trumbull Avenue with a backpack. Two of the teenagers were cited for curfew violations and one seventeen-year-old was cited for possession of a vaping device.
 - On November 20, an officer stopped a vehicle because it had an unreadable license plate. The driver was subsequently arrested and lodged in the Saginaw County Jail for twelve outstanding warrants for their arrest.
 - On November 27, an officer on general patrol noticed three juveniles roaming the streets. As he attempted to contact them, two fled on bicycles. The other was detained and charged with a curfew violation.

Traffic Enforcement Details

- **First Platoon**
 - 1st Shift Green Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 85 hours and 37 minutes working the following areas: Henry St, Ionia St, Jefferson St, Center Ave, Johnson St, Columbus Ave, Lincoln St, Lafayette Ave, 7th St, McKinley Ave, Fisher St, Saginaw St, Water St.

- 1st Shift Blue Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 117 hours and 25 minutes in the following areas: AuSable State St, Smith St, Marquette Ave, Indy Bridge, Columbus Ave, Lincoln St, Madison Ave, Trumbull Ave, Center Ave, Water St, 18th St, Lafayette Ave., Henry St, Euclid Ave.
- **Second Platoon**
 - 2nd Shift Blue Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 159 hours and 39 minutes working the following areas: Adams St, Ann St, Au Sable St, Bangor St, Birney St, Center Ave, Clara St, Columbus Ave, N. Dean St, Euclid Ave, Farragut St, Fisher St, Fitzhugh St, Henry St, Indiana St, Ionia St, John St, Jefferson St, Jenny St, Johnson St, Lafayette Ave, Linn St, Main St, Marquette Ave, McKinley Ave, Murphy St, Ohio St, Polk St, River Rd, Saginaw St, Seventh St, Stanton St, State St, Tenth St, Thomas St, Trumbull St, Van Buren St, Vermont St, Walnut St, Water St, Wenona Ave, White St, Wilder Rd, William St, Woodside Ave, 14th St, and 31st St
 - 2nd Shift Green Platoon officers worked traffic enforcement while on patrol for a total of 164 hours and 19 minutes working the following areas: Thomas St, Jenny St, S Water St, State St, McKinley Ave., N. Henry St, S. Henry St., N Johnson St.
 - On Saturday, November 28, Nights Blue deployed an officer as a Traffic Enforcement/Operating While Intoxicated Patrol from 6pm to 2am. The detail produced four stops for speeding, equipment violations, and insurance violations. One citation was written for speeding, and one was written for the insurance violation. Two verbal warnings were issued for the equipment violations.

Crime Suppression Efforts

- **First Platoon**
 - Officers completed 105 Park checks totaling approximately 11 hours and 5 minutes.
 - Officers completed 59 actions of “Appeared Secure” for building checks.
 - Officers left door hangers at a total of 34 businesses. Officers recorded checks totaling approximately 4 hours and 35 minutes.
 - Officers continue to complete C.O.P. stops daily during their shift totaling 71 for the month.
- **Second Platoon**
 - Officers completed 325 Park checks totaling approximately 49 hours and 19 minutes.
 - Officers completed 465 actions of “Appeared Secure” for building checks.
 - Officers left door hangers at a total of 299 businesses.
 - Officers recorded business checks totaling approximately 27 hours and 53 minutes spent on checks.
 - Officers are continuing to do C.O.P. stops nightly, totaling 150 for the month.

RESERVE UNIT ACTIVITY

- No activity for the month of November.

Support Operations Division

Detective Bureau Recap

- Detectives responded to Bigelow Park for a car in the river and assisted Patrol Operations Division with the investigation. Two victims were transported to McLaren Bay Region and later were pronounced deceased. Detectives attended the autopsies which were ruled accidental drowning. The investigation at this time shows no evidence of foul play and it is believed to be an accident.

Other Agency Assist

- None for the month of November.

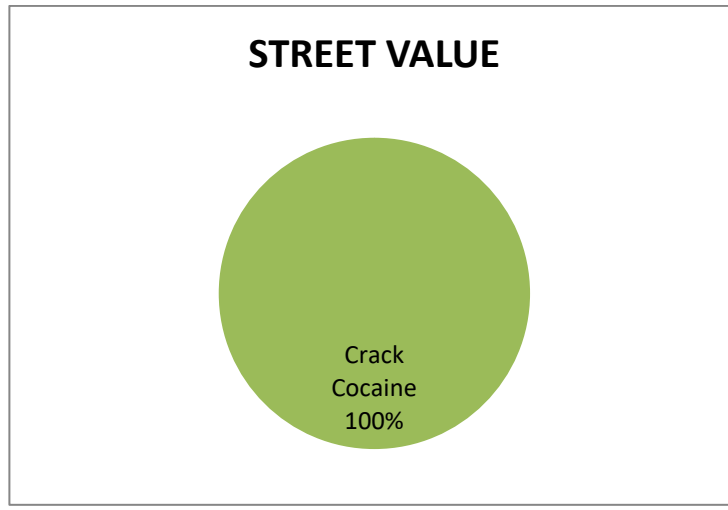
Quality Service Opportunities

- None for the month of November.

Identification Bureau Activity

- Evidence / Property Logged in- **94**
- Evidence / Property Disposed of – **42**
- Evidence items moved to TIMS reporting system – **0**

V.I.P.E.R./F.B.I. Safe Streets Taskforce



DRUG TYPE	STREET VALUE
Crack Cocaine	\$200

VIPER / SSTF

Active Cases	4
Search Warrants	1
Arrests	0
Outside Agency Assist	1
Traffic Stops	0

Northeast Michigan Trafficking and Exploitation Task Force

Active Cases	19
Search Warrants	0
Arrests	0
Outside Agency Assist	12
Forensic Exams	6

Fire Operations Division



Operational Assignments

- Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) – 45 air bottles were filled and 9 air packs were repaired.
- Radios – No new information to report.
- Hose – No new information to report.
- Gas Meters – No new information to report.
- Vehicle Maintenance – Engine 1 had parts on order for the following issues: broken ladder cradle, leaking discharge valve, a leaking cab-lift cylinder, and a missing bleeder valve for a pre-connect. Engine 2 was taken out of service since the officer's box weld broke; Engine 5 is now Engine 2. Engine 4 had new shocks, bushings, and radiator hoses installed. Engine 4 also has an air leak that the City barn is trying to locate and fix. The Reserve Engine has been moved to a frontline apparatus and is now Engine 5. Engine 5 had new front tires installed and an inoperable cab lift system is being addressed. 1 Aerial's ladder compartment door remains broken and is being addressed. The Utility truck was outfitted with a new snowplow.
- Water/Ice Rescue – Weekly and monthly testing of boat 1 and equipment completed and in ready condition.
- Small Tools/Equipment Maintenance – Still working on the PPV fan from Station 2 to see if it is salvageable.
- Emergency Medical Services (EMS) – Placed an order for COVID-19 PPE supplies; hand sanitizer, exam gloves, sanitizer wipes, isolation gowns, and N95 masks. PPE stock is in good standing for all items required for safe interactions with the community.
- Michigan EMS Information System (MI-EMSIS) – November reports were imported to the State. ESO is continuing to work on correcting and resubmitting reports from September and October.
- Continuing Education Units (CEUs) – There were no credits for November.

- Central Dispatch/911 Liaison – All Fire Division units are responding under a revised dispatch protocol. With COVID-19 positive cases so widespread in Bay County, internal response directives have been established to limit exposure and conserve PPE. These response directives are in accordance with the state protocol.
- Quality Assurance – NFIRS reports for the month of November were completed; achieved an average of 97% over the 11 categories that are reviewed.
- SDS Sheets – Books at all stations are current with no updates needed.
- Building Maintenance – Still trying to get a chimney sweep to inspect and clean the chimney at Station 1; all the vendors I have contacted are not returning the City of Bay City contracts. Working on a roof estimate to replace the roof at Station 5. Expecting an estimate to replace the outdated lighting in the apparatus bays at Station 1.
- Uniforms – White uniform shirts were ordered.
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) – Updated gear inventory in computer database and prepared new round of gear to send out for advanced inspection.
- City-Owned Automatic External Defibrillators (AEDs) –A new battery was installed in the AED for the Fire Chief's vehicle. New pediatric pads were placed in the AED at the Wastewater Treatment Plant. Unable to access the AEDs at City Hall due to COVID-19 closure. All other city owned AED's are accounted for and in good working order.
- Hazardous Materials /Tier II – No new information to report.
- Supplies – An inventory was conducted, and an order was placed which included additional sanitizing supplies.
- Pre-surveys – Working with the Fire Marshal on data entry into the Properties & Inspections module of new ESO software.

Quality Service Opportunities

- On November 6, a lieutenant provided the Community Policing Unit with assistance in cleaning graffiti within the downtown business district.

Mutual Aid

- The Fire Division did not receive mutual aid on any occasion in November.
- The Fire Division provided mutual aid on 2 occasions in November.

Regional Response Team 31/TECHNICAL RESCUE TEAM (RRT)

- On November 11, personnel responded to an RRT hazmat response at 2402 W. Salzburg, Williams Township.

Fire Marshal

- Fire Investigations – No investigations were conducted.
- Inspections – 12 inspections were conducted.
- Plan Review – None.
- Marijuana Applications – 2 applications were reviewed and approved.

- Smoke Detector Program – Smoke detectors were installed in 2 residences.
- Training – Target Solutions software training.
- Complaints – 1 burning complaint was resolved.
- Other – Created fire safety plans for 1 residence. Scheduled walk-throughs for 333 Morton Street for all 3 shifts. Multiple hours of importing data into new ESO software.

Fire Incidents Investigated

- There were 2 structure fires investigated in November.
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Departmental Training

Fire Operations

- On November 9, 10, 11, EVO Cone Course.
- Completion of MIOSHA Part 74 required training through Target Solutions.
- Two engineers attended Part II of Hazardous Materials Technician training and passed their certification tests.

Law Enforcement

- Public Safety Officers completed Target Solutions training: Firefighter Part 74 training topics