

Gladstone Police Department
Monthly Report
January 2021





GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT CHIEF'S MONTHLY REPORT TO CITY ADMINISTRATOR AND COUNCIL



CHIEF'S REPORT

January 2021

Greetings,

2021 has started well for the Gladstone Police Department. During the month of January, we were able to fill our last Sergeants position by hiring Sgt. Travis Hill. Sgt. Hill is a 20 year veteran police officer who brings a tremendous amount of experience in community outreach and engagement, investigative and operational strategies and overall law enforcement operations. Sgt. Hill has a deep passion for the city and community members and looks forward to a long career with the City of Gladstone.

If you remember, during 2020, we also filled our last two police officer positions with one lateral candidate and one brand new officer. After completing his training, Officer Lau will be released to solo status this week, meaning he has successfully completed his training. Officer Lau has proven to be a valued addition to the police department and is enjoying his time in Gladstone. Officer Winters successfully completed his training at the Police Academy and is currently in training with his field training officer. His training continues and he is making good progress towards completion.

As we continue into 2021, the police department is preparing for and looking forward to working with the community on strategic planning, participating in a citizen's academy and creating new partnerships and relationships throughout our community. In the meantime, under COVID conditions, we will continue to focus our efforts in engaging our community when and where we can, traffic safety and ensuring the safety and security of our community and overcoming this pandemic together.

I want to provide a brief update on the "Zombie" house located on Manor Dr. While we continue to work with the county to find relief for the neighborhood, we were informed that next steps on foreclosure will occur in April. This date may or may not be pushed out once again based on changes or extensions to the foreclosure rules as outlined by the State but we are crossing our fingers.

I hope you all remain safe and healthy!

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Schmerber".

John Schmerber, Chief of Police



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT
MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT

JANUARY 2021



"Respect ~Service ~Character ~Passion"

GENERAL STATISTICS/TYPE	THIS MONTH	YTD THIS YEAR	YTD LAST YEAR	% +/-	TOP 5 TRAFFIC CITE CHARGES	
Dispatched Incidents	480	480	671	-28.46%	Speeding	31
Officer Initiated Incidents	546	546	274	99.27%	Driving While Suspended	24
Total Number of Incidents	1026	1,026	945	8.57%	Improper Display - Plates	21
Police Reports Filed	272	272	274	-0.73%	Operate Without Lights	21
Traffic Contacts	300	300	198	51.52%	Fail to Carry Proof of Insurance	20
Citations Issued (Charges)	182	182	68	167.65%	ALARM ADMINISTRATION REPORT	
DUII	3	3	2	50.00%	Renewals Billed	33
Community Policing Contacts	8	8	10	-20.00%	Renewal Fees Collected	\$775.00
Murder	0	0	0	0.00%	Senior Exempt Permits	0
K9 Deployment	1	1	5	-80.00%	New Permits Issued	5
Tow Releases	4	4	0	400.00%	False Alarms w/No Permit	7
					1st False Alarm Events	5
					2nd False Alarm Events	0
					3rd False Alarm Events	1
					False alarm fees collected	\$0.00
					False alarm fees billed	\$250.00



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SELECTED CALLS FOR SERVICE**	THIS MONTH	YTD THIS YEAR	YTD LAST YEAR	% +/-	SPECIFIC OVERTIME CATAGORIES	HOURS
Abuse/Neglect	0	0	4	-100.00%	Cover Short Shift	173.50
Accident/Injury or Fatal	1	1	2	-50.00%	Court	14.00
Accident/Property Damage	6	6	8	-25.00%	Training	18.00
Assault	1	1	4	-75.00%	Presentations/Meetings	0.00
Burglary	1	1	4	-75.00%	Other	0.00
Domestic/Family Disturbance	17	17	25	-32.00%	SWAT	0.00
Drugs/Narcotics	2	2	2	0.00%	K9	11.00
Disturbance-Fights-Noise	6	6	14	-57.14%	SRO	0.00
Forgery/Fraud	9	9	4	125.00%		
Hit and Run	3	3	1	200.00%		
Ordinance Violations	18	18	6	200.00%		
Runaway/Missing	2	2	11	-81.82%		
Sex Offense	3	3	2	50.00%		
Suicide Attempt/Threat	9	9	9	0.00%		
Suspicious Person or Circumstance	44	44	62	-29.03%		
Thefts	18	18	19	-5.26%		
Trespass/Prowler	9	9	13	-30.77%		
Vandalism	15	15	8	87.50%		
Vehicles Recovered	1	1	2	-50.00%		
Vehicles Stolen	3	3	1	200.00%		
Death(Not Suicide/Murder)	0	0	1	-100.00%		

**Coded at time of dispatch, not final disposition



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT BIAS MONTHLY REPORT TO CITY ADMINISTRATOR AND COUNCIL



BIAS MONTHLY REPORT

Reported by: Lieutenant Tim Gerkman

January 2021

Bias incidents: 1 Case # 21-00507

Female reports being autistic. She engages with people in a Facebook Chatroom and some were saying mean things to her or calling her names. She believes it was due to her being autistic, though there was no evidence to support it. Members of the group chat were from all over the country. This particular person claimed to reside in Minnesota. She was advised to not communicate with people in chat rooms she does not know.

Words and names alone do not constitute a crime in this situation. However, she believes the words and name-calling is due to her disability so this event is classified as a "Bias Incident".

Bias Crimes: 1 Case # 21-02034

Victim reports vandalism to his vehicle by slashing 3 of the 4 tires. Victim reports he has a "Trump sticker" on his vehicle. He believes the perpetrators targeted him because he is white and Christian, though there is no evidence to support this. A witness reports seeing 2 black males running from the truck after it was vandalized. There is no additional suspect description or information for follow-up.

Because a crime was committed and the victim believes he was targeted due to his race and religion, this event is classified as a "Bias Crime".



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT CODE ENFORCEMENT MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER MONTHLY REPORT

Prepared by Sean Boyle

January 2021

January 2021 STATS

- 14 Abandoned Vehicles
- 4 Animal Complaints
- 3 Assist GPD/GFD - Warrant service, Car Fire, Transient Camp
- 20 Details – To include but not limited to meetings, training, equipment/vehicle
- 26 Follow Ups
- 17 Ordinance Complaints/Inquires
- 6 Parking Complaints
- 11 Premise Checks
- 1 Property Calls
- 3 Public Assists

105 TOTAL CALLS

NEW CASES:

W FAIRFIELD – JUNK KEEPING & SOLID WASTE



W GLOUCESTER – SCATTERING RUBBISH



CALDWELL RD – JUNK KEEPING



**CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER
MONTHLY REPORT Continued.....**

W EXETER – SOLID WASTE & JUNK KEEPING



CORNELL AVE – JUNK KEEPING



VALLEY VIEW – NOXIOUS VEGETATION



TREASURE AUTO - ILLICIT DISCHARGE



TREASURE AUTO IS VOLUNTARILY WORKING WITH PUBLIC WORKS TO PREVENT ADDITIONAL ILLICIT DISCHARGES INTO THE STORM SYSTEM. TEMPORARY MITIGATION MEASURES HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED WHILE A PERMANENT SOLUTION IS BEING APPROVED.



**GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT
PATROL CODE ENFORCEMENT
MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL**



**PATROL CODE ENFORCEMENT
MONTHLY REPORT**

Prepared by Jim Leake

January 2021

This month GPD Patrol Officers responded to several Code Enforcement related incidents:

- 9 Parking Complaints
- 5 Abandoned Vehicles
- 12 Animal Complaints
- 3 Noise Complaints
- 39 Premise Checks

The patrol officers are assisting Code Enforcement by addressing issues as they come into contact with them.

This month our parking complaints held steady and our abandoned vehicles moved up slightly as officers address those issues. There were more vehicles address throughout the city by our code enforcement officer (See Boyle's Report for more detail).

Our animal complaints increased slightly with 12 calls. Two subjects were cited for the behavior of their dogs.

Noise complaints are way down as it seems people are getting used to their neighbors being home more often and the fact that the weather is colder, less people are outside.

Officers have added premise checks to their proactive events and this relates to code enforcement as they are checking vacant houses, parks, businesses and other areas that need increased presence.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT DETECTIVES MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



DETECTIVES MONTHLY REPORT

Prepared by Detective Fich

January 2021

New Cases Assigned:

1. 21-01837 Rape I. GPD call out 01/26/21

Current Caseload:

1. 20-023249 Rape I. Assigned 10/29/2020
2. 20-024100 Elder Financial Abuse. Assigned 11/12/2020
3. 20-023707 Encouraging Child Sexual Abuse. Assigned 11/12/2020
4. 20-026091 Rape II. Assigned 12/09/2020
5. 20-027592 Juvenile Sexual Abuse. Assigned 12/29/2020
6. 21-01837 Rape I. GPD call out 01/26/21

Cases Cleared:

1. 20-027663 Suspicious Death. Assigned 12/30/2020. Forwarded to ME on 01/05/21
2. WLPD 20-006204. Misconduct and Sexual Abuse of patients. Assigned 12/10/2020. Completed 01/11/20
3. 20-005389 Check Fraud. Assigned 04/07/2020. Forward to Clackamas County District Attorney's Office 01/12/21
4. 20-007885 Check Fraud. Assigned 04/14/2020. Forward to Clackamas County District Attorney's Office 01/12/21



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT DETECTIVES MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



DETECTIVES MONTHLY REPORT

Prepared by Detective Gilliam

January 2021

New Cases Assigned: 5

1. 21-001550 – Juvenile Sex Abuse (assigned 1/22/2021)
2. 21-001573 – Theft I (assigned 1/22/2021)
3. 21-001578 – Fraud/Extortion (assigned 1/22/2021)
4. 21-001944 – Juvenile Sex Abuse (assigned 1/27/2021)
5. 21-002116 – Juvenile Sex Abuse (assigned 1/30/2021)

Cases Cleared: 1

1. 21-001944 – Juvenile Sex Abuse

Current Caseload: 7

1. 20-010600 – Child Pornography
2. 20-026321 – Juvenile Sex Abuse
3. 20-026676 – Rape/Sodomy
4. 21-001550 – Juvenile Sex Abuse
5. 21-001573 – Theft I
6. 21-001578 – Fraud/Extortion
7. 21-002116 – Juvenile Sex Abuse

Vehicle Fire 01/07/2021



Notes/Highlights (chronological order):

1. Attended two Human Trafficking virtual teleconference (VTC) meetings (1/06/2021)
2. Responded to a vehicle fire at a business in Gladstone and took photos (1/07/2021)
3. Attended Blue to Gold University's *Traffic Stops and K9s* online training (1/08/2021)
4. Assisted Milwaukie PD with surveillance on an all-day Human Trafficking operation where multiple suspects were arrested (1/11/2021)
5. Completed a 2-hour online course in *Verbal De-escalation* training (1/12/2021)
6. Completed a 2-hour online course in *Autism Awareness* training (1/12/2021)
7. Attended Marion County's VTC on *Homelessness & Human Trafficking* (1/12/2021)
8. Attended the Major Crimes Team (MCT) monthly VTC meeting (1/14/2021)
9. Attended the 3-hour *Scenarios for Patrol Tactics Trainers* online training (1/22/2021)
10. Served a search warrant on a residence in Gladstone involving someone suspected of possessing child pornography. Multiple agencies were involved. Electronics were recovered and are being analyzed by computer forensics technicians. (1/26/2021)
11. Attended an interview at the Children's Center regarding a child abuse investigation (1/26/2021)



**GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT
K9 MONTHLY REPORT
TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL**



K9 MONTHLY REPORT

Prepared by: Officer Olson

January 2021

K9 Nanuk is a four-and-a-half-year-old German Shepherd born in Slovakia. At seven weeks old he was sold to a man in Germany who started training him. To breed a dog in Germany, the dog must achieve a sport title. The primary sport is schutzhund. Schutzhund training is comprised of three separate parts, obedience, tracking, and protection work. The dog can accomplish three levels of titles from this training. K9 Nanuk was imprinted with the beginning knowledge in schutzhund training, however he was sold at a young age and had not achieved a title before he was sold. Most working dogs are sold to kennels where police agencies purchase them and continue their training for police work.

Officer	K9 Deployments GPD	K9 Deployments Other Agencies	K9 Training Hours
Olson		1	14

The month of January we had one deployment. We just started a track for a subject who ran from Clackamas County Sheriff's Office at the corner of Portland Ave and Hull Ave when a Deputy spotted the subject a short distance away. The Deputy went in foot pursuit of the suspect. The suspect ran into near waist deep water in the wetlands and surrendered to the Deputies. He was taken into custody without incident.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



OPERATIONS MONTHLY REPORT

Prepared by Sgt. Okerman

January 2021

1/1:

- Just after midnight, while on DUII patrol for the holiday, a speeder was stopped on McLoughlin Blvd. and was arrested for DUII. BAC .18%

1/6:

- GFD called to report a subject had stopped at the station to report someone had placed a bomb in his van. Officers that responded were familiar with the subject who has drug induced mental health issues. Officers were able to use CIT training to calm the subject and confirmed the "bomb threat" was a mental health related issue and help was offered.

1/14:

- A driver was stopped for a traffic violation and officers learned he had a warrant. While detaining the driver he resisted arrest. Officers were able to safely get the driver in custody. Driver stated he resisted only to close and lock his door so officers could not search it.
- Officers were called to a domestic disturbance where a subject damaged a bird cage and threw it across the room. The same subject also had several warrants for his arrest. The subject was cited for the warrants and the new crimes.

1/20:

- Sgt. Hill was flagged down by a citizen who had locked her keys in the car at the laundry mat. He contacted the subject's husband for her by going through his employer. Another sergeant went to Milwaukie to get the keys from the husband and delivered them so the subject could get in her car and drive home.

1/22:

- An officer conducting a follow up investigation into a recovered stolen license plate learned the suspect has serious felony warrants with multiple cautions. The subject was tracked down to the Budget Inn. Officers worked a surveillance mission for several days and were eventually able to safely apprehend this wanted subject who had fled the motel and was hiding under cars in the neighboring car dealership.
- A single vehicle traffic crash occurred at Oatfield Rd and Webster Rd. The driver was going too fast for the conditions and spun out crashing into a fence.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



OPERATIONS MONTHLY REPORT Continued.....

1/24:

- On a traffic stop the driver provided a falsified out of state driver license. The driver was detained and positively identified. Two additional fake IDs were located in a search of the subject's wallet.

1/29:

- A two vehicle injury crash occurred at Oatfield Rd and Webster Rd. One vehicle did not yield to the other and turned into it. The at fault driver was uninsured and not licensed.

1/30:

- A subject was stopped while looking through a business window in the middle of the night with a flashlight. The subject immediately turned to the officer and began yelling and aggressively coming toward the officer without provocation. Other officers arrived and they were able to calm the situation to a point they were able to determine the subject suffers from drug induced mental health issues.

Noteworthy:

- This month on this shift officers impounded 8 vehicles for driving uninsured or driving with a suspended license.
- The below screenshot was taken of the Oregon City Chit Chat page. Sergeant Okerman stopped to help a Clark County deputy who was assisting a subject who had locked her keys in her car at Heavenly Donuts. This was on 1/29 and the post was up within 15 minutes.





GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT

Prepared by: Sergeant Leake

January 2021

01-03-2021:

- Lau/Orr, Day and Leake responded to a DV call at Fairway Village Apartments. Officers arrived and one male had already left. A female was found in her vehicle and Lau/Orr spoke with her. Leake and Day spoke to a couple in the apartment who reported they thought the male who left was physically assaulting the other female or their dog. The male who left was contacted by phone and gave a story that a gun had been pulled on him during the fight. He gave a fake name, was very intoxicated. His story was different than the other three interviewed. A report was written to document but no charges were filed.

01-04-2021:

- Lau had been investigating a DV case where the suspect was in phone contact with Lau, but would not show up for interviews. Lau was finally able to speak with the suspect in person. He was taken into custody on DV assault charges.
- Olson and Leake were dispatched to a shoplift in progress at Kearns Market. Olson happened to be in the area and located the subject at the Nature Park. The subject did not follow commands and rode off through the park on a bike. The suspect was eventually taken into custody.
- Olson and Leake responded to a welfare check on a 16-year-old girl who was reported as missing from Michigan by Michigan State Police. The request was to make sure the girl was in a safe place. The parents did not want the child taken into custody on the missing person report. The girl was found to be in a safe place with a family that wanted to give her a stable place to live. MSP thanked us for the assist and was given contact info for the girl.

01-05-2021:

- Olson took a call of a female who had stopped in Gladstone to call police after having a confrontation with two subjects on small motor scooters who stabbed her tire and hit her car with some object.
- Olson was doing an area check near Webster and Strawberry when a call came out at the 7-11 on Hwy 212 of a robbery in progress. Olson arrived in time to catch the female suspect as she was leaving. She was detained for CCSO to investigate the robbery call.

01-07-2021:

- GPD assisted Gladstone Fire with a vehicle on fire across from the PD. The vehicle fire looked to have started from inside the vehicle and did not look like arson.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT Continued.....

01-09-2021:

- Herkamp took a criminal mischief to a vehicle where suspects flattened the tires of a vehicle and scratched the derogatory message "FAT PIG" into the hood. There were screws in the front tire and possibly soda pop poured on the vehicle. There was no suspect info and no cameras to aid in the investigation.

01-11-2021:

- Day made a traffic stop on a vehicle for speeding on Arlington at 37 mph in a 25 mph zone. The driver tried to use his brother's identification but some close hit warrants popped up. Day did a search for both the subject with the warrants and the identification presented to him by DMV and booking photos and found the driver was actually the wanted subject. He was also identified by his tattoos. The driver was detained and the warrants were confirmed. The subject finally admitted that he was the wanted subject. The driver was also DWS and had no proof of insurance and was parked illegally. Officer Butler was covering this stop and found several needles on the floor boards, a bong, and a glass pipe with a white substance inside. Due to the drug paraphernalia the vehicle was searched under the mobile vehicle exception. Officers found \$300, a scale, baggies and 12.9 grams of Heroin, 14 grams of Methamphetamine, 14 grams of Marijuana and other drugs and drug paraphernalia in the vehicle. The suspect claimed to have COVID 19 once he knew he was going to be taken to jail. Day transported him to the hospital and got him a rapid test, which was negative, then the suspect was lodged at jail. Both officers did a great job on this call.

01-12-2021:

- Hutchinson was dispatched to an assault call where it was reported that a 13-year-old assaulted a 5-year-old and the assault was caught on video. The video shows the older child kneeling the younger child in the stomach to take the TV remote away. There was a mark on the younger child that Hutchinson was able to see. Hutchinson arrested and transported the older child to JRC for Assault IV.
- A lot of rain on this shift, to the point that windshield wipers were not fast enough to clear the windows. There was flooding on Risley, Glen Echo and Hull to the point the roads were closed. Power was out to part of the city and around the county and transformers could be seen exploding. Trees began to fall and some roads were covered with debris.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT Continued.....

01-17-2021:

- Hutchinson and Herkamp responded to a very frantic caller who was reporting a nude male carrying a rifle into the store at the 76 Station at 82nd and Arlington. The male, who was acting very confused, was saying there was a snake in his van and there is a small woman in his van and made mention of a monster and radiation. The male ran off toward the McDonalds area and was found in his van near Subway. The subject self describes as bi-polar and schizophrenic. The subject was sent to the hospital on a POH and was not charged as no one stated he pointed the gun at them, and due to his mental state, the charge of disorderly conduct would be dropped. The gun turned out to be a BB gun.
- Herkamp took another criminal mischief from the same victim as on 01-09-21. The RP reports that her vehicle has had derogatory terms keyed into her car and another tire has been slashed. In addition to the previous damage where "FAT PIG" was scratched into her car, the term "F*** YOU" was scratched into her driver's door and the front tire had the sidewall slashed. There still does not appear to be a suspect in this case.

01-23-2021:

- Lau, Butler, Orr and Okerman responded to a domestic call regarding a physical domestic disturbance. Dispatch reported two males fighting outside the residence. Both subjects were contacted and were intoxicated. One subject was on probation for Assault IV and was not supposed to use alcohol. The subjects were cited for Disorderly Conduct.

01-24-2021:

- Butler initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle in Gladstone for an un-signalized turn. The driver was identified by a California Driver's Permit and had no proof of insurance. The ID was heavily altered with no photo and Butler thought something was amiss with the driver. He called for back-up and Okerman, Orr and Lau arrived. The male was taken into custody and admitted he knew the ID was altered and had been using since he got out of prison. The passenger in the vehicle admitted the male suspect makes fake documents. When arrested, the suspect was in possession of two more forged driver's licenses that had the same photo but different names. The male was arrested for Forgery I and Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument. He was lodged and jailed.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



PATROL UNIT MONTHLY REPORT Continued.....

01-25-2021:

- Winters/Olson were dispatched to a domestic call where a drunk male was reported as being verbal with his family. Leake/Hill went along as cover officers. Upon arrival the male was outside and very obviously intoxicated. He admitted to drinking two fifths of Fireball Whiskey. Winters and Olson went inside to speak with the female and found that there was at minimum, a harassment. As they dug deeper, the 70-year-old victim disclosed that the male subject had sexually assaulted her. Fast forward several hours, the male was taken into custody and taken to GPD. The victim was transported to Willamette Falls for a sex assault kit and was to meet with a victim's advocate. Detectives were called to begin writing warrants. The male was lodged later that morning on charges of Rape I and Sex Abuse I as well as Strangulation.
- Lau/Graves and Hutchinson responded to a call of a possible transient camp at the Nature Park. A camp was found and the occupant had felony warrants and was flagged as resist arrest and had assaulted police. The male was taken into custody without incident. As they walked back out of the park, Lau/Graves discovered two teen smoking marijuana in the park. A report was sent to the juvenile court for possession of a marijuana for a person under 21 years of age.

01-26-2021:

- Warrants were executed on the Rape I case involving the suspect. His clothing was taken and other things were searched/seized per the warrant. The suspect was lodged in jail on \$550,000 bail.
- Another search warrant was conducted being headed up by Det Gilliam. Several officers took part in the execution of the search warrant, in conjunction with the DOJ regarding child pornographic images being downloaded. The suspect was arrested and lodged on charges that stemmed from the allegations.

01-31-2021:

- Herkamp and Ofc Fich, found a wanted subject from a case Fich had been working. The subject was wanted for violation of a restraining order several times. The subject was taken into custody and was found in possession of 2.2 grams of methamphetamine and a gun. The subject is a felon so he was charged with misdemeanor drug possession and felon in possession of a firearm. He was lodged at jail.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT RECORDS UNIT MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



RECORDS UNIT MONTHLY REPORT

Reported by: Kristi Walls

January 2021

Welcome intern Elias Zamora. Elias is a Gladstone resident and graduate of GHS. He is in his senior year at PSU finishing up his BS in Criminology and Criminal Justice. Elias has been helping with the accreditation process. This is a huge time consuming project. Elias is a great asset to our team. We are lucky to have him.

We have been working on budget projections for 2021-2023 and have been working on year end reports. I will be putting together the annual report for the police department in the near future.



GLADSTONE POLICE DEPARTMENT TRAINING UNIT MONTHLY REPORT TO CHIEF AND COUNCIL



TRAINING UNIT MONTHLY REPORT

Prepared by: Sergeant Okerman

January 2021

The training unit strives to keep all Police Department members updated on legal and training issues. This is no small task considering that to maintain certification as a Police Officer in Oregon you must meet minimum requirements based on required annual or semi-annual training mandates. We also strive to send Officer's to training that may not be required, but relate to a particular Officer's field of expertise or for purposes of career development.

Officer	Training	Mandatory State/Federal	Hours
All Sworn	Autism Awareness	N/A	42
All Sworn	Verbal De-Escalation	N/A	50
Schmerber/Gerkman	Recruiting & Hiring	N/A	4
Okerman/Gilliam/Day	Scenarios for Patrol Tactics	N/A	9
Olson	Defense Tech Less Lethal	N/A	32
Total			137

All uniformed personnel completed two online training programs. The first was in the area of Autism Awareness and the other was Verbal De-escalation Training. Each program was two hours long.

Chief Schmerber and LT Gerkman participated in a two-hour webinar on Diversity in Recruiting and Hiring for Law Enforcement.

Sergeant Okerman, Detective Gilliam, and Officer Day attended an online training called Scenarios for Patrol Tactics Trainers. This training was three hours long and provided valuable training scenarios we have already been able to use in helping with Officer Winters field training.

Officer Olson attended the 4 day (32 hour) Defense Technology Less Lethal Instructor Program. This course certified him to be our Less Lethal instructor so he can provide in-service training.

Officer Lau is now in his final phase of field training and is expected to reach solo status in the first week of February.

TRAINING UNIT MONTHLY REPORT Continued.....

Officer Winters continues in his field training. The training unit was able to successfully use several training scenarios learned from our recent training to assist Officer Winters in his training.

Sergeant Hill joined the department on January 19th. That week the training unit got him certified in firearms, Taser, Less lethal and other areas. He has started his field training with Sergeant Leake and is settling in well.

While at the range certifying Sgt. Hill, Officer Olson and Detective Gilliam joined us at the range to sight in and qualify on their rifles.

