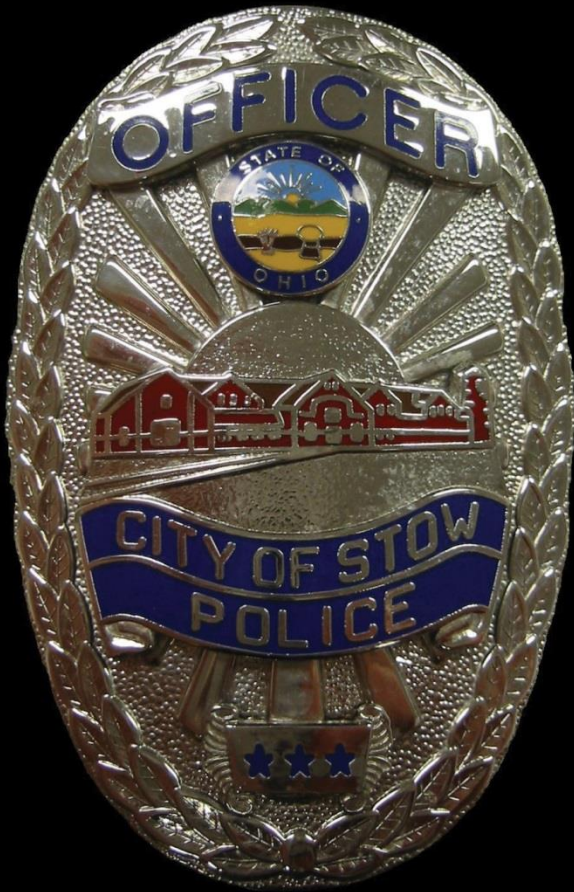


ANNUAL REPORT

2014

City of Stow
Police Department



INTEGRITY COMMITMENT SERVICE

A Message from Chief Jeff Film

Mayor Sara Drew,

It is truly an honor to serve as the new Chief of Police for the City of Stow. Since my promotion in June, I have been working closely with the city administrators, City Council members, community leaders and my department personnel to provide the best possible services to our community. It is my privilege now to present to you and City Council the 2014 Annual Report of the Stow Police Department.

The last report was issued in 2009, and I felt that it should be restored because it a very useful tool that highlights the police department’s mission, goals, and activities of the preceding year. As in the past, this report is a compilation of statistical information as well as an outline of the multiple services that we provide to the community.

The year 2014 was one of many transitions for the Stow Police Department. We had two retirements. Chief Louis Dirker retired June 1st after serving 11 years as the Chief of Police of Stow, and Sergeant Steve Dunton retired in September with 35 years of service to the city. In May, Officer Steve Miller was promoted to Sergeant, and Sergeant Bryan Snavelly was promoted to Lieutenant. A total of six officers were hired in 2014 to fill vacancies, and we had two officers resign. The police department finished the year five officers under its authorized level.

The total calls for service in 2014 were 19,804, which is a slight increase from 2013. The top five calls for service were animal calls, alarms, thefts, traffic accidents and domestic-related calls. Some positive notes from the year are that our injury crashes went down 18%, burglaries were down 12%, and our assaults were down 38%.

In the fall of 2014, we were excited to co-sponsor two new programs with neighboring police departments. Tallmadge, Munroe Falls, and Stow collaborated to start an Explorer program for the youth in our communities who want to learn more about the law enforcement field. Additionally, we completed our first Citizen Police Academy which was co-sponsored by Tallmadge, Munroe Falls, Stow and Cuyahoga Falls police departments. This program is open to members of our communities who want to learn more about their law enforcement agencies. Both programs were a huge success and will be expanded in 2015.

The men and women of the Stow Police Department are dedicated to providing the best possible service to the community. It is our goal to continue building our police department’s relationship with the public by expanding our services and connecting with the people we serve. The members of the Stow Police Department look forward to the upcoming year, and we will strive to meet the challenges that lie before us.

Respectfully Submitted,



Chief Jeffery E. Film



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Stow Facts

2014 Population

34,837

Third Largest City

in Summit County

Founded in

1804

Areas of Stow

17.32 Square Miles

410 Acres of Parks

339 Miles of Roadway

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Stow Police Department is to provide the citizens of Stow, the business community and visitors a safe environment while incorporating efficient and effective methods of operation by utilizing proven policing practices. The Stow Police Department is unwavering in its commitment to treat all persons with dignity and respect in word and deed by adhering to our Core Values of Integrity, Commitment and Service.

Uniformed Patrol

The Uniform Division is the largest division in the police department with thirty-three (33) members, all of whom are full-time sworn peace officers. These uniformed officers are dedicated to patrol duties and are first responders to all emergencies and calls for service from the community.

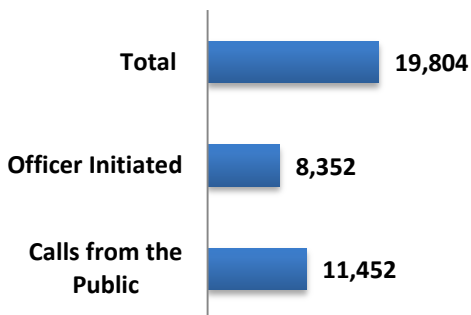


Patrol is divided into three duty shifts: Day shift operates from 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM and bears much of the responsibility for interacting with schools, courts, local businesses, and banks. Afternoon shift runs from 3:00 PM – 11:00 PM and is typically the busiest of the three shifts, handling the evening rush hour. Night shift runs from 11:00 PM – 7:00 AM and traditionally leads the division in OVI (drunk driving) and alcohol-related incidents and arrests.

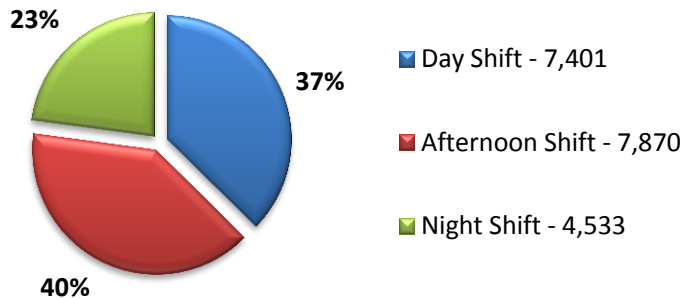
Statistical Information

In 2014 Stow Police Officers handled 19,804 calls for service.

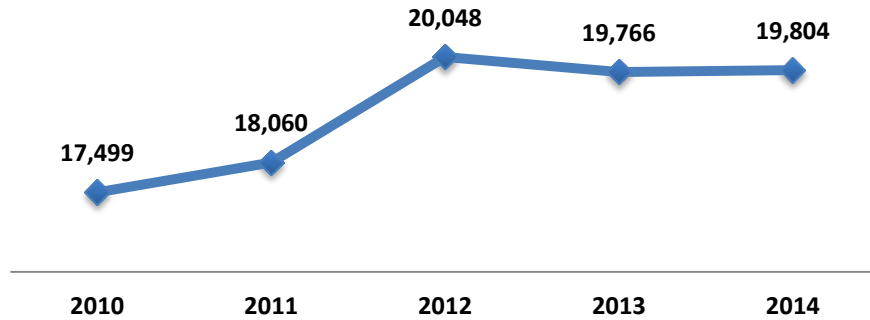
Calls For Service



Calls for Service by Shift



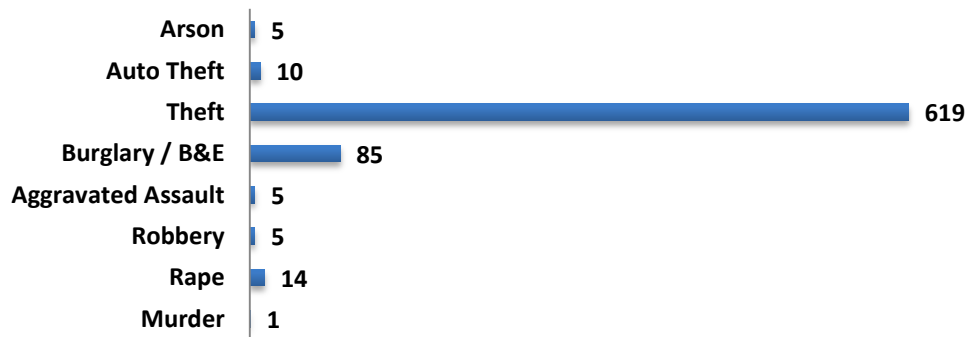
Total Calls for Service - Historical



Crime Statistics

Calls for service are classified using FBI Uniform Crime Reporting standards. This method of reporting breaks down calls into Part I and Part II offenses. Part I crimes consist of Murder, Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Burglary / B&E, Theft, Auto Theft, and Arson. Part II crimes cover all other offenses.

Part 1 Crimes

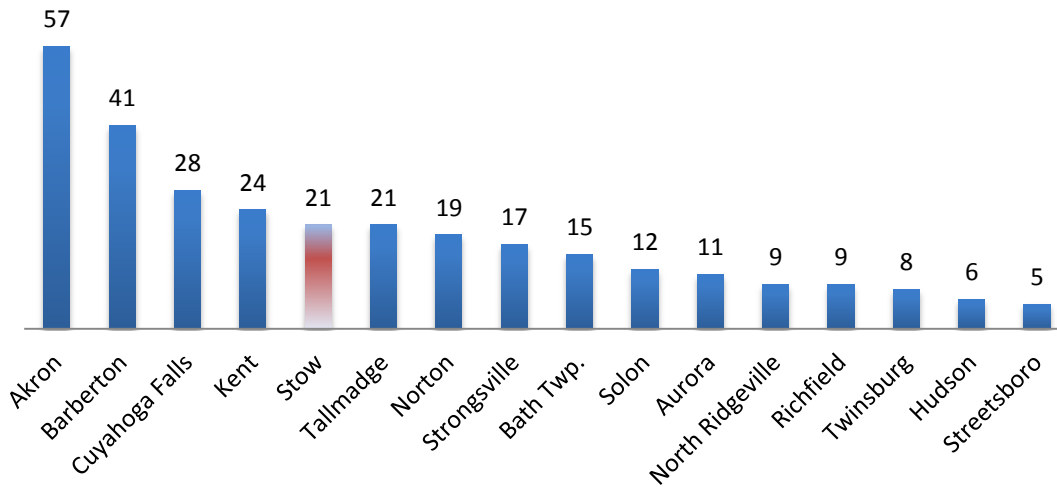


Stow's 2014 Part I crime saw an overall 5.3% reduction from 2013. There were decreases in the categories of Rape, Aggravated Assault, Theft, and Arson. Increases were seen, however, in Murders, Robberies, Aggravated Assaults and Auto Thefts.

The graph below depicts how Stow’s occurrence of Part I crimes compares to that of nearby cities who report their crime statistics to the FBI. The stats shown here are from 2013, as they are the most current available.

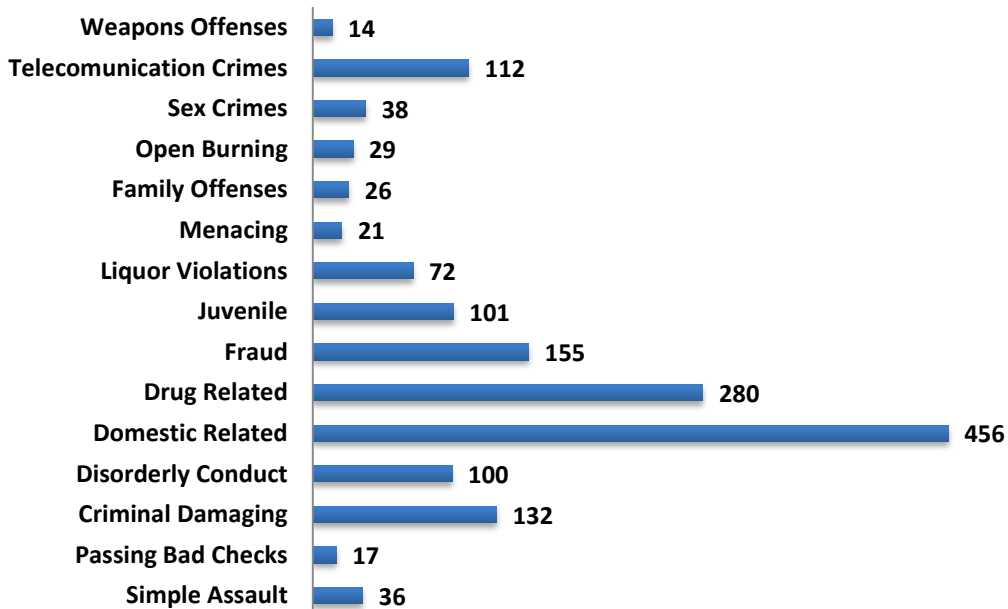
Part I Crimes Per Capita - 2013

Per 1,000 Residents



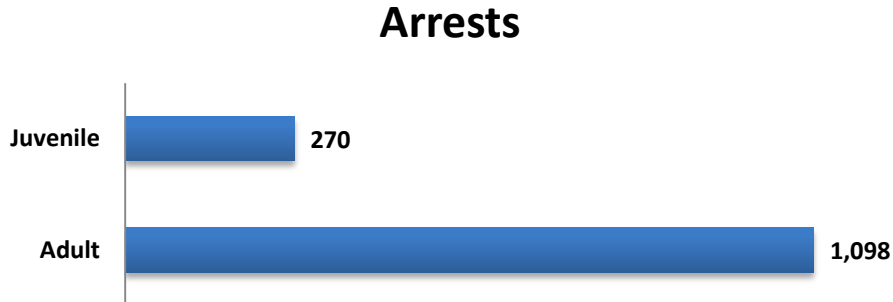
Other reports and Part II crimes handled by Stow officers in 2014 can be seen below.

Other Reports & Part II Crimes



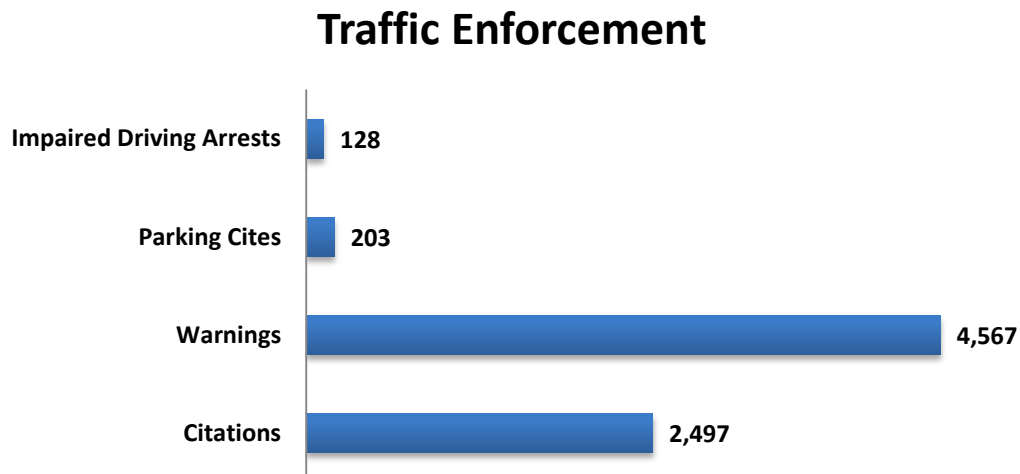
Arrests

In 2014, Stow Officers arrested 1,368 persons for criminal offenses. Traffic-related arrests, such as OVI (drunk driving) and Driving Under Suspension, are not included in this graph; however, they constitute a large portion of officer’s duties in keeping the roads safe. The 2014 arrest total is a 3.9% increase from 2013.



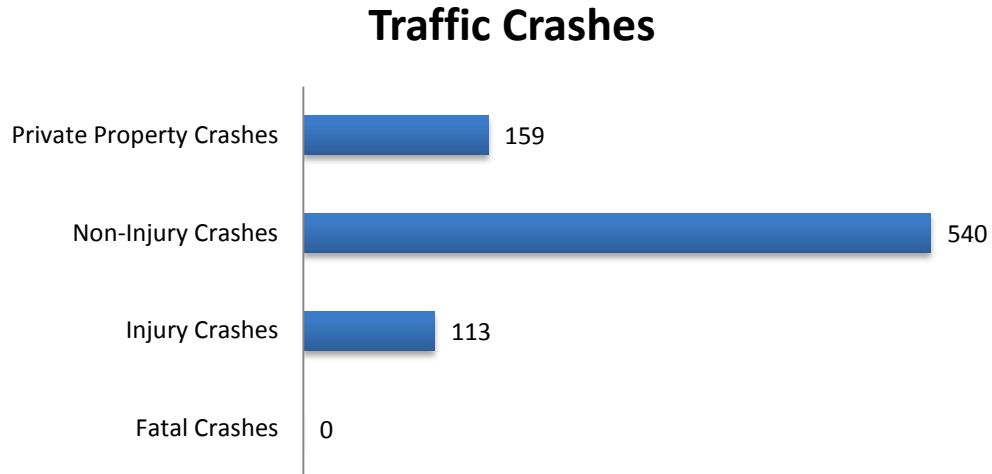
Traffic Enforcement

Traffic enforcement is an important part of law enforcement and is handled by all officers in the uniformed division throughout their shifts. Conducting traffic enforcement not only keeps the roads safe, but has also been proven to reduce crime by being a visual deterrent to criminals in the area. Officers routinely focus on detecting and arresting impaired and suspended drivers while also monitoring neighborhood streets and known problem areas.



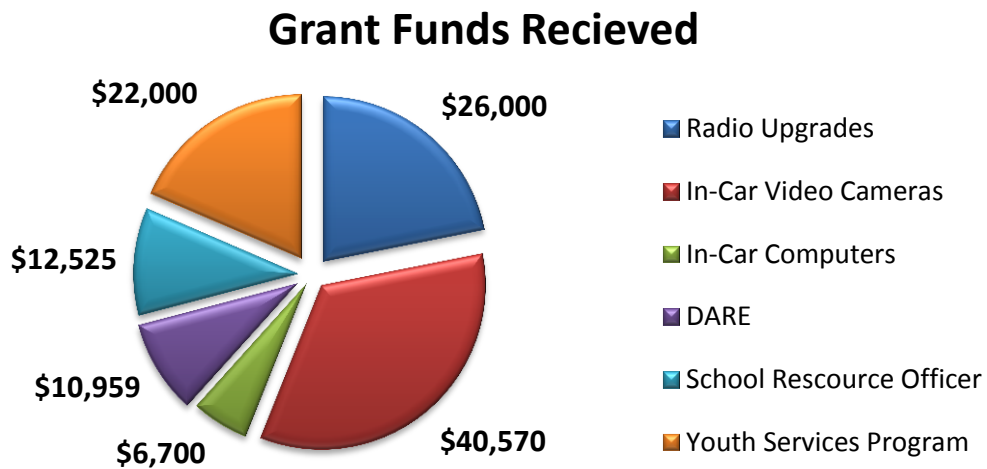
Traffic Crashes

In 2014, the Stow Police Department handled 812 traffic crashes. This is a 9% reduction from 2013.



Grants

The department received grant awards totaling \$118,754 in 2014.



Investigative Division

During 2014 the Detective Bureau was staffed by one Sergeant and three detectives. These officers work primarily during daytime hours but are on call 24 hours a day. The bureau typically investigates crimes of a more serious nature, or crimes which need detailed or further follow-up. Detectives are assigned cases and work them until completion. A major notable case in 2014 was the murder of 21-year-old Stow resident Michelle Johnson. The Detective Bureau worked tirelessly on the case and secured a conviction against Roxanne Buck, Johnson’s 45-year-old roommate, who was subsequently sentenced to life in prison. In addition to their Stow duties, detectives from the bureau work in conjunction with multiple specialized units.

Summit County Drug Unit

Stow has one detective assigned full time to the Summit County Drug Unit. This is a multi-jurisdictional task force comprised of officers from twelve (12) local agencies in Summit County, as well as federal agents from the DEA, ATF, and FBI. They investigate major organized groups involved in the illegal distribution of drugs throughout the county. This unit not only focuses on large-scale violators, but also conducts undercover drug purchases and responds to mitigate all methamphetamine labs discovered in the county. Additionally, they provide training and educational classes to both officers and citizens of the community.

Northern Ohio Violent Fugitive Task Force

Stow Detective Bureau also has one member assigned to assist the US Marshals Northern Ohio Violent Fugitive Task Force. This unit, which operates across the northern district of Ohio, is comprised of local and federal officers and is dedicated to the pursuit, apprehension, and successful prosecution of violent adult fugitives with outstanding state and federal felony warrants.



Ohio Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force



Stow detectives also participate in Ohio’s Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force (ICAC). This task force is also comprised of local and federal officers whose mission is to identify, arrest and prosecute individuals who: (1) use the Internet to lure minors into illicit sexual relationships; or (2) use the Internet to produce, distribute or solicit child pornography.

Specialized Units

Metro SWAT

Stow has four members assigned to the Metro SWAT team. This team consists of officers from eighteen (18) different jurisdictions who train together regularly and respond to high-risk incidents where special weapons or tactics are needed. In 2014, the team was activated or placed on standby twenty (20) times.



Honor Guard



The purpose of the honor guard is to represent the department at ceremonial events. They routinely train and drill in order to maintain a high level of precision. They have stood guard at officers' funerals and carry the colors in the city's annual Fourth of July parade. The unit was started with a gracious donation from Stow's Acker Moore VFW post and is comprised of ten members.



Summit Metro Crash Response Team (SMCRT)

The Summit Metro Crash Response Team (SMCRT) is a multi-jurisdictional crash response team. Stow participates in this unit, along with thirteen (13) other nearby police departments. The team consists of highly trained crash investigators and reconstructionists who respond to assist with crash investigations. Situations where the unit might be activated include: crashes resulting in serious injury or fatality; crashes involving pedestrians; crashes involving motorcycles or commercial vehicles; or any other complex or confusing crashes.



Evidence Technicians



The department has numerous officers who are specially trained to process crime scenes. These patrol officers work in conjunction with the Detective Bureau and respond to scenes in which there is potential forensic evidence to be collected. Any evidence discovered by these officers is sent to Ohio’s Bureau of Criminal Investigations (BCI) crime lab for processing.

Crisis Intervention Team (CIT)

The Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) is a group of eighteen (18) sworn officers who have been specially trained to recognize and effectively respond to someone experiencing a mental health crisis. Officers routinely use techniques they have learned in order to de-escalate crises with the goal of helping to direct persons with mental illness into treatment.



Court Officer



The Stow Municipal Court serves sixteen (16) communities in northeast Summit County. The City of Stow Police Department assigns one full-time officer to work at the courthouse in conjunction with the security force there. This position is currently held by Officer David Semonin. He is responsible for ensuring the security of the building and overseeing prisoner transports. Additionally, he is tasked with ensuring the safety of the judges, magistrates, and court staff, as well as all visitors to the building.

K-9 Unit



The Stow Police Department currently has three K-9 teams, allowing the department to have a K-9 assigned to each patrol shift. K-9's are a valuable resource and a huge asset to the department and community. All of Stow's K-9's are full-service dogs, which means they are used for drug detection, tracking, and suspect apprehension. The three dogs are certified by the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission as well as the National Association of Professional Canine Handlers. The K-9's, guided by their veteran handlers, have been instrumental in tracking and apprehending numerous criminal suspects, and have seized thousands of dollars' worth of illegal narcotics that pass through the city. In addition to their patrol duties, the K-9 handlers and their partners conducted numerous educational demonstrations throughout the community in 2014.



K-9 Colt

K-9 Colt is handled by Officer Steve Miller who was promoted to Sergeant in May of 2014. Colt is a six-year-old German Shepherd.



K-9 Mingo

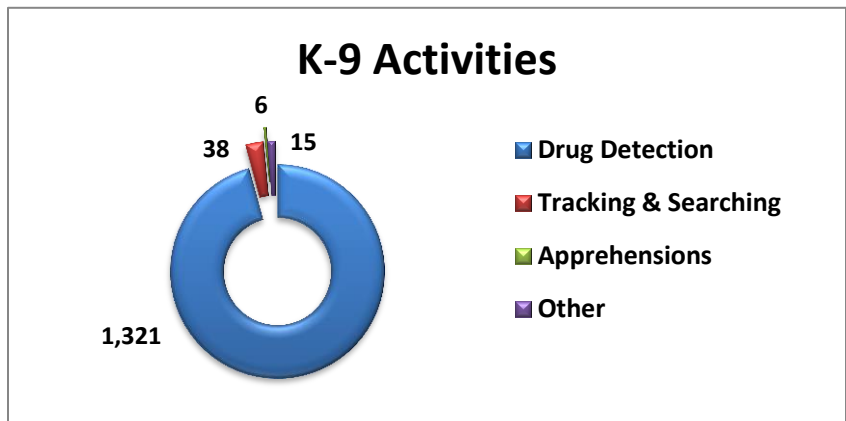
K-9 Mingo is handled by Officer Ted Bell. Mingo is a two-year-old Belgian Malinois.



K-9 Spectrum

K-9 Spectrum is handled by Officer Erik Dirker. Spectrum is a four-year-old German Shepherd.

Stow Police K-9's were deployed 1,380 times in 2014.



Partnerships with Stow City Schools

D.A.R.E.



The Stow Police Department provides DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) to the sixth grade class at Stow-Munroe Falls Schools. DARE consists of police officer-led lessons that teach children how to resist peer pressure and live productive lives, free from drugs and violence. Officer Jim Barker, the lead instructor since 2003, educates approximately 430 students yearly. The program is partially funded through a grant from the Ohio Attorney General’s Office.

S.R.O.

Since 1996, the Stow Police Department has had a full-time SRO (School Resource Officer) assigned to the high school. Officer Barry Smith has held this assignment since 2004. SRO Smith is a uniformed presence in the school and is responsible for providing for the safety and security of both the staff and the 1,800 students who attend the school. In addition to providing security, he provides instruction in law-enforcement related matters and answers calls for service within the school and its immediate vicinity. The SRO program is partially funded through both a grant from the Ohio Attorney General’s Office as well as funds from the school district.



Adopt-A-Cop

Adopt-A-Cop is a program where on-duty day shift officers stop into the schools within their patrol districts in order to interact with the students and staff. This initiative helps to foster a positive relationship between officers and the school community.

School Security

Since 2012, the department has partnered with the school district to provide an additional security presence at the intermediate school and the five elementary schools within the city. This is accomplished by having off-duty Stow police officers work a security detail in which they alternate between schools. Since its inception, this program, which is fully funded by the school district, has proven to be beneficial to both the schools and the department. It has allowed officers to become familiar with the operations and layout of the schools and it gives students, staff, and parents the ability to interact with officers in a non-enforcement setting.

Department Initiatives and Services

Neighborhood Watch

Community Wide Neighborhood Watch meetings are held monthly at the police department. These meetings provide a forum for the community to connect with officers and discuss neighborhood issues. Additionally, officers provide education on crime prevention or other law enforcement-related topics.



Child Abduction Response Team (CART)



Stow Police Department participates in Summit County's Child Abduction Response Team (CART). This unit is a division of Ohio CART. The team consists of specially trained police officers, dispatchers, and other key individuals from various agencies and jurisdictions who are prepared to respond 24/7 to the abduction of a child or an 'at risk' missing child situation. The goal of CART is to rapidly flood an area with trained personnel and resources to search for and rescue these missing children.

Chaplaincy Program

The police department has two chaplains within the department. These pastors volunteer their time and are available to both the staff of the department, as well as the public in times of crisis.



Pastor James Case
Stow Community United Church of Christ



Pastor Michael Lovett
Graham Road Baptist Church

Polygraph Examiner

Stow Police Department is one of the few local departments that have a polygraph examiner in house. Sergeant Kenneth Mifflin is certified through the American Polygraph Association and conducts numerous examinations throughout the year. These examinations are done for pre-employment screening for new police officers, firefighters, dispatchers and reserve officer candidates. Additionally, numerous evidentiary examinations are conducted on people suspected of committing crimes. These criminal examinations are often at the request of the Stow Detective Bureau, but also come from other law enforcement agencies who partner with Stow PD.



Support Services

While sworn police personnel are the most visible aspects of a police department, there are many more divisions that are vital to the agency. Without the assistance of these support services, the Stow police department would not be able to provide its current high level of service.

Community Service Officer (CSO)

The department has one full-time Community Service Officer to be of assistance within the department and the city. CSO Edward Young handles all animal control issues and is certified by the National Animal Control Association. He also assists the community with service calls that do not require a sworn officer, such as when citizens lock their keys in their vehicle. In addition to handling animal control and service calls, CSO Young is responsible for maintaining the department's fleet of vehicles, and is often tasked with other miscellaneous jobs and special projects.



Communications Division

The Stow Communications Center is staffed by a supervisor, fourteen (14) full-time, and seven part-time dispatchers. Each member is certified by the National Academy of Emergency Medical Dispatch. All 9-1-1 emergency calls, all non-emergency calls, and most administrative calls are received through the Communications Center. The Stow Communication Center dispatches calls not only for the City of Stow safety forces, but also for Tallmadge Police and Fire/EMS, Mogadore Police and Fire/EMS, and Randolph Township Fire/EMS.

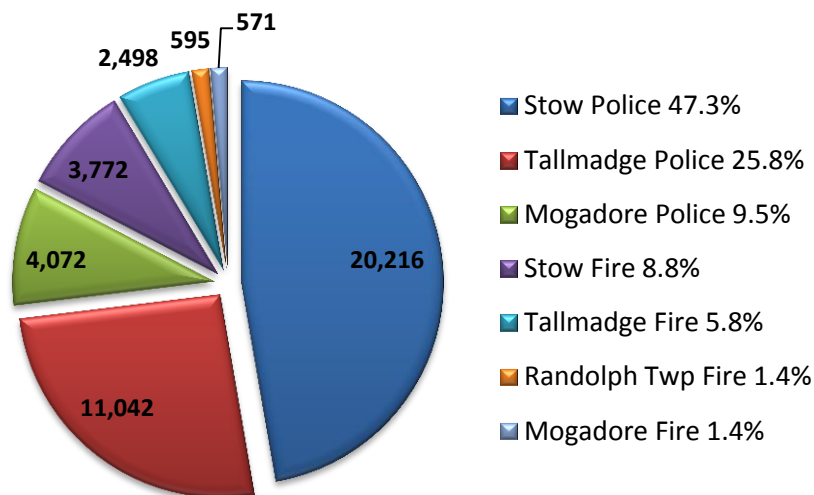
The members of the Communications Center must function effectively in some of the most chaotic aspects of an emergency, and are a vital link between the citizens of Stow and the safety forces.

The Communications Center averages 500 phone calls per day, which is over 15,000 calls per month. Of the many calls handled in 2014 by the Stow dispatchers, an average of 110 per day were emergency 9-1-1 calls.

Incoming calls that result in a request for service are entered into the Computer Automated Data System (CAD). In 2014, dispatchers entered 42,766 incidents into CAD, which averages out to 117 incidents per day. The graph below shows the breakdown of incidents by each agency the Communications Center dispatches for.



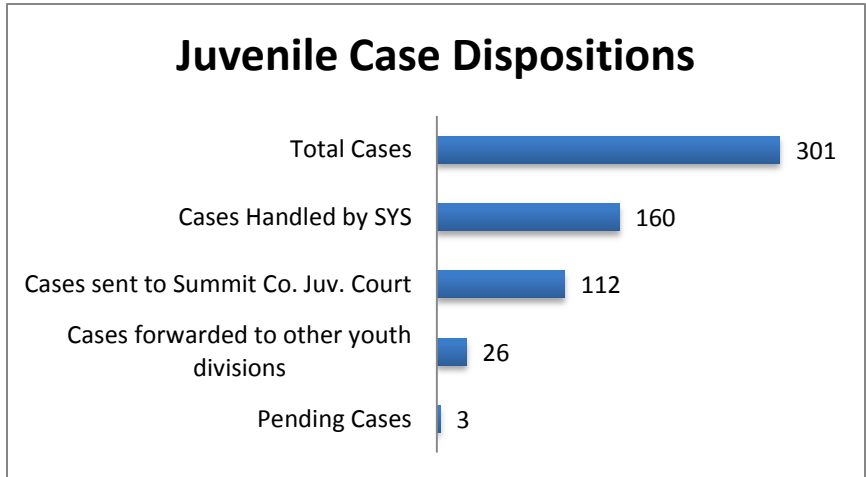
CAD Incidents by Agency



Stow Youth Services

Stow Youth Services (SYS) is a program provided by the Stow Police Department which offers alternative rehabilitation for juveniles who have been arrested by local police. This program diverts teens from the Juvenile Court System and provides accountability and assistance to the teens and their parents. Any juvenile who lives in the City of Stow who becomes involved with the police is eligible by referral. Walk-ins are also considered when parents need help handling their child. SYS is staffed with a supervisor and two additional case workers. Each staff member has extensive schooling and training to aid them in managing juvenile cases. SYS provides programs such as a six-hour Mandatory Parent Student Educational Group, Mediation services, Tobacco Education Classes and Safety Town.

In 2014, SYS managed 301 juvenile cases.



Records Division

Stow Records Division is responsible for maintaining all records produced and evidence collected by the Stow Police Department. They routinely process and file the many different types of reports generated by officers, perform data entry, and prepare complaints for court. Additionally, they maintain and control all property taken into the department. This includes all evidence seized, as well as any lost or recovered property. All members of the Records Division are well versed in public records laws, and are responsible for handling all public records requests the department receives. In 2014, the Records Division staff was reduced by one member who was re-assigned to other duties within the city. They are currently staffed by a supervisor and two full-time records clerks. Notable accomplishments in 2014 include the online publishing of accident reports and the digital release of criminal reports, both of which make obtaining copies of reports more convenient for the general public.



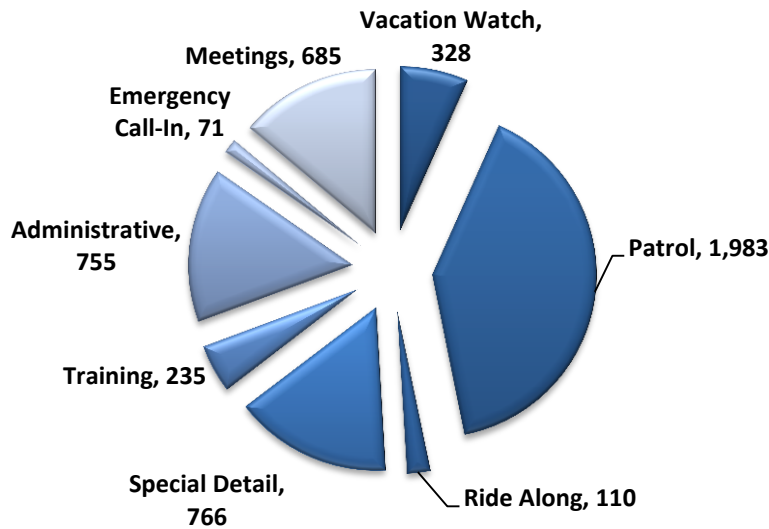
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Reserve Unit

The Stow Police Department Reserve Unit is comprised of a group of dedicated individuals who volunteer their time and services to the police department. Overseen by a sworn police sergeant, the unit consists of twenty (20) reserve officers. These members meet and train regularly to assist the department wherever they can. They can often be spotted at community events, providing security and directing traffic. Additionally, they ride-along with officers, and they can patrol together in teams to supplement sworn officers. During these patrols, they are often tasked with assisting disabled motorists, directing traffic, towing vehicles, and assisting citizens when they lock their keys in their vehicles. Another responsibility of the reserve officers is to conduct vacation watches. This is a service that allows members of the community to have the perimeter of their home checked by the reserves when they are on vacation or away. In 2014, reserves logged a total of 4,933 volunteer hours.



Volunteer Reserve Officer Hours



Community Outreach

The Stow Police Department strives to be in touch with the community. Some of the ways the officers and staff connected with the public in 2014 can be seen below.

National Night Out

In conjunction with Target stores, National Night Out is one of the police department's best opportunities to interact with the community. A large outdoor festival, which is open to the public, is held in front of the safety center. The event features large inflatables for kids, free food, and many police-related activities for families to enjoy.



Relay for Life



Relay for Life is the signature event of the American Cancer Society. Each year, the Stow Police & Fire Departments come together to form a team to help raise funds and awareness for cancer research. The 24-hour event is held at Akron General Hospital's Stow campus. The safety forces booth allows visitors at the event to interact with officers, to celebrate recovery, to remember those lost to cancer, and to inspire others to "fight back" against the disease.



Special Olympics Torch Run



Each year, the Special Olympics torch passes through the city of Stow as it makes its way across the country, proudly carried by law enforcement officers to raise funds for the Special Olympics. Hudson officers pass off the torch to Stow officers who then run it the three and a half miles to the southern edge of the city where it is then transferred to Munroe Falls officers so that it can continue on its journey.



Touch a Truck

The Stow-Munroe Falls Library routinely hosts Touch a Truck events. The police department always brings vehicles to the event which allows the community to interact with officers and gives kids the opportunity to climb inside and check out the “cool” police cruisers.



Departmental Open House



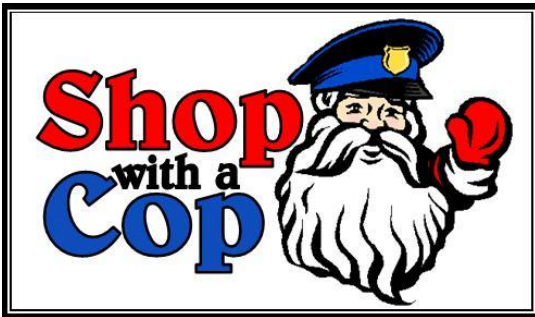
In 2014, Stow PD held an open house at the department. This event allowed the public to tour the facilities and learn more about the inner workings of and the services provided by their local police department.

Stuff the Cruiser

Stow Police Department partnered with the Akron-Canton Food Bank and Eddie's Bike Shop to “drive out hunger.” Generous donations helped officers "Stuff the Cruiser" with food for those in need.



Shop with a Cop



The Stow Police Department continues to be a regular participant in the annual Shop with a Cop Program. This program gives children of families that are struggling financially an opportunity to shop for toys and gifts to help make the season more bright. In 2014, Stow PD raised enough funds to take twenty-eight (28) kids shopping! These children got to spend a morning with Stow officers who volunteered their time, and were then taken in

a processional of cruisers (running lights and sirens) to the local Walmart where they were given \$100 to spend on purchases. This event, while held in Stow, is attended by twenty-three (23) local police agencies. A total of 250 kids participated and were given an experience they will not soon forget.



Retirements, Promotions, and New Hires

The Stow Police Department saw many transitions in personnel in 2014. Listed below are the retirements, promotions, and new hires that changed the face of the department.

Retirements



Chief Louis Dirker retired in June, after leading the department for eleven (11) years. All total, he served forty (40) distinguished years in law enforcement.



Sergeant Steven Dunton retired in September after serving thirty-five (35) years with the Stow Police Department.

Promotions



In May, Sergeant Bryan J. Snaveley (left) was promoted to Lieutenant and Officer Stephen W. Miller (right) was promoted to Sergeant.



Lt. Jeffrey E. Film took the helm of the department in June when he was sworn in as the eighth Chief of Police for the City of Stow.

New Hires



In April, Officers Edward J. Wonner (left) and Bethany M. Allanson (right) were hired to replace two officers who had previously resigned.



In August, four new officers were sworn in to the department. Two of these hires were replacements for recent retirements, whereas the other two officers were hired to fill positions previously lost to attrition. Pictured left to right are Officers Daniel M. Enos, Patrick R. Myers, Brett M. Balog, and Jacob D. Corfman.

Resignations

April 2014 - Officer Bradley A. Whitacre

December 2014 - Officer Daniel M. Enos

In Memoriam

K-9 Nero, 2003-2014



Accomplishments, Challenges, and What Lies Ahead

Accomplishments

In 2014, the department had many notable accomplishments including:

- **The installation of a new in-car video camera system.** This needed upgrade was largely funded with grant money. Antiquated equipment was replaced with high-definition cameras which now download their video to the department’s servers automatically when the cruiser returns to the station. Automating this process has simplified the officers’ job, saving them time. Additionally, the wireless transfer of video has reduced wear and tear on the hardware, which will hopefully extend its serviceable life.
- **The creation of a Police Explorer Post.** Stow PD has joined forces with Tallmadge and Munroe Falls police departments to bring together a multi-agency Explorer post. This program, which is a part of the Boy Scouts of America, allows young men and women from the communities, aged 14-20, to explore the possibility of law enforcement as a career. The youths meet regularly and learn what it is like to be an officer.
- **The creation of a Citizens Police Academy.** In conjunction with Cuyahoga Falls, Tallmadge and Munroe Falls police departments, Stow PD participated in its first Citizen’s Police Academy. This program, which is open to all citizens in the four communities, allows participants to learn more about their respective police departments and to get a “behind the scenes look” at local law enforcement.
- **The implementation of Lean for Government.** In 2014, all departments in the City, including the police department, participated in the Lean Project. This program, which was conducted in conjunction with the University of Akron, looked at the operations of our city government. The primary goal of Lean is eliminating waste and improving efficiency. The project was able to streamline the method in which parking citations are handled within the department.

Challenges

Some challenges faced by the department in 2014 included:

- **The Heroin Epidemic.** Summit County, along with all of Ohio, has seen a resurgence of the drug heroin. Stow is not immune from this troubling trend, and we have seen an increase in heroin-related incidents within the city. Illegal drug use and addiction is the root cause of many of the crimes with which we deal, and can devastate families. As a department, we are attempting to combat this issue not only through arrest and prosecution, but also by working in conjunction with Summit County's Opiate Task Force. This unit aims to combat the epidemic by increasing public awareness and by rallying doctors, police, social workers, and law makers into action.
- **Staffing Levels.** The department had numerous personnel transitions within 2014. From retirements and resignations, to promotions and new hires, these transitions produced many challenges as the department took a new shape. The hiring and training of six of new officers was a significant task, but one we were happy to take on. We look forward to the future as we hope to maintain or increase our personnel so that we can continue providing a high level of service to the community.

What lies ahead?

Below is a list of goals and projects which the Stow Police Department will be working on as we head into 2015.

- **Technology Upgrades.** The department's Computer Automated Data System (CAD) is in need of upgrade or replacement. This system is the heart of the department's computer network and is used by dispatchers, officers, and records personnel from start to finish of every call we handle. This upgrade is needed to increase efficiency within the department, and will hopefully be improved upon in 2015.
- **Implementation of Body Cameras.** The department has received a grant to assist with the purchase of body cameras for officers. This technology looks to be the wave of the future for law enforcement. We are looking into how this important piece of equipment can be effectively utilized in the upcoming year.

2014 Sworn Personnel

Supervisors

Chief Louis A. Dirker

Succeeded by

Chief Jeffrey E. Film

Lieutenant Anne M. Stirm

Lieutenant Michael A. Titus

Lieutenant Bryan J. Snavelly

Sergeant Steven S. Dunton

Sergeant Jeffrey A. Breznak

Sergeant Stephen W. Miller

Sergeant Daniel N. Drummond

Sergeant Heather M. Prusha

Sergeant Matthew A. Reed

Sergeant Kenneth A. Mifflin

Police Officers

David J. Hall

Robert S. Molody

Jacob D. Corfman

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Stephen J. Heim

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Administrative Assistant

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Sheryl Dunn
Nancy Linzey
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Vickie Wilcox
Tara Sumner
Patricia McCoy
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Jason Hurd
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Liane Makrinos
Crystal McGinnis
Cheryl Trent
Amy Ashton

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Edward young

Records

Cheryl Black, Supervisor

Michelle Badgley

Jami Lord-Smith

Monica Dunton

Stow Youth Services

Kathy Christ, Supervisor

Toni Carter

Teresa Bozzo

2014 Reserve Unit Personnel

Supervisors

Colonel Charlie Howard

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Sergeant Kevin Mayer

Sergeant Donovan Kelley

Captain Christopher Gatti

Lieutenant Traci Dunbar

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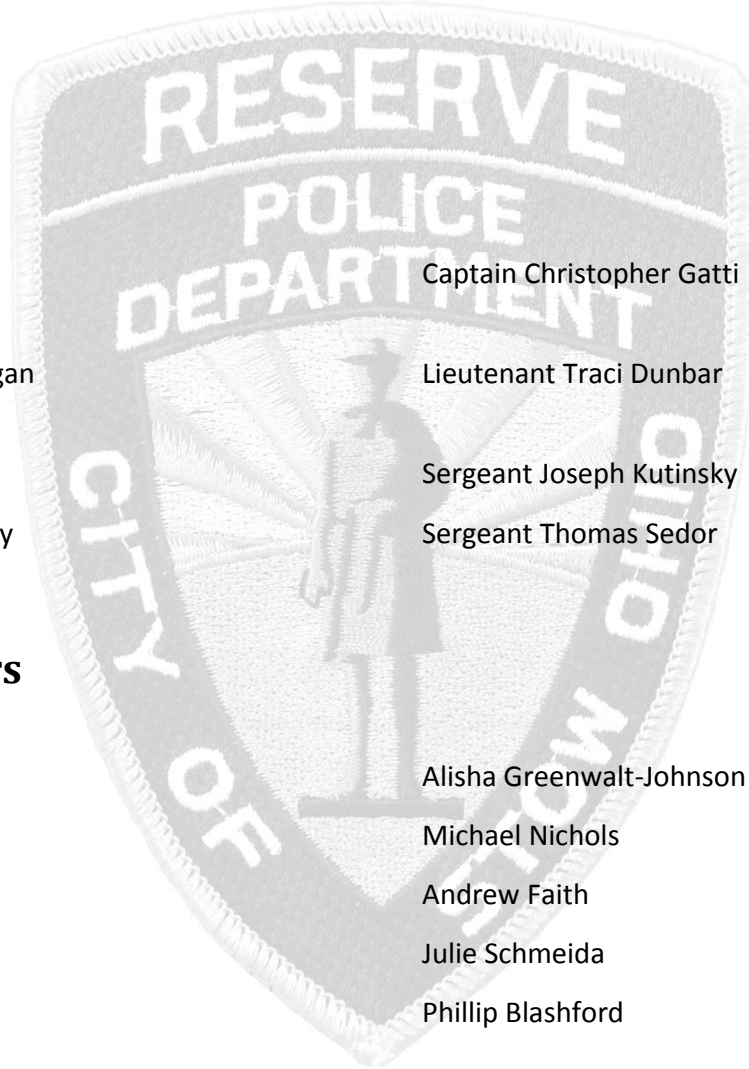
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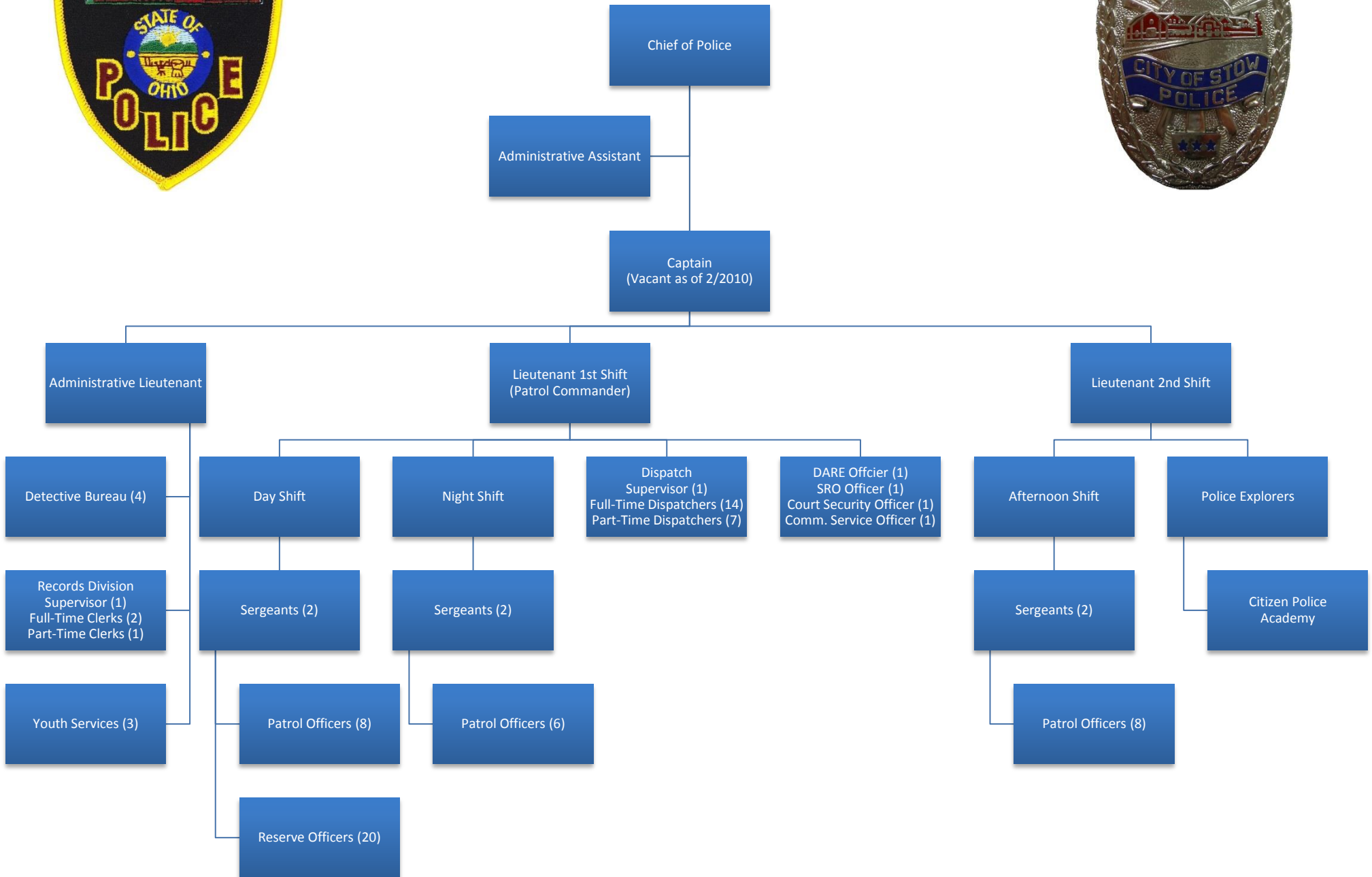
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City of Stow Police Department

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