

# FAIRFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

Monthly Report – February 2015



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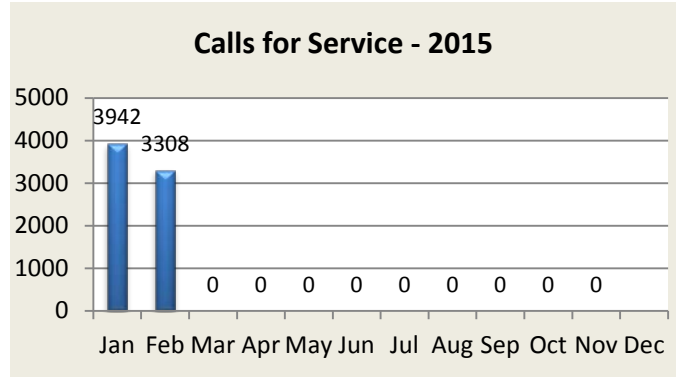
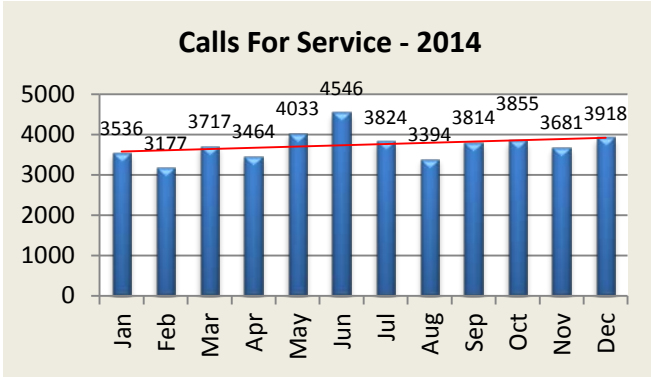
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**TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE**

Calls for Service	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2014	3536	3177	3717	3464	4033	4546	3824	3394	3814	3855	3681	3918	44,959
2015	3942	3308	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,250

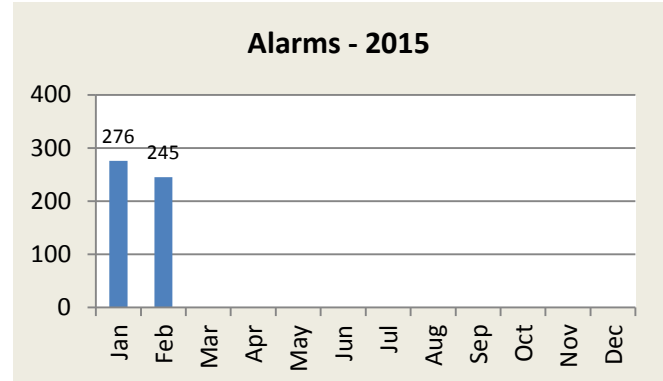
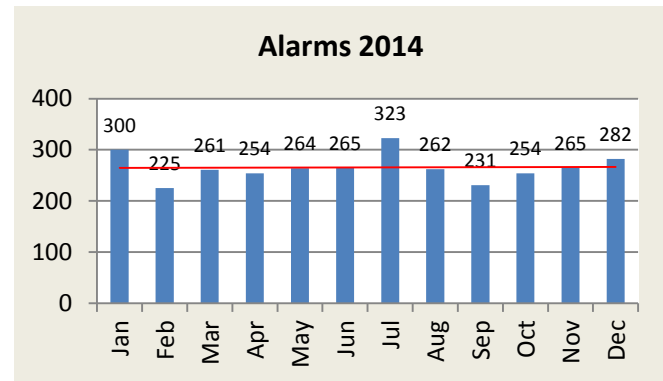
Note: Includes miscellaneous calls that may not be listed under the call analysis section



**ALARM RESPONSE SUMMARY**

Total Alarms	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2014	300	225	261	254	264	265	323	262	231	254	265	282	3,186
2015	276	245											521

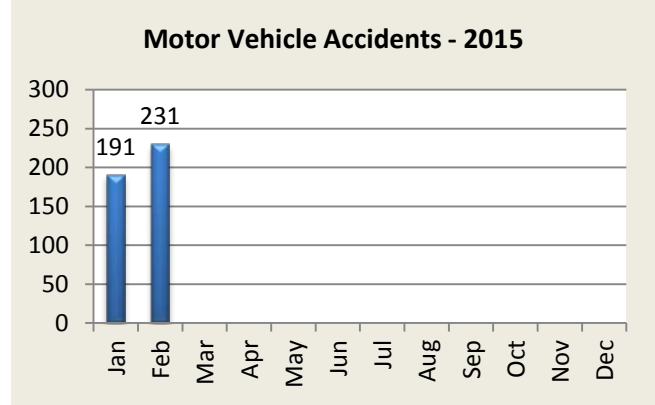
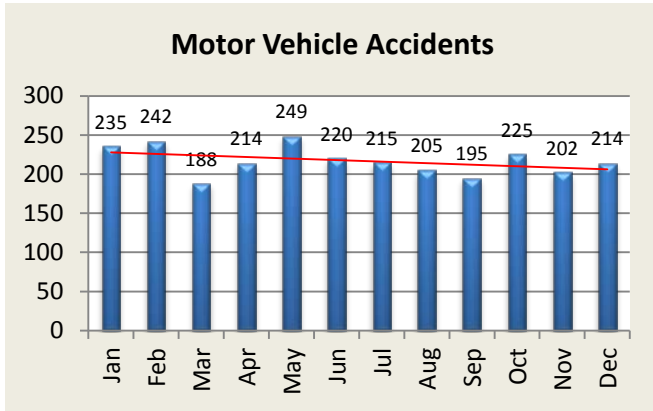
False Alarms	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2014	300	225	261	254	263	264	321	262	231	254	264	281	3,180
2015	276	245											521





## MOTOR VEHICLE ACTIVITY

MV Accidents	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2014	235	242	188	214	249	220	215	205	195	225	202	214	2,604
2015	191	231											422



MV Enforcement	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
<b>Warnings - 2014</b>	288	277	392	329	373	385	448	388	388	403	378	349	4,398
2015	322	268											

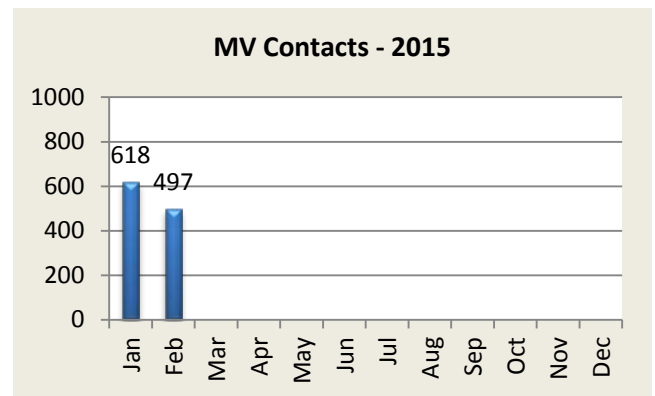
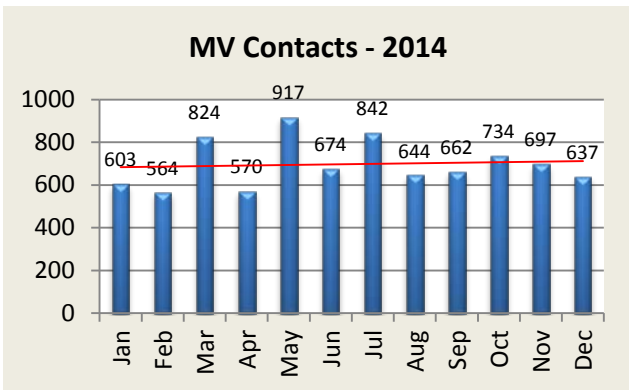
<b>Infractions - 2014</b>	258	212	351	171	477	234	329	216	196	257	246	228	3,175
2015	231	165											396

<b>Misdemeanor - 2014</b>	40	50	52	49	46	41	47	44	61	51	45	40	566
2015	48	42											90

<b>Custodial - 2014</b>	5	6	5	5	2	1	7	2	6	1	3	3	46
2015	6	4											10

<b>DUI Arrests - 2014</b>	4	8	7	14	15	7	14	8	13	12	20	13	135
2015	11	17											28

<b>MV Contacts - 2014</b>	603	564	824	570	917	674	842	644	662	734	697	637	8,368
2015	618	497											1,115

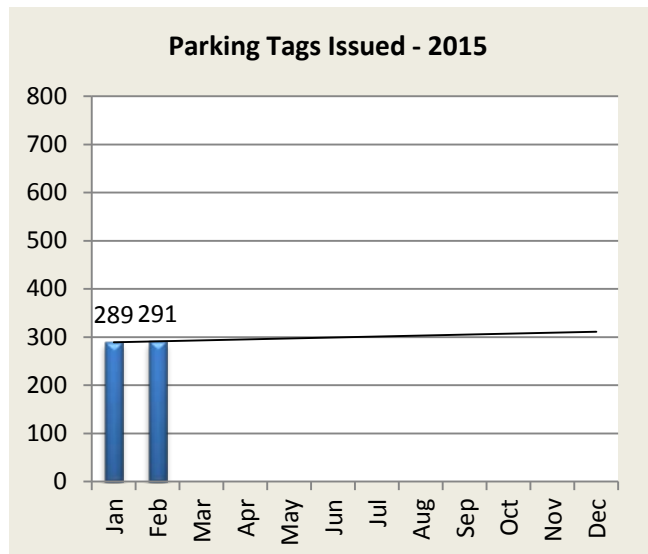
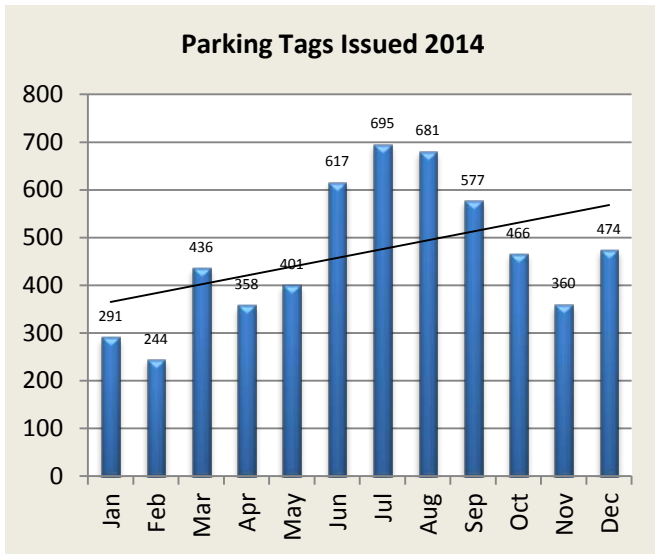


MV Enforcement: Type	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
Speeding Violations	55	30											85
Seatbelt Violations	4	3											7
Registration Violations	112	80											192
License Violations	30	20											50
Distracted Driving	56	53											109
Suspended Licence	36	34											70
Traffic Light Violation	28	27											55

The above incidents are a overview of common violations. These statistics are not the only motor vehicle enforcement actions taken. The above show top 6 violations for the month.

**PARKING TICKET SUMMARY**

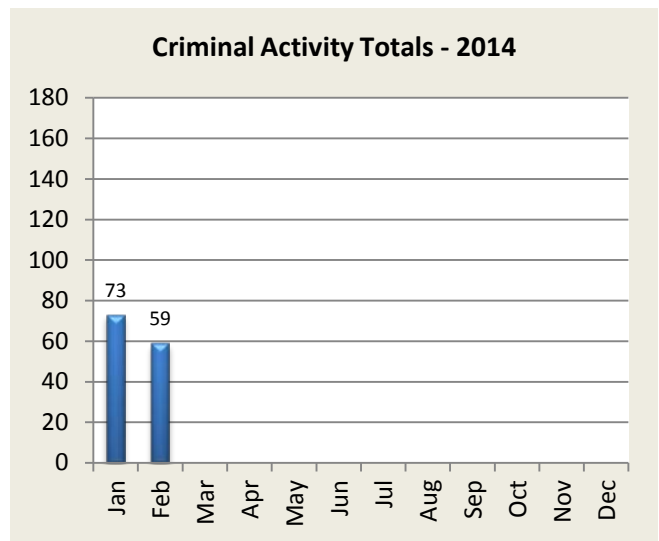
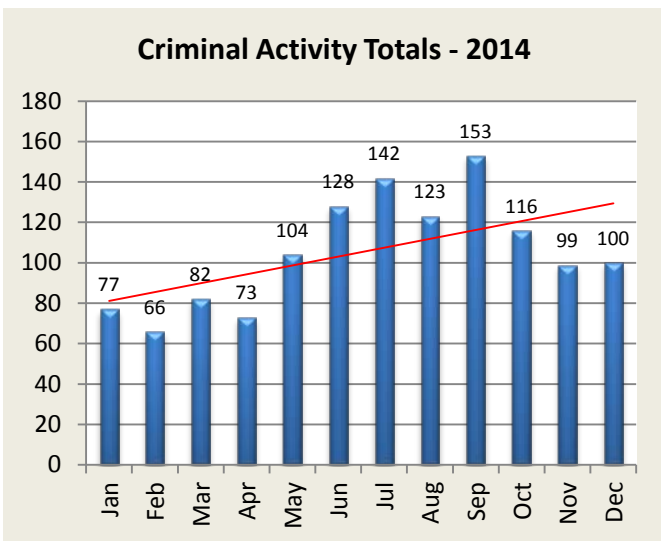
Total Issued	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2014	291	244	436	358	401	617	695	681	577	466	360	474	5600
2015	289	291											



**CRIMINAL INCIDENTS**

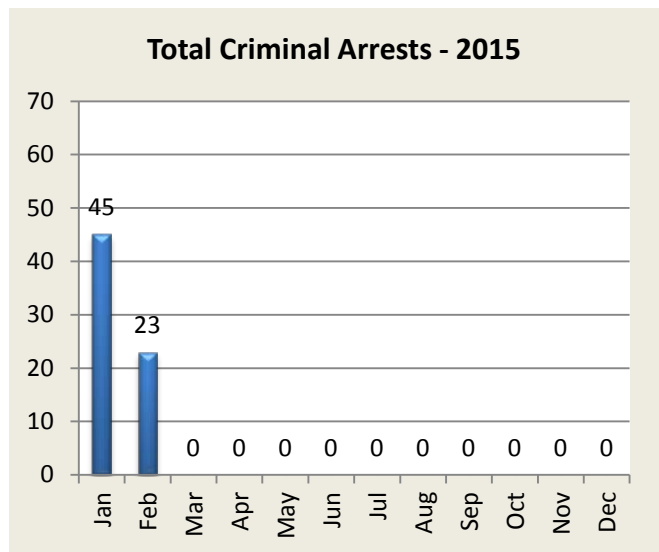
<b>Criminal Incidents: Patrol</b>	R2	R3	R4	R5	B2	B3	B4	B5
Larceny	6	1	9	1	7	3	2	3
Vandalism	2	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
MV Theft / Attempt	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
Burglary / Attempt	0	2	3	1	2	3	0	2
Assault	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0
Robbery	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<b>Criminal Activity: Month</b>	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
<b>Larceny - 2014</b>	38	37	40	30	59	69	96	72	106	60	56	54	717
2015	36	32											68
<b>Vandalism - 2014</b>	18	11	21	18	17	32	24	20	16	30	19	19	245
2015	13	6											19
<b>MV Theft / Attempt - 2014</b>	7	2	5	5	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	4	33
2015	4	3											7
<b>Burglary / Attempt - 2014</b>	6	8	9	13	18	23	18	20	22	14	17	16	184
2015	13	13											26
<b>Assault - 2014</b>	7	7	7	6	6	2	2	9	7	9	6	7	75
2015	6	4											10
<b>Robbery - 2014</b>	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	9
2015	1	1											2
<b>Totals - 2014</b>	77	66	82	73	104	128	142	123	153	116	99	100	1,393
2015	73	59											132





<b>Criminal Arrests by Month</b>	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
<b>Larceny - 2014</b>	31	18	30	23	28	20	34	31	31	35	25	22	328
2015	19	12											31
<b>Vandalism - 2014</b>	1	4	3	1	2	0	4	2	1	3	2	1	24
2015	1	1											2
<b>MV Theft / Attempt - 2014</b>	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	4
2015	0	1											1
<b>Burglary / Attempt - 2014</b>	1	2	2	7	3	2	12	13	12	8	3	5	70
2015	13	4											17
<b>Assault - 2014</b>	6	9	8	5	8	3	4	10	7	10	7	8	85
2015	9	5											14
<b>Robbery - 2014</b>	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	9
2015	3	0											3
<b>Total - 2014</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>520</b>
<b>2015</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>68</b>



## **Section 2: Noteworthy Incidents**

### **14-28315/Warrant Arrest –Taken into Custody / Sgt .Irizarry / Campfield Dr.**

Sgt. Irizarry, aware of an arrest warrant for a suspect, went to the home with other patrols coordinated a plan and took him into custody. He was charged with Larceny 2nd, and Conspiracy to Commit Larceny 2nd, based upon an incident involving a stolen M/V.

### **15-4644/Pursuit/ Sgt. Paris/ Post Rd. Southport**

Westport PD put out the description of the suspect vehicle which was last seen east bound on the Post Rd. Sergeant Paris (Blue-1) observed a lone Westport unmarked police vehicle attempting to stop the suspect vehicle which was traveling eastbound on the Post Rd. in the area of Pease Ave. The suspect vehicle refused to stop and entered I-95 eastbound at Exit 19, with Sgt. Paris behind the suspect as the lead vehicle. Sergeant Paris updated the pursuit speed at 60 mph and operation was not reckless, Blue-2 entered I-95 eastbound at Exit 23.

Paris reported the suspect vehicle veered toward a state police trooper who was deploying spike strips at Exit 27. The pursuit ended at Exit 28 after the State police boxed in the vehicle without further incident. Fairfield / Westport and State Police charged the driver

### **15-6171 | 8:25 PM | PRAWN Arrest | Nadeau, J | 100 Reef Rd**

Arrested a suspect for Failure to Pay or Plea with a \$100 bond.

Earlier in the day a resident of Trefoil Ct. reported an Assault/Sexual Assault that her boyfriend, the suspect, had perpetrated on her last night. As she attempted to call 911 he slapped the phone out of her hand. He has a violent criminal history, is on probation, and reportedly is believed to be using Cocaine regularly. Det. Dalling conducted a follow-up investigation, including a statement and began work on a warrant. Det. Dalling contacted Sgt. Irizarry and a plan was made to take the suspect into custody.

Off. Nadeau observed a cab pull up near the home and a male matching the description exit and walk toward the residence. All involved units arrived and he was taken into custody without incident.

### **15-6494 | 2:30 AM | Burglary | Rubis, C & Renaldi, A | Trefoil Ct**

Second Incident - Arrested was Gilchrist, Baby Ray { 9/18/73 }

Officers first received a call of a suspicious male on foot in the area of Trefoil Ct.

At approximate the same time Officers received a report of a motor Vehicle Crash with injuries in the area of 334 Bullard St, in which the male operator had fled the scene.

During the investigation it was determined there was significant activity on the registration plate of the crashed motor vehicle out of Bridgeport. It was later determined that Bridgeport PD was

investigating the vehicle as “Taken without Permission” from an address in Bridgeport. Their suspect prior to the crash was a suspect who allegedly took the keys and was in route to Trefoil Ct. to get some items from an apartment occupied by a former domestic partner and victim of an earlier Domestic assault. Sgt. Paris, Sgt. Zdru, Officer Rubis, Officer Renaldi, and Officer De Angelis coordinated a response to the Trefoil Court residence. They arrived to find the rear door kicked in.

The suspect was located inside the apartment holding a scissor and a knife, and was taken into custody without incident and transported to HQ. The domestic partner was not on scene and was staying with a friend.

While being held on bond, the suspect made several attempts to commit suicide by hanging himself with both his T-shirt and underwear and then by attempting to drown in the holding cell toilet. AMR transported him to Bridgeport Hospital, Officers maintained guard at the Hospital until his arraignment.

**15-6813 | 3:12 PM | Pursuit / Assist Bridgeport PD at Exit 22**

Bridgeport PD reported that they were in pursuit of a vehicle south on I-95 and the driver was wanted on firearms charges. The car exited onto N. Benson, lost control, and crashed in the area of Kinnie Drive. Bridgeport personnel, including their K-9, took the suspect into custody. The suspect and two Bridgeport officers were bit by the K-9. No injuries appeared serious in nature.

A short time later, a citizen directed Fairfield Officers to the entrance ramp by Stephens La. and Fairfield Officers recovered a firearm thrown from the vehicle. Bridgeport PD responded and continued their investigation.

**15-7142 | 7:42 PM | DUI/Larceny/Narcotics | Paris, M | Post Rd/Morningside**

A suspect was arrested and charged with Larceny and M/V Charges after Sgt. Paris observed the vehicle moving suspiciously through the area. This is the same vehicle/operator that was suspected last week of plotting M/V break-ins at Vinnys Bar and Grille. A GPS was discovered in the vehicle which was taken 3 weeks ago from a vehicle parked at Bill's Crossroads.

**15-7257 | 10:53 PM | | Irizarry, H | Villa Av/Lewis Dr**

A suspect was arrested and charged with Criminal Impersonation (53a-130), Interfering With Police (53a-167a), and M/V after a traffic stop. The suspect failed to bring his vehicle to stop after Sgt Irizarry activated his overhead lights, and continued traveling for approximately a quarter mile before coming to a complete stop. Subsequent to the stop, the suspect (who does not have a valid license), provided the license of his twin brother, to Sgt Irizarry. **The occupants of this vehicle were the suspects in several strong arm robberies in Bridgeport**

## Section 3: Bureau / Division Reports

### Patrol

- Fairfield Beach Rd. Area - Quality of life complaints (totaled -3)

### Support Services

- Conducted training utilizing the Milford simulator for all officers.
- Completed annual recertification training for all officers
- Completed the redesign of the monthly reports
- Continued work on evaluation of body cameras
- Continued working on hiring process for new officers
- Finalized memorandum of understanding with Fairfield University for new Fire Department receiver.
- Completed moving dispatch personnel to electronic schedule system
- Provided ID cards to all fire department personnel
- Continued working with HVAC company on upgrades to system

### Detective Bureau

- In 2013, the Detective Bureau Narcotics Unit, to include Sergeant Granata, and Detectives Rilling and Caruso, received information from a confidential informant regarding the illegal sale of prescription pills, to include Oxycodone, by a State of CT counselor. These pills were being sold in the greater Bridgeport area. The Narcotics Unit conducted numerous surveillances and executed several search warrants and in doing so, corroborated the informant's information. Working with a DEA taskforce, the counselor and his supplier/co-distributor were arrested after officers from multiple agencies executed search warrants at their homes. In February, BOTH subjects plead guilty in Federal court and will be sentenced in May. As part of their plea, the defendants agreed to forfeit numerous homes, property, and cash. This was a significant and very successful drug investigation.
- On October 18, 2014, an armed robbery occurred at Pequot Liquor Store, 3430 Post Rd, where a handgun was displayed. Based on the statement provided by an astute eyewitness, Detective McKeon, assisted by Detective Buckmir, conducted an extensive investigation involving multiple interviews along with video analysis. Their investigation led to the arrest of 3 individuals for charges that include robbery and larceny: Detectives continue to investigate their possible involvement in other robberies.
- On 9/8/2014 the theft of a wallet occurred at a business located at 62 Unquowa Rd. Detective Kelley, working with video of the suspect, was able to identify the suspect

who has an extensive criminal history to include similar types of office thefts. He was located and arrested in February.

- On 8/19/2014, a VW Golf was stolen from Duck Farm Rd and recovered in Waterbury. Detective Irizarry and McKeon conducted an investigation reviewing video in Waterbury, along with numerous interviews. This lead to the larceny arrest of an adult suspect, along with several juveniles.
- On 7/28/2014, a VW Beetle was stolen from Geronimo's Restaurant, 2070 Post Rd. Detective Buckmir conducted an extensive investigation and located the vehicle stripped and dumped in Bronx, NY. His investigation culminated in an arrest warrant application for the owner of a vehicle repair shop in the Bronx. That warrant is currently being reviewed at court,

### Special Services

- Infractions – 94
  - 3 additional Infractions issued for Town Ordinance, Failure to Remove Snow from Sidewalk
- Verbal Warnings – 90
- Misdemeanor Summons' – 19
- MVA – 111

25 MV Stops were the result of LPR usage

Additionally, 1 felony arrest for a Fugitive from Justice was made as well as another warrant arrest