



LACEY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

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September 2017 - Monthly Statistics

This agency handled **30361** calls-for-service between **January 1st 2017**, and **September 30th, 2017**.

The Lacey Township Police Department handled **2962** calls-for-service during the month of **September 2017**. The monthly summary is as follows:

Uniformed Patrol Division

The **Uniformed Patrol Division** activities for the month of **September 2017** are as follows:

Summary of Traffic Summonses

146 Summonses and **35** Written Warnings from **537** Motor Vehicle Stops.

- **7** DUI Arrests
- **14** Suspended License Summonses
- **7** Reckless Driving Summonses
- **5** Uninsured Vehicle Summonses
- **2** CDS in a Motor Vehicle Summonses

Traffic Accidents

55 Motor Vehicle Accidents Reported

- **12** injuries
 - **0** fatalities
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Drug Arrests

8 arrests were made by Patrol Division personnel for drug-related offenses during the month of **September**.

Warrant Arrests

27 arrests were made on court-issued warrants during the month of **September**.

5 arrests were for individuals who turned themselves in at police headquarters.

Criminal and SC Complaints

34 Criminal complaint summonses/warrants were signed by officers within the Patrol Division during the month of **September**.

Directed Enforcement Details

383 documented directed enforcement details were completed during the month of **September**.

Domestic Violence Incidents

27 Domestic violence calls were answered by patrol officers during the month of **September**.

8 Incidents involved an application for a Temporary Restraining Order.

9 Incidents involved criminal charges.

First Aid Calls

165 emergency first aid calls were answered by patrol officers during the month of **September**.

PESS Matters

16 incidents involved the use of the Psychological Emergency Screening Service (PESS) during the month of **September**.

Training Assignments

- On September 7, 2017, Lieutenant Kenny, Detective May, and Officer Ewart attended 3rd Quarter Rifle training. The training was held at the Lacey Township Firearms Range.
- On September 8, 2017, Lt. Kenny and Chief DiBella attended EOC Operations Course Training. The training was hosted by OCOEM and held at Hi-Point Fire Department in Harvey Cedars, NJ.
- On September 8, 2017 Officers A. Slota, Tsarnas, and Androcy attended 3rd Quarter Rifle training. The training was held at the Lacey Township Firearms Range.

- On September 11, 2017, Officers John D. Simonson, Anthony Sarno, and Michael Verwey attended in service quarterly rifle training. The training was instructed by Sergeant Michael Eden, from 1:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m., at the Lacey Township Range.
- From September 11, 2017, to September 15, 2017, Detective Kymberly Gudgeon attended Tactical Narcotics Class #1 in Woodbridge.
- On September 14, 15, 18, and 19, 2017, Officer Noah Schaffer attended LEADS training at the Ocean County Training Center from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- From September 18 to 22, 2017, and from September 25 to 29, 2017, Officer Michael Verwey attended DRE training at the Bergen County Police Academy from 8:00 to 4:00 p.m.
- On September 21, 2017, Officer Charles May attended ALICE training from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

ABC Details

N/A

Special Details/Events

- On September 2, 2017, and September 4, 2017, members of the Lacey Township Police Department were assigned to patrol the Lacey Township Soccer Tournament.
- On September 3, 2017, Officer John McKee worked a Drive Sober detail from 9:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.
- On September 3, 2017, Officer Evan Androcy worked a Drive Sober detail from 8:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m.
- September 5, 2017, Officer Dimitrios Tsarnas was utilized as a DRE for Lacey Township from 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
- On September 10, 2017, members of the Lacey Township Police Department were assigned to the Lacey Elks Lodge in reference a visit from the Lieutenant Governor.
- On September 12, 2017, Sergeant Michael Eden attended an Emergency Management Outreach Meeting from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- On September 13, 2017, Chief DiBella, Lieutenant Christopher Kenny and Sergeant Michael Eden attended an EOC Inspection at 2:00 p.m.
- On September 23, 2017, members of the Lacey Township Police Department were assigned to the Wellness Day event at Walmart from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- On September 26, 2017, Chief DiBella, Lt. Kenny, Sergeant Eden, Officers Daniel Ricciardella and Brian Holt, and Dispatchers Bender and Holmes, participated in the OCNCS FEMA Graded Ingestion Pathway Exercise. The Exercise was hosted by the NJOEM and held in the Lacey Township OEM.

- On September 28, 2017, Lieutenant Christopher Kenny, Sergeant Michael Eden, and Dispatcher Matthew Bender attended an Emergency Management Drill Table Top at the OCOEM from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Investigative Division

The **Investigative Division** activities for the month of **September 2017** are as follows:

Case Management

36 cases were assigned during the month of **September** and currently **3** of the **36** remain open.
6 cases were closed from previous months.

Off-hour Duty Calls

2 incidents required a Detective to respond during off hours during the month of **September**.

Grand Jury and Superior Court Appearances

1 case required the appearance of a detective at Grand Jury during the month of **September**.

0 cases required testimony from a detective at Superior Court in reference to appealed gun permit applications during the month of **September**.

Drug Arrests

8 arrests were made by detectives during the month of **September** for drug-related offenses.

Criminal and SC Complaints

12 Criminal complaint summonses/warrants were signed by detectives during the month of **September**.

Search Warrants

2 Search Warrants and **0** Communications Data Warrants (CDWs) were executed during the month of **September**.

Background Investigations

Firearms - **29** firearms background investigations/permits were processed during the month of **September**.

Permit to Carry – **0** permits to carry applications were completed during the month of **September**.

Volunteer Fire/First Aid - **1** volunteer background investigations were processed during the month of **September**.

Solicitor - **2** solicitor’s permit backgrounds were processed during the month of **September**.

Megan’s Law Registrations

3 registrants reported to police headquarters for their annual registration requirement. **0** registrants conducted a 90-day registration requirement. **1** new registrant was documented during the month as moving into Lacey Township. **3** registrants moved from our jurisdiction. **2** current registrant appointments were facilitated to update information. **0** registrants were removed from Megan’s Law. Our jurisdiction currently has **29** Megan’s Law Registrants.

Prescription Drop Box

79 pounds of medication were removed from the Prescription Drop Box on **5** occasions with **0** trips being made to Rahway to deliver **0** pounds of the medical items during the month of **September**.

Blue HART

2 adults sought assistance with addiction through the Blue HART Program in **September**. The enrollees originated from Barnegat and Vineland.

Training Assignments

Detective Gudgeon attended a 5-day block of instruction sponsored by the New Jersey Narcotics Enforcement Officers Association. The training, which was held in Woodbridge, NJ, was titled Tactical Narcotics.

Detectives Pearce and Della Sala attended a 4-hour block of instruction at the Middlesex County Fire Academy. The training provided attendees with updates on bias crimes. The course was provided by MAGLOCLLEN.

Confidential Funds

The confidential fund was utilized on **3** occasions during **September**. The on-hand balance is **\$1039.12** as of **September 30, 2017**.

Property & Evidence Function

The **Property & Evidence Function** activities for the month of **September 2017** are as follows:

65 pieces of **Property** were entered into the property module during the month of **September** (includes found property, recovered stolen items and items held for safekeeping).

0 Impounded Vehicles were entered into the property module during the month of **September**.

3 Firearm/Weapon items were entered into the property module and/or the Ocean County Prosecutor's secure site (InfoShare) during the month of **September**.

1 Articles of Evidence was transported to the Ocean County Sheriff's Department Criminal Investigation Unit in **1 trip** during the month of **September**.

0 Blood samples were turned over to the Ocean County Prosecutor's Office at LTPD/Headquarters during the month of **September**.

0 Blood samples were turned over to the New Jersey State Police Lab during the month of **September**.

0 Seized Currency from **0** cases was turned over (via deposit) to the Ocean County Prosecutor's Office for forfeiture during the month of **September**.

3 Firearm/Weapon items were transported to the Ocean County Prosecutor's Gun Unit during the month of **September**.

12 Evidential Recordings/Documents were prepared for the Ocean County Prosecutor's Office/Municipal Prosecutor and/or requesting attorneys during the month of **September**.

Administrative/Support Services Division

Records Bureau

51 Discovery Packages were prepared for defense attorneys, the public defender, and the public during the month of **September**.

126 DCP&P (DYFS) Background Inquiries were facilitated during the month of **September**.

\$424.16 was collected by the Records Bureau during the month of **September**.

Walk-ins **60** Mail/Discovery **54** Firearms **29** Solicitors **0**

6 Records-based background inquiries were facilitated for various agencies during the month of **September**.

42 Applications for Firearms Permits/ID cards were received from residents during the month of **September**.

47 Applications for Firearms Permits/ID cards were processed from Residents during the month of **September**.

45 Firearms Permits and **12** ID cards were prepared, finalized, and provided to residents during the month of **September**.

5 Firearms Permit Renewals were processed during the month of **September**.

15 OPRA requests for motor vehicle accidents were facilitated and forwarded to the township Clerk's Office during the month of **September**.

Municipal Court Liaison

Court Security –A Class II Special Officer was assigned to court security for **30** hours on **4** separate occasions.

Court Attendant – A Class I Special Officer was assigned to conduct security checks with a hand-held metal detector for the court for a total of **46** hours on **4** separate court dates.

Off-hour Duty Support Services Callouts (Not including Traffic/DRE/Fast Team)

0 incidents required off-duty assistance during the month of **September**.

Discovery Recordings, IT Projects, Problems, etc.

- XCAD Geo Entries **0**
- XRMS Consolidations **0**
- XRMS Expungements **10**
- XMOBILE Report Building **0**
- Discovery Recordings copied/prepared **9**

SLEO Special Assignments

- Special Officer Edwards was assigned to the Skate Park for 5 hours on 09/01/2017.
- Special Officers Carhart, Triano, Edwards, and Campolei were assigned to the Labor Day Soccer Tournament on 09/02/2017.
- A Special Officer was assigned to steady church traffic on Sundays for 6 hours.
- Special Officers Triano, Edwards, and Campolei were assigned to the Labor Day Soccer Tournament on 09/04/2017.
- Special Officers Carhart and Triano were assigned as crossing guards on 09/08/2017.
- Special Officer Triano was assigned to Gille Park for the “Kids for a Cure” and the Skate Park night event on 09/08/2017.
- Special Officer Carhart was assigned to the Popcorn Park Zoo crossing on 09/09/2017.
- Special Officers Triano, Edwards, and Campolei were assigned to the LTHS football game on 09/16/2017.
- Special Officers Walsh, DeCataldo, and Moeller were assigned for two days of orientation starting 09/19/2017 through 09/20/2017.
- Special Officer Triano was assigned to the skate park night event on 09/22/2017.
- Special Officer Campolei was assigned to the Lacey Elks for detail with Congressman McArthur.
- Special Officer Triano was assigned to Walmart for Walmart Wellness Day on 09/23/2017.
- Special Officer Campolei was assigned to Back to School Night to assist traffic at the LTMS on 09/28/2017.
- Special Officer Campolei, Moeller, Walsh, Swain, Triano, and Decataldo were assigned to the Applefest at Lacey Day on 09/30/2017.

Extra-Duty Employment Contractor Assignments

The following extra-duty employment contracts/invoices were processed for contractor assignments:

- May, Verwey, and Lee worked Brickwall on 09/02/2017 for a combined 18 hours
- Kenny, Cernek, and Tsarnas worked Brickwall on 09/03/2017 for a combined 18 hours
- McKee worked for JCPL on 9/06/2017 for 13 hours
- Cernek worked for Gray Supply on 09/11/2017 for 7.5hours
- Abrecht worked for Gray Supply on 09/12/2017 for 8 hours
- Julian worked for Gray Supply on 09/12/2017 for 8.5 hours
- McKee and Tsarnas worked for JCPL on 9/13/2017 for a combined 8 hours
- Androcy worked for Gray Supply on 09/14/2017 for 10 hours
- Simonson worked for Gray Supply on 09/15/2017 for 10 hours
- Lee worked for Verizon on 09/15/2017 for 9 hours
- Sullivan worked for Gray Supply on 09/18/2017 for 8.5 hours
- Dalziel worked for JCPL on 09/19/2017 for 4 hours
- Ewart and Copes worked for Gray Supply on 09/21/2017 for a combined 18 hours
- Julian worked for Ocean Pipe Works on 09/21/2017 for 6 hours
- Flynn worked for Gray Supply on 09/22/2017 for 8.5 hours
- Schaffer worked for Gray Supply on 09/25/2017 for 9 hours
- Hein worked for Gray Supply on 09/26/2017 for 9 hours
- Kenny worked for Gray Supply on 09/27/2017 for 8.5 hours
- Androcy worked or CJ Hesse on 09/27/2017 for 10 Hours.
- Julian worked for Gray Supply on 09/28/2017 for 7.5 hours
- Copes worked or CJ Hesse on 09/28/2017 for 9.5 Hours.
- Abrecht worked for Gray Supply on 09/29/2017 for 8.5 hours
- Watkins worked or CJ Hesse on 09/29/2017 for 10 Hours.

Extra-Duty Non Contractor

None

Building Maintenance

There were no issues to report.

Traffic Safety Assignments-DRE/DDEF/OCPO Details/FAST Team Callouts

- 1 incident required off-duty assistance during the month (DRE)
- Hein and Ricciardella worked Drive Sober Grant on 09/01/2017 for a combined 10 hours
- Meyler and Keefe worked Drive Sober Grant on 09/02/2017for a combined 10 hours

- McKee and Androcy worked Drive Sober Grant on 09/03/2017 for a combined 11 hours
- Ricciardella worked a car seat checkpoint on 09/23/2017 for 4.5 hours

Training Assignments

Employee Training During the Month of July

L.E.A.D. In Service Training- Det. Kymberly Gudgeon
Tactical Narcotics Training Class #1- Det. Kymberly Gudgeon
L.E.A.D. Training School- Ptl. Noah Schaffer
D.R.E. Training- Ptl. Michael Verwey
Northern Red QRB Course- Ptl. Anthony Sarno
N.J. Bias Crime Officers Training- Det. Keith Pearce, Det. Sam Della Sala
NJSP Identification and Information Technology Symposium- Lt. Paul Sullivan, Lynn Talarico
ODARA Training for Domestic Violence- Lt. Vincent Meehan, Ptl. John Simonson

Roll-Call Training

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Lieutenant Christopher Cornelius** of the investigative division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Lieutenant Christopher Kenny** of the patrol division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Lieutenant Vincent Meehan** of the patrol division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Sergeant Ronald Buxton** of the patrol division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Sergeant Robert Flynn** of the patrol division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Sergeant Robert Surtees** of the patrol division.

0 roll call training session(s) were documented by **Sergeant Michael Eden** of the patrol division.

NJ Learn

The following NJ Learn Courses have been assigned to all Law Enforcement personnel:

Chem Safety/Hazcom

The following NJ Learn Courses have been assigned to all Public Safety Telecommunicators:

Chem Safety/Hazcom

Field Training

Three SLEO2's were appointed this month. Tyler Walsh, Matthew DeCataldo, and Michael Moeller have begun a modified FTO program. Their progress will be documented in similar fashion to that of full time officers. Lt. Sullivan will be keeping me apprised of their performance throughout the training period.

PST. Trainee M. Fusciello is in his 4th month of training and is currently assigned to Shift 2. PST. F. Holmes will be overseeing his progress. Lt. Sullivan will be keeping me apprised of M. Fusciello's performance throughout his training.

PST. Trainee B. Zonin is in her 2nd month of training and is currently assigned to Shift 1. PST. K. Lawler will be overseeing her progress. Lt. Sullivan will be keeping me apprised of B. Zonin's performance throughout his training.

SLEO Edwards has entered the Class II Police Academy at the Ocean County Police Academy. Lt. Sullivan will be keeping me apprised of his performance throughout the training.

Firearms

Handgun Qualifications

- Fall handgun qualifications are scheduled for the month of October.

Handgun Training

- Fall handgun qualifications are scheduled for the month of October.

Shotgun Training

- Fall shotgun qualifications are scheduled for the month of October.

Rifle/Subgun Training

- 3rd Quarter Rifle training/qualifications were completed in the month of September with the exception of Officer Jeffrey Slota.
- Subgun Training/Qualification were cancelled due to weather and will be completed in October.

Training Documentation

The In-Service Training binder has been updated for the month of **September**.

The Field Training assignments were signed off on for the month of **September**.

Policy Review & Revision

3 policies were reviewed.

2 policies were sent for final approval.

OPRA Requests

4 OPRA requests were processed for the month of **September**.

SWAT Coordination

SWAT training session was attended during the month of **September**.

- On **September 6, 2017**, Officer Verwey attended regularly scheduled SWAT training from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The training was held at FAA training center in Hamilton, NJ.
- From **September 18, 2017** to **Friday, September 22, 2017**, Officer Sarno attended 5-Day Northern Red CQB training. The training was hosted by Ocean County SWAT and was held in various locations.

1 SWAT callout was answered during the month of **September**.

- On **September 16, 2017**, the Ocean County Regional SWAT team was activated at 6:00 a.m. Officer Sarno responded to Seaside Heights in reference to a security detail.

Internal Affairs Investigations

0 internal affairs investigation(s) were initiated for the month of **September**.

Source: Citizen— **0** Department Initiated—**0**

0 internal affairs investigation(s) currently open being investigated in **September**.

0 internal affairs investigation(s) disposed during month of **September**.