

BALTIMORE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT 2013 ANNUAL REPORT



DEFINING EXCELLENCE IN POLICING



COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S MESSAGE



Kevin Kamenetz
Baltimore County Executive

People choose to live in Baltimore County because of the quality of life that comes from good schools, safe streets, thriving businesses and pleasant neighborhoods. Each and every officer and employee in the Baltimore County Police Department plays an integral role in our success in maintaining this attractive lifestyle for our residents.

A genuine commitment to community is one of the many reasons that our Police Department stands head and shoulders above its peers in the region and around the nation. Thanks to the efforts of Chief Jim Johnson and his team – everyone from the patrol officer to the crime lab technician – crime remains at historic lows, and our case clearance rates some of the best in the nation. These impressive statistics reflect the skill and dedication of our police force.

However, our police officers cannot do it alone. The Police Department has forged effective partnerships with community leaders, the Baltimore County State's Attorney's Office, the courts, the Baltimore County Detention Center, the Sheriff's Office, our schools, the business community and other law enforcement agencies.

My administration is committed to supporting the Police Department by providing the resources our officers need: the latest computer technology, equipment, vehicles and tools. Our Office of Information Technology – or as Chief Johnson calls them, our “keyboard crime fighters” – will continue to dedicate themselves to mission-critical technical advances.

On behalf of the people of Baltimore County, I express my deepest appreciation to Chief Johnson and the Baltimore County Police Department for outstanding work in safeguarding our communities.

This report clearly demonstrates that Baltimore County's crime prevention efforts and crime response make a positive difference in the lives of our citizens. Congratulations to everyone involved for yet another successful year.

Very Truly Yours,
Kevin Kamenetz
Baltimore County Executive



CHIEF'S MESSAGE



James W. Johnson
Chief of Police

All of us in the Baltimore County Police Department (BCoPD) community will remember 2013 as a poignant, tragic year because of the loss of Officer First Class Jason Schneider, a loss we continue to grieve.

Yet the death of this skilled and committed police officer – shot and killed in the line of duty on August 28, 2013 – should not obscure this agency's successes during the past year. In 2013, BCoPD made significant technological advancements, enhanced valuable relationships with our community and law enforcement partners and – most important – continued to drive down crime.

Crime has been declining in Baltimore County for the past seven years, and our goal is to continue that trend. The final, official statistics for 2013 show reductions in overall crime and in virtually every category of serious crime.

Total crime fell by 5.2 percent against the previous five-year average. Part I violent crime, the most serious violent crime, fell by 5.5 percent against the previous five-year average. Every category of Part I violent crime dropped except robbery, where the number of cases rose due largely to an increase in cell phone robberies.

The number of homicides in 2013 dropped by seven cases – a nearly 26 percent drop – when compared to the previous five-year average. Rapes fell by 19 cases and aggravated assaults by 258 cases.

Part I property crime – burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft and arson, were 5.2 percent fewer than the previous five-year average. Part II crimes – everything from trespass to drug offenses – fell 5 percent.

These statistics are a testament to the quality of our police personnel and the soundness of our law enforcement strategies, which involve identifying trends, understanding why trends occur and directing resources to the problem.

Partnerships with other public safety stakeholders – our communities and businesses, the Baltimore County Police Foundation, neighboring law enforcement agencies and the court system – continue to play a central role in our pursuit of excellence. Our exceptionally high clearance rates, which year after year far exceed state and national averages, result in part from the constructive relationship we enjoy with Baltimore County State's Attorney Scott Shellenberger. This Department recognizes that effective law enforcement involves more than arrests; we are committed to building solid cases that can be successfully prosecuted.



Investment in technology and equipment was a priority again in 2013.

The move toward field-based, electronic crime reporting is now complete. This system, which replaces the old paper reporting system, allows for more efficient processing of police reports at the investigatory level.

The Department deployed its first electronic stand-up vehicles, T-3's, purchased and donated by the Police Foundation primarily for use in the Towson business/entertainment district.

And we began the replacement of our fleet of police cruisers – a \$1.3 million investment – with the purchase of the first Ford Interceptors. The Interceptor replaces the old Ford Crown Victoria sedan that has served us well since the 1990s. All-wheel drive and improved fuel efficiency and drivability make this cruiser a sound choice, functionally and economically.

Like any police department, especially like any large department serving a broad and diverse population, we face challenges and difficulties each year. The measure of any police agency is how it meets those challenges and responds to those difficulties. Here in Baltimore County, we define excellence by how we deal with our problems – with honesty, transparency and a determination to confront and address problems as they occur – as well as by our successes.

Thanks to every one of our officers, professional staff and community and public safety partners as we look ahead toward another productive year.



“WE ARE COMMITTED TO EXCELLENCE AND PROFESSIONALISM IN DELIVERING COMPREHENSIVE LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES. OUR CORE RESPONSIBILITY IS TO PREVENT AND REDUCE CRIME AND VICTIMIZATION. ALL DEPARTMENT MEMBERS HAVE AN OBLIGATION, A DUTY, TO PURSUE THOSE WHO COMMIT CRIMES.”

**BALTIMORE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT
CHIEF JAMES W. JOHNSON
FROM THE VISION OF THE CHIEF**

The Baltimore County Police Department has long had pride in its commitment to the principles of integrity, fairness, and service, and above all, in its commitment to the citizens of Baltimore County. The year 2013 was no exception. The Department continues to go above and beyond the call of duty, and continues to emerge as a leader in the field of policing.

Through the use of new technology, the implementation of advanced training, the cooperation of patrol, investigative, and support units, and the building of solid relationships with other local, state, and federal agencies, the Baltimore County Police Department truly defines excellence in policing.

Crime in Baltimore County has been, and continues to be, on the decline. Due to the hard work and diligence of the Department’s patrol officers, the Department continues to not only prevent, but also solve crime at astonishing rates. During 2013, the Baltimore County Police Department defined excellence in the following ways:

- **Crime rates continue to decline.** In addition to an overall decline of 5.2 percent for total crime over the previous five-year average, the most serious violent crimes have also seen a 5.5 percent total reduction, with drops in almost every category of violent crimes.
- **National recognition for homicide clearances.** During 2013, the Baltimore County Police Department’s Homicide/Missing Persons Unit was recognized by the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance in a publication entitled “Homicide Process Mapping: Best Practices for Increasing Homicide Clearances.”
- **Conversion to electronic reporting.** By the end of 2013, the Department’s paper reporting system was converted to an almost entirely field-based, electronic system. The Field-Based Reporting system is an effective, efficient resource that conserves manpower and provides an unprecedented level of investigative resources at each officer’s fingertips.
- **Selection of the FNH FNS-40 as the new Department approved firearm.** Officer safety was a top consideration in the selection of the new weapon with a strong emphasis in training on issues such as combat preparedness and officer survivability.
- **Cooperation with the Baltimore County State’s Attorney’s Office.** The Department continues to enjoy a tremendous relationship with the State’s Attorney’s Office. This ensures that the Department not only makes arrests, but is able to build solid cases for successful prosecution of criminals in court.
- **New police vehicles.** During 2013, the Department began introducing state-of-the-art Ford Interceptors, which feature all-wheel drive for better maneuverability in all weather conditions. Increased fuel economy provides a cost savings, while technological advancements provide greater safety and functionality for officers. Also, the introduction of the T-3 motorized, three-wheel vehicles provides officers in the Towson business/entertainment district with unprecedented accessibility and visibility during periods of peak activity.
- **State-of-the-art Crime Laboratory.** The acquisition of several new pieces of equipment by the Forensic Services Section during 2013 has allowed the Department to emerge as a leader in crime lab technology and provides invaluable support in solving and prosecuting crime.



2013 STATISTICAL PROFILE

ABOUT THE COUNTY

Population	817,455
Square Miles	612
Waterfront Miles	175

County Road Miles	2,658
State Road Miles	403
TOTAL MILES	3,061

PERSONNEL

TYPE	AUTHORIZED	ACTUAL
Sworn	1,907	1,824
Professional Staff	276	244
School Crossing Guards	273	206
Cadets	64	37
Police Service Officers	9	9
TOTAL	2,529	2,320

Sworn officers per 1,000 population	2.23
Sworn officers per square mile	2.98
K-9 Dogs	28
K-9 Handlers	24

VEHICLES

MARKED: 437 **UNMARKED:** 125 **NON-DESCRIPT:** 306 **TOTAL:** 868
 (Vehicles listed below are not a complete breakdown.)

VEHICLES INCLUDED	TOTAL	VEHICLES INCLUDED	TOTAL	VEHICLES NOT INCLUDED	TOTAL
Armored Response	1	K-9	19	Boats	3
Aviation	1	Marine	2	Zodiac Boat	1
AVNT	3	Mobile Command	1	Zodiac Inflatables	3
BPI	30	Motorcycles	6	Helicopters	3
Bucket Truck	1	Patrol	171	TRAILERS	TOTAL
Bus	1	Prisoner Transport Van	10	Boat	3
CAT	74	SRO	55	Bomb Pot	2
Court Liaison	4	Tactical	24	Child Seat	1
Forensic Mobile Lab	1	Traffic (SOD/Patrol)	43	Dive Team	1
Forensic Vans	5	Training	29	Hazardous Devices	4
Hazardous Devices	4	Underwater Rescue	1	Motorcycle	1
HIDTA	5			RATT	1
HNT Truck	1			Speed	1
JOINS	11			Traffic Cone	1

FACILITIES

FACILITY	TOTAL	FACILITY	TOTAL
Auxiliary Buildings	3	Outreach Center	1
Aviation Center	1	Precinct Stations	10
Community Center	1	Public Safety Building	1
Crash Team	1	Substations	1
Crimes Against Children Office	1	Training Academy	1
Firearms Range	1	Vice/Narcotics Office	1
Marine Center	1		

TRAINING

New recruits receive 27 weeks of entrance level training with an additional eight weeks of field training.
 Veteran officers attend in-service training annually and firearms qualifications semi-annually.

Starting Salary: \$46,699.00

CRIME ANALYSIS DATA



CALLS FOR SERVICE

Call Type	Previous Five-Year Average	2013	Volume Change	Percent Change
Traffic Stops	138,393	133,599	-4,794	-3.5%
Duplicate Calls	19,590	17,082	-2,508	-12.8 %
False Alarm Calls	37,364	33,550	-3,814	-10.2%
All Other Calls	409,351	396,185	-13,166	-3.2%
Total Calls for Service	604,698	580,416	-24,282	-4.0%

NOTE: Crime Scene Processing Calls for Service are not included.

ASSAULTS ON OFFICERS

Previous Five-Year Average	2013	Volume Change	Percent Change
890	692	-198	-22.3%

STATISTICAL EXCERPT 2013

Crime Type	Offenses				Arrests**		Clearances***	
	Prev 5-yr Avg	2013	Volume Change	Percent Change	2013	Percent Change	2013	Percent Change
Part I Offenses	29,376	27,826	-1,550	-5.3%	6,958	-16.2%	11,265	2.3%
Part II Offenses	34,223	32,495	-1,728	-5.0%	21,024	-14.6%		
TOTAL CRIME	63,599	60,321	-3,278	-5.2%	27,982	-15.0%		
Homicide	27	20	-7	-25.9%	26	-18.8%	20	-16.7%
Rape	143	124	-19	-13.3%	44	-30.2%	87	-21.6%
Robbery	1,470	1,510	40	2.7%	847	0.4%	796	8.2%
Aggravated Assault	2,788	2,530	-258	-9.3%	1,170	-10.0%	2,157	-9.8%
VIOLENT CRIME	4,427	4,184	-243	-5.5%	2,087	-6.8%	3,060	-6.2%
Burglary	4,219	3,930	-289	-6.8%	792	-22.4%	815	0.0%
Theft	18,392	18,062	-330	-1.8%	3,740	-17.8%	7,076	9.5%
Motor Vehicle Theft	2,079	1,451	-628	-30.2%	292	-32.7%	262	-36.3%
Arson	259	199	-60	-23.2%	47	-23.0%	52	-21.2%
PROPERTY CRIME	24,949	23,642	-1,307	-5.2%	4,871	-19.7%	8,205	5.8%

** Percent Arrests is calculated using the number of offenses and the number of arrests and does not necessarily reflect the percentage of offenses involving an arrest. Homicides may include incidents that occurred prior to this time frame and due to investigation or as a result of a death, have been upgraded to a homicide.

*** Cleared cases are defined as the number of cases that are cleared during this time frame and not necessarily those cases that occurred during this time frame. Cleared cases do not necessarily reflect the percentages of cases that have been cleared. Cleared cases from Part II Crimes do not exist because they are not required by Maryland State Police.

NOTE: All percent changes are calculated relative to the previous five year average.



CRIME ANALYSIS DATA

Part I Crime decreased by 1,550 cases (-5.3%) with **29,376** cases in the previous five-year average compared to 27,826 cases in 2013.

Part I Violent Crime (homicide, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault) decreased by 243 cases (-5.5%) with **4,427** cases in the previous five-year average compared to 4,184 cases in 2013. **Homicide** decreased by seven cases (-25.9%) from **27** cases to 20. **Rape** decreased by 19 cases (-13.3%) from **143** to 124 cases. **Robbery** increased by 40 cases (+2.7%) from **1,470** to 1,510 cases. Robberies committed with the use of a firearm decreased by 14 cases (-2.4%) from **588** to 574. The location category with the greatest percentage decrease was banks, etc., which experienced a nine case reduction (-26.5%) from **34** to 25 cases. Highway, streets, etc. robberies increased by 65 cases from **740** to 805 cases (+8.8%). **Aggravated Assault** decreased by 258 cases (-9.3%) from **2,788** to 2,530 cases. This was the lowest reported number of aggravated assaults since 1976. Aggravated Assaults committed with a firearm decreased by 10 cases (-3.7%) from **268** to 258 cases. Aggravated Assaults committed with a knife or other sharp instrument decreased by 84 cases (-13.1%) from **640** to 556 cases.

Part I Property Crime (burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson) decreased by 1,307 cases (-5.2%) from **24,949** to 23,642 cases. **Burglary** decreased by 289 cases (-6.8%) from **4,219** cases to 3,930. **Theft** decreased by 330 cases (-1.8%) from **18,392** to 18,062. **Motor Vehicle Theft** decreased by 628 cases (-30.2%) from **2,079** to 1,451 cases. **Arson** decreased by 60 cases (-23.2%) from **259** to 199 cases.

Part II Crime decreased by 1,728 cases (-5.0%) from **34,223** to 32,495 cases. **Total Crime** decreased by 3,278 cases (-5.2%) from **63,599** to 60,321 cases. **Total Arrests** decreased by 4,930 arrests (-15.0%) from **32,912** to 27,982.

NOTE: All numbers written in blue pertain to the previous five-year average. Perceived discrepancies in percent changes are a result in rounding. Rounding down may cause the percentage change to be greater; rounding up may cause the percentage change to be lower.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENT ANALYSIS DATA

The Traffic Management Unit has developed the Data Driven Approaches to Crime and Traffic Safety (DDACTS) Project. The project has been adopted Bureau-wide in Operations and has proven effective in crime and crash reduction. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration has used the project as a model for other agencies nationwide.

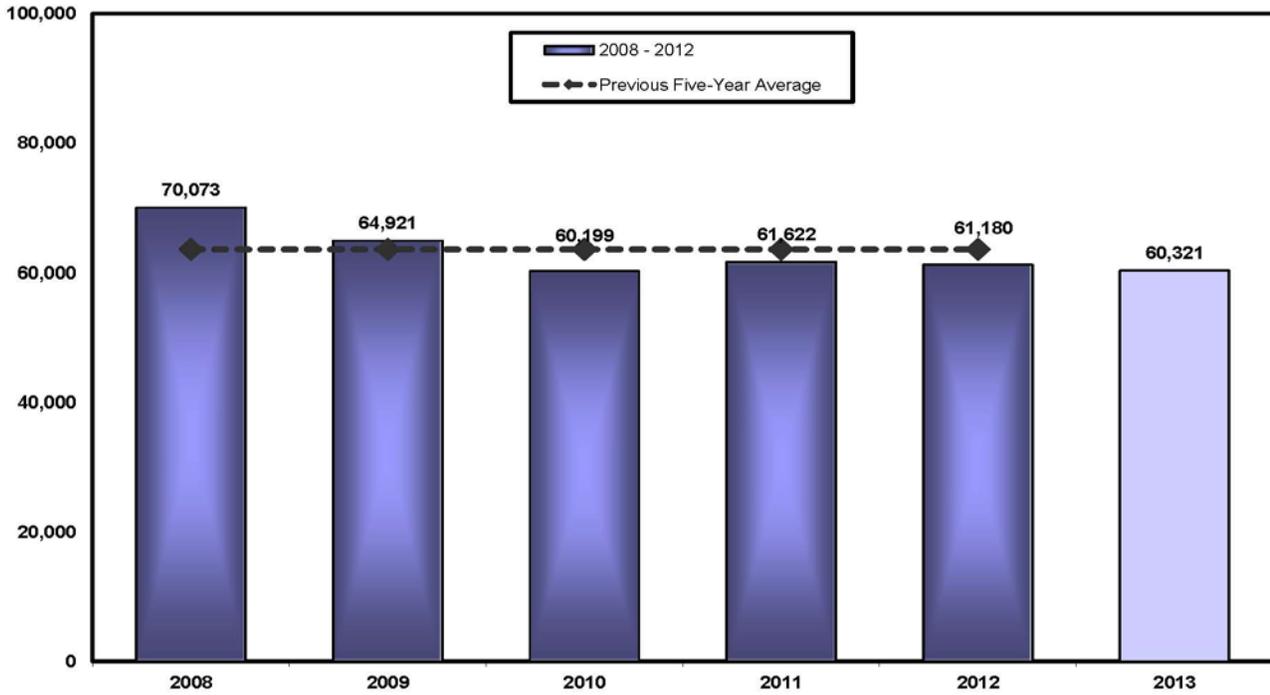
CRASH DATA FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY			
Traffic Incident	2011	2012	2013
Fatal Crashes Total	66	62	53
Alcohol Related Fatals	8	14	14
Personal Injury Crashes	3,418	3,387	3,246
Property Damage Crashes	12,042	11,298	11,056
Total Reported Crashes	15,534	14,746	14,350

Source: The total reported crashes, personal injury crashes, and property damage crashes were obtained from the Calls for Service module of the Police Department's InPursuit Record Management System (RMS) and meeting the Crash Reporting Criteria. Statistics related to fatal crashes are provided by the Baltimore County Police Department Crime and Traffic Analysis Team.

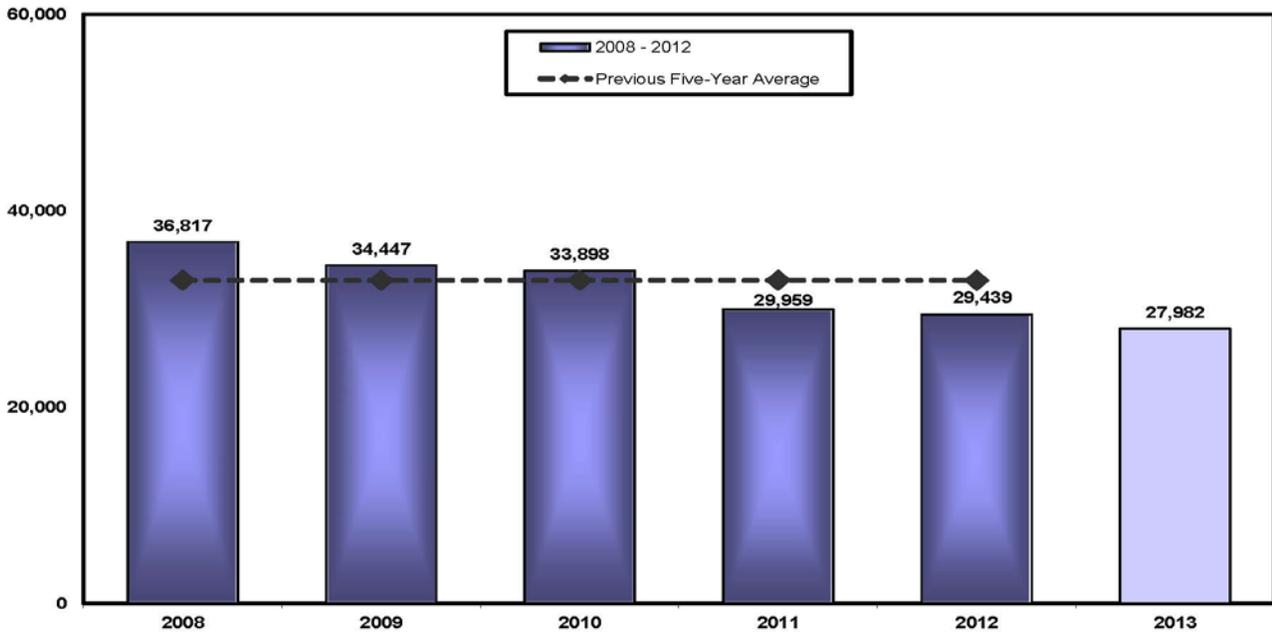
NOTE: Statistics used in this table are generated at the time of this report and may differ from historical data.



CRIME TREND



ARREST TREND





OFFICE OF THE CHIEF

The general administration of the Police Department is the responsibility of the Chief of Police, who provides overall direction and control over, and is accountable for, all functions relative to the Police Department of Baltimore County. The Executive Office Staff, the Internal Affairs Section, the Legal Section, and the Office of Media & Communications report directly to the Chief of Police.

The Executive Office Staff coordinates the routine business of the Chief and the Department, handles inquiries and requests for assistance received from citizens, County Administration, elected officials, and other law enforcement agencies, and reviews and assigns correspondence received by the Office of the Chief.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS SECTION



Captain John A. Campbell

The Internal Affairs Section (IAS) operates under the direct authority of the Chief of Police. The IAS is responsible for assisting in maintaining the integrity of the Department and its members. Community trust is an established and highly honored relationship between the Baltimore County Police Department and the citizens it has been entrusted to serve. In order to maintain that trust, the Department fosters a high expectation of ethical behavior, and each member is responsible for meeting those expectations.

The IAS is also responsible for ensuring an effective disciplinary system, accepting and investigating complaints against Department members, monitoring investigations conducted by

command personnel, investigating complaints against the Baltimore County Department of Corrections (BCDC) members, reviewing less-than-lethal use-of-force reports and Department firearms discharges, and maintaining firearms discharge records.

In 2013, the IAS evaluated, approved, and/or investigated 465 complaints against Police Department personnel. In addition, the Jail Squad received and investigated six complaints filed against BCDC personnel.

OFFICE OF MEDIA & COMMUNICATIONS



Director Elise Armacost

The success of public safety communications relies on the ability to communicate directly with constituents. In 2013, the Office of Media &



Communications embraced the challenges and opportunities presented by the ever changing world of social media to help achieve this success.

The Official Baltimore County Police and Fire Facebook page launched in 2013. By the year's end, the page had approximately 8,000 "likes." The page can be viewed and liked at: www.facebook.com/baltimorecountypoliceandfire.

The Facebook page is a one-stop news source, including information about daily police and fire news, prevention and safety, and positive happenings within the Departments. Facebook postings routinely are shared and commented upon by users, extending our reach and allowing citizens a greater degree of engagement.

Public safety Twitter accounts, @BACOPolice Fire (launched in 2012), and @BACOemergency (launched several years ago) have nearly 5,000 and 7,100 followers, respectively.

In 2013, the first phase of a Police Department web redesign was completed. Specifically, this phase replaced the outdated "news release" page with a more user-friendly news blog, www.baltimorecountymd.gov/policefirenews.

This redesign makes the site a "two-way street," by also providing tools for citizens to provide information to the Police Department through programs such as iWatch and the Citizen On-line Reporting system. Each precinct's news pages, including their local crime blotters, also got an overhaul as part of the redesign.

The Office of Media & Communications handled two particularly significant events in 2013, the May 28, 2013 train explosion in Rosedale and the line of duty death of Officer Jason Schneider, who was killed on August 28, 2013, while serving a warrant in Catonsville.

The train explosion generated international coverage and posed challenging issues because of the location and hazardous material conditions. The death of Officer Schneider also generated intense regional coverage and involved complex inquiries about tactical operations.

LEGAL SECTION

The Legal Section provides legal assistance and advice to the Department and its members, and acts as a liaison to the State's Attorney's Office and the courts.

Members of the Section attend the Maryland Legislative Session to review, track, and monitor all bills before the General Assembly to ascertain their impact on law enforcement. They also represent the Department on the Maryland Chiefs and Sheriffs joint legislative committee.

The Section also reviews all state and federal forfeiture submissions to determine if property related to criminal activity meets forfeiture law guidelines. The Section processes all federal forfeitures involving money, personal property, and automobiles. The responsibility for state forfeitures includes the litigation in state court of cases involving the seizure of money, firearms, and automobiles during criminal investigations.

All Maryland Public Information Act requests and complex requests for Department records are processed by the Section. Additionally, court ordered subpoenas for testimony by Department members and for Department records are handled by the Section's attorneys.

The Legal Director works with County officials regarding claims and lawsuits filed against the Department, and also on Equal Employment Opportunity Commission complaints. The Director advises the Internal Affairs Section regarding the investigation of Department members, and Legal Section members act as prosecutors for departmental hearing boards.

The Section also participates in the Maryland Chiefs Legal Advisors' Committee. Attorneys review significant state and federal court opinions and educate Department members by publishing Legal Briefs, Training Bulletins, and telexes. The Section is also responsible for preparing and reviewing all Memorandums of Understanding, agreements, and leases between the Department and outside agencies and organizations.



ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL SERVICES BUREAU

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Colonel Joseph E. Burris

The Administrative & Technical Services Bureau provides administrative and technical support throughout the Police Department. The Bureau oversees a staff of highly trained and specialized officers and professional staff members whose overall goal is to aid in the effectiveness and efficiency of Department programs.

Key areas of responsibility include overseeing the hiring process for new officers and professional staff, training Department personnel, maintaining the budget, analyzing crime, establishing policy, fostering the use of new technology, maintaining police reports and other departmental records, and preserving evidence.

Officers and professional staff assigned to the Administrative & Technical Services Bureau have a wide range of backgrounds, knowledge, training, and experience, which provides specialized assistance to all Department members, activities, and investigations.

TECHNICAL SERVICES DIVISION

The Technical Services Division oversees the Training Section, the Employment Unit, the Materials & Facilities Management Unit, and the Technology & Communications Unit.

Daily activities conducted by the members of the Technical Services Division include a wide variety of specialized tasks. Some members assigned to the Technical Services Division are tasked with conducting background checks, written exams, and physical agility tests for new hires. Others use their expertise to teach a wide range of basic and advanced law enforcement classes. Management and maintenance of departmental properties, materials, radios, and information technology systems are also conducted by members of the Technical Services Division.

The Technical Services Division Commander serves as the Department's liaison to the County

Office of Information Technology for all of the Department's technology related projects.



Major Karen A. Johnson



TRAINING SECTION



Captain Lisa A. Hannon

The Training Section includes the In-Service Training Unit, the Recruit Training Unit, and the Firearms Training Team (FTT).

In 2013, the Recruit Training Unit trained two recruit classes. The 136th Recruit Class graduated in June with 27 recruits, including one who is a member of the Baltimore Environmental Police. In December, an additional 34 recruits graduated as members of the 138th Recruit Class, including two recruits from the Cecil County Sheriff's Office. The 139th Recruit Class began in December and is scheduled to complete their training in June of 2014.

In 2013, the Recruit Training Unit also taught classes for the Citizen's Academy, the Youth Academy, and two cadet schools. Additional courses were held for remedial driver's training, police mountain bike school, security van transportation training, and auxiliary police training.

The In-Service Training Unit, which includes the Traffic Training Team and the Specialized Training Team, provides invaluable training to the

Baltimore County Police Department and to law enforcement personnel from across the region.

In 2013, the in-service training schedule included sessions on Department programs, ethics, first aid and CPR, dealing with persons with autism, gang updates, suicide awareness, and constitutional law updates. All sworn Department members attended these sessions, as required by the Maryland Police and Correctional Training Commissions (MPCTC).

During 2013, the Specialized Training Team offered 17 specialized topics, training over 500 sworn and professional staff personnel. The topics included an introduction to fraud investigations, communicating with the hearing impaired, fictitious identification, a career development seminar, domestic violence investigations, search and seizure, interview and interrogation, and a child abuse and exploitation seminar.

The FTT continued its extensive testing and evaluation process for the selection of a new Department firearm. In March of 2013, the FNS-40, manufactured by FNH, was selected for purchase and use by the Department. The selection of this firearm will help facilitate a shift of focus in firearms training, with a greater emphasis on combat preparedness and officer survivability.

In addition to conducting two phases of in-service firearms training for all officers, the FTT conducted numerous specialized firearms training courses, including combat pistol schools, advanced active shooter training, patrol rifle operators training, and TASER X2 training. A new course entitled "Combat Trauma, Self and Buddy Rescue" was developed and implemented.

The FTT also assisted the MPCTC with the development of an active shooter training program, which will be used to establish a standardized program of active shooter response for law enforcement agencies across the state.



ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL SERVICES BUREAU

EMPLOYMENT UNIT

The Employment Unit is comprised of the Background Investigation Team and the Polygraph Team. The Unit is responsible for coordinating the hiring process for police officer and cadet applicants and conducting background investigations on all members of the Department. The Unit also conducts applicant and criminal polygraph examinations.

In 2013, the Unit conducted agility testing for 127 cadet applicants and hired 34 new cadets. The Unit also conducted agility testing for 823 police officer applicants, 50 of which were hired for entrance into the June and December training academy classes. The Unit also updated the background investigations for 25 cadets who were also eligible for entrance to the academy. In July, Baltimore County Executive Kevin Kamenetz issued a news release lauding the diversity of the 137th Academy class as the most diverse police officer class in County history.

A total of 12 retired police officers and firefighters were hired as police assistants to fill positions as court liaison officers, background investigators, and Public Safety Building security officers. By hiring public safety retirees for these positions, the Department has been able to free up additional police resources for patrol and investigative functions.

MATERIALS & FACILITIES MANAGEMENT UNIT

The Materials & Facilities Management Unit (MFMU) oversees the teams responsible for Public Safety Building security, facilities planning, fleet management, uniforms, and supplies.

In 2013, the Materials & Facilities Management Unit assisted on several major projects for the Department, including the replacement of six large, metal auxiliary storage containers used by the Evidence Management Unit, and the carpeting and tiling of several locations inside the Public Safety Building.

Additionally, in 2013, the MFMU assisted the Firearms Training Team with the beginning stages of the conversion to the new departmental firearm. They also coordinated with the Baltimore County Department of Health in placing prescription drop boxes at each precinct for citizens to anonymously and safely drop off unwanted prescription medications.

Fleet Management coordinated with Baltimore County Vehicle Operations & Maintenance (VOM) to deliver the first group of Ford Interceptor sedans, which, over time, will be replacing the Ford Crown Victoria as the Department's primary patrol vehicle. The new vehicles are equipped with V-6 engines and are all-wheel drive.

The Uniform & Supply Team continues to provide uniforms, equipment, and other supplies to Department members. In 2013, the MFMU obtained and installed a new inventory tracking system called Intellitrack, which is designed specifically to assist in the tracking of uniforms, supplies, and weapons. The system also helps inform Department members when their equipment is nearing its expiration date.

In 2013, the MFMU identified over 700 members with ballistic vests that were due for replacement. These members are being fitted for replacement vests, so that the Department can continue to provide maximum safety to the officers on the streets.





TECHNOLOGY & COMMUNICATIONS UNIT

The Technology & Communications Unit (TCU) serves as the Department's central point for all things related to communications and information technology. This includes everything from field user support to projects for technology advancement. Several projects completed during 2013 are already vital to daily police operations.

In 2013, the TCU was able to expand reliable access to many technology systems. The remote server consolidation and the NetApp migration projects moved much of the electronic data the Department uses on a daily basis from older servers in outlying facilities to the more advanced and reliable data center housed by the Office of Information Technology. The expansion of NetMotion for the school resource officers and the Regional Auto Theft Task Force allows easier and more secure systems access from the mobile environment.

The conversion of the older police reports into the InPursuit system was completed, and now provides field personnel with direct, instant access to all reports dating back to 1994. Additionally, the upgrade of IAS has allowed the Internal Affairs Section (IAS) to move away from a heavily paper-based case process, saving time and effort, and improving the efficiency of IAS investigations.

The new Faxcom system was initiated, and now integrates document fax service into the Department's e-mail system. The Faxcom system allows members to send and receive faxes from anywhere, including patrol cars. Additionally, this was a huge financial cost saver.

The Livescan fingerprint system was expanded to establish a central point of processing for Baltimore County Government employment applicants at the Public Safety Building. This system allows for a more streamlined background check process. It also was a huge fiscal savings over the outsourcing of this function to private vendors.

The Citizen On-line Reporting system was also expanded in 2013 to accommodate the reporting of shoplifting incidents by select retailers. A set of screening criteria was established to ensure patrol response is initiated when necessary. However, when the report is filed on-line, it frees up Department resources for other law enforcement activities.

In 2013, the largest technology project for the Department was the Field-Based Reporting (FBR) system. This system allows police officers in the field to complete incident reports and submit them electronically to their supervisors and then directly into the Department's Records Management System. During the first six months of the year, the TCU worked closely with Pikesville Precinct personnel to pilot the system. Also during this time, TCU worked with the Information & Records Management Unit, the Planning & Crime Analysis Unit, and the Training Section to insure that the crime reporting and information gathered was consistent with the requirements of Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR), tactical crime analysis, and other Department functions.

On July 8, 2013, the roll-out phase for FBR began. This phase required training and user support for over 1,800 users throughout a 37 week period. By the end of the year, all patrol officers and most specialized commands had completed the conversion.

The benefits of the FBR system are numerous. Investigators, prosecutors, analysts, and commanders now have access to everything a police officer reports within minutes of approval. The FBR system even completely eliminated the use of 16 different Department forms. The information that is now flowing into the Records Management System is more timely, accurate, complete, and consistent. Even outside agencies now get their information through automated processes. The impact this will have on investigations and analytics for our agency is beyond measure, and should continue to yield dividends for years to come.



ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL SERVICES BUREAU

CRIMINAL INFORMATION & ANALYSIS DIVISION



Major Mark J. Warren

The Criminal Information & Analysis Division oversees the Forensic Services Section, the Evidence Management Unit, the Information & Records Management Unit, and the Planning & Crime Analysis Unit.

The Criminal Information & Analysis Division has the primary responsibility for the preservation and analysis of the vast amount of data and evidence that is collected by the Department each year. The Division is also responsible for maintaining and updating the policies and procedures of the Department, and for making sure that all areas of the Department are maintaining compliance.

The Criminal Information & Analysis Division provides critical support to patrol officers and detectives, to the State's Attorney's Office, and to the public in the fight against crime.

FORENSIC SERVICES SECTION



Director Irvin Litofsky

shoe and tire impressions, chemistry, biology (including DNA), and trace evidence. The FSS also examines computers, cellular phones, surveillance videos, and many other forms of electronic evidence and provides a wide variety of photographic services.

In 2013, the FSS acquired several state-of-the-art technological instruments that will assist in finding the clues hidden within items of evidence recovered at crime scenes. These tools are invaluable in the fight against crime.

The Firearms Identification Unit received a new Brasstrax HD3D system, the first one of its type to be installed in the United States. This system acquires 3D images of fired cartridge cases, and compares them to known weapons and other crime scene evidence in a national database. The technology will be used to provide matches to help investigators solve crimes of violence throughout the County.

The Photography Lab acquired a new Noritsu mini-lab, dry printer, and film processor in 2013.

The Forensic Services Section (FSS) processes crime scenes of all types, and provides analysis of evidence in the areas of fingerprints, firearms,

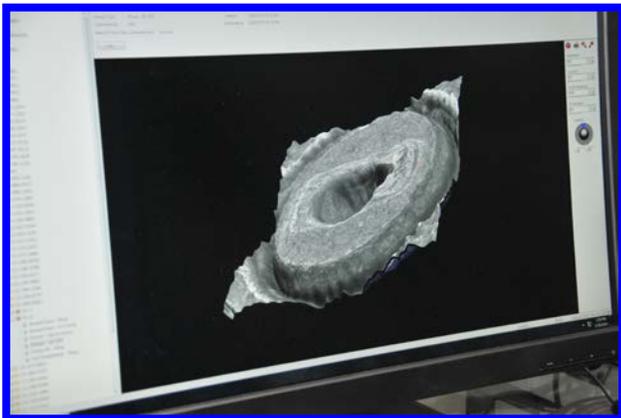


This equipment will assist the Department in the processing of both digital and film photographs, producing high resolution prints for comparison and for presentation in court.

The FSS also received several pieces of equipment for joint use between the Chemistry Unit and the Trace Evidence Unit. The Foster & Freeman FFTA allows for the examination of glass, fibers, and other small pieces of evidence, and is one of less than ten currently in use by a crime lab in the United States. The FSS also received a new Fourier Transform Infrared Spectrometer and an integrated Infrared Microscope, used to identify controlled drugs and to characterize very small items of trace evidence.

The Digital & Multimedia Evidence Unit acquired a new Cellebrite Touch Universal Forensic Extraction Device. This laboratory tool allows the Department to perform a full forensic examination on cell phones, allowing recovery of information that had been previously deleted.

These new tools, along with the rest of the equipment currently in place in the FSS laboratory, allow the Department's staff of forensic scientists to provide information to officers and investigators, and to the courts, that will help determine the facts contained within items of physical evidence. These advancements greatly impact the Department's high clearance rates and successful prosecutions in court.



**INFORMATION & RECORDS
MANAGEMENT UNIT**

The Information & Records Management Unit (IRMU) provides management of all records, documents, warrants, and other information relative to offenses and incidents, arrests, and telecommunications. The IRMU oversees report review, record processing, archiving and validation, expungements, record inquiries, warrant control, citation control, telex communications, data entry, and Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR).

The IRMU is responsible for the processing of a large amount of information on a daily basis. In addition to processing police reports, the IRMU is also responsible for the processing of a vast amount of additional types of records. In 2013, 25,966 arrests were processed. The Warrant Control Team processed 11,089 warrants, of which 8,668 were served. The Warrant Control Team also entered 3,519 protective orders into law enforcement databases and processed 7,065 summonses. The Citation Control Team processed 7,313 citations and 11,296 Baltimore County parking citations.

Uniform Crime Reporting is a function that provides crime data to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). During 2013, the IRMU continued its traditional UCR data output using paper reports. Also during 2013, the Police Department began the implementation of the Field-Based Reporting (FBR) system. Members of the UCR Team were instrumental in the testing and implementation of FBR. The Team now reviews reports electronically and ensures the reports entered by reporting officers are UCR compliant so that they may be submitted to the FBI.

The IRMU manages the Telephone Reporting Team and the Citizen On-line Reporting system, which give citizens two alternatives for reporting minor incidents to police. The Citizen On-line Reporting system was expanded in 2013, to allow loss prevention officers at certain area businesses to report shopliftings on-line. In 2013, there were a total of 3,854 reports completed using the on-line system.



ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL SERVICES BUREAU

EVIDENCE MANAGEMENT UNIT

The Evidence Management Unit (EMU) is responsible for the safekeeping, proper storage, and records management of all property and evidence that is collected by the Department.

The EMU presently stores over 180,000 pieces of evidence. This serves a critical function for the successful investigation and prosecution of criminal cases in court. Throughout 2013, the EMU processed 48,042 pieces of new evidence and property, including 1,511 firearms.

Once cases have been closed, the EMU has the monumental task of destroying or disposing of the property. The EMU destroyed or released 39,316 pieces of property during 2013. This included the destruction of 1,009 firearms and the destruction of drugs seized in 3,512 cases.

To help manage these overwhelming numbers, the EMU continues to dispose of property over the internet through the services of an internet auction at www.propertyroom.com. By making use of an on-line auction clearinghouse, the Department is able to dispose of property at an accelerated rate, rather than having to wait long periods of time for traditional auctions to be scheduled. It also results in the reduced use of human resources required to process property through traditional auction processes.

PLANNING & CRIME ANALYSIS UNIT

The Planning & Crime Analysis Unit is comprised of the Accreditation/Inspections Team, the Crime & Traffic Analysis Team (CTAT), and the Strategic Planning Team (SPT).

During 2013, the CTAT was described as "keyboard crime fighters" by Chief Jim Johnson and the media for their efforts. During a spree of 14 violent robberies, including several attacks on college students, analysts mapped the location of every crime, and areas including similar targets. They analyzed the details, such as time of day and day of week, which was used to deploy resources and apprehend the suspects.

In 2013, the CTAT produced 131 Post Car Alerts, 58 Crime Bulletins, and 218 Department of Corrections Bulletins. Analysts continued to identify trends associated with robberies, burglaries, and motor vehicle thefts. Additionally, analysts produced weekly and monthly reports to monitor crime and traffic crash activity. False Alarm, Workload Analysis, Mall, and Quarterly Crime Reports were also produced and used to make decisions and efficiently allocate resources. Production of these reports allowed the involved parties to make decisions based on reliable and precise information.

The Accreditation Team continued to increase efficiency by utilizing technology to complete the conversion of 482 accreditation files into an electronic format. During 2013, full time inspections resumed within the precincts and specialized units, aiding in the efforts to reach the goal of a seamless Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA) reaccreditation during 2014.

During 2013, the Inspections Team was vital in assisting the Evidence Management Unit in conducting 10 drug inventories and destructions and six gun inventories and destructions. During these processes, the Inspections Team served to uphold the integrity of destruction procedures and verified that all items were accounted for and safely destroyed.

The SPT opened 60 projects in 2013, conducting extensive research and establishing policy on a variety of topics. The SPT wrote the Operations Bureau's Standard Operating Procedure introducing the use of prescription drop boxes. They also wrote two Special Orders, one to introduce the Road Closures Program, and another to establish procedures for the Department's conversion to the Field-Based Reporting (FBR) system.

The SPT completed thorough reviews of the Administrative and Field Manuals for compliance with FBR requirements. Entire sections were modified to include new FBR procedures.



BUDGET MANAGEMENT SECTION



Director Nicole Glaeser

The Budget Management Section is responsible for the preparation of financial reports and reimbursement requests, coordinates, manages, and provides accounting for all Department grants, and maintains asset forfeiture records.

The Budget Management Section provides fiscal and programmatic support to the Department's operating programs, which had combined budget expenditures of \$188,053,141 for Fiscal Year 2013. Major tasks included the processing of the bi-weekly payroll for the Department's 2,529 full and part time staff, collaboration with the County's Purchasing Bureau in the purchase of all goods and services used throughout the Department, and fiscal management of Department expenditures.

In addition, the Section provided support to a number of other projects and special funds, including \$8 million in grant funded programs. These grant programs provided funding for the purchase of advanced technologies to detect and combat crime, and supported investigative and enforcement efforts in areas such as the reduction of gun violence, the monitoring of

sexual offenders, the prevention of motor vehicle theft, the implementation of traffic safety measures, solving violent crime cold cases, and the protection of security interests within Baltimore County.

The Section also administered the Department's Community Grants Program, which provided support and assistance to Citizens on Patrol groups and other programs to encourage the prevention of crime.

INTELLIGENCE UNIT

The Intelligence Unit is comprised of the Administrative Vice/Narcotics Team, the Intelligence Team, and the Gang Enforcement Team.

The Unit provides criminal intelligence briefings to the Chief of Police and bureau commanders. The Unit assists command staff personnel in initiating effective investigative and enforcement tactics. The Unit also serves as the liaison to all Department members and external agencies on matters relating to the dissemination of criminal intelligence data.

The mission of the Intelligence Unit, as a whole, is to collect, evaluate, vet, and disseminate intelligence in a manner consistent with all local, state, and federal laws. The Unit's focus includes, but is not limited to, terrorism, organized crime, narcotics and vice activity, criminal street gangs, hate groups, labor unions, protest groups, outlaw motorcycle gangs, managing the Central Informant File, and special investigations.

The Unit strives to provide worthwhile and timely intelligence information to Department members in order to assist with the investigation, apprehension, and prosecution of criminals, while maintaining the safety and security of all Department members. These efforts are designed to aid in the preservation of the quality of life for all citizens of Baltimore County.



COMMUNITY RESOURCES BUREAU

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Colonel M. Kim Ward

The Community Resources Bureau (CRB) was established in 2007 to serve as a link between the Baltimore County Police Department and the communities within Baltimore County. The CRB provides a wide range of services to County residents and to Department members, in order to improve the overall level of service that is provided to residents on a daily basis.

The CRB is comprised of the Youth Initiatives Team, the Juvenile Offenders in Need of Supervision Team, the Counseling Team, the Auxiliary Police Team, the Community Resources Team, the Elder and Vulnerable Adult Abuse Liaison, the Domestic Violence Liaison, and Chaplain Services. The CRB also serves as the Department's liaison to other County and state agencies, such as the Department of Juvenile Services, the Department of Social Services, and the Baltimore County Public Schools (BCPS).

COMMUNITY & SCHOOL RESOURCES SECTION



Captain Andre K. Davis

vital citizen services related to community outreach and the prevention of crime and victimization services including awareness, prevention, restorative justice, enforcement, and partnerships with the community.

The Commander of the CSRS serves as the Safe Schools Facilitator, and is the direct liaison between the Baltimore County Police Department and the Baltimore County Public Schools. The Safe Schools Facilitator consults with the Executive Director of School Safety and Security, school administrators and staff, the BCPS legal department, school resource officers, parents, and students to help maintain the safety and security of all Baltimore County students.

The CSRS also helps oversee the School Resource Officer Program. During the 2012-2013 school year, these officers made 10,666 formal contacts with students, wrote 2,021 police reports, completed 95 presentations to school administrators and staff, and taught over 2,824 law-related lessons, including topics such as bullying, sexual harassment, crimes and punishment, school discipline, and drugs.

The Community & School Resources Section (CSRS) is charged with a challenging and wide variety of functions and initiatives. The Section supports the Operations Bureau, and provides



YOUTH INITIATIVES TEAM

The Youth Initiatives Team (YIT) researches and implements “best practice” programs for the prevention of juvenile crime and delinquency. During 2013, the YIT conducted 14 gang awareness trainings, eight intervention and prevention presentations, and 21 social media presentations to members of the community that have contact with at-risk youth. Attendees included parents, educators, and health care professionals.

The YIT is also responsible for the Department’s Explorer Program, which is designed to educate and involve youth in police operations, to build interest in law enforcement careers, and to develop leadership skills. During 2013, 109 explorers participated in monthly meetings and training activities, assisted with police details including parades and festivals, conducted team building activities, and were given the opportunity to ride-along with patrol officers.

The YIT is charged with maintaining the Police Department’s compliance with the juvenile detention requirements mandated by the federal government and the Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention (GOCCP). State regulations require that all persons under 18 who are in any level of police custody in a police facility must be entered into a database that the GOCCP maintains. Additionally, it imposes strict regulations relating to that custody. During 2013, the Department had zero violations of these regulations and continues to focus on the safety and security of juveniles while in police custody.

The YIT also oversees the Youth Leadership Academy, a weeklong program for potential youth leaders to participate in skill building activities. The youth apply and are selected based on the quality of their applications and their potential to positively impact their school and home communities.

JUVENILE OFFENDERS IN NEED OF SUPERVISION TEAM

The mission of the Juvenile Offenders in Need of Supervision (JOINS) Team is to prevent juvenile delinquency by diverting first time juvenile offenders away from the juvenile justice system. The JOINS program embodies and promotes the principles of restorative justice, including the payment of restitution to the victim.

During 2013, JOINS officers reviewed 5,304 juvenile arrest reports and proceeded with diversion in 836 cases. This enabled the Department to keep 15.7 percent of all juvenile offenders out of the court system.

A total of 775 participants completed the JOINS program during 2013. Additionally, quarterly reviews of previous JOINS participants showed that 91.8 percent of youth who successfully completed the JOINS program did not recidivate within one year after their involvement in the program ended.

Throughout 2013, JOINS program participants contributed over 7,378 hours of community reinstatement and educational enhancement devoted to programs related to their offenses. Activities included Adopt-a-Highway, food and clothing donation drives, Cell Phones for Soldiers, and a shoplifting abatement program.





COMMUNITY RESOURCES BUREAU

AUXILIARY POLICE TEAM

The Auxiliary Police Team is a group of concerned and committed citizens who volunteer their time in service to the Baltimore County Police Department. Members of the Auxiliary Police Team assist with various details such as funeral and traffic details, parades, festivals, enforcement of scofflaw violations, and a variety of other tasks.

In addition, auxiliary members assist in handling less serious calls for service, which allows police officers to remain in service to respond to more serious calls, and to continue engaging in proactive patrol.

The Auxiliary Police Team currently consists of one sworn police sergeant, 24 sworn auxiliary officers, 56 non-sworn auxiliary officers, and one chaplain.

During 2013, the Team contributed 20,640 volunteer hours to the Baltimore County Police Department. Auxiliary officers issued 1,649 parking citations and 149 traffic warnings. Additionally, these officers completed 172 field interviews and 79 crime or incident reports.

COUNSELING TEAM

The Counseling Team's mission is to reduce juvenile offenses by providing assessment, education, prevention, referral, and support services to Baltimore County youth, their families, and the community. Counseling Team initiatives include the Children in Need of Supervision (CINS) Prevention Program, collaboration with JOINS officers, youth gang prevention, counseling referrals for status offenders, Delinquency Prevention Counseling Services (DPCS), the Needs Assessment Inventory (NAI), and education and training efforts.

During 2013, 538 juveniles enrolled in the JOINS program received counseling services by members of the Counseling Team. In addition, the Counseling Team processed 548 status offenders (runaways, truants, and incorrigible youth), providing 102 assessments. Counseling Team members also mentored 463 youth

involved in the Baltimore County Department of Recreation and Parks' Police Athletic League.

During 2013, education and training efforts by the Counseling Team included meetings with school resource officers, workshops on conflict resolution and bullying prevention at County high schools, and presentations to area university and college students.

COMMUNITY RESOURCES TEAM

The Community Resources Team (CRT) provides support to precinct level Community Outreach Teams. The CRT also provides a wide range of outreach and support to County neighborhood and business communities. The CRT coordinates and reports on important Department initiatives such as crime prevention and hate/bias crimes. The Team also provides victim/witness assistance, coordinates the Citizens on Patrol program, facilitates the Citizens' Academy, and performs large-scale comprehensive security assessments for local businesses, governmental buildings, and large infrastructures.

During 2013, the CRT conducted 65 crime prevention presentations to Baltimore County Citizens and conducted 177 comprehensive environmental design security assessments at critical infrastructure locations throughout the County. In conjunction with precinct level Community Outreach Team officers, extensive interior and exterior security assessments were also conducted at all Baltimore County Public Schools during 2013.

Thirty community, business, and faith-based leaders participated in the 2013 Citizens' Academy. This program allows the Department to foster relationships and create an alliance with community members who can act as ambassadors to the community.

Visit the Citizens' Academy website for more information and an application:

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/agencies/police/community/citizensacademy.html>



OPERATIONS BUREAU



Colonel Peter S. Evans

The Operations Bureau is responsible for performing community policing, fear reduction activities, and the prevention, detection, and investigation of crimes. The Bureau includes the Patrol Division, the Criminal Investigations Division, and the Support Operations Division.

SUPPORT OPERATIONS DIVISION



Major Daniel L. Kaliszak, Jr.

The Support Operations Division (SOD) consists of the Operations Support Section. Within the Operations Support Section are the K-9 Unit, the Tactical Unit, the Traffic Management Unit, the Special Services Unit, and the Dignitary Witness Protection Team.





OPERATIONS BUREAU

OPERATIONS SUPPORT SECTION



Captain Woodland M. Wilson, III

The Tactical Unit responded to 19 barricades during 2013, a 58 percent increase from 2012. They also executed 96 high-risk search or arrest warrants.

The K-9 Unit responded to 5,561 calls for service, which resulted in 1,584 total uses, 117 apprehensions, and 295 assists. The Unit also conducted 524 vehicle drug scans/narcotic searches, 41 firearm/explosive scans, and five bloodhound search operations.

The Aviation Team logged over 1,600 flight hours and responded to 4,662 calls for service. The Team located 30 critical missing subjects and 27 stolen vehicles, and assisted with 255 arrests.

The Marine Team responded to over 100 calls for service and provided support to local, state, and federal agencies. The Underwater Recovery Team conducted approximately 15 dive operations. The Team assisted the Natural Resources Police with providing safety divers for the Polar Bear Plunge and the Maryland State Police with the air show in Ocean City.

The Workplace Violence Team handled 81 investigations and conducted 93 follow-ups throughout the year. They also conducted 31

presentations on workplace violence awareness, detection, and prevention, and presented de-escalation communication techniques to help reduce potentially violent situations.

The Mobile Crisis Team handled 2,142 calls for assistance and wrote 470 emergency petitions throughout 2013. During these contacts, individuals in crisis were successfully linked to mental health services. The Team also conducted 55 roll call trainings, providing officers with information regarding mental health resources.

The Critical Incident Support Team serves the members of the Department and community in an effort to reduce the emotional impact that traumatic events can inflict. There were 62 requests for critical incident support services during 2013.

The Hostage Negotiation Team was deployed 24 times during the year and was instrumental in peacefully resolving various critical incidents. Additionally, the team members utilized their communication skills to meet with organizers from three separate protest groups prior to planned public demonstrations.

The Dignitary Witness Protection Team was deployed 54 times in 2013, including visits by the Vice President, the Secretary of Education, and the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives. The Team also provided victim/witness protection and covered 47 meetings involving the Baltimore County Council.

The Traffic Management Unit issued 4,855 traffic citations and made a total of 395 arrests during 2013; 205 for DUI, 159 for serious traffic violations, and 31 for felony/misdemeanor crimes. The Unit investigated over 480 crashes.

The Abandoned Auto Team investigated approximately 200 calls per month and the Automated Enforcement Team issued over 9,200 red light citations and over 155,600 speed violations.

**A TRIBUTE TO OUR FALLEN HERO**

**Police Officer First Class
Jason L. Schneider**

End of Watch August 28, 2013

During the early morning hours of August 28, 2013, Officer Jason Schneider was shot and killed during the execution of a high-risk search warrant in Catonsville. Officer Schneider was a thirteen and a half year veteran of the Baltimore County Police Department and a beloved member of the Tactical Unit, in which he had served for nine and a half years, and with whom he was serving the search warrant at the time of his death.

Officer Schneider was highly experienced in the successful performance of tactical operations. He was an excellent, experienced trainer and had trained SWAT candidates from agencies throughout Maryland, surrounding states, and numerous federal agencies. Above all, Officer Schneider was a positive mentor and role model for younger members of the Tactical Unit, and constantly contributed to the Unit as a whole.

Prior to joining the Tactical Unit, Officer Schneider served as a patrolman at the Garrison and Franklin Precincts. Before joining the Department, Officer Schneider served four years in the United States Marine Corps, including service in Kosovo and in the Marine Security Forces at Camp David, before receiving an honorable discharge at the rank of Sergeant.

Officer Schneider was a devoted family man, leaving behind his wife, Ericka, and two children, Kayla and Brandon, as well as his parents Chuck and Karen Schneider, and his brothers, Ken and Mike. He was also a great friend.

The tragic loss of Officer Schneider will never be forgotten.



CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION



Major Evan M. Cohen

The Criminal Investigations Division oversees specialized investigations of major crimes and provides assistance to precinct level officers and investigators in their daily activities. The Criminal Investigations Division includes the Persons Crimes Section, the Property Crimes Section, and the Vice and Narcotics Section.

PERSONS CRIMES SECTION



Captain Don R. Roby

The Persons Crimes Section includes the Homicide/Missing Persons Unit (HMPU), the Robbery Unit (RU), the Violent Crimes Unit (VCU), the Crimes Against Children Unit (CACU), and the Support Services Unit (SSU).

The HMPU investigated 26 homicides and cleared 27 cases, including unsolved cases from prior years. During 2013, the HMPU was recognized by the United States Department of Justice in a publication on best practices for increasing homicide clearance rates. In addition to their homicide investigations, the HMPU investigated a total of 206 new investigations regarding missing adults, and cleared 208 missing adult cases.

The RU investigated 270 cases, resulting in 134 clearances and 88 arrests. The VCU investigated 68 serious assaults and cleared 51 cases. The Firearms Interdiction Team cleared 105 of 113 assigned cases. During these investigations, the Team recovered a total of 486 firearms, successfully removing them from the streets of Baltimore County.

The CACU includes several specialized teams. The Physical Child Abuse/Neglect Team investigated 923 cases and cleared 515 cases, making 53 arrests. The Sexual Child Abuse Team investigated 315 cases and cleared 220 cases, making 86 arrests. The Child Pornography & Exploitation Team investigated 57 cases and made 10 arrests. A total of seven child pornography cases were cleared. The Missing or Abducted Children Team investigated 1,656 cases and located 597 missing children.

The SSU includes the Career Criminal Apprehension Team, which investigated 141 active career criminals and made 162 arrests, and the Special Victims Team (SVT). The SVT investigated 195 first and second degree rapes and sex offenses and cleared 170 cases, resulting in 22 arrests. The Sexual Offender Registration Team processed 4,179 sex offender registrations and conducted 3,128 unannounced home checks.



PROPERTY CRIMES SECTION



Captain John A. Spiroff

The Property Crimes Section is comprised of the Burglary Unit, the Property Crimes Unit, the Regional Auto Theft Task Force (RATT), the Warrant Apprehension Task Force, and the Fugitive Team. The Burglary Unit investigated 2,766 cases of which 720 were cleared, resulting in 381 arrests. The Burglary Unit also recovered \$1,383,344 worth of stolen property. The RATT, a Baltimore City and Baltimore County joint task force that proactively investigates motor vehicle theft, investigated 676 cases; cleared 343 cases, and made 389 arrests in the County. A total of 858 stolen vehicles were also recovered.

The Property Crimes Unit includes the Financial & Cyber Crimes Team (FCCT) and the Arson/Hazardous Devices Team. The Arson/Hazardous Devices Team investigated 264 fires, of which 114 were cleared, resulting in 33 arrests. The FCCT investigated 150 cases and cleared 90, resulting in 198 arrests, warrants, or summons. The Pawn/Scrap Enforcement Team processed a total of 248,084 transactions and recovered \$2,424,074 in property.

The Fugitive Team serves warrants both inside and outside Maryland. The Team made 921 arrests, served 996 warrants and 177 writs,

conducted 166 extraditions, and served 143 open warrants on suspects not in custody. The Warrant Apprehension Task Force, a multi-agency effort to reduce backlogged warrants in the Metropolitan area, made 1,153 arrests.

VICE AND NARCOTICS SECTION



Captain Jay C. Landsman, Jr.

The Vice and Narcotics Section is comprised of the Community Drug Units (CDUs), the Narcotics Unit, the Vice Unit, and the Narcotics Administrative Team. The Vice Unit is responsible for enforcing prostitution, gambling, pornography, massage parlor, and liquor laws. The Unit investigated 168 cases and cleared 166 cases, resulting in 64 arrests.

The Narcotics Unit's primary responsibility is to investigate middle and upper-level drug dealers in order to dismantle major drug organizations and to locate and seize assets obtained illegally. The Unit investigated 495 cases, made 671 arrests, and cleared a total of 279 cases.

The CDUs are located in the eastern, central, and western parts of the County. These three units investigate street-level, drug-related complaints in each of the three regions of the County. In total, the CDUs investigated 757 cases, made 1356 arrests, and cleared 739 cases.



OPERATIONS BUREAU

PATROL DIVISION



Major Alexander D. Jones

The Patrol Division serves as the backbone of the Baltimore County Police Department. Members assigned to the Patrol Division are the primary units dispatched to all calls for service in Baltimore County. These officers routinely write police reports, conduct traffic stops, complete and assist in a wide variety of criminal investigations, and interact with the public.

During 2013, officers assigned to the Patrol Division responded to 579,051 calls for service. A breakdown of calls for service by precinct is made in the following tables.



NOTE: Due to rounding, totals may not appear to be correct.

Precinct 1 - Wilkens

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	69,907	63,691
VIOLENT CRIME	489	497
Homicide	5	4
Rape	16	17
Robbery	188	200
Aggravated Assault	281	276
PROPERTY CRIME	3,143	2,494
Burglary	536	406
Theft	2,270	1,856
Motor Vehicle Theft	303	213
Arson	34	19
TOTAL CRIME	7,357	6,331
Part I Crime	3,633	2,991
Part II Crime	3,724	3,340



Precinct 2 - Woodlawn

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	79,910	73,680
VIOLENT CRIME	719	702
Homicide	4	2
Rape	24	17
Robbery	266	260
Aggravated Assault	424	423
PROPERTY CRIME	2,662	2,450
Burglary	600	501
Theft	1,666	1,673
Motor Vehicle Theft	368	249
Arson	28	27
TOTAL CRIME	7,532	7,155
Part I Crime	3,381	3,152
Part II Crime	4,151	4,003



Precinct 3 - Franklin

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	49,206	45,298
VIOLENT CRIME	338	310
Homicide	1	2
Rape	10	17
Robbery	103	88
Aggravated Assault	225	203
PROPERTY CRIME	1,911	1,734
Burglary	326	294
Theft	1,423	1,323
Motor Vehicle Theft	138	100
Arson	24	17
TOTAL CRIME	5,125	4,771
Part I Crime	2,250	2,044
Part II Crime	2,875	2,727



Precinct 4 - Pikesville

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	52,414	52,807
VIOLENT CRIME	358	316
Homicide	2	2
Rape	10	8
Robbery	138	128
Aggravated Assault	208	178
PROPERTY CRIME	1,722	1,653
Burglary	331	325
Theft	1,189	1,192
Motor Vehicle Theft	185	124
Arson	16	12
TOTAL CRIME	4,519	4,370
Part I Crime	2,080	1,969
Part II Crime	2,439	2,401

Precinct 6 - Towson

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	57,113	57,311
VIOLENT CRIME	364	405
Homicide	3	2
Rape	12	8
Robbery	158	175
Aggravated Assault	191	220
PROPERTY CRIME	2,611	2,663
Burglary	335	371
Theft	2,102	2,153
Motor Vehicle Theft	158	131
Arson	16	8
TOTAL CRIME	6,089	6,504
Part I Crime	2,975	3,068
Part II Crime	3,114	3,436



Precinct 7 - Cockeysville

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	49,130	47,522
VIOLENT CRIME	205	209
Homicide	2	0
Rape	8	10
Robbery	62	64
Aggravated Assault	133	135
PROPERTY CRIME	2,099	2,169
Burglary	322	352
Theft	1,670	1,758
Motor Vehicle Theft	91	52
Arson	16	7
TOTAL CRIME	4,355	4,327
Part I Crime	2,305	2,378
Part II Crime	2,051	1,949



OPERATIONS BUREAU

Precinct 8 - Parkville

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	40,468	36,045
VIOLENT CRIME	226	197
Homicide	2	1
Rape	6	7
Robbery	70	78
Aggravated Assault	147	111
PROPERTY CRIME	1,611	1,648
Burglary	287	318
Theft	1,184	1,232
Motor Vehicle Theft	123	89
Arson	16	9
TOTAL CRIME	3,993	3,863
Part I Crime	1,837	1,845
Part II Crime	2,156	2,018



Precinct 11 - Essex

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	69,077	74,831
VIOLENT CRIME	658	556
Homicide	4	4
Rape	23	13
Robbery	169	174
Aggravated Assault	462	365
PROPERTY CRIME	2,696	2,439
Burglary	517	490
Theft	1,893	1,752
Motor Vehicle Theft	246	160
Arson	40	37
TOTAL CRIME	8,289	7,439
Part I Crime	3,354	2,995
Part II Crime	4,935	4,444



Precinct 9 - White Marsh

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	59,684	56,392
VIOLENT CRIME	394	366
Homicide	1	2
Rape	13	8
Robbery	126	141
Aggravated Assault	254	215
PROPERTY CRIME	3,117	3,053
Burglary	413	375
Theft	2,480	2,499
Motor Vehicle Theft	202	163
Arson	22	16
TOTAL CRIME	6,807	6,539
Part I Crime	3,511	3,419
Part II Crime	3,296	3,120

Precinct 12 - North Point

STATISTICS	PREVIOUS FIVE-YR AVG	2013
Calls for Service	76,100	71,474
VIOLENT CRIME	675	626
Homicide	3	1
Rape	20	19
Robbery	190	202
Aggravated Assault	462	404
PROPERTY CRIME	3,377	3,339
Burglary	551	498
Theft	2,514	2,624
Motor Vehicle Theft	263	170
Arson	48	47
TOTAL CRIME	9,534	9,022
Part I Crime	4,052	3,965
Part II Crime	5,482	5,057



PRECINCT ONE - WILKENS



Captain Douglas E. Irwin

flexibility to fight crime in particular areas on an as needed basis. The BPI issued 735 pieces of enforcement, 312 of which were state citations. They cleared 130 cases and recorded 49 felony and misdemeanor arrests. The CAT was also exceptionally active, issuing 4,085 total pieces of enforcement, 1,814 of which were state citations. They cleared 178 cases and recorded a total of 108 felony and misdemeanor arrests.

The Investigative Services Team (IST) continued to focus on the investigation and prevention of street robberies and other violent crimes throughout the Precinct. The IST conducted 61 search and seizure warrants, recovered over \$44,000 in stolen property, and confiscated 20 firearms. The Team cleared 142 cases and recorded a total of 190 felony and misdemeanor arrests during 2013.

The Traffic Team continued to have a productive year, issuing 6,756 pieces of enforcement, 4,439 of which were state citations. The Traffic Team handled and resolved 28 community-based traffic complaints, completed 42 speed/seatbelt surveys, and conducted 30 traffic details. The Team was also busy handling 183 accidents where traffic officers were primary investigators, and 232 accidents in which the traffic officer assisted in the investigation.

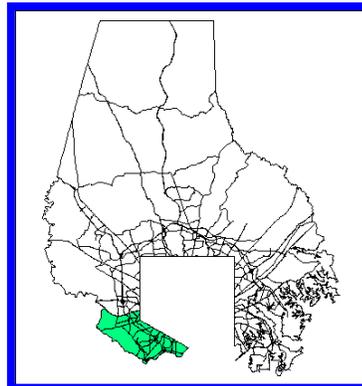
The men and women of the Wilkens Precinct continued their exceptional service to the communities that are located in the southwest part of Baltimore County throughout 2013.

The Wilkens Precinct Community Outreach Team (COT) attended a number of conferences, community meetings, and special events. The COT took part in the second annual Safety Summit, where officers and southwest area residents gathered to share concerns and safety tips for the winter holidays. Officers also participated in another successful annual National Night Out, and aided in the formation of two new Citizens on Patrol (COP) groups, the Lansdowne COP and the Westowne COP.

The Domestic Violence Coordinator, along with the COT, helped with assisting the Wilkens Police and Community Relations Council in presenting the "Transition to College: Be Safe" seminar. This seminar focused on campus safety, relationship violence, and substance abuse.

The Business Patrol Initiative (BPI) officers and the Community Action Team (CAT) worked in targeted areas and supplied the Precinct with the

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct1>



OPERATIONS BUREAU

PRECINCT TWO - WOODLAWN



Captain Jonathan P. Trentzsch

In 2013, the Woodlawn Precinct had yet another stellar year continuing their crime fighting efforts. Patrol officers once again did an excellent job responding to calls for service, investigating crimes, and working together for the safety of their fellow officers and the public.

In February, Officer C. Spivey worked an intricate grand theft scheme case where an employee of a local company had been coming to work during non-working hours to sell company merchandise on eBay, and ship the items using the company's UPS account. The case had a total loss value of \$131,983. Officer Spivey was able to obtain a search warrant for the suspect's address, and ultimately, the suspect was arrested and charged with the crimes.

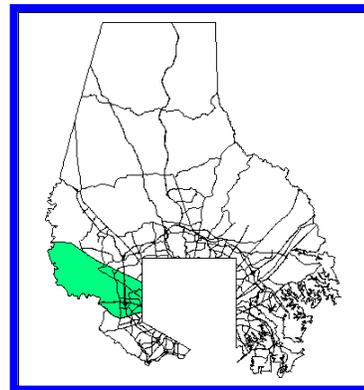
In April, Sergeant W. Page was able to safely disarm and arrest a man who attempted to assault two other officers with a knife. Sergeant D. Neral, Officer J. Dowell, Officer R. Baker, and Officer J. Higgins were able to apprehend two suspects after a shooting that occurred on a 7-Eleven parking lot. As a result of this incident, Sergeant Neral received the Silver Star Award and Officer Dowell, Officer Baker, and Officer Higgins all received Commendation Awards.

In May, the Woodlawn Precinct's Police and Community Relations Council's (PCRC) long-time president, Ms. June "Bernice" West retired after 10 years of service to the Precinct and the community. For 2013, the PCRC named Detective Jeffrey Lauer as the Prothero Memorial Officer of the Year.

The Community Outreach Team (COT) conducted a wide variety of community presentations and continued to form partnerships with local businesses and community groups. These officers participated in Shop with a Cop, National Night Out, Crime Victims Rights Week, and other scheduled community events. The Team has also began maintaining a vacant house database to help track these locations, and prevent copper thefts and other crimes that were occurring at these locations.

The Investigative Services Team (IST) conducted numerous extensive investigations during 2013. In one case, detectives seized cocaine, marijuana, drug paraphernalia, a BB gun, a stun gun, several cell phones, and over \$2,000. In another case, they seized 84 grams of cocaine, drug paraphernalia, and \$30,550. In total, the IST made 241 felony arrests, 98 misdemeanor arrests, and cleared a total of 135 felony cases and 43 misdemeanor cases.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct2>



PRECINCT THREE - FRANKLIN



Captain James P. Monahan

During 2013, the Franklin Precinct saw a reduction in violent crime. A focus on crime prevention, vigorous enforcement, tenacious investigations, and a spirit of cooperation has produced results that exceeded all expectations with regards to overall crime statistics.

The Community Outreach Team (COT) continues to garner support as they handle all public related events and meetings. The Precinct continues to enjoy a great working relationship with the area's educational facilities, including many institutions that are designed for students with special needs. The challenges presented by these institutions have helped to enhance the Precinct's ability to assist these community members.

Officer of the month honors were awarded to 11 different officers during 2013. Officer Joseph Grossman received this distinct honor in February after single-handedly arresting a homicide suspect. The president of the Police and Community Relations Council, Ms. Sue Kessler honored Officer Marques Price as the Precinct's Officer of the Year for 2013.

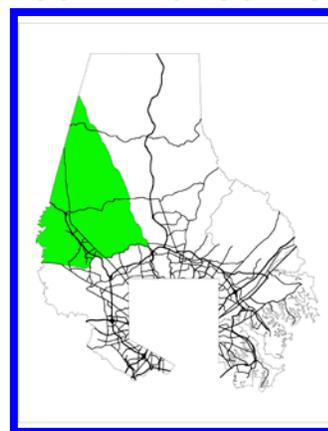
The Investigative Services Team (IST) brought a successful conclusion to numerous high profile cases. Detectives were able to track down a violent offender in reference to an armed robbery. The suspect was tracked through three states before being apprehended in Pennsylvania.

The IST also investigated a burglary ring that was responsible for stealing lawn equipment from commercial landscapers. The detectives were able to recover nearly \$100,000 worth of stolen property. In July, detectives and patrol personnel worked together to arrest two violent offenders during the commission of a home invasion robbery. Two guns were recovered, and the suspects were found to be repeat offenders.

The Explorer Program and the Auxiliary Police Team continue to grow and provide valuable assistance to the Franklin Precinct. They have provided hundreds of volunteer hours to assist in the staffing of community events and programs.

During 2013, Lt. Stephen R. Doarnberger retired after over 37 years of faithful service. Lt. Doarnberger was a well respected leader for the Franklin Precinct who worked diligently with community leaders for the last twenty years. He will be greatly missed.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct3>



OPERATIONS BUREAU

PRECINCT FOUR - PIKESVILLE



Captain John J. McGann

The Pikesville Precinct continues to place a primary emphasis on building and maintaining a solid relationship with the communities that it serves.

In 2013, the Pikesville Precinct continued its holiday tradition of adopting a family at Christmas. The Community Outreach Team (COT) contacted several schools in the area in an attempt to locate a family who was experiencing financial difficulties.

The family that was selected had five-year-old twins, who only had a makeshift daybed to sleep on. Donations and gifts were collected from officers and local business owners for the family. Additionally, the Pikesville Police Community Relations Council (PCRC) contributed to the donations collected. Officers used part of the donations to purchase new bunk beds, including mattresses and linens for the children. When it was time to present the gifts, Mr. Jerry D'Antoni, the President of the Police and Community Relations Council, dressed as Santa Claus for the children. The family was very appreciative and touched by all the gifts and household supplies.

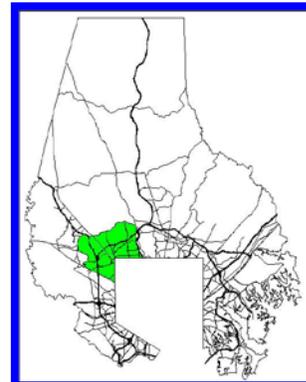
In addition to handling community complaints and attending community meetings, the Community Outreach Team participated in National Night Out and the Shop with a Cop Program for underprivileged children, as well as conducted several McGruff the Crime Dog presentations.

An officer appreciation picnic was held with the help of the PCRC to recognize the hard work and dedication of the precinct officers. Officer K. Ketterman continued to help with the Explorer Program, which is geared towards children and young adults under the age of 21 and are interested in law enforcement.

The COT sponsored and participated in a 9/11 Fun Run, a bowling event, and the Quarry Lake Fall Festival to raise money for the Explorer Program. Throughout the year, Officer Ketterman organized several activities for the Explorers including an Orioles game, a Dave and Busters night, and National Police week activities.

The Precinct sponsored two Kids Fests held at the AMF Bowling Alley. During these events, parents were provided brochures and children fingerprint kits for child safety and identification purposes.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct4>



PRECINCT SIX - TOWSON



Captain Richard A. Howard, Sr.

In 2013, the Towson Precinct had another stellar year clearing serious crimes and handling the many challenges presented by the expanding Central Towson business/entertainment district.

Shift One did an excellent job clearing burglaries, robberies, and serious assaults. This was accomplished on top of handling the time consuming duty of maintaining order in the Central Towson entertainment district during the overnight hours. Shift One by far led the Precinct in DUI enforcement.

Shift Two's criminal and traffic enforcement combined accounted for 53 percent of the total Precinct enforcement conducted. Officer Ryan Daffron was nominated for, and received, the Police Foundation Award for Exceptional Police Service. Along with clearing numerous cases, Officer Daffron averaged an astonishing 8.75 enforcement actions for each day that he worked.

Shift Three consistently submitted the most hours patrolled in the Towson Precinct's Data Driven Approaches to Crime and Traffic Safety (DDACTS) areas. On a typical day, this shift

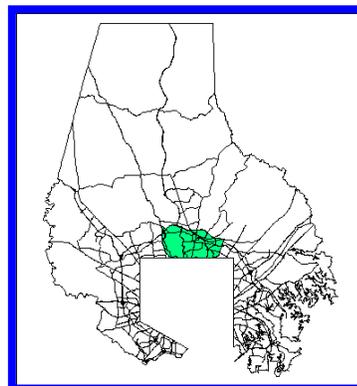
triples their DDACTS benchmarks and accounts for 40 percent of the DDACTS hours submitted by the Precinct.

In 2013, the Investigative Services Team (IST) had a record breaking year, by clearing 217 felony cases and 121 misdemeanor cases. They also obtained and served 112 search warrants. This tireless effort lead the IST to clear 55 percent of the robbery cases assigned to them.

The Community Action Team (CAT) did an excellent job clearing several felonies during 2013. The most noteworthy was a robbery trend involving a suspect in a U-Haul van, who was robbing convenience stores. Through proactive patrol, Officer S. Bissett spotted the van and apprehended the suspect. Members of the CAT have also become experts in recognizing and confiscating false identification cards, and have been successful in enforcing underage drinking laws in Central Towson.

The Precinct also received three T-3 stand-up vehicles this past year, donated by the Baltimore County Police Foundation. These are battery powered, three wheeled vehicles that will be used by officers to patrol the rapidly expanding and developing business/entertainment district of Towson.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct6>



OPERATIONS BUREAU

PRECINCT SEVEN - COCKEYSVILLE



Captain Dennis J. Delp

These officers handled everything from bank robberies, domestics, and burglaries, to shoplifting and neighbor complaints. In 2013, many of these officers routinely attended advanced training to enhance and improve their job related knowledge and skills.

The Community Action Team (CAT) is responsible for addressing any crime trends within the Precinct and for providing high visibility patrol in these areas. The CAT officers are also bicycle trained, and during the summer months, provide high visibility patrol on area trails. During the summer of 2013, these officers were utilized to address a trend that involved thefts from automobiles throughout the area. In May, these officers conducted a project involving investigation and enforcement regarding underage drinking.

The Cockeysville Precinct covers 232 square miles, an area larger than Baltimore City, and encompasses both a rural and an urban environment. Due to the Precinct's many parks and recreational areas, the NCR Trail, the Loch Raven Watershed, and the Timonium State Fairgrounds, the Precinct is home to a large number of activities promoting and enhancing the quality of life in Baltimore County.

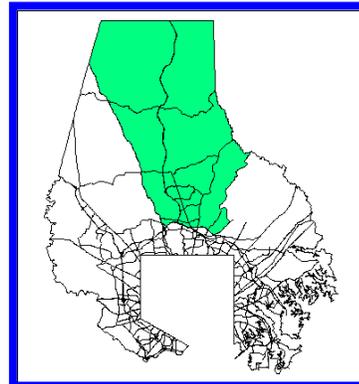
The school resource officers assigned to the Cockeysville Precinct specialize in providing for the safety of students at area high schools and middle schools. In addition, these officers teach and mentor students. During 2013, school resource officers assigned to middle schools taught a ten week Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) program to 6th graders. These officers also contributed their time for the annual Shop with a Cop event.

A large amount of time, effort, and coordination is called for to ensure the safety of the general public when in attendance at these recreation areas and their year-round events. Traffic control is a primary necessity to ensure public safety at these locations. The Precinct's Traffic Team routinely handles the set-up, coordination, and supervision of these major events.

In addition, the Traffic Team, in conjunction with the Maryland State Police, worked a multi-jurisdictional enforcement sting operation spanning from the Maryland/Pennsylvania state line along Interstate 83 to the Baltimore Beltway during May 2013. This operation targeted aggressive and unsafe drivers.

The Precinct's patrol officers handled all of the "routine" and not so routine calls for service.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct7>



PRECINCT EIGHT - PARKVILLE



Captain Gordon R. Skinner

Throughout 2013, Parkville Precinct officers have demonstrated their commitment to the residents and businesses that are located in the 51 square miles of geography in the northeast area of Baltimore County. The men and women of the Parkville Precinct continue to hone their policing skills in a varied setting of rural acreage, suburban developments, and established older neighborhoods. The Precinct also patrols the busy Belair Road corridor from Baltimore City to Harford County.

The annual Parkville Town Fair, which is held in the Harford Road business district each September, was exceptionally attended by the community in 2013. Neighbors young and old enjoyed a safe day of festival style entertainment, with the Precinct Community Outreach Team (COT) providing traffic management and security assistance.

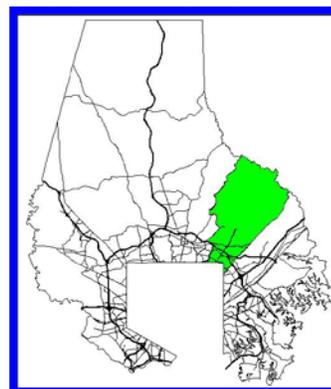
The COT continues to create new relationships with the community and foster established associations with groups such as the Police and Community Relations Council (PCRC), Citizens on Patrol, and local business and neighborhood homeowners associations.

With an increased focus on school violence prevention, the school resource officers and the patrol shift officers partnered in 2013 to increase the number of school checks and to provide a higher level of visibility at local elementary, middle, and high schools. Additionally, Precinct officers received training and awareness on response to critical incidents at schools. This has greatly added to the safety and security of the schools within the Parkville Precinct.

Volunteers continue to play a major role in many aspects of policing in the Parkville Precinct. The Precinct has a number of dedicated volunteers that regularly assist with data entry and telecommunications functions.

The Precinct is also home to a dedicated auxiliary officer detachment that provides patrol and traffic services to the community. Finally, the PCRC interacts with the command on a monthly basis and provides support and services to the Precinct and fosters a fantastic line of communication between the citizens of Parkville and the police officers. Overall, the development of relationships continues to be the hallmark of the officers, supervisors, and support personnel of the Parkville Precinct to the citizens and businesses of Parkville, Maryland.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct8>



OPERATIONS BUREAU

PRECINCT NINE - WHITE MARSH



Captain Michael A. Balog

The officers of the White Marsh Precinct continue to do an excellent job of serving the area's diverse community. The 35 square mile area includes both business and residential communities, encompassing rural to semi-urban neighborhoods. This diversity increases the challenge of choosing policing styles to meet the varying needs. Precinct officers work together to provide quality police services, in an effort to reduce robberies, burglaries, motor vehicle thefts, and other crimes.

During 2013, one noteworthy project that occurred was the Business Patrol Initiative's involvement with the Citizen On-line Reporting System - Petty Theft Shoplifting Program. These officers worked closely with specific businesses to train them about the intricate details regarding this resource. By the end of the year, the project was beginning to yield results in greatly reducing the amount of time a patrol officer spends on a typical shoplifting call.

The White Marsh Precinct once again participated in the region's annual influenza vaccine distribution clinic held at the Community College of Baltimore County, Essex Campus. The drive-thru event was also used as an

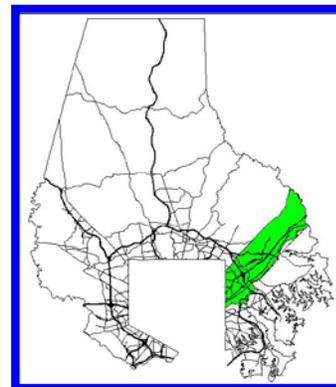
emergency preparedness training exercise, and involved the participation of Franklin Square Hospital, the Baltimore County Department of Health, and the Baltimore County Fire Department. Police personnel provided logistical information and received valuable community feedback.

Other community events included an emergency management tabletop exercise hosted by the Department's Homeland Security Unit. Officers also worked in partnership with numerous area communities and the Target Corporation for the National Night Out event, and assisted with various community activities such as the Rosedale Parade, the Apple Festival at Chapel Hill Nursery, and The Avenue Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony.

During the Christmas season, the Community Outreach Team (COT) held a food and toy drive. Working with the American Red Cross, several items were donated to military personnel and their families at the Walter Reed Medical Center. Special thanks go out to Sergeant Angela Mickle, the COT, and the community at large.

The Precinct's Data Driven Approaches to Crime and Traffic Safety (DDACTS) initiative was moved to the greater Rosedale and Golden Ring area to aid in a more directed focus on matters that relate to community safety.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct9>



PRECINCT ELEVEN - ESSEX



Captain Steven M. Hlavach

During 2013, the Essex Precinct has taken great strides toward reducing crime and improving the quality of life for its citizens. Commander Captain Hlavach is an innovative and concerned leader who sets high standards that each officer is expected to follow. He aggressively addresses every crime trend, utilizing every available resource until the problem is solved. He listens to, and is led by, the concerns of each community.

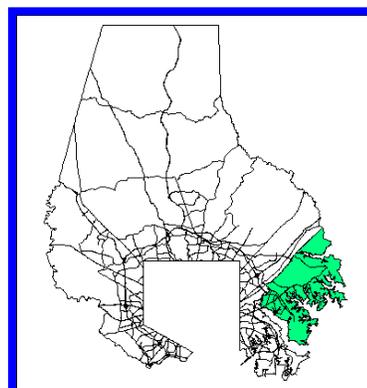
During the year, there were many instances of heroism by officers throughout the Precinct. One example occurred when Officer Joseph Harden responded to a motel for an assault along with a second officer. After a brief investigation, officers attempted to arrest the suspect. The suspect resisted, and while fighting with the officers, was able to remove an officer's service weapon from a holster. Officer Harden was able to assess the situation and use the force necessary to end the struggle, while preserving the safety of the officers and citizens in the area. For his actions, Officer Harden was named a "Hometown Hero" and was also awarded the Department's Silver Star.

A second example can be found in the actions of Community Outreach Team Officer Natalie Bakhsh. Officer Bakhsh had extensive contact with a family on her post who had been enduring hard times, and had been assisting them for many years by donating food and clothing to their family. It was clear that Officer Bakhsh was very important to them. One day, while off-duty, she received a call from this family, who advised they could no longer afford to provide for their infant child. Officer Bakhsh offered them many alternatives, but all were refused. She advised, "I will be right there." Officer Bakhsh went to the house and assisted the family in their decision to turn over the child to the Department of Social Services. After conferring with the family, attorneys, and the court, Officer Bakhsh has since adopted the child.

Other acts of humanitarianism by the Community Outreach Team included collecting toys for the Family Resource Center and for local families in need. They also donated clothes for the homeless at local homeless shelters.

The year 2014 promises to present many challenges that Captain Hlavach is anxious to meet. "We need total commitment from every officer, and need to focus all our efforts embracing every community toward making Essex a safer and better place to live, work, and raise a family."

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct11>



OPERATIONS BUREAU

PRECINCT TWELVE - NORTH POINT



Captain Jan R. Brown

Throughout 2013, members of the North Point Precinct showed their commitment to the community through active participation in numerous community events, including the Edgestock Music Festival, the Dundalk Chamber of Commerce St. Patrick's Day Parade, the Dundalk Christmas Parade, the Dundalk Heritage Fair, and the Independence Day Fireworks display.

During 2013, the Community Outreach Team (COT) began tracking locations of graffiti throughout the Precinct. Significant efforts were made, in conjunction with local businesses, to have the graffiti removed. Juveniles from the Juvenile Offenders in Need of Supervision (JOINS) Program were also used in these cleanup efforts. The community has been successful in removing much of the graffiti. The COT will continue to follow up on these efforts.

Throughout 2013, detectives from the Precinct's Investigative Services Team (IST) were assigned to investigate crimes that included grand thefts, burglaries, street robberies, serious assaults, and attempted murder cases. Of the 310 cases assigned to the IST, 114 were successfully investigated and exceptionally cleared, 146 were suspended or closed, and 50

continue to be investigated, yielding a total clearance rate of 44 percent. The IST detectives were assigned 123 robbery cases during 2013. Of those cases, 41 were cleared, 57 were suspended, and 25 continue to be investigated.

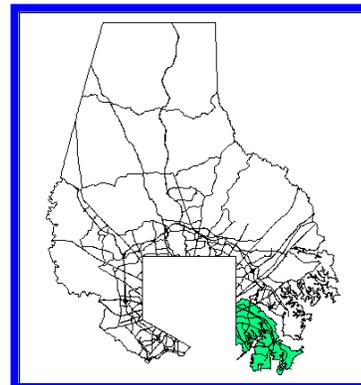
The IST also executed 68 search and seizure warrants. A total of \$45,251 worth of stolen property was recovered. Thirty-five weapons, including 23 firearms, were also recovered.

During 2013, the Precinct's Warrant Squad made 319 physical arrests. These included arrests in 122 felony cases and 197 misdemeanor cases.

The dedication and commitment of the detectives assigned to the North Point Precinct cannot be understated.

Also in 2013, members of the North Point Precinct met with the administrative and security staff of the Eastpoint Mall regarding calls for service generated at the location. As a result, additional security prevention measures have been provided by officers at the mall. In addition, an "active shooter" presentation was made and presented to both police commanders and mall staff in an effort to better understand how to best respond to such a situation.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION



WEBSITE

<http://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/precinct12>



DEPARTMENT AWARDS

MEDAL OF HONOR: This is the highest and most prestigious departmental award. It is awarded to persons who, with knowledge of risk, found themselves in a life-threatening situation, and intelligently committed themselves to dangers.

Awarded to:

Officer Christopher A. Helphenstine (Tactical Unit)
Officer Jason L. Schneider (Tactical Unit)
(posthumously)

SILVER STAR: This is the second highest departmental award. It recognizes service where valor, courage, intelligence, and bravery are demonstrated over and above that normally expected of officers.

Awarded to:

Sergeant Wilbert A. Buckingham, III (Precinct 3)
Sergeant David M. Neral (Precinct 2)
Officer Carlos M. Artson (Tactical Unit)
Officer Craig A. Eubank (Precinct 2)
Officer William M. Flaherty (Precinct 11)
Officer Nicholas A. Hartwig (Precinct 2)
Officer Jacob T. Heins (Precinct 12)
Officer William R. Johnson, Jr. (Precinct 12)
Officer Joseph M. Kovacevich (Precinct 1)
Officer Christopher W. Neal (Precinct 1)
Officer Kenneth F. Shipley, III (Precinct 7)
Officer Jeffrey B. Starling (Precinct 7)
Officer Philip G. Twisdale (Precinct 12)

COMMENDATION AWARD: This is the third highest departmental award. It is awarded to officers who display courage and devotion above that normally required, or who displays intelligence during unusual circumstances, or who demonstrates initiative in solving a crime, or one who, under certain circumstances, arrests an armed and dangerous person.

Awarded to:

Corporal Douglas C. Jess (Precinct 2)
Corporal Mark J. Worden (Precinct 6)
Officer Ryan L. Baker (Precinct 2)
Officer Michael S. Barber (Precinct 8)
Officer Sean P. Bissett (Precinct 6)
Officer Dominic A. Bridges (Precinct 6)
Officer Adam J. Canning (Precinct 8)
Officer William R. Davis (Precinct 2)
Officer Eric L. Domineck (Precinct 2)
Officer John S. Dowell (Precinct 2)
Officer David S. Earomirski (Precinct 2)
Officer William M. Flaherty (Precinct 2)
Officer Keith N. Gordon (Precinct 8)

Officer Jason D. Higgins (Precinct 2)
Officer Bryan C. Jeunette (Mobile Crisis Team)
Officer Dalante D. Jones (Precinct 2)
Officer Walter C. Keaton (Mobile Crisis Team)
Officer Brandon G. Langley (Precinct 8)
Officer Kenneth L. Lynch, III (Precinct 3)
Officer Scott G. McIlvain (Precinct 3)
Officer Matthew S. Miller (Precinct 3)
Officer Andrew J. O'Neil (Precinct 3)
Officer Robert D. Steinberg, Jr. (Precinct 2)
Officer Jeffrey H. Taylor (Precinct 2)
Cadet Nicholas M. Crump (Precinct 2)
Chaplain Norman Lowenthal (Personnel)

PURPLE HEART: This is awarded to those officers, who, through personal sacrifice, have been injured while performing their duties.

Awarded to:

Officer Robert M. Walsh (Precinct 2)

EMERGENCY SERVICE AWARD: This is awarded to officers for their effort to save a human life.

Awarded to:

Captain Douglas E. Irwin (Precinct 1)
Officer David M. Bonhoff (Precinct 12)
Officer Candice M. Covington (Precinct 6)
Officer Jared B. Cross (Precinct 9)
Officer William M. Flaherty (Precinct 2)
Officer William J. Folk (Precinct 4)
Officer Michael T. Frounfelder (Precinct 12)
Officer Keith N. Gordon (Precinct 8)
Officer James E. Hardwick (Precinct 8)
Officer Brandon G. Langley (Precinct 8)
Officer Justin R. Larche (Precinct 12)
Officer Shannon M. Markel (Precinct 9)
Officer Joseph L. Seckens (Precinct 11)
Officer Nicholas W. Starkey (Precinct 4)
Officer Randy R. Stradling (Precinct 4)
Officer Mark K. Thompson, Jr. (Precinct 1)
Officer Eli D. Visnick (Precinct 6)
Officer Eric D. Wise (Precinct 6)

TRAFFIC SAFETY AWARD: Awarded for substantial contributions to traffic safety, including exceptional enforcement efforts, significant arrests, and outstanding efforts in community education.

Awarded to:

Officer Philip A. Sears, Jr. (Precinct 9)



2013 AWARDS

UNIT CITATION: Awarded to a specific squad, shift, or other unit of organization for superior performance during a calendar year that is clearly deemed exceptional and worthy of recognition.

Awarded to:

Burglary Unit
Precinct 6, Shift 1
Precinct 6, Investigative Services Team
Precinct 9, Shift 2, North Squad
Precinct 12, Shift 1
Recruitment Team
Technology & Communications Unit

CITIZENS OF VALOR AWARD: Presented to a citizen who provided courageous assistance, particularly in which a criminal is seized and detained until the arrival of a police officer.

Awarded to:

Mr. Ned Bachellor
Ms. Cynthia A. Batchelder
Mr. Damion D. Bowes
Mr. Joseph B. Espinas
Mr. Quinn O. Hopson
Mr. John E. Kerner
Mr. Phillip B. Porter
Mr. Lamont Smith
Ms. Jennifer L. Sunderland

DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN'S AWARD: Presented to a citizen who renders valuable assistance to Department members.

Awarded to:

Mr. Kwame Asafo-Agyei
Mr. Adam Robert Bostian
Mr. Robert Howard Cave
Mr. Antigone R. Cox
Ranger Shannon Davis
Mr. Michael Patrick Dill
Ms. Anna Dressler
Ms. Brittany Dressler
Mr. David Dressler
Ms. Dawn Dressler
Mr. Mark A. Fuchsluger
Mr. Brian B. McDermott
Ms. Stacy L. Pfaff
Mr. Pattier M. Rice
Ms. Rosemary Seets
Mr. Christopher C. Tinley
Mr. Ronnie Tubaya

POLICE FOUNDATION AWARDS

VALOR: This award is given to individuals who have exhibited courage, attended by extraordinary decision, presence of mind, and unusual swiftness of action, regardless of his or her personal safety, in an effort to save, or in saving the life of any person or persons in actual imminent danger, or in the apprehension of a dangerous felon.

Awarded to:

Officer Jacob T. Heins (Precinct 12)
Officer Philip G. Twisdale (Precinct 12)

CRIME PREVENTION: This award is given to an individual who has made outstanding contributions to the prevention of crime by such actions as educating citizens in public safety measures, designing improved security techniques, developing and implementing effective crime prevention strategies or tactics, solving longstanding or particularly serious crime problems, or carrying out a single act of crime prevention that would merit unusual recognition.

Awarded to:

Mr. Eduardo Hayden (Community Resources Bureau)

DISTINGUISHED CONTRIBUTION TO THE PROFESSION:

This award is given to an individual who has recognized a need and, through dedication of effort and duty, formulated, developed, and implemented plans which have introduced new or innovative ideas, enhanced the professional image of the Department, saved money, saved time, increased effectiveness, or raised the morale of the Department.

Awarded to:

The Field-Based Reporting Project Team

EXCEPTIONAL PERFORMANCE: This award is given to an individual and group who have made outstanding contributions in keeping the community safe by performing exceptional activity, developing and implementing effective operational strategies or tactics, or conducting a skillful and persevering investigation of a complex and arduous task.

Awarded to (INDIVIDUAL):

Officer Bryan S. Campbell (Precinct 12)

Awarded to (GROUP):

Pawn/Scrap Enforcement Team

2013 PROMOTIONS



During 2013, 61 sworn Department members and three Professional Staff members were promoted.

These individuals were recognized and sworn in at three promotion ceremonies.

January 11, 2013

Sergeants Promoted to Lieutenant

Eric C. Keith
Rochelle M. Santoro

Corporals Promoted to Sergeant

John F. Arnold
Kevin C. Felbinger
Michele L. Gonzalez
John A. Horst
Matthew T. Jackson
John M. Keeney
Jeffrey M. Kennedy
Bruce E. Markwordt
Michael C. Prendergast
Anissa M. Watkins

Officers Promoted to Corporal

Kitanya J. Boston
Aaron M. Brewer
John H. Haddaway
Thomas B. Insley, Jr.
Cynthia J. Jackson-Booth
Christopher P. Mazan
Timothy M. McCreer, Jr.
Jonathan S. McMillan
Charles M. Montgomery
Dwayne A. Sewell
Michael F. Smith
Marianne L. Snyder

Professional Staff Promotions

Michael T. Albrecht
Samantha A. Lewis
Deanna A. Myers

June 5, 2013

Sergeants Promoted to Lieutenant

Kenneth J. Busic, Jr.
Michael A. Cortes III

Corporals Promoted to Sergeant

Jeremy F. Boothe
Brandon A. Branham
Michael R. Keller
Rick E. Shull, Jr.
Jerrod J. Silk
Bobbie J. Zalewski

Officers Promoted to Corporal

Ivory K. Bing
Christopher S. Bishop
Brendan S. Duker
Richard P. Hearn
Michael T. Mertz
Thomas J. Morehouse
Joseph W. Robinson
Leonard C. Schroeder
Jason E. Todd

December 3, 2013

Sergeant Promoted to Lieutenant

Timothy Kobus

Corporals Promoted to Sergeant

Joseph D. Blake
Steven G. Comegna
Michael C. Dade
Jeffrey D. Jason
Eugene A. Kidwell, Jr.
Brian A. Miller
Jeffrey S. Peach
Joseph A. Putnam
Richard A. Suidikas

Officers Promoted to Corporal

William D. Delcher
Sundia Gaynor
David S. Heath, Jr.
Maurice H. Hoppert III
Dana P. McCormick
Anastasia C. Robinson
Brian M. Rupp
Timothy S. Rutherford
Timothy J. Stadler
Robert M. Walsh



2013 OFFICERS OF THE MONTH

Each month, the Baltimore County Police Department recognizes patrol officers who exhibit exceptional performance and leadership. These officers exemplify the values of integrity, fairness, and service. These officers go above and beyond the call of duty in their service to the citizens of Baltimore County. For 2013, the following Officer of the Month awards were presented:

PRECINCT 1 - WILKENS

January - Officer Broc W. Robinson
February - Officer Leonard E. Harper, Jr.
March - Officer Steven L. Eibner
April - Officer Mohammed R. Goff
May - Officer James P. Gainor, Jr.
June - Officer Michael J. Schmitz, Jr.
July - Officer Ean N. Stiger
August - Officer Anastasia C. Robinson
September - Officer John C. Myers
October - Officer Mohammed R. Goff
November - Officer Gail F. Wickless
December - Officer Jason M. Claggett

PRECINCT 4 - PIKESVILLE

January - Officer Ronald M. Johnson
February - Officer Thomas A. Ransom
March - Officer Harrinarine Singh
& Officer Jennifer E. Bradley
April - Officer Akili J. Akridge
May - Officer William J. Folk
June - Officer Brian D. Remmers
July - Officer Eric B. Hoppa
August - Officer Brian M. Cowley
September - Officer Alexandros P. Mellos
October - Officer Randy R. Stradling
November - Officer Karl T. Bullen
December - Officer Brian D. Remmers

PRECINCT 2 - WOODLAWN

January - Officer Nicholas A. Hartwig
February - Officer Gregory W. Barber
March - Officer Christopher M. Roussey
April - Officer Christopher M. Roussey
May - Officer Christopher M. Roussey
June - Officer Patrick R. Burns
July - Officer Nicholas P. Reagan
August - Officer John O. Hartley II
September - Officer Jonathan R. Schiner
October - Officer Brandon M. Beccio
November - Officer Christopher M. Brocato
December - Officer Jeffrey H. Taylor

PRECINCT 6 - TOWSON

January - Officer Ryan J. Daffron
& Officer Shane M. Holmes
February - Officer Eli D. Visnick
March - Officer Brian M. Rupp
& Officer Eli D. Visnick
April - Officer Ryan J. Daffron
May - Officer Candice M. Covington
June - Officer Evette L. Atkins
July - Officer Jon E. Slenker
August - Officer Ryan J. Daffron
September - Officer Kimberly M. Lankford
October - Officer Ryan J. Daffron
November - Officer Amber A. Thompson
December - Officer Shane M. Holmes

PRECINCT 3 - FRANKLIN

January - Officer Erik C. Jenkins
February - Officer Joseph S. Grossman
March - Officer Carl W. Walder
April - Officer Marques R. Price
May - Officer Jesse C. Haines
June - Officer Kevin J. Triplett
July - Officer Randy T. Lindsay
August - Officer John C. Chavis, Jr.
September - Officer Robert O. Estes, Jr.
October - Officer Jennifer N. Clements
November - Officer Marques R. Price
December - Officer Andrew J. O'Neil

PRECINCT 7 - COCKEYSVILLE

January - Officer Jeffrey S. Parsons
February - Officer Christopher S. Stallings
March - Officer Corey W. Lange
April - Officer Timothy P. McLaughlin
May - Officer Shawn K. Naugle
June - Officer Jeffrey L. Snyder
July - Officer Gould Gibbons III
August - Officer Norris McKee
September - Officer Randall J. Yohe
October - Officer Monica I. Ward
November - Officer Sean P. Jennings
December - Officer Joshua R. Harding

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PRECINCT 8 - PARKVILLE

January - Detective Michael A. Arpasi
& Officer Rodney A. Kenion III
February - Detective Donald G. Frederick
March - Officer Ryan M. Dickel
April - Officer Jason W. Phass
May - None Awarded
June - Officer Adam R. Swartzendruber
July - Detective Michael L. Vlach
August - Detective Michael L. Vlach
& Detective Michael A. Arpasi
September - Corporal Jonathan S. McMillan
October - Officer Eric R. Savage
November - Officer Rodney A. Kenion III
December - Officer Jeffrey S. Chilcoat, Jr.

PRECINCT 11 - ESSEX

January - Officer Steven M. Janowitz
February - Officer Patrick W. McLhinney
March - Officer Allen L. Himes, Jr.
April - Officer Eric P. Braun
May - Officer Christina L. Bauer
June - Officer Carlos L. Allen
July - Officer Christopher M. Winter
August - None Awarded
September - Officer Fahim M. Rafiq
& Officer Marc A. Thoeicht
October - None Awarded
November - Officer Timothy S. Lee
December - Officer Marc A. Thoeicht

PRECINCT 9 - WHITE MARSH

January - Sergeant Christopher L. George
February - Officer Jeremy R. Twigg
March - Officer Geoffrey L. Fuller II
April - Officer Dale M. Barbagallo
May - Officer Brian J. Duty
June - Officer Christopher G. Klein
July - Officer Craig M. Coscia
August - Officer Caitlyn V. Twigg
September - Officer Danielle D. Jones
October - Officer Sean J. Leary
November - Corporal Jeremy T. Gryctz
December - Officer Jeremy F. Purkey

PRECINCT 12 - NORTH POINT

January - Detective Jason M. Stricklin
& Officer Ryan N. Colton
February - Officer David D. Vandergriff
March - Detective Justin P. Ferguson
& Officer Matthew B. Krauch
April - Officer Charles D. Cuddy
May - Officer Todd A. Collini
June - Officer Robert T. Lockwood
July - Officer Charles D. Cuddy
August - Officer Jeremy W. Fumia
September - Officer Charles R. McCord
October - Officer Robert L. Rayner, Jr.
November - Officer Charles D. Cuddy
December - Officer Jason W. Butschky



2013 RETIREMENTS

In 2013, 63 sworn members and seven Professional Staff members retired from the Department.

The Department recognizes the dedication and service of these members.

SWORN RETIREMENTS

Lieutenant Joseph M. Bangert
Lieutenant Carl M. Carter
Lieutenant Stephen R. Doarnberger
Lieutenant John H. Ensor, Jr.

Sergeant David C. Adams
Sergeant Jeffrey W. Arnold
Sergeant David M. Bennett
Sergeant Daniel G. Buchler
Sergeant Brian T. Cwalina
Sergeant Robert W. Czawlytko
Sergeant Charles O. Dennis
Sergeant Erving C. Greene, Jr.
Sergeant Patrick B. Kamberger
Sergeant Alvin A. Leitzel
Sergeant Mark A. Lewis
Sergeant Ronald H. Wines
Sergeant Christopher L. Woodall

Corporal Albert L. Friedman
Corporal Frank G. Harden
Corporal Walter R. Perzan III
Corporal Steven M. Petersen
Corporal Kevin R. Wilt
Corporal Patrick H. Zito

Officer Reese W. Andrews
Officer Jeffrey G. Boller
Officer Verna E. Brubaker
Officer Frederick J. Carter, Jr.
Officer Warren F. Cooper
Officer Gary W. Cross
Officer Alfred T. Darden

Officer David E. Dudenhoeffer
Officer Anthony W. Eckhardt
Officer Stephen M. Forster
Officer Stephen L. Fox
Officer Donald G. Frederick
Officer Russell E. Fuller
Officer Rudolph L. Grue
Officer Lindy L. Hall Fraddosio
Officer Steven C. Hannon
Officer Dawn L. Harris
Officer Jane F. Irwin
Officer Robert S. Knudsen
Officer Gregory K. Kovolenko
Officer Shane A. Lawson
Officer Michael D. Marino
Officer Brian D. Matthews
Officer Norris H. McKee, Jr.
Officer Terrence D. Mills
Officer Joseph D. Mueller
Officer Timothy P. Mullaney
Officer Karen M. Nizer
Officer Gary A. Pfaff
Officer Joseph F. Pietro
Officer John C. Rau, Jr.
Officer Paul A. Renaud
Officer Wayne T. Ritter
Officer Daniel F. Rose
Officer Michael J. Schmitz
Officer George E. Seaton IV
Officer Rebecca I. Sewell
Officer Paul M. Tice
Officer Raul Q. Willem
Officer Harold D. Williams

PROFESSIONAL STAFF RETIREMENTS

Ms. Barbara A. Brown
Ms. LauraMae Cockrell
Ms. Catherine M. Jarkiewicz
Ms. Nancy A. Macomber
Ms. Jennifer D. Pack
Ms. Martha Sybert
Ms. Ramona Thomas



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410-887-2214

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Catonsville, MD 21228
410-887-0872

Precinct 2 – Woodlawn

6424 Windsor Mill Road
Woodlawn, MD 21207
410-887-1340

Precinct 3 – Franklin

606 Nicodemus Road
Reisterstown, MD 21136
410-887-6975

Precinct 4 – Pikesville

215 Milford Mill Road
Pikesville, MD 21208
410-887-1279

Precinct 6 – Towson

115 W. Susquehanna Avenue
Towson, MD 21204
410-887-2361

Precinct 7 – Cockeysville

111 Wight Avenue
Cockeysville, MD 21030
410-887-1820

Precinct 8 – Parkville

8532 Old Harford Road
Parkville, MD 21234
410-887-5310

Precinct 9 – White Marsh

8220 Perry Hall Boulevard
Nottingham, MD 21236
410-887-5000

Precinct 11 – Essex

216 North Marlyn Avenue
Essex, MD 21221
410-887-0220

Precinct 12 – North Point

1747 Merritt Boulevard
Dundalk, MD 21222
410-887-7320

Internal Affairs Section

410-887-2300

Office of Media and Communications

410-887-2210

Report Request Unit

410-887-2390

Recruitment

410-887-2273



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MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the Baltimore County Police Department is to enforce the laws and ordinances of the State and County, safeguard life and property, prevent and detect crime and victimization, preserve the peace and protect the rights of all citizens.

ORGANIZATIONAL VALUES

INTEGRITY

We uphold the public trust by being honest. We maintain the highest standards of ethical and moral character.

FAIRNESS

We treat everyone with respect and dignity in an unbiased manner. We protect constitutional rights through impartial enforcement of the law.

SERVICE

We provide dedicated and compassionate assistance by promoting leadership, cooperation, and creativity. We aspire to improve the quality of life in partnership with the community.

VISION OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

We will be the model of an innovative, community-oriented police department.

We are committed to excellence and professionalism in delivering comprehensive law enforcement services. Our core responsibility is to prevent and reduce crime and victimization. All Department members have an obligation, a duty, to pursue those who commit crimes.

Using current and developing technologies, we are committed to research and innovation. Technology will enhance our highly skilled workforce in the investigation of traditional criminal acts, and the latest crime challenges such as Internet, economic and predator crime, organized gang and youthful violent offenders.

Homeland security will remain a priority as we focus on the goal of moving beyond communities where our citizens feel safe to communities that are safe.

We recognize the value of all our employees and partners, from professional staff and sworn members, to the many citizens who come forth to volunteer, assisting us in fulfilling our mission. We remain committed to the further enhancement of these partnerships. We will continually strive to develop the skills of our members, and to efficiently and effectively manage our resources to deliver the highest level of service to the public.



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