

# WAUPACA POLICE DEPARTMENT



## 2018 ANNUAL REPORT

*The Mission Statement of the Waupaca Police Department is Excellence in Police Service by serving our community with HONOR, INTEGRITY, and PROFESSIONALISM, while being accountable for our actions to ourselves, our department, and our community.*

Waupaca City Council  
Waupaca Police Commission  
Mayor Brian Smith

City Representatives,

On behalf of the fine men and women serving the Waupaca Police Department, I am proud to present the 2018 Annual Report. The report reflects the positive efforts of our sworn officers and civilian personnel as we continue to improve the department and services we provide to the community.

Inside the Annual Report you will find reports indicating the positive change our department is making with the public. You will read about programs that have made a positive impact in the community.

One of our changes in 2018 was our Mission Statement. We wanted our officers to be able to recite what our Mission Statement was. We believe that HONOR, INTEGRITY and PROFESSIONALISM are the key traits that every law enforcement officer should believe in and have.

After 29 years of service, Lt. Geoff Johnson retired. Lt. Johnson started as a dispatcher for the Waupaca Police Department and was subsequently hired as a patrol officer. In 1998, he became a K-9 handler and trained the Waupaca Police Department's first canine, Badger. Lt. Johnson was then promoted in 2001 to the rank of Patrol Sergeant. He was again promoted in 2005 to Lieutenant and retained this position until his retirement in January of 2019.

A program we will continue to perform is serving food to the citizens that are in need at the Bread Basket. Officers have served an average of 120 meals per night. Our goal is to serve meals twice a year to this greatly needed program.

Our department will continue to work hand in hand with the citizens of this community and continue to provide the best police force possible. There are still many accomplishments ahead of us; however, I need to acknowledge the staff for the achievements they have made so far. This report truly is a reflection of their efforts. I will continue to thank each of the officers and thank the community for their endless support.

On behalf of all the dedicated professional members of the Waupaca Police Department, I would like to express our sincere gratitude to the members of the Police Commission, Mayor Brian Smith and the Common Council for their continued support.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Hoelzel  
Chief of Police

# 2018 Department Investigations Report

The commitment and devotion of the men and women who work for the Waupaca Police Department is invaluable in our effort to solve, and reduce crime within the City of Waupaca. We take pride in thoroughly investigating crimes in an effort to ensure justice and safety for victims.

A summary of a few critical incidents from 2018 are listed below. The incidents are broken down into four categories identified as death investigations, Sensitive Crimes, Drug investigations, and property crimes.

## DEATH INVESTIGATIONS

While most death calls are the result of natural causes, the possibility of foul play or an accident must be considered. Training and experience is critical while investigating these calls, and it is our policy that a supervisor respond to all non-hospice deaths which our department investigates. A detective sergeant will be notified if the death appears to be anything other than natural causes. These investigations must be a cooperative effort along with the coroner's office, crime laboratory, District Attorney and other police personnel.

During 2018, our agency investigated fourteen non-hospice or unattended deaths. Ten of the death investigations were found to be the result of natural causes relating to health issues. Two death investigations were ruled suicide and two death investigations were unattended and of a suspicious nature.

In January, Officers responded to a residence within the City of Waupaca for a report of a male who was deceased as a result of asphyxiation. Upon arrival, a thirty eight year old male was found deceased in a detached garage with preliminary evidentiary findings of self-asphyxiation. An investigation was completed with the assistance of the Waupaca County Coroner's Office. A final disposition was determined to be a death by self-asphyxiation.

In March, Officers responded to a residence within the City of Waupaca for a report of a male who was deceased as a result of asphyxiation. Upon arrival, an eighty one year old male was found deceased in an attached garage with preliminary evidentiary findings of self-asphyxiation. An investigation was completed with the assistance of the Waupaca County Coroner's Office. A final disposition was determined to be a death by self-asphyxiation.

In April, City of Waupaca Officers and Gold Cross ambulance service were called to a residence in the city of Waupaca for a female who was possibly having a seizure. Prior to arrival, the female was reported to be without a pulse, and was not breathing. Officers arrived on scene and began life saving measures on the thirty seven year old female. Gold Cross ambulance personal arrived on scene and continued attempting to revive the female, but were

unsuccessful. An investigation was completed with the assistance of the Waupaca County Coroner's Office and the Waupaca County Sheriff's Department. A contributing factor to the death was found to be toxicity related to a legally prescribed drug.

In August, Officers and Gold Cross ambulance service responded to a report of a pedestrian who was struck by a vehicle in the City of Waupaca. Upon arrival, an eighty six year old male was found to be lying in the roadway suffering severe head trauma among other injuries as a result of the accident. The male was transported to Thedacare Hospital in Waupaca, and subsequently transported by the Thedastar helicopter to Thedacare Hospital in Neenah. The male subject later succumbed to his injuries while at Thedacare Hospital in Neenah. An investigation was completed with the assistance of the Wisconsin State Patrol, and Waupaca County Sheriff's Department. A final disposition determined the driver of the vehicle failed to yield the right away. The Waupaca County District Attorney's Office reviewed reports on this matter, and determined there was no criminal negligence on behalf of the driver.

In September, City of Waupaca Officers and Gold Cross ambulance service were called to a residence in the City of Waupaca for a report of a male subject who was found not breathing and had no pulse. Upon arrival, ambulance personnel determined the thirty nine year male had been deceased for a period of time. No resuscitation efforts were attempted. An investigation was completed with the assistance of the Waupaca County Coroner's Office and the Milwaukee County Medical Examiner's Office. A contributing factor to the death was found to be multidrug toxicity of prescribed drugs and ethanol.

## **SENSITIVE CRIMES**

Sensitive crimes are crimes related to sexual assault and/or sexual abuse of a child or an adult. These type of crimes are very personal in nature and can be psychologically damaging to the victim. During the investigation of these crimes, it is important to focus on the victim while ensuring necessary evidence is collected.

Sixteen sex offenses were investigated by our department in 2018. Some of these investigations were resolved by interviews coordinated with Waupaca County Human Services and our department. Others require more in depth investigatory means such as data recovery, DNA recovery or forensic interviews.

In January, the Waupaca Police Department received a report of a twenty one year old male having child pornography on his cellular phone. Upon investigation, it was determined the twenty one year old male was involved in a sexual relationship with a female juvenile. During this incident, Interviews were completed, and cellular data was recovered. A criminal

complaint was subsequently filed by the Waupaca County District Attorney's Office charging the suspect with sexual assault of a minor.

In February, the Waupaca Police Department received information of a possible sexual assault which was reported to have occurred at a hotel within the City of Waupaca in 2003. The victim was reported to be a twelve year old female living in the City of Oshkosh. The suspect was an adult male living in a norther county in Wisconsin. Through a cooperative effort between the Oshkosh Police Department, and Winnebago Department of Health and Human Services, a forensic interview was completed at the Child Advocacy Center in Neenah. An interview with the suspect was later completed with the assistance of the Price County Sheriff's Department. Reports were forwarded to the Waupaca County District Attorney's Office and Price County Probation and Parole.

In March, the Waupaca Police Department investigated a complaint of a twenty year old male having sexual intercourse with a sixteen year old female during a church gathering. Interviews were conducted, cellular and computer data was recovered during this incident. A criminal complaint was subsequently filed by the Waupaca County District Attorney's Office charging the suspect with sexual assault of a minor.

In April, the Waupaca Police Department received a report of a four year old being sexually assaulted by a sixteen year old male. An investigation was initiated and Waupaca County Human Services was notified. Multiple interviews, including a forensic interview of the minor victim were conducted. Investigative reports were forwarded to the Waupaca County District Attorney's Office and Waupaca County Juvenile Intake concerning this incident.

In August, Officers responded to a residence within the City of Waupaca for a child pornography complaint. Upon arrival, the complainant reported finding pornographic pictures of her eight year old daughter on a lap top computer. The complainant believed her 32yr old live in boyfriend had taken the pictures. The male subject was later located and arrested for a probation warrant. Interviews were conducted and a forensic search of the computer was completed. As a result, the 32yr old male was additionally charged with (30) counts of possessing child pornography, and (1) count of sexual exploitation of a child.

In September, a twenty year old female reported being abducted and transported to a residence within the City of Waupaca by an unknown male. The female reported she was held captive at the residence, and sexually assaulted by the male. Investigative resources were used to ultimately identify the suspect as a twenty two year old male who lived at a residence in the City of Waupaca. A search warrant was obtained for the male's residence, and items of evidentiary value were collected. Interviews were completed and a forensic exam of the

female was completed at Thedacare Hospital in Appleton. The Waupaca County District Attorney's Office has been consulted on this incident.

In October, a fourteen year old juvenile reported being sexually assaulted by an eighteen year old male within the City of Waupaca. Interviews were completed and a search warrant was executed on a residence within the City of Waupaca. Electronic equipment was recovered during the search warrant and a forensic exam of the equipment was later completed. A criminal complaint was filed by the Waupaca County District Attorney's Office charging the suspect with using a computer to facilitate a child sex crime and attempt sexual assault of a child under the age of sixteen years old.

## **Drug Offenses**

Waupaca is not immune to the heroin and methamphetamine epidemic plaguing urban and rural areas throughout the country. In an effort to fight drug abuse and distribution in our community, the Waupaca Police Department has continued to have representation in the Central Wisconsin Drug Task Force. The task force is comprised of 14 law enforcement agencies within a seven county area in central Wisconsin. The task force is one of thirty two drug task forces in Wisconsin and is funded through grants which are disbursed by the Wisconsin Office of Justice Assistance. These funds as well as multijurisdictional assistance are invaluable in our investigatory efforts.

The Waupaca Police Department responded to 109 call for service in which drugs were identified to be a contributing factor. Under this category, I would also include calls for service in which alcohol was identified to be involved. In 2018, the Waupaca Police Department responded to 193 calls for service in which alcohol was found to be a contributing factor.

A majority of drug items collected during the year were prescription pills, marijuana, and paraphernalia items such as pipes, scales and containers. A sub-category of paraphernalia items was further broken down into items related to the packaging of methamphetamine and heroin. The chart below depicts drugs and paraphernalia recovered by our department in 2018.

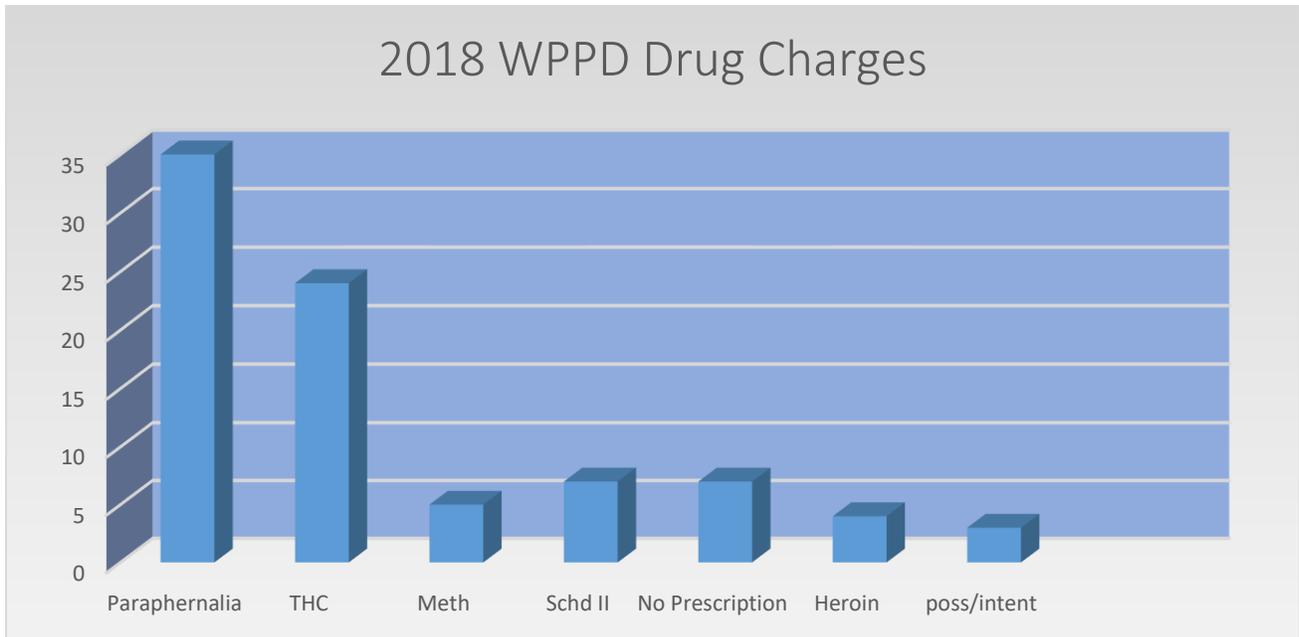
## City of Waupaca Recovered Drugs 2018

Drug Type	Quantity	Units
Prescription Pills	528.00	DU
Marijuana	245.5	GM
Paraphernalia	224	Items
Methamphetamine/Heroin packaging items	73	items
Cocaine	5.4	GM
Methamphetamine	4.4	GM
Heroin	4.7	GM

It should be noted that while only a small amount of methamphetamine and heroin were recovered, items used to package methamphetamine and heroin were notable. The amount of methamphetamine/heroin packaging items recovered would be a greater indication of the drugs presence within our community.

In 2018, the Waupaca Police Department responded to 14 calls related to drug overdoses. Seven overdoses were related to opioid consumption and Naloxone was administered. Seven overdoses were a result of prescription medicine.

In 2018 the Waupaca Police Department made 86 drug related arrests. The graph below depicts charges issued by the Waupaca Police department in relation to drug incidents.



## Property Crimes

Property Crimes include many common crimes relating to theft or destruction of someone else's property. They can range from lower level offenses such as shoplifting, or vandalism to higher felonies such as burglary. Some of these complaints can be handled immediately on scene, but others require more in depth investigation.

In January, an armed robbery originally reported in 2014 was solved. The incident involved two masked subjects entering a residence in the City of Waupaca and held the victim at gun point during the robbery. Initial responding officers collected critical evidence while processing the scene. The evidence was later submitted to the Wisconsin State Crime laboratory. A return of the evidence was received by our department in the later months of 2017. After approximately a four month long investigation, a confession was obtained in January of 2018. Reports have been forwarded to the District Attorney's Office requesting four adult suspects be charged with multiple offenses including armed robbery and conspiracy.

Also in January of 2018, City of Waupaca Officers responded to a residential burglary report. Upon arrival, the victim reported a large amount of cash and coins being stolen from the residence. Initial responding Officers processed the scene and collected pertinent items of evidence. Officers subsequently reviewed surveillance video from several business within the City of Waupaca. The video was found to correlate with evidence found at the scene. A search warrant was obtained and two subjects of interest were interviewed. A confession was later

obtained. A twenty year old male, and a nineteen year old male were arrested for charges of burglary.

In February, several burglaries occurring on separate dates, within the same general area were reported to the Waupaca Police Department. The Waupaca Police Department additionally received a report of a check book being stolen from a vehicle located within the same vicinity, and time frame of the burglaries. After a period of time, the Waupaca police Department was advised several of the stolen checks had been used at a local convenience store. Surveillance video was obtained and a suspect using the checks was identified. Two search warrants were executed and interviews were completed. A thirty Seven year old male was subsequently arrested for multiple offenses including burglary and forgery.

In May, Officers were advised of a residential door being damaged and forced open. Responding Officers searched the residence finding nobody inside. Evidence was observed which indicated items including a large television had been removed from the residence. The owner of the property was notified, and confirmed someone had entered the property without consent, and stolen items from the residence. Interviews were completed on this incident, and City of Waupaca surveillance video was reviewed. The stolen property was later recovered and a 34yr old male subject was arrested and charged with multiple offenses including burglary and criminal damage to property.

In June, the Waupaca Police Department received a report of a stolen vehicle from the down town business district. Responding Officers checked the area for witnesses or surveillance cameras. Several cameras were observed in the area, and officers were given access to the video. A male juvenile who had been listed as a runaway was identified, and was observed stealing the vehicle. Background information was obtained on the suspect which indicated connections to a residence in Menasha. Information was further obtained that the juvenile suspect had stolen vehicles in two other jurisdictions, and was involved in high speed chases prior to crashing the each stolen vehicle, and leaving the scene. The Menasha Police Department maintained surveillance on the residence and later located the vehicle reported as stolen from the City of Waupaca. The Menasha Police Department continued surveillance on the residence, and observed the juvenile suspect leave in the stolen vehicle. A traffic stop was performed and the juvenile suspect was subsequently taken into custody. The vehicle was recovered, and later returned to the owner. The juvenile suspect was taken into custody for charges of motor vehicle theft, and is additionally facing multiple charges from other jurisdictions.

In July, the Waupaca Police Department responded to a burglary complaint at the Big Squirt Laundry. Upon arrival, Officers observed a back wall of the business removed providing access to the coin machine located within the business. The coin machine containing a large amount

of coins had additionally been removed. After collecting pertinent items of evidence, surveillance video within the area was reviewed. A time frame of the burglary was obtained, and requests were made within the area for any information on subjects using a large amount of coins. The Waupaca Police Department was later advised of a subject cashing a large amount of coins at a local store. Officers reviewed surveillance video of the transaction, and identified the subject as a 41yr old male from the area. Interviews as well as a search warrant were executed. Three suspects were arrested and ultimately charged with multiple offenses including burglary and criminal damage to property.

Currently there are several burglaries from 2018 that remain active. Evidentiary items in each case have been forwarded to the Wisconsin State Crime Laboratory and are likely to provide valuable leads.

During the year, the Waupaca Police Department also investigated two bomb threats. In May, a larger chain business located in the City of Waupaca received a phone call stating there was a bomb located within the store. The caller attempted to extort the business, and requested a money transfer in lieu of activating the explosive device. Upon arrival, the business was evacuated and searched. No explosive devices were found within the store. Investigative efforts were made to retrieve telephone data, and a state wide law enforcement notification was sent. Information was obtained that similar threats had been sent to the same named store at three other locations within the State. A multijurisdictional effort was started with information being forwarded to the Federal Bureau of Investigations. The source of the call is under investigation.

In December, a large business within the City of Waupaca received an email stating there was an explosive device within the building. The source of the email attempted to extort the business by requesting \$20,000 in Bitcoins in lieu of activating the explosive device. No explosive devices were found within the business. Upon researching the content of the email, it was found similar emails had been sent to business, schools, hospitals and Government agencies throughout the Country. The email has since been tagged by media sites as the "bitcoin bomb threat". The Federal Bureau of Investigations is investigating the source of the email.

Looking ahead to the future, our department's efforts in deterring and solving crime will be dependent on maintaining a proactive approach to drug investigations, continuous technology enhancement, training, and an on-going excellent working relationship with the businesses and citizens of this community.

**Respectfully Submitted,**

***Detective Sgt. John Helgeson***

# 2018 Department Programs and Services

The City of Waupaca Police Department's Officers are committed to maintaining a positive relationship with the community and citizens we serve. In 2018, officers participated in a variety of programs and services that help to maintain a positive working relationship with our community and to make Waupaca the best that it can be.

Officer Paul Benzschawel continues to maintain and update the Waupaca Police Department Facebook page. The department uses Facebook as a social media platform to reach a larger audience to



disseminate important information to the community. Facebook has been a valuable tool in requesting assistance from the community in solving crimes. We will also post information pertaining to times and dates of upcoming programs as well as crime trends and other pertinent information to aid the general public.

**Stuff the Squad-** Officer Tom Grant partnered with Pick n' Save and local food pantries in the "Stuff the Squad" event. Customers were able to purchase pre-packaged food bags or make monetary donations. Donations were gathered up and put into one of our marked squads and delivered to the partnering food banks. Saturday, June 16<sup>th</sup> totaled 74 food bags received!



**Step Wise-** Officer Bret Rodenz continued his “Step Wise” classes in 2018. He presented to approximately 50 community members through various classes which are geared towards senior citizens. Topics range from pedestrian safety, internet safety, and protecting yourself against fraud and other financial crimes.

**Shop With a Cop-** Chief Brian Hoelzel, Officers Bret Rodenz, Diana Flatoff, Wes Zube, Nicole Hahn, Tom Grant, Sam Van Dinter and Administrative Assistant Jeri Allen participated in the 5th annual Waupaca County Shop With a Cop Program. Officers are paired with children who are selected due to less fortunate means or other challenging circumstances. Money is raised through generous donations from community members and local businesses which enables each child to receive gift cards totaling \$150.00 to spend on Christmas gifts for their families and a small amount on themselves. 38 children participated in this year’s program. Officers accompany their partnered child to Fleet Farm to shop and return to the Waupaca Recreation Center where volunteers wrap and put the finishing touches on the gifts. Participants are treated to Little Caesar’s Pizza, and a visit by Santa Claus.

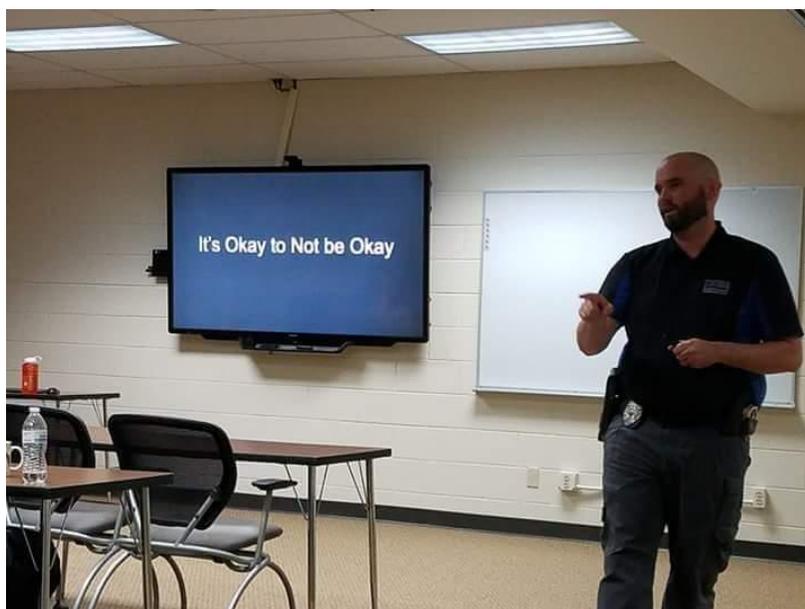


**Bread Basket-** The Waupaca Police Department participated in serving meals for the Bread Basket at the United Methodist Church of Waupaca in March and September 2018. The police department has been able to sponsor two meals a year through a community fund which we maintain. We were awarded a generous donation from an anonymous volunteer working concessions at Lambeau Field. This money was allocated to the Bread Basket to ensure viability of the fund and the ability to continue this as an annual program. Department personnel assist in preparation and delivery of meals to about 125 people, who either dine in or carry out. This year the police department served ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, rolls and a piece of cake.

**Adopt-A-Family-** The Waupaca Police Department and the Police and Fire Commission adopted two families for Christmas 2018. With the help of Alderperson Lori Chestnut in the selection process, \$301.00 was donated by officers and commission members which was used to purchase gifts and toys for the adopted families and their children. A portion of an anonymous donation from a Lambeau Field concession worker was also used to fund the Adopt-A-Family.



**From First on Scene to Next of Kin-** Officer Wes Zube presented his program “From First on Scene to Next of Kin” several times throughout 2018. Officer Zube focuses in on his personal experience with suicide, tragedy and grief and how he was able to overcome it through seeking help and talking about the things he saw and experienced. Officer Zube has presented to a large portion of the high school student and faculty body as well as various police and fire organizations, UW Platteville students, and the Waupaca community.





**Drug Take Back**-The Waupaca Police Department participated in the Prescription Drug Take Back Initiative for 2018. This program offers a convenient time and location to dispose of unused, unneeded, or otherwise expired prescription drugs and other medications. The Waupaca Police Department hosted a prescription drug drop off location in the lobby of our police department on April 28th and October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The April date resulted in 69.2 pounds and the October date, 49.6 pounds of drugs that were collected and properly disposed of.

**Bethany**- Waupaca Police Department Officers and Administrative Assistant Jeri Allen participated in a luncheon and a separate breakfast date with residents of the Bethany Community. This gave our department a good opportunity to sit down and have some great conversations with members of the Waupaca Community.



**Police vs. Fire Softball Game-** 2018 was a year of many firsts, like the first Police vs. Fire softball game. Peterson Dodge sponsored the event which was held at Swan Park. The fireman took the trophy this year, but a rematch is already scheduled for 2019. The event raised funds which was split among the police and fire department's fund raising efforts for equipment and other necessities. A total of \$1,969.00 was raised for The Waupaca Police Department and the same amount for Waupaca Fire Department. The Waupaca Police Department also held a brat fry to raise funds for individually issued tourniquets and cases for emergency life saving measures.



These are just some examples of the programs and services we offered in 2018, and the events our officers and staff participated in. The Waupaca Police Department is committed to developing and maintaining a strong partnership with the community. We would like to recognize the valuable assistance and strong community support we received throughout 2018 which enabled us to make it a very successful year.

Respectfully Submitted,

Police Sergeant Brent Krueger

## WAUPACA COUNTY SWAT

Police response to an unusual emergency situation often requires specialized tactical units trained and equipped to take effective action. The Waupaca County Swat Team is designated for these types of situations. The primary goal of this unit is to contain, control, and resolve these situations as effectively and efficiently as possible while protecting life and minimizing the risk of injury to all persons involved.

The Waupaca County Swat Team is comprised of law enforcement S.W.A.T. officers throughout the county of Waupaca. A (S.W.A.T.) Operator is an officer who is trained in Specialized Weapons And Tactics. Law Enforcement Depts compiling the Waupaca County Swat Team are the Waupaca P. D., Waupaca County Sheriff's Dept., Clintonville P. D., New London P. D., and the Iola P. D. The Waupaca P. D. designated SWAT operators are Sergeant Mario Graceffa and Sergeant Brent Krueger.

The Waupaca County Swat Team will respond for deployment when ordered out by proper authority for the purpose of controlling non-routine/high risk incidents. Swat will provide a coordinated police response in situations where non-routine police action is required. Swat may be used if requested for the execution of high-risk warrants that may pose a danger to innocent persons or police personnel.

### **SWAT CALLS AND SERVICES 2018**

JULY -Waupaca Swat was called out to execute an arrest warrant at a residence in the County of Waupaca, near the City of Manawa. Information in the warrant included a possible drug house. The subject of the warrant was believed and known to possess firearms. After execution of the warrant, the suspect was taken into custody for related drug possession/delivery offenses. Illegal narcotics were seized as evidence during the warrant search. Officers also recovered US Currency and eight firearms during the search.

September -Waupaca Swat was called out to execute a drug related search warrant at a residence in the County of Waupaca. Information in the warrant included the suspects were distributing heroin. The subjects of the warrant were believed and known to possess firearms. After execution of the warrant, suspects were taken into custody for related drug possession/delivery offenses. Illegal narcotics, specifically heroin, was seized as evidence during the warrant search. Officers also recovered US Currency and drug packaging paraphernalia.

October- Waupaca Swat was called out to execute a search warrant at a rural residence located in the County of Waupaca. Information in the warrant included the suspects were distributing heroin and other narcotics. Suspects were known to carry firearms and have firearms in the residence. After the execution of the warrant suspects were taken into custody for related drug possession/delivery offenses. Illegal narcotics were seized as evidence, to include, marijuana grow, prescription medications, amphetamines, Psilocybn (mushrooms). Suspect was also charged with Felon in Possession of Firearms, Firearm silencers, Maintain a Drug Trafficking Place, and Manufacture Psilocybn.

November-Waupaca Swat was called out to execute a search warrant at a residence located in the City of Manawa. Information in the warrant included persons of interest wanted for the distribution of narcotics and tax evasion. Suspects were known to carry firearms and have firearms in the residence. At the time of execution of the warrant a simultaneous warrant was being executed in the City of Clintonville for the same case. Officers recovered firearms, US currency, narcotics, electronics and drug paraphernalia from the residence.

#### **SWAT ADDITIONAL SERVICES**

August- SWAT officers trained local law enforcement agencies for response to an active shooter at a school. Approximately 80 law enforcement officers trained at three different schools during this training cycle. Waupaca Middle School hosted one session of training, New London School hosted another session, and Marion School hosted the last training session. Officers from each City agency trained at their schools along with Waupaca County Deputies, WI State Patrol, and WI DNR.

In addition to the calls for service the Waupaca Swat Team maintains a vigorous training schedule. The Waupaca Swat Operators trained monthly in several tactical areas. Swat Operators train for scenarios in hostage rescue, active shooters, barricaded subjects, negotiations, and executions of warrants. The majority of the Swat Operators are State Certified Instructors in several police disciplines.

Respectfully Submitted

Sergeant Mario Graceffa

## 2018 Budget Summary

Though the city's 2015 population is estimated at 6,069 much of the area's population lives outside the city limits in surrounding townships. The Waupaca area supports a service area of over 30,000 people within a 15 mile radius of the city. Waupaca serves as the county seat encompassing approximately 8.01 square miles of land and has about 47.20 miles of road.

The 2018 Budget for the Waupaca Police Department was \$1,594,307.00. The budget is broken down into 7 different areas or “programs”, including Police Administration, Police Patrol, Clerical, Drug Enforcement, School Patrol, School Liaison and Building. Table 1 depicts the actual budget for specific programs for 2018. In 2018, the Police Department came in over budget by 2.67%, or approximately \$45,546.40. However, the Waupaca Police Department received \$33,396.56 in revenue as depicted in table 2 of the 2018 Police Department Revenue Summary. This revenue included OWI Grant funds of \$28,980.24, \$2,400 in State Aid from Police Training, Drug Grant \$2,016.32. The actual budget would be \$1,603,456.84 which is \$9,149.84 over budget or .573%.

<b>2018 BUDGET SUMMARY</b>				
	Budgeted	Actual	Difference	Percentage
Police Administration	\$240,223.00	\$244,848.81	(\$4,625.81)	1.93%
Police Patrol	\$1,130,087.00	\$1,175,843.23	(\$45,747.23)	4.05%
Clerical	\$72,188.00	\$71,613.83	\$574.17	.80%
Drug Enforcement	\$6,263.00	\$3,565.39	\$2,697.61	43.07%
School Patrol	\$10,654.00	\$13,289.24	(\$2,635.24)	24.73%
School Liaison	\$59,782.00	\$61,703.67	(\$1,921.67)	3.21%
Building	\$75,110.00	\$65,998.23	\$9,111.77	12.13%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,594,307.00</b>	<b>\$1,636,853.40</b>	<b>(\$45,546.40)</b>	<b>2.67%</b>

Table 1

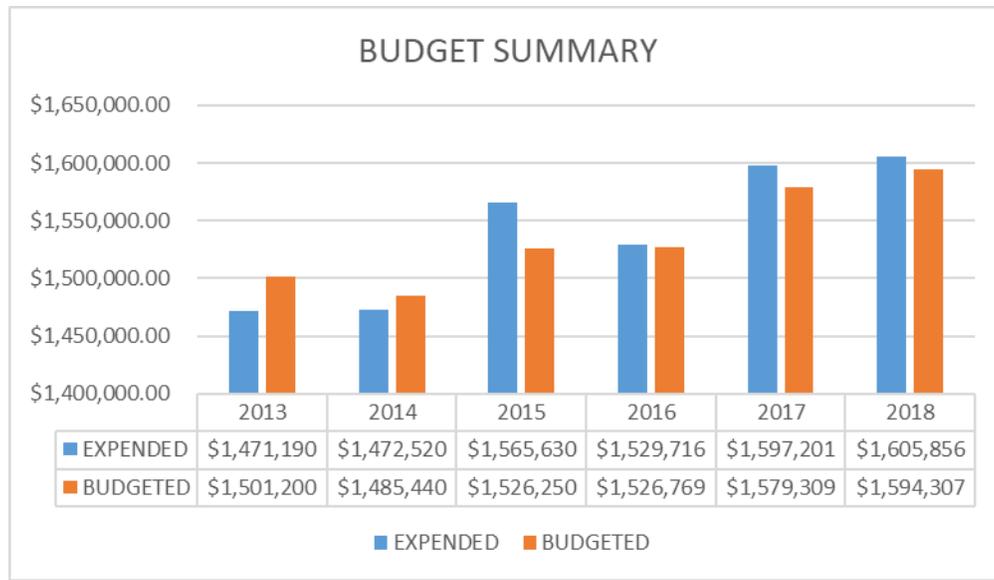


Figure 1

### 2018 Revenue Summary

The total revenue generated by the Waupaca Police Department in 2018 was \$170,414.86. Table 2 depicts the actual source of revenue over the past 5 years.

<b>POLICE DEPARTMENT REVENUE SUMMARY</b>					
	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Traffic/Misd	\$50,940.66	\$47,353.67	\$41,213.15	\$40,200.26	\$45,774.00
Parking	\$22,830.90	\$25,544.09	\$22,268.32	\$27,399.13	\$17,299.00
Alarms Permits					\$60.00
Fees		\$1,362.32	\$3,569.53	\$2,433.27	\$2,749.00
Other	\$2,326.54	\$2,045.24	\$1,339.24	\$1,920.00	\$2,164.00
Liaison	\$55,022.73	\$45,808.64	\$40,006.42	\$39,032.78	\$50,005.00
Crossing Guard	\$5,897.47	\$6,600.63	\$6,368.63	\$5,475.90	\$4,630.00
OWI Grant	\$28,980.24	\$14,865.51	\$4,519.91		
Drug Grant	\$2,016.32	\$1,005.53	\$423.43		
Police Training	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00	\$1,920.00	
Vest Grant		\$227.23			
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$170,414.86</b>	<b>\$147,212.86</b>	<b>\$122,108.63</b>	<b>\$118,381.34</b>	<b>\$122,681.00</b>

Table 2

## **Police Department 2018 Incident Analysis**

The Police Department tracks every call an officer is called to, including all self-initiated field activity (SIFA). Table 3 depicts the yearly summaries with a percentage depicted for each category shown in Figure 2 on the next page. This depicts an increase in Incidents of **11.86%** as shown on the right hand side of Table 3 when compared with 2017. A summary of each category is as follows:

Assist: General Citizen assists to include assisting EMS, FIRE, businesses, motorists and assisting other agencies.

Criminal: All calls related to criminal activity, such as burglaries, thefts, drug offenses, and domestic disturbances.

General: This category includes a variety of services, including animal complaints, delivery of other legal notices, follow up investigations, and community presentations.

Ordinance: General ordinance violations, such as animal complaints, disturbances, bad checks, truancy, and permit violations.

Service: General Service related calls, such as missing persons, special patrols, and warrant arrests.

Traffic: All traffic related calls, such as speeding, OWI, school zone enforcement, traffic direction, and accident investigation.

## 2018 Property Loss Analysis

The total property loss (theft) for 2018 was reported at \$74,885.0000 and the amount of stolen property recovered was \$42,816.00 or approximately 57.17%. In 2018, the statewide recovery rate average was 27%. Figure 4 depicts a property loss analysis over the past 6 years. Based on this graph, you can see that the Waupaca Police Department is generally consistently higher with recovery rates than the statewide average.

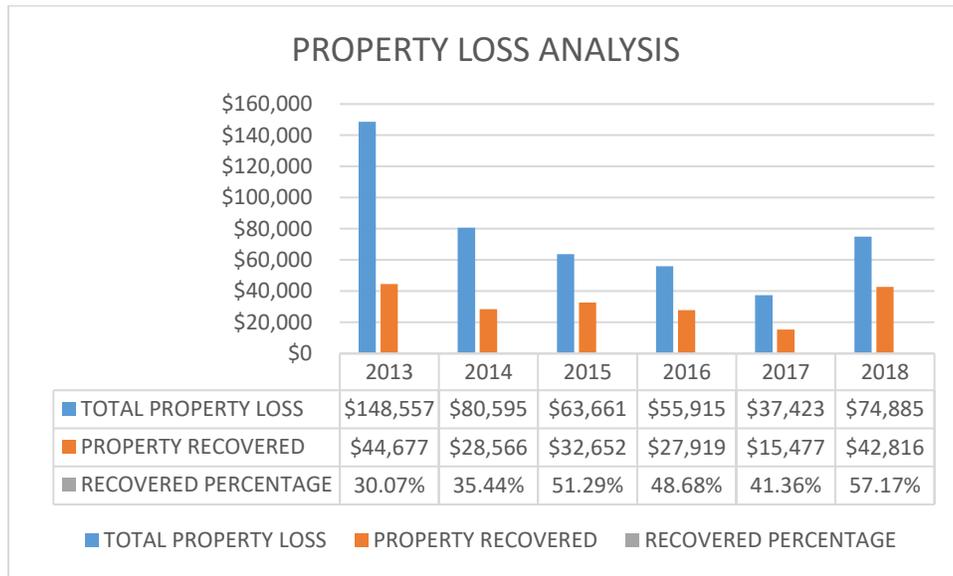


Figure 4

## Uniform Crime Reporting Summary

The Federal Bureau of Investigation's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program, which began in 1929, collects information on the following crimes reported to law enforcement authorities: homicide, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson. In tables 4 and 5 you will see the statistics that were gathered for the years 2016, 2017, and 2018.

The arrests for Violent Crimes in 2018 which include Murder, Rape, Robbery and Aggravated Assault totaled 14 arrests compared to 10 arrests in 2017 which is a 28.57% increase.

The arrests for Property Crimes in 2018 which include Burglary, Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft, Arson, Forgery, Fraud, Embezzlement, Stolen Property, and Vandalism totaled 151 arrests compared to 147 arrests in 2017 which is a 3% increase.

The arrests for Society Crimes in 2018 which include Weapons, Prostitution, Sex Offenses, Gambling, OWI, Liquor Laws, Disorderly Conduct, Vagrancy Violations Curfew and Loitering totaled 173 arrests compared to 204 in 2017 which is an 18% decrease.

The arrests for Other Crimes in 2018 which include Negligent Manslaughter, Simple Assault, Family Offenses and All Other arrests totaled 357 compared to 364 arrests in 2017 which is a 2% decrease.

The total Yearly Arrest Count reported to the Uniform Crime Reporting in 2018 for the Waupaca Police Department totaled 750 arrests compared to 737 arrests in 2017 which is a 1.76% in arrests.

# Uniform Crime Reporting 2018 Data Comparison Report

Data as of  
2/4/19

## Yearly Offense Count Waupaca PD

Offense	2016	2017	2018	Average
Murder	0	0	0	0
Rape	4			4
Rape-Revised		2	4	3
Robbery	0	0	1	0
Aggravated Assault	17	8	9	11
Simple Assault	26	23	24	24
Burglary	14	12	12	13
Larceny Theft	194	165	174	178
Motor Vehicle Theft	8	2	3	4
Arson	1	0	0	0

## 2018 Clearance Rates Waupaca PD

Offense	2016	2017	2018	Average
Murder	NA	NA	NA	NA
Rape	100%	NA	NA	100%
Rape-Revised	NA	100%	75%	100%
Robbery	NA	NA	100%	100%
Aggravated Assault	100%	100%	89%	100%
Simple Assault	100%	100%	92%	100%
Burglary	100%	0%	75%	100%
Larceny Theft	100%	100%	59%	100%
Motor Vehicle Theft	100%	100%	100%	100%
Arson	0%	NA	NA	0%

## Yearly Arrest Count Waupaca PD

Arrest	2016	2017	2018	Average
Murder	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0
Rape	1			1
Rape - Revised		2	5	4
Robbery	0	0	1	0
Aggravated Assault	18	12	7	12
Simple Assault	33	21	36	30
Burglary	17	16	9	14
Larceny Theft	135	106	112	118
Motor Vehicle Theft	8	4	4	5
Arson	0	0	0	0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	1	1	3	2
Fraud	6	5	6	6
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	2	1	3	2
Vandalism	12	8	14	11
Weapons	4	5	5	5
Prostitution	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	11			11
Sex Offenses - Revised		7	8	8
Drug Sale - Opium/Cocaine	0	0	0	0
Drug Sale - Marijuana	1	1	1	1
Drug Sale - Synthetic	3	3	1	2
Drug Sale - Oth. Dangerous	10	5	4	6
Drug Poss - Opium/Cocaine	0	0	2	1
Drug Poss - Marijuana	7	13	7	9
Drug Poss - Synthetic	0	4	2	2
Drug Poss - Oth. Dangerous	26	32	39	32
Drug - Unknown	0	0	0	0
Gambling	0	0	0	0
Family Offenses	18	17	16	17
DUI	37	20	45	34
Liquor Law Violations	33	28	23	28
Disorderly Conduct	103	108	92	101
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0
All Other	256	298	305	286
Curfew/Loitering	5	20	0	8

Arrest Grand Total 747 737 750 756

## Sex Offense Counts Waupaca PD

Sex Offense	2016	2017	2018	Average
Rape	4	2	2	3
Sodomy/Oral Sex	0	0	2	1
Assault w/Object	0	0	0	0
Fondling	2	2	1	2
Incest	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	1	7	9	6

## 2018 LEOKA and Hate Crime Counts

Officers Assaulted: **None**  
 Officers Killed: **None**  
 Hate Crime Incident Count: **None**

## Waupaca PD

Months Submitted in 2018: **12**

Please review your 2018 data for accuracy. Offense and arrest counts that are 40% or more **higher** or **lower** than the 3-year average have been highlighted in red and blue to facilitate your review. Clearance rates that are 100%+ have also been highlighted for review. The shading is meant to identify areas for further review but may not indicate a data problem.

Monthly counts have also been provided to help troubleshoot. If you identify a problem with your 2018 data, please update your 2018 data through the UCR online submission website: <https://ucr.doj.wi.gov>

**\*Updated reports available by request only\***

Table 4

2018 Monthly Offense Count Waupaca PD

Offense	Month												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Murder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape-Revised	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Aggravated Assault	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	9
Simple Assault	2	2	3	1	4	6	2	1	0	1	1	1	24
Burglary	3	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	12
Larceny Theft	18	10	14	11	14	18	14	21	14	11	15	14	174
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

2018 Monthly Sex Offenses Waupaca PD

Sex Offense	Month												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Rape	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Sodomy/Oral Sex	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Assault w/Object	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	9

2018 Monthly Arrests Waupaca PD

Arrest	Month												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Murder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape - Revised	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Aggravated Assault	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	7
Simple Assault	0	3	8	4	2	6	3	3	2	2	3	0	36
Burglary	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	9
Larceny Theft	14	9	13	8	11	7	9	7	9	4	10	11	112
Motor Vehicle Theft	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Arson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	3
Fraud	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	6
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
Vandalism	4	3	0	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Weapons	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	5
Prostitution	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses - Revised	1	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	8
Drug Sale - Opium/Cocaine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Sale - Marijuana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Drug Sale - Synthetic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Drug Sale - Oth. Dangerous	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	4
Drug Poss - Opium/Cocaine	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Drug Poss - Marijuana	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	7
Drug Poss - Synthetic	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Drug Poss - Oth. Dangerous	4	4	5	1	2	4	5	6	2	0	1	5	39
Drug - Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gambling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Family Offenses	1	2	0	0	1	4	2	3	1	1	1	0	16
DUI	7	2	6	1	4	1	3	3	3	7	7	1	45
Liquor Law Violations	11	2	1	0	0	0	2	3	1	1	2	0	23
Disorderly Conduct	6	10	8	5	11	5	9	5	5	8	15	5	92
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Other Offenses	43	25	28	24	22	22	28	18	24	21	26	24	305
Curfew/Loitering	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>750</b>

Data notes: WIBRS data have been converted to summary format based on the FBI's conversion rules. Rape and Sex Offense counts are based on the 2017 Revised definition. Dates presented in this report are based on either the date an incident was reported to law enforcement (summary) or the date an incident occurred (WIBRS).

Table 5

## 2018 Citation Analysis

Figure 5 depicts the actual number of citations, both traffic and ordinance violations issued over the past several years. For 2018, there was an 18.70% increase in citations as compared to 2017.

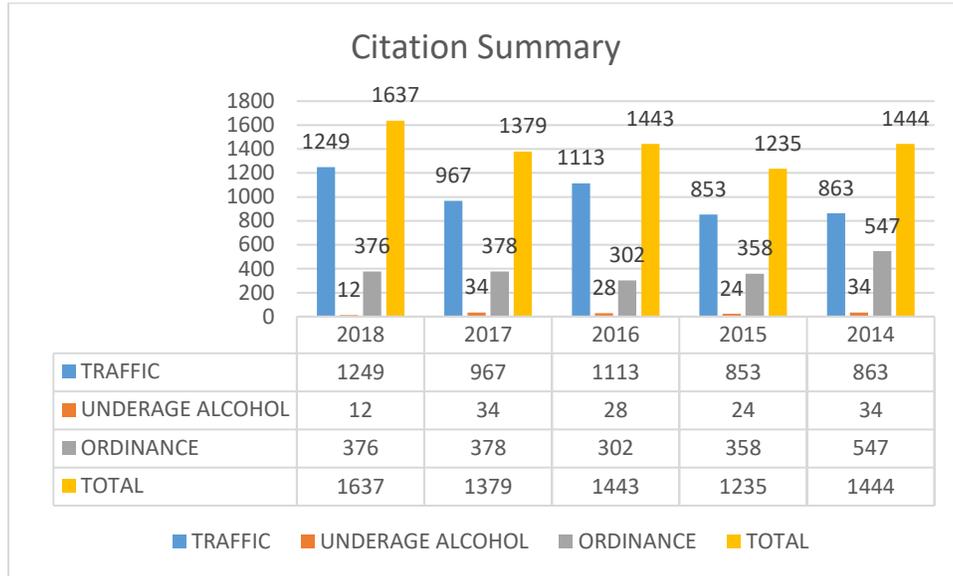


Figure 5

## 2018 Parking Citation Analysis

Figure 6 depicts a percentage breakdown of the total number of parking citations issued in 2018 thru 2014. In 2018 there was a **17.86% decrease** in parking citations.