ANNUAL REPORT

"I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States of America, the Constitution of the State of Michigan and I will faithfully discharge the duties of Police Officer for the Charter Township of Bloomfield to the best of my ability."

MISSIOI STATEMEN

Preserve the peace and protect our community with fairness, integrity, pride, and respect.



BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP POLICE

CHIEF JAMES GALLAGHER

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Bloomfield Township Police Department



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2022 Annual Report

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LETTER FROM THE CHIEF JAMES GALLAGHER



I am proud to present the 2022 annual report. I would like to thank the residents of our community for supporting and passing the Public Safety Millage in August 2022. We are truly grateful for the support.

On July 1, 2022, I was promoted to Chief of Police due to the retirement of Chief Phil Langmeyer. Chief Langmeyer retired after serving Bloomfield Township for over 30 years. Chief Langmeyer led our department through some of the most challenging events in our profession's history. From COVID 19 to civil unrest, Chief Langmeyer vowed that the men and women of the Bloomfield Township Police Department would be leaders in serving our residents and visitors reflecting our core values of integrity, respect, fairness, pride and accountability. Under his leadership, our police family delivered on his promise. Chief Langmeyer accepted the Police Department's accreditation in 2019 and helped develop our mental health Co-Responder (CoRE) program in partnership with Birmingham and Auburn Hills. On behalf of the Bloomfield Township Police Department, I would like to thank Chief Langmeyer for his leadership, dedication, friendship and service to the residents and our employees.

We completed our first full year with our mental health Co-Responder program and clinician Hillary Nusbaum. There were 664 cases referred to Hillary from all three agencies: 239 referrals from Bloomfield Township. The Co-Responder program has been used as a model and the program has been implemented by the Oakland County Sheriff's Office and the City of Troy Police Department. In September, we were awarded a federal grant of \$260,000 to expand our CoRE team by adding the City of Rochester Police Department and hiring a second clinician to handle the caseload. The CoRE program is truly an asset to our community.

We continued the transition within the police department with the retirements of over 200 years of combined service including the Chief of Police, three lieutenants, two detectives, one dispatcher, and a Village Officer. We hired five officers, two dispatchers, and one Animal Welfare Officer.

We look forward to the exciting challenges and successes of 2023. We will continue to see more staff retire. We will focus on developing leaders at all levels of the agency. We will continue to partner with our Community Cable, Elected Officials, and community to recruit and retain the best of the best to serve our community. We will look for new opportunities and partnerships to increase our effectiveness and efficiency to our community.

I am honored to lead the great men and women of the Bloomfield Township Police Department into the future. I am forever grateful to my predecessors for their mentorship and trust to be the Chief of Police. Thank you to our residents, employees, Elected Officials, and Township Trustees for your continued support of your Police Department.

Jame god

James Gallagher Chief of Police

2022 ROSTER

231 Chief James Gallagher 182 Capt. Dan Edwards 186 Det. John Huizdos 196 Det. Cory Donberger 201 Ofc. Jon Schlabach 202 Sgt. Pete Matejcik 207 Det. James Moschel 209 Lt. Matt Hill 211 Lt. John Weise 212 Capt. Jeffrey Nolan 213 Sgt. April Switala 214 Ofc. Jason Kollman 217 Ofc. Kely Marthen 218 Ofc. Andy Ball 222 Det. Chris Wegienka 232 Lt. Bryan Pizzuti 238 Sgt. James Shoemaker 242 Lt. Dan Brown 243 Sgt. Aaron Sparks 244 Ofc. Jennifer Lower 245 Ofc. Ryan Smith 247 Ofc. Joseph Borro 248 Ofc. David Comerford 252 Ofc. Nathan Eller 253 Lt. Jason Murphy 254 Det. David VanKerckhove 257 Ofc. Angela Carlson 258 Sgt. Tony Woycehoski 260 Sgt. Mike Buczek 261 Ofc. Joe Monti 262 Ofc. Brian Kaschyk 263 Ofc. Andy Racine 265 Ofc. Jason Follman 267 Ofc. Tim Newsome

269 Ofc. Steve Sherwood 273 Ofc. Kelly McGraw 275 Ofc. Marisa Miller 279 Ofc. Tom Smyly 280 Ofc. Ed Ryan 284 Ofc. Robert Zaremba 285 Ofc. Ed Nolan 286 Ofc. Elliott Wilson 290 Ofc. Scott Schuknecht 292 Ofc. Thomas Rines 294 Ofc. Nicholas Soley 303 Ofc. Christopher Solimano 305 Ofc. Tanner Davis 209 Ofc. Marshal Scott 310 Ofc. Gunnar Bjornson 312 Ofc. Daniel Pagel 320 Ofc. Sean Manor 321 Ofc. Justin Harwood 322 Ofc. Greg Hofelich 323 Ofc. Rob Ronk 326 Ofc. Tarick Shihadeh 327 Ofc. Heather Glowacz 329 Ofc. Cody Denison 333 Ofc. Thomas Box 335 Ofc. Lucas Van Vlerah 336 Ofc. Brad Beldo 337 Ofc. Tyler Retford

"IN MEMORIAM"

180 Ofc. Gary Davis

ANIMAL WELFARE 228 Laura Joyce 338 Chris Baumann

DISPATCHERS

236 Supervisor Meg Fouss 255 Kristy Paquin 259 Stacy Prachar 282 April Verbeke 288 Cassandra Diamond 295 Amela Catic-Bader 314 Kristi Harms 315 Alyssa Staten 318 Melissa Sleeman 319 Ernest Zubalik 325 Breann Phillips 330 Chrisalynn Varga 331 Alyssa Pukey

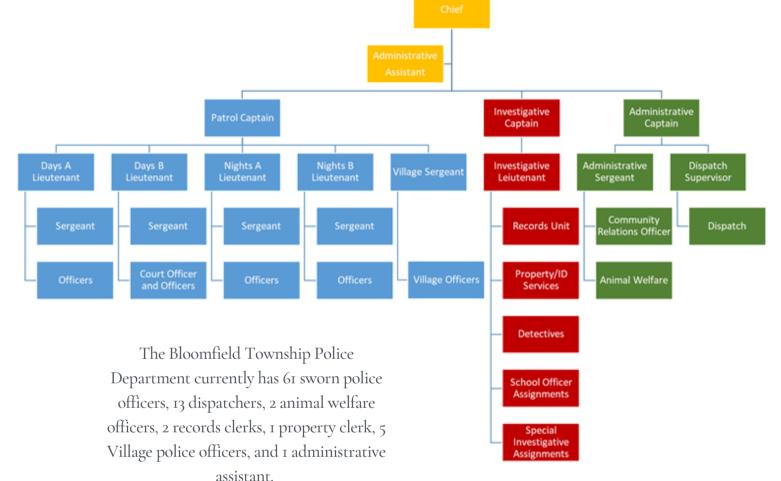
CIVILIANS

205 Nina Houghton- Records
206 Shawn Gardner- Property Clerk
246 Lori Kerr- Administration
308 Renee Vance- Records
313 Jennifer Riney- Custodial
324 Hillary Nusbaum- Social Worker

VILLAGE OFFICERS

169 Sgt. Steve Cook 150 Ofc. John Hoffman 302 Ofc. Tom Orlowski 307 Ofc. Brian Crane 191 Ofc. Paul Schwab





Core Value: Integrity, Respect, Fairness, Pride, and Accountability

We maintain the trust of the community by being honest, compassionate, and consistent in our actions. We hold ourselves responsible to the highest standard of personal and professional ethical conduct. We respect the sanctity of life and the dignity of all people while we perform our lawful duties. We treat everyone as we want to be treated by being objective, courteous, and equitable. We are a premier law enforcement agency that takes pride in our department and its historical heritage. We are dedicated to professionalism, service, and moral courage. We accept responsibility for our decisions and actions while remaining transparent and open to the ever changing needs of our community.



lt. dan Brown



ACCOMPLISHED

This year, Lieutenant Dan Brown graduated from the School of Staff and Command, a 400-hour problem-based learning (PBL) course conducted by Michigan State University's Center for Police Executive Development. Its purpose is to develop the next generation of police command officers. Students are presented with problems facing law enforcement executives and asked to come up with real-life solutions. Students collaborate in small groups with an instructor/facilitator guiding and mentoring them. They learn to solve problems through in-depth discussion and critical thinking exercises with each scenario becoming increasingly more complex. Every student is asked to identify an issue facing their department, and design a workable solution that can be implemented upon their return.

The course includes on-site classroom instruction and distance learning. Distance learning requires students to commit 40 hours per week, being available between the hours of 8am and 5pm.

DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Officer Robert Zaremba

Letter of Recognition

Officer Elliott Wilson

Letter of Recognition

Officer Chris Solimano

Honorable Mention

Detective James Moschel

Honorable Mention

Detective Chris Wegienka

Honorable Mention

Detective Dave VanKerckhove

Unit Commendation

Officer Joseph Monti

Unit Commendation

Detective John Huizdos

Unit Commendation

Detective James Moschel

Unit Commendation

Detective Cory Donberger

Unit Commendation

Detective Chris Wegienka

Unit Commendation

Sgt. Aaron Sparks

Unit Commendation

Officer Tim Newsome

Unit Commendation

Dispatcher Kristy Paquin

Unit Commendation

DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Dispatcher Cassie Diamond

Unit Commendation

Detective Chris Wegienka

Life Saving

Dispatcher Amela Catic

Meritorious Service

Detective Chris Wegienka

Meritorious Service

Officer Nick Soley

Letter of Recognition



OFFICER AND CIVILIAN OF THE YEAR

Officer Ed Ryan

Officer of the Year



Officer Ed Ryan has been a valuable member of the Bloomfield Township Police Department since October 2007. In addition to patrol, Officer Ryan is a Field Training Officer, a Firearms Instructor, and an Evidence Technician.

Clinician Hillary Nusbaum

Civilian of the Year

Clinician Hillary Nusbaum joined the Bloomfield Township Police Department in September of 2021 as our Mental Health Co-Responder. As a Social Worker, Hillary assists our officers with residents and people that are in the midst of a mental health crisis. Her position has proven valuable to our department and our community.



25,883 CALLS FOR SERVICE

In 2022, the department handled 25,883 Calls For Service (CFS). A CFS is a record of police service or activity. Examples include a phone call into dispatch requesting police assistance or a police officer affecting a traffic stop. Likewise, a CFS is created when an alarm company calls the department to report one of its alarms have tripped.

The Bloomfield Township Police Department prides itself on Service Oriented Policing. Service Oriented Policing is an integration of a police agency with its community. Through an interactive partnership with the community, a greater percentage of crimes can be solved, and the public safety concerns of the residents can be addressed.

The Police Department offers a number of community-care taking services, such as:

• Vacation House Checks: When a resident leaves their home for an extended period of time, they are encouraged to contact us, providing their dates of departure and return, and emergency contact information. In addition, we will check your home on a regular basis while you're away.

• Vehicle Lockouts: It's frustrating and we've all done it. The Bloomfield Township Police Department still assists motorists who've found themselves in this situation.

• School Security Checks: It's not unusual to find our officers doing a walk through the schools in Bloomfield Township.

Population = Calls For Service



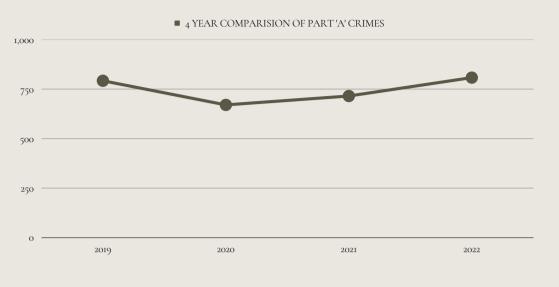
1451 VACATION HOUSE CHECKS

281 VEHICLE LOCK OUTS

415 SCHOOL SECURITY CHECKS

4 YEAR COMPARISON OF CALLS FOR SERVICE

PART'A' CRIMES



PART 'A' CRIMES

Part 'A' Complaints are the most serious crimes. For example, sexual assault, robbery, murder, stalking, and larcenies of highvalue items. Most of these crimes are felonies, a crime punishable by imprisonment for one or more years.

Bloomfield Township investigated 809 Part 'A' Crimes in 2022.

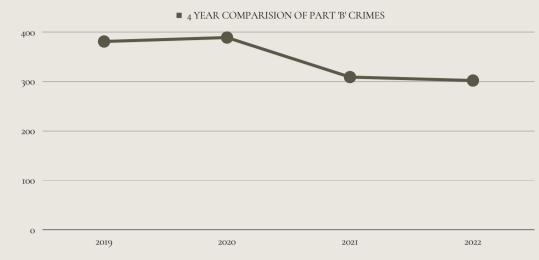
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PART 'B' CRIMES

PART 'B' CRIMES

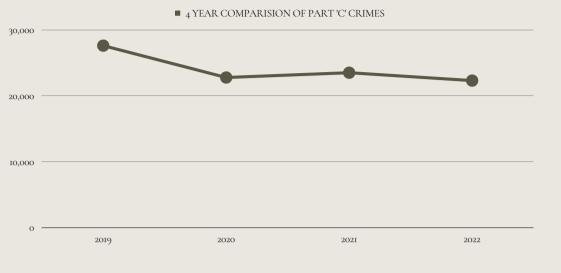
Part 'B' Complaints are typically misdemeanors that carry a penalty of less than one year in prison. These crimes range from minor thefts to driving related incidents such as Impaired Driving and Hit and Run crashes.

Bloomfield Township investigated 302 Part 'B' Crimes in 2022.



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Accident - hit and run	22
All other offenses	15
Tumultuous Conduct	5
Escape/Flight	0
Family Offense	3
Health and Safety	3
Liquor Law Violations	20
Missing Person/Runaway	0
Obstruction of Justice	15
Obstructing Police	15
OWI/ OUID	183
Public Peace	3
Sex Offense- Other	7
Trespassing	II
Vagrancy	0
Vehicle Lock Outs	281
House Checks	I,45I
School Checks	415
Citizen Assist	465
Citizen Assist	465

PART 'C' CRIMES



Alarm	2,439
Animal Complaints	IIOI
Personal Injury Crash	347
Property Damage Crash	1,726
All Other Complains	1,569
Warrant Arrests	169
DWLS	270
Medical Emergency	958
All Other "C" complaints	13,723

PART 'C' CRIMES

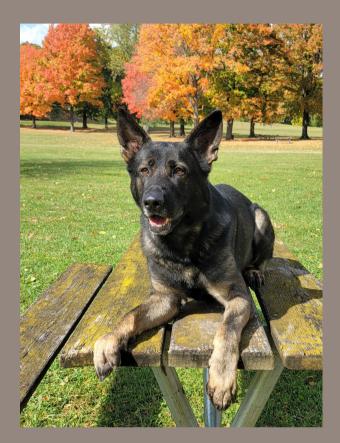
Part 'C' Complaints can be relatively minor misdemeanors, but are also very common Calls For Service (CFS). For instance, the Part C offense of "Crash" indicates that one of the drivers was issued a civil infraction citation (ticket) for the traffic crash.

Bloomfield Township investigated 22,302 Part 'C' Crimes in 2022.

PATROL

When someone calls, they expect professional police response in a timely manner. Patrol is the largest division in the department, consisting of 36 uniformed officers, 8 supervisors, and two K-9 teams. Patrol personnel are organized into four platoons, providing around-the-clock police service. While the men and women of the Patrol Division do a great job, they continuously strive to improve the delivery of services to the community.

> "The most visible function of a police department is patrol."





BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE

The Bloomfield Village Police Station is located at 3595 Bradway Blvd. in Bloomfield Village, MI. Bloomfield Village Police Officers may be contacted by calling the dispatch at 248-433-7755, or in an emergency, 911.

The Bloomfield Village Police Department is funded through a special assessment on Bloomfield Village residents. Village police officers are sworn law enforcement officers under authority of the Bloomfield Township Police Department.

The Bloomfield Village Police Department is a directed patrol unit of the Bloomfield Township Police Department. The Bloomfield Village Association contracts with Bloomfield Township Police to hire experienced Police Officers. These officers are then assigned to patrol areas within Bloomfield Village.

Bloomfield Village officers maintain an increased police presence within the village limits and their primary duty is to respond to calls for service from its residents.

Village officers assist Township officers when needed in other areas of Bloomfield Township.

Sgt. Steve Cook Bloomfield Village

Property Damage Traffic Crash	93
Personal Injury Traffic Crash	15
Alarm	201
Arrest	8
Assist Citizen	138
Medical Emergency	44
Attempt Home Invasion	О
Home Invasion	2
House Checks	4,665
Larceny/Theft/Fraud	II
Identity Theft	2
Miscellaneous	310
Malicious Destruction of Property	3
Lost/Found Property	2
School Checks	33
Suspicious Circumstances	73
Suspicious Person	28
Suspicious Vehicle	33
Traffic Violation	205
Traffic Warning	196

INVESTIGATIONS



The mission of the Investigations Division is to identify, target, arrest and successfully prosecute individuals involved in criminal activity as well as recover stolen property. The Investigations Division is managed by a lieutenant who oversees the investigations, assigns cases and handles day-to-day operations. There are five Detectives in the Investigations Division as well as two school related positions, School Liaison Officer (SLO) and the School Security Officer (SSO).

The Detectives establish and maintain liaisons with other law enforcement agencies, State and District Attorney's Offices as well as the local State and District courts. The Detectives participate in all forms of investigative activities including conducting surveillance, obtaining and serving arrest warrants, search warrants, probation, and parole searches. Detectives also monitor and verify compliance with registered sex offenders.

Detectives are carefully selected for the Investigations Division based on experience, work ethic, and the ability to conduct in-depth criminal investigations. They investigate complex and demanding cases, which could take months, sometimes years, to fully investigate. Our Detectives develop an advanced level of expertise by attending specialized training and working complex cases with colleagues at the local, state, and federal levels.

SPECIAL UNITS

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS UNIT

The Troy Special Investigations Unit (SIU) is a task force of police officers from Bloomfield Township, Troy, Auburn Hills, Royal Oak, and Birmingham. The SIU focuses on crimes committed within these communities and working closely with detectives from each department identifying suspects and assisting in solving cases.

Cases Investigated by Troy SIU include: -Larceny from Auto -Stolen Property -Home Invasions -Retail Frauds -Bank Robbery -Felonious Assaults -Larceny in Buildings -Terroristic Threats -Prescription Fraud -Parole Violations -Homicide -Narcotics -Breaking and Entering -Stolen Vehicles

NARCOTIC ENFORCEMENT TEAM

Since 2001, the Oakland County Sheriff's Office has led the Oakland County Narcotics Enforcement Team (N.E.T.) with a highly cooperative working relationship with several federal and local police departments. This year, the N.E.T. unit worked closely with the Drug Enforcement Agency (D.E.A.) to successfully disrupt and dismantle drug trafficking organizations.



	Surveillance	Arrests	Search Warrants
January	3	I	I
Feburary	2	3	2
March	2	3	2
April	9	3	I
May	5	6	2
June	3	5	3
July	8	2	I
August	5	16	4
September	6	5	2
October	2	8	2
November	2	6	3
December	3	2	5
Total	50	60	28

N.E.T. Drug Purchases/ Seizures	2022	
Grams of Heroin	799.08g/496g (Black Tar)	
Grams of Cocaine	13,908.57g	
Grams of Crack Cocaine	1307.03g	
Pounds of Marijuana	1671.29lb	
Units of Ecstasy	87 units	
Grams of Fentanyl	2740.78g	
Units of L.S.D.	1359 units	
Grams of Meth	3548.23g	
Grams of Psilocybin	21,391.73g	
Grams of MDMA	238.29g	
Prescription Drugs	2022	
Adderall	670.5 units	
Percocet	13 units	
Oxycodone	1777.5 units	
Xanax	163 units	
Promethazine	567790.80g	
Cash Seized	\$572,593.91	
Property Value Seized	\$1,144,004.60	

SPECIAL UNITS

Task Force Statistics	2022
Arrests	18
Convictions	32
Disruptions	8
Indictments	4
Judicial Complaints	9
Search Warrants	228
Sentencings	п
Weapons Recovered	21

Task force officers learn how to gather information and build cases.
In the course of their investigations, task force agents / officers
prepare various types of warrants, conduct surveillance, make arrests,
interview suspects and witnesses, and execute search warrants.
Occasionally, property and money may be seized and forfeited, as
allowed by law.

After completing their tour with the task force, our officers return to their patrol duties with experience and investigative insight that few in law enforcement will ever have. Further, they have discovered the enormous resources available to local law enforcement agencies like the Bloomfield Township Police Department, resources that can all be used to better serve and protect the community.



FBI VIOLENT CRIMES TASK FORCE

The task force investigates federal crimes that occur in, or originate from Oakland County. Some of these crimes include drug and firearms trafficking, bank robbery, other armed robberies, conspiracy, and harboring fugitives. The task force assists local agencies' investigations, especially hose involving missing / abducted children.



FBI IDENTITY THEFT & FRAUD TASK FORCE

Identity theft and fraud-related crimes are the fastest growing crimes in the United States. The primary reason is such crimes typically offer very high reward with very low risk. Given those conditions, even traditional gangs are becoming involved.

DISPATCH 16,300- 911 Calls 300- 911 Texts 42,390- Non-Emergency

Bloomfield Township's 911 Dispatch Center, also known as a Public Safety Access Point (PSAP), receives incoming emergency and nonemergency phone calls and dispatches the appropriate services to that location (police, fire, and EMS).

The center is equipped with the latest emergency telecommunications technology, including Enhanced 9-1-1 and Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD). Together, the location and phone number of a caller is displayed on a map, as well as fire and police assets. This assures the most efficient delivery of services.

Dispatch operates 24 hours a day and consists of 12 Dispatchers distributed over 4 shifts and 1 Dispatch Supervisor. All communications personnel receive extensive training related to emergency and non-emergency operations. Bloomfield Township dispatches Fire, Bloomfield Township Police, and Franklin Village Police

In addition to their duties, dispatchers also monitor the radio traffic of several agencies, including the Michigan State Police, Oakland County Sheriff, and area fire departments. Dispatchers also send and receive information through the Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN) and the National Crime Information Communications (NCIC) network.

25,883 CALLS FOR SERVICE DISPATCHED



RECORDS AND Property

The Records Division handles much more than just reports. In addition to processing Freedom of Information Act (F.O.I.A.) requests, the Records Division has several other responsibilities.

The Records Division also works closely with the Detective Bureau to ensure registered sex offenders are in compliance with the MI Sex Offender Registry.

Amongst all those duties, they also issue and record handgun registrations. In 2022, our department registered 919 handguns to residents.

467 FOIA REQUESTS

771 VIDEOS DUPLICATED

128 EMERGENCY 911 CALLS COPIED

334 DOG TAGS ISSUED

919 FIREARMS REGISTERED

The Records Unit is open 7:00 AM - 5:30 PM Monday through Thursday, except for legal holidays. Records is closed on Fridays.



Just a small section of the Bloomfield Township Evidence room

The Evidence/Property Clerk is required to follow state and federal statutes and strives to be in compliance with Michigan and National law enforcement practices in the evidence/property guidelines. Due to frequent changes in the laws, policies and procedures are updated in these practices frequently. It is the responsibility of the Evidence/Property Clerk to stay current on evolving trends in legal processes involving evidence and property.

1,416 PIECES OF PROPERTY PROCESSED IN 2022

NEW HIRES

No one is born a great police officer; they're trained. When we hire a new officer fresh from the police academy or a veteran from another department, they all go through the Field Training Officer Program (FTO). The 16week program consists of 12 very experienced officers tasked with training the department's next generation, each dedicated to mentoring and developing the new recruit to the department's standards.

How does one become a Bloomfield Township Police Officer? Firstly, all of our officers must possess a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university at the time of application. Then, the candidate must successfully graduate from a state certified police academy. After psychological and medical testing and being hired, a recruit officer's first two weeks of employment consist of in-house training. This training includes firearms, report writing, radio communications, policies and procedures, defensive tactics, and much more.

At the conclusion of this two-week training, new officers receive their badge and are sworn in by the Township Clerk. They are then assigned to a Primary FTO who will begin their rigorous and comprehensive 4-month field training program. Every day of this program, their performance is evaluated by their FTO and once a week, by a supervisor. Chances are this new officer has never faced such day-to-day scrutiny in their life.

The FTO program consists of four phases of training, each phase approximately four weeks long. The new officer will be required to work different shifts under the guidance of several FTO's.

Throughout the FTO program, the new officer will be tested frequently to assure mastery of core concepts.



Cody Denison #329



Thomas Box #333



Lucas Van Vlerah #335

NEW HIRES

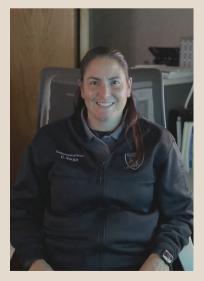


Bradley Beldo #336



Tyler Retford #337

DISPATCHERS



Chrisalynn Varga #330



Alyssa Pukey #331

ANIMAL WELFARE



Chris Baumann #336



Chief James Gallagher

James Gallagher was promoted to the rank of Chief of Police. Promoted: July 1, 2022

Sgt. Mike Buczek

Mike Buczek was promoted to the rank of Sergeant. Promoted: February 19, 2022.

Lt. Jason Murphy

Jason Murphy was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Promoted: January 8, 2022













Lt. John Weise

John Weise was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Promoted: April 2, 2022

Lt. Matt Hill

Matt Hill was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Promoted: June 25, 2022

Sgt. James Shoemaker

James Shoemaker was promoted to the rank of Sergeant. Promoted: June 25, 2022



RETIRED

Chief Phil Langmeyer 06/30/2022, Detective Todd Krumm 05/01/2022, Detective Dwayne Barker 01/04/2022, Lieutenant Paul Schwab 05/01/2022, Lieutenant Kurt Dudek 01/01/2022, Lieutenant Tim Abbo 07/07/2022, Sgt. Roger Hurd (Bloomfield Village) 04/26/2022, and Dispatcher James Crowe 01/04/2022 all retired in 2022. They were integral members of the Bloomfield Township Police Department and will be missed. We wish them all the best of luck in their retirement.



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