



# Council Update – Chief of Police

June 27, 2023

**Canine** – Training should commence this week and both Officer Shawver and Pia will be in full operations beginning July 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Vacant Police Officer Positions** – The department has two vacant positions. Steven Anderson has been selected to fill one of those positions and he will be sworn in on July 13<sup>th</sup>. He will begin Basic Peace Officer Training in August. The process is still on-going to fill the remaining open position.

**Detective Bureau** – The bureau has been busy the last two weeks. Detective Briley closed eight cases, presented two cases to the Grand Jury for indictment and submitted four cases to the Grand Jury Prosecutors for review for indictment. He investigated a case in which a juvenile was driving a stolen vehicle and he has been checking buy/sell trade sites for property that was reported stolen. He has also been working on identifying possible victims whose credit cards were recovered by officers.

Detective Byrd interviewed a juvenile driver out of an auto accident and has been working with a Cybercrime task force to help his forgery and identity theft cases. He completed three subpoenas for information to aid in theft investigations. Det. Byrd was called in to interview a suspect that was driving a stolen car and may possibly be involved in the carjacking of the same car. He is working with the victim to get a positive identification of the suspect.

We have seen an uptick of accidents lately, so please drive safely and be sure to buckle up!

**Events** – Saint Charles Cardinal Camp's "Law Enforcement Day" took place on June 22<sup>nd</sup> where campers were introduced to the police career field. The Bexley Police Department was joined by agencies from around central Ohio participating to include the Ohio State Highway Patrol's Aviation Unit and the Columbus Police Department's therapy dog.

BCPA Alumni members will be selling hotdogs, chips, and water at Jazz in the Park on Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup>.

Alumni members dedicated a plaque on Thursday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> in memory of Bart Reyes who graduated from the CPA in 2022).

Plans for July 4<sup>th</sup> celebrations are being finalized.

## Statistics:

Start Date	End Date	Calls for Service	Business Check	Total	Incident & Offense Reports	Arrest Reports	Crash Reports	Total	Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	Burglary/B&E	Robbery
1/1/2023	6/21/2023	8581	1450	10,031	416	170	105	691	102	22	35	3
1/1/2022	6/21/2022	5807	0	5,807	412	184	78	674	97	12	24	2
6/22/2022	6/21/2023	16066	2006	18,072	985	370	215	1,570	247	75	70	11
6/22/2021	6/21/2022	12513	3	12,516	1,021	450	214	1,685	301	31	73	5