

MIDLAND POLICE SERVICE
CHIEF'S February 2017
REPORT TO THE BOARD
Presented March 21st, 2017



During the month of February 2017, the Midland Police generated 534 incident reports in response to community needs. This is down from 564 incidents during the same time period in 2016. Incident reports generated to date for 2017 stand at 1098 as compared to 1210 for 2016.

Calls for Service **DO NOT** include:

- Traffic Stops, *Highway Traffic Act* charges or warnings issued
- RIDE Spot-check hours or vehicles stopped in RIDE
- Community Service events, meetings, school visits, drop in visits, or lectures
- Foot Patrol in high visibility areas
- Pedestrian interactions
- Parking tickets issued
- **Some** miscellaneous provincial statute charges

Feb 2017	Monthly						Year to Date					
	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Calls for Service	534	564	550	577	486	604	1098	1210	1152	1269	996	1261
Criminal Code	23	99	34	77	48	71	127	181	108	170	120	120
Highway Traffic Act	237	236	159	89	189	140	443	509	335	168	361	285
Liquor Licence Act	17	8	5	6	4	15	27	13	17	11	12	25
Misc Provincial Statutes	5	7	6	1	5	3	7	14	14	10	10	6
Municipal By-Law	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	2	0	1	2
Feb 2017												
	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012						
Theft Under \$5,000	9	20	19	9	23	27						
Theft Over \$5,000	0	0	0	0	0	0						
Mischief	3	7	3	6	6	7						
Break and Enter	1	3	0	3	4	6						
Fraud	6	1	1	5	5	4						
Robbery	0	0	0	1	0	0						
Assault	2	7	1	1	5	6						
Assault (weapon/bodily harm)	0	0	0	1	0	2						
Sexual Assault	0	0	0	0	0	0						
Criminal Harassment/Threats	4/1	7/7	2/1	0/3	0/1	3/6						
Motor Vehicle Collisions	61	39	48	67	43	42						

CRIMINAL OFFENCES

Theft Under \$5,000

There were (9) thefts reported to the Midland Police Service in the month of February. All of them are currently under investigation.

There is a (55%) reduction in thefts over this month last year.

Mischief

There were (3) mischief occurrences reported to the Service this month. (1) was cleared by investigation or charge. The balance are under investigation.

Clearance rate (33%)

There is a (42%) reduction in mischief over this month last year

Break and Enter

A total of (1) break and enter was reported to the service in February. This matter is under investigation by the service.

There is a (66%) reduction in Break and Enters over this month last year

Fraud

(6) frauds were reported to the service in February. (1) was cleared by investigation or charge and the balance are under investigation.

Clearance rate (16%)

Assault

There were (2) assaults reported to the service in the month of February. Both were cleared by discretion /diversion.

Clearance rate (100%)

There is a (72%) reduction in assaults over this month last year

Criminal Harassment/Threats

There were (4) harassment complaints in the month of February. (1) was cleared through investigation or charge and (4) were cleared by discretion/diversion.

Clearance rate (100%)

A total of (1) threatening case was reported to the Midland Police Service during the month of February. The service cleared it by discretion/diversion.

Clearance rate (100%)

Discretion/Diversions/Alternative Measures – YCJA/Other:

There were (6) criminal matters discretion/diverted/alternative measures in the month of February.

VCARS Referrals:

There were (2) referrals to the Victim Crisis and Referral Service in the month of February.

RIDE/Foot Patrol:

During the month of February, Midland officers conducted a total of (42) hours of RIDE. A total of (630) vehicles were stopped by Midland officers this month. A total of (5) traffic cautions were issued. No impaired drivers were detected by officers.

In addition, a total of (60) hours of foot patrol was conducted in our high visibility locations, including the downtown area, Rotary Trail, NSSRC and others.

Drug Charges

There were (1) drug charge laid this month by our investigators. (1) person was charged.

Impaired Driving

There were (3) drinking and driving related charges laid this month with (1) person being arrested

Mutual Aid between MPS and OPP

MPS to OPP: (0) hours
OPP to MPS: (0) hours

Auxiliary Hours

(77) hours were dedicated by auxiliary officers to patrol and events

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

High Schools

Total Hours at Schools (15.5) hrs.

Elementary Schools

Total Hours at Schools (4.5) hrs (follow up and drop in visits)

Meetings/Committees

Waypoint – Client Team Meeting, Situation Table, Safe and Sober Committee,

Drop in visits

Guesthouse, Midland Public Library, Community Living, Salvation Army Outreach,

Training

(2) Weeks OPC – CSO Paul attended the Ontario Police College to take the Major Case Management course. This course prepares investigators with the skills required to manage major cases such as homicides, etc.

Freedom of Information Requests

There was (1) Freedom of Information request for general information. It has been completed.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael C. Osborne". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent 'M' and 'O'.

Michael C. Osborne
Chief of Police