



# BERLIN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## **MAY 2011 MONTHLY REPORT**

The month of May included 2,415 service calls. The most frequent calls for service are building checks (585), motor vehicle stops (607), ambulance calls (77) and alarms (117).

During May, officers investigated and reported on several incidents. Some of the incidents that were investigated are called index crimes.

Index crimes include murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny and motor vehicle theft. Arson also is included, but is not considered an index crime.

	<b>May 2011</b>	<b>YTD 2011</b>	<b>May 2010</b>	<b>YTD 2010</b>
Murder	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	2	1	4
Robbery	0	1	0	0
Agg. Assault	0	0	0	1
Burglary	3	27	3	17
Larceny	11	63	27	91
M.V. Theft	1	3	1	7
Arson	0	0	0	1
Adult Criminal Arrests for <u>all</u> types of Criminal Offenses	47	214	28	154

Traffic related incidents are motor vehicle stops, motor vehicle accidents and motor vehicle incidents (typically private property/parking lot mishaps).

	<b>May 2011</b>	<b>YTD 2011</b>	<b>May 2010</b>	<b>YTD 2010</b>
MV Accident	48	258	50	224
MV Incident	15	95	20	88
MV Stops	607	2177	770	2936
DUI Arrests	15	56	9	50
MV Arrests (Inf/Misd)	274	823	464	1574
MV Warnings	229	965	215	1154

### **Motor Vehicle Accidents**

Most crashes occurred on a Tuesday (8), followed by (7) on Friday. The location where most crashes occurred was on the Berlin Turnpike (8) followed by (5) on Rt. 372. The intersection with the most crashes for the month was Middletown Road at the Berlin Turnpike with two (2). The top two causative crash factors were Following Too Closely (11) and Traveling Too Fast for Conditions (6). There were four (4) DUI related crashes last month.

64% of all crashes (25) were cleared with infractions. Written warnings were issued nine (9) times (23%), no verbal warnings were given, and no enforcement action was given five times (13%).

### **Community Relations**

Throughout the year, members of the Berlin Police Department participate in community relation projects. For this month, the list of projects is shown.

- 5/10/11 Boy Scouts of America – Cub Scout Tour of HQ Ofc. Barolomeo
- 5/12-13/11 Mooreland Hill School Outdoor Education & Lt. Gosselin  
Leadership Program – Bantam Lake, CT
- 5/14/11 Make-A-Wish Foundation: Walk for Wishes Sgt. Hodolitz  
Police Parade. BHS UpBeat Team and Officers Lt. Gosselin  
Ofc. D. Manning  
Ofc. Krzykowski
- 5/18/11 BHS Career Fair Presentation: Law Det. Dumais  
Enforcement Careers SRO Germain  
Ofc. Canto
- 5/26/11 UpBeat Picnic: K9 Demo/Rollover Simulator/ Ofc. Krzykowski  
Grill Cooks Ofc. Bartolomeo  
Chief Fitzgerald  
D/Chief Klett