BERLIN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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MONTHLY REPORT

The month of October included 2,123 service calls. The most frequent calls for service are building checks (492), motor vehicle stops (394), ambulance calls (102) and alarms (116).

During October, 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.

	Oct. 2011	**YTD 2011**	**Oct. 2010**	**YTD 2010**
Murder	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	1	0	2
Robbery	0	4	0	1
Agg. Assault	1	4	3	7
Burglary	4	71	9	56
Larceny	25	198	24	216
M.V. Theft	1	9	2	10
Arson	0	0	0	2
Adult Criminal Arrests for all types of Criminal Offenses	40	388	48	395

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

	Oct. 2011	**YTD 2011**	**Oct. 2010**	**YTD 2010**
MV Accident	63	467	64	449
MV Incident	16	156	15	156
MV Stops	392	4377	437	5579
DUI Arrests	6	110	12	110
MV Arrests (Inf/Misd)	152	1770	164	2422
MV Warnings	212	1971	209	2212

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Motor Vehicle Accidents

Most crashes occurred on a Monday (12), followed by (10) on Saturday. The location where most crashes occurred were on the Berlin Turnpike (24) followed by (7) on Rt. 372. The intersection with the most crashes for the month was the Berlin Turnpike at Orchard Road with three (3). The top two causative crash factors were Following Too Closely (24) and Traveline Too Fast for Conditions (7).

58% of all crashes (34) were cleared with infractions. Written warnings were issued thirteen (13) times (22%), there were three verbal warnings given (5%), and no enforcement action was given seven times (12%).

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.

➢ 10/03/11	Stony Mill Condominium Assoc. Public Safety Presentation. 30 residents to hear topics on Neighborhood Watch, Special Needs Registry and Key Keeper Program	Ofc. Burns Ofc. Cruickshank
➢ 10/06/11	Safety Seat Installation & Inst. For Berlin resident	Ofc. Canto
➢ 10/13/11	Northwest Catholic H.S. senior class speaking engagement On American Law as it applies to everyday daily lives.	Sgt. Tralli
➢ 10/22/11	Sunmeadow Dive Block Watch Party	Ofc. Burns
➢ 10/15/11	7th Annual Scarecrow & Fall Festival: Scarecrow judging. Sponsored by Parks and Recreation at Volunteers Park	Sgt. Hodolitz
➢ 10/29/11	DEA Prescription Drug Take-back Initiative. 126.2 lbs Of unwanted drugs collected	Lt. Gosselin Sgt. Hodolitz Ofc. D. Manning Ofc. Hertzler