

## MONTHLY POLICE REPORT

May 2024

### ARREST AND SUMMONS:

Adult males	18	Juvenile males	2	Total	25
Adult females	5	Juvenile females	0		

### OFFENSES:

Abuse Prevention Order Violation	2
Armed Assault to Murder	1
Assault and Battery	1
Assault and Battery w/ Dangerous Weapon, Serious bodily injury	2
Improper Operation of MV	1
Leave Scene Property Damage Accident	1
Negligent Operation of Motor Vehicle	2
Number Plate Violation to Conceal ID	2
Open and Gross Leewdness	1
Operate MV with a Suspended License	4
OUI-Drugs	1
Possess Class A Drug	3
Possess Class B Drug	2
Possess Class E Drug	2
Possess to Distribute Class A Drug	1
Possess Unlawful Fireworks	1
Uninsured MV	4
Unlicensed Operation of a MV	3
Unregistered Motor Vehicle	4
Utter False Prescription	2
Warrant	4

**TOTAL** **44**

**TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVESTIGATED:**

Total Accidents	24
Personal Injury	3
Property Damage Over \$1000	14
Property Damage Under \$1,000	7
Persons Injured	5
Pedestrians Injured	0
Persons killed	0
Bicyclist Injured	0

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

Complaints Investigated	1835
Motor Vehicle Citations Issued	172
Parking Tickets Issued	3
Bank/Burglar Alarms	25
Mental Health/Section 12	9
Medical Calls	219
Vandalism	8
Funeral Service	1
Motor Vehicle Lockouts	12
Unattended Deaths	0
Overdoses	0
PC Male	3
PC Female	2

**PATROL:**

12,410 miles using approximately and 951 gallons of gasoline.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

The police department received 1835 calls for service from 05/01/24 – 05/31/24. 20 Adults and Juveniles were either arrested or summoned into court for various charges to include: Armed Assault to Murder, Assault & Battery with a Dangerous Weapon Causing Serious Bodily Injury, Leave Scene of a Property Damage Accident, Open and Gross Lewdness, Operating Under the Influence of Drugs, Possess to Distribute Class A Drug and Possession of Unlawful Fireworks.. There were twenty four (24) Motor Vehicle Accidents investigated, 3 of the accidents resulted in personal injury. 9 People were taken to the hospital for a Mental Health Evaluation. Officers responded to complaints that resulted in 47 Incident Reports being created for various crimes.

- Several Officers attended annual First Responder and CPR training.
- Chief Labrie, Fire Chief Dave White, and Jim Budzyna attended a meeting hosted by All-Comm to discuss the RFP for a town wide radio system upgrade.
- Officer Jeffrey Mayer graduated from the Boylston Police Academy after 24 weeks of training. The academy is under the direction of the Municipal Police Training Committee. Officer Mayer will complete 12 weeks of Field Training under Field Training Officer (FTO) Jordan Tredeau. Officer Mayer fills the 19th position in the department that currently has 20 funded positions including the Chief of Police.
- Student Officer Christopher Dutting started the Holyoke Police Academy that is also under the direction of the Municipal Police Training Committee. Officer Dutting will also complete 24 weeks of training and an additional 12 weeks of field training upon completion of the academy. Officer Dutting will fill the 20th funded position.
- Officers Sean McDevitt and Benjamin O'Donnell working their 4p-12a shift on Friday May 3, 2024, were the first responding officers to a stabbing with multiple victims. One of the victims succumbed to his injuries and the other survived. Their response along with the response of Lt. John Ouillette, Det. Sgt. Rick Goman, officers from surrounding towns, additional patrol officers from NPD, and the Massachusetts State Police led to the swift arrest of a juvenile male subject for the murder of 20-year-old male subject. It should be noted that Officers McDevitt (3 years of service) and O'Donnell (3 years of service) remained calm, professional, and did all the right things during this very chaotic scene.
- Chief Labrie attended the Board of Selectman meeting and fielded questions concerning the proposed "Beer Garden" inside the Shaw's Plaza.
- Chief Labrie attended the Annual Town Meeting.
- Officer Levon DerKosrobian attended the Massachusetts Municipal Cybersecurity Summit at the DCU Center in Worcester.

- Chief Labrie attended a “Tech-Review” meeting hosted by Town Planner Gary Bechtoldt to discuss the future renovations of the DCF building on Church St.
- Officers assigned to the Motor Unit participated in a funeral procession.
- Sgt. Patrinelli met with Lori Hout to discuss the grant budget that will be submitted to the MA Department of Mental Health. This grant funds the advocate/social worker of our “Co-Response” clinician.
- Officers under the direction of SRO Tom DeJordy assisted NES with a lockdown drill.
- Officers of the Motor Unit assisted with the “Patriot Ride”, a funeral procession for WWII veteran from Worcester that passed away at the age of 100.
- Lt. Ouillette and Det. Sgt. Gorman met with the State Police Detective Unit assigned to District Attorney Joe Early’s office to discuss the recent murder investigation.
- Lt. Ouillette completed the Northbridge Police Department Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP) that is required by the State 911 Department.
- Officers of the Motor Unit participated in the funeral procession for Thomas P. Koopman, lifelong resident of Northbridge, age 90, Korean War Veteran.
- Officers assisted with the Annual Memorial Day Parade.
- Chief Labrie attended the sentencing of John E. Hilditch, the suspect involved in violent struggle with several members of the Northbridge Police Department. Mr. Hilditch was sentenced to 4-7 years in State Prison

TO: Chief of Police, Timothy Labrie  
FROM: Animal Control Officer Daniel A Chauvin  
SUBJECT: May 2024 Animal Control Report

dogs astray.....5  
dogs picked up.....1  
dogs returned.....1  
dogs held.....0  
dog complaints.....6  
dogs adopted out.....0  
dog vs. auto.....0  
dog bites/attacks.....3  
dog bite follow-ups.....8  
dogs missing.....0  
cat complaints.....0  
cats missing.....3  
cats found.....1  
cats returned.....1  
cat vs. auto.....0  
wildlife injured.....7  
wildlife complaints.....10  
wildlife removal.....0  
wildlife vs. auto.....3  
livestock complaints.....1  
cruelty/neglect.....2  
medical transport.....0  
emergency euthanasia.....0  
scheduled euthanasia.....0  
rabies submissions/results.....0  
court/hearings.....0  
misc./informational.....9

**TOTAL: 61**

**To:** Mr. Adam Gaudette  
**From:** Timothy Labrie  
**Subject:** May Monthly Report  
**Date:** June 12, 2024

I am respectfully submitting the May Monthly Report. The Northbridge Police Department answered 1835 calls for service and arrested or summoned 25 individuals for various criminal offenses. The police department investigated 24 motor vehicle accidents during the month of May.

The Animal Control Officer, Daniel Chauvin responded to 61 calls for service involving both domestic and wildlife animals.

A complete breakdown of all activities are included in this report.

Respectfully,

Timothy Labrie  
Chief of Police