West Manchester Township

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Police Chief's Report for August 2025

August 28th, 2025

Dear Board of Supervisors, Manager and staff,

For the month of July, the officers handled 529 incidents as well as 69 vehicle crashes. Officers conducted over 281 traffic stops and issued 124 traffic citations. The department made 11 felony arrests, 26 misdemeanor arrests, 18 summary non-traffic arrests and 7 juvenile petitions were filed.

The 2025 Greater York State Fair started on July 18th and ended on July 27th. The event was staffed by officers from our agency, the York County Sheriffs Office, York County Probation, PA State Police, West York Borough Police, and the York Fair Police. Please see the report completed by Lt. Hanuska. He did an outstanding job as well as Lt. Emig as incident commander during the event. As we have done previously, we staffed the event heavily with officers to deter behavior that is criminal. Despite staffing the event heavily, we will encountered individuals with knives, firearms, drugs, and conflicts with patrons. We investigated 97 incidents during the week as well as the countless positive interactions with citizens that occur there. We make it a priority to interact with Fair patrons and create positive and productive relationships with the community.

Officer Mitchell Deutsch has completed his probationary period on patrol and I recommended that he be taken off of probationary status and retained as a permanent member of the department. Officer Deutsch has performed to a high level and he will be an asset to the department and a vital part of the organization.

I attended an event with Senator McCormick at the York County Emergency Center. The event was created to thank first responders who were involved in the UPMC incident and all the people that contributed during the incident. There was a nice turnout and Andrew Duarte's parents were present as well.

Training:

06/30-07/02 Ofc. Laron Woody

06/30-7/02 Ofc. Jordan Johnson

07/07-07/19 Ofc. Derek Snyder

07/21-7/22 Ofc. Jordan Johnson

NASRO- Crime Prevention

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ILEE- Advanced Collison Investigation

ALERRT-Solo Officer Rapid Response

Respectfully Submitted,

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West Manchester Township Police Department West Manchester Township Statistics JULY 2025

	Quantity
Part I &II Offenses	104
Incidents (excluding crashes)	425
TOTAL	529
Felony Arrests	11
Misdemeanor Arrests	26
Juvenile Arrests	7
Summary Arrests	18
Traffic Citations	124
Warning / PT-10's	157
Parking Tickets	2
Reportable Crashes	23
Non-Reportable Crashes	46
TOTAL CRASHES	69
Injury Crashes	12
Total Injuries	17

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CI Division Report for August 2025 Board Meeting 7/17/2025 through 8/21/2025

Since July 17, 2025, WMTPD Criminal Investigations has taken on 12 new case assignments: 1 PICS case, 3 ChildLine Referral cases for physical or sexual abuse of a child or general child endangerment, 2 investigations into alleged elder abuse/exploitation, a stalking case, 4 theft/fraud cases including the placement of a card skimmer at a Township business, and a Corruption of Minor case stemming from a convicted child predator from out of state meeting with a minor at a Township park.

During the same time frame, our office has formally closed out 6 cases: the PICS case listed above, the alleged stalking case listed above, an investigation into the possession of child sexual abuse material (originating in July 2024), 1 of the 2 elder abuse/exploitation cases listed above, a reported sexual assault of a child (one of the ChildLine Referrals listed above), and the case pertaining to the child predator from Maryland/Delaware. **NOTE:** although that case did result in an arrest and the subject remains incarcerated on charges related to his flight, the matter specific to his contact with the minor child remains under investigation to determine if additional criminal charges are warranted.

In addition to the above, this Detective Sergeant coordinated with the PA State Police Megan's Law Unit on a community notification for a Sexually Violent Predator listing a hotel in the Township as his "home" address.

Respectfully Submitted,

Det Sgt Sean J. Conway