

West Manchester Township

Police Department



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Police Chief's Report for September 2021

September 23rd, 2021

Dear Board of Supervisors, Manager and staff,

For the month of July, the officers handled 347 incidents as well as 53 vehicle crashes. Officers conducted over 525 traffic stops and issues 273 traffic citations. Officers out on injury are still causing staffing issues with shortages, but the openings are being staffed properly. We have managed to maintain a full complement of officers on the street and detectives conducting investigations.

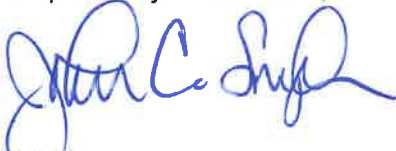
I attended an event for One York last month where several York County Chiefs and York Clergy members hosted a forum on gun violence in York County. The event was a success despite the weather being a challenge. We had a great group of speakers and attendees who spoke about how to address the gun violence problem in York. The topics included prevalence of firearms in possession of juveniles, juvenile gun crime, losing children to gun violence, the costs of silence of witnesses and victims and a program for surveillance cameras in and around high crime areas.

The department's crime scene response vehicle has been completed and outfitted and is ready for deployment. The department was in need of this type of equipment for a long time and we are very lucky to have this at our disposal. The new van with our reconstruction equipment and crime scene processing equipment will be a great asset moving forward for the patrol and detective division. Lt. Emig, Sergeant Lance Krout and Office David Keller were the primary officers responsible for the success of this process. The report includes photos of the inside of the van and the equipment which is protected by steel shelving and organizers. The van includes the department Digital Scanning equipment and all our forensic related materials and crime scene equipment.

Training for the month of August

Officer Mills	8/17 Shoe, foot, and tire marks
Officer Mills	8/23-24 Crime Scene Photography
Sgt. Conway	8/23-27 Polygraph Senior Examiner
Officer Martz	8/24 Decoding Alibis
Officer Martz	8/25-26 Smugglers Inc.
Officer Eric Rush	8/25-26 Smugglers Inc.

Respectfully Submitted,



Chief John C. Snyder

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 West Manchester Township Statistics
 August 2021

	Quantity
Part I & II Offenses	91
Incidents (excluding crashes)	256
TOTAL	347
Felony Arrests	9
Misdemeanor Arrests	27
Juvenile Arrests	5
Summary Arrests	21
Traffic Citations	273
Warning / PT-10's	252
Parking Tickets	0
Reportable Crashes	17
Non-Reportable Crashes	36
TOTAL CRASHES	53
Injury Crashes	6
Total Injuries	7

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CI Division Report for September 2021 Board Meeting

8/18/2021 through 9/16/2021

Since August 18, 2021 WMTPD Criminal Investigations has taken on 8 new case assignments: 2 PICS cases, 2 reports for the passing of counterfeit currency (\$100 bills), a theft of electronics from a product distribution facility, 2 fraud/theft reports involving home improvement/home construction, and a domestic related assault.

During the same time frame, our office has formally closed out 7 investigations: 3 PICS cases, a rape that was reported in June, 2 fraud/theft by deception cases, and a drug overdose death investigation.

In addition to these case assignments, our office is assisting Sgt. Lance Krout and the ATF with the investigation of a series of multi-million dollar arsons in the same product distribution facility mentioned above.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "S. Conway". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial 'S'.

Det Sgt Sean J. Conway







