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**TO:** The Honorable Mayor and Council Members  
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**SUBJECT:** Police Report for the Month of September 2017

Below you will find the year to date comparison based on all incidents reported as of September 30, 2017.

Crime Classification	2017	2016
Kidnap	1	3
Rape	7	5
Robbery	1	1
Assault/Aggravated	4	1
Burglary	13	19
Theft	47	78
Theft/Auto	4	4
All Other	6	2
<b>Total Part I Offenses</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>113</b>

Crime Classification	2017	2016
Other Assaults	34	51
Rec. Stolen Property	3	0
Criminal Mischief	28	42
Weapons	1	2
Other Sex Offenses	1	5
Alcohol	0	1
Drugs	15	7
Noise/Disorderly Premise	11	8
Trespass	16	24
Disorderly Conduct	10	4
Other	508	422
<b>Total Part II Offenses</b>	<b>627</b>	<b>566</b>

Police Report for the Month of September 2017 (continuation)

Crime Classification	2017	2016
Alarm	48	39
Animal Control	12	9
Recovered Property	10	23
Service	350	419
Suspicious Vehicle	65	57
Total Part III Offenses	485	547
Summary of All Crime Categories	1,195	1,226

**Significant Events for September**

The City of Delaware City was just named the 7<sup>th</sup> safest city in the state of Delaware. Delaware City was named in a report released under “The SafeWise Report” which produces this report in the month of September each year.

To quote a statement in the report, “Representing the best of Delaware, every city on this year’s list also made the cut last year – which is a good indication that community leaders, law enforcement officers and residents remain vigilant about safety.”

Lieutenant Kerr and I attended and completed two days of De-escalation training. This course was a train the trainer course.

The Delaware City Police Department was awarded \$12, 460.68 in a grant from the state. This is from the Fund to Combat Violent Crimes. The funds will be used towards overtime and some resources dedicated to focus on certain crimes as identified by state statute to address drug and violent crimes incidents.