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**December 17, 2018**

**TO:** The Honorable, Stanley E. Green, Mayor  
 The Honorable, Robert Malinowski, Vice Mayor  
 The Honorable Betty Barrett, Council Member  
 The Honorable Beth Konkus, Council Member  
 The Honorable Chase Renoll, Council Member  
 The Honorable Megan Titus, Council Member  
 Carol S. Houck, City Manager

**FROM:** David L. Baylor  
 Chief of Police

**SUBJECT:** Police Report for November 2018

Below you will find the year to date comparison based on all incidents reported as of November 30, 2018.

Crime Classification	2018	2017
Kidnap	1	2
Rape	4	8
Robbery	0	1
Assault/Aggravated	6	7
Burglary	4	13
Theft	27	50
Theft/Auto	0	4
All Other	0	7
<b>Total Part I Offenses</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>92</b>

Crime Classification	2018	2017
Other Assaults	47	44
Rec. Stolen Property	0	3
Criminal Mischief	23	31
Weapons	0	5
Other Sex Offenses	2	2
Alcohol	1	0
Drugs	12	17
Noise/Disorderly Premise	6	13
Trespass	9	18
Disorderly Conduct	8	11
Other	505	614
<b>Total Part II Offenses</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>758</b>

**Police Report for the Month of November 2018 (continuation)**

Crime Classification	2018	2017
Alarm	43	58
Animal Control	11	15
Recovered Property	11	15
Service	340	418
Suspicious Vehicle	47	86
<b>Total Part III Offenses</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>592</b>
<b>Summary of All Crime Categories</b>	<b>1107</b>	<b>1442</b>

**Note:** The total numbers reflected in the 2017 column are for the entire calendar year of 2017. The total numbers reflected in the 2018 are year to date numbers as of the month this police report has been prepared for.

Month	Traffic Citations Issued
January	13
February	22
March	13
April	29
May	30
June	7
July	10
August	20
September	15
October	26
November	24
<b>Year To Date Totals</b>	<b>209</b>
Month	Traffic Warnings Issued
January	8
February	12
March	11
April	16
May	10
June	3
July	4
August	5
September	0
October	11
November	28
<b>Year To Date Totals</b>	<b>108</b>

**Crime Information:**

- The DCPD investigated a theft of lights from the African Union Church Cemetery sometime between October 29<sup>th</sup> and November 2<sup>nd</sup> this year. Our investigation led to the arrest of Harry W. Stouffer, 74, of the Delaware City Mobile Home Park. He was charged theft and criminal mischief in connection with the incident.
- On November 28<sup>th</sup>, the DCPD investigated a fraud that occurred sometime between November 26<sup>th</sup> and November 28<sup>th</sup>. That investigation revealed that an individual, identifying himself as a computer repairman, befriended the elderly victim via the telephone. That business friendship led to the repairman gaining computer access to the victim's bank accounts. It also led the victim obtaining various gift cards and giving that information to the repairman. The case is still under investigation.

**Announcements**

- DCPD urges all citizens to be careful and not to allow individuals access to your bank accounts or to provide any individual that you do not know any personal information about yourself online or via the telephone. There are multiple scams currently active in the area.
- DCPD reminds all residents to lock their cars when not in use. Several neighborhoods in the Bear and New Castle areas have seen an increase in thefts from vehicles.
- The Delaware City Christmas Parade has been rescheduled and will be this Saturday, December 22, 2018.