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The Honorable Mayor Dan Devine
and Members of the Common Council
7525 W. Greenfield Avenue
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Dear Mayor Devine and Common Council Members:

Pursuant to the Traffic Violation and Accident Investigation and Reporting policy, the Safety & Training Coordinator is required to report to the Common Council all traffic violations and accidents. Said report is to include, but not be limited to, the following:

1. Accident date.
2. Department/Division/Office affected.
3. A summary of the incident.
4. Action taken by the Department Head.

Attached are the quarterly reports for Public Works, Police, and Fire which cover the periods April 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018 and July 1, 2018 through September 30, 2018.

If you have any questions or desire further information, please feel free to contact Linda Huske or me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rebecca N. Grill".

Rebecca N. Grill
City Administrator

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cc: Mayor Devine
All Alderpersons
Public Works, Police, Fire Dept. Heads
Linda Huske

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2018 – 2nd QUARTER COLLISION REPORT



Police Department

April 1, 2018 – June 30, 2018

DATE and TIME	VEHICLE TYPE	CRASH SYNOPSIS	FINDING	EMPLOYEE HISTORY Previous Accidents and Years of Service
<p>#1 Friday 05-11-18</p>	<p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #11</p> <p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #68</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-017266</p> <p>Brookfield PD Accident / Document #GCL0JKHWTH</p> <p>Officers were involved in an authorized pursuit and executed a Pursuit Intervention Technique on the off ramp from w/b I94 to n/b on W. Moorland Rd. After spinning out, the suspect vehicle then struck two squads while trying to flee again. The squads successfully stopped the offender from fleeing again and the party was taken into custody.</p> <p>Squad Damage Estimate: #11 - \$2,320.15 #68 - \$934.77</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Info Sent to City Attorney's Office and DA's Office for Restitution</p>	<p>Authorized Pursuit Intervention Technique</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>Not at Fault – No Action</p>	<p>12-22-16 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>6 Years of Service</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>06-06-16 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>12-22-16 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>5 Years of Service</p>
<p>#2 Wednesday 06-13-18</p>	<p>Police Department Undercover Vehicle 2011 InfinitiG37x</p>	<p>Franklin PD Call #18-013953</p> <p>Undercover vehicle was legally parked in a driveway in the 10800 block of W. Oakwood Road in Franklin, WI when it was struck by another vehicle in the driveway.</p>	<p>Pending</p>	<p>04-05-99 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>01-13-00 At Fault Written Reprimand</p> <p>02-16-00 – Not at Fault No action</p> <p>09-20-00 – At Fault Suspension</p>

		<p>Squad Damage: \$1513.20</p> <p>Injuries: None</p>		<p>12-23-08 – At Fault Written Warning</p> <p>07-09-14 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>12-28-14 – At Fault No Action</p> <p>20 Years of Service</p>
<p>#3 Thursday 06-14-18</p>	<p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #67</p> <p>Chevrolet Impala Squad #1</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-022767</p> <p>Officer was maneuvering in the police garage and came in contact with a parked vehicle causing minor scratches to both vehicles.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Damage: Will not repair</p>	<p>At Fault – Verbal Warning</p>	<p>12-22-17 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>05-11-18 – Authorized PIT</p> <p>6 Years of Service</p>
<p>#4 Monday 06-25-18</p>	<p>Police Department Unmarked Ford Interceptor Sedan Squad #9</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-024540</p> <p>Officer was responding to a robbery in the 10900 block of W. National Avenue when he struck a decorative landscaping rock while maneuvering through the parking lot. Damage was caused to the driver side molding below the doors.</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Damage: \$184.85</p>	<p>At Fault – No Action</p>	<p>02-14-06 – At Fault Verbal Warning</p> <p>01-18-12 – At Fault No Action</p> <p>15 Years of Service</p>



2018 – 3rd QUARTER COLLISION REPORT



Police Department

July 1 – September 30, 2018

DATE and TIME	VEHICLE TYPE	CRASH SYNOPSIS	FINDING	EMPLOYEE HISTORY Previous Accidents and Years of Service
<p>#1 Sunday 07-29-18</p>	<p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #27</p> <p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #66</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-030376</p> <p>Officer was backing in a parking stall in the police garage and struck another vehicle.</p> <p>Squad Damage Estimate: #27 – Minor – Will not repair #66 - None</p> <p>Injuries: None</p>	<p>At Fault – Verbal Warning</p>	<p>No Prior Accidents</p> <p>7 months of Service</p>
<p>#2 Tuesday 07-31-18</p>	<p>Police Department Chevrolet Impala Squad #6</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-030637</p> <p>Officer was n/b on S. 68 Street at W. Burnham Street. A vehicle that was w/b on W. Burnham Street approaching S. 68 Street failed to stop for the w/b stop sign. The two vehicles collided.</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$2589.97 (Received full restitution from Progressive Insurance)</p> <p>Injuries: None</p>	<p>Not at Fault – No Action</p>	<p>02-12-11 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>13 Years of Service</p>
<p>#3 Monday 08-07-18</p>	<p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #63</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-031908</p> <p>Officer engaged in a vehicle pursuit where stop sticks were successfully deployed. As the vehicle turned from w/b on Becher to s/b on 74th Street, the vehicle struck the curb and came off the curb</p>	<p>Attempting Authorized Pursuit Intervention Technique - No Action</p>	<p>07-31-98 – At fault Written Reprimand</p> <p>10-10-00 – At fault No Action</p> <p>05-12-02 – Not at fault No Action</p> <p>04-19-03- Not at fault No Action</p>

		<p>hitting the push bars of the squad as it was positioning for a PIT.</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$312.00</p> <p>Injuries: None</p> <p>Requested Restitution through the DA's office.</p>		<p>04-03-15 – At fault No Action</p> <p>07-26-15 – Not at fault No Action</p> <p>01-08-17 – At fault Verbal Warning</p> <p>03-23-18 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>23 Years of Service</p>
<p>#4 Monday 08-27-18</p>	<p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #63</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-035377</p> <p>MPD Call #182390230</p> <p>Officer was engaged in a vehicle pursuit that came to an end in the mud and grass at the end of an alley behind 3939 S. 60 Street in Milwaukee. The officer was unable to stop and slid on mud and grass into the fleeing vehicle.</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$4,445.90</p> <p>Injuries: None</p>	<p>At Fault – No Action</p>	<p>07-31-98 – At fault Written Reprimand</p> <p>10-10-00 – At fault No Action</p> <p>05-12-02 – Not at fault No Action</p> <p>04-19-03- Not at fault No Action</p> <p>04-03-15 – At fault No Action</p> <p>07-26-15 – Not at fault No Action</p> <p>01-08-17 – At fault Verbal Warning</p> <p>03-23-18 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>08-07-18 – Authorized P.I.T. – No Action</p> <p>23 Years of Service</p>
<p>#5 Tuesday 08-28-18</p>	<p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #2</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-035530</p> <p>Officer was e/b in the 7700 block of W. Becher Street when a vehicle exited the alley n/b and attempted to turn w/b on W. Becher Street striking the passenger side of the squad. The</p>	<p>Not at Fault – No Action</p>	<p>No prior accidents</p> <p>9 months of Service</p>

		<p>offender fled but was later located by another officer.</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$14,396.73 (Don's) \$12,165.18 (CVMIC)</p> <p>Injuries: Neck and Knee pain – Evaluated at Aurora West Allis.</p> <p>(TOT CVMIC) Info sent to ACA Cerwin.</p>		
<p>#6 Wednesday 09-08-18</p>	<p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #2</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-037253</p> <p>MPD Call # 18037254</p> <p>Officer was involved in a motor vehicle pursuit which came to stop near 35/Wisconsin after a successful PIT maneuver. The offender fled on foot. The officer began a foot pursuit but did not have his vehicle in park. The offender's vehicle was also not put in park. The squad and the offending vehicle rolled into one another causing damage to most of the driver's side of the squad.</p> <p>Squad Damage: \$4618.49</p> <p>Injuries: None</p>	<p>At Fault - Counseling</p>	<p>07-31-98 – At fault Written Reprimand</p> <p>10-10-00 – At fault No Action</p> <p>05-12-02 – Not at fault No Action</p> <p>04-19-03- Not at fault No Action</p> <p>04-03-15 – At fault No Action</p> <p>07-26-15 – Not at fault No Action</p> <p>01-08-17 – At fault Verbal Warning</p> <p>03-23-18 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>08-07-18 – Authorized P.I.T. – No Action</p> <p>08-27-18 – At Fault No Action</p> <p>23 Years of Service</p>
<p>#7 Wednesday 09-18-18</p>	<p>Police Department Ford Interceptor SUV Squad #11</p>	<p>WAPD Call #18-038780</p> <p>Officer was conducting follow up in the alley near 72/National when he backed his squad into</p>	<p>At Fault – Verbal Warning</p>	<p>07-11-10 – At Fault Written Warning</p> <p>05-29-17 – Not at Fault No Action</p> <p>06-0-2-17 – Not at Fault No Action</p>

a pole causing very
minor damage to the
rear bumper.

Squad Damage: Will
not repair

Injuries: None

10-30-17 – At Fault
Verbal Warning

11 Years of Service

QUARTERLY TRAFFIC VIOLATION AND ACCIDENT REPORT FORM

April-June, 2018

Accident Date	Dept/Division/ Office Affected	Incident Summary	Disciplinary Action	History
5/02/2018	Fire	While transporting a critically ill patient from the scene of an emergency medical incident, the driver of an ambulance was forced to maneuver through a very tight street in a trailer park. While attempting to pass a parked car the ambulance grazed its fender, causing minor damage to both the ambulance and to the private automobile.	The driver of the ambulance was determined to be at fault and was issued a verbal reprimand.	The driver of the ambulance has been employed by the WAFD for approximately one year during which time he has had no prior vehicle accidents.

QUARTERLY TRAFFIC VIOLATION AND ACCIDENT REPORT FORM
July-September, 2018

Accident Date	Dept/Division Affected	Incident Summary	Disciplinary Action	History
9/20/2018	Fire	While moving the tower ladder for a training event the rear of this vehicle was allowed to swing into a parked fire apparatus, causing minor damage to the parked apparatus. The tower ladder is a relatively new piece of equipment with a unique configuration to which personnel are still becoming accustomed.	Coaching Session – In light of the driver’s clean service record, the fact that personnel are still adjusting to the configuration of this vehicle and that no policies or operating guidelines were violated, a coaching session was placed in the driver’s personnel file but no further disciplinary action was taken.	The employee involved in this incident is a lieutenant who, in 16 years of service, has never had a vehicle accident.
9/25/2018	Fire	While stopped at a railroad crossing as a train approached, the vehicle in front of our Fire Prevention Bureau Lieutenant shifted into reverse and backed into his vehicle. The accident caused minor damage to the front bumper and grill of a staff vehicle.	None – The driver of the WAFD vehicle was not at fault.	N/A

QUARTERLY TRAFFIC VIOLATION AND ACCIDENT REPORT FORM

Department of Public Works

April 1, 2018 – June 30, 2018

Accident Date	Department/Division/Office Affected	Incident Summary	Disciplinary Action	History
04-04-18	Sanitation and Street Division	Employee allegedly hit a mirror on a parked car with a wing blade while plowing. Police Officer came to DPW to alert the staff of this incident.	Fault Undetermined by Police No Action Taken at this Time Repair cost – Unknown at this time	03-03-15 accident, written warning with one day suspension. (25 accidents/29 years, 4 months of service.)
04-15-18	Sanitation and Street Division	Plowing in cul de sac, and slid into a tree, damaging the tool box.	At Fault Action to be Determined Repair cost - \$951.30	07-07-17 accident, no action taken. 12-04-17 accident, no action taken. (24 accidents/27 years, 4 months of service.)
04-26-18	Sanitation and Street Division	While on routine sweeping, employee went around a parked car, the vac head hit a road heave and damaged the vac head.	Not At Fault No Action Taken Repair cost - \$1918.21	01-10-17 accident, no action taken. (5 accidents/17 years, 4 months of service.)
05-21-18	Sanitation and Street Division	Employee was backing up Loader 2938 to change buckets, misjudged his distance between the loader and Truck 209. He bumped front of Truck 209.	At Fault Action to be Determined Repair cost - 0	No accidents in last two years. (25 accidents/28 years, 2 months of service.)
05-22-18	Sanitation and Street Division	Employee backed up and hit another City vehicle, which had pulled in behind him. Employee states his passenger mirror was clear when he started to back up.	At Fault Action to be Determined Repair cost - \$610.49	03-13-17 accident, no action taken. (4 accidents/12 years, 11 months of service.)
06-05-18	Forestry Division (Provisional)	Employee leaving the DPW garage with the arrow board on back of the truck. He thought he had enough clearance, but struck the overhead garage door with the arrow board.	At Fault Verbal Warning Repair cost - \$14.10	No accidents in last two years. (1 accident/second season summer student.)
06-11-18	Building and Sign Division (Provisional)	Employee neglected to notice tailgate in down position and backed into a concrete pole next to Building & Sign/Inventory garage.	At Fault Verbal Warning Repair cost – 0	No accidents in last two years. (1 accident/first season summer student.)
06-28-18	Forestry Division (Provisional)	Employee was backing Truck 2800 into a spot in the garage. The back of the truck, which was down, struck the passenger window of Truck 45 which was parked, the window broke.	Fault Undetermined at this Time Action to be Determined Repair cost – None at this time	No accidents in last two years. (1 accident/second season summer student.)

QUARTERLY TRAFFIC VIOLATION AND ACCIDENT REPORT FORM

Department of Public Works

July 1, 2018 – September 30, 2018

Accident Date	Department/Division/Office Affected	Incident Summary	Disciplinary Action	History
07-06-18	Sanitation and Street Division (Provisional)	The employee hit a utility pole with the right mirror. Employee misjudged the width of the truck.	At Fault No Action Taken Repair cost – \$43.00	No accidents in last two years. (1 accident/first season summer student.)
08-09-18	Building and Sign Division (Provisional)	Employee was exiting Liberty Heights after doing pick up work. As he was driving out, he turned too fast and hit a park bench, damaging the passenger side of Truck 52.	At Fault No Action Taken Repair cost - \$1,229.40	No accidents in last two years. (1 accident/first season summer student.)
08-14-18	Forestry Division (Provisional)	Employee leaned a trimmer on the side of the truck. She drove away without realizing the trimmer was still leaning on truck. The trimmer fell, got stuck under Trailer 2982 and broke.	At Fault No Action Taken Replacement cost not known at this time	No accidents in last two years. (1 accident/second season summer student.)
08-16-18	Sanitation and Street Division	In Truck 823, pulling out of 76-77 Street alley heading southbound, truck was taking up westbound lane of 76 Street to turn east. Truck traveling westbound hit our truck.	Not At Fault No Action Taken Repair cost - 0	02-01-18 accident, written warning. (7 accidents/8 years, 1 month of service.)
08-21-18	Sanitation and Street Division	Employee was in Packer 819 on 88 and Arthur Streets, when a car came out of a parking lot and turned in front of the truck.	Not At Fault No Action Taken Repair cost – 0	02-07-18 accident, no action taken. (2 accidents/1 year, 10 months of service.)
09-19-18	Water Division	A motorist indicated our driver had to pull over because he saw flames coming from back of the truck. There was a fire in the battery compartment.	Not At Fault No Action Taken Repair cost – Unknown at this time	No accidents in last two years. (1 accident/1 year, 5 months of service.)
09-21-18	Forestry Division	Employee was in Dump Truck 1007 and parked. A small car pulled in behind him at some point. He checked mirrors before backing, saw nothing, backed up and struck the front of the car.	At Fault Action Pending Repair cost – Unknown at this time	10-12-17 accident, no action taken. (4 accidents/23 years, 5 months of service.)
09-28-18	Inventory Services Division	Employee was loading manhole frames into the back of a pickup truck. Employee headed left to avoid 2 x 4's and other material in bed of truck. When he did this, he hit the driver's side rear box above the tail light, leaving a small dent and paint scratches.	Not At Fault No Action Taken Repair cost – Unknown at this time	10-12-17 accident, no action taken. (5 accidents/22 years, 6 months of service.)