

Georgetown Police Department



FY 2021 was once again another very difficult year for the community and the Georgetown Police Department. The COVID-19 Pandemic struck in March of 2020 and still remains with us at the time this report is being written. These unprecedented times have challenged the United States and its citizens to levels never experienced before. The police department and community continue to come together during this unprecedented time and continue to fight the pandemic head on.

Even through the COVID-19 challenge continues, the police department will enhance all department policies and procedures to maintain accreditation status as required with the Massachusetts Police Accreditation Commission. The department has seen a significant reduction in both recruitment and filling of vacancies since the introduction of a massive police reform bill in the Commonwealth. As a result of police reform, we also lost a vibrant reserve police force which was critical in reducing overtime costs and provided a training source for future full-time officers. The Georgetown Police Department will continue to face all of these police reform changes to ensure we serve the community and residents to the highest of standards.

As always, I want to thank the dedicated men and women of the police department for their continued cooperation, and professionalism to our department. They have worked tirelessly given the pandemic and reduction of personnel, but still maintain the highest level of integrity and commitment.

Finally, on behalf of the entire department, we always remain thankful to our residents for their unwavering support, both financially and for the endless acts of appreciation shown to us throughout the year. Please know as your police department, we will continue to serve, protect and keep our community safe and always attempt to provide the best and proactive police services available. I am proud to be a resident of such a great community!

Respectfully Submitted,
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POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS FOR FY 2021

*** Calls for Service reported to N.I.B.R.S. pursuant to policy:**

Aggravated Assault – 12
Arson – 0
All Other Larceny – 19
All Other Offenses – 39
Burglary / Breaking and Entering – 8
Counterfeiting – 3
Credit Card / Automatic Teller – 6
Destruction / Damage / Vandalism – 26
Disorderly Conduct – 9
Driving Under the Influence – 13
Drug / Narcotic Violations – 3
False Pretenses / Swindle / Confidence Game – 17
Forcible Fondling – 0
Forcible Rape – 1
Impersonation – 145
Incest – 0
Intimidation – 6
Motor Vehicle Theft – 3
Pornography / Obscene Material – 31
Shoplifting – 4
Simple Assault – 15
Stolen Property Offenses – 0
Theft from Building – 3
Theft from Motor Vehicle – 0
Traffic, Town By-Law Offenses – 86
Trespass of Real Property – 5

All Calls for Service I.M.C. Entries – 16,995

Accidental/Abandoned 911 Calls – 223
Animal Complaints – 302
Arrests/Summonses – 79
Assist other PDs – 225
Disturbances – 206
General Services – 62
Investigations – 47
MV Crashes – 138
Soliciting – 7

Traffic Enforcement:

Total Citations – 1024

Arrests (MV) – 11

Civil Infractions – 73

Criminal Complaints – 31

Municipal Ordinances – 4

Warnings (Verbal) – 399

Warnings (Written) – 501