

NORTH COLLEGE HILL POLICE DEPARTMENT



MONTHLY POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT FOR
MARCH 2014



This monthly report is a review and summary of our activities. The summary of activities is reflective of not only the calls for service and other actions we complete, but is indicative of the effort and professionalism the members of the police department continue to put forth in our daily mission to deliver exemplary police service to our community.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gary Foust". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Colonel Gary R. Foust
Chief of Police
MARCH 2014

ARRESTS MADE IN MARCH 2014

There were a total of **79** arrests made within the City of North College Hill in MARCH 2014.

42 of the arrests were recite arrests (the person arrested was not physically taken into custody but issued a citation and told to appear in court).

37 of the arrests were physical arrests (the person was physically taken into custody).

Of the total arrests made within the month of MARCH 2014, **44** were residents of North College Hill and **35** were non-residents.



OFFENSE / INCIDENT REPORTS RECEIVED IN MARCH 2014

TOTAL OFFENSE / INCIDENT REPORTS FOR MARCH 2014	115
TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE FOR MARCH 2014	1,040



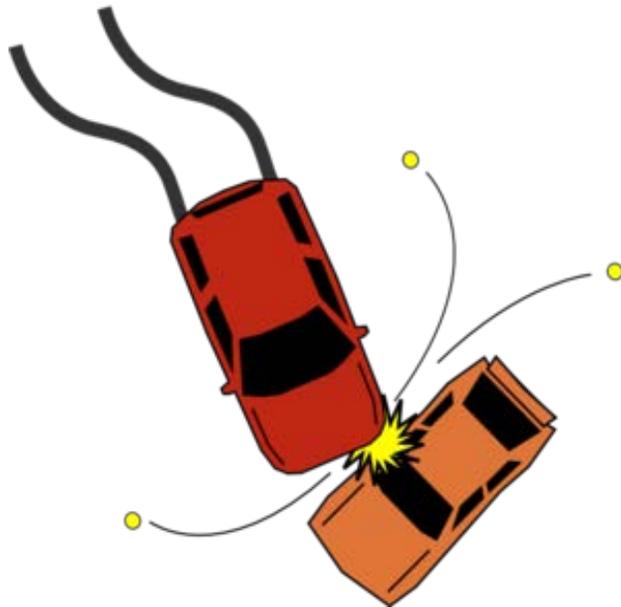
VEHICLE CRASHES REPORTED IN MARCH 2014

There were a total of 40 auto accidents within the City of North College Hill in MARCH 2014.

3 of these crashes involved injuries.

29 of the auto accidents were on the public roadways.

11 of the auto accidents were on private property.



TRAFFIC CITATIONS ISSUED

IN MARCH 2014

The North College Hill Mayor's Court had year-to-date receipts totaling \$58,835.08 as of MARCH 2014.



There were a total of **149** traffic citations issued within the City of North College Hill in MARCH 2014.

67 of the citations were for moving offenses (Speeding, Fail to stop at a Stop Sign, etc.)

9 of the citations were for non-moving offenses (Expired license plates, not wearing a seatbelt, etc.)

19 of the citations were for parking related offenses (Parked where prohibited by signs, etc.)

54 of the citations were written warnings (the person cited was not required to pay a fine or appear in court).



VEHICLES TOWED OR IMPOUNDED IN MARCH 2014

There were a total of 15 vehicles either towed or impounded within the City of North College Hill in MARCH 2014.



FALSE ALARMS RECEIVED

IN MARCH 2014

There were a total of 34 false alarms received that required a response by the North College Hill Police Department in MARCH 2014.

11 of these false alarms were to businesses.



23 of these false alarms were to residences.

104 Total false alarms have been received in 2014.



The following narratives are a small sampling of the various calls for service the North College Hill Police Department routinely receives.

CALLS FOR SERVICE

Disorderly Conduct **(2917.11)**

Officers were dispatched to the Super Laundry for a report of a customer having trouble with four other customers. Upon arrival officers checked with the employee of the Super Laundry. The employee stated that she did not call the police and was unaware of any problems. PO Ryan walked further into the business and spoke with a group of four customers near the front row of washers.

A female walked out from the second row of washers and identified herself as the caller. She stated that

she was being threatened by the group of girls in the first row of washers. When asked to elaborate how they were threatening her, she stated the group had been threatening her by calling out her name.



The group of girls stated to PO Ryan that nothing was going on, and that they were the cousins of the female, and that the only contact they had with her was to saying hello to her and her daughters who were with her.

The female was advised that saying her name was not a crime. At this time, the female was becoming

excited and alarming. She began breathing heavily and yelling that they were threatening her. She was unable to focus on Sgt. Petrocelli while he attempted to find out exactly what had transpired. He tried repeatedly to calm her down and she continued yelling stating that he could not make her calm down. Sgt. Petrocelli advised her that she needed to calm down or she was subject to arrest. She continued to yell, now stating that she was being threatened and her daughters were being threatened and that officers were not doing anything for her. Sgt. Petrocelli advised her that she had to calm down so that we could help her.

After hearing this she was able to stop yelling, but was still visibly upset, hyperventilating, and visibly shaking. She was able to explain that the girls in the group were her cousins but she does not associate with them. She stated that she believed they slashed her tires, and were threatening her on Facebook. Sgt. Petrocelli advised her that if this was true this would be a criminal matter and that she could file charges and obtain a protection order to address these matters. He further advised her that she needed to contact the Cincinnati Police to address these matters. He further advised her that if



she felt threatened that it might be in her best interest to leave the business tonight. He advised her that if the group was threatening her elsewhere we could take no action tonight just because the group was talking about her.

She then began yelling again and stating that we were not doing anything for her. Sgt. Petrocelli again advised her of the proper steps necessary to proceed with criminal charges in Cincinnati. He also advised her that if she felt threatened that she should probably leave, especially since her children were with her. Her children that were with her were two girls ages 5 and 3 and were standing with her crying during this entire exchange.

She then called someone to pick up her children and within a minute or two a male came to the door of the laundry and took the children. Sgt. Petrocelli then advised her that if she chose to remain in what she believed to be such a threatening unsafe environment that in her current state of agitation an altercation between her and the group of others was likely to occur. He further advised her if an altercation should occur she would possibly find herself subject to arrest.

She was again yelling loudly and staring at the group she stated threatened her. Sgt. Petrocelli asked her to move to the second aisle so that she could not see the group. It appeared that the more she stared at the group the more incensed and enraged she became.

Once moving to the second aisle Sgt. Petrocelli again advised her of the course of action she needed to pursue criminal charges against the group members. She continued yelling that she was being threatened. The male that took the children was now in the second aisle with us and he was attempting to calm her down - she was not heeding his advice.

She then made some statement about "getting" them and stormed forward, she moved as if to go by Sgt. Petrocelli and he pushed her back against the washing machine and told her she was not going over there. She bounced off the washer and moved towards him again. The male then grabbed her and held her attempting to calm her down. The two struggled for a moment and ended up against the wall between the first and second row of washers, she continued to attempt to get past him to get the group.



She then appeared too slightly calm down and the male let her go. She walked past Sgt. Petrocelli and towards the door and it appeared she was moving towards the door to leave. Sgt. Petrocelli let her go and followed her towards the door. As she passed the end of the first aisle she grabbed a plastic trash can and threw it across the aisle towards the group. Immediately thereafter the group of the other girls and the female were engaged in a violent struggle in the doorway of the business. Blows were exchanged on both sides and one the females pulled a hair weave from the female's head.

Officers pulled the subjects apart and the two females from the group immediately stopped struggling upon being pulled away by officers Ryan and Brown. Sgt. Petrocelli had female's arm and advised her she was under arrest and attempted to place a handcuff on her wrist. She fell to the ground and became dead weight lying on the ground wailing about, "not being able to take this!" She was ordered to stand up, but she continued to lie on the ground wailing. She was lifted up by officers and the other male and one handcuff was placed on her. She pulled away and continued to struggle with officers.

Having one handcuff on her, Sgt. Petrocelli utilized a joint manipulation on the handcuffed wrist. With the assistance of PO's Ryan and Brown she was handcuffed and escorted to a police cruiser. She attempted to pull away at this point but was immediately restrained as she was in an escort position. She was placed in the police car without further incident.

She was transported to the police station, charged with persistent disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, and was issued a criminal trespass barring notice from the super laundry, and released to her boyfriend.

Telecommunications Harassment (2917.21)

A complainant stated his wife was speaking to her daughter, regarding her daughter's son, of whom she and the complainant are the legal guardians. There were some questions about a health issue with the child in which the complainant's wife was speaking to her daughter and possible surgery. The daughter became angry that the child may be put through an unneeded surgery and she began to



argue while on the phone. Per the complainant, the daughter then threatened his wife with bodily harm. She has reportedly threatened to have the complainant shot in the past and he is concerned she may try to file a false police report in order to send him back to jail. He was advised to call the police if his step-daughter does respond to their house.

Criminal Damaging (2909.06)

Officers were dispatched to Daly Rd. for a male and female physically fighting in the hallway. When officers arrived on scene the two front door side windows were broken out. Officers entered the building and the tenant from apartment 4 exited her apartment and pointed to apartment 1 indicating that we need to go to that apartment.

Before officers could knock on the apartment 1's door, it opened and two females attempted to exit. Both were stopped and questioned about what had transpired prior to our arrival. Both stated that they had just been dropped off and didn't know what happened. When asked who lived in the apartment, one stated her "cousin" but couldn't give her

“cousin’s” last name. Both were detained and fir'd.

Officer Meyer from Mt. Healthy went to apartment 4 and interviewed the resident who stated that both girls were lying and that they were present when the altercation took place but were not involved. She stated that she heard a loud bang and commotion in the hallway and looked out her peep hole and saw a M/B kick open the door to apartment 1. She stated that the male is the boyfriend of the girl who resides in apartment but doesn't know either of their names.

PO Miller inspected apartment 1's door and found that the door had been forced open. Officers entered the apartment against the wishes of one of the subjects, to perform a protective sweep. No other person was found inside the apartment. With neither of the subjects residing in the apartment complex and their inability to confirm who resides in the apartment both were made to leave.

Before officers left the scene a female black came around from the back of the building and identified herself as the tenant of apartment 1. She stated her boyfriend broke the glass windows out of the front door and kicked open her door. She said they went outside were they became

engaged in a physical altercation before she ran away and her boyfriend left in his blue Nissan.

A name search was performed on the boyfriend and no results returned. The female stated that she only knows him as "Bear" and that they had been dating for only 2 weeks. All parties were advised and the incident will be forwarded to the complex manager.

Identity Theft (2913.49)

A complainant responded to the station to report that her identity may have been stolen. She advised that she is currently in the process of buying a house and found several things on her credit report that shouldn't be there.

After further investigation, the complainant advised that her purse had been stolen back in 2007, near Queen City. She stated that she had even reported her purse stolen to the Cincinnati Police. She also advised that the unknown charges seemed to have occurred around that same time.



PO Buchanan advised Ms. Roberson that she would need to contact CPD to get a copy of the police report. He also advised that along with CPD's report she would need to contact each one of the credit bureau to begin the credit resolution process. A pamphlet on Identity theft was given to the complainant to assist her in this process. She also provided a list of the things listed on credit report that are not hers.

Possession of Drug Abuse Instruments **(2925.11)**

Officers dispatched to McShell for a report of possible drug activity. A male and female white kept going in and out of the bathroom. When confronted by employees, they fled the

restaurant. Officer located the male subject across the street on

the lot of Walgreens however he was not in possession of the backpack he was originally described to be carrying.



Several minutes later, the female subject came up to the officer and was in possession of a carry bag. A search of the bag revealed it to contain her clothes and a used syringe containing blood residue that she admitted she used to inject drugs into her body.

A few additional minutes later, PO Chaney of the MTHL police department arrived and had located a back pack fitting the description of the one the male suspect allegedly was carrying. Both parties denied the bag to be theirs originally so a search of this abandoned property revealed clothing that the female suspect admitted were hers, and court documents belonging to the male suspect that he could provide no answer how they ended up in a back pack he knew nothing about. Two additional used syringes were located in the backpack as well.

Both parties arrested for possession of drug abuse instruments as well as obstructing official business for the continual untruths that they told to police.

Upon arriving at the PD, the female suspect admitted to be concealing a small quantity of heroin on her person that was retrieved by a female clerk. The female suspect

was additionally charged with possession of drugs - heroin.

Burglary (2911.12)

A victim stated several items were stolen from his residence and vehicle. On 3-13-14, victim stated three bicycles were stolen from his garage. One is a blue, 26", Mongoose mountain bike valued at \$350.00. The second a black w/ flames, Schwinn chopper style bike valued at approximately \$200.00. The third was a boys, Hyper, BMX style bike that was black with white writing a valued at \$130.00. Victim stated he was debating on reporting the bikes as stolen as he thought there was nothing that could be done. He was advised to provide serial numbers on the bikes which may help police recover his property.



On 3-14-14 at approximately 6:30pm, the victim arrived home from work and parked his car on the street. When he came out the next morning, he found someone had broken into the vehicle and stolen all of his work tools. Included in the stolen tools was a Milwaukee drill/combo set valued at \$500.00. The victim stated he believed he had at least \$1000.00

worth of tools total in the vehicle. Suspect also removed the \$4.00 in change from the victim's cup holder area. At this time the suspect is unknown and fled in an unknown direction. Victim was asked to provide a more detailed list of tools so that officers can add them to the report.

Menacing (2903.22)

PO Brown was dispatched for a report of telephone harassment/menacing. Upon arrival, he was met outside the residence by the complainant, who stated that her two cousins had been making threats via text messaging all day long. The complainant went on to state that the two then came to her home, making the threats in person. PO Brown did see some of the messages and in fact, the messages were threatening in nature. The complainant also stated that one cousin said that she was going to burn her house down. PO Brown copied the phone number down from which the complainant was receiving the texts. Later, he called the number and left a message for the two cousins to turn themselves in. A few minutes after that, he received a call back, from the owner of the phone, who was the girlfriend of the suspects. She knew nothing about the incident, however, she told

both suspects to come to the PD and take care of the situation.

At around 0300 hours, both suspects came to the PD to turn themselves in. Both were charged with menacing and released. The phone owner asked if she could file charges on the complainant. PO Brown advised that since she lives in Cincinnati, she would have to contact CPD. The phone owner had read the messages from the complainant and PO Brown found that there was nothing menacing or threatening with the messages. The phone owner was upset that NCH did not file charges on the complainant.

Burglary (2911.12)

PO Six was dispatched to respond for a burglary report. The victim stated a rather large collection of baseball cards and Nascar Die Cast cars were removed from his garage without his permission. The victim last saw the cards in the garage November of last year. The victim stated he started collecting his cards as a child on the late 70's. In total, he estimates 50 boxes of cards were taken with a total value of



approximately \$6800. In addition, a Stihl Chainsaw was also taken with a value of approximately \$280. Victim stated he and his wife took in the suspect about 18 months ago when his mother abandoned him at their house. As of late, the suspect is acting as though he is on drugs according to the victim. When the victim made mention of the cards being stolen, the suspect started to act in an unusual manner and left the residence.

Robbery (2911.01)

Officers were dispatched to Colerain Township (COTP). COTP officers were already on the scene there as they were dispatched to this address to see a victim of an Armed Robbery which had occurred on W Galbraith Rd. COTP officers arrived at the address and after talking to the victim, determined that the Robbery had actually occurred on W Galbraith Rd in North College Hill near the Clovernook Country Club.

Upon arrival PO Wilber and Sgt. Petrocelli spoke to the juvenile victim and his mother. The victim stated that he was walking on W. Galbraith Rd, towards COTP, on the north side of the street near Pinoak Dr. He stated

that as was walking, he heard a vehicle coming to a stop behind him on the roadway. He turned and observed that a silver Toyota with tinted windows had stopped behind him, with the lights off. He stated that the driver and two passengers had exited the vehicle and ran towards him. He stated that all three were carrying black handguns. He stated that they approached him and the driver ordered him to give him his belt. The victim removed his belt and handed it to the driver. He stated that the three then ran back to the car jumped in, made a U-turn, and sped off towards North College Hill.

The victim stated he then called his mother on his cell phone and told her he was robbed and where he was. His mother drove from her home to pick him up on W. Galbraith Rd near the State Farm office. When they arrived home, they contacted police and stated that they were robbed. COTP were then dispatched to investigate the incident.

The mother stated that when she went to pick up her son, she thought she might have observed a car matching the description her son provided. She thought it might have parked in a parking lot near the State Farm office. She further stated that she observed a male subject wearing a white thermal shirt getting into the backseat of the car.

When questioned further, the victim stated that all of the males had Fade type haircuts. Sgt. Petrocelli asked him if the subjects had any facial hair or glasses or any other distinguishing features. He then stated that the driver had small tattoos all around his upper cheeks, eyes and forehead but was unable to describe them further.

An updated description and item taken was provided to the Hamilton County Communications Center for an All County Broadcast.

Theft (2913.02)

Officers were contacted by department cell phone reference a theft. Upon officer's arrival, the complainant advised her Little Rascal power chair was stolen. The complainant and her husband advised that the chair was attached to the rear of their vehicle by an installed chair lift. The husband advised that he last seen the chair at approximately 2130 hours.



Later in the day, the complainant's daughter was walking her dogs on Dearmand Ave., when she saw her

mom's power chair next to a dumpster. The home where the Little Rascal was found is unoccupied and is the state of being repaired.

There did not appear to be any damage to the power chair, and because it was left out in the elements, there was no possibility of obtaining any fingerprints. The power chair was released to the complainant's daughter, who stated her parents were on the way to pick up the power chair.



North College Hill Police Department

Incidents by Type

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From Date:03/01/2014 to:03/31/2014

Jurisdiction: North College Hill
Department: Police Department

	9-1-1 Call :	9
	Alarm :	43
	Animal Complaint :	25
	Assault :	7
	Attempt to Locate :	9
	Auto Accident :	22
	Auto Accident - Hit Skip :	7
	Auto Accident - Injuries :	3
	Auto Accident - Private Property :	11
	Bar Patrol Directed Enforcement :	3
	Burglary or B&E :	9
	Business Check :	48
	Check on the Well Being of Occ :	8
	Criminal Damaging / Vandalism / Mischief :	15
	Custody Issue :	3
	Death Report (DOA) :	2
	Directed Patrol :	18
	Disabled Vehicle :	10
	Disorderly Crowd :	2
	Disorderly Person :	8
	Domestic Dispute :	22
	Domestic Violence :	4
	Drug - Abuse / Possession / Selling :	4
	Escort Detail :	4
	Fight in Progress :	8
	Fire Dept. Response :	10
	Fireworks :	1
	Follow-up on Incident :	35
	Found Property :	7
	Information :	43
	Investigate :	24
	Investigate Shots Fired :	1
	Investigation :	2
	Juvenile Complaint :	21
	Landlord Tenant Dispute :	1
	Lockout Assistance :	24
	Meet an Officer :	1
	Menacing :	3
	Missing person - Juvenile :	4
	Mutual Aid - Assist COTP :	6
	Mutual Aid - Assist CPD :	3
	Mutual Aid - Assist MTHL :	24
	Mutual Aid - Assist Other Agency :	2
	Mutual Aid - Assist SPTP :	5
	Neighbor Trouble :	4
	Noise Complaint :	19

North College Hill Police Department

Incidents by Type

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From Date:03/01/2014 to:03/31/2014

Jurisdiction: North College Hill
Department: Police Department

Non-Criminal Incident Report :	1
Parking Complaint :	33
Person with a gun :	2
Person with a weapon :	1
Phone Co Response :	4
Place Found Open :	6
Psychiatric Emergency :	10
Public Service (Phone Call) :	27
Public Works Notification :	1
Reckless Operator :	3
Repossessed Vehicle :	10
Robbery :	3
See a complainant :	50
Sexual Assault or Offense :	4
shots fired/ heard :	1
Silent 911 Call :	2
Squad Run / EMS Call :	79
Station Detail :	9
Subpeona -service/attempt :	3
Susp vehicle and occupants :	11
Suspicious Person Investigate :	29
Suspicious Vehicle :	11
Telephone Harassment :	4
Theft :	40
Theft - Auto :	6
Traffic Hazard :	7
Traffic Light Malfunction :	1
TRAFFIC STOP :	9
Transportation :	5
Trouble :	19
Trouble Brewing :	10
Trouble with a Customer :	7
Unknown Trouble :	4
Utilities Call Out :	6
Vehicle Tampering :	1
Wanted Person :	79
Department: Police Department :	1,041
Jurisdiction: North College Hill :	1,041
Total Incidents :	1,041



CITY OF NORTH COLLEGE HILL
MONTHLY PROPERTY MAINTENANCE REPORT



THIS REPORT COVERS THE MONTH OF
MARCH 2014

RESIDENTIAL LETTERS ISSUED

TOTAL =	30	SELF-INITIATED =	28	COMPLAINTS =	2
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YEAR-TO-DATE RESIDENTIAL LETTERS ISSUED

TOTAL =	56	SELF-INITIATED =	53	COMPLAINTS =	3
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BUSINESS LETTERS ISSUED

TOTAL =	5	SELF-INITIATED =	5	COMPLAINTS =	0
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YEAR-TO-DATE BUSINESS LETTERS ISSUED

TOTAL =	5	SELF-INITIATED =	5	COMPLAINTS =	0
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COMPLIANCE COMPLETED YEAR-TO-DATE

TOTAL =	38	VIOLATIONS CORRECTED VS. YTD LETTERS SENT
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COURT CITATIONS

OR MONTH =

2

TOTAL YEAR-TO-DATE =

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CITY OF NORTH COLLEGE HILL MONTHLY PROPERTY MAINTENANCE REPORT



VIOLATION STATISTICS

CATEGORIES	CURRENT MONTH	YEAR TO DATE	12 MONTHS AGO
GRASSES, WEEDS, SHRUBS	0	0	0
CLEANUP OF DEBRIS, TRASH, ETC.	21	23	22
REPAIR/MAINTENANCE TO STRUCTURE	1	2	33
INOPERABLE/UNLICENSED VEHICLES	7	14	5
PARKING ON A NON PAVED SURFACE	1	2	4
TRASH CANS LOCATION	4	17	3
OTHER	1	1	3
TOTALS =	35	59	70

NOTE: CATEGORY NUMBERS ARE NOT EQUAL TO THE NUMBER OF LETTERS ACTUALLY ISSUED. THERE ARE USUALLY MULTIPLE VIOLATIONS PER LETTER.

BUSINESSES CONTACTED

1. Auto Zone 6750 Hamilton Ave – trash – 2 nd offense	2. Family Dollar 1591 Goodman Ave – trash – 2 nd offense
3. Rose's Dept. Store 1535 Galbraith - trash	4. Kath-R-U (warehouse) – 1555 Galbraith - trash

NOTES

03/26 – Requested Board of Health to inspect Good Brotha's Bar – 6700 Savannah Ave ref disposing of used cooking oils. Inspection completed on 03/28 and corrections made on 03/31.

THANK YOU



**THE NORTH COLLEGE HILL
POLICE DEPARTMENT**