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This annual report for calendar year 2014 documents activities and efforts by employees of the Jacksonville Beach Police Department to accomplish the department’s mission, “Working with Citizens for a Safe Community.”

The police department is a nationally-accredited, full-service agency employing 95 personnel; including 65 full-time police officers, 23 full-time civilians, and 12 part-time employees. The department has three divisions: Patrol, Detective, and Services.

Police officers assigned to the Patrol Division respond to citizen calls for service and also take proactive steps to prevent crime and capture lawbreakers. They conduct the initial investigation of crimes, write reports, investigate traffic crashes, and issue citations. They try to prevent crimes utilizing patrol efforts by vehicle and on foot, creating a visible law enforcement presence.

Members of the Detective Division conduct follow-up investigations of crimes. General Investigations Team detectives investigate crimes such as homicide, robbery, burglary, theft, etc. Community Response Team detectives primarily investigate vice, narcotics, and quality of life crimes. Members of both teams are drawn from the ranks of patrol officers and receive specialized investigative training to handle the more serious crimes reported to the police department.

Employees assigned to the Services Division provide support services such as radio communications, records keeping, property and evidence maintenance, animal control, school crossing protection for children, and training for employees, among others.

The goal of every employee of the police department is to help create a safe community for every person who lives in, works in, or visits Jacksonville Beach. We encourage interested persons to contact any member of the police department with recommendations for improvements in the services we provide.
“Working with Citizens for a Safe Community”

Members of the Jacksonville Beach Police Department subscribe to values which we believe are essential to accomplish our mission. Those values, and their meanings, include the following:

COMPASSION
We will be understanding of and sympathetic to the needs of all our citizens.

DEPENDABILITY
Our words and deeds can be relied upon to meet the highest law enforcement standards. We will always do what we say we will do.

HIGH MORAL CHARACTER
Our actions, both on and off duty, will demonstrate honesty and decency at all times.

INITIATIVE
We will continually seek new and better ways to serve our citizens.

INTEGRITY
We will hold ourselves, both individually and collectively, accountable to our citizens.

PROFESSIONALISM
A key value that expresses our determination to achieve the highest standards demanded in order to earn public trust.

SELF-IMPROVEMENT
Each member of the department is a work in progress. Every statement we make, every action we take, will reflect our efforts to improve ourselves; to be a shining example of the best that law enforcement has to offer.
Police Officer of the Year
2014

Bradley S. DiFiore
Patrol Officer

Police Officer of the Quarter
2014

Charlie Keen
First Quarter

Brett Burrell
Second Quarter

Andrew Lash
Third Quarter

David Cohill
Fourth Quarter
Civilian Employee of the Year
2014

Jennifer L. Zdunkiewicz
Senior Communications Officer

Civilian Employee of the Quarter
2014

Pamela Atkinson
First Quarter

Jennifer Zdunkiewicz
Second Quarter

Beverly Franklin
Third Quarter

Jennifer Zdunkiewicz
Fourth Quarter
Volunteer of the Year
2014

Michael Zonis
COP

Volunteer of the Quarter
2014

Susan Ryan
First Quarter

Jim Golding
Second Quarter

Mike Zonis
Third Quarter

Howard Gardner
Fourth Quarter
Administrative Division
Command Staff

Steven B. Corbitt
Commander
Detective Division
26 Years

C. Mark Evans
Commander
Services Division
25 Years

Gene Paul N. Smith
Commander
Patrol Division
20 Years

Administrative Division
Support Personnel

Randy L. Greene
Administrative Assistant
22 Years

Alissa Breitenstien
Staff Assistant
4 Months

Sandra King
Staff Assistant
4 Months
Patrol Sergeants

Thomas W. Bingham, Jr.
Patrol Sergeant
18 Years

W. Keith Brown
Patrol Sergeant
15 Years

Anthony S. Dziedzicki
Patrol Sergeant
15 Years

Paul F. Watkins
Patrol Sergeant
18 Years

Homer H. Morodomi
Patrol Sergeant
17 Years

Keith O. Shackelford, Sr.
Patrol Sergeant
14 Years
Patrol Corporals

Michael C. Abate  
Patrol Corporal  
8 Years

Morris G. Ingle  
Patrol Corporal  
21 Years

Jason R. Sharp  
Patrol Corporal  
3 Years

Andrew C. Lavender  
Patrol Corporal  
22 Years

James A. Parker, Jr.  
Patrol Corporal  
3 Years

Tonya L. Tator  
Patrol Corporal  
17 Years
Community Response Team (C.R.T.) detectives address special problems such as illegal narcotics, prostitution, criminal transient investigations, and burglary and robbery surveillances. They concentrate their resources on the problem while taking full advantage of team members’ special skills and knowledge.
The General Investigations Team (G.I.T.) is comprised of highly-trained detectives who investigate offenses ranging from burglary and theft to homicide. They also track and notify the community of any sexual offenders and predators that live in the city.
Officers assigned to the Downtown Community Assisted Policing Effort (Downtown C.A.P.E.) actively patrol the downtown area on foot and Segways, in marked patrol vehicles, SUVs, and ATVs. They maintain close contact with business owners and residents to help find solutions to crime problems that affect the quality of life for residents, businesses, and visitors.
Program Expansion in 2014

By the end of 2014, the C.A.P.E. Program in the Downtown Redevelopment Area saw an expansion of the unit, taking its total to nine sworn law enforcement officers. The additional officers have greatly enhanced our efforts and allowed our officers the time to interact on a personal level with the community.

The officers are also being educated in the areas of code enforcement and crime prevention to add to their capabilities. This will give the officers the ability to instruct businesses and residents methods for taking a proactive role in deterring crime in the community. This is important to the overall continued development of the area and for providing citizens a sense of ownership relating to the community.

A look at the future of Downtown CAPE!
The Community Assisted Policing Effort (C.A.P.E.) program was founded in 1991 to address quality-of-life crimes in the Pablo Beach, South, neighborhood. There is one full-time police officer and one part-time Police Community Service Officer assigned to this unit. They provide much-needed assistance to the community, including active patrol, community clean-ups, assistance to the elderly, mentoring the youth, and much more.

Carleen Bowman
C.A.P.E. Officer
3 Years

Jacksonville Beach Carver Center

Samuel E. Owens
Police Community Service Officer
Part-Time
36 Years
Community Assisted Policing Effort
Pablo Beach, South Community Events

Our Bike Rodeo and helmet fitting in the Pablo Beach, South, community.

Officer Bowman attending the Kids Christmas Party.

Officer Carleen Bowman with a child from the Pablo Beach, South, community on Halloween Night.
Community Response Team

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<td>Total Drug Related Arrests</td>
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<td>Felony Charges</td>
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<td>Misdemeanor Charges</td>
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<td>Cases Cleared</td>
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<td>Public Relations Presentations</td>
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NOTE: C.R.T. was assigned to Downtown Task Force operations from March through September.

General Investigations Team

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<td>Cleared by Arrest</td>
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<td>Cleared Exceptionally</td>
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<td>Total Cases Cleared</td>
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# Detective Division Statistics

Downtown C.A.P.E.

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<tr>
<td>Misdemeanor Arrests</td>
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<td>Traffic Citations</td>
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<td>Parking Citations</td>
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<td>Contact Cards</td>
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The Services Division encompasses many roles in the agency to include Recruiting, Training, Crime Prevention, Property and Evidence, Animal Control, Communications, Records, and Volunteer Services. The division’s efforts concentrate on providing non-emergency services to the citizens of the community. They utilize their resources to respond to problems while taking full advantage of team members’ special skills and knowledge.
Animal Control

The Animal Control Program headed in a very positive direction this year with the addition of ACO Ted Mandrick. Ted is a young biologist who has studied abroad and has vast and various experience relating to wildlife. His education level and experience was put to immediate use in dealing with several issues in the community. Ted was able to educate the public on nuisance wildlife and the dangers of feeding and interacting with wild animals. His efforts have increased the health and welfare of the animals in our city while at the same time limiting the exposure of citizens to dangerous animals.

Training Statistics

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<td>Total Training Hours (All Personnel)</td>
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Services Division
Communications Section

J. Erin Citrullo
Communications Supervisor
14 Years

Rachel T. Bennett
Senior Communications Officer
12 Years

Raymond S. Clarke
Senior Communications Officer
6 Years

Tina M. Edmonds
Senior Communications Officer
18 Years

Anthony C. Nichols
Senior Communications Officer
11 Years

Glen J. Ricard
Senior Communications Officer
12 Years

Krista A. Strickland
Communications Officer
8 Months

Mary E. Walker
Senior Communications Officer
11 Years

Jennifer L. Zdunkiewicz
Senior Communications Officer
20 Years
Communications Workload History

Communications Workload Comparison for 2013 to 2014

- Calls for Service
  - 2013: 79,939
  - 2014: 52,010

- Traffic Stops
  - 2013: 9,111
  - 2014: 10,233

- 9-1-1 Calls
  - 2013: 2,324
  - 2014: 2,567

- Calls for Service Fire
  - 2013: 1,233
  - 2014: 1,373

- Police Response Activity
  - 2013: 79,939
  - 2014: 52,010
Police Event History 2014
Top 20 Call Types

- VEH STOP 21.81%
- KNIGHT EYES 5.08%
- SUSPICIOUS PERSON 3.28%
- FOLLOW UP 2.95%
- AUDIBLE ALARM 2.51%
- DISTURBANCE 2.37%
- TRAFFIC CRASH 1.98%
- ILLEGALLY PARKED CAR 1.93%
- SUSPICIOUS TRANSIENT 1.80%
- SUSPICIOUS PERSON/CAR 1.78%
- ANIMAL INVESTIGATION 1.32%
- ASSIST MOTORIST 1.19%
- THEFT 1.12%
- ASSIST OTHER AGENCY 1.10%
- FOUND PROPERTY 0.92%
- RECKLESS DRIVER 0.84%
- SPECIAL DETAIL 0.73%
- TOWER POWER CHECK 0.68%
- PROPERTY CHECK 26.41%
- OTHER 13.72%
- INVESTIGATION 6.49%
Police Event History 2014
Total Events Based on Time of Day

Number of Events

00:00 - 1:00: 7.21%
01:00 - 2:00: 6.27%
02:00 - 3:00: 4.84%
03:00 - 4:00: 3.74%
04:00 - 5:00: 3.74%
05:00 - 6:00: 2.48%
06:00 - 7:00: 2.48%
07:00 - 8:00: 2.02%
08:00 - 9:00: 3.43%
09:00 - 10:00: 3.32%
10:00 - 11:00: 4.27%
11:00 - 12:00: 3.74%
12:00 - 13:00: 3.87%
13:00 - 14:00: 4.55%
14:00 - 15:00: 4.71%
15:00 - 16:00: 3.43%
16:00 - 17:00: 2.99%
17:00 - 18:00: 3.53%
18:00 - 19:00: 3.65%
19:00 - 20:00: 3.78%
20:00 - 21:00: 4.16%
21:00 - 22:00: 6.62%
22:00 - 23:00: 7.57%
23:00 - 00:00: 7.57%
Services Division
Records Section

Betty T. Lucas
Records Supervisor
17 Years

Beverly Franklin
Records Specialist
2 Years

Cathy A. Healey
Records Specialist
1 Year

Katherine R. Bankston
Records Specialist
(Part-Time)
1 Month
## Crime and Traffic Statistics

### POLICE ACTIVITY

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<td>44,539</td>
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<td>67,253</td>
<td>67,641</td>
<td>71,780</td>
<td>76,104</td>
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### CRIMINAL OFFENSES

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<td>56</td>
<td>55</td>
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<td>Assault/Battery</td>
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<td>438</td>
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<td><strong>Burglary</strong></td>
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<td>175</td>
<td>147</td>
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<td>Larceny</td>
<td>961</td>
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<td>Motor Vehicle Theft</td>
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<td>Arrest Charges for Drug Violations</td>
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### ARRESTED PERSONS

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<td>Juvenile</td>
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<td>Total Arrests</td>
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### DUI OFFENSES

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### TRAFFIC/PARKING

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*The data appears disproportionate compared to previous years, however improvements were made to the methods in which burglary statistics were obtained. In preceding years, the records management system was not capturing all possible subsections of the burglary statute which caused an underrepresentation of data; therefore, the system was updated to include any omitted subsections. In actuality the number of burglary offenses decreased by 17.0% from 2011 to 2012 and by 20.5% from 2012 to 2013.*
The Jacksonville Beach School Crossing Guard program had a new addition to the group this year. John Oswalt was added to the team of wonderful people who help to get the community’s children to school safely.

We would also like to say thank you to all of our volunteers who covered any open shifts due to illnesses. This dedication is what makes our program the top program in Florida.
The Citizen Police Academy began in 1998 with the goal of making citizens more aware of the role of the police department in their community. During the twelve-week course, students learn about patrol operations, investigations, S.W.A.T., K-9, crime scene processing, and so much more. Through 2014, we have completed 33 classes with a total of 950 graduates.

Graduates of the Citizen Police Academy are eligible to join the Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association (CPAAA). The (CPAAA) was formed by graduates in 2000 as a way to volunteer for the police department and help the community. Combined with the Citizens On Patrol (COP), they totaled 13,620.5 hours of volunteer service to the community.
Citizen Police Academy
Alumni Association

Susan L. Ryan
President

Harry R. Evans
Vice President

William Ostrowski
Honorary Director & Past President

Margret Warren
Treasurer

Bernice V. Mobilia
Secretary

Maralee Fox
Director

Donna L. Jones
Director

Leonard Lucas
Director

Beverly Taylor
Director
The CPAAA and its members organized several annual events for the department in 2014. The first event of the year was the 20th Annual Fishing Rodeo. Once again the event was an overwhelming success. Kids of all ages were able to learn how to fish and participate in numerous activities. The best portion of the event was the interaction between the officers and the children of the community. There were approximately 1500 attendees.

The CPAAA hosted a barbeque at South Beach Park for the members of the association. They allowed the community members present to participate in the barbeque and to interact with the membership. This also allowed representatives from our department to interact with the community in a social setting.

The Halloween Party and Kid’s Christmas Party hosted by the CPAAA and the department were some of the best attended events all year. The combined attendance for the events was estimated at almost 2000 in 2014. Mr. And Mrs. Claus were also in attendance taking photographs with the children. 500 candy canes were given away during the event, one to each child that visited Santa.
Members of the Citizens On Patrol (COP) unit are trained volunteers, selected from the CPAAA, who conduct traffic direction and control, parking enforcement, and proactive patrolling. COP volunteers receive an initial 65 hours of specialized training on patrolling techniques, Florida laws, traffic control, and report writing. COP members volunteered approximately 3,961 hours in 2014.
Citizens On Patrol

Barbara A. Galvin  Mike Hearn  Bunny H. Hoyle  Donna L. Jones

Rose Keyes  William D. Lee  William J. Ostrowski  Susan L. Ryan

Slade Richardson  Beverly Taylor  R. Michael Zonis

Not pictured: James M. Olson
Special Programs

S.W.A.T. Team
(Special Weapons and Advanced Tactics)

Police officers assigned to the Special Weapons and Advanced Tactics Team (S.W.A.T.) are selected after completing a mentally and physically challenging process. There must be a unanimous vote by all team members before a new member can be recommended to the S.W.A.T. Commander and Chief of Police for selection. In addition to their regular duties, S.W.A.T. officers must constantly train to maintain their skill level to be able to handle high-level threats and high-stress situations. S.W.A.T. officers also deploy to assist other agencies as a secondary resource in tactical situations that may arise.

Evidence Technician/Traffic Homicide Investigations

Selected members of the department tackle additional duties as evidence technicians or traffic homicide investigators. They utilize specialized training at crime scenes and traffic crashes to collect evidence, take measurements, and use mathematical formulas to ensure thorough and concise investigations.
Special Programs

Honor Guard

The Honor Guard is a highly trained, uniformed group of officers who volunteer their time to honor our fallen heroes. The Honor Guard is responsible for carrying out ceremonial functions involving the police department. These include Color Guard, dedication ceremonies, police funerals, and Police Memorial Week ceremonies. There are currently 16 officers who comprise the Honor Guard. Members come from all divisions of the department.

2nd Annual National Night Out

On August 5th, we hosted our 2nd Annual National Night Out event. There were prizes, games, and other activities for children. The event was also the first large event where our Bike Safety program was utilized in its entirety. We gave away 49 helmets to the children who participated in the rodeo. For the first time, we met with numerous children who had received a helmet during some of our previous events. Approximately 75 children participated in the rodeo portion of the event, and it was estimated that approximately 500 people attended the event.

K-9

The Jacksonville Beach Police Department has two police service dog teams. The dogs and their handlers are carefully chosen and go through a difficult yet challenging certification process before being deployed for patrol service. The dogs are certified in suspect apprehension and drug detection. Additionally, the police service dog is an exceptional asset during any high-risk operation.
Gang Detective

The juvenile gang detective has the responsibility for conducting truancy sweeps, cleaning up graffiti around the city, and handling gang members. The detective also maintains intelligence files on gang members.

Youth Police Academy

The Youth Police Academy graduated its sixteenth class in 2014. This is a special program targeted at making a connection with the youth of the community. The children go through a shortened version of the Citizen Police Academy and attend on Saturday mornings. Some of the topics covered are Patrol, K-9, Detectives, Defensive Tactics, and S.W.A.T.

Above is Downtown C.A.P.E. Cpl. Dan Watts going over the C.A.P.E. program with kids from the class.

To the right, Youth Police Academy Class 16.
Officer and CPAAA members at the Kids Halloween Party

CPAAA members at the Kids Christmas Party

CPAAA & COP members at a Bike Rodeo

CPAAA & COP members conducting a helmet fitting at a Bike Rodeo

Dunking booth at the Fishing Rodeo

CPAAA members at the Fishing Rodeo
Thank You!
CPAAA Volunteers
Thank You!
CPAAA Volunteers
Thank You!
COP Volunteers

Spring of 2014
Thank You!
COP Volunteers

Fall of 2014
There was one retirement in 2014. Detective Carla D. Rogers retired at the end of the year after 11 years of service. During her time with the department she filled several roles to include Patrol Officer, Evidence Technician, Traffic Officer, and Detective. She has moved on in retirement to a career in financial investigations.
The Police Department was first accredited by the national Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA) in 1995 and has maintained its accredited status since that time. Each member of the department is responsible for ensuring that policies and procedures are followed. There are over 470 standards the department must meet to remain nationally accredited. The Police Department was named a Flagship Agency by CALEA in the past. During the last accreditation hearing, the agency was awarded Meritorious Accreditation status. The department is due for its next recertification in 2015.