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TO: SUPERVISOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES
FROM: NELSON J. CANNON, CHIEF OF POLICE
SUBJECT: ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT SINCE DECEMBER 2024 MEETING
DATE: DECEMBER 10, 2024

Hope everybody had a nice Thanksgiving Holiday; we had a houseful of wonderful times...especially those Grands. The pace has really dropped off to our historical normal; no complaints, just nice not having that rushed feeling.

Well those who were pinning away because of the lack of snow should really have perked up with this last blast. I see the Miss Dig markers for our RadarSign, but the snow may have pushed the post installation work back; I haven't heard, but will check. We took the new GPD snowmobile out for a spin, just to get it broke in; much better than our previous sled. Rifle Deer Season was uneventful; our Camp was filled to the brim with hunters. Does were plentiful with a few taken; my granddaughter was the only hunter to get a Buck. It was her first without her Dad coaching her. She was very excited to say the least.

We did a second Speed Study on West Sharon away from M-66 (between Crouch & Shively); 12111 vehicles with 78% (9477) subject to enforceable violations. The fastest vehicle was travelling at 92MPH; the slowest was 8MPH. This was done in early November, before the snow. This area will get more attention in the future. Taffeltown had a great turnout for their Holiday Bazaar. Winter Newsletter got out in time to be included in Tax mailing.

No Parks Board Meeting due to Thanksgiving. DNR is allowing us to break the project down in phases; driveway, sidewalk and playground. There is a meeting with Consultant and Contractors Thursday afternoon; I will update the Board on the results.

Preliminary December 2024 Activity to Date:

892-579-24 Health & Welfare Check/Senior
892-580-24 Health & Welfare Check/Senior
892-581-24 KMHC Board Meeting/Regular
892-582-24 NMLETG Board Meeting/Regular
892-583-24 Health & Welfare Check/Senior
892-584-24 Health & Welfare Check/Senior
892-585-24 Traffic Crash
892-586-24 Health & Welfare Check/Senior
892-587-24 Careless Driving/Bus
892-588-24 Community Service/Salvation Army
892-589-24 Suspicious Situation/Senior-Missing
892-590-24 Community Relations/Academy Day
892-591-24 Speeding 67/55 Citation #555
892-592-24 Snowmo Reg Violation Citation #556
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892-594-24 Snowmo Trail Permit Violation Citation #558
892-595-24 Snowmo Trail Permit Violation Citation #559
892-596-24 Snowmobile Fire
892-597-24 Window Tint Violation Citation #560

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