

VILLAGE OF NORTH SYRACUSE POLICE DEPARTMENT



ANNUAL REPORT 2019



William Becker
Chief of Police



Village of North Syracuse

Police Department

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Chief of Police

January 1, 2020

Dear Residents:

The North Syracuse Police Departments 2019 annual report, reflects only a portion of the daily arduous work accomplished by the dedicated men and women of the Village of North Syracuse Police Department.

The Village of North Syracuse Police Department has been serving our community since its inception in November of 1948. While law enforcement operations have changed significantly since then, one thing remains the same; our continued commitment to providing the best possible law enforcement services to our communities residents and business owners. Our agencies officers are all highly trained professionals with some having training in specialized technical areas of policing, but we all share one common interest, "problem solving". Working to resolve these problems in partnership with the community, to provide the best quality of life possible for our community.

As you can see by our report, 2019 was another eventful year, maintaining our status once again, as the busiest Village Police Department in Onondaga County. I am also pleased to report that we handled this high call volume, and provided a high level of community policing services, all while maintaining one of the lowest and most cost effective police budgets in the county.

I am excited to be your new Chief of Police and look forward to serving our community and building new relationships.

Sincerely,

William Becker
Chief of Police

MISSION STATEMENT

“The mission of the North Syracuse Village Police Department is to work in partnership with the community, to protect life and property, solve neighborhood problems and enhance the quality of life in our village.”

VALUES STATEMENT

We will maintain the highest level of integrity.

We will be self critical and accountable for our commitments and results.

We will treat all persons with compassion, respect and dignity.

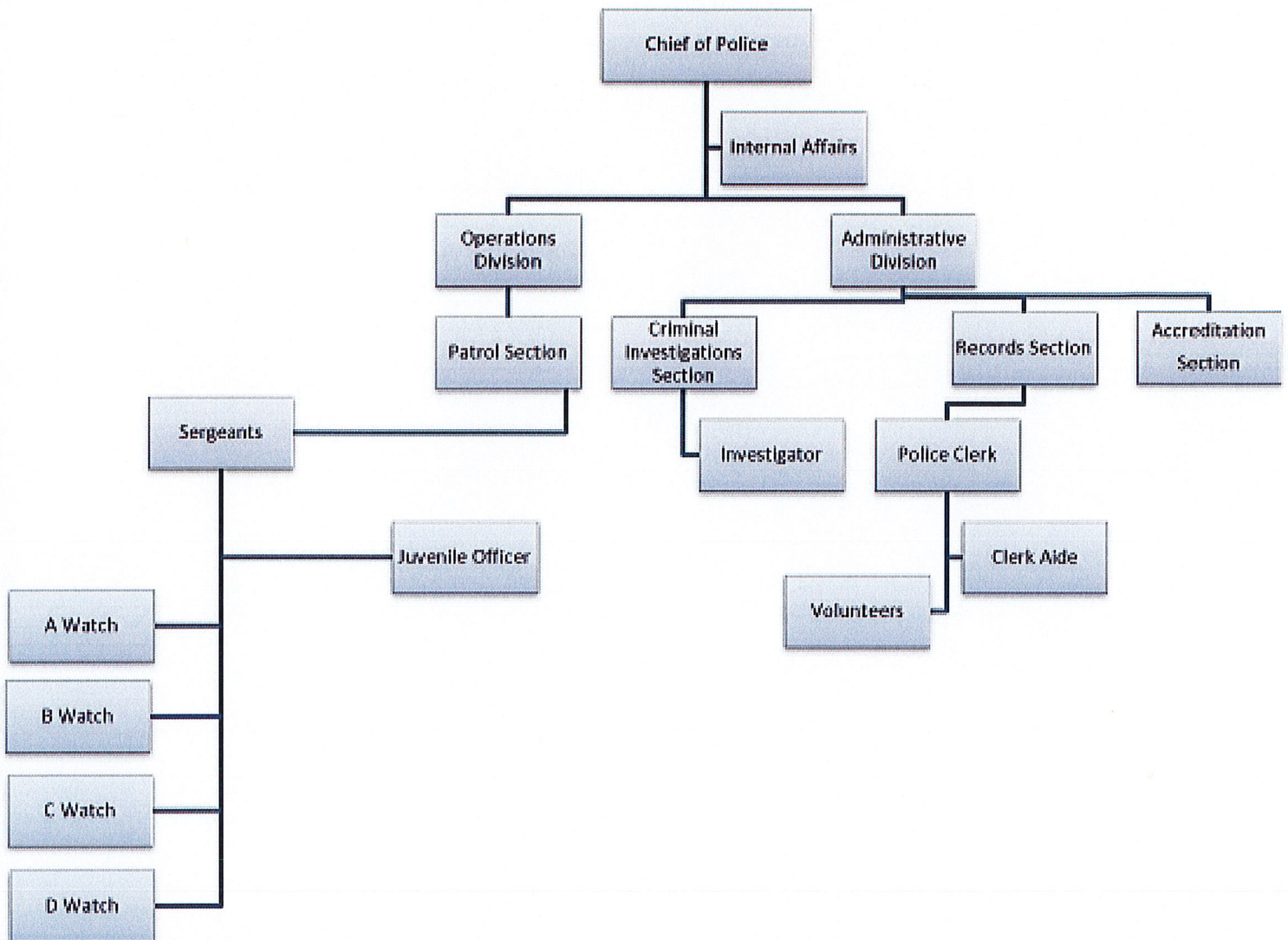
We will engage in open and honest communication.

We will always seek to provide the highest quality of service.

We will preserve and safeguard individual rights and liberties.

Village of North Syracuse Police Department

Table of Organization
August 2012



STAFF

POLICE CHIEF—William Becker

Operations Section

Sergeant Jeff Tripp
Sergeant Chance Fieldson
Detective Rob Florian
Officer Jeramie Cheney
Officer Matt Ewald
Officer Tom Keeler
Officer Geoff Linstruth
Officer Nick Lostumbo
Officer Jordan Pannell
Officer Casey Placito
Officer Don Backus
Officer Ken Isyk
Officer Ashley Smith
Officer Matt Zingaro

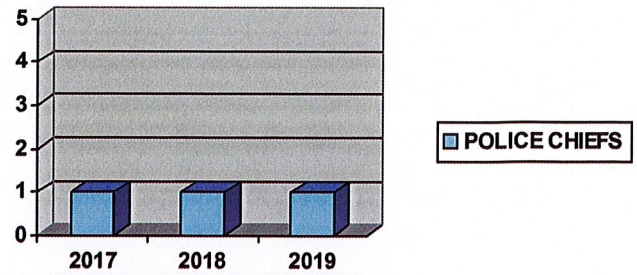
Records Section

Police Clerk Mary Renna
Clerk Aide Andrea Castro

TOTAL STAFF

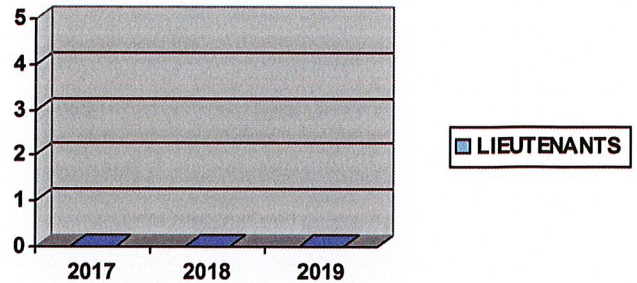
CHIEF OF POLICE

2017	2018	2019
1	1	1



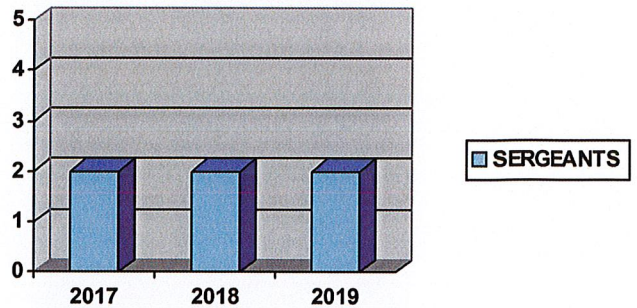
LIEUTENANTS

2017	2018	2019
0	0	0



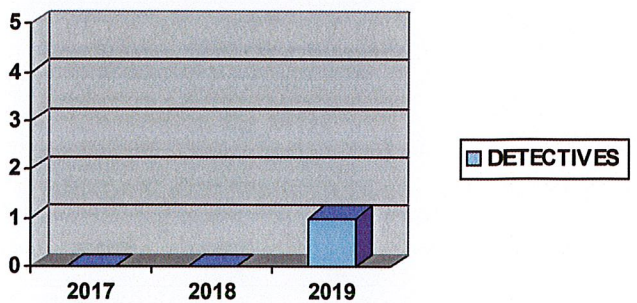
SERGEANTS

2017	2018	2019
2	2	2



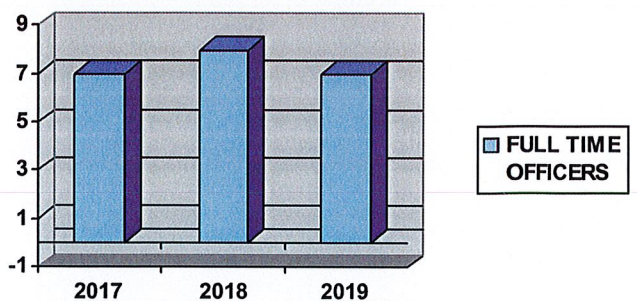
DETECTIVES

2017	2018	2019
0	0	1



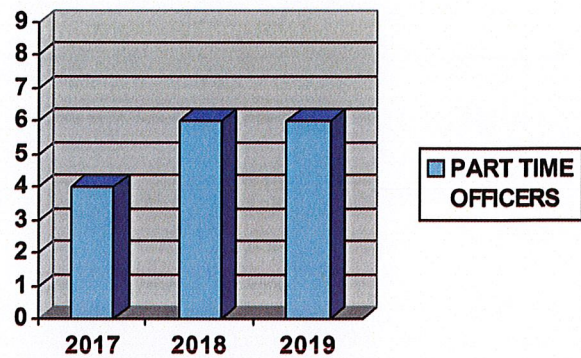
FULL TIME OFFICERS

2017	2018	2019
7	8	7



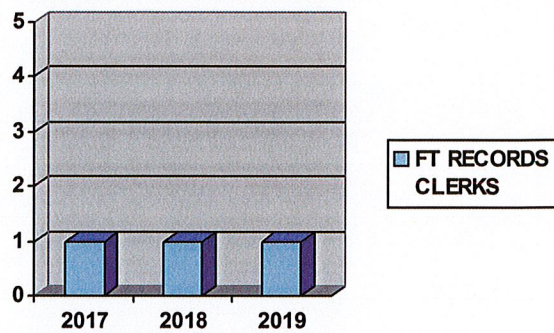
PART TIME OFFICERS

<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
4	6	6



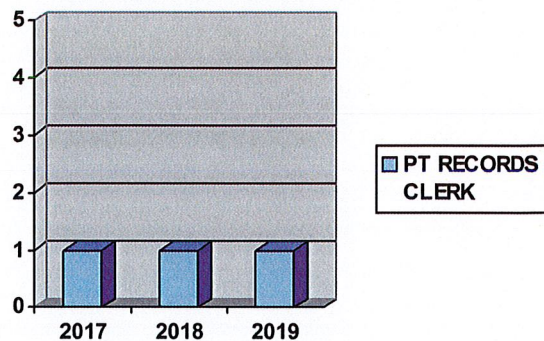
FULL TIME RECORDS CLERKS

<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
1	1	1



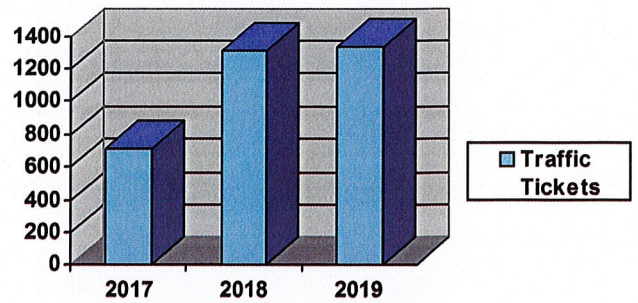
PART TIME RECORDS CLERKS

<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
1	1	1



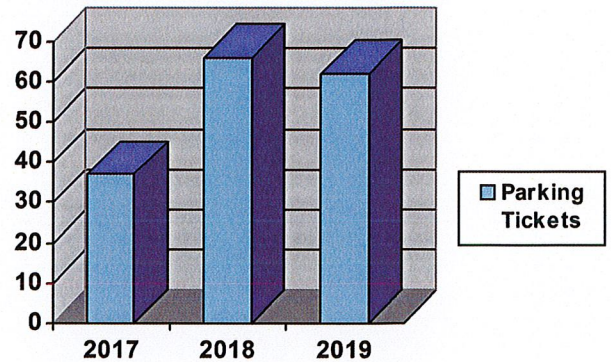
Traffic Tickets Issued

<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
710	1306	1333



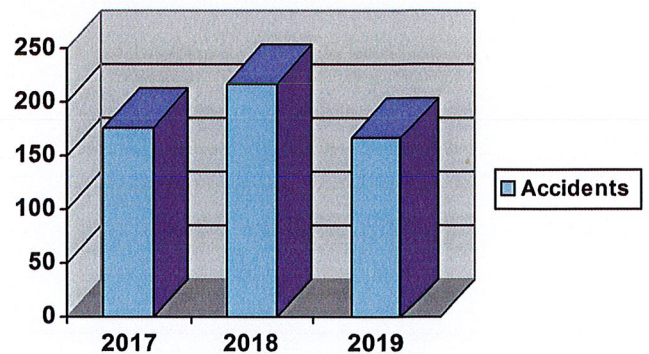
Parking Tickets Issued

<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
37	66	62



Motor Vehicle Accidents

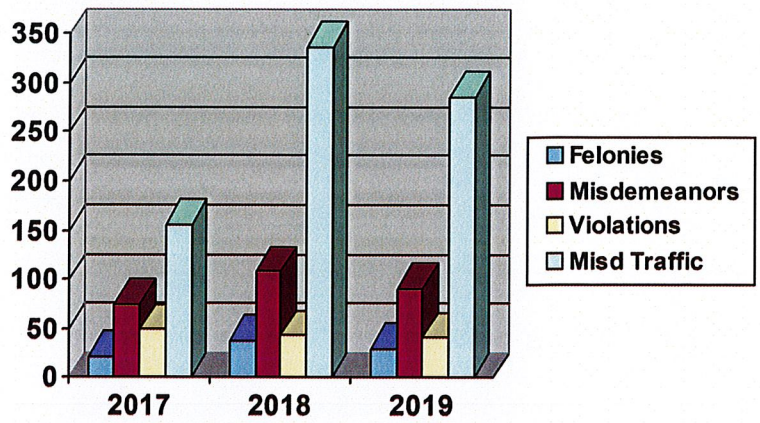
<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
176	217	167



Arrests Made By Classification

2017 2018 2019

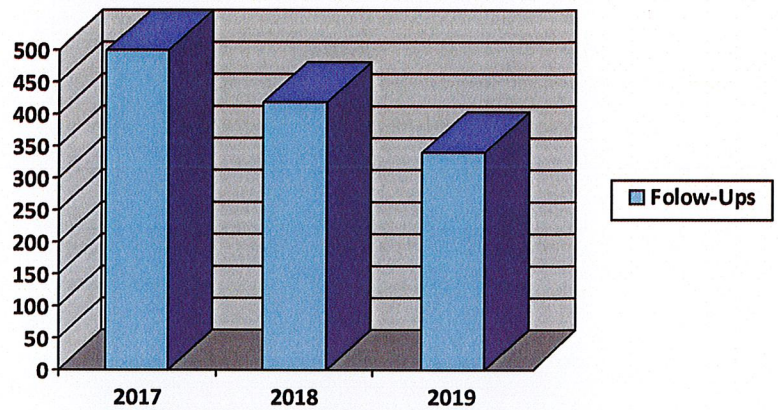
22	38	30 - Felonies
74	108	90 - Misdemeanors
49	43	41 - Violations
156	336	286 - Misd/Fel Traffic



Follow-Ups

2017 2018 2019

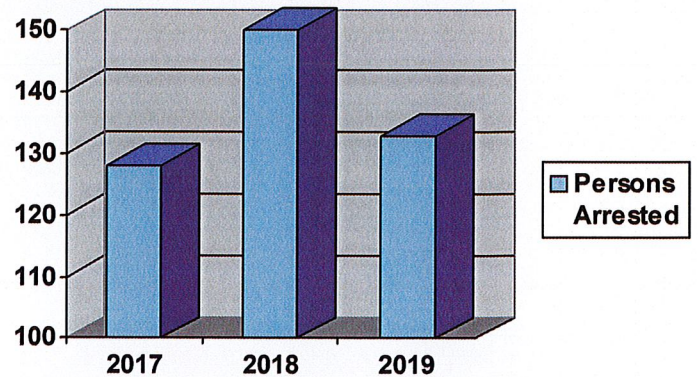
499	412	340
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Total Persons Arrested

2017 2018 2019

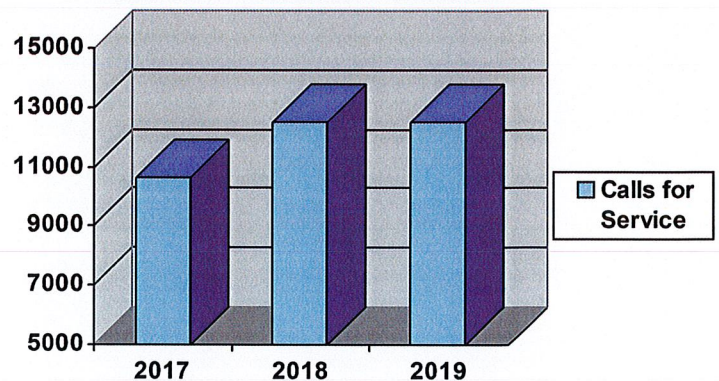
128	172	133
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Total Calls For Service

2017 2018 2019

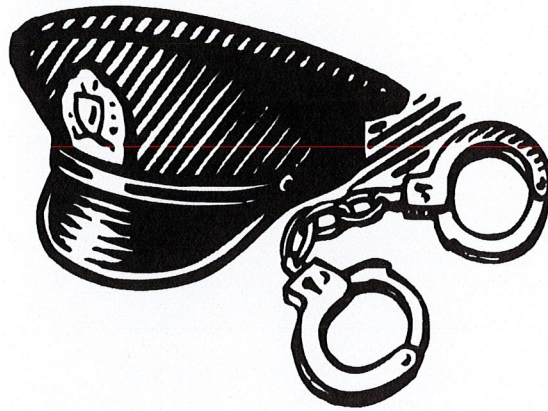
10,620	12,493	12,506
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TRAINING

- Goals and Objectives
- LE Executive Officer and Middle Manager Course
- ESLETS Traffic Safety Symposium
- ITSMR Traffic Safety Conference
- Officer Survival Tactics
- Initial Response to Active Shooter
- Active Threat Integrated Response Course
- Field Training Officer Course
- Motorcycle Enforcement Awareness
- Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Awareness
- Crisis Intervention Team Training
- Approaching Alzheimer's for First Responder
- Property Evidence Room Management
- Use of Force
- Dealing with Conflict
- Distracted Driving Enforcement
- Firearms
- Active Threat Integrated Response
- ARIDE
- Ethics Workshop Training
- Transformational Leadership
- Child Passenger Seat Technician Training
- Social Networking
- Fentanyl: Trends, Investigations and Officer Safety
- Work Place Violence/ Sexual Harassment in the Work Place
- Taser Re-Certification
- CPR
- Juvenile Conference
- Hate Crime Investigations
- Ethics Workshop Training
- Blood Borne Pathogens for Law Enforcement
- Mental Health First Aid
- Sexual Offense Trauma Informed Victim Response Training

2019 INCIDENT SPECIFIC



OFFENSES COMMITTED BY A JUVENILE (UNDER 17) : 44

USE OF FORCE (AGAINST A SUSPECT OR ANIMAL) : 8

INCIDENTS OF VEHICLE PURSUIT : 1

GRANTS RECEIVED

- **2019 SLETPP (5 new MCT laptops for patrol vehicles) \$8000.00**
-Completed in 2019-
- **Wal-Mart (Community Grant) \$2500.00**
- **Child Passenger Safety Seat Initiative Grant \$2600.00**
- **Police Traffic Safety Grant \$4800.00**
- **Bureau of Justice Body Armor Grant \$2603.00**
- **NYS DASNY Grant (Basement Remodel) \$50,000.00**
- **SLETPP New Department Computers \$11,000.00**
- **DASNY (Village Police Cameras) \$125,000.00**
- **Al Stirpe—BodyCam Grant \$10,000.00**



Maintaining state accreditation ensures the community that their police department is continually following the best possible modern practices in law enforcement.

CONGRATULATIONS

“2019”

OFFICER OF THE YEAR

OFFICER CASEY PLACITO



CONGRATULATIONS

“2019”

CNY Association of Chiefs of Police Law Enforcement Commendation Award

**OFFICER TOM KEELER &
OFFICER NICK LOSTUMBO**



CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS



IN 2019, CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTORS
R. FLORIAN, M. RENNA, M. EWALD ,
C. PLACITO, & C. FIELDSON INSPECTED **48** CHILD
SAFETY SEATS.

A TRAFFIC SAFETY GRANT WAS SECURED
THROUGH THE NY TRAFFIC SAFETY COUNSEL
CHILD SAFETY SEAT GRANT PROGRAM. THIS
GRANT ASSISTS IN THE COSTS OF TRAINING,



