

# Pekin Police Department

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Annual Report 2012



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# CHIEFS MESSAGE



2012 was a year that ushered in some significant changes in the Pekin Police Department. A number of personnel retired, necessitating promotions and the hiring of replacements. Five officers were hired in 2012, which is nearly a ten percent turnover in one year. We were able to attract three experienced candidates from other jurisdictions and sent two recruits to the Cook County Sheriff's Police Academy for basic training for the first time.

We modernized our time-and-attendance system, one of the last areas still using manual records, and we replaced our interview room recording system with state of the art technology. Likewise, our entire fleet of in-car cameras was replaced with new digital video recording cameras. The latter project was paid entirely with funds collected from drunk drivers and drug seizures.

Pekin's crime rate continues to be the lowest of comparable cities and the department constantly seeks ways to drive it lower and improve the quality of life in Pekin. Late in the year, the Pekin Police Department partnered with the University of Illinois-Chicago to conduct the Police-Community Interaction Survey. In 94% of encounters with our officers, citizens walked away "satisfied" or "very satisfied" with the officer. This, "tough on crime, soft on citizens" approach speaks volumes about the professionalism and character of Pekin Police Officers

*Greg Acker*

# MISSION AND GOALS

**MISSION :** *The mission of the Pekin Police Department, a committed, service-oriented agency is to protect life, human rights and property through a proactive partnership with the community.*

**GOALS:** **1.0 Enhance the Quality of Life for Pekin Residents.** The department's purpose is to enhance the quality of life for the people who live in Pekin by reducing crime and keeping the peace. This is WHAT we do. We have identified two strategies intended to assure a high quality of life for our residents.

**1.1 Enforce the Law and Fight Crime Through Patrol and Criminal Investigation.** This is the kind of work most often associated with police departments—establish a visible presence in the community; patrol neighborhoods and business districts; respond to calls for help; proactively enforce state, municipal and traffic laws; and investigate crime and accidents, among other activities.

**1.2 Promote Public Safety through Community Partnerships, public education and crime prevention.** To enhance the quality of life in a community involves more than law enforcement and crime fighting. It requires, as well, more anticipatory or preventive activities—all are part of what we call “public safety.”

Many of the activities listed in 1.1, of course, promote public safety. The department undertakes several complementary activities, too. For example, our officers sponsor the Explorer Program and “Cops for Kids.” We work to improve public safety by participating on the City’s Traffic Safety Committee and by employing the speed trailer to remind drivers of speed limits. We take steps to prevent crime by, to cite two examples, conducting business checks and speaking at public events to educate the public.

Community partnerships figure prominently in achieving this goal. The Pekin Police Department works actively with, among others, the Center for Prevention of Abuse, Crime Stoppers, Pekin Community High School District 303, Pekin Grade School District 108, the Pekin Police Foundation, the Pekin Park District, and the Teen Initiative.

# MISSION AND GOALS

## GOALS:

**2.0 Foster a Culture of Service Excellence.** Promoting excellence in our service to the community is HOW we do our work. The HOW is very visible to the public, and the department's culture is every bit as important to achieving the department's mission. We have identified five strategies for achieving service excellence.

**2.1 Recognize the value of all people and treat them with fairness, dignity, and equality at all times.** The department recruits and selects officers who have demonstrated respect for fair and equitable treatment of people. The department provides in-service and academy training to reinforce desirable behavior. "Ideal Officer" evaluations complement the process.

**2.2 Respond to calls for service and criminal incidents in a timely, efficient, and equitable manner that is fair to all residents.** Department procedures such as prioritization of dispatch calls and district assignments by call load distribution are designed to provide timely, efficient, and equitable response to service calls.

**2.3 Select, reward, and promote officers who desire to serve others and who put department values into action.** Hiring procedures, "Ideal Officer" evaluations, the use of special assignments, and training options help to sustain a culture that showcases departmental values.

**2.4 Strive to provide employees with opportunities for meaningful work, challenging goals, and growth throughout their careers.** Meaningful work starts with the department's mission. The people who work in the department, sworn and non-sworn, are selected, retained, rewarded, and promoted because they are focused on achieving the mission. We challenge ourselves to improve and provide the means for doing so through training and opportunities for advancement.

**2.5 Provide the departmental organization and support services necessary to accomplish the mission.** The details of police work often lie hidden from the public but these support activities departmental planning, training, budgeting, record-keeping, supply inventory, evidence room, FOIA requests, vehicle maintenance, general administration, etc.—are no less important to creating the culture of service excellence required to provide high quality law enforcement and crime fighting.

# THE YEAR IN REVIEW

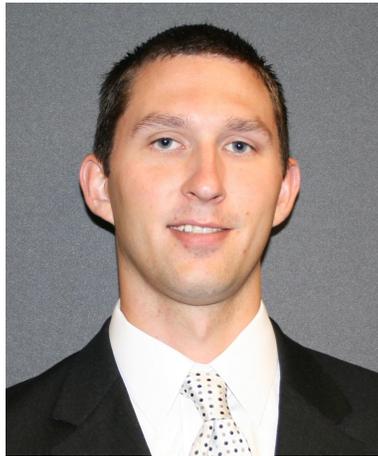
- January** Patrolman Rob Jones was assigned to K9
- February** Sergeant Bradd Elliott was promoted to Lieutenant after 23 years of service, of which 4 of those years he served as a Sergeant
- Patrolman Mike Ward was assigned as the school Liaison officer at Pekin Community High School, replacing Patrolman Jeff Little who served in that role for nearly 15 years.
- Patrolman Cory Mitchell received a lifesaving award. In mid February Patrolman Cory Mitchell arrived at a scene and located a male who was unconscious, not breathing, with no pulse. Patrolman Mitchell worked as a team, under very stressful circumstances, with the Fire Department administering CPR until AMT arrived. The male was treated at the hospital and survived.
- March** Patrolman Jeff Little was promoted to Sergeant after 17 years of service; 15 years of which he was the School Liaison Officer at Pekin Community High School.
- Lieutenant Glenda Hollis, the first female officer hired by the police department retired after 36 years of service.
- On the 19th at approximately 11:30am, the Pekin Police Department responded to 1800 Fawnridge where a female victim, 35 years old, and a male, 36 years old, were found inside the residence. Both were deceased from apparent gun shot wounds in a murder/suicide situation.
- April** Lieutenant Don Baxter was promoted to Deputy Chief after 15 years of service of which 4 years were spent as a Sergeant and 3 years as a Lieutenant
- Sergeant John Brooks was promoted to Lieutenant after 18 years of service of which 4 years were spent as a Sergeant.
- Patrolman Chuck Barth was promoted to Sergeant after 17 years of service.
- The police department implemented a new staffing program, TeleStaff ,that allows us to do our daily staffing and payroll on computers.

# THE YEAR IN REVIEW

- May** K9 Ahen (pronounced Ah-heen) graduated and ready for patrol with handler Patrolman Rob Jones.
- Officers raised a record amount of \$15000.00 for Special Olympics due in part to the hard work of Patrolman Jeff Stolz organizing fundraisers such as Policeman's Ball, Coins for a Cause, Wendy's Night, Harley Raffle, Guns and Hoses Basketball game and Texas Roadhouse fundraiser lunch. Without the help of numerous volunteers the fundraisers would not have been as successful.
- June** Three new patrolmen were hired this month. Patrolman Brett Butler came to us from Canton Police Department where he worked for 3 1/2 years. Patrolman Adrian Gonzales previously worked at Southern Il Univ School of Medicine PD for 9 months and Venice Il PD for 1 year. Patrolman Brian Wilmert came to us from Logan County Sheriffs Office where he worked for 1 1/2 years.
- July** Two new officers were hired this month. Patrolman Steven Melcher came to us from Benton Illinois with a degree from Southern Il University and Patrolman Nicholas Schulke came to us from Bloomington with his degree from Western Il. University.
- August** A new department policy manual was adopted.
- Patrolman Seth Ranney was promoted to Sergeant after 8 years of service.
- Sergeant Erik Shipman was promoted to Lieutenant after 16 years of service of which 1 year was spent as Sergeant.
- October** We partnered with the University of Illinois Chicago to participate in the Police Community Interaction Survey. We send approximated 250 survey letters per week to all drivers of traffic stops , motor vehicle accidents and non-violent crime victims.
- December** Patrolman Joe Hitchcock was hired He came to us from Canton Police Department where he worked for 8 years.

# AWARD RECIPIENTS

**Officer of The Year:** Each year the Pekin Police Department has the opportunity to honor a Pekin Police Officer with the designation of Officer of the Year. This is a very prestigious award and one that is not issued lightly. The Officer of the Year is selected based on his/her performance in the categories of Character, Integrity, Work Ethic, Job Performance, Conduct (on and off duty), Outside Activity and Professional Appearance.



Patrolman Josh Bush having completed not quite four years of service, has very quickly made a name for himself as being a dedicated, skilled and hard-working officer. Officer Bush has already been selected to be a Field Training Officer to train new officers the skills they need. We, obviously, select the very best for this assignment as we want the trainees to be a reflection of their trainers.

During the year, there was no single event that stood out. Instead Officer Bush made each day count. His positive attitude, strong work ethic and humility are inspirations for all of us

Patrolman Josh Bush is a credit to the Pekin Police Department and the Community that we serve.

**Letters of Commendation:**

Ptm. Dan Graber  
Ptm. Jennifer Melton  
Ptm. Greg Simmons

**Master Firearms Qualifications:**

|                |     |
|----------------|-----|
| Brett Butler   | 492 |
| Steve Fitzanko | 491 |
| Nate Ujinski   | 491 |
| Ryan Smith     | 491 |
| Dustin Salmon  | 489 |
| Bradd Elliott  | 488 |
| Rob Jones      | 488 |
| Matt Damron    | 487 |
| Greg Burris    | 486 |
| Shaun Ivey     | 486 |
| Chad Hazelwood | 486 |
| Greg Nelson    | 486 |

**Life Saving Medal:**

Ptm. Cory Mitchell

# AWARD RECIPIENTS

**The Pekin Police Department has added 5 new awards for 2012.**



## **The Buckle List**

Awarded to the officer having increased traffic safety by tenaciously enforcing occupant restraint laws.

Patrolman Will Taylor—119

## **Top Coyote**

Awarded to the officer successfully apprehending the violator driving the most over the posted speed limit.

Patrolman Jen Melton—90 mph in a 35 mph zone

## **Top Gun**

Awarded to the officer attaining the highest marksmanship score during annual range qualifications.

Patrolman Brett Butler—492

## **Outstanding DUI Enforcer**

Awarded to the officer making the greatest impact on reducing impaired motorists by aggressively enforcing Driving Under the Influence laws.

Patrolman Matt Kirk—32

## **Digger**

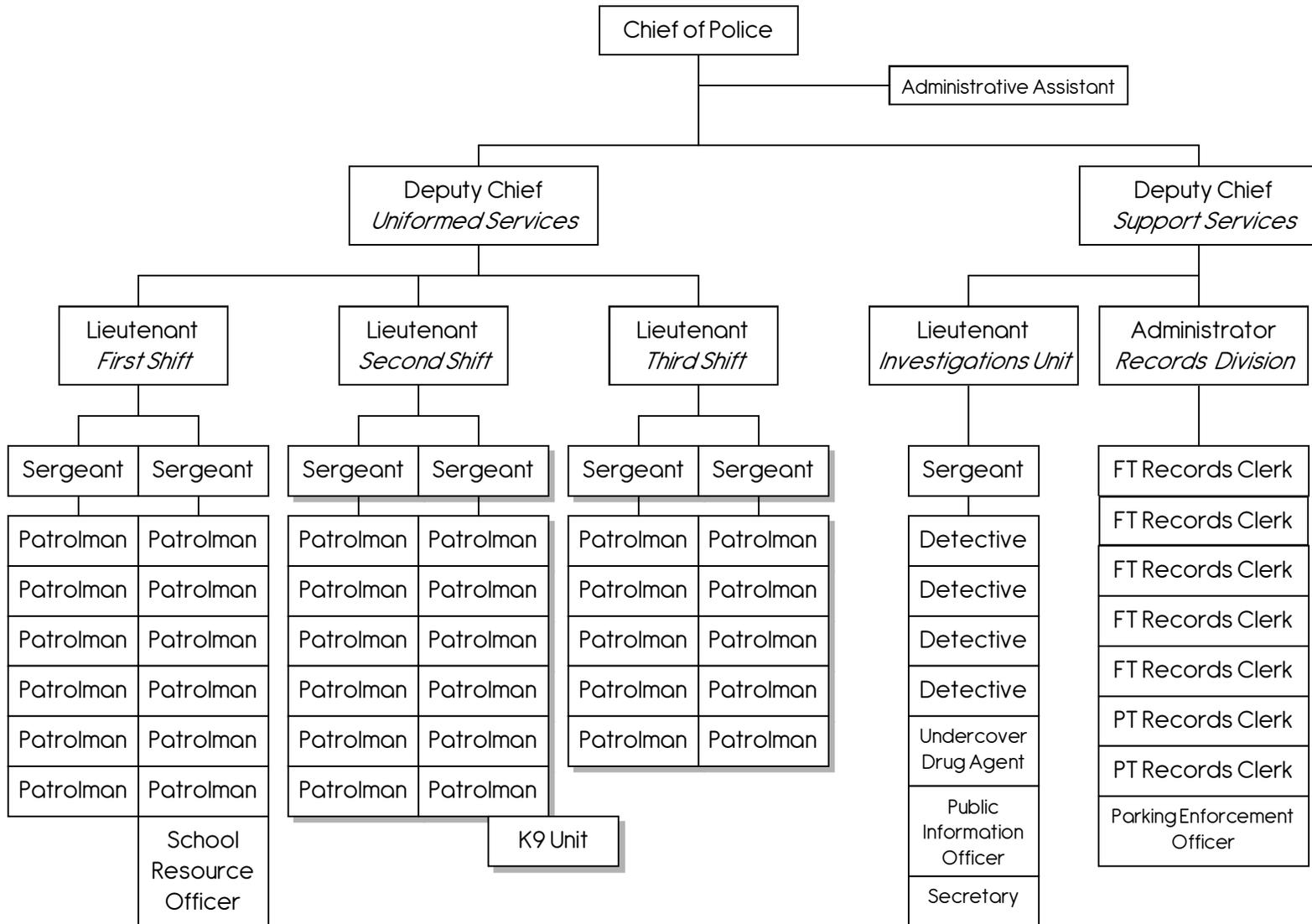
Awarded to the three officers who, through their efforts, used minor events to make very significant contributions to our Mission.

Gold—Patrolman Greg Simmons

Silver—Patrolman Josh Bush

Bronze—Patrolman Brian Willmert

# ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE



# ADMINISTRATION



The Pekin Police Department is separated into three divisions, Patrol, Special Services and Records. The Patrol Division is commanded by the Deputy Chief of Uniformed Services and the Special Services and Records Divisions are together commanded by the Deputy Chief of Support Services.

The Chief of Police oversees the department as a whole, but also serves as a member of a number of boards, committees and organizations. These positions and relationships keep the police department engaged in the community, with other city departments, with other agencies in our field and in the criminal justice system as a whole.

Besides these functional responsibilities, the members of the administration are responsible for budget preparation and execution, personnel actions, policy development, purchasing, fleet management, strategic planning and goal setting. The administration is supported by a secretary who, likewise, must share her time with duties from other boards and committees.

# PATROL DIVISION



The Patrol Division is the largest division of the Pekin Police Department with 43 sworn officers. The officers assigned to the Patrol Division are highly visible, uniformed officers patrolling in marked squad cars. These officers handle approximately 22,000 calls each year.

The Patrol Division is a 24/7 operation with three shifts of officers led by a lieutenant and two sergeants. Each shift consists of beat officers that patrol designated areas in their squad cars looking for potential problems. These dedicated officers respond to a variety of calls and handle them all professionally to a 94% satisfaction of the citizens they serve.

The Patrol Division is also responsible for traffic enforcement and accident investigations. We believe the two are related in that reducing speed and wearing seat belts through traffic enforcement helps reduce the number of serious accidents and fatalities.

The Patrol Division had many changes during this year. Sergeants. Elliott, Brooks, and Shipman were all promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Lieutenant. Elliott filled a vacancy in the Investigation Division. Lieutenant. Brooks is the Shift Commander for third shift and Lieutenant. Shipman is the Shift Commander on second shift.

The K9 officer is a part of the Patrol Division. Our K9 officer assists the patrol officers with traffic stops, building searches, and tracking. He is also available for demonstrations to our local schools and organizations. This position has also seen a new officer take over the duties of the handler. Officer Rob Jones and his new partner Ahen were trained at the IL. State Police Academy. They both have excelled in their new position for the department and the citizens of this city.

The School Resource Officer (SRO) is also under the Patrol Division. The SRO works directly within the high school setting to facilitate and foster positive relationships between police officers, students, and school personnel. The SRO's main goal is to promote a safe and positive learning environment for the students of the school. Officer Mike Ward took over this position when Officer Little was promoted to Sergeant. Officer Ward has done a great job in his new position.

# RECORDS DIVISION



The Pekin Police Department's Records Division is the primary repository for the police departments' documents. Under the supervision of Susanne Stumpf the Records Department reviews, controls and distributes various types of information to police, citizens and other agencies. The Records Department consists of 5 full time records clerks, 2 part time records clerks and 1 full time parking enforcement officer. Some of the duties performed by the records clerk include:

- Manning the police department front desk and Records Department 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Process reports for the Patrol and Investigations Departments
- Taking walk in reports at the front desk
- Registering Sex Offenders
- Processing Freedom of Information request
- Processing court ordered expungements

- Processing traffic and warning tickets
- Preparing reports, evidence and case files for court cases
- Process request for information from probation, parole and the State's Attorney office
- Collect fines on city ordinance violations and parking tickets
- Process request for local records checks from the military, Office of Personnel Management and other law enforcement agencies
- Process and submit crash reports to Docview
- Responding to subpoenas and other court processes
- Purge records in accordance with state laws

The parking enforcement officer is responsible for enforcing state and local parking laws and registering bicycles. These officer duties include:

- Issues parking tickets
- Collects and processes payments
- Maintains a registry of all the bicycles registered with the police department
- fines
- Processes hearing notices,
- Assists the Parking Hearing Officer at parking hearings
- Maintains the parking ticket database

# SPECIAL SERVICES DIVISION



The Pekin Police Department Special Services Division consists of the Investigations unit, a Public Information Officer (PIO), and one officer assigned to the Multi-County Narcotics Enforcement Group (MEG).

The Investigations unit consists of four detectives who are responsible for a variety of investigations, such as; criminal damage, burglary, fraud, robbery, homicide, and any other crime needing further investigation. These detectives are specially trained in forensic evidence collection, forensic interviewing of child sex abuse victims, phone forensics and homicide investigations.

The PIO works with the media to ensure accurate information is provided to the public. The PIO is also responsible for our department's interaction with the Crime Stoppers Program. Additionally, the PIO organizes and directs the National Night Out

Against Crime annual event and works with others to develop crime prevention measures to address the safety concerns of the public we serve.

The MEG officer works with a team of under-cover officers from other communities to fight illegal drug activity.

These units are supervised by a lieutenant and a sergeant.

During 2012, these units worked many complex investigations. We investigated a murder/suicide involving a gun. We made drug arrests on two suspects involved in drug related homicides. We had one bank robbery and a few gas station robberies for which we made arrests on all of them. There were 26 federal indictments on suspects relating to methamphetamine.

# CANINE UNIT



In 2012, the Pekin Police Department selected Patrolman Rob Jones and canine Ahen (pronounced Ah-heen) to provide K-9 services for the City of Pekin. As these two became the newly certified K-9 team they quickly built a reputation of availability, reliability, and effectiveness. In doing so, this team has noticeably built on the successes of previous years and expanded into areas unaddressed at an earlier time. The achievements of Patrolman Jones and Ahen are illustrated in this section.



## K9 YEAR END TOTALS FOR 2012

|                     |           |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Marijuana Seized    | 8.04 Kilo |
| Cocaine Rock Seized | 5.3 Grams |
| Arrests             | 205       |
| Vehicles Searched   | 307       |
| Tracks              | 11        |
| Schools Searched    | 10        |
| Buildings Searched  | 18        |

# ANNUAL TRAINING SUMMARY

Training is a crucial component of any quality police department. It improves proficiency in all aspects of policing ranging from common daily duties to the proper handling of a major incident. The Pekin Police Department recognizes the necessity of ongoing training and strives to provide it's officers with high-quality, specialized training in a variety of fields preparing them for the complexities of policing today.

The Pekin Police Department provides annual training in the fields of:

- Blood Borne Pathogens
- Hazardous materials
- LEADS (Law Enforcement Agency Data System)
- Breath Alcohol Operator (blood alcohol level testing and documentation)
- Range Training - Use Of Force, Ground Fighting, Firearms Proficiency, Secondary Weapons, Tactics, etc.
- Traffic stop training or Active School Shooter



Pekin Police members of the CIERT (Central Illinois Emergency Response Team) and ILEAS (Illinois Law Enforcement Alarm System) "SWAT" teams receive regularly scheduled advanced tactical training.

In addition to the training listed above, officers attended 4116 hours of outside training. Highlights include:



- Several members of Command Staff completed courses in the National Incident Management System.
- Two officers completed Basic Law Enforcement Training at a police academy.
- Officers attended a variety of courses regarding juvenile law classes and sex crimes against children.
- Officers attended 272 hours of course training in advanced traffic crash investigation.
- Officers attended four separate courses regarding DUI enforcement.
- Investigators completed numerous courses regarding lead homicide investigation and use of new technologies in the field of criminal investigation.
- Officers attended more than a dozen courses regarding use of force, tactics, use of firearms, expandable baton / PR 24, OC "pepper spray", electronic control devices "tazer", specialized "less lethal" impact munitions, Range Officer training, officer involved shootings, additional, school hazard planning ("school shooting") and SWAT related courses.
- Command staff completed courses in management and leadership including: organizational accountability, police executive role in the 21st century, police morale for supervisors, community leadership, FOIA- Freedom of Information Act, FMLA- Family Medical Leave Act, evidence / property management, asset forfeiture, and "Keeping Good People Good".
- Other training included, but is not limited to, Full Service Police K9 (400 hrs), Certified pension Trustee Program, elder abuse, street level drug enforcement, excited delirium, police radar, precision driving, interview and interrogation, law updates, search and seizure, and search warrant preparation.

# CRIME PREVENTION

## 2012 Crime Prevention Office

The Pekin Police Department staffs their Crime Prevention position full time because it is viewed as an integral component of law enforcement services for the City of Pekin. The officer chosen for service in Crime Prevention must perform as a full-time detective, public information officer, community outreach coordinator, and Crime Stoppers representative. Further, this officer is charged with undertaking, synchronizing, or participating in several special events throughout the year; such as Night Out Against Crime, Shop With a Hero, the police Facebook page, Tazewell Teen Initiative, and the YWCA Coalition for Equality. The department requires this officer to manage a diverse caseload, process crime scenes, provide accurate and timely information to media outlets, give presentations, and take on any other assignment deemed necessary by administrators. The Crime Prevention officer is expected to be highly motivated and organized, work well under stress, and have strong communication skills.

In 2012, Officer Don Jolly excelled in the Crime Prevention position. Not only did he exceed the ordinary expectations, but he created a new "Hide-Lock-Take" program for the City of Pekin. Officer Jolly coordinated the placement of 50 signs that advises citizens to "Hide your things, lock your car, and take your keys". The intent of this program is to reduce thefts and protect property, and has received a warm welcome from the public. The remainder of Officer Jolly's successes are illustrated in the data presented below.



|                          |            |
|--------------------------|------------|
| Tips received            | 720        |
| Cases Cleared            | 58         |
| Arrests made             | 67         |
| Re-enactments            | 15         |
| Total Rewards:           | \$6,745.00 |
| Total Reward Recipients: | 32         |



|                          |    |
|--------------------------|----|
| Hide-Lock-Take Signs     | 50 |
| Number of Presentations: | 40 |
| Number of Bank Trainings | 2  |

# EXPLORERS POST #400

As an Explorer, young adults have the opportunity to assist the Pekin Police Department. Explorers can broaden their understanding and first-hand knowledge of the challenges and job skills that make up their community's police service. In addition to gaining a working knowledge of police work, the participants have the opportunity to give of themselves to their community. Although Post 400 is law enforcement oriented, Explorers are volunteers and do not serve as police employees, sworn or civilian.

In 2012 the volunteers spent 474 hours in meetings.

The various activities and detail hours worked for 2012 were 1088 Below is a listing of volunteer Activities and Detail hours for the Explorers.

- ◆ Explorer Awards Banquet
- ◆ Guns and Hoses Detail
- ◆ Ambucs Auction
- ◆ Law Enforcement Exploring Shooting Competition and Training
- ◆ Wings & Wheel Event
- ◆ Emergency Expo in Peoria
- ◆ National Law Enforcement Exploring Conference
- ◆ First Nighter
- ◆ Marigold Festival
- ◆ MSP Detail for Military Dedications
- ◆ Halloween Detail
- ◆ Explorer Christmas Party

# CITIZEN VOLUNTEERS & C.O.P.

Volunteers in the community have help the police department in many ways .

In 2012 We acquired two new volunteers, Tom Sutton and retired Pekin Police officer Dale Oltman. They were a huge help in shuttling Police Department vehicles to and from repair and maintenance appointments for most of the year. We were also glad to welcome back Volunteer Marv Brown who has since taken over the car shuttling duties.

## **CITIZEN VOLUNTEERS IN 2012:**

Citizen Volunteers provided approximately 140 hours scanning and filing in the records division.

Citizen Volunteers provided approximately 165 hours shuttling Police Department vehicles to and from repair and maintenance appointments.

## **CITIZENS ON PATROL (C.O.P.) IN 2012:**

Citizens On Patrol logged more than 150 hours in the C.O.P. car looking for unusual activity, parking violations, and other potential problems.

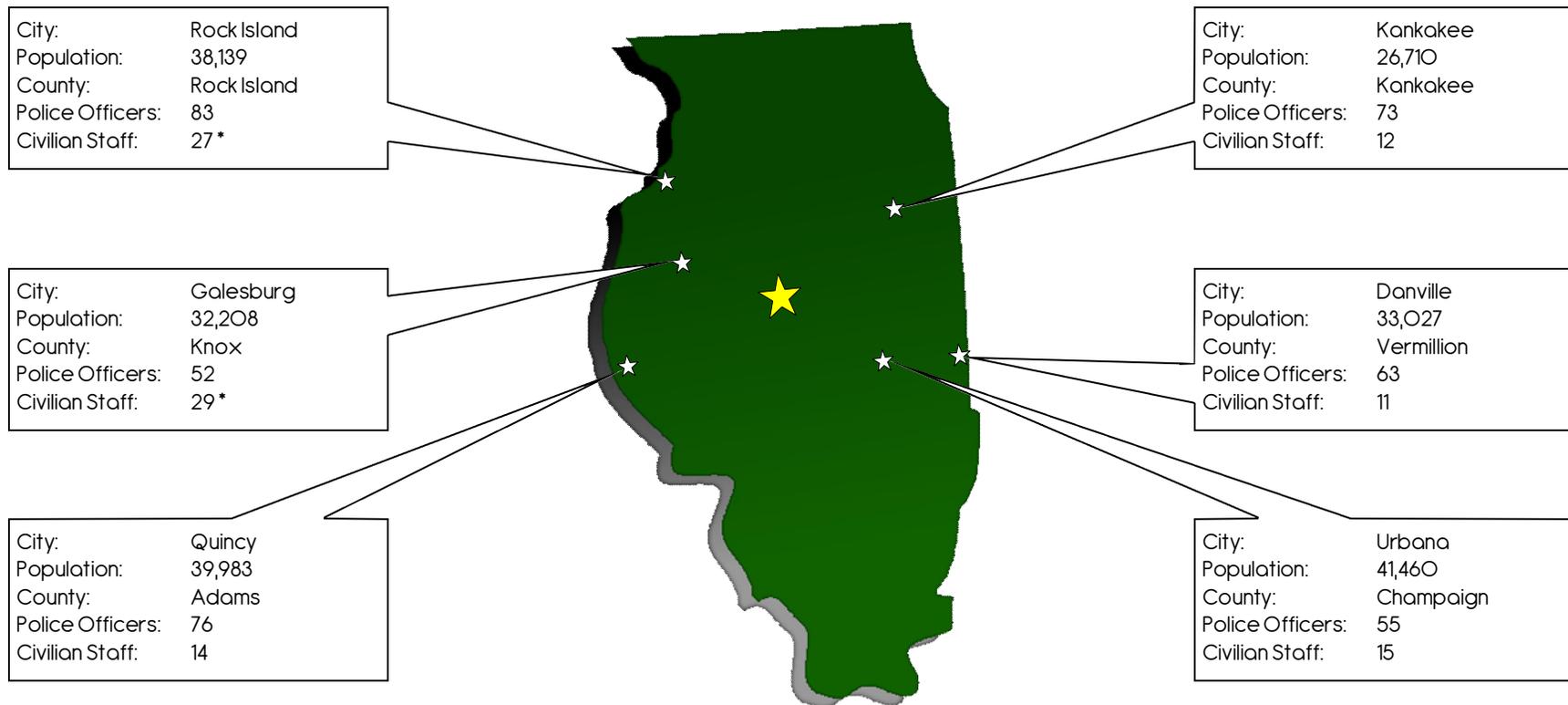
# CRIME STATISTICS

## CRIME INDEX OFFENSES/CRIME RATES 2005-2012 (UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING INDEX)

| YEAR | POPULATION | TOTAL CRIME INDEX | MURDER | CRIMINAL SEXUAL ASSAULT | ROBBERY | AGG. ASSAULT/BATTERY | BURGLARY | THEFT | MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT | ARSON |
|------|------------|-------------------|--------|-------------------------|---------|----------------------|----------|-------|---------------------|-------|
| 2012 | 34,041     | 1099              | 1      | 19                      | 19      | 137                  | 164      | 728   | 23                  | 8     |
| 2011 | 34,160     | 917               | 0      | 26                      | 15      | 95                   | 152      | 607   | 20                  | 2     |
| 2010 | 34,109     | 963               | 3      | 15                      | 6       | 92                   | 170      | 634   | 39                  | 4     |
| 2009 | 33,421     | 1,129             | 0      | 30                      | 10      | 120                  | 209      | 710   | 51                  | 3     |
| 2008 | 33,399     | 1,098             | 0      | 22                      | 7       | 99                   | 165      | 755   | 47                  | 6     |
| 2007 | 33,362     | 1,123             | 1      | 32                      | 14      | 98                   | 157      | 726   | 86                  | 9     |
| 2006 | 33,326     | 1,069             | 1      | 12                      | 11      | 102                  | 192      | 704   | 42                  | 5     |
| 2005 | 33,282     | 1,101             | 0      | 21                      | 7       | 127                  | 176      | 697   | 57                  | 16    |

# HOW WE STACK UP

The Pekin Police Department benchmarks its crime rate against other, comparable, communities in Illinois. The following communities have been selected as Benchmark Cities. They include all cities with populations between 25,000 and 45,000—excluding the Chicago and St. Louis metropolitan areas.

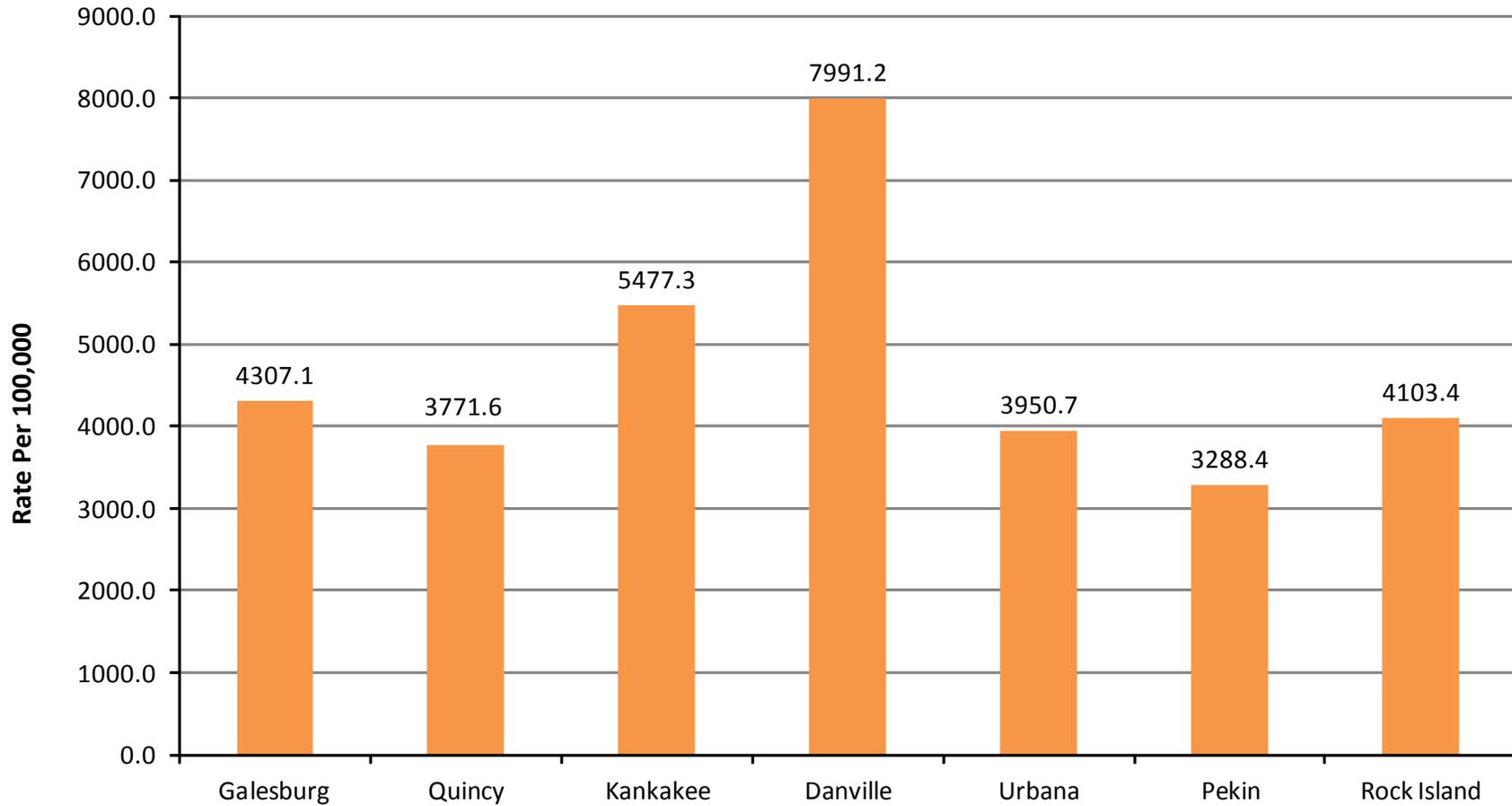


Pekin is located in Tazewell County and has 33,421 residents served by 56 police officers, and 10 civilian staff members.

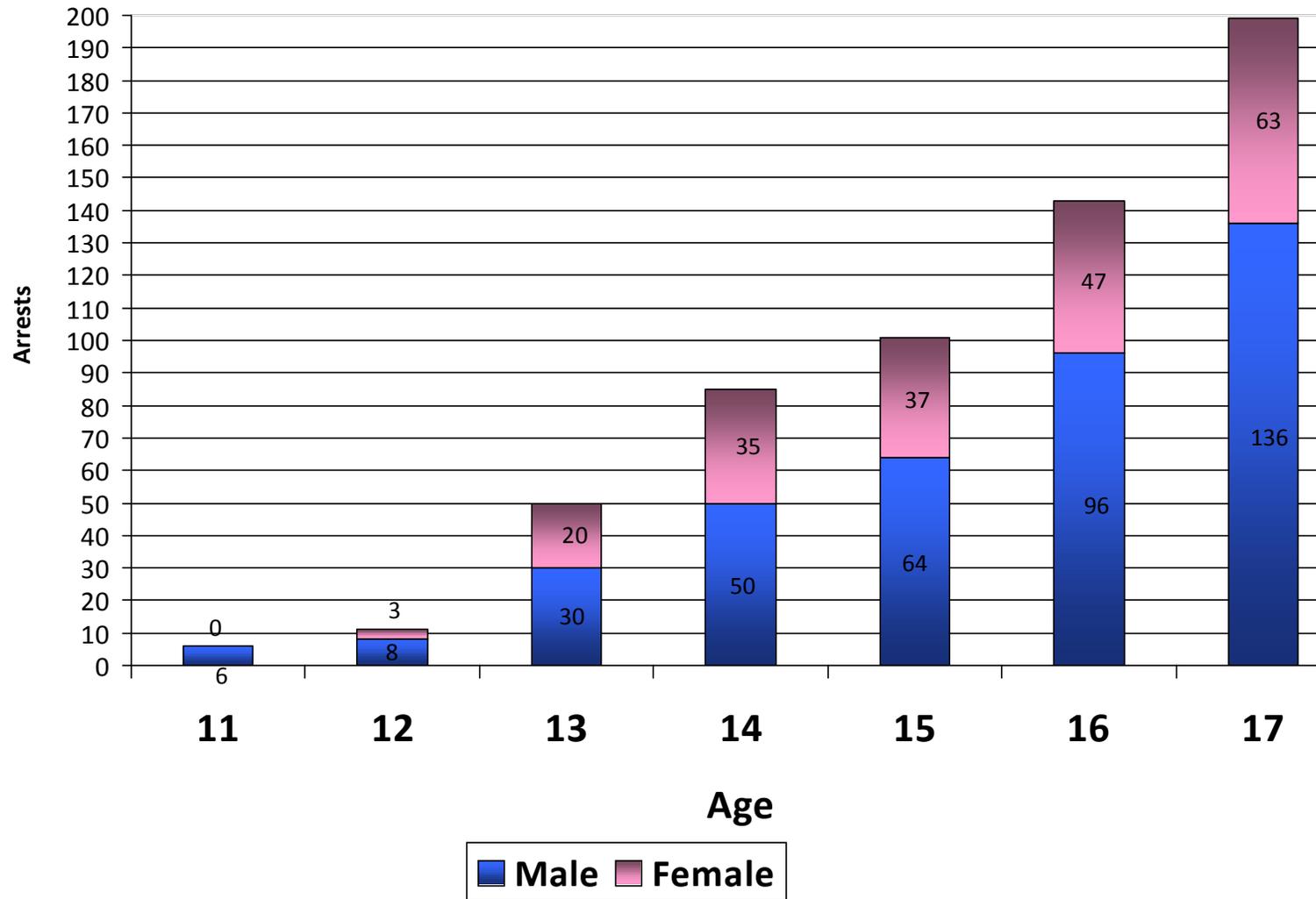
*\*Includes communications center employees.*

# HOW WE STACK UP

2012 Part I Crimes

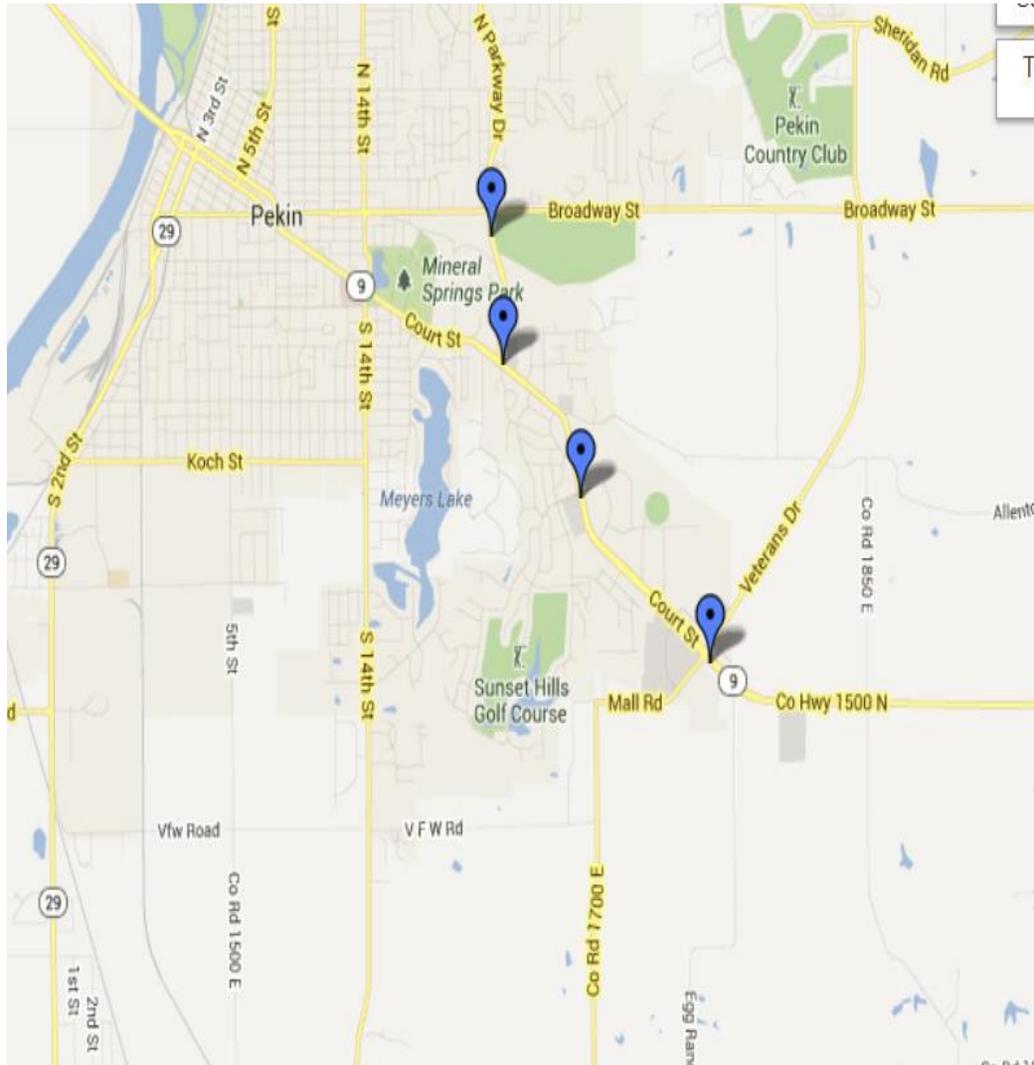


### 2012 Juvenile Arrests

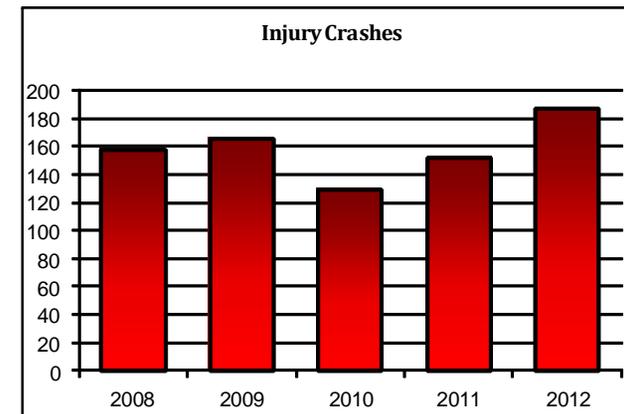
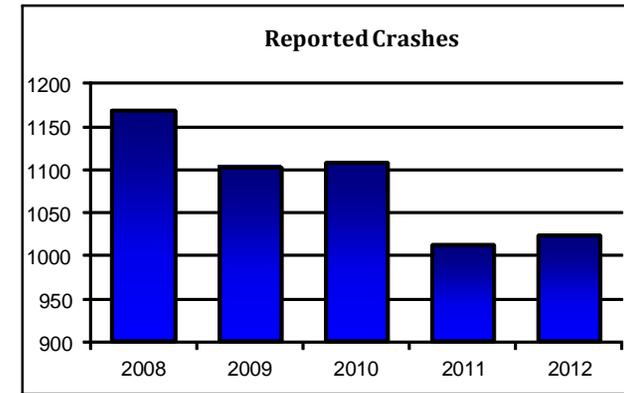


# TRAFFIC CRASHES

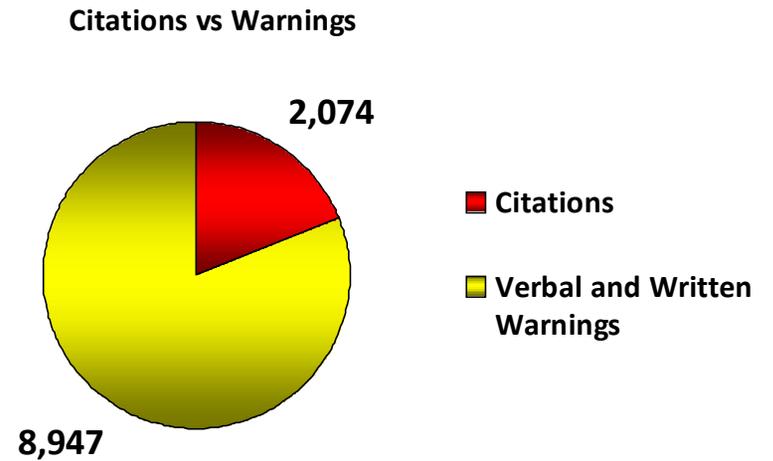
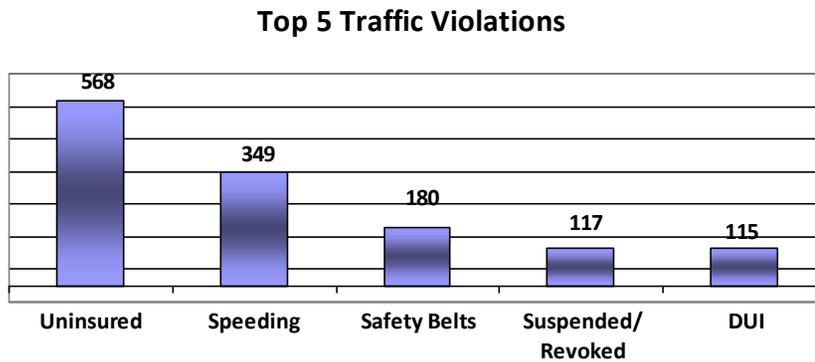
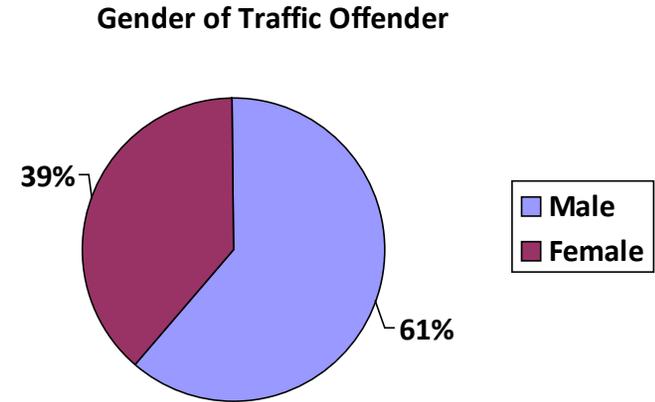
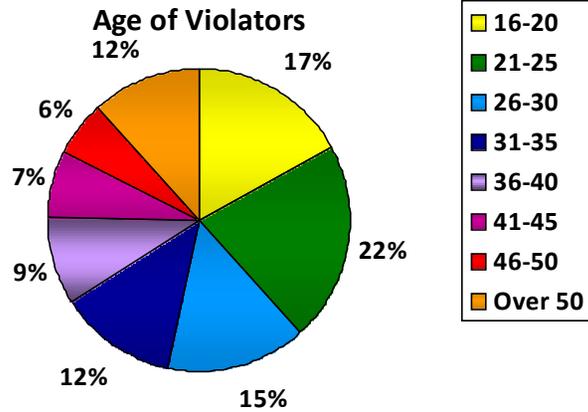
## Top 4 locations with the most crashes



1. Court Street / S. Parkway Drive: 16 Crashes
2. Court Street / Veterans Drive: 15 Crashes
3. Court Street / Valle Vista: 15 Crashes
4. Broadway Rd / Parkway Dr: 15 Crashes

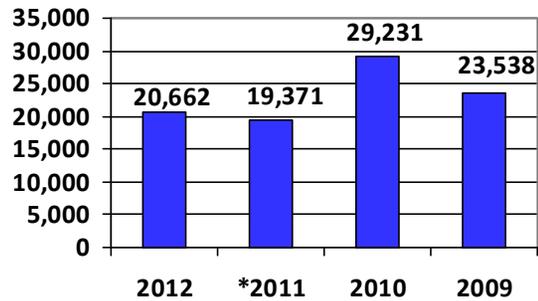


# TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

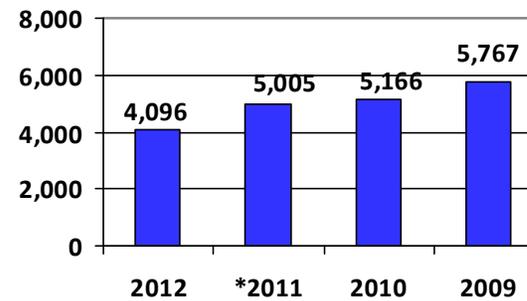


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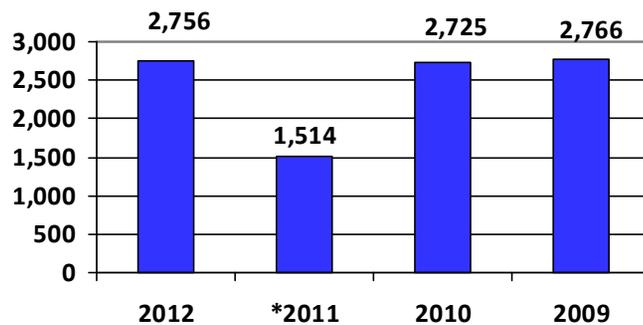
### Calls For Service



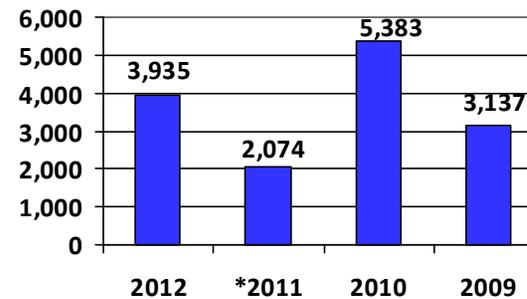
### Offenses Reported



### Criminal Arrests



### Traffic Tickets



\* This chart does not reflect an accurate comparison due to a new system being implemented in early 2011

# PERSONNEL

**SWORN  
OFFICERS  
~  
YEARS  
OF SERVICE  
AS OF  
YEAR END**

|                 |                     |    |       |
|-----------------|---------------------|----|-------|
| Chief of Police | Greg Nelson         | 18 | Years |
| Deputy Chief    | Don Baxter          | 14 | Years |
| Deputy Chief    | Jim Kaminski        | 19 | Years |
| Lieutenant      | John Brooks         | 17 | Years |
| Lieutenant      | Greg Burris         | 10 | Years |
| Lieutenant      | Bradd Elliott       | 23 | Years |
| Lieutenant      | Erik Shipman        | 17 | Years |
| Sergeant        | Chuck Barth         | 17 | Years |
| Sergeant        | Matt Damron         | 11 | Years |
| Sergeant        | Courtney Hutchinson | 6  | Years |
| Sergeant        | Jeff Little         | 17 | Years |
| Sergeant        | Seth Ranney         | 2  | Years |
| Sergeant        | Dustin Salmon       | 13 | Years |
| Sergeant        | Rick VonRohr        | 9  | Years |
| Patrolman       | Will Taylor         | 21 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Bryan Elliott       | 21 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Steve Fitzanko      | 18 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Greg Simmons        | 17 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Chris Bitner        | 17 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Shaun Ivey          | 16 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Jeff Richardson     | 16 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Chad Hazelwood      | 15 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Jeff Stolz          | 15 | Years |
| Patrolman       | James Guerra        | 13 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Dan Graber          | 13 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Don Jolly           | 12 | Years |
| Patrolman       | Brian Helmick       | 11 | Years |
| Patrolman       | May Pulliam         | 11 | Years |

|           |                    |    |        |
|-----------|--------------------|----|--------|
| Patrolman | Drew Thompson      | 10 | Years  |
| Patrolman | Jennifer Melton    | 9  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Mike Ward          | 8  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Cory Gallup        | 8  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Brian Zimmerman    | 7  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Billie Jo Ingles   | 7  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Tim Ricci          | 7  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Nate Ujinski       | 7  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Justin Fitzgerald  | 6  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Danielle Keen      | 6  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Joe Wagle          | 6  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Justin Rabe        | 5  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Nick Taylor        | 5  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Luke Von Der Heide | 4  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Josh Bush          | 4  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Rob Jones          | 4  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Mike Eeten         | 4  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Ryan Smith         | 3  | Years  |
| Patrolman | Cory Mitchell      | 1  | Year   |
| Patrolman | Adam Smith         | 1  | Year   |
| Patrolman | Chris Beecher      | 1  | Year   |
| Patrolman | Matthew Kirk       | 1  | Year   |
| Patrolman | Adrian Gonzales    | 6  | Months |
| Patrolman | Brett Butler       | 6  | Months |
| Patrolman | Brian Willmert     | 6  | Months |
| Patrolman | Nicholas Schulke   | 5  | Months |
| Patrolman | Steven Melcher     | 5  | Months |
| Patrolman | Joe Hitchcock      | 1  | Month  |

# PERSONNEL

SUPPORT  
STAFF  
~  
YEARS  
OF SERVICE  
AS OF  
YEAR END

## Administration

Administrative Assistant Lee Ann Wrhel 6 Years

## Records Division

Records Administrator Susie Stumpf 16 Years  
Records Clerk Tammy Hilst 23 Years  
Records Clerk Sonia Hess 14 Years  
Records Clerk Jan Cottrell 6 Years  
Records Clerk Lori Justus 3 Months  
Records Clerk Courtney York 1 Month  
Records Clerk (Part Time) Shannon Saal-Evans 2 Years  
Records Clerk (Part Time) Courtney Conover 3 Months

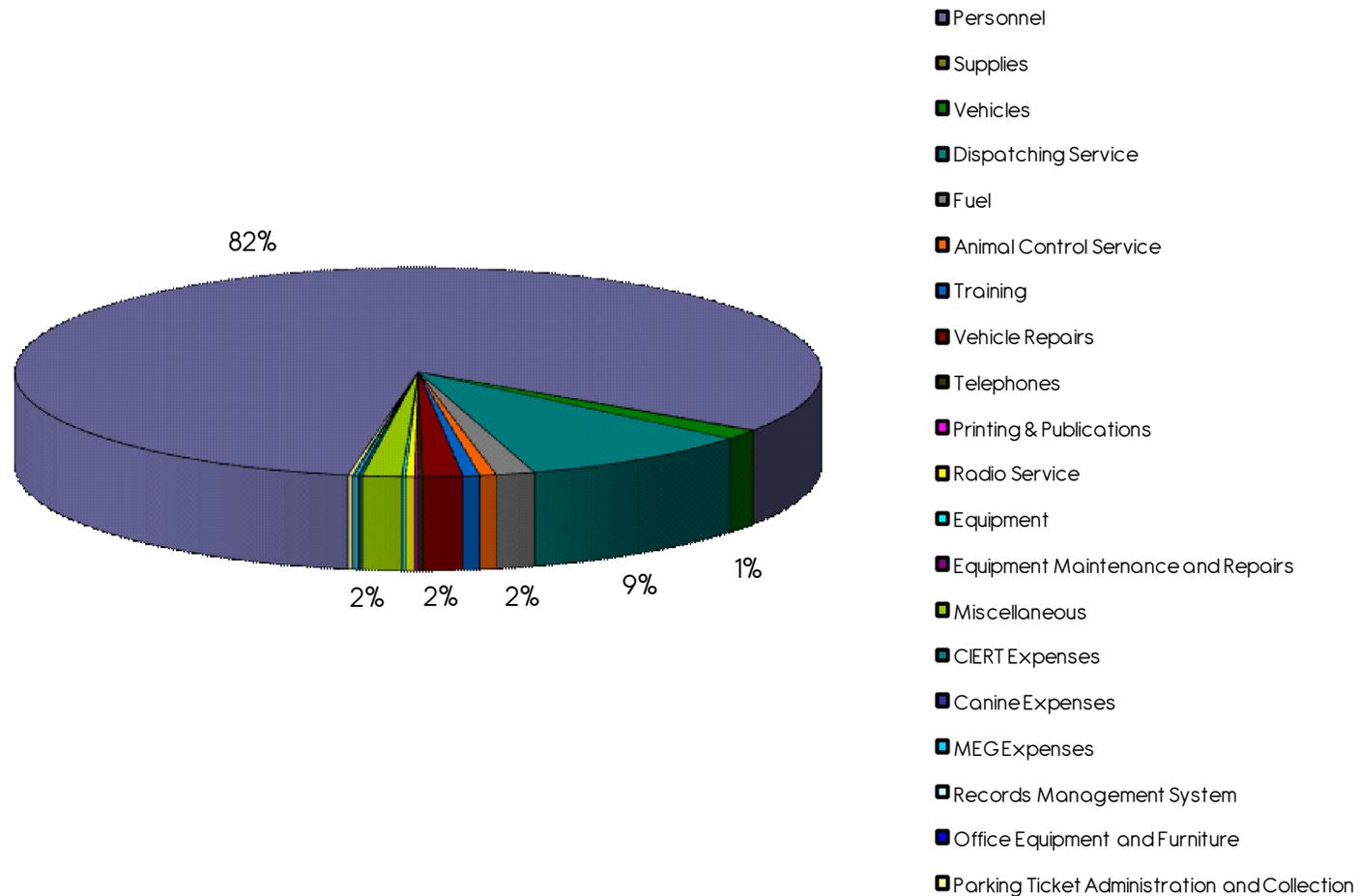
Parking Enforcement Officer Lee Scott 2 Years

## Special Services Division

Secretary Tisha Watkins 1 Year

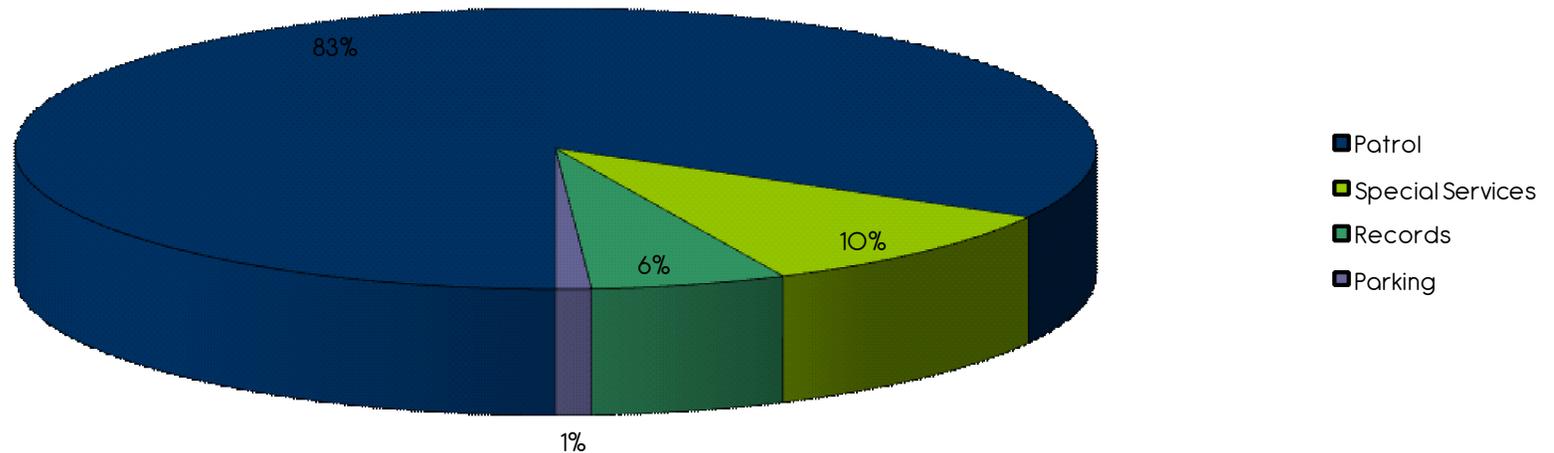
# BUDGET

The Pekin Police Department's FY 2012 budget was \$6.7M. Aside from personnel, the largest expenses are for dispatching services (Tazewell/Pekin Consolidated Communications Center), Fuel, Vehicles and Vehicle Maintenance.



# BUDGET

The Patrol Division, which consists of uniformed officers conducting visible patrol and service delivery, is funded by 83% of the department's budget. The Special Services Division, which consists of detectives and special assignments follows with about 10%. The Records and Parking Divisions make up the remainder.



# RETIREMENTS

|                              |                    |    |                   |
|------------------------------|--------------------|----|-------------------|
| Lieutenant Glenda Hollis     | November 1, 1975   | to | March 4, 2012     |
| Deputy Chief Dennis Franks   | March 27, 1998     | to | April 13 , 2012   |
| Records Clerk Shirley Schuck | September 23, 1991 | to | September 4, 2012 |