



Willimantic Police Department

Proposal for Police Services

About Willimantic Police Department

- Established 1893
- Services the Willimantic Taxing District
- Approx. 4.4 sq. miles
- Approx. 18,000 residents
- 44 Sworn officers
- 7 Civilian Support Staff
- Moving towards Accreditation (Policies & Procedures)
- Established Resources

22 Meadow Street Willimantic, CT
(Downtown)



Command Staff

- ▶ Roberto M. Rosado, Chief of Police (21 years)
- ▶ Robert Buckner, Deputy Chief of Police (31 years)
- ▶ Lieutenant Doug Glode Detective Division Commander (17 years)
- ▶ Lieutenant Paul Hussey Patrol Division Commander (23 years)
- ▶ Lieutenant Matt Solak Traffic and Training Division (14 years)
- ▶ Lieutenant Charles Miller Professional Standards and Accreditation (12 Years)

Patrol Division

- ▶ 3 Sergeants, 6 Corporals, 22 Officers and 1 SRO
- ▶ 16,000 Calls for Service
- ▶ Well trained and have additional services available at their disposal
- ▶ K-9, Crisis Intervention Officers, SWAT, DRONE, Accident Reconstruction, Bike Patrol, LPR's, Infrared, Speed Monitoring Trailer
- ▶ The Police Department prides itself with a hybrid Community Policing style & Traditional Practices
- ▶ 2018 U.S. Attorney's Community Police Award

“Back Bone” of the Agency



Detective Division

- ▶ 1 Sergeant, 5 Detectives, 1 Crime Scene Technician
- ▶ Taskforce Assignment with the DEA
- ▶ Strong partnerships with the FBI, ATF and CT State Police (Major Crimes)
- ▶ Crime Scene Trailer
- ▶ Successful Division
- ▶ 2016 Attempted Murder Case– Angel Alvarez convicted 30 year sentence
- ▶ 2016 Pulaski Court Murder Case –Two offenders were recently convicted
- ▶ Armed Robberies in late 2018 and early 2019 Arrests made (Pending)
- ▶ October 2018 Domestic Violence Murder Case Arrest made (Pending)

Major Felony Investigations,
Crimes Against Children and
Narcotics Investigations

Recent Case Highlights

Willimantic PD Success

- ▶ The Willimantic Police Department has been proactive in crime reduction and the Town has been recognized for lowered crime statistics as well as above state average for felony case clearance rates. The State of Connecticut crime solvability average for the last two years (finalized) is approximately 23%. The Willimantic Police Department achieved the success of approximately 36% in 2016 and approximately 41.2% in 2017. In 2018, Willimantic was named one of the fifty safest college towns in America.

Additional Resources

- ▶ Accident Reconstruction
- ▶ School Resource Officer
- ▶ K-9 (3 Officers) Earned 6 Wasson Memorial Awards since 2007
- ▶ Bike Patrol
- ▶ Community Policing Events and Programs
- ▶ DRONE
- ▶ M/V Enforcement Grants (DUI & Distracted Driving)

Resources will be extended to Chaplin

- ▶ Emergency Services and SWAT Operations

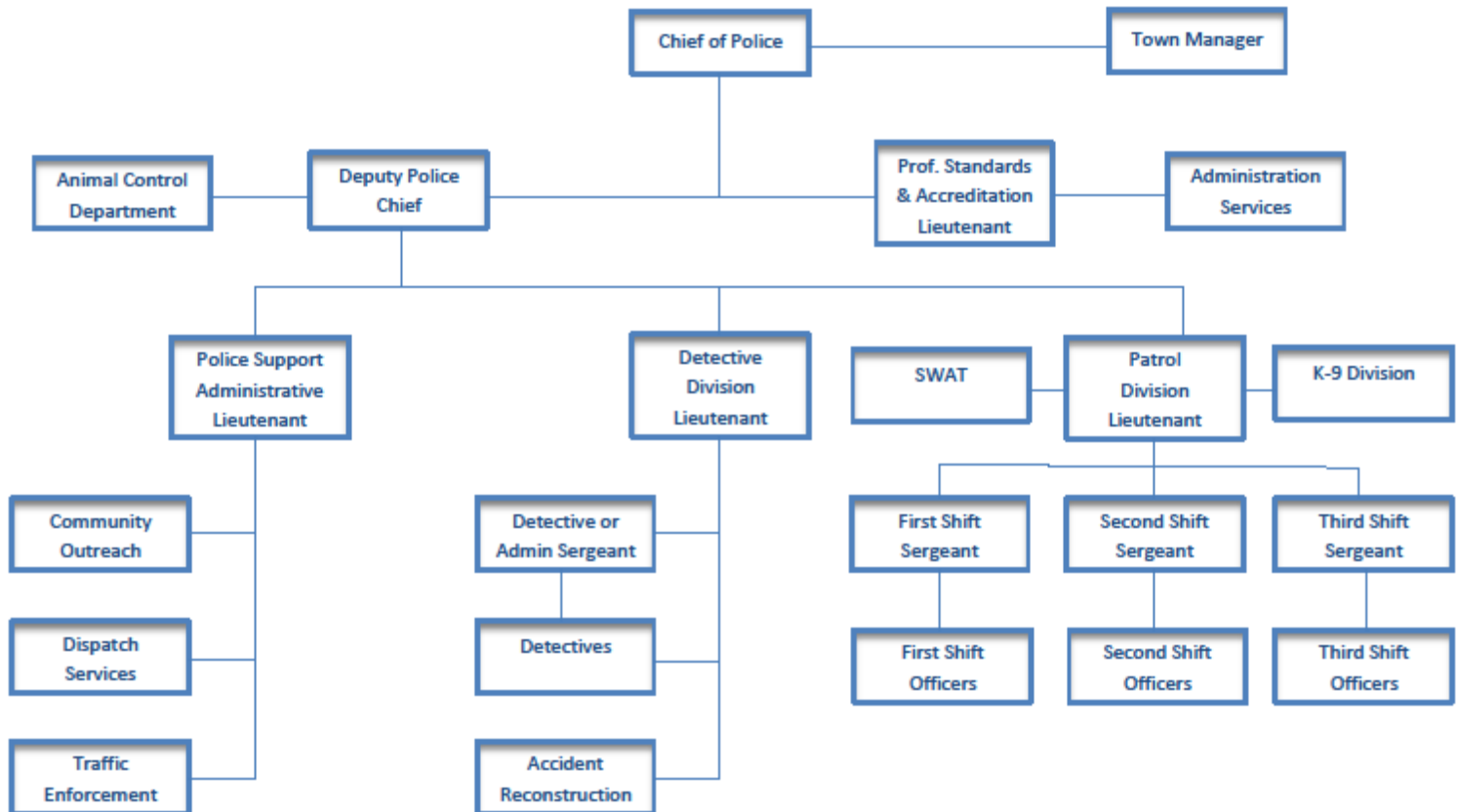


Established and Well Trained Resources



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Organizational Structure Chart



Civilian Support Staff

- ▶ **Three administrative support staff** – Maintain and provide records, permits and prepare CJ paperwork for court proceedings.

Community Policing Service

- ▶ Youth Leadership Academy – 2 Summer Youth Camps
- ▶ Citizen's Academy – Adults learn about Law Enforcement and the Criminal Justice System
- ▶ Various 1 day events such as k9 demonstrations, touch a truck, stuff a cruiser, Channel 3 kids camp, Support Veterans Events & Special Olympics (Torch Run)



Youth and Events

Event Pictures

Mutual Aid

- ▶ **Sec. 7-277a. Police assistance agreements.** (a) The chief executive officer of any town, city or borough or his designee may, whenever he determines it to be necessary in order to protect the safety or well-being of his municipality, request the chief executive officer of any other town, city or borough to furnish such police assistance as is necessary to meet such situation and the chief executive officer, or chief of police or board of police commissioners or other duly constituted authority with the approval of the chief executive officer of the municipality receiving such request may, notwithstanding any other provision or requirement of state or local law, assign and make available for duty in such other municipality, under the direction and command of an officer designated for the purpose, such part of the police forces under his control as he deems consistent with the safety and well-being of his municipality. Any policeman so provided, while acting in response to such request, shall have the same powers, duties, privileges and immunities as are conferred on the policemen of the municipality requesting assistance. Unless waived in writing by the chief executive officer of the municipality supplying assistance pursuant to a request under this section, such municipality shall be reimbursed for all expenditures incurred in providing such assistance by the municipality making such request, including payments for death, disability or injury of employees and losses or damages to supplies or equipment incurred in providing such assistance. Any municipality, upon the approval of the chief executive officer and, where required by charter or ordinance, the governing body of such municipality, may enter into an agreement with any other municipality or municipalities, with respect to requesting and supplying such assistance and reimbursing or receiving reimbursement for the same.
- ▶ **Connecticut State Police and our Law Enforcement Council Region: Plainfield, Putnam, Norwich, New London, Groton Town, Groton City, Waterford, East Lyme, Stonington, Ledyard, Mohegan and Mashantucket**

What are the Benefits

- ▶ Location: Approx. 9 miles away (Central location)
- ▶ 15 Minutes away (routine call)
- ▶ Administrative services (Accident Reports, Records, Fingerprinting, & other Services)
- ▶ Established Police Department
- ▶ Police Infrastructure – Public Safety Building & vehicles are in great condition, Divisions, Programs & Software
- ▶ Cost Effective
- ▶ Access to all available Resources

Close Proximity

Established Police Department

Options and Cost

Willimantic Police Department			
Estimated Annual Costs to Provide Police Service to Chaplin			
	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
	8hrs/5 days	8hr/7day	80 hrs/week *
Days	5	7	10
Hours per Day	8	8	16
Total Hours	40	56	80
Number of Officers	1	1.25	2
Cost per Officer	\$ 135,000.00	\$ 135,000.00	\$ 135,000.00
Cost of Patrol	\$ 135,000.00	\$ 168,750.00	\$ 270,000.00
Total Annual Cost for Response to calls when officer is not on duty	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 13,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
Estimated Cost for Officer	\$ 145,000.00	\$ 181,750.00	\$ 290,000.00
Vehicle, Maintenance and Fuel	\$ 17,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 25,000.00
Training and Equipment	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 16,000.00
Administrative Fees	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00
Total Estimated Cost for Police Services	\$ 195,000.00	\$ 234,750.00	\$ 356,000.00