

## AYER POLICE DEPARTMENT

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William A. Murray *Chief of Police* 

## **MEMORANDUM**

**To:** Town Administrator Pontbriand

From: Chief William A. Murray

**CC:** file

**Date:** September 20, 2016 **Re:** August Monthly Report

During the month of August 2016 the Police Department logged 802 events requiring 44 incident reports and 23 arrest reports. We assisted the Fire Department on 50 medicals and 11 fire alarms. Here are some of the highlights:

Offense	Total
Animal Complaint	21
Assault	4
Assist Other Agencies	22
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	5
Civil Complaint	1
Disturbance	34
Domestic	3
Fraud	3
Larceny	8
Motor Vehicle Accidents	18
MV Stops	309
Motor Vehicle Theft	0
Sex Offender Violations	0
Shoplifting	0
Vandalism of Property	3
Weapons Law Violation	0

Radio Follow-up: All plans are on hold until a funding source can be located to complete the project. It was anticipated that the use of UDAG funding would be sought but with a moratorium placed on this source it is not available. We will be making a presentation to the BOS in the coming months in hopes of bringing a request to the Fall Town Meeting. In the mean time we continue to be plagued with radio functionality and reception issues that continue to mean an unsafe working environment for the officers.

Other than day-to-day operations, the month of August was a quiet time at the PD as vacations were wrapped up and upcoming events planned.