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William A. Murray
Chief of Police

MEMORANDUM

To: Town Administrator Pontbriand
From: Chief William A. Murray 
CC: file
Date: April 20, 2018
Re: March Monthly Report

During the month of March 2018 the Police Department logged 850 events requiring 38 incident reports and 3 arrest reports. We assisted the Fire Department on 70 medicals and 13 fire alarms. Here are some of the highlights:

Offense	Total
Animal Complaint	7
Assault	6
Assist Other Agencies	14
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	1
Civil Complaint	0
Disturbance	14
Domestic	12
Fraud	1
Larceny	3
Motor Vehicle Accidents	20
MV Stops	366
Motor Vehicle Theft	1
Sex Offender Violations	0
Shoplifting	1
Vandalism of Property	6
Weapons Law Violation	0

Radio Follow-up: Timberline has started work at the hospital, since it's inside work, to install equipment that will boost reception inside the building. Tower sites visits were completed and all areas marked out for construction. Materials are on order. Due to necessary meetings with the ZBA and Planning Board that caused delays, the completion deadline has been pushed out to August.

The regionalization of Communications with the Town of Shirley is proceeding. There are a number of infrastructure improvements needed and all necessary vendors have been secured (all paid for with grant monies from State 911). All new dispatchers (also paid for by grant monies) have been appointed and are being trained.

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Sgt. Pearson and Officer Bigelow ran another successful RAD program this month! We will continue to offer these classes, at no charge to participants, throughout the year and are looking to create classes for our older and younger members of the community.

Our 18th Citizens Police Academy, under the direction of Sgt. MacDonald, began this month. The 10 week program has been content honed over time and will be a great experience for the attendees.

Training classes that officers attended during March, either collectively or individually, were in the areas of:

- Hate and Extremism in Schools
- Post Promotional Suicide
- Mental Health & Substance Abuse
- EMD Call Assessment
- Emergency Medical Dispatch
- The REAL law enforcement liability tool
- FBI LEEDA

In total the Department spent 178 hours in training for the month.