



# AYER POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## MEMORANDUM

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

During the month of April 2018 the Police Department logged 879 events requiring 31 incident reports and 7 arrest reports. We assisted the Fire Department on 87 medicals and 13 fire alarms. Here are some of the highlights:

Offense	Total
Animal Complaint	10
Assault	4
Assist Other Agencies	4
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	0
Civil Complaint	1
Disturbance	25
Domestic	5
Fraud	1
Larceny	2
Motor Vehicle Accidents	23
MV Stops	4276
Motor Vehicle Theft	0
Sex Offender Violations	0
Shoplifting	1
Vandalism of Property	3
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.

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. On April 2 we switched over to Regional PSAP and began answering all Shirley 911 calls.

## April 2018 Monthly Report

There is tentatively an early full regionalization start date of May 21 as long as everything can get put into place. The process is proving to be extremely time consuming on my office but will be worth the effort in the end.

On the 30<sup>th</sup> a new intern started at the PD. We routinely host interns from area high schools, this one from Acton Boxboro, who spend a couple of weeks with us observing operations and learning about the life of police officers and communicators.

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

- Firearms Recertification
- School Safety Summit
- CJIS Recertification
- Basic Critical Incident Response
- Emergency Medical Dispatch
- Women in Criminal Justice
- Legal Update
- Domestic Violence
- Extremism/Radicalization
- CPR
- Implicit Bias

In total the Department spent 400 hours in training for the month.