Durham Police Department
2016 3rd Quarter Report
November 21, 2016
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The Durham Police Department reports on six performance measures every quarter. Those measures are Part 1 violent crime (homicide, rape, robbery and aggravated assault), Part 1 property crime (burglary, larceny and motor vehicle theft), Part 1 index crime (total of violent and property crime), Part 1 crime clearance rates, response times to Priority 1 calls and staffing levels.

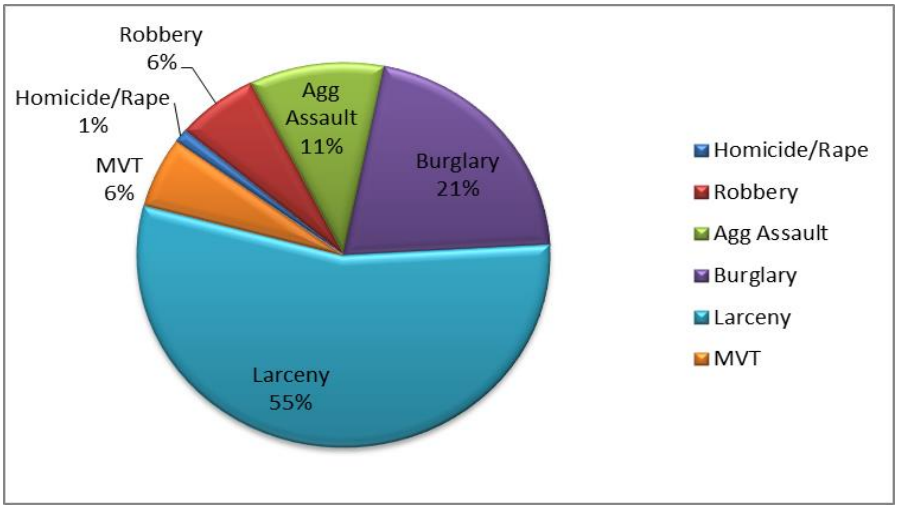
Overall Part 1 index crime dropped by seven percent during the first nine months of 2016, compared to the same period in 2015. Reported Part 1 violent crime dropped slightly during the first nine months of 2016.

Part 1 Violent Crime	*3-Year Avg.*	*2014*	*2015*	*2016*	*2015-2016 % Change*
Homicide	24	17	25	30	20%
Rape	78	84	77	74	-4%
Robbery	514	446	523	574	10%
Aggravated Assault	933	855	1001	942	-6%
Violent Crime	**1549**	**1402**	**1626**	**1620**	**Slight Drop**

Part 1 property crime dropped by eight percent during the first three quarters of 2016 compared to the same period in 2015. Part 1 property crime made up approximately 82 percent of all Part 1 crimes during the first nine months of 2016. Larcenies accounted for more than half – 55 percent – of all Part 1 crime.

Part 1 Property Crime	*3-Year Avg.*	*2014*	*2015*	*2016*	*2015-2016 % Change*
Burglary	2269	2626	2317	1864	-20%
Larceny	5081	5153	5188	4903	-5%
Vehicle Theft	468	434	450	521	16%
Property Crime	**7819**	**8213**	**7955**	**7288**	**-8%**
Index Crime	**9368**	**9615**	**9581**	**8908**	**-7%**

Part 1 Index Crime Percentages – January-September 2016



Part 1 Crime Clearance Rates

*The FBI clearance numbers are for cities population 100,000-250,000

Crime Category	DPD 2016 3Q	DPD 2015	FBI 2015*
Homicide	73.3%	64.9%	61.5%
Rape	28.4%	29.7%	34.5%
Robbery	28.9%	29.2%	28.4%
Aggravated Assault	42.9%	37.9%	50.2%
Violent Crime	37.8%	35.1%	42.4%
Burglary	15.6%	12.1%	11.1%
Larceny	23%	21.5%	20.2%
Motor Vehicle Theft	17.7%	15.5%	12%
Property Crime	20.7%	18.3%	17.6%

Statistics provided by the Police Department's Crime Analysis Unit

Priority 1 Response Times

Officers responded to 6,869 Priority 1 calls from January 1, 2016 through September 30, 2016, which is almost four percent more Priority 1 calls than in the same period in 2015. The department did not meet our standard of responding to 57 percent of Priority 1 calls in under five minutes (50.1 percent were under 5 minutes). We did not meet our 5.8 minute average Priority 1 response time standard (the average response time was 6.3 minutes).

Staffing Levels

The Police Department's sworn ranks were 94 percent filled at the end of the third quarter. Twenty new sworn positions were added on July 1. Twelve new recruits graduated from BLET #43 in July and there are currently 12 recruits in the BLET #44 Academy. The department introduced several incentives to improve recruiting and retention of officers. Ninety percent of the non-sworn positions were filled at the end of the third quarter.

Part 1 Domestic Violence Crimes
January-September

	YTD 2014	*YTD 2015*	*YTD 2016*
Murder	3	9	6
Rape	14	16	11
Robbery	10	18	8
Aggravated Assault	229	207	219
Violent Crime	256	250	244
Burglary	54	65	83
Larceny	81	114	134
Motor Vehicle Theft	7	5	12
Property Crime	142	184	229
Part 1 Index Crime	398	434	473

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Youth Arrests (16-17) and Juvenile Petitions (<16) for January-September 2016

Offense/Age	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Grand Total
Aggravated Assault				3	2	12	2	**19**
All Other Offenses				2	3	33	56	**94**
Arson						1	1	**2**
Burglary					7	16	10	**33**
Disorderly Conduct							2	**2**
Driving While Impaired							2	**2**
Drug Violations					2	14	14	**30**
Forgery/Counterfeiting					1		1	**2**
Fraud				1	1	10	6	**18**
Homicide						1	3	**4**
Larceny	1		2	4	10	54	31	**102**
Liquor Law Violations						1		**1**
Non-Reportable Offenses					2	1	1	**4**
Offenses Against Family						2	2	**4**
Rape							1	**1**
Robbery			1	1	3	5	14	**24**
Simple Assault		2	1	4	10	20	16	**53**
Stolen Property				1	6	18	14	**39**
Vandalism	1			3	3	4	4	**15**
Weapon Violations				1	1	6	5	**13**
Grand Total	**2**	**2**	**4**	**20**	**51**	**198**	**185**	**462**

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Part 2 Offenses
January to September

Offense	2014	2015	2016
All Other Offenses	484	510	461
Arson	16	26	20
Disorderly Conduct	38	28	27
Driving While Impaired	336	321	344
Drug Violations	1074	902	794
Embezzlement	100	101	112
Forgery/Counterfeiting	66	131	131
Fraud	1201	1089	1208
Liquor Law Violations	13	45	22
Obscene Material/Pornography	21	13	23
Offenses Against Family	100	106	80
Prostitution	51	11	3
Sex Offense	134	102	94
Simple Assault	1259	1383	1477
Stolen Property	35	47	39
Vandalism	1242	1343	1309
Weapon Violations	188	208	198
TOTAL	**6,358**	**6,366**	**6342**

Statistics provided by the Police Department's Crime Analysis Unit

Police Recruit Applicants Tested During the 3rd Quarter 2016

2015 3rd Quarter	Number of Applicants	Failed Written Test	Failed Physical Test	Durham Residents Total	Durham Residents Failed Test
White Male	26	2	4	4	1
White Female	1	1	0	0	0
African-American Male	20	4	1	7	5
African-American Female	5	0	0	1	0
Hispanic Male	5	2	0	0	0
Hispanic Female	2	0	0	1	0
Asian Male	2	0	0	2	0
Other Male	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	63	9	5	15	6

Statistics provided by the Durham Police Department's Training Division

Misdemeanor Diversion Program Referrals – Ages 16 and 17 Since Program Implemented

	Total	Primary	Secondary	Tertiary	Total %	Primary %
Disorderly Conduct	16	5	7	4	6.06%	2.37%
DV	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%
Larceny	99	95	3	1	37.50%	45.02%
Other	26	16	6	4	9.85%	7.58%
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	18	6	12	0	6.82%	2.84%
Possession of Marijuana	53	51	2	0	20.08%	24.17%
Possession of Stolen Goods	6	4	2	0	2.27%	1.90%
Resisting an Officer	8	0	8	0	3.03%	0.00%
Simple Affray	12	12	0	0	4.55%	5.69%
Simple Assault	19	19	0	0	7.20%	9.00%
Trespass	2	0	1	1	0.76%	0.00%
Weapons	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%
Weapons on School Ground	5	3	2	0	1.89%	1.42%
Blank/Unknown						
	264	**211**	**43**	**10**		

*There were 14 referrals for 16-17 year olds during the 3rd Quarter 2016 with 11 of the 14 coming from DPD referrals.

Misdemeanor Diversion Program Referrals – Ages 18 to 21 Since Program Implemented

	Total	Primary	Secondary	Tertiary	Total %	Primary %
Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
DV	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Larceny	33	33	0	0	48.5%	58.9%
Other	1	0	1	0	1.5%	0.0%
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	11	5	6	0	16.2%	8.9%
Possession of Marijuana	18	17	1	0	26.5%	30.4%
Possession of Stolen Goods	2	0	2	0	2.9%	0.0%
Resisting an Officer	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Simple Affray	1	1	0	0	1.5%	1.8%
Simple Assault	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Trespass	2	0	2	0	2.9%	0.0%
Blank/Unknown						
	68	**56**	**12**	**0**		

For third quarter we opened 11 referrals for Adult MDP with all 11 referrals coming from DPD.

Above and Beyond

Lifesaving Efforts – On August 27, officers responded to a double shooting on East Main Street near Angier Avenue. When Squad 1-D Officer C.C. Richards arrived on the scene, he found two men who had been seriously injured. One man was bleeding heavily from a gunshot wound to his leg. Officer Richards used a tourniquet to slow the bleeding before EMS arrived. It was the third time Squad 1-D officers had used a tourniquet to help save a life in the past two years. Officers now carry the tourniquets with them.

Officer N.P. Hawkins

Inv. J.A. Rodriguez

Homeless Family Assistance – On August 8, Officer N. P. Hawkins encountered a homeless woman and her three children, ages 2, 5 and 9 years old. The woman, who was scheduled to start a new job the next day, faced a night of sleeping in her car with her hungry children. Officer Hawkins paid for a motel room for the family for the night and bought them dinner and toiletries. She then put out an appeal to friends and Investigators J.A. Rodriguez and K.J. Robinson answered the call for help. Officer Hawkins and Investigators Rodriguez and Robinson paid for two further nights at the hotel and bought groceries for the family. Officer J.E. Stokes from Squad 5-B also donated funds for the family. A fellow officer praised Officer Hawkins' kindness and compassion. "Officer Hawkins regularly provides assistance to people in need by providing items such as food and clothing. I have personally witnessed her drive to her home and bring back clothing for a homeless person on an extremely cold winter's night," he said.

Assistance to the Homeless – On July 31, the heat index was almost 100 degrees. Squad 30 Bicycle Officer J.D. Robertson took it upon himself to put together and hand out care packages to the homeless in the downtown area. The care packages consisted of bottles of water, Gatorade, energy bars and hand towels. Officer Robertson was met with many smiles and thank yous as he handed out the care packages. "This is a great example of the huge hearts that we have in the Durham Police Department," according to his supervisor.

Stranded Family – On July 17, Officers M.L. Robinson and C.J. Wisnieski assisted a young mother and her children who were stranded in Durham. The officers bought the family food and bus tickets back home to Jersey City, New Jersey.

School Supply Drive – Several officers from Squad 1-B helped get the school year off to a great start for a Durham family. The officers donated close to $150 to purchase a year's worth of school supplies for the four children in the family (ages 5, 13, 15 and 16). Corporals D.C. Reaves and P.D. Dolan and Officers Z.D. Starritt, C.P. Eason and T.A. Paylor gave the family the school supplies at Substation 1 in late August.

Homeless Outreach – During the first week in July, Officers K.R. Hunter and D. Beckett from the DPD's Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Unit reached out to some of the homeless population of Durham to offer them assistance including housing options, mental health treatment options and drug rehab options in order to help them get back on their feet. Due to the high temperatures this week, they provided everyone they encountered with bottles of cold water that they keep in a cooler in their unmarked car for such occasions. The officers also provided reflective traffic vests to individuals who did not have access to them. The officers explained that having such a reflective vest will increase visibility and the safety of the individual.

In addition, Officer Beckett had previously purchased socks to give out to people that need them. Officer Beckett purchased all of the water, reflective vests and socks with his own money as a way of showing support and concern for the homeless population of Durham. Marvin Spells, one of the homeless men who spoke with the officers, said, "Life can be really rough out here sometimes, and it's good to know that the Police Department cares about us."

Bicycle Repair – Durham police officers are often called upon to use a variety of skills during a patrol shift. Squad 4-B Officers M.A. Judy and H.L. Davis Jr. were patrolling the Hillside community when they noticed a young boy trying to fix his broken bicycle. The officers stopped to offer their assistance and after 30 minutes, the happy young man was on his way on his newly mended bicycle.

Dog Rescue – On the night of July 16 torrential rain fell in southern Durham, causing flooding and stranding motorists in floodwaters. Officer Mashburn from Squad 3-D responded to a water rescue call at the intersection of Old Chapel Hill Road and Garrett Road. When he arrived, he found several cars floating in the water. One car was occupied by an elderly couple and their dog who was suffering from cancer. Officer Mashburn helped the couple get to safety in water that was chest deep in some places. He also carried the dog to safety, an act witnessed by a passing motorist who contacted the Durham Police Department. "Although wearing his hat and raincoat, he most certainly was not wearing boots and likely tolerated soaked socks and shoes for the rest of his shift," the motorist wrote.

"Such positive acts of kindness by the police need to be recognized, particularly with all the recent publicity about the police," the motorist added. Officer Mashburn stayed with the couple and the dog until the car could be towed.

Community Activities
(Some examples of DPD 3rd Quarter Community Activities)

Ice Pops with Cops – On July 3, Squad 4-B officers held an "Ice Pops with Cops" community event at the Weaver Street Recreation Center. Officers handed out free ice pops to residents and enjoyed getting to know them.

Mutual Heights Community Outreach – On August 22, officers from Squad 4-C went door-to-door talking with and getting to know residents of the Mutual Heights neighborhood, which is a quiet neighborhood with many older residents. Officers focused on discussing fraud scams that often target older people by claiming to be from government institutions (the IRS, local government utilities, etc.) in an attempt to get the individual to pay an "outstanding bill" and thereby defrauding the victims of large quantities of money. Officers spoke with approximately 60 residents. The officers shared fraud prevention tips and encouraged residents to join their local PAC group (Partners Against Crime, District 4). Officers said they had many positive interactions with residents.

District 1 Salvation Army Boys & Girls Club Initiative – District 1 Capt. Demetrius Mock started the mentoring program at the Salvation Army Boys & Girls Club early this summer. Now officers from District 1 go to the Boys and Girls Club three times a week to do a variety of activities with the children including helping with homework, playing basketball and other games and just talking with them. They even do activities such as helping children choreograph dance routines. When officers first went to the club, the children were rather apprehensive, Mock said, but now they love having the officers drop by. The officers also enjoy spending time with the children. Capt. Mock was recognized as a City of Durham STAR for open communication for this initiative.

Farmers' Market – Officers from Bike Unit 30 spent many Saturday mornings at the Durham Farmers' Market during the third quarter. Officers spent approximately 3 ½ hours each Saturday at the market talking to vendors and customers. Officers handed out stickers to children and spoke with adults. They received numerous positive comments from the people at the market.

North Carolina Governor's Highway Safety Symposium – Bike Squad 30 Sgt. Brian Massengill represented the DPD at the North Carolina Governor's Highway Safety Symposium in August. Sgt. Massengill spoke to a group of officers about bicycle and pedestrian safety. During the symposium, the Durham Police Department was praised for the work they have done to make Durham a safer place to walk and ride.

Northgate Park Chalk Walk – On September 22, HEAT 2 officers attended "Chalk Walk," a neighborhood event for local children and families centered on sidewalk chalk art at Northgate Park. Officers met with citizens and children, and gave out police stickers and played with the children.

GREAT Summer Camps – The Police Department's GREAT Unit hosted two of its three free summer camps during the third quarter. Thirty kids attended the camp in July and 32 kids attended the August camp. The campers enjoyed a week full of fun and educational events including a presentation from the Forensics Unit, a trip to Wheels Skating Rink and a trip to Carolina Tiger Rescue. The campers went to Wet & Wild and had a cook out at Falls Lake where different units such as S.E.T. and K-9 provided demonstrations of what they do.

Squad 4-C DCRC Emergency Shelter Collection - Squad 4-C Corporals L.C. Meier and R. Andrzejewski Jr. spearheaded a donation drive during the summer for the local women's shelter operated by the Durham Crisis Response Center, which houses more than 200 women and children every year. They collected household goods from members of the community and Durham Police Department employees. Members of Squad 4-C donated more than $150, Cpls. Meier and Andrzejewski donated $116 of their money and they received an additional $100 to purchase items. Cpls. Meier and Andrzejewski used the donations to purchase numerous items for the shelter. The items included cleaning products, paper towels, trash bags and other household items. They also purchased personal care items such as soap, toothbrushes and toothpaste, shampoo, toilet paper, sheets, towels and clothing for young children.

Bicycle Rodeo – On July 5, officers from Bike Squad 10 conducted a bicycle rodeo at Agape School on Holloway Street. Officers discussed bicycle safety and rules of the road. Many of the children rode a bicycle for the first time during the event.

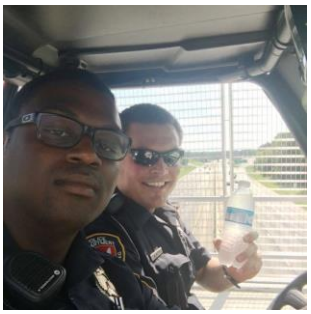
Chick-Fil-A Story Time - On September 12, officers from District 2-C Squad attended "Story Time" at the Chick-Fil-A on Roxboro Road. This was a children's event that included stories read by the staff and activities. Even though this was not a police event, the interaction helped the children, their parents and the police become better acquainted.

PSN Outreach Initiative – Project Safe Neighborhoods completed a year-long outreach initiative in the Durham Housing Authority's Cornwallis Road and Franklin Village communities. The following activities and information sessions were conducted for residents from September 2015 to August 2016: Community Activities – kick-off receptions, Coffee with Cops, fraud workshops and crisis intervention and substance abuse presentations; Youth Activities – bicycle rodeos, sessions about bullying, holiday craft workshops, movie nights, trivia contests, kickball games, POPAT courses, DPD vehicle displays, freezer pop giveaways and water games; and Parent Presentations – Durham Public Schools, Teen Safety, Department of Social Services, Welcome Baby, Duke Trauma and Gun Safety Team and the Durham Crisis Response Center.

Crest Street Park Playground Build – During August, several officers volunteered to help build a new playground at Crest Street Park.

Youth and Law Enforcement – Officers from Heat 3 attended a Youth and Law Enforcement community meeting on September 17. There were games and an open forum for discussion. The meeting was very productive and informative.

National Night Out – More than 100 neighborhoods celebrated National Night Out on August 2 in Durham. Highlights of Durham's 2016 NNO observance included the debut of the City Hall On The Go truck and Durham's "Running Man" Challenge video.



American Tobacco Trail Outreach – On July 18, Officers C.M. Battle (Squad 4-D) and M.D. Henderson (Squad 3-D) spent a busy, productive day patrolling the American Tobacco Trail in one of the DPD's utility terrain vehicles (UTVs). During their patrol they passed out more than 150 bottles of water to people on the trail, answered calls for service near the trail and met Brian Dawson from K97.5 who told them that seeing them on the trail was a good example of community policing.

HEAT 4 Meeting with Youth – During July, officers from the HEAT 4 Squad met with a youth group at West Durham Baptist Church on Athens Street. The officers discussed gangs, peer pressure and other topics, and had an open dialogue with the youth who attended.

Operations & Initiatives
(These are some examples of 3rd Quarter DPD Operations & Initiatives)

Operation Watch Out – On August 31, officers from Bike 10 conducted a pedestrian safety operation called "Operation Watch Out" on Morgan Street at Mangum Street. Officers issued 10 warning tickets, one verbal warning and one written warning to a pedestrian. Officers also handed out "Watch for Me NC" pedestrian safety brochures. During the operation, Officer O.L. Morton was flagged down and told that someone had just broken into a vehicle on Cleveland Street. Officer Morton and other officers apprehended 48-year-old Christopher Columbus Hargrove and charged him with breaking and entering a motor vehicle.

Pedestrian Safety Operation – Bike Squad 30 officers conducted a pedestrian safety operation on Ninth Street in response to complaints from business owners and citizens. During the operation, which lasted for 2 ½ hours, officers issued 39 citations and handed out more than 200 "Watch for Me NC" pedestrian safety brochures.

Parking Enforcement Operation – District 3 Officers J.T. Rose and M.C. Riddle, in response to complaints from business owners and others, conducted a parking enforcement operation in the area of Pratt Street, Elf Street and Elba Street on August 22-24. The officers ticketed 29 vehicles for being parked in no parking zones and towed 18 vehicles for being parked in no parking/tow away zones.

Operation Ops Cardio on the ATT – District 4 CID conducted a special operation, "Ops Cardio," on the American Tobacco Trail from June 8 through August 31. The objectives of the operation were to conduct surveillance, deter and prevent criminal activity, heighten community awareness, provide general safety tips, encourage community support and to identify and /or apprehend the suspects who were committing any crimes in the area. No suspects were apprehended: however, crimes in on the trail ceased during that time.

Operation Unlocked Doors – District 4 conducted "Operation Unlocked Doors" in response to a spate of motor vehicle break-ins in a neighborhood near RTP during the first two weeks in August. The objective of the operation was to conduct surveillance, deter and prevent criminal activity, gather intelligence, and to identify and/or apprehend the suspects who were

committing larcenies from motor vehicles and other criminal activities in the area. No suspects were apprehended during the operation but crimes in the area decreased.

Watch for Me NC Operation - In response to several complaints about pedestrian safety, officers from Bike Squad 30 held a "Watch for Me NC" operation July 28 at two crosswalks by the Durham County Health Department near the intersection of East Main Street and Dillard Street. The officers encountered more than 200 pedestrians during the operation and handed out 45 warning tickets to people not using the designated crosswalks. They also provided more than 200 pedestrian safety flyers.

Other 3rd Quarter Activities

Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Class Graduation – Five DPD officers were among the graduates of the week-long CIT program in September, which brought the number of CIT-trained DPD officers to 210.

Operation Medicine Drop – On September 10, the Major Crimes Unit and Violent Incident Response Team (VIRT) conducted Operation Medicine Drop at four locations in Durham. Operation Medicine Drop allows people to safely and anonymously dispose of unused or expired over-the-counter and prescription medications. The program's purpose is to educate the public on the dangers of pharmaceutical drug abuse and accidental poisonings as well as educate them on the responsible handling, security and destruction of prescription and over-the-counter medications. Approximately 450 pounds of medication was collected, which included Morphine, Fentanyl, Hydrocodone and other highly addictive substances. NC Safe Kids provided coloring books for children and other literature to educate the public about prescription drug dangers. The citizens were grateful the operation was being held and thanked officers for their service.

BLET #43 Graduation – The Durham Police Department held a graduation ceremony for the officers from Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET) Class #43 on July 26. The 12 graduates of BLET Class #43 were in training from February 8, 2016 to July 1, 2016. BLET Class #43 included three Durham natives and two graduates who are related to current or former Durham officers.

2016 Citizens Police Academy – Nineteen people graduated from the six-week 2016 Citizens Police Academy. The graduates included Durham residents, a Civilian Police Review Board member, a family member of an officer, persons interested in police work and individuals seeking ways to help improve police-community relations. Established in the mid-1980s, DPD's Citizens Police Academy is designed to help promote the department's philosophy of

community-oriented policing. Essentially community oriented-policing signifies law enforcement and residents working in harmony to identify and address safety problems and related quality of life issues. CNN filmed a segment about the DPD Citizens Police Academy.

New LGBTQ Liaison – In September, the Durham Police Department named Officer Charles Strickland Jr. as its first-ever liaison officer with the LGBTQ community. In his new role, Strickland will serve as a resource for members of the LGBTQ community who are victims of crimes, including crimes motivated by prejudice. While based in the Community Services Division, the LGBTQ liaison will collaborate with various DPD divisions, including Victim Services and Recruiting, to educate, assist and interact with residents, businesses and organizations about LGBTQ issues.

(Police Athletic League) PAL Championship Basketball Team – On July 28, the DPD All Stars (Police Athletic League Basketball Regular Season Champions) defeated the Carolina Hornets 2 Team by a score of 57 to 49 to win the 2016 PAL Summer Tournament Championship.

Smart Phones for Investigators – The Fiscal Division coordinated the effort to provide all investigators in the department with smart phones to ensure they are equipped with technology tools necessary to support investigative activities.

Body Worn Camera Field Trial – During the 3rd Quarter, the IT Division coordinated a field trial of Taser International's Axon Body 2 Body Worn Camera and Evidence.com video management system.

Recruiting – The Recruiting Unit held nine open houses during the 3rd Quarter. Officers from the Recruiting Unit attended job fairs and events at Maryland Eastern Shore University, Military

Job Fair in Hampton, Virginia, Military Employer Day at Cherry Point Marine Air Station, National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice Conference in Dallas, Texas, National Night Out, WRAL Job Fair, Day2Day Dad's Seminar at Holton Resource Center, Women in Policing Forum at North Carolina Central University, Cherry Point Open House, Claflin University and Open House & Career Fair in Orangeburg, South Carolina and Open House at John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New York City.

Significant Violent Crime Arrests
Homicide Arrests

Homicide Arrest – In August, a fourth suspect in a March homicide on Hardee Street was arrested. The suspect, E'Monie Wilds, 19, was arrested in Raleigh by members of the U.S. Marshals Joint Fugitive Task Force (North Carolina Middle District), U.S. Marshals Eastern North Carolina Violent Fugitive Task Force and the Raleigh Police Department. Wilds and three others – 23-year-old Devonte Jackson, 19-year-old Darryl Lamont Moye and 17-year-old Marquis Kejuan Burnett – were charged with murder in connection with the March 16 fatal shooting of 23-year-old Symoud Lewis in a parking lot at 530 Hardee Street. They were also charged with attempted robbery with a dangerous weapon and conspiracy to commit robbery with a dangerous weapon. The incident did not appear to be a random act, according to investigators.

Homicide Arrests – A third person was arrested during the third quarter in connection with the April 4 shooting death of 21-year-old Spencer Garrett Harrison in the 4800 block of University Drive. The shooting did not appear to be random, according to investigators. Anthony Terry was arrested on September 21 in the 2300 block of Taylor Street by the U.S. Marshals Joint Fugitive Task Force. Two other men – Nathaniel Antonio Nelson, 26, and Dominique La'Ron Percell, 20, both of Durham – were arrested earlier in the year. All three were charged with murder and felony conspiracy.

Homicide Arrest –Larico Dunn, 24, of Durham was arrested and charged with fatally shooting 25-year-old Erika Desiree Downey September 18 on Wadesboro Street. Officers responded to a shooting call in the 900 block of Wadesboro Street shortly after 2 a.m. When they arrived, they found Downey and a 24-year-old woman who had been shot. Downey was pronounced dead at the scene. The second woman was taken to the hospital for treatment of injuries that do not appear to be life-threatening. Dunn was charged with murder and assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill inflicting serious injury in connection with the incident on Wadesboro Street. He was also wanted on charges from an August 11 domestic incident involving Downey. Those charges included assault on a female, assault by strangulation, misdemeanor larceny and injury to personal property. In addition, he was wanted as a probation/parole absconder. Dunn

was arrested several hours after the homicide by members of the U.S. Marshals Joint Fugitive Task Force during a traffic stop on Interstate 85 in Granville County.

Homicide/Robbery Arrests – Durham police investigators charged three men in connection with the fatal shooting of a Durham cab driver in front of the La Quinta Inn and Suites on West Park Drive on August 11. Two of the men were also charged with an armed robbery that occurred 30 minutes earlier. Zyon McNeil, 17, of Durham and a 15-year-old male from Durham were both charged with murder and robbery with a dangerous weapon. A third man, Trayvion Lyons, 21, of Durham was charged with accessory after the fact to murder.

Officers were dispatched to an armed robbery call in the 1400 block of Whispering Oak Lane at 12:30 p.m. on August 11. A 17-year-old male told officers he was sitting by the pool clubhouse when two teens approached him and asked to borrow his phone. He loaned them the phone and the teens called a cab. They then robbed the 17-year-old at gunpoint of his phone, cash and headphones and left in a cab. Officers were dispatched to a "gunshot wound" at 1 p.m. at the La Quinta Inn on West Park Drive. A cab driver who had been shot came into the lobby for help and then collapsed. The driver – Ameer Suliman, 46, of Durham – was taken to the hospital, where he was pronounced dead a short time later. Suliman was a driver for Durham's Best Cabs. Durham police K9 officers and investigators from the Special Operations Division located the three suspects nearby. One suspect was located near the railroad tracks by the hotel and two others were located in a room at the Red Roof Inn. Investigators found items belonging to the cab driver and the robbery victim from Whispering Oak Lane and recovered a gun.

Homicide Arrest – A Creedmoor man was arrested and charged with murder in the July murder of Kevin David Powell, 21, of Durham. Officers were dispatched at 8:43 p.m. on July 18 to a shooting call in the 1100 block of Linwood Avenue. When they arrived, they found Powell who had suffered multiple gunshot wounds. He was pronounced dead at the scene. The incident does not appear to be random, according to investigators. Larry Lee James, 38, of Creedmoor was arrested on August 18 in Graham by members of the U.S. Marshals Service Joint Fugitive Task Force. Investigators also charged 36-year-old Malik Boyce with murder but he is not in custody at this time.

Homicide Arrest – Curtis Marcel Barnette, 38, was arrested on September 6 and charged with murder in the June death of 50-year-old Reginald Cole on Cornwallis Road. Officers responded to a shooting call around 10:20 p.m. on June 30 and found Cole lying in a parking lot at 119 East Cornwallis Road. Cole was pronounced dead at the scene. The incident did not appear to be random, according to investigators. Barnette, 38, was arrested on Berry Patch Lane in Chapel Hill by members of the U.S. Marshals Joint Fugitive Task Force.

Homicide Arrests – Two people have been arrested and a third person is still wanted in connection with a murder on Woodview Drive. Officers responded to a shooting call in the 2000 block of Woodview Drive at 4:13 a.m. on July 10. When they arrived, they found 19-year-old Andre Bond. Bond had been shot and was pronounced dead at the scene. The shooting appeared to have been a drive-by. Investigators have arrested 16-year-old Uniece Fennell and 21-year-old Joseph Kendell Jr. and charged them both with murder. Investigators also charged Demonte Christopher, 18, with murder, but he is not in custody at this time. Investigators said the victim and suspects knew each other.

Homicide Arrest – Durham police investigators arrested Eliseo Verver Gonzalez, 38, of Durham on July 15 and charged him with murder in the January death of 18-year-old Alondra Gonzalez Mejia. Officers were dispatched to an "assist EMS" call at 211 Stokes Street at 12:17 a.m. on January 12. When officers arrived, they found Gonzalez Mejia unresponsive in her room. She was transported to the hospital, where she died a short time later. Investigators learned that she had been strangled. The incident was not random, according to investigators, and the two knew each other.

Robbery Arrests

Bank Robbery Arrest – A Cary teen was arrested and charged with robbing SunTrust Bank at 2008 East Highway N.C. 54 on August 3. A male entered the bank, demanded cash and fled with an undisclosed amount of money. Samuel Hayes, 19, of Cary was charged with common-law robbery. He was arrested in Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Robbery Arrest – Officers responded to an armed robbery of an employee of a taco truck in the parking lot of Los Primos at 1109 East Main Street on August 12. A male armed with a knife entered the truck and robbed a female victim. The male took two purses and fled. Officer K.R. Smith spotted a man matching the suspect's description in the 900 block of East Main Street a short time later. The man – Derek Brandon Clark, 32, of Durham – was arrested and charged with robbery with a dangerous weapon.

Robbery Arrest – Ronald Deshaun Lloyd, 25, was arrested and charged with robbing a man and dragging him for four tenths of a mile on September 25. The victim told officers that a male in a Jeep tried to take his money and when he would not let go of the cash, he was dragged to Ashe Street. The male, who was treated for numerous injuries, crawled home. Lloyd was charged with first-degree kidnapping, robbery with a dangerous weapon and assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury.

Robbery Arrest – A female was walking to her car on Ridgeway Avenue on September 17 when a male approached her, pointed a gun at her head and took her wallet and keys. The suspect fled in the victim's car, which was recovered a short time later. Devonte Jones, 24, was arrested and charged with robbery with a dangerous weapon.

Robbery Arrest – A man entered Subway at 4600 Durham Chapel Hill Boulevard on September 19, demanded money and threatened to use a gun. The suspect fled with cash and a spicy Italian sub. Officer M.C. Riddle spotted a man matching the suspect's description a short distance away. The man, who had a spicy Italian sub in his possession, was identified as 42-year-old Trevor Demetz Worsley and charged with robbery with a dangerous weapon.

Robbery Arrests – Investigators charged seven people in connection with a September 13 armed robbery on Pekoe Street near Fayetteville Street. Two male NCCU students were sitting in a vehicle when several people approached them and took their vehicle at gunpoint. The vehicle was located approximately an hour later in Mebane when Mebane officers responded to a "suspicious persons" call. Mebane officers charged all seven with numerous counts of breaking and entering to vehicles. Durham PD charged Erica Bailey, 16, of Chapel Hill, Shaquon Malik Mason, 18, of Durham, Tyrik Littil Lyons, 19, if Durham, Michael Green, 17, of Durham, Shemar McGirt, 16, of Durham, Tilonnie Kacee Williams, 18, of Durham and Jermisha Baldwin, 18, of Chapel Hill with two counts of robbery with a dangerous weapon, two counts of second-degree kidnapping, one count of conspiracy and one count of possession of a stolen vehicle.

Robbery Arrest – Treyvon Hasty, 18, was arrested and charged in connection with an armed robbery and a burglary in August. The robbery happened on August 7 in the 1500 block of Duke University Road. The victim was moving items out of his apartment and when he returned to his apartment the suspect walked in the apartment behind him. The suspect brandished a firearm, placed it on the victim's chest and demanded money. The suspect robbed the victim and left the area. Hasty is facing charges of first-degree burglary, robbery with a dangerous weapon and assault by pointing a gun. Hasty was also charged with breaking into an apartment on Underwood Avenue a few days later. He is facing charges of felony breaking and entering, injury to property, larceny after breaking and entering, possession of stolen goods and two counts of obtaining property by false pretense. In addition, Hasty was charged with assault on a female and possession of a stolen firearm after an August 15 incident on Underwood Avenue.

Robbery Arrest – Officers responded to an armed robbery in the back parking lot of Cocoa Cinnamon at 420 West Geer Street on September 23. Two males approached two females and took their purses. The suspects put a knife to one victim's throat. Officer L.P. Warneke spotted

the suspects and chased them on foot. Officer D.E. Kub located one suspect who still had some of the victims' property in his possession. The second suspect got away. Officers arrested Tony Williamson, 47, and charged him with two counts of robbery with a dangerous weapon and two counts of felony conspiracy.

Robbery Arrests – On July 28, a 39-year-old male was robbed at gunpoint by several teens as he was walking to his apartment in McDougald Terrace. One suspect hit the victim in the head with a gun before the teens took his phone and cash. Master Officer C.S. Barkley and Officer R.L. Klink spotted two males matching the suspects' description a short while later. The two males – 18-year-old Marqwon Cunningham and 19-year-old Clifton Hester – were arrested and charged with robbery with a dangerous weapon and felony conspiracy.

Robbery Arrest – A male victim was robbed at gunpoint by two men in the parking lot of an apartment complex on Meriwether Drive on September 14. Cpl. J.D. Stewart located Jose Manuel Vargas-Regino, 18, hiding behind a Dumpster and charged him with robbery with a dangerous weapon, felony conspiracy and felony possession of stolen goods. The second suspect has not been identified.

Robberies/Shooting Arrest – Durham police investigators arrested 26-year-old Spenser "Zo" Wall in connection with a shooting and several armed robberies during the past few months. Wall was charged with the following robberies:

- July 22 in the 1200 block of Liberty Street
- July 24 in the 900 block of Calvin Street
- July 27 in the 500 block of North Guthrie Street
- October 1 in the 1700 block of East Main Street. The victim was struck with a gun and a shot was fired during this incident.

Wall is also charged with a shooting and robbery on October 6 in the 2100 block of Avondale Drive. A 47-year-old man had been shot in the chest during a robbery and is now recovering from his injuries. Wall is charged with robbery with a dangerous weapon, assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill inflicting serious injury and conspiracy in connection with the case. A second person – Jameka Lavette Mayo, 42, Durham – was arrested on charges of robbery with a dangerous weapon and felony conspiracy in connection with the same case.

Robbery/Shooting Arrest – An 18-year-old male was robbed and shot in the leg as he was going to his car in a parking lot at Streets at Southpoint on July 16. The victim and suspect knew each other, according to investigators. Investigators arrested Pius Cletus Fontenelle, 20, of Durham and charged him with assault by pointing a gun, assault with a deadly weapon with intent to

kill, communicating threats, conspiracy to commit robbery with a dangerous weapon, discharging a firearm within the city limits and robbery with a dangerous weapon in connection with this case.

Robbery/Aggravated Assault Arrests – Two men, Cleveland David Edwards, 31, and Kenneth Moseley, 16, both of Durham, were arrested and charged in connection with an August 21 robbery and assault. Officers were dispatched at 12:30 a.m. to a report of a man who had been beaten and robbed in the 1500 block of North Miami Boulevard. The victim was walking on North Miami Boulevard when two males approached him and hit him several times with a log or ball bat, leaving him unconscious. They suspects took his wallet and fled. A passing motorist saw the victim being attacked by two males and blew his horn to get them to stop. Officers gave out a description of the suspects and Officer T.R. Fitting was en route to the call when he saw two males matching the descriptions on Cheek Road near Hardee Street. He stopped the two males, later identified as Edwards and Moseley, and found bank cards belonging to the victim. Edwards and Moseley were both charged with robbery with a dangerous weapon, assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury and financial card theft. Moseley was also charged with simple possession of a controlled substance and Edwards was also charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor. In addition, Edwards was arrested on charges of assault on a female and communicating threats from a domestic incident on August 20.

Aggravated Assault Arrests

Shooting Arrest – Officers arrested 23-year-old Akeem Rashad Lassiter in connection with an August shooting on Rochelle Street near Holloway Street. Officers were dispatched to a shooting call at 1:22 a.m. on August 31 in the 2900 block of Rochelle Street. They found a 36-year-old man who had been shot. He was taken to the hospital for treatment of serious injuries. Lassiter, who was charged with one count of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill inflicting serious injury, was arrested on September 30.

Shooting Charges – Durham police investigators charged Lamonte Nathaniel Colbert in connection with a September shooting on Massey Avenue that left a 14-year-old female and her 37-year-old mother injured. Officers responded to a shooting call at 12:02 a.m. on September 20 in the 700 block of Massey Avenue. The victims told officers that shots had been fired at them through the front door of the house. The 14-year-old was shot in the leg and her mother suffered a graze wound. Colbert is wanted on two counts of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill inflicting serious injury and one count of shooting into an occupied dwelling.

Shooting Arrest – Durham police investigators charged Patrick Parker, 38, in connection with two shooting incidents that occurred in September on North Maple Street and Harvard Avenue. Three people were shot and taken to the hospital for treatment of non-life-threatening injuries. Officers first responded to a shooting call in the 500 block of North Maple Street at 3:08 p.m. on September 8. They found a male and a female who had been shot. Officers responded to another shooting call in the 2400 block of Harvard Avenue at 3:17 p.m. on the same day. They found a male who had been shot. The incidents were not random.

Parker was charged with two counts of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, two counts of breaking and entering to terrorize or injure, two counts of discharging a firearm in an enclosure, one count of possession of firearm by a felon, one count of assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury and one count of assault on a female. Parker was arrested in Havelock, North Carolina by the US Marshals Joint Fugitive Task Force and the Violent Fugitive Task Force of New Bern and Greenville.

Shooting Arrest – Officers responded to a disturbance with a weapon call in the 3900 block of Cole Mill Road around 4:30 a.m. on July 29. When they arrived, they spoke to a man who lived in a home in that block. He told officers he was awakened by someone honking a horn in his driveway and flashing their headlights. He got his gun and went outside. A woman he did not know told him she needed to use his phone because she had had a fight with a relative. A male armed with a gun then came around the corner of the house and the resident and the male exchanged gunfire. The resident was not injured. Shortly before 5 a.m., a man who had been shot came to Duke Regional Hospital for treatment. His injuries do not appear to be life-threatening. That man – 26-year-old William Miles – has been charged with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill.

Aggravated Assault Charges – Two brothers – 35-year-old Jamill Maurice Vaughan and 33-year-old Stephen David Vaughan – were charged with numerous weapons offenses following a shooting in a parking lot on Underwood Avenue on September 18. Several shots were fired at a vehicle driving by the location. No one was injured but bullets damaged a vehicle and an occupied apartment. Both brothers were charged with assault with a deadly weapon, assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, assault by pointing a gun, felony conspiracy, going armed to the terror of the public, discharging a firearm within the city limits, injury to personal property and injury to real property. Stephen Vaughan was also charged with possession of a firearm by a felon.

Stabbing Arrest – Officers responded to an assault call that happened in the woods in the 3400 block of Southwest Durham Drive on July 23. Officers found a man who had been stabbed

several times and suffered serious injuries. Investigators later learned that the man was stabbed when he was trying to attack a female in the homeless camp. The injured man – 26-year-old Antonio Vargas Contreras – was charged with attempted second-degree rape, second-degree kidnapping, assault on a female, malicious conduct by a prisoner and three counts of assault and battery.

Weapons Arrest – Officers responded to a "disturbance with a weapon" call at Wheels on Hoover Road on July 6. When they arrived, they found a crowd of several hundred people in the parking lot. Officers were told that a shot had been fired inside the business, but no one was struck. Officers stopped a possible suspect vehicle and located a firearm inside the vehicle. Investigators charged Tatianna Willieshia Osborne, 16, of Durham with possession of a handgun by a minor, discharging a firearm in an enclosed space to incite fear and discharging a firearm within the city limits.

Home Invasion Arrests - Three men were arrested and charged with breaking into an occupied home on Kingsmount Court on September 30. Officers responded to a break-in in progress call at the home shortly after noon. Three males broke into the home and fled in a silver Toyota Corolla. Amari Carver, 18, Gregory Logan Jr., 20, and Jayquantay Lamont Allen, 19, all of Durham, were arrested and charged with breaking and entering, attempted larceny after breaking and entering, kidnapping, conspiracy and damage to property.

Drug Trafficking Arrests

Cocaine Trafficking Arrest – On September 2, HEAT 2 officers responded to the 1500 block of North Roxboro Street in response to a drug complaint. Nicholas Richardson, 21, was arrested and charged with trafficking cocaine, five other drug charges and two felony probation violations. Officers seized two ounces of cocaine, one gram of marijuana and multiple items of drug paraphernalia.

Cocaine Trafficking Arrest – On September 9, the Interdiction Unit wrapped up a long-term drug investigation involving 25-year-old Brandon Howard. Investigators recovered 144.6 grams (or 5 ounces) of cocaine, 13.8 grams of marijuana and a stolen Glock 23 handgun. Howard was charged with four counts of trafficking cocaine, four counts of possession of cocaine with the intent to sell or deliver within 1,000 feet of a park, four counts of maintaining a vehicle for the possession or sale of controlled substances, possession of marijuana with the intent to sell or deliver and possession of a stolen firearm.

Heroin Trafficking Arrests – Two men - Derran McClain, 36, and Michael Brooks, 24, both of Durham - were arrested in September following a traffic stop. McClain and Brooks were both charged with two counts of trafficking in heroin and conspiracy. McClain was also charged with maintaining a vehicle/residence for the sale or delivery of controlled substances. Investigators confiscated approximately 60 grams of heroin.

Cocaine Trafficking Arrests – HEAT 4 investigators filed drug trafficking charges after executing a search warrant at a house on Ludgate Drive on July 14. Officers seized 100 grams of powder cocaine, 34 grams of crack cocaine and a firearm. Michael Scarborough, 37, and Jennifer Hobby, 36, were both charged with trafficking in cocaine, maintaining a dwelling for the sale or delivery of controlled substances and possession of drug paraphernalia. Scarborough was also charged with possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

Oxycodone Trafficking Arrest – On July 5, investigators from the Major Crimes Unit arrested Phillip Jameson Combs, 26, of Mebane on Hillsborough Road. Combs was found to be in possession of 30 pills of Oxycodone. Combs was arrested and charged with trafficking a Schedule I controlled substance by possession (15.8 grams).

Opiate Trafficking Arrest – On July 26, investigators with the Major Crimes Unit executed a search warrant at 519 Burlington Avenue. As a result of the warrant 346 Opana pills, 358 Oxycodone pills and 75 Hydrocodone pills were seized. A 12 gauge Mossberg shotgun was seized as well. Tasheka Beatty, 39, was arrested and charged with level III trafficking of opiates, possession of a firearm by a convicted felon and possession of drug paraphernalia.

DPD Employees of the Month
July 2016

District 2 – Officer R.J. Preston, Squad 2-B - Officer Preston was recognized by his supervisors for several activities. On July 1, he took a call about a larceny of a purse from a shopping cart. Officer Preston did an extensive follow up on the call and was able to identify a suspect. He also handled a call involving a disoriented female who was walking down the street in a robe and was covered with bruises and scratches. He followed up and found that she was living in dangerous and unsanitary conditions. He also feared that she may possibly have been the victim of abuse. He made sure the Durham County Department of Social Services was contacted and he spoke with the woman's nurses about the situation.

In addition, a resident told commanders that Officer Preston has been mentoring her son and praised him for the work he has been doing. Officer Preston frequently checks on her son and

her son has been staying out of trouble. Officer Preston's commanders said he puts the community first and always takes an extra step when handling calls. Officer Preston was also selected as the April 2106 District 2 Employee of the Month.

District 3 – Officer D.R. Beugnot, Squad 3-A – Officer Beugnot responded to an armed robbery on Garrett Road, located a suspect and made the arrest. Officer Beugnot also responded to a cardiac arrest call in July and worked for 45 minutes performing CPR in the extreme heat. According to his commanders, Officer Beugnot has "stepped up and really shown what he can do."

District 4 – Officer I.I. McKoy, Squad 4-D – Officer McKoy responded to an assault call in July and realized that the victim had been severely beaten and the call was about more than just an assault. She investigated further and was able to identify and take out warrants on two suspects. She also helped get some leads in a District 3 shooting case. The District 4 CID sergeant wrote a letter of commendation for her outstanding work.

Forensic Services Division – Lindsay Kincaid, Crime Scene Supervisor – The Forensic Services Unit has been short staffed and Lindsay Kincaid goes above and beyond consistently, according to her supervisors. She has put together ethics training for the unit and conducted all three parts of the FSU presentation for the summer GREAT camps. She also helps out with latent print examinations.

Professional Standards Division – Sgt. D.M. Anthony - Sgt. David Anthony was recognized for his work in preparing information about procedures and practices for handling investigations. He put together training classes for all supervisors and implemented the Blue Team system. He was described as a "great asset" to the unit and the department.

August 2016

District 1 - Officer T.R. Fitting, Squad 1-B – On August 21, Officer Fitting responded to an armed robbery call in which a man had been struck with a blunt object and robbed. The man suffered serious injuries and was taken to the hospital for treatment. A BOLO was issued for the suspects and Officer Fitting placed himself in a good position near the crime scene. Officer Fitting located the two suspects and found the victim's stolen items in the possession of one suspect. Officer Fitting handled the investigation and was able to get written and verbal confessions. Numerous charges were filed against the suspects. Officer Fitting produces "outstanding work," according to his commanders.

Central District – Officer N.P. Hawkins, Squad 5-B – Officer Hawkins was named Employee of the Month for her assistance to a homeless family. On August 8, Officer Hawkins encountered a homeless woman and her three children, ages 2, 5 and 9 years old. The woman, who was scheduled to start a new job the next day, faced a night of sleeping in her car with her hungry children.

Officer Hawkins paid for a motel room for the family for the night and bought them dinner and toiletries. She then put out an appeal to friends and Investigators J.A. Rodriguez and K.J. Robinson answered the call for help. Officer Hawkins and Investigators Rodriguez and Robinson paid for two further nights at the hotel and bought groceries for the family. Officer Hawkins and Investigator Rodriguez continued to work for several days to find resources for the family.

A fellow officer praised Officer Hawkins' kindness and compassion. "Officer Hawkins regularly provides assistance to people in need by providing items such as food and clothing. I have personally witnessed her drive to her home and bring back clothing for a homeless person on an extremely cold winter's night," he said.

Community Services Bureau – Kimberle Walker, Public Affairs Unit – CSB Capt. Tate commended Mrs. Walker for her assistance to the Community Services Bureau, particularly her work with the Citizens Police Academy. He called her "the epitome of the culture of service."

September 2016

District 2 – Officer J.M. Fullam, Squad 2-D – Officer Fullam was described by his supervisor as a "dedicated officer who consistently works to build relationships in the community." He often goes to community events on his days off. Officer Fullam learned about a Love South Durham Festival in another district, which was being held on his day off, and asked if he could take a patrol car there. Approximately 175 people attended the event and Officer Fullam was able to make several positive community contacts. Officer Fullam also responded to a "sound of shots" call on Mahala Drive. He took the time to investigate further and identified the house where the shots, which had been fired from an assault rifle, originated. During his investigation, he smelled marijuana and ended up filing several felony charges. "His investigative skills are exemplary and he is an asset to the DPD," according to his lieutenant.

District 3 – Investigator D.C. Smith, District 3 Criminal Investigations Division – Investigator Smith works with retail crimes in District and with other jurisdictions. As part of her work, she has helped to shut down several large organized retail theft rings in this area. She recently shut down an operation on Fayetteville Street, arrested a suspect and confiscated $48,000 worth of

stolen property. Investigator Smith works very well with members of the community and investigators from other jurisdictions, according to her supervisors.

Forensic Services – Crime Scene Specialist Heather Maddry – CSS Maddry was recognized for her hard work and her compassion for others. She is always willing to lend a hand at work. She often comes in when the unit is short staffed and she comes in on her days off to do firearms examinations. CSS Maddry is also a compassionate person. Recently another member of the unit lost everything in a fire. Heather responded at 3 a.m. to help out her with clothes, finding a place to stay and food. Heather also helped coordinate assistance for her.

Graduations

Deputy Chief Anthony Marsh, Operations Support - Deputy Chief Marsh graduated from the School of Police Staff and Command at Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois. Deputy Chief Marsh was one of 23 students in the 22-week class. This program provides upper level college instruction in a total of 27 core blocks of instruction and additional optional blocks during each session. Major topics of study included Leadership, Human Behavior, Employee Relations, Organizational Behavior, Applied Statistics, Planning and Policy Development, Budgeting and Resource Allocation.

Jason Schiess and Capt. Brian Reitz – Jason Schiess, Analytical Services Division Manager, and Capt. Brian Reitz, Training Division Commander, attended the three-week PERF Senior Management Institute for Police on Boston this summer. Schiess attended in June and Capt. Reitz attended the July session.
SMIP provides senior police executives with intensive training in the latest management concepts and practices used in business and government, as well as discussions of the most challenging issues facing law enforcement executives today. A demanding three-week course, SMIP brings together a faculty from top universities, successful law enforcement chief executives, and subject matter experts from the private sector. Representatives from more than 70 United States and international law enforcement agencies attended SMIP. **"**It was an excellent opportunity to discuss relevant issues with representatives from these agencies. Many agencies face the same challenges Durham does," Reitz said.

Capt. Marianne Bond, Executive Officer to the Chief – Capt. Marianne Bond completed her master's degree in Justice Administration from Methodist University. She was also inducted into Alpha Phi Sigma, the Criminal Justice Honor Society.

Capt. David Addison – Capt. David Addison was sworn in as a member of the North Carolina State Bar on September 30 at the Durham County Courthouse. Capt. Addison, the Executive Officer to the Deputy Chiefs, graduated from North Carolina Central University School of Law in May.

City of Durham STARS Awards

Mary Roberts, Crime Analysis Supervisor—STARS Leadership Award – The nominator wrote, "For a three-week period in June 2016, Ms. Roberts filled the role of acting division manager, while that person was training out of state and generally out of contact. In addition to managing the day-to-day activities of the Analytical Services Division, a new Chief of Police took over the department only a week before, and had many questions about the analytical capabilities of the agency. Rather than deferring matters until the manager's return, Ms. Roberts displayed excellent leadership, representing the division positively, and providing the needed information to Chief Davis. At least one commander specifically commented about how Ms. Roberts was called upon several times to provide her opinion on current crime problems. Ms. Roberts told Chief Davis what she needed to know, rather than play it safe and "sugar-coat" her answers. Her leadership during this period is appreciated."

Captain Demetrius Mock, District 1— STARS Open Communication Award
"Captain Mock came to The Salvation Army Boys & Girls Club and discussed possible opportunities for us to expand awareness of our organization in the community. In addition, Captain Mock discussed a partnership with the officers in the District 1 precinct in order for our children to experience positive interactions with police officers in light of recent events in our country. It is apparent that Captain Mock is going to be a valuable asset to District 1 in Durham," according to his nomination.