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ENFORCEMENT HIGHLIGHTS:

Hyde- While in FTO, Officer Hyde directed Ofc. Burks to check out a suspicious vehicle parked behind Citgo. After they made contact with the occupants Ofc. Hyde realized that a drug deal had just taken place. Through roadside interview and information discovered on one of the cellular phones, they discussed dealing pills/marijuana in Brownsburg. The persons were willing to work with the UDTF.

Sears- Through observation and a traffic stop, it was believed that human trafficking was taking place with multiple Chinese immigrants, etc. Department of Homeland Security and ICE were contacted and spoke with individuals whom were apprehensive to cooperate.

Hyde- A dispatched run at the beginning of shift with a complaint of a person having been held against their will and threatened with a knife at a local gas station. Officers quickly established a suspect name (relative of victim) and full description. Officers Sears and Shedrow also joined in for a more comprehensive search. After a period of time later, Officer Hyde began canvassing local hotels and had a picture to show the desk clerk. The desk clerk alerted them to that individual whom was using their computer as it was the suspect and he was arrested for criminal confinement, among other charges. Great job in staying persistent in the search.

****side note**** the person arrested was also associated with a known drug dealer/user that was frequenting the Brownsburg Pointe apartments and violating protective orders and threatening an ex-girlfriend.

Shedrow- when conducting hotel interdiction, Ofc. Shedrow noticed suspicious behavior from persons on site and waited for them to reappear. After his encounter with the driver, a K9 alerted to presence of narcotics where officers were granted consent to enter his hotel where another male and female were staying, both of whom had active warrants. Syringes, methamphetamine and paraphernalia were also discovered and the occupant was willing to cooperate with the UDTF. It was also discovered that the female was involved in credit card fraud with multiple persons' information.

Jones- During routine patrol Officer Jones obtained information on a driver whom was wanted on warrant. Officer Jones made an officer-citizen encounter and made the arrest and also found marijuana and paraphernalia.

Hyde- This was Officer Jones arrest for domestic battery, however, it is to be noted that through Officer Hyde's observation skills, he spotted the suspect that had fled the area at the time of the report. Only later, after persistence, did Officer Hyde recognize the suspect and an arrest were made.

Sears/Shedrow- A traffic stop earlier in the evening produced information from the occupants of the vehicle that there was a trailer in Oakhurst trailer park where the residents were dealing drugs. Officers did observation on the trailer park and made contact with persons leaving the trailer. An arrest was made that evening and persons cooperating with the UDTF.

Officers Sears and Shedrow have applied for the next two FTO positions with discussions in early December.

Glossop- Officer Glossop was involved in a vehicular pursuit that began in the area of Rodney and Grant. The suspect vehicle drove through multiple yards in the area causing damage. The vehicle then traveled north on Green St. and ultimately eastbound on I-74. A semi-tractor driver noticed the pursuit eastbound on I-74 and pulled his truck into the path of the fleeing vehicle and slowed down which caused the fleeing vehicle to slow. Suspect vehicle then pulled over to the side of the road. A search of the vehicle revealed narcotics and thus the reason for the suspect fleeing.

Christian- has begun his training at ILEA. He started on November 7th. AMA took a stolen vehicle report on November 20th from the Winding Creek Subdivision. As of today's date I don't believe the vehicle has been recovered. Officers responded to 1640 Cottongrass multiple times during the month of November in reference to an autistic child. A short term fix of transporting the child to Riley's Children Hospital.

Major Bullock is in constant communication with Cummins mental health to determine a long term fix for this situation.

I would also like to point out that Sgt. Jeff Klayer has been called out to work two separate fatalities for the month that involved countless hours of follow up investigation, (on scene and follow up) interviews, re construction and re-positioning the vehicles to determine the causes. Sgt. Klayer always responds and takes charge of the scene to conduct the best investigation possible to determine contributing factors. I would like to take this time to recognize Sgt. Klayer and inform the commission of his dedication to this agency.

Members of staff are meeting to create a Fatal Accident Investigation Team to assist Sgt. Klayer with these types of investigations.

One was a fatal fire investigation where the subject ran off the road on US 136 in the area of Lucas Oil Raceway. The other was a fatal high speed rear end collision that occurred at Ronald Reagan and CR 600 North that involved 7 vehicles.

Officers also responded to domestics, burglary, trespass, criminal mischief and theft from vehicle runs.

Enforcement Division Hours Worked

Regular Shifts	3186
Traffic Unit	261
Reserve Unit	202
Total Hours	3649

USE OF FORCE

The department had three Use of Force reports for the month of November. All three were of the same suspect after a vehicle pursuit and officers drew their sidearm after termination to cover suspects in the vehicle and provide cover for each other while conducting a search for other occupants.

K9

Officer Dave Marcum began K9 School with his new K9 partner Carro. They will be on the road mid-December

RESERVE

As a Thanksgiving present to our full time officers Officer Rob Van coordinated coverage for the shift on Thanksgiving evening and take runs so the on duty officers could enjoy an uninterrupted Thanksgiving meal prepared by Chief Ginnie Wing.

Reserves also completely coordinated and handled this year's Christmas Under the Stars parade for the community to enjoy

FLEET:

The department used 4357 gallons of fuel for the month of November. The final three vehicles have been ordered for the year and should arrive in January.

There were three Police vehicle accidents for the month of November resulting in one Police Tahoe being totaled in an off-duty rollover crash where the officer was at fault. Fortunately there were no major injuries that resulted from this accident.

Another accident occurred when one of our interdiction vehicles pulled out from a traffic stop at night and ran over a semi-tractor tire in the roadway on I-74 due to the speed, limited light and surrounding traffic the officer was unable to avoid the collision. No injuries were reported in this accident.

The third was an incident where a police vehicle involved in a pursuit clipped a branch and knocked off a lens to his emergency lighting. The lens was able to be placed back on the vehicle.