


# Toledo Police Department 2006 Annual Report



**GOD BLESS  
KEITH DRESSEL  
REST IN PEACE  
1971 - 2007**

*We salute a life well lived*



In honor and tribute to the officers of the Toledo Police Department who heroically and selflessly gave their lives while protecting the citizens of this community. The ultimate sacrifice made by these fallen officers shall not be forgotten.

Officer John Hassett - March 5, 1880  
Officer Charles Russell - October 9, 1906  
Sgt. James Boyle - May 5, 1908  
Officer Harry Smith - September 25, 1911  
Officer Albert Schultz - August 7, 1914  
Detective Kaiser Bartecki - January 21, 1915  
Officer Adolph Reimer - August 25, 1915  
Officer Louis Jaswiecki - March 31, 1918  
Officer William Bather - May 27, 1919  
Officer George Zapf - September 23, 1919  
Officer Harry Dowell - June 9, 1921  
Officer Harold Mossburger - June 9, 1921  
Officer William H. Kress - August 1, 1921  
Lt. William J. Martin - September 6, 1921  
Officer Charles McGuire - December 22, 1921  
Officer William A. Reed - December 28, 1921  
Officer Fritz Bacon - August 13, 1922  
Detective William Julert - January 29, 1924  
Officer Walter Mullin - May 12, 1925  
Officer George Zientara - April 16, 1928  
Officer Edward O'Briest - May 19, 1931  
Officer Edward Keim - August 11, 1932  
Officer Harvey O'Neil - November 8, 1936  
Officer Fred W. Disel - May 5, 1944  
Detective Lt. John McCarthy - January 7, 1947  
Officer Harold Stevens - July 3, 1948  
Officer Albert Fadell - November 18, 1948  
Officer Walter Boyle - December 8, 1961  
Officer Donald Brown - June 12, 1962  
Officer William Miscannon - September 18, 1970  
Detective Keith Dressel - February 21, 2007



To the citizens of Toledo and my fellow officers,

Whereas this is the Annual Report for the year 2006, detailing the accomplishments of the year, it was during the production of this report that our brother, our friend, and a public servant, Detective Keith Dressel, was shot and fatally wounded.

At 0159 hours on Wednesday, February 21, 2007, a voice rang out over the police radio on central channel, "Officer down, officer down." The voice was that of Detective Keith Dressel. Despite the valiant efforts of his fellow officers, responding paramedics, and medical personnel at St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center, Keith died at 0236 hours.

Keith was a man to be admired for his achievements and noble qualities. His dedication to family and to his profession was apparent to all around him. He was a true hero who dedicated his life to this community, and he will always be remembered as such a man.

On behalf of the Toledo Police Department, I want to thank everyone who expressed their sympathy in words and deeds. Keith would have been humbled and honored by how this community has come together as a family to support his family and friends as they mourn his loss. The outpouring of support that came from this community was a profound and fitting tribute to the memory of Detective Keith Thomas Dressel.

I leave you with a quote from defense attorney Samuel Z. Kaplan, who eloquently paid tribute



to his frequent courtroom rival. "Professionalism, thoroughness, and courtesy were his hallmarks. It doesn't take a religious point of view to know that last Wednesday morning, just before 2 a.m., in the near north end, it wasn't a dense fog that enveloped our city. It was the heavens coming down." (The Toledo Blade, February 25, 2007)

*Michael J. Navarre*



# Carleton S. Finkbeiner

Mayor

## City Council Members

Rob Ludeman - President

Wilma Brown

Joe McNamara

Michael Ashford

Ellen Grachek

Joe Birmingham

Mike Craig

Phillip Copeland

Mark Sobczak

George Sarantou

Betty Shultz

Frank Szollosi

*Mayor Carty Finkbeiner and Chief Jack Smith met with members of a south Toledo neighborhood at the first Model Block for 2006. Chief Jack Smith served as Chief of Police from January 3, 2006, through June 28, 2006. Chief Smith was appointed to the Toledo Police Department on March 30, 1973. He was promoted to Sergeant on January 28, 1983, Lieutenant on May 25, 1991, and Captain on May 15, 2002. Chief Smith officially retired on August 4, 2006.*





## Past Police Chiefs

Henry Breed	1867 - 1868
William P. Scott	1868 - 1871
Josiah C. Purdy	1872 - 1879
Joseph A. Parker	1879 - 1881
Egbert E. Morse	1881 - 1882
James Steedman	1882 - 1883
Josiah C. Purdy	1883 - 1885
Edward O'Dwyer	1885 - 1892
Benjamin F. Raltz	1892 - 1902
Perry D. Knapp	1902 - 1914
George A. Murphy	1914 - 1915
Henry J. Herbert	1915 - 1922
Harry Jennings	1922 - 1928
Louis J. Haas	1928 - 1932
William D. Delehanty	1932
Louis J. Hass	1932 - 1933
Daniel T. Wolfe	1933 - 1936
Ray E. Allen, Sr.	1936 - 1956
Anthony A. Bosch	1956 - 1970
Robert J. Duck	1970 - 1974
Corrin J. McGrath	1974 - 1978
Walter L. Scoble	1978 - 1980
John W. Mason	1980 - 1987
Marti D. Felker	1987 - 1994
Gerald T. Galvin	1994 - 1998
Michael J. Navarre	1998 - 2005
Jack L. Smith	2006
Michael J. Navarre	2006 - Present



*Two employees of Flatlanders Sculpture Supply put the finishing touches on the Korean War Monument, dedicated in the Civic Center Mall on June 25, 2006. The memorial joins several others on the grounds behind the Safety Building, honoring those men and women who have served both their country and their community with honor, and in too many cases, have offered the ultimate sacrifice.*





# Deputy Chief Michael Murphy

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

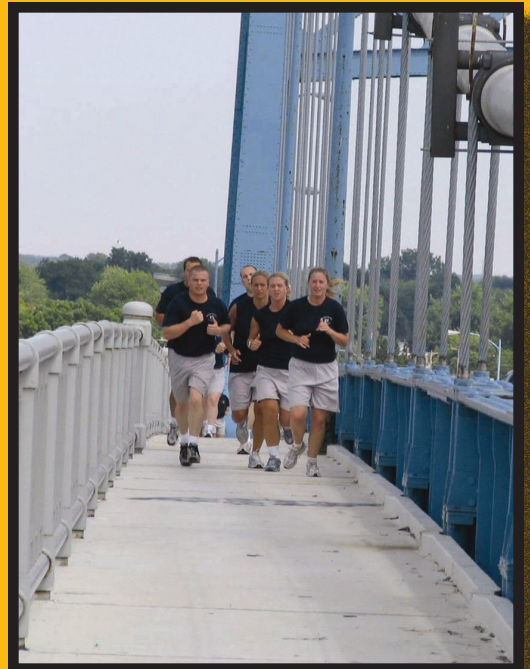
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TRAINING SECTION

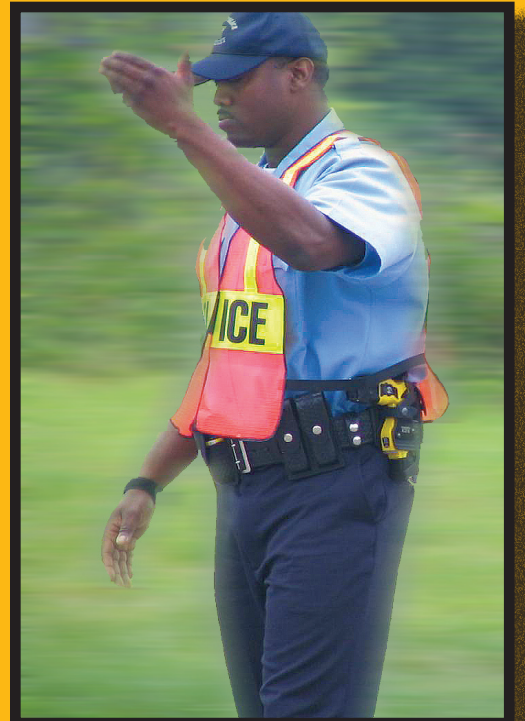




*Training Staff*



# THE 57TH BASIC POLICE ACADEMY CLASS







## Deputy Chief Linda Mason

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIVISION

**PERSONNEL & PUBLIC  
AFFAIRS BUREAU**

TPCOA  
TPPA  
BACKGROUND &  
RECRUITMENT UNIT  
TAX OFFICE  
SGT. AT ARMS OFFICE  
E.A.P

**FISCAL AFFAIRS BUREAU**  
MOTOR POOL

**PLANNING & RESEARCH SECTION**  
FALSE ALARM OFFICE  
INSPECTIONS/ACCREDITATION UNIT



*The Rose Reder spaghetti dinner is a collaborative effort between the TPCOA and the TPPA to raise funds for the Rose Reder Memorial Scholarship fund.*



*Working hard in the kitchen are Sgt. Dave Bonner, Lt. Dan Schultz, Ret. Sgt. Paul Kerschbaum and Ret. Lt. Rick Reed.*

*Sgt. Tom Morelli waits his turn for a plate of spaghetti at the Rose Reder Dinner.*



*For the first year ever, law enforcement held the lead at one point in the annual Red Cross “Battle of the Badges” blood drive. However, the final tally was Fire - 698 units of blood to Police - 683 units. More importantly, it was a huge success in terms of saving lives. Before Sgt. Paul Hickey shared the gift of life by donating blood, with Santa’s encouragement, he shared his vocal talent by singing “God Bless America” for the blood drive kickoff.*





## Deputy Chief Ronald Spann

SUPPORT SERVICES DIVISION

**COMMUNICATIONS BUREAU**

**RECORDS SECTION**  
IDENTIFICATION UNIT  
DATA ENTRY UNIT

**PROPERTY  
MANAGEMENT UNIT**

**TECHNICAL SERVICES UNIT**

**COURT LIAISON UNIT**  
**CIVIL LIABILITY UNIT**



*An inside storage building was added to the Toledo Police Impound Lot in 2006. Impound Lot personnel processed over 11,000 vehicles resulting in gross revenue exceeding \$2 million. Officers assigned to the lot conducted 5 vehicle auctions that resulted in the sale of 490 vehicles. In addition, another 3,290 vehicles were processed as junk vehicles.*





# Deputy Chief Derrick Diggs



OPERATIONS DIVISION

**CENTRAL DISTRICT  
STATION OPERATIONS**  
MOUNTED PATROL UNIT  
COMMUNITY SERVICES UNIT

**SCOTT PARK DISTRICT  
STATION OPERATIONS**  
AVIATION OFFICE  
COMMUNITY SERVICES UNIT

**NORTHWEST DISTRICT STATION  
OPERATIONS**  
COMMUNITY SERVICES UNIT

**GANG/YOUTH CRIMES SECTION**

**TRAFFIC SECTION**

**EMERGENCY SERVICES UNIT**

**HARBOR PATROL**

**DIRECTED PATROL SECTION**

**OPERATIONS STAFF LT.**  
FIELD TRAINING  
MOUNTAIN BIKE UNIT  
LMHA UNIT  
PAL OFFICE





*Community Services Officers Sue Surgo and Tom Davis assist Sgt. Richard Murphy in taking down illegal posters on the east side.*

*Mountain Bike Unit members include (back row) Sgt. Mike Gilmore, Officers Robert Orwig, Kevin Dumas, Pete Siwa, Mike Schroeder and Don Comes. (Front row) Officers Shelli Kilburn and Alanna Whatmore.*



*Directed Patrol Members: (back row) Lt. Dan Schultz, Officers Curtis Stone, Paul Marchyok, Lance Daggett, Clint White, Eric Whitman, Bill Consolo, Jim Brown, Sgt. Keith Miller, Officers Brian Mitchell, Scott Sterling, Jon Mugler, Jeff Hood, Sgt. Randy Szymanski, Officers Nick Estvanik, Bob Barboza, and Dave Cichocki. (Front row) Sgt. Dan Raab, Officers John Walsh, Chris Johnson, Roger Rettig, Jeff Heer, Sgt. Mark Taylor, Officers Norm Cairl and Cruz Gomez.*







## Deputy Chief Donald Kenney

### INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES DIVISION

#### **NORTHWEST OHIO BOMB SQUAD**

#### **INVESTIGATIONS BUREAU**

#### **PERSONS INVESTIGATIONS SECTION**

COLD CASE UNIT

CRIME STOPPER

SPECIAL VICTIMS UNIT

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFICE

NW OHIO VIOLENT CRIME TASK FORCE

MISSING PERSONS OFFICE

#### **PROPERTY INVESTIGATIONS SECTION**

AUTO UNIT

#### **TECHNICAL CRIMES SECTION**

SCIENTIFIC INVESTIGATION UNIT

CRIME ANALYSIS OFFICE

FORENSIC LAB

VIDEO OFFICE

CHECK OFFICE

COMPUTER CRIMES OFFICE

#### **SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT BUREAU**

FORFEITURE UNIT

METRO DRUG TASK FORCE SECTION

VICE/METRO SECTION

VICE NARCOTICS UNIT

Real Deal



Copycats!



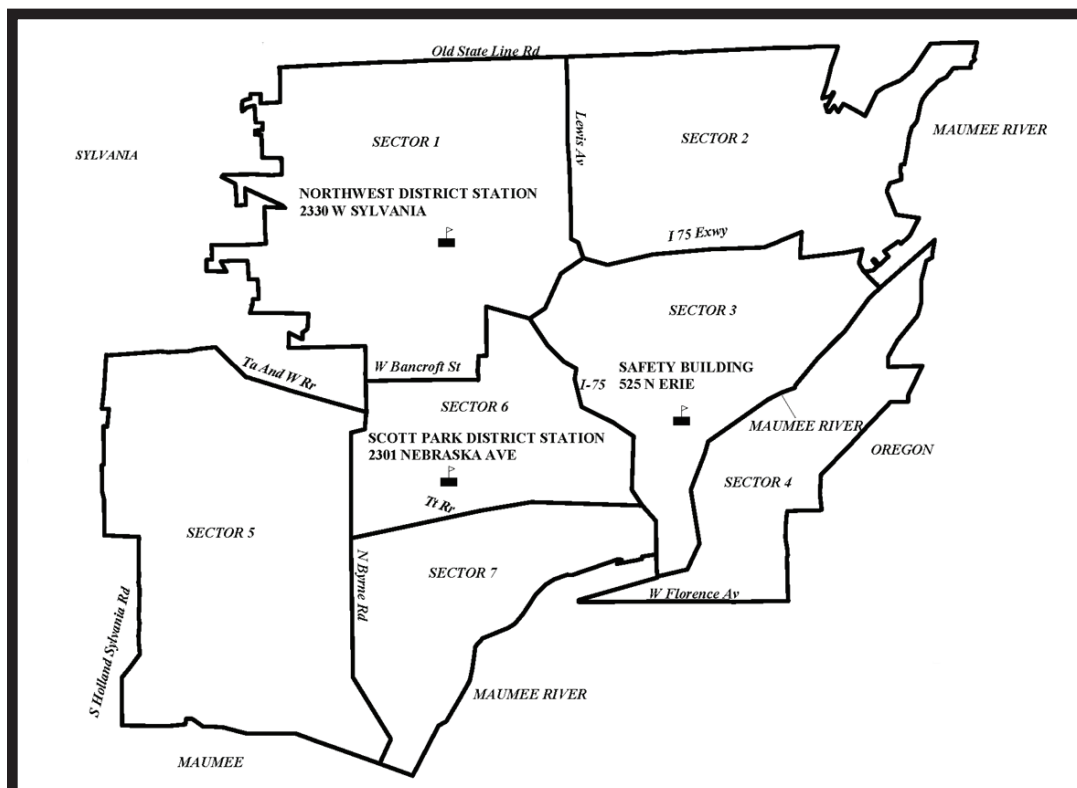
*Det. Dave Morford (top photo), of the newly formed Computer Crimes Office, proudly sports a tie given to him for Christmas by his lovely daughters, Becca and Emily. The high fashion caught on quickly, though some . . . well, fell short (see Technical Services copycats, Lt. Dave Holt and Off. Jamie Cornell).*

*In March of 2006, the Investigative Services Division established the Computer Crimes Office. Since that time, they have handled over 200 cases reported in Toledo for numerous crimes including internet fraud, identity theft, receiving stolen property, aggravated menacing, felony theft, telecommunications fraud, on-line theft, making terrorist threats and credit card fraud. They have also handled over 100 complaints assigned from the National White Collar Crime Center and have recovered thousands of dollars for victims in Toledo and across the United States. Over 50 forensic cases have also been investigated on behalf of other area law enforcement agencies.*



# Points of interest . . . .

- The Central District Station, located in the Safety Building at 525 N. Erie, is responsible for the central city and east side areas. Central District Station officers are committed to proactive patrol of the Downtown area including TARTA bus stations, parking lots, tunnels, concourses, and the Erie Street Market. The Central District Station is under the command of Captain James O'Bryant. For information concerning the Central District Station, call (419) 245-3246.
- The Northwest District Station, at 2330 W. Sylvania, is commanded by Captain Jeff Hennessy. It serves the area located primarily north of the city's east/west expressway. This full-service police station houses Field Operations, the Auto Unit, the Domestic Violence Office and the Special Victims Unit. The Northwest District Station's phone number is (419) 936-3800.
- The Scott Park District Station, commanded by Captain Ron Navarro, serves the southern portion of the city. Located at 2301 Nebraska, it consists of Field Operations, Community Service, the Directed Patrol Section and the Gang/Youth Crimes Section. The Scott Park District Station is also home to the Toledo Police Firearms Range. The information desk of the district station can be reached at (419) 936-2000.

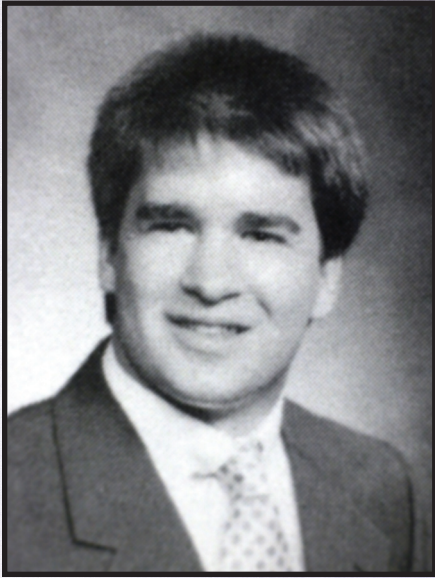


- Twenty-nine officers joined the Toledo Police Department on March 31, 2006, when they were appointed to the 57th Basic Police Academy class. They graduated from the Academy on September 13, 2006. In addition to graduating a basic class, the Training Section provided training to over 22,040 attendees in 2006.
- The Technical Services and Property Management Units initiated the new “Lost & Found” web site in June of 2006. The web site is designed to allow citizens to register lost property with the Property Management Unit and for the department to return property to the rightful owner. The information is maintained in a database which is checked weekly, and citizens are notified if there is a possible match. The web site is linked from the Toledo Police home page at [www.toledopolice.com](http://www.toledopolice.com).
- Online auctions of property began in February of 2006. The auction site is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week via the web site [www.PropertyRoom.com](http://www.PropertyRoom.com). The site combines items from hundreds of police agencies around the country.
- The Toledo/Lucas County Police Athletic League (P.A.L.) raised over \$71,000.00 in a golf tournament at Eagles Landing golf course on Monday, July 24, 2006. P.A.L. has given many Toledo area children the opportunity to participate in sports and interact with law enforcement personnel in a positive way.
- Several Neighborhood Model Block initiatives were conducted in 2006. Locations with high crime rates and increasing blight were targeted. A coordinated effort was made with other city departments to intensify services in the targeted areas. As a result, the Police Department took the following actions: 41 felony arrests, 502 misdemeanor arrests, 807 warrants served, 109 field interview reports, 808 traffic citations, 685 parking tags, 317 junk auto tags, 46 all-purpose citations, 129 vehicles towed, 495 foot patrol hours, and 374 referrals to other city departments.
- From November 2001 through October 2005, businesses throughout the community were targeted by an organized ring of safe-cracking criminals. These criminals broke into businesses stealing safes and money, resulting in hundreds of thousands of dollars in losses. In 2006, after hundreds of hours of investigation, Toledo Police Burglary Detectives identified 27 suspects in the city’s largest safe-cracking and burglary ring.
- On May 11, 2006, a jury convicted Father Gerald Robinson of killing Sister Margaret Ann Pahl the day before Easter on April 5, 1980, in the Mercy Hospital chapel. The jury deliberated for six hours before convicting him of murder, after which he was immediately sentenced to the mandatory term of 15 years to life in prison. Prosecutors worked closely with detectives from the Toledo Police Cold Case Unit and the Scientific Investigation Unit to secure this conviction, 26 years after the murder. The case received national media attention as Court TV broadcast the entire trial live.



*“ . . . it wasn't a dense fog that enveloped our city . . .*

*. . . it was the heavens coming down.”*



**Keith Thomas Dressel**  
**Unit 812**

*Appointed: December 10, 1993*  
*Final Call: February 21, 2007*

*February 21, 2007.*

*Ash Wednesday.*

*It was an almost unnatural fog.*

*In that thick haze, where a Bush and Ontario street sign couldn't be read a few feet away, a bullet found the heart of a man who seemed bigger than life. And a 15-year-old boy stole himself away to hide from his cowardly act.*

*The heavy cloud hushed voices and masked grief, as shoulder to shoulder, brother to brother, officers searched for evidence of the unthinkable. But the fog couldn't soothe the reality forever. Minutes turned over as they do, betraying the truth, as if to blurt out a secret it just couldn't hold . . . Keith was gone.*

*And if it was the heavens coming down that morning to embrace a hero, it left behind a somber reminder of our own mortality as it spirited him away.*

*-Beth Cooley*



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*"I remember how we couldn't get you outside to play. You read all of the time. We finally said 'get out there, play in that snow, and get some fresh air.' We found you sitting on a cement block, reading a book, under the drier vent. Danielle told me she found you outside reading the paper under the drier vent."*

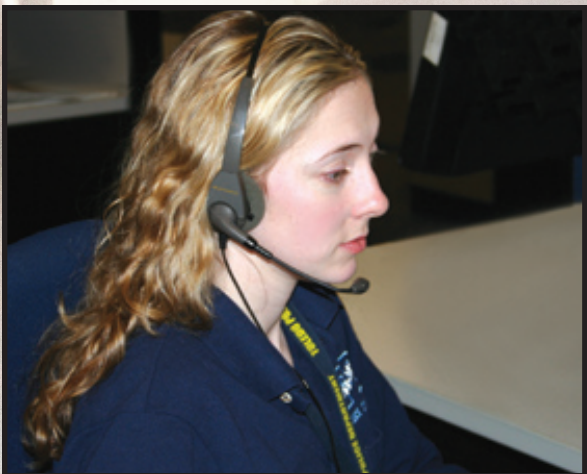
*-Mom*



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*"I don't know how I am going to go on without you. I needed to hear your voice so much yesterday so I called your cell phone, knowing you had not left a personal greeting, but hoping you had. I called your work desk hoping your voice recording was still there. It was gone. . . how do I live without you when I need you so much???"*

*- Danielle*



*"I was dispatching that night and heard those words that no one ever wants to hear. Not a day goes by that I don't cry and recall that tragic night."*

*-Kristen Montrie*

*"Just looking at the name 'Keith,' I don't remember if I ever called you Keith. It was Tommy Boy, Dirty Boy, Tommy, or just plain "Dressel." That's OK. You never called me by my first name either."*

*" . . . although I won't see you at work tomorrow, I will indeed see you again. And when I do, you will tell me that after your death, you were able to rest in peace, seeing that you had hundreds of friends and family who were there to finish the job that you had started, caring for your wife and raising your children. And knowing that there were thousands of officers throughout this great country, willing to finish your job of protecting the streets of our cities, so that others could sleep safe at night."*

*" . . .the rough streets remained quiet for so many days, it is amazing how you touched people in so many ways.*

*Our previous guardian stood watch for almost 37 years, and now it is your turn to embrace us when we shed tears."*

*"I speak for everyone when I say that I would give anything to have you back. You served this community well and will be greatly missed. I only hope you were looking down and saw how this community came together to honor you."*

*"Keith was a gentle giant who was always quick to help and never backed down."*

*"This has proven the harsh reality of the dangers of being a police officer and the meaning of the 'ultimate sacrifice.' RIP brother, and thank you for your dedication, passion, loyalty, and sacrifice!"*

*"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted." Psalm 34:18*

*"I will never forget his humor. All of us had to do a skit in the academy and I was humored by his. He did the history of a pen."*

*"I'm taking this as the chance to say goodbye and let you know you were loved. I know you will speak to all of us, even if it's only through us using the things you taught us, or when we are in a situation that reminds us of you, or when your son gets the same mischievous look on his face that you got."*

*"What first struck me about Keith when we were in the academy was his droll wit and his dry as a bone sense of humor. He never failed to find comedy in the darkest corners of the city or the human soul. He managed to keep that good humor throughout his career and a crooked smile was a constant fixture upon his face."*

*"My Partner, My Friend My Brother. You have left me with the greatest gift of all, your family. I vow to honor your final wishes."*

*"As I walked with your family yesterday to the church, through the line of the thousands of officers following you, I couldn't think of anyone that deserved that honor as much as you! I cannot begin to tell you in words the sadness in our hearts that we feel because we lost you!"*

*"I remember the last time I saw you a few weeks ago at Westfield Mall. You were with the kids and I told you I was going to push you in the fountain to clean you up a little. You looked back over your shoulder and smiled and stated, 'Don't, I can't swim.' I found out we were alike in the aspect that we LOVE to laugh and make those around us laugh . . .at this moment, I truly wish you were here to make me laugh."*

*"When I started in the Vice Unit I was really nervous, but never once did you make me feel not welcome. From day one you were always willing to help me in any way you could, and for that I will be forever grateful. I never really realized how much you have rubbed off on me and all of us. Just today I was "Dresselizing" somebody and I have to admit it felt pretty good. Now I see why you did it all of the time."*



# The Final Inspection

Author Unknown

The policeman stood and faced his God,  
which must always come to pass.  
He hopes his shoes were shining  
just as brightly as his brass.

“Step forward now, policeman.  
How shall I deal with you?  
Have you always turned the other cheek?  
To my church have you been true?”

The policeman squared his shoulders and said,  
“No Lord, I guess I ain’t.  
Because those who carry badges  
can’t always be a saint.

I’ve had to work most Sundays,  
and at times my talk was rough...  
and sometimes I’ve been violent  
because the streets are awful tough.

But I never took a penny  
that wasn’t mine to keep...  
though I worked alot of overtime  
when the bills just got too steep.

And I never passed a cry for help,  
though at times I shook with fear.  
And sometimes, God forgive me,  
I’ve wept unmanly tears.

I know I don’t deserve a place  
among the people here.  
They never wanted me around  
except to calm their fear.

If you’ve a place for me here,  
Lord, it needn’t be so grand.  
I never expected or had too much,  
but if you don’t... I understand.”

There was silence all around the throne  
where the saints had often trod,  
as the policeman waited quietly  
for the judgment of his God.

“Step forward now, policeman.  
You’ve borne your burdens well.  
Come walk a beat on heaven’s streets.  
You’ve done your time in hell.”



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"This has rocked my world and my sense of security. I never believed it could happen to us!" -Brenda Sarahman

"Keith never let me down, he always came through. Keith told me he could help me put a new floor in my kitchen. He said that it would be easy and wouldn't take long. Well, needless to say, it wasn't easy and it seemed like it took forever. I'll miss you deeply and I'll never ever forget you." -Eric Whitman

"Keith, over the last couple of days people have approached me and asked if you were a friend of mine. Although I told them YES, the question troubled me, because I was not sure if the word friend applied and just did not know how to explain it. Traditionally, we know where our friends live and the name of their siblings and a great deal about their character. Keith, I didn't even know your phone number, yet I have found myself extremely emotional since the news of your death, and apart from obvious reasons, I did not have a clear understanding of why. I remembered an incident many years ago when I was a rookie officer. It was the midnight shift and a traffic stop about an hour before the end of my shift and you were working vice, and came to back up my partner and me. The stop quickly turned bad and the fight was on, the suspect spit in my face and this made you visibly upset. Keith, you didn't even know me, but you quickly separated me from the suspect and the next time I saw him, he was very apologetic. It did not matter to you "who I was," but "what I was," a fellow blue shirt. That single moment taught me volumes about what it meant to be a police officer, and from that point on, I always looked forward to seeing you and listen to your jokes as I made fun of the mustard stain on your shirt." -Chuck Le Roux



"...he had that Keith way of smiling and laughing at things." -John Palmer

"Your desire, dedication and devotion will never be duplicated. Our Lord has cast a new walk for you and I know you'll do it well." -Chris Boudreaux

"Keith knew all the bad guys and did his job with diligence and thoroughness. At the same time, Keith could make the bad guys laugh, and keep his fellow officers in stitches." -Nick Estvanik

"Keith, or as I have called you for so many years Briscoe. (The story goes like this.) When I was in the Detective Section one night a guy walks in and he tells me he needed to talk to Det. Briscoe. I told this guy that we do not have a Det. Briscoe. The bad guy told me several more times he needed Det. Briscoe. One again I told him we do not have a Det. Briscoe. The bad guy then went on to describe the detective, and right away I knew who he was talking about. (No one could wear the vice look like you)." -Tim Campbell



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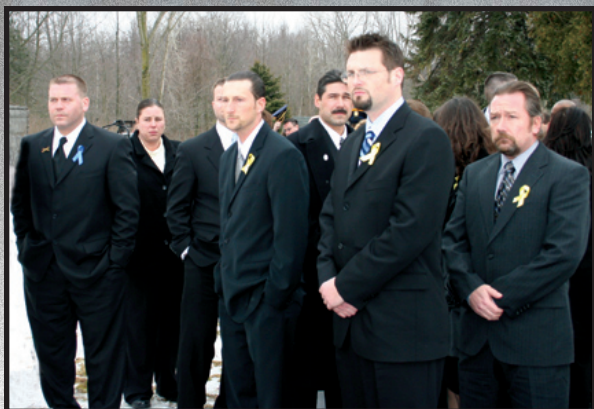
"My last memory of Keith was at our union meeting Tuesday night, just six hours prior to Keith's death. There was some serious talk taking place regarding police cars, manpower, residency requirements, and lay-offs (all which seem pretty trivial now). All the sudden a cell phone rings. Not just a ring, ring, ring, but the Michigan Fight Song ring (which was annoying to this Ohio State fan). All eyes focused on the guy with the blue knit hat with a big, yellow "M" on the front. Yep, it was Keith... with that grin." -Jeff Dorner

"You were genuine. There will never be another like you and I feel that my life was enriched having known you." -Michael Talton

"Your unique personality and sense of humor made an often difficult job in the vice office bearable. The time spent there with you comprise some of my most cherished memories on the job." -Michael Comes

"My nephew sent me some pics of us when we went skydiving. I still can see you coming out of the plane and almost hitting the rear of it. You were doing some crazy barrel roll thing and spinning all around. I miss you." -Tom Morelli

"It was strange to have the news hit all of us as it did, then go to work and realize that the calls keep getting dispatched, people keep acting as they do, thefts, assaults, hit skips etc. What's up, don't they know we've lost one of our family?" -Eric Schwalbe





## Meritorious Service Awards

“... for performing a difficult task in which a crime is prevented, life or property protected, or a criminal is apprehended.”

Sergeant Robert Baumgartner  
Detective Robert Brannon  
Detective Sherri Wise  
Officer Corey Russell  
Officer Michael Schroeder  
Officer Thomas Ford

Officer Abraham Harrison  
Officer Roy Kennedy  
Officer Angela Knoblauch  
Deputy Chief Donald Kenney  
Officer Lisa Long  
Officer David Vasquez

Officer Michael Ritson  
Sergeant Steven Forrester  
Retired Detective  
Thomas Ross  
Detective Terry Cousino  
Detective Tonya Rider

## Professional Service Awards

“... in recognition of exceptional service to the Department over a period of years.”

Lieutenant Bernard Lopinski  
Sergeant John Anderson  
Sergeant David Bonner  
Sergeant Phillip King  
Sergeant Kevin Korsog  
Sergeant George Kral  
Sergeant Charles Nearhood  
Sergeant John Paskowski  
Detective Larry Anderson  
Officer Terry Baker  
Officer David Balsmeyer  
Officer Gary Bunting

Officer William Burden  
Detective Louis Espinoza  
Officer Dan Gardner  
Officer Deborah Hahn  
Officer Gregory Harris  
Officer Jeffrey Jackson  
Detective Elizabeth Kantura  
Officer Richard Koehler  
Officer James Mawer  
Officer Keith McClellan  
Officer Troy Meyers  
Officer Holly Pflager

Officer Kenneth Potter  
Officer Julio Ramirez  
Detective Tonya Rider  
Officer George Roush  
Officer Dana Slay  
Officer Duane Smith  
Officer Mary Beth Stachura  
Officer Katrina Welch  
Officer Dalton Wilkinson  
Officer Aaron Wizgen

## Civilian Employee Professional Service Award

“... for the civilian employee who continuously demonstrates exceptional performance.”

Tori Baertschi  
Mary Fran Debien  
Eileen Herrick

Selina Miller  
Mary Nungester  
Jennifer Overcashier

Marsha Perry  
Judy Plunkett  
Scott Stoner

## Letters of Recognition

“... for outstanding service that does not specifically meet the guidelines for an award medal.”

Officer Danielle Kasprzak  
Officer Shawn Parra  
Sergeant Michael Gilmore

Officer Jeremy Carey  
Officer Kevin Dumas  
Officer Thomas Morelli

Officer Wayne Phillips  
Officer William Shaner  
Officer Pete Siwa



## 2006 Retirements

James Matthews	Donald Rossler
John Morse	Holly Pflager
Mike Bombrys	Paul Kerschbaum
Robert Noonan	Kathy Brewer
Timothy Campbell	Jack Smith
Edward Petersen	Linda Condon
Richard Hanus	Shannon Zbikowski
Tracie Kynard	Vickie Schramm
Michael Schroeder	Michael Swartz
Gregg Sekela	Kirsten Daubigney



*Deputy Chief Michael Schroeder accepts well wishes for his retirement from Captain Ray Carroll.*



*Lieutenant Timothy Campbell, Officer Edward Petersen and Officer Richard Hanus share cake as they celebrate their joint retirement.*

*Newly promoted Captain James O'Bryant is awarded his badge by his father, retired Sergeant Gary O'Bryant.*

## 2006 Promotions

**Promoted to  
Deputy Chief**  
Ronald Spann  
Donald Kenney  
Michael Murphy

**Promoted to  
Captain**  
Leo Eggert  
Cynthia Bobash  
James O'Bryant  
Ronald Navarro

**Promoted to  
Lieutenant**  
Cheryl Hunt  
Mark King  
George Kral  
Daniel Gerken  
Brian Twining  
Mike Troendle

**Promoted to  
Sergeant**  
Norman Giesige  
Sean Jones  
Wayne Phillips  
Thomas Morelli  
Ashley Nichols  
William Shaner





## Command and Patrol Officer of the Year



**Sergeant Joe Heffernan**



**Detective Brian Lewandowski**

## Monthly Employee Awards

Month	Command Officer of the Month	Patrol Officer of the Month	Civilian Employee of the Month
January	Sgt. Thomas Kosmyna	Off. Jeffrey Dorner	Sharon Shafer
February	Lt. James O'Bryant	Off. Richard L. Trevino	No Nomination
March	Sgt. Mike Gilmore	Det. Jay Gast	Julie McConnell
April	Sgt. Randy Szymanski	Det. Brian Lewandowski	Mary Nungester
May	Sgt. Richard Dudley	Det. Jay Schramm	Denise Hart
June	Sgt. Robert Baumgartner	Off. Peter Siwa	Moneick Alford
July	Sgt. Robert Marzec	Off. Michael Ritson	Mary Zeller
August	Lt. Edward Bombrys	Off. Michelle Sterling	Lori Heath
September	Sgt. James E. Brown	Off. Nicholas Estvanik	Selina Miller
October	Sgt. Edward Mack	Det. Louie Espinosa, Jr.	Rozann Bihn
November	Sgt. Charles Humes, Jr.	Off. Michael Marotta	Delia Quisenberry
December	Lt. Mark King	Off. Curtis Stone	Darlene Williams



## Coffee Cup Awards for 2006

“... for those officers who have been exceptionally involved in the apprehension of subjects perpetrating suppressible crimes.”

### January

Sgt. Cheryl Przybylski  
Off. Rick Trevino  
Off. Dave Baertschi  
Off. Donald Hatch  
Off. Herbert Higgins  
Off. John Mattimore  
Sgt. Lou Vasquez  
Sgt. Thomas Kosmyna

### February

Off. Curtis Stone  
Off. Christopher Johnson  
Off. Jeffrey Payne  
Off. Kerry Hayes  
Off. Shelli Kilburn  
Off. Shawn Mohler  
Det. Sherri Wise  
Det. Robert Brannon  
Off. Robert Britt  
Off. William Goodlet  
Off. Lance Daggett

### March

Sgt. Mike Gilmore  
Off. Peter Siwa

Off. Jeremy Carey  
Off. Wayne Phillips  
Off. William Shaner  
Off. Kevin Dumas  
Off. Donald Scott  
Off. Anthony Smith  
Det. Brian Lewandowski  
Off. Jeff Jackson

### April

Off. Mike Ritson  
Sgt. Kevin Korsog  
Off. Frank Armstead  
Off. Pamela Ford  
Capt. Leo Eggert  
Off. Bruce Helppie  
Det. Daniel Navarre

### May

Off. Sidney Lark  
Off. Shawn Mohler  
Capt. Leo Eggert  
Off. Anthony Smith  
Off. Donald Scott  
Off. Catherine Harrigan  
Off. Michelle Sterling

### July

Off. Tim Tierney  
Lt. Randy Pepitone  
Off. Patrick Bergman  
Off. Lawrence Emery

### August

Off. Dean Powers  
Off. Linda Conti  
Off. Donald Hatch  
Capt. Leo Eggert  
Off. Edward Holland  
Off. William White  
Off. Shawn Parra  
Off. Herbert Higgins  
Off. Michael Comes  
Off. Amy Wise  
Off. Nick Estvanik

### September

Lt. Randy Pepitone  
Det. Kim Violanti  
Det. Brian Lewandowski  
Off. David Bright  
Off. David Baertschi  
Off. Greg Zattau

Off. Richard Fisher  
Off. Edward Holland  
Off. William White  
Ottawa Hills Det.

Scott Steinke  
Off. Donald O'Brien  
Off. Herbert Higgins

### October

Det. Michael Moore  
Det. Ray Espinosa  
Off. Michelle Sterling

### November

Det. Michael Mitchell  
Off. Dave Cichocki  
Off. Michael Stewart  
Det. Brian Lewandowski

### December

Off. Larry Shirey  
Off. Brett Kohlman  
Off. Troy Meyers  
Off. Jeff Violanti  
Off. Bruce Helppie  
Off. Michelle Roush  
Off. Theresa Sanders

## 57th Toledo Police Academy Class

The Toledo Police Academy graduated the 57th Basic Police Academy Class on September 13, 2006 in the Center for Performing Arts Building on the Owens Community College Campus.

Officer Joseph Okos

Officer Tanya Toska

Officer Scott Bailey

Officer Jason Mussery

Officer Joshua Bell

Officer Diane Chandler

Officer Matthew Slaman

Officer Ryan Freels

Officer Jodie Maxim

Officer John Pinkstaff

Officer Brianne Holmes

Officer Gary Bunting II

Officer Tyson Phalen

Officer Richard Grove

Officer Joseph Trudeau

Officer Michael Johnson

Officer Nicholas Bocik

Officer Brian Smith

Officer Donald Bryan

Officer Angela Domschot

Officer Aaron Riter

Officer Darnell Peters

Officer Reuben Jurva

Officer Robert Leiter

Officer Leslie Hall

Officer Johnathan Winger

Officer Brett Kohlman

Officer Gerald Barnswell

Officer Stephen Zarecki



*F*orty-three officers participated in the first annual “TOP GUN” shooting competition. The individual “TOP GUN” was awarded to Sgt. Ed Mohr, who earned a total of 412 points. Second place went to Off. Ben Schlosser with 406 points, and third place to Sgt. Tom Kosmyna with 393 Points.

*T*he Team award went to the Central District Station with a score of 2524-6x. Winning Team members were Sgt. Ed Mohr, Sgt. Tom Kosmyna, Sgt. Bill Shaner, Off. Pete Sepeda, Lt. Paul Long, Off. Deb Hahn and Off. Ray Espinosa. The competition was open to all full-duty officers, regardless of their rank or assignment.



*F*or the third year in a row, the Toledo Police “Row Patrol” Team won the annual Dragon Boat race. The Row Patrol beat out 41 teams with a winning time of 2:01.75 minutes. Team members: (Back row) Kevin Braun, Jose Medina, Scott Williamson, Eric Sweat, Rob Kay, Dan Raab, Richard Holland, Pat Bergman, Erik Welling, Laurie Renz. (Front row) Scott Sterling, Hany Youssef, Norm Cairl, Danielle Kasprzak, Maureen Carey, Robin Matejewski, Alanna Whatmore, Sheri Kellar-Raab, Nora Mugler. Drummer - Mary (last name unknown). In front with sign, Michelle Sterling. Not pictured: Shelli Kilburn.



# The 29th Annual Ohio Police And Fire Games

June 10-16, 2006 • Toledo, Ohio

## ARM WRESTLING

### Men's

**Gold** Bill Bragg  
**Silver** Norman Giesige  
**Bronze** Ray Espinoza

### Women's

**Gold** Michelle Roush  
**Silver** Theresa Sanders

## BILLIARDS

### 8- Ball

**Gold** Todd Miller

### 9- Ball

**Bronze** Todd Miller

## CROSS COUNTRY 5-K

### Senior Male

**Silver** Michael Schroeder 22:57

### Master Male

**Silver** Robert Orwig 24:24

**Bronze** Michael Smith 27:39

### Senior Master - Female

**Gold** Mary Stamper-Cichocki 28:53

## CYCLING

### Road Race - 25+ Miles

#### Golden Master

**Bronze** Dan Gardner

#### Super Master

**Gold** George Gerken

#### Ultra Master

**Silver** John Preston

### Time Trials - 9 Miles

#### Super Master

**Gold** George Gerken

### One Kilo Sprint

#### Senior Master

**Silver** Dan Gardner

#### Ultra Master

**Silver** John Preston

## ICE HOCKEY

**First** Toledo Police/Fire

## INDOOR SOCCER

**Fourth** Toledo United

## GOLF

### Singles

#### Ultra Master

**Silver** Denny Rose 256

### Two Man Best Ball

#### Ultra Master

**Gold** Denny Rose, Ron Kurdys 232

## RACQUETBALL

### Singles

#### Grand Master - Female

**Silver** Mary Morrissey

Toledo Police Spouse

#### Ultra Master

**Bronze** Robert Morrissey

### Doubles

#### Grand Master

**Bronze** Mary Morrissey,  
Nancy Hodges (Toledo Police Spouse,  
Perkins Twp. Fire Spouse)

#### Ultra Master

**Gold** Bob Morrissey, Bernie Fine (US  
Customs)

### Mixed Doubles

**Silver** Mary and Bob Morrissey

## SKEET

### Team Singles

**Gold** Ben Schlosser 449

Denny Richardson

Daniel Lacourse

(Lucas County Sheriff's Office)

Daniel Devanna

(Fremont Fire)

Rodney Hartzell

(U.S. Marshal)

## SOFTBALL

**Fourth** Toledo Police

## TENNIS

### Women's Singles

**Gold** Carol Connelly

**Silver** Nora Mugler

### Men's Singles

#### Senior Master

**Gold** Jon Mugler

**Bronze** Mark Mugler

### Men's Doubles

**Gold** Jon Mugler, Mark Mugler

**Bronze** John Palmer

Kevin Williamson  
(Toledo Fire)

### Mixed Doubles

**Gold** Carol Connelly, John Palmer

**Silver** Jon Mugler, Nora Mugler

## WEIGHT LIFTING

### Bench Press

#### Grand Master

**Gold** Norm Cairl

#### Senior Master

**Gold** Eric Whitman

### Dead Lift

#### Grand Master

**Gold** Norm Cairl

#### Senior Master

**Gold** Eric Whitman

### Power Lifting

#### Grand Master

**Gold** Norm Cairl

#### Senior Master

**Gold** Eric Whitman

#### Master

**Gold** Jeff Hood

### Push Pull

#### Grand Master

**Gold** Norm Cairl

#### Senior Master

**Gold** Eric Whitman

*\*Results may not include all participants who won awards. Every effort was made to be accurate.*

**T**he Toledo Police Olympic softball team: (Back row) Bryan and Abigail Hollingsworth, Kevin Braun, Chris Scoble, Jeff Dorner, Pat Bergman, and scorekeeper Zach LaFountain. (Front Row) Rico Holland, Greg Zattau, Eric Welling, Ray Espinosa, Joe Medina and Chip Holland. Not Shown: Norm Cairl, Jay Schramm and Ben Schlosser.







*Officer Kenny Potter received the Gold Tone National Championship Medallion as the National Police Champion at the annual NRA National Outdoor Rifle and Pistol Championships held at Camp Perry. His final score was 2333-73x. Officer Potter also coached a four-member civilian team who won the prestigious Rumbold Trophy. This was an exceptional personal achievement and a proud representation for the Toledo Police Department.*

*The Explorers were up against very tough competitors at their conference competitions in 2006, yet they did very well overall. They scored in the top ten in Traffic Stops and missed the top ten in Accident Investigation by only one point. They scored 80 points out of a possible 86 points in White Collar Crime and scored 76.75 points out of a possible 78 points in the Shoot/Don't Shoot competition.*



*Several of the Toledo Police Explorers relax at the Erie Street Market after Det. Keith Dressel's funeral. The explorers were generous with their time and dedication to duty, doing what was asked of them efficiently and without complaint.*



*Fast Tuesday for Officer Greg Szymanski meant stuffing his belly with as many paczki as he could fit in a competition at the Step-In Coffee house at Lagrange and Central in the Polish Village. Unfortunately, he was no match for the firemen, who proved they really know how to eat!!*



Chief Navarre shares a slice of cake with Sgt. Richard Murphy at Superior Uniform Sales. The Toledo Police Department tied with the Tulsa Police Department in the Best Dressed Law Enforcement Competition for a city with more than 200 officers. The competition was sponsored by the National Association of Uniform Manufacturers & Distributors, based in New York City.

The Chief recalled something retired Sgt. Joel Kaminski said to his Academy class. "If you look sharp and feel sharp, then you'll be sharp. It's something that stuck in our minds. We laughed about it then, but it's good advice."

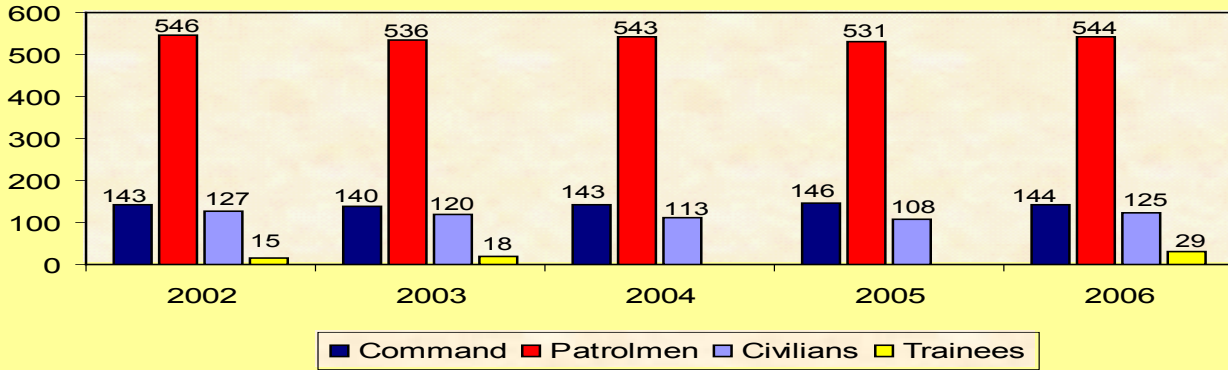


Officer Flo Wormely has made giving a way of life. In 2006, she was one of three finalists from the Toledo area nominated for the Jefferson Award, the highest award in the nation for an individual contribution to community service. Officer Wormely was recognized for her S.T.R.I.V.E. program (Success Through Review Incentive Vision Effort) which she initiated in 1997 after she was unable to find educational programming for her own children. The program, which helps prepare students for the Ohio Graduation Test, now serves over two hundred high school students and seventy-five junior high students. The testing site is at Scott High School.



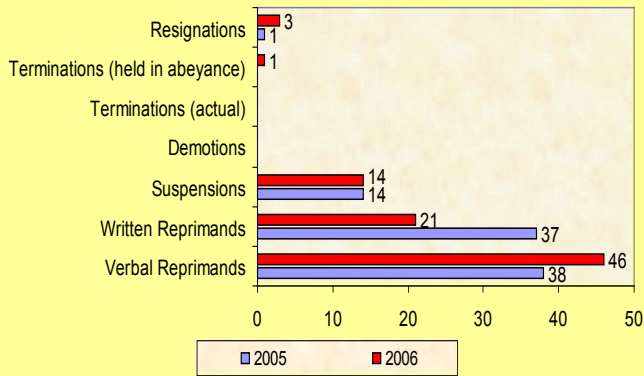


### Five-Year Personnel Strength Comparison

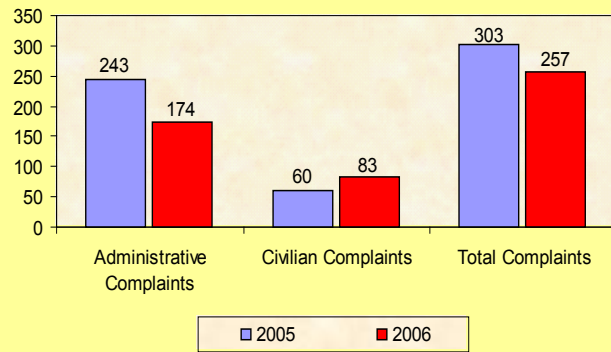


	Deputy							% of	
	Chief	Chief	Captain	Lieutenant	Sergeant	Patrolman	Civilian	Total	Department
WM	1	3	6	24	69	321	13	437	54%
WF		1	2	2	5	80	81	171	21%
BM		1		5	10	66	1	83	10%
BF					5	33	23	61	8%
HM			1	1	5	28		35	4%
HF			1		1	7	6	15	2%
IM						2		2	<1%
IF						1		1	<1%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>100%</b>

### 2005 / 2006 Internal Affairs Discipline Issued



### 2005 / 2006 Internal Affairs Complaints



### 2006 Budget

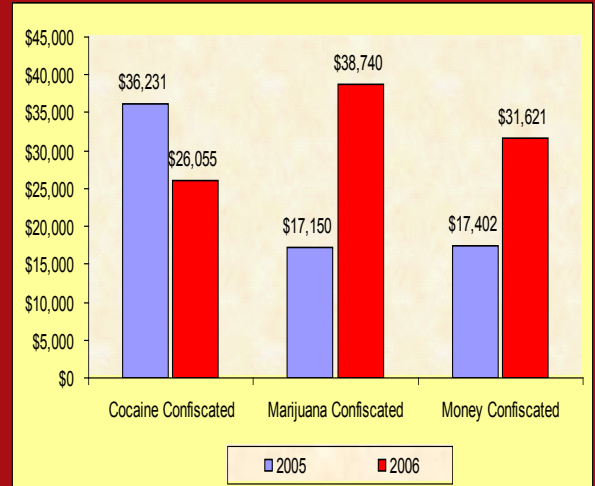
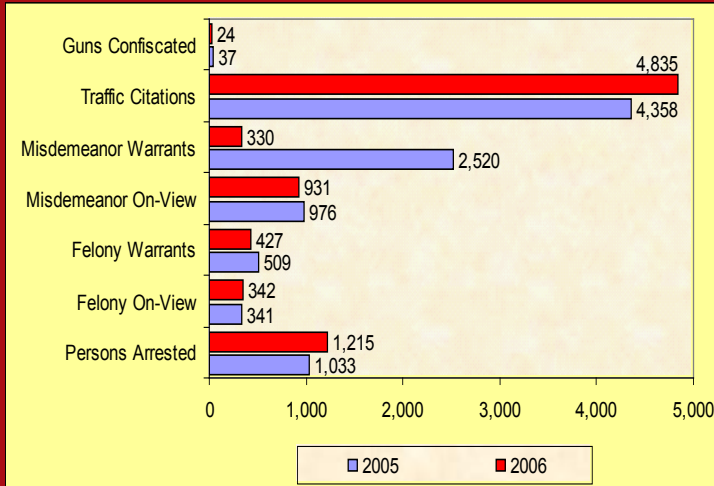
Base Salaries	\$45,863,462
Overtime	\$1,981,909
Fringe Benefits	\$21,015,290
Total Salaries	\$68,860,661
Supplies	\$735,039
Contractual	\$4,209,117
Capital Improvements	\$185,000

### 2006 Police Officer Salaries

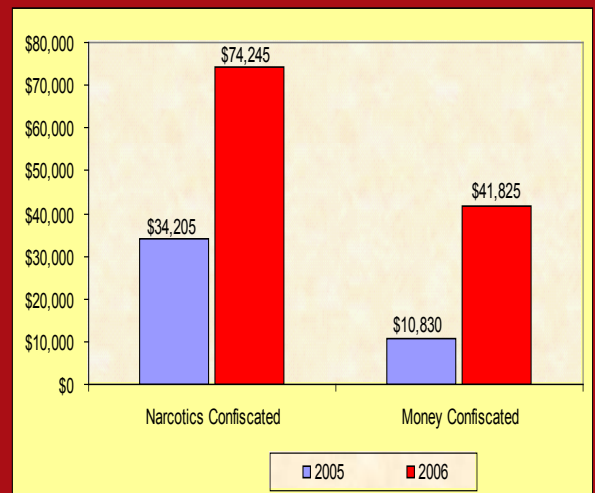
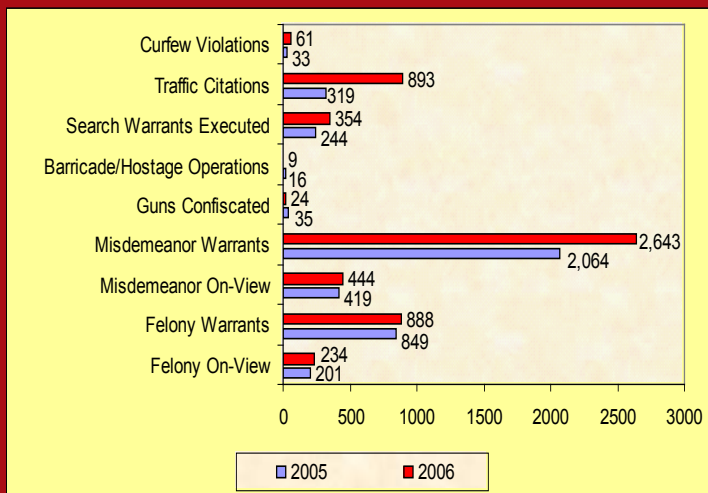
Trainee	\$42,927
Patrol Officer	\$50,975-56,453
Sergeant	\$63,852-67,180
Lieutenant	\$74,389-77,257
Captain	\$84,059-87,302



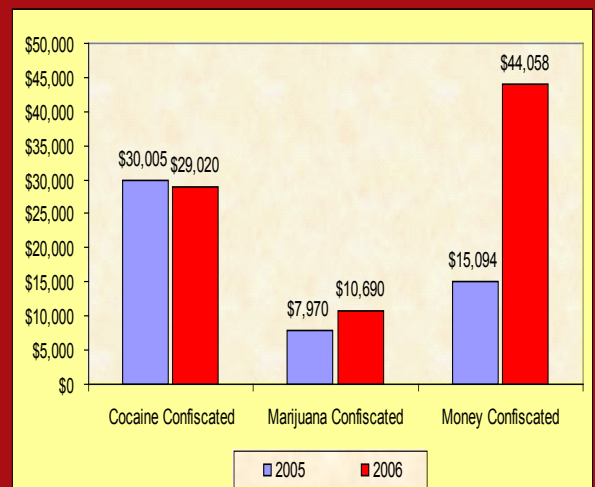
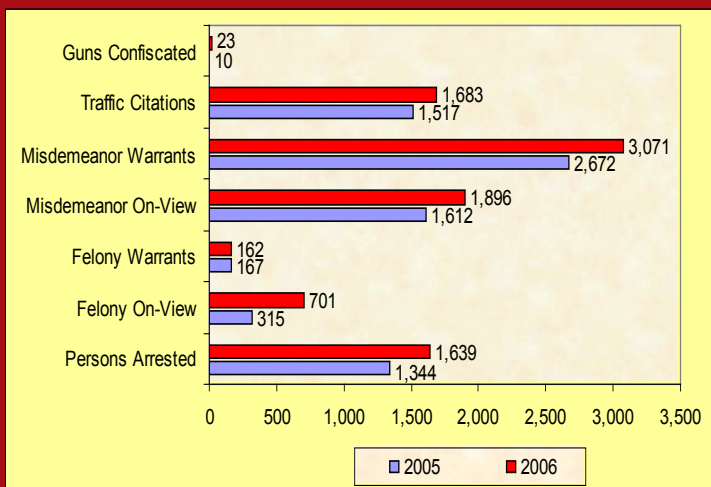
## 2005 / 2006 Gang/Youth Crime Unit Activity



## 2005 / 2006 Directed Patrol Section Activity



## 2005 / 2006 Mountain Bike Unit Activity





**TOLEDO POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
**UCR CRIME STATISTICS ----- PART 1 OFFENSES COMPARISON**  
 January - December 2005 - 2006

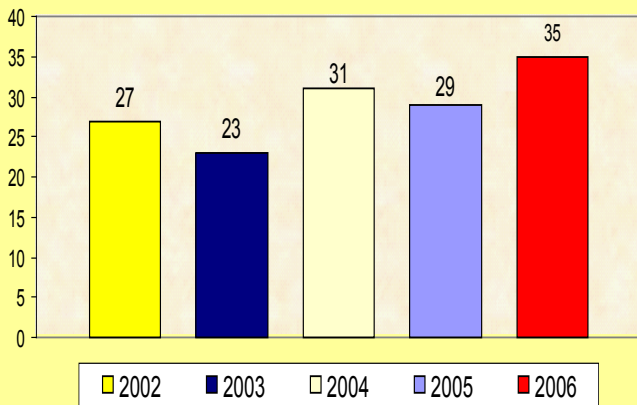
	NUMBER OF OFFENSES			CLEARANCE RATES		
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	%
	2006	2005	Change	2006	2005	Change
<b>CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS</b>						
HOMICIDE	35	29	25	80	75.9	5
RAPE	169	179	-5.6	46.2	43.6	2.6
ROBBERY	1,248	1,356	-8.0	30.1	30.9	-0.8
ASSAULT	2,009	2,162	-7.1	56.8	63.8	-7.0
PERSONS TOTAL	3,461	3,726	-7.1	46.9	51	-4
<b>CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY</b>						
BURGLARY	6,915	7,101	-2.6	14.8	12.9	1.9
LARCENY	13,239	13,331	-0.7	17	16.6	0.4
AUTO THEFT	2,557	3,198	-20	7.7	8.1	-0.5
ARSON	362	420	-13.8	8.6	5.5	3.1
PROPERTY TOTAL	23,073	24,050	-4.1	15.2	14.2	1
<b>TOTAL CRIME</b>	<b>26,534</b>	<b>27,776</b>	<b>-4.5</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>0.2</b>

**9-1-1 TELEPHONE CALL VOLUME**

	2006		2005	
	9-1-1 Calls	Non- Emergency	9-1-1 Calls	Non- Emergency
January	31,268	7,756	31,110	7,456
February	29,708	8,617	28,893	6,892
March	33,734	9,072	33,563	7,889
April	36,634	9,696	35,207	9,136
May	39,840	10,521	39,161	10,095
June	41,821	10,695	43,726	10,735
July	42,742	10,297	45,880	11,346
August	41,566	10,489	42,935	10,447
September	35,622	9,517	30,950	7,577
October	35,525	9,871	37,395	10,425
November	30,474	8,955	31,136	8,284
December	31,589	8,579	33,459	8,679
<b>Total</b>	<b>430,523</b>	<b>114,065</b>	<b>433,415</b>	<b>108,961</b>



### Five-Year Homicide Trend



### MARKED VEHICLE MILEAGE STATS

*Total Number of Marked Vehicles* **143**  
*Total Miles* **15,953,814**  
*Average Mileage* **111,565**

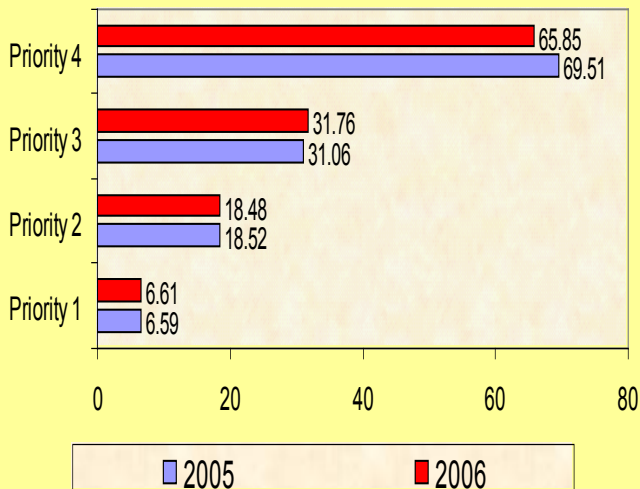
*15,953,814 miles would have enabled us to:*

*... make 33 round trips to the moon.*

*... make 1,797 trips around the perimeter of the continental United States.*

*... make 8,522 round trips from New York City to Los Angeles.*

### Response Time Comparison in Minutes



TRAFFIC STATS	2006	2005
<b>FATAL ACCIDENTS</b>		
Pedestrian	6	5
Bicycle	1	2
Motorcycle	4	9
Car/Truck	12	17
Total	23	33
<b>INJURY ACCIDENTS</b>		
Pedestrian	149	140
Bicycle	89	95
Motorcycle	98	94
Car/Truck	2,746	2,803
Total	3,082	3,132
<b>PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENTS</b>		
Bicycle	25	33
Motorcycle	32	30
Car/Truck	8,516	9,273
Total	8,573	9,336
Total Accidents	11,678	12,501
<b>CITATION SUMMARY</b>		
Moving Violations	23,965	30,319
Non-Moving Violations	28,366	18,185
Total	52,331	48,504
DUI	492	505
Seat Belts	7,923	7,272
Red-Light Cameras	25,186	18,512
<b>JUNK AUTOS</b>		
New Complaints	375	793
Private Property Tows	41	84
18-Hour Tows	173	176
Complaints Cleared	467	777
<b>DUI/SOL UNIT</b>		
FRA Tows	2,174	2,399
DUI Tows	490	486
Others	536	607
Total Tows	3,200	3,492
FRA Seizures	379	434
DUI Seizures	68	61
Others	97	105
Total Seizures	544	600
Licenses Confiscated	777	923
License Plates to BMV	471	680
Immobilizations	186	192





# A call to service . . .

*“Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We didn’t pass it to our children in the bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same.”*

*Ronald Reagan*

*This U.S. flag was flown over the Capitol Building in Washington, D.C., and then sent to the Toledo Police Department by U.S. Representative Marcy Kaptur. On February 8, 2006, it was raised and lowered in front of the Safety Building. It was then mailed to Toledo Police Officers serving in our military in Mosul, Iraq, where it was again flown. It was returned to Toledo and raised once more at the Safety Building. The flag is now displayed inside the Safety Building, honoring our many police officers who have served the United States during Operation Iraqi Freedom. The Department is proud of its many members who have made the sacrifice to serve this great country with honor and dignity.*



## *Law Enforcement Code of Ethics*

*As a Law Enforcement Officer, my fundamental duty is to service mankind; to safeguard lives and property; to protect the innocent against deception, the weak against oppression or intimidation, and the peaceful against violence or disorder; and to respect the constitutional rights of all men to liberty, equality and justice.*

*I will keep my private life unsullied as an example to all; maintain courageous calm in the face of danger, scorn, or ridicule; develop self-restraint; and be constantly mindful of the welfare of others. Honest in thought and deed in both my personal and official life, I will be exemplary in obeying the laws of the land and the regulations of my department. Whatever I see or hear of a confidential nature or that is confided in me in my official capacity will be kept secret unless the revelation is necessary in the performance of my duty.*

*I will never act officiously or permit personal feelings, prejudices, animosities, or friendships to influence my decisions. With no compromise for crime and with relentless prosecution of criminals, I will enforce the law courteously and appropriately without fear or favor, malice or ill will, never employing unnecessary force or violence and never accepting gratuities.*

*I recognize the badge of my office as a symbol of public faith, and I accept it as a public trust to be held so long as I am true to the ethics of police service. I will constantly strive to achieve these objectives and ideals, dedicating myself before God to my chosen profession... law enforcement.*

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