

Northumberland County Sheriff's Office

2020 Citizen's Report

Calls

In 2020 the Northumberland County Sheriff's Office received **17458 calls for service** into our dispatch center. **Up 18.5%** from last year.

Of those calls for service **10,219** required a **Law Enforcement Officer Response. (just over 28 per day)** **Up 32%** from last year.

Investigations

From those responses **569 Criminal Investigation Reports** were completed. **Up 32%** from last year. Not counting "information only" reports we show a **(57.9% clearance rate)** with many investigations still pending.

Arrests

319 Arrests (down 2.7% from last year) were made.

With **615 Warrants Served. (up 9.8%** from last year) (146 Felonies, 250 Misdemeanors, 217 Summons/Capias)

Demographic breakdown of arrests:

White- 161(51%)

African American-147 (46%)

Other -11 (3%)

Male- 238 (75%) Female- 81 (25%)

***NOTE: 59 of these arrests were on warrants from other jurisdictions

Civil Process

This office served **3037 Civil Papers** during the year. **Down 4%** from last year.

Traffic

Our deputies made **1539 Traffic Stops** (**Down 7.8%** from last year) resulting in **556 Traffic Citations** (**Down 14.8%** from last year)

Demographic breakdown of Traffic Citations issued:

White- 330 (59%)

African American- 193 (34%)

Other-33 (7%)

Male 358 (65%), Female 198 (35%)

*****We began keeping demographic statistics of Traffic Stops (not citations) on July 1st of this year. Here is the Traffic Stop breakdown since that time.**

555 Stops have been made since July 1.

White- 350 (63%)

African American- 181 (32.5%)

Asian/Native American- 9 (1.5%)

Unknown- 15 (3%)

Male- 361 (65%), Female- 194 (35%)

34 DUI Arrest were made. This number is **Up 36%** from last year.

We responded to **266 Traffic Accidents**. **Down 7.5%** from last year

Community

COVID-19 restrictions brought a lot of our community involvement to a halt.

Our office was able to hold **6 Community Events** earlier in the year with approximately **200 Attendees**.

The Sheriff or his designee gave **4 Crime Prevention Presentations** to various groups throughout the county.

Our School Resource Officers **DARE** program never got off the ground in 2020 before school was shutdown.

11 Northumberland High School students participated in the **Explorers Program** run by our office.