



## ***MetroParks Police Department***

Randall A. Campana, CLEE  
*Chief of Police*

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## Mission Statement

The mission of Mill Creek MetroParks is to provide park, recreational, educational and open space facilities of regional significance.

In fulfilling this mission our objectives are:

- To be responsive to community needs
- To be environmentally sound
- To be adaptable
- To be economically feasible

Link to Mission Statement:

<http://www.millcreekmetroparks.org/contact/about/mission-statement/>

## Department Mission Statement

The mission of the Mill Creek Metro Parks Police Department is to provide services to visitors utilizing the parks many facilities and open spaces. We are committed to providing a safe environment for recreation to ALL those who use the park through our core values of **Integrity, Service, Respect, and Professionalism.**

**Professional Excellence Everyday In ALL We Do!**



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# Strategic Master Plan

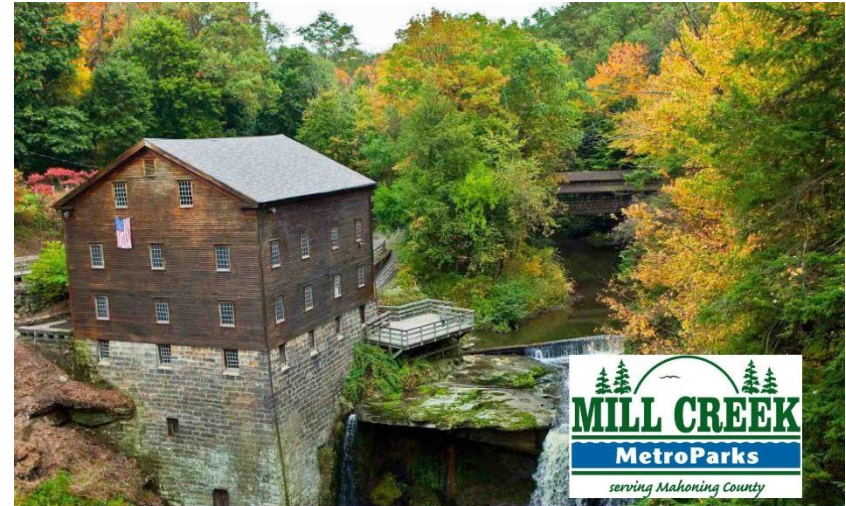
## ■ Chapter 7: Implementation Plan

VISION: “Our vision for the Metro parks Police is to provide users and visitors with a safe environment to enjoy their recreation and leisure pursuits that increase their sense of safety so they can appreciate and value the time they spend in Mill Creek Park.

GOAL: “Teach users and visitors how to enjoy Mill Creek Metro Parks through positive enforcement of Metro Parks rules and regulations.

Link to Strategic Master Plan:

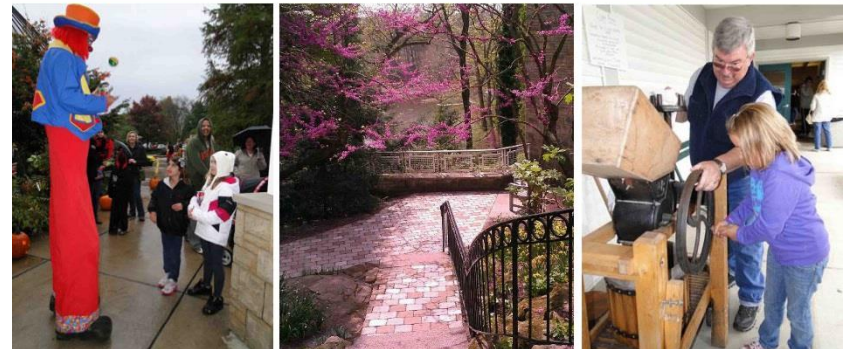
<http://www.millcreekmetroparks.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/11/Mill-Creek-MetroParks-Strategic-Master-Plan-FINAL.pdf>



January 2013

**Comprehensive Parks and Recreation  
Strategic Master Plan**

**pros**  
consulting



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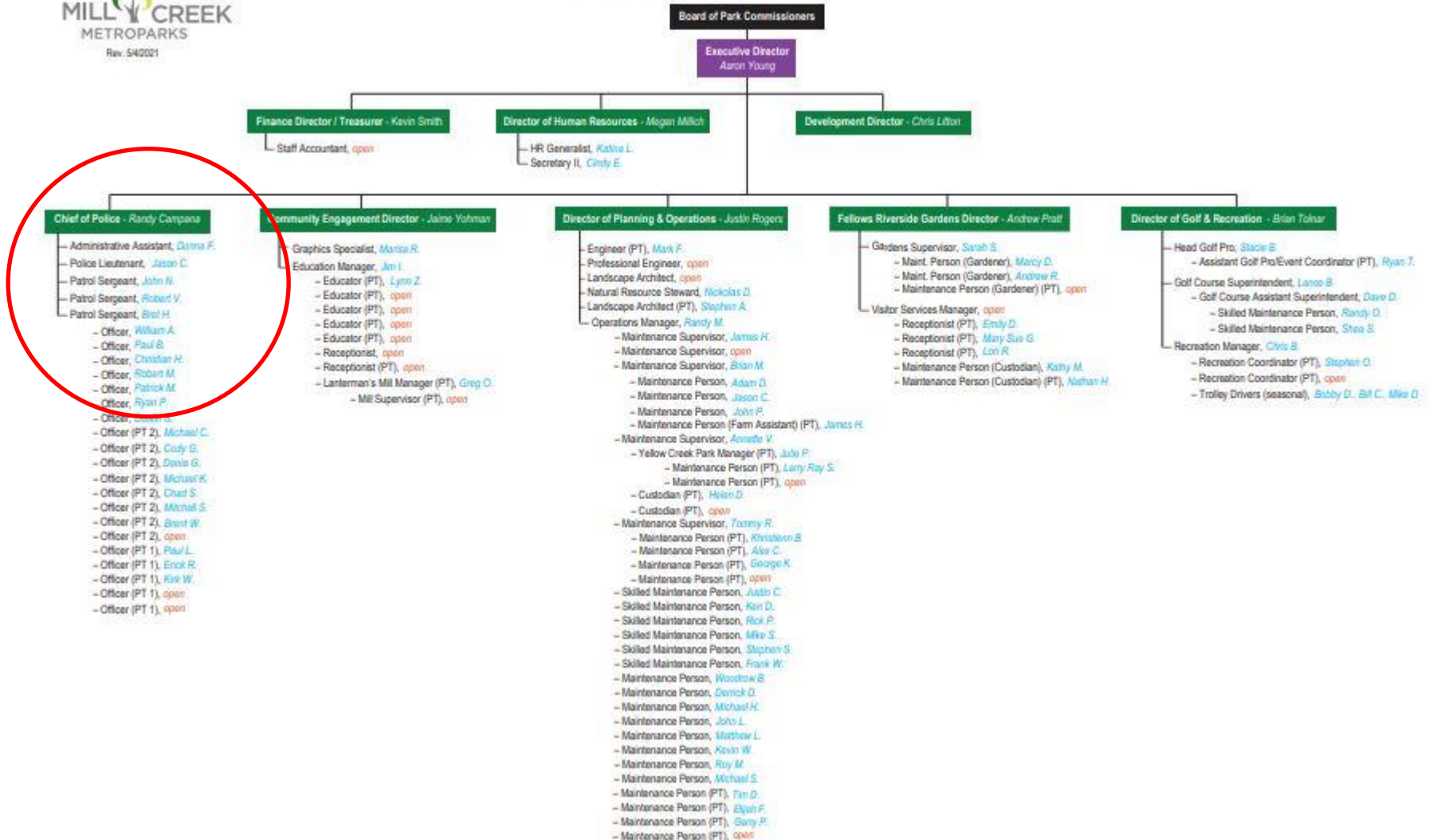




# Department Organization

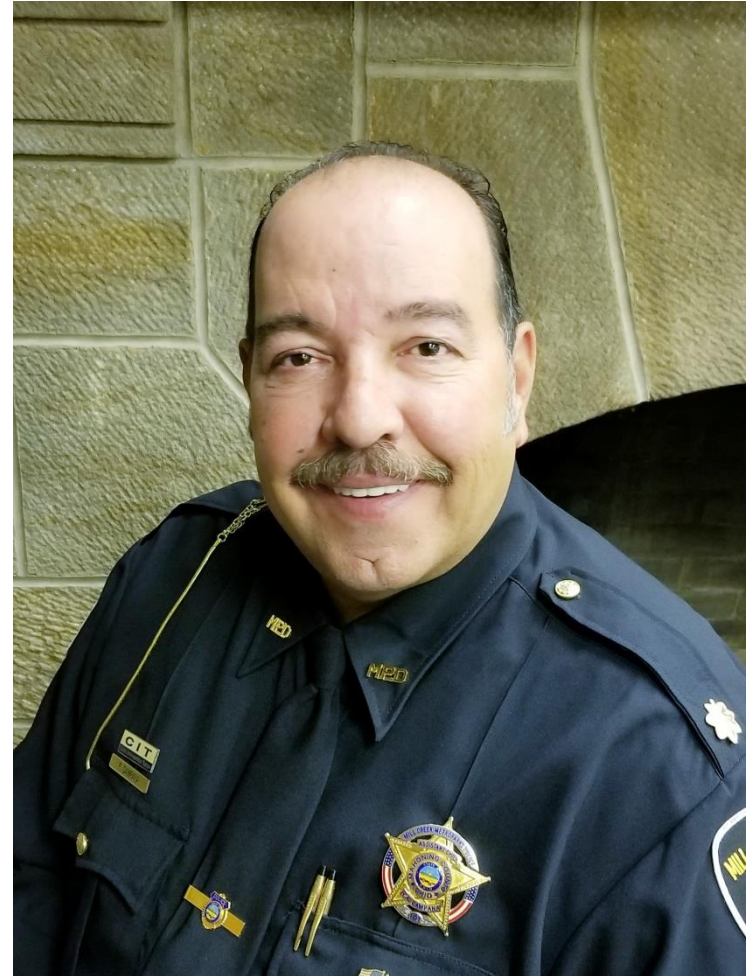


MILL CREEK METROPARKS – ORGANIZATION CHART



# Department Organization

- Randall A. Campana
  - Chief of Police
    - 35 Years of Experience
    - Serving the Metro Parks Since 2000
    - PELC –Police Executive Leadership College Graduate
    - CLEE- Certified Law Enforcement Executive Graduate & Board Member
    - Mahoning Valley Law Enforcement Executives
    - Safe Streets Training
    - FBI Great Lakes Leadership Graduate
    - O.P.O.T.A. Weapons Instructor-multiple platforms
    - Homicide Task Force Member
    - A.L.I.C.E. Instructor
    - ASP Tactical Baton & Flashlight Instructor



# Department Organization

- Jason Clark
  - Police Lieutenant
    - 26 Years Experience
    - Detective
    - Court Officer
    - Impound Lot Manager
    - Police Auction Coordinator
    - Firearms Instructor
    - Crisis Intervention Training
    - PELC- Police Executive Leadership College Graduate
    - 13 Years FBI Violent Crimes Task Force
    - ASP Instructor
    - Evidence Management
    - Crisis Response Team
    - Homicide Task Force
    - Safe Streets Training



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# Department Organization

- Sergeant John Novosel
  - Police Sergeant
    - 22 Years of Service
    - LEADS T.A.C.
    - Evidence Room Manager
    - OHLEG Coordinator
    - Police IT Manager
    - CPR Instructor





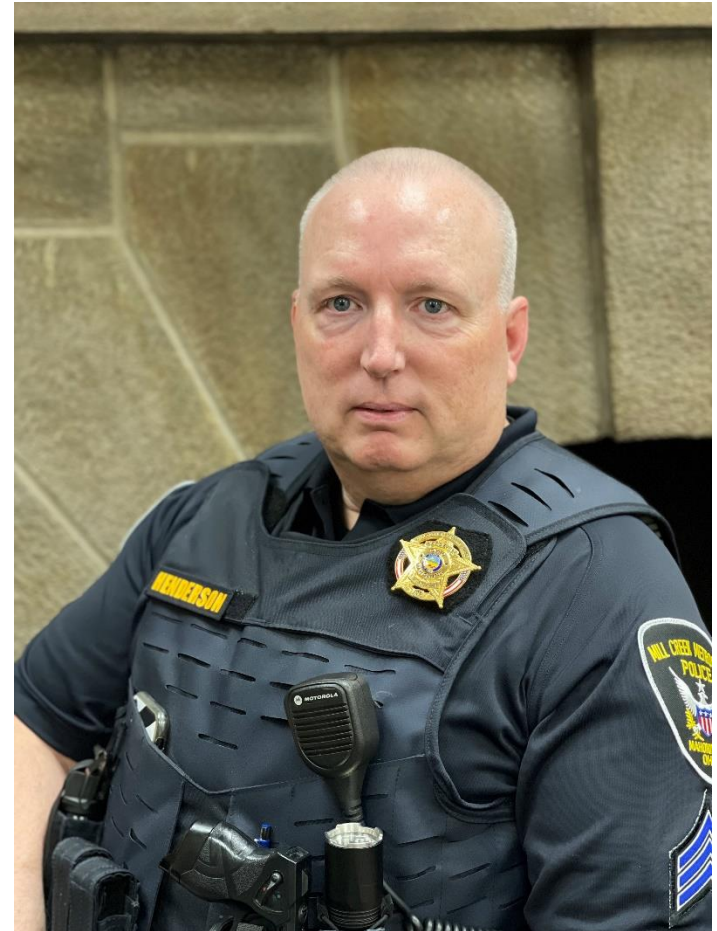
# Department Organization

- Sergeant Robert J. Vukovich
  - Police Sergeant
    - Afternoon Shift Supervisor
    - Department Training Manager
    - Field Training Program Coordinator
    - Firearms Instructor
    - Taser Instructor
    - Subject Control Instructor
    - Controlled Force Instructor
    - Traffic Stops Instructor
    - Police Academy Instructor
    - Department Outreach Manager
    - Firearms Technician & Armorer
    - Crisis Intervention Training
    - Drug Interdiction Training
    - C.S.U. Commander
    - A.L.I.C.E. Instructor
    - FBI Active Shooter ALERRT Training



# Department Organization

- Sergeant Bret O. Henderson
  - Police Patrol Sergeant
    - Midnight Turn Supervisor
    - 28 Years LE Experience
    - Field Training Officer
    - Technical Crash Investigator
    - Crisis Intervention Training
    - Field Training Officer
    - HAZMAT Recognition Certified
    - A.R.I.D.E. Certified
    - Detecting Deception Training
    - Drug Interdiction Training
    - Incident Command Training
      - 100/200/300/400



# Department Organization

- Donna Fedorek
  - Administrative Assistant
    - 30 Years of Experience
    - Bachelor of Science in Applied Science from Y.S.U. majoring in Criminal Justice
    - Time Cards & Payroll
    - Police Statistical Tracking
    - Monitor Budget
    - Process Purchase Orders
    - Record Keeping
    - Administrative, clerical, and technical support to staff
    - Microsoft Office
    - LEADS ATAC
    - NOTARY PUBLIC

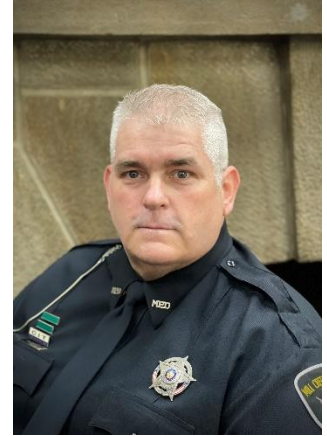




# Department Organization

## ■ Full Time Officers

- Officer Patrick Murphy
- Officer Robert Malkovits
- Officer Paul Brode
- Officer Dustin Strines
- Officer Christian Hunter
- Officer Ryan Patterson
- Officer William Aaron

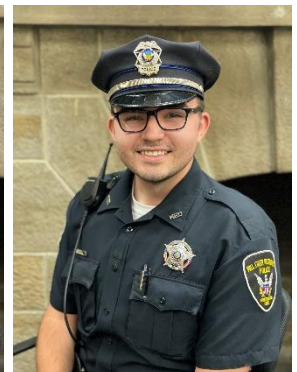
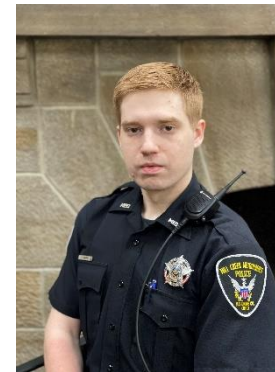
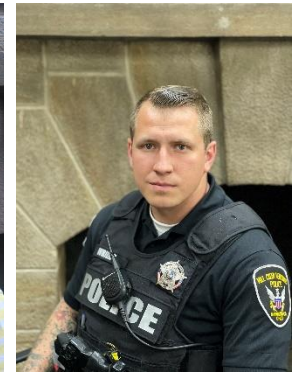


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# Department Organization

## ■ Part Time Officers


- Officer Dania Gillam Sr.
- Officer Mike Cretella
- Officer Brent Wright
- Officer Chad Shaffer
- Officer Mitchell Sauerwein
- Officer Cody Geary
- Officer Paul Lettau
- Officer Mike Kawa (not pictured)



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# Department Budget

- 2021 Budget Analysis Summary
  - Police Department
    - \$1,146,643.17
    - 20% of total
- 2021 Materials & Supplies
  - Police Department
    - \$153,880.00
    - 4% of total



5089	5103	5102	5101	5068	2021 Budget Expectation	%
Healthcare	Life	Vision	Dental	Overtime		
\$ 92,366.24	\$ 294.00	\$ 1,033.92	\$ 4,203.36		\$ 629,287.99	11%
\$ 32,912.60	\$ 126.00	\$ 294.84	\$ 1,124.04	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 374,445.98	6%
\$ 62,633.20	\$ 294.00	\$ 815.52	\$ 3,158.04	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 854,593.78	15%
\$ 67,626.00	\$ 252.00	\$ 582.00	\$ 2,631.48	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 532,215.39	9%
\$ 359,700.04	\$ 1,134.00	\$ 8,829.56	\$ 15,583.58	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 2,279,775.70	39%
\$ 136,930.64	\$ 546.00	\$ 1,554.24	\$ 6,158.64	\$ 35,000.00	\$ 1,146,643.17	20%
\$ 752,168.72	\$ 2,646.00	\$ 8,110.08	\$ 32,859.12	\$ 65,000.00	\$ 5,816,962.02	100%



# Department Responsibilities

- **Proactive Law Enforcement**

- A commitment to providing a safe environment for recreation to ALL those who use the parks through the enforcement of:

- Ohio Revised Codes
- Local Codified Ordinances
- Park Rules and Regulations



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# Department Responsibilities

- **2020 Law Enforcement Statistics**
  - 24 Hour-7 Day a Week Patrols
  - 207,786 Total Miles Patrolled
  - Arrests: 196
  - Traffic Stops: 1289
  - Towed Autos: 125
  - Administrative Patrol: 2139
  - Building/Facility/Area Checks: 66,554
  - Community Contacts 15,469
  - Calls for Service 3,047

LOCAL NEWS

## **Mill Creek Police Arrest Man Found with AK-47 after Pursuit**



by: Joe Gorman

Posted: Jun 1, 2021 / 01:36 PM EDT / Updated: Jun 1, 2021 / 01:39 PM EDT

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio (WKBN) — Reports said police found an AK-47 loaded with a 100-round drum magazine Sunday in the area where a man police said led them on a chase through three sides of town, who they arrested.

Tori Letlow, 30, of LaBelle Avenue, was booked into the Mahoning County jail on charges of being a felon in possession of a firearm and failure to comply with the order or signal of a police officer. He is expected to be arraigned Tuesday in municipal court.

Reports said officers were called about 2:20 p.m. Sunday to a 1721 Lansdowne Blvd. store on the east side for a report of two suspicious men in a car in the parking lot.

**Jury selection begins in trial for grandpa accused of shooting grandson's father** —

When officers arrived reports said one of the men was wearing a ski mask and the other was putting on a ski mask.

When they saw a cruiser, the car pulled out of the parking lot but when an officer tried to pull the car over, it would not stop.

Instead, police were led on a chase to the north side, back to the east side, then the south side before police lost sight of the car in the Southern Boulevard area.

The car was found in an abandoned lot on Hilton Avenue, reports said.

Reports said an officer from Mill Creek MetroParks Police found Letlow, who was still wearing a ski mask, at East Ravenwood Avenue and Market Street. He led police on a short foot chase before he was caught.



# Department Responsibilities

- **Community Policing**
  - Engaging with community members and parks visitors to establish safe and efficient police-community relations.
    - Parks Visitor Interactions
    - Community Relations
    - Community Outreach

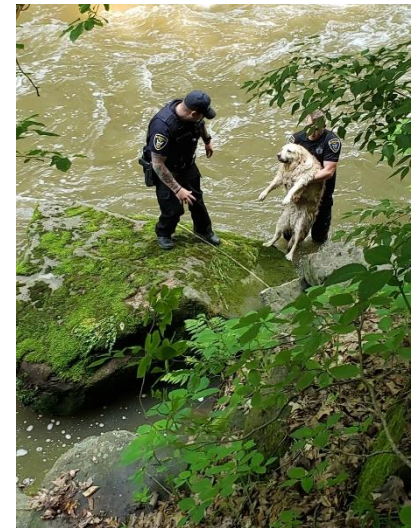




# Department Responsibilities

## ▪ **Service Based Policing**

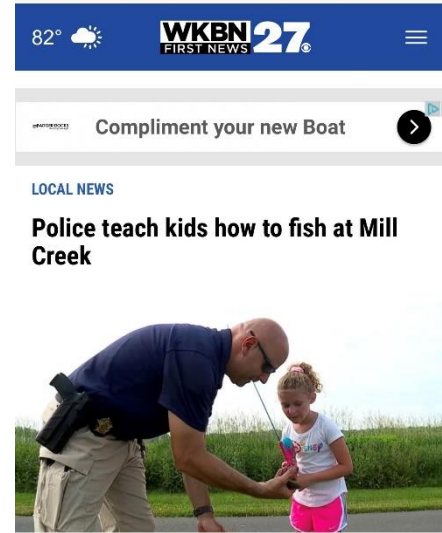
- Assisting and meeting community parks visitors needs to establish healthy police-community relations.
  - Parks Visitor Assistance
  - Vehicle Lock Outs
  - Vehicle Jump Starts
  - Parks Information & Directions



# Department Responsibilities

## ■ Department Outreach Programs

- Annual programs centered around parks resources to build strong community bonds and long lasting, positive impressions.
  - Police Air Rifle Course
  - Hooked on Fishing
  - Putting with The Police
  - Easter Basket Program with YPD



Mill Creek Police  
Air Rifle Training  
Class 2018



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# Department Responsibilities

- **Crime Suppression Unit**
  - A specialized police investigative and apprehension unit that targets specific criminal problems and problematic areas of the parks through:
    - Surveillance
    - Plain Clothes Officers
    - Unmarked Vehicles
    - Specialized Training





# Department Responsibilities

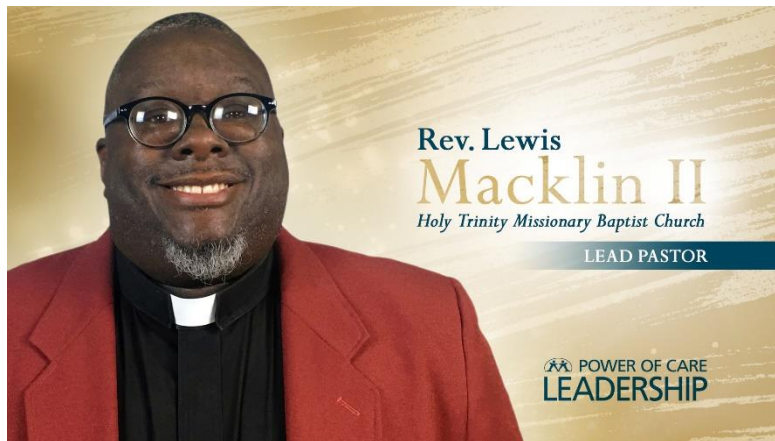
## ▪ Department Training

- A daily commitment to a well trained, well prepared and well-rounded police force through:
  - Crisis Intervention Training
  - De-Escalation Techniques
  - Subject Control Training
  - Non-Deadly Force Training
  - Annual Taser Training
  - CPT Training
  - Annual Firearms Qualifications
  - Daily Lexipol DTBs & Updates
  - Stop the Bleed & First Aid



# Department Responsibilities

- **2021 Annual In-Service Department Training- Birch Hill Cabin**
  - Featuring Rev. Lewis Macklin
  - Topic: Cultural Sensitivity & Critical Thinking in Law Enforcement





# Department Responsibilities

- **Other Key On-Going Essential Police Functions**
  - Bikeway Patrol
  - Walking Trail Patrol
  - Parking Lot Patrols
  - Scooter Patrol
  - Protection of Natural Resources
  - Wildlife Calls
  - Event Security
  - Traffic Control
  - Daily Outlying Property Checks
  - Assist Other Agencies
  - Build LE Community Partnerships





# Department Responsibilities

## ▪ New 2021 Police Functions

- Speed Trailers
- Patrol Matrix
- Daily Walking Patrols
- Park Staff Training
- Intra-Departmental Relations
- Streamlined Field Training
- Field Training Resources
- User Friendly Department
- Regular Fleet Inspection(s)
- Water Rescue Equipment
- Enhanced First Aid Kits



# Department Responsibilities

- **Demonstrating Professional Excellence Everyday in ALL We Do!**
  - Lexipol Gold Award Agency, 2020
  - Up to date LE Policies
  - Policy Management
  - Daily Training Bulletins
  - Staying ahead of emerging legal trends
  - Reducing liability



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# Department Responsibilities

- **Demonstrating Professional Excellence Everyday in ALL We Do!**
  - Certified Ohio Collaborative Agency
    - Group 1: Use Of Force
    - Group 2: Community Engagement
    - Group 3: Biased Based Policing
    - Group 4: Motor Vehicle Pursuits



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# Department Responsibilities

- **Accountability**

- Patrol Matrix Breakdown-Balanced  
Administrative duties  
Vehicle patrol / Traffic enforcement  
Foot Patrols  
Community Policing
  - Stat Tracking
  - Visibility
  - Outreach



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# Department Responsibilities

## ▪ **Financial Accountability**

- Bullet Proof Vest Grant
- Other Grant Based Programs
- LESO Equipment Program
- Refurbished Equipment
- Mutual Aid Supplies



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# Comments or Questions?



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