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DATE: 08/12/2025

TO: Stacy Katon, Town Administrator, Town of Georgia

FROM: John Grismore, Sheriff **RE:** July Monthly Reporting

July Notes:

Overall, incidents are down (per hour worked) from previous months. Traffic enforcement incidents continue to be the highest represented type. In July, we conducted 29 traffic stops (down from 36 in the previous month). From those 29 stops, we issued 25 warnings and 9 tickets.

We conducted 6 Directed Patrols in July in response to requests we've received over the summer – focusing on Georgia Shore Road, Oakland Station Road, Decker Road and Plains Road. We made 6 traffic stops on Georgia Shore Road. Despite complaints of speeding on Oakland Station Road, we have yet to observe any violators.

Forward Looking:

Consistent with previous months, we will use GHS funding to supplement our traffic enforcement efforts. As schools will be resuming classes, we will make an effort to be present near GEMS during the morning drop off and afternoon pick up timeframes.

Report Summary:

	February	March	April	May	June	July
Total Hours Worked	71.75	103.75	80	80	88	90
Total Incidents	24	38	46	53	68	46
Incidents Per Hour Worked	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.5
Total Arrest Charges	0	0	1	4	8	1
Total Traffic Stops	18	29	26	39	36	29
Total Directed Patrols	1	0	5	0	12	6
Total Warnings Issued	8	19	29	37	37	25
Total Tickets Issued	8	15	13	18	14	9

Incident Data:		Arrest Data:		
Traffic Stop	29	Ignition interlock restricted driver's license	1	
Directed Patrol	6			
VIN verification	3			
Assist - Agency	2			
Accident - Property damage only	1			
DLS	1			
DUI	1			
Eluding Police	1			
Fraud	1			
Trespass	1			

Motor Vehicle Enforcement Data:

SL2 - 11-20 MPH Over Speed Limit		
DEF - Condition Of Vehicle	8	
VNI - Vehicle Not Inspected Within 15 Days Of Vt. Registration		
DLT - Driving On Roadways Laned For Traffic		
PNA - Misuse Of Number Plates		
INS - Operating Without Liability Insurance	2	
OWS - Obstructing Windshields	1	
VO - Regulations In Municipalities		
LBR - 11-20 MPH Over Speed Limit-Local		
WF - Rear Wheel Flaps Required		
NR - Persons Required To Register	1	
FYY - Stop Sign		
DP - Failed To Display Front Registration Plate		
CEL - Using Portable Electronic Device Outside Work or School Zone 1st violation		

Community Correspondence:

Date	Mode	Contact Name	Information/Concern	Action(s) Taken
07/14/25	Direct	Jeff Simons	Mr. Simons contacted Town about speeding near his	Focus Areas listing was
			residence on Ethan Allen Hwy. The Sheriff contacted	updated, and information was
			Simons directly to discuss. Simons advised police	communicated to patrol group.
			could use his driveway as needed.	