



JOSHUA POLICE DEPARTMENT

December 2025

In December, the Joshua Police Department in conjunction with the City Manager's Office interviewed a candidate for the Fire Marshal position. We believe we have identified a highly qualified candidate and a conditional offer of employment has been made. The candidate is progressing through the final stages of the hiring process now. We said goodbye to Officer Shawn Martin who had been out for an extended period. We wish him well on his long-term recovery efforts. We expect another officer who has been out for an extended period to be returning to work around Christmas time. During December, the Police Department participated in the Christmas on Main event utilizing eleven officers who worked 57.5 hours of overtime. Ten volunteers from Joshua Citizens on Patrol also volunteered 46.5 hours for the event. The event went smoothly, was very successful, and was spoken highly of by every citizen I spoke with. Also, on Christmas eve, the Cleburne Police Department was hunting for a Burglary suspect. They requested drone assistance from the Joshua Police Department. Officer Barger responded from home (he said he was in the middle of assembling a Barbie castle at the time). He was able to utilize the drone and its infrared capabilities to locate the suspect hiding amongst some houses and direct the Cleburne officers to the burglar's location.

PATROL DIVISION					
Statistical Comparisons for November					
December 2025		December 2024		Year to Date 2025	
Calls for Service	466	Calls for Service	259	Calls for Service	4647
Arrests	18	Arrests	3	Arrests	73
Crash Reports	7	Crash Reports	11	Crash Reports	103
Traffic Stops	165	Traffic Stops	279	Traffic Stops	3033
Citations	75	Citations	177	Citations	926
Outside Agency Assists	10	Outside Agency Assists	11	Outside Agency Assists	144
Reports	50	Reports	50	Reports	895

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION					
Statistics for December 2025					
Detective Stone			Detective Mansell		
Cases Assigned		17	Cases Assigned		28

TRAINING & COMMUNITY OUTREACH					
<ul style="list-style-type: none">In December, members of the Joshua Police Department Citizens on Patrol Program volunteered 26 hours on patrol, 56.5 hours at community events, and 26 hours for training.12/5/25 – Christmas on Main event12/9/255 – Detective Mansell attended the monthly meeting of the Johnson County Crimestoppers					