



Police Report

August 2022

Submitted for Council Meeting: September 19, 2022

The Spring Lake Park Police Department responded to seven hundred and seventy-five calls for service for the month of August 2022. This is compared to responding to seven hundred and five calls for service in August 2021.

The police department would like to remind residents that school is back in session. We will be having school buses driving on our streets, along with students driving and walking to and from school. The police department would like to remind everyone to allow extra time for traveling to and from your destinations to help prevent any unfortunate incidents happening and to help keep our roadways and those utilizing them safe! On behalf of the police department, I would like to thank everyone in advance for your attention with this matter. Working together, we can help each other keep everyone safe. For further information on bus safety please see the **Minnesota Department of Public Safety website and navigate to the Commercial Vehicle section for School Bus Safety.**

The Spring Lake Park Police Department participated in "Night to Unite" again this year on August 2, 2022. It was great for all of us to get out and connect with the individual neighborhoods again this year. The officers, reserves, Administrator Buchholtz and myself attended 16 parties throughout the city. We look forward to next years events on August 1, 2023.

Investigator Bennek reports handling thirty-two cases for the month of August 2022. Thirty of these cases were felony cases and two were misdemeanor cases. Investigator Bennek also continues to monitor five forfeiture cases. For further details, see Investigator Bennek's attached report.

The Spring Lake Park Police Department Administrative Office Staff continues to support myself and the officers on a daily basis. Lisa Murphy our BCA Terminal Agency Contact has been diligently working on our CJIS BCA Audit and will be bring that to a close in the very near future. I am thanking for all of our Administrative staff and the work that they do.

We are continuing to move towards being fully staffed in the Police Department. We are currently conducting backgrounds on our top 3 candidates and are looking forward to making a conditional offer to one of the them in early October.

The month of August 2022 was a busy month for myself. Besides handling the day to day operations of the police department, I have stayed busy running the police officer hiring process as well as attending several trainings throughout the month. I have also continued to represent the Police Department at various meetings throughout the county and city.

This will conclude my report for the month of August 2022.



Investigator

Tony Bennek

Spring Lake Park Police Department

Monthly Report

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Total Case Load

Case Load by Level of Offense: 32

Felony	30
Gross Misdemeanor	0
Misdemeanor	2

Case Dispositions:

County Attorney	29
Juvenile County Attorney	0
City Attorney	3
Forward to Other Agency	0
SLP Liaison	0
Carried Over	0
Unfounded	0
Exceptionally Cleared	0
Closed/Inactive	0

Forfeitures:

Active Forfeitures	5
Forfeitures Closed	1