

McCandless Police Department

Memorandum

Date: January 9, 2023
To: Town Council
From: Ryan P. Hawk, Chief of Police
RE: Monthly Police Activity Report – December 2022

On 12/16/22 we said farewell to Sgt. Bryan Madden and K9 Officer Joy and on 12/20/22 we said welcome to Officer Patrick Jennings, who was sworn-in.

All officers completed their mandatory CPR and First Aid training in order to comply with their state certification. One officer completed MS4 training, which is a federal requirement in dealing with hazardous materials and how to prevent their entry into the environment. Officers assigned to the North Hills Special Response Team completed their required monthly training.

I am pleased to announce that we were the recipients of a \$3,000 grant from UPMC Passavant Hospital Foundation in order to purchase new, much-needed, lifesaving AEDs.

On 12/16/22, we participated with the North Hills DUI Task Force in conducting a Roving DUI Patrol detail in conjunction with the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration Checkpoint Strike Force along various roadways in McCandless, Ross, and West View. There were 62 vehicles that were stopped for various traffic violations and one individual was administered field sobriety tests. Of those tested, one was arrested for Driving Under the Influence. Five citations were issued for various vehicle code violations.

On 12/19/22 North Hills Community Outreach was very grateful to receive our generous holiday donations collected from the entire McCandless community. In addition to this holiday donation, McCandless Police Officers donated nearly \$2,000 to a McCandless family to help them as they help their 3 year old daughter who is bravely battling leukemia.