



Town of Blades
OFFICE OF MAYOR & COUNCIL
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Code Enforcement Report

October 2013

Ordinance # 330 (trash) 3

Complaints 3

Ordinance # 410 (grass) 2

Rental Inspections 23

Ordinance # 421(Abandoned Vehicle) 4

Mileage 2508



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**BLADES POLICE DEPARTMENT
BLADES, DELAWARE**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Michael Smith
Mayor of Blades

FROM: Chief Edwin C. Cooke *EC*
Chief of Police

THROUGH: Mr. Earl E. Chaffinch Sr.
Police Commissioner

SUBJECT: **Monthly Report October 2013**

DATE: November 11, 2013

Traffic and Criminal Activity Statistics:

Traffic Arrest: (8) Criminal Arrest: (20)

DUI Arrest: (0) Criminal Complaints: (68)

29P Local Fugitive (4) Domestic Related (5)

Vehicle Report

Crown Victoria 2001	Mileage	(131192)	Fuel	(122)
Ford Crown Vic 2009	Mileage	(64642)	Fuel	(0)
Dodge Durango (2005)	Mileage	(143832)	Fuel	(111)
Hummer (1993)	Mileage	(18505)	Fuel	(0)
Hummer (1978)	Mileage	(23500)	Fuel	(0)

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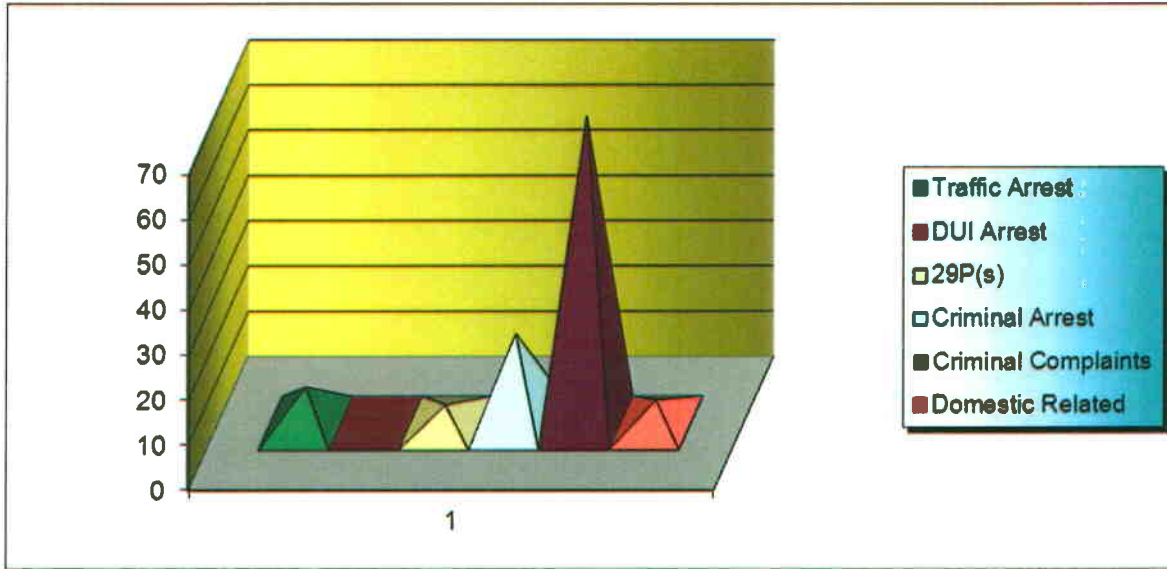
Significant Event:

1. On Tuesday, October 15, 2013, Chief Edwin Cooke was the guest speaker at THE ARK Christian School south of Seaford. Spoke on safety in the home and at school – no **Bullying**.
2. On Wednesday, October 16, 2013, Chief Edwin Cooke attended the Sussex County Police Chiefs' Association meeting held at the Bay Leaf Restaurant in Milton, Delaware.
3. On Wednesday, October 16, 2013, Chief Edwin Cooke participated in firearms training with the Milton Police Department conducted at the Bridgeville Rifle Range Club. Exercises consisted of day and low night shooting with handguns and patrol rifle. All firearms re-certification training was conducted in accordance with COPT standards.
4. On October 30-31, 2013, Chief Edwin Cooke conducted firearms training, day and low light shooting at the DSP Firearms Training Facility in Smyrna, Delaware. All firearms re-certification training conducted in accordance with COPT standards.
5. During November 5-7, 2013, Chief Edwin Cooke attended the 2013 Delaware Office of Highway Safety Conference held at the Atlantic Sands Hotel in Rehoboth Beach, Delaware.
6. Blades Police Department had their Motorola APX Mobile two-way radio system installed in the patrol room on Tuesday, November 5, 2013. This device is programmed with the same template as the radios in the patrol vehicles with an alias of **HQBlades**. The property was awarded on a SLEAF grant for **\$5,459.00** written by Chief Edwin Cooke.



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Traffic Arrests	DUI Arrests	29P(s)	Criminal Arrests	Criminal Complaint	Domestic Related
8	0	4	20	68	5





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Town of Blades
Water & Maintenance Department

Month/Year: October 2013

Vehicle 1: 2008 GMC Sierra Monthly Total Fuel: \$282.46

Starting Mileage: 41,900 Ending Mileage: 42,950 Total Mileage: 1,050

Vehicle 2: 1995 Ford F250 Monthly Total Fuel: \$140.00

Starting Mileage: 73,682 Ending Mileage: 73,836 Total Mileage: 154

Vehicle 3: 1995 Chevy D/T Monthly Total Fuel: \$73.54

Starting Mileage: 21,384 Ending Mileage: 21,389 Total Mileage: 5

Maintenance 1: Gas Cans Monthly Total Fuel: 0

Maintenance 2: Backhoe Monthly Total Fuel: 0 Total Hours: 201.98

Complaints: 0 Disconnects: 1 Reconnects: 1

After Hour Calls: 0 After Hour Response: 0

Town Water Leaks: 1 Other Water Leaks: 0

Water Pumped for Month: Well #1: 1,712,900 Gallons Hours: 224.30

Well #2: 1,489,100 Gallons Hours: 182.90

Total: 3,202,000 Gallons Hours: 407.20

Actual meter reading date: Oct 30-31

Chemicals Ordered: Caustic Soda: 330 Gallons Chlorine: 120 Gallons

Corrosion Control: 0 Gallons Permanganate: 0 lbs.

Fluoride: 100 lbs.

Snow plowing: NA Hours Salt spreading: N/A Hours

Comments: New Battery put in Backwash control seems to be working fine

Brandon Slater, DE Water Operator #10

Town of Blades
Monthly Well Reading Report

Month of Oct. Year 2013

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Day	Well #1 GPM	Hours On		Well #2 GPM	Hours On		Backwash Check	Initials
1	2290082	3323.9		2134268	1098.1		✓	JJ
2	2290955	3335.3		2134866	1105.3		✓	JJ
3	2291450	3341.8		2135403	1111.9		✓	JJ
4	2291970	3348.7		2136414	1124.3		✓	JJ
5	2292623	3357.2		2137054	1132.1		✓	JJ
6	2293345	3366.7		3137410	1136.5		✓	BS
7	2294216	3378.1		2137722	1140.3		✓	JJ
8	2294611	3383.4		2138188	1146.1		down	BS
9	2295385	3393.8		2138880	1152.1		down	JJ
10	2295837	3399.5		2139325	1160.6		down	BS
11	2296399	3408.9		2139427	1161.2		down	JJ
12	2296874	3413.0		2140069	1165.1		down	JJ
13	2297832	3418.9		2140463	1173.8		down	BS
14	2297973	3427.2		2140927	1180.4		down	JJ
15	2298584	3435.1		2141539	1187.0		down	BS
16	2298715	3436.5		2142053	1193.3		down	JJ
17	2299609	3448.5		2142491	1198.7		down	BS
18	2300212	3456.4		2142860	1200.7		down	JJ
19	2300760	3463.6		2143385	1208.5		down	JJ
20	2301267	3470.3		2143763	1214.4		down	JJ
21	2301951	3479.5		2144171	1219.5		down	JJ
22	2302386	3485.2		2144731	1226.5		down	JJ
23	2302853	3491.5		2145279	1233.4		✓	JJ
24	2303562	3500.6		2145744	1239.1		✓	JJ
25	2304283	3509.6		2146316	1246.0		✓	BS
26	2304981	3519.0		2146552	1248.2		✓	JJ
27	2305428	3524.8		2146968	1254.0		✓	BS
28	2305886	3530.8		2147509	1261.8		✓	JJ
29	2306558	3539.6		2148233	1270.0		✓	BS
30	2306728	3541.8		2149266	1276.0		✓	BS
31	2307211	3548.2		2149159	1281.0		✓	BS
tal	1712900	224.30		1489100	182.90			

Total Gallons 3,202,000

Total Hours 407.20

DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH
OFFICE OF DRINKING WATER PROGRAM
WATER WORKS REPORT

Town of Blades

Supply Name _____ PWSID# 865 Month Oct Year 2013

Date	Time	Sample Point	Fluoride lbs. or GPD	mg / l.	Chlorine lbs. or GPD	Res. - mg / L Treated Water	pH		Turbidity Surface Water Only	Other	Remarks
							Treated Water	Other			
1	9:10	plant	1799	0.80		1.28	6.5	0.01			40
2	9:00	plant	1800	1.18		1.37	6.8	0.03			40
3	8:55	plant	1800	1.03		1.35	6.6	0.04			40
4	10:55	plant	1801	0.50		1.26	6.5	0.02			40
5	12:00	plant	1801	0.87		1.23	6.5	0.01			40
6	12:30	plant	1802	0.84		1.22	7.1	0.04			40
7	9:10	plant	1802	0.81		1.24	6.7	0.05			BS
8	9:30	plant	1803	0.78		1.20	6.6	0.04			40
9	11:05	plant	1803	1.10		1.28	6.3	0.03			BS
10	11:00	plant	1804	0.87		1.09	6.6	0.01			40
11	9:20	plant	1804	0.83		1.15	6.7	0.02			BS
12	11:55	plant	1805	0.84		1.11	6.7	0.01			40
13	10:00	plant	1805	0.81		0.98	6.7	0.04			BS
14	9:10	plant	1866	0.83		1.10	6.6	0.03			40
15	12:00	plant	1806	0.86		1.01	6.5	0.04			BS
16	9:10	plant	1807	0.87		1.14	6.5	0.07			40
17	12:00	plant	1808	0.90		1.20	6.6	0.04			BS
18	8:50	plant	1808	0.83		1.05	6.3	0.05			40
19	11:55	plant	1808	0.87		1.13	6.3	0.02			40
20	11:15	plant	1809	0.85		1.05	6.4	0.02			40
21	9:20	plant	1809	1.18		1.00	6.6	0.01			40
22	9:05	plant	1810	1.15		1.79	6.3	0.02			40
23	9:10	plant	1810	0.95		0.94	6.3	0.04			40
24	9:00	plant	1810	0.84		0.56	6.5	0.05			40
25	11:00	plant	1810	1.02		0.76	6.6	0.06			BS
26	12:00	plant	1810	0.98		0.80	6.3	0.05			BS
27	10:00	plant	1811	0.88		0.87	6.5	0.06			40
28	9:00	plant	1811	0.87		0.89	6.3	0.01			BS
29	1:00	plant	1812	0.95		0.86	6.4	0.02			40
30	9:00	plant	1812	0.84		0.82	6.3	0.04			BS
31	12:00	plant	1812	0.80		0.87	6.3	0.05			BS

Division of Public Health
Office of Drinking Water
Blue Hen Corporate Center
655 Bay Road, Suite 203
Dover, DE 19901


Signature

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Town OF Blades
Monthly Effluent Flow Meter Report

Month of Oct.

Year 2013

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Day	Effluent Flow Meter	Initials
1	46301909	JL
2	46317197	JL
3	46327945	JL
4	46344005	JL
5	46357461	JL
6	46369627	BS
7	46380870	JL
8	46389595	BS
9	46402875	JL
10	46414201	BS
11	46421055	JL
12	46432512	JL
13	46441724	BS
14	46453736	JL
15	46465648	BS
16	46477526	JL
17	46486299	BS
18	46494123	JL
19	46507218	JL
20	46516391	JL
21	46527921	JL
22	46538310	JL
23	46548704	JL
24	46560827	JL
25	46573915	BS
26	46583764	JL
27	46592644	BS
28	46604178	JL
29	46618098	BS
30	46624978	BS
31	46638833	BS
Total	3,319,240	

Total Gallons 3,319,240

14 October , 2013.
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To: The Mayor and Town Council.

Events and Meetings I Attended from 14 October, 2013 until 11 November, 2013.

1. Town Council Meeting at Hardin Hall on 14 October, 2013. 7:00 P.M. until 8:30 P.M.
2. Attended Annexation Committee Meeting 6:30 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. 24 October 2013.
3. Attended Dollar General Grand Opening 7:45 A.M. until 8:15 A.M. 2 November 2013.
4. Attended Complete Communities Meeting in Dover from 8:00 A.M. until 3:00 P.M.
5. Attended Job interview Meeting with members of the council at the request of the Police Commissioner at 6:30 P.M. until 7:15 P.M.

Councilman:

Robert W. Atkinson

November 11, 2013

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Parks and Cemetery Report.

Signed Letter to County Council requesting funds for New Park equipment.

We will be sending letters out to various businesses and organizations requesting donations for park equipment, This will be used to help secure matching funds from the State.

New Merry go round type ride awaiting installation.

Camera in the Park should be working again.

Meetings Attended:

annexation committee mtg.

Attended Council workshop on Budget

Attended Grand Opening of Dollar General Store

Respectively submitted,



David L. Ruff

Parks & Cemetery Commissioner

MAYOR'S REPORT

OCTOBER 2013

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ATTENDED THE SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING FOR THE PUBLIC
HEARING ON THE BLADES SANITARY SEWER DISTRICT – CONCORD ROAD
ANNEXATION

ATTENDED THE SCAT MEETING IN OCEAN VIEW

ATTENDED THE SCAT COMMITTEE MEETING

ATTENDED THE OPENING OF BIDS FOR THE BACK UP WELL

ATTENDED THE MAYOR'S CHALLENGE IN GEORGETOWN