



*Police  
Crime  
Alert*

Community Services  
Section

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**Crime Alert for period ending date: August 3, 2012**

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### **Assaults**

6000 block of Parkview, 7/25/12, 10am: Homeowner reports that he suffered a cut to his left arm when his cement contractor forcefully pushed the door to the homeowner's house open while the homeowner was attempting to shut it. The men were having a dispute over work completion/payment issues.

Troy Beaumont Hospital, 44201 Dequindre, 7/27/12, 2:00 pm: A hospital employee reports being assaulted by a patient who was upset about how long it was taking for him to be discharged. The employee was not injured.

### **Auto Vehicle Thefts**

6000 block of Rochester, 7/31/12 – 8/1/12, 11pm-5am: Complainant reports that his 2011 Kawasaki

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for community events  
<http://www.troy.mi.gov/calendar/>

### **UPCOMING EVENTS FOR TROY**

**City Encourages Residents to  
Adhere to Underground Sprinkler  
Restrictions  
During the Upcoming  
Hot June Weekends**

As everyone readies themselves for the summer lawn maintenance routine, Troy residents and business owners are asked to heed the Troy ordinance that limits the use of outdoor automatic underground sprinkler systems to between the hours of 11 pm and 5 am daily. Doing so will help to keep water costs lower.

“This is vitally important as we

motorcycle was stolen from the driveway of his home.

Troy Marriott Hotel, 200 W Big Beaver, 8/1/12, 9:10 am – 2:30 pm: Complainant reports that his rental car, a 2011 Chevrolet Malibu, was stolen from the hotel parking lot. The complainant rented the vehicle at Detroit Metro Airport on 7/31/12.

Big Beaver Tavern, 645 E Big Beaver, 8/1/12, 7:30 pm – 9:48 pm: Complainant reports that his Ford F150 pick-up was stolen from the parking lot.

### Civil Issues

Troy Officers responded to 2 incidents involving landlord/tenant disputes. Formal enforcement action was not necessary in either case.

### Credit, Check, Identity Theft, Other Fraud

4000 block of Devonshire, 2/16/12, 9 am: Homeowner received a phone call from a collection agency attempting to obtain repayment on an internet loan

approach the weekend with estimated temperatures nearing the 90's," Superintendent of Water & Sewer Rick Shepler said. "We have to lower our usage especially during the peak hours of 5 am and 8 am in order to reduce our water rates"

For more information about the Outdoor Underground Sprinkler Restrictions, visit the City's Web site at [www.troymi.gov](http://www.troymi.gov). To see if your sprinkler system is affected by these restrictions, call 248.524.3370 or e-mail [WaterDepartment@troymi.gov](mailto:WaterDepartment@troymi.gov).

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**SUMMER CAMPS:** Troy Recreation Dept. has some great camps this summer, on topics ranging from sports to fine arts from music to science. Check out the *Troy Today* (also available online at [www.troymi.gov](http://www.troymi.gov)) for details!

that was in default. That is how the homeowner discovered that on 2/16/12 someone had taken out a loan over the internet using the homeowner's personal information. A total of \$1,315.00 is now due on the fraudulent loan.

1000 block of Kirts, 5/1/12 - 7/27/12: Resident received a phone call from a collection agency reference an AT&T account which is in default. The complainant learned that someone had opened an AT&T account using the resident's social security number and an address in Highland Park. Approximately \$3,000 is due on the fraudulent account.

Comerica Bank, 1495 Crooks, 7/21/12: Complainant, a Clinton Township resident, reports that his debit card account number was used to make three fraudulent withdrawals from the ATM at Comerica bank. The complainant still has possession of his card and does not know how his information was compromised. The three fraudulent withdrawals total \$989.

Rite Aid, 2971 W Maple, 7/26/12, 10:31 am: Pharmacist reports that an unknown person dropped

Troy Historic Village is offering new Summer in Time Historic Fun Camps for ages 7-12. Sessions include: Pioneer Days; Music & Dance; Games on the Green; Ready, Set, Build; Old Time Trades & Crafts; Let's Get Cookin'; and History Mysteries. Check out [www.summer.troyhistoricvillage.org](http://www.summer.troyhistoricvillage.org) or call 248.524.3570.

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August 5: Troy Traffic Jam Classic Car Show, Columbia Center, 10 am-3 pm. The event will combine all of the fun and excitement of traditional car shows with the addition of entertaining music from DJ Bob Steel and delicious food for sale from Gateway Deli & Insalata. Free Coffee & Timbits from Tim Hortons Troy. To register a classic car, call 248.524.1147 or [www.troymi.gov/carshow](http://www.troymi.gov/carshow) Fee \$15 to benefit the Troy Historical Society

off a suspicious prescription for a narcotic pain reliever. The pharmacist telephoned the office of the prescribing physician and learned that the prescription was fraudulent. When a man came to the store to pick up the prescription the pharmacy called the police department and attempted to stall the man, but he became suspicious and left the premises. The suspect is described as a black male in his twenties, approximately 6' tall, with a thin build. He was wearing a green shirt, black shirts and black athletic shoes. Troy Officers searched the area but were unable to locate the suspect.

5000 block of Cheltenham, 7/26/12, 12pm: Complainant received a phone call from his bank informing him that someone had requested that the bank cancel the complainant's credit card and issue a new one to an address in California. The complainant verified that he had not made the request.

5000 block of Cheltenham, 6/26/12, 4:14 pm: Complainant has learned that someone used his Best Buy credit card number to purchase over \$3000 in Best Buy gift cards. The purchase was made at the Southfield Best Buy. The complainant still has possession of his Best Buy credit card and does not

(\$20 day of the show), includes dash plaque, awards & goody bag.

August 6-10: Fame Performing Arts Camp (entering grades 2-6), 9am-2:30pm, Larson Middle School.

A week-long odyssey into the world of jazz, dance, theater, music and art; this camp is filled with learning and fun as children master the foundations of performing arts discipline and then combine these disciplines into an exciting finished product. Fee: \$116/Resident, \$126/Non-Resident

August 6-10: Jr. Sportsters Camp (ages 5-8), Community Center, 9am-4pm. Develop sports confidence while improving sports skills in a team environment. Play soccer, kickball and basketball as well as swim at the Troy Family Aquatic Center. Fee: \$165/Resident, \$175/Non-Residents.

know how his account information was compromised.

### **Domestic / Family Trouble**

Troy Officers responded to 8 incidents involving domestic disputes or family troubles during this reporting period. On-scene investigation of these incidents did not result in evidence of crimes being committed; however, Officers were required to take non-enforcement actions to either mediate the situation or keep the peace. Readers should be aware that although these incidents did not result in arrest or prosecution, they do represent significant law enforcement resources in terms of time, on-scene investigation, potential relocation of disputants, referrals to support agencies, peace keeping, as well as detective and prosecutorial review.

### **Drugs/Narcotics**

White Castle, 2930 John R, 8/1/12, 2:12 am: Troy Officers were dispatched to the area on report of a vehicle running in the parking lot with a woman

**August 6-10: Water Warriors Camp (ages 7-13), Community Center, 9am-4pm. This camp will involve water-themed activities and contests, speakers on water rescue/safety, a pizza party, a field trip to an area Water Park, and of course a lot of non-structures swimming time each day. Fee: \$165/Resident, \$175/Non-Resident**

**August 6, 7: History Mysteries Camp, Historic Village, (ages 7-12), 9am-4pm. Young detectives will follow clues, decipher codes, and excavate artifacts to solve local historical mysteries. Program includes a behind-the-scenes field trip to Cranbrook Institute of Science. For registration forms and fees, go to [www.summer.troyhistoricvillage.org](http://www.summer.troyhistoricvillage.org) or call 248.524.3570**

**August 7: Dreamcatchers, Library, 2pm. Hear stories about this Native American tradition, then make your**

slumped over the steering wheel. When officers arrived they turned off the vehicle and woke up the driver. Marijuana, marijuana pipes, marijuana cigarette butts and twelve different prescription medications were found in the vehicle. The 29 year-old driver, from Brooklyn, Michigan, failed sobriety tests and was arrested for "Operating under the Influence of Narcotics". A blood test was administered and results are pending. The woman claims she has a medical marijuana card but was not able to produce it. Her medical marijuana status is still being investigated. If she does not have a valid card she will also be charged with Possession of Marijuana and Possession of Narcotic Paraphernalia. All of the prescription medication found in the vehicle was prescribed to her.

### **Drunk/Intoxicated Driving Incidents of Interest**

**Crooks & Banmoor, 7/27/12, 1 am:** A Troy Officer stopped a vehicle after observing it strike the right curb several times. The driver smelled of intoxicants and failed sobriety tests. The 34 year-old Troy woman was arrested for "Operating While Intoxicated". Breath test results were .13%.

**own Dreamcatcher. Ages 7+**

**August 7, 14, 21, 28: Grandparents Day: Every Tuesday, Troy Family Aquatic Center. Grandparents receive free admission when accompanied by children over the age of 3. Regular fees apply for children.**

**August 9, 16: Cheddar's Preschool Story Time, Historic Village, 10:30-11:15 am. Join Cheddar the Museum Mouse for a classic tale in our monthly program for little historians with a simple craft and yummy treat. Ages 2-5. Register. \$2/child; \$3/adult.**

**August 11, 18, Troy Historic Village, 9:30am-12:30pm. Tour the historic buildings, picnic on the Green, enjoy an artifact scavenger hunt, watch the blacksmiths. Fee: \$5 Adults, \$3 Seniors, \$3 Kids 6-12, Kids under 6 are free**

**Doyle & Maple, 7/27/12, 3:09 am: A Troy Officer stopped a vehicle after seeing it was weaving and crossing over both the left and right lane markers. The driver smelled of intoxicants, had extremely poor balance and bloodshot/glassy eyes. The 30 year-old Rochester Hills man was arrested for "Operating While Intoxicated". Breath test results were .14%.**

**Rochester & Big Beaver, 7/28/12, 12:59 am: Troy Officers were dispatched to the area when a citizen reported that he was following a suspected drunk driver. The citizen reported that the vehicle was swerving and had at one point left the roadway and driven on the grass. Troy Officers located and stopped the suspect vehicle. The passenger side of the minivan was covered in fresh mud and grass. The driver, a 40 year-old Rochester Hills man, smelled of intoxicants and failed sobriety tests. He was arrested for "Operating While Intoxicated" and breath test results were .09%.**

**Wattles & Rochester, 7/28/12, 3:22 am: Troy Officers stopped a vehicle after observing it weaving and straddling a lane marker. The driver smelled of intoxicants and had very bloodshot/glassy eyes. After failing sobriety tests, the 41 year-old Lincoln Park**

**August 11, 18, 25: Family Night @ Troy Family Aquatic Center, 5-7:30pm. An inexpensive, fun night out for the family to enjoy quality time together while playing by the pool. Register. Fee: \$10/Resident family; \$14/NR family.**

**August 16: Folklore & Fairytales for 4s & 5s, Historic Village, 12pm. Bring a picnic lunch and join us this summer for stories from around the world. Kids also participate in fun, age-appropriate crafts and activities that go along with each story. This program is sponsored by the Michigan Humanities Council. Fee: \$2/child; \$3/adults. Advance registration required.**

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**Passport Application Services  
at Troy City Hall**

man was arrested for “Operating While Intoxicated”. Breath test results were .13%. His vehicle was turned over to a passenger who was sober. The passenger stated that he had told the driver that he shouldn’t drive and he offered to drive but the driver refused.

I-75 & Fourteen Mile, 7/29/12, 1:51 am: A Troy Officer observed a vehicle that was traveling in two lanes approaching from the rear. The officer had to drive onto the shoulder to avoid a collision. When the vehicle passed, the officer noted that it was weaving and crossing over the lane markers. The vehicle was stopped and the driver had very slurred speech and bloodshot/glassy eyes. During sobriety testing, the driver exhibited poor balance and staggered a great deal. The 55 year-old Waterford man was arrested and breath test results were .17%. His license is suspended and he has several previous drinking and driving convictions. He was charged with “Operating While Intoxicated Fourth Offense” and “Driving While License Suspended 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense”.

Taco Bell, 41167 Dequindre, 7/29/12, 2:41 am: Troy Officers were dispatched to the location on report of a man passed out behind the wheel of a vehicle. While officers were responding, the caller advised

The Troy City Treasurer’s office now serves as an official Passport Acceptance Agency and accepts applications from U.S. Citizens from 8am-3pm, Monday-Friday. Photo services are available for a fee at the City Clerk’s Office.

Passport fees vary depending on age, if it is a new application or renewal, or if expedited service is required. Current passport info can be obtained on the US Dept. of State website at [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov) or by contacting the City Treasurer’s office at 248.524.3333.

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that the man had woken up and driven away. Troy Officers located and stopped the car on Dequindre. The driver had slurred speech, glassy/bloodshot eyes and smelled of intoxicants. After performing poorly on sobriety tests, the 36 year-old Detroit man was arrested for “Operating While Intoxicated” and “Driving While License Suspended 2<sup>nd</sup> offense”. Breath test results were .13%.

I-75 & Livernois, 7/29/12, 6:38 am: Troy Officers were dispatched to the area after Troy Police Communications received several calls reporting a possible drunk driver. One of the callers said that several cars were traveling in a group because they were all afraid to pass the suspected drunk driver who was driving in several different lanes. When a Troy Officer arrived in the area, several drivers beeped their horns and pointed frantically at the suspect vehicle. The officer stopped the vehicle and immediately noted that the driver smelled strongly of intoxicants, had extremely bloodshot/glassy eyes and a glazed look on her face. The driver stated that she was on her way to Ohio (it should be noted she was traveling northbound on I75). When the driver exited the vehicle for sobriety testing, the officer saw that she was only wearing one shoe. The 25 year-old

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<http://www.troylibrary.info/downloadable>

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### **Shop for Bargains at the Friends of the Troy Public Library Friends Shop & Book Shop**

Friends of the Troy Public Library Friends Shop is stocked and ready for shoppers. Located in the lobby of the library, the Friends Shop offers great gift items, toys for children, jewelry, stationary and more. The Friends Shop hours are Monday-Thursday noon to 6pm, Saturday 10:30am-1:30pm and Sunday 1-4pm.

The Friends Shop carries a selection of books for a hint of the variety available in our popular downstairs Book Shop

**Shelby Township woman had very poor balance and was arrested for “Operating While Intoxicated”. A blood test was administered and results are pending.**

**I-75 & Coolidge, 7/29/12, 8:13 pm: A concerned citizen called Troy Police after seeing a vehicle swerving and the driver holding a beer can. A Troy Officer located the vehicle and confirmed that it was swerving and saw it accelerate to approximately 90 miles per hour to pass another car. The vehicle was stopped and the driver smelled of intoxicants and was difficult to understand due to his slurred speech. Following sobriety tests, the 28 year-old Warren resident was arrested for “Operating While Intoxicated”. Breath test results were .17%.**

**Rochester & Player, 8/1/12, 10:01 pm: Troy Officers were dispatched to the area when a citizen reported a suspected drunk driver swerving on northbound Rochester. A Troy Officer located and stopped the suspect vehicle. The driver had red eyes and smelled of intoxicants. He admitted to drinking four beers and one shot of liquor. The 39 year-old Shelby Township man had poor balance and failed sobriety tests. He was arrested and breath test results were .16%. The arrestee has two prior drinking and driving**

**open Saturday 10am-1pm and Sunday 1-4pm.**

**Donations for the Book Shop are always being accepted in the donation area next to the circulation desk. The Friends are excited to be back in business with both fundraising efforts to continue promoting and supporting the Troy Public Library children’s programs, special needs collection, Job Seekers, E-readers and more.**

**Would you like to share some time with Friends? Consider volunteering in the Friends Shop or Book Shop. We are happy to get you involved. Stop by for a volunteer application or go to our website at [www.friendstpl.org](http://www.friendstpl.org). You can also visit us on Facebook.**

**Membership in the Friends is a vital part of supporting the library. Membership for an individual is just \$10 and membership information is available in both shops and on the**

convictions and was charged with “Operating While Intoxicated 3<sup>rd</sup> Offense”. Officers spoke with the citizen who had made the initial report. She stated the suspect vehicle had nearly sideswiped her car.

### Home Invasions

1000 block of Wacon, 7/11/12 - 7/25/12: A vacant home was broken into and the stove, dishwasher, microwave and garbage disposal were stolen. Additionally, the granite countertops were broken.

1000 block of Elaine, 7/25/12 - 7/27/12, 4pm-11am: A vacant mobile home was broken into and a garbage disposal, copper piping and two lighting fixtures were stolen.

1000 block of Golfview, 7/30/12, 9:10am-5:10pm: Resident reports two Apple laptop computers were stolen from his apartment. There were no signs of forced entry and there are no suspects.

### Larcenies

Friends website. Membership will provide updates on the Friends many activities, ways to help TPL and coupons for the shops. Join the Friends and continue the great community support for our nationally ranked public library.

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### *JCPenney August Round-Up Benefits Boys & Girls Club of Troy*

Shop at Oakland Mall’s JCPenney during August and Round-Up for the Boys & Girls Club of Troy. The Club has been chosen the beneficiary of the 2012 Afterschool Round-Up which provides funds for life-enriching after-school programs.

Shoppers have an opportunity to *round-up* their purchases to the next whole dollar, and funds donated to

1000 block of Aspinwall, 7/28/12, 6:19 pm: Responding to a complaint, Troy Officers found a 30 year-old man had made entry into an unoccupied home and stolen prescription medication. The man knows the homeowner but did not have permission to be in the house. The Troy resident was arrested for “Larceny in a Building” and “Possession of a Controlled Substance”.

2000 block of Terova, 7/27/12, 7am-7:50am: Complainant is a group home employee. Part way thru her shift she discovered that her wallet was missing from her purse. The wallet contained the complainant’s driver’s license, checkbook, social security card, miscellaneous gift cards, debit card and some cash. The complainant immediately telephoned her bank and learned that her debit card had already been fraudulently used at several stores. The complainant suspected her wallet had been stolen by a co-worker. A Troy Officer checked the suspect’s status and discovered that she had a suspended driver’s license and two outstanding warrants for her arrest. Later that afternoon, when the suspect arrived for her shift, two Troy officers watched her drive up. They arrested her for “Driving While License Suspended” and the two outstanding warrants. The

the Club will help our Boys & Girls Club kids experience Youth Development programs which enable them to become responsible, self-reliant, caring young adults. To learn more, visit [www.bgctroy.org](http://www.bgctroy.org)

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City of Troy Residents will need to call Oakland County Animal Control for all of their animal control needs @ 248.391.4102.

But dog owners in the City of Troy may purchase Dog Licenses at the Police Records Public Counter. Hours: Mon-Thurs 8am-4:30pm, Questions: 248.524.3437.

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The *Troy Fifty Forward* senior newsletter is a bi-monthly publication of the Troy Parks and Recreation Department that contains 16 pages of

complainant's wallet was found in the suspect's car when it was impounded and the 23 year-old Washington Township woman was also charged with "Larceny in a Building".

Gatehouse Suites, 2600 Livernois, 7/31/12, 9:24 pm: A guest called Troy Police Communications and reported that the front desk clerk was being harassed by three teenage males. Troy Officers were dispatched and spoke with the clerk. She advised officers that the teens were gone but that they had stolen her iPhone. Officers made contact with two of the three teens, both admitted to being in the lobby, but denied the theft. At 11:50 pm, the clerk's cell phone was discovered in a trash can near the hotel pool. Only one of the males involved was a guest at the hotel.

Troy Public Library, 510 W Big Beaver, 8/1/12, 3-4pm: Complainant reports that his children left their bicycles unsecured at the bike rack outside the library. When they came out one of the bikes, a gray "Gary Fisher" mountain bike, was gone.

Planet Fitness, 288 John R, 8/1/12, 5:23-6pm: Complainant placed her personal belongings in a gym locker and secured the locker with a combination lock.

information about activities and services for people 50 and older in the Troy area. E-mail subscriptions to this newsletter are available free at [www.troymi.gov](http://www.troymi.gov).

Click on SUBSCRIBE in the upper left corner. Enter your e-mail address and click GO. Confirm email address and click on SAVE. Then select Troy Fifty Forward News & Updates and click SAVE. In addition to the bi-monthly newsletter, you will receive announcements and reminders about upcoming programs and services.

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***CITY NEWS & INFORMATION:***

**Contact Numbers:**

**Community Affairs Dept: 248.524.1147**

**Troy Public Library: 248.524.3538**

When she returned to the locker, the combination lock was no longer on the locker and her purse was gone. When the complainant cancelled her debit card she learned that it had already been used at Barnes and Noble, DSW, and Bed, Bath and Beyond.

### Larcenies from Autos

4000 block of Three Oaks, 7/25/12, 9:30-10:24 am: Complainant reports \$925 worth of power tools was stolen from his van. The van was possibly left unlocked.

Avis Car Rental, 3845 Rochester, 7/25/12 - 7/29/12, 12:45 pm - 11:40 am: Complainant reports that the catalytic converter was cut off and stolen from his Chevrolet Venture.

JR's for Hair & More, 6025 Rochester, 7/26/12, 10:15 am-8:45pm: Employee reports that the catalytic converter was stolen from her Oldsmobile Silhouette.

Nino Salvaggio Marketplace, 6835 Rochester, 7/27/12, 2:00-9:40pm: Employee reports that the catalytic

**Stage Nature Center: 248.688.9703**  
**Troy Community Center: 248.524.3484**  
**Troy Historic Village: 248.524.3570**  
**Golf Courses: 248.619.7600**

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*The Troy Police Department*  
offers the following free talks/seminars:

**Work place safety**  
**Alcohol abuse and prevention**  
**Safety with Strangers**  
**Home Security Audit**  
**Personal Security**  
**Got Caught (Shoplifting talk for teens)**  
**Choose Wisely (Right choices for teens)**  
**Home alone (home personal safety for teens and children)**  
**Drug and drug paraphernalia talk for adults and also teens**  
**Identity Theft**  
**Internet Safety for adults & teens**  
**Harassing and Bullying Prevention for children**

converter was stolen from her Pontiac Sunfire.

Oakland Mall, 412 W Fourteen Mile, 7/28/12, 7:14 pm: Complainant reports that the passenger side door key hole was broken on his vehicle. The vehicle was entered and his iPod was stolen.

1000 block of Brentwood, 7/28/12 – 7/29/12, 9:00 pm – 9:30 am: Resident reports that the catalytic converter was cut off and stolen from her Chevrolet Cavalier.

### **Malicious Destruction of Property**

5000 block of Cliffside, 7/25/12, 5:44 am: A citizen called Troy Police and reported that four males were attempting to enter a neighbor's vehicle. Troy Officers arrived in the area and detained all four suspects, a 17 year-old Troy male and three 15 year-old Troy males. A lengthy investigation revealed that at least one of the boys had been up to no good throughout the neighborhood. Three of the suspects had been consuming alcohol. One of the boys admitted to entering several garages and vehicles in the subdivision and stealing items. He also admitted

### **Retail Fraud Prevention**

If you or your organization has a program or discussion idea or need that a police officer can deliver please call!

For more information or to schedule an officer to present a program please call:248.524.3464 or e-mail the crime alert at:

[TroyPDCrimeAlert@troymi.gov](mailto:TroyPDCrimeAlert@troymi.gov)

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### **"Operation Medicine Cabinet"**

Old medicine & prescriptions can be dropped off at the Troy Police Department Lobby during the hours the front desk is staffed. Mon-Fri: 7am-10pm and Sat & Sun: 8am-4pm.

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### **Opening the World Through Words**

That's what you will be helping to do

to spray painting several garages and vehicles. The 17 year-old was cited for “Minor Consuming or Possessing Alcohol”. A 15 year-old was arrested and charged with “Minor Possessing or Consuming Alcohol”, “Possession of Narcotic Paraphernalia” and “Curfew Violation”. A second 15 year-old was arrested and charged with “Minor Possessing or Consuming Alcohol”, “Possession of Narcotic Paraphernalia”, “Curfew Violation” and “Possession of Tobacco”. The last 15 year-old was arrested and charged with “Home Invasion”, “Larceny from Auto”, “Malicious Destruction of Property” and “Curfew Violation”. Vehicles at four different homes were spray painted with phrases such as “smoke weed” and “I’m sorry I’m drunk”. Hill Elementary, as well as four residential homes in the sub, was sprayed with paint. In one vehicle, a soda that had been left in the car was shook up and sprayed all over the interior of the vehicle. The juveniles were all turned over to their parents and will be petitioned to Oakland County Probate Court.

3000 block of Newbury Place, 7/26/12 - 7/27/12, 9pm-4am: The driver’s side window on the complainant’s car was smashed sometime overnight. There are no suspects.

when you become a volunteer tutor with the Oakland Literacy Council. Since 1984 we have provided over 300 adults free one-on-one reading & English language instruction each year.

If you would like to experience the life-changing rewards of becoming a tutor, or if you know of anyone needing our help, please call the Oakland Literacy Council at 248.253.1617 or email us at: [info@oaklandliteracy.net](mailto:info@oaklandliteracy.net).

**Make a difference in your community  
and someone's life!**

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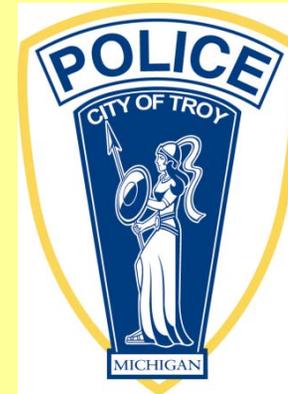
**1000 block of Brentwood, 7/27/12, 1am-1pm: Two tires on the complainant's vehicle were slashed.**

**Amtech, 701 Minnesota, 7/26/12 – 7/27/12, 5:30 pm - 6:30 am: Business owner states that the lawn sprinkler systems copper piping was cut in two places in an attempt to steal the copper. When the owner arrived in the morning, water was spraying everywhere. Repair costs are approximately \$300.**

**1000 block of Brentwood, 7/29/12 – 7/30/12, 8:00 pm – 10:30 am: Resident reports that the passenger side rear window of her minivan was smashed. Nothing was taken from the vehicle.**

### **Other**

**Troy Officers responded to three hospice deaths and one sudden death, in which foul play is not suspected, during the time period covered by this report.**



### **Crime Prevention Tips**

**If you would like to have the security of your residence or business inspected please contact the Troy Police Crime Prevention Officer at 248.524.3464**

### **Home Invasion / B&E**

**Always secure your doors & windows.**

- **Garages and door walls are targets for thieves.**
- **Always ensure your garage door and**

## **Phone Calls/Harassment/Threats**

### **One Harassment Report**

### **Retail Fraud**

**Sears, 300 W Fourteen Mile, 7/25/12, 5:55 pm: A 22 year-old Detroit woman was arrested for "Retail Fraud II" after shoplifting 33 pieces of merchandise with a value of \$675.42. She had concealed the merchandise in a bag.**

**Apple, 2800 W Big Beaver, 7/26/12, 7:05 pm: While conducting foot patrol inside the mall a Troy Officer was stopped by the manager of the Apple store. The manager stated that a customer had just informed him that a woman stole 2 Michael Kors cell phone cases from the store. The area was searched but the suspect was not located. The suspect is described as a black female in her forties, with a short "bob" haircut. She was wearing a dark colored sundress and carrying a white purse.**

**pedestrian doors are secured.**

- **Do not leave garage door remote controls in cars not parked in the garage.**
- **Use 1 ½" dowel rod in the track of all sliding glass windows and doors to help prevent them from opening.**
- **It has been proven time and time again that the proper use and application of physical security will stop a would-be burglar.**
- **Burglar alarms are only as reliable as the person setting them. If you have an alarm, make sure that every resident or employee knows how to activate and deactivate it, as well as the security code.**

### **Larcenies from Autos / Car Theft**

**Things that can be done to combat auto theft and larcenies from autos include:**

Kohl's, 500 John R, 7/26/12, 8:13 pm: A 70 year-old Warren woman was detained and issued a citation for "Retail Fraud III" after shoplifting 12 pieces of costume jewelry and a handbag.

JCPenney, 700 W Fourteen Mile, 7/29/12, 5:57 pm: A 26 year-old Troy woman was detained and issued a citation for "Retail Fraud III" after shoplifting four bracelets and a pair of earrings all of which she concealed in her purse.

Sears, 300 W Fourteen Mile, 7/30/12, 5:28 pm: A 24 year-old woman and a 26 year-old man, both from Warren, were arrested and charged with "Retail Fraud III" after they shoplifted two articles of clothing.

### Suspicious Incidents

4000 block of Clarke, 7/28/12, 10:56 pm: Resident called Troy Police after hearing the screen door to her home open and seeing the door handle moving (the door was locked). A Troy Officer and his K-9 partner, Tiko, responded and began a track that led to several backyards in the area. At one home, the door wall screen door was found open. The residents of that

- Installing a car alarm.
- Using steering-wheel locking applications like the club etc.
- Applications of a hidden kill switch to the ignition system.
- Park in a well lit well traveled area if possible.
- Always maintain security of vehicle keys.
- **Do not leave anything of value in your vehicle in plain view.**
- Always lock your vehicle doors.
- Never leave a vehicle unattended while running.
- There is a trend of things being stolen from vehicles in the parking lots of fitness centers and fun

home state they never leave the screen door open. Entry was not made to any area homes and no suspects were located.

### **Vandalism**

1000 block of Redbud, 7/27/12 - 7/28/12, 9:30pm-7am: Complainant reports that her car was “egged” during the night.

### **Welfare Checks**

Troy Officers responded to six incident(s) involving a person(s) with emotional or psychological issues and assisted with transport to a hospital for evaluation and possible commitment.

### **Miscellaneous**

Northfield Hills Condominiums, 1750 Brentwood, 7/31/12, 1:38 am: Responding to a resident’s

centers. While going to these places, be extra careful to remove all items of value and secure your vehicle.

### **Fraud Prevention**

- Remember that nothing that is worth anything is free.
- If someone that you do not know offers to do you a favor, they probably have an ulterior motive.
- Never give any personal information out to an unknown source over the phone or Internet.

(If someone asks for personal information, ask to speak to his or her supervisor and inform him or her you will be calling the Police to make a fraud report.)

**No reputable business will call you or email you for this information!!!**

complaint, Troy Officers were dispatched to the pool area and discovered four teenage non-residents had been swimming in the closed pool. All four male teens are Troy residents and were turned over to a parent.

### **Arrest Summary**

In addition to those outlined above, the following arrests were made during the period:

**Six Misdemeanor Warrant Arrests**

**One Arrest for Domestic Assault Second Offense**

**Seven Felony Warrant Arrests**

**One Arrest for Possession of Marijuana**

**Three Drove While License Suspended**

**One Arrest for Driving While License Suspended  
(more than 20 unpaid tickets) and 10 outstanding  
Misdemeanor Arrest Warrants**

**One Arrest for Driving While License Revoked  
2<sup>nd</sup> Offense**

**One Misdemeanor Warrant arrest (Failure to Appear  
in Court on a Troy Assault Charge)**

**One Arrest for Drove While License Suspended  
and 3 Misdemeanor Warrants**

- **If you receive a phone call or email telling you that you have won something that you did not apply for, it is more than likely a fraud.**
- **No legitimate organization will ask for any money or a Credit Card number in order to claim a prize**
- **Protect yourself against identity theft by shredding all documents and safe guarding your account numbers, social security numbers and credit card numbers.**
- **Always maintain your credit cards and secure the credit card numbers.**
- **If you suspect that you have been the victim of credit fraud, call your credit card company and have them run a query of your charges.**
- **Never give your bank account numbers over the phone. Especially if**

**One Arrest for No Operators License on Person  
and 3 traffic warrants  
One Arrest for Possession of Marijuana and  
Hinder & Obstruct Officer by False ID**

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## **K-2/SPICE**

**On Sunday, July 1, 2012 the new state law regarding the manufacturing, delivery, or possession of K-2 went into effect. The Troy Police Department's Special Investigation Unit, consisting of Officers from Troy, Auburn Hills, and Bloomfield Township conducted undercover compliance checks at 5 establishments in each city.**

**Undercover officers attempted to purchase banned substances. Many of the establishments previously had displays for the sale of the now illegal substances.**

**unsolicited!**

**Identity theft continues to be the fastest growing crime in the world, and the city of Troy is no exception. We continually get reports of identity theft and fraud on a regular basis.**

**While it may not be totally avoidable, detecting the early signs of identity theft is one of the best ways to avoid extensive losses and damage to your credit history.**

**If your wallet/purse etc. gets stolen, cancel all stolen credit and ATM cards immediately.**

**Checking your credit history regularly is a great way to keep apprised on the status of your credit.**

**Here are three sources for checking your credit history:**

**(The titles are links to the webpages)**

Officers did not find, nor were they able to purchase, any of the illegal substances.

Personal contact was made with either the owner or the clerk on the premises after the undercover officer left to inform them of the compliance check.

In June, the Troy Police Department had visited 42 establishments in the city and obtained pledges from them not to sell K-2 or other synthetic drug products. Each of them were given a placard from the Troy Police Department to post in their window acknowledging their pledge to not sell the product. The effects on persons using these substances have shown to be devastating. We will continue to be proactive in our response to this destructive product.

The Troy Police Department would like to publicly recognize these establishments for their commitment not to sell K2 or any other synthetic designer drugs. We offer our thanks to the following businesses:

**Lucky's Market - 4835 John R.  
Bottle & Cork Party Store - 1660 John R.  
Citgo Gas Station - 1654 Livernois  
BP Gas Station - 1601 Stephenson Hwy  
7-11 - 2910 John R.**

**[Equifax](#)**

**1.800.525.6282**

**[Experian](#)**

**1.888.397.3742**

**[TransUnion](#)**

**1.800.680.7289**

**Check out this website from the  
Federal Trade Commission  
on Identity Theft:**

**[http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/edu/microsites/  
freereports/index.shtml](http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/edu/microsites/freereports/index.shtml)**



**Lloyd A. Stage Nature Center  
6685 Coolidge Highway  
Troy, Mi 48098  
248.688.9703**

**Sunoco Gas Station - 2017 Livernois  
7-11 - 5020 John R.  
John's Liquor - 4009 Livernois  
Troy Party Store - 6990 John R.  
Mr. Pizz  
o Bootleg - 4973 Livernois  
Paul's Liquor - 5903 John R.  
Red Wagon Liquor - 1613 Livernois  
Speedway - 2980 John R.  
Buscemi's - 3176 Rochester  
Manny's Liquor - 42951 Dequindre  
Kelly's Market - 6037 Rochester  
Atlas Market - 36949 Dequindre  
On the Go Gas Station - 6951 Rochester  
7-11 - 1650 Crooks  
Shell Gas Station - 3990 Rochester  
7-11 - 2891 Crooks  
Hungry Howie's - 3615 Rochester  
Somerset Market - 3095 Crooks  
Troy Cheese & Wine - 2558 Maple  
BP Gas Station - 2989 Crooks  
Sunoco Gas Station - 3410 Rochester  
Vitamin Village - 2971 E. Big Beaver**

[www.troynaturesociety.org](http://www.troynaturesociety.org)

## **TROY NATURE SOCIETY**

TNS mission is to provide resources and education to inspire the appreciation and preservation of nature.

Educational nature programs are offered by the Troy Nature Society, a 501(c)(3) organization whose mission is to provide resources and education to inspire the appreciation and preservation of nature.

Please consider a membership or a donation to this worthwhile organization.

For other upcoming programs at the  
Lloyd A. Stage Nature Center  
6685 Coolidge Highway  
Troy, MI 48098

**Sunoco Gas Station - 5012 Rochester  
Shell Gas Station - 2039 E. Big Beaver  
Troy Smoker's - 186 W. Maple  
Spencer Gifts - 412 E. Fourteen Mile  
Mobil Gas Station - 1350 W. Maple  
Mobil Gas Station- 1881 E. Fourteen Mile  
BP Gas Station - 1980 E Maple  
John's Market - 75 E. Square Lake  
Mobil Gas Station - 5015 Livernois  
Shell Gas Station - 2970 E. Long Lake  
BP Gas Station - 5977 Livernois  
Wild Bill's Smokers Outlet - 5086 Rochester**

### **Online Police Reporting Now Available in Troy**

The Troy Police Department has implemented an online police incident reporting system. A significant goal in this effort is to enhance our overall level of service by providing citizens the option and ability to file some of the more routine types of police reports conveniently online. Another goal is to optimize available time for police officers on patrol to more quickly respond to priority calls for service, detect and arrest individuals committing crimes, address

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**[www.troynaturesociety.org](http://www.troynaturesociety.org)**

**or call 248.688.9703**

**for hours, programs, special event  
and membership information.**



**[www.bgctroy.org](http://www.bgctroy.org)**

**248.689.1687**

***Welcome to Jeff Evans, New Executive  
Director of the Boys & Girls Club of Troy***

traffic problems, and engage in other problem solving activities that enhance public safety. Often calls that are of a minor nature or are simply a request for a routine police report will find citizens waiting for what can be extended periods of time for a patrol officer to arrive due to the need to prioritize responses to more serious calls for service. Requiring citizens to come to the police department in person to file these types of reports can also result in the inconvenience of waiting in long lines. In the face of fewer officers on patrol, it is anticipated that the effective use of this system could potentially reduce overall response time associated with more serious incidents, as well as increase available time for officers on patrol to engage in proactive police work.

Generally, routine incidents and minor crimes cannot be assigned for investigation due to the need to use investigative resources for more serious offenses. Banks, insurance companies, and cell phone carriers still require a police report to respond to identity thefts, process claims, or intervene in situations of harassment involving cell phone technology. This system will provide citizens with that resource conveniently and online.



*The Troy Community Coalition is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the quality of life for all who live or work in Troy, by promoting a lifestyle free from the abuse of alcohol and drugs.*

*Please feel free to contact any staff member for additional information or contact our office at 248.823.5088*

**Troy Community Coalition 4420  
Livernois Rd. Troy, MI 48098**

**[www.troycoalition.com](http://www.troycoalition.com)**

**PARENTS...**

Online reporting can be accessed in three ways:

- Through computer terminals located in the Troy Police Department lobby
  - Through the City of Troy / Police Department website home page
  - Through the City of Troy Police Department's Facebook page
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## City of Troy Remains the Safest City in Michigan

On December 8, 2011, CQ Press released City Crime Rankings 2011-2012: Crime in Metropolitan America. CQ Press uses six crime categories to establish crime rate rankings for all cities with a population of at least 75,000 that report crime data to the FBI. The crime categories include: murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary and motor vehicle theft. The rankings in the CQ report are based upon data reported to the

Some say  
"They're going to do it anyway."  
Really?

The harder we make it for them to drink,  
the less likely they will drink.  
✓ Talk about it.

It's 10 o'clock.  
Do you know where your child is?  
Do you know what your child is drinking?  
✓ Talk about it.

We have tough decisions to make.  
Here is an easy one.  
Say "NO" to alcohol use.  
NOT at home, NOT at a party,  
NOT until 21. It's the law.  
✓ Talk about it.

Troy Community Coalition for the  
Prevention of Drug and Alcohol Abuse  
[www.troycoalition.com](http://www.troycoalition.com)

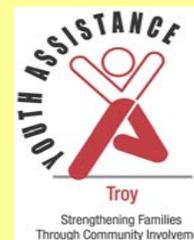
## FBI for 2010.

According to the CQ report, Troy has the lowest crime rate ranking in Michigan for cities with a population of 75,000 or more. Nationwide, Troy ranked 19<sup>th</sup> for cities with a population of 75,000 or more. Troy was ranked as the safest city in Michigan 10 of the last 14 ranking periods, including the current one. Troy has achieved “Safest City” rankings as high as 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> in the United States, in 2006 and 2005, respectively. In fact, in other than 2009, when it ranked 38<sup>th</sup> overall, Troy has consistently ranked among the top 25 safest cities in the United States with populations over 75,000 since 1998.

The crime categories used by the CQ Press include all FBI Part 1 crimes, except larceny and arson. The FBI defines Part I crimes as the more serious crimes that occur in a community.

The number of Part 1 crimes reported to the Troy Police Department from 2000 through 2010 are as follows:

2000:2387	2004:1979	2008:1950
2001:2316	2005:2044	2009:1957
2002:2061	2006:2090	2010:1783



### Group Mission:

Prevention of  
juvenile delinquency and neglect  
through citizen involvement and  
volunteer activities.

[www.troyyouthassistance.org](http://www.troyyouthassistance.org)

248.823.5095

*Troy Youth Assistance is committed to strengthening youth and families by preventing and reducing juvenile delinquency, child neglect and child abuse through community involvement.*

*Troy Youth Assistance is sponsored by the Oakland County Circuit Court-*

2003:2107

2007:1971

Incidents of violent crime, which include murder, rape, robbery and aggravated assault, are extremely low. In 2010, there were only 53 violent crimes reported to the Troy Police Department, which represents less than 3.0% of the total Part 1 crime in Troy.

Murder:	1
Rapes:	10
Robberies:	9
Aggravated Assault:	33

It should be noted that although 10 acts of criminal sexual conduct that occurred in Troy are classified as “rapes” in the FBI statistics, these types of assaults in Troy do not usually involve a victim being attacked by a stranger. There were no forcible rapes involving a stranger assaulting an unknown victim in 2010. Acts of criminal sexual conduct in Troy generally relate to incidents where one of the actors is a minor, complaints where incest or molestation by family members are alleged, or complaints of non-consensual acts between individuals who are acquainted with one another.

The Troy Police Department responded to a total of

*Family Division, the City of Troy and the Troy School District with major funding through the Oakland County Board of Commissioners.*

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Troy Youth Assistance Office,  
4420 Livernois Troy, MI 48098.

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35,018 incidents of all types in 2010. The Troy Dispatch center received approximately 173,000 incoming telephone calls in 2010, of which 40,335 were 911 calls. The department hosted 236 crime prevention and other safety programs in 2010, which were attended by 14,632 citizens. Additional workload statistics for 2010 are noted below:

Arrests:	2,520 (393 drunk driving)
Criminal Cases Investigated:	2173
Traffic Crashes:	3,367
Traffic Citations:	12,164 (8,723 crash causing hazardous violations)

This “Safest City” ranking represents an ongoing and significant achievement not only for the Troy Police Department, but for the community in general. It is a tribute to the residents; an excellent school system; strong prevention programs such as those provided by the Troy Community Coalition, Boys and Girls Club, Troy Youth Assistance, and many others; an effective District Court; and an active business community. The current ranking for the lowest crime rate in Michigan, reinforces the high quality of life that is offered in Troy. The Troy Police Department is dedicated to continuing to work with the community we serve, as well as City



Troy People Concerned (TPC) is a service organization supporting Troy residents in times of need with assistance, information and referrals.

During these tough economic times, Troy People Concerned helps Troy residents who find themselves in crisis situations through job loss, illnesses, or various other dire situations. Assistance comes in the form of financial help for utilities and house payments or rent; transportation to medical appointments; referrals to food and clothing pantries; and referrals to organizations and agencies that assist with job placement or job training.

**Management and City Government to assure this city remains a safe and attractive place to live, raise families, work, and recreate.**

**In commenting on the latest ranking, Troy Police Chief Gary Mayer spoke about the dedication and quality of the employees of the Troy Police Department. He noted the commitment to public safety this community has consistently sought to maintain. He pointed out the significant number of community volunteers that have come forward to act as our eyes and ears in conjunction with the “Citizens on Patrol Program,” which was formed in the face of recent staffing cuts. The Chief stated, “The Troy Police Department is made up of professional men and women who work hard to identify and solve problems. They, like so many in our community, have had to work through some significant challenges in terms of the current economic climate. They have been called upon to make sacrifices, yet they continue to provide this community with a level of law enforcement service that I am convinced is second to none. We have become a smaller, but more streamlined organization. We value the resources we have been provided and are dedicated to utilizing those resources to deliver the best law enforcement service possible.”**

**Troy People Concerned relies solely on donations from individuals, local houses of worship, civic groups and businesses for its support. If you are interested in helping TPC, please mail donations to Troy People Concerned, 2045 Austin, Troy MI 48083. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer driver or adding your name to the list of people who provide leaf raking and yard clean up to Troy senior citizens, please call 248.528.9199.**

**Troy People Concerned...connects the community to provide a helping hand in times of need.**

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**City Manager Mr. John Szerlag also reinforced these latest rankings as a significant accomplishment. Mr. Szerlag stated, “The community has consistently identified public safety as a priority. The on-going economic challenges required significant cost cutting efforts in every area of service delivery, including public safety. Nonetheless, we have worked hard to keep Troy safe. This latest ranking reinforces those efforts. It further underscores the excellence and professionalism of the City’s employees who remain dedicated to preserving a high quality of life in this community. Our challenge is to maintain this record of excellence in the face of shrinking resources. If we can accomplish that, I am confident we will remain one of the premier places to live and do business not only in Southeast Michigan, but in the entire nation.”**

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**City of Troy Residents will need to call Oakland County Animal Control for all of their animal control needs @ 248.391.4102.**

**But dog owners in the City of Troy may purchase Dog**

**The Benevolent Association of AFSCME Local 574 is comprised of members and friends of American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Local 574, which is one of the collective bargaining units with the City of Troy. These members work in these various departments within the City: Parks and Recreation, Water and Sewer, Streets and Drains, Fleet Maintenance and Engineering.**

**AFSCME Local 574, represents employees in Troy, Clawson, Rochester & Huntington Woods, and has established the charitable organization to, among other benevolent causes, fund a scholarship program for students in those communities.**

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Licenses at the Police Records Public Counter. Hours: Mon-Thursday 8am-4:30pm. Questions: 248.524.3437.

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### **City of Troy Meets the New State Standards for Accountability and Transparency**

The City of Troy has a long history of fiscal transparency, evidenced by the information contained on its comprehensive website, its community conversations and best practices of cost reduction and fiscal responsibility. City Management engaged in a massive restructuring initiative to take control of its future to assure that Troy would deliver municipal services in the most cost efficient and effective manner.

When the State of Michigan introduced the Economic Vitality Incentive Program (EVIP), it was easily determined that Troy could meet the new state standards. The Performance Dashboards proposed by Governor Rick Snyder would include those financial and operating measures that are most important to the

The Troy Foundation awards an average of \$50,000 each year in educational grants for teachers and students in the school district. There are openings for golfers and opportunities for sponsorship. Visit [www.troyfoundation.org/](http://www.troyfoundation.org/) for more information on how to become a part of the activity.

*The mission of the Troy Foundation is to strengthen the educational experience of Troy School District Students by funding innovative learning opportunities, entirely through private support. Proceeds support educational programs, enhance student development and encourage creative teaching in the Troy School District.*

The Troy Foundation for Educational Excellence is a non-profit 501(c) (3) organization. Contributions are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by

government and its citizens. The Dashboards provide a quick assessment of a community's performance in five key areas that affect families today: economic strength; health and education; value for government; quality of life; and public safety.

“Troy has always been a very lean operation with a history of being fiscally responsible,” City Manager John Szerlag said. “This Dashboard gives us one more way to provide transparency, accountability and a comparative analysis to our citizens. For more than 15 years, the City of Troy has worked to put best practices in place including engaging in a massive restructuring initiative during these tough times as well as many public and private partnerships.”

Troy's Dashboard, along with providing the State's mandatory requirements, which also include the Popular Annual Financial Report, also contains additional information such as its Best Practices Report and the Three Year Budget (2011/12 – 2013/14).

Residents can visit the City of Troy website at <http://troymi.gov/dashboard> to monitor trends and obtain detailed information.

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## **Troy Police Department Pistol Team Wins 9<sup>th</sup> Consecutive State Governor's Cup**

The Troy Police Pistol Team competed in the state match pitting police departments against each other in a test of pistol shooting accuracy and for the 9<sup>th</sup> consecutive year won first place. The team took home the Governor's Cup with a 5 person score of 1305 (out of a possible 1500 points). This score also included 13 direct hits on the center "x." The match was held at RV Grey Pistol Range in Jackson, Michigan on September 9, 2011 and the Troy team competed in the highest classification for comparative size departments-Class "A." All teams had to contend with a heavy rainfall that made the shooting more difficult, though it did not stop the Troy team's ability to garner their 9<sup>th</sup> consecutive title. The members of the team included: Sergeants Robert Wolfe and Frank Nastasi; Officers Milton Stansbury, Russell Bragg, Craig Fitzpatrick, Antonio Cascioli, Greg Stopczynski, and Peter Minton.



[www.troychamber.com](http://www.troychamber.com)

On a bi-monthly basis, the Troy Chamber sends out an e-newsletter geared toward area residents. Each issue contains discounts and events being offered by local businesses. To receive it, e-mail: [deb@troychamber.com](mailto:deb@troychamber.com)

The Troy Chamber is hosting two trips in 2012-China (October 13-21) and Hong Kong/Thailand (November 5-13). We want you to be a part of the international fun! The trips are open to everyone-families, businesspeople,

## Discontinuation and Transfer of Animal Control Services

The Troy City Council Approved the transfer of the Troy Police Department “Animal Control Service” to the Oakland County Animal Control Services at the City Council meeting on Monday March 28, 2011.

City of Troy Residents will need to call Oakland County Animal Control for all of their animal control needs @ 248.391.4102. But dog owners in the City of Troy may purchase Dog Licenses at the Police Records Public Counter. Hours are Mon-Thurs 8am-4:30pm. Questions, please call: 248-524-3437.

Their web site:

[http://www.oakgov.com/petadoption/animal\\_control/](http://www.oakgov.com/petadoption/animal_control/)

Oakland County Animal Control Services will responsible for the following:

- Respond to and investigate animal bites on any animal that may carry rabies.
- Respond 24/7 to calls involving animals that put the

couples etc. For as low as \$2,150 per person to China and \$2,699 to Hong Kong/Thailand, you can enjoy 4 & 5 star hotels, airfare, meals, a variety of attractions and more. Find out specifics at this orientation.

Last year, the Chamber hosted 58 people on the same China trip. This year, though, a side trip to the Xi'an Terracotta Warriors can be added for an additional fee. Details at the informational meeting. This meeting will be presented by a representative from Citslinc, the travel company used by the Chamber in 2011. Troy Chamber staffers Michele Hodges and Jaimi Brook, who attended the 2011 trip, will be on hand to answer questions as well.

*China flyer [here...](#)*

*Hong Kong/Thailand flyer [here...](#)*

public at risk.

- Sell, process, and record the licensing of dogs.
- Impoundment, care for, and attempt to reunite stray dogs.
- Annual dog census.
- Investigations of reported animal cruelty.
- Support and administration for shelter operations and enforcement.
- Enforce the Dangerous Dog Act, including any vicious animals.
- Investigate and enforce multiple animal control law violations to include: wolf/dog breeding, ban on large carnivores, dog fighting, and suspected rabies cases.
- Sick and injured animals with the potential of rabies causing hazard to the public.
- Any wild animal in a residence living area, and a public hazard to the community.
- Animals running at large, other than cats.
- Found animals, other than cats which must be dropped off at the county facility.
- Welfare checks on animals left in vehicles. (Cruelty)
- Respond to assist police where animals are involved. (Arrest's, drug raids, etc.)
- Investigate and prosecute Dog Fighting Charges.



*When searching for products and/or services for your home or office, Choose Troy businesses first!*

<http://www.troychamber.com/business.aspx>

**TROY RESIDENTS AND  
BUSINESSES:**

- Investigate suspected rabies in domestic and wild animals.
- Inspection and issuance of licenses to Kennels within Oakland County.

Oakland County Animal Control Services will not respond to the following (and neither will the Troy Police Department):

- Pick up stray and or nuisance cats, provide cat impoundment, or return cat's to owners.
- Noise/barking dog complaints.
- Number of dogs allowed in residence.
- Disturbance of birds and bird nest.
- Permits for domestic livestock or dangerous animals.
- Coyote complaints (DNR matter)
- Geese problems (DNR matter)
- Pick up injured wildlife and transport to wildlife or sanctuary.
- Annually inspect kennel facilities, unless claim of cruelty.
- Pet shop inspections, unless cruelty.
- Tethering, unless claim of cruelty.
- Feeding waterfowl.

Do you want to receive future Troy Police Crime Alert Emails?

Email your **name**, **address**, **phone number**, & **email address** to:

[TroyPDCrimeAlert@troymi.gov](mailto:TroyPDCrimeAlert@troymi.gov)

**Archives of crime alert**

**can be found at our website:**

[www.cityoftroypolice.com](http://www.cityoftroypolice.com)

[CrimeAlert Archive](#)

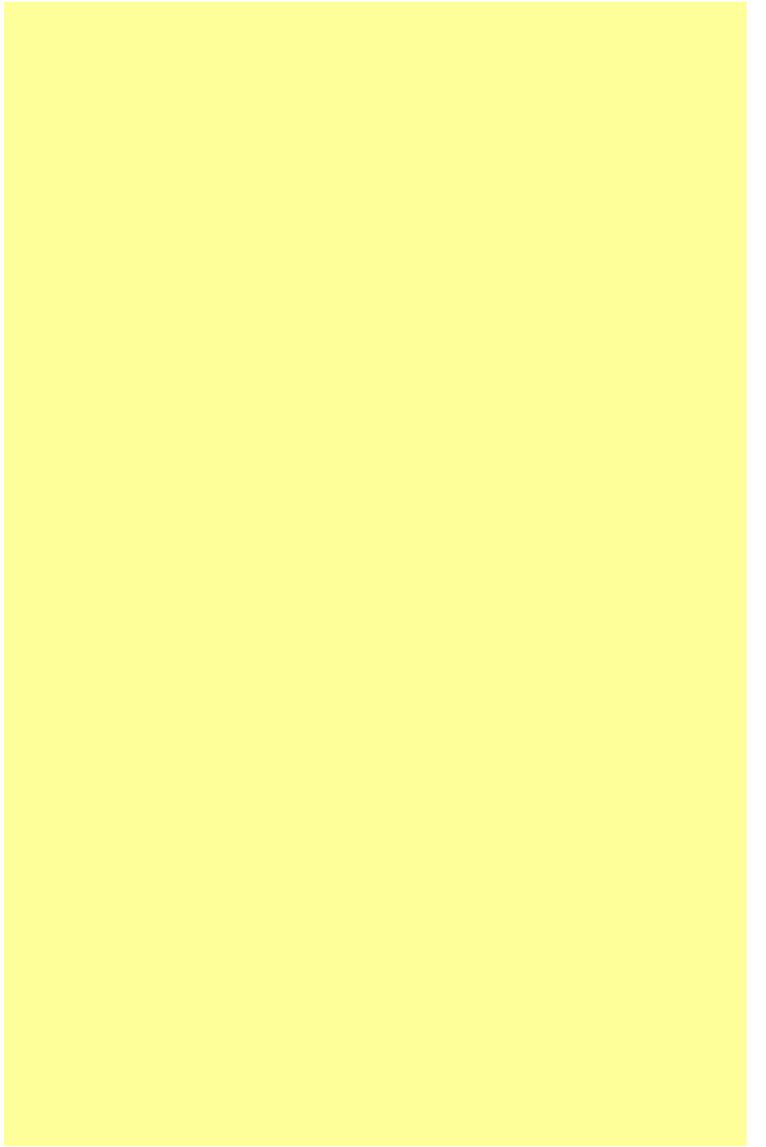
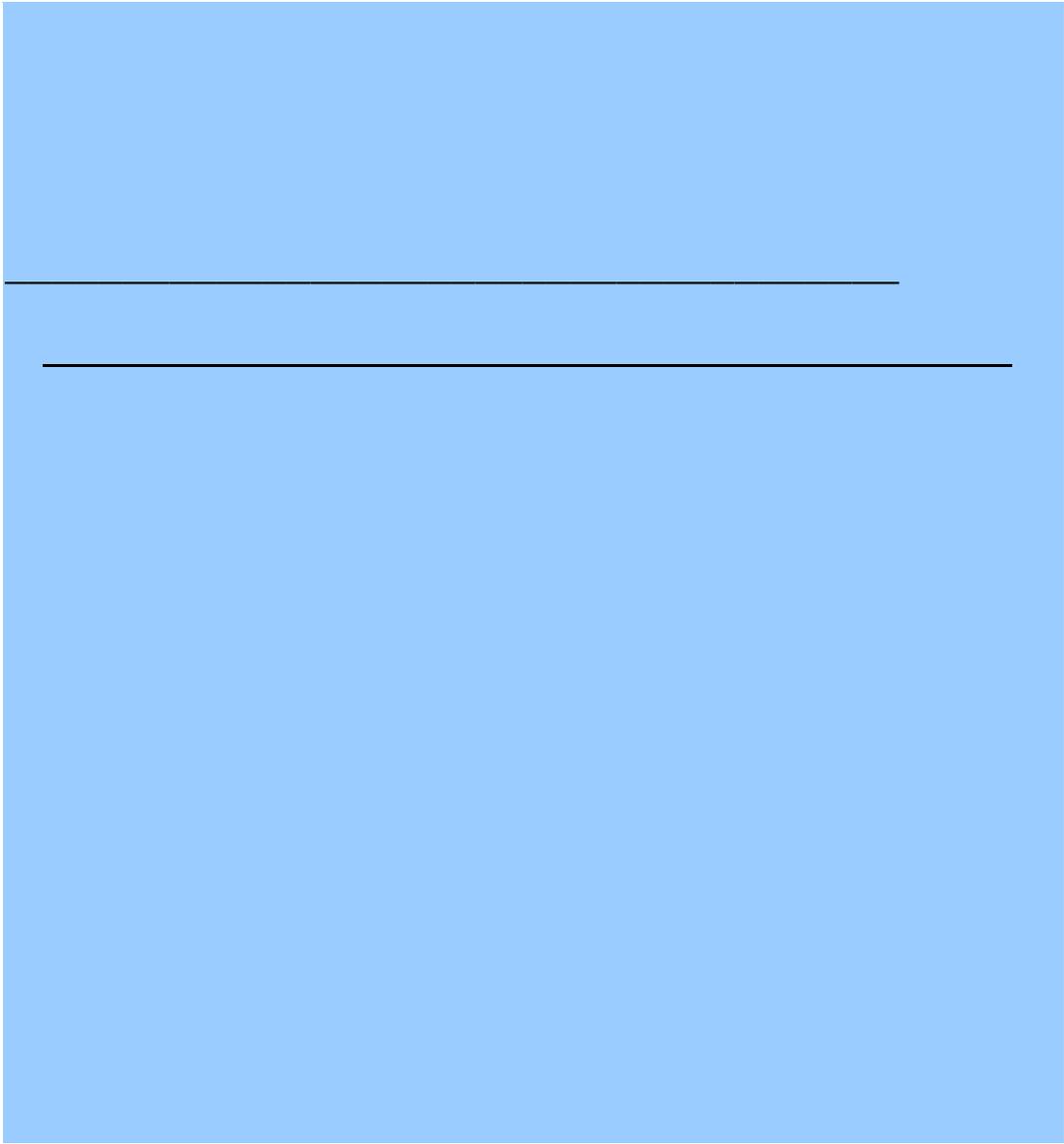
- **Hunting and trapping of animal violations, unless cruelty.**
- **Delivery of rabies specimens to Lansing for testing.**
- **Provide shelter quarantine of attack animals.**
- **Euthanasia of sick or ill-tempered animals for residents.**
- **All animal give-ups must be taken to the county facility. (costs incurred by resident)**
- **Picking up of dead animal carcasses on roadway.**

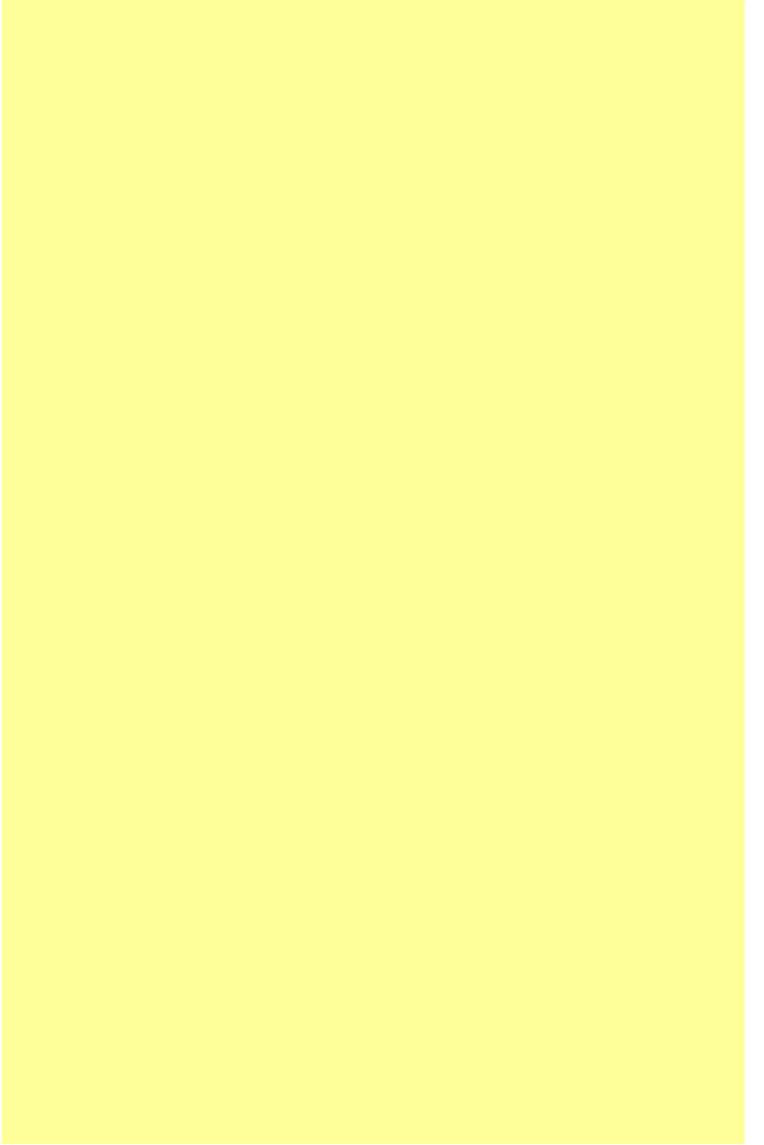
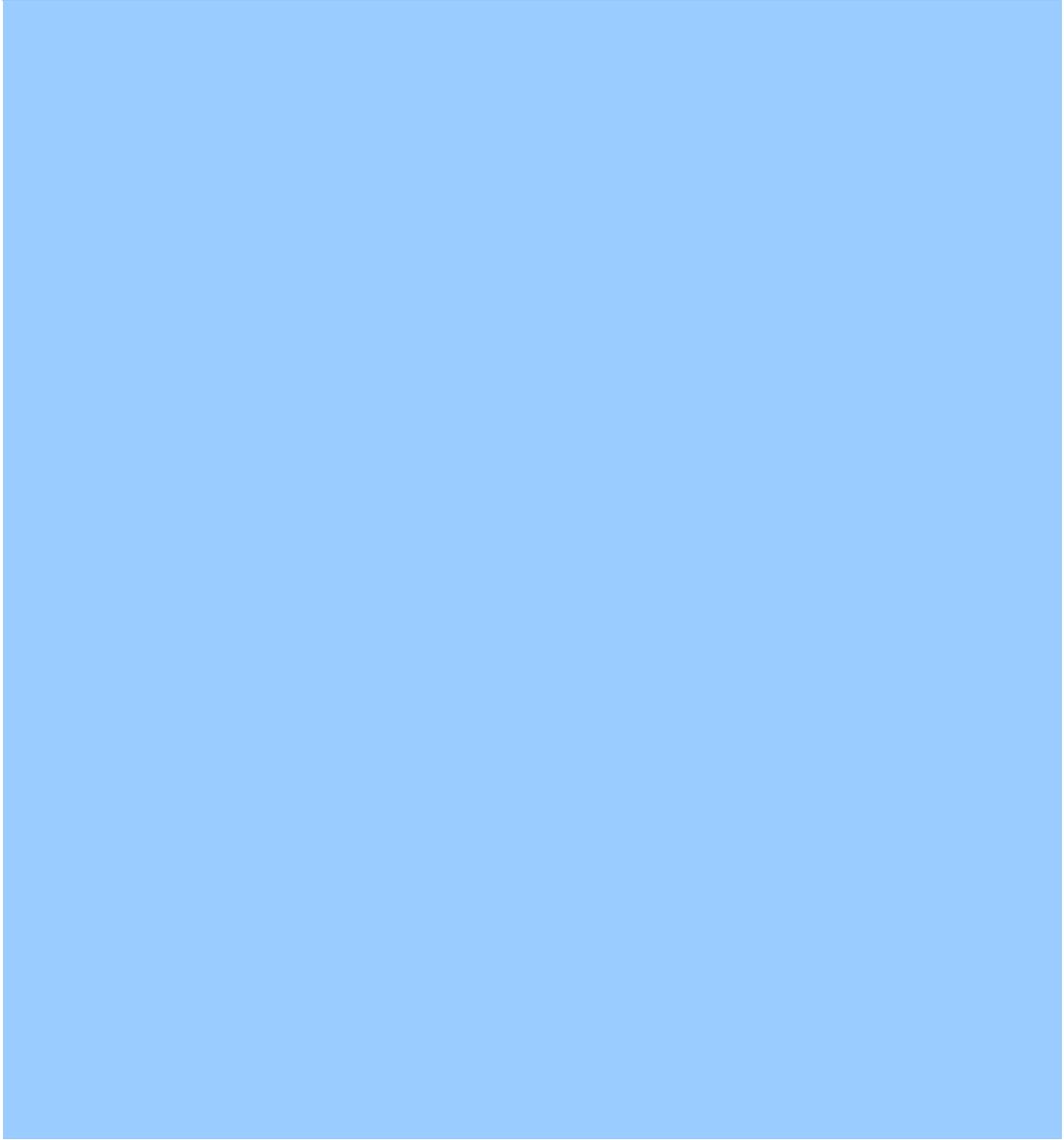
**Troy DPW will pick up dead animals on the roadways. Dead animals on Private Property will be the private property owner's responsibility.**

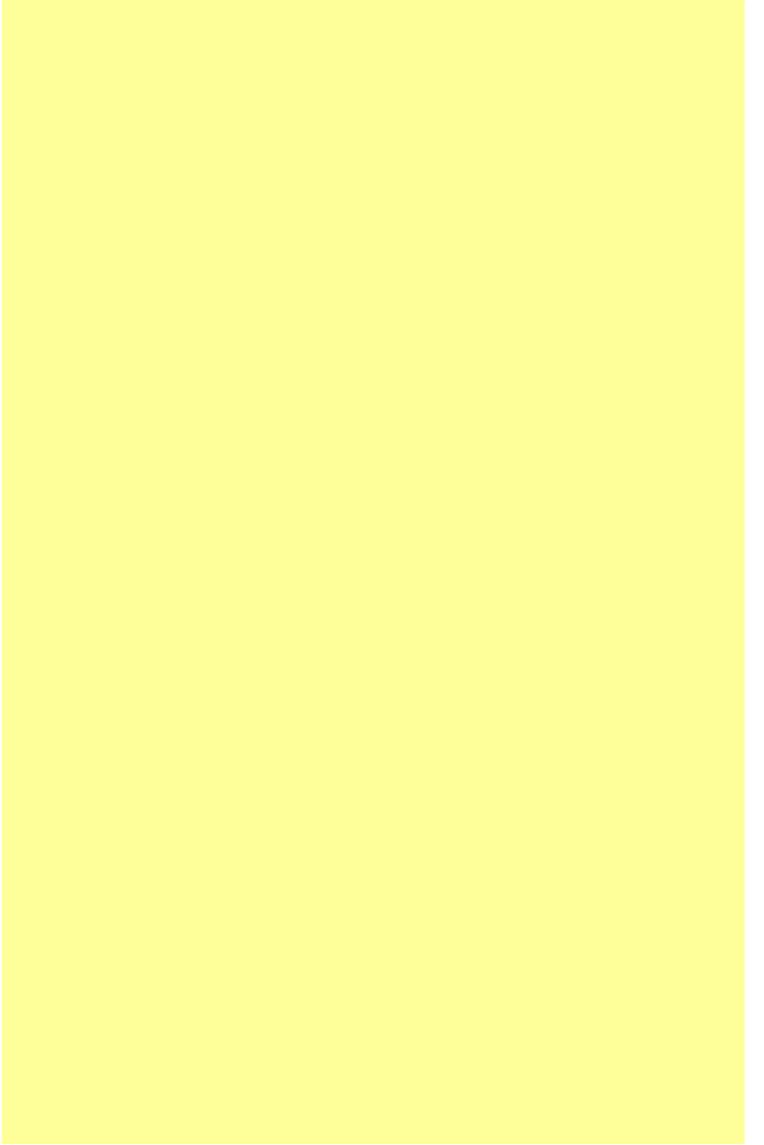
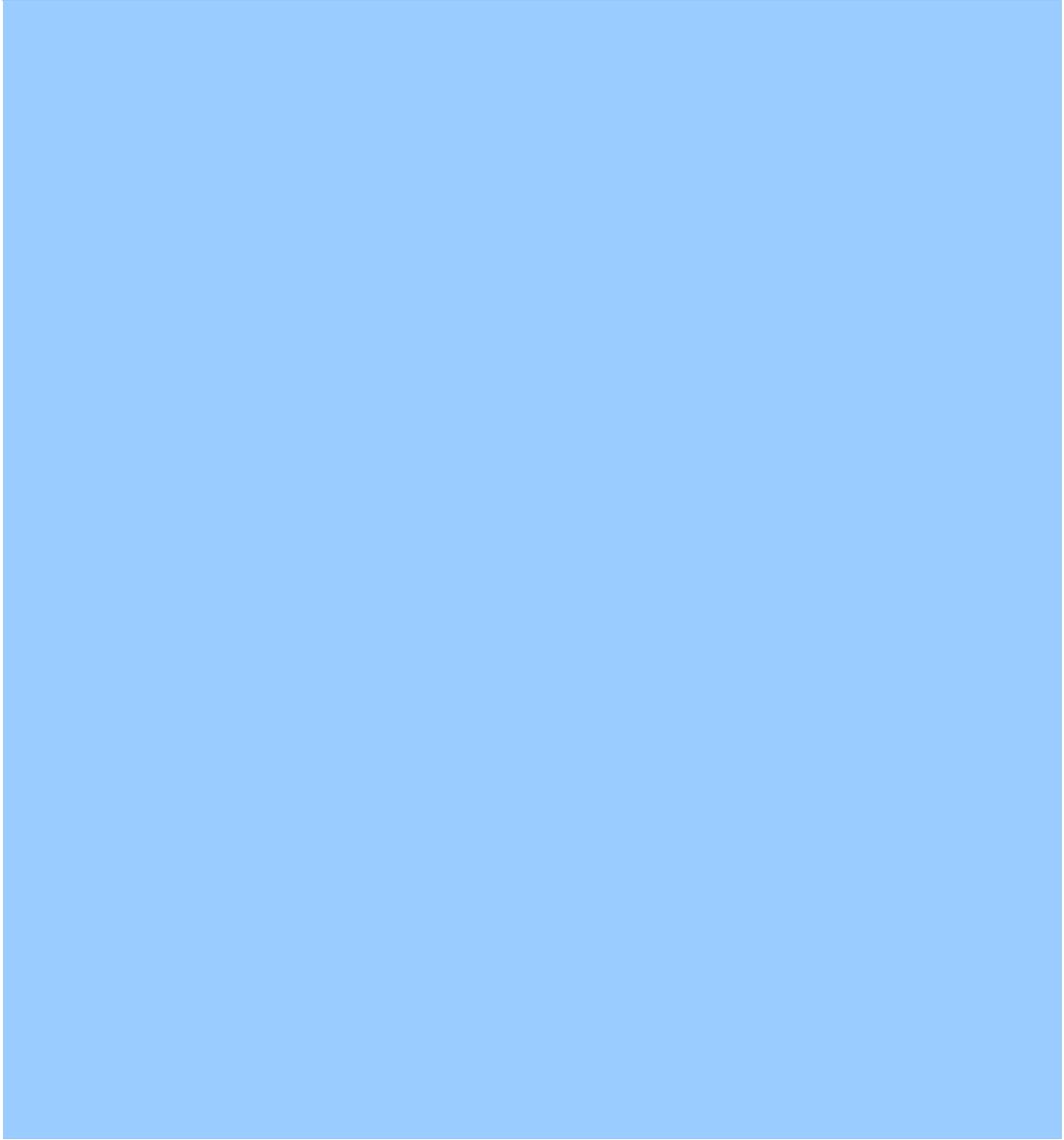
**The Troy Police Department will respond to emergency calls concerning dangerous animals, such as a dog attacking a person.**

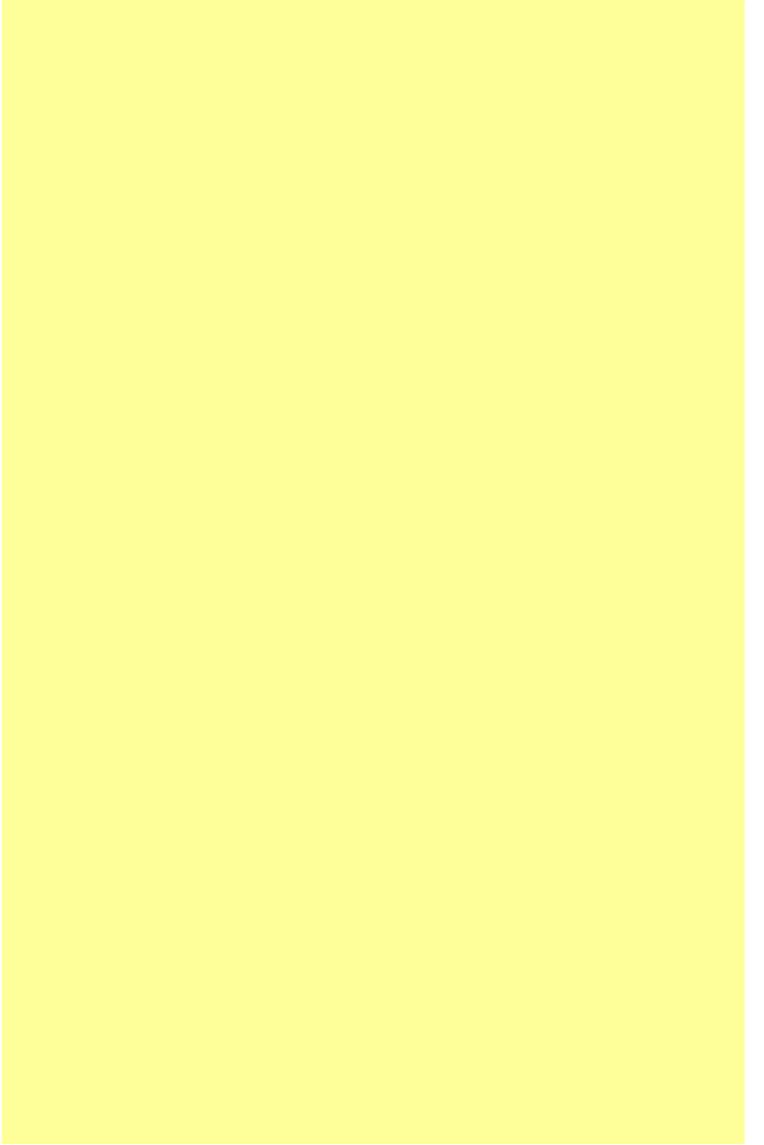
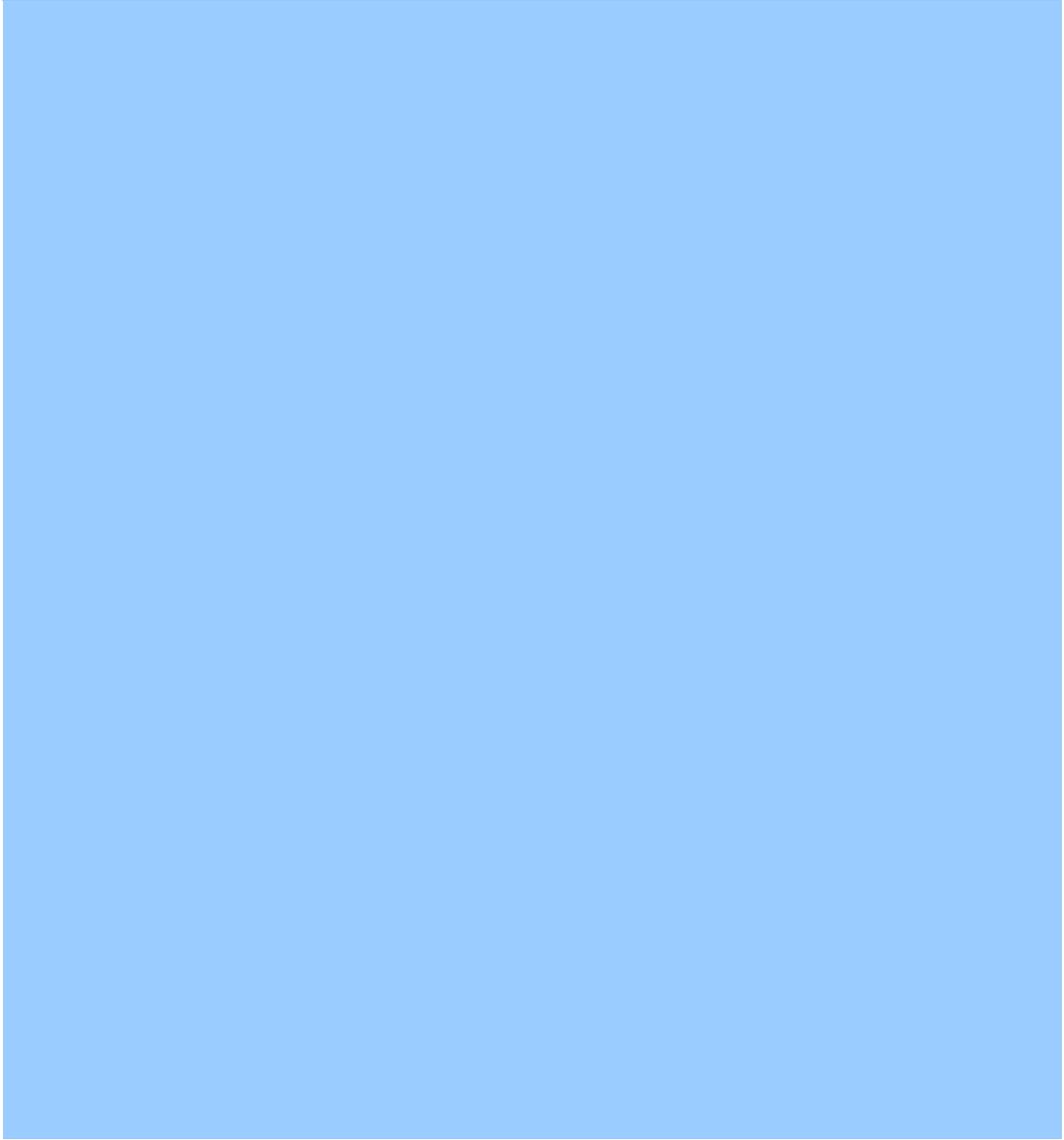
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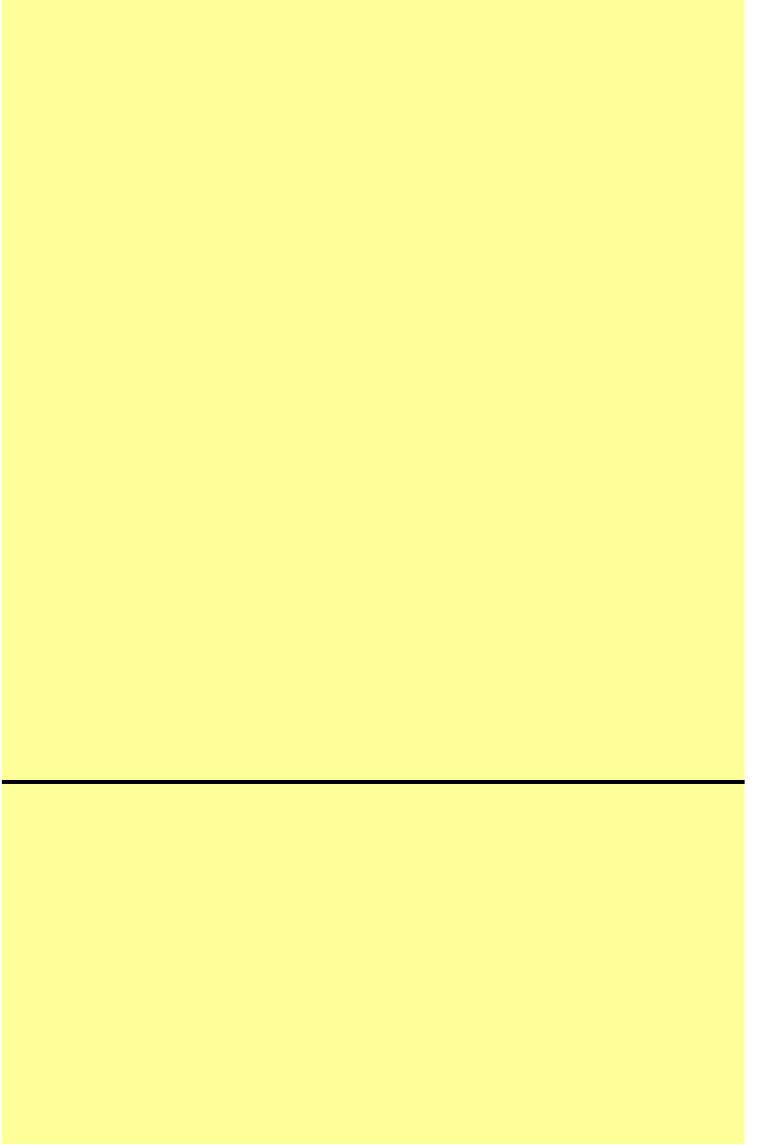
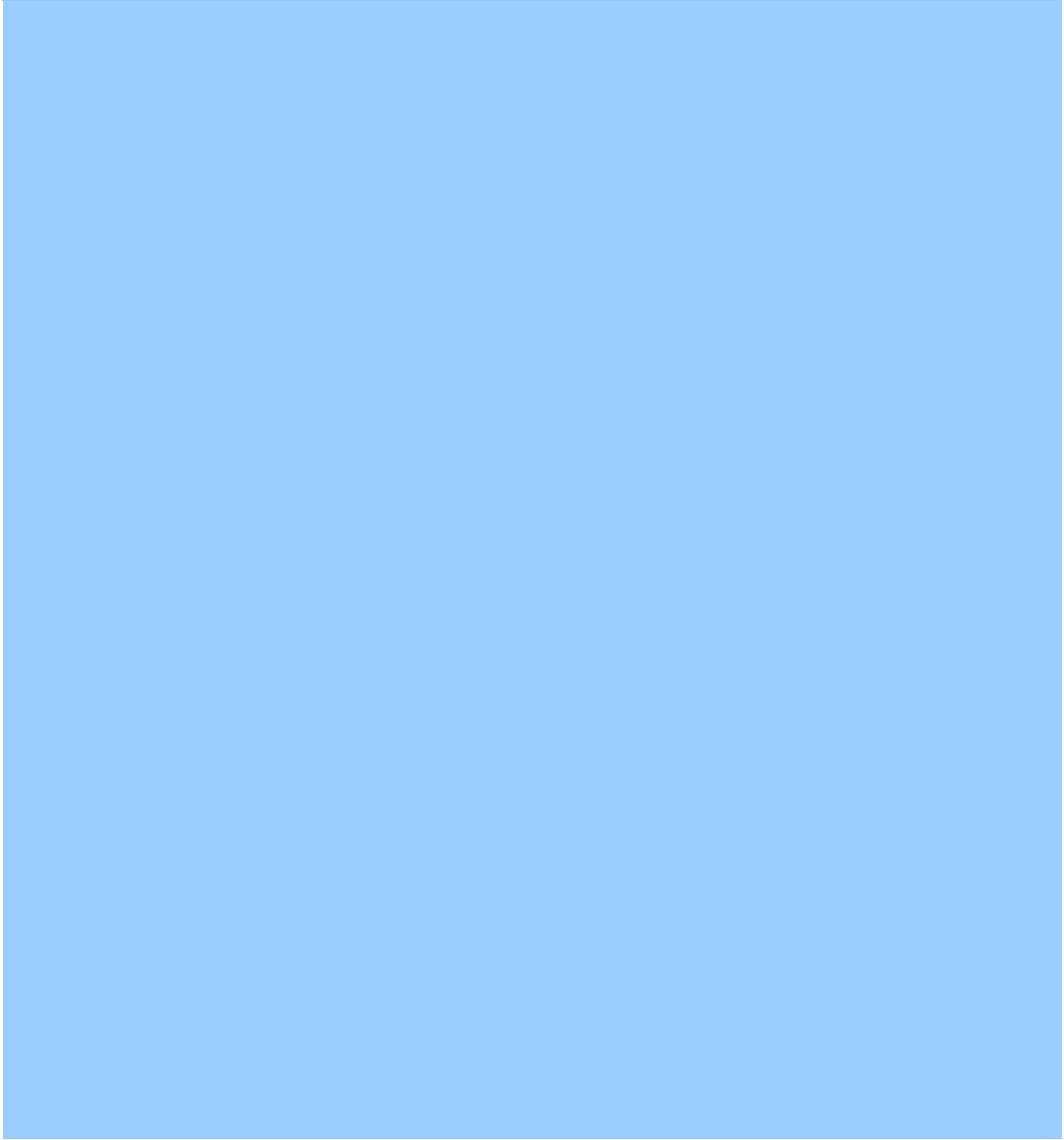
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