



# WEST LAFAYETTE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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TO: Mayor John Dennis  
City Council Members  
West Lafayette Police Merit Commission Members

FR: Chief Jason Dombkowski

RE: December 2017 Monthly Report

During the month of December, the West Lafayette Police Department received **2,553 calls for service**, an increase of 187 calls (8%) from November, and an increase of 242 calls (10%) from December 2016.

In late December, WLPD Detectives arrested a Lafayette man on charges of Burglary, Theft and Fraud in connection to several thefts from hotel rooms in our city throughout the month of December. Investigation continues and additional arrests are expected.

Also in late December, a Clarks Hill man received a five-and-a-half-year prison sentence for Armed Robbery for robbing the Circle K gas station and convenience store at Stadium and Northwestern Avenues on May 22, 2017. WLPD Detectives tracked down and arrested the man days later after he attempted to cash stolen lottery tickets from the Circle K robbery at another store.

On December 15, Lieutenant Art Choate graduated from the 270<sup>th</sup> Session of the F.B.I. National Academy at Quantico, VA. The President of the United States gave the commencement address at the graduation. The F.B.I. National Academy is a professional ten-week course of study for U.S. and international law enforcement leaders who have been nominated by their agency heads and appointed to the academy by the F.B.I. Only one-half of one percent of all law enforcement officers are graduates of the prestigious academy program. Lt. Choate is the seventh WLPD Officer to graduate from the F.B.I. National Academy since it was established in 1935.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Dombkowski".

Jason L. Dombkowski  
Chief of Police