

City of Wauwatosa

Police Department Monthly Status Report

Budget Name: Police

Budget # 01-211, 212

Department Director: James H. MacGillis, Police Chief

Reporting Period: **September 2026**

Budget Overview

The budget numbers as of October 12, 2026.

	Budgeted	Expended	% Spent
Wages & Benefits	\$17,178,150	\$11,708,006	68%
Total Budget	\$20,189,246	\$13,717,973	68%

	Budgeted	Collected	% Collected
Dept Charges for Service*	\$ 91,500	\$ 50,982	56%
Parking	\$ 563,500	\$ 418,838	74%
Alarm Fees	\$ 105,000	\$ 56,000	53%

*September court collections have not posted as of 10/12/26

PERSONNEL ADDITIONS AND CHANGES

Currently we are operating with 94 officers. Six are in field training, four are on light duty, four officers are in the Police Academy.

OPERATIONS

Major Crime Update- September 2026
Total Calls YTD (Excluded DPM Calls): 24,860 Calls

Homicide— There were 0 homicides reported. There were 0 overdoses reported this month.

Shootings / Shots Fired— There were 0 shots fired reported and 0 people injured this month. 14 firearms were taken as evidence (15 total firearms were placed into property).

Sexual Assaults— There was 1 sexual assault and 0 sex offenses reported.

October 19, 2026

Robbery— There was 1 robbery reported this month.

26-027246: On 09/27/2026 at approx. 4:33 PM, officers responded to 2500 N Mayfair Rd for a report of a strongarm robbery in which a suspect concealed merchandise, fled the store, and became involved in a physical altercation with an employee. The employee chased the suspect into a nearby parking garage, where the suspect struck the employee before fleeing toward a neighboring business. All stolen merchandise was recovered.

Assaults— There were 10 assaults reported this month. 20 incidents were reported as possible domestic violence. 0 incident(s) was reported as resisting/obstruction officer.

Burglary— There were 3 burglaries reported this month.

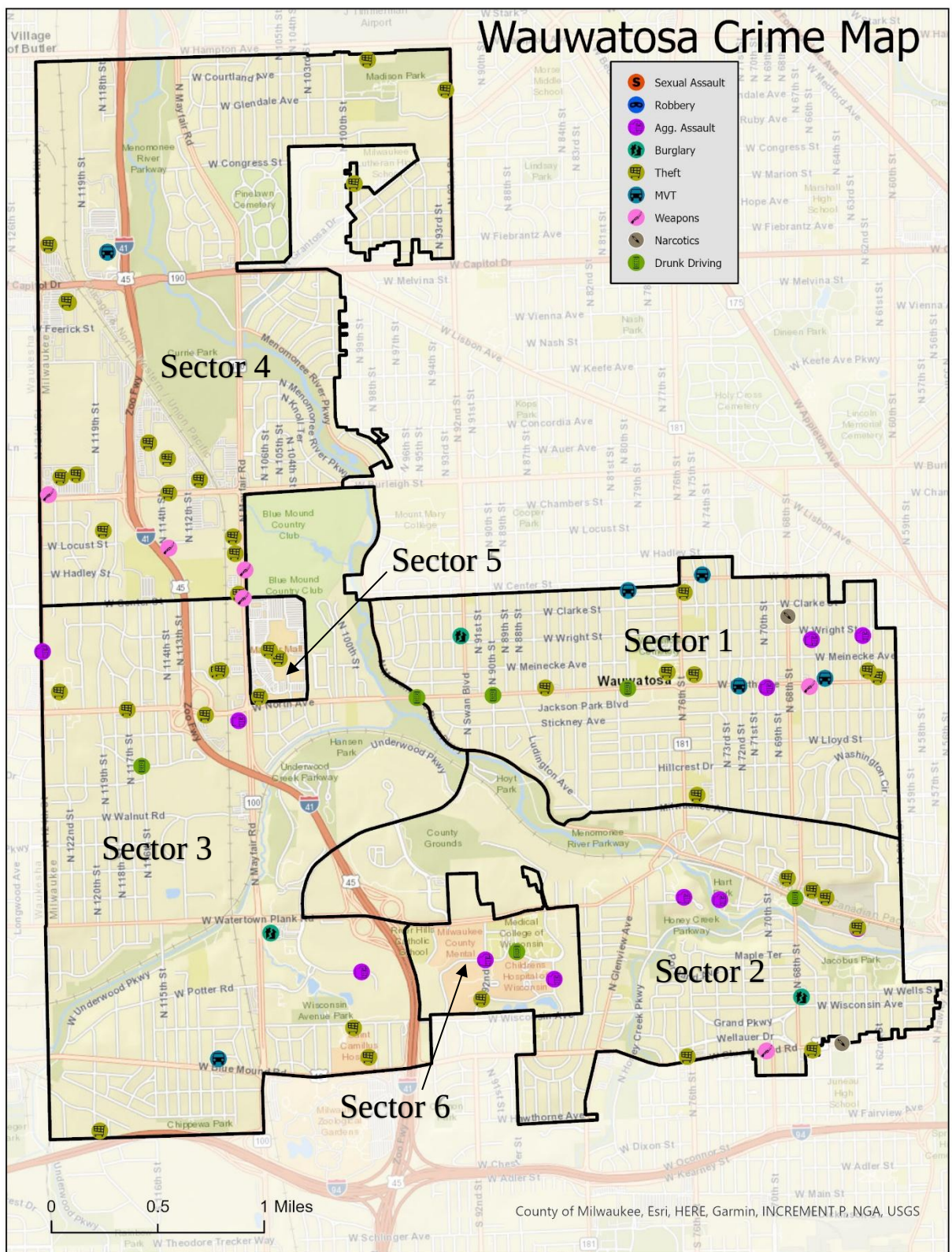
Thefts— There were 89 thefts (56 retail thefts and 8 entries to autos) reported this month. There were 14 thefts reported at Mayfair Mall. There were 0 thefts reported at the Mayfair Collections and 5 reported at Home Depot.

Theft of Motor Vehicles— There were 7 (0 attempts and +2 not returned rentals) motor vehicles reported stolen. 5 vehicles were targeted this month were taken without keys. There was 1 vehicle taken while it was running, 5 of the 7 vehicles have been recovered.

Arson— There were 0 arsons reported this month.

Operating Auto While Intoxicated (OAWI) — There were 10 OAWI arrests this month.

Pursuits/Eluding Cases – There were 5 reports of eluding. Eluding is defined as when suspect(s) in a vehicle fail to stop for an officer and then flee at a high rate of speed.



CITATION & ARREST STATISTICS

156 arrest citations were issued in September

484 traffic citations were issued in September

Mayfair Mall:

A Year-to-Date comparative analysis of Mayfair Mall shows an increase in the number of calls for the month of September. In 2025, calls totaled 860 compared to 1,049 calls in 2026. A comparison of 2021 with 2026 shows an increase of 21.98%. A comparison of 2016 with 2026 shows an increase of 9.61%.

Comparative Analysis for Mayfair Mall

Categories	01-01-2016 thru 9-30-2016	01-01-21 thru 9-30-21	01-01-25 thru 9-30-25	01-01-26 thru 9-30-26	% of Change 2025-2026
Thefts	197	129	100	124	24.00%
Motor Vehicle Thefts	5	16	6	10	66.67%
Disorderly Conduct	149	141	101	155	53.47%
Total of All Calls	957	867	860	1,049	21.98%

The Mayfair Collection: Opened for Business in 2014

A Year-to-Date comparative analysis of The Mayfair Collection shows a decrease in calls for 2026. In 2025, calls totaled 235 compared to 172 calls in 2026. A comparison of 2021 with 2026 shows a decrease of 8.18%. A comparison of 2016 with 2026 shows a decrease of – 40.69%.

Comparative Analysis for The Mayfair Collection

Categories	01-01-2016 thru 9-30-2016	01-01-21 thru 9-30-21	01-01-25 thru 9-30-25	01-01-26 thru 9-30-26	% of Change 2025-2026
Thefts	63	48	91	64	- 29.67%
Motor Vehicle Thefts	2	0	0	1	0.00%
Disorderly Conduct	16	2	4	3	- 25.00%
Total of All Calls	290	159	235	172	- 26.81%

High School and Middle School Statistics:

A Comparison by Calls for individual High Schools and Middle Schools for the period of **January 1 through September 30th**.

Below Shows Total Calls

	2016	2021	2025	2026	% of Change 2025- 2026
Longfellow Middle	43	31	74	55	- 25.68%
Whitman Middle	28	25	45	90	100.00%
Tosa East High	97	53	169	146	- 13.61%
Tosa West High	80	45	139	145	4.32%
Total Calls	248	154	427	436	2.11%

Comparative Incident Analysis

Category	10 years ago 01-01-16 thru 9-30-16	5 years ago 01-01-21 thru 9-30-21	01-01-25 thru 9-30-25	01-01-26 thru 9-30-26	% of Change 2025 – 2026
<i>Part 1 Crimes</i>					
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Sexual Assault	14	15	16	20	25.00%
Robbery	50	22	17	22	29.41%
Assault	63	78	101	108	6.93%
Burglary	156	62	48	46	- 4.17%
Larceny-Theft	1,399	950	983	913	- 7.12%
Motor Vehicle Theft	119	254	79	89	12.66%
Subtotal of Part 1 Crimes	1,801	1,381	1,244	1,198	- 3.70%
<i>Other Select Incidents</i>					
Fraud	265	202	200	203	1.50%
Vandalism	145	163	85	81	- 4.71%
Narcotic Law Violations	78	42	49	65	32.65%
Drunken Driving	131	47	72	54	- 25.00%
Disorderly Conduct	1,563	1,282	1,577	1,487	- 5.71%
Fatal MVA	0	2	0	1	0.00%
Personal Injury MVA	254	146	114	102	- 10.53%
Property Damage MVA	1,108	856	816	846	3.68%
Total of All Calls	28,611	20,181	27,694	27,503	- 0.69%

Note: The above are incidents that are reported and investigated by the Police Department. Actual crime classifications usually change when the complaints are finally analyzed and dispositions are determined. This will result in different numbers reported to the UCR documents submitted and reported at the end of the year.

Comparative Analysis of Police Sectors for the period of **January 1 through September 30th**. For accuracy, we are collecting data based on Police Sectors, which is in alignment with the map on page 3.

Calls Per Sector

Year	Sector 1	Sector 2	Sector 3	Sector 4	Sector 5 (Mayfair)	Sector 6 (MRMC)
2016	8022	7088	9333	8052	1722	161
2017	8366	5570	7988	7225	1889	122
2018	7558	5067	7056	8026	1702	120
2019	6776	5016	6704	7855	1458	132
2020	5061	4231	5340	5833	1077	83
2021	5551	4846	6320	6001	1455	1434
2022	5558	5175	6593	6935	1561	2585
2023	6005	5767	7532	8850	1468	3195
2024	7206	6697	8387	9946	1699	2888
2025	6934	6603	8396	9033	1360	2720
2026	5119	5031	6045	7648	1253	1759

***Listed Below shows the Community Service Officers – Calls for service* January 1 through September 30th, 2026.**

CSO CFS by Shift (PrimeUnit/Support Unit)-YTD					
CSO Prime Unit	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total
CSO Prime	1074	877	449	386	2786
Not Prime	351	256	170	111	888
Total	1425	1133	619	497	3674

Community Engagement Team: September

September was a busy month for Block Parties (48). The Patrol Division visits all parties dependent on activity level.

- 09-11 Tosa Fest, Hart Park
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- 09-12 Tosa Fest, Hart Park
- 09-18 Varsity Football Game Patrol, Wauwatosa East H.S. (Hart Park)
- 09-19 Tosa Green Summit, City Hall

- 09-20 Ride On The Wild Side, Milwaukee County Zoo
- 09-30 DSHA Dash-A-Thon Traffic Control

The **Wauwatosa Police Reserve Unit Community Events Activity:**

- 09-11 Tosa Fest, Hart Park
- 09-12 Tosa Fest, Hart Park
- 09-20 Ride On The Wild Side, Milwaukee County Zoo



James H. MacGillis
Chief of Police

C: email to Capts. - Lts. - Sgts. - Community Admin Support, Crime Analyst Dominick Ratkowski, Accountant Karla Olson, Rosalyn Wozny, Mayor McBride, City Administrator Archambo, Deputy City Administrator Melissa Weiss, Eva Ennamorato, Atty. Jennifer Tate, Alderpersons, MRMC Partners, Mayfair Mall & Mayfair Collections Security - 5 emailed to Police and Fire Commission