

# 2013

## Annual Report



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**Honorable Nan Gorman, Mayor**

**City Manager, Carlos Combs**

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**City of Hazard**

## **2013 Annual Report**

### **MISSION**

The primary mission of the Hazard Police Department is to coordinate and lead the efforts within the community to preserve the public peace, protect the rights of the persons and property, prevent crime, and generally provide assistance to citizens in urgent situations. The department is responsible for the enforcement of all Kentucky Revised Statutes, and Hazard City Ordinances within the boundaries of the City of Hazard.

The department must enforce the law in a fair and impartial manner, recognizing both the statutory and judicial limitations of policy authority and the constitutional rights of all persons. It is not the role of the department to legislate, render judgments, or punish.

The department serves the people of Hazard by providing law enforcement service in a professional and courteous manner and it is to these people that the department is ultimately responsible.



## **DEPARTMENT VALUES AND BELIEFS**

### **HUMAN LIFE**

We value life and dignity above all else. Therefore:

- We give first priority to situations that threaten life.
- We use force only when necessary.
- We treat all persons with courtesy and respect
- We are compassionate and caring.

### **INTEGRITY**

We believe integrity is the basis for community trust. Therefore:

- We are honest and truthful.
- We are consistent in our beliefs and actions.
- We hold ourselves to high standards of moral and ethical conduct.
- We are role models for the community.

### **LAWS AND CONSTITUTION**

We believe in the principles embodied in our constitution. We recognize the authority of Federal, state, and local laws. Therefore:

- We respect and protect the rights of all citizens.
- We treat all persons fairly and without favoritism.
- We are knowledgeable of the law.
- We enforce the law.
- We obey the law.



## **EXCELLENCE**

We strive for personal and professional excellence. Therefore:

- We do our best.
- We seek adequate resources: staffing, facilities, equipment, training, salaries, and benefits.
- We recruit and hire the best people.
- We are receptive to new ideas, to change.
- We meet state-recognized law enforcement standards.
- We lead by example.
- We work toward realistic, mutually agreed upon goals.

## **ACCOUNTABILITY**

We are accountable to each other and to the citizens we serve, who are the source of our authority. Therefore:

- We communicate openly and honestly among ourselves and with the community.
- We are responsive to community concerns.
- We manage our resources effectively.
- We understand the importance of community values and expectations.
- We thoroughly investigate complaints against our employees.
- We acknowledge our mistakes and are open to constructive criticism.



## **COOPERATION**

We believe that cooperation and teamwork will enable us to combine our diverse backgrounds, skills and styles to achieve common goals. Therefore:

- We work as a team.
- We strive to understand those who disagree with us.
- We seek the help and cooperation of others.
- We seek to resolve conflicts.
- We rely on community support and involvement.
- We share our responsibility to serve the citizens of Hazard with other agencies and organizations.

## **PROBLEM SOLVING**

We are most effective when we help identify and solve community problems.

Therefore:

- We work to anticipate and prevent problems.
- We give a high priority to preventing crime and helping citizens feel safe.
- We actively seek opinions and ideas from others.
- We plan, analyze, and evaluate.
- We recognize that crime is a community problem.
- We listen to problems and complaints with empathy and sensitivity.
- We seek innovative solutions.



## **OURSELVES**

We are capable, caring people who are doing important and satisfying work for the citizens of Hazard. Therefore:

- We respect, care about, trust and support each other.
- We are disciplined and reliable.
- We keep our perspective and sense of humor.
- We balance our professional and personal lives.
- We consult the people who will be affected by our decisions.
- We have a positive, “can-do” attitude.
- We cultivate our best characteristics: initiative, enthusiasm, creativity, patience, competence, and judgment.





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# I. General Statistics



The following is a summary of general statistics for the Hazard Police Department in 2013:

**Total number of calls received: 18,504**

**Motorist Assists: 2304**

**Burglar Alarms: 922**

**Escorts for businesses: 1368**

**Extra Patrol's: 3942**

**Citations Issued: = 5,441 *(total number of individual charges)***



## Citations per officer

**Minor Allen- 2**

**Joe Engle- 116**

**James East- 370**

**Jason Duff- 160**

**Randy Napier- 531**

**Paul Campbell- 149**

**Adam Baker- 295**

**David Wiseman- 90**

**Wilson Jones- 292**

**B J Caudill- 445**

**Doug Ashley- 614**

**Bradley Couch- 1119**

**Zach Miller- 149**

**Tim Feltner- 151**

**Arthur Gayheart- 402**

**Preston Napier- 68**

**Cruz Thornsberry- 175**

**Steve Everidge- 305**

**James Whitaker- 8**



**Chris Fugate- 0**

**Johnny Pearl Begley- 0**

(No longer employed)

## **II. Traffic Collision Data**



The following is traffic collision data reported by the Hazard Police Department for 2013:

Total Collisions: 569

Fatal Collisions: 1

Number of People Killed: 1

Injury Collisions: 79

Non-Injury Collisions: 490

Number of People Injured: 87

Hit and Run Collisions: 38

Total DUI Arrest: 101



**Officer Collision Activity**

**Minor Allen- 3**

**Joseph Engle- 15**

**James East- 49**

**Jason Duff- 42**

**Randy Napier- 38**

**Paul Campbell- 49**

**Adam Baker- 35**

**David Wiseman- 21**

**Wilson Jones- 19**

**B J Caudill- 40**

**Doug Ashley- 28**

**Bradley Couch- 44**

**Zach Miller- 69**

**Tim Feltner- 28**

**Arthur Gayheart- 39**

**Preston Napier- 5**

**Cruz Thornsberry- 22**

**Steve Everidge- 23**



**James Whitaker- 0**

**Chris Fugate- 0**

**Johnny Pearl Begley-0**

**(No longer employed)**

# **III. Criminal Investigations**



The following is a summary of criminal investigation statistics for the Hazard Police Department for 2013:

These statistics reflect only official department NIBRS cases reported. Does not report every instance of occurrence.

**Total Cases Opened: 427**

<u>Part 1 Crimes</u>	<u>Clearance Rate</u>
<u>3</u> <b>Murder</b>	<b>100%</b>
<u>6</u> <b>Robbery</b>	<b>83%</b>
<u>14</u> <b>Aggravated Assault</b>	<b>79%</b>
<u>43</u> <b>Burglary</b>	<b>16%</b>
<u>12</u> <b>Auto Theft</b>	<b>17%</b>
<u>2</u> <b>Arson</b>	<b>0%</b>
<u>202</u> <b>Theft</b>	<b>58%</b>

**Total clearance average rate for reported Part 1 Crimes: 53.11%**

**Grand Total Stolen 2013-**





**\$307,665.76 (stolen)**

\$101,419.90 (recovered)

<b>Part 2 Crimes</b>	<b>Clearance Rate</b>
<b><u>37</u> Assaults</b>	<b>78%</b>
<b><u>9</u> Forgery</b>	<b>36%</b>
<b><u>16</u> Fraud</b>	<b>35%</b>
<b><u>11</u> Stolen Property</b>	<b>36%</b>
<b><u>17</u> Vandalism</b>	<b>35%</b>
<b><u>2</u> Weapon Offenses</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b><u>7</u> Sex Offenses</b>	<b>63%</b>
<b><u>2</u> Sale of Marijuana</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b><u>24</u> Drug Offenses</b>	<b>75%</b>
<b><u>11</u> Possession of Marijuana</b>	<b>82%</b>
<b><u>47</u> Possession of Drugs</b>	<b>82%</b>
<b><u>2</u> Offenses against family/children</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b><u>8</u> DUI</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b><u>5</u> Liquor Laws</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b><u>38</u> Drunkenness</b>	<b>79%</b>
<b><u>11</u> Disorderly Conduct</b>	<b>63%</b>
<b><u>44</u> All Other Offenses</b>	<b>86%</b>

**Total clearance average rate for reported Part 2 Crimes: 72.68%**



### Criminal Cases Opened By Officer 2013

Minor Allen	1
Joseph Engle	4
James East	29
Jason Duff	22
Randy Napier	15
Paul Campbell	40
Adam Baker	55
David Wiseman	29
Wilson Jones	19
B J Caudill	49
Doug Ashley	38
Bradley Couch	20
Zach Miller	18
Tim Feltner	18
Arthur Gayheart	12
<b>Preston Napier</b>	<b>5</b>
Cruz Thornsberry	21
Steve Everidge	32
<b>James Whitaker</b>	<b>0</b>
Chris Fugate	0
Johnny Pearl Begley	0

(No longer employed)



## Yearly Comparison

**Note** (Starting in 2007 the ENIBRS system changed the way cases are counted. Cases are now recorded based on an Incident rather than each offense or offender)

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006
<b>Citations</b> 544 1	525 2	365 9	256 8	350 1	244 5	166 7	Not Listed	
<b>DUI</b> 101	13 9	22 6	10 1	13 6	6 4	7 4	145	
<b>Cases Opened</b> 427	52 5	72 4	55 8	48 7	34 9	41 9	640	
<b>Collisions</b> 569	70 2	69 4	63 0	61 6	60 2	55 6	536	



# **IV. Asset Forfeiture**



The following is a summary of the Hazard Police Department's asset forfeiture activity:

**Asset Forfeiture Report 2013 Annual Report** (Not fiscal)

**Asset Forfeiture Report 2013**

Summary of asset forfeiture funds:

Federal asset forfeiture balance: \$ 10,930.98

State asset forfeiture balance: \$ 15,439.50

**In 2013 the department used asset forfeiture funds to purchase the following items:**

- Digital Forensic Crime Scene mapping software
- Ford Crown Victoria Police Cruiser
- Ammunition
- Equipment for Officers
- Specialized training

The department expects federal and state asset forfeiture funds to continue to be awarded to the department in the upcoming year.



# V. Personnel



The following is a summary of personnel transactions for the Hazard Police Department:

**The following personnel resigned employment with the department in 2013:**

Patrolman Preston Napier

Dispatcher Ashley Brown

Dispatcher Mike Boling

Dispatcher Isaiah Farler

**The following personnel were hired in 2013:**

Patrolman James Whitaker

Patrolman Chris Fugate

Patrolman Johnny Pearl Begley

Safety Officer Shade Caudill (Transfer from Dispatch)

Dispatcher Glenn Cornett

Dispatcher Elvin Hendrix

Dispatcher Odus Adams



Community Liaison Kirsten Engle

Housekeeper Krystal Napier

### **Awards and Highlights**

- Lieutenant Paul Campbell received Officer of the Year in 2013. This is voted by all the officers of the department
- The Hazard Police Department conducted Active Shooter Training at Hazard Vo-Tech, Center of the Mountains University, Starland Daycare, Cabinet for Health and Family Services and the Perry County Library
- The Hazard Police Department conducted an Active Shooter drill at Hazard Vo-Tech school
- The Hazard Police Department responded to, investigated, and made an arrest in the triple homicide at Hazard Community College.
- Under the leadership of Captain Jason Duff, the Investigations division has reached new levels in both crime scene response and investigative techniques placing the Hazard Police Department among the elite Criminal Investigations in Kentucky.
- The Hazard Police Department has attended a new community watch program in the backwoods of Hazard





- The Hazard Police Department successfully achieved our re-accreditation with the Kentucky Association of Chiefs of Police.
- The Hazard Police Department purchased new weapons for each Police Officer with parking ticket money.
- The Hazard Police Department conducted a program called Santa With a Badge. Captain Jason Duff led this program and brought Christmas dreams come true for many young children in Hazard.
- Patrolmen Arthur Gayheart and Cruz Thornsberry graduated from the Department of Criminal Justice Training making the Hazard Police Department's total force with Academy Certification.
- The Hazard Police Department helped assist in Black Gold, parades, and many other special events.
- Assisted the Department of Criminal Justice Training with a survey on Job Task Analysis.
- Met with Community groups throughout the city to hear concerns of local communities.
- Assisted with the City School system with speaking engagements, providing assistance to sports teams, and



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watched the entire High School while teachers attended a special function.