

City of Kiel Police Department

621 Sixth Street / P.O. BOX 98 Kiel, Wisconsin 53042

Tele. 920-894-2211 Fax 920-894-7548

Website: www.kielpolice.com



The Kiel Police Department's 2007 Annual Report has recently been submitted to the Kiel City Council for their review. This report is considered "public record" and anyone interested in reading the report can do so at the police department during regular business hours (Mon-Fri 8am-5pm)

Copies of the report can also be purchased for \$5.00 which is the estimated cost to produce each report. Please make a request for a copy of the annual report directly to the Chief of Police.

The report contains information related to the Kiel Police Department's (KPD) operations in the year 2007 including information about the department's staff, public relations, but also statistical data with charts and graphs regarding KPD's calls for service (etc) and also comparative statistical data from other years.

The following is a brief summary of some of the statistical data from 2007 Annual Report;

CALLS FOR SERVICE:

The Kiel Police Department handled **2,027** calls for service in 2007. This is a slight increase in calls for service over 2006's total. However, it represents a **71% increase** in total calls for service for the police department since 2004. KPD's calls for service have **increased an average of 20% per year** since 2004.

ARRESTS:

The Kiel Police Department made **665** arrests in 2007. This is a **48% increase** over the total of arrests made in 2006. The categories "Crimes against Person" (IE. Battery) and "Peace and Order" (Disorderly Conduct) had the highest increases.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS:

There were a total of 137 motor vehicle accidents investigated by KPD in 2007. This represents a **decrease of 3.5 %** from 2006. Of the total: 91 were Property Damage Only Accidents, 17 were Personal Injury Accidents and 29 were "Hit & Run" Accidents. December had the highest single month total of accidents reported to the police department. There were no fatal motor vehicle accidents in the City of Kiel in 2007.

CITATIONS (MUNICIPAL AND TRAFFIC)

The Kiel Police Department issued **860** citations in 2007 for traffic and municipal ordinance violations. This is an **increase of 22%** over the total citations issued by K.P.D. in 2006.

- Average speeding citation issued by KPD was for speeders driving **17 mph** over the speed limit.
- Average reported BAC for drivers arrested by KPD for OWI was **0.18** (Double the legal limit of .08)

WRITTEN WARNINGS (MUNICIPAL AND TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS)

In 2007, there were **398 written warnings** issued by the Kiel Police Department. This is an **increase of 81%** over 2006's totals. Coupled with the Kiel Police Department's citation totals listed above, the total number of warnings issued indicates that over 30% of contacts made by our officers in response to reported or observed violations result in the issuance of a written warning in lieu of a citation.

MISCELLANEOUS DATA - 2007

- KPD officers conducted over 440 hours of foot patrol and over 50 hours of bike patrol
- KPD officers on patrol in the city discovered 79 open doors at local businesses (after hours)
- KPD officers assisted the Kiel Fire Department w/ 19 fire calls in the city
- KPD officers assisted the Kiel EMS on 165 Ambulance (EMS) calls
- KPD officers were called on to assist other law enforcement agencies 148 times
- KPD officers assisted 177 motorists/citizens on the roadway w/ disabled cars, stuck in the ditch, etc.
- KPD officers assisted citizens who were locked out of their cars 113 times (Free service)