

Police Department

The basic obligations of the Mount Pleasant Township Police Department are to protect life and property and all rights guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States, preventing abuse and injury wherever possible, to preserve the peace and maintain order, to control crime and apprehend offenders, and to enforce the law. Response to the specific needs of the Township holds the highest priority. The Mount Pleasant Township Police Department seeks to reduce crime and injury through preventative measures as well as immediate action in emergencies. It attempts to determine the community's wants and directs its resources toward controlling those crimes that are considered most serious, frightening, and economically damaging. It seeks to protect life and limb by restricting the use of force to situations of absolute necessity. It limits the exercise of authority to those functions prescribed by laws of the United States, the Commonwealth, and the Township making any violation a punishable offense.

The department is currently staffed with a full-time Chief of Police, 5 full-time Police Officers, and 1 part-time Officer. The department is staffed 24 hours a day and 7 days a week. The department has grown into a 24/7 department with the support of the Board of Supervisors, Township Manager, and you, our residents. With this growth we continue to improve our abilities to better serve our residents and visitors.

Please see the forms section for assistance in referenced services we currently offer. Those services include vacation home checks and on-street parking requests. If you have further questions that this site does not answer, please do not hesitate to contact the on-duty officer. Please understand and have patience as our officers handle multiple issues and incidents but will respond when able for non-emergencies. When requesting on-street parking, review the Townships ordinance, as requests are granted on a case-by-case basis.

Our department is covered by Magisterial District Judge Louis McQuillan, 27-3-06, 3441 Millers Run Road, Suite 103, Cecil, PA 15321. Our District Attorney is Washington County District Attorney Jason M. Walsh, 1 S Main Street, #1003, Washington, PA 15301. The Township contracts its animal control to Kym Secreet. Our Township has a Code/Zoning Officer for those related questions.

The department's goal is to keep our community safe, respond to all incidents professionally, and keep Mount Pleasant Township an excellent community to call home.

If you have an emergency, please dial 911.

Right-to-Know: Contact Chief Matthew Tharp, 724-356-7917 Ext. 812

Find us on Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/MPTPD>

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