

# 2015 – 2016 YEARLY REPORTS



Glen Rock Police Department

Glen Rock, NJ

## Chief's Message



On September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 I entered the final and most challenging stage of my career by taking command of the Glen Rock Police Department, an agency at that time comprised of 22 sworn officers and a support staff of 3 civilians (parking enforcement and records). Through preserving those foundational practices which have established the GRPD as an agency with vast community support and embracing improvement and innovation I look forward to making the GRPD the best version of itself.

**Dean Ackermann**  
**Chief of Police**

## Department History

The Glen Rock Police Department was established in 1918 to provide full time law enforcement services to the Borough of Glen Rock, located in northwest Bergen County, New Jersey. At the time of the department's inception, Glen Rock was a small agrarian community of approximately 4,000 people. By 1928 the department had grown to seven officers who patrolled the borough on foot and on Motorcycle. This number would remain constant through the 1940's.

Following the Second World War, Glen Rock began to see many changes. Located approximately twenty minutes away from New York City, and near the city of Paterson, Glen Rock was fast becoming a suburban residential community with an ever-growing population.

As Glen Rock grew and changed, so did its police department. In 1946 a two-way radio system was installed in police headquarters as well as the department's patrol cars. This dramatically increased the police response time to the growing number of calls being received each year. As the day-to-day needs and problems of the community increased, so did the demands placed upon the police force. Increased training, additional manpower and better equipment soon became necessary.

Throughout the 1950's, 60's, and 70's, manpower and equipment began to improve. More police vehicles were purchased and new lifesaving equipment accompanied officers on patrol for the first time. During the 70's, the department grew to twenty-six sworn, full-time police officers. As information system technology began to emerge during the 1970's, the Glen Rock Police Department kept pace with the times. Today police vehicles and motorcycles assigned to routine patrol functions are equipped with Mobile Data

Computers in the form of Panasonic “Tough Books”. Even Traffic Summonses can now be generated electronically.

In 1994 the Glen Rock Police Department closed an antiquated police dispatch desk and moved Police dispatch and 911 services to a regional dispatch center, the Northwest Bergen Central Dispatch located in Ridgewood, NJ. This center is the primary point of contact for all emergency and non-emergency calls to Glen Rock’s public safety services.

Having out grown its former substandard facility at old Borough Hall, Glen Rock Police Department, along with other Borough Offices, moved into a temporary Police Headquarters at 175 Rock Road behind the CVS in 2007. The department operated out of this location until January of 2010 when operations were moved back to a newly renovated and state-of-the-art police facility at the Harding Plaza Municipal Building.

Currently Glen Rock is classified under UCR demographic data as an Urban Center with approximately 11,602 residents. The town is densely populated with 4,143.2 residents per square mile in a mixture of single family residences, town houses. The community is also home to a vibrant central business district; several strip malls, two high volume commuter railroad lines, a highly rated public-school system, several park areas, and a number of different religious institutions, including an Indian Sikh temple. As of 2016 the consists of 22 sworn officers, 2 civilian support personnel and 1 parking enforcement officer. The agency handles between 13,000 and 15,000 calls for service a year.

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# Calls for Service & Activity

## 2015



Description	Count
ABANDONED 911 CALL	218
ABANDONED VEHICLE	3
ACCREDITATION	11
ADMINISTRATIVE	754
ALARM - BANK	1
ALARM - BURGLAR	486
ALARM - CAR	5
ALARM - HOLD UP	6
ALARM - PANIC	36
ALARM MEDICAL	5
ANIMAL CALL	162
ARREST PROCESSING	3
ASSAULT - IN PAST	2
ASSIST OTHER AGENCY	365
ASSISTANCE	5
BAD CHECKS	2
BICYCLE PATROL	6
BURGLARY - IN PAST	9
BURGLARY - IN PROG / JUST OCC	6
BUSINESS DISTRICT CHECK	360
CAR SEAT INSTALL	75
CIVIL MATTER	25
COMPUTER CRIMES TASK FORCE INVEST.	3
COURT DETAIL	68
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF - IN PAST	20
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF - IN PROG / JUST OCC	5
D.W.I. ARREST	18
D.W.I. DETAIL	23
DELAYED OPENING	5
DETENTION CELL INSPECTION	45
DISABLED VEHICLE	162
DISPUTE - IN PAST	16
DISPUTE - IN PROGRESS	68
DISTURBANCE	13
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE - IN PAST	1
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	9
DPW REQUEST	66
DUPLICATE CALL	45
DV RESTRAINING ORDER SERVED	13
EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED PERSON	39
ESCORT	67
EVACUATION DRILL	10
FINGERPRINTS	87
FIRE - ALARM	122

FIRE - BRUSH	5
FIRE - CO DETECTOR	36
FIRE - DRILL	1
FIRE - HAZ MAT	1
FIRE - RESCUE	4
FIRE - SMOKE CONDITION INDOOR	13
FIRE - SMOKE CONDITION OUTDOOR	11
FIRE - STRUCTURE FIRE	11
FIRE - VEHICLE	4
FIRE CALL	12
FIREARMS	3
FIREWORKS	5
FOLLOW UP INVESTIGATION	95
FOOT PATROL	570
HARASSMENT - IN PAST	10
HARASSMENT - IN PROG / JUST OCC	3
HAZARDOUS CONDITION	184
ID THEFT / FRAUD	64
INJURY / TRAUMA CALL	112
JUVENILE	97
KEEP THE PEACE	4
LIFT ASSIST	101
LOCKDOWN DRILL	29
LOCKOUT - EMERGENCY	18
LOCKOUT - NON- EMERGENCY	69
LOST ARTICLE	54
LOST LICENSE PLATE(S)	6
MAINTENANCE	204
MATTER OF RECORD	1
MEDICAL EMERGENCY	395
MISSING PERSON	9
MOTOR VEHICLE COMPLAINT	72
MOTOR VEHICLE STOP	2979
MOTORCYCLE DETAIL	46
MVA - HIT AND RUN	34
MVA - MINOR	83
MVA - NO INJURY	169
MVA - ROLLOVER	1
MVA - UNKNOWN INJURY	30
MVA - WITH INJURY	47
NARCOTICS	103
NOISE COMPLAINT	45
NOTIFICATION	27
ORDINANCE VIOLATION - IN PAST	26
ORDINANCE VIOLATION - IN PROG / JUST OCC	152
OTHER CRIME	6
OTHER OFFENSE	5
PARKING COMPLAINT	185
PARKING ENFORCEMENT	167
PD Radio System Performance Issue	15

PERMIT	2
POLICE INFORMATION	183
PRISONER DETAIL	46
PROPERTY DAMAGE	47
PROPERTY IN CUSTODY REPORT	107
PUBLIC INFO DETAIL	51
RADAR DETAIL	201
RECOVERED STOLEN VEHICLE / PROPERTY	3
RELEASE OF IMPOUNDED VEHICLE	45
REPOSSESSION ORDER	3
ROBBERY - IN PROG / JUST OCC	2
S.N.A.P. DETAIL	713
SCHOOL / TRAFFIC POST	500
SCHOOL CLOSED	4
SECURITY CHECK	723
SERVICE OF SUBPOENA	9
SEWER ALARM	8
SHOPLIFTING	10
SICK OUT	152
SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT	445
SPECIAL CALL OUT	1
SPEED SIGN DETAIL	9
STOLEN VEHICLE - IN PAST	3
STOLEN VEHICLE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	1
STREET LIGHT OUTAGE REPORT	7
SUDDEN DEATH - UNATTENDED BY DOCTOR	11
SUICIDE	1
SUSPICIOUS ACTS - IN PAST	68
SUSPICIOUS ACTS - IN PROG / JUST OCC	97
SUSPICIOUS ITEM	4
SUSPICIOUS MAIL/PACKAGE	3
SUSPICIOUS NOISE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	21
SUSPICIOUS PERSON - IN PAST	7
SUSPICIOUS PERSON - IN PROG / JUST OCC	99
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE - IN PAST	7
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	133
TESTING ALARMS	15
THEFT - IN PAST	30
THEFT - IN PROG / JUST OCC	3
THREATS - IN PAST	3
THREATS - IN PROG / JUST OCC	1
TRAFFIC BUREAU ASSIGNMENT	46
TRAFFIC DETAIL	319
TRAINING	382
TREE OR LIMB DOWN	21
TRESPASSING	2
UNSECURED PREMISES	90
UNWANTED GUEST	12
UTILITY EMERGENCY	121
VACANT HOUSE	101

WARRANT SERVICE	145
WELFARE CHECK	200
<b>2015 Grand Total:</b>	<b>14,990</b>

## Calls for Service & Activity

# 2016



Description	Count
ABANDONED 911 CALL	222
ACCREDITATION	11
ADMINISTRATIVE	436
ALARM - BURGLAR	514
ALARM - CAR	6
ALARM - HOLD UP	8
ALARM - PANIC	31
ALARM MEDICAL	11
ANIMAL CALL	173
ARREST PROCESSING	4
ASSAULT - IN PROG / JUST OCC	2
ASSIST OTHER AGENCY	322
ASSISTANCE	20
BAD CHECKS	1
BICYCLE PATROL	1
BURGLARY - IN PAST	1
BURGLARY - IN PROG / JUST OCC	3
BUSINESS DISTRICT CHECK	351
CAR SEAT INSTALL	106
CIVIL MATTER	13
COURT DETAIL	49
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF - IN PAST	20
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF - IN PROG / JUST OCC	6
D.W.I. ARREST	17
D.W.I. DETAIL	5
DETENTION CELL INSPECTION	194
DISABLED VEHICLE	98
DISPUTE - IN PAST	8
DISPUTE - IN PROGRESS	53
DISTURBANCE	5
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE - IN PAST	2
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	7
DPW REQUEST	43
DRE - Exam	2
DUPLICATE CALL	58
DV RESTRAINING ORDER SERVED	6
EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED PERSON	27



EMPLOYEE INJURY	2
ESCORT	53
EVACUATION DRILL	6
FINGERPRINTS	80
FIRE - ALARM	109
FIRE - BRUSH	7
FIRE - CO DETECTOR	37
FIRE - DRILL	2
FIRE - GAS GRILL	4
FIRE - SMOKE CONDITION INDOOR	18
FIRE - SMOKE CONDITION OUTDOOR	11
FIRE - SPRINKLER ACTIVATION	1
FIRE - STRUCTURE FIRE	9
FIRE - VEHICLE	3
FIRE CALL	11
FIREARMS	5
FIREWORKS	8
FOLLOW UP INVESTIGATION	59
FOOT PATROL	461
HARASSMENT - IN PAST	22
HARASSMENT - IN PROG / JUST OCC	6
HAZARDOUS CONDITION	155
ID THEFT / FRAUD	63
INJURY / TRAUMA CALL	105
JUVENILE	103
KEEP THE PEACE	3
LEWDNESS - IN PROG / JUST OCC	1
LIFT ASSIST	75
LOCKDOWN DRILL	16
LOCKOUT - EMERGENCY	16
LOCKOUT - NON- EMERGENCY	66
LOST ARTICLE	51
LOST LICENSE PLATE(S)	1
MAINTENANCE	145
MATTER OF RECORD	3
MEDICAL EMERGENCY	371
MISSING PERSON	7
MOTOR VEHICLE COMPLAINT	67
MOTOR VEHICLE STOP	2448
MOTORCYCLE DETAIL	33
MVA - HIT AND RUN	19
MVA - MINOR	42
MVA - NO INJURY	220
MVA - ROLLOVER	2
MVA - UNKNOWN INJURY	32
MVA - WITH INJURY	46
NARCOTICS	78
NOISE COMPLAINT	47
NOTIFICATION	18
ORDINANCE VIOLATION - IN PAST	7

ORDINANCE VIOLATION - IN PROG / JUST OCC	49
OTHER CRIME	11
OTHER OFFENSE	7
PARKING COMPLAINT	152
PARKING ENFORCEMENT	5
PD Radio System Performance Issue	64
PERMIT	2
POLICE INFORMATION	194
PRISONER DETAIL	27
PROPERTY DAMAGE	57
PROPERTY IN CUSTODY REPORT	93
PUBLIC INFO DETAIL	46
RADAR DETAIL	117
RELEASE OF IMPOUNDED VEHICLE	29
REPOSSESSION ORDER	4
S.N.A.P. DETAIL	473
SCHOOL / TRAFFIC POST	433
SECURITY CHECK	515
SERVICE OF SUBPOENA	2
SEWER ALARM	9
SEX CRIME	1
SHOPLIFTING	11
SICK OUT	144
SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT	634
SPECIAL CALL OUT	1
SPEED SIGN DETAIL	2
STOLEN LICENSE PLATE(S)	1
STOLEN VEHICLE - IN PAST	3
STOLEN VEHICLE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	1
STREET LIGHT OUTAGE REPORT	11
SUDDEN DEATH - UNATTENDED BY DOCTOR	5
SUSPICIOUS ACTS - IN PAST	67
SUSPICIOUS ACTS - IN PROG / JUST OCC	89
SUSPICIOUS ITEM	3
SUSPICIOUS MAIL/PACKAGE	11
SUSPICIOUS NOISE - IN PAST	1
SUSPICIOUS NOISE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	20
SUSPICIOUS PERSON - IN PAST	8
SUSPICIOUS PERSON - IN PROG / JUST OCC	85
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE - IN PAST	11
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE - IN PROG / JUST OCC	145
TESTING ALARMS	6
THEFT - IN PAST	62
THEFT - IN PROG / JUST OCC	4
THREATS - IN PAST	3
TRAFFIC BUREAU ASSIGNMENT	54
TRAFFIC DETAIL	64
TRAINING	400
TREE OR LIMB DOWN	45
TRESPASSING	2
UNSECURED PREMISES	88

UNWANTED GUEST	8
UTILITY EMERGENCY	116
VACANT HOUSE	78
WARRANT SERVICE	119
WEAPONS CALL	2
WELFARE CHECK	157
<b>2016 Grand Total</b>	<b>12741</b>

## Summonses and Arrests

The below summary represents a record of the complaints filed through the Glen Rock Municipal Court.

### 2016 GLEN ROCK ANNUAL CUMULATIVE REPORT COMPLAINTS FILED

MONTH	MOVING	PARKING	DWI	Criminal	TOTAL
January	128	39	2	23	192
February	119	37	0	12	168
March	141	27	1	30	199
April	165	46	2	13	226
May	309	27	3	29	368
June	156	18	1	22	197
July	101	6	3	49	159
August	72	8	0	27	107
September	146	11	0	16	173
October	130	14	0	12	156
November	100	7	2	17	126
December	53	4	0	12	69
<b>Total</b>	<b>1620</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>2140</b>



### 2015 GLEN ROCK ANNUAL CUMULATIVE REPORT COMPLAINTS FILED

MONTH	MOVING	PARKING	DWI	Criminal	TOTAL
January	112	72	2	8	194
February	100	39	2	21	162
March	187	62	0	18	267
April	161	32	0	128	321
May	524	40	3	23	590
June	190	64	1	15	270
July	237	74	2	38	351
August	178	41	3	36	258
September	208	26	0	49	283
October	179	31	2	32	244
November	90	48	0	19	157
December	123	14	3	15	155
<b>Total</b>	<b>2289</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>3252</b>

# Uniform Crime Reports (UCR)

NOTE: FBI Uniform Crime Reports use a different method of calculating arrest statistics and thus numbers may show variations.

OFFENSE	2015		2016	
	Adult	JV	Adult	JV
Murder	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0
Agg Assault	0	0	1	0
Burglary	2	0	2	0
Theft	8	0	14	4
Auto Theft	1	0	0	0
Arson	0	0	1	0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>
Non- Aggravated Assault	5	0	2	0
Forgery	2	0	2	0
Fraud	1	0	0	0
Stolen Property	1	0	0	0
Weapons Violations	1	0	1	0
Prostitution	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	1	0
Narcotics	86	0	63	3
Gambling	0	0	0	0
Offenses Against Family/Children	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	18	0	16	0
Liquor Violations	0	0	0	2
Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0	0
Failure to Appear/Obey Court				
All Other Offenses	66	0	56	1
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>10</b>

# Demographic Report

	Service Population		Available Workforce (State of N.J.)		Current Sworn Officers		Current Sworn Officers Female		Prior Assessment Sworn Officers		Prior Assessment Sworn Officers Female	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Caucasian	10,295	88.7%	1,122,469	70.1%	19	86.36%	2	9.09%	19	90.48%	1	4.76%
African-American	196	1.7%	217,153	13.6%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Hispanic	527	4.5 %	255,470	15.9%	2	9.09%	0	0%	1	4.76%	0	0%
Other	1110	9.6%	262,232	16.4%	1	4.55%	0	0%	1	4.76%	0	0%
Total	11,601	100.0%	1,601,854	100%	22	100%	2	9.09%	21	100%	1	4.76%

Females in available workforce = 818,531 (51.1%)

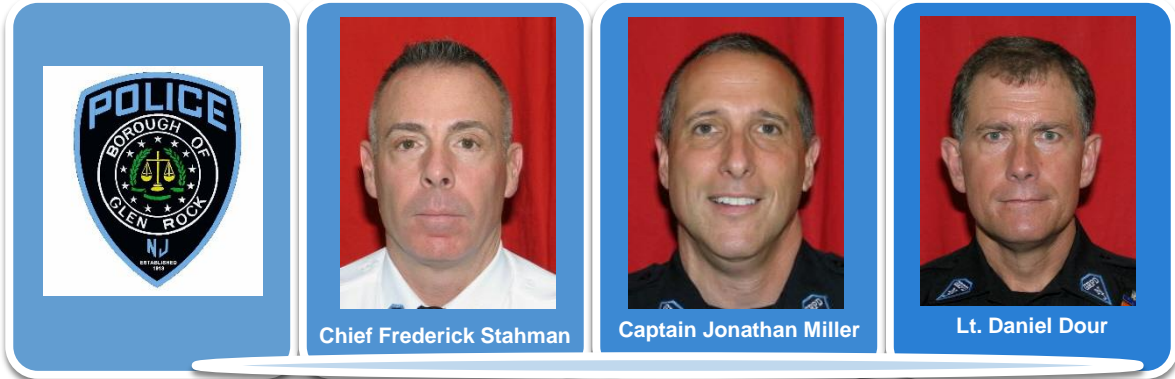
Available workforce in N.J includes only persons between the ages of 18-35.

Not included in total population or % number.

# Agency Roster

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>ID #</u>
Dean Ackermann	Chief of Police	8115
Christopher McInerney	Sergeant	8121
Frank Riggio	Sergeant	8127
Robert Wojtecki	Sergeant	8124
James Calaski	Detective	8123
Michael Trover	Detective	8124
Adam Pyatak	Police Officer	8122
Annamarie Mattina	Police Officer	8129
Scott McGovern	Police Officer	8130
Bryan Scott	Police Officer	8132
Murray Yang	Police Officer	8133
James McGill	Police Officer	8135
Robert Surdyka	Police Officer	8137
Lucas Doney	Police Officer	8138
Greg Carter	Police Officer	8139
John Tarantino	Police Officer	8140
William Holguin	Police Officer	8141
James Donnelly	Police Officer	8142
Samuel Evans	Police Officer	8143
Sarah Orista	Police Officer	8144
Nicholas Onove	Police Officer	8145
Theodore Graziani	Police Officer	8146
Reena Sarna	Administrative Aide	A10
Angelica Oliva	Administrative Aide	A15
Daniel Carter	Parking Enforcement Officer	8126

## 2016 Retirements



### 2016 saw the departure of three veteran officers who made up the command staff of the GRPD.

The members of the Glen Rock Police Department wish Chief Frederick Stahman, Captain Jonathan Miller and Lieutenant Daniel Dour the best in their retirement after many years of dedicated service to the community. Lt. Dour is also recognized for his service as Officer-In-Charge during the interim between Chief Stahman's departure and Chief Ackermann's appointment.



## New Beginnings



September 1<sup>st</sup> 2016 saw the appointment of Glen Rock's new Police Chief Dean Ackermann. A 30 veteran of the GRPD, Chief Ackermann is the 7<sup>th</sup> Chief of Police to lead the department since it was established in 1918.

Joining Chief Ackermann were Glen Rock's four newest Police Officers Sam Evans, T.J. Graziani, Nicholas Onove and Sarah Orsita.

Once these four new officers complete basic training the GRPD will be restored to full staffing with 22 members. P.O. Evans

graduated the Bergen County Police Academy and began three months of field training in December of 2016. P.O.'s Orsita, Onove and Graziani are expected to graduate from the Passaic County Police Academy in March of 2017.

## Moving Ahead to 2017



Under the direction of Chief Dean Ackermann, the Glen Rock Police Department is staffed during 2016 by 22 sworn officers and 3 civilian personnel. The members of this department pride themselves in being an integral part of a professional police agency.

The Glen Rock Police Department is currently undergoing several important changes and has identified several future initiatives to improve efficiency and delivery of services, including:

Moving forward with departmental promotions to replenish our command and supervision staff. Promotional examinations will be conducted by the New Jersey State Association of Chiefs of Police Professional Services.

Updating many of the department's servers, computers, and software through a technology bond to enable greater access and increase efficiency across all agency functions.

Establishing the position of School Resource Officer in cooperation with the Glen Rock Public Schools. This will be attained through the pending addition of a 23<sup>rd</sup> officer who will soon begin training.

Increased training and professional development across the ranks and in a variety of subjects necessary for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Policing.

Achieving and maintaining New Jersey State Association of Chiefs of Police Re-Accreditation.

Like many law enforcement agencies around the country, the Glen Rock Police Department will likely face challenges in the future as we seek to provide the best police services possible. The financial burden of updating aging technology, while maintaining a budget that does not expose the Borough to excessive financial liabilities is a difficult challenge to overcome. We must recognize that the entire law enforcement community is under much greater public scrutiny. As a department, we need to look for new ways to foster more effective and efficient means of communication between our agency and the community in order to develop a stronger and more trusting relationship.

Looking ahead through 2017 and beyond, the Glen Rock Police Department will provide the citizens of Glen Rock with professional and proactive law enforcement services. We will continue to embrace our core mission and goals of decreasing crime, improving public safety and engaging in effective policing strategies designed to enhance the quality of life for all who live, work and visit our community.

We believe that a key component to the delivery of professional police services will be maintaining NJSACOP Accreditation status. It is clear that participation in the accreditation program will, through the implementation of sound management practices, provide us with the framework to continually monitor, evaluate and improve existing procedures and conditions within the police department. We are confident that we will continue to grow as a professional police agency by maintaining the high standards we have set for ourselves, as well as those of the accreditation program.