



New Berlin Police Department

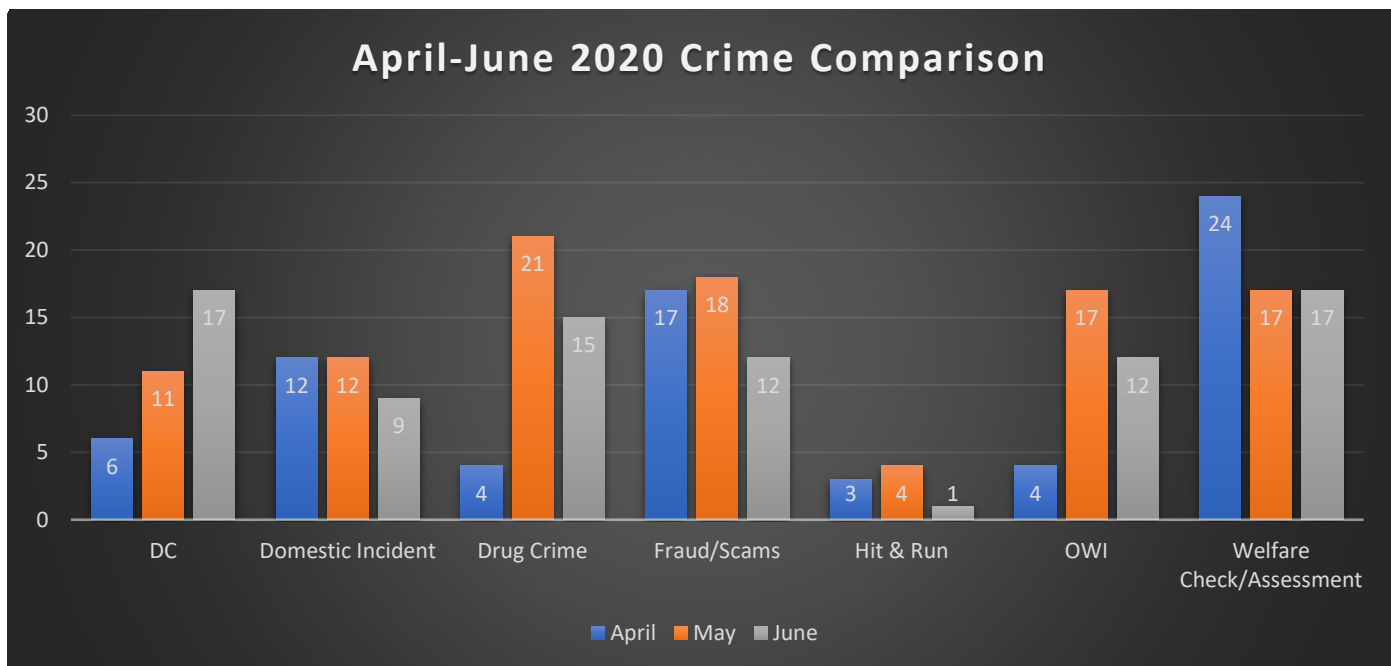
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NBPD Monthly Update – July 2020

NEW BERLIN POLICE CRIME STATISTICS: April – June 2020: The below graph represents primary categories during this time period in which our patrol division allocated resources. The majority of drug crimes, and OWI's are a result of proactive officer activity, usually stemming from a traffic stop. The remainder of the graphed categories in which we become involved, is a result of a victim, witness or a concerned citizen requesting our assistance with that respective incident.

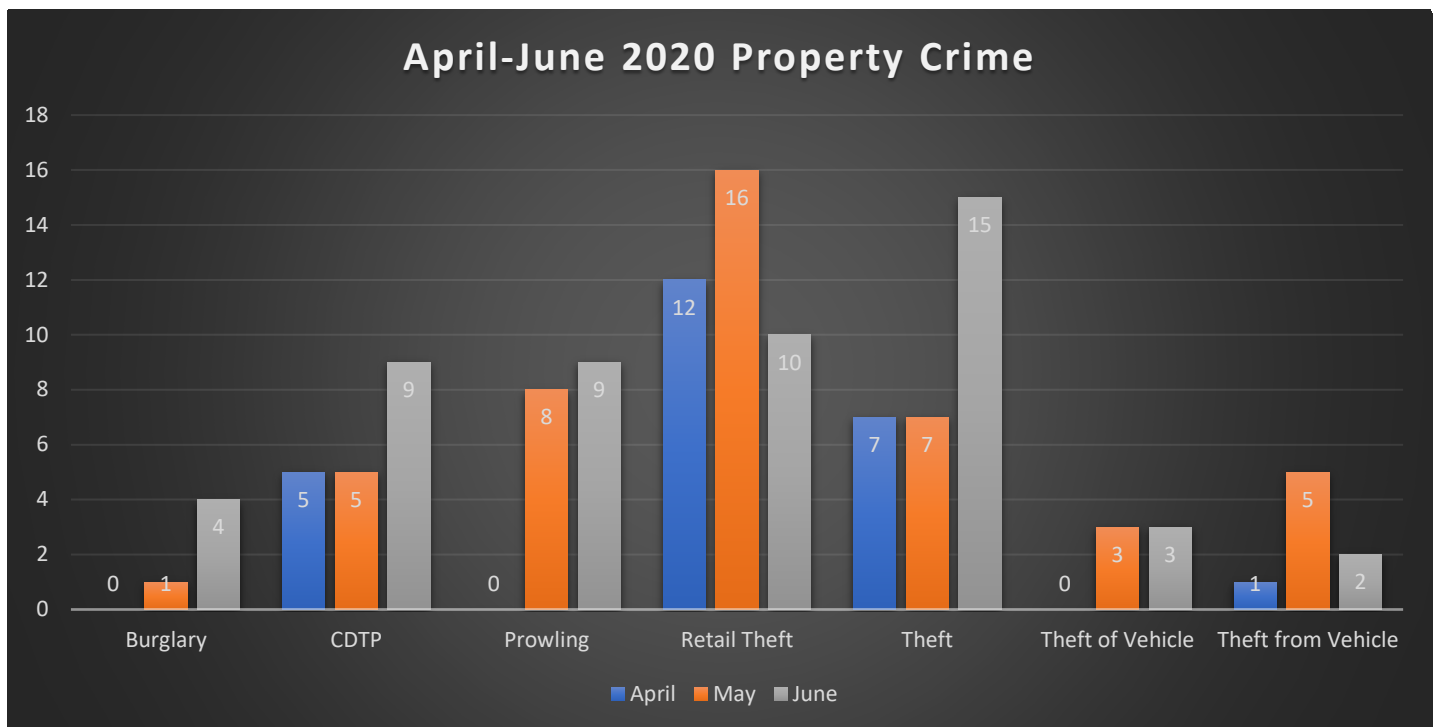
The data indicates that we saw a slight reduction in Drug Crimes and OWI arrests in the month of June. All of the other graphed categories remained similar to the previous month or experienced a slight reduction except for Disorderly Conduct (DC) incidents. It should be noted that while some DC incidents result in arrests/charges, many of them require officer de-escalation without any further police action being warranted.

We encourage you to please continue to check on your family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, employees and anyone else whom you care for that are still practicing social isolation and report any instances in which you have concerns so the appropriate type of assistance may be provided. Welfare Checks/Assessments continue to be one of the most frequent Calls For Service (CFS) in which the NBPD allocates resources.



FRAUDS: Although we experienced a slight reduction in reported Frauds and Scams in June when compared to April and May of 2020, we ask that you remain vigilant in not sharing your personal identifying information and/or account information to solicitors purporting to be affiliated with a legitimate organization. Please continue to vet any solicitations. For additional information on trending Frauds/Scams, please follow this link to the Federal Trade Commission (FTC): <https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/scam-alerts>

PROPERTY CRIMES: Crimes involving property continued to trend upward in June. Most, if not all prowling incidents involved citizens reporting that they found their unlocked vehicles rummaged through but nothing was stolen. These incidents of targeting property left in vehicles serve as a reminder to ensure that you lock your vehicles and remove valuables from your vehicles or at the minimum, keep your valuables out of sight. Remember, one of the best practices in combating property crime is reducing the offender’s OPPORTUNITY to victimize you.



VACATION NOTIFICATION PROGRAM: With vacation season being upon us and property crime trending upwards, we’d like to bring awareness to our Vacation Notification Program. The goal of this program is to provide residents with information pertaining to “best practices” for keeping their home/property safe while away. This program also allows for the Police Department to obtain emergency contact information of traveling residents. For more information regarding this program, please visit our homepage at www.newberlin.org and click on forms under the police department’s general information tile or follow this link: <https://www.newberlin.org/DocumentCenter/View/14779/Vacation-Notification-Program?bidId=>

CANCELATIONS, SUSPENSIONS OR POSTPONEMENTS OF EVENTS, PROGRAMS & SERVICES AFFILIATED WITH THE NEW BERLIN POLICE DEPARTMENT: The City of New Berlin has been diligently following guidelines set forth by the Center for Disease Control, the Wisconsin Department of Health and the Waukesha County Department of Health and Human Services. In response to those recommendations, the City is taking precautionary measures to protect the safety and health of our residents and staff. Therefore the City of New Berlin announces the following cancelations, suspensions or postponements of programs and events in which the City of New Berlin Police Department has an active role:

SUSPENDED: Applicant/Citizen Fingerprinting Services

SUSPENDED: Preliminary Breath Testing Services

SUSPENDED: Rx/OTC Drug Collection in the Safety Building Lobby

SUSPENDED: Station Tours/Citizen Ride-Alongs

CANCELED: New Berlin PD's 2020 Midnight Volleyball Program (June – August)

We encourage residents to sign up for "COVID-19 Alerts" thru [Notify Me](#) on the City's [homepage](#) to stay abreast of any future changes to City Operations. The City will make adjustments to programming and activities as necessary. We will continue to communicate with you as our response to this situation evolves and we ask for everyone's patience throughout this emergency. To stay informed regarding the impact of COVID-19 on the City of New Berlin, please visit our website: <https://www.newberlin.org/>

NEW BERLIN POLICE CRIME STATISTICS PUBLIC DASHBOARD: Please remember to access the New Berlin Police Crime Statistics Public Dashboard to stay informed. The NBPD public dashboard is an interactive map which captures both incidents and arrests occurring within the City of New Berlin. Although we attempt to publish the data on the dashboard on a **DAILY BASIS** (Monday – Friday), there may be occasions when this process may be delayed. Access to the dashboard is available at www.nbpolicy.org. Once on the police department's home page, click on the "Crime Statistics" tile for the self-titled link to access the Crime Statistics Public Dashboard.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION: If you own, operate or manage any type of commercial property in the City of New Berlin, please keep us informed as those whom you have designated as your emergency contact(s) change. This can be accomplished by completing our Emergency Contact Form and returning it to us. You can obtain the form via our Department's homepage or by following this link: <https://www.newberlin.org/DocumentCenter/View/13805/NBPD-Emergency-Contact-Form?bidId=>

COMMUNITY CAMERA PROGRAM: If you have cameras on your residence or business, please consider completing the online Community Camera Program survey on our website. The ability to access video information is an extremely useful investigatory tool for our department. Information provided to our department from your camera system will be for official use only. Your information will remain confidential and will not be distributed except as required by law or court order. Please visit: [New Berlin Police Website](#)

NEW BERLIN MUNICIPAL COURT WANTED LIST: Please follow the below link to view the list of individuals who have writs of commitment or warrants with the City of New Berlin. This list is updated the first week of each month. New Berlin residents are highlighted in **yellow**: [CLICK HERE TO VIEW WANTED LIST](#)

NB POLICE FACEBOOK & TWITTER – We send out updated information regarding events, incidents & activity through our Facebook page and Twitter account – follow our department on Facebook & Twitter: [NBPD ON FACEBOOK](#)

ADIMINISTRATIVE MESSAGE: In an effort to manage and provide our monthly update in a more efficient manner, we are looking to migrate our monthly updates to an email service provider in 2020. We want you to be aware of this probable change should you notice our monthly update being distributed via a third-party account.

If you no longer wish to receive this monthly update, please notify me and I'll remove you from the distribution list: fus@nbpolice.org