

### **Police Department**

MONTHLY REPORT
August 2025

# Professionalism

Integrity

Respect

**Compassion** 

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#### DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

August 2025

#### Touch a Truck

New Albany's annual Touch A Truck event was held on August 23rd with almost 1900 people in attendance. Officer Mills and Hall were present to display a police cruiser and the department's drone trailer for children to learn and interact with. Police Clerks Sarah Devonshire and Katie Hall also provided Child IDs at the event.





#### **Dispatcher Mercer Retirement**

The department said goodbye to Dispatcher Anita Mercer, who has served the citizens of New Albany for 30 years. During her tenure with the department, Anita served as a police clerk and dispatcher. She trained many new team members as a Certified Training Officer (CTO) and is mainly known for always going above and beyond, assisting her co-workers with projects and being there for them in their time of need. Many of Anita's family members, co-workers and friends came to bid her farewell and congratulate her on a successful 30 years with the city. We will miss Anita and wish her well!

#### **Officer Hiring**

The department hired three police officer recruits this month: Randy Lytle, Jacob Poole and Matthew Fries. They began their academy training at the Central Ohio Technical College and will be there for the next few months as they complete their Ohio Peace Officer Basic Academy Training. Upon graduation, they will return to the department for their field training program.

#### **Commercial Vehicle Enforcement**

On August 19th, the department conducted commercial vehicle enforcement with the Ohio State Highway Patrol and the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio. Three of our officers participated in the enforcement detail, conducting 12 commercial traffic stops. Officers issued several warnings for a variety of violations, three citations and one truck was placed out of service for equipment issues.

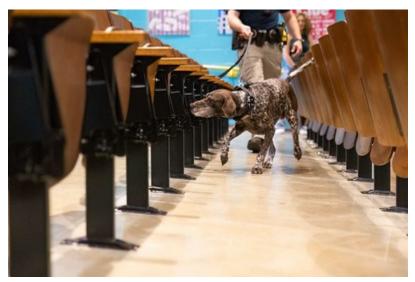
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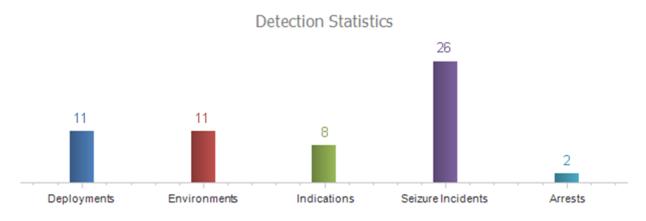
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### **K9** Amigo Deployment Summary

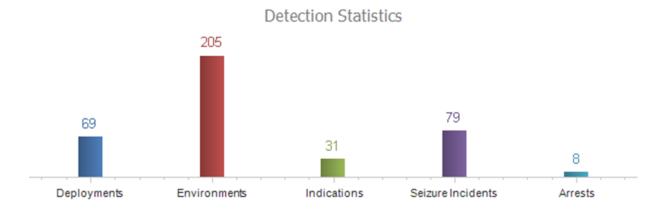
During the month of August, Amigo and his handler conducted 11 detection deployments with eight indications and two arrests.



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**YTD 2025** 

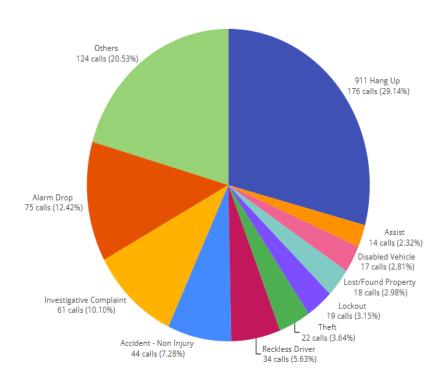


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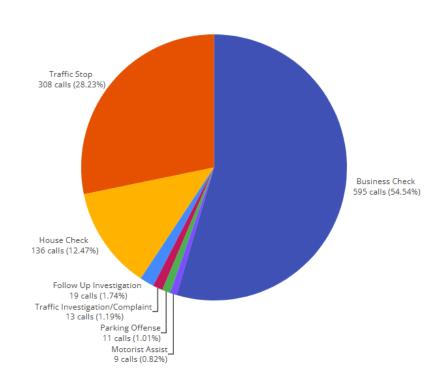
# **STATISTICS**

Citation Information	August 2025	August 2024	YTD 2025	YTD 2024
Accident Citation	29	28	205	148
Non-Accident Citation	96	89	811	839
Parking Citation	3	2	65	45
Total Citations	128	119	1081	1032
Accident Report Information	August 2025	August 2024	YTD 2025	YTD 2024
Property Accident	33	22	241	167
Injury Accident	5	11	50	50
Fatal Accident	0	0	0	0
Total Accident Reports	38	33	291	217
Calls for Service	August 2025	August 2024	YTD 2025	YTD 2024
Total Calls for Service	551	454	3784	2887
911 Calls	296	256	2050	1238
911 Texts	0	9	5	14
Top 8 Statistics	August 2025	August 2024	YTD 2025	YTD 2024
Total Hours	14	24	247	244
Total Citations	6	10	77	118
Total Warnings	16	28	264	281
Top 8 Locations				
Aster Dr (Speed)				
Fenway Rd (Speed)				
Greensward Rd (Speed)				
Market St b/t US 62 & Dublin Granville (Speed/TC	D)			
New Albany Rd E / Bevelhymer Rd (Speed/TCD)				
SR 161 (Commercial Issues)				
Straits Farm Neighborhood (Speed/TCD)				

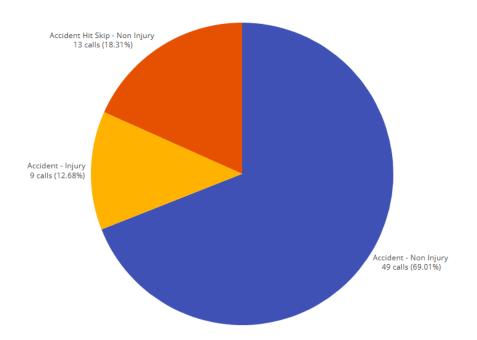
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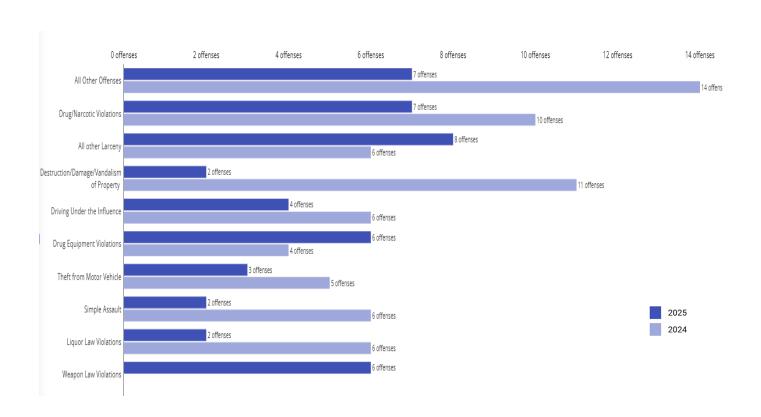
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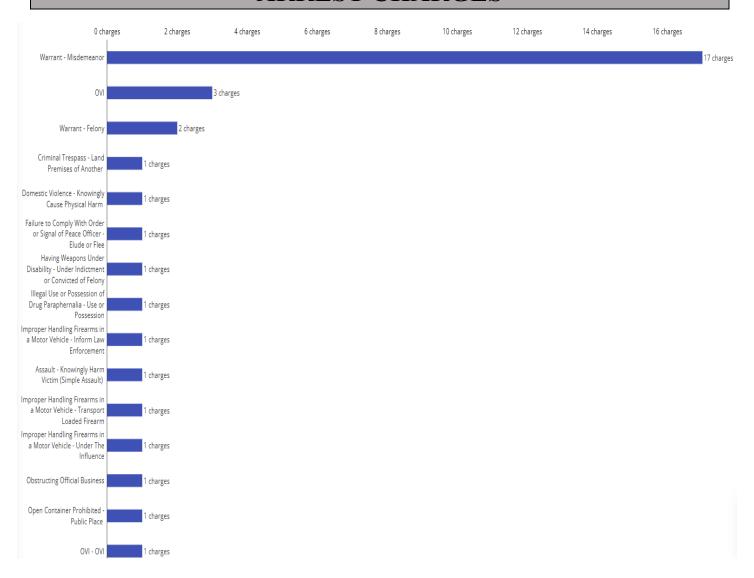
# ACCIDENT BY TYPE



### **OFFENSES—TOP 10 WITH COMPARISON PERIOD**







### ARREST TYPE—COMPARISON PERIOD

