



# Town of East Hartford Fiscal Year 2018 – 2019

## **POLICE DEPARTMENT & PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS**

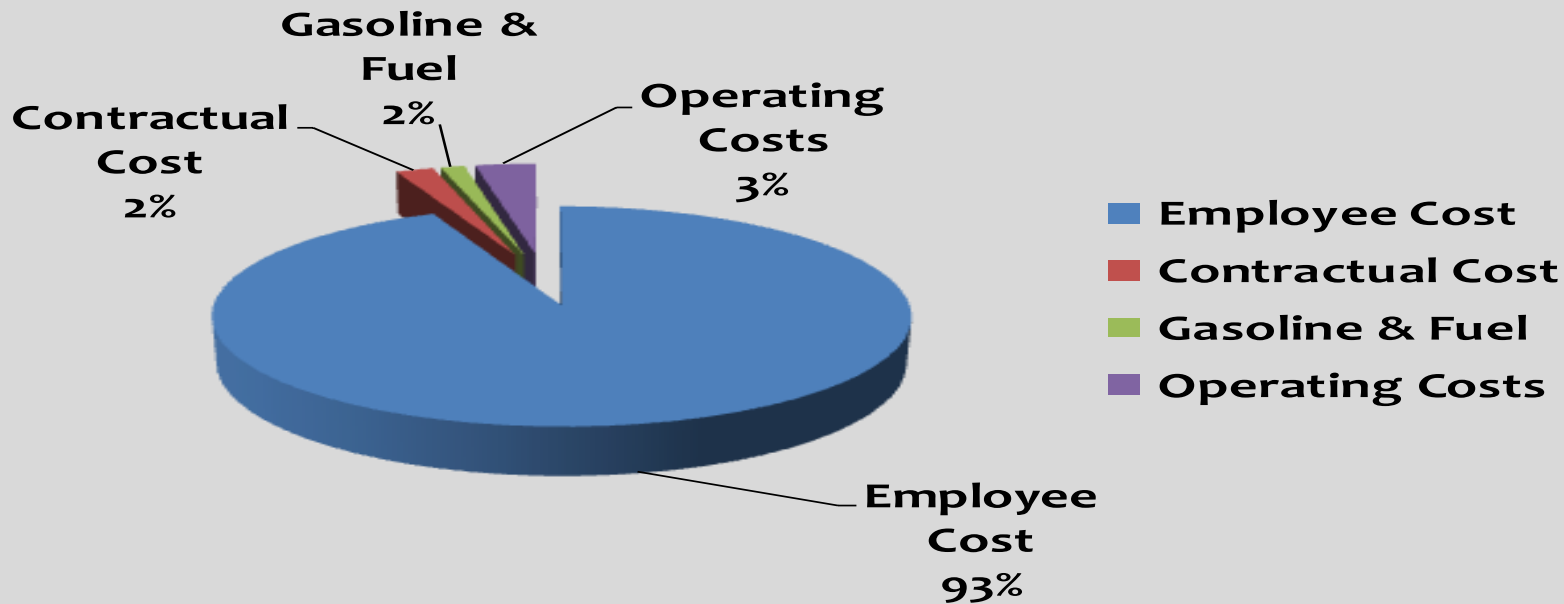
*“Serving our community with pride and integrity”*



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# Police Department

## Budget Breakdown for FY 2017 - 2018





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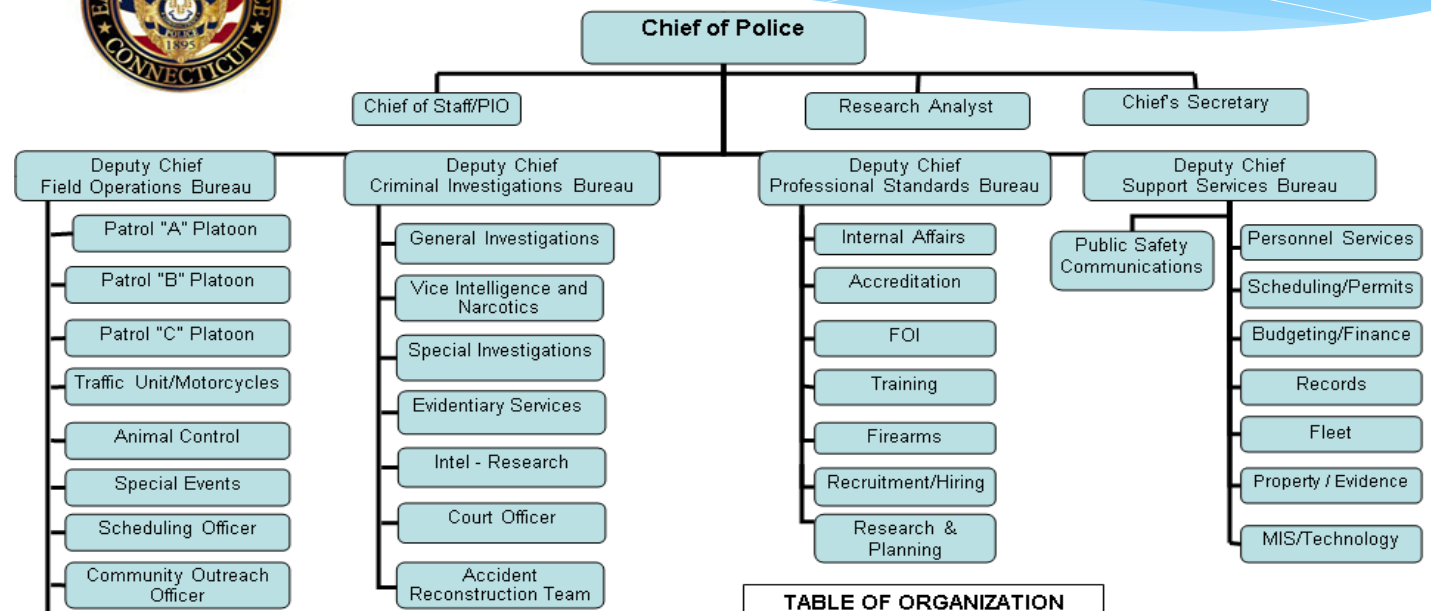
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## ***Largest Police Agency East of the Connecticut River***

- ❑ 126 Sworn Officers (Chief, 4 Deputy Chiefs, 11 Lieutenants, 16 Sergeants, 10 Detectives, 4 Investigators and 80 Officers)
- ❑ 4 School Resource Officers (2 assigned to East Hartford High School and 2 assigned to East Hartford Middle School)
- ❑ 2 Detached Task Force Officers (DEA and FBI)
- ❑ 4 Bureaus (Field Operations, Criminal Investigations, Professional Standards and Support Services)
- ❑ 15 Civilian Employees (7 Records Clerks and 8 Administrative Staff)



**EAST HARTFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
**TABLE OF ORGANIZATION**  
**EY. 2018 - 2019**



- Special Teams/Units**
- Tactical Response Team
  - Marine Division
  - K-9 Unit
  - Bomb Squad
  - Bike Unit
  - Honor Guard
  - Peer Support/Crisis Intervention

**TABLE OF ORGANIZATION POSITIONS**

|                 |    |
|-----------------|----|
| Chief of Police | 1  |
| Deputy Chief    | 4  |
| Lieutenant      | 11 |
| Sergeant        | 16 |
| Detective       | 10 |
| Investigators   | 4  |
| Officer         | 80 |
| Civilian        | 38 |



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# Field Operations Bureau



The Field Operations Bureau consists of the Patrol Division, supplemented by the following special teams:

- Traffic Unit
- Motorcycle Unit
- Animal Control Unit
- K9 Unit
- SWAT Team
- Crisis Negotiating Team
- Marine Unit
- Dive Team
- Bomb Squad
- Honor Guard
- Bicycle Unit
- Peer Support Team



## The Field Operations Bureau 2017 statistics:

- Responded to 32,864 calls for Police services
- 2,315 criminal arrests made
- 7,471 motor vehicle stops



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# Criminal Investigations Bureau



## Divisions within the CIB include:

- General Investigations Division
- Vice, Intelligence & Narcotics Division (VIN)
- Special Investigations Division & SROs
- Evidentiary Services Unit
- Court Officer
- Accident Reconstruction Team (ART)

## 2017 Bureau Statistics:

- ❖ 1 Homicide investigation
- ❖ 8 Shooting investigations
- ❖ 36 Sexual assault investigations
- ❖ 5 Serious assault investigations
- ❖ 27 Robbery investigations
- ❖ 1 Home invasion investigation
- ❖ 51 Burglary investigations
- ❖ 39 Larceny investigations
- ❖ 5 MV theft investigations
- ❖ 90 Sex offender checks
- ❖ 53 Deadly weapon checks
- ❖ 0 Arson investigations





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# Professional Standards Bureau



Ensures the department is highly trained, accredited, ethical and adheres to the established Code of Conduct.

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|--------------------|------------------------|
| ✓ Internal Affairs | ✓ Firearms             |
| ✓ Accreditation    | ✓ Hiring / Backgrounds |
| ✓ Training         | ✓ Planning / Audits    |
| ✓ FOI Requests     | ✓ Special Projects     |

## Accreditation Overview:

- Goal is to obtain National Accreditation in 2018
- Updated Policies / Directives in 2017:

- Use of Force Policy
- Weapons & Ammunition Policy
- Officer Discretion Policy
- Use of Police K9 Policy

- Bomb Threat Policy
- Police Headquarters Policy
- Calls for Service Policy
- Property Room Improvements





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# Support Services Bureau



The Support Services Bureau provides administrative services for the Police Department. Division within the Support Services Bureau:

- **Public Safety Communications**
- **Administrative Services**
  - Budget Preparation and Management
  - Payroll/ Permits Processing
  - Private Duty Billing
  - Accounts Payable
  - Grant Management
  - Work Related Injury Claims & HR
- **Fleet Services**
- **Management Information Technology (MIS/IT)**
- **Property Unit**
- **Records Division**



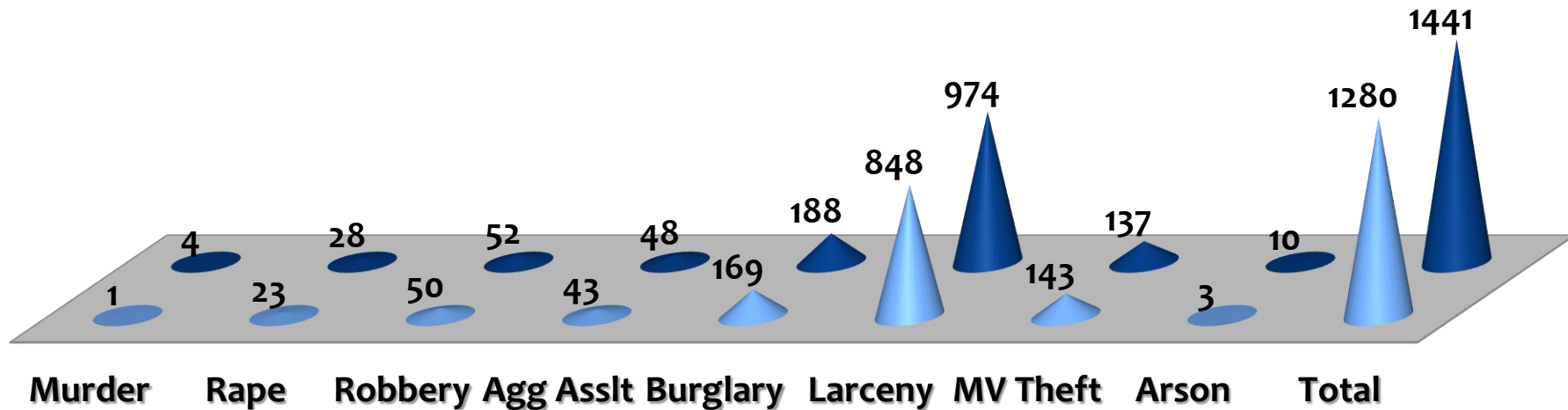




# East Hartford Police Department Crime Statistics

## 2016-2017 Major Crime Report

■ 2017 ■ 2016





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# 2017 Accomplishments

- Installed new Computer Aided Dispatch & Records Management System
- Instituted the national “Coffee with a Cop” program
- Hired 9 new police officers
- Police Youth Task Force was expanded to East Hartford High School
- Developed PAL basketball program
- Establish relationships with our faith based community
- Participated in National Night Out & established new block watches
- Purchased ballistic helmets and vests for every patrol vehicle
- Settled Police Union labor contract



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# Future Plans

- Obtain CALEA National Accreditation in the fall
- Fill vacant positions within Communications
- Body Worn Cameras – test & evaluate equipment and storage options
- Increase supervisor training opportunities
- Expand Community Service Officer programming
- Host another Citizen's Police Academy for residents of East Hartford



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# **Budget Overview**

## **Police Department**

***Police Administration \$13,521,107***

Salaries for department & operational supplies

***Police Operations Bureau \$39,750***

Patrol & Special Units

***Police Criminal Investigations Bureau \$26,050***

Crime scene supplies & investigative funds

## **Public Safety Communications Center**

***Public Safety Communications \$1,640,323***

Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) Police, Fire & Medical



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# Public Safety Communications

The Public Safety Communications Center is the main answering point for all Police, Fire and Emergency Medical calls for service within the Town of East Hartford. Our Communications Center is the largest Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) East of the CT River. The Center is staffed 24 hours a day on 365 days of the year.

## Public Safety Communications Staffing:

- 1 Sworn Police Lieutenant & 4 Supervisors
- 19 Telecommunicators

## Public Safety Communications Statistics:

- 32,864 Calls for Police Service
- 8,506 Calls for Fire & Fire EMD
- 2,212 Calls for Emergency Medical Service
- **2017 Total Calls for Service 43,582**



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# Capitol Improvement Plan

## *New Patrol Vehicle Prices*

**2018 Dodge Charger AWD**

**Total Outfitted Patrol Vehicle: \$42,000**



**2018 Ford Police Interceptor**

**Total Outfitted Patrol Vehicle: \$46,000**





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# New Initiative

# Body Worn Cameras

EHPD is committed to the belief that on-officer audio/video is an important and valuable tool for law enforcement. The use of on-officer video is expected to result in greater transparency, more effective prosecution, and improved protection against false allegations of excessive use of force, misconduct or racial profiling.

## Test & Evaluation with WatchGuard and Axon

- Body Worn Camera policy completed
- Researching equipment & storage options on-going
- Implementing body worn camera roll out plan on-going





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# Budget Presentation

