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TO: The Board of Selectmen
Town of Brookfield

FROM: Chief Ross B. Ackerman
Brookfield Police Department

SUBJ: End of the Month Report, March 08

DATE: May 6, 2008

Selectmen:

In the month of March we had a missing person reported from the Long Hill Rd. area. The missing party was mildly retarded and was not able to communicate well. This made the task of locating him quite difficult. We coordinated search parties with the surrounding departments and called in the State Police as another resource. The State Police sent their Air Wing, CERT Team and a K-9 Unit. We needed to move quickly due to the temperature dropping close to freezing and the loss of daylight. After about 5hrs of receiving the initial report the MSP K-9 Unit found the missing person a few hundred yards behind his house in a thick group of hemlock trees.

Due to the harsh winter weather we had several calls regarding open food pantries in the area. A few Brookfield families fell on hard times due to the rough winter. This rough weather also brought down numerous trees this winter.

We assisted East Brookfield with a motor vehicle rollover that needed the aid of Life flight. We also assisted East Brookfield with a possible downed ultra-light aircraft that was called in. We assisted Sturbridge PD with a domestic at the High School and also the student police program. We registered a new Level -3 Sex Offender who resides in Brookfield Meadows. We assisted West Brookfield with an O.U.I. on Rte.9 just over the town line. The party was arrested for operating under the influence of Heroin.

Sgt. Welsh is working with Sheila Frangimore on the department's ID machine. It should be up and running in a few weeks. All town employees probably should have one.

I sat down with the Recreation Committee to address minor problems they are having down at the ball fields. The main issue is people using the fields for their dogs as a

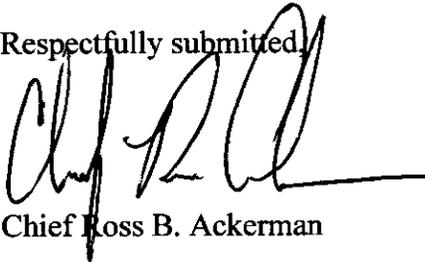
bathroom. They will be putting up new signage regarding this issue and the hours that the area is open.

Sgt. Welsh and I have been going over the budget to ensure it is sufficient to allow us to provide the proper service to the community. We believe this is one of the best budgets that have been put together considering the town's financial issues.

This month the police department had one arrest for the following...O.U.I. alcohol and marked lanes violation.

The department also had five criminal applications for the following...(1) Suspended License, Operating after Suspension Subs Off 4th, Uninsured Motor Vehicle, (2) Operating after Suspension and Speeding, (3) Unregistered & Uninsured Motor Vehicle, No Inspection Sticker, (4) Unlicensed Operation of a Motor Vehicle & Speeding and (5) License Restriction, License not in Possession and speeding.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Ackerman', with a horizontal line extending to the right.

Chief Ross B. Ackerman



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POLICE OFFICER'S END OF THE MONTH REPORT

Officer Name/ID #:	Police
Report Month:	March 08
Shifts Worked:	N/A
Dispatches/Calls:	396
Medicals:	38
Arrests:	1
Criminal Applications	5
P.C.:	2
Domestics:	7
Breaking & Entering	2
Larcenies:	3
Disturbing Peace/Noise Comp:	3
Alarms:	11
Accidents Investigated:	4
Citations:	43
Parking Citations	3
Warnings	Verbal: 127 Written: 36
Summons Served:	9
Mutual Aid:	29
Property Checks:	540

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