



**TO:** Town Manager Will Herbert  
**FROM:** Mike Vieno, Police Chief  
**SUBJECT:** Monthly Police Department Report  
**DATE:** November 6, 2025

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Below are updates and reports on the activities within the Police Department for the month of October 2025:

The Kenneth City Police Department submitted a FDLE Grant Application for a new Drone and was awarded an **FDLE Drone Grant for approximately \$25,000**. This will aid the Police Department in event security, assist with locating missing people, increase officer safety, and allow for tracking suspects to include infrared heat detection.

### **October 2025 Training Update:**

#### **Tactical Operations 1**

This was a three-day training school, which introduces and teaches officers tactical tools and concepts. Teaches officers how to work together as a small unit. Training includes working as a small unit to clear rooms and rescue people being held against their will. Officers learned how to properly stack up, and approach a building, and conduct forced entry with door breaching techniques. They are also taught vehicle take down techniques including extracting suspects, innocent passengers, and deep clearing the vehicle. This is a class that KCPD requires all of its officers to attend sometime during their career.

- Officer. K. Nuffer and Officer D. Habib completed the training.

#### **Countywide Active Assailant Training Committee Meeting**

This meeting was for all of the law enforcement and fire rescue agencies in the county. The meeting was to discuss and update the new evolution of the training curriculum versus what was taught during the previous year. This was the first in a series of meetings to ascertain what the municipal and county agencies thought should be in the new curriculum, how it should be taught, and the logistical needs that will be required.

- E. Tucker attended

#### **Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission- Field Training Officer**

This is a class that has its curriculum established by the state law enforcement regulatory board. The class certifies the officer to be a state certified Field Training Officer; and allows them to train new police officers hired by the department. Per KCPD's accreditation standard, an officer is required to obtain this certification in order to train newly hired officers. Training includes lectures, scenario-based training, and book work. An officer is also required to pass a written test before they are certified by the state. Training is 40 hours (five days).

- We congratulate Officer D. Habib for obtaining the certification, and becoming a Field Training Officer

#### **PRIME Training**

The law enforcement agencies in the county are in the process of switching over to one unified computer aided dispatch and report writing system called PRIME. This will enable all agencies to more efficiently coordinate and work with each other. It will also allow officers to more easily research their suspects and investigations in one central countywide repository of information. This will also have an effect the way evidence and records are managed in the future. This was the first introductory meeting to view, interact, and offer feedback about the software. Training took place over three days.

- E. Tucker and J. Diaz Leon attended

**Patrol:**

Officers continued to conduct Town business area patrols, for ongoing homeless subject complaints. The goal still is to provide a safe alternative for the homeless subjects, such as Safe Harbor and Pinellas Hope, as well as other resources, to create a positive resolution for everyone. Officers continued to conduct directed patrol of all Town parks and Town Hall for suspicious activity/persons.

Officers on midnight shift placed Third Watch and If I Were a Thief notices throughout the Town as they checked closed business locations after hours. Officers conducted House Checks as requested by homeowners whose property was unattended.

The Police Department continues to address traffic concerns throughout the town.

**The Police Department has been doing numerous traffic details to address resident concerns for speeders on both 46<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 49<sup>th</sup> Avenue as well as various location in town. The Police Department has also been monitoring School Bus Stops ensuring motorist stop for stopped buses.**

**2025 YEAR DATA- CURRENT YEAR:**

Month/ 2025	Calls for service	Business & Residential Area Checks	Thief / Watch Programs	Community Contact/ Assist Citizen	Directed Patrol
<i>January</i>	64	5034	340	250	610
<i>February</i>	49	4803	305	269	543
<i>March</i>	57	4776	274	350	614
<i>April</i>	77	4265	276	311	542
<i>May</i>	53	4412	325	390	564
<i>June</i>	55	4074	220	239	506
<i>July</i>	33	4813	322	259	478
<i>August</i>	53	4085	248	168	401
<i>September</i>	55	5205	350	291	624
<i>October</i>	50	5315	278	355	714
<i>November</i>					
<i>December</i>					
<b>Yearly Totals</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>46,782</b>	<b>2938</b>	<b>2882</b>	<b>15,982</b>

**Impact of Patrols & Activities:**

Month/ 2025	Reports + Supplements	AOA	Alarm	SAO Referrals	APAD Arrests	Arrests / NTA	Crash Investigations	Traffic Warnings	Traffic Citations
<i>January</i>	120	22	8	0	0	10	10	159	9
<i>February</i>	93	7	8	0	0	2	9	152	6
<i>March</i>	99	27	9	0	0	5	7	217	7
<i>April</i>	124	20	8	1	0	12	9	293	8
<i>May</i>	89	13	2	1	0	5	6	301	14
<i>June</i>	97	21	16	1	0	9	8	268	14
<i>July</i>	66	25	8	0	0	9	5	279	6
<i>August</i>	91	28	6	0	0	8	8	183	2
<i>September</i>	82	8	18	1	0	7	7	202	5
<i>October</i>	78	26	8	1	0	4	9	219	3
<i>November</i>									
<i>December</i>									
<b>Yearly Totals</b>	<b>939</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>2273</b>	<b>74</b>

Reports and Supplements include FIR, Incident, and Offense Reports. Stats consist of those who are full time, assigned to light duty, and Reserve.

**2024 YEAR DATA- PREVIOUS YEAR:**

<b>Month/ 2024</b>	<b>Calls for service</b>	<b>Business &amp; Residential Area Checks</b>	<b>Thief / Watch Programs</b>	<b>Community Contact/ Assist Citizen</b>	<b>Directed Patrol</b>
<i>January</i>	55	4965	375	264	625
<i>February</i>	46	3745	353	203	488
<i>March</i>	61	3999	299	348	532
<i>April</i>	45	3251	248	166	460
<i>May</i>	36	4055	280	145	558
<i>June</i>	49	5172	260	254	680
<i>July</i>	51	4689	275	309	624
<i>August</i>	46	5463	267	382	805
<i>September</i>	55	4884	207	304	628
<i>October</i>	45	4129	167	279	501
<i>November</i>	39	4366	213	270	500
<i>December</i>	41	4985	402	230	516
<b>Yearly Totals</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>53,703</b>	<b>3,346</b>	<b>3,154</b>	<b>6,917</b>

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<b>Month/ 2024</b>	<b>Reports + Supplements</b>	<b>AOA</b>	<b>Alarm</b>	<b>SAO Referrals</b>	<b>APAD Arrests</b>	<b>Arrests / NTA</b>	<b>Crash Investigations</b>	<b>Traffic Warnings</b>	<b>Traffic Citations</b>
<i>January</i>	104	15	0	0	0	7	16	115	31
<i>February</i>	68	7	7	0	0	7	6	110	55
<i>March</i>	87	12	7	0	0	8	13	191	38
<i>April</i>	66	25	6	1	0	3	10	135	39
<i>May</i>	58	9	3	1	0	8	8	136	28
<i>June</i>	96	21	7	0	0	4	10	140	39
<i>July</i>	83	26	4	0	0	7	12	178	12
<i>August</i>	76	13	11	2	0	7	6	197	8
<i>September</i>	99	7	10	1	0	8	10	148	7
<i>October</i>	75	8	14	1	0	0	14	115	6
<i>November</i>	55	10	6	0	0	2	7	77	0
<i>December</i>	77	14	6	0	0	3	12	140	3
<b>Yearly Totals</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>1,682</b>	<b>266</b>

Reports and Supplements include FIR, Incident, and Offense Reports. Stats consist of those who are full time, assigned to light duty, and Reserve.

**CIS Investigations****Monthly Stats October 2025– Detective Sean Gibson**

Number of cases started with 10, with 4 more waiting to be assigned

Number of cases ended with 8, with 4 more waiting to be assigned

New cases assigned for the month

FELONY	3
MISDEMEANOR	
NON-CRIMINAL	

Case dispositions

INACTIVATED	3
CLOSED WITH MISDEMEANOR ARREST	
CLOSED WITH FELONY ARREST	
CLOSED UNFOUNDED	1
CLOSED OTHER	1
CLOSED SAO REFERRAL	
CLEARED WITH WAIVER	

Other Activity

SURVEILLANCES	
PHOTOPACKS	1
EVIDENCE STATUS REQUESTS	
INITIAL REPORTS	1
SUPPLEMENTS	8
WARRANTS	
TOUCH DNA PROCESSING / BUCCALS	3
SUSPECTS RESULTING FROM TOUCH DNA	
OTHER: CCTV FOOTAGE, CELL TRACKING, D/L	4
SUBPOENAS	5
JAIL RECORDINGS	21
REPORTS REVIEWED	17
CONTACT ATTEMPTS	5
INTERVIEWS	2
TRANSPORTING PROPERTY/EVIDENCE	7
RECOVERED STOLEN PROPERTY	
BOLOS	
APADS	



## Accreditation

An accreditation program has long been recognized as a means of maintaining the highest standards of professionalism. Accreditation is the certification by an independent reviewing authority that an entity has met specific requirements and prescribed standards. Law enforcement agencies and Inspectors General in Florida can attain accredited status through the Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation, Inc. The agency is compelled to operate within specific guidelines. It is accountable to the Commission. The agency must stay in compliance with the standards set forth by the Commission in order to retain its accreditation.



**The Kenneth City Police Department is currently a CFA Florida Accredited Law Enforcement Agency.**

# Traffic

All Town officers have been conducting traffic stops to educate drivers on traffic infractions and traffic safety issues. Officers also reacted to several resident concerns and conducted Directed Patrols addressing those concerns.

<b>Month/ 2025</b>	<b>Crash Investigations</b>	<b>Traffic Warnings</b>	<b>Traffic Citations</b>
<i>January</i>	<b>10</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>9</b>
<i>February</i>	<b>9</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>6</b>
<i>March</i>	<b>7</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>7</b>
<i>April</i>	<b>9</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>8</b>
<i>May</i>	<b>6</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>14</b>
<i>June</i>	<b>8</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>14</b>
<i>July</i>	<b>5</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>6</b>
<i>August</i>	<b>8</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>2</b>
<i>September</i>	<b>7</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>5</b>
<i>October</i>	<b>9</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>3</b>
<i>November</i>			
<i>December</i>			
<b>Yearly Totals</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>2,273</b>	<b>74</b>

## Community Policing Special Events: October 2025 Community Policing Events.

The Kenneth City Police Department had a “Coffee with a Cop Event” at Winn Dixie October 17, 2025 10AM to 11AM. The event was well attended by residents and business owners. KCPD had a great crime prevention discussion and power point presentation.













The Kenneth City Police Department had our annual "Trunk or Treat Event" the event was very well attended by residents and we thank all of our business owners for their partnership with KCPD Community Policing and supporting our town events.



























**The Kenneth City Police Department Community Policing Team was excited to Participate in Blanton Elementary School Fall Festival on October 23, 2025. We appreciate our partnerships with our local school and the relationships it builds with the children in our community.:**











The Kenneth City Police Department was invited and participated in St. Petersburg Police Department National Night Out Event on October 7, 2025.:













## UPCOMING EVENTS:

### Coffee with a Cop:

The Kenneth City Police Department has scheduled a "Coffee with a Cop Event" at Race Trac 4625 66<sup>th</sup> Street North KC November 6, 2025 10AM to 11AM. All Staff, Council Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to attend.

The Kenneth City Police Department has scheduled a "Coffee with a Cop Event" at Winn Dixie 5802 54<sup>th</sup> Avenue North KC January 9, 2026 10AM to 11AM. All Staff, Council Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to attend.

The Kenneth City Police Department has scheduled a "Coffee with a Cop Event" at Race Trac 4625 66<sup>th</sup> Street North KC January 23, 2026 10AM to 11AM. All Staff, Council Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to attend.

The Kenneth City Police Department has scheduled a "Coffee with a Cop Event" at Dunkin Donuts 4599 66<sup>th</sup> Street North KC February 10, 2026 10AM to 11AM. All Staff, Council Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to attend.

The Kenneth City Police Department has scheduled a "Coffee with a Cop Event" at Sprouts KC Febraury 24, 2026 10AM to 11AM. All Staff, Council Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to attend.

The Kenneth City Police Department has scheduled a "Coffee with a Cop Event" at Clearview Oaks Martha Ward Pavilion 5700 40<sup>th</sup> Avenue North KC March 6, 2026 10AM to 11AM. All Staff, Council Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to attend.

## **Annual Kenneth City Police and Town of Kenneth City Events:**

**Annual Town of KC & Kenneth City Police Holiday Celebration and Tree Lighting Event  
December 19, 2025 6:30 to 8:30PM Ernst Park 4600 58<sup>th</sup> Street North KC. All Staff, Council  
Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to attend.**

**Annual Town of KC & Kenneth City Police Spring Festival Saturday April 18, 2026 10am to  
1PM @ Ernst Park. All Staff, Council Members, Residents, and Business Owners are invited to  
attend.**

## **Community Outreach**

Officers have been patrolling the Town on mountain bikes, and the Polaris patrol vehicle, as time permits. This was well received by many town residents and businesses in our community.

Officers continue to be active in the community, by making citizen contacts, handing out police stickers, coloring books, and free bicycle lights.

Officers have also been making great community connections at our many events developing new partnerships and friendships at every event.

Officers have been working with our local Homeless Partners to address some homeless complaints we have received providing resources such as Safe Harbour and Pinellas Hope.

## *Operation Medicine Cabinet*



The Kenneth City Police Department continues to maintain monthly Operation Medicine Cabinet, which allows residents to drop off old or unwanted prescription medication for safe disposal. In October the Kenneth City Police Department collected **90 pounds** of unwanted medications for disposal.