### January 2020

### OSSEO POLICE DEPARTMENT

### **Police Chief**

Shane Mikkelson

### **Full Time Officers**

Michael Smith **Anthony Mortinson** Todd Kintzi **Brendan Current Heather Starry** David Johnson

### **Part Time Officers**

Nicholas Englund **Greg Burstad** Chris Hudok Robert Anderson Adam Rolshouse Stephen Nelson Drew Moldenhauer

### **Reserve Officers**

John Grimm Aaron Fimon Jacob Andersen Zachary Prokosch

### Officer Manager

Felicia Wallgren

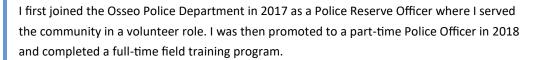
# Blue Line Dispatch

### Osseo Police Welcomes a New Addition

Hello, my name is David Johnson and I am the newest full-time Police Officer for the city of Osseo.

I am originally from the Maple Grove/Osseo area and attended Osseo Senior High School where I was part of the cross country running and skiing team. I graduated high school in 2012 and enlisted into the Active Duty Army where I served two years before being selected for the Army's four-year ROTC scholarship program. I then attended Minnesota State University Mankato where I studied Law Enforcement, started a





While working as a part-time Police Officer, I came to the decision that Osseo was the community where I wanted to serve my career. I found Osseo a rewarding place to serve because of the overwhelming support of the community which allows our police department to serve and protect residents and local businesses effectively.

My family and I are excited about this opportunity to be a part of the community. Thank you.

### From your Chief

Now that we have made it through the Holiday Season I would like to remind everyone that in order to speak to an officer or report a crime in Osseo you have to dial 911 even if it is a non-emergency. We have had some recent attempts by residents to call our non-emergency line and leave messages. The Osseo Police Department does not have someone at the police department monitoring the calls 24 hours a day.

If you leave a message it may not get answered for a couple of days. I want everyone to get their questions answered and problem solved as Chief Shane Mikkelson quick as possible, so please if you want to report a crime or speak to an officers dial 911.



Sincerely,

Chief Shane Mikkeslon

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### **Crime Prevention**

In order to protect yourself and your belongings from home break-ins, the Osseo Police encourage you to take these steps:

- Always lock your doors and windows. Inspect your doors and windows to make sure they are made from strong materials.
- Leave a light on when you go away, even for the evening. If possible leave a television or radio on as well.
- Be vigilant. If you suspect suspicious activity around your home, your neighbors homes, or in your area, please report it to the police immediately by calling 911.
- Request vacation checks. If you are planning to go out of town for any reason, be sure to call the Osseo Police Department and request a house check. While you are gone, Osseo Officers will preform extra patrols of your home, as well as checking the doors and windows to ensure they are secure. This service is free to all Osseo residents.

### **City Ordinances/Code Enforcement**

The City of Osseo uses the uniform Hennepin County curfew ordinance. This ordinance has been adopted by cities in Hennepin County. The hours of curfew in the City are as follows:

- Under Age 12 home by 9:00 P.M. weekdays and 10:00 P.M. Friday and Saturday
- Ages 12-14 home by 10:00 P.M. weekdays and 11: 00 P.M. Friday and Saturday
- Ages 15-17 home by 11:00 P.M. weekdays and 12:00 A.M. Friday and Saturday

There are exceptions to the ordinance such as youth returning home from work or a school activity, running an errand for a parent, or in an emergency situation. If you have any questions, please contact the Osseo Police at 763-424-5444.

### **Traffic Tips**

Drivers face many distractions behind the wheel. Please review these tips to stop distracted driving:

- Cellphones—turn off cell phones, or place them out of reach.
- Music and other controls—pre program favorite radio stations for easy access, adjust mirror and heat/AC before traveling.
- Navigation—designate a passenger to serve as a co-pilot to help with directions.
- Eating and drinking—try to avoid food/beverage, at least messy foods, and be sure food and drinks are secured.
- Children—teach children the importance of good behavior in a vehicle; do not underestimate how distracting it can be to tend to children while driving.

### What's Happening in your neighborhood?

### **Arrests:**

A 25-year-old Minneapolis woman was arrested at the 300-block of County 81 for driving with a revoked driver's license. She was released with a citation.

A 30-year-old New Jersey woman was arrested at the 200-block of 2<sup>nd</sup> Street SE for driving with a revoked driver's license. She was released with a citation.

A 44-year-old Osseo man was arrested at the 700-block of Broadway Street E for a misdemeanor Hennepin County warrant and driving after revocation. He was transported and booked at Hennepin County jail.

A 32-year-old Osseo woman was arrested at 124 Central Avenue for trespassing. She was released with a citation.

A 32-year-old Osseo woman was arrested at 20 6<sup>th</sup> Street NW for 3<sup>rd</sup> degree burglary. She was transported and booked at Hennepin County jail.

### **Incidents:**

Officers responded to 710 Broadway Street E. on a report of suspicious activity. A large amount property was being concealed under tarps on the east side of the property. A significant amount of the property was identified as stolen. Suspects were developed based on the evidence, and will be charged as a part of a larger; ongoing criminal complaint.

An officer discovered an open door at a business in the 8600-block of Jefferson Highway. The officer searched the building and found no problems before securing the door.

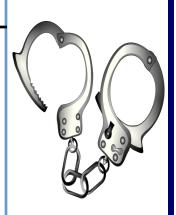
An officer responded to a residential intrusion alarm at the 200-block of 6<sup>th</sup> Street NW. The officer checked the residence and found that all doors were secure and windows intact. No problems were discovered and the residence was secure.

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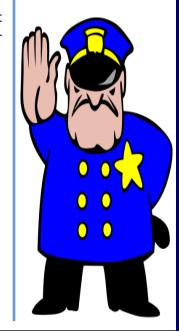
An officer responded to a two-vehicle property damage accident at the intersection of County 81 and  $3^{\rm rd}$  Street SE. The officer managed the crash scene and facilitated the exchange of information.

An officer responded to a two-vehicle property damage accident at the 100-block of Broadway Street W. The officer managed the crash scene and facilitated the exchange of information.

An officer responded to a two-vehicle property damage accident at the 500-block of  $2^{nd}$  Avenue NE. The officer managed the crash scene and facilitated the exchange of information.



"Look Officer,
I'm not trying to
be difficult. All I
'm saying is, If
you caught me
then you were
speeding too."



### Osseo Police Department Mission Statement

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THE MISSION OF THE

OSSEO POLICE DEPARTMENT
IS TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF LIFE
OF ITS CITIZENS AND STRENGTHEN
THE BOND BETWEEN THE POLICE AND
COMMUNITY THROUGH A TRADITIONS
OF LEADERSHIP, COMMITMENT
AND SERVICE

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