



Fairfield Township Police Department

Monthly Report: January 2026

Category	Jan. 2026	YTD 2026	Category	Jan. 2026	YTD 2026
Arrests	66	66	Towed Vehicles	13	13
Charges	81	81	Crashes Reported	46	46
Citations – No. of Persons	92	92	▪ <i>Fatal</i>	0	0
Citations – Total Charges	107	107	▪ <i>Injury</i>	9	9
Calls for Service	1,477	1,477	▪ <i>Property Damage Only</i>	37	37

Reimbursement – The OVI Task Force reimbursed us \$2,266.10 for grant overtime enforcement hours worked.

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Training – Sergeant Brandon McCroskey graduated from the Certified Law Enforcement Executive (CLEE) program on January 30, 2026. This is a formal program of leadership training presented by the Ohio Law Enforcement Foundation and requires significant and rigorous academics for 14 months. It consists of nine modules, including organizational risk management, ethics, interpersonal skills, strategic planning, and various other leadership topics. Sergeant McCroskey graduated with law enforcement leaders from throughout the state of Ohio.

U.S. Marshal Task Force Officer Activity – Throughout the month, our agency's U.S. Marshal's Office Task Force Officer assisted several other nearby agencies with arresting violent fugitives. Arrests included shooting suspects and offenders wanted for Aggravated Vehicular Homicide and Kidnapping. At least one of those arrests was at the offender's residence here in Fairfield Township.

Indictment – Fatal Hit-Skip Crash – The BC Grand Jury indicted Tyon Spiller for Leaving the Scene of a Crash (F3) that occurred on Tylersville Road at Exeter Avenue on November 20, 2025. Spiller struck and killed a pedestrian, 72-year-old Digna Merita Arribasplata, then left the scene. Crash investigators identified Spiller through diligent follow-up work, leading to the identification and indictment of Spiller.

Assist with Kidnapping Case – Evening Shift officers found a female in the Five Points area who had been assaulted and kidnapped by an acquaintance. She stated the suspect hit her, choked her, and put a gun in her mouth while threatening to kill her. Through follow-up, officers learned that the incident began in Brown County, Ohio, and ended here in the township. Our officers worked with the Brown County Sheriff's Office, who arrested the subject and charged him with multiple felonies, including Strangulation and Kidnapping.

Shooting Threat – Day Shift Patrol identified a male who made veiled threats towards an employee of committing a shooting at the Social Security Office on Winford Avenue. Sergeant Miller charged the male suspect with Aggravated Menacing. U.S. Homeland Security is also conducting its own separate investigation into the incident.

Arrest – Detectives worked with our U.S. Marshal Task Force Officer to locate Latoya Carter. Carter is charged with many (10-20) thefts where she and an accomplice stole from multiple retail stores in Fairfield Township and the Cincinnati tri-state area. Latoya also fled from a Fairfield Township officer and is facing felony Fleeing and Eluding charges for that incident. Her case is pending in court.

OVI/Crash - Midnight Shift officers responded to a reported crash at UDF at 3911 Tylersville Road. Through investigation, officers arrested the driver after discovering he was intoxicated/impaired and had a BAC result of .141.

Firearm/Traffic Stop – Officer Claros stopped a vehicle, and upon further investigation, discovered the driver was unlawfully transporting a firearm. Officer Claros seized the firearm and arrested the driver, and charged him with Having Weapons While Under Disability (F3).



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Bribery/Traffic Stop – Officer Sizemore stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation. On two occasions during the traffic stop, the female driver tried to bribe Officer Sizemore with a \$100 bill. The driver was arrested and charged with Bribery (F3), and is pending in the BC Grand Jury.

Interference with Custody – Officer Swinney investigated a custody issue where a grandmother, who has custody of her four grandchildren, allowed their mother to visit after a death in the family. The mother, who does not have custody, refused to return the children. Eventually, a family friend was able to get the children returned to the grandmother, and an arrest warrant was issued for the mother for Interference with Custody (M1).

Felony Warrant/Drugs/Traffic Stop – While working patrol for an OVI traffic grant, Sergeant McCroskey located a vehicle on SR4 near Millikin Road, where the registered owner showed as having a felony warrant. Upon stopping the vehicle, the officer confirmed the driver had a felony warrant based out of Hilliard, Ohio. The driver admitted to having drug contraband inside the vehicle, and he was booked into the BC Jail on the felony vehicle theft warrant and drug charge.

Warrant Arrest/Traffic Stop – Officer Mahat stopped a vehicle after he discovered the owner had an outstanding felony child support warrant. Officer Mahat arrested the driver and booked him into the BC Jail.

U.S. Marshal Task Force Officer Activity – Our agency's Task Force Officer assisted another agency in locating a fugitive who was wanted for the Robbery and Assault of an elderly victim. They located the fugitive, later the same day, in the City of Hamilton. The Trenton Police Chief expressed his gratitude for the officer's efforts in quickly apprehending the fugitive. Great job!

Flock Nova Onboarding – Detectives and officers began using the new Flock Nova system for in-depth information and investigations. This system is now available for use by all the officers, not just detectives, to gather information on individuals tied to criminal cases.