THE CHIEF’S MESSAGE

On behalf of the Bryan Police Department, I am pleased to present the Annual Report for the year 2017. This report recognizes many of our Department’s achievements for the past year. As you review this report, you will see that our organization is dynamic and continually seeking improvement in order to provide excellent police services for our community. It is a privilege to lead this department.

The Bryan Police Department is committed to Community Oriented Policing. As a Police Department, we are active, engaged members of the Bryan community. Our officers attend and participate in numerous community events. We lead through our programs such as the Neighborhood Enforcement Team (NET), our English, Youth, and Spanish language Citizen Police Academies and our School Resource Officers in high schools and junior high schools.

Compstat is the cornerstone of our crime fighting efforts. Through Compstat we seek to reduce crime through the use of crime analysis, intelligence, better communication and a problem solving approach. Our crime stats for 2017 show that we had a 19% decrease in Part I crimes when compared to 2016 and a 49% reduction in Part I crime since 2009. Further analysis shows that our Part I crimes were at their lowest since at least 1985. We recognize that our crime reduction over the past eight years would not have been possible without the support of our community and the hard work of the men and women of the Bryan Police Department, many of whom you will read about later in this report.

We are an accredited agency through the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). We are in the second year of our fourth consecutive four-year accreditation period. Our entire department is out-fitted with body-worn cameras. These cameras are furthering our goal of being as transparent as possible.

Law enforcement agencies are constantly faced with challenges. The staff of the Bryan Police Department gladly rise to these challenges and will continue to distinguish themselves by routinely demonstrating the highest levels of professionalism and resourcefulness as we move forward, providing outstanding service to the citizens of the City of Bryan.

ERIC BUSKE, CHIEF OF POLICE

ASSISTANT CHIEFS

CURTIS DARBY
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE
INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES BUREAU

Hurricanes seemed to be the talk of 2017 with Harvey, Irma and Maria being among the five costliest ever. Harvey hit close to home, while not affecting our community directly there were many members of the Police Department affected by this record setting storm. This year saw change in the management of the Investigations Bureau with the moving of Lieutenants and hiring of a new Records supervisor. The change in management and new leadership has sparked new life in the Bureau and brought a breath of fresh air. While nothing was broken, it is refreshing for all to have a new and different view on matters. We continue to strive to be transparent and accountable to our citizens while combating crime and quality of life issues as a team with other divisions of the department and community.

WAYLAND RAWLS
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE
PATROL SERVICES BUREAU

The Patrol Services Bureau of the Bryan Police Department had a productive 2017. We are all proud of the uniform we wear and proud of the service we provide to the citizens of Bryan. We have continued to strive for operational efficiency, crime reduction and customer service. We responded to over seventy thousand calls for service and conducted over twenty-three thousand traffic stops. Directed patrols were utilized to apprehend wanted fugitives and to target problem locations in an effort to decrease crime. Our Training and Recruiting Unit had a productive year as we welcomed four new police officers and five new civilian members to the Department. We also conducted approximately fourteen hundred hours of training. As the Assistant Chief of the Patrol Services Bureau, I am proud of our staff and our 2017 accomplishments.
In 2017, the Neighborhood Enforcement Team continued its approach to partner with citizens and businesses of the City of Bryan to enhance the quality of life in the City of Bryan. The Bryan Police Department embraces the philosophy of community policing and building partnerships between the police and its citizens. The police and the community share responsibility for identifying, reducing, eliminating and preventing problems that impact the public’s safety.

The Bryan Police Department continues to utilize opportunities for face-to-face conversations with members of the community. Coffee with a Cop provides a unique opportunity for community members to ask questions and learn more about the Department’s work in the neighborhoods of the City of Bryan. The goal of the Neighborhood Enforcement Team is to have these meetings to keep the lines of communication open with the citizens. Neighborhood Enforcement Team officers meet with citizens to discuss current issues, build partnerships with community members and visit over a cup of coffee.

The Neighborhood Enforcement Team organizes National Night Out which is a program held nationally that organizes community neighborhoods to come together with the police department and get to know each other. The goal of National Night Out is to heighten awareness for crime and drug abuse prevention, to generate support for and participation in local anti-crime programs, strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships, and to send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back. The City of Bryan had 36 block parties registered for the 2017 National Night Out. For the third straight year, The Bryan Police Department has been selected as a City Award winner by the National Association of Town Watch for its participation in National Night Out 2017. The National Night Out All Star Awards are selected annually by the National Association of Town Watch to honor individuals, organizations or programs for outstanding participation, leadership and/or assistance during the National Night Out campaign.

The Bryan Police Department participates in a web-based virtual neighborhood crime watch group. Nextdoor.com uses the power of technology to help foster neighbor-to-neighbor communication and allows the Neighborhood Enforcement Team to stay in contact with neighborhoods. Nextdoor.com has been an effective tool in sharing pertinent information between neighbors and the police department. It has already been proven valuable in obtaining evidence to crimes and assisting in solving crimes. At the end of 2017 there were 7,438 total residential members are signed on to Nextdoor.com.

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### Community Involvement

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In 2017, The Bryan Police Department received 70,156 calls for service and reported 2,406 Uniform Crime Report (UCR) Part I crimes. In comparison with our 2016 numbers, our calls for service increased by approximately 5000 while our reported UCR Part I crimes decreased from 2016 by approximately 575.

The 19% decrease in UCR Part I offenses resulted from decrease in nearly all. We have had an overall 49% reduction of crime in the City of Bryan since 2009 and the lowest since at least 1985.
The Bryan Police Department is a Civil Service Agency accredited through the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, (CALEA). We strive “to protect and enhance the quality of life through excellence in service for a safer tomorrow.”

The Bryan Police Department seeks out qualified, competent, and professional individuals for employment. The Bryan Police Training and Recruiting Unit consist of one sergeant, three officers, and one civilian employee. During the course of 2017 the Recruiting Unit attended multiple job fairs to recruit a diverse pool of applicants to fill our vacant positions. We were able to hire 5 police officers and 5 civilian employees in 2017.

The Training Unit conducted a total of 1,440 reported TCOLE training hours during 2017. The in-service training for 2017 was designed to focus on Active Shooter/Medical Assistance, Emergency Vehicle Operations, firearms, and Defensive Tactics (PPCT). The Training Unit also taught several intermediate courses throughout the year and assisted the TEEX Police Academy in 2017. The Bryan Police Department hosted several courses taught by outside instructors that were attended by officers from our department and officers from surrounding agencies.

### 2017 New Employees

- Harris, Adam: Probationary Police Officer
- Gabriel Duran: Probationary Police Officer
- Marshal Field: Probationary Police Officer
- Kyle Lukach: Probationary Police Officer
- Janice Santos: Investigative Assistant
- Joanna DeJesus: Intake Specialist
- Cheryl Garon: Records Supervisor
- Heather Gaston: Bureau Secretary
- Aaron Winton: Crime Scene

### 2017 Job Fairs Attended

- Texas State Job Fair (Fall)
- Texas State Job Fair (Spring)
- Sam Houston State Job Fair (Spring)
- Blinn College (Spring)
- Chamber Of Commerce Job Fair (Spring)
- Chamber Of Commerce Job Fair (Fall)
- Texas Southern Job Fair (Fall)
- Prairie View A&M Job Fair (Fall)
- University of Houston Job Fair (Spring)

### 2017 Top 10 Accident Locations:

- 2100-2200 E. WJB (near main post office) 37 collisions
- 700-800 E. Villa Maria (near Tejas Center) 27 collisions
- 3000 Briarcrest (near Wells Fargo bank) 26 collisions
- N. Texas / E. WJB (near the courthouse) 14 collisions
- 2200 Briarcrest (near Walmart Super Center) 14 collisions
- 4100 Wellborn (near Aggie Station apt's) 12 collisions
- 2300 Booneville Rd (near Kroger Center) 12 collisions
- 800 N. Earl Rudder (near Max Food Mart) 12 collisions
- Briarcrest / NERF W. Frontage (near Wells Fargo) 11 collisions
- 500 N. Earl Rudder (near Stripo's) 11 collisions

TSU officers also train new officers in radar/didar use, help in scheduling, maintenance, repair of department speed sensing equipment, and assist in other areas of the department when needed.

TSU personnel administer the arrangement of off-duty manpower throughout the department for funeral escorts in the city, and they personally conducted high-profile motorcade escorts for the Texas A&M football team during the home games for the football season.

The Traffic Safety Unit (TSU) is made up of four police officers and a sergeant whose primary mission is to increase the safety of the driving public in the City of Bryan. To achieve this mission, members of the unit actively enforce the traffic law, analyze collision data, utilize speed sensing equipment to raise public awareness of speeding, and make presentations to the public on traffic safety. Locations for enforcement activities are selected through analysis of high volume collision locations as well as areas where citizens complain of traffic violators. Unit members also spend time in school zones on each school day to enhance the safety of our school-aged children. Most days TSU members conduct their enforcement activities from a police motorcycle. In 2017 the unit made 5467 traffic contacts, attended 830 training hours, responded to 934 calls for service, and made 42 arrests.

TSU members are also trained in advanced accident investigation, and are called out to diagram and investigate fatality accidents and major crime scenes for the Department. In 2017 TSU officers spent 244 manhours investigating and mapping major accidents and scenes.
The goals/objectives for Drug Enforcement Team or DET for 2017 were to continue our targeted efforts at eliminating those individuals who attempt to bring large amounts of illegal narcotics into Bryan and Brazos County for trafficking. DET worked with other agencies in the county (including DPS) to investigate a major drug trafficking organization that operates in Bryan. In working with our police department’s Neighborhood Enforcement Team, Criminal Intelligence Unit, and Direct Deployment Team and in partnership with citizens, DET was able to effectively eliminate several cocaine trafficking locations, a marijuana trafficking organization, a methamphetamine organization, a heroin location and an illicit prescription trafficking organization, inside of the City of Bryan and in the Brazos County. DET will continue working with local, county, state, and federal agencies to stem the flow of illegal drugs into the City of Bryan.

**NARCOTICS:**
- Powder Cocaine: 119.00 grams
- Crack Cocaine: 23.26 grams
- Marijuana: 2,112.61 grams
- Hydro Marijuana: 3,795.00 grams
- Meth: 86.90 grams
- Heroin: 00 grams
- PCP: 00 grams
- MDMA: 64.10 grams
- Prescription Pills: 252 doses
- Promethaziner: 1,206.88 grams
- K2: 362.01 grams
- Bath Salts: 0.00 grams
- Steroids: 0.00 grams
- Other: 2.5 grams of THC oil, 14 grams of THC gummy bears
- Paraphernalia: 228 items

**WEAPONS:**
- Firearms: 11
- Other Weapons: 0

**NON-DRUG SEIZURES:**
- Currency: $59,593.00 U.S. Currency
- Vehicles: 2

**ACTIONS:**
- No Knock Search Warrants: 1
- Knock / Announce
- Search Warrants: 18
- Knock / Talk: 2
- Other: 1

The Directed Deployment Team (DDT) is comprised of five (5) officers and one (1) sergeant. The unit falls under the Special Investigations Division or SID. DDT is charged with deploying enforcement and investigative resources to address areas of the City that are experiencing high rates of violent/property crimes, street-level narcotic use and sales, suppression of criminal street gang activity and other vice related crimes. DDT is also an available asset to other units within the department requiring specialized enforcement actions to include covert and technical surveillance, fugitive tracking, undercover operations and saturation patrols.

Because many street level crimes are vice related, the vice control component of the department is vested in the Directed Deployment Team.

In 2017, the Directed Deployment Team spent a considerable amount of time locating and arresting violent fugitives involved in the numerous aggravated robberies of convenience stores in the city of Bryan. With the assistance of other divisions within the department, as well as outside local, state, and federal agencies, multiple arrests were made. These arrests ultimately led to a decrease in convenience store robberies in Bryan.

The DDT also spent time targeting areas of the city based on citizen complaints and anonymous tips. Through various investigative techniques, the DDT was able to address the criminal element in these areas and improve the quality of life for residents.

In between planned operations and assisting other units within the Bryan Police Department, the DDT apprehended numerous violent fugitives, conducted uniformed saturation patrols in high burglary areas, and assisted with several major investigations. The DDT was also able to recover over 20 firearms, numerous pieces of stolen property, and significant quantities of narcotics.

DDT will continue to use a variety of special investigative techniques, as well as information provided by concerned citizens in its effort to improve the quality of life for all Bryan residents.
The Bryan Police Department Reserve Police Force is comprised of six dedicated Reserve Police Officers.

The reserve officers all have full-time, regular jobs but they have taken an oath to this department to voluntarily provide police services to the City of Bryan. The Reserve Police Force provided security for numerous non-profit fundraising events and several City of Bryan events such as races, festivals, and parades. In addition to staffing events, the Reserve Police Force provides security for First Friday in Historic Downtown Bryan, worked the Retail Merchant Close Patrol Program, and supplemented staffing on daily patrol when available. Overall, the Reserve Police Force logged over 1788 hours of volunteer duty time during 2017.

The Reserve Police Force provided security for several notable events:

- Martin Luther King Jr Parade
- Presidential Inauguration
- CHI St. Joseph Bike Ride
- Blue Bunny
- Fiestas Patrias Parade
- Hispanic Forum 5K
- Buffalo Stampede ½ Marathon
- Bryan ISD Football
- City of Bryan Howl-o-ween Event
- KAMU Christmas Parade
- DBA 1st Friday

A large part of the K-9 Unit is the community involvement. The K-9 Unit conducted several dozen K-9 demonstrations to organizations as the English and Spanish Citizen’s Police Academy, various Texas A&M student groups, and local youth organizations. During these demonstrations, the participants learn how and why the canines can be trained and their function within the police department.

In January of 2018, K9 Kohn retired and Sgt. James Murphy is now leading the K9 Unit. The K9 Unit will continue to respond to all needs of the department and our surrounding communities.

During 2017, Sgt. Hanks paired with K9 Kohn, and Officer LeBlanc, paired with K9 Blitz, continued to assist the needs of the department and surrounding agencies. The K9 teams were responsible for numerous arrests involving illegal drug trafficking, tracking fleeing persons, conducting building searches, and operating with the Tactical Response Team. The K9 unit partnered with DET and DDT and conducted targeted enforcement on several local motels and apartment complexes that were plaguing patrol officers with problems. These operations allowed for the seizure of illegal drugs and firearms while filing felony and misdemeanor cases.
The Crime Scene Unit (CSU) is comprised of 3 Forensic investigators and 1 supervisor/investigator. The CSU responds to major scenes involving deaths, including fatality accidents, robberies and some burglaries and scenes where video evidence needs to be recovered. The CSU also downloads cellular phones, and processes evidence that has been collected, for DNA recovery and latent fingerprints. They then examine the prints that are collected from Patrol Services for suitability in entry into AFIS and compare them with the known prints of suspects. During 2017, the CSU was involved in 844 cases, generating 1646 supplements and responded to 189 crime scenes. 35 of those scenes were death investigations. The BPD CSU also assisted in 37 cases from several outside agencies including:

- Brazos County Sheriff’s Department
- Texas Alcohol and Beverage Control
- Bryan Fire Marshall’s Office
- Texas A&M University Police Department
- Grimes County Sheriff’s Office
- The Texas Rangers
- College Station Police Department
- Brazos County District Attorney
- Texas Department of Public Safety

The CSU also taught Forensic related courses at TEEX, the Bryan police academy and at 2 Citizen Police Academies.

Part of the CIU function involves teaching the community in the prevention of crime and in understanding issues that affect them as a whole. CIU conducted presentations to the Bryan PD CPA, the Spanish CPA and conducted training for the BPD SROs and new officers. CIU members conducted training for outside agencies such as BISD, CSISD and Texas Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) among others.

Members of CIU gave expert testimony or assisted in local judicial proceedings, which resulted in a combined total of 120 ½ years of incarceration time sentenced to local gang members through Brazos County courts as well as a TJDID placement for a juvenile gang member. Their gang expert also helped get a dangerous gang member deported after a successful operation that she coordinated with federal agencies. CIU members executed and/or assisted with a combined 86 specialized operations throughout the year, wrote parole protest letters, bond increases for habitual offenders and gang profiles for several trials involving gang members. The CIU supervisor also filled in as the DET supervisor from July through November of 2017 supervising and participating in several operations including

some very successful narcotics search warrants. Overall, the unit helped secure over 5 misdemeanor and 3 felony charges on top of the prison time mentioned before. CIU also continued to be an active part of the local FBI Safe Street Task Force (SSTTF) and continued follow-up on the direct indictment drug cases involving RU gang members from 2015.
The Auxiliary Services Division is currently comprised of three units: Intake Unit, Records Unit and Property and Evidence Unit.

The Intake Unit currently employs a total of 7 Intake Specialist and 1 Supervisor who are scheduled such that the department is manned 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, including Holidays. The Intake Staff assist people when they come into the Police department and answer the majority of phone calls coming in. Their responsibilities include taking police reports that meet specific criteria, from persons that walk into the police department and by phone. In addition, personnel take supplemental information for original reports, for example: property stolen, serial numbers, etc. The Intake Unit tasks also include entering all TCIC/TLET information for stolen property, vehicles, protective orders and missing persons, running criminal history searches as requested by officers and entering citations, field interview data, towed vehicles and pawn tickets into the computer system. Class C Warrants for Municipal Court are housed in Intake and the staff pulls and confirms warrants for officers.

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The Records Unit currently employs a total of 8 Records Clerks and 1 Supervisor with hours of operation of 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Monday thru Friday, not including Holidays. The Records Unit is responsible for data entry of arrest reports, accident reports, special flags as well as numerous CT Warning Reports. In addition, Records personnel respond to public requests for copies of reports, fingerprinting and clearance letters. Transcription for the BPD is also done out of the Records Unit. Records staff scan all documents into reports as well as uploading all pictures to reports. Police Reports are proofed on a daily basis with contact being made with officers regarding the need for corrections or additional information. In addition, the Records Unit is responsible for uploading reports to a secure website, a paperless system to share data between the Police Department and the County and District Attorney’s offices.

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The Property and Evidence Unit currently employs 3 Property and Evidence Technicians. This Unit is staffed from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Monday thru Friday, not including Holidays. The Property and Evidence Unit’s responsibilities include processing, recording and secure storage of all seized, recovered, found and evidentiary property. In addition, this Unit stores and issues basic uniform goods and radios to uniformed staff. It is also responsible for receiving goods and supplies ordered by the Police Department, checking in the items and delivering them to the ordering department.

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2017 NEW EMPLOYEES

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Gabriel Duran
Probationary Police Officer

Marshal Field
Probationary Police Officer

Kyle Lukach
Probationary Police Officer

Janice Santos
Investigative Assistant

Joanna DeJesus
Intake Specialist

Cheryl Garon
Records Supervisor

Heather Gaston
Bureau Secretary

Aaron Winton
Crime Scene

2017 RETIREES

Lonnie Macik
9/7/17

Ronnie Schultz
9/7/17

Dennis Thane
4/23/17

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