



Saginaw Police Department – Reserve Unit News Letter July 2018

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Reserve Applications are located at:

saginawpolicereserve.com

Generally, applications are only accepted from individuals who reside in Saginaw County. If you know someone that would like to be part of the reserve group, have them go to the link for an application form or call 482-5426.



The Wienermobile was created by Carl Mayer in 1936, a nephew of the company founder Oscar Mayer. There are eleven of these Wienermobile vehicles in operation throughout the country.

Training: We will not be able to fit the M4 rifle in to the reserve schedule. We will continue reserve training in October of 2018. We had good participation for the trainings in this year.

Temple Theater: Reserves were present at the final detail at the Temple Theater on June 16th until the fall.



Farmers Market is open at its new location and has been in operation for a few weeks. The open area is covered with a **metal structure** which is a great improvement over the tents used at the previous location. You will also find shops inside of the building next to the open area Market which is the former **Saginaw News building**.



Rock and Roll Fest: This event was the first for the organization putting it on **June 16, 2018**. The attendance was light but organizers plan on a **return in 2019**. The **organizers** said they learned a lot and will use that information to improve next year's event.

Brew at the Zoo is a yearly fundraiser for the Zoo and, as in past years, was well attended by a very large number of people. There was live entertainment, food and fundraising activities.



Reserve Officer Corporal Jason Beck observing the crowd and was one of two reserves at that event.



Finance and Fundraising Committee: We are continuing our fundraising effort for the acquisition of a late model low mileage SUV type vehicle to be added to the department. The reserve unit can also realize its benefits as it would be capable to pull our equipment trailers. The extra benefit is the reserve group can give back something to the department for its outstanding help and direction whenever it is needed.



Brandon Colbert

We welcomed Brandon back from his **Michigan National Guard** training on June 23, 2018. He has already taken part in reserve activities. His help was greatly appreciated during the overnight for security of explosives at the Island and working one of the many intersections during the fireworks event. Great to have you back!

Veterans Memorial Service this yearly event took place on June 27, 2018. A group of around 150 people crossed Washington from the church to the Veterans Memorial. A memorial service was held there and then the group crossed back to the church. **Reserves Jeff Dilts** and **Breanna McClean** handled the **Washington Street traffic** for this year's event.



This year's **Fourth of July Extravaganza** was viewed by **thousands of people** and is one of the most outstanding displays in the state each year.

