



# Saginaw Police Department – Reserve Unit Newsletter September/October 2018

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## Reserve Applications are located at:

[saginawpolicereserve.com](http://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 Wiener-mobile

The famous coca-cola bottle was designed in 1916, the logo in the 1880s, and in 1892 the Coca-Cola Company was incorporated.

**Training:** The reserve training schedule for the winter indicates that the Rules and Procedures training will be on November 11, 2018. Chief Ruth has given this first session for many years.

**Temple Theater:** We were at three events at the Temple Theater in September. We will be at the Temple again near the end of October.

**Hall Hewett:** Hall and his wife Andrea took part in **1,800-mile** motorcycle cruise traveling through many of the western states which is always an adventure. The cruise started in Saginaw with twelve other riders. The group is already planning the next cruise and they are looking to travel south to the Carolinas. Hall has been a Reserve Officer since March 2, 2013.



**Awards and Recognition Luncheon:** For the last **twelve years** this event has been a dinner event. The **thirteenth** will now be a luncheon and it will take place **Sunday, December 16, 2018** at the **Temple Theater**. The start time has yet to be determined. At this luncheon we will recognize those who contributed to the reserve **vehicle acquisition fundraiser**. In addition, we will recognize **reserve officers** for their accomplishments over the past year.



## Marine



## Navy



## Army



## Air Force



## Coast Guard



**Thank you for your service!**

## Finance and Fundraising Committee:



This is the type of vehicle that would fit the needs of both the department and the reserve unit. It will have a towing package which will work well to tow our **equipment trailers**. The fundraising has been successfully completed and the city will order that vehicle. Due to the time of year, **Ford has stopped production until late fall** as they are in the process of doing engine up-grades. I would expect the new vehicle to be **2019 Ford Explorer**.

The **generosity** of the many local businesses and **organizations has been outstanding** which made this vehicle fundraiser so **successful**. Because of that we went from a **late model** used unit to a **new one**. It is always very impressive when **local businesses and organizations** come forward and make a project like this *one* become a reality. We cannot thank these groups enough!

**Finance Committee:** Has purchased new baseball type hats in black and in blue. Since many were getting faded out from the sun and lost, it was time to replace them.



We have also discussed the purchase of two new **360-degree metal detecting wands** at a cost of **\$300 each**. However, we will also need to buy one charger unit and two extra batteries at **\$50**. The wands are very easy to operate and there is an **on-line video** of it being used.

We also discussed the purchase of **three-quarter length, yellow raincoats** with **Police Reserve** printed on the back. We will look in this further to determine what the cost of those will be and look for the most affordable option before making the decision.

**New Department Flower Area** at the back of the Police Department on **Janes Street**. We added a fence and some new Hosta plants as well as other varieties of plants next to the back building south entrance. The final work on the new fence is completed. This section will have mostly **perennial plants** so it will not need to be replanted each year.



**The flower garden and flower box** areas looked good this year although, it was difficult as we had 19 days of over 90 degrees. We will pull them up by the end of October they will be going to seed at that time.



The Reserve Unit got together for a little socialization.



**The Wiener-mobile Update:** As we have previously noted in this newsletter the various locations of the wandering Wiener-mobile after it first appeared in **Saginaw**. During the first weekend in October, it was in Wittier, Alaska. That town is known as the most remote town in that state. By hot dog measurements (end to end), the Wiener-mobile is 60 hot dogs long, 24 hot dogs high, and 14 hot dogs wide.