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Michael Smith Anthony Mortinson Todd Kintzi Brendan Current

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# Blue Line Dispatch

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## **Osseo Police Welcomes New Addition**

Hello, I'm Officer Peter Renteria. I am excited to introduce myself as the newest part-time officer of the Osseo Police Department. I grew up in West St. Paul, MN. My family has been involved in law enforcement since the 1940s. I attended college at Winona State University where I received my Bachelor's Degree in Sociology: Criminal Justice with a Minor in History. I then attended Alexandria Technical College for Police Academy training in the Summer of 2015.



Officer Peter Renteria

I am blessed to have the opportunity to work for the City of Osseo. I believe as a community we can work together to keep Osseo a safe place to live and work. I look forward to serving the community and meeting all the great people of Osseo.

Sincerely, Officer Peter Renteria

## From your Chief

As we head into summer, I wanted to tell everyone to enjoy the weather, but do so responsibly. As the weather warms up, so does our call load. Please make sure you are locking your doors, taking everything out of your cars parked outside, and picking up all the items from your yard at the end of the day. The Osseo Police Department will be actively patrolling the streets, but we cannot be everywhere. If you hear or see anything that is out of place, please call 911 and have an officer check it out, Together we can crush crime in this great city of ours!



Chief Shane Mikkelson

I also wanted to notify everyone of a new program that we will be starting within the police department called "Cup with a Cop." Once a month we will have an officer in one of our coffee shops in town for one hour. That officer will be available for anyone to stop by and talk about any issue or answer any questions. Our first "Cup with a Cop" will take place on June 8th from 8am to 9am at Luna's Specialty Bakery at 319 Central Ave. I hope to see you there!

Thank you, Shane Mikkelson

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## Just to Summarize

Damage to Property On April 2nd at 12:50 P.M., Officer Mike Smith responded to a damage report at the 300 Block of 2nd St SE. Upon arrival. Officer Smith met with the reporting party who stated someone threw a paver at the driver-side door causing damage. The reporting party though the damaged was done by be daughter's exboyfriend. Officer Smith was unable to locate the ex- boyfriend. Without a positive ID, No charges were filed.

#### Assault

On April 4th at 9:14 P.M., Officer Todd Kintzi was dispatched to an assault at the 300 block of 6th Ave SE. The caller reported his roommate was jumped and bleeding from his face. Upon Arrival, Officer Kintzi learned the victim was approached by two males from behind. One of the suspects swung something hitting the victim on the back of the head. The victim was able to give a cage description. Investigation pending.

#### **Accidental Shooting**

On April 5th at 3:53 P.M., Officer Brendan Current was dispatched to an accidental shooting at the 100 block of 4th St. NW. Upon arrival, Officer Current found the victim lying on the floor and appeared to have been shot through the thigh. A witness of the shooting was providing first aid. The victim was transported to a medical facility.

#### **Traffic Complaint**

On April 6th at 7:07 A.M., Officer Michael Smith heard Maple Grove dispatch a traffic compliant heading eastbound on 93rd Ave. at Zachary LN. The complaint stated the car was all over the road. After a short pursuit, Officer Smith was able to stop the vehicle. Officer Smith Approached the vehicle and learned the driver was having a medical issue which was affecting his driving conduct.

#### **Traffic Stop**

On April 9th at 1:20 A.M., Officer Nick Englund was stationed in the median on 93rd and 169. Officer Englund observed a vehicle northbound on 169 going at a high rate of speed. The lidar showed the vehicle going 79 in a posted 55 zone. Officer Englund stopped the driver and he admitted he was speeding. The driver presented Officer Englund with an MN instruction permit and had no licensed passenger in the car. Officer Englund smelled a strong odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle. Officer Englund searched vehicle and located a small amount of marijuana. The driver was cited and released.

#### **Traffic Stop**

On April 9th At 1:30 P.M., Officer Brendan Current observed a vehicle eastbound on County Rd. 81. The driver's shoulder belt was hanging vertically and visibly not in use. Officer Current stopped the vehicle, and the driver spontaneously uttered she was stopped because she was "distracted and on her phone." Officer Current informed her that her should belt was not fastened. The driver looked sown and quickly fastened it. The driver was cited and released.

#### Disturbance

On April 11th at 8:11 P.M., Officer Anthony Mortinson responded to a disturbance call at the 600 block of North Oaks Drive. Upon arrival, Officer Mortinson met with the reporting party who stated she could hear someone knocking earlier in the evening and the night before. Officer Mortinson spoke to the tenants next door, and they admitted they had been trying to hang a planter hook. Officer Mortinson advised them to monitor their noise levels.

#### Alarm

On April 13th at 2:33 P.M., Officer Nick Englund responded to a medical alarm. Upon arrival, Officer Englund was met by the patient who stated she fell outside while bringing in the groceries. Officer Englund called for medical assistance. While waiting, Officer Englund assisted the patient with putting her groceries away.

#### Suspicious Act

On April 15th at 8:30 P.M., Officer Mark Bergeron was dispatched to a report of male taking pictures of the businesses located along Central Ave. Upon arrival, Officer Bergeron met with the reporting party who stated a male party was taking pictures of the businesses and when the suspect noticed people watching him, he quickly left. Officer Bergeron checked the area; however, he was unable to locate the suspect.

#### **Traffic Stop**

On April 27th at 11:00 P.M., Officer Brendan Current observed a driver at a red light holding her cell phone at the top of her steering wheel in front of her face. The cell appeared to be on, and she was typing. Officer Current stopped the vehicle and Identified the driver by an expired drivers license. The driver received a verbal warning for inattentive driving and cited for no DL in possession.

#### **Suspicious Act**

On April 28th at 6:25 P.M., Officer Brendan Current observed a suspicious occupied vehicle on the 700 block of 3rd St. SE. Officer Current noticed the windows were heavily fogged. Officer Current stopped the vehicle and identified all occupants by MN driver's licenses. The driver stated he was picking up one of the passengers from his employer in Osseo. The windows were fogged from an e-cig. No Osseo charges