University of Massachusetts Police Department

Faculty Senate Meeting
March 25, 2010
Professional law enforcement

- Equivalent to municipal departments training, structure, operations
- Full authority to enforce laws of the Commonwealth
- Certified law enforcement agency
- 62 sworn officers, 30 student cadets, plus support staff
- 250 Student Security
- In service 24/7, 365 days a year
Courage, Honor and Trust

UMass Amherst

Safety & Service

- Patrons:
  - Bicycles
  - Motorcycles
  - Horses
- Detective Bureau
- K-9 Unit
- Cadet Program
- Community Outreach Unit
- Residence Hall Security
Volume
- 30,000+ calls annually
- Also respond to all medical and fire calls

Response
- Average arrival time < 3 minutes

Staffing
- Minimum 1 sergeant, 4 officers per shift during semester
Collaboration

- Our relationships support our mission
  - Full mutual aid: Amherst, Hadley, Belchertown
  - State, federal law enforcement
  - Area fire
  - Courts
  - Campus departments
    - Dean of Students, University Health Services, Residence Life, News Bureau, more
Our duty is to serve our community by providing a safe environment in which to live, learn and grow. We train, dedicate and commit ourselves to performing this mission in a manner that inspires confidence and respects the rights and needs of all.
Campus Initiatives

Pedestrian Safety

Active Threats Training

*Like it, Lock it, Keep it*

Citizens Police Academy

Community Police Advisory Board
UMass Amherst

$12.5M

Groundbreaking
Nov. 2009

Occupy
February, 2010

UMPD Police Station – LEED Certification

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