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**VERMONT STATE POLICE**  
**(October 1, 2006 – September 30, 2007)**

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The Vermont State Police responded to a total of 234 incidents in the Town of Westford in 2007. This is an increase from 2006, which had a total of 209 incidents. Vandalism increased to 19 in 2007 from 2006's total of 8. Burglaries decreased to 10 in 2007 from 2006's total of 11. Suspicious complaints decreased to 33 in 2007 from 2006's total of 36.

The Vermont State Police investigated a total of 16 accidents in 2007. This is a decrease from 2006's total of 28. There were no fatal accidents in 2007, which stayed the same, as there were no fatal accidents in 2006. Of the 16 accidents, 5 occurred on Route 128, 1 on Westford Milton Road, 1 on Covey Road, 5 on Route 15, 3 on Woods Hollow Road, and 1 on Phelps Road.

The State Police issued 69 traffic tickets in 2007. This was an increase from 2006, in which a total of 61 traffic tickets were issued. The State Police issued 58 traffic warnings in 2007, which was also an increase from 2006, in which 47 traffic warnings were issued.

This year, several residents in the Town of Westford showed an interest in starting a neighborhood watch program, specifically on Osgood Hill Road. With support from the Town of Westford and the State Police, several meetings were conducted and a neighborhood watch program was initiated on Osgood Hill Road. Once this program is up and running, other residents in the Town of Westford may show interest in starting a neighborhood watch program in their own neighborhoods.

Each month, Troopers work a total of 20 hours patrolling the roadways in the Town of Westford. As requested by the Town of Westford, when working the Westford Long Term Contract, Troopers continue to patrol the back roads, with an emphasis on Osgood Hill Road, Cambridge Road, Woods Hollow Road, Old Stage Road and Brookside Road.

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