



# LA POINTE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MADELINE ISLAND  
270 MAIN STREET  
LA POINTE, WISCONSIN 54850

PHONE: (715) 747-6913  
FAX: (715) 747-3096  
police@townoflapointewi.gov

**To:** Town Board  
**From:** Thom Rossberger  
**Date:** 6/6/2025  
**Re:** Monthly Police Report for May 2025

---

During the month of May, the La Pointe Police responded to the following:

65	Incidents/Complaints (calls for service)
28	Traffic Stops
17	Citizen Assists
0	Accidents
0	Civil Process
6	False Alarm/911 hang up calls.
3	Call Out
3	Animal
0	Parking Citations
5	EMS

Summer has started. We had a successful Marathon. Thanks to WI DNR and GLIFWC for sending wardens to assist. State Patrol Apologized that their trooper failed to show due to an internal communication issue at their level. No EMS or police related incidents and from what I have been told it was a great time for all. Memorial Weekend has passed and that too went well. We had some traffic on the ferry dock, but the on-duty officers addressed the issue, and it went smoothly.

Chief Defoe is still recovering and there is no specific date for his return. We are planning July without him.

We have hired Abbey Johnson. She had passed backgrounds, and we have started a training plan. She will be an added support officer for events and partnered with an officer for the near future.

I have received the agreement form to use Bayfield's communication frequency also known as WISCOM. This will resolve an ongoing issue with dispatch and our radios. We are also working with the new Dispatch and report system and hope it goes online soon.

We are preparing for the inline race June 14, 2025, and have requests out to DNR State Patrol GLIFWC and Ashland Co Sheriff's.

If there are any questions or if you wish to discuss things within the department, please feel free to contact me.

SGTTJR