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Security Introduction

**STATE OF VERMONT**  
**Capitol Police Department**  
**Chief of Police Matthew S. Romei**

**Fiscal 2018 Fact Sheet**

Staffing: 3 Full Time (3 Full Time)  
4 Part Time (1 Level 3, 3 Level 2)

Building Open Hours: 3000 (Approximately, depends on Legislature)

Hours Worked: 7687.5  
Full Time: 6240  
OT: 279.5  
COMP: 313  
Part Time: 695  
Sheriffs: 160

Hours Spent on Special Topics:

	FT	PT
Threats to Legislators		99 (Does not include Investigations)
Special Events	98	80
Firearms Hearings	32.5	36.5
March for Our Lives	41	32
Poor People's Campaign	29.5	72
Legislative Extras	62.5	54

Mass Arrests: 30 Individuals on 40 Charges

New Capabilities:

- On-Site Fingerprinting/Photographing.
- Activated Disruptive Protest Plan multiple times.
- Portable Command Post
  - 20 Phones
  - 4 Radios
  - Triple-Display
  - Incident Binders with maps and plans
  - COOP Box
- EMT-A level Fast Squad with an emphasis on MCI events.
- Deployed 3 new AEDs in the Building.
- Improvements to armor and armaments to match area agencies.
- Deployed a One-Drive folder shared with area agencies.
- Increased alarm points and critical infrastructure protection.

Next Challenges:

- Complex-wide planning.
- Adoption of Complex Based Evacuation and Emergency Plans.
- Continuing to develop relationships with other agencies.
- Continuing to develop plans for the building.
- Wider presence in Complex.
- Improving Camera Policy and Information Sharing.
- Expanding Camera Presence.
- Improving Communications (Radios).
- Trimming our Access Control.
- Deployment of Less Lethal Capabilities.
- Space Management Issues
- Continuing to Improve Training
- Pedestrian/Lawn Safety