



WebDrive® Helping Police Keep Streets Safe

The Coon Rapids Police Department handles over 50,000 emergency calls per year. Fielding a large amount of calls means the generation of many incident reports by responding officers. The department needed a solution allowing officers to file reports with the station without leaving their patrols. The department determined that WebDrive was the right solution for electronically submitting reports from within patrol cars.

With WebDrive, officers complete their incident reports and upload them to their assigned WebDrive space utilizing a wireless connection from their patrol car laptops. The department receives the data, transfers the information into their Records Management System. Using WebDrive in conjunction with their field based reporting application they also have the ability to generate field reports.

"Before WebDrive was implemented, officers would compile reports on a laptop and then take floppy disks to the main station," explains Captain Steve Bluml. "WebDrive allows the officers to stay on the street and more efficiently use their time to better serve the citizens of our community."

About Coon Rapids Police Department

Located in Coon Rapids, Minnesota, the Coon Rapids Police Department is a 24-hour law enforcement agency, handling 50,000 calls for service each year. The Department is authorized 65 sworn MN P.O.S.T. licensed police officers, 10 full-time and 7 part-time support staff and 30 volunteer Reserve Officers. The Department also has a Police Chief, a Deputy Chief, 2 Captains, 8 Sergeants, and 7 Detectives -- three of which serve as School Liaison Officers in the High School and both Middle Schools.