

IACP TECHNOLOGY CLEARINGHOUSE



Law Enforcement Technology Program Survey

Agency Name: Guilford (CT) Police Department

Technology Program Name: Wireless Laptop Computing

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Agency Size: Total Sworn: 38, Total Civilian: 6

Agency Type: Municipal Police

Technology Program Status: Permanent Program

Mobile Hardware Type and Quantity: Laptop - 10

Printer: No mobile printing. Print jobs sent over "CDPD" to printers at HQ.

How is data transmitted from the Field to the Station? Wireless (CDPD), Disk (Back-up)

How is data transmitted from the Station to State and Data Collection Authorities?
Paper, but paperless NIBRS transfer being tested now.

Funding: Initial funding through COPS More grant (95CMWX0039) on-going user fees funded through operating budget.

Hardware Manufacturers: [TelePartner International](#) - TeleSeries (Middleware), [Sierra Wireless](#) - MP200 Modem, [Hitachi](#) (C and MX Series) - Pentium Laptops, WinBook Laptops

Software Manufacturers: [TelePartner International](#) - Packet PC for Windows

Important Technology Lessons Learned: N/A

Program Narrative Overview: We operate a CAD and records management system on an IBM AS/400. Project sought to put laptop computers in patrol cars. Utilizing SNET's "CDPD" network with MP200 Sierra Wireless modems. We were able to bring the AS/400 screens to the mobile cars. All functions that are available "In-House" are now available in the cars. This includes CT Collect and NCIC.