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The Burleson Police Department has set up online access to everything you need to file a minor police report, search for an inmate, and more, thanks to Police To Citizen (P2C). The link, <http://p2c.burlesontx.com/>, went live Feb. 10.

“The P2C website gives our community a convenient way to connect with the police department,” Sgt. Bob Sherman, P2C program manager said.

The homepage gives you the Most Wanted, Sex Offenders and Missing Persons as well as links to fill out vacation home checks and submit an application for the new Guardian Program.

If you choose “Report an Incident,” you can report an incident that occurred within the Burleson city limits; it must not be in progress; only non-violent crimes can be reported (no reports resulting in injuries or if any weapons are involved); and there can’t be any physical evidence left at the scene.

Crimes that you can report online via P2C include minor criminal mischief (damage to property, graffiti); littering; lost property; harassing/annoying phone calls/text messaging/emails; simple thefts (theft of bicycles, lawn decorations); auto burglary (vehicle was entered); thefts from sheds, storage structures or open garages; simple assaults (assault by contact with no injuries and no weapons involved); fraud/identity theft; reports for insurance only; and disorderly conduct (language, fighting, etc.).

Crimes that you should not report online via P2C include those where there is any injury; threat of imminent danger of injury; incidents in progress, incidents which just occurred; incidents with significant physical evidence at the scene; incidents where there are suspect(s) and/or witness(es) to be interviewed; auto theft reports (your vehicle was stolen); incidents where a weapon was involved; traffic crash reports; and family violence.

Is someone you know already in jail? Click on Inmate Inquiry on the Burleson P2C home page and you can find inmates who have been arrested and transported from Burleson to the Mansfield Jail. Once the arrestee has been released from the Mansfield Jail, the record will be deleted from the site. Once

you are on the Inmate Inquiry page, you are on Mansfield's site and will not be able to click on "Home" to get back to the Burleson P2C. You can, however, use the "back" key to return to the Burleson P2C page.

One more option - all you cyclists out there can register your bicycles on P2C by clicking on "Bike Registration" in the menu bar on the top banner.

You will still be able to read through the Burleson Police Department's weekly offense reports and arrest reports as well as monthly/yearly statistics on the Crime Reports & Statistics on the City website, <https://www.burlesontx.com/crimereportsstats>.