

Mooresville's First Police Car

Officer Harold Kenworthy stands next to Mooresville Police Department's first patrol car, purchased in May, 1953. This '53 Ford Mainline was built to the department's specifications and cost \$1,800. It was the fastest police car (over 95 m.p.h.) at time trials held at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway in June, 1953. (*Photograph taken in 1956*).

Mooresville Police Officers stand beside a newer patrol car on Sept. 25, 1959 (right photo). Gray Bros. Restaurant appears in the background.



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(L to R) Harold Kenworthy, Leonard Horton, Forrest "Pake" Rusie, Elmer "Beans" Poe, standing outside the Municipal Building (Police Station).