

CUMBERLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT



ANNUAL REPORT 2024

Chief Matthew J. Benson, Ed.D.

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MISSION STATEMENT



The mission of the Cumberland Police Department is to provide quality, professional, and impactful law enforcement service to the community.

VISION STATEMENT



Through a demonstrated commitment to excellence, the Cumberland Police Department looks to:

- ✓ Protect and ensure Constitutional freedoms, while enforcing applicable law;
- ✓ Develop and retain a talented and diverse workforce;
- ✓ Ensure we are the societal leaders the community expects us to be; and
- ✓ Safeguard the quality of life for all who reside in, or pass through, the Town of Cumberland.

Departmental Assignments

DEPARTMENT ROSTER- Sworn Rank Hierarchy

	Name	Rank			Name	Rank
1	Matthew Benson	Chief of Police		31	Jason Gormley	<i>Rotating Detective 09/04/2023</i>
2	Matthew Alves	Deputy Chief of Police		32	Matthew Stock	Patrol Officer
3	Christopher Iozzi	Captain		33	Zachary LaFleur	Detective
4	<i>Jolene Alves</i>	<i>Captain- retired August 16, 2024</i>		34	Patrick Simons	Patrol Officer
5	Peter Sweet	Captain		35	Joseph Parenteau	Traffic Officer
6	Jonathan Cook	Lieutenant		36	Gage Johnson	Patrol Officer
7	David Rosa	Lieutenant		37	Edward Yazbak	Patrol Officer
8	John Forrest	Lieutenant		38	James Whitehead	Patrol Officer
9	<i>Brandon Vadenais</i>	<i>Sergeant- retired January 21, 2024</i>		39	Justin Conti	Patrol Officer
10	Jimmy Batista	Sergeant		40	Michael Stock	Patrol Officer
11	Peter Provencal	Sergeant		41	Matthew Sepe	Patrol Officer
12	Brad Hampson	Sergeant		42	Daniel Pincins	Patrol Officer
13	Michael Robinson	Sergeant		43	Jack Halloran	Patrol Officer
14	Thomas Burns	Sergeant		44	Nicholas Barone	Patrol Officer
15	Gregory Pomfret	<i>Sergeant- promoted to Captain August 19, 2024</i>		45	James Rinfrette	Patrol Officer
16	Michael O'Connor	Sergeant		46	Evan Stevens	Patrol Officer
17	Adam Ledoux	Sergeant		47	Domenic Palazzo	Patrol Officer
18	William Saltzman	Patrol Officer, High School		48	Russel Sullivan	Patrol Officer
19	Shanna Clow	Patrol Officer		49	Joshua Andrade	Patrol Officer
20	Kenneth Henneberry	Detective		50	Brendan Bouthillette	Patrol Officer
21	Rexford Kirkman	Patrol Officer		51	Matthew Conley	Patrol Officer
22	Brandon Correia	<i>Patrol Officer- promoted to Sergeant August 19, 2024</i>				
23	David Joseph	Detective				
24	Jeffrey Caminero	Patrol Officer				
25	Casey Free	Patrol Officer				
26	Derek Silva	<i>Patrol Officer, promoted to Sergeant November 20, 2024</i>				
27	Gregory Mullery	Patrol Officer				
28	David Ring	Patrol Officer, Middle Schools				
29	Crystal Claflin	Patrol Officer				
30	Joseph Holleran	<i>Patrol Officer- promoted to Detective January 21, 2024</i>				

DEPARTMENT ROSTER- Sworn Dates of Hire

Name	Date of Hire	Name	Date of Hire
Lt. Jonathan Cook	August 31, 1998	Off. Matthew Sepe	December 19, 2022
Capt. Christopher Iozzi	December 4, 2000	Off. Justin Byrd	February 17, 2023
Sgt. Jimmy Batista	August 13, 2002	Off. Daniel Pincins	May 30, 2023
<i>Sgt. Brandon Vadenais</i>	<i>December 2, 2002</i>	Off. Jack Halloran	May 30, 2023
<i>Capt. Jolene Alves</i>	<i>August 10, 2004</i>	Off. Nicholas Barone	July 5, 2023
Dep. Chief Matthew Alves	March 14, 2005	Off. James Rinfrette	May 13, 2024
Lt. David Rosa	November 28, 2005	Off. Evan Stevens	May 24, 2024
Sgt. Peter Provencal	August 15, 2006	Off. Domenic Palazzo	May 24, 2024
Off. William Saltzman	August 15, 2006	Off. Russel Sullivan	May 24, 2024
Sgt. Brad Hampson	December 3, 2007	Off. Joshua Andrade	October 17, 2024
Det. Adam LeDoux	December 3, 2007	Off. Brendan Bouthillette	December 19, 2024
Capt. Peter Sweet	December 3, 2007	Off. Matthew Conley	December 19, 2024
Off. Shanna Clow	March 16, 2009		
Det. Kenneth Henneberry	August 2, 2009		
Off. Rexford Kirkman	August 2, 2009		
Sgt. Thomas Burns	March 15, 2010		
Sgt. Brandon Correia	January 10, 2011		
Sgt. Michael O'Connor	January 10, 2011		
Sgt. Michael Robinson	January 10, 2011		
Capt. Gregory Pomfret	July 25, 2011		
Lt. John Forrest	September 7, 2011		
Det. David Joseph	September 7, 2011		
Off. Jeffrey Caminero	January 9, 2012		
Off. Casey Free	January 13, 2014		
Off. Derek Silva	June 18, 2014		
Off. Gregory Mullery	June 18, 2014		
Off. David Ring	June 18, 2014		
Off. Crystal Claflin	May 22, 2015		
Off. Joseph Holleran	June 13, 2016		
Det. Jason Gormley	December 21, 2016		
Off. Matthew Stock	January 2, 2018		
Det. Zachary Lafleur	May 28, 2019		
Off. Patrick Simons	January 2, 2020		
Off. Joseph Parenteau	December 18, 2020		
Off. Gage Johnson	December 18, 2020		
Off. Edward Yazbak	June 4, 2021		
Off. James Whitehead	June 4, 2021		
Off. Justin Conti	December 17, 2021		
Chief Matthew Benson	May 23, 2022		
Off. Michael Stock	December 19, 2022		

DEPARTMENT ROSTER- Civilian Staff

Name	Position	Date of Appointment
Patricia Tweedie	Administrative Assistant to the Chief of Police	09/04/2007
Margaret Grieve	Public Safety Dispatcher	05/01/2006
Sterling Beaucage	Public Safety Dispatcher	08/03/2020
Nicole Goosmann	Public Safety Dispatcher	08/13/2013 (hired); 02/12/2022 (CPD start)
Krysta Fontaine	Public Safety Dispatcher	06/20/2022
Nicole Goosmann	Public Safety Dispatcher	02/12/2022
Kayla Colombo-Gaffney	Public Safety Dispatcher	08/30/2023
Cora Gaucher	Public Safety Dispatcher	10/30/2023
Marissa Kavanaugh	Public Safety Dispatcher	11/06/2023
Brian Keene	Public Safety Dispatcher	2/11/2024
Sabrina Marques	Public Safety Dispatcher	01/17/2024
Vickilyn Crawford*	Public Safety Dispatcher	04/08/2024 <i>*resigned July 26, 2024</i>
Bella Fernandez*	Public Safety Dispatcher	10/15/2024, <i>*resigned 2/23/2025</i>
Nancy Whitney	Records and Payroll Clerk	04/27/1987
Elizabeth Daniel	V.I.N. Clerk	03/04/2022
Curtiss Grieve	V.I.N. Clerk	02/04/2019 (hired); 04/08/2024 (CPD start)
Glenn Filipe	Building Maintenance	03/04/2022 (CPD start)

DEPARTMENT ROSTER- 2024 New Hires

Off. James Rinfrette	May 13, 2024
Off. Evan Stevens	May 24, 2024
Off. Domenic Palazzo	May 24, 2024
Off. Russel Sullivan	May 24, 2024
Off. Joshua Andrade	October 17, 2024
Off. Brendan Bouthillette	December 19, 2024
Off. Matthew Conley	December 19, 2024
Disp. Brian Keene	February 11, 2024
Disp. Sabrina Marques	January 17, 2024
Disp. Vickilyn Crawford	April 8, 2024
Disp. Bella Fernandez	October 15, 2024

DEPARTMENT ROSTER- Sworn Promotions

Sergeant Kenneth Henneberry	January 23, 2024
Detective Joseph Holleran	January 23, 2024
Captain Gregory Pomfret	August 19, 2024
Sergeant Brandon Correia	August 19, 2024
Sergeant Derek Silva	November, 20, 2024

DEPARTMENT ROSTER- Severance

Sergeant Brandon Vadenais	January 21, 2024
Captain Jolene Alves- Retirement	August 16, 2024
Dispatcher Vickilyn Crawford*	
Dispatcher Vickilyn Crawford- Resignation	July 26, 2024

CHIEF OF POLICE

MATTHEW J. BENSON, Ed.D.



Chief Matthew J. Benson, Ed.D. has been a Rhode Island police officer for the past 22 years, the first 19 with the Johnston (RI) Police Department and as the Chief of the Cumberland Police Department since May of 2022. Chief Benson has worked extensively in law enforcement leadership, accreditation, policy development, training, education, labor relations, human resources, research, finance, risk management, strategic planning, and crisis negotiations.

Chief Benson is certified as a Crisis Negotiator and Firearms Instructor through the FBI, along with being a Master Field Training Instructor. He's a former member of the Johnston Police Department's Special Response entry team, later transitioning to the role of crisis negotiator, and spent 14 years on the Executive Board of the International Brotherhood of Police Officers (IBPO), Local #307, last holding the position of Vice-President when he retired. The Chief is a former Rhode Island Representative for the New England Crisis Negotiator's Association (NECNA) and is currently the Vice-Chairman of the Rhode Island Police Accreditation Coalition (RI-PAC). The Chief has served as an Accreditation Assessment Team Leader for both the Rhode Island Police Accreditation Commission (RIPAC) and the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). Chief Benson is currently a Commissioner, and Chairperson of the Standards Review and Interpretation Committee (SRIC), for CALEA and is the Commission Chairperson for RIPAC, having also served as a past Treasurer and member of the SRIC for that organization as well.

Chief Benson has been an adjunct faculty member at Johnson & Wales University and Roger Williams University teaching a wide array of courses in Criminal Justice and is also an instructor at the Roger Williams University Justice System Training and Research Institute and Rhode Island Municipal Police Training Academy. The Chief has been a national presenter on programmatic software implementation in law enforcement accreditation and was the panel moderator for the 2017 CALEA Conference on recruitment and retention of a diverse workforce. Chief Benson moderated a similar panel at the first-ever Rhode Island Police Accreditation Coalition (RI-PAC) Summit- a conference he co-founded- which was credited with hosting over 200 members of law enforcement from nearly every state in New England. A conference that he is extremely proud to have developed, the RI-PAC Summit also provided sessions on the implementation of body worn cameras, bias and diversity in policing, gender and identity in the police profession, and drone deployment among others.

Chief Benson holds both a Bachelor and a Master of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Roger Williams University, and a Doctorate in Educational Leadership from Johnson & Wales University.

Chief Benson was sworn in as the 17th Cumberland Police Chief on Monday, May 23, 2022, by Mayor Jeffrey Mutter at a ceremony held at the Cumberland High School Auditorium.

GOALS & OBJECTIVES

Past Annual Report Goals- Evaluation/Update:

- 2022- Clean up IMC template complaint narratives- (Continued from 2022). No further update. Continued to 2024.
 - Task formal *Dispatch Supervisor* with project.
 - Identify complaint narratives in need of review.
 - Address the appropriate update/amendments.
- 2024- Fleet Expansion- *Completed*
 - Identify vehicle type and deployment strategy
 - Ford Explorer identified. **Complete.**
 - Determine funding source/mechanism
 - Combination of annual budget and detail revenue line. **Complete.**
 - Purchase equipment
 - Target Quarter 3, 2023. **Complete.**
 - Train on new vehicle, as appropriate.
 - Deploy
 - Target: 2024.
 - Vehicle purchase made. In production. **Complete**

Goals and Objectives for 2024

- 2024- Hiring of 3 officers to get to 50x sworn staff- *Completed/In progress. (Goal achieved in 2024; however, 1x retiree and 1x lateral resignation brought 50x goal back down to 48x by end of calendar 2024. 2x officers sent to RIMPTA in January 2025 with estimated graduation of May 2025).*
 - Conduct recruitment. **Complete.**
 - Identify qualified candidates. **Complete.**
 - Send to RIMPTA or lateral hire. **Complete.**
 - Train. *In-progress (2x candidates in RIMPTA; scheduled graduation May 2025)*
 - Deploy.
 - Evaluate.
- 2024- Fleet Expansion, deployment- *Completed.*
 - Acquire purchased vehicles fully equipped. **Complete.**
 - Train on new vehicle, as appropriate.
 - Deploy.- **Completed.**
- 2024- Acquire 5x rifle-rated ballistic shields- *In progress.*

- Determine vendor/model. **Complete.**
 - Identify funding. **In progress.**
 - Purchase/acquire.
 - Train with units.
 - Deploy.
 - Review.
- **2024- Hire a full-time, dedicated, dispatch supervisor. *In progress***
 - Develop job specifications. **Complete.**
 - Identify funding source. **In progress.**
 - Recruit qualified candidates.
 - Conduct hiring process.
 - Hire candidate.
 - Train.
 - Deploy.
 - Evaluate.
 - **2024- Dispatch training plan- Begin working toward 3-year full curriculum- *Completed.***
 - Identify credential/training curricula to meet core competencies. **Complete.**
 - Identify vendors that can facilitate such training. **Complete.**
 - Begin sending dispatchers to identified sessions that seek to achieve proficiency in those core competencies. **Complete.**
 - Document progress.
 - Evaluate.
 - **2024- AED replacement; 10-units- *In progress***
 - Identify make/model of replacement units. **Complete.**
 - Identify funding. **Complete.**
 - Conduct any purchasing requirements. **Complete.**
 - Acquire units. **In progress**
 - Ensure training matches newly acquired units.
 - Deploy.
 - Evaluate.

Goals and Objectives for 2025

- **Add Supervisor to Administrative Division**
 - Post solicitation for availability
 - Select officer
 - Deploy
 - Train, as appropriate

- Evaluate
- **Add 1x afternoon Traffic Officer**
 - Post solicitation for availability
 - Construct oral board, per CBA
 - Select officer
 - Deploy
 - Train, as appropriate
 - Evaluate
- **Replace agency computer work stations**
 - Identify make/model of replacement units.
 - Identify funding.
 - Conduct any purchasing requirements.
 - Design an implementation plan.
 - Acquire units.
 - Deploy.
 - Evaluate.

Strategic Plan: 3 yr.-Goals

As the agency continues to assess its organizational needs, goals and objectives (G/Os) of a longer outlook than just the upcoming year have started to develop. The following G/Os are provided with a 3-year outlook. Further evaluation will provide additional action items to this list, with longer outlook interval G/Os of 5- and 10-years identified as well.

- **Dispatch Curriculum/Competencies, full staff completion- *In progress.***
 - Identify required courses/certifications/competencies- **Complete.**
 - APCO PST1
 - APCO- LE Communications
 - APCO- Fire service comms
 - APCO- (EMS?)
 - APCO- NG911
 - ICS
 - 100
 - 200
 - 700
 - 706
 - 800
 - Identify vendor or method for delivery- **Complete.**
 - Implement- **Complete.**
 - Review/evaluate- *In progress.*
 - Adjust/amend, as needed.
- **800mhz Radio Upgrade- *Pending***
 - Identify radio and infrastructure needs for purchase
 - Cybercom has provided a spec sheet of all necessary portables, mobiles, and in-house console upgrades with associated installation costs. **Complete.**
 - Determine funding source/mechanism. **Complete.**
 - Earmark grant submissions provided to Sens. Reed and Whitehouse. Alternative options being considered.
 - Amend policy, as needed. **N/A.**
 - Purchase equipment. **Complete.**
 - Train equipment, as needed. **TBD**
 - Deploy. *Pending*
 - Review.
 - Adjust/amend, as needed.
- **Establishment of a Drone Program- *Complete***
 - Identify equipment needs for program- **Complete.**
 - Determine funding source/mechanism- **Complete.**

- Develop policy- **Complete**.
 - Samples acquired from neighboring jurisdictions.
- Purchase equipment- **Complete**.
- Train on new tool- **Complete**.
- Deploy- **Complete**.
- Review.
- Adjust/amend, as needed.
- **Establishment of a Canine (K9) Program- (In progress; comfort animal acquired, track/search K9 still sought.)**
 - Identify needs for program. **Completed**
 - Search/track K9.- **TBD**
 - Comfort/therapy K9- **Completed**
 - Determine funding source/mechanism. **In progress**.
 - Develop policy.
 - Search/track. - **TBD**
 - Comfort/therapy.- **Completed**
 - Purchase equipment.
 - Search/track. - **TBD**
 - Comfort/therapy.- **Completed**
 - Training
 - Search/track. - **TBD**
 - Comfort/therapy.- **Completed**
 - Deploy
 - Search/track. - **TBD**
 - Comfort/therapy.- **Completed**
 - Review
 - Adjust/amend, as needed
- **Replace Department computer terminals- *In progress*.**
 - Identify layered/tiered grouping of terminals in need of replacement funding source. **In progress**.
 - Assign funding.
 - Conduct recruitment.
 - Train.
 - Deploy.

Strategic Plan: 10 yr.-Goals

- **Full Staff Rifle Deployment- *In progress***
 - Identify needs for purchase.- **Complete**.
 - Determine funding source/mechanism.- **Complete**
 - Develop policy.- **Complete**

- *Current policy provides for needs of full agency deployment.*
 - Purchase equipment. **Partial Completion.**
 - Purchased rifles for new hires as part of “initial outfit” deployment.
 - Train on new tool.
 - Deploy.
 - Review.
 - Adjust/amend, as needed.
- **Increase sworn-staff to 60 officers- *In progress.***
 - Establish targeted staff increase plan- 55 officers by 2030, 60 officers by 2035- **Complete.**
 - Identify funding source. ***In progress.***
 - Assign funding.
 - Conduct recruitment.
 - Train.
 - Deploy.

DEPUTY CHIEF MATTHEW ALVES, M.S.



Deputy Chief Matthew Alves is a 20-year-member of the Cumberland Police Department. In 2011 he was promoted to the rank of Sergeant where he supervised all 3-patrol shifts. In 2018 he was assigned to the Detective Division as a temporary Detective Sergeant. In 2019 he was promoted to Lieutenant where he supervised the day shift. In 2020 he was promoted to the rank of Detective Captain where he oversaw the Detective Division and Prosecution.

He is a lifelong resident of the Town of Cumberland, holds an associate degree from the Community College of Rhode Island, a Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Roger Williams University, and a Master of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Anna Maria College. He is a past member of the special arrest unit, a previous car seat safety technician and coordinator for the Field Training program of the Cumberland Police. He is the lead firearms instructor for the department, a member of the Cumberland Police Department color guard and the IT coordinator for the Department. He has led numerous narcotic investigations within the Town of Cumberland and has assisted several other departments in narcotic investigations.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

Internal Affairs

The internal affairs function is under the command of Deputy Chief Matthew Alves. The Cumberland Police Department strives to have transparency ensuring that all complaints are taken seriously and properly investigated. Each investigation is completed objectively, thoroughly and without bias.

Annual Review of Internal Investigations

During the calendar year of 2024 there was (1) one investigation initiated; one (1) directed by the administration and there were (0) zero citizen complaints.

The possible dispositions are:

Sustained: Sufficient evidence to prove allegation.

Not Sustained: Insufficient evidence to prove or disprove the complaint.

Exonerated: An incident occurred, however deemed proper and lawful.

Unfounded: The allegation is false or not factual.

Statistical Summary of Internal Complaints for 2024

Total Complaints: 1					
# of Directed Investigations:		1	# of Civilian Complaint Investigations:		0
Results of Directed Investigations	Sustained:	1	Results of Citizen Complaint Investigations	Sustained:	0
	Unfounded:	0		Unfounded:	0
	Exonerated:	0		Exonerated:	0
	Not Sustained:	0		Not Sustained:	0
	Pending:	0		Pending:	0

IA Analysis

In 2024, complaints were initiated or received by the department by the following means:

- One (1) was an internal complaint.

The investigation was a violation of the rules and regulations of the department and not alleged criminal activity. Truth verification tests, photos or photo lineups were also not utilized; nor were any additional submissions such as financial documents, medical records, or laboratory tests.

All complaints received by the Professional Standards officer were reviewed and secured in their office (Deputy Chief). Upon receiving a complaint, the Chief of Police was immediately notified.

In 2024 there were no allegations of racial bias policing reported. A review of the only complaint investigated does not indicate that additional training is needed or that we need to amend any policy.

An analysis of the 2024 internal affairs investigations reveals that no Officer(s) were involved in more than one internal complaint and no officers were involved in multiple complaints.

No officers involved were removed from duty after the complaints were made. One Dispatcher was suspended for 2 days and demoted because of an internal investigation that was conducted.

Grievances

Review and analysis occur when a grievance is filed to determine any recurring management or personnel problems that should be addressed or corrected.

During the period January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024, there were zero (**0**) grievances filed with this administration.

5-Year Statistical Summary of Employee Grievances

Year	Grievances
2019	1
2020	1
2021	0
2022	0
2023	0
2024	0

Active Shooter/Active Threats Policy #370.13

There were no Active Shooters incidents recorded in 2024.

In reviewing the **Active Shooter/Active Threats Policy #370-13** for the year 2024, all Memorandums of Understanding (MOU's) with Warwick, Woonsocket and Rhode Island State Police mutual aid agreement were sent to respective departments for additions and corrections from the Chiefs/Colonel or Superintendents. All MOUs were received back with no additional information or corrections. All were signed and placed on file.

There are no changes or additions to this policy at this time.

Administrative Review of Detention Areas and Procedure

An administrative review of the temporary detention areas and procedures was performed for 2024. All areas of the facility are in compliance.

Impartial Policing

All supervisors are responsible for reviewing and analyzing their respective shifts and reporting all findings to the Deputy Chief. We require an incident report for all vehicle searches other than inventory searches. After a review and analysis of the agency's general public contacts and, more specifically, motor vehicle stop contacts, the Cumberland Police Department's Impartial Policing Policy did not have any changes and will remain in effect. No recommendations for changes to training, practice, and/or equipment were noted as a result of this analysis as well.

In 2024, there were no reports of any citizens' complaints of Racial Profiling.

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

Captain Gregory Pomfret- Commander



Captain Greg Pomfret was promoted to this position in August of 2024. The Administrative Division manages recruitment, grants, policy development, accreditation, as well as training for both sworn and civilian staff. Captain Pomfret is a 13-year veteran of the Cumberland Police Department and over his career has worked in different divisions including patrol officer on each shift, School Resource Officer for Middle/Elementary Schools, and Patrol Sergeant on all shifts. Earlier in his career, Captain Pomfret was involved in "Special Squad" plain-clothes narcotics investigations and prosecutions. Captain Pomfret currently serves as Accreditation Manager, Field Training Coordinator, Firearms Instructor for both pistol and rifle, pistol and rifle armorer, and Active Shooter Trainer. Captain Pomfret holds a Bachelor's Degree in Operations Management from Rhode Island College. Captain Pomfret has also taught at the Rhode Island Municipal Police Training Academy as a firearms instructor since 2023.

Training

Each officer is obligated to maintain POST-approved certifications in a number of disciplines and receive annual, biennial or triennial in-service training including *Firearms, Taser, OC Spray, Use of Force, Domestic Violence, Legal Updates, Mental Health and the Mentally Ill, Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Intellectual Disabilities, CPR and First Aid, DUI, Fair and impartial Policing, Ethics, All Hazards, Workplace Harassment, and Mutual Aid training*. Officers also receive training upon promotion to any supervisory rank, to include *First Line Supervisor, Mid-Management, and Executive Development* training. Supervisors also receive Incident Command System (ICS training from RI EMA and FEMA in *Critical Incident Management*.

Officers are encouraged to regularly attend additional courses hosted by the *Rhode Island Municipal Police Academy, Roger Williams University Justice System Training & Research Institute, NESPIN (New England State Police Information Network)* and others, working to continuously further their training and education while on the job. In 2024, officers attended more than 60x outside-agency trainings, accounting for nearly 1,400 external classroom training hours.

International Accreditation- CALEA



The Cumberland Police Department has worked diligently to maintain its Advanced Accreditation status with the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). In 2003, the Cumberland Police Department joined the RI State Police, Warwick Police, Smithfield Police, Brown University Police and Bristol Police as the only Nationally Accredited Police departments in Rhode Island. They are now joined by Cranston, Central Falls, Johnston, Middletown, Portsmouth, Providence, North Providence, Rhode Island College, and Bryant University. The Cumberland Police Department has maintained the highest tier of national accreditation since its initial award.

CALEA accreditation is a professional affirmation of department standards and practices. To maintain accreditation status with CALEA the police department must maintain and prove compliance with over 485 policy standards. These standards regulate everything from fiscal management and evidence/file storage to use of force and pursuit reporting. Accreditation also helps reduce potential lawsuits brought against the Town by providing policy guidance in high-liability areas of policing and holding department members to the highest standard of policy compliance. The Cumberland Police Department is up for its eighth re-accreditation in December 2025.

State Accreditation- RIPAC

The Cumberland Police Department's initial state Award of Accreditation Recognition took place on January 21, 2015. Reaccreditation takes place every four (4) years, following the national accreditation assessment schedule. The Cumberland Police Department was awarded reaccreditation in 2018 and in 2022.

The Rhode Island Police Accreditation Commission (RIPAC) standards are designed to be attainable by all agencies, regardless of size, with minimal impact on the fiscal assets of the agency. The program is designed to provide a basis from which a participating agency may seek national accreditation, if desired.

RIPAC standards are designed to reflect industry-recognized best practices in each area of law enforcement: management, administration, operations and support services. There are an additional eighteen specific Rhode Island standards unique to our state.



Recruitment



The Cumberland Police Department ran two Recruitment Drives in 2024, one in January, the other in August. This drive was to create an eligibility list for the hiring of recruits to enroll in the Rhode Municipal Police Training Academy Class of 2024-II and 2025-I. This application period garnered forty (40) total applicants. Thirty-five (35) males applied, and five (5) females. Of these candidates were two (2) black males, six (6) Hispanic males. There were thirty-three (33) applicants between the ages of 20-29 and seven (7) applicants between the ages of 30-39. Four (4) applicants had active or prior military experience. Nine (9) applicants earned college degrees. Six (6) applicants withdrew at various points in the process.

From these recruitment drives, the Cumberland Police hired four (4) officers. As of this report, two graduated the 2024-II in December of 2024 and the other two are working toward successfully completing RIMPTA's 145th Session, Class of 2025-I, and will graduate in May 2025.

There was a separate continuous drive for Lateral Applicants in 2024 as well. Lateral transfer candidates are those who are currently certified as a police officer in Rhode Island and hold all necessary POST certifications to immediately begin employment. These applicants totaled ten (10) and were all from other Rhode Island Agencies. From this campaign two (2) officers were hired.

UNIFORM DIVISION

Captain Christopher J. Iozzi, M.S.- Commander



Captain Christopher J. Iozzi has been a member of the Cumberland Police Department since December 4, 2000, and currently oversees the Uniformed Division which includes the Patrol Division, School Resource Officers, and Traffic Calming Division. Captain Iozzi holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Administration and Justice from Roger Williams University and his master's degree in justice administration from Anna Maria College.

Captain Iozzi has served in both patrol and supervisory capacity on all three patrol shifts. From 2019-2022 he also served as the department's accreditation manager and successfully oversaw the 2018-2021 CALEA & RIPAC assessment. In 2017 Captain Iozzi headed a study which led to the realignment of the patrol beat areas. He serves as the department's Terminal Agency Coordinator and is also a RI Municipal Police Academy EVOC (Emergency Vehicle Operations Course) instructor. Captain Iozzi is a former Field Training Officer as well as Field Training coordinator and has also served as the First Responders Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA) grant manager which helps supply Naloxone (Narcan) for officers to carry on patrol.

Operations- Patrol Bureau

The Patrol Division is comprised of three distinct patrol shifts. The first (day) shift hours run from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The second shift reports for duty at 4:30 p.m. and ends at 2:30 a.m. Third shift covers the hours of 9:30 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. The second and third shifts overlap by five (5) hours from 9:30 p.m. to 2:30 a.m., which affords the patrol division options for patrolling the town. Some patrol units have two officers per cruiser, while other officers are utilized in undercover vehicles to target troubled areas. Cumberland Police Department is unique within the state with this type of patrol schedule allowing flexibility in patrol techniques. A lieutenant is assigned to command each shift which at full complement is also staffed by three (3) sergeants and seven (7) patrol officers.

In 2024, the patrol responded to **25,222 calls for service, made 399 arrests, and handled 696 motor vehicle accidents.** In 2023, the patrol had responded to 33,440 calls for service, made 363 arrests, and handled 718 motor vehicle accidents.

Call Analysis by Call Reason

There were 25,222 police-related calls for service generated in 2024. This breakdown depicts a large decrease of 8,178 calls for service from 2023 (33,440). In review, there appeared to be a large decrease in documented “property check” entries in the log which most likely attributed to the significant decrease. The 3rd shift (2130-0730 hrs.) generally accounts for the vast majority of these types of calls during the evening hours and ran short for a time due to a couple of long-term absences. This will be monitored going into 2025.

Calls for Service include any call for service received by a dispatcher or self-initiated by an officer in the field. The following pages illustrate a month-by-month call analysis of the various calls for service received in 2024, in alphabetical order by *Call Reason*. Those highlighted in green depict an increase from the previous year. Those highlighted in yellow depict a decrease from the previous year. Those not highlighted depict no change from the previous year.

(see Appendix A for data tables)

Operations- Traffic

Driving Under the Influence (DUI)

In 2024 the Cumberland Police made **thirty-three (34)** arrests for **Driving under the Influence of alcohol and/or drugs (DUI)**; **twenty-five (25)** of those defendants were also charged with **Refusal to Submit to a Chemical Test** at the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal (RITT). Of the thirty-four (34) total arrests, four (4) defendants plead to DUI, twenty-two (22) plead to Refusal to Submit to a Chemical Test, seven (7) are pending, and one is being handled by the military court.

In 2023 the Cumberland Police made thirty-three (33) arrests for **Driving under the Influence of alcohol and/or drugs (DUI)**; thirty (30) of those defendants were also charged with **Refusal to Submit to a Chemical Test** at the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal (RITT). Of the thirty-three (33) total arrests, seventeen (17) defendants pled to DUI, nine (9) pled to Refusal to Submit to a Chemical Test, four (4) pled to Reckless Driving, and three (3) cases are still pending.

Blue RIPTIDE

The Cumberland Police Department received federal funds for four (4) programs associated with Operation Blue RIPTIDE provided through the RI Department of Transportation, Office on Highway Safety and NHTSA, MADD & RIPCA. The funding from the grant was released on October 1, 2023, and ran through September 30, 2024. The Cumberland Police Department works in conjunction with the Office of Highway Safety and other local and state law enforcement agencies to engage in a combined effort to reduce the number of traffic accidents in the State of Rhode Island by the implementation of "Operation Blue RIPTIDE". Operation Blue RIPTIDE consists of providing funding to various local and state law enforcement agencies to provide extra patrols throughout the year and around the holidays, specifically to identify and apprehend those individuals who operate a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor and or drugs and provides funding for extra patrolling to enforce speed limits for speed management, Occupant Protection (Click-It-Or-Ticket) for the enforcement of wearing seat belts, and Child Passenger Seat Safety, a program that offers assistance with the proper installation of child/infant seats.

The Cumberland Police Department is awarded the following to implement the four State programs for fiscal year 2023-2024: **RIPTIDE Alcohol Enforcement (\$8,932.00)**, **RIPTIDE Speed Enforcement (\$24,897.66)**, **Occupant Protection (Click-It-Or-Ticket) (\$16,920.64)**, **Distracted Driving (\$9,189.84)**, **Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety (\$3,675.94)**, and **Occupant Protection (Child Passenger Seat Safety) (\$9,189.94)**.

The Cumberland Police Department obtained a third speed trailer/variable message board (VMS) through the Riptide grant this year which will accompany the department's other two VMS boards in deploying traffic related messages throughout the town and monitoring vehicle speeds. The VMS boards are crucial in getting the word out reminding motorists to wear their seat belt, refrain from using their mobile phone while driving, slow down, and to not drink and drive. The message boards are deployed throughout the year as another tool to keep our roadways safe.

Traffic Calming

Traffic safety is a top priority for the residents of the Town of Cumberland with traffic-related complaints being the most reported issues from the community. The department has taken a proactive approach in answering these complaints by keeping the Traffic Division staffed to respond to the needs of the community. Officer Joseph Parenteau is the department's full-time traffic officer.



The Traffic Division received 143 traffic related complaints including speeding, parking violations, and stop sign violations among the topmost concerns. The number one violation throughout the town remains to be speeding. Each of the 143 traffic complaints received were investigated thoroughly to ensure the safety of the community and reinforce that all concerns are afforded the Department's attention.

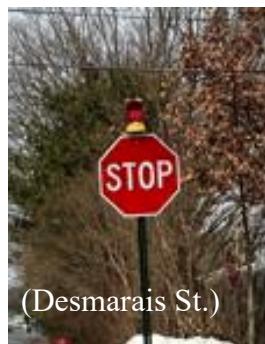
The Traffic Division conducted 42 traffic studies using radar technology which is placed in an area of concern for up to one week at a time to monitor traffic continuously throughout that period of time. This discrete technology allows us to review the normal traffic patterns of the roadway. The data produced is analyzed to determine the volume of traffic on the roadway, the average speed of the vehicles, and the 85th percentile speed (speed at which 85% of the traffic is traveling at or below). Accident and citation data from the last five years is also compiled and analyzed while conducting a traffic study to see if there are any patterns that have been developed. This data helps determine if further corrective action is needed in a particular area.

Two more digital speed signs were purchased and installed in town making motorists who are traveling on these roads aware of their speed as they drive by. These radar-equipped signs also monitor and store vehicle speeds on the roads they are installed on. The data from the boxes is



downloaded and analyzed on a quarterly basis.

Four solar powered stop signs were purchased and installed in neighborhoods which have seen a high volume of stop sign violations. Twelve blinking red beacon lights were purchased and installed on other stop signs throughout Cumberland to make them more visible. Fifteen additional speed limit signs were purchased and installed to assist with making motorists aware of the speed limit on particular roadways which complaints were received. Two new stop sign locations were added in order to help prevent accidents on those streets.



There were two fatal accidents in the town in 2024. One resulted in an operator death while another resulted in a pedestrian death. One of the top priorities of the Traffic Division is the reduction of traffic-related accidents and/or traffic related fatalities

throughout the town. With the continued cooperation between Traffic and Patrol Divisions, 2025 will see a repeated presence of officers on these roads to reduce the amount of traffic related accidents.

The Traffic Division is hoping to use the same programs it did in 2024 by using extra patrols in our neighborhoods at peak hours to address the continuing speeding complaints. **In 2024, members of the department conducted 5,079 traffic stops which resulted in the issuing of several traffic related violations. These violations included 3,093 traffic/mv misdemeanor summonses, 2,607 written/verbal warnings, and 38 Notice and Demands.** Some traffic stops resulted in the motorist receiving multiple citations. In 2023, members of the department conducted 5,309 traffic stops which resulted in the issuing of several traffic related violations. These violations included 2,359 traffic/mv misdemeanor summonses, 2,928 written/verbal warnings, and 39 Notice and Demands. Again, some traffic stops resulted in the motorist receiving multiple citations.

The traffic unit is dedicated to making our roadways safer and to reduce the amount of traffic-related accidents that occur throughout the town. The traffic unit will continue to work closely with the community and all agencies that can lend assistance in making our town safe to drive in.

Operations- School Resource Officers

Officer William Saltzman (High School Resource Officer) (SRO) works closely with faculty, staff and students. The SROs wear several hats and provide security and safety within the school, law enforcement duties, teacher and informal counselor. SROs spend the majority of their day interacting with students and assisting staff with safety and legal issues while also acting as a peer mediator.

Officer David Ring, accompanied by his K-9 partner Clipper, is the SRO for both middle schools as well as all elementary and charter schools in town. Clipper is trained as a comfort/compassion animal and was generously donated by a local dog trainer to assist with community needs.

Operations- Elderly Affairs

A Sergeant from each shift (first, second and third) serves as an Elderly Affairs Officer/Police Senior Advocate. They are responsible for developing programs to educate and protect our older citizens, as well as investigating neglect and self-neglect cases involving seniors. In addition, the Elderly Affairs Officer acts as a liaison with the R.I. Department of Healthy Aging and other social service organizations to ensure the needs of our seniors are met.

Alzheimer's Alert program

The Alzheimer's Alert Program was initiated to assist police officers who may come upon a person who had wandered from their home and is unable to get back home or who may not be able to identify themselves due to cognitive disease. The program was designed to work as a supplement to the nation's Alzheimer's Safe Return program. Caregivers of individuals with cognitive disease provide information such as name, address, and contact person. Once completed, a current picture of the individual is attached to the form. All completed forms are kept on file and are accessible 24 hours a day. Upon coming across an individual in cognitive decline during the course of their patrol, an officer can now identify the person by the photo and ensure their safe return home.

In 2025 the Cumberland Police Department will be working on records maintenance for the program to make it easier for officers in the field to utilize stored Alzheimer's Alert Program records.

Operations- Tobacco Compliance Checks

During 2024, the Cumberland Police Investigative Division did not conduct any tobacco compliance checks. Once more funding is received through the State, the agency intends on participating again in the future.

2024 Use of Force Analysis

I. Introduction

In accordance with Cumberland Police Department (CPD) Policy 300.01, this report represents an annual analysis of all reported use of force by officers. This report is intended to provide an overview of the incidents involving use of force and also to identify trends or any training issues that need to be addressed.

The information used to complete this report was obtained from officer-completed Use of Force (UOF) reports for the calendar years of 2021, 2022, 2023, and 2024. A Use of Force Report is required from any officer who employed force when the following has occurred:

- a. The use of force results in death, injury or an allegation of injury to a person.
- b. The drawing of a firearm on a person for the purpose of obtaining and/or maintaining control of that person.
- c. A lethal force or a less-lethal force option is used on a person.

II. The Rate of Response to Resistance Incidents in Cumberland

Overview of Response to Resistance – Cumberland Police Department, 2021 - 2024

	2021	2022	2023	2024
Calls for Service	36,977	29,002	33,400	25,222
Arrests	765	479	363	399
UOF Incidents (total)	8	4	13	21
UOF (arrests)	8	4	8	13
UOF (non-arrest)	8	4	5	8
% of Calls involving UOF	.021%	.013%	.038%	.083%
% of Arrests involving UOF	1.0%	.83%	2.2%	3.26%

III. Type of Call, 2021 - 2024

2021	
Foot Pursuit	1
NCO Violation	1
Out of Control Male	1
Reckless Driving/Eluding Police	1
Loaded Weapons in Vehicles, Possession < 1 oz.	1
Larceny under \$1,500	1
Domestic Incident	1
Warrants/NCO Violation	1

2022	
Suicidal Male	1
B/E	1
Simple Assault/Resisting Arrest/Disorderly Conduct	1
Possession of Schedule I-V, Obstruction, OSL, Warrant X3	1

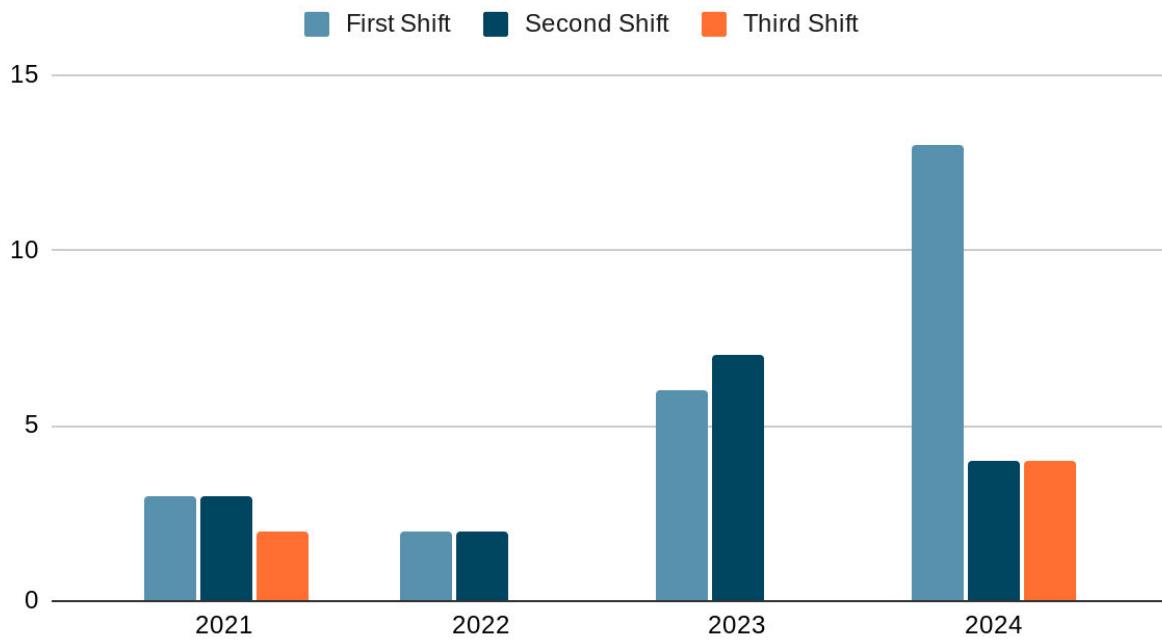
2023	
Mental Health	4
Domestic Disturbance	4
DUI	1
Police Assistance	1
Disorderly Conduct	1

Motor Vehicle Stop	1
Simple Assault	1

2024	
Suspicious Person	2
Other	4
Domestic Disturbance	6
Mental Health	9

IV. Use of Force by Patrol Shift, 2021 - 2024

First Shift, Second Shift and Third Shift



	2021	2022	2023	2024
First Shift	3	2	6	13
Second Shift	3	2	7	4
Third Shift	2	0	0	4
Total Incidents	8	4	13	21

V. Type of Force Used, 2021 - 2024

Types of Force Used	2021	2022	2023	2024
Compliance Techniques: Force Used to Gain Control (restraint, takedowns, hands, arms, feet, legs)	2	1	5	12
O.C. Spray	0	0	0	0
ASP/IMPACT WEAPON	0	0	0	0
CEW Deployment	1	0	2	1
CEW Drive Stun	0	0	0	0
CEW Presented	3	1	6	7
Firearm (presented)	2	2	3	3
Firearm (discharged)	0	0	0	0

VI. Reported Injuries, 2021 - 2024

	2021	2022	2023	2024
Officer Injuries	0	1 <i>**further details below</i>	1 <i>** further details below</i>	1 <i>**further details below</i>
Suspect Injuries	0	1 <i>**further details below</i>	0	0

2022

** Officer Injury: hand injury/broken finger while using compliance techniques to effect an arrest

** Suspect Injury: Officer presented taser; suspect ran and was struck by a vehicle while fleeing which resulted in a broken leg . RI Hospital

2023

** Suspect Injury: suspect had injured lip and tooth in parking lot while being taken to ground. EMS responded and the suspect refused treatment, Photos were attached to report.

2024

**Officer Injury: laceration to the finger

**Suspect Injury: none

VII. Use of Force Complaints Received

2021 - The Internal Affairs Division received zero (0) complaints of "excessive force".

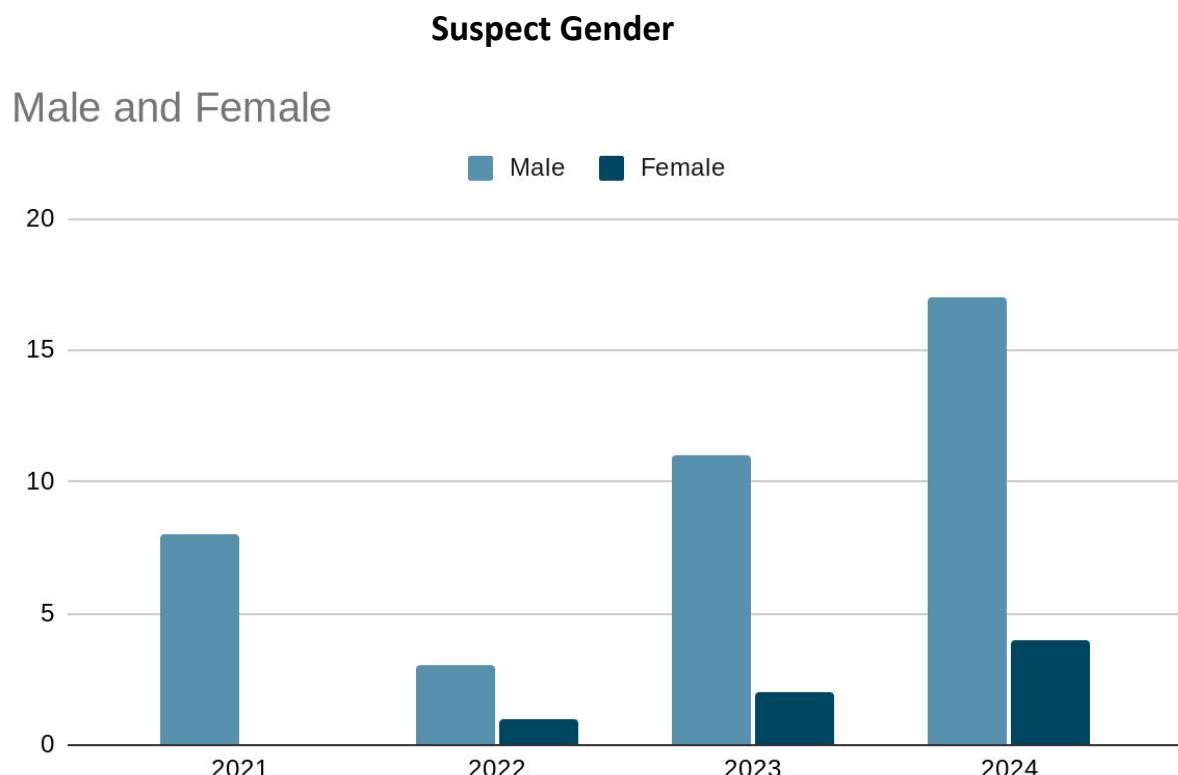
2022 - The Internal Affairs Division received two (2) complaints of "excessive force".

Both complaints were made from the same individual for two separate incidents. Both complaints were unfounded.

2023 - The Internal Affairs Division received zero (0) complaints of "excessive force".

2024 - The Internal Affairs Division received zero (0) complaints of "excessive force".

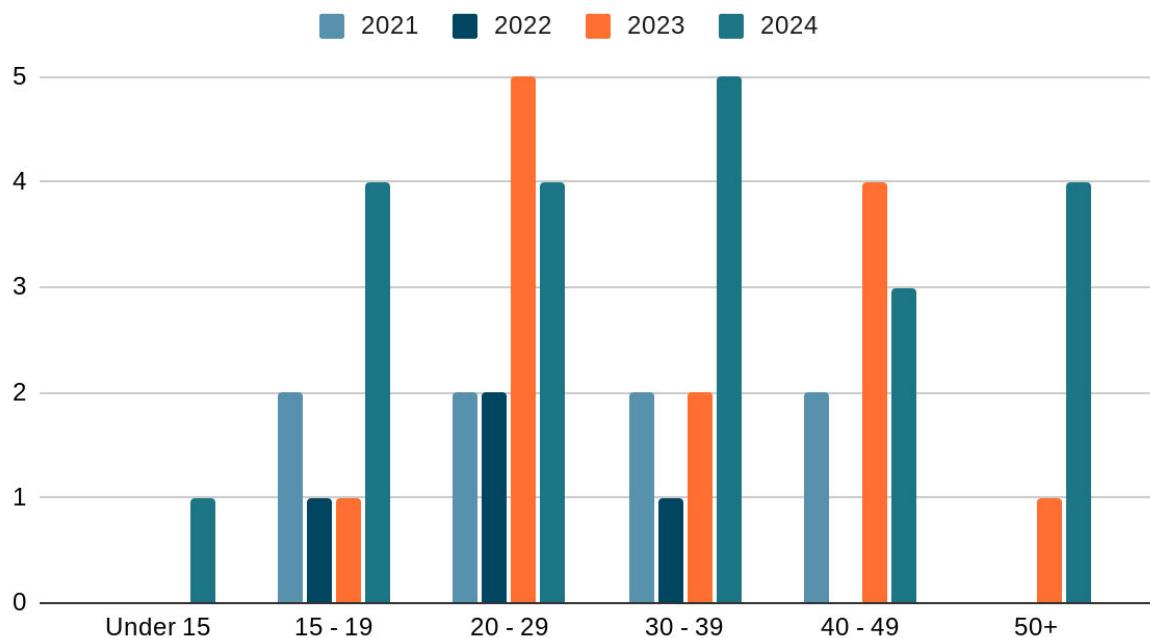
VI. Suspect Characteristics



	Male	Female
2021	8	0
2022	3	1
2023	11	2
2024	17	4

Suspect Age

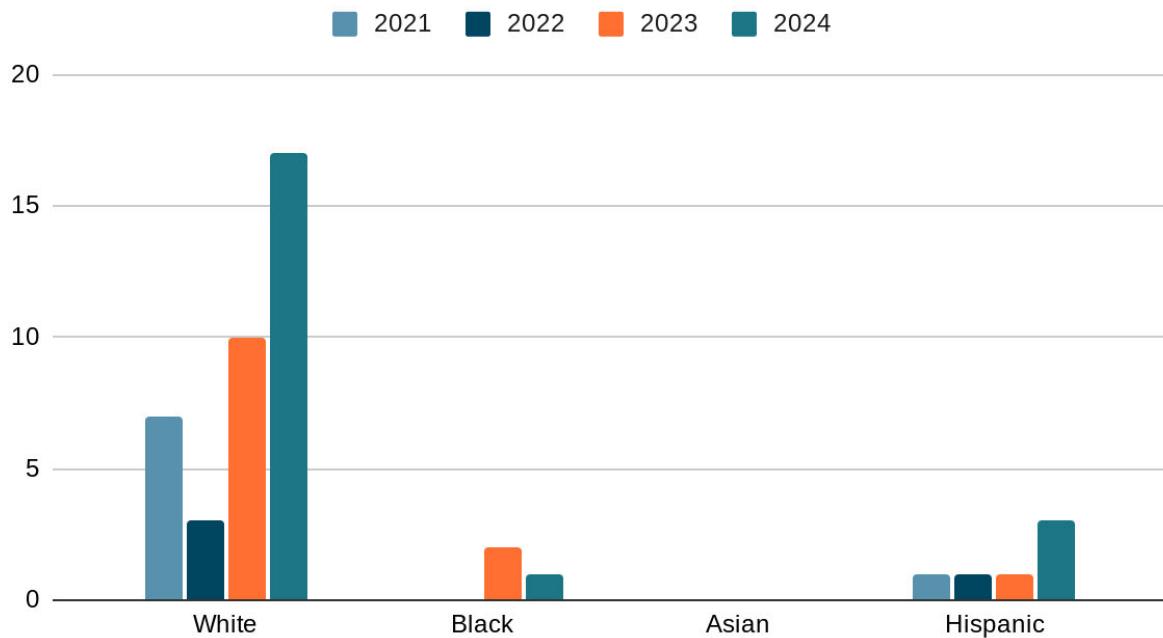
2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024



	Under 15	15-19	20 - 29	30 - 39	40 - 49	50+
2021	0	2	2	2	2	0
2022	0	1	2	1	0	0
2023	0	1	5	2	4	1
2024	1	4	4	5	3	4

Suspect Race

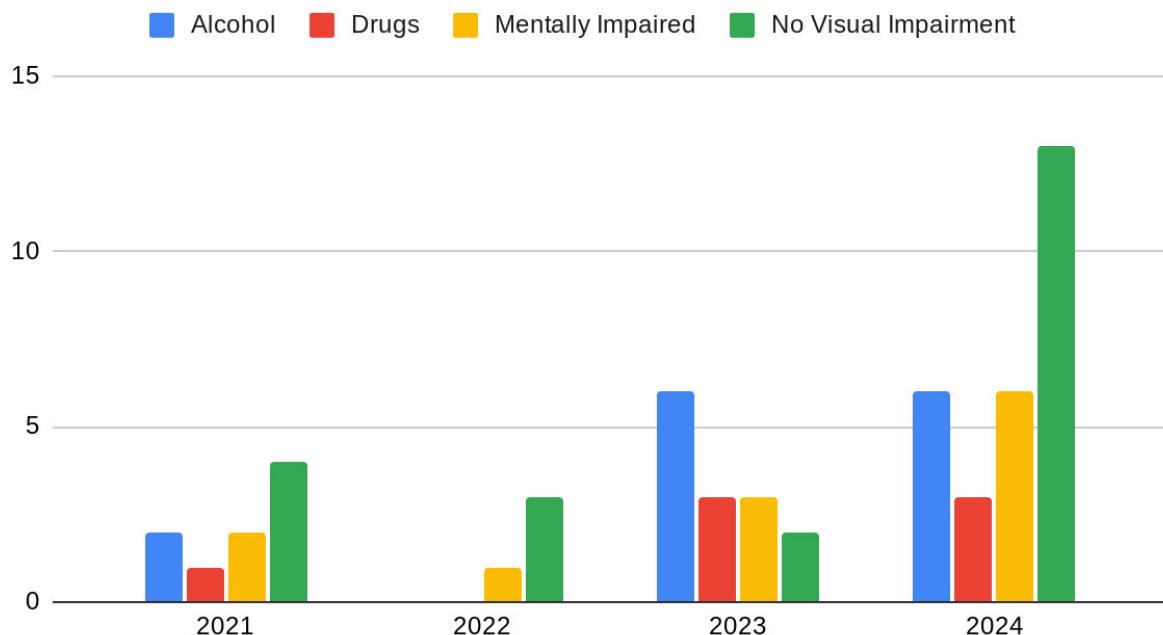
2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024



	White	Black	Asian	Hispanic
2021	7	0	0	1
2022	3	0	0	1
2023	10	2	0	1
2024	17	1	0	3

Suspect Condition

Alcohol, Drugs, Mentally Impaired and No Visual Impairment



	Alcohol	Drugs	Mentally Impaired	No Visual Impairment
2021	2	1	2	4
2022	0	0	1	3
2023	6	3	3	2
2024	6	3	6	13

During the years of 2021 - 2024, the Cumberland Police have had zero (0) reports or incidents of assaults on sworn Officers.

VII. Recommendations & Analysis

After reviewing the 2021 -2024 Use of Force data, I recommend the following:

- I suggest providing three (3) training per year, 1 of the trainings being dedicated to UOF with Taser. (4 hour blocks) Tasers (CEW) were used in 18 out of the 46 UOF incidents in 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024.
- Discontinuing the use of Batons as they pose a high risk of injuring a suspect, lack of use (0 in 2021-2024) and overall negative image the tool portrays. **After speaking with Chief Benson, it was determined the baton would be removed as a use of force tool moving forward into 2025.**
- After reviewing the data there was a rise in UOF incidents in 2024. Incidents were up over 50% in 2024 from 2023. Officers are continuing to improve with documenting incidents as the update with LEFTA has made the process more streamlined.
- Although UOF incidents have continued to rise, there have been no reported incidents of excessive force in 2024. Also, with the higher number of incidents there was only one minor reported injury to an officer and no injuries to any suspects.
- De-escalation training has continued to be a pillar of UOF training in our department. Of the 48 use of force incidents over the past four years, there has been no major injury to any suspect or officer in the department as well as zero incidents of excessive force within the department.

Operations- Pursuit Analysis

After the recently conducted annual review and analysis of pursuits during calendar year 2024, all (N=5) were found to conform with policy and were deemed appropriate under the provided circumstances. Of the pursuits observed, all (n=5) were terminated due to attendant circumstances by a Cumberland PD Supervisor. Additionally, no forcible stops were observed in 2024.

Of note, half (n=2) of the pursuits were initiated due to motor vehicle violations. With only N=5 pursuits in the dataset, further longitudinal review would be more beneficial in terms of identifying a pattern for initiation trends. Additionally, half (n=2) of the pursuits saw a suspect that was African-American and half (n=2) were identified as White. As referenced above, given the low number of pursuits in 2024, a more longitudinal review would need to be conducted in order to identify the potential for a trend. Thankfully, no officers, suspects or passengers were injured, nor was there any property damage and/or crashes reported, during the pursuits in 2024. That finding further validates that proper decisions to terminate were made providing for generally safe outcomes for all involved. Of the N=5 pursuits observed in 2024, n=1 resulted in the arrest of an operator after a warrant was drafted at the conclusion of the engagement. There were n=0 arrests made at the conclusion of a pursuit in 2024.

As a result of the annual analysis, there were no patterns and/or trends identified, nor were there any training needs. A review of the associated pursuit policy was also conducted and found no amendments or updates required. The current reporting system/mechanism- LEFTA, was also evaluated and found no discernable need for change. As a follow-up to the action item addressed in previous pursuit analyses, the implementation of LEFTA software has been a positive addition, particularly when it comes to data analysis for this report.

In summation, the annual pursuit review found the agency's pursuit activity to be in conformance with the current policy and following recognized best practices for safety in operations. No changes to policy or training is recommended at this time.

Field Training and Evaluation Program (FTEP)

The Cumberland Police Department (CPD) adheres to a structured training program for new police officers known as the Field Training and Evaluation Program (FTEP). Once new officers complete their training at the Rhode Island Municipal Police Training Academy (RIMPTA), they are assigned to a Field Training Officer (FTO) at CPD who trains and evaluates the officer. The FTO uses a series of 31 characteristics from the new officer's contact with the general public, to the officer's awareness of safety.

The FTO concept, known as the San Jose Model, was developed in the early 1970's by the San Jose Police Department in California. The purpose of the program, designed in part based on the military command level, was to provide post-academy training and evaluation of the new police officer's response to training.

The FTO's who are selected to train the new officers go through a strict screening process. They are assessed on their job performance as well as other criteria to ensure that the best possible person is chosen to train the new officers. The FTO's utilize a software program which aids them in writing a Daily Observation Report. These reports systematically review the probationary officer's performance in accordance with the 31 varying characteristics of the FTO program. Also, the software program allows all supervisors to track the progress of the new probationary officer making sure that rules and regulations are adhered to, and that goals and objectives are being met.

The FTO portion of the program runs for a minimum of 12x weeks. After the new officer completes the FTEP training, that officer rises to the status of "solo officer" and is assigned to cover a patrol area on one of the three patrol shifts. For the remainder of the new officers' first year, that officer is on probationary status and is evaluated quarterly by the supervisor of their respective shift.

The entire FTEP is directed by the FTO Coordinator who schedules the training, pairs new officers with their respective FTO's, oversees the daily reports documenting the progress of the new officer, completes a weekly summary of the officer's performance, and reports to administration on such progress. Currently the FTEP is run by Captain Greg Pomfret who is a certified FTEP Coordinator. In 2024, CPD FTOs successfully trained five new hires. Current certified FTO's at CPD are Officers Shanna Clow, Brandon Correia, Jeffrey Caminero, David Ring, Matthew Stock, Patrick Simons, Gage Johnson, James Whitehead, Michael Stock, Edward Yazbak and Joseph Parenteau. Due to the hard work and dedication of all FTO's, the FTEP program is a successful component in the ongoing training at CPD. It offers all new officers a solid foundation on which for them to build their career.

INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Captain Peter J. Sweet, M.S.- Commander

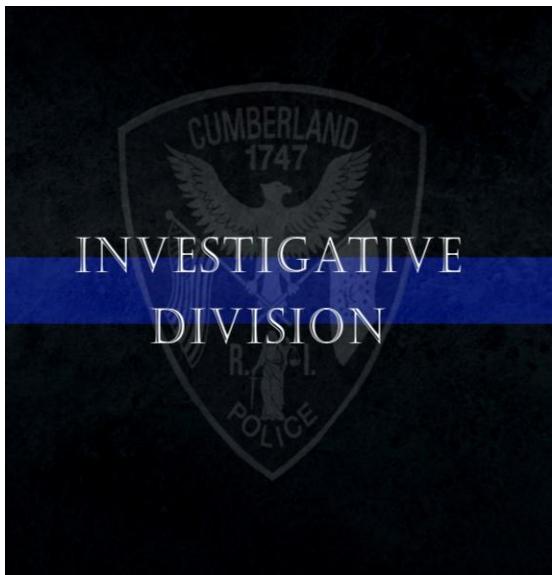


Captain Sweet is a 17-year veteran of the Cumberland Police Department. His career in law enforcement began when he graduated from the Rhode Island Municipal Police Academy in March 2008.

During his career, Captain Sweet has been involved in numerous investigations including fraud and financial crimes, property crimes including recovering stolen motor vehicles and property, death investigations, narcotics investigations, assaults and other capitol offenses.

Captain Sweet holds a master's degree in the Administration of Justice from Salve Regina University and a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Johnson and Wales University. He is also a United States Marine Corps veteran.

Investigative Division- Overview



The Cumberland Police Department's Investigative Division is comprised of a Detective Captain (Captain Peter Sweet), a Detective Sergeant (Sergeant Michael O'Connor) three permanently assigned Detectives (Detective David Joseph, Detective Zachary Lafleur and Detective Joseph Holleran) In addition to the permanently assigned Detectives, the division also has one Rotating Detective. The 2024 calendar year rotating Detective was Detective Jason Gormley. The rotating Detective position is an officer assigned to the Division for a one-year period.

The Investigative Division is responsible for the investigation of felony and misdemeanor crimes, town ordinance violations, narcotics, vice, computer crimes, white-collar crimes, and suspicious deaths. Detectives are responsible for follow-up investigations, performing background checks and conducting sex offender notifications. In addition, Detectives write and execute both affidavits and search warrants. The Division works closely with neighboring jurisdictions, as well members of the Rhode Island State Police and federal law enforcement agencies. The Detectives are on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week, in the event a serious offense or incident should occur in town.

Members of the Investigative Division are responsible for presenting cases before the District Court, Family Court, and Municipal Court. Members also appear before the Grand Jury and Superior Court when required.

Each member attended various schools and seminars along with annual in-service training. During this past year, the Investigative Division was instrumental in solving a variety of criminal cases. In 2024, the Investigative Division conducted numerous fraud, drug and property crime investigations within the town along with other agencies outside of the town. These investigations yielded numerous arrests and property forfeitures that includes \$1,118 in US currency and one passenger vehicle.

Investigative Division- Staffing

Detective Captain Peter Sweet

Detective Sergeant Michael O'Connor

Detective David Joseph

Detective Zachary Lafleur

Detective Joseph Holleran

Detective Jason Gormley (2024 Rotating Detective)

Municipal Court

During the calendar year 2024, the Cumberland Police Department referred 1,555 traffic related and **133** parking violations to Municipal Court. **Nineteen (19)** were resolved through a trial, with the Town prevailing in **eleven (11)**; **eight (8)** were dismissed.

Traffic Tickets Issued – 1,555

Parking Tickets Issued – 133

Housing Violations – 2

Animal – 4

Fire Prevention – 1

Trials – 19 trials, 11 ended in a guilty verdict; 8 were dismissed.

Domestic Violence and Arrests

In 2024, there were one-hundred and one (101) incidents involving some form of Domestic Violence resulting in arrests. Twenty five (25) of the 101 arrests were felony offenses.

The department benefits from the work of a domestic violence advocate from the Blackstone Valley Advocacy Center. In January 2024, a new advocate: Sara Wills, was assigned to Cumberland & Central Falls. Sara works at the Cumberland Police Station one day a week but is available to respond to crises on an on-call basis, which is a tremendous asset.

Juvenile Hearing Board (JHB)

The purpose of the JHB is to hear all cases referred to by the Juvenile Division of the Police Department. The board meets once a month at the Public Safety Complex Community Room.

The Juvenile Prosecutor, Detective Joseph Holleran was the department's liaison to the Juvenile Hearing Board in 2024. The Juvenile hearing board held nine (9) sessions and heard nineteen (19) cases and reviews. Offenses may consist of Simple Assault and Battery, Disorderly Conduct, and Driving without a License as well as other misdemeanor offenses.

The Juvenile Hearing Board (JHB) is comprised of a group of seven (7) professionals from town who volunteer their time. The Board's makeup reflects that of the Town Council with a Board member from each of the Council Districts and two At Large Members. Their mission is to promote the public health, safety, morals, and general welfare of all town juvenile residents with respect to people under the age of eighteen (18) who are charged with violating the laws of the State of Rhode Island, or the ordinances of the Town of Cumberland. The Board consists of David Lamoureux, Andrea Trottier, Karen Ann McLoughlin, Mr. Chris Mangano, Rui Felix, Allison Liguori and Barbara Paquette. Rui Felix was the board's chairperson for 2024.

The Cumberland Police Color Guard

In 1994 the Cumberland Police Honor/Color Guard was formed as a voluntary unit to serve the department as representatives in a variety of roles. Throughout the years, numerous officers have taken on the added responsibility that comes with true dedication to the department and the town.

In 2024, the Color Guard unit members were: Deputy Chief Alves, Capt. Sweet, Capt. Pomfret, Lt. Cook, Ofc. Clow, Det. Lafleur & Ofc. Yazbak. The members of the Color Guard participated in the following events in 2024:

- Memorial Day and Veteran Day ceremonies at the Monastery Grounds
- The Arnold Mill's Fourth of July Parade
- The Aquidneck Island Police Parade which starts in Middletown, RI and ends in Newport, RI



2024 Notable Events



February 6, 2024

The sale of 4th of July Arnolds Mills patches ended with the FOP donating a little over \$1000 to the Arnolds Mills 4th of July Parade foundation. A local tradition that is believed to be the 2nd longest consecutive 4th of July in the nation behind Bristol, RI, a local early-summer staple that we were happy to support.



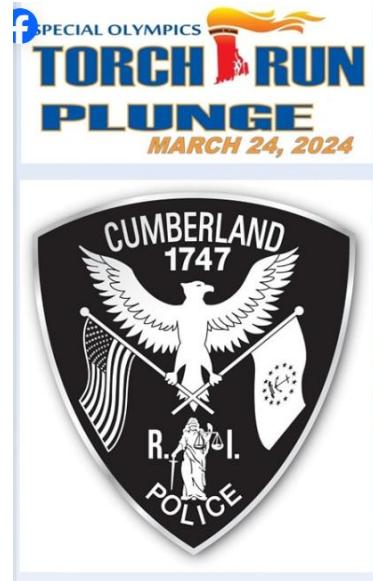
March 9, 2024

As has become an annual tradition, officers from the Cumberland Police Department are invited and volunteer to read at local elementary schools. The kids always enjoy meeting with them and the questions they ask never disappoint...



March 24, 2024

Several members of the Cumberland Police Department participated in the late-winter Special Olympics Plunge down in Salty Brine Beach in Narragansett. A great showing by all that attended to support Special Olympics RI.



March 27, 2024

The culmination of the Veteran's Day special patch raised a little over \$1100 that was donated to Operation Stand Down- a local Rhode Island charity that assists veterans with housing, food insecurity, counseling services, among many other forms of assistance. A great organization that we were proud to support in some small way.

April 2, 2024

Members of the Cumberland Police Department came together to “wear teal” in support of sexual assault awareness month. Several staff members, sworn, civilian and dispatch wore teal ribbons on their uniforms in recognition and support of those who have encountered such a terrible circumstance.



April 5, 2024

The Cumberland Police Department partnered with a local brewery in town in support of the Department's first canine, comfort dog “Clipper”. The brewery brewed a special release named “I met Clipper,” which was a huge success. Many from the community attended, met Clipper and was able to talk with several officers in a relaxed and fun environment.



May 5, 2024

The Cumberland Police Department's Color Guard attended the annual Aquidneck Island Police Parade in Middletown and Newport, RI this past year. A tremendous event that brings in law enforcement agencies from all over New England, the CPD officers in attendance really enjoyed the opportunity to participate and look forward to attending in the future.



May-June, 2024

The Cumberland Police Department participated in its 2nd Annual Bike Drive which receives several bicycles from community members and allows the donation of the bike out to local kids who may not otherwise have had the opportunity to own one. This event has been really well received and continues to grow each year.



May 31, 2024

With the 40th Anniversary of the Special Olympics Rhode Island's Torch Run, Cumberland Police, along with a few members from our two other public safety agencies, partnered together for one of the longest-legs of the state's Torch Run fundraiser. Another strong showing by the officers who always give their time and effort towards this great cause.



August, 2024

For the second straight year, the Cumberland Police Department participated in the Cumberland Community Event- a local, one-evening, event that brings in music, food, and fun for the entire community. The event regularly brings in several thousand attendees and the Department was proud to add a booth with "dunk-a-cop" dunk tank, among other availabilities.



September 28, 2024

The Franklin Farm Festival was also another opportunity for officers to connect with the community and be a resource of information.

October 26, 2024

CPD officers attended the first-ever Hotel for Homeless Dogs Touch-a-Truck event. A very well attended event hosted by a local animal shelter, kids from all over were able to participate.





October 28, 2024

Officers were proud to attend, for the second year in a row, the Garvin Elementary School Trunk-or-Treat event. Comfort dog Clipper was on scene to greet the incredible costumes kids came up with.

December 7, 2024

CPD officers partnered up with Cumberland Fire and EMS to participate in a Toys for Tots toy drop at Tucker Field. The event was well attended and took in numerous toys for children in need.



Jeep Parade



December 7, 2024

For the 3rd year in a row, the Cumberland Police lead the several-hundred-deep Christmas Jeep parade throughout Town. All of the participating vehicles are adorned with lights, with some playing Christmas music, as they traverse the Town after the sun goes down. A new staple of holiday festivities, CPD was proud to assist with traffic and lead with our own "holiday lights."

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Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%
2024											
48 Hour Tag											
1 0.0											
ACCIDENT											
78 2.9	51 2.2	55 2.5	695 2.8%	42 2.1	54 2.9	67 3.3	57 2.3	42 1.8	55 2.6	57 3.2	62 3.3
ACCIDENT PEDESTRIAN											
			Total: 6 0.0%		1 0.1				2 0.1	1 0.1	2 0.1
ACCIDENT HIT & RUN											
14 0.5	5 0.2	9 0.4	105 0.4%	7 0.3	8 0.4	7 0.3	10 0.4	3 0.1	7 0.3	13 0.7	10 0.5
ACCIDENT NOT INVESTIGATED											
3 0.1	2 0.1	3 0.1	52 0.2%	1 0.0	4 0.2	7 0.3	6 0.2	1 0.0	5 0.2	3 0.2	9 0.5
ALARM OF FIRE											
3 0.1	4 0.2	3 0.1	23 0.1%	3 0.1	3 0.2	1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.0		1 0.1	2 0.1
ALARM											
70 2.6	73 3.2	50 2.3	749 3.0%	53 2.6	62 3.4	74 3.6	76 3.1	65 2.7	49 2.3	53 3.0	59 3.2
ANIMAL COMPLAINT											
5 0.2	16 0.7	10 0.5	160 0.6%	10 0.5	11 0.6	16 0.8	19 0.8	21 0.9	8 0.4	20 1.1	19 1.0
ARSON											
			Total: 1 0.0%						1 0.0		
ASSAULT											
2 0.1	1 0.0	1 0.0	25 0.1%	1 0.0	6 0.3	4 0.2	2 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1	3 0.2	2 0.1
BREAK & ENTERING COMPLETED											
			Total: 13 0.1%		2 0.1				2 0.1	2 0.1	4 0.2
BREAK & ENTERING ATTEMPT											
4 0.2		1 0.0	22 0.1%	1 0.0	2 0.1	1 0.0		3 0.1	1 0.0	1 0.1	4 0.2
BRUSH FIRE											
			Total: 4 0.0%							1 0.1	2 0.1
BLASTING											
			Total: 3 0.0%		1 0.0						2 0.1
CHILD & FAMILY											
3 0.1	6 0.3	4 0.2	83 0.3%	8 0.4	13 0.7	7 0.3	5 0.2	9 0.4	8 0.4	6 0.3	8 0.4
CIVIL											
3 0.1	5 0.2	5 0.2	47 0.2%	4 0.2	4 0.2	1 0.0	6 0.2	3 0.1	1 0.0	5 0.3	5 0.3
DEATH											
5 0.2	3 0.1	1 0.0	37 0.1%	4 0.2	3 0.2	1 0.0	1 0.0	6 0.3	3 0.1	3 0.2	3 0.2

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Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	
DISTURBANCE 12 0.4	19 0.8	15 0.7	Total: 221 0.9%	26 1.3	24 1.3	30 1.5	20 0.8	13 0.5	11 0.5	20 1.1	16 0.9	15 0.9
DISORDERLY CONDUCT 5 0.2	2 0.1	2 0.1	Total: 26 0.1%	2 0.1	1 0.1	2 0.1			2 0.1	4 0.2	2 0.1	4 0.3
DOMESTIC 12 0.4	10 0.4	15 0.7	Total: 153 0.6%	8 0.4	8 0.4	15 0.7	13 0.5	15 0.6	16 0.8	12 0.7	13 0.7	16 1.0
DRUGS 1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.0	Total: 6 0.0%		1 0.0	1 0.0			1 0.0			
DUMPING	1 0.0	1 0.0	Total: 17 0.1%	2 0.1	2 0.1	3 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1	2 0.1	1 0.1	1 0.1	1 0.1
DRUNK DRIVING			Total: 4 0.0%		2 0.1			2 0.1				
ELDERLY AFFAIRS 3 0.1			Total: 12 0.0%	2 0.1	1 0.1		1 0.0		1 0.0	1 0.1	1 0.1	2 0.1
MEDICAL CALL 25 0.9	23 1.0	25 1.1	Total: 332 1.3%	17 0.8	39 2.1	26 1.3	31 1.3	34 1.4	28 1.3	23 1.3	32 1.7	29 1.8
Firearm Background Check 53 2.0	52 2.3	32 1.4	Total: 472 1.9%	57 2.8	29 1.6	26 1.3	36 1.5	26 1.1	35 1.7	52 2.9	39 2.1	35 2.2
FIRE ASSISTANCE 2 0.1			Total: 26 0.1%	2 0.1	2 0.1	3 0.1	5 0.2		2 0.1	2 0.1	5 0.3	3 0.2
FIRE 2 0.1			Total: 8 0.0%	1 0.0	1 0.1	3 0.1	1 0.0					
FIRE MUTUAL AID 1 0.0			Total: 2 0.0%							1 0.1		
FOUND PROPERTY 1 0.0	2 0.1	2 0.1	Total: 23 0.1%	1 0.0	1 0.1	2 0.1	4 0.2	2 0.1	2 0.1	1 0.1	3 0.2	2 0.1
FOLLOW-UP 19 0.7	22 1.0	17 0.8	Total: 354 1.4%	32 1.6	28 1.5	38 1.9	30 1.2	34 1.4	28 1.3	38 2.1	33 1.8	35 2.2
FRAUD 9 0.3	11 0.5	12 0.5	Total: 137 0.5%	17 0.8	15 0.8	9 0.4	11 0.4	14 0.6	13 0.6	7 0.4	8 0.4	11 0.7
FIREWORKS			Total: 29 0.1%	1 0.0	1 0.1	7 0.3	15 0.6		2 0.1		2 0.1	1 0.1
HIGHWAY 19 0.7	6 0.3	12 0.5	Total: 120 0.5%	6 0.3	10 0.5	9 0.4	16 0.7	4 0.2	9 0.4	8 0.5	11 0.6	10 0.6
911 Hang Up 5 0.2	5 0.2	5 0.2	Total: 74 0.3%	4 0.2	4 0.2	8 0.4	7 0.3	6 0.3	6 0.3	8 0.5	6 0.3	10 0.6

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Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%
HAZARDOUS MATERIAL			Total:	1 0.0%							
					1 0.1						
INTERNET			Total:	6 0.0%							
			1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.1			2 0.1			1 0.1
LARCENY			Total:	50 0.2%							
3 0.1	4 0.2	4 0.2	3 0.1	2 0.1	5 0.2	7 0.3	4 0.2	4 0.2	7 0.4	5 0.3	2 0.1
LOST / STOLEN ARTICLES			Total:	8 0.0%							
			1 0.0	1 0.1		1 0.0	1 0.0		3 0.2	1 0.1	
LOST / STOLEN PLATES			Total:	18 0.1%							
1 0.0	2 0.1		2 0.1	4 0.2		2 0.1		1 0.0	3 0.2	2 0.1	1 0.1
MENTAL HEALTH			Total:	107 0.4%							
11 0.4	5 0.2	9 0.4	9 0.4	3 0.2	11 0.5	9 0.4	11 0.5	14 0.7	6 0.3	8 0.4	11 0.7
MISSING PERSON			Total:	26 0.1%							
1 0.0		5 0.2	1 0.0	4 0.2	5 0.2	3 0.1	1 0.0	6 0.3			
MOTOR VEHICLE			Total:	723 2.9%							
87 3.2	34 1.5	52 2.3	47 2.3	57 3.1	80 3.9	63 2.6	59 2.5	78 3.7	60 3.4	51 2.7	55 3.5
VEHICLE STOP			Total:	3052 12.1%							
233 8.7	229 10.1	233 10.5	295 14.6	261 14.3	281 13.7	333 13.6	322 13.5	253 12.0	155 8.7	244 13.1	213 13.5
NOTIFICATION			Total:	353 1.4%							
54 2.0	96 4.2	15 0.7	21 1.0	25 1.4	16 0.8	23 0.9	15 0.6	21 1.0	25 1.4	27 1.5	15 0.9
NUISANCE			Total:	144 0.6%							
6 0.2	12 0.5	17 0.8	8 0.4	23 1.3	27 1.3	9 0.4	19 0.8	12 0.6	4 0.2	4 0.2	3 0.2
ORDINANCE VIOLATION			Total:	287 1.1%							
29 1.1	24 1.1	16 0.7	25 1.2	31 1.7	32 1.6	25 1.0	26 1.1	16 0.8	23 1.3	23 1.2	17 1.1
PACKAGE INVESTIGATED			Total:	1 0.0%				1 0.0			
POLICE ASSISTANCE			Total:	739 2.9%							
79 2.9	66 2.9	85 3.8	53 2.6	52 2.8	62 3.0	60 2.4	59 2.5	70 3.3	52 2.9	46 2.5	55 3.5
PROPERTY CHECK			Total:	8128 32.2%							
1101 41.0	827 36.4	831 37.5	597 29.6	391 21.4	489 23.9	816 33.3	864 36.2	680 32.4	540 30.5	592 31.8	400 25.3
PERSONNEL			Total:	3 0.0%							
1 0.0			1 0.1	1 0.0							
PHONE CALLS			Total:	8 0.0%							
1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.0			1 0.0	1 0.0			3 0.2	
POLICE INFORMATION			Total:	320 1.3%							
27 1.0	37 1.6	37 1.7	21 1.0	25 1.4	22 1.1	33 1.3	26 1.1	30 1.4	28 1.6	17 0.9	17 1.1

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Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%
POLICE MUTUAL AID 4 0.1	8 0.4	6 0.3	2 0.1	4 0.2	7 0.3	3 0.1	4 0.2		5 0.3	5 0.3	1 0.1
PROPERTY DAMAGE / NON CRIME 7 0.3	4 0.2	3 0.1	5 0.2	6 0.3	2 0.1	7 0.3	9 0.4	3 0.1	7 0.4	5 0.3	6 0.4
RADAR POST 71 2.6	73 3.2	72 3.2	81 4.0	68 3.7	50 2.4	68 2.8	55 2.3	43 2.0	33 1.9	20 1.1	17 1.1
VEHICLE REPOSSESSION 2 0.1		1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.1	2 0.1		1 0.0	2 0.1	2 0.1		5 0.3
EMS MUTUAL AID			Total:	1 0.0%							1 0.1
RUNAWAY			Total:	2 0.0%			1 0.0				1 0.1
ROBBERY			Total:	3 0.0%	1 0.0	1 0.0			1 0.0		
RESTRAINING ORDER 2 0.1	3 0.1	2 0.1	6 0.3	1 0.1	9 0.4	4 0.2	3 0.1	6 0.3	7 0.4	5 0.3	2 0.1
RECOVERED STOLEN MV			Total:	3 0.0%	1 0.1		1 0.0	1 0.0			
R U O K 29 1.1	20 0.9	34 1.5	29 1.4	39 2.1	31 1.5	28 1.1	31 1.3	28 1.3	20 1.1	23 1.2	17 1.1
SCHOOL BUS SAFETY CAMERA VIOL			Total:	33 0.1%						10 0.5	23 1.5
SEX OFFENSE			Total:	9 0.0%	2 0.1	1 0.0		1 0.0	2 0.1	1 0.1	2 0.1
SHOPLIFTING 5 0.2	9 0.4	9 0.4	9 0.4	7 0.4	4 0.2	4 0.2	5 0.2	3 0.1	7 0.4	5 0.3	4 0.3
SHOOTING			Total:	5 0.0%		1 0.0			1 0.0		
STOLEN MOTOR VEHICLE 2 0.1	2 0.1	4 0.2	1 0.0	4 0.2	3 0.1	4 0.2	3 0.1	2 0.1	3 0.2		3 0.2
SOLICITORS 2 0.1	1 0.0		Total:	13 0.1%		1 0.0	2 0.1	2 0.1		1 0.1	3 0.2
SPECIAL DETAIL 9 0.3	7 0.3	4 0.2	3 0.1	7 0.4	19 0.9	14 0.6	8 0.3	9 0.4	11 0.6	7 0.4	6 0.4
STOLEN PROP / RECV / POSS 1 0.0		2 0.1	2 0.1	5 0.3		4 0.2	3 0.1		1 0.1	2 0.1	5 0.3

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Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%	Day%
STALKING 21 0.8	4 0.2	4 0.2	Total: 6 0.0% 1 0.0			1 0.0	1 0.0		2 0.1		1 0.1
STORM DAMAGE 14 0.5	10 0.4	13 0.6	Total: 74 0.3% 4 0.2	4 0.2	1 0.1	21 1.0	4 0.2	3 0.1	3 0.1	5 0.3	4 0.3
SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY 14 0.5	10 0.4	13 0.6	Total: 221 0.9% 13 0.6	22 1.2	15 0.7	22 0.9	28 1.2	19 0.9	21 1.2	19 1.0	25 1.6
SUICIDE 1 0.0			Total: 1 0.0%								
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE 14 0.5	12 0.5	19 0.9	Total: 171 0.7% 10 0.5	18 1.0	22 1.1	10 0.4	15 0.6	12 0.6	9 0.5	17 0.9	13 0.8
SUSPICIOUS PERSON 9 0.3	1 0.0	8 0.4	Total: 128 0.5% 6 0.3	15 0.8	14 0.7	22 0.9	12 0.5	13 0.6	13 0.7	8 0.4	7 0.4
TRAFFIC COMPLAINT 12 0.4	6 0.3	5 0.2	Total: 144 0.6% 7 0.3	16 0.9	16 0.8	19 0.8	16 0.7	23 1.1	11 0.6	7 0.4	6 0.4
TRAFFIC MESSAGING/STUDY			Total: 144 0.6% 4 0.2	18 1.0	14 0.7	26 1.1	17 0.7	16 0.8	20 1.1	12 0.6	13 0.8
THREATS 5 0.2	2 0.1	3 0.1	Total: 102 0.4% 9 0.4	6 0.3	9 0.4	14 0.6	13 0.5	11 0.5	10 0.6	9 0.5	11 0.7
TOWED MOTOR VEHICLE 1 0.0	2 0.1		Total: 5 0.0% 1 0.0						1 0.1		
TRAINING 3 0.1			Total: 4 0.0% 1 0.0								
TRAFFIC 276 10.3	251 11.1	246 11.1	Total: 2414 9.6% 244 12.1	198 10.8	199 9.7	225 9.2	229 9.6	219 10.4	139 7.8	129 6.9	59 3.7
TRESPASSING			Total: 31 0.1% 2 0.1	1 0.0	3 0.2	2 0.1	8 0.3	3 0.1	1 0.1	3 0.2	5 0.3
VANDALISM 5 0.2	4 0.2	6 0.3	Total: 67 0.3% 4 0.2	5 0.3	10 0.5	9 0.4	7 0.3	7 0.3	2 0.1	6 0.3	2 0.1
VEHICLE FIRE			Total: 8 0.0% 1 0.0		1 0.1	3 0.1	1 0.0	1 0.0		1 0.1	
Police Vehicle Inspection 204 7.6	171 7.5	161 7.3	Total: 2124 8.4% 172 8.5	150 8.2	175 8.5	181 7.4	188 7.9	184 8.8	184 10.4	168 9.0	186 11.7
WARRANTS 6 0.2	7 0.3	10 0.5	Total: 82 0.3% 7 0.3	9 0.5	14 0.7	5 0.2	5 0.2	2 0.1	7 0.4	5 0.3	5 0.3
WEAPONS			Total: 16 0.1% 1 0.0	1 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1	4 0.2	1 0.0		1 0.1	

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WATER RESCUE											
Total: 3 0.0%											
1 0.0						2 0.1					

Grand Total: 25222
2687 10.7 2269 9.0 2217 8.8 2018 8.0 1831 7.3 2047 8.1 2451 9.7 2385 9.5 2101 8.3 1772 7.0 1861 7.4 1583 6.3

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January Calls	February Day%	March Calls	April Day%	May Calls	June Day%	July Calls	August Calls	September Day%	October Calls	November Day%	December Calls	Day%
CARBON MONOXIDE ALARM			Total:	1 0.0%								
				1 0.0								
DEATH			Total:	43 0.1%								
3 0.1	2 0.1	4 0.1	7 0.3	8 0.3	2 0.1	2 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1	6 0.2	3 0.1	3 0.1	
DISTURBANCE			Total:	248 0.7%								
26 1.1	13 0.5	21 0.6	27 1.0	26 0.9	25 0.9	24 0.8	13 0.4	22 0.7	22 0.7	11 0.4	18 0.8	
DISORDERLY CONDUCT			Total:	14 0.0%								
	2 0.1	1 0.0	1 0.0		1 0.0	1 0.0			4 0.1	4 0.1		
DOMESTIC			Total:	106 0.3%								
4 0.2	13 0.5	7 0.2	6 0.2	5 0.2	4 0.2	12 0.4	8 0.3	7 0.2	15 0.5	13 0.5	12 0.5	
DRUGS			Total:	5 0.0%								
2 0.1		1 0.0			1 0.0					1 0.0		
DUMPING			Total:	9 0.0%								
		1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.0			3 0.1	2 0.1		1 0.0		
DRUNK DRIVING			Total:	1 0.0%								
	1 0.0											
EMS DETAIL			Total:	1 0.0%								
										1 0.0		
ELDERLY AFFAIRS			Total:	23 0.1%								
1 0.0	3 0.1		1 0.0		1 0.0	4 0.1	3 0.1	1 0.0	4 0.1	5 0.2		
MEDICAL CALL			Total:	299 0.9%								
24 1.0	21 0.8	24 0.7	17 0.6	33 1.2	35 1.3	32 1.1	20 0.7	21 0.7	28 0.9	24 0.9	20 0.8	
Firearm Background Check			Total:	412 1.2%								
11 0.5	11 0.4	35 1.1	48 1.8	39 1.4	34 1.3	26 0.9	36 1.2	31 1.0	48 1.6	53 2.0	40 1.7	
FIRE ASSISTANCE			Total:	34 0.1%								
3 0.1	4 0.2	2 0.1	3 0.1	3 0.1	5 0.2	1 0.0	1 0.0	4 0.1		3 0.1	5 0.2	
FIRE			Total:	32 0.1%								
3 0.1	1 0.0	5 0.2	4 0.1	2 0.1	2 0.1	1 0.0	3 0.1	3 0.1	3 0.1	3 0.1	2 0.1	
FOUND PROPERTY			Total:	37 0.1%								
	3 0.1	4 0.1	6 0.2	5 0.2	4 0.2	1 0.0	6 0.2		3 0.1	2 0.1	3 0.1	
FOLLOW-UP			Total:	303 0.9%								
28 1.2	28 1.1	34 1.0	24 0.9	34 1.2	18 0.7	21 0.7	27 0.9	25 0.8	20 0.7	27 1.0	17 0.7	
FRAUD			Total:	138 0.4%								
10 0.4	12 0.5	16 0.5	11 0.4	12 0.4	17 0.6	9 0.3	14 0.5	9 0.3	5 0.2	6 0.2	17 0.7	
FIREWORKS			Total:	31 0.1%								
		1 0.0	1 0.0	3 0.1	3 0.1	13 0.5	4 0.1	3 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1		

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	Day%		Day%		Day%		Day%		Day%		Day%		Day%		Day%		Day%		Day%		
HIGHWAY						Total:	107	0.3%													
	8	0.3		7	0.3		8	0.2		13	0.5		9	0.3		2	0.1		13	0.5	
HEALTH						Total:	2	0.0%													
	1	0.0																	1	0.0	
HOMICIDE						Total:	1	0.0%												1	0.0
911 Hang Up						Total:	102	0.3%													
	9	0.4		5	0.2		12	0.4		11	0.4		10	0.4		13	0.5		12	0.4	
HAZARDOUS MATERIAL						Total:	3	0.0%													
																				1	0.0
INTERNET						Total:	6	0.0%													
LARCENY ATTEMPT						Total:	1	0.0%													
LARCENY						Total:	82	0.2%													
	5	0.2		3	0.1		7	0.2		8	0.3		10	0.4		10	0.4		5	0.2	
LOST / STOLEN ARTICLES						Total:	19	0.1%													
	1	0.0		1	0.0					5	0.2		2	0.1					1	0.0	
LOST / STOLEN PLATES						Total:	25	0.1%													
	2	0.1		3	0.1		3	0.1		1	0.0		1	0.0		2	0.1		1	0.0	
MENTAL HEALTH						Total:	91	0.3%													
	2	0.1		6	0.2		5	0.2		16	0.6		12	0.4		6	0.2		4	0.1	
MISSING PERSON / ABDUCTION						Total:	1	0.0%													
MISSING PERSON						Total:	24	0.1%													
	1	0.0					1	0.0		1	0.0		1	0.0		2	0.1		5	0.2	
MOTOR VEHICLE						Total:	749	2.2%													
	59	2.5		42	1.6		51	1.5		59	2.2		71	2.5		54	2.0		76	2.7	
VEHICLE STOP						Total:	3033	9.1%													
	232	9.8		198	7.6		306	9.3		215	7.9		220	7.8		219	8.2		262	9.2	
NOTIFICATION						Total:	173	0.5%													
	14	0.6		19	0.7		22	0.7		5	0.2		7	0.2		9	0.3		10	0.4	
NUISANCE						Total:	114	0.3%													
	6	0.3		6	0.2		13	0.4		8	0.3		10	0.4		11	0.4		12	0.4	
ORDINANCE VIOLATION						Total:	205	0.6%													
	15	0.6		26	1.0		20	0.6		24	0.9		33	1.2		31	1.2		11	0.4	

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POLICE ASSISTANCE 69 2.9	54 2.1	77 2.3	78 2.9	97 3.4	91 3.4	107 3.8	108 3.6	80 2.6	124 4.2	81 3.0	80 3.4
PROPERTY CHECK 926 39.2	1187 45.3	1459 44.1	1156 42.4	1098 38.8	1102 41.4	1172 41.3	1298 43.8	1295 41.9	1294 43.3	1117 41.5	978 41.3
PERSONNEL			Total: 1	0.0%			1 0.0				
PHONE CALLS			Total: 15	0.0%	2 0.1	2 0.1	2 0.1	1 0.0		3 0.1	2 0.1
POLICE INFORMATION 43 1.8	40 1.5	38 1.1	46 1.7	53 1.9	56 2.1	38 1.3	32 1.1	38 1.2	47 1.6	30 1.1	27 1.1
POLICE INFORMATION NO PRESS			Total: 1	0.0%		1 0.0					
POLICE MUTUAL AID 2 0.1	1 0.0	1 0.0	7 0.3	9 0.3	6 0.2	8 0.3	3 0.1	4 0.1	7 0.2	3 0.1	4 0.2
PORNAGRAPHY 1 0.0			Total: 1	0.0%							
PROPERTY DAMAGE / NON CRIME 5 0.2	8 0.3	5 0.2	4 0.1	15 0.5	8 0.3	9 0.3	6 0.2	14 0.5	3 0.1	5 0.2	6 0.3
RADAR POST 94 4.0	115 4.4	126 3.8	88 3.2	99 3.5	86 3.2	78 2.8	94 3.2	126 4.1	101 3.4	89 3.3	74 3.1
RAPE			Total: 1	0.0%						1 0.0	
VEHICLE REPOSESSION 4 0.2	1 0.0	4 0.1	2 0.1	1 0.0		1 0.0	1 0.0	3 0.1			3 0.1
EMS MUTUAL AID			Total: 1	0.0%	1 0.0						
RUNAWAY			Total: 1	0.0%			1 0.0				
RESTRAINING ORDER 6 0.3	4 0.2	2 0.1	1 0.0	5 0.2	5 0.2	4 0.1	8 0.3	3 0.1	4 0.1	6 0.2	4 0.2
RECOVERED STOLEN MV			Total: 5	0.0%			2 0.1				2 0.1
R U O K 21 0.9	16 0.6	13 0.4	18 0.7	19 0.7	20 0.8	19 0.7	28 0.9	29 0.9	26 0.9	28 1.0	26 1.1
SEX OFFENSE 1 0.0			Total: 3	0.1%	1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.0	3 0.1		1 0.0	

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SHOPLIFTING 5 0.2	6 0.2	6 0.2	1 0.0	4 0.1	2 0.1	2 0.1	3 0.1	1 0.0	4 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1
SHOOTING 1 0.0		2 0.1	Total: 16 0.0%			1 0.0	3 0.1	6 0.2	1 0.0	1 0.0	1 0.0
STOLEN MOTOR VEHICLE 1 0.0	5 0.2	2 0.1	3 0.1	2 0.1	2 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1		4 0.1	3 0.1	2 0.1
SOLICITORS 3 0.1	1 0.0		Total: 19 0.1%	2 0.1	4 0.2	1 0.0	3 0.1	3 0.1		1 0.0	1 0.0
SPECIAL DETAIL 10 0.4	14 0.5	15 0.5	Total: 150 0.4%	9 0.3	20 0.7	11 0.4	11 0.4	7 0.2	18 0.6	15 0.5	11 0.4
STOLEN PROP / RECV / POSS 3 0.1	2 0.1		Total: 15 0.0%	1 0.0	3 0.1		2 0.1	1 0.0	2 0.1		1 0.0
STALKING 1 0.0		3 0.1	Total: 6 0.0%			2 0.1					
STORM DAMAGE 1 0.0			Total: 66 0.2%		1 0.0	8 0.3	3 0.1	8 0.3			45 1.9
SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY 14 0.6	6 0.2	26 0.8	Total: 160 0.5%	12 0.4	16 0.6	22 0.8	11 0.4	13 0.4	9 0.3	14 0.5	11 0.4
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE 6 0.3	7 0.3	11 0.3	Total: 126 0.4%	10 0.4	8 0.3	5 0.2	11 0.4	15 0.5	15 0.5	19 0.6	11 0.4
SUSPICIOUS PERSON 24 1.0	14 0.5	11 0.3	Total: 147 0.4%	10 0.4	9 0.3	9 0.3	10 0.4	16 0.5	13 0.4	10 0.3	10 0.4
TRAFFIC COMPLAINT 2 0.1	10 0.4	8 0.2	Total: 81 0.2%	8 0.3	10 0.4	5 0.2	8 0.3	7 0.2	11 0.4	5 0.2	4 0.1
THREATS 3 0.1	6 0.2	10 0.3	Total: 71 0.2%	5 0.2	6 0.2	10 0.4	6 0.2	6 0.2	4 0.1	9 0.3	3 0.1
TOWED MOTOR VEHICLE 1 0.0			Total: 14 0.0%		2 0.1		4 0.1	1 0.0		2 0.1	3 0.1
TRAFFIC 288 12.2	357 13.6	480 14.5	Total: 4120 12.3%	380 13.9	393 13.9	348 13.1	333 11.7	378 12.8	375 12.1	301 10.1	290 10.8
TRESPASSING 1 0.0		1 0.0	Total: 6 0.0%		1 0.0		1 0.0		1 0.0		1 0.0
VANDALISM 2 0.1	1 0.0	10 0.3	Total: 73 0.2%	4 0.1	8 0.3	6 0.2	12 0.4	11 0.4	7 0.2	3 0.1	7 0.3
VEHICLE FIRE 1 0.0		1 0.0	Total: 5 0.0%	1 0.0	1 0.0		1 0.0				2 0.1

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Calls	Day%	Calls	Day%	Calls	Day%	Calls	Day%	Calls	Day%	Calls	Day%
Police Vehicle Inspection			Total:	2320	6.9%						
168	7.1	178	6.8	210	6.4	189	6.9	199	7.0	190	7.1
WARRANTS			Total:	68	0.2%						
13	0.6	4	0.2	8	0.2	2	0.1	5	0.2	8	0.3
WEAPONS			Total:	19	0.1%						
				2	0.1	4	0.1	1	0.0		
WATER RESCUE			Total:	3	0.0%						
1	0.0					1	0.0				
Grand Total: 33440											
2363	7.1	2618	7.8	3307	9.9	2725	8.1	2828	8.5	2659	8.0
2835	8.5	2963	8.9	3094	9.3	2987	8.9	2692	8.1	2369	7.1



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