

Calls for Service

Public Safety Subcommittee Meeting December 8, 2021

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Workgroup

- Twelve-member committee formed in February
 - Patrol
 - Investigations
 - Dispatch
 - Records
 - Traffic
 - Fire Department

Guiding Considerations

- The police department's mission
- What are we trained to do well and where is our expertise
- Does the liability or risk to safety associated with the call outweigh the benefits to the department and the community
- What is the community expectation of how we best use our resources
- Who will be impacted by our decisions
- Who is missing from the discussion
- What are our resources and models
- Can or should the call be handled by another public or private agency
- Is it an efficient and effective use of resources to continue responding considering staffing shortages

Results

- Suspicious Persons and Vehicles
- Vandalism
- Theft and Burglary
- Found Property
- Noise and Party Calls
- Check the Welfare
- Non-Injury Collisions
- DUI and Reckless Driving
- Parking Violations
- Juvenile Parenting Problems
- Homeless

Calls by the Numbers

	2019	2021
Susp. Person/Vehicle	6,949	3,367
Vandalism	657	369
Theft and Burglary	3,555	1,635
Found Property	894	382
Noise and Party	1,587	1,039
Check the Welfare	6,109	3,229
Non-injury Collisions	2,521	1,187
DUI/Reckless Driving	756	319
Homeless	<u>15,040</u>	8,742
	38,068	20,269

Questions?

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