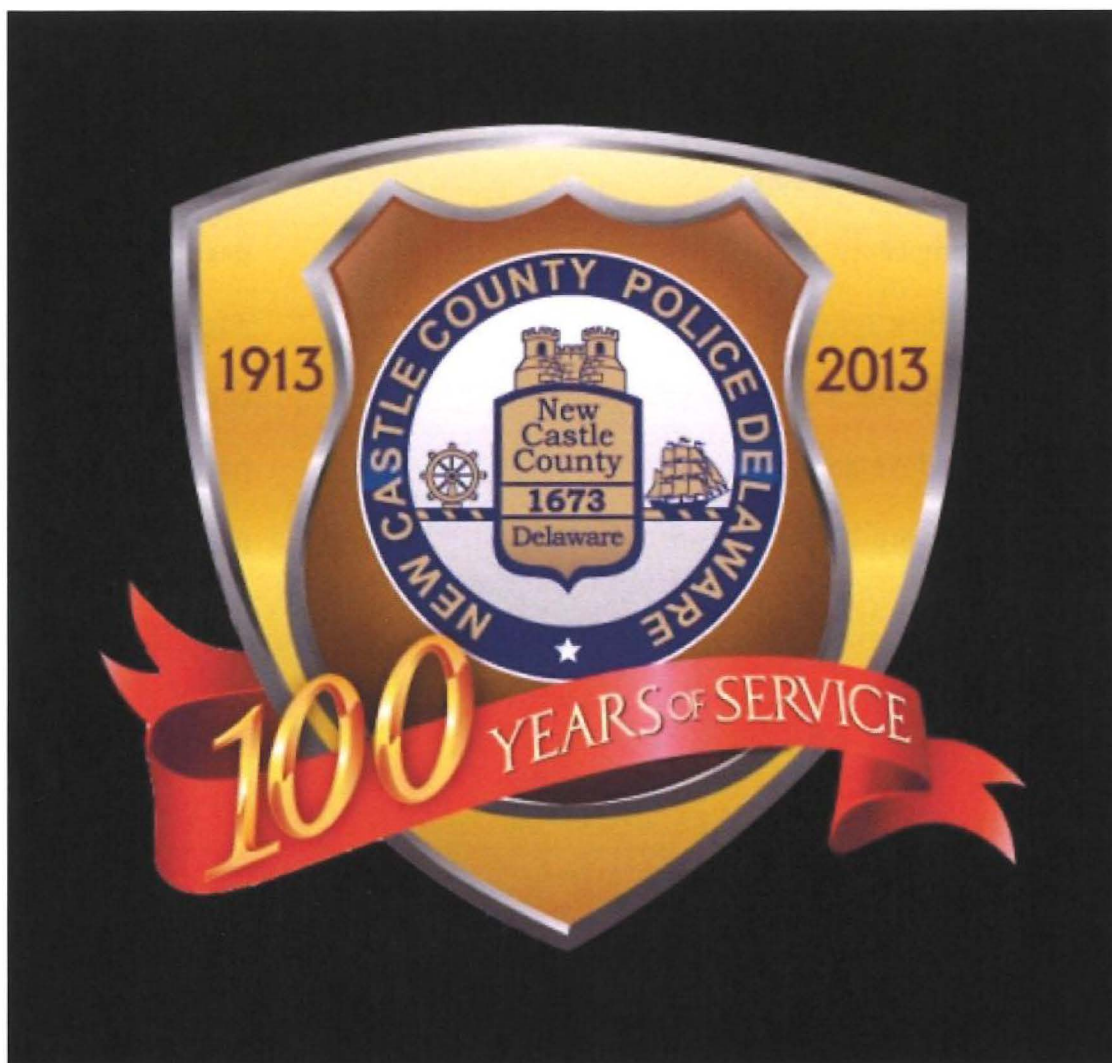


# ***2022 Annual Internal Investigations Report***



*New Castle County Division of Police*

*Prepared by the Professional Standards Unit*

**I. Division-Wide Internal Investigations**

During the period of January 1 to December 31, 2022, the Division of Police conducted fifty-six (56) internal investigations which is forty (40) less than the ninety-six (96) investigations conducted in 2021.

**Division of Police Investigations**

There were fifty-six (56) Division of Police complaints investigated in 2022. These investigations are broken down by type and finding, as well as by sub-class.

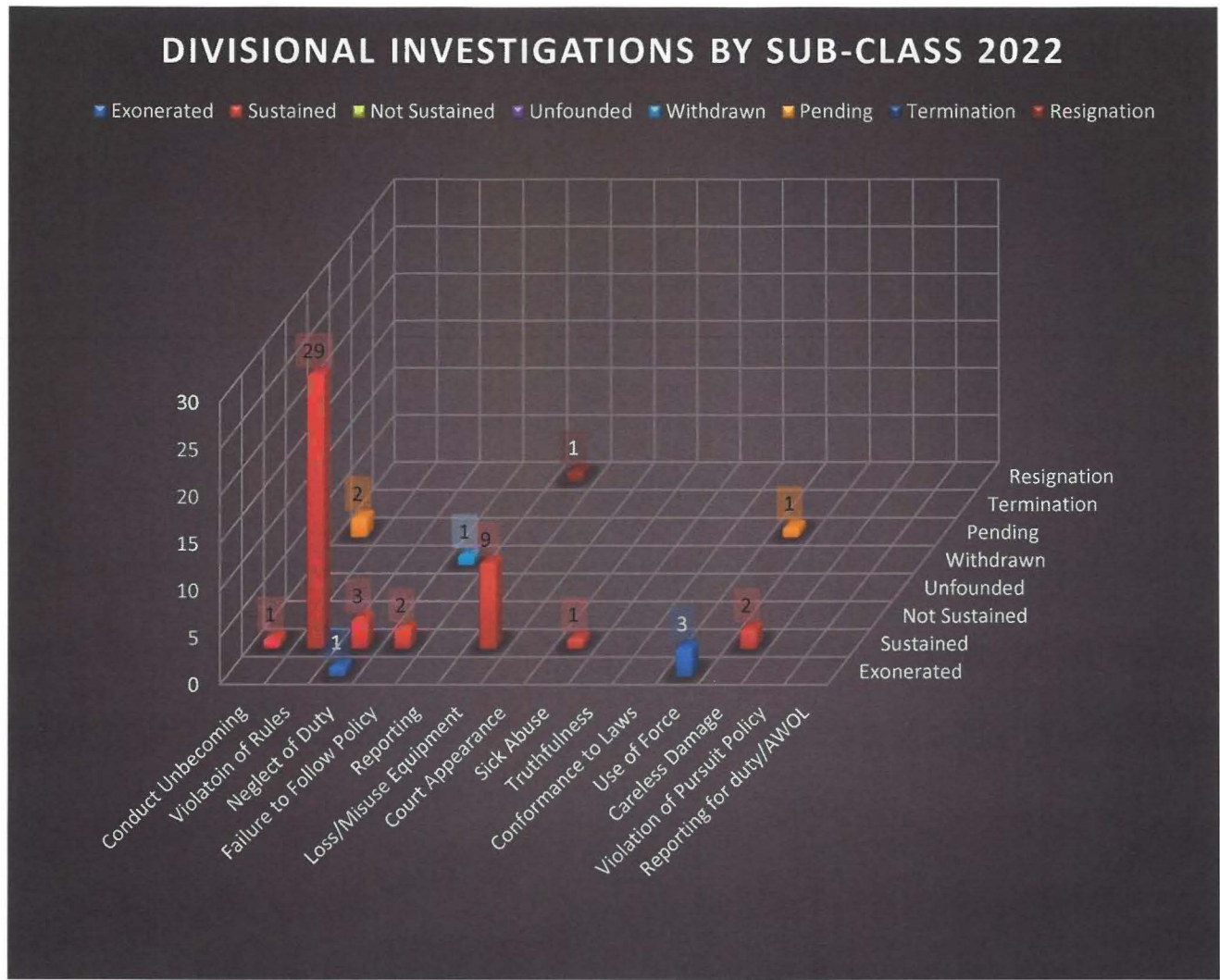
**Divisional Investigations by Type and Finding – 2022**

<b>Type of Complaint</b>	<b>Exonerated</b>	<b>Sustained</b>	<b>Withdrawn</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Resignation</b>	<b>Not Sust.</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Termination</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Admin</b>		12			1				12
<b>Conduct</b>	4	4		3					11
<b>Policy</b>		32	1						33

**Divisional Investigations by Sub-Class – 2022**

<b>Type of Complaint</b>	<b>Exonerated</b>	<b>Sustained</b>	<b>Withdrawn</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Resignation</b>	<b>Not Sust.</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Termination</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Conduct Unbecoming</b>		1		2					3
<b>Violation of Rules</b>		29							29
<b>Neglect of Duty</b>	1	3							4
<b>Failure to Follow Policy</b>		2	1						3
<b>Reporting</b>					1				1
<b>Loss/Misuse Equipment</b>		9							9
<b>Court Appearance</b>									
<b>Sick Abuse</b>		1							1
<b>Truthfulness</b>									
<b>Conformance To Laws</b>									
<b>Use of Force</b>	3			1					4
<b>Careless Damage</b>		2							2
<b>Violation of Pursuit Policy</b>									
<b>Reporting for duty /AWOL</b>									

Section I, Divisional Investigations by Sub-Class Chart





### V. Citizen Complaints

In 2022 there were sixty-one (61) citizen complaints investigated by the Division. This is an increase of twelve (12) citizen complaints compared to the forty-nine (49) citizen complaints investigated in 2021.

#### *Citizen Complaints by Type and Finding – 2022*

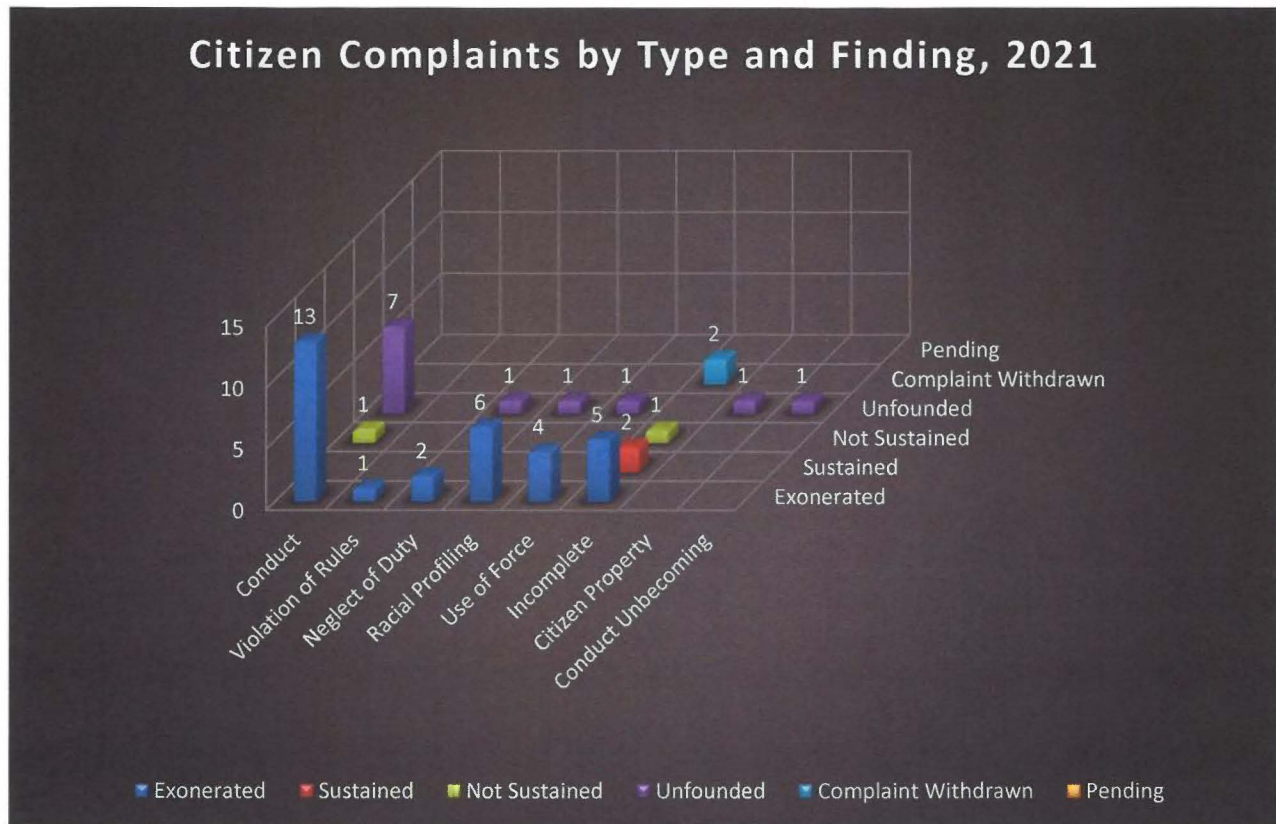
<b>Type of Complaint</b>	<b>Exonerated</b>	<b>Sustained</b>	<b>Not Sustained</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Complaint Withdrawn</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Total by Type of Complaint</b>
<b>Conduct towards public</b>	17	2	2	4			25
<b>Violation of Rules</b>	2	2	3	1	1		9
<b>Neglect of Duty</b>			1				1
<b>Racial Profiling</b>	2						2
<b>Use of Force</b>	7						7
<b>Incomplete /Inaccurate Investigation</b>	9	1	1	2		1	14
<b>Citizen Property</b>		1					1
<b>Conduct Unbecoming</b>	1	1					2
<b>Total by Finding</b>	38	7	7	7	1	1	61

In 2021 there were forty-nine (49) citizen complaints investigated by the Division.

#### *Citizen Complaints by Type and Finding – 2021*

<b>Type of Complaint</b>	<b>Exonerated</b>	<b>Sustained</b>	<b>Not Sustained</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Complaint Withdrawn</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Total by Type of Complaint</b>
<b>Conduct towards public</b>	13		1	7			21
<b>Violation of Rules</b>	1						1
<b>Neglect of Duty</b>	2			1			3
<b>Racial Profiling</b>	6			1			7
<b>Use of Force</b>	4			1			5
<b>Incomplete /Inaccurate Investigation</b>	5	2	1		2		10
<b>Citizen Property</b>				1			1
<b>Conduct Unbecoming</b>				1			1
<b>Total by Finding</b>	31	2	2	12	2	0	49

Section V, Citizen Complaints by Type and Findings Chart, 2021



Section V, Citizen Complaints by Type and Findings Chart, 2022

