

Peoria Police Department Annual Report



2025

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Message from Chief of Police

As the Chief of Police, I am honored to present the Peoria Police Department's 2025 Annual Report.

This year has been one of meaningful progress, bold growth, and steadfast commitment to the community we are privileged to serve. When I reflect on all that we accomplished in 2025, I am filled with pride, not only in what we achieved as an organization but in the people who made it possible. Every milestone in this report is a direct reflection of the dedication, professionalism, and heart of the men and women of the Peoria Police Department. That commitment has not only shaped who we are today but also continues to drive our growth and readiness for the future.

Public safety is never static. The needs of our community continue to evolve, and so must we. In 2025, we embraced that responsibility with purpose and determination by launching Peoria's first Real Time Crime Center and Aviation Unit. These initiatives enhanced our ability to respond to emergencies, support officers in the field, locate those in need, provide support during complex incidents, and better serve our community through improved technology, intelligence, and operational capabilities. More than new programs, they represent lasting investments in safety, service, and the future of our city. This year also marked a major achievement in our pursuit of excellence as we earned accreditation through the Arizona Law Enforcement Accreditation Program. This distinction represents far more than meeting a standard. It reflects a deep organizational commitment to accountability, professionalism, and continuous improvement. It demonstrates to our community that we hold ourselves to the highest expectations and remain dedicated to earning and keeping their trust.

One of the accomplishments that stands out most to me this past year was our role in helping advance House Bill 2387 to address cryptocurrency-related fraud. Through the work of our Financial Crimes Unit and our partnerships with AARP and state legislators, our department helped bring meaningful consumer protections to communities across Arizona. This effort is a powerful reminder that local law enforcement can make an impact far beyond city limits when we combine expertise, advocacy, and collaboration.

Just as important as the progress we made externally is the work we did within our own department. We introduced our civilian Police Investigators Program

expanding the department's investigative capacity while simultaneously improving service. Additionally, we established a new training program for all sergeant candidates grounding our future leaders in Leadership, Excellence, Accountability, and Development (L.E.A.D.).

Each of these accomplishments reflect our beliefs that a strong department is built by investing in people, because our greatest strength has always been, and will always be, our personnel.

At the center of everything we do are the values that define us: Passion, Pride, and Purpose.

Passion is the commitment our employees bring each day, even in the face of uncertainty, danger, and challenge. It is the drive to serve others selflessly with courage and compassion.

Pride is the honor our people feel in wearing this badge and serving the Peoria community. It is reflected in their integrity, professionalism, and the trust they work every day to build.

Purpose is what guides us forward. It reminds us that our work is about more than responding to calls or enforcing laws. It is about making a difference in people's lives, strengthening our community, and leaving Peoria safer and stronger for the next generation.

I am deeply grateful to the residents of Peoria for their continued support and trust. I am equally grateful to the men and women of this department, whose character and commitment inspire me every day. It is an honor to serve alongside them. Together, we are not only meeting the challenges of today; we are building the future of public safety, in Peoria, for tomorrow.



Thomas Intrieri, Chief of Police





PEORIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

Vision Statement

We serve our community with dignity, equity, and fairness by protecting life, building trust through transparency, and accountability, and delivering professional public safety services through continuous training, community partnerships, and responsible innovation.

Mission Statement

To be a trusted, community-reflective police department, safeguarding life, reducing crime and traffic harm, supporting victims and vulnerable people, strengthening partnerships, investing in wellness, and leading with transparent, privacy-conscious technology.

Core Tenants



Protect Life
Preserve Peace
Protect Property




Motto

Passion ♦ Pride ♦ Purpose



Peoria Police Dept. 2025 Quick Overview



Total Calls for Service 

93,230

Total 911 Calls Taken 

80,755

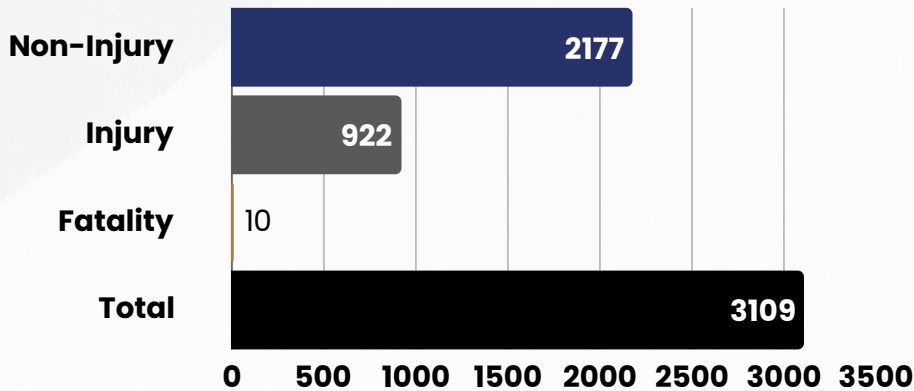
Total Arrests 

5,282

Total Property Intake 

11,214

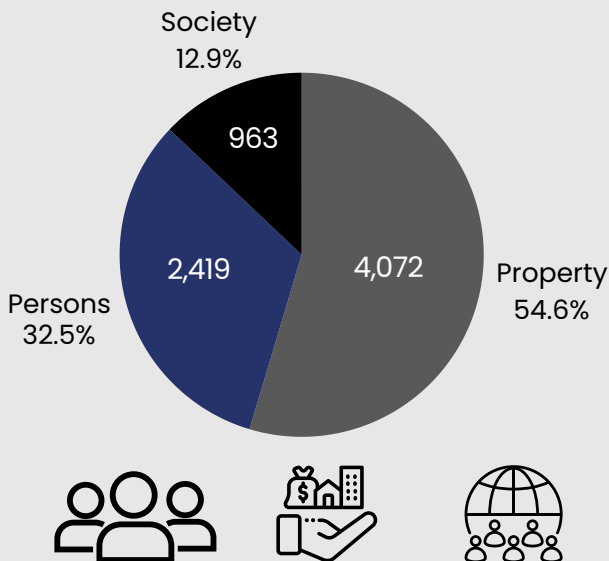
Investigated Traffic Collisions



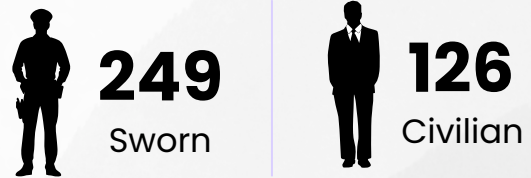
2024 to 2025 Statistical Change

- Non-Injury: ↓ 0.9%
- Injury: ↓ 6.4%
- Total: ↓ 2.8%
- Fatality: ↓ 33.3%

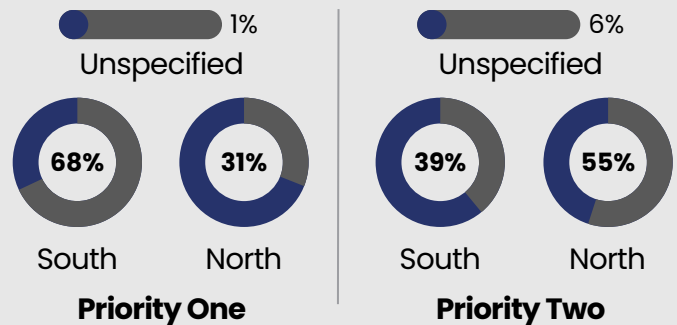
National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS)



Authorized Personnel



Priority Call Percentages



Organizational Leadership



Thomas Intrieri
Chief of Police



Doug Steele
Assistant Chief



Yvette Zayas
Assistant Chief



Jason Christofferson
Commander



Greg Larson
Commander



Kevin Moran
Commander



James Schmidt
Commander



Craig Stefick
Commander



Jason Tarrant
Commander



Chris Webb
Lieutenant



James Willis
Lieutenant



Brittany Brunet
Manager



John Naehrbass
Lieutenant



Heather Camaratta
Manager



Jeff Carpenter
Lieutenant



Steve Petraglia
Lieutenant



Kevin Tarrant
Lieutenant



Michael Faith
Lieutenant



Heather Morrell
Manager



Brandon Sheffert
Lieutenant



John Abbas
Lieutenant



Justin Feagan
Lieutenant

Organizational Chart & Overview



Thomas Intriери
Chief of Police

Executive Assistant

Community Relations Unit
Supervised by Sergeant
• Media Relations
• Community Engagement

Operations Bureau
Assistant Chief Yvette Zayas

Professional Standards Division
Supervised by Cmdr. Schmidt
Recruitment Reserve Officers

Hiring & Recruitment Section
Supervised by Manager
Recruitment Reserve Officers

Employee Development & Accountability Section
Supervised by Lieutenant
Training Employee Wellness Professional Standards

Crime Analysis Unit
Supervised by Supervisor

Policy & Accreditation

North Patrol Precinct Division
Supervised by Cmdr. Christofferson
Patrol Days Patrol Swings Patrol Graves Community Action Team Volunteers Special Projects Management

South Patrol Precinct Division
Supervised by Cmdr. Larson
Patrol Days Patrol Swings Patrol Graves Police Service Officers Animal Control

Support Services Bureau
Assistant Chief Douglas Steele

Criminal Investigations Division
Supervised by Cmdr. Steffick

Family Investigations Section
Supervised by Lieutenant
Special Victims Domestic Violence Police Investigators ICAC/HEAT Victim Assistance Forensic Services

Criminal Investigations Section
Supervised by Lieutenant
Major Crimes Special Investigations Digital Forensics Financial Crimes Case Management

Police Services Division
Supervised by Cmdr. Moran

Communications Section
Supervised by Manager
Communications Days Communications Swings Communications Graves

Property & Evidence Unit
Supervised by Supervisor

Records Management Section
Supervised by Supervisor

Technical Services Section
Supervised by Manager
Financial Services Technology Services Supply Services

| | Authorized | Filled | Vacant |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| Sworn - Reserves | - | 8 | - |
| Volunteers | - | | |
| Total - Volunteer | | | |
| Sworn - Recruit | - | 10 | - |
| Sworn (Non-Supervisory) | 188 | 173 | 5 |
| Sworn - Sergeants | 33 | 33 | 0 |
| Sworn - Lieutenants | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| Sworn - Commanders | 6 | 6 | 0 |
| Sworn - Assistant Chief | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Sworn - Chief | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Total - Sworn | 240 | 235 | 5 |
| Civilian (Non-Supervisory) | 116 | 106 | 10 |
| Civilian - Supervisor | 16 | 16 | 0 |
| Civilian - Manager | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Total - Civilian | 135 | 125 | 10 |
| Total FTEs | 375 | 360 | 15 |

Growth & Accomplishments



Peoria Detectives Help Advance HB 2387

On May 12, 2025, Arizona House Bill 2387 was signed into law by Governor Hobbs and took effect on September 26, 2025. The legislation represents a major statewide effort to curb cryptocurrency-related fraud and was advanced through a partnership between the Peoria Police Department, AARP, and

Arizona State Legislature. During the 2025 legislative session, Detectives M. Finney and R. Miller from Peoria PD's Financial Crimes Unit along with Chief T. Intriери testified, highlighting the need for stronger consumer protections and earning broad bipartisan support.

HB 2387 includes key safeguards:

- Transaction Limits: \$2,000 daily limit for new customers and \$10,500 for existing customers.
- Mandatory Refunds: Full refunds, including fees, when a transaction is confirmed fraudulent, and a police report is filed.
- Receipt Requirements: Kiosks must provide a physical or digital receipt with customer service contacts, a business address for complaints, and a fraud advisory directing victims to law enforcement or the Attorney General's Office.

Peoria PD also partnered with the City's Code Compliance Division to ensure all cryptocurrency ATM kiosks within city limits are properly licensed and not operating under a host business's license.

Real Time Crime Center (RTCC) Goes Live

In March 2025, the Department formally opened its first Real Time Crime Center, a state-of-the-art facility designed to enhance crime prevention, response, and investigative capabilities through real-time data and analytics. Located along Lake Pleasant Parkway, the RTCC centralizes technology and personnel to monitor high-crime areas, support active incidents, and coordinate resources during major public events.



The center strengthens officer safety and decision-making by providing immediate access to integrated camera systems, data platforms, and situational intelligence. Early successes include assisting officers in locating a shoplifting suspect with support from Air-1, as well as identifying a catalytic-converter theft suspect using RTCC camera feeds.

The project was made possible through an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Arizona Department of Public Safety, which contributed \$2.6 million toward equipping and operating the facility.



Peoria's Aviation Unit Goes Live

In June 2025, the City of Peoria introduced its first Aviation Unit and unveiled a new Bell 505 helicopter, expanding the city's public safety capabilities and strengthening regional support across the West Valley. The initiative advances the City Council's Public Safety strategic priority and was funded through \$3.5 million in state appropriations secured to establish the program.

The Bell 505 enhances emergency response, search and rescue operations, and real-time situational awareness for both Police and Fire-Medical personnel. The unit operates from the Glendale Municipal Airport, with phased deployment planned through October 2025.

The Aviation Unit is designed to improve response times, support complex incidents, and provide aerial assistance during critical events such as missing-person searches, high-risk calls, and major emergencies. It will also be available to assist neighboring West Valley agencies when requested and resources allow.

Peoria PD Earns Initial State Accreditation

In January 2025, the Department achieved full accreditation through the Arizona Law Enforcement Accreditation Program (ALEAP), marking a significant milestone in its commitment to professional excellence and organizational accountability. This four-year accreditation confirms the Department's adherence to statewide best-practice standards in areas such as policy development, operational procedures, training, and community engagement. The accomplishment reflects a multi-year effort to strengthen internal systems, align practices with recognized benchmarks, and ensure consistent, high-quality service to the community. It also positions the Department among Arizona's leading law enforcement agencies, making Peoria one of only two agencies in the state to hold dual accreditation through both ALEAP (state) and CALEA (national). This distinction underscores our commitment to continuous improvement, transparency, and accountable policing.



Civilian Police Investigators Program Introduced

Created to expand investigative capacity by assigning trained civilian staff to handle non-priority cases, respond to citizens, improve efficiency, and allow sworn officers to remain focused on higher-risk incidents.

New Candidate Sergeant Training Established

A leadership development initiative for sergeants, built on the principles of Leadership, Excellence, Accountability, and Development (LEAD), strengthening supervisory responsibility, integrity, collaboration, and overall team performance.

Department Calls for Service Highlights

AIR-1 Assists Officers With Locating Missing Endangered Juvenile

During a daytime training flight, the aviation unit assisted ground officers who were searching for a missing endangered juvenile who had left a group home after making statements of self-harm. The air unit quickly located the juvenile hiding behind a large sign and guided officers to her. She admitted to ingesting several pills in an attempt to harm herself. Fire-medical personnel provided immediate care and advised that without the rapid location and response, the juvenile likely would not have survived.

Teamwork Leads to Suspect Capture

After a shoplifting suspect fled in a potentially stolen vehicle, the Real-Time Crime Center (RTCC) tracked the vehicle using camera technology. The aviation unit located the vehicle parked in a neighborhood, allowing patrol, detectives, and K9 units to establish containment. The suspect was found hiding in a shed, and a firearm was recovered. The suspect was safely taken into custody and transported for medical evaluation. This incident showcased excellent coordination across multiple units.

Collaboration Leads to Arrest in Catalytic Converter Theft

A witness reported a catalytic converter theft and provided a detailed description of the suspect vehicle. RTCC personnel quickly tracked the vehicle's movements, enabling patrol officers to locate it and conduct a traffic stop. A stolen catalytic converter and dangerous drugs were recovered. The driver, who had ingested narcotics, was transported for medical care before being booked. This case highlights strong teamwork and rapid information sharing.

Live Feed Assists in School Fight Response

RTCC personnel assisted during a school fight by accessing a live body-worn camera feed to assess the situation and support responding officers. As the incident escalated, officers coordinated their response to ensure the safety of students and staff. This event demonstrated the department's ability to leverage technology for rapid, effective incident management.

Team Effort Leads to Swift Arrest

Officers responded to a domestic violence incident where a suspect had threatened the victim. After the suspect fled before police arrival, officers used a drone to clear the residence and ensure the victim's safety. Later that night, patrol officers located the suspect at a nearby business through strong beat knowledge and tactical awareness. The suspect was arrested without requiring a large-scale callout, demonstrating proactive and efficient police work.

Persistence and Teamwork Bring Justice to Juvenile Victim

Officers responded to a report of a juvenile who had been assaulted by a family member. Detectives secured statements and video evidence confirming the assault. Through coordinated efforts between investigative units, patrol, and tactical teams, the suspect was located the following day and arrested during a traffic stop. This case reflects the dedication and collaboration that ensured justice for the victim.

Department Calls for Service Highlights

Patrol & RTCC Assist in Silver Alert

RTCC personnel received an alert from a camera system regarding a missing endangered adult. Officers searched the area but were initially unable to locate the vehicle. Later, another alert was received, and patrol officers located the individual, who was safely turned over to another agency and family members. This incident demonstrated strong interagency communication and persistence.

Multiple Resources Utilized During Road Rage Incident

Officers responded to an aggravated assault involving a firearm during a road rage incident. RTCC personnel tracked the involved vehicles and provided real-time updates. The aviation unit located the suspect vehicle at a residence, and officers took the suspect into custody after he admitted involvement. Two firearms were recovered. This case highlighted coordinated efforts across patrol, RTCC, and investigative units.

Partnership Assists in Major Burglary Investigation

RTCC personnel assisted another agency with a series of high-value commercial burglaries. Through detailed analysis, investigators identified a suspect vehicle that used both legitimate and fictitious license plates. This key discovery led to the identification of a local suspect. A search warrant resulted in the recovery of extensive evidence linking the suspect to the crimes. This case demonstrated exceptional investigative insight and interagency cooperation.

Cybertip Leads to Major Investigation

Detectives conducted an extensive investigation into a subject uploading child sexual abuse material. Multiple search warrants and surveillance operations led to the suspect's arrest. Evidence included numerous illegal images and communications with minors. The case involved collaboration across several specialized units and resulted in the suspect facing more than 40 felony charges.

Assistance Provided to Elderly Fraud Victim

An elderly victim reported fraudulent charges after her wallet was stolen. Police Investigators quickly identified two suspects by recognizing patterns linked to similar cases. Their work advanced the investigation and helped prevent additional victimization. This case reflects the department's commitment to protecting vulnerable community members.

Swift Response Leads to Arrest in Domestic Violence Incident

Officers responded to a 911 call involving a suspect attempting to break into a residence. Evidence of forced entry was found, and officers initiated a phone ping to locate the victim. RTCC personnel flagged the suspect's vehicle, which was later located through camera alerts. Officers conducted a traffic stop and safely took the suspect into custody. The victim and child were located with visible injuries and received medical care. This case demonstrated rapid coordination across patrol, RTCC, detectives, and victim services.

Department Calls for Service Highlights

Domestic Violence Suspect Apprehended

Officers responded to a domestic violence incident where the suspect fled on foot. RTCC personnel monitored camera systems, and officers reviewed surveillance footage showing the suspect hiding in a truck bed. With assistance from the aviation unit, officers safely took the suspect into custody. This incident demonstrated strong coordination between patrol, RTCC, and aviation resources.

Coordinated Effort Leads to Arrest of Sex Offender

Detectives established probable cause against a suspect involved in unlawful contact with a minor. Surveillance and tactical support led to the suspect's safe arrest. Additional electronic evidence and a confession were obtained. The suspect was booked on multiple felony charges. This case highlights effective collaboration between investigative and tactical units.

Officers Intervene to Protect Child During Welfare Check

Officers responded to a welfare check involving a frightened child who had been hiding outside. After interviewing the child privately, officers learned of ongoing abuse and neglect. Detectives and child safety personnel responded, and medical staff confirmed signs of malnourishment and physical abuse. The child and a sibling were placed in foster care. This case underscores the department's compassionate and decisive response to protect vulnerable children.

Cold Case Break – Suspect Arrested 26 Years Later

Detectives assisted an out-of-state agency with the arrest of a suspect linked to a 1999 sexual assault through a recent DNA match. A coordinated operation involving multiple units resulted in the suspect's safe apprehension during a traffic stop. This arrest brought long-awaited justice to the victim after more than two decades.

Police Services Officers Assist Stranded Family

Police Services Officers assisted a stranded family whose vehicle had a flat tire and was blocking traffic. They quickly changed the tire and ensured the family could safely continue home. Their actions turned a stressful situation into a positive experience for the family.

Quick Response Locates Suspect in Carjacking

Officers responded to a carjacking involving a suspect who forcibly took a vehicle from an acquaintance. Detectives located the vehicle and identified the suspect entering a residence. With support from tactical units, aviation, dispatch, and animal control, the suspect was safely taken into custody and booked on multiple felony charges.

Stolen Vehicle Recovered Across State Lines

Investigators coordinated with multiple agencies across several states after a stolen vehicle's tracking device indicated it was moving north. The vehicle was eventually recovered in Utah with altered registration and burglary tools inside. This case demonstrated strong interagency cooperation and persistence.

Department Calls for Service Highlights

Aviation Assists in Stolen Vehicle Investigation

The aviation unit assisted another agency after a stolen vehicle fled from officers. The air unit tracked the vehicle across multiple areas until the driver abandoned it and attempted to flee. Officers safely took the suspect into custody. This incident highlighted the aviation unit's value to regional partners.

Cargo Theft Investigation Leads to Major Recovery

Officers responded to a cargo theft involving a shipment fraudulently redirected to Peoria. Detectives identified suspects who had offloaded most of the stolen product. In a related case, detectives intercepted another diverted shipment containing over 41,000 pounds of copper wire valued at approximately \$200,000. Both individuals involved cooperated with investigators. These cases demonstrated strong teamwork between investigative units and patrol.

Detectives and Probation Address Nuisance Residence

Detectives partnered with probation officers to address a residence associated with ongoing criminal activity. With aviation support monitoring the area, officers contacted numerous individuals on the property, several of whom had outstanding warrants. Community members expressed appreciation for addressing the ongoing issues. This operation showcased strong collaboration and problem-solving.

K9 Tracks Fleeing Suspect After Crime Spree

Officers responded to multiple related incidents involving a stolen vehicle, a hit-and-run, and an attempted carjacking. A perimeter was established, and a K9 team tracked the suspect through a greenbelt, where he was located and taken into custody. This case highlighted effective coordination between patrol, K9, aviation, and neighboring agencies.



Retirements



Marcel Spaulding
DEPUTY CHIEF



Seth Bigalow
POLICE SERGEANT



Hayato Scheideman
POLICE SERGEANT



Norman Bacon
POLICE OFFICER



Steve Cusumano
POLICE OFFICER



David Fernandez
POLICE OFFICER



Matthew Hebard
DETECTIVE



Sara Pontrelli
ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT II



Sherril Rasmussen
911 DISPATCHER



Tomoki Scheideman
POLICE OFFICER



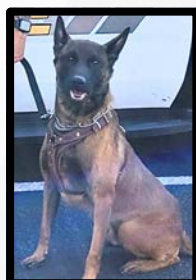
Lisa Schember
POLICE OFFICER



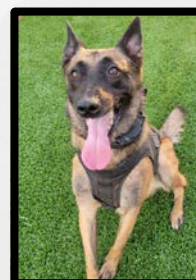
Matthew Trujillo
POLICE OFFICER



William Weigt
POLICE INVEST.
OFFICER



K9 DEXTER
DUAL PURPOSE



K9 ROXI
DUAL PURPOSE

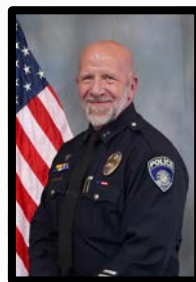
Promotions



Yvette Zayas
ASSISTANT CHIEF



Craig Stefick
COMMANDER



Jason Tarrant
COMMANDER



John Abbas
LIEUTENANT



Justin Feagan
LIEUTENANT



Brandon Sheffert
LIEUTENANT



Michael Finney
SERGEANT



Michael Griffin
SERGEANT



Jake Grimsrud
SERGEANT



Zachary Lekan
SERGEANT



Shane Lump
SERGEANT



Kyle Trouton
SERGEANT



Samantha Wright
SERGEANT



Kelsi Nowak
COMMUNICATIONS
SUPERVISOR



Donna Rand
POLICE SERVICES
SUPERVISOR



Aurelia Storino
LEAD POLICE
SUPPORT ASSISTANT

Community Engagement Highlights

JANUARY

L.E.T.R. Softball Tournament



FEBRUARY

Dog Man Movie Party



MARCH

Cheyenne Bike Rodeo



APRIL

13th Annual Battle of the Badges



MAY

37th Annual D.C. Candelight Vigil



JUNE

Splish Splash at Pioneer Park

Community Engagement Highlights

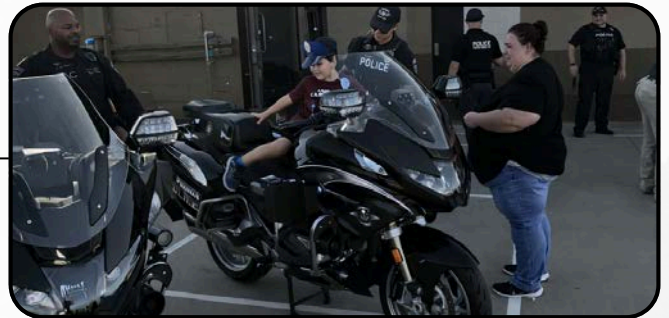
JULY

All American Festival



AUGUST

Custard with Cops



SEPTEMBER

STEAM Night at Country Meadows



OCTOBER

Monster Bash



NOVEMBER

4th Annual Ruby Bridges Walk



DECEMBER

Shop With A Cop



Office of the Chief

The Office of the Chief provides strategic leadership and direction for the department, supported by the Executive Assistant, Community Relations Sergeant, and Unit. This office ensures effective communication, fosters community partnerships, and advances organizational priorities through transparency, engagement, and responsive leadership.

Bureau Functions

Executive Assistant

Community Relations Unit

Community Relations

The Community Relations Unit (CRU) plays a critical role in strengthening connections between the Peoria Police Department and the community through outreach, education, and engagement. In the past year, CRU attended 92 events and experienced approximately 35.2% increase in community requests, reflecting both growing demand and community trust. The unit also expanded its presence at city-sponsored events, enhancing collaboration and increasing opportunities to connect with residents. These efforts support the sharing of public safety information and help build meaningful relationships. CRU's success is supported by strong partnerships with Motor Units, Patrol Units, and Technical Support Team (TST), whose assistance is essential at many events. The unit remains committed to transparency, trust, and meeting the evolving needs of the community.

Engagement Highlights

The Community Relations Unit (CRU) remained actively engaged throughout 2025, supporting a wide range of community events and initiatives. Efforts included career fairs, youth outreach, school events, and programs such as Coffee with a Cop, Ice Cream with Cops, and Police Citizens Academy. CRU also participated in department ceremonies, holiday events, and large-scale gatherings like G.A.I.N., Parkfest, and Shop with a Cop. These efforts highlight CRU's continued commitment to strengthening community partnerships and public trust.



Unit Responsibilities Include:

- Media Releases & Inquiries
- Media Interviews
- FOIA Requests
- Community Outreach Events
- Social Media Management
- Volunteers
- Crime Prevention (CPTED)
- Block Watch
- Community Engagement Requests
- Citizens Police Academy
- Work with Peoria Police Citizen Academy Alumni (PPCAA)



Operations Bureau

The Operations Bureau serves as the backbone of the department's daily functions, encompassing both Patrol Divisions and the Professional Standards Division. Through proactive enforcement, community engagement, and a commitment to accountability and excellence, the bureau ensures effective service delivery while upholding the highest standards of professionalism and integrity.

Bureau Functions

Professional Standards Division

North Patrol Division

South Patrol Division

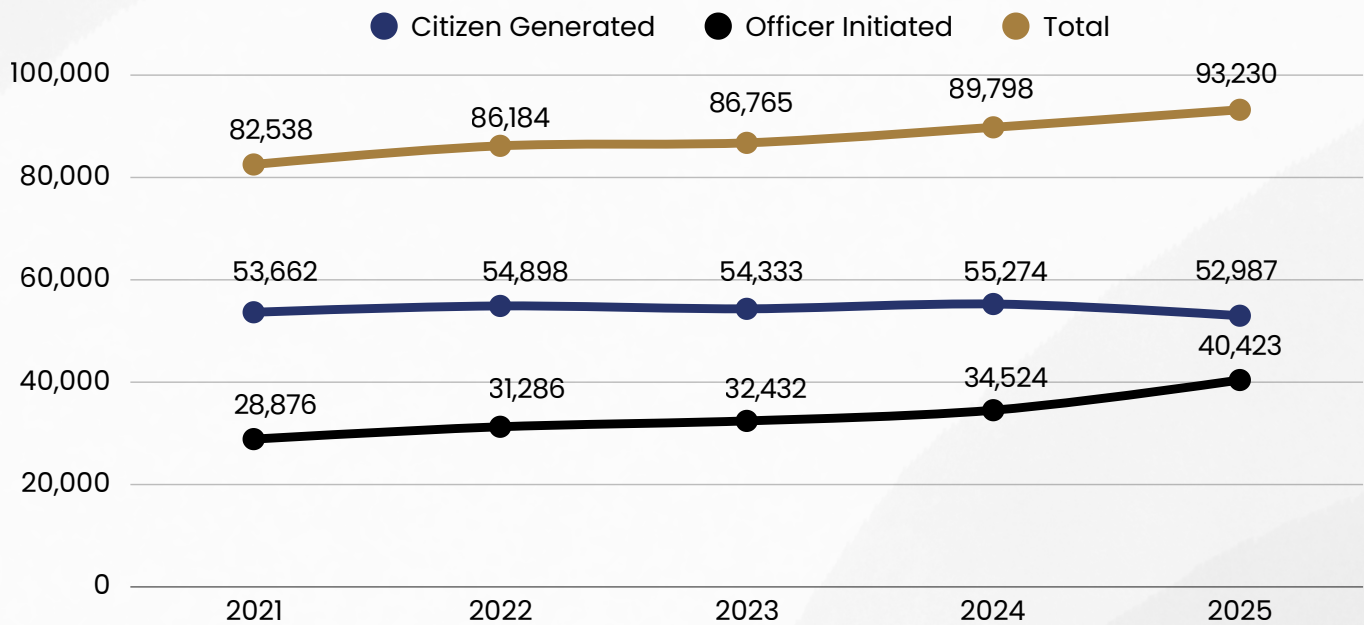
Patrol Operations

Patrol Operations provides 24/7 law enforcement coverage, responding to emergency and routine calls for service while supporting public safety and crime prevention. The division emphasizes timely response, proactive policing, problem-solving, and coordination with specialized units, while also engaging in community outreach to strengthen relationships. Patrol remains adaptable to changing call volumes, special events, and critical incidents, maintaining professionalism through ongoing training and a continued focus on officer safety and service delivery.

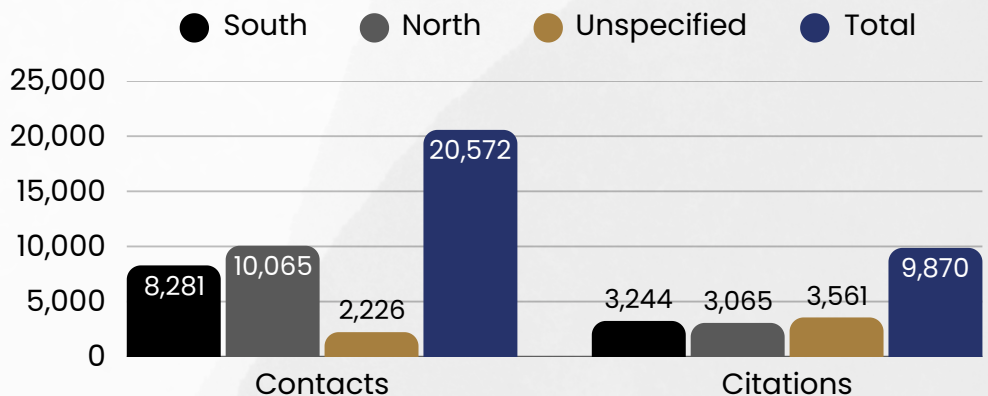
December 2025 Patrol Staffing

| Precinct | Current | Authorized | Position |
|----------|---------|------------|------------|
| South | 3 | 3 | Lieutenant |
| | 6 | 6 | Sergeant |
| | 73 | 77 | Officer |
| North | 3 | 3 | Lieutenant |
| | 7 | 7 | Sergeant |
| | 50 | 54 | Officer |
| Total | 6 | 6 | Lieutenant |
| | 19 | 19 | Sergeant |
| | 123 | 131 | Officer |

Dispatched Calls for Service



2025 Department Traffic Enforcement



Patrol Operations

Priority One Response Times

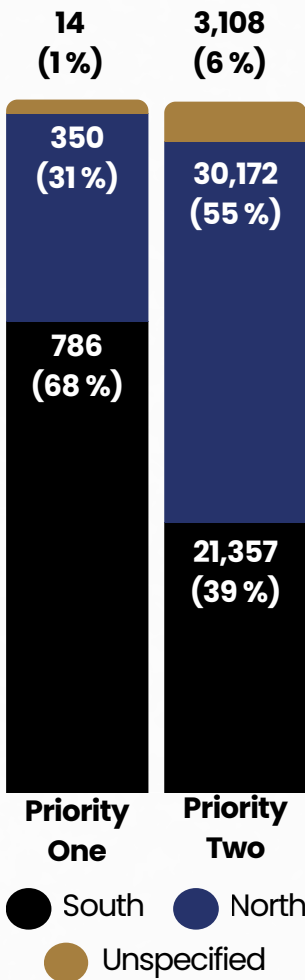
2025

| South | Start to Disp | Disp to Arrive | Start to Arrive |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 10 | 1:34 | 5:04 | 6:38 |
| 21 | 1:19 | 3:38 | 4:57 |
| 22 | 1:23 | 3:25 | 4:49 |
| 31 | 1:23 | 3:53 | 5:17 |
| 32 | 1:31 | 3:47 | 5:19 |
| 40 | 1:08 | 3:22 | 4:30 |
| 51 | 1:22 | 4:29 | 5:51 |
| 52 | 1:35 | 5:24 | 6:59 |
| North | Start to Disp | Disp to Arrive | Start to Arrive |
| 60 | 1:24 | 5:03 | 6:26 |
| 71 | 1:08 | 5:25 | 6:33 |
| 72 | 1:25 | 4:19 | 5:44 |
| 81 | 1:26 | 7:15 | 8:41 |
| 82 | 1:26 | 5:56 | 7:22 |
| 90 | 1:46 | 8:25 | 10:11 |
| Average | 1:24 | 4:34 | 5:57 |

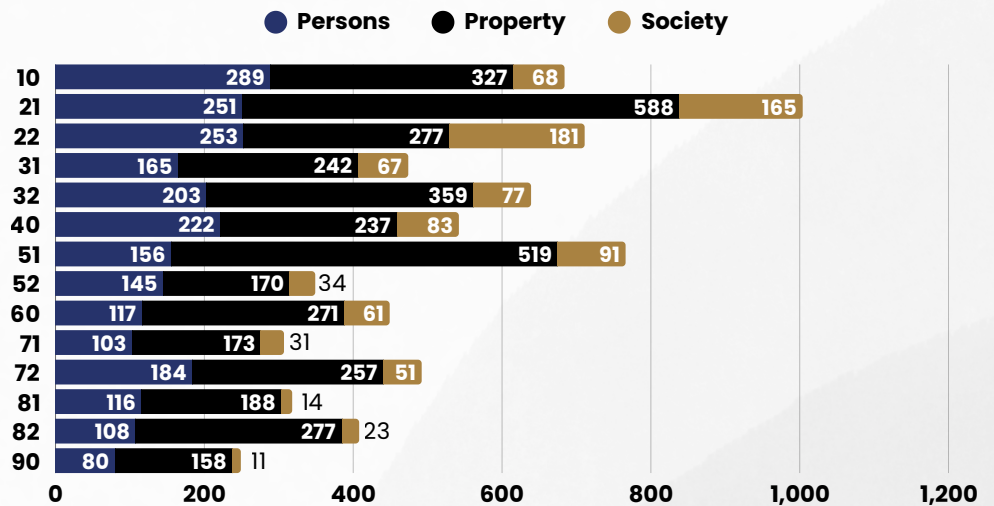
2024


| South | Start to Disp | Disp to Arrive | Start to Arrive |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 10 | 1:15 | 4:46 | 6:02 |
| 21 | 1:25 | 3:28 | 4:52 |
| 22 | 1:26 | 3:16 | 4:43 |
| 31 | 1:04 | 4:22 | 5:26 |
| 32 | 1:12 | 5:04 | 6:16 |
| 40 | 1:42 | 3:48 | 5:30 |
| 51 | 2:16 | 4:52 | 7:07 |
| 52 | 1:16 | 5:30 | 6:47 |
| North | Start to Disp | Disp to Arrive | Start to Arrive |
| 60 | 1:08 | 3:15 | 4:23 |
| 71 | 1:21 | 5:31 | 6:53 |
| 72 | 1:54 | 6:01 | 7:55 |
| 81 | 0:51 | 5:25 | 6:16 |
| 82 | 1:19 | 6:33 | 7:52 |
| 90 | 2:13 | 8:16 | 10:28 |
| Average | 1:27 | 5:00 | 6:27 |

No. of Calls for Service Per Priority

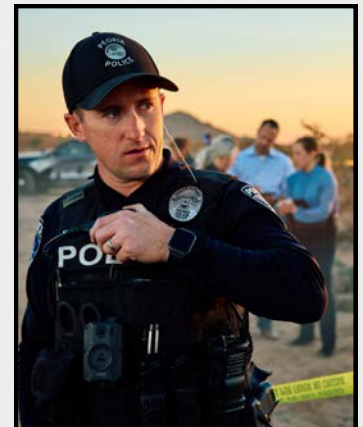


NIBRS Reported Crimes Per Beat



 A **Priority One** call for service is one in which life is known or believed to be in immediate danger, or a felony is in progress or has just occurred.

A **Priority Two** call for service involves significant incidents or crimes that are currently occurring but do not pose an immediate and substantial threat to life or property.



Police Service Officers

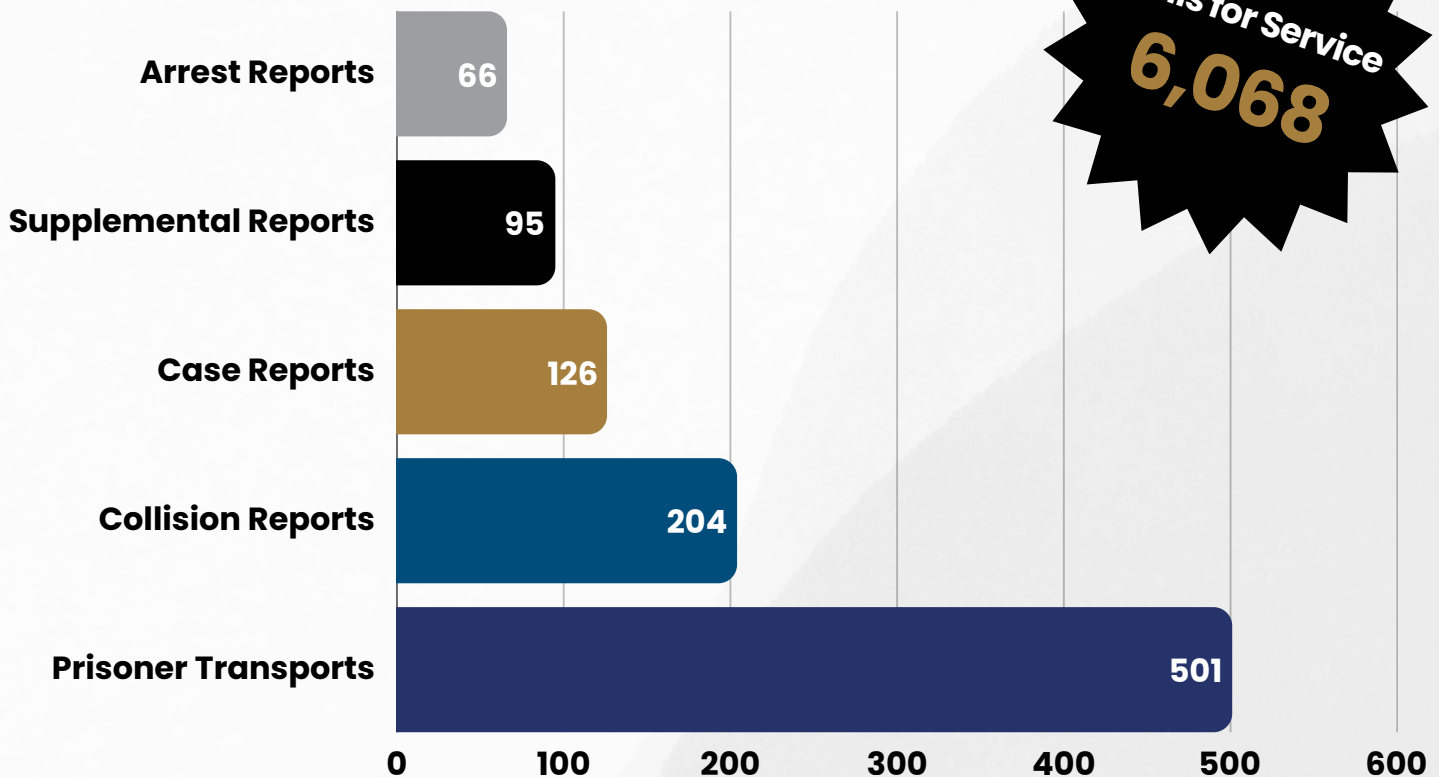
Overview

The Police Services Officer (PSO) Program plays a critical role in supporting the department's overall operations by delivering a diverse range of specialized services. PSOs provide essential law enforcement support, enhance customer service through direct community interaction, contribute to proactive crime prevention efforts, and manage the



care, custody, and transport of prisoners. By handling these key responsibilities, the program allows sworn personnel to remain focused on core enforcement duties. Overall, the PSO Program strengthens operational efficiency, promotes a high standard of service, and reinforces the department's commitment to community safety and professionalism.

Operational Activity & Responsibilities

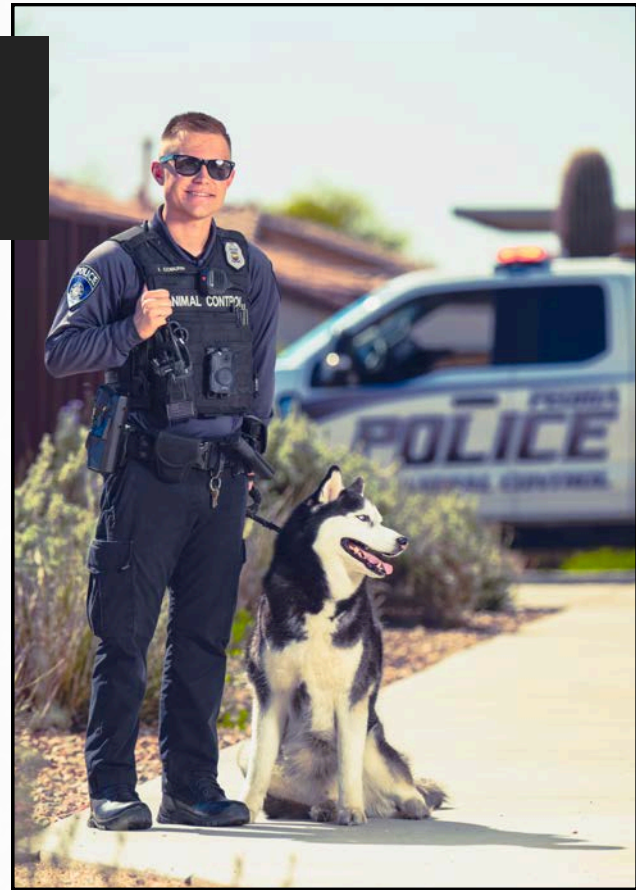


Animal Control

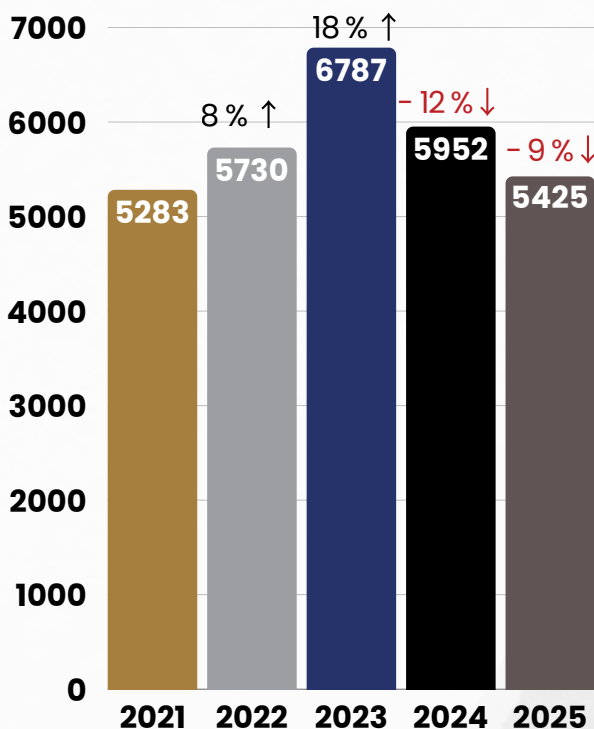
The Animal Control Unit serves as the department's dedicated resource for all animal-related incidents and community concerns. The unit responds to service calls involving stray, injured, or aggressive animals and works to ensure public safety and humane treatment.

Their responsibilities include capturing and managing stray or lost animals, investigating reports of cruelty, neglect, or dangerous conditions, and enforcing local and state animal welfare laws.

In addition to enforcement duties, the unit provides education and assistance to community members on responsible pet ownership, vaccination requirements, and animal safety. Through these efforts, the Animal Control Unit supports both public health and the compassionate care of animals within the community.



Total Calls for Service



Loose Dog

861



Lost Pet

237



Welfare Checks

412



Follow Ups

1,443



Barking Dogs

800



Wildlife

194

Hiring & Recruitment



Lateral Officers Hired

→ 12

In 2025, the Peoria Police Department strengthened its recruitment and hiring efforts by launching a dynamic new recruitment website alongside a coordinated social media campaign, introducing a fresh, modern approach to engaging prospective candidates. Featuring a sleek, mobile-friendly design and interactive tools, the platform makes it easier than ever to explore career paths, learn about the hiring process, and submit applications. The site also provides greater insight into the Department's culture, expectations, and opportunities through enhanced content and storytelling.

Police Recruits Hired

→ 21

This expanded digital presence improves accessibility and broadens outreach to a more diverse and qualified applicant pool. At the same time, it reinforces the Department's commitment to innovation, transparency, and professional excellence by clearly communicating its values, standards, and the unique opportunities that set the Department apart.

Professional Staff Hired

→ 40



Training



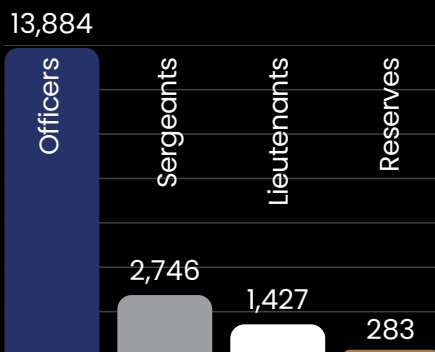
**PPD OFFICERS
COMPLETED**

18,340

TRAINING HOURS

**Averaging
80.2**

**training hours per
officer**



Training Highlights

- Field Training Program
 - 21 academy graduates
 - 12 lateral officers
- Leadership Development
 - 5 new sergeants
 - 3 new lieutenants

These efforts reflect the Department's continued commitment to developing highly trained personnel and strengthening leadership at every level.

Training Accomplishments

- Hosted 26 external classes
- All Sergeants, Lieutenants & Working Outside of Class (WOOC) Officers completed the LEAD program
- Completed the rollout and training on patrol AEDs
- Active Threat Response Exercise
- Advanced Officer Training (AOT) consisting of:
 - CPR & IFAK
 - 40mm Certifications
 - OC Refresher
 - Taser Recertifications
- Firearms staff assisted with:
 - WVLETA & MCLETA Firearms Training
 - Quarterly Handgun & Rifle Training, including annual qualifications and tactical incident decision making
 - Handgun inspections and preventative maintenance
 - New user rifle school
 - Red dot transition school
 - SWAT sniper, firearms, and tactics



Professional Standards

The Professional Standards Unit serves as the department’s central investigative and compliance authority, responsible for receiving, reviewing, and investigating allegations of employee misconduct, policy violations, and other matters impacting organizational integrity. The unit also receives commendations recognizing employee performance and professionalism. Professional Standards ensures accountability by evaluating actions against city and departmental policies and applicable laws. In addition to investigating complaints, the unit assesses departmental practices, identifies procedural deficiencies, conducts required audits, and monitors mandated inspections. These responsibilities promote a culture of accountability, transparency, and public confidence while reinforcing the department’s commitment to ethical, professional, and lawful conduct.

| Total Incidents Processed | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
|-------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Administrative Investigations | 9 | 15 | 8 | 9 | 7 |
| Supervisory Investigations | 26 | 34 | 25 | 16 | 16 |
| Commendations | 78 | 78 | 79 | 36 | 38 |
| Citizen Inquiries | 15 | 22 | 79 | 99 | 69 |
| Employee Grievance | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vehicle Collisions | 24 | 29 | 27 | 24 | 18 |
| Vehicle Pursuits | 8 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 6 |
| Appeals | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 |

Quarterly Audit and Inspections

- Controlled Substance Screening
- Mobile Data Computer/Positron Messages
- Internet Use

Bi-Annual Audit and Inspections

- K-9 Drug Kits / Kennel & Equipment Checks
- Special Investigations Unit Funds Audit
- Property and Evidence
- Property Section Vault and Property Room

Monthly Audit and Inspections

- Document Purging



Policy & Accreditation

Policy and Accreditation ensures the Department operates in full alignment with modern policing standards, legal requirements, and professional expectations. The team develops, reviews, and maintains all departmental policies, keeping them current, legally sound, and operationally effective. It also manages state and national accreditation programs, coordinating assessments, documentation, and compliance activities required to uphold these designations.

Through continuous monitoring, internal audits, and collaboration across all divisions, Policy and Accreditation strengthens organizational consistency, enhances operational efficiency, and reduces risk exposure. This work supports transparent, accountable practices and reinforces public trust by ensuring the Department's operations reflect recognized best practices and a commitment to ongoing improvement.



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Policies Updated or Created Last Year



47

Policies Revised Pending Final Review



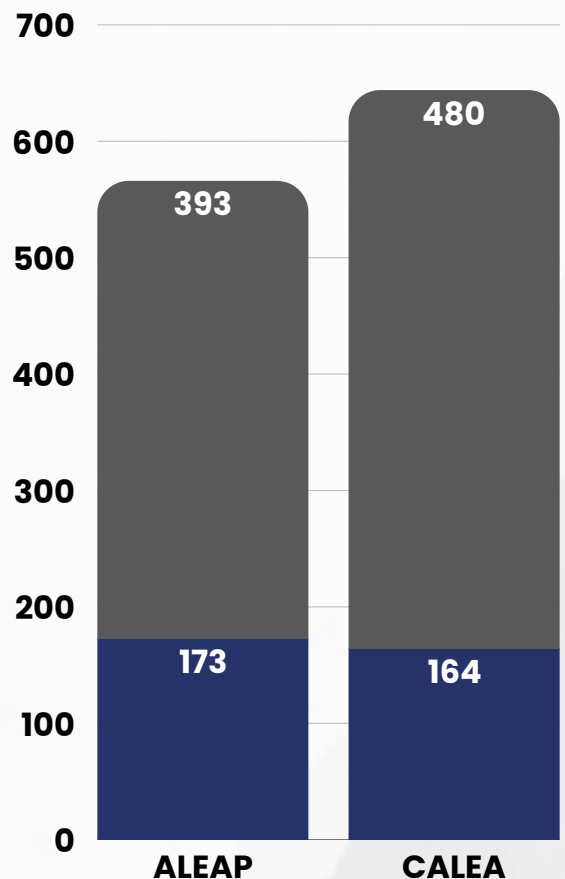
873

Total Proofs Gathered in 2025



● Standards

● Proof



Employee Wellness

In 2025, the Employee Wellness Unit advanced its mission of supporting employee well-being by expanding programs, resources, and outreach centered on whole-body wellness. The Unit strengthened its focus on physical, mental, and emotional health, providing employees with increased access to wellness education, peer support, and individualized assistance. The Wellness Unit remains committed to meeting the evolving needs of employees and will continue to broaden its programs and strategies to promote overall well-being across the organization.



Accomplishments

INTRODUCED A DEDICATED WELLNESS COORDINATOR TO STRENGTHEN PROGRAM OVERSIGHT, EDUCATION, AND PEER SUPPORT SERVICES

BOOSTED WELLNESS ENGAGEMENT, AS 85 EMPLOYEES COMPLETED FITNESS TESTS AND EXPLORED ENERGIZING OPTIONS SUCH AS YOGA AND JIU-JITSU FITNESS CLASSES

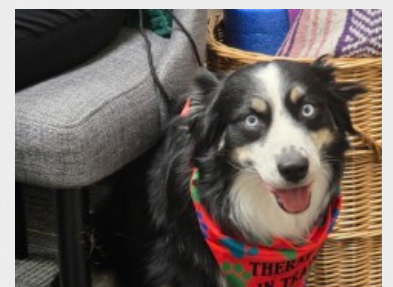
CONDUCTED WELLNESS-FOCUSED WORKSHOPS, COVERING RETIREMENT PLANNING AND NUTRITION FOR PROFESSIONAL AND PERSONAL GROWTH

FOCUSED ON RESILIENCE TRAINING, WITH 55 EMPLOYEES COMPLETING STRUGGLE WELL AND REINFORCEMENT INITIATIVES IMPLEMENTED, INCLUDING THANKFUL THURSDAYS

STREAMLINED RESOURCE ACCESS, OFFERING EMPLOYEES AND THEIR FAMILIES QUICK, CENTRALIZED INFORMATION VIA QR CODES

PREVENTATIVE MENTAL HEALTH EFFORTS WERE EMPHASIZED THROUGH CRITICAL INCIDENT CHECKS, WITH COMPLETION RATES INCREASING FROM 51% TO 89% SINCE JULY 2025.

BEGAN IMPLEMENTING A THERAPY DOG VOLUNTEER INITIATIVE, ENHANCING EMPLOYEE WELL-BEING AND MORALE



Crime Analysis

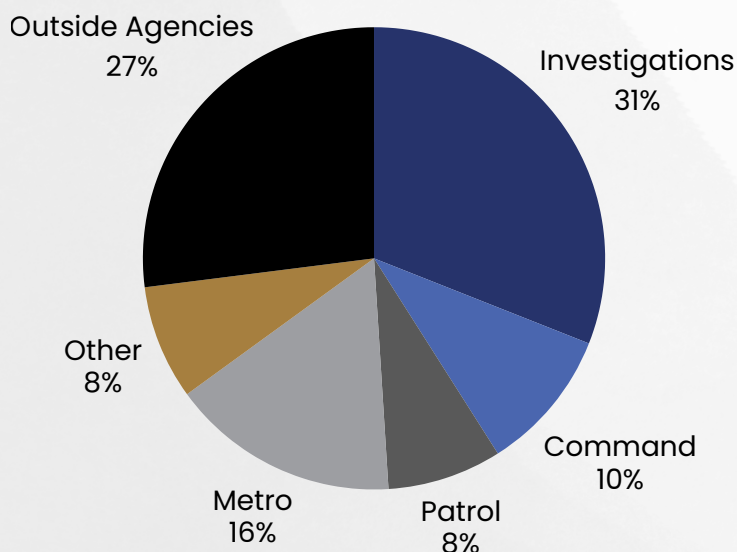
The Crime Analysis Unit (CAU) transforms police data and other relevant information into impactful intelligence for crime prevention, disruption and enforcement. The CAU enhances the effectiveness of patrol and investigative responses to reduce crime and improve community safety through accurate data analysis, strategic deployment strategies, resource allocation, and proactive communication. The unit is centrally located to inform decision-making at all levels. This unit is comprised of two analysts and an analyst supervisor who conduct all types of crime analysis.

ADMINISTRATIVE analysis involves long range projects usually related to budget, personnel, public information or legal. It involves querying and evaluating data to create actionable information and reports. Examples include community reports and monthly statistics (crime, call counts, response times, etc.).

INTELLIGENCE analysis involves the collection, evaluation, analysis, integration and dissemination of information on individuals or organizations involved in criminal activity. The goal is to understand relationships and operations to disrupt criminal activity. Examples include prolific offenders and organized retail theft rings.

STRATEGIC analysis addresses ongoing problems and conditions affecting crime, unusual activity, scheduling and staffing. This includes seasonal changes and problem locations. Examples include redistricting evaluations, holiday crime enforcement, top call locations and collision analysis.

TACTICAL analysis provides information to assist operational personnel (patrol and investigations) with short-term/immediate impact on active investigations. It involves identifying series, patterns or trends as well as perpetrators involved in these crimes. Examples include investigative research and bulletins. A total of 70% of the requests to the CAU are tactical.





Support Services Bureau

The Support Services Bureau provides a wide range of specialized and operational support functions that are essential to departmental operations. Through its various units, the bureau enhances public safety, supports frontline personnel, and ensures the efficient management of resources, communications, and critical services.

Bureau Functions

Criminal Investigations Division

Metro Division

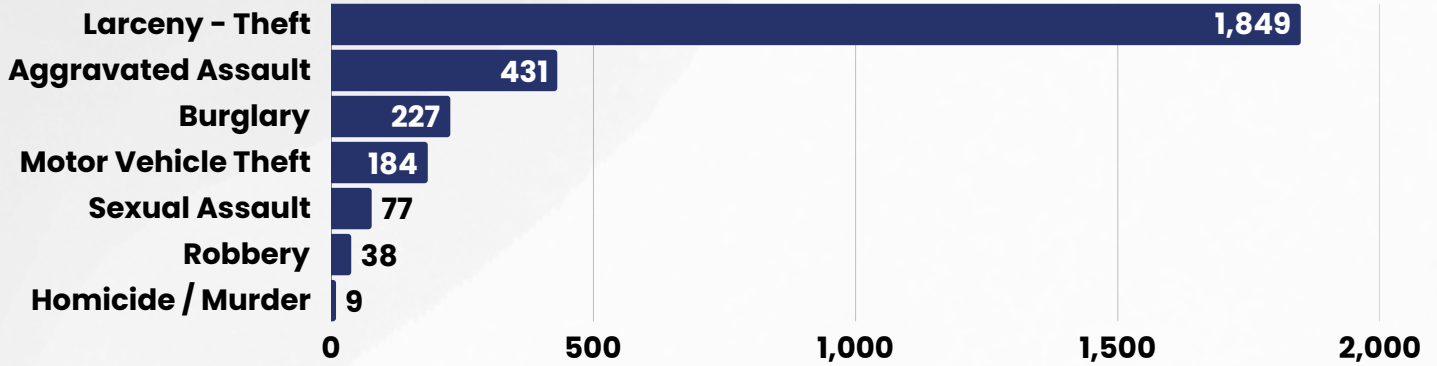
Police Services Division

Technical Services Section

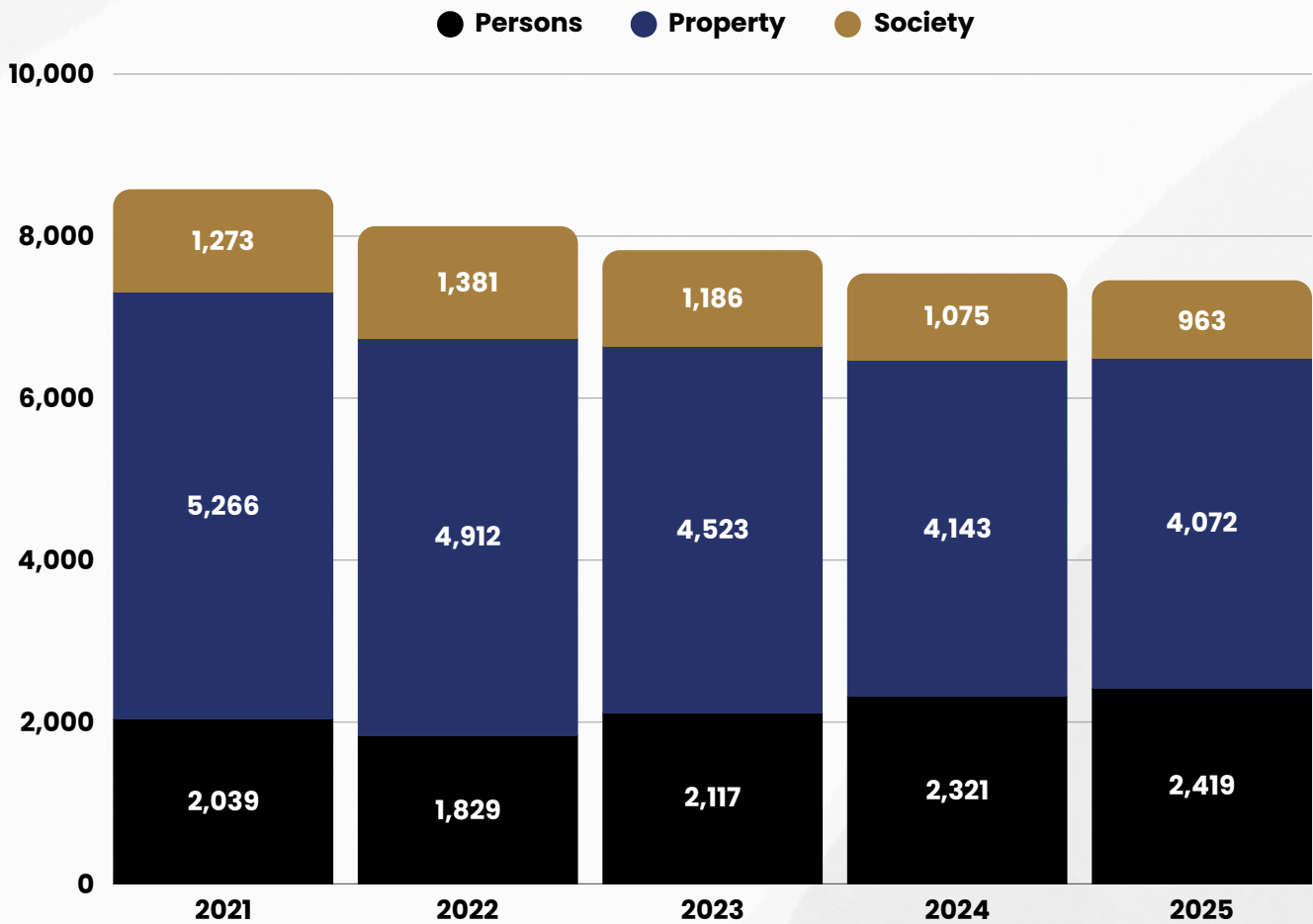
National Incident-Based Reporting System

Below is a snapshot of the offenses reported to NIBRS in 2025, providing a concise overview of crime trends captured through federal reporting standards. These figures support ongoing analysis of workload, resource needs, and emerging patterns within the City of Peoria. Full, detailed data remains available through the FBI's Crime Data Explorer for those seeking deeper insight and national comparisons.

NIBRS Offense Type Snapshot

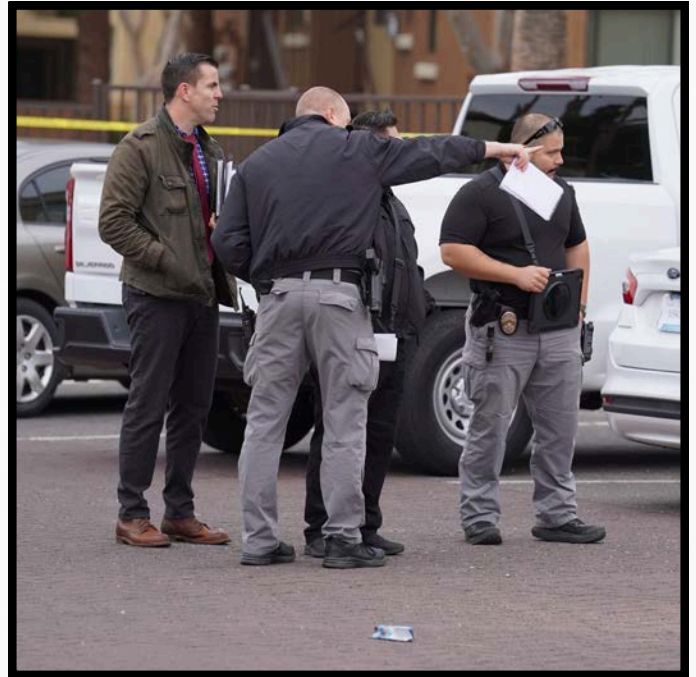


Three Main Categories of NIBRS Classification



Criminal Investigations

The Criminal Investigations Division is responsible for investigating serious, complex, and sensitive crimes, ensuring thorough case development and accountability. Organized into the Family Investigations Section and the Criminal Investigations Section, the Division brings together specialized units focused on protecting vulnerable populations, combating property crimes, and addressing violent, financial, and technology-driven offenses. Detectives utilize advanced investigative techniques, collaborate with partner agencies, and provide critical support to victims throughout the investigative process. Through a coordinated and professional approach, the Division works to enhance public safety, support successful prosecutions, and maintain community trust.



778

Total arrests made by CID detectives in 2025



1,380

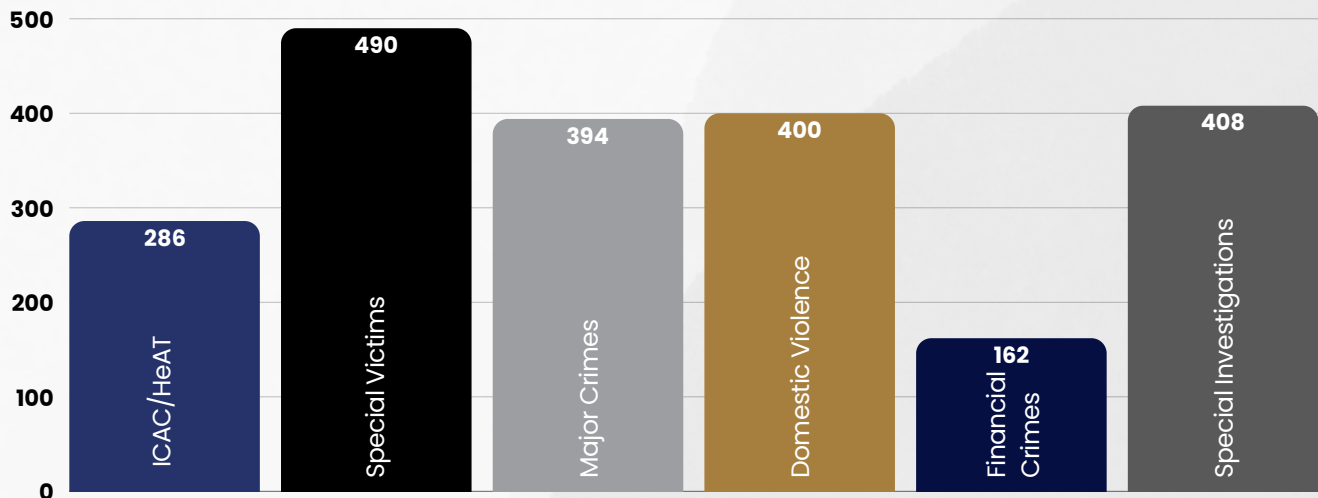
devices analyzed by the Digital Forensics Unit



619

Cases Submitted for Prosecution

Detective Assignment by Unit



Police Investigators

The Police Investigators are composed of skilled civilian personnel who support the department by handling non-priority calls for service. Their work strengthens overall response capability by ensuring community members receive timely, high-quality assistance, even during periods of high call volume.

Police Investigators respond to incidents that do not present an immediate threat to life or property. By managing these lower-risk cases, they help prevent delays that might occur when sworn officers are focused on Priority One and Priority Two emergencies. This approach ensures victims receive prompt, professional service while allowing sworn officers to remain available for urgent calls.

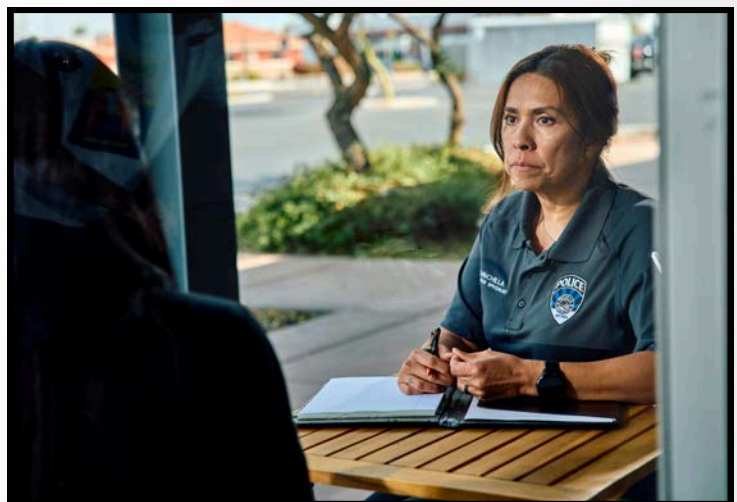
Investigators collect evidence, document statements, and manage cases from initial response through completion. Their responsibilities include photographing scenes, gathering physical evidence, preparing reports, and coordinating with detectives when additional follow-up is needed. If circumstances indicate that sworn personnel are more appropriate for the investigation, the case is transitioned without delay.

This civilian-led model increases efficiency, expands investigative capacity, and improves service delivery. Our Police Investigators play a vital role in ensuring every call, regardless of priority, receives the attention and professionalism it deserves.

→ 1,529
Calls for Service

→ 809
Report Origination

→ 778
Supplements Written

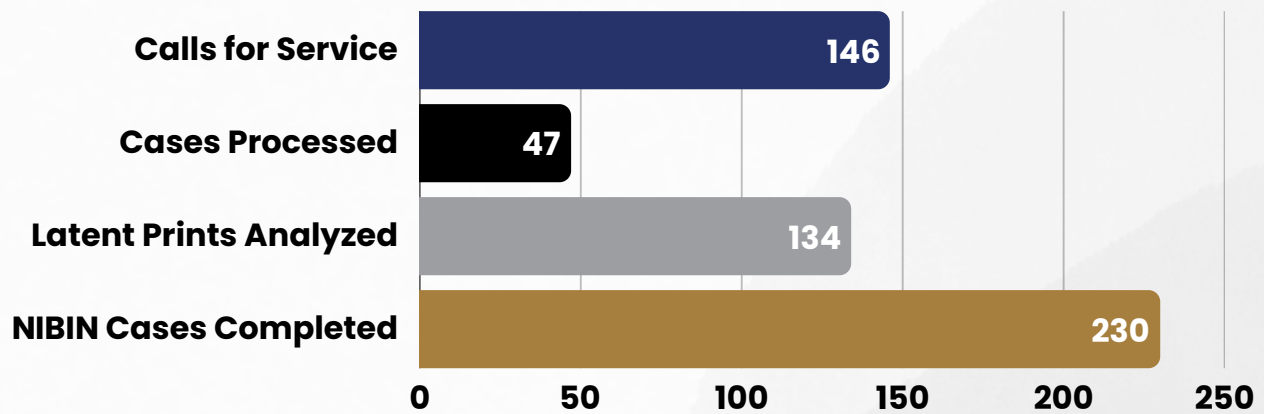


Forensic Services

The Forensic Services Unit consists of professional staff members who play a critical role in supporting investigations across the organization. Their responsibilities include the documentation, collection, and preservation of forensic evidence, ensuring all materials are handled with precision, integrity, and in accordance with established standards and best practices. Their work is essential in maintaining the chain of custody and safeguarding the evidentiary value of materials used in criminal cases.



In addition to field responsibilities, the team prepares detailed and accurate written reports and conducts thorough laboratory analyses. Their findings provide vital support to investigators and prosecutors, helping to build strong cases and support successful outcomes within the judicial process. The unit's expertise contributes significantly to the overall effectiveness, credibility, and professionalism of the department's investigative efforts.

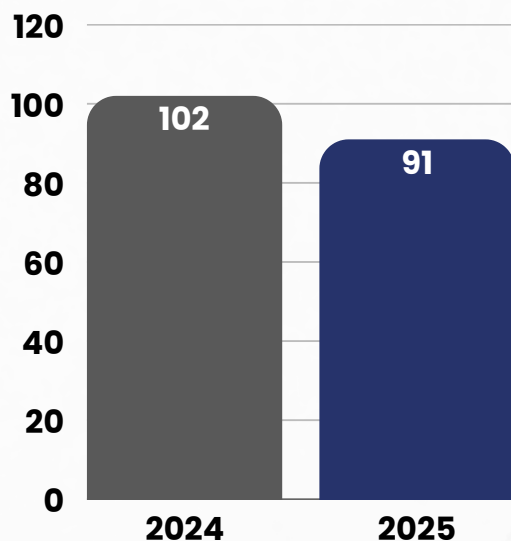




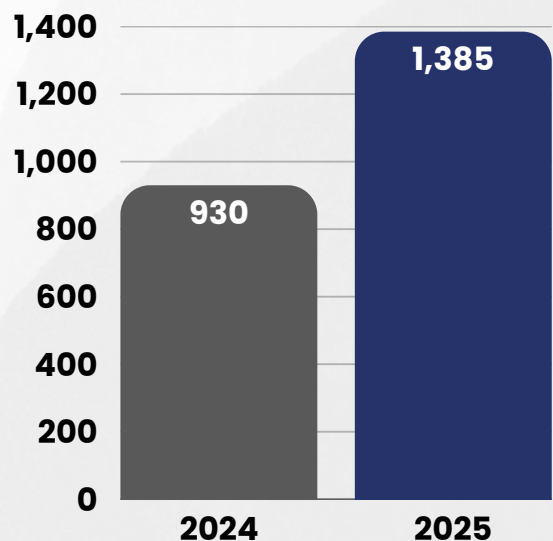
Victim Assistance

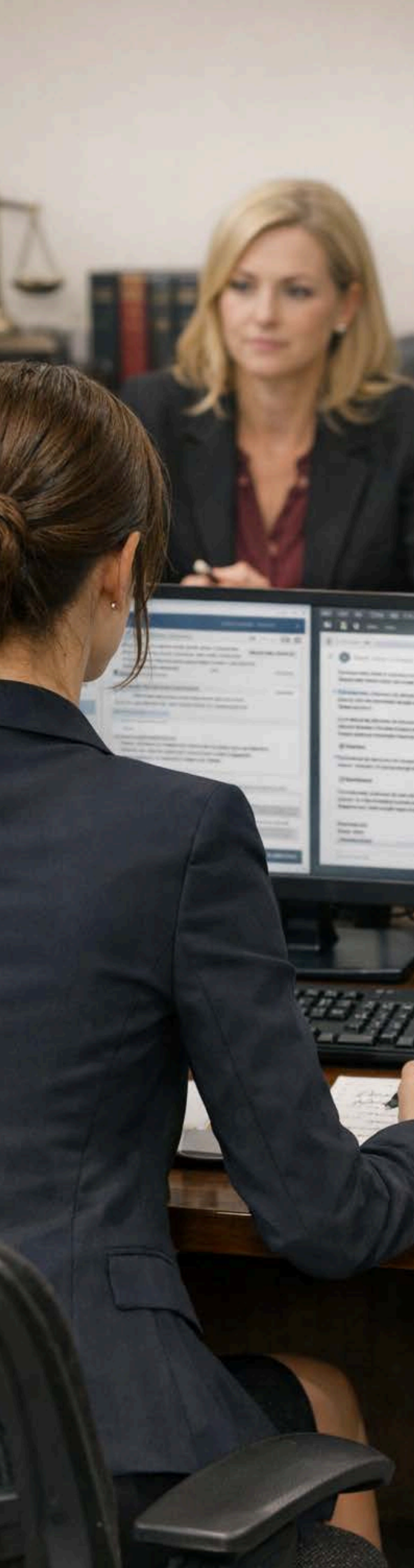
The Victim Assistance Unit provides dedicated, professional support to individuals impacted by crime. Serving as a vital link between law enforcement and victims, staff offer clear guidance on victims' rights, the criminal justice process, and available community resources. Advocates provide emotional support, connect victims with trauma-focused counseling, and assist with navigating victim compensation programs to help reduce financial strain. Through this comprehensive support, the unit fosters healing, empowerment, enhanced victim safety, and access to justice within the community.

Call-Outs



Victims Assisted





Case Management

The Case Management Unit oversees the tracking and processing of criminal cases from initial report to final disposition. The unit ensures accuracy, compliance, and coordination between officers, investigators, and prosecutors. Their work supports efficient case handling and overall operational effectiveness.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| 911 Audio | 618 |
| Assigned Cases | 1897 |
| Assigned Cases Closed | 565 |
| BWC Prosecutor Shares | 1697 |
| Case Status Reviews | 2574 |
| City Prosecutor Submittals | 1176 |
| Discovery Requests | 822 |
| Final Dispositions Reviewed | 4826 |
| Juvenile Case Submissions | 279 |
| MCAO Furtherances | 513 |
| MCAO Submittals | 1128 |
| Radio Audio | 280 |
| Sex Offender Assessments | 48 |
| Signed MCAO Complaints | 425 |
| Supplemental Reports | 942 |
| Transport & Evidence Collections | 150 |

Records

The Records Management Section manages the collection, maintenance, and dissemination of official reports and documents. The unit ensures accuracy, compliance, and timely public and interagency information requests. Their work supports transparency, data integrity, and efficient department operations.

| Report Review & Data Integrity | |
|--|------------------|
| Police Reports Reviewed | 40,057 |
| Document Uploads | 2,319 |
| Warrants Processed* | 1,317 |
| Validations Processed | 1,990 |
| Justice Court Citations Processed | 364 |
| <i>NIBRS Annual Statistical Reporting</i> | <i>Completed</i> |
| Public Records & Customer Service | |
| Walk-Ins Assisted | 8,189 |
| Phone Calls Processed | 6,833 |
| Public Records Requests Processed | 6,187 |
| Emails Processed | 4,259 |
| Interagency Disseminations Processed | 4,146 |
| Mail Processed | 1,086 |
| Officer Subpoena Notifications | 1,278 |
| Expungements & Seals Processed | 251 |
| Telephone Reporting | |
| Report Origination | 787 |
| Supplements Written | 1,539 |
| City Liaison Actions Processed | 951 |

*Transferred to the unit in September 2025



Supply Services TECHNOLOGY SERVICES



Overview

The Supply Services Unit & Technology Services Unit support the Department’s operational readiness by managing the distribution, maintenance, and replacement of essential equipment for all personnel, excluding firearms. This includes uniforms, protective gear, communication devices, and specialized tools, ensuring employees have what they need to perform their duties effectively. These units also partner with the City’s Fleet Division to coordinate the acquisition, maintenance, and repair of the Department’s vehicles, helping keep the fleet safe, reliable, and mission-ready. Through these combined efforts, Supply Services strengthens daily operations and enhances overall efficiency and responsiveness.

Summary of Completed Projects



Communications AXS Console Radio Software Upgrade

Upgraded outdated software to a cloud-based dispatch console that enables real-time radio management, responder coordination, and integrated data access across multiple devices and networks.



Implementation of FirstTwo Application

Software was implemented to rapidly identify associated individuals and businesses, improving safety and enabling more efficient call handling for officers and the public.



Implementation of Axon My90 Public Surveys

Implemented software that automatically sends short, anonymous surveys after select police interactions to gather feedback, measure community sentiment, and strengthen transparency and trust.



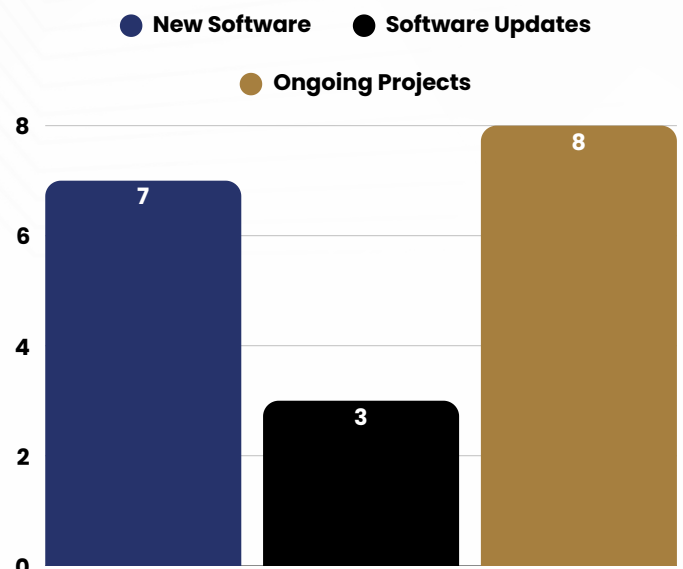
Mobile Data Computer (MDC) Replacement Finalized

A total of 120 computers across the Department were replaced with upgraded systems, concluding a multi-year effort that included research, allocation, purchasing, and full implementation.

Vehicle Replacement Schedule

| Vehicles | FY2025 | FY2026 (Jul. to Dec.) |
|--------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| New | 14 | 6 |
| Replacement | 22 | 17 |
| Trailer | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 37 | 25 |

Project Completions





K9 Roxi (ret.)

CANINE (K9)



The K9 Unit plays a vital role in supporting patrol and specialized operations through the use of highly trained police service dogs. These teams are utilized for suspect apprehension, narcotics detection, tracking, and search operations, significantly enhancing the department's capabilities. K9 handlers and their partners undergo rigorous and ongoing training to maintain peak performance and reliability in the field. Their work contributes to officer safety, efficient case resolution, and strengthened community trust.

Unit Personnel



1
SERGEANT



4
POLICE OFFICERS



5
CANINES (K9)

Unit Statistics



2,313
CALLS FOR SERVICE

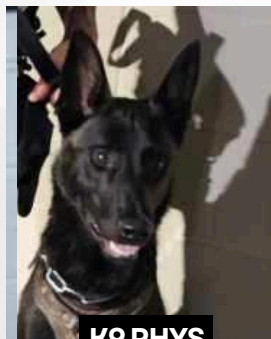
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DEPLOYMENTS

29
APPREHENSIONS

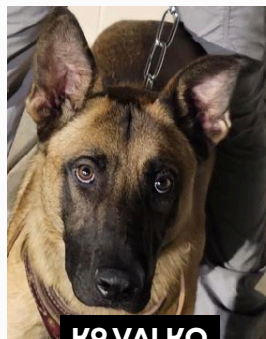
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BOMB SWEEPS



K9 BOBBY



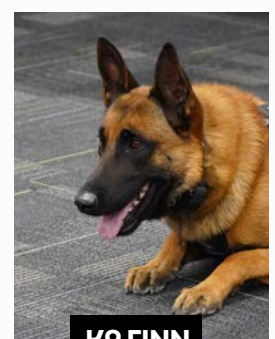
K9 RHYS



K9 VALKO



K9 REX



K9 FINN

School Resource Officers School Liaison Officers



School Resource Officers and School Liaison Officers play a key role in maintaining safe, supportive, and well-connected school environments through campus engagement, mentorship, presentations, and collaboration with administrators and families.

School Resource Officer (SRO): Assigned to a specific high school, SROs maintain a consistent presence, build relationships, address safety concerns, and support daily campus operations.

School Liaison Officer (SLO): Assigned to multiple elementary schools, SLOs focus on relationship-building, education, and early intervention while serving as a resource across several campuses.

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS

SCHOOL LIAISON OFFICERS

| Incident Type | SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS | | SCHOOL LIAISON OFFICERS | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|------|-------------------------|------|
| | 2024 | 2025 | 2024 | 2025 |
| Bullying | 0 | 0 | 7 | 15 |
| Child Abuse | 0 | 11 | 7 | 16 |
| Community Oriented Policing | 134 | 101 | 723 | 1215 |
| Law-Related Education | 159 | 286 | 9 | 10 |
| Parental Contacts | 174 | 306 | 22 | 53 |
| Quality Juvenile Contact | 397 | 1740 | 35 | 142 |
| Reports Completed | 65 | 531 | 47 | 485 |
| School Employee Contacts | 492 | 374 | 34 | 90 |
| Sexual Offense | 0 | 0 | 8 | 18 |
| Theft | 0 | 13 | 12 | 11 |
| Threats | 10 | 19 | 52 | 55 |
| Traffic Collision | 35 | 47 | 2 | 3 |
| Traffic Contacts | 0 | 325 | 345 | 643 |
| Vape Related | 48 | 85 | 14 | 15 |



Tactical Operations

The SWAT Team, Crisis Negotiations Team, and Technical Services Team provide a coordinated response to high-risk incidents. SWAT delivers advanced tactical capabilities during critical events, while Crisis Negotiators work to resolve volatile situations through communication-driven de-escalation. The Technical Services Team enhances both units by managing logistics, equipment, and scene support. Collectively, these teams strengthen the department's ability to safely and effectively manage complex operations.



Total Deployments

80



Public Events Attended

12



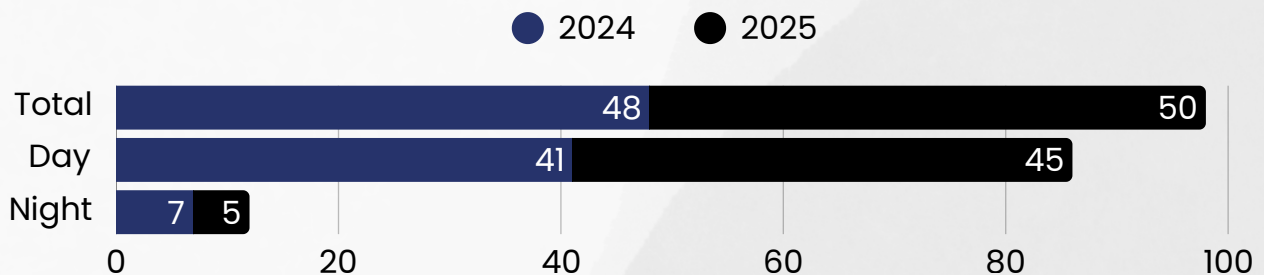
Fugitive Apprehensions

14

Use of Force & Scene Control

| | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1 Chemical Agent | 1 Pepper Ball | 7 Divisive Device | 2 40mm Less Lethal | 5 Security Details | 3 Barricades |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|

Search Warrants



Real Time Crime Center

The Real Time Crime Center is staffed by one Sergeant, two detectives, two civilian investigators, and one firefighter. The RTCC serves as a centralized technology hub, leveraging advanced tools and data analysis to support field operations. By providing first responders with timely, actionable intelligence, the unit enhances situational awareness and decision-making, ultimately improving safety for both personnel and the community.



| RTCC STATISTICS | 2025 |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Calls-for-service | 1747 |
| Patrol Assists | 1243 |
| Intel/Evidence Provided | 707 |
| Calls virtually cleared | 134 |
| Led patrol to person/vehicles | 330 |
| Video Request Processed | 312 |
| Virtually First on Scene | 1067 |
| Patrol Arrests Facilitated | 116 |
| Fire Operational Impact | 97 |

2025 NATIONAL RECOGNITIONS

2025 DICE Award for Collaboration
Peoria PD RTCC Unit

2025 DICE Award for Development
Peoria PD RTCC Unit

2025 RTCC Supervisor of the Year
Sergeant Michael Leshner

2025 NRTCCA Member of the Year Nominee
Detective Bryant Hiatt

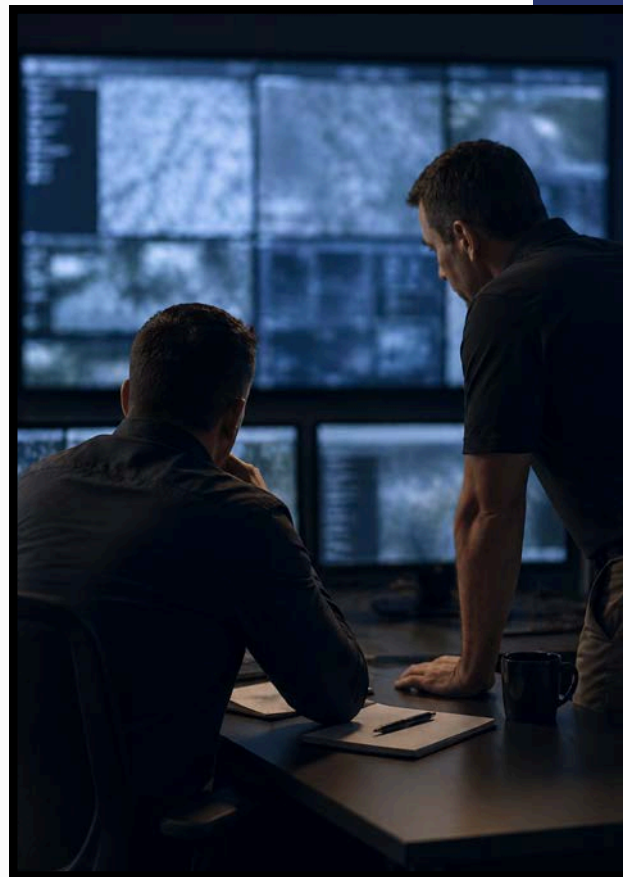
2025 NRTCCA Executive of the Year Nominee
Lt. Jason Tarrant



Threat Mitigation

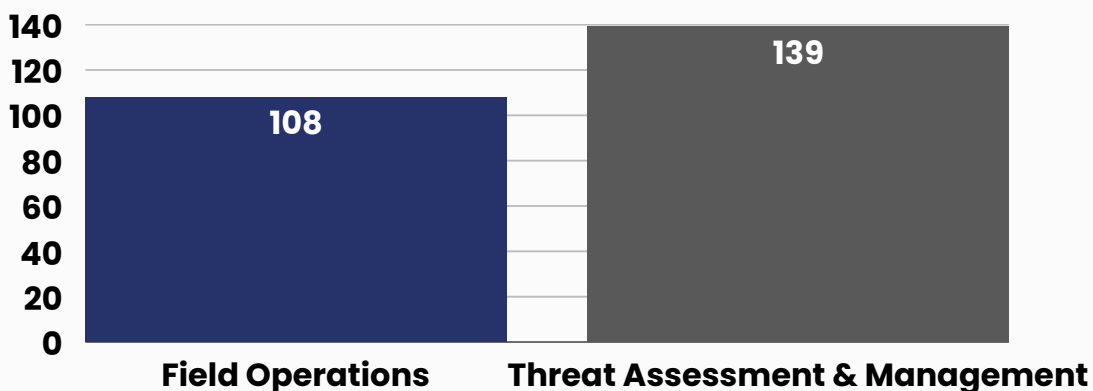
The Threat Mitigation Unit is responsible for identifying, assessing, and investigating reported threats involving individuals, businesses, schools, and other community partners. With a prevention-focused mission, the team works to interrupt potential harm by evaluating concerning behavior, gathering intelligence, and coordinating an appropriate response.

A key component of this work is strong collaboration with outside agencies. Team members regularly partner with local, state, and federal law enforcement, mental health professionals, school officials, and corporate security teams to ensure every reported threat is thoroughly reviewed. These partnerships support effective information-sharing and coordinated safety strategies.



When a threat is reported, investigators assess credibility, intent, and risk by collecting evidence, interviewing involved parties, and evaluating behavioral indicators. Based on their findings, they develop mitigation strategies such as safety planning, resource referrals, criminal investigation, or coordinated intervention with partner agencies.

Through early identification, proactive assessment, and strong interagency collaboration, Threat Mitigation plays a vital role in preventing violence and enhancing community safety.



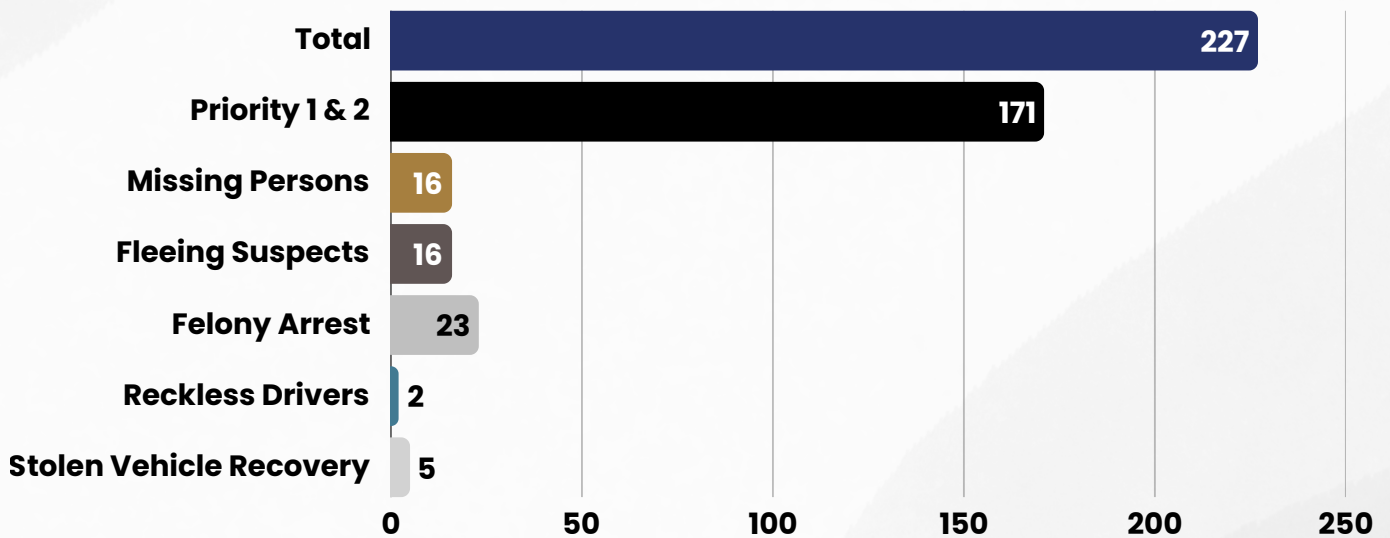
Aviation

OVERVIEW

The Aviation Unit serves as a vital force multiplier, providing rapid aerial support that enhances public safety and officer effectiveness. Utilizing a helicopter, the unit delivers real-time situational awareness during critical incidents, assisting with pursuits, missing person searches, suspect apprehension, and perimeter containment.

With advanced technology and an elevated vantage point, the unit improves coordination of ground resources, supports large-scale events, and enhances response during emergencies. Its ability to quickly deploy and operate in diverse conditions makes it an essential asset in protecting the community and increasing overall operational efficiency.

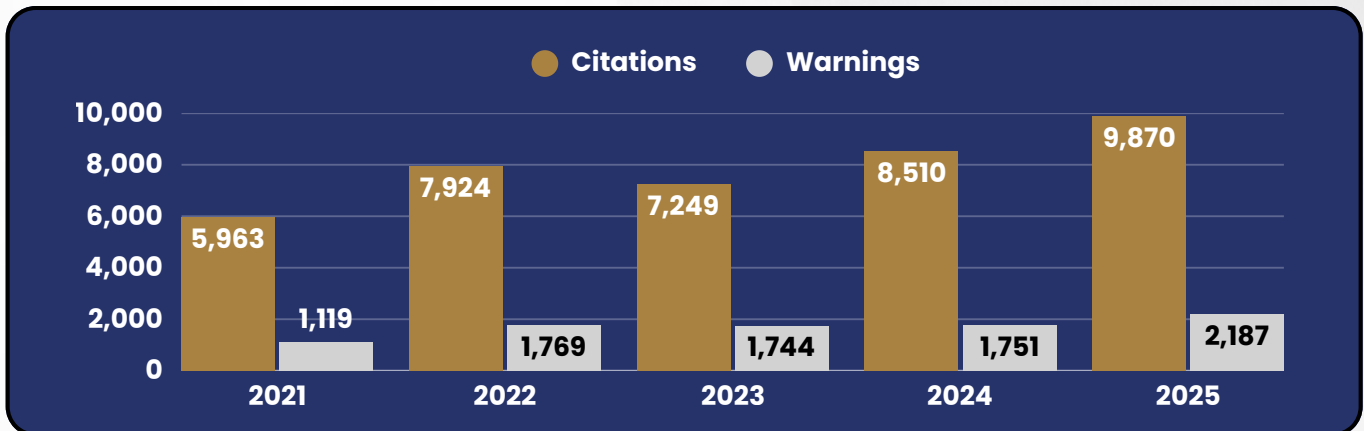
CALLS FOR SERVICE



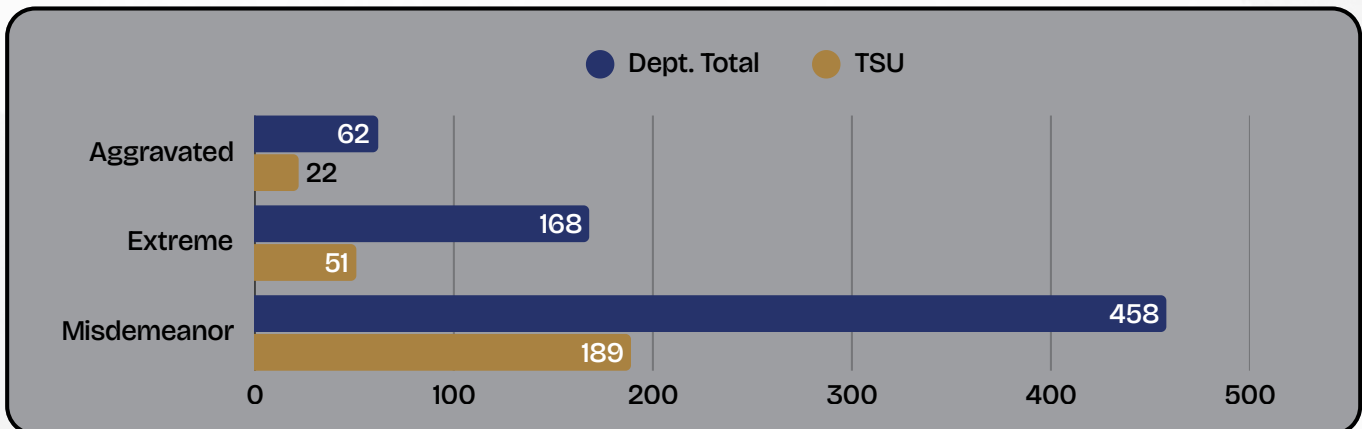
Traffic Services

The Traffic Services Unit (TSU) is dedicated to enhancing roadway safety and supporting the department's objective of maintaining safe streets through a balanced approach of education and enforcement. The unit works to reduce traffic collisions and impaired driving by promoting safe driving behaviors and increasing public awareness, while also taking appropriate enforcement action when necessary. TSU personnel utilize data-driven strategies to deploy resources effectively, focusing on collision trends, traffic volume, roadway conditions, and documented activity. Through preventive patrols and targeted enforcement of unsafe driving behaviors, the unit aims to reduce the likelihood of crashes and proactively remove impaired drivers from the roadway, ensuring safer travel for the community.

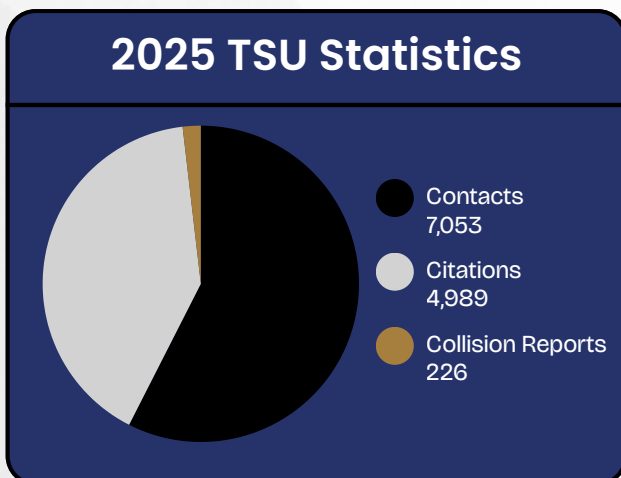
Department Traffic Citations & Warnings



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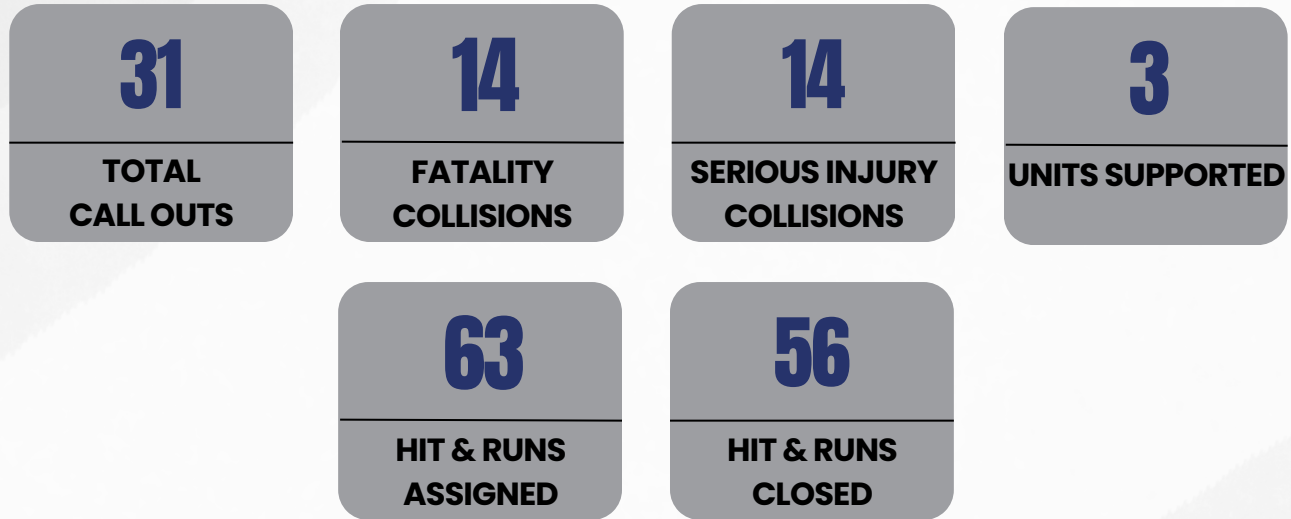
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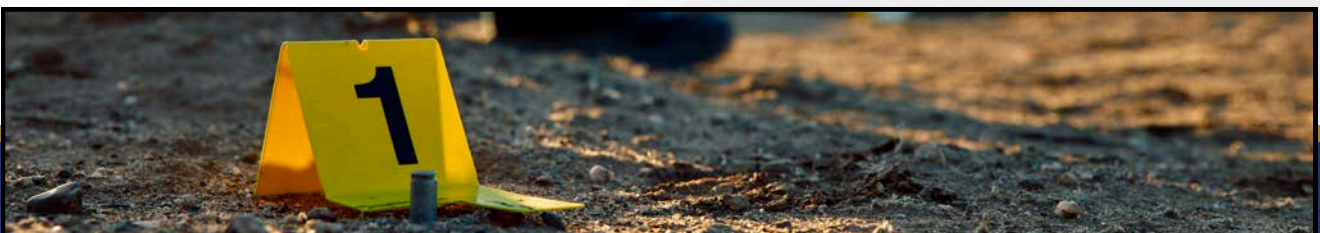
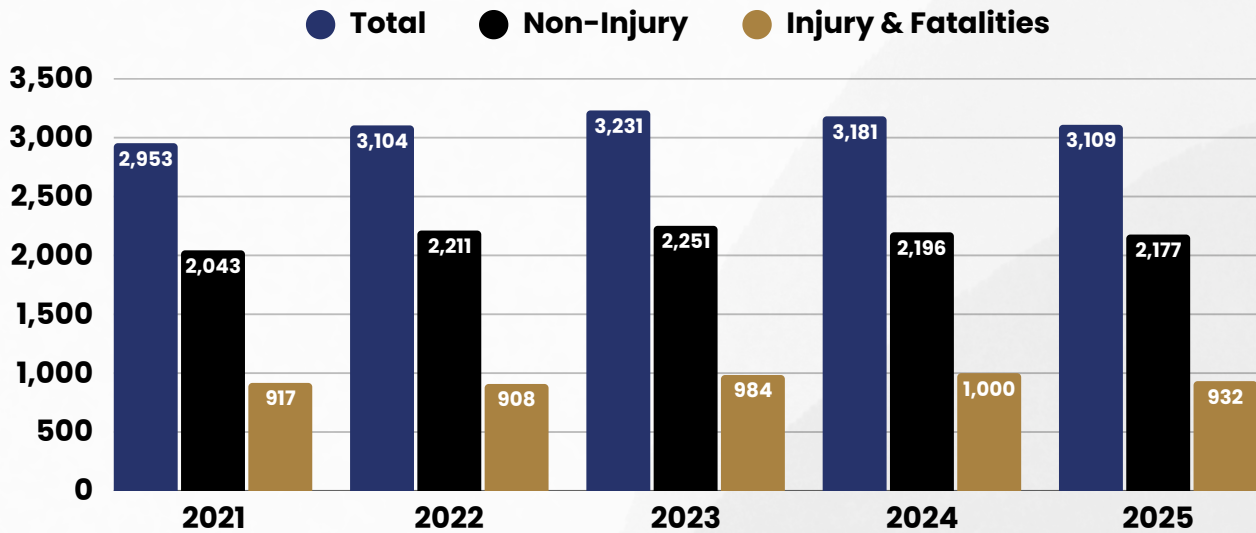
Vehicular Crimes

Unit Overview

The Vehicular Crimes Unit is responsible for investigating all serious injury and fatal traffic collisions within the department's jurisdiction. The unit also pursues hit-and-run cases that involve strong, identifiable leads but remain unresolved after initial patrol response.



Investigated Traffic Collisions





Communications

The Peoria Police 911 Emergency Communications Center serves as the vital connection between the community and emergency services, ensuring calls for help are answered quickly and handled with care. Staffed 24/7, the center relies on advanced technology to support a wide range of situations. Inside, a dedicated team of call takers, dispatchers, and support staff work together in a fast-paced environment to provide timely and coordinated responses.

Total Calls Received

217,954



Emergency Calls Received

80,755



Non-Emergency Calls Received

102,707

Number of Responsibilities Managed

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Tows Completed | 6058 |
| Trespasses | 1206 |
| Teletypes Processed | 7668 |
| Mental Health Orders | 234 |
| Tape Requests* | 155 |
| Warrants Entered* | 1629 |
| Warrants Quashed* | 564 |

*Transferred to another unit in 2025

Average Dispatch Answer Times

Emergency

3.2 sec

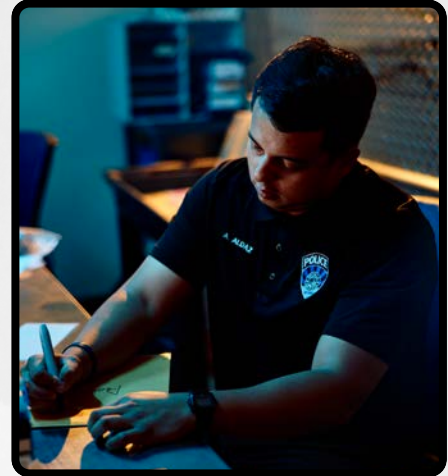
Non-Emergency

7.87 sec



Property & Evidence

The Property and Evidence Unit is responsible for the secure intake, documentation, preservation, and storage of all evidence and property held in the department's custody. This unit plays a critical role in maintaining the integrity of the investigative and judicial process by ensuring that all items are properly handled from the moment they are collected through final disposition.



Their responsibilities include transporting evidence to and from the crime lab for analysis, maintaining accurate records and chain of custody, and safeguarding property required for ongoing investigations or court proceedings. The unit also manages the timely and lawful disposal of property that is no longer needed, in accordance with legal guidelines, and coordinates the return of items to their rightful owners when appropriate.

Through careful attention to detail, strict adherence to policy, and consistent accountability, the Property and Evidence Unit ensures that all evidence is preserved, tracked, and managed properly throughout its entire lifecycle.

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Pounds of Prescription Drugs Impounded at DEA Drug Take Back Event(s)

337

Pounds Of Medications Collected From Police Department Lobby Take Back Drug Bins

2,932

Total Contraband Processed Through An On-Site Mobile Incinerator in One Day

5 Year Statistical Data Comparison

| Category | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Property Intake | 14,806 | 14,243 | 13,717 | 12,287 | 11,214 |
| Dispose/Release | 13,707 | 7,720 | 8,899 | 14,597 | 11,975 |
| Pending Destruction | 408 | 3,132 | 5,080 | 2,803 | 3,856 |
| Ending Inventory | 74,325 | 77,716 | 77,454 | 79,960 | 79,021 |

Honor Guard

In 2025, the Honor Guard continued to represent the department with a high level of professionalism, dignity, and respect. The team maintained a strong commitment to ceremonial excellence, ensuring consistent precision, discipline, and attention to detail in all appearances. Members dedicated significant time to ongoing training, drills, and preparation to sustain uniform standards, ceremonial proficiency, and operational readiness.

Beyond their ceremonial duties, the Honor Guard served as a symbol of honor, tradition, and unity, reinforcing the department's values through their conduct, appearance, and commitment to excellence. Their continued dedication strengthened internal pride and reflected the department's respect for service and those it honors.



18 Events Attended in 2025

Notable Events Attended

- 2025 LETR Softball Tournament
- Battle of the Badges Flag Football Game
- State Peace Officers Memorial
- Washington DC National Police Week
- Tempe Tunnel to Towers Event
- Spring Training Games Presentation of Colors

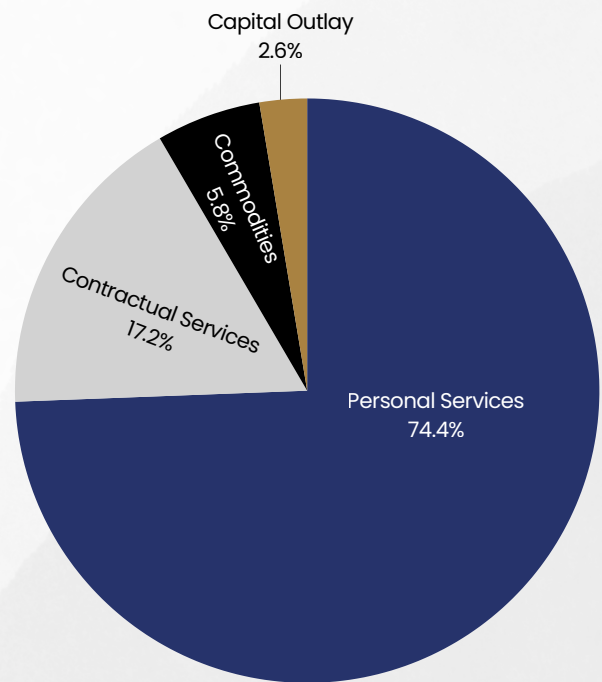
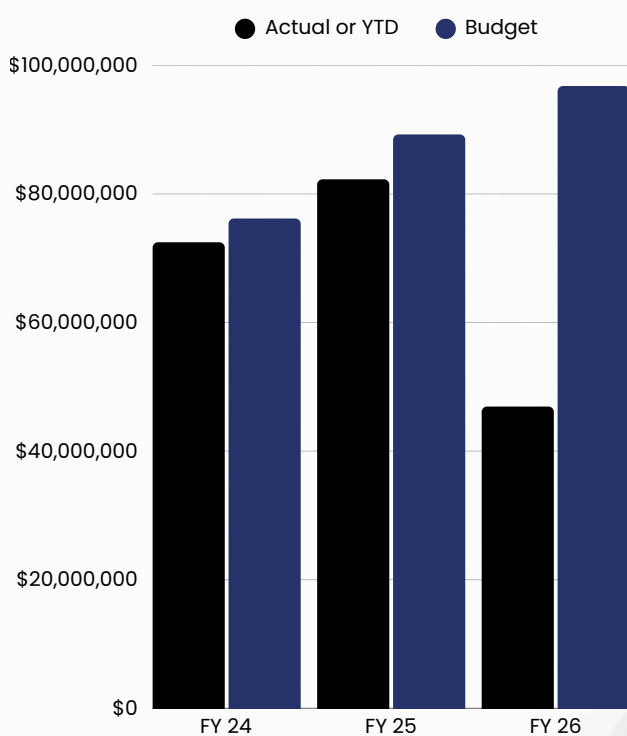


Finance Management

The Financial Services Unit oversees the department’s budget and financial operations, including the scheduling system, payroll, contract procurement and negotiations, and grant acquisition and management. The unit also manages accounts payable, asset forfeiture funds, personnel-related transactions, and travel coordination for training and professional development.

In addition, the Financial Services Unit plays a central role in developing and monitoring the department’s annual operating budget, ensuring fiscal accountability, compliance with regulations, and the efficient allocation of resources to support organizational priorities.

| Division | FY24 Actual | FY25 Actual | FY26 Budget | % Change |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| Personal Services (Salary, Benefits, etc.) | \$ 54,812,631 | \$ 62,959,636 | \$ 69,031,581 | 9.6% |
| Contractual Services (RMS, Tow Services, etc.) | \$ 11,620,108 | \$ 12,682,938 | \$ 15,946,929 | 25.7% |
| Commodities (Equipment, Supplies, etc.) | \$ 2,860,124 | \$ 5,488,597 | \$ 5,370,899 | -2.1% |
| Capital Outlay (Fleet, Lrg. Purchases) | \$ 3,189,603 | \$ 1,145,031 | \$ 2,436,753 | 112.8% |
| Total Overall | \$ 72,482,466 | \$ 82,276,202 | \$ 92,786,162 | 12.8% |



FY26 Allocation Percentage

Grants & Special Funding

The Financial Services Unit takes pride in its comprehensive approach to identifying, evaluating, drafting, submitting, and securing grant funding, as well as monitoring, reporting, and managing awarded funds. These efforts supplement the department's budget and support the development of new programs while enhancing existing initiatives.



Grant Funding per Fiscal Year

NEW Grant Funding for FY26

Arizona Department of Public Safety

\$178,396 - Victims of Crime (VOCA)

\$278,201 - Anti Human Trafficking



Governor's Office of Highway Safety

\$169,720

STEP Enforcement | DUI Enforcement

Pedestrian & Bicycle Safety

Click it or Ticket



AZ Department of Administration

\$213,495

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