

Hillsborough Police Department

Quarterly Transparency Report

January – March 2024

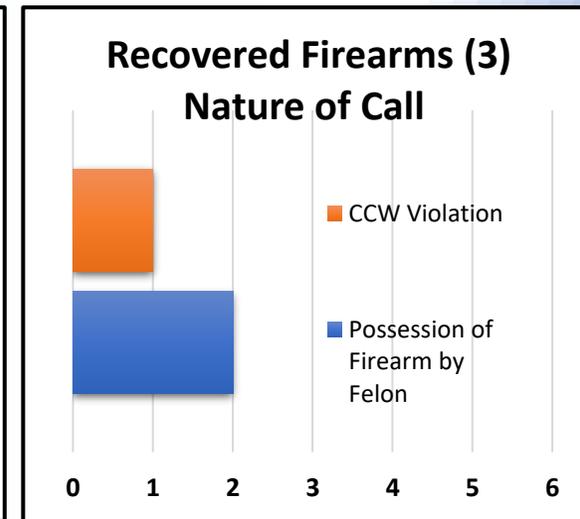
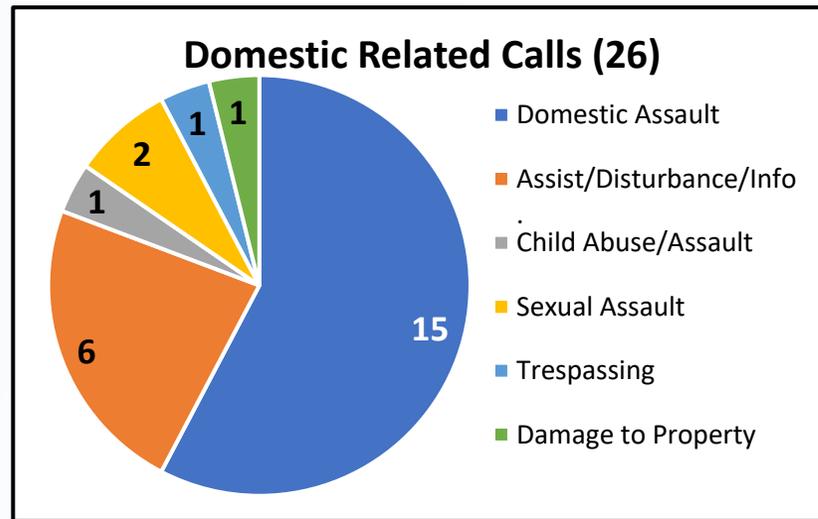
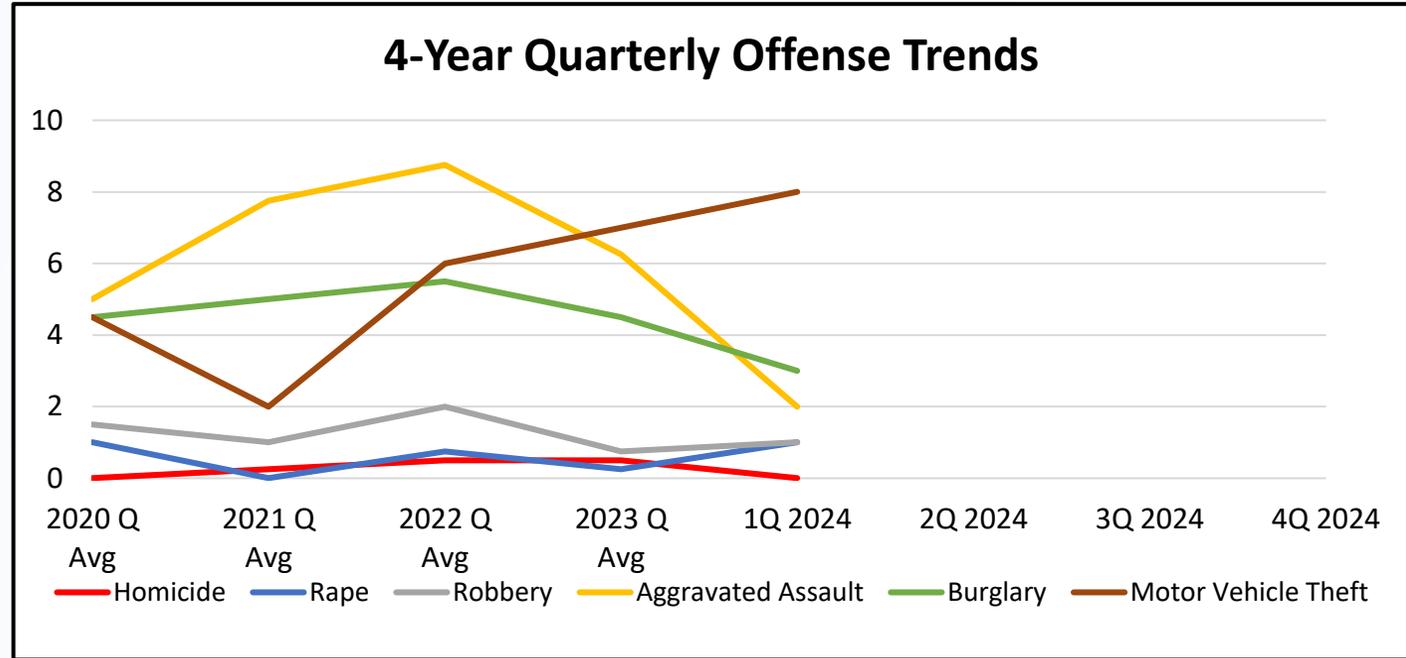


This report summarizes quarterly activity and data in the following areas:

- Reported Incidents and Crimes
- Arrest Data
- Internal Accountability
- Use of Force
- Mental Health Response
- Marijuana and Paraphernalia Enforcement
- Traffic Enforcement Focuses
- Traffic Stop Data
- Search Data
- Department Training
- Community Engagement
- Employee Accomplishments and Recognitions

Reported Incidents

UCR Part 1 Reported Crimes	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	YTD
Homicide	0				
Rape	1				
Robbery	1				
Aggravated Assault	2				
Part 1 Violent Crimes Total	4				
Burglary	3				
Larceny/Theft	132				
Motor Vehicle Theft	8				
Part 1 Property Crimes Total	143				
Other Offenses Reported	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	YTD
Drug Offenses	25				
Simple Assault	33				
Forgery/Counterfeit	2				
Fraud	17				
Embezzlement	1				
Stolen Property	1				
Vandalism	12				
Prostitution	0				
Other Sex Offenses	1				
Gambling	0				
Offense against family/child	0				
DWI	3				
Alcohol Violations	1				
Disorderly Conduct	0				

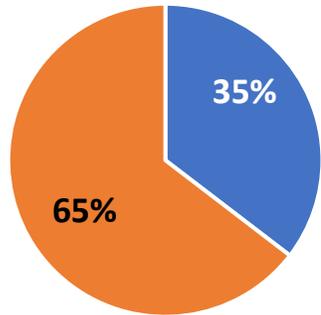


Note: Data is based on current reports in HPD system. Prior quarter's numbers may adjust as delayed reports are made.

Arrest Summary

HPD Officers made a total of 98 Criminal Arrests of individuals during this quarter totaling 154 charges.

Residency of Arrestee



■ Resident ■ Non-Resident

Current Quarter Arrests

	B	H	W	O/U	TOTAL
Custodial Arrest	15	1	10	1	27
Citation/Summons	17	4	16	1	38
Warrant Service	20	1	12	0	33
Total Arrests	52	6	38	2	98
Residency Breakdown					
Resident	26	0	8	0	34
Non-Resident	26	6	30	2	64

OCPAD

Orange County
Pre-Arrest
Diversion **2**

2 Larceny Incidents

TOTAL OF ALL CHARGES	154
LARCENY-SHOPLITING/CONCEAL	14
LARCENY-MISDEMEANOR	12
POSS. OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA	9
ASSAULT ON A FEMALE	8
RESIST DELAY OBSTRUCT	7
CONTRIBUTE - DELINQUENCY MINOR	5
DRIVING WHILE IMPAIRED	5
TRESPASSING-2ND DEGREE	5
ALL OTHER OFFENCES	3
OBTAIN PROP. - FALSE PRETENSE	3
OPEN CONTAINER WHILE DRIVING	3
POSSESSION OF COCAINE	3
VIOLATION OF 50-B ORDER	3
INJURY TO PERSONAL PROPERTY	2
INTERFERE W/ EMERGENCY COMM.	2
LARCENY-ALL OTHER	2
LARCENY-FELONY	2
LARCENY-SWITCHING PRICE TAG	2
POSS. OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	2
SELL/GIVE UNDERAGE PERSONS	2
TRAFFIC OFFENCE NOT DWI	2
ALL OTHER DRUG VIOLATIONS	1
ASSAULT BY STRANGULATION	1
ASSAULT-SIMPLE	1
B&E FELONY	1
B&E TO A VEHICLE	1
COUNTERFEITING-USING	1
DRUG VIOLATION	1
DWLR	1
FINANCIAL CARD FRAUD	1
FORGERY-ALL OTHER	1
HIT AND RUN	1
IDENTITY THEFT	1
LARCENY BY EMPLOYEE	1
LARCENY OF A FIREARM	1
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT-AUTO	1
POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA	1
POSS. STOLEN VEHICLE	1
POSS. INTENT TO SELL/DELIVER	1
SIMPLE ASSAULT-ALL OTHER	1
VANDALISM-DAMAGE TO PROPERTY	1

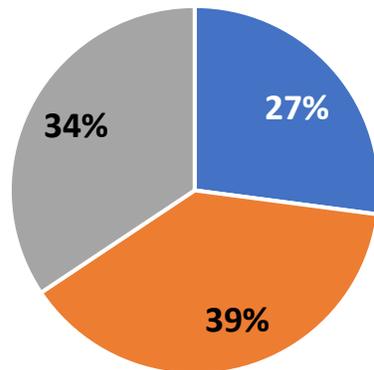
Definitions:

Custodial Arrests are typically on-view crimes for which an officer makes a physical arrest and takes the subject before a magistrate.

Warrant Service means an officer made a physical arrest for a previously existing warrant or order for arrest.

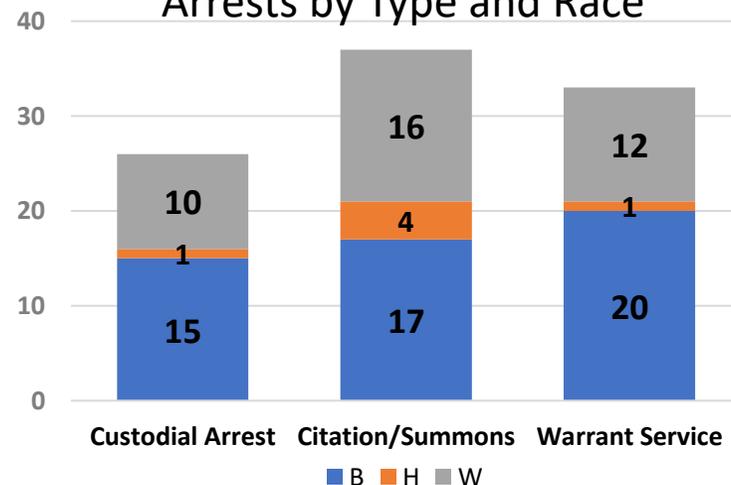
Citation/Summons means the offender was issued a citation or served a summons and was not physically taken into custody.

Types of Arrests



■ Custodial Arrest ■ Citation/Summons
■ Warrant Service

Arrests by Type and Race



Internal Accountability

Internal Accountability Reviews

Use of Force Reviews	12
Complaints	1
Pursuit/Refuse to Stop	3
Internal/Admin	1
PEWS	2
Safety/Accident	0
TOTAL IA REVIEWS	18

12 Use of Force Reviews

9 Uses of Force

- 2 *Physical (minor)*
- 6 *Physical (moderate)*
- 1 *Physical (significant)*

2 Displays of Force

- 2 *Firearm Displays*

1 Found not to be use of force

% of Arrests w/ Use of Force

	1Q	%
Total Arrests	98	2%
Arrests w/ UoF	2	
	YTD	%
Total Arrests	98	2%
Arrests w/ UoF	2	

Details on Displays of Force

Officers encountered a subject in possession of a stolen car and was taken into custody at gunpoint. A second subject fled and was taken into custody at gunpoint approximately 1 mile away. (2 displays of force)

Unfounded Use of Force Review

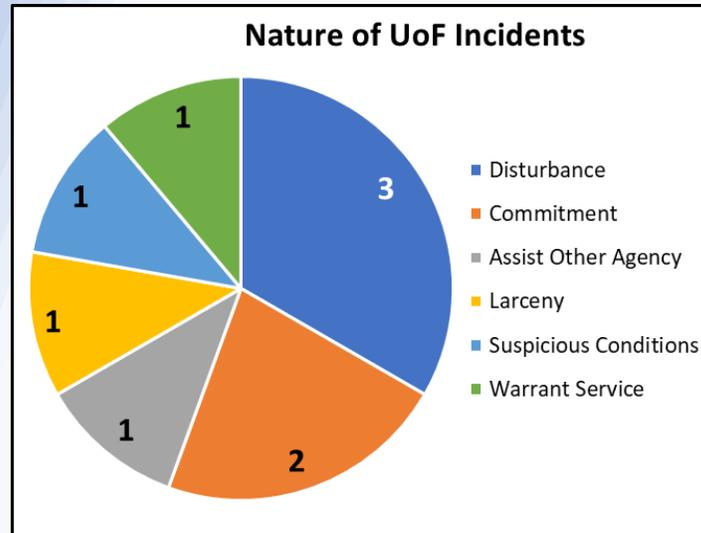
An officer was present during a Use of Force engagement by the Orange County Sheriff's Office. The review found that the officer didn't use force.

Summary of Complaints

A subject complained about his treatment and detention on a call. The incident was already under review internally for several violations. (Sustained)

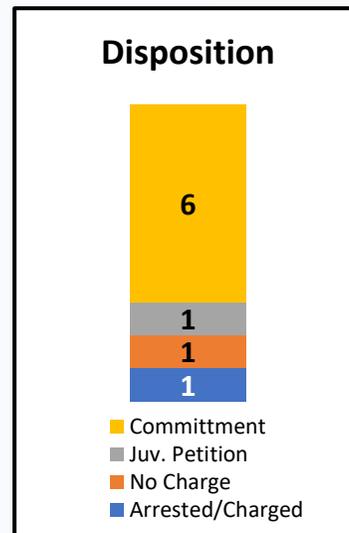
Use of Force

HPD's review of 12 force-related incidents this quarter found that force of some type was used in 9 of the incidents and involved 11 subjects and 19 officers.



Summary of Use of Force Incidents

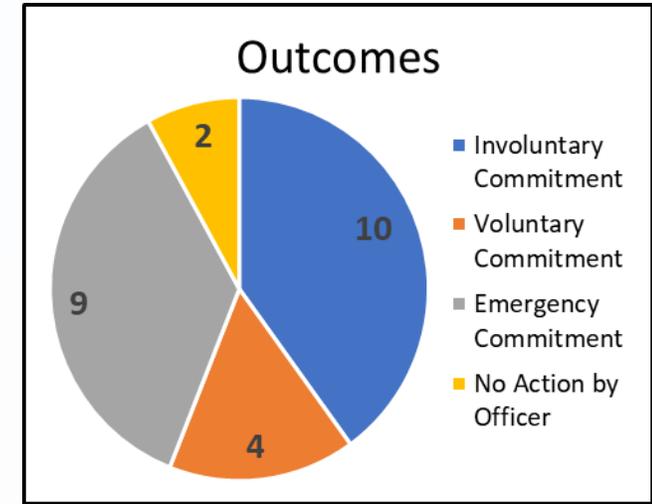
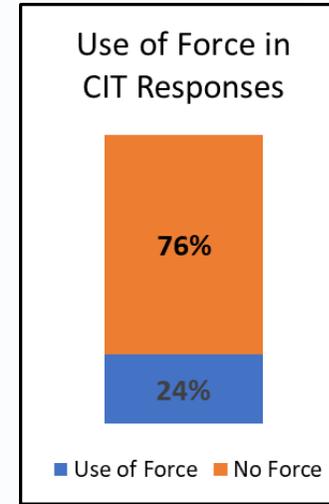
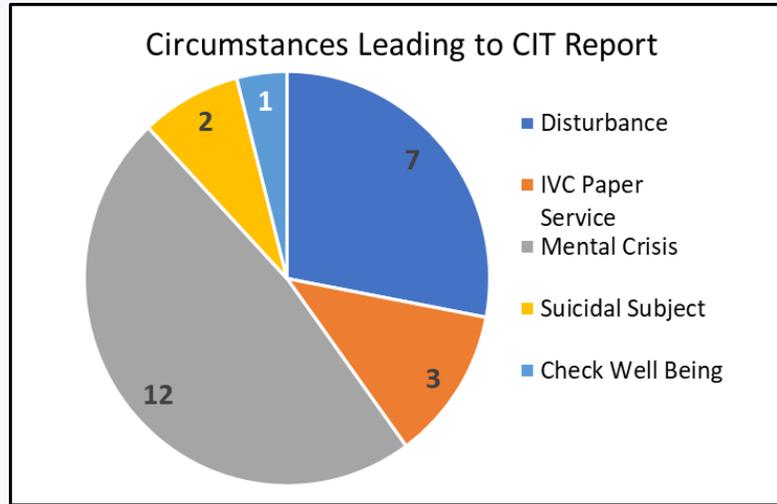
- An officer encountered a subject committing a theft. The officer attempted to detain the subject while the subject was attempting to flee in their vehicle resulting in the officer being dragged. (*Physical – moderate*)
- Officers encountered a subject causing a disturbance. The subject was non-compliant with the officers. The officers grabbed the subject and took him to the ground to place them into custody. (*Physical – significant*)
- Officers encountered a juvenile who was in possession of a stolen vehicle and had active secure custody orders. When approached, he attempted to flee in the vehicle. One officer displayed force by gunpoint and pulled the subject from the vehicle. (*Physical – moderate*)
- 6 uses of force involved persons having mental crisis and are detailed in the Mental Health/CIT Response Calls section on the next page.



Mental Health/Crisis Response Calls

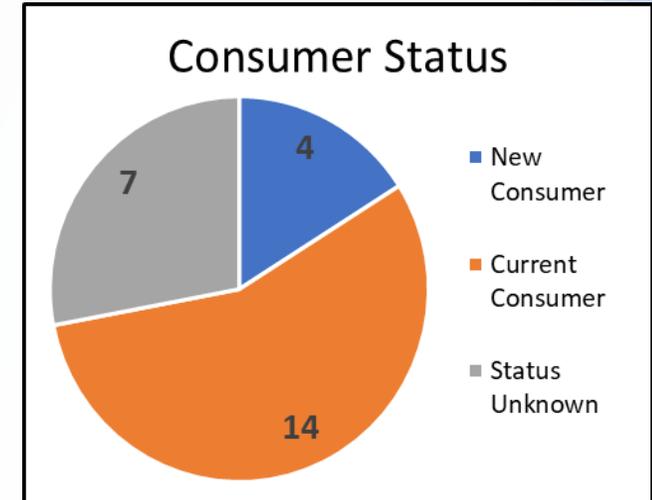
This section presents information on HPD responses to subjects having mental health issues or in crisis. The term “consumers” is used to describe these individuals. Data presented is based on reports in HPD’s records system.

Current Quarter	
<u>CIT Reports</u>	25
<u>Responses with Use of Force</u>	6
<u>Responses with Juvenile Consumer</u>	5



Details of Use of Force Situations:

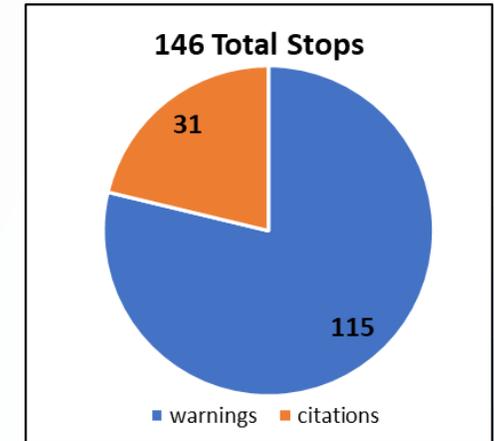
- Officers guided an elderly subject under an IVC order to an ambulance. Once at the ambulance, the subject attempted to walk away. Officers kept her on the gurney by placing their hands on the subject's shoulders. (Physical – minor)
- Officers had to physically carry a runaway juvenile suffering a mental crisis into their residence after running away from home. (Physical – moderate)
- While serving IVC paperwork, a subject attempted to walk into on-coming traffic. When an officer attempted to grab him, the subject assaulted the officer and then fell to the ground. (Physical – moderate)
- Officers encountered a subject having a mental crisis who walked into on-coming traffic. Officers were able to guide the subject out of the roadway and secure IVC paperwork. (Physical – minor)
- Officers grabbed and held onto a juvenile who was attempting self-harm while suffering a mental crisis. Juvenile was secured until IVC paperwork was secured. (Physical – moderate)
- While serving an IVC, officers had to guide the subject to their patrol car and once there, pick the subject up and place m in the patrol car. (Physical – moderate)



Traffic Enforcement Efforts

The Hillsborough Police Department spends time focusing on traffic issues that are received directly from our citizens and as part of the statewide Governor’s Highway Safety Program. HPD also incorporates locations where there have been accident trends as focus areas for enforcement efforts.

Local Complaints and Focus Areas			
	Complaint	Time Spent	Actions
Beckett’s Ridge	Speeding/Stop Signs	42 hrs, 29 min	46 Stops, 5 Cit, 14 VW, 27 WW
Cornwallis Hills Community	Stop Signs	36 hrs, 52 min	8 Stops, 1 Cit, 2 VW, 5 WW
Fairview Community	Speeding/Stop Signs	31 hrs, 34 min	20 Stops, 5 Cit, 8 VW, 7 WW
Nash & Eno	Stops Signs	37 hrs, 7 min	13 Stops, 1 Cit, 5 VW, 7 WW
Lakeshore Dr.	Speeding	28 hrs, 12 min	37 Stops, 13 Cit, 15 VW, 9 WW
West Hill Ave.	Speeding	37 hrs, 1 min	10 Stops, 5 Cit, 3 VW, 2 WW
Forrest Ridge Community	Speeding/Stop Signs	30 hrs, 1 min	3 Stops, 2 VW, 1 WW
Collins Ridge (Gold Hill Way)	Stop Signs	27 hrs, 27 min	7 Stops, 1 Cit, 2 VW, 4 WW
S. Bellevue St.	Truck Route	4 hrs, 40 min	No Action
Beckett’s Ridge/Cates Creek Parkway	Stop Signs	12 hrs, 36 min	1 Stop, 1 WW
Alma Ave.	Speeding	7 hrs, 30 min	1 Stop, 1 WW
Totals		295 hrs, 29 min	146 Stops, 31 Cit, 51 VW, 64 WW



Cit=Citation
 WW=Written Warning
 VW=Verbal warning



Governor’s Highway Safety Program Participation (450 points)	
Campaigns	
2024 St. Patrick’s Day Booze It & Lose It	9 Traffic Violations, 2 Criminal Charges
2024 Speed A Little, Lose A Lot	14 traffic violations, 1 stolen vehicle recovered
Day Time Speed Enforcement (9 Operations)	9 hours 30 min, 17 citations (11 officers)
Nighttime Speed Enforcement (6 operations)	12 hours 30 min, 12 citations (8 officers)
Seatbelt Enforcement (2 Operations)	2 hours 15 min, 5 citations (4 officers)
Saturation Enforcement (3 operations)	7 hours, 4 citations (5 officers)

Marijuana (Schedule VI) Seizures

This section presents information on seizures of marijuana (MJ) and marijuana-related paraphernalia (P).
Drugs and paraphernalia not related to marijuana are not included.

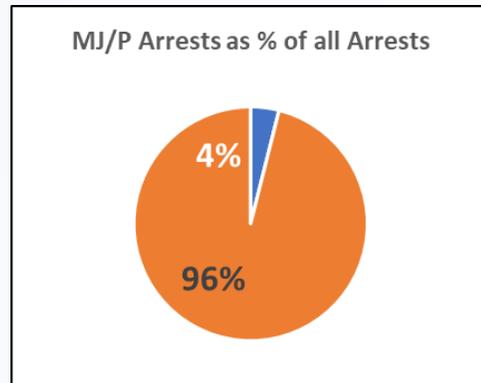
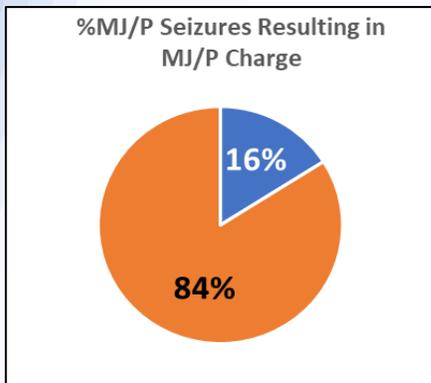
Current Quarter	
Individuals with MJ/P Seized	25
Disposition	
No Resulting MJ/P Charge	21
Referred to OCPAD	0
Charged with MJ/P Only	1
Charged MJ/P w/ other criminal charges	3

Demographics			
B	W	H	O
15	10	0	0
Disposition			
12	9	0	0
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	0
2	1	0	0



MJ/P Arrests as % of total arrests	
MJ/P Seizures	19
Arrests with MJ/P Charges	4
All Other Criminal Arrests	98

% MJ/P Seizure w/ arrest	MJ/P Arrests as % of all Arrests
16%	4%

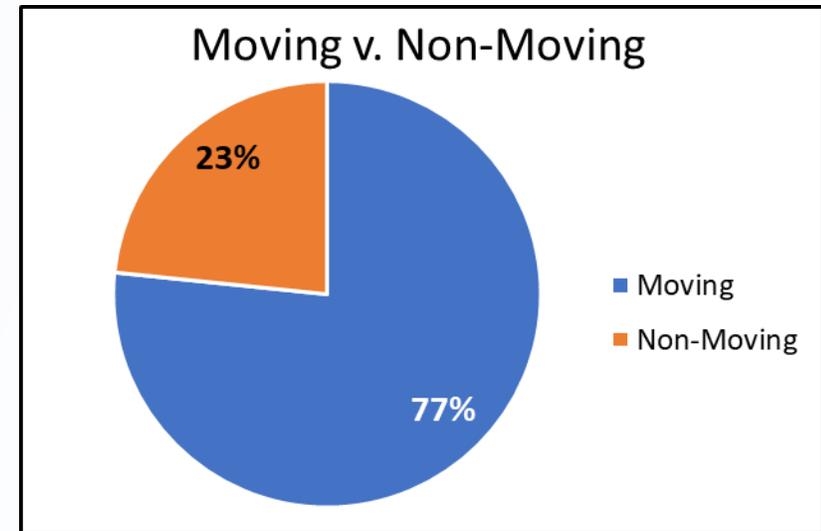
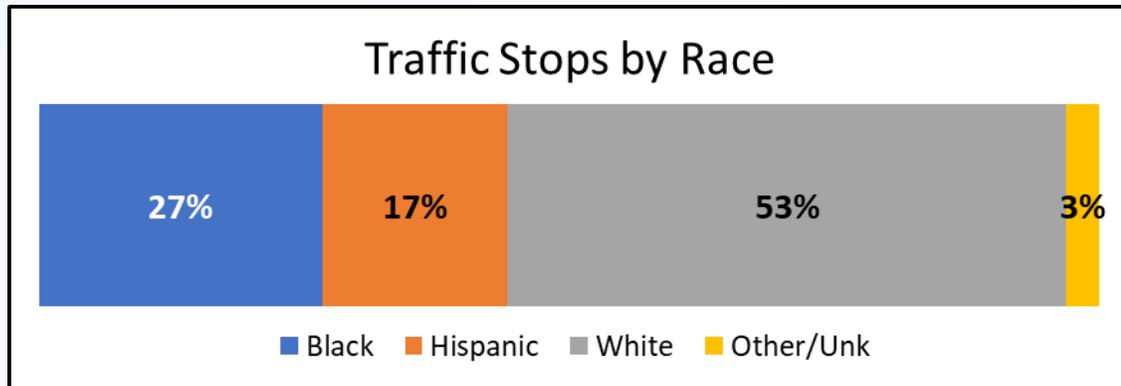
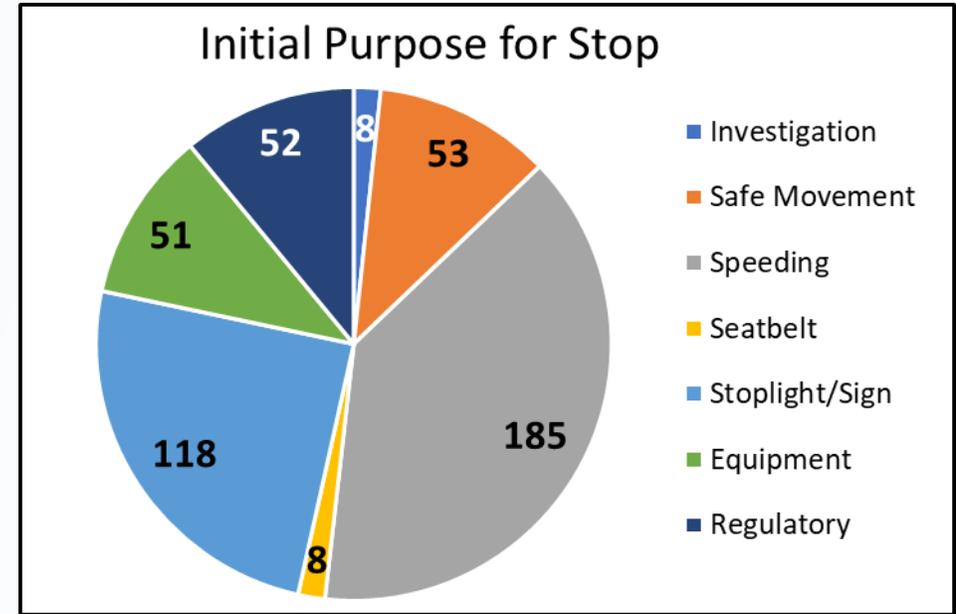


Detail on cases Charged:

- Adult and juvenile charged with Felony Possession of Marijuana and Felony Maintaining Vehicle (2 people charged).
- Adult found in possession of marijuana and a substance believed to be a felony Schedule I drug. Charged with the marijuana and other substance sent to the lab for testing. Additional charges are pending those results.
- Adult charged with (m) Possession of Marijuana (14g), DWLR, and possession of a concealed handgun

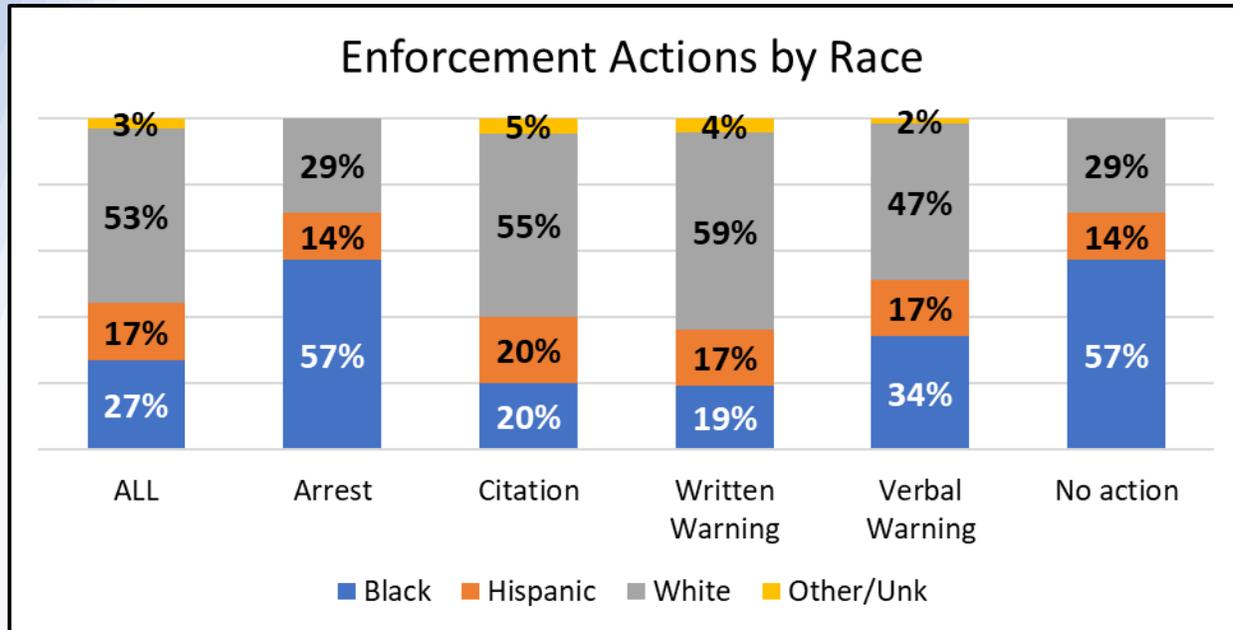
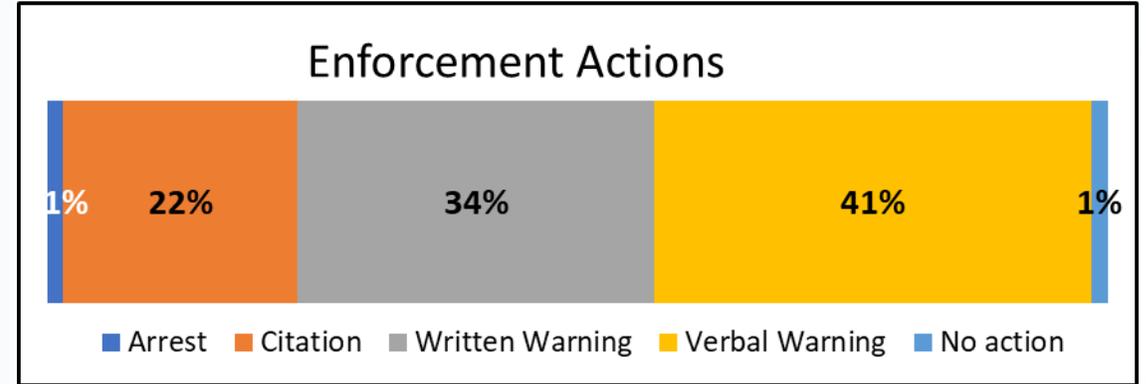
Traffic Stop Data (General)

Current Quarter	Traffic Stops and Initial Reason				
	Total	Black	Hispanic	White	Other/Unk
Total Traffic Stops	475	127	83	250	15
DWI	0	0	0	0	0
Investigation	8	4	1	3	0
Safe Movement	53	11	8	31	3
Speeding	185	46	40	94	5
Seatbelt	8	4	2	2	0
Stoplight/Sign	118	18	13	80	7
Equipment	51	20	10	21	0
Regulatory	52	24	9	19	0

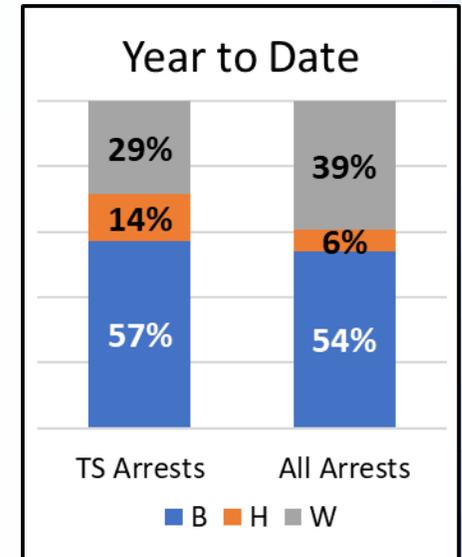
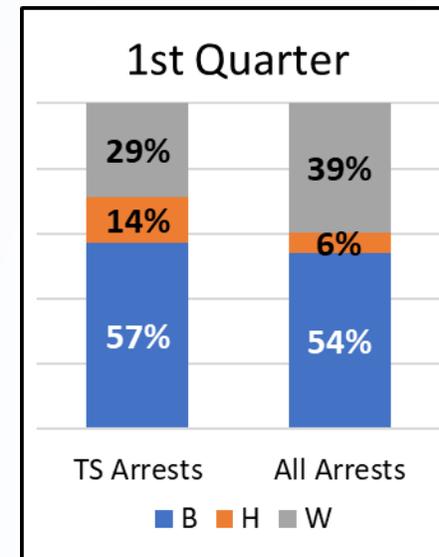


Traffic Stop Data (Enforcement)

Current Quarter	Enforcement				
	Total	Black	Hispanic	White	Other/Unk
All Enforcement	475	127	83	250	15
Arrest	7	4	1	2	0
Citation	105	21	21	58	5
Written Warning	160	31	27	95	7
Verbal Warning	196	67	33	93	3
No action	7	4	1	2	0

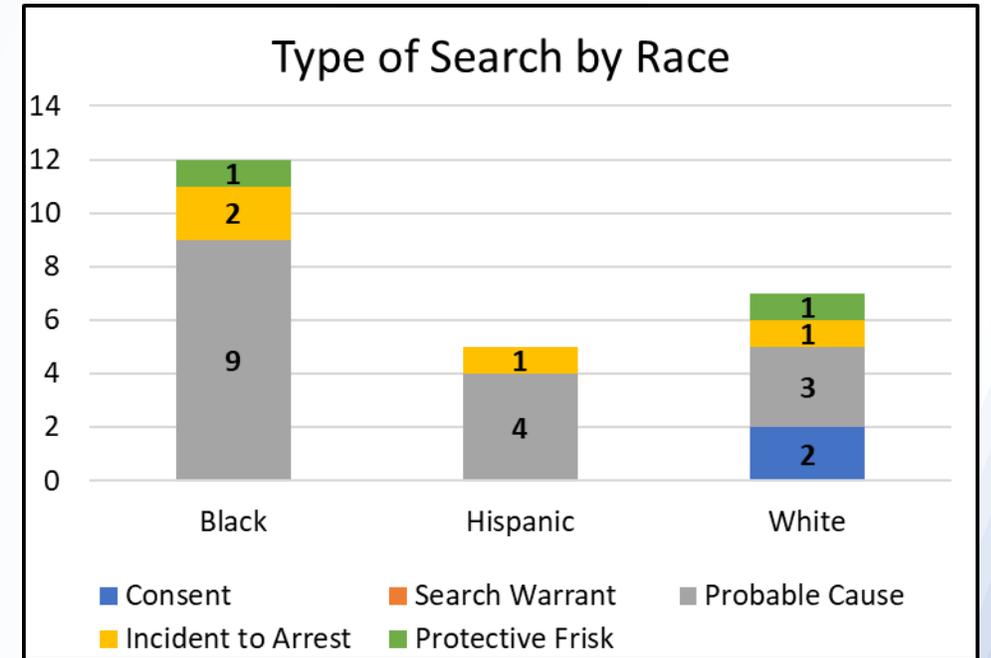


Traffic Stop Arrests Compared to All Arrests

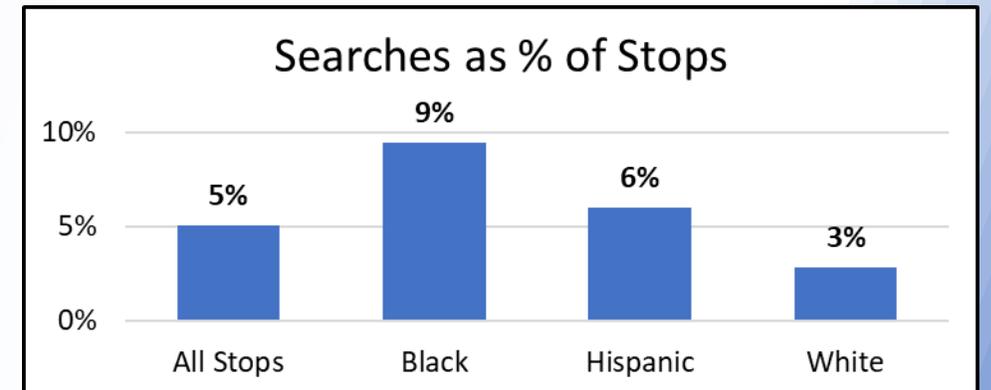


Search Data

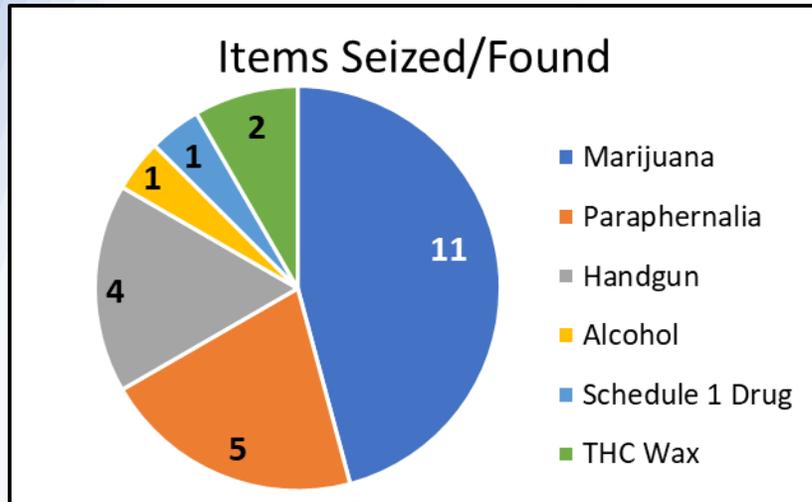
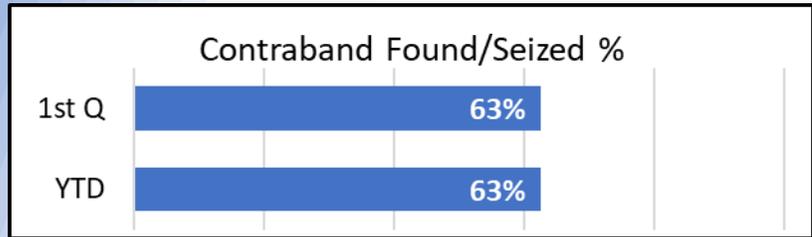
Current Quarter	Search Data – Search Types				
	Total	Black	Hispanic	White	Other/Unk
Total Traffic Stops	475	127	83	250	15
Total Searches	24	12	5	7	0
Consent	2	0	0	2	0
Search Warrant	0	0	0	0	0
Probable Cause	16	9	4	3	0
Incident to Arrest	4	2	1	1	0
Protective Frisk	2	1	0	1	0



Current Quarter	Search Data – Basis/Reason for Search				
	Total	Black	Hispanic	White	Other/Unk
Total Searches	24	12	5	7	0
Erratic/Suspicious Behavior	1	0	0	1	0
Observed suspected Contraband	8	2	2	4	0
Other Official Information	6	3	1	2	0
Suspicious Movements/Actions	1	1	0	0	0
Informant Tip	0	0	0	0	0
Multiple Basis Noted	8	6	2	0	0



Contraband Found?				
		Yes	No	Hit%
Total Searches	24	15	9	63%
Consent	2	0	2	0%
Search Warrant	0	0	0	na
Probable Cause	16	13	3	81%
Incident to Arrest	4	0	4	0%
Protective Frisk	2	2	0	100%



Search Data (continued)

Search Details

- 4 searches was done after (incident to) an arrest.
- 2 searches were done as protective frisks after officers became aware of a weapon in the car.
- 2 searches were based on consent:
 - Subject with know history of drug activity was asked for consent.
 - Subject was asked for consent after acting erratically and being evasive.
- 16 searches were based on Probable Cause
 - 9 were due to officer smelling marijuana and occupant admitting to having it or having recently used it in the vehicle.
 - 4 were due to officer smelling marijuana and observing marijuana and/or paraphernalia.
 - 2 were based on officer smelling marijuana.
 - 1 was due to a K-9 alert after an occupant had fled the vehicle during a traffic stop.

Of the 24 incidents with searches, 10 (42%) involved an arrest or criminal charge. Of those 10, only 3 involved charges connected with contraband found during the search. The other 7 arrests/charges were not connected with the search, or the search was done as a result of the arrest.

Department Training

Elective Trainings Completed

- Alvarez – Active De-Escalation (8 hours)
- Alvarez – Close Quarter Handgun (20 hours)
- Blackwell – Command Leadership Institute (40 hours)
- Burnette/Morales – Patrol Rifle (24 hours)
- Burnette/Lorenson/Senter – INTOX (35 hours)
- Chelenza – Firearms Instructor (80 hours)
- Darden – BIRDE Cellular Evidence (24 hours)
- Darden – Child Sexual Abuse (8 hours)
- Duran – K-9 Wellness (16 hours)
- Felts – West Point Leadership (102 hours)
- Felts – INTOX Recert. (7 hours)
- Foster – Supervisor Leadership Institute (40 hours)
- Hall – 1st Line Supervision (40 hours)
- Mendoza – Search Warrant Preparedness (16 hours)
- Jones – Glock Armorer School (8 hours)
- St. Pierre – Radar Recertification (16 hours)
- Hooks/White – LEEP @ NCSU (72 hours)

Mandatory Training

- MIST – 2024 Ethics (2 hour, 30 employees)
- MIST - 2024 Domestic Violence (2 hours, 30 employees)
- MIST – Active Assailant (4 hours, 30 employees)
- MIST – General Instructor Update (1 hour, 10 employees)
- MIST – Combat Course (1 hour, 20 employees)
- Weapon Transition Training (.25 hour, 20 employees)

Training Hours	1 st Q	2 nd Q	3 rd Q	4 th Q	YTD
Mandatory	328				328
Non-Mandatory	722				722
Goal: >40 hrs/employee of non-mandated training annually					
Avg hrs/employee	24.1				24.1

Highlight: Training Division

- Lieutenant Chelenza completed Firearms Instructor School.
- Officers completed the driver training course through Wake Tech Community College by using their driving simulator at Town Hall.

Type	Hours	Attendance
Gracie Survival Tactics Training	1.5	13
VR Training	2 hr. Avg.	9

- DCI Module 1 (8 hours, 1 employee)
- Driving Simulator (.25 hour, 20 employees)
- DCI Module 1 Recertification (1 hour, 15 employees)
- NCLM Bloodborne Pathogens (.5 hour, 30 employees)

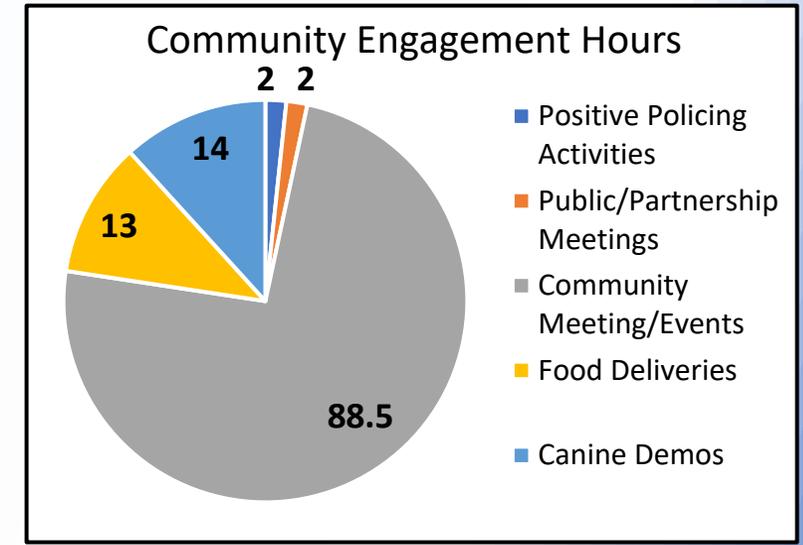
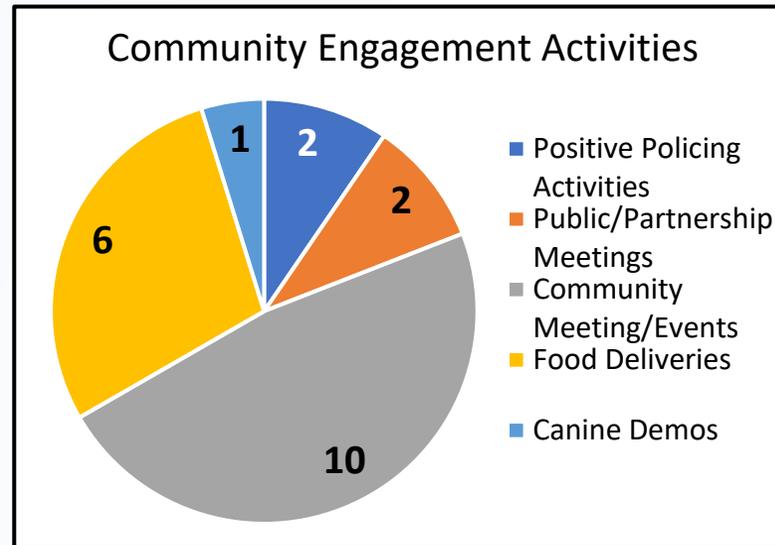
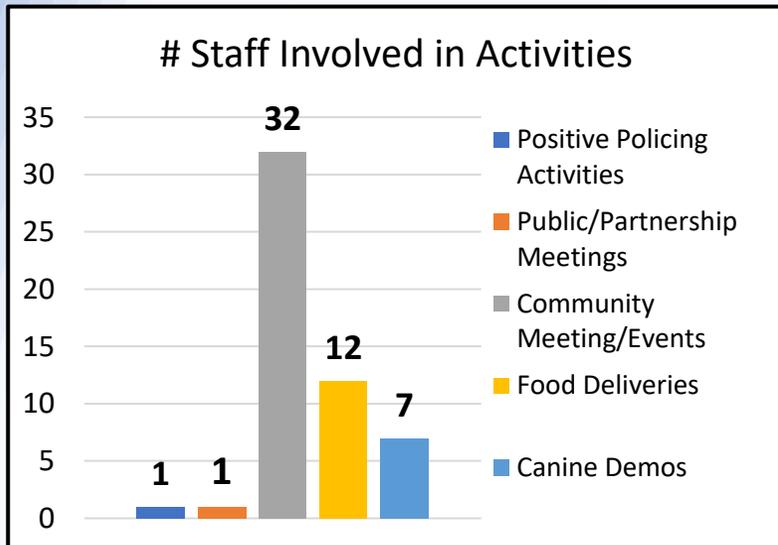
Community Engagement

Definitions

- Positive Policing Activity – Services and actions by officers that go beyond the typical definition of policing. This can include acts of kindness and service, helping with problems, and providing meals or support to community members.
- Public/Partnership Meetings – Meetings with an agenda focused on community issues that intersect with policing such as Board of Commissioners or Project Safe Kids meetings.
- Community Meetings/Events – Community-based activities organized by the department or the community where officers attend, collaborate and/or coordinate, such as community watch meetings or events like Fairview Live.
- Food Deliveries – Assisting with food delivery to Hillsborough residents with mobility challenges such as Meals on Wheels and Passmore Center food box deliveries.
- Canine Demos – Educational demonstrations put on by HPD canine teams.

Community Engagement Activities		
Activity	#	hours
Positive Policing Activities	2	2
Public/Partnership Meetings	2	2
Community Meeting/Events	10	88.5
Food Deliveries	6	13
Canine Demos	1	14
TOTALS	21	119.5

Total Staff Participating in Community Engagement Activities this Quarter	Number	% of staff
	23	77%



Community Engagement

Community Events/Activities

- Crafts with a Cop (1/30)
- Meal Deliveries (1/5, 1/18, 2/2, 2/15, 3/1,3/21)
- First Responders Trust Program (02/7, 03/12)
- Straw for Dogs (01/16)
- Coffee with a Cop (01/16)
- Security Preparedness Training (02/14)
- K9 Demonstrations (02/09)
- High School Presentation (02/29)
- Community Watch Meetings (01/08, 02/05, 03/04)
- Safe Kids (1/11)
- Orange County Gun Safety Meeting (1/11)



Positive Policing Activities

An officer was patrolling a residential area when they observed a class walking the area. The officer got out of their patrol vehicle and gave the students HPD stickers and answered many questions about equipment and the daily tasks of an officer. The teachers and students were very appreciative of the officer spending time to speak with them and even took a picture to highlight this positive interaction.

An officer assisted an elderly couple fix their vehicle, so it did not have to be towed after it was involved in a motor vehicle collision. The couple was very thankful for the officer's help during such a stressful incident.

Employee Accomplishments/Awards

Officer of the Quarter



Officer Argie Burnette

Officer Burnette is a very reliable and proactive officer. During the first quarter, he was one of the most productive officers with traffic stops, reports written and reliability by working every shift assigned to him. Argie continues to attend training to add to his skill set and develop his policing abilities.

Quarterly Community Engagement Award



Officer 1st Class Matthew Lorenson

Officer Lorenson attended several community events this quarter. Specifically, he volunteered on his day off to participate in the annual Straw for Dogs event.

Other Accomplishments/Awards:

- Lieutenant Hooks and Lieutenant White both completed NC State's Law Enforcement Executive Program (LEEP). LEEP involves 20 days of training over a 6-month period and is designed to build proactive leadership among law enforcement executives and enable them to manage their most critical current and future challenges effectively.
- Officers Lorenson, Phuong and West advanced to Officer 1st Class.
- Sgt. Senter, Inv. Darden and Inv. Morales were awarded their Intermediate Law Enforcement Certificates from NC Training and Standards

