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# Annual Report

# 2022



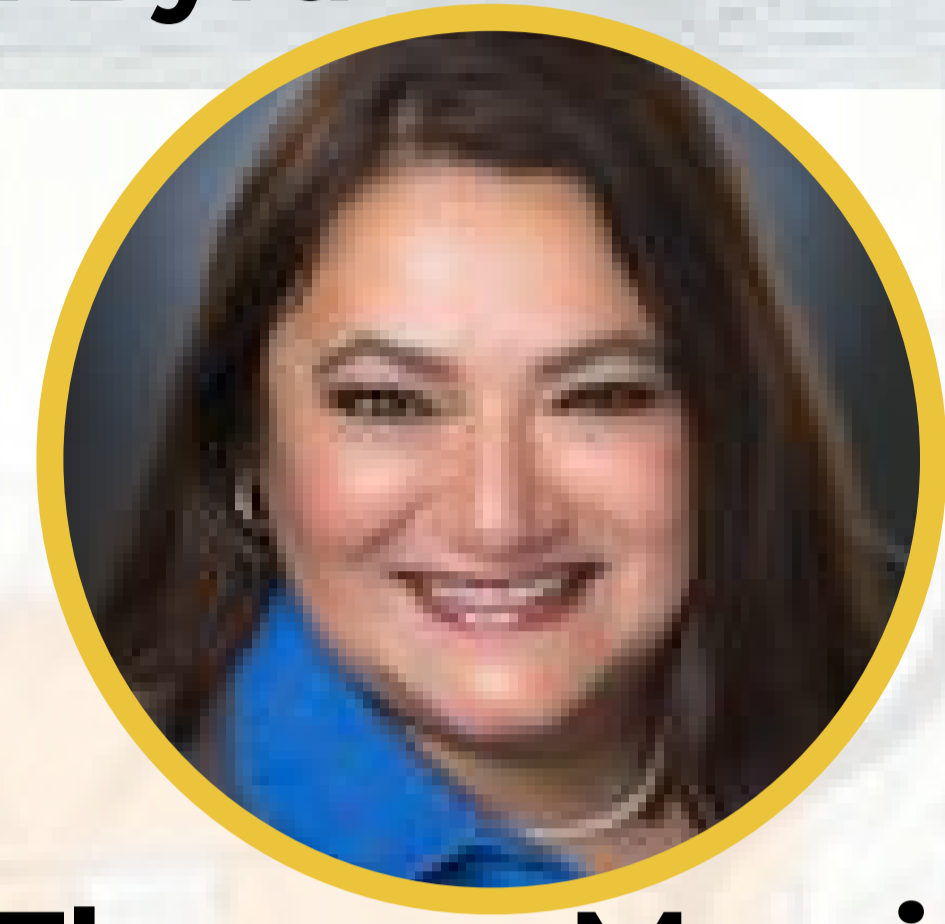
**Mayor Wade Kapszukiewicz**



**Safety Director Brian Byrd**



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Council Member District 5



**Theresa Morris**  
Council Member District 6



**John Hobbs III**  
Council Member District 1



**Vanice S. Williams**  
Council Member District 4



**Theresa Gadus**  
Council Member District 3



**Matt Cherry**  
Council Member District 2

## At-Large City Council Members

Dr. Michele Grim  
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Cerssandra McPherson  
Katie Moline  
George Sarantou  
Dr. Tiffany M Preston Whitman

# Department Directory

Emergency – Dial 911  
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(419) 255-8443

## Central District Station 525 N. Erie Street

Information Desk: 419-245-3246  
Crimestoppers: 419-255-1111  
Detective Bureau: 419-245-3142  
Detective Fax Line: 419-936-3678  
Personnel: 419-245-3205  
Planning & Research: 419-245-3224  
Public Information Office: 419-245-3217  
Records Section: 419-245-3101  
TDD Line for Deaf: 419-936-2529  
Towed/Stolen Vehicles: 419-245-3105

## D. Michael Collins Northwest Neighborhood Station 2230 W. Sylvania Ave.

Information Desk: 419-936-3800  
Accident Reconstruction: 419-245-3296  
Hit Skip Investigations: 419-936-2027/3857  
OVI/SOL Unit: 419-245-3257  
Parking Complaints: 419-245-3323  
Taxi/Tow Truck Inspections: 419-245-3295  
Traffic Sergeant: 419-936-3854  
Reports/All Other: 419-936-3858

## Scott Park District Station 2301 Nebraska Avenue

Information Desk: 419-936-2000  
Fax Line: 419-936-3696

## Community Services 2145 North Cove Boulevard

Community Services: 419-245-1119  
School Resource Officers: 419-936-3850  
RSVP Program: 419-936-3811  
Safe-T-City: 419-936-2984  
TPD LGBTQ+Liaison: 419-936-2271

## Toledo Police Academy Recruitment Unit 30439 Tracy Road Walbridge, OH

Academy Office: 419-936-3400  
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Backgrounds and Recruitment: 419-245-1075



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# ORGANIZATION CHART



**Chief of Police George Kral**



**Internal Affairs Bureau**  
Capt. B. Hollingsworth



**Public Information Unit**  
Lt. P. Davis



**Assistant Chief of Police Michael Troendle**

Support and Administrative Services Division



**Deputy Chief David Mueller**

Investigative Services Division



**Deputy Chief Susan Surgo**

Operations Division



**Support Services Bureau**

Capt. K. Lenhardt

- Training Section
- Planning, Research, and Inspections Section
- Court Liaison Unit
- Accreditation Unit
- Records Section
- Impound Lot
- Identification Office
- Public Information Officer
- Data Entry Office



**Administrative Services Bureau**

Capt. J. Pachell

- Personnel Section
- Backgrounds and Recruitment Unit
- TPCOA
- TPPA
- SGT. at Arms Office
- Wellness Unit
- CISM/Peer Support
- Fiscal Affairs Section
- Property Management/ Motor Pool Unit
- Grant Coordinator
- Technical Services Unit
- Communications/ All Hazards Liaison



**Investigations Bureau**

Capt. K. Braun

- Persons Section
- Missing Persons Office
- Joint Terrorism Task Force
- Cold Case Office
- U.S. Marshals Task Force
- Special Victims Unit
- Domestic Violence Office
- Property Investigations Section
- Arson Office
- Forensic & Cybercrime Section
- Video and Digital Forensics Unit
- Digital Forensics Office
- Video Office
- Crime Stopper
- Crime Scene Investigation Unit
- Forensic Lab



**Special Operations Bureau**

Capt. J. Heffernan

- Swat Section
- Gang Task Force
- Vice Narcotics Section
- Prostitution Task Force
- Administrative Lieutenant
- Canine Unit
- NW Ohio Bomb Squad
- Unmanned Aircraft System
- Critical Incident Negotiators



**Special Operations Bureau**

Capt. R. Freddrick

- Criminal Intelligence Section
- Crime Gun Intelligence Task Force
- ATF Task Force
- Special Investigations Section
- Metro Drug Task Force
- NW Ohio Violence Crime Task Force
- Forfeiture Unit
- North West Interdiction Task Force



**Central District**

Capt. E. Bombrys

- Operations



**Scott Park District**

Capt. T. Morelli

- Operations

- Community Services Section
  - CSO
  - RSVP
  - SRO
  - PPT
  - PAL Office
  - Public Safety Cadets

- Traffic Section
- Field Training Unit
- Mobile Field Force
- Harbor Patrol Unit

## Letter from Chief George Kral

I wanted to be the person you heard this from first.

My last day with TPD will be January 9, 2023. Since December 14, 1990, I have loved coming to work, but since being named chief in January of 2015, I have enjoyed it all the more.

Even with all of the trials, tribulations, and challenges we have endured together being your Chief of Police has been the pinnacle of my career. You truly are the best of the best.

Whether you agree, or not, I have been your biggest and most vocal defender and advocate. I see the good work each and every one of you do every day and never fail to sing your praises whenever I get the opportunity.

I wish all of you the best moving forward. I will continue to follow the dealings of the department and will pray for each of you every day.



*George R. Kral*

**George Kral**  
Chief of Police



# 2022 Year in Review



# January

On January 11, 2022 multiple officers responded to 1001 Starr Avenue for a structure fire. Officer Collins and Officer Johnson were among the first on scene. Realizing there were victims trapped on the second floor, both officers ran into the burning building to locate them. Once inside, the officers were able to direct TFRD personal to their location and successfully extract them from the building.

"Engine 6 arrived to a chaotic scene unfolding with the possibility of multiple people trapped in the upstairs apartments. Heavy black smoke was visible from both second story windows facing Starr Ave. As command rounded the front of the building, they could hear voices yelling down the stairwell. They met the officers at the top of the steps, in harm's way, doing everything they could to maintain verbal contact with the victim. Officers Collins and Johnson would prove to be a vital part of the overall rescue of the victim." -A Toledo Fire and Rescue Captain



Officers Curt Collins and Randy Johnson

THE TOLEDO POLICE DEPARTMENT

*A solemn obligation*



**Officer Brandon Stalker**  
E.O.W. January 18, 2021

Police Officer Brandon Stalker was shot and killed while working the outer perimeter during a barricade involving an arson suspect in the 2300 block of Fulton.

At approximately 0222 hours the front doors of the Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral on Collingwood Blvd. was vandalized and set on fire. A witness flagged down a crew to report the incident. Toledo Fire and Rescue and Arson Investigators responded to the scene. A suspect was identified and warrants for Arson and Vandalism were issued. Around 1600 hours a Gang Task Force unit observed the suspect in the 2200 block of Fulton. The suspect was given commands to remove his hands from his pockets and walk towards them. He walks away while producing a firearm and runs into his home. The unit immediately sets up a perimeter and backup crews and negotiators arrive. Officer Stalker is working the outer perimeter, over 100 feet away from the home. After failed negotiation attempts, the scene is turned over to SWAT. SWAT deploys chemical munitions forcing the suspect out. As he emerges, the suspect has a handgun in each hand and fires at officers.

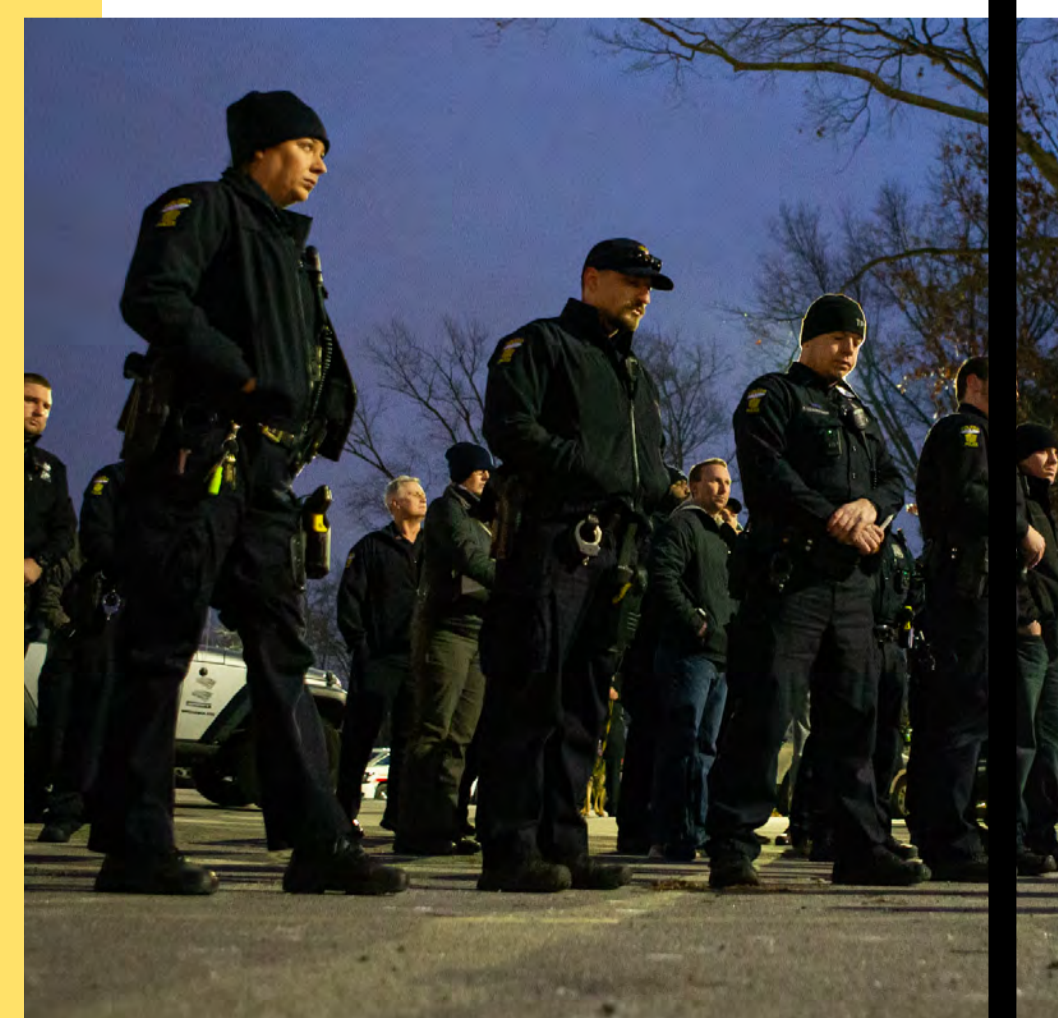
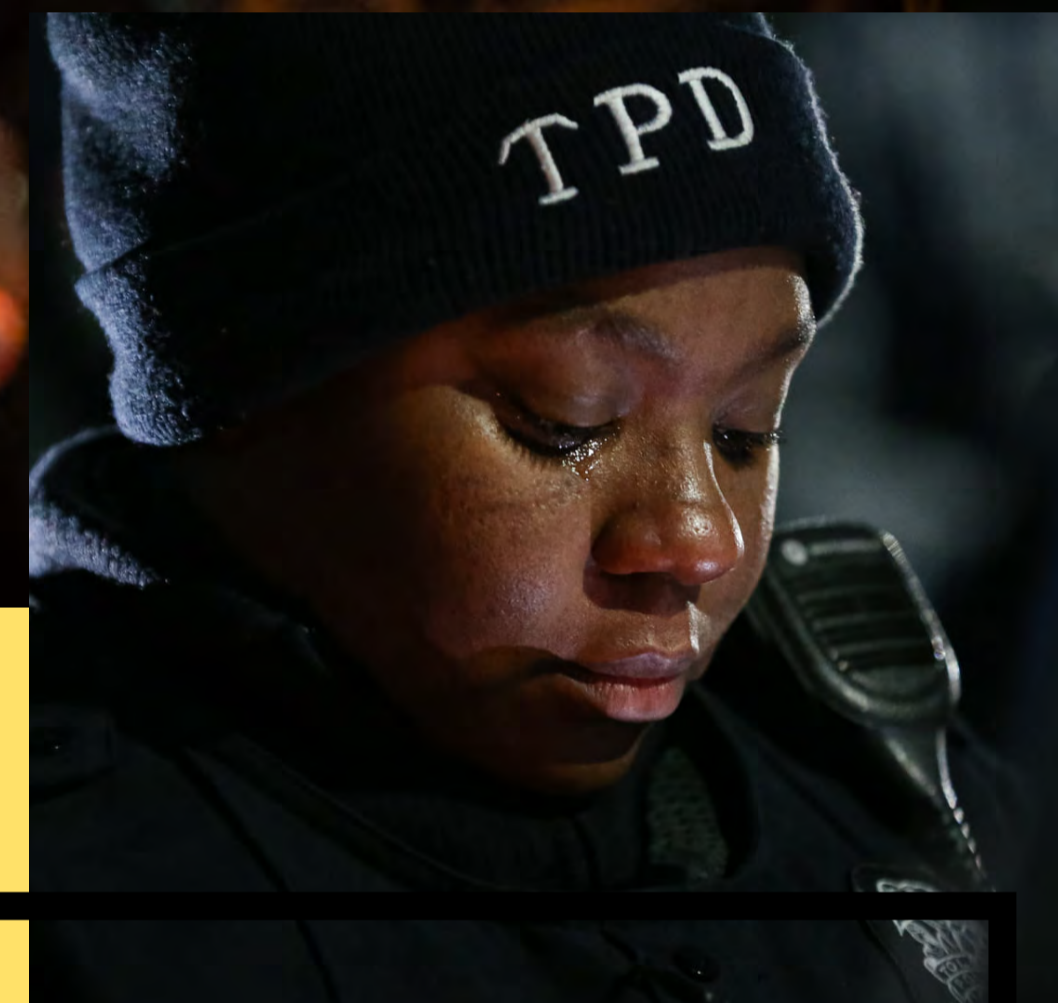
Officer Stalker is struck. He is transported to a local hospital by fellow officers where he succumbed to his wound. Police shoot the suspect, striking and killing him.

Officer Stalker had served with the Toledo Police Department for two years. He is survived by his fiance, daughter, son and parents.

*Brandon Stalker*

TO PROTECT AND SERVE

**January 19, 2022** Officers gather together for a candle light vigil to celebrate the life of Officer Brandon Stalker who was killed in the line of duty on January 18, 2021.







Chief George Kral and Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost



## January 30th

Columbus Division of Police and Toledo Police joined together for the first annual Toledo Memorial Classic Hockey Game. The game resulted in a 1-1 tie. Proceeds from the event went to support Toledo public schools students who are interested in becoming first responders. Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost was also in attendance to drop the puck.



# February



Detective Louie Espinosa received the gold detective badge today which signifies him as the most senior detective.

February 1, 2022

Over a period of several days, Deon Thompson was a victim of a package theft two times. In both instances, Mr. Thompson was able to capture the suspects on his doorbell camera. During the second theft, his wife confronted the suspects as they fled. Mr. Thompson traced the route the suspects ran and was able to find a cell phone. After doing some detective work of his own, he was able to identify the suspects and where they lived. A few days later officers were able to meet with him and obtain the evidence he had developed. After some coordination, officers were able to arrest the suspects in the same vehicle they had used in the thefts. Officers recovered some of the stolen property and returned it to the rightful owners.



**Officer Ronald Wilcox, Councilman John Hobbs III, Deon Thompson, and Captain Thomas Morelli**



**Officer Ronald Wilcox, Deon Thompson, Captain Thomas Morelli, and Detective Andre Bills**

On February 15, 2022 the McDonalds at 1225 Collingwood was robbed by an armed suspect. Witnesses told the arriving officers that the male suspect fled on an "old school" bike. Hours later, Officer Michael Ervin and Officer Lindsey Erhart spotted a male near Dorr and Smead matching the description of the suspect, who was also riding the described bike. Officer Erhart attempted to stop the suspect who then fled on the bike. Officer Ervin was able to catch the suspect and he was taken into custody after a foot chase. The suspect was then interviewed by detectives and charged with aggravated robbery and multiple misdemeanors.



May You Be  
**PROUD**  
of the WORK you have done,  
the PERSON you are,  
and the DIFFERENCE  
YOU have made.

## A Job Well Done!

On February 7, 2022 Officer Leon Cavanaugh and Officer Daniel Welch were tasked with preventing a series of robberies targeting pizza delivery drivers. While on patrol the officers observed a vehicle that was stolen in a recent robbery. The officers watched the vehicle park and observed the suspect exit the driver's seat and stand near the car. When the officers began to approach the suspect, the suspect jumped back into the vehicle. To prevent the suspect from fleeing, the officers approached the car and removed him from the vehicle and placed him in custody. After a search of the suspect, he was found to be in possession of a ski mask and loaded handgun. The suspect and items found all matched descriptions given in the previous six robberies. The officers then booked him at Lucas County Jail on multiple felony charges.





# March



Chief George Kral swore in and welcomed Officer Jawdat Rahman(upper left) and Officer Jontez Moore (upper right). Both officers laterally transferred from different police agencies and went through an intensive three week accelerated police academy.



# Congratulations!

On March 17, 2022 Detective William Goodlet became the most senior detective on the department after the retirement of Detective Louie Espinosa. Chief George Kral awards him the gold detective badge.





# April



Officer Donald Scott



Sergeant William Windnagle



Dick's Sporting Goods donated footballs, basketballs, and volleyballs to the Community Services Section. Officers will hand them out to children while they are on patrol.



Through a grant, the Toledo Police Department in conjunction with the American Academy of Pediatrics "Put a lid on it" campaign donated several bicycle helmets to the newest members of our community from Ukraine.



## **National Law Enforcement Officer Hall of Fame**

On April 12th, 2022 the City of Toledo council members held a ceremony to congratulate Detective Louie Espinosa on being inducted into the Hall of Fame back in March.





On April 14th, 2022 Members of the Toledo Police and the Toledo Fire Department play a friendly game of basketball at Bowsher High School. The event was held to promote the Toledo Public School's PS419 program.



VS





# May Toledo Police Memorial Service 2022



Chief George Kral



Deputy Chief Michael Troendle

*The ultimate sacrifice...*

*On May 19th, The community comes together to honor those officers who gave their lives in the line of duty.*

# Gone but never forgotten



The Policeman stood at the Pearly Gates. His face was worn and old. He meekly asked the man of fate admission to the fold. "What have you done" Saint Peter asked "to seek admission here?" "I was a cop back down on earth for many many a year." The gates flew open quickly as Saint Peter tolled the bell. "Come in an take a harp" he said... "you've had enough of hell!"



MEMORIAL  
POLICE  
DEPARTMENT  
ACTION

Year	Officer Name	Year
1918-1922		
1900-1922		
1917-1924		
1919-1925		
1920-1928		
1926-1931		
1931-1932		
1930-1936		
1933-1944		
1923-1947		
1922-1948		
1947-1948		

IN MEMORIAM  
TOLEDO POLICE DEPARTMENT  
KILLED IN ACTION

Ptl. W. P. Boyle	1955-1961
Ptl. D. C. Brown	1955-1962
Ptl. W. Miscannon	1967-1970
Det. K. T. Dressel	1993-2007
Ptl. A. H. Dia	2018-2020
Ptl. B. M. Stalker	2018-2021

IN MEMORIAM  
TOLEDO POLICE DEPARTMENT  
KILLED IN ACTION

Ptl. J. Basso	1997-1999
Ptl. C. W. Essel	1997-1999
Ptl. N. T. Smith	2004-2018

"LEST WE FORGET"

# *Congratulations to the 68th Academy Class!*

May 27, 2022, The 68th Academy class graduates and begins their careers serving the citizens of the City of Toledo. All their hard work and preparation during the academy will continue to make them fine officers serving the community.

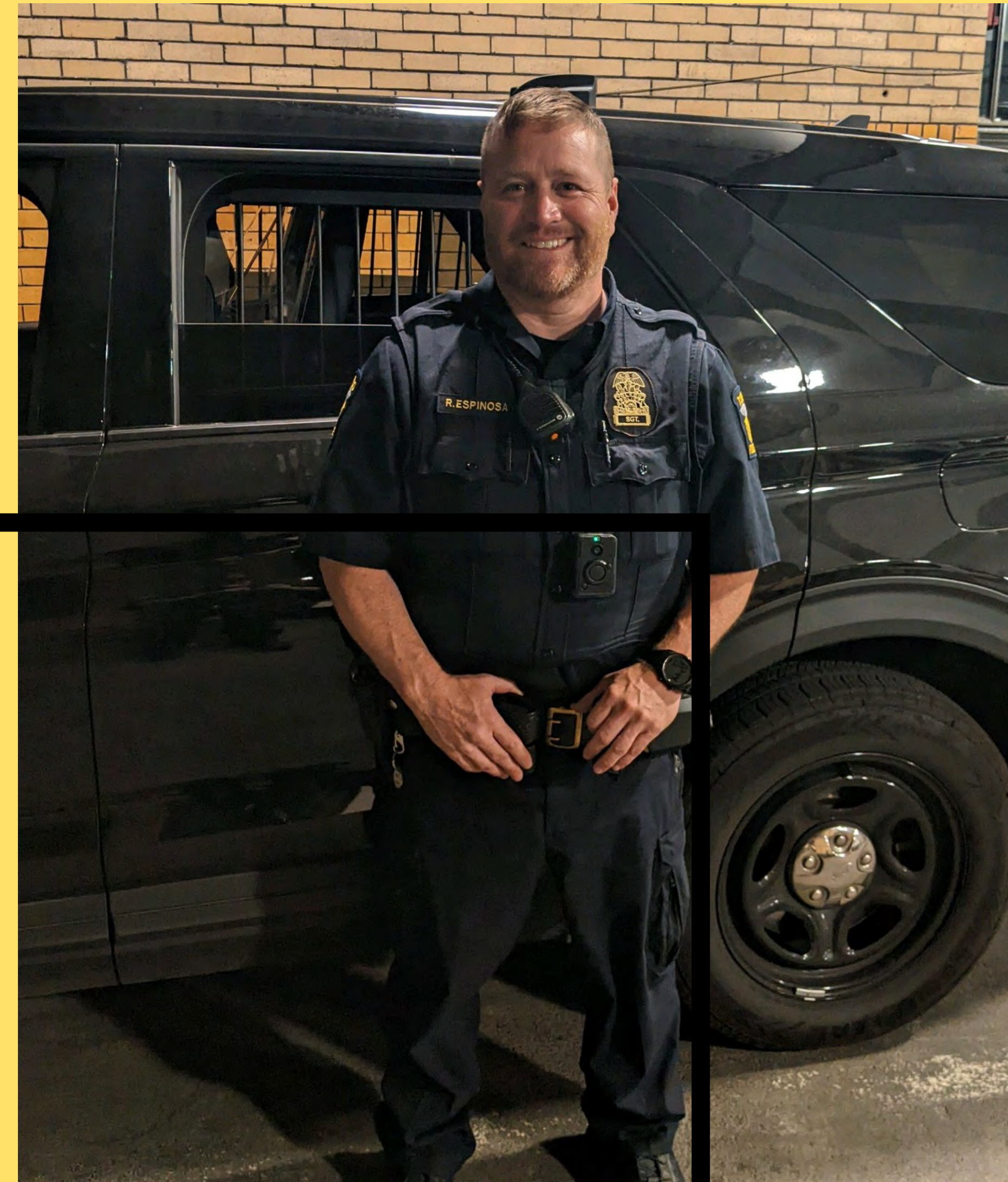


Officer Doleena Murdock and Officer Jazmine Scott



# June

On June 4th, crews were dispatched to a weapons call in the 1200 block of N. Superior. The caller stated he had a gun and was going to harm an unknown female and any officers that responded to the incident. Sergeant Raymond Espinosa arrived on scene and took control of the scene. Officers set up a protective perimeter to contain the incident. The suspect began to advance towards officers and stretching out his arm into a shooter's stance. Sergeant Espinosa ordered the officer not to fire, to which he instead deployed several shots from his pepper ball gun. After the suspect was struck multiple times, the suspect stopped advancing and went to the ground. This gave officers and Sergeant Espinosa time to lead the arrest team to the suspect and take him safely into custody. After the scene was secure, the suspect was found to not have a firearm, but a silver package of cigarillos. Based on his actions and the suspects 911 calls, it was believed he was attempting suicide by cop. Sergeant Espinosa's leadership prevented a possible officer involved shooting situation.



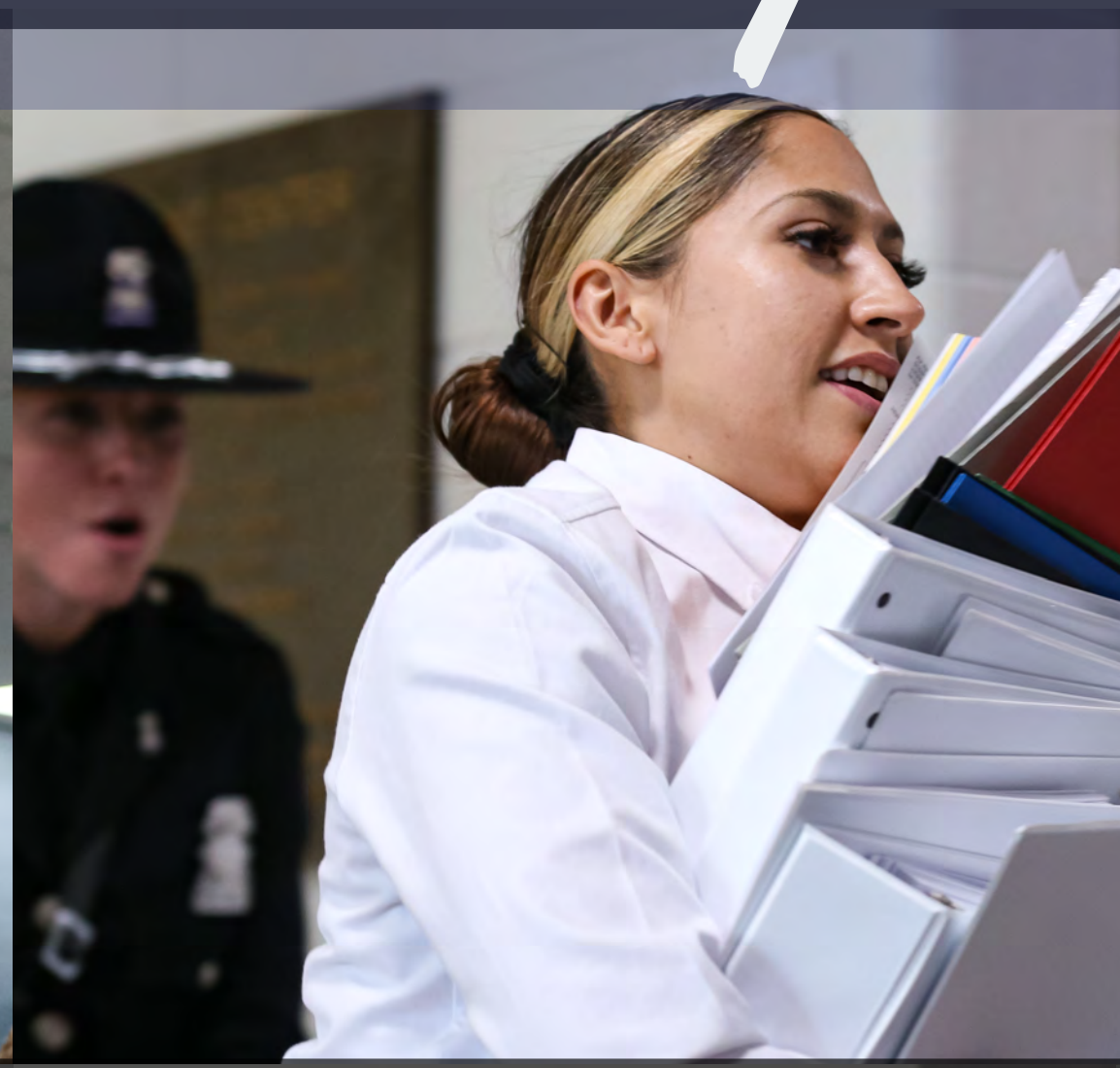
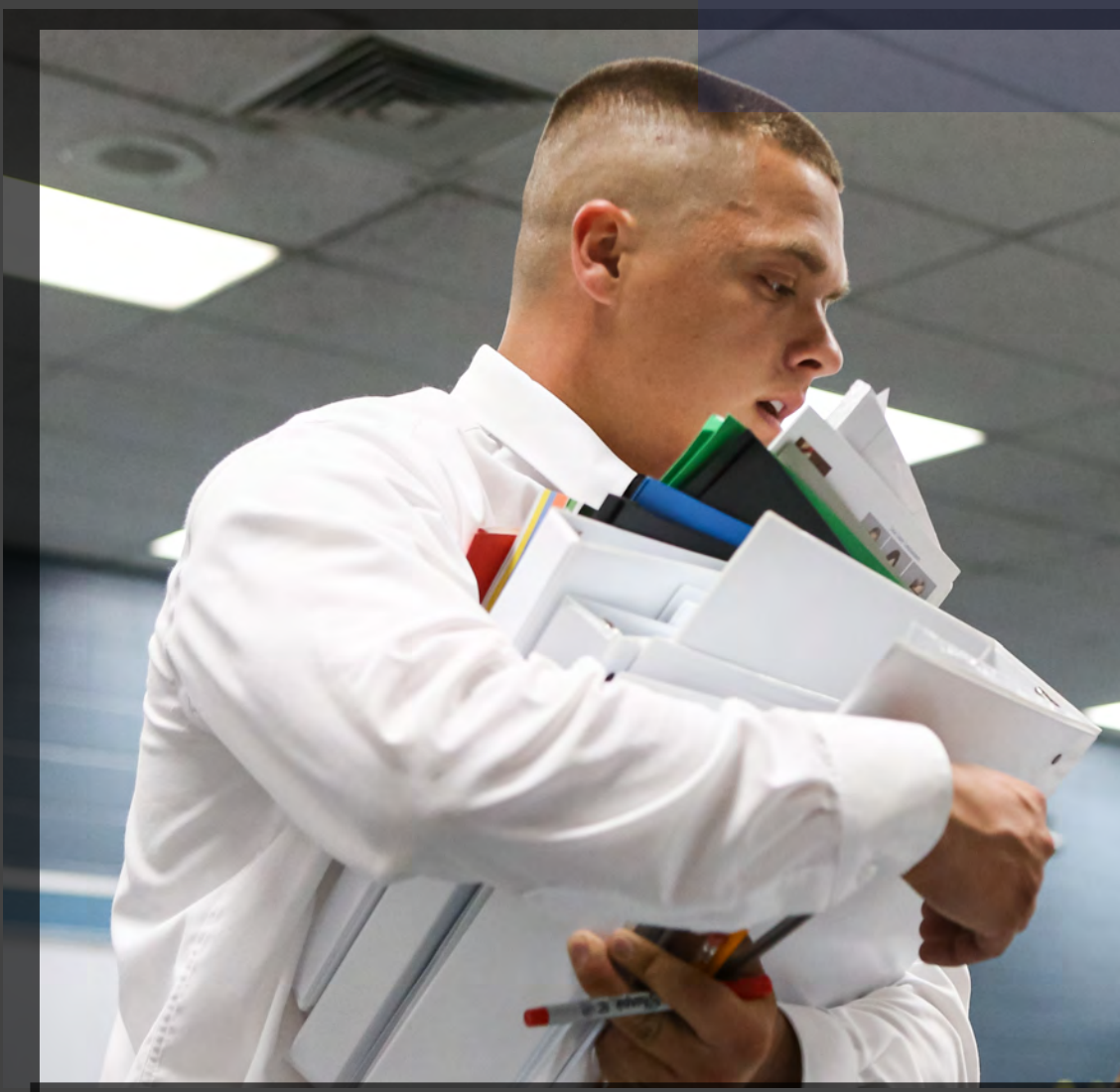
On June 24, 2022, The 69th Toledo Police Academy Class begins and cadets will participate in seven months of strenuous training. Everyday each cadet will strengthen physically and mentally. Those that are not determined will fall out this week and will no longer be in the class. These men and women will be amongst the finest officers after they finish their training.





Hurry Up!

DAY 1

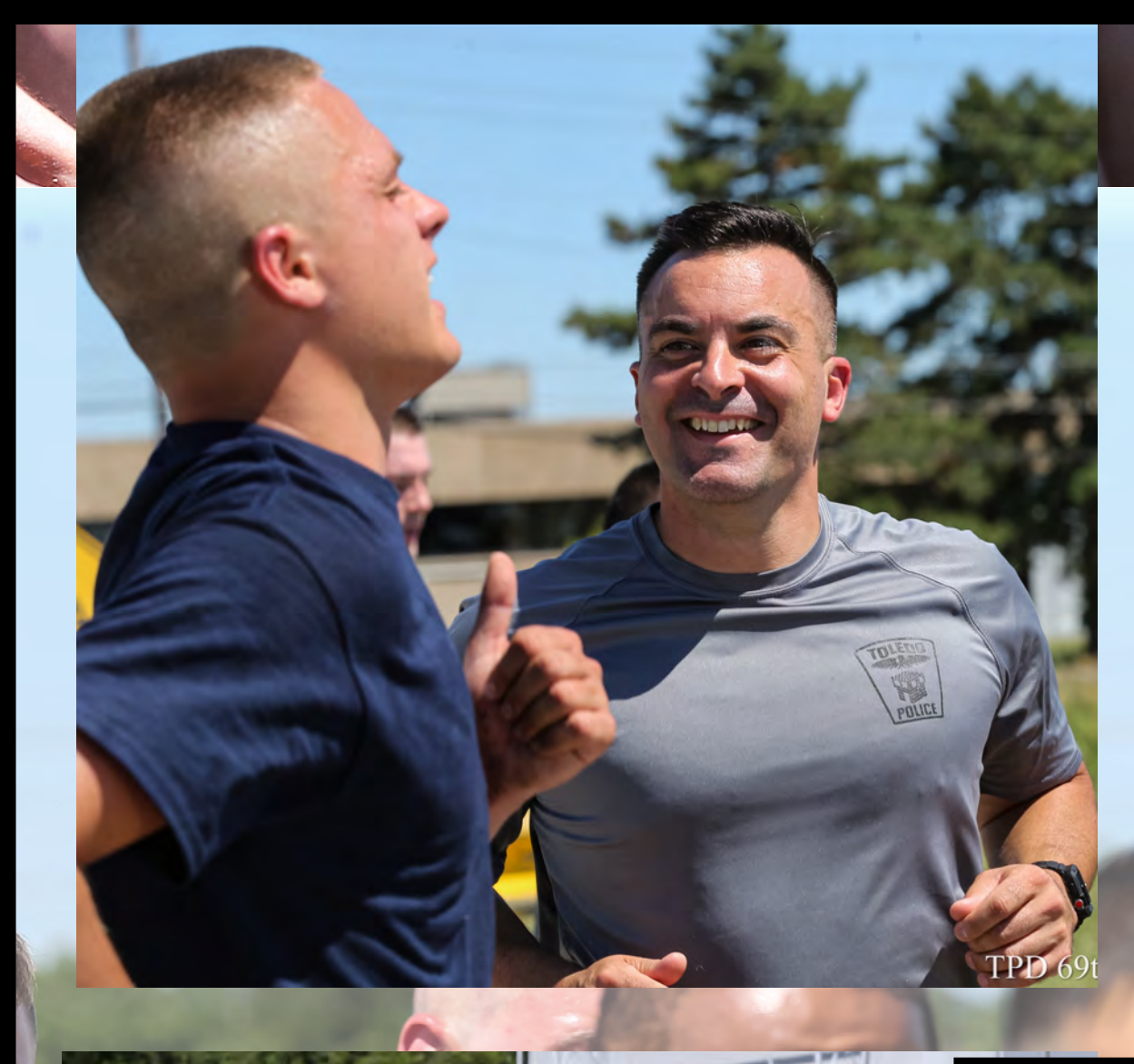




# The 69th Academy Class



Physical fitness is an important aspect of training in the academy and maintaining that mindset of being physically fit. Cadets learn the expectations of each of them during the first day of their academy training.



TPD 69th BASIC POLICE ACADEMY





On June 29, 2022 Officer Ashley Reneau and Officer Anthony Vines II were taking a recent arrestee to Lucas County Jail when they observed three males attempting to take a refrigerator into a home in the 700 block of Walbridge.

After leaving the jail, the officers noticed a pending call for a break-in at the nearby Rent-A-Center. Once on scene, a witness told them he saw an unknown person steal a refrigerator from the rear of the store. Both officers remembered the men they saw taking a refrigerator in a home earlier so the officers went to that location and made contact with a resident. The resident admitted to stealing the appliance and the stolen refrigerator was recovered due to these officers diligent efforts.

On July 4, 2022 Officer Tyler Toska and Officer Mychael McAninch responded to a fire in the 800 block of North Superior. While speaking with the victim, it was determined that her child's father had intentionally set fire to her home. The victim told the officers the suspect was known to carry a gun. Both officers then started looking at past reports and were able to determine areas where the suspect was known to frequent. The suspect was then spotted and officers began a foot chase which led to taking the suspect in custody. A search of the suspect also produced a loaded firearm with a 30 round magazine.



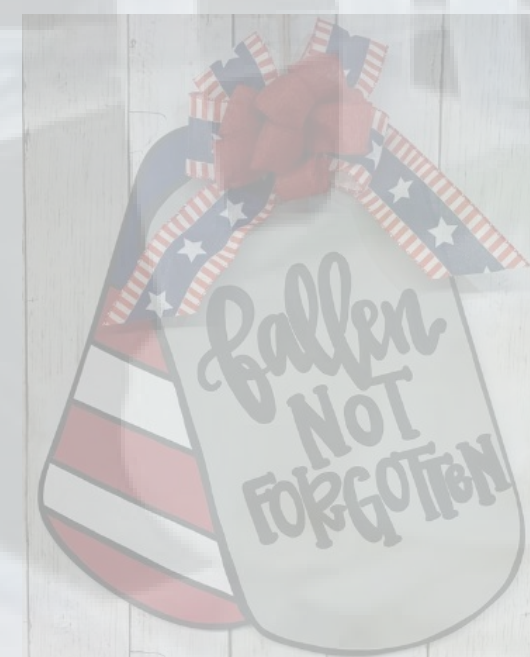
# July



On July 4th, The family of Officer Anthony Dia handed out 118 hot dogs in remembrance of their fallen officer. The sons of Anthony, Younes Dia and Maytham Dia stand next to their grandfather Frank Hoover.



Officer Anthony Dia  
End of Watch - July 4, 2020





# August

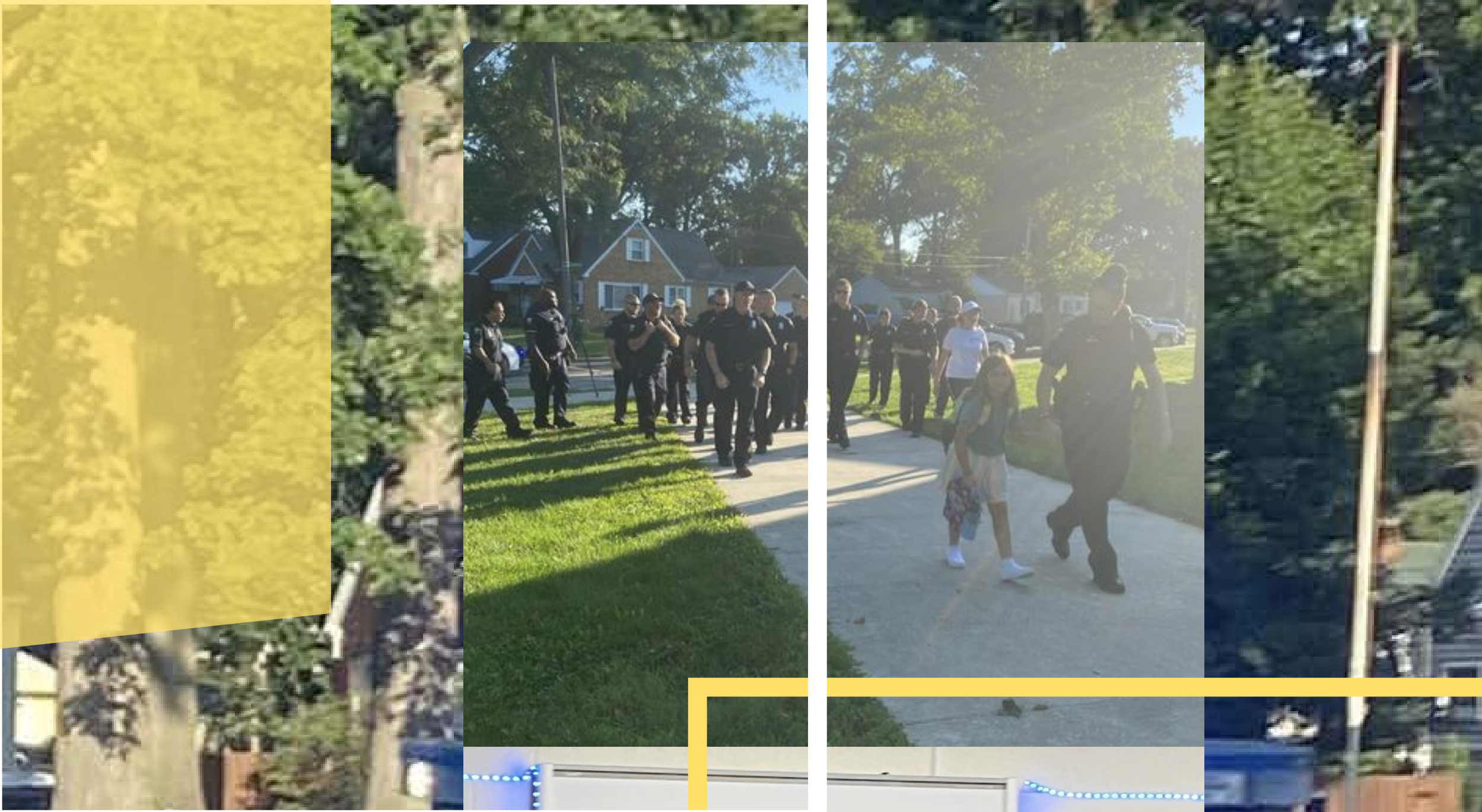


August 2nd, Representative Lisa Sobecki, Ohio House District 45 and Representative Michael Sheehy unveiled the Officer Anthony Dia Memorial Highway. Through a unanimous bipartisan House Bill, a portion of Alexis Road was renamed in Officer Anthony Dia's honor, signifying the overwhelming amount of support and the dedication to making sure Officer Anthony Dia is not forgotten.



# August 19th,

It is the first day of school for Kennah Stalker, fallen Officer Brandon Stalker's daughter. Officers join together to walk her into school and make her first day one to remember.



# August 26th,



United States Coast Guard Emergency Managers from Marine Safety Unit Toledo, members of the Toledo Fire & Rescue Department Special Operation Bureau, and Toledo Police Department Marine Unit recently joined forces on the new TFRD/TPD MARINE 1 to conduct a Port Security Resiliency Assessment in Monroe, MI and Toledo, OH.



**Sergeant  
Robert Reed**



**Officer  
Chase Burlen**



**Officer  
Brandon Spinner**



# September

## First Day of School Already?



On September 6th, Toledo police officers walked the Dia Boys to school to make their day a memorable one.

# September 10th

The Gun Buy Back event was held at the Frederick Douglas Center. A total of 148 guns, including ghost guns, were collected at this successful event. The Lucas County Prosecutor's Office, headed by Prosecutor Julie Bates, partnered with the Toledo Police Department to make the Gun Buy Back event happen.



# September 22



On this day, the ground breaking ceremony took place for the new Police Athletic League multi-purpose athletic field. More opportunities and healthy relationships will be fostered for Toledo's youth thanks to this significant investment in our city.



Officer Kimberly Darrington





Chief George Kral

This investment will give local children a secure location where they can engage in physical activity, create memories, and develop quality connections with police officers.



Sergeant Ron Paris



# October

On October 7th, The Diocese of Toledo and National Faith and Blue joined together with Toledo Police to collect non-perishable food items for people in need. A big thank you to everyone who donated and to National Faith and Blue for organizing the event.



Captain Ronald Frederick, Officer Justin Siminiak, and Sergeant Michael Kurjan



  
FAITH & BLUE



# October 12

The Officer Brandon Stalker Memorial Highway was unveiled by Ohio House of Representatives Lisa Sobecki and Paula Hicks-Hudson. Officer Stalker's memory has inspired the renaming of a section of Alexis Road close to Whitmer High School. We appreciate Whitmer High School for hosting the event and helping to remember Officer Stalker's sacrifice.



# October 14th

For Halloween, members of the Toledo Police SWAT unit dressed as superheroes to rappel down St. Vincent's Nationwide Children's Hospital to surprise the patients and staff.





# November



**On November 4th, the 2nd lateral Transfer Class of 2022 graduated. The four patrolman who graduated have more than 50 years of law enforcement experience combined.**



**Officer Jason  
Stambaugh**

Served with the Lucas County Sheriff's Office for 19 years



**Officer Kaleb  
Torbet**

Served 12 years in law enforcement, most recently with Wauseon Police Department



**Officer Bryan  
Wynn**

Served with the Bowling Green State University Police Department for 10 years



**Officer Brenton  
Duran**

Served with the Perrysburg Police Department for 15 years.

# Angels Outreach

The Toledo Police Department and Toledo Fire & Rescue Department partnered with Angels Outreach during the holidays to help provide Thanksgiving baskets to Northwest Ohio families in need.





# December



Officer Jeffrey Goetz and his partner responded to a person shot in the 1600 block of Avondale. Once on scene, a victim was found lying in the road with gunshot wounds. As a trained EMT and a tactical medic, Officer Goetz quickly jumped into action to begin assessing the injuries. After locating two chest wounds, Officer Goetz was able to quickly dress them, drastically increasing the victim's chances of survival until Toledo Fire & Rescue Department arrived on the scene. The victim did survive and the suspect was caught.



Officer Amerra Bryson was working in the area when dispatched received an alarm notification from a store in the 3200 block of West Alexis. Officer Bryson began to head that way to investigate and observed a male in the general area digging through a bag. Officer Bryson stopped and spoke with the suspicious man before continuing to the call. Once on scene, she cleared the building and began assessing the situation. She observed several food wrappers on the floor which piqued her interest again in the man she had spoken to earlier. Officer Bryson tracked the man down again and found him to have the food items missing their wrappers. Realizing he was caught, the suspect attempted to flee on foot but was captured immediately with the assistance of Officer Dustin Kindle and Officer Jacoby Whitacre. The suspect was charged with Breaking and Entering.



TOLEDO POLICE
GOALS
6
SHOTS
0
POWERPLAYS
0/0

# TOLEDO POLICE VS TOLEDO FIRE & RESCUE

## BATTLE OF THE BADGES

TOLEDO FIRE & RESCUE
GOALS
2
SHOTS
0
POWERPLAYS
0/0



Congratulations to the Toledo Police hockey team who defeated the Toledo Fire & Rescue hockey team. On December 11th, Battle of the Badges hockey game ended with a final score of 6-2. Chief George Kral was honored by the Toledo Walleye and both teams as he prepares for his January 2023 retirement.



# 15th Annual 12 Kids of Christmas





Every year Feet on the Street, organized by Sergeant Joe Okos, pairs children with officers for a holiday shopping event. This year the program was hosted by the Imagination Station and those children selected were from the Brightside Academy. To start the day, the children and their officer ate McDonald's breakfast together. Santa and his elf arrived to take pictures with the children and even the Toledo Rocket mascots stopped by to say hi! They all then proceeded to Meijer where they were allotted 100 dollars each to spend. After shopping, the children arrived back at the Imagination Station and enjoyed lunch with Officers. It was a great day for both the officers who volunteered and the children. Nothing but smiles from both!

**Feet  
on the  
Street**



# Promotions 2022



**Sergeant Geoffrey McLendon**

*April 21, 2022*

Officer McLendon was appointed on July 27th, 2018. He previously held assignments in the Toledo Police Academy and Recruitment Unit. Congratulations to Officer Geoffrey McLendon on his promotion to Sergeant!



*July 25, 2022*

Officer Pritchard was appointed on September 4, 2012. He was assigned to the Vice Narcotics Section prior to his promotion to sergeant. Congratulations to Officer Pritchard!



**Sergeant Justin Pritchard**

*July 25, 2022*

Officer Spetz was appointed on November 4, 2016. She was assigned to the Planning, Research, and Inspections Section prior to her promotion to sergeant. Congratulations to Officer Ponsvan Spetz!



**Sergeant Ponsvan Spetz**

# Awards Ceremony in 2022

Command Officer of  
the year 2021



Lieutenant Daniel Gerken

Civilian of the year  
2021



Kristie Reece

Officer of the year  
2021



Officer Ronald Wilcox



# Awards Ceremony in 2022

## Blue Star Medal



### Officer Brandon Stalker

Officer Stalker joined the Toledo Police Department on July 31, 2018. He graduated the police academy on March 1, 2019 and began his field training program, rotating between working at Scott Park and the Central District Station. After successfully completing the field training program he began working the streets.

On January 18, 2021, Officer Brandon Stalker began the afternoon shift in the Central District Station's roll call room. He and his partner, McKenzie Schuster, loaded equipment into their cruiser and responded to the scene of a barricaded arson suspect at 2234 Fulton Street. They were assigned to the outer perimeter as the negotiators worked to get the suspect to exit peacefully. When negotiations failed the SWAT team was brought in. As SWAT approached, the suspect exited the house with a gun in each hand and immediately began firing, striking Brandon. Officers on scene rendered aid to Brandon and without delay he was transported to the hospital where he succumbed to his wound, paying the ultimate sacrifice protecting our city.



# Awards Ceremony in 2022

## Meritorious Service Medal

### Officer Ronald Wilcox

On January 2, 2021, Officer Ronald Wilcox and Officer Kerry Hayes responded to a disorderly male in the parking lot of an apartment complex. When officers arrived, they observed a man holding a gun. As officers instructed the suspect to drop the gun, the suspect fired at the officers. Officer Wilcox returned fire and the man fled. Officer Wilcox pursued him and they exchanged gunfire. The suspect was struck and was taken into custody.



*Chief George Kral and Officer Ronald Wilcox*

## Meritorious Service Medal



*Chief George Kral, Officer Jason Thomas, Officer Spencer Clark,  
Officer Leonard Beck, Officer Kilee Keplinger*

On February 15, 2021, Officers responded to 2622 106th Street on a report of a female shot and an armed male suspect who would not let her leave. When officers arrived, they could hear the female telling them to open the door, however, the door was secured with a deadbolt. Officer Loehrke could see the male inside with a gun to his mouth and kicked the door open. Officers Thomas, Beck and Keplinger entered and the male shot himself. Two female victims were found inside and were escorted outside to get medical treatment while officers attempted CPR on the male suspect.



# Awards Ceremony in 2022

## Meritorious Service Medal



*Officer Patrick Hohenberger, Officer Robert Ebright*

On July 4 2021, officers were dispatched to a report of people fighting at a large block party in the 2600 block of Lawrence. Shortly after being dispatched, the call was upgraded to a male shooting into the air. Officers Ebright and Hohenberger were the first to arrive, as shots were still being fired in a massive crowd of up to three hundred people. Both officers ran into the crowd and directed people to get down and take cover as shots continued to ring out. They kept moving towards the gun fire. As the officers closed in, several of the shooters fled. Officers Ebright and Hohenberger pursued the suspects to a nearby vehicle and were nearly struck as the suspects fled. Officers Ebright and Hohenberger provided the vehicle description to other responding police crews in the area and returned to the scene to check on the injured.

## Distinguished Service Medal



*Officer Greg Linkous, Officer Adam Knaggs, Officer Benjamin Kiser, Officer Brian Jackson*

On January 18, 2021, officers went to 2234 Fulton Street looking for a suspect wanted on felony warrants for arson and vandalism. Officers located the suspect who produced a handgun and ran inside the residence creating a barricaded gunman situation. The SWAT team was notified to respond as officers created a perimeter and began attempting to negotiate with the suspect to exit peacefully. After negotiations with the suspect failed, the SWAT team deployed chemical agents to draw the suspect out of the house. Officers Linkous, Kiser, Knaggs and Marsh were standing by as the arrest team to take the suspect into custody while Officer Jackson manned the turret of the armored vehicle. The suspect exited the house with a weapon in each hand, firing continuously. Members of the arrest team and Officer Jackson engaged the suspect and ended the threat.



# Awards Ceremony in 2022

## Letter of Recognition



On February 5, 2021, officers responded to a report of a person shot at 841 Byrneport. Prior to their arrival, the call was updated to three children shot and the armed suspect was still at the location. Officer Michael Ellerbrock and Officer Blake Wells arrived after several other crews and could see that the suspect was being taken into custody. They quickly ran into the apartment to look for the victims. Once upstairs, they found two children deceased on the floor and continued searching for the third child. Officer Ellerbrock found him hiding behind a bed, suffering from life threatening injuries. Realizing that it was imperative to get him medical treatment, Officer Ellerbrock swiftly picked up the injured child, carried him downstairs and outside to the Life Squad. Officer Wells assisted Officer Ellerbrock as they navigated icy pavement. Officer Ellerbrock then went with the child in the Life Squad to assist in his care while Officer Wells assisted at the scene.



*Chief George Kral and Officer Michael Ellerbrock*

## Letter of Recognition



*Chief George Kral and Officer Christopher Guanilo*

On September 3, 2021, officers were dispatched to an injury accident at Greenbelt Parkway and Bush Street. Upon arrival, a witness informed Officer Christopher Guanilo that a vehicle had struck a light pole, veered into the oncoming lanes of traffic, through a fence and down into a creek. The witness believed the driver was unconscious after striking the light pole and directed Officer Guanilo to the entry point of the creek where the vehicle was last seen. Officer Guanilo went down into the creek and saw that the driver appeared to be unconscious. Officer Guanilo quickly acted to extract the driver through a window as she regained consciousness. Minutes after the driver was safely out of the vehicle, it began sinking deeper into the creek and the front end was submerged in water.



# Awards Ceremony in 2022

## Professional Service Awards

### Officers

Detective Nick Bocik

Officer Angie Domschot

Sergeant Ryan Freels

Lieutenant Brianne Holmes

Sergeant Reuben Jurva

Sergeant Joe Okos

Officer Darnell Peters

Sergeant Tanya Toska

### Civilian Employees

Cynthia Brandt

Michelle Peaney

# Employee of the Month

January



**Lieutenant Phillip Cook**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Officer Kevin Sanders**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

February



**Sergeant Duane Poole**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Detective Brian Gaylord**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

March



**Sergeant Mack Collins**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Detective Steve Malaczewski**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

April



**Lieutenant Brent Scoble**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Officer John Mattimore**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

May



**Sergeant Mel Stachura**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Detective Anthony Barwiler**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

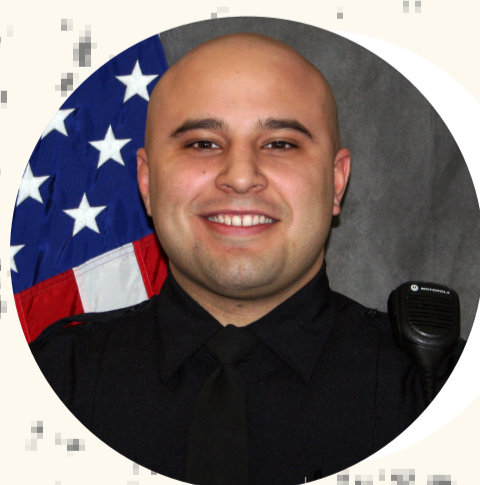
June



**Sergeant Jim Haney**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Detective James Macklin**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month



**Detective Anthony Martin**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

July



**Sergeant Tyson Coates**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Detective Greg Long Jr.**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month



**Detective Raymond Martin**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

# August



**Lieutenant Todd Miller**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Officer William Gregus**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

# September



**Sergeant Robert Leiter**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Officer Denise Fischer**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

# October



**Sergeant Joe Okoes**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Officer Daniel Balon**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month



**Officer Kevin Sanders**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

# November



**Sergeant Aaron Riter**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Detective Troy Mugler**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

# December



**Sergeant Michael Kurjan**  
Command Officer  
of the Month



**Officer Prince Flores**  
Patrol Officer  
of the Month

# Civilian Employee of the Quarter



**Ron Rasey**  
1st Quarter



**William Przetak**  
3rd Quarter



**Danielle Dressel**  
4th Quarter

# Accreditation Unit



**Sgt. Michael Kurjan**  
*Accreditation Manager*

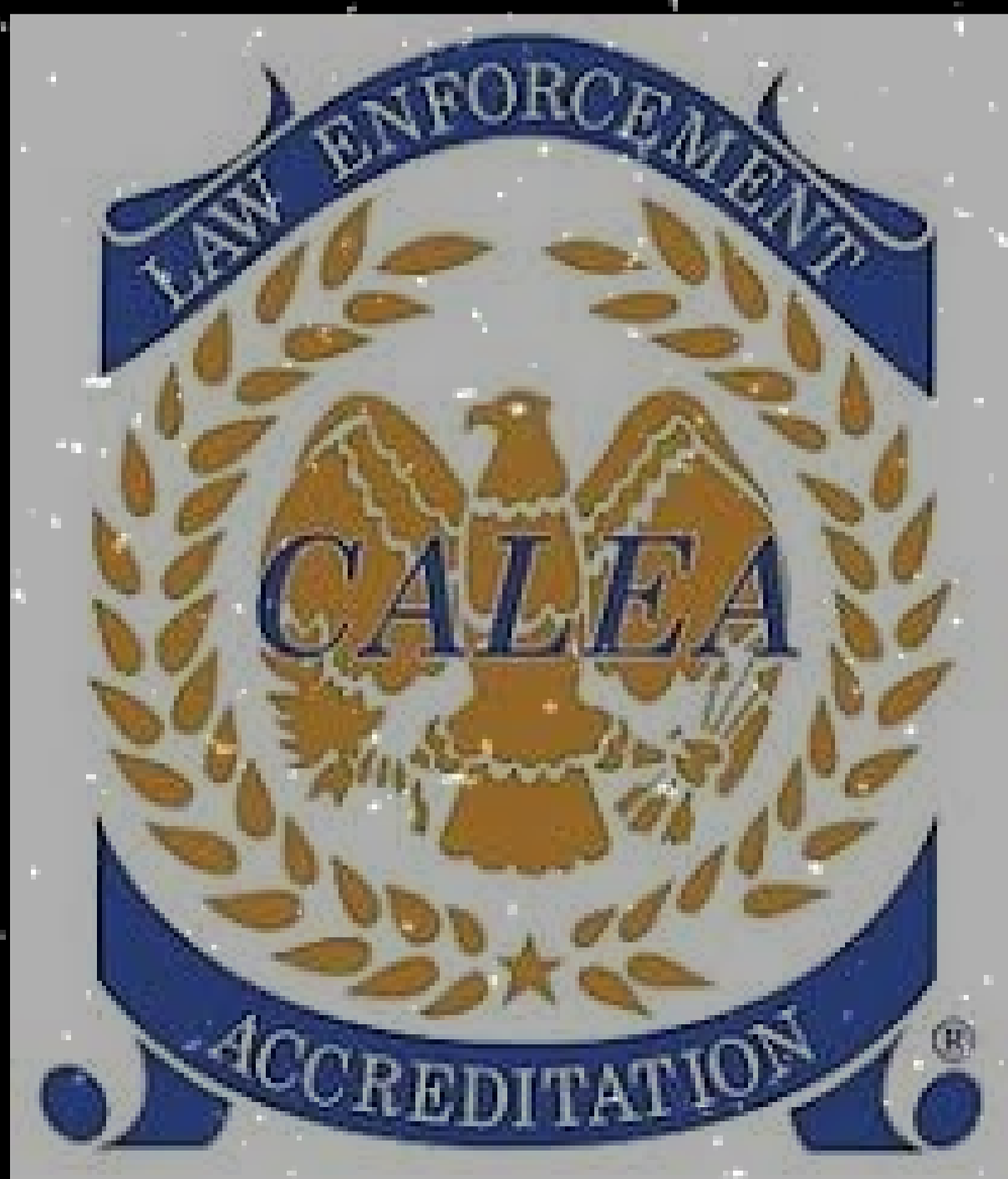


**Ofc. Sandra Ceglarek**  
*Accreditation Officer*

The Toledo Police Department has once again been awarded re-accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA). This award was received on April 2nd during the 2022 Spring CALEA Conference. The Toledo Police Department has been an accredited law enforcement agency since 2003 and this marks the 7th award that the department has received.

The process of CALEA re-accreditation begins with a rigorous four year cycle, requiring annual assessments of policies, practices, and processes against internationally accepted public safety standards. These assessments are conducted each year by independent assessors with significant public safety experience. This four year process culminates with an on-site visit that includes structured interviews with department personnel and members of the community to assess the department's effectiveness and overall service delivery capabilities. During the on-site visit, public feedback is also received to promote community trust and engagement. The decision to accredit is then rendered by a governing body of twenty-one CALEA Commissioners following a public hearing and a review of all reporting documentation.

CALEA Accreditation is a mark of law enforcement excellence and recognizes state-of-the-art police practices and departmental professionalism. Furthermore, this continuous process serves as the foundation for a successful, transparent, and community focused public safety agency.







# Real Time Crime

## Episode 4:

### Tailgate Terror



### Justice for Malachi

On July 15, 2022, Real Time Crime television series comes to Toledo, Ohio to interview Detective Jeffrey Sharp and Detective William Goodlet. This documentary was based on Malachi Barnes' homicide case that occurred the evening of Thanksgiving day in the year of 2018. This case was Detective Sharp's first homicide case which involved an innocent 3 year old victim who was shot in the head during a drive by shooting on interstate 75. The detectives and the Toledo Police Criminal Intelligence Section work together to analyze surveillance video. The detectives diligently piece together the evidence to positively identify the suspects (Matthew Smith and K'veon Giles) involved in the shooting which lead to their conviction on March 24, 2020. After both suspects appealed their convictions, the State of Ohio, Sixth District Court of Appeals affirmed the judgment on August 20, 2021. The suspects were sentenced to 45 years to life in prison for the aggravated murder of little Malachi. Justice was served for Malachi with the impressive and collaborative efforts of the officers in the Toledo Police Department.



Detective Jeffrey Sharp

Detective William Goodlet



# Annual Report *Comparison*

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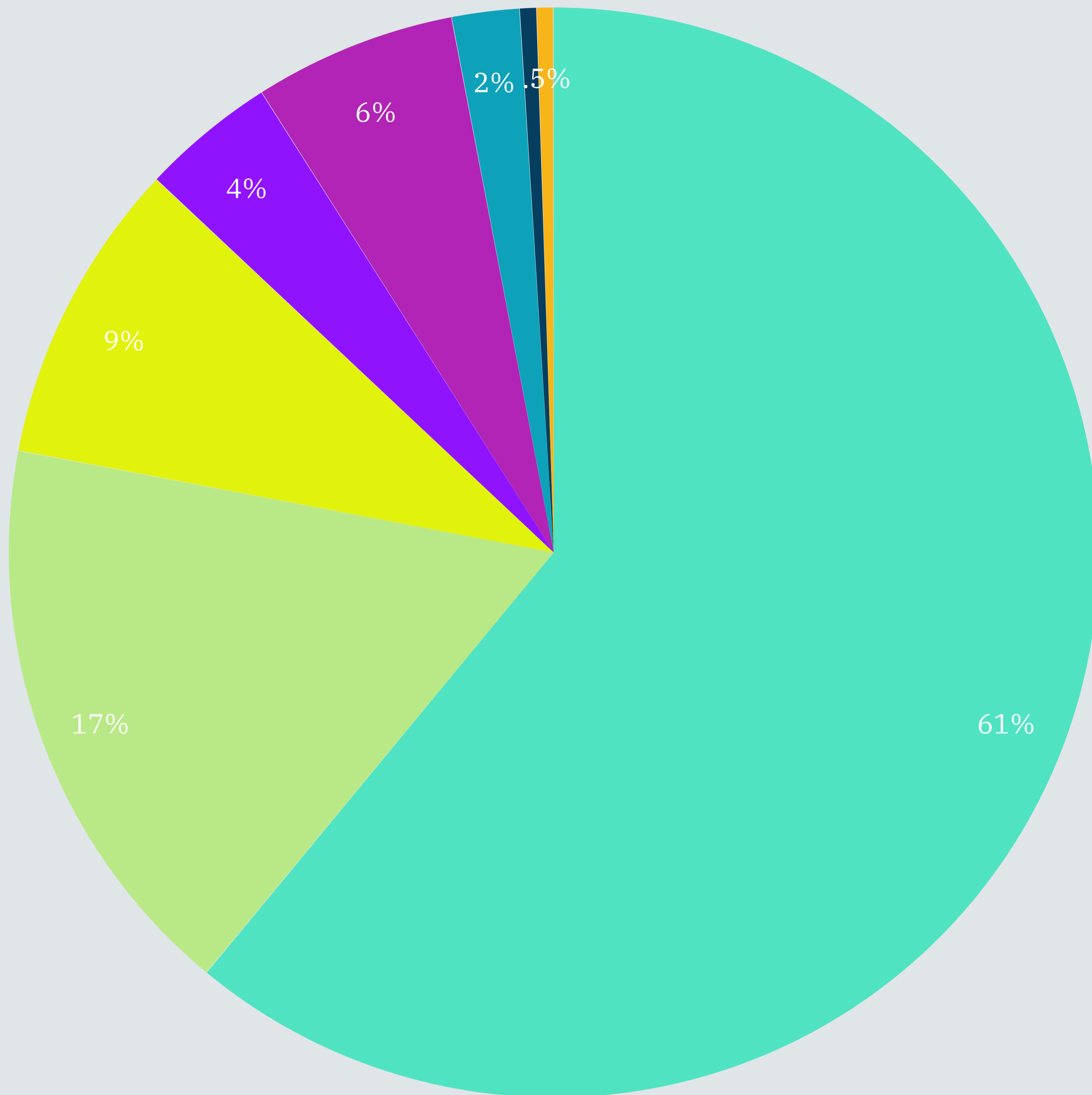
**Traffic** *Statistics*

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# Personnel Statistics

## Total Personnel

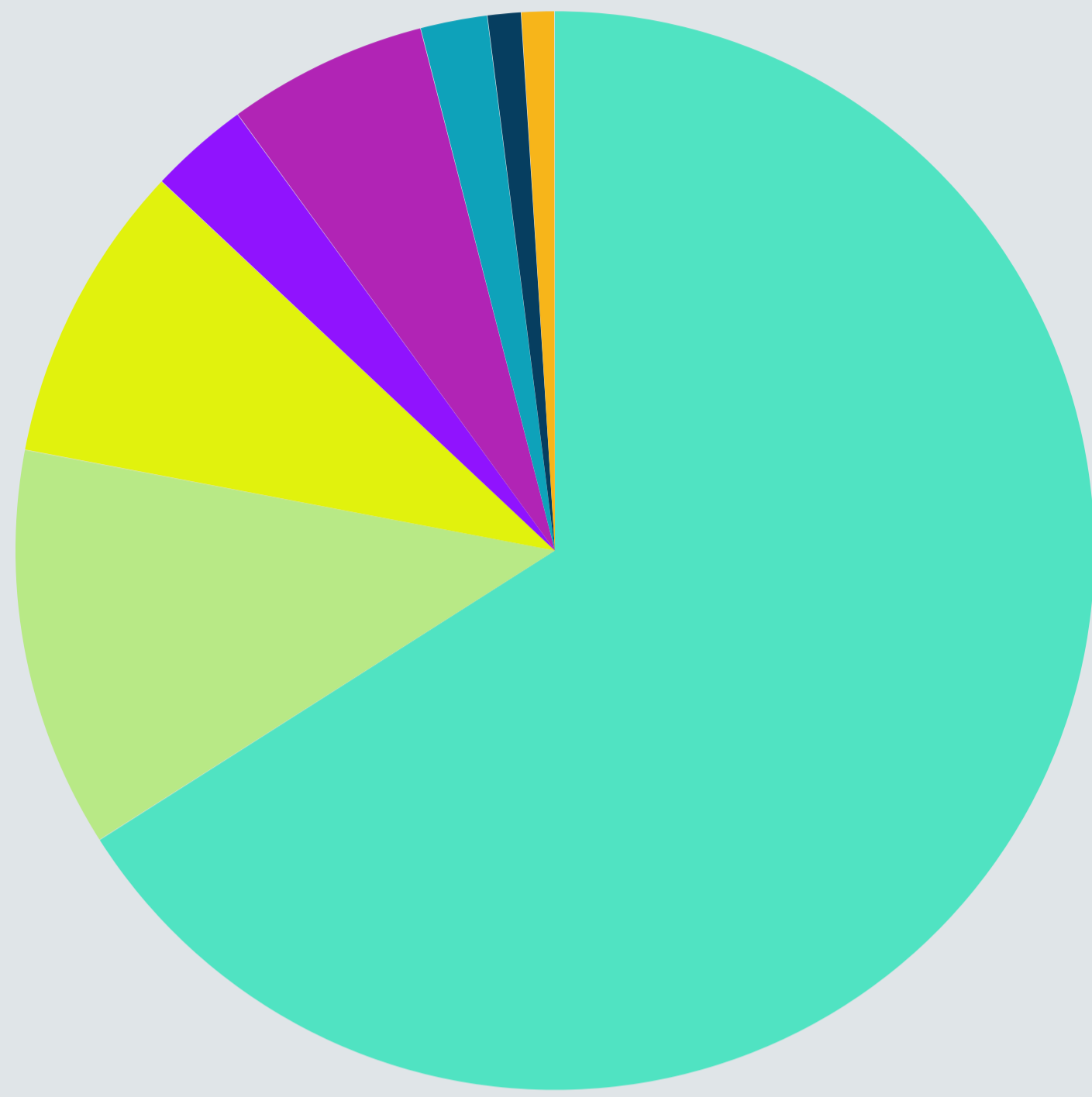


■ White Male (61%) 
 ■ White Female (17%) 
 ■ Black Male (9%) 
 ■ Black Female (4%) 
 ■ Hispanic Male (6%) 
 ■ Hispanic Female (2%) 
 ■ Other Male (0.5%) 
 ■ Other Female (0.5%)

	Chief	Deputy Chief	Captain	Lieutenant	Sergeant	Patrolman	Civilian	Total	% of Dept.
W/M	1	2	7	21	69	292	4	396	61%
W/F		1	1	5	7	59	40	113	17%
B/M				2	10	43	1	56	9%
B/F					2	18	7	27	4%
H/M				1	2	33		36	6%
H/F					2	6	5	13	2%
O/M					2	4		6	.5%
O/F					1	1	1	3	.5%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>100%</b>

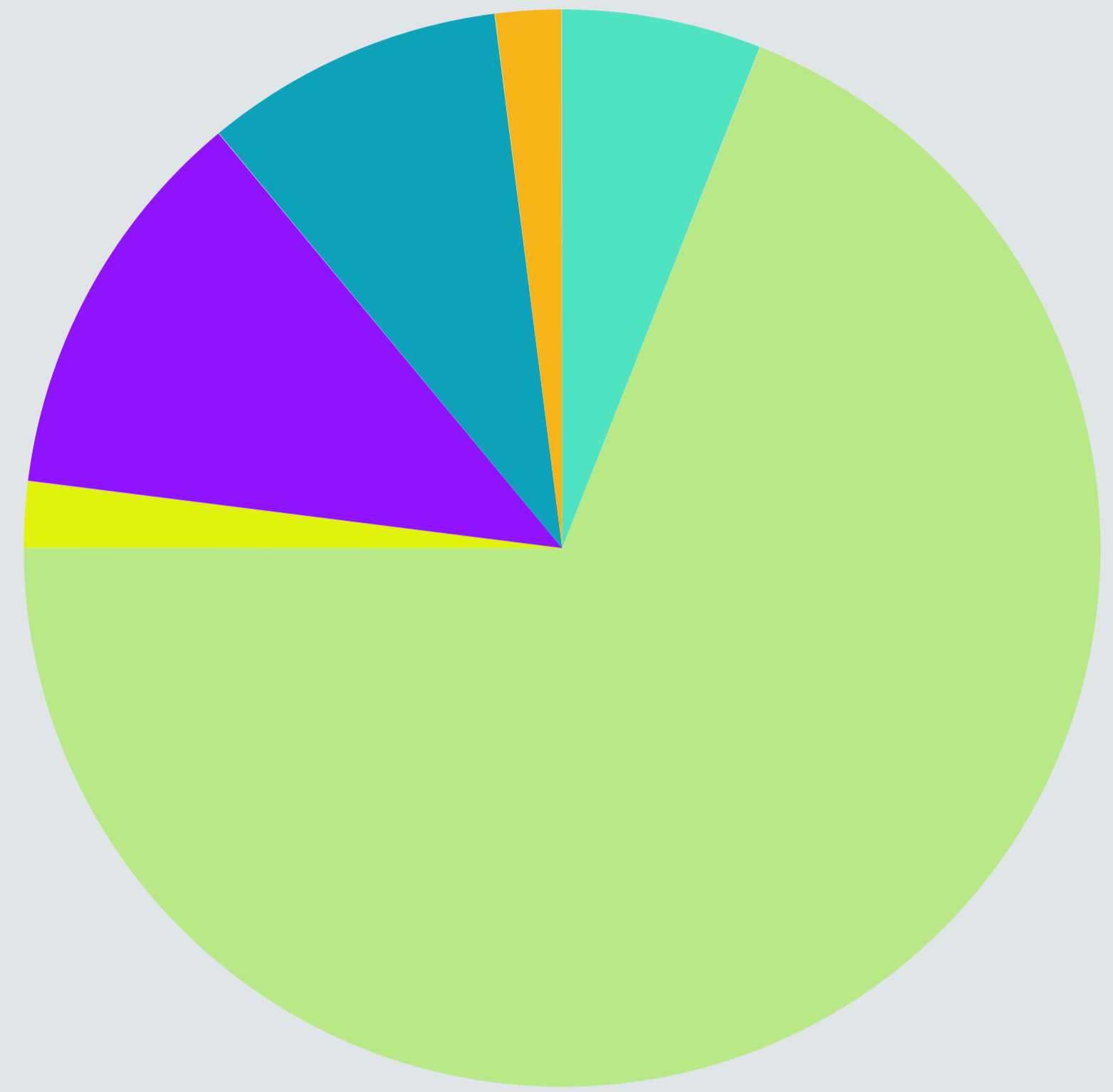
# Personnel Statistics

## Officers



- White Male (66%)
- Black Male (9%)
- Hispanic Male (6%)
- Other Male (1%)
- White Female (12%)
- Black Female (3%)
- Hispanic Female (2%)
- Other Female (1%)

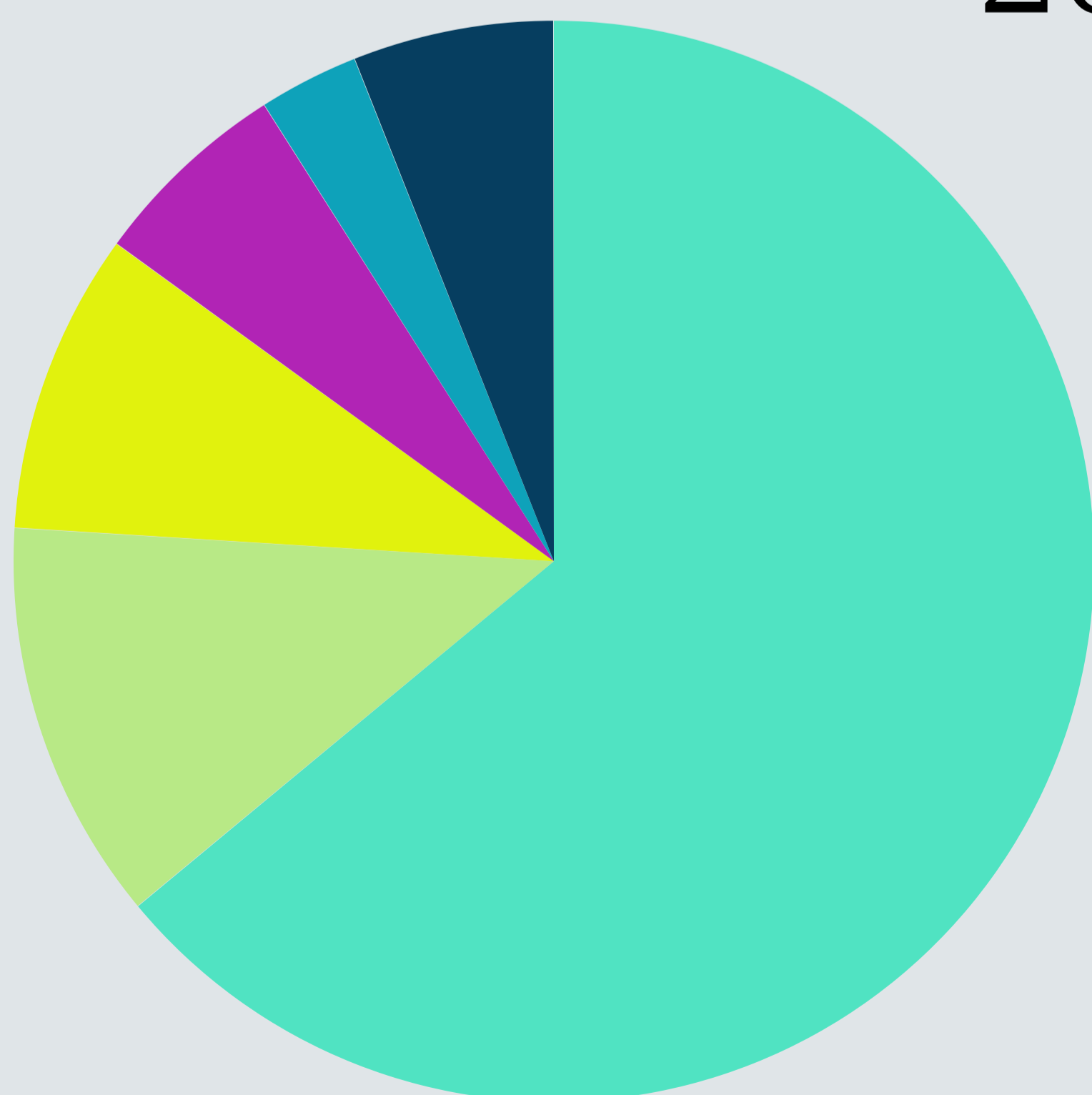
## Civilians



- White Male (6%)
- Black Male (2%)
- Hispanic Female (9%)
- Other Female (2%)
- White Female (69%)
- Black Female (12%)

	Total Officers	Total Civilians	% of Officers	% of Civilians
W/M	392	4	66%	6%
W/F	73	40	12%	69%
B/M	55	1	9%	2%
B/F	20	7	3%	12%
H/M	36	0	6%	0%
H/F	8	5	2%	9%
O/M	6	0	1%	0%
O/F	2	1	1%	2%
TOTAL	592	58	100%	100%

## 69th Graduating Class: 2022 Recruits

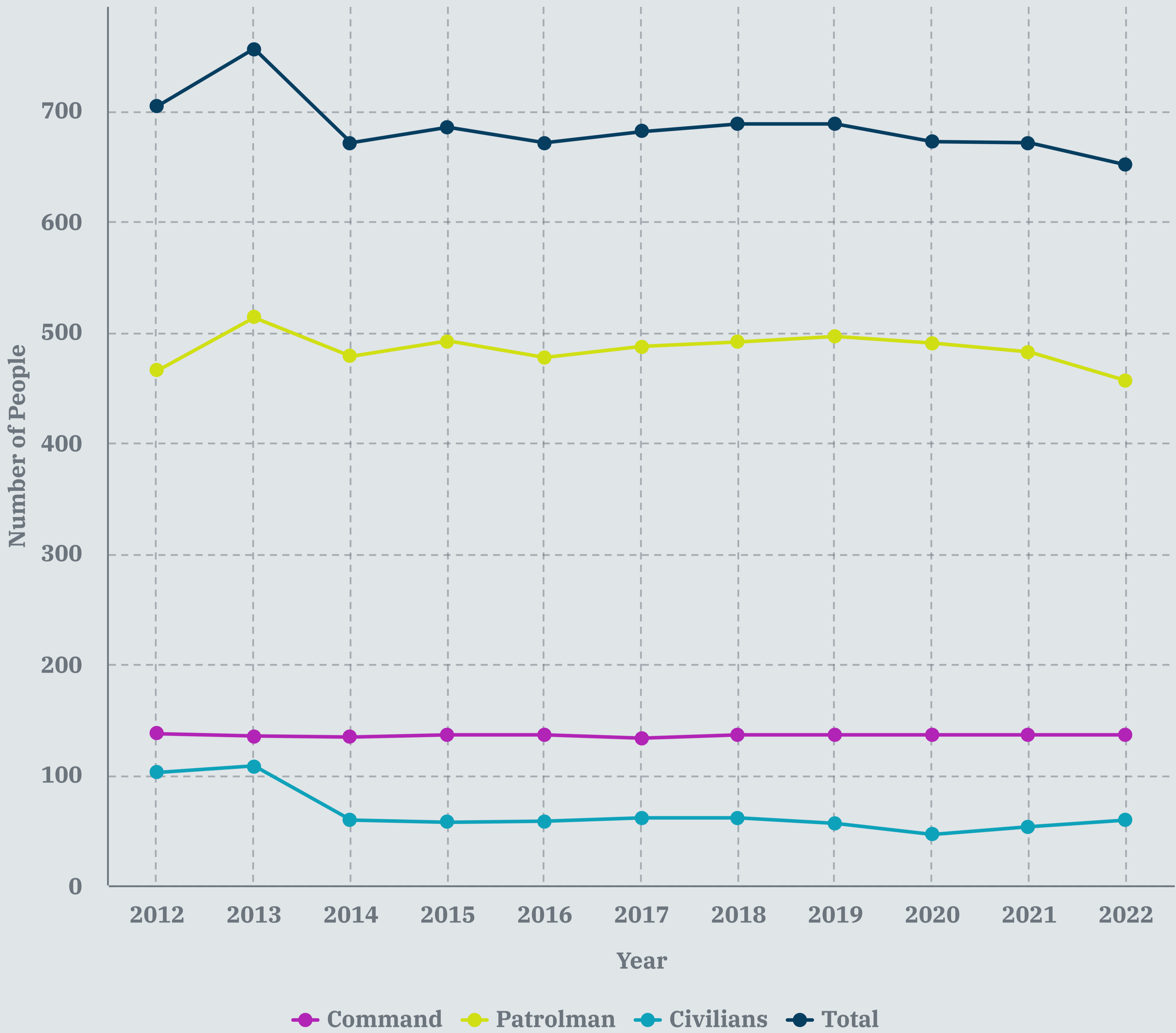


- White Male (64%)
- Black Male (9%)
- Hispanic Female (3%)
- Other Male (6%)
- White Female (12%)
- Hispanic Male (6%)

	Total Officers	% of Officers
W/M	21	64%
W/F	4	12%
B/M	3	9%
B/F	0	0%
H/M	2	6%
H/F	1	3%
O/M	2	6%
O/F	0	0%
TOTAL	33	100%

# Personnel Statistics

Personnel Strength: 10 year Comparison

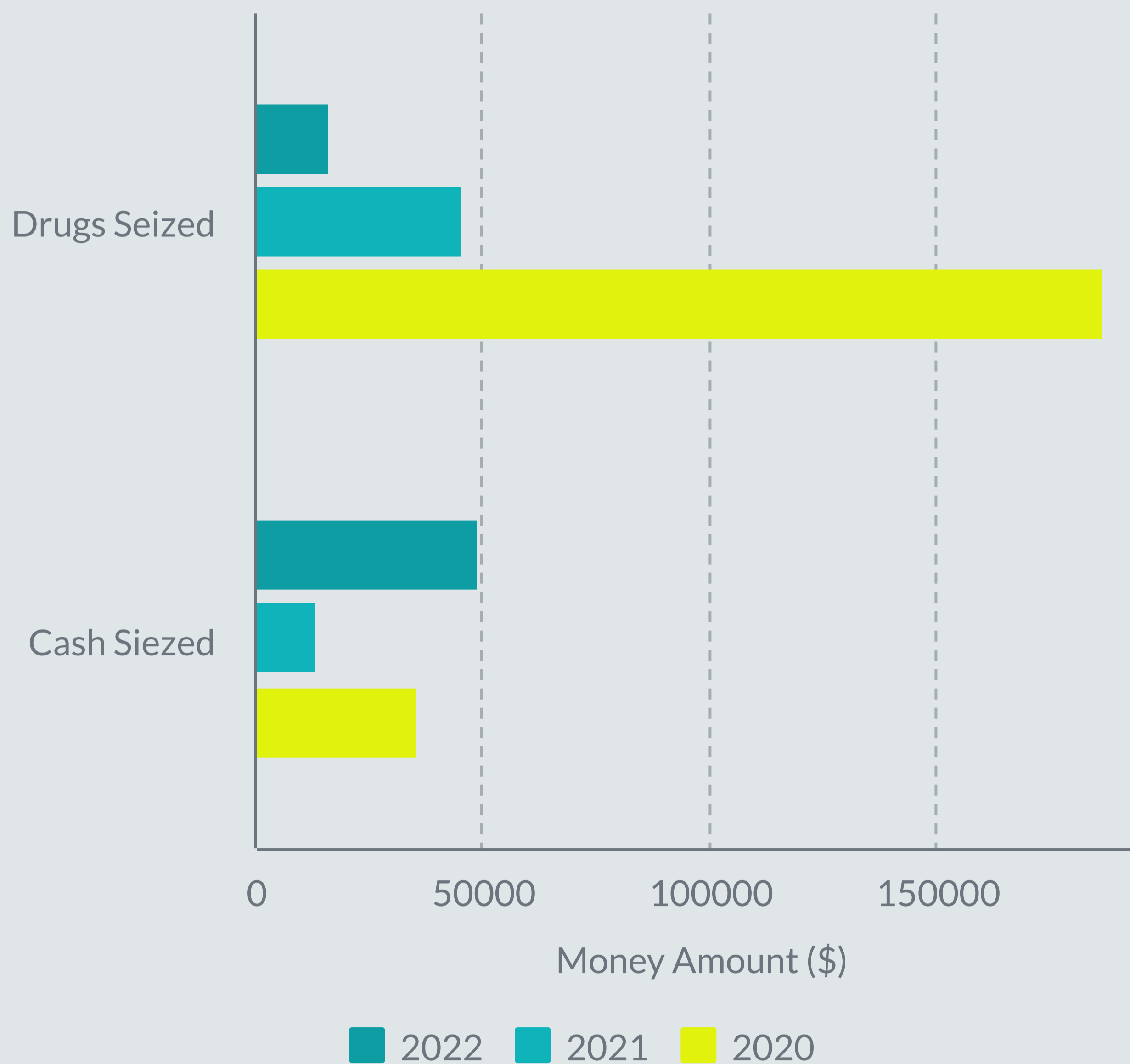
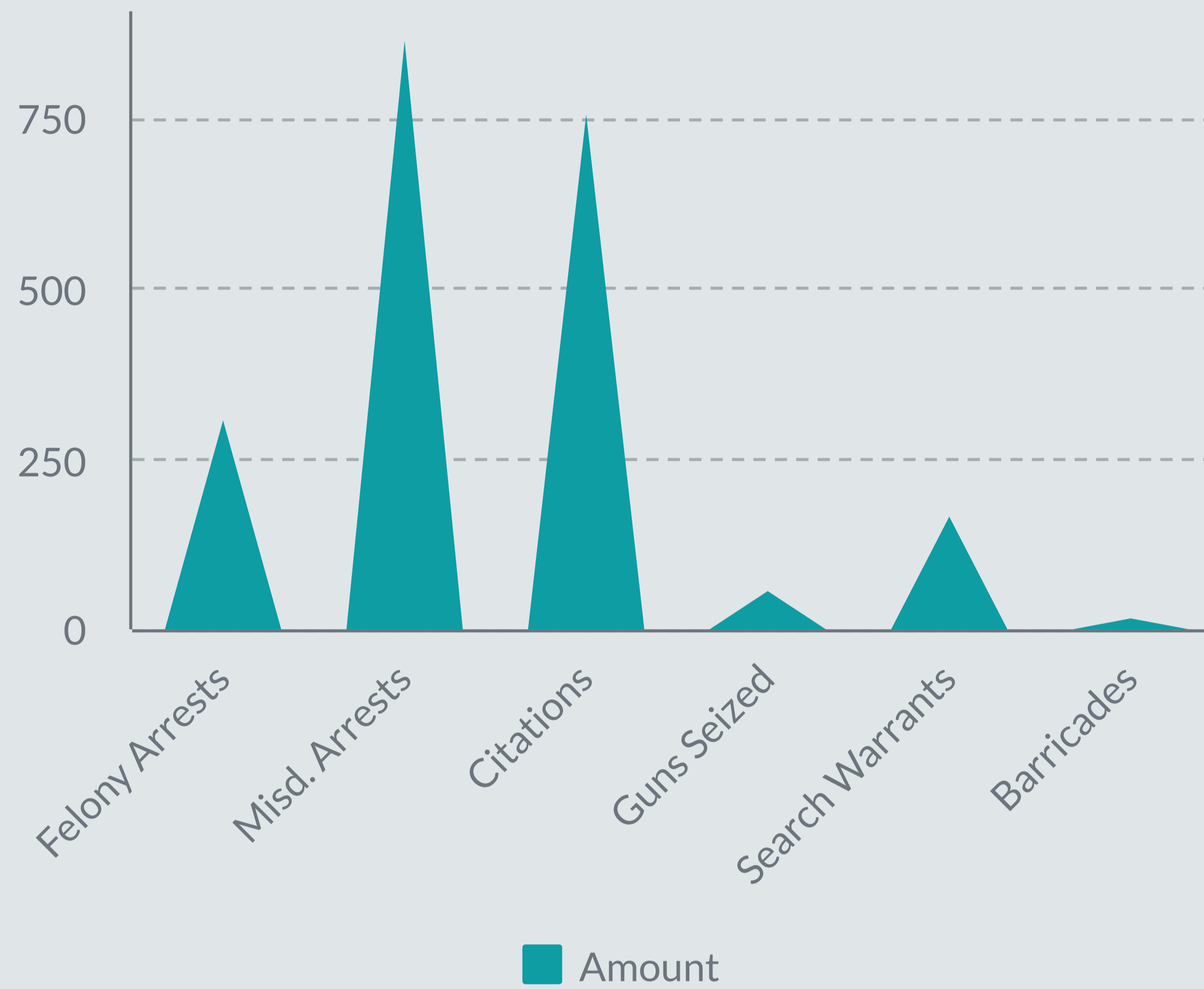


	Command	Patrolmen	Civilians	Total
2022	136	456	58	650
2021	136	482	53	671
2020	136	490	46	672
2019	136	496	56	688
2018	136	491	61	688
2017	133	487	61	681
2016	136	477	58	671
2015	136	492	57	685
2014	134	478	59	671
2013	135	513	108	756
2012	137	465	102	704

# Special Operations Bureau *Statistics*

*Swat*

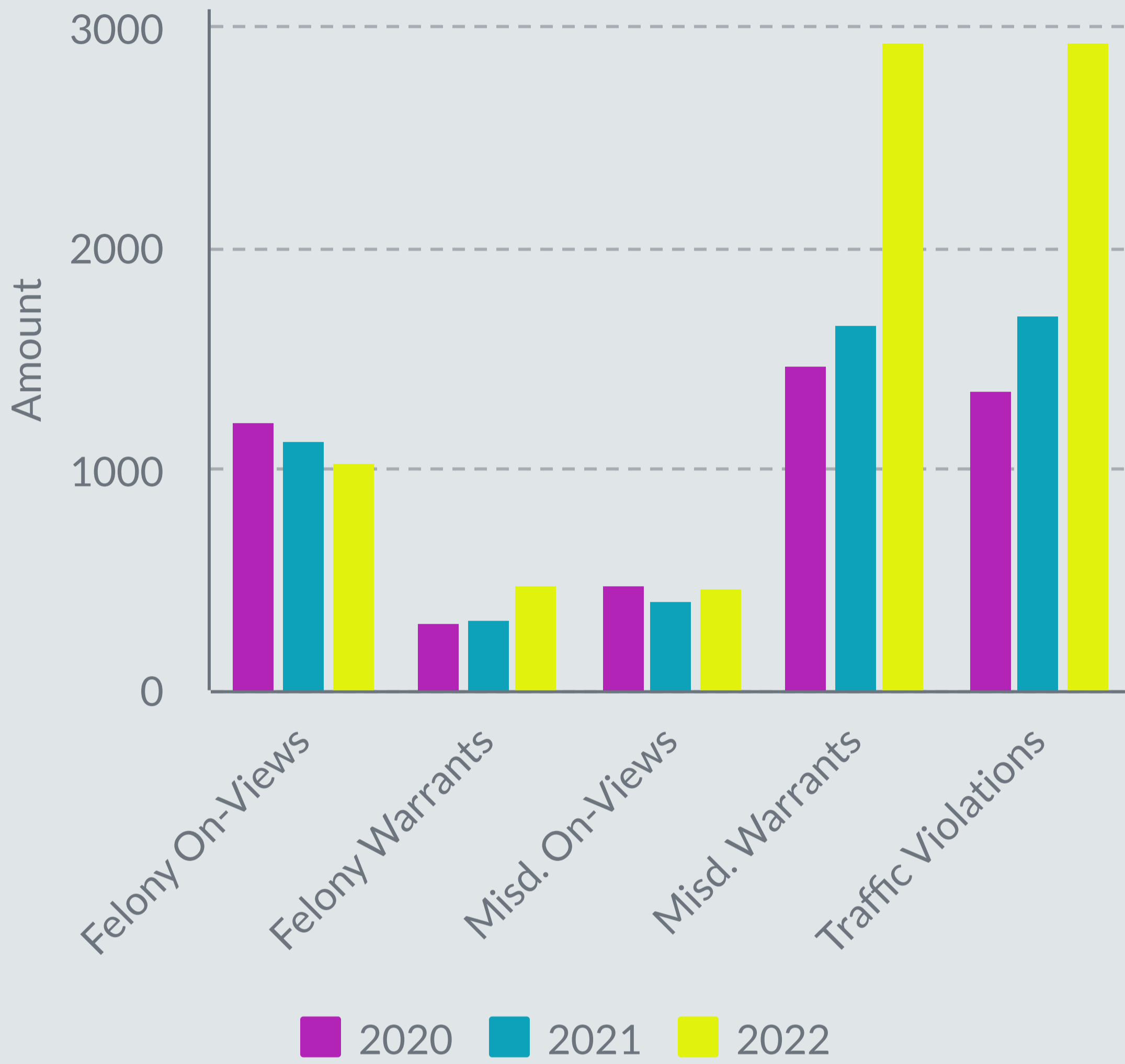
## 2022



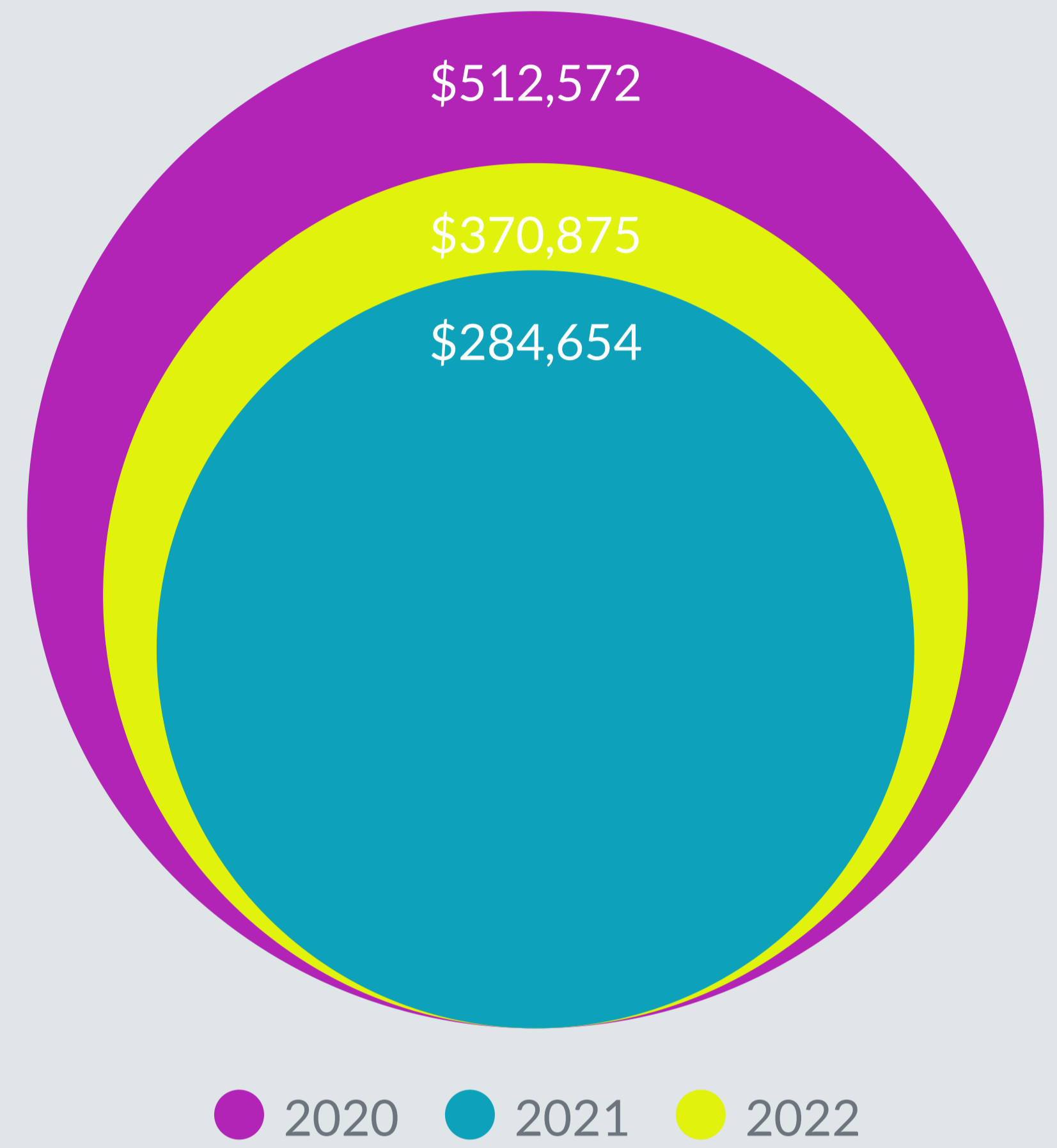
SWAT	2020	2021	2022
Felony On-Views/Felony Warrants	581	372	306
Misdemeanor On-Views/Misdemeanor Warrants	1,782	1,236	862
Traffic Violations	2,536	1,421	754
Firearms Confiscated	81	42	56
Search Warrants	199	126	165
Barricades/Hostage Situations	8	15	16
Estimated Value of Narcotics	\$186,566	\$45,500	\$16,492
U.S. Currency Seized	\$35,991	\$13,527	\$49,052

# Special Operations Bureau *Statistics*

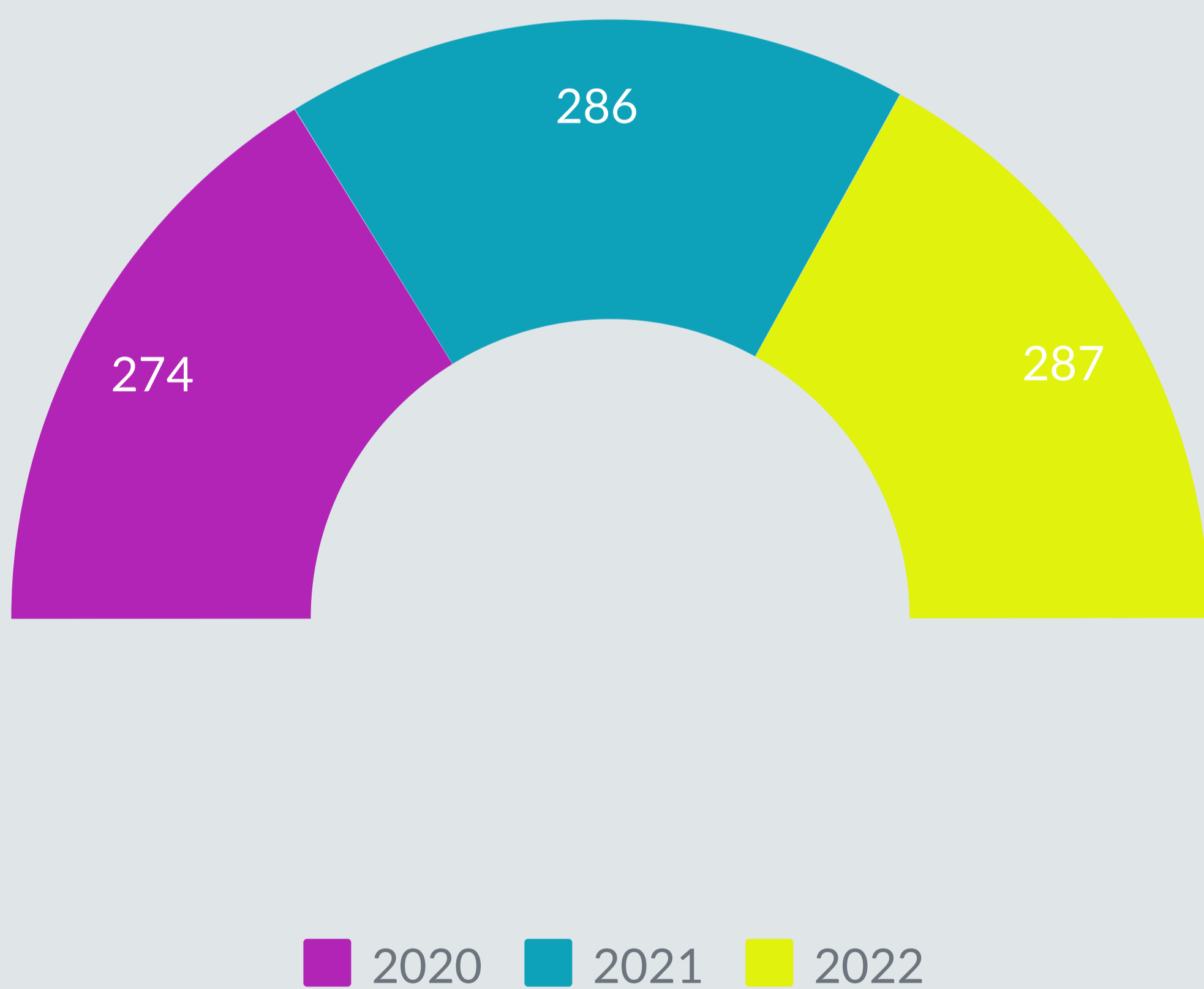
## Gangs



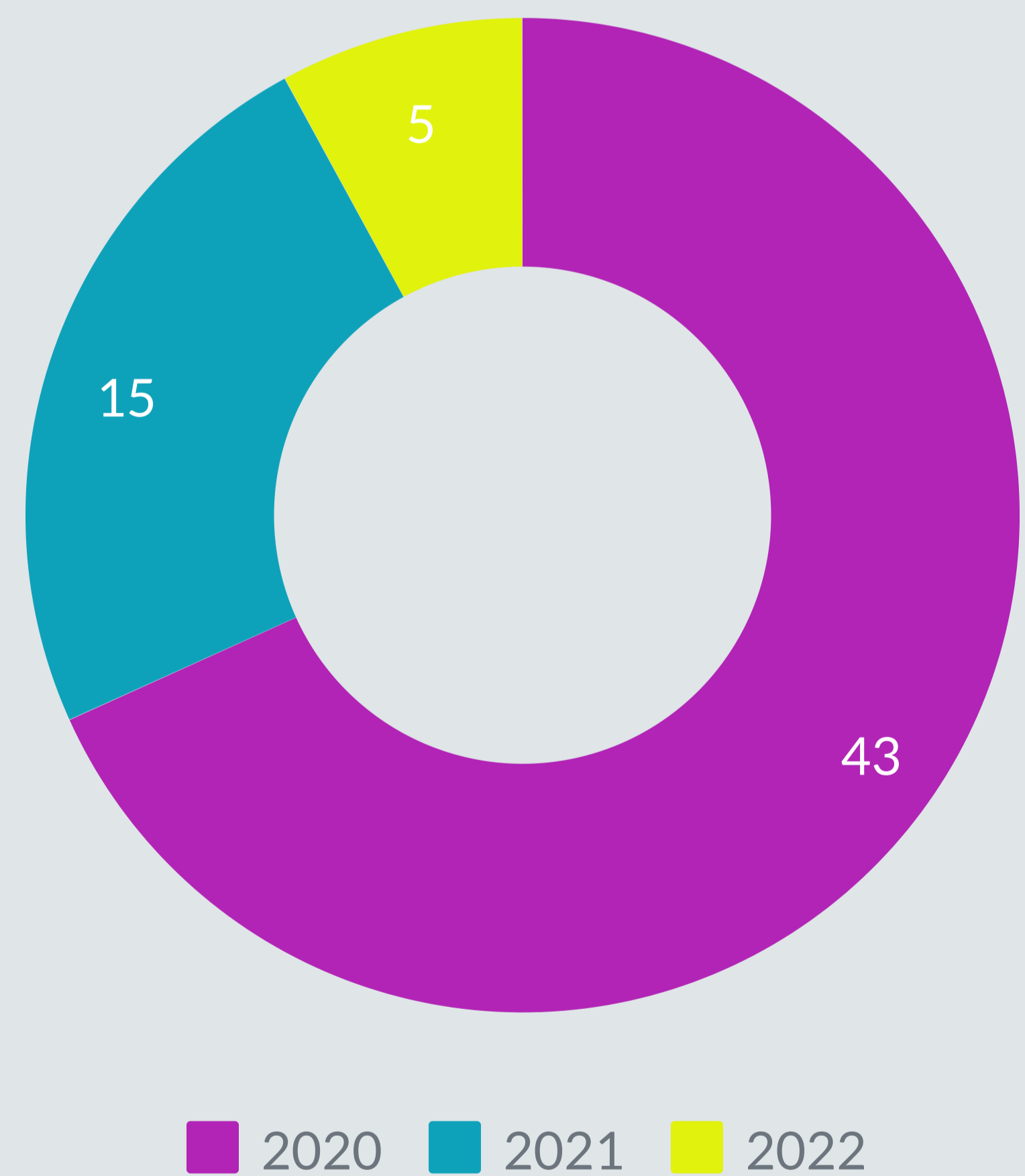
## Value of Narcotics



## Firearms Confiscated



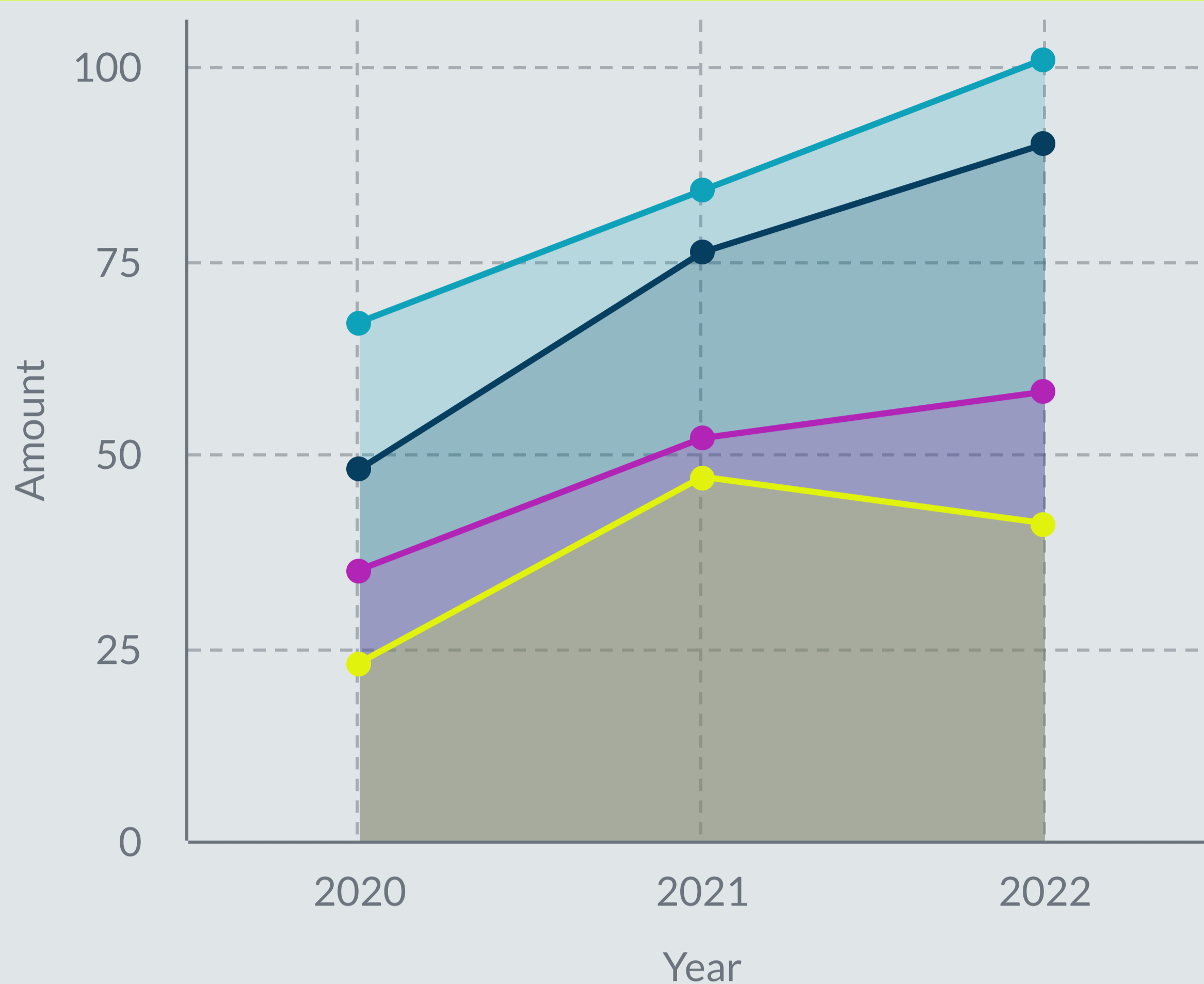
## Search Warrants



GANG TASK FORCE	2020	2021	2022
Felony On-Views	1,222	1,133	1,034
Felony Warrants	307	325	486
Misdemeanor On-Views	488	413	465
Misdemeanor Warrants	1,468	1,653	2,819
Traffic Violations	1,365	1,701	2,927
Firearms Confiscated	274	286	287
Search Warrants	43	15	5
Value of Narcotics	\$512,572	\$284,654	\$370,875

# Special Operations Bureau *Statistics*

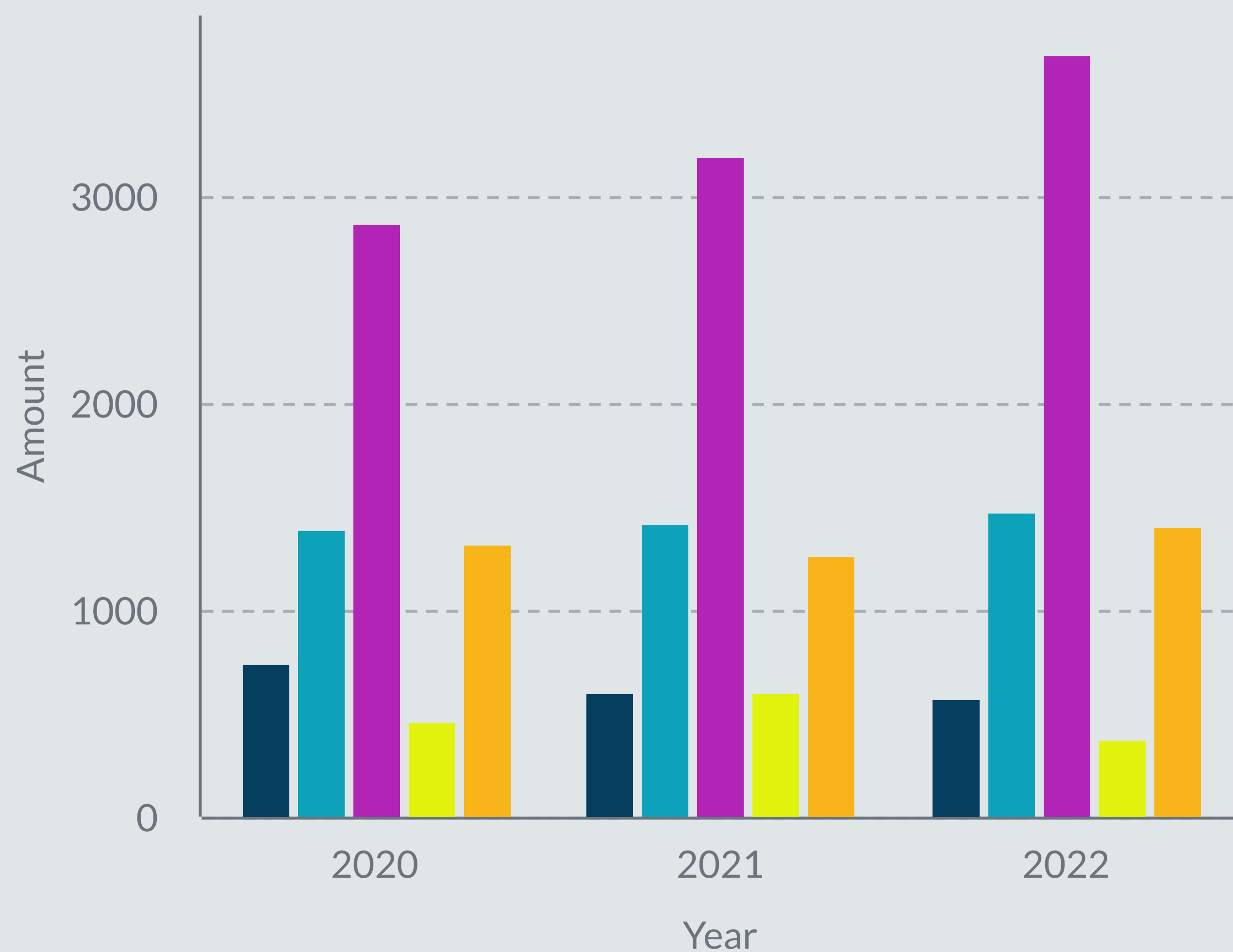
## Shotspotter



■ Arrests   
 ■ Guns Recovered   
 ■ ShotSpotter Alert-Arrests  
■ Shotspotter Alert-Guns Recovered

SHOTSPOTTER	2020	2021	2022
Arrests	67	84	101
Guns Recovered	48	76	90
ShotSpotter Alert - Arrests (No calls made to 911)	35	52	58
ShotSpotter Alert – Guns Recovered (No calls made to 911)	23	47	41
Door Hangers Distributed	3,645	3,707	4,053

## Forensic Lab

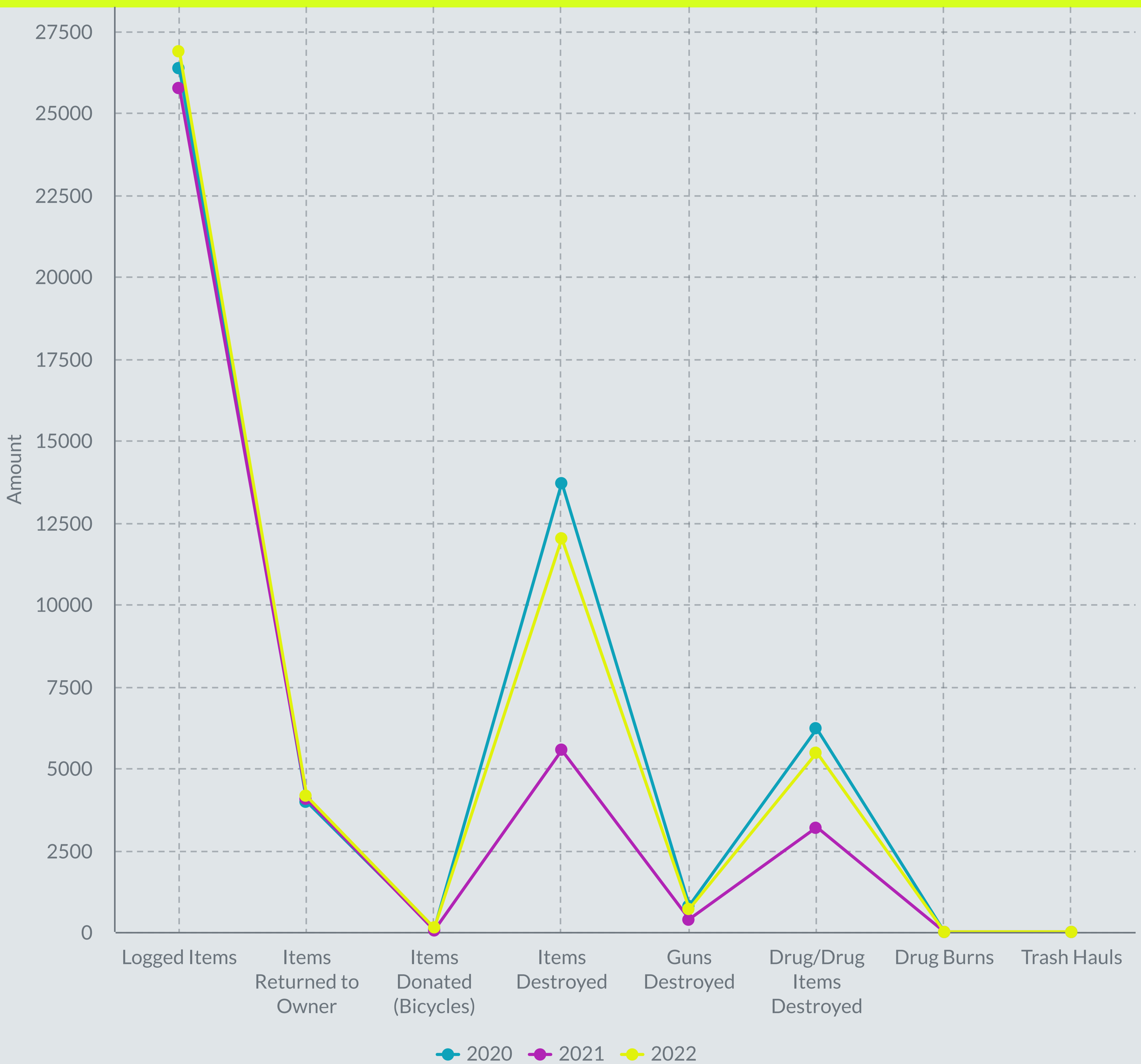


■ Drug Requests   
 ■ Firearms Requests  
■ NIBIN-Shell Casings Entered   
 ■ Drug Cases Completed  
■ Firearm Cases Completed

FORENSIC LAB	2020	2021	2022
Drug Requests Received	746	607	580
Firearms Requests Received	1,396	1,416	1,478
NIBIN – Shell Casings Entered	2,879	3,199	3,690
	Cases	Cases	Cases
Drug Cases Completed	458	610	374
Firearm Cases Completed	1,323	1,274	1,410



# Property Room *Statistics*



*Property Room*

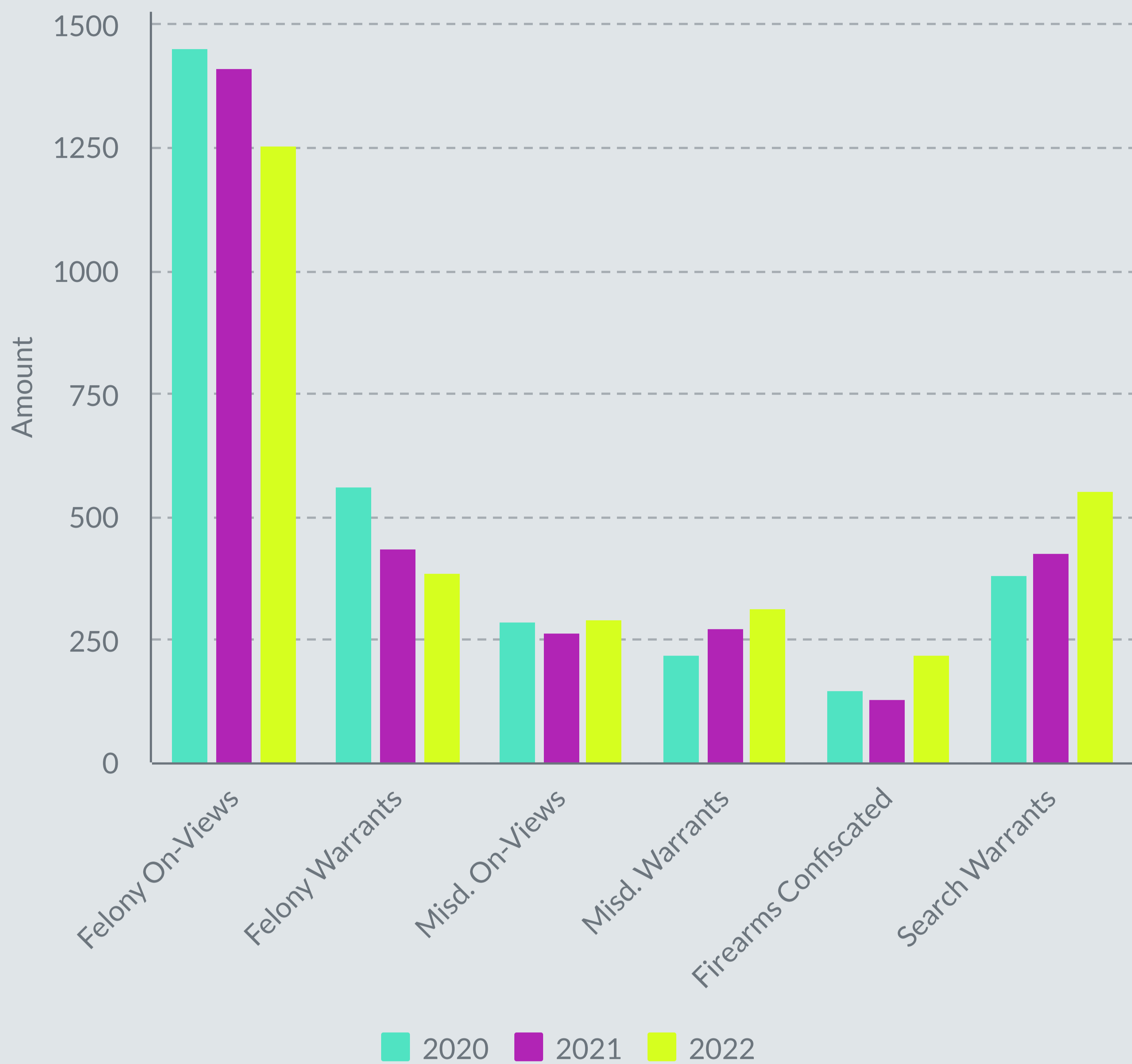
*Motor Pool*

Property Room	2020	2021	2022
Logged Items	26,363	25,776	26,887
Items Returned to Owner	3,970	4,052	4,138
Items Donated (Bicycles)	96	51	122
Items Destroyed	13,708	5,547	12,004
Guns Destroyed	804	390	703
Drug/Drug Items Destroyed	6,220	3,197	5,474
Drug Burns	3	4	5
Trash Hauls	4	2	6

Motor Pool	2020	2021	2022
Marked Patrol Wagon	14	13	6
Total Average Mileage of Wagons	158,638	175,077	133,537
Average Yearly Usage of Wagons	18,289	9,749	13,274
Marked Police Patrol Vehicles	140	158	174
Total Average Mileage of Patrol Vehicles	111,037	142,073	106,847
Unmarked Sedans	87	89	85
% of Unmarked Sedans More Than 10 Years Old	1%	44%	42%
Limited Marked Vehicles	23	20	25

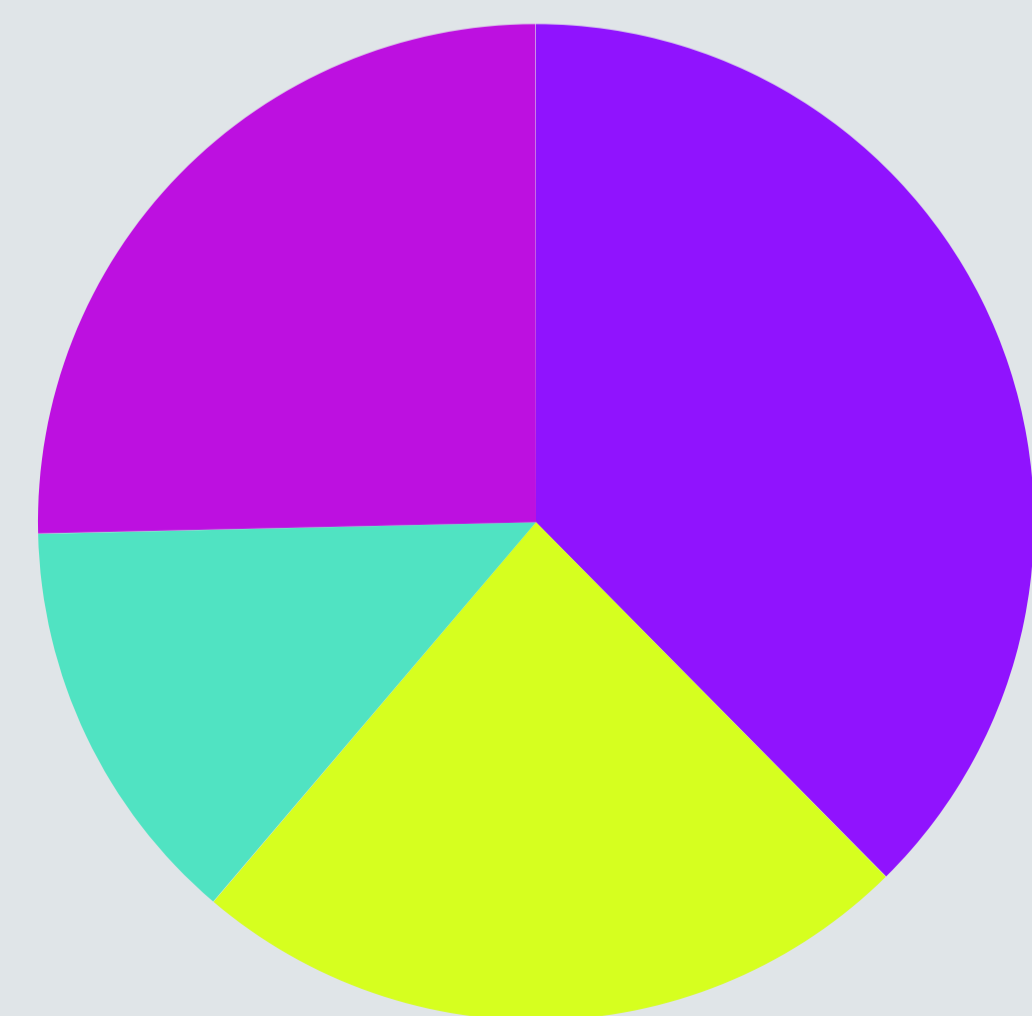
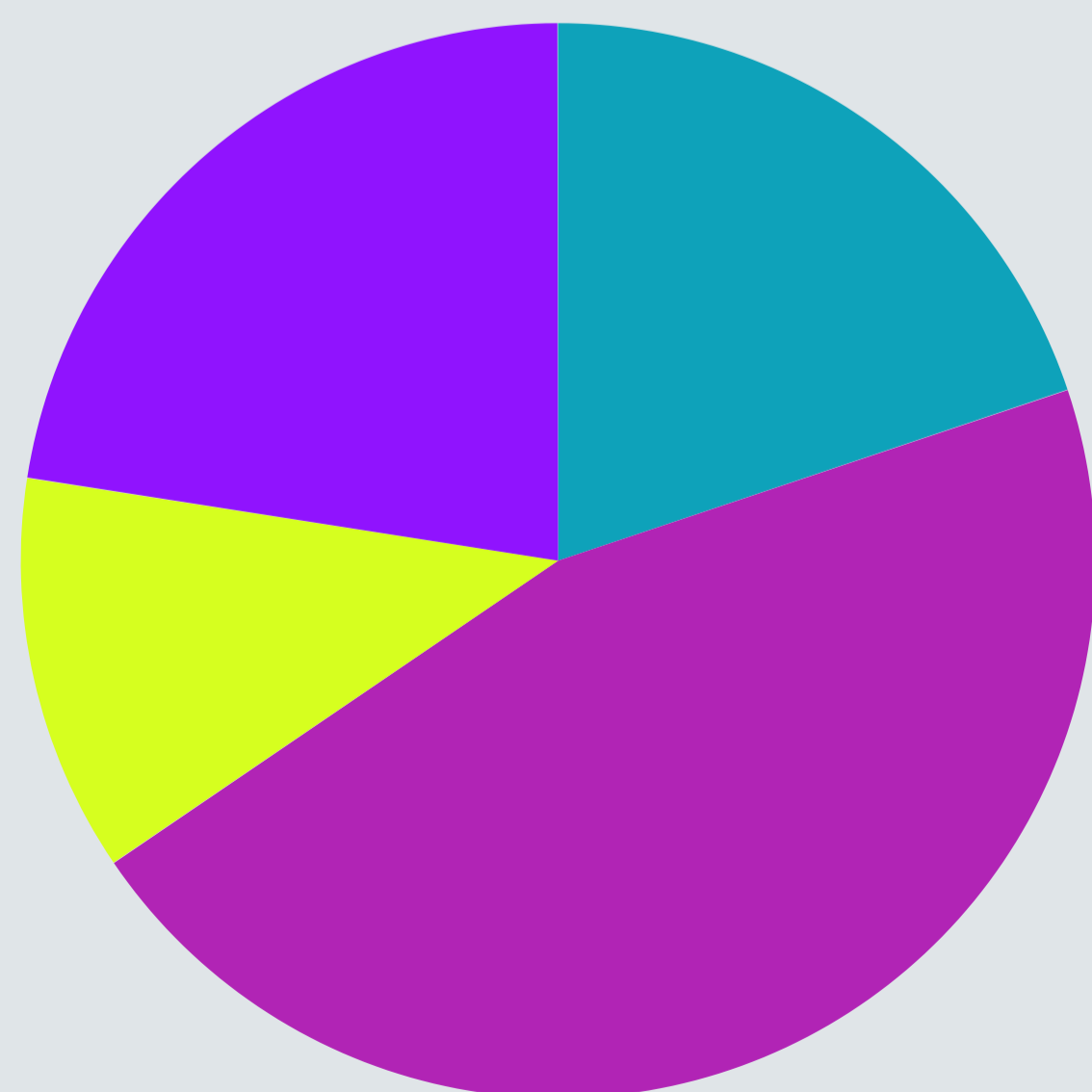
# Special Operations Bureau *Statistics*

*Metro  
&  
Vice*



VICE NARCOTICS and METRO DRUG TASK FORCE	2020	2021	2022
Felony On-Views	1,452	1,412	1,256
Felony Warrants	560	436	386
Misdemeanor On-Views	287	265	293
Misdemeanor Warrants	221	275	317
Firearms Confiscated	147	131	220
Search Warrants	383	426	553
Value of Narcotics	\$6,035,242.00	\$15,795,466.00	\$5,113,640.60
US Currency	\$788,727.75	\$2,394,280.33	\$911,990.60
Traffic Violations	9	20	14
Liquor Violations	28	50	46
Prostitution Arrests	63	55	87

*Vice  
2022*



- Marijuana (19.86%)
- Code 18-Heroin OD (37.61%)
- Crack/Cocaine (45.64%)
- Liquor Investigations (23.62%)
- Heroin/Fentanyl (11.98%)
- Liquor Violations (13.41%)
- Other (22.52%)
- Prostitution Arrests (25.36%)

# Calls For Service and Incidents *Statistics*

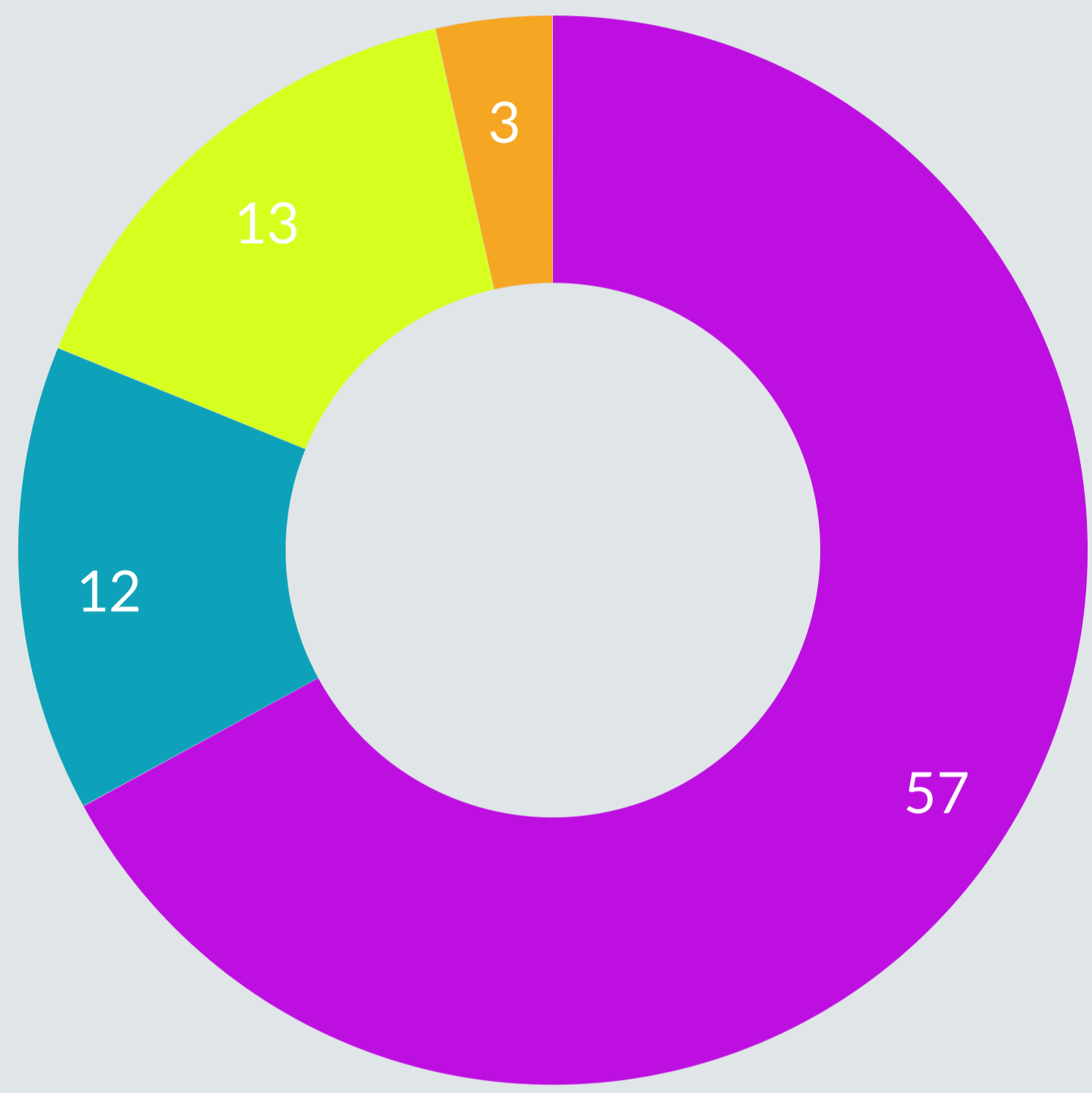


Calls For Service	2021			2022		
	Total Calls for Service	Total Incidents	Self-Initiated	Total Calls for Service	Total Incidents	Self-Initiated
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (Jan-Mar)	35,754	46,860	24%	49,558	40,498	19%
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (Apr-Jun)	42,401	50,595	16%	49,310	39,756	20%
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (Jul-Sep)	43,718	52,008	16%	49,647	40,057	20%
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (Oct-Dec)	48,177	56,052	14%	40,967	32,851	21%
Yearly Total	170,050	205,515	17%	189,482	153,162	20%

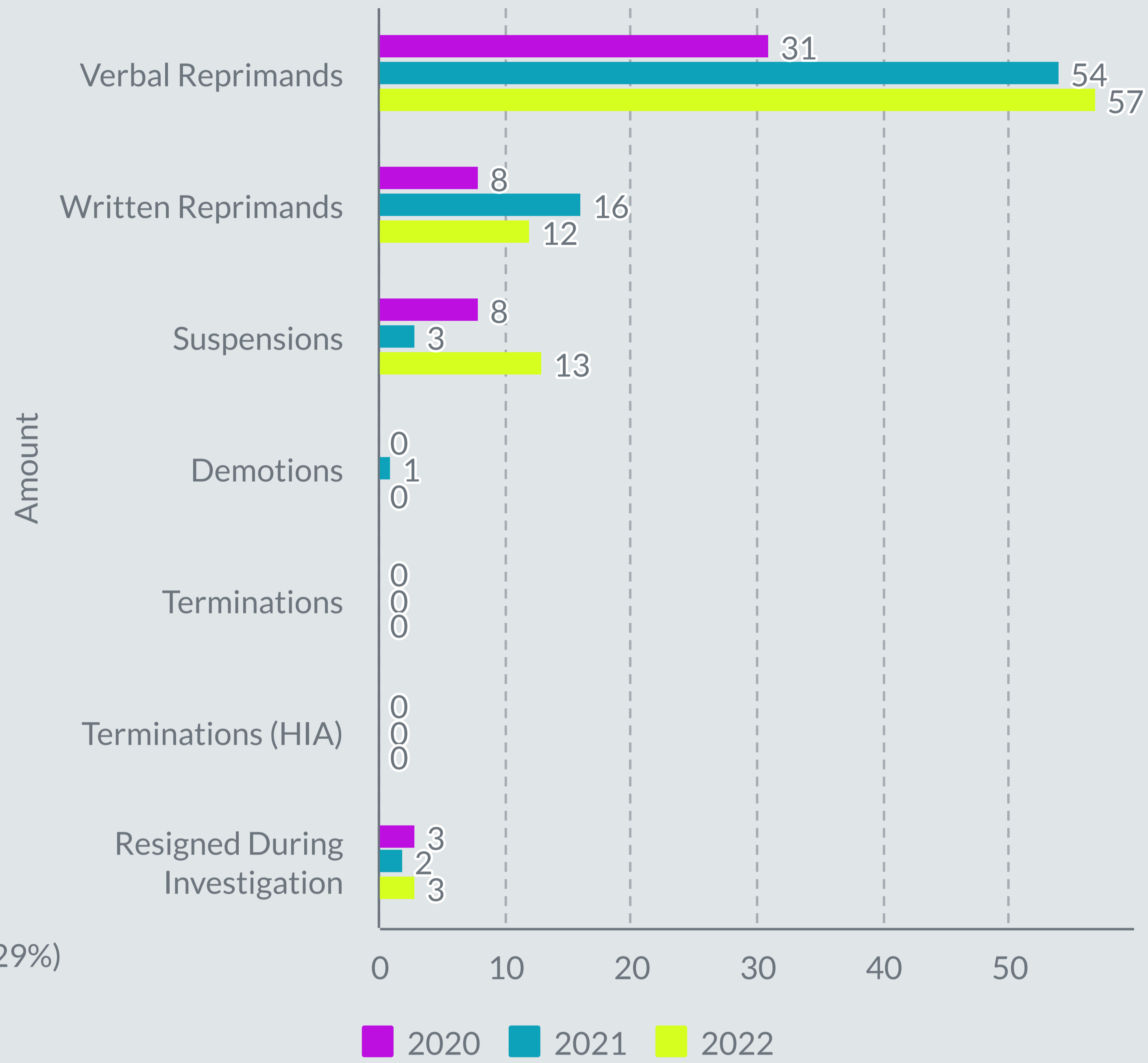
Calls For Service	2019			2020		
	Total Calls for Service	Total Incidents	Self-Initiated	Total Calls for Service	Total Incidents	Self-Initiated
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (Jan-Mar)	35,786	52,199	31%	36,202	50,884	29%
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (Apr-Jun)	43,851	59,249	26%	41,476	49,718	21%
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (Jul-Sep)	45,840	60,677	24%	43,789	52,246	16%
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (Oct-Dec)	38,640	51,791	25%	38,362	47,277	19%
Yearly Total	164,117	223,916	27%	159,829	200,125	20%

Calls For Service	2017			2018		
	Total Calls for Service	Total Incidents	Self-Initiated	Total Calls for Service	Total Incidents	Self-Initiated
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (Jan-Mar)	48,948	63,555	23%	36,261	55,338	34%
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (Apr-Jun)	55,372	68,940	20%	44,211	61,813	28%
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (Jul-Sep)	55,200	69,317	20%	45,746	63,247	28%
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (Oct-Dec)	46,418	60,206	23%	38,472	55,330	30%
Yearly Total	205,938	262,018	21%	164,690	235,908	30%

# Internal Affairs *Statistics*

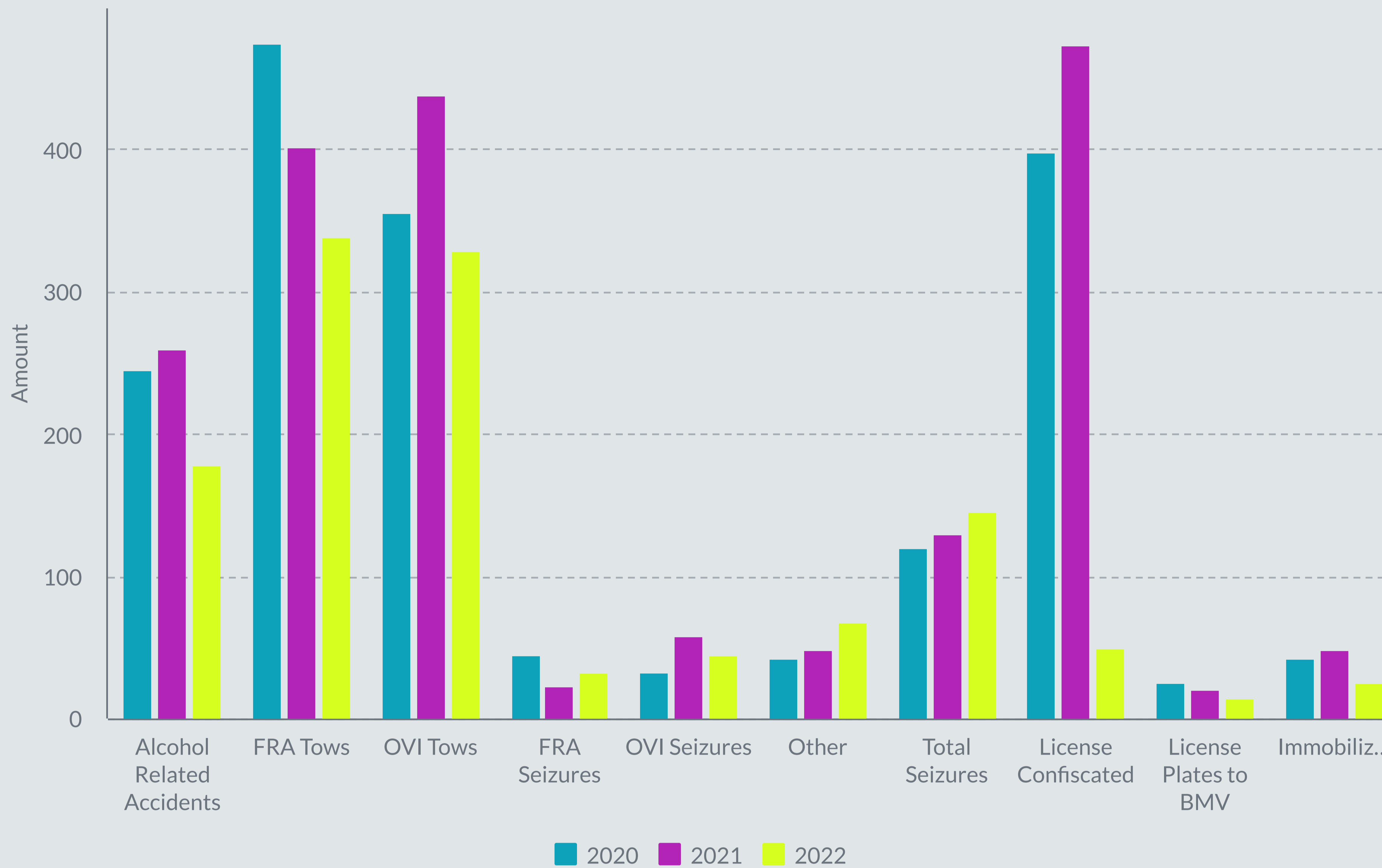


■ Verbal Reprimands (67.06%)  
■ Written Reprimands (14.12%) ■ Suspensions (15.29%)  
■ Resigned During Investigation (3.53%)



Internal Affairs Bureau	2020	2021	2022
Administrative Complaints	161	168	134
Citizen Complaints	13	17	37
<b>Total Complaints</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>171</b>
Discipline Issued	2020	2021	2022
Verbal Reprimands	31	54	57
Written Reprimands	8	16	12
Suspensions	8	3	13
Demotions	0	1	0
Terminations	0	0	0
Terminations (Held in Abeyance)	0	0	0
Resigned During Investigation	3	2	3

# Traffic Statistics



DUI/SOL Unit	2020	2021	2022
Alcohol Related Accidents	245	260	178
FRA Tows	475	402	338
OVI Tows	355	438	329
Others	1,047	873	907
Total Tows	1,877	1,713	1,574
FRA Seizures	45	23	33
OVI Seizures	33	58	45
Other	42	49	68
Total Seizures	120	130	146
Licenses Confiscated	398	473	50
License Plates To BMV	26	21	15
Immobilizations	42	49	26

Fatal Accidents	2020	2021	2022
Pedestrian	7	9	2
Bicycle	0	2	0
Motorcycle	9	14	6
Car/Truck	17	18	18
Total	33	43	26

Commercial Vehicle Enforcement	2020	2021	2022
Number of Trucks Weighed	174	282	203
Pounds Overweight	6,336,200	10,589,684	7,939,770
Calculated Fines	\$228,927.00	\$377,978.00	\$282,663.00
Fines Upheld by Court	\$119,865.74	\$219,983.94	\$153,200.91

Injury Accidents	2020	2021	2022
Pedestrian	117	117	90
Bicycle	38	30	0
Motorcycle	116	97	71
Car/Truck	2,189	2,321	1,985
Total	2,460	2,565	2,146

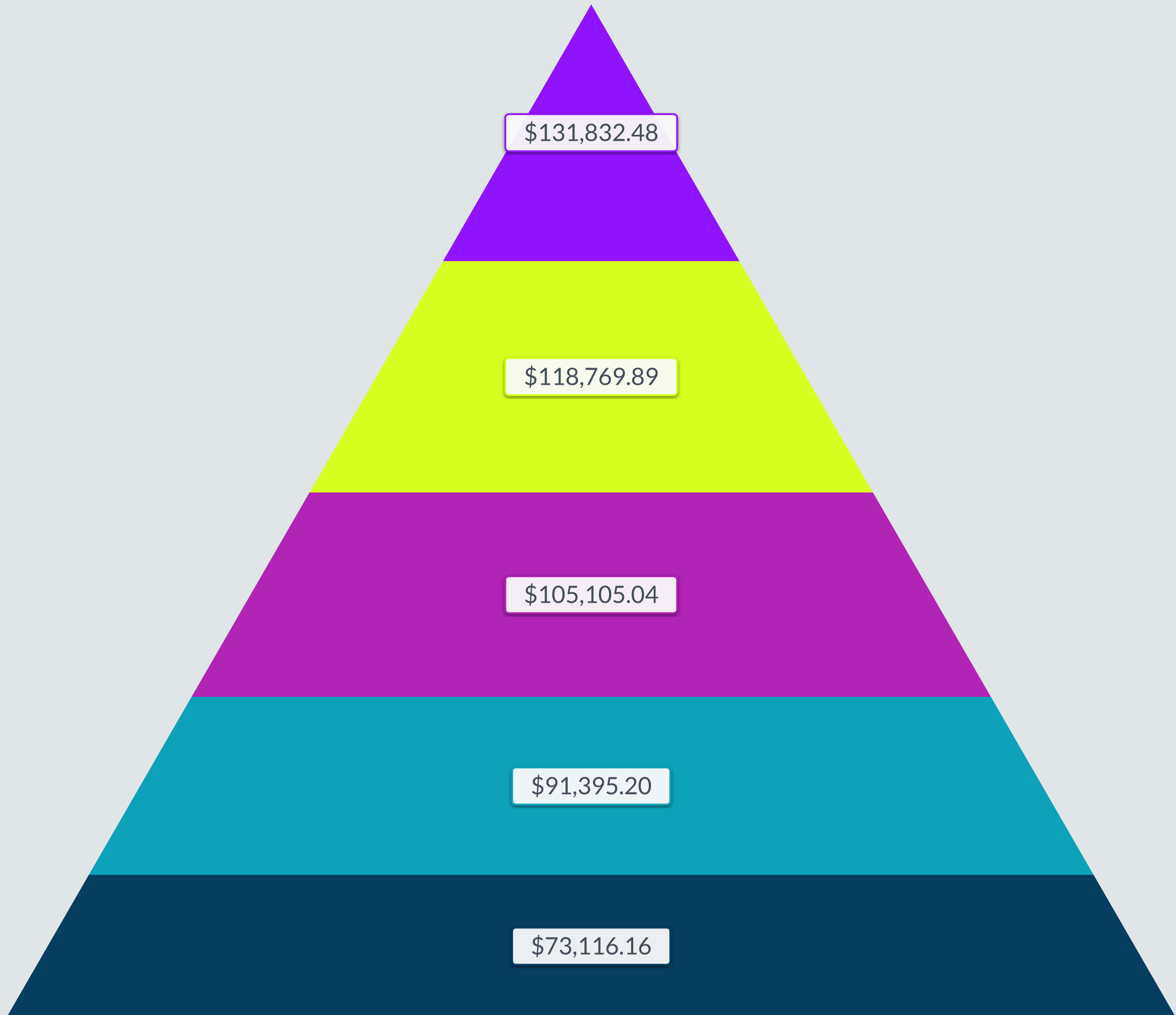
Property Damage Accidents	2020	2021	2022
Total	6,637	7,930	6,745

Junk Auto	2020	2021	2022
New Complaints	1,399	2,822	2,375
18-Hour Tows	416	1,103	1,926
Complaints Cleared	1,490	2,698	2,303

# Financial Summary

## Salary Max Pay in 2022



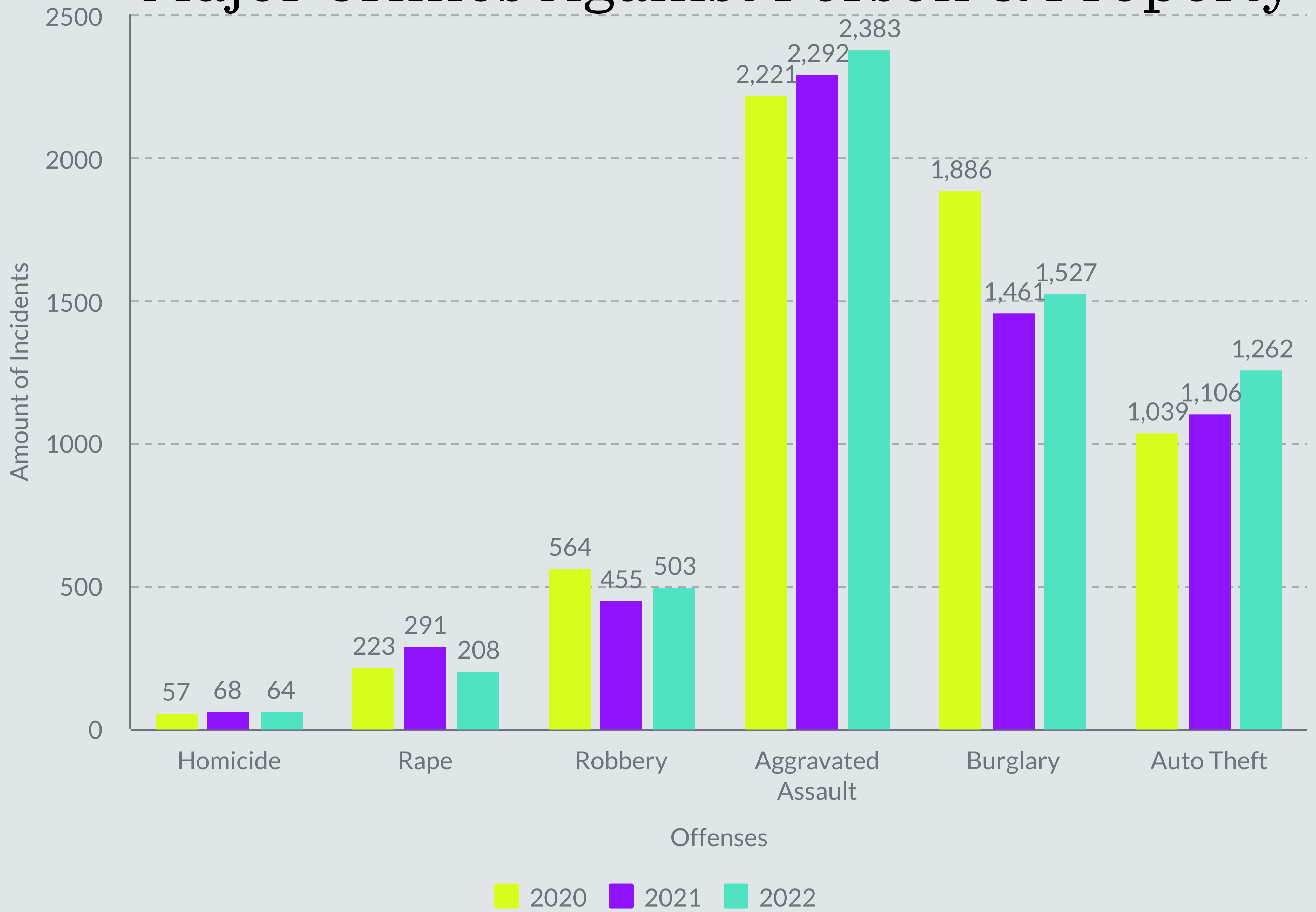
■ Trainee to Patrol Officer 
 ■ Sergeant 
 ■ Lieutenant 
 ■ Captain 
 ■ Deputy Chief

Budget	2021	2022
Base Salaries	\$55,089,957	\$56,624,923
Overtime	\$2,608,608	\$3,321,600
Fringe Benefits	\$19,837,387	\$22,705,985
Total Salaries	\$77,535,951	\$82,652,508
Supplies	\$1,140,507	\$1,474,713
Contractual	\$1,370,823	\$1,035,864
Capital Improvements	\$4,960,779	\$2,632,220

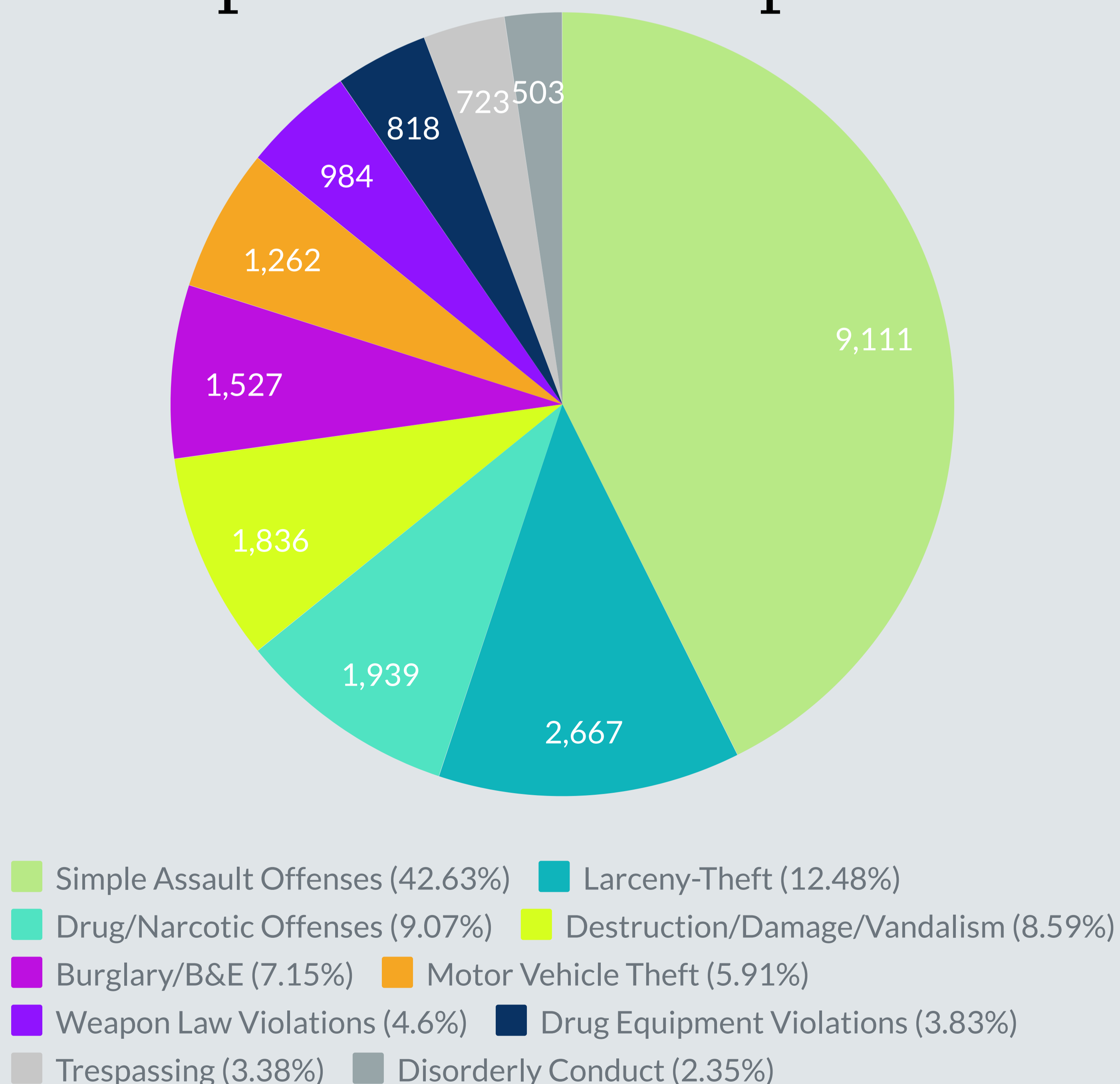
Salaries	2021	2022
Trainee to Patrol Officer	\$53,459.16 - \$70,304.00	\$55,597.53 - \$73,116.16
Sergeant	\$83,531.96 - \$87,880.00	\$86,873.25 - \$91,395.20
Lieutenant	\$98,559.71 - \$101,062.54	\$102,502.11 - \$105,105.04
Captain	\$111,374.51 - \$114,201.81	\$115,829.50 - \$118,769.89
Deputy Chief	\$123,622.72 - \$123,763.52	\$128,568.96 - \$131,832.48

# NIBRS Statistics

## Major Crimes Against Person & Property



## Top 10 Crimes Reported



# NIBRS *Statistics*



## 50- Year Homicide Trend

<b>1973</b>	<b>1974</b>	<b>1975</b>	<b>1976</b>	<b>1977</b>	<b>1978</b>	<b>1979</b>	<b>1980</b>	<b>1981</b>	<b>1982</b>
45	54	41	38	54	36	49	60	55	27
<b>1983</b>	<b>1984</b>	<b>1985</b>	<b>1986</b>	<b>1987</b>	<b>1988</b>	<b>1989</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>1991</b>	<b>1992</b>
37	34	28	21	33	28	42	37	35	46
<b>1993</b>	<b>1994</b>	<b>1995</b>	<b>1996</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2002</b>
49	44	38	33	27	23	20	15	20	31
<b>2003</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
24	33	30	35	13	18	33	23	30	39
<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
28	24	24	37	36	37	35	57	68	64



01/01/22



**Officer Michael  
Mugler**

02/25/22



**Detective Larry  
Anderson**

03/01/22



**Detective David  
Morford**

# 2022 Retirements

03/01/22



**Sergeant Mark  
Taylor**

03/04/22



**Officer Hany  
Youssef**

03/11/22



**Detective Louis  
Espinosa**

*RETIRED!  
TIME TO GIVE IT  
ARREST!*

*Congratulations!*

04/01/22



**Officer Vince  
Manera**

05/03/22



**Officer Burna  
Guy**

06/01/22



**Officer Brian  
Mitchell**

06/01/22



**Sergeant Anthony  
Gillen**

06/02/22



**Officer Jeffrey  
Dorner**

09/06/22



**Officer Irma  
Oberneder**

# Toledo Police Department Mission Statement



The mission of the Toledo Police Department is to enhance the quality of life in the City of Toledo by working in partnerships with the community to preserve life, enforce the law, provide quality services, reduce the fear of crime, and promote joint problem-solving for safe, secure neighborhoods.



## PERSEVERANCE

RISING FROM  
FAILURES.  
OVERCOMING  
ADVERSITY AND  
NEVER GIVING UP.

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