

2021 END OF YEAR REPORT





A WORD FROM THE CHIEF

THE SEASIDE POLICE DEPARTMENT DURING 2021 OPERATED WITH THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC CONTINUING. MOST OF OUR SERVICES OFFERED WERE OPERATIONAL WITH SOME LIMITATIONS. OUR LOBBY REMAINED CLOSED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF SOME SHORT IN PERSON BUSINESS OCCURRING WITHIN THE BUILDING, WHILE MAINTAINING SOCIAL DISTANCING AND MASK USE. OUR PATROL OPERATIONS CONTINUED WITH LITTLE NEGATIVE IMPACT TO OUR COMMUNITY.

IN 2021 WE HAD MOST OF OUR POSITIONS FILLED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ONE PATROL OFFICER AND OUR COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICER, WHICH WERE FILLED IN JUNE OF 2021. WE WERE EXCITED TO HIRE OFFICER JASON JOHNSON AND COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICER PAUL KNOCH. WITH THEIR ADDITIONS OUR TEAM FINISHED THE YEAR FULLY STAFFED. OFFICER JOHNSON ATTENDED THE BASIC POLICE ACADEMY, WITH A COUPLE OF INTERRUPTIONS IN THE TRAINING DUE TO COVID-19 CASES AT THE ACADEMY, BUT HE DID COMPLETE THE ACADEMY AND WENT INTO FIELD TRAINING THAT CONTINUED INTO THE SPRING OF 2022. CSO KNOCH HAS BEEN DOING A GREAT JOB WITH HIS POSITION AND HE HAS TAKEN ON A ROLE OF AS A HOMELESS LIAISON, WORKING CLOSELY WITH THE MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY WHO ARE UNHOUSED AND EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS, IN ADDITION TO HIS OTHER ASSIGNMENTS AS THE CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, PARKING ENFORCEMENT AND ANIMAL CONTROL.

I HAD THE PRIVILEGE TO PROMOTE TWO OFFICERS, EVAN EDWARDS AND JUSTIN GAGNON, TO THE RANK OF CORPORAL. THEY BOTH MET THE TIME IN SERVICE AND ALONG WITH OTHER REQUIREMENTS HAVE SHOWN THEIR LEADERSHIP ABILITY WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT.

A WORD FROM THE CHIEF CONT'D

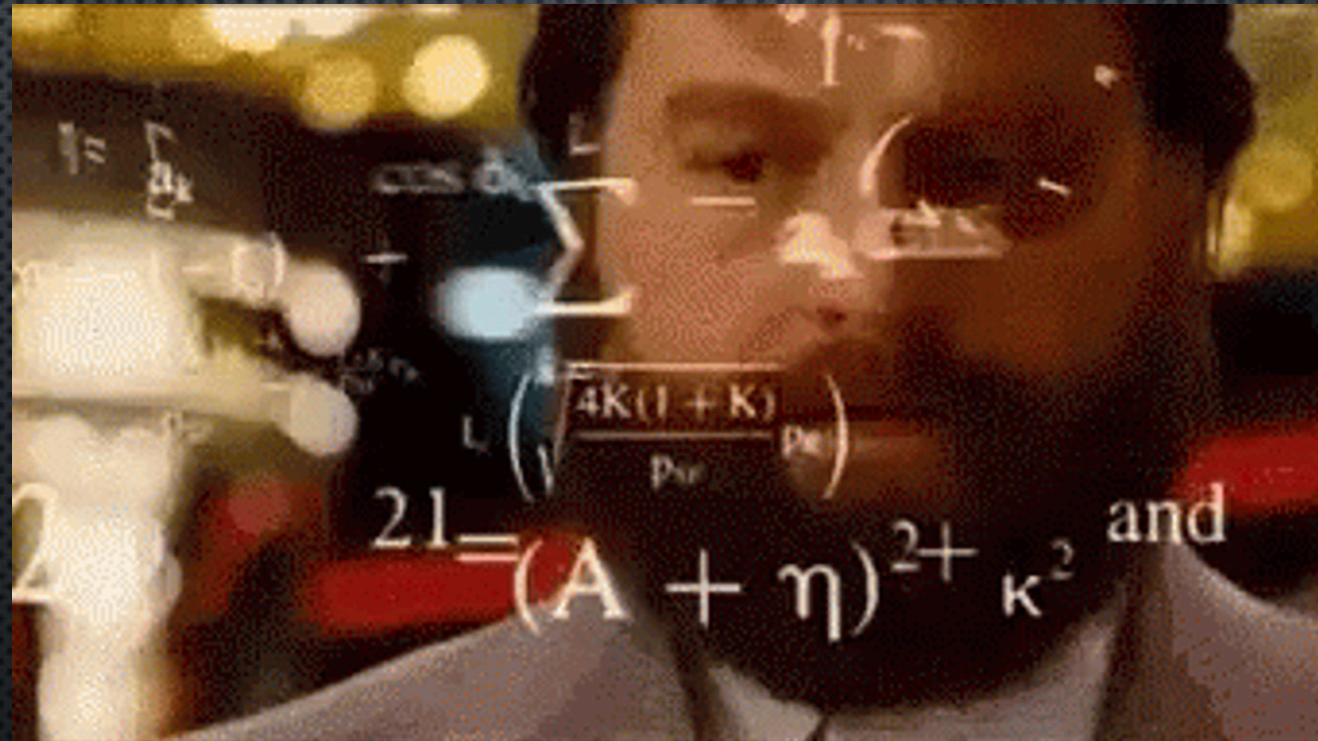
OUR COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION HAD SOME MAJOR CHANGES IN 2021. DUE TO THE ASTORIA COMMUNICATIONS CENTER EXPERIENCING A CRITICALLY LOW LEVEL OF STAFFING, INCLUDING A VACANT COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER POSITION FOR A GREAT DEAL OF 2021. OUR COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER, MITCH BROWN, HAD BEEN SERVING PART TIME AS THEIR ACTING MANAGER FOR THE PAST YEAR AND A HALF UNTIL APD HIRED THEIR OWN MANAGER IN AUGUST OF 2021. ADDITIONAL STAFFING SHORTAGES WITHIN THE APD COMMUNICATIONS CENTER CAUSED A CRITICAL COMMUNICATIONS PROBLEM FOR THEM. WORKING COLLABORATIVELY WITH THE CITY OF ASTORIA AN AGREEMENT WITH CITY OF SEASIDE BEGAN WHERE THE SEASIDE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER HOSTED A TEMPORARY MERGED COMMUNICATIONS CENTER. ASTORIA DISPATCHERS MOVED INTO THE SEASIDE CENTER IN NOVEMBER OF 2021. ALTHOUGH THEIR STAFFING IS NOT AT THE LEVEL THEY WOULD LIKE TO BE, WITH SEASIDE'S HELP THEY ARE PREPARING TO MOVE BACK VERY SOON TO THE ASTORIA COMMUNICATIONS CENTER BY THE END OF MAY 2022. THIS TEMPORARY MERGE OF THE TWO CENTERS CREATED MANY CHALLENGES FOR THE STAFF OF BOTH CENTERS, INCLUDING SOME INFRASTRUCTURE DEFICIENCIES THAT A CONSOLIDATED DISPATCH CENTER CREATES. WE CONTINUE TO WORK THROUGH THE CHALLENGES AND ALTHOUGH AT TIMES SOME OF THE RADIO COMMUNICATIONS WERE POOR AROUND THE COUNTY, THE SERVICE TO OUR COMMUNITY WAS A TOP PRIORITY AND THE PUBLIC SAFETY EXPECTATIONS WERE MET, IF NOT EXCEEDED.

AS 2022 CONTINUES WE ARE PLANNING AND PREPARING FOR A BUSY SUMMER SEASON. THE SEASIDE POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS THE TRAINED STAFF IN OUR DETECTIVE, PATROL AND COMMUNICATION DIVISIONS THAT OUR RESIDENTS AND VISITORS HAVE COME TO DEPEND ON AS WE PROVIDE THE COMMUNITY WITH SAFETY AND SECURITY THROUGH THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF PROFESSIONAL, ETHICAL AND INTEGRITY BASED SERVICES.

TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	5 Year % of Change
# of Calls	9517	9267	9350	9660	9989	5%
% of Change from Previous Year	N/A	-3%	1%	3%	3%	

STATISTICS



TRAFFIC

Traffic Totals			
	2020	2021	Increase/Decrease
Total Stops	2435	2856	17%
Total Infractions	775	633	-18%
Total Accidents Reported	173	230	33%
Total Accidents Investigated	105	159	51%

STOP STATS

STOP STATS		
Total Stops Reported	2393	
Nature of Stop		
Criminal	0	
Traffic	2390	
Pedestrian	3	
Sex		
Male	1323	
Female	957	
X	0	
Search Results		
Alcohol	0	
Drugs	0	
Weapon	0	
Nothing	0	
Evidence	0	
Other	0	
Stolen	0	
Search Type		
No Search	0	
Consent Search	0	
Search Denied	0	
Probable Cause	0	
Perceived Race		
Asian	70	
Black	54	
Hispanic	228	
Indian	3	
Middle East	33	
Hawaiian / Pacific Island	3	
White	2002	
Perceived race prior to Stop		
Yes	304	
No	2087	
Disposition		
Citation	286	
Juve Summons	0	
Warning	2105	

Percentages	
Nature of Stop	Totals
Criminal	0%
Traffic	100%
Pedestrian	0%
Sex	
Male	55%
Female	40%
X	0%
Search Results	
Alcohol	0%
Drugs	0%
Weapon	0%
Nothing	0%
Evidence	0%
Other	0%
Stolen	0%
Search Type	
No Search	0%
Consent Search	0%
Search Denied	0%
Probable Cause	0%
Perceived Race	
Asian	3%
Black	2%
Hispanic	10%
Indian	0%
Middle East	1%
Hawaiian / Pacific Island	0%
White	84%
Perceived race prior to Stop	
Yes	13%
No	87%
Disposition	
Citation	12%
Juve Summons	0%
Warning	88%

PART 1

Part 1 Crimes	2018	2019	2020	2021	Difference
Homicide	1	0	0	0	0%
Rape	5	4	6	1	-83%
Robbery	7	4	3	4	33%
Assault	138	140	139	136	-2%
Burglary	43	29	32	27	-16%
Larceny	328	280	309	332	7%
Motor Vehicle Theft	22	21	13	13	0%
Counterfeiting / Forgery	118	100	61	64	5%
Embezzlement	1	1	1	2	100%
Stolen Property	1	1	1	1	0%
Vandalism	185	139	198	253	28%
Weapon Law Violations	25	24	13	15	15%
Prostitution	0	0	0	0	0%
Sex Crimes	11	7	13	7	-46%
Drug Law	77	63	38	33	-13%
Gambling	0	0	0	0	0%
Extortion	0	0	0	0	0%
Kidnapping	1	4	1	0	-100%
All Other	2	1	1	0	-100%

PART 2

Part 2 Crimes	2018	2019	2020	2021	Difference
Assault	20	23	37	14	-62%
Motor Vehicle Theft	12	24	41	20	-51%
Counterfeiting /Forgery	0	1	0	0	0%
Sex Crimes	4	5	3	4	33%
Family Offense / Non Violent	6	4	6	2	-67%
DUII	75	52	69	43	-38%
Tobacco	2	4	2	2	0%
Liquor Law	76	66	65	24	-63%
Disorderly Conduct	216	161	284	260	-8%
All Other	169	149	250	169	-32%
Curfew	3	2	1	2	100%
Runaway	1	3	9	1	-89%

USE OF FORCE

2021 Use of Force

Total Arrest	UoF	Time Frame 1800-0600	Time Frame 0600-1800	Male*	Female*	Alcohol / Drugs	Armed	Taser	Shown	Deployed	Wrap	Pointed Firearm
409	78	54	24	72	19	51	14	19	19	0	9	20
	19%	69%	31%	92%	24%	65%	18%	24%	24%	0%	12%	26%

*Total Number of people vs cases

	M	F
91	72	19
N/A	79%	21%

MENTAL HEALTH AND HOMELESS CONTACTS

Homeless and Mental Health Contacts

	2020	2021	Totals
C40*	140	299	114%
C41*	44	71	61%
Homeless	38	702	1747%**
Mental Health	528	570	8%

*Started tracking in April of 2020

** Homeless contacts between 2020/2021 tracking discrepancy.

911 AND PHONE CALLS

911 Calls					
2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Total
7152	7183	7025	7414	10,527	46%
N/A	0%	-2%	6%	42%	

Admin Calls					
36089	34297	31818	32496	47,423	36%
N/A	-5%	-7%	2%	46%	

POLICE CALLS FOR SERVICE

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Total Percent of Growth
Seaside	9517	9317	9350	9660	9989	5%
	N/A	-2%	0%	3%	3%	

Gearhart	592	715	975	745	989	34%
	N/A	21%	36%	-24%	33%	

Cannon Beach	2898	2414	2919	4030	4407	52%
	N/A	-17%	21%	38%	9%	

Total Calls Per year	13007	12446	13244	14435	15385	18%
Total Percent of Growth	N/A	-4%	6%	9%	7%	

FIRE CALLS FOR SERVICE

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Percent of Growth
Seaside	1404	1407	1518	1497	1688	19%
	N/A	0%	8%	-1%	13%	
Gearhart	460	441	441	443	572	25%
	N/A	-4%	0%	0%	29%	
Cannon Beach	399	392	426	449	498	23%
	N/A	-2%	9%	5%	11%	
Hamlet	102	94	146	107	170	80%
	N/A	-8%	55%	-27%	59%	
Total Calls Per Year	2365	2334	2531	2496	2928	23%
Total Percent of Growth By Year	N/A	-1%	8%	-1%	17%	

GONE, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN, SGT. JASON
GOODDING.

