



# KCKPD

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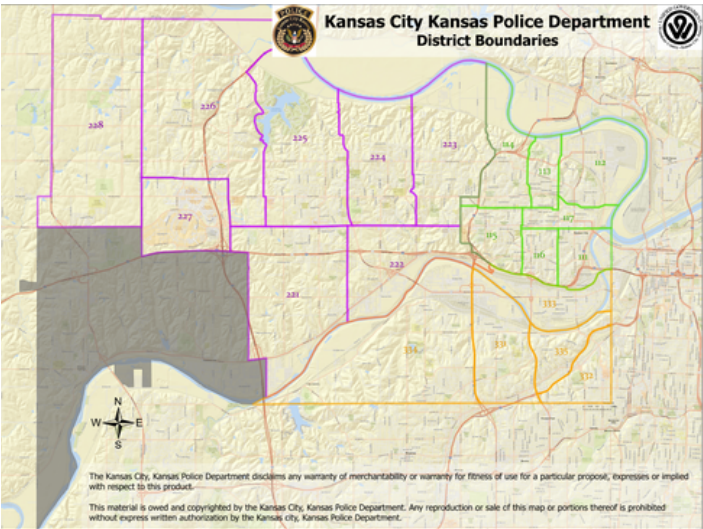
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# 2023 ANNUAL REPORT



# Department Overview

Kansas City, Kansas, sitting on the eastern edge of Kansas and bordering Missouri, is the third largest city in the state. It is separated from the larger Kansas City - Kansas City, Missouri by the confluence of the Kansas and Missouri Rivers and State Line Road. It is part of a consolidated city-county government known as the Unified Government of Wyandotte County and Kansas City, Kansas.

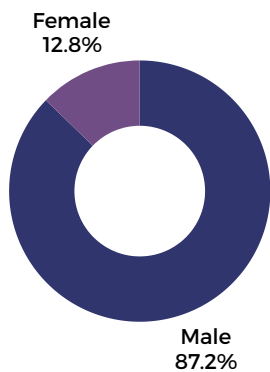


The Kansas City, Kansas Police Department works to ensure the safety the 153,000 residents of the community which spans approximately 125 square miles. In 2022 the Department moved from four (Midtown, East, West and South) operational patrol divisions to three when Midtown was absorbed into East and West patrols in order to maximize staffing.

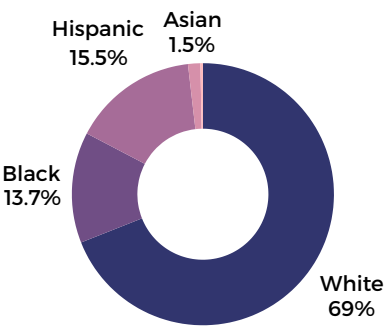
A total of 369 sworn officers were assigned to those divisions as well as a variety of specialized units. The KCKPD is proud of its racially diverse sworn staff; the most diverse in the region.

Approximately 90 professional staff bring the total number of employees to 441. These skilled and dedicated employees provide administrative support as well as specialized skills in units including Records, Victim Services, Communications, Technology and Animal Services,

Officers by Gender



Ethnicity of Sworn Officers





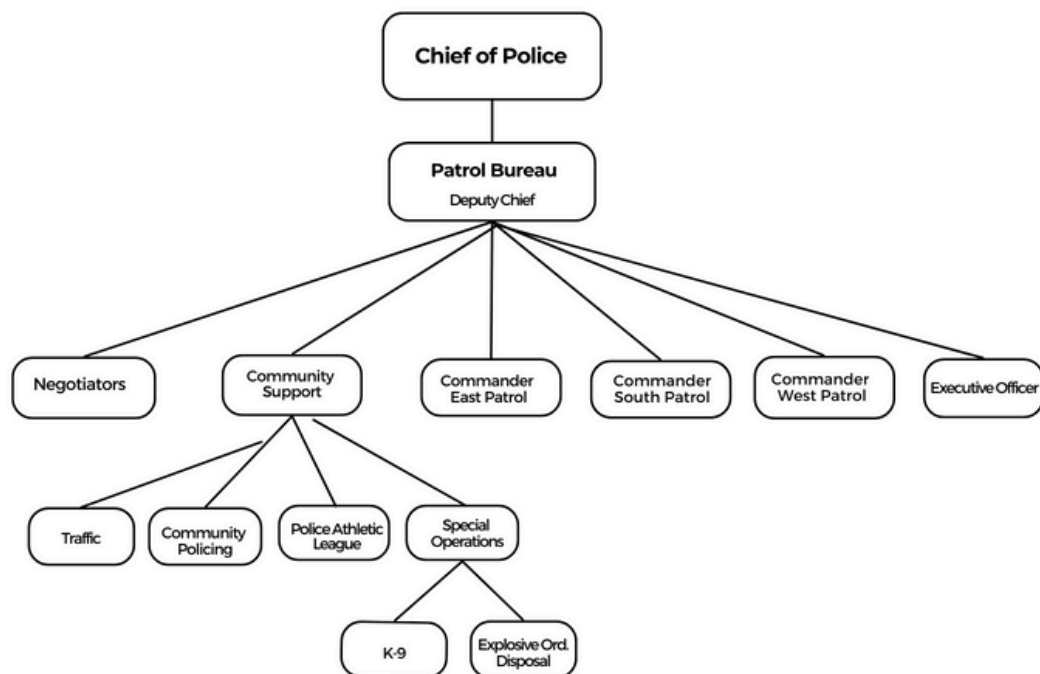
# Patrol/Operations Bureau

## 2023 ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

Deputy Chief - Patrol/Operations



Deputy Chief Kent Anderson



The Patrol Division is the heart and soul of our Department. Patrol officers are the most visible face of the KCKPD. Residents who report crimes in progress, or are involved in traffic crashes that require police response, will likely interact with a patrol officer. Dedicated, professional police officers provide around-the-clock police response, working to maintain a safe community. Responding to an average of 950 calls for service daily, the Patrol Division plays a pivotal part in making our community a better and safer place to live, work and visit.

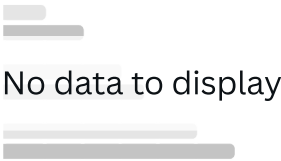
Patrol officer duties include responding to calls for service, both non-emergency and emergency, initial investigations, evidence collection, enforcing laws and crime prevention activities. The Community Support Division also operates within the Patrol Bureau. Focused on improving the quality of life for residents of Kansas City, Kan. through community engagement and the proactive and reactive enforcement of laws, it includes Community Policing, Traffic, Special Operations and the Police Athletic League. By fostering relationships and opening up the lines of communication, we hope to increase the community's trust level that will, in turn, encourage residents to work cooperatively with us to create safer neighborhoods where we all live, work and play.

These highly trained men and women strive to serve every community member they contact with fairness and respect.

# Patrol/Operations Bureau

## 2023 Calls for Service Compared to Arrests

128,499 Calls for Service  
5,763 Arrests

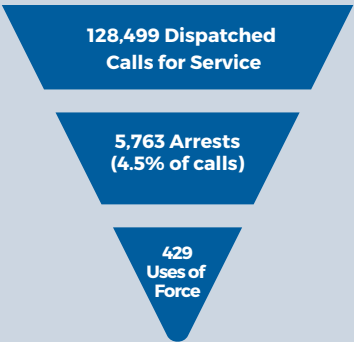


## Use of Force Breakdown

Use of force was utilized in **0.3%** of all calls for service.

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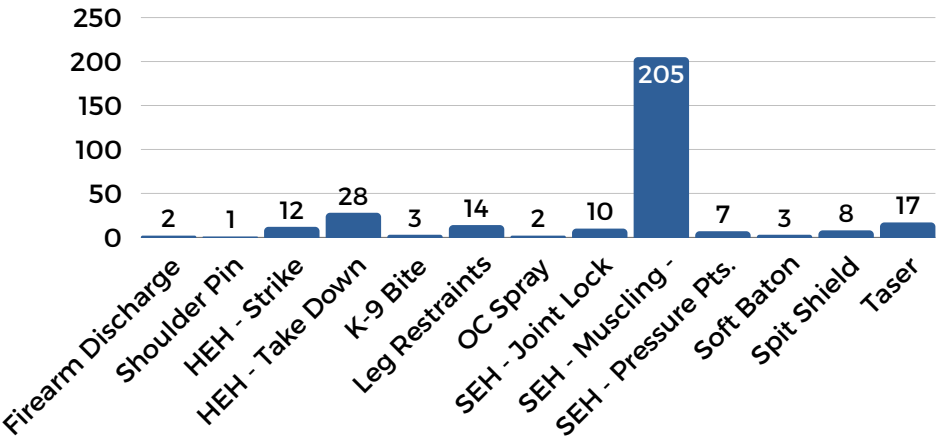
**99.7%** of all calls did not employ a use of force.



Use of force was utilized in **7.4%** of all arrests.

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**92.6%** of all arrests did not employ a use of force.

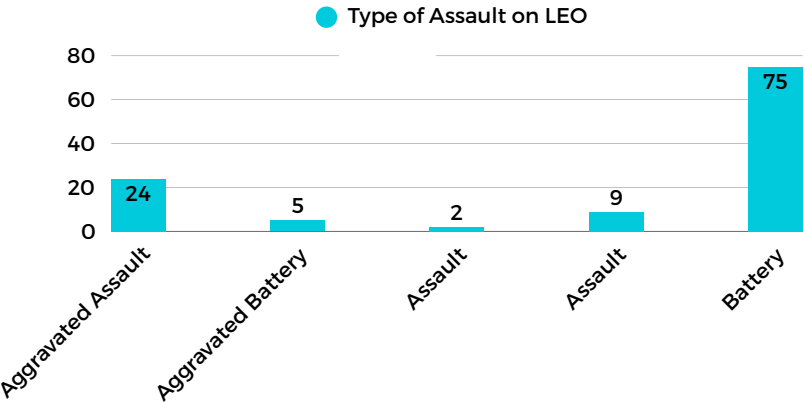


## Officer Use of Force Frequency by Method

## Assaults on Law Enforcement Officers:

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\*aggravated indicates use of a weapon other than self



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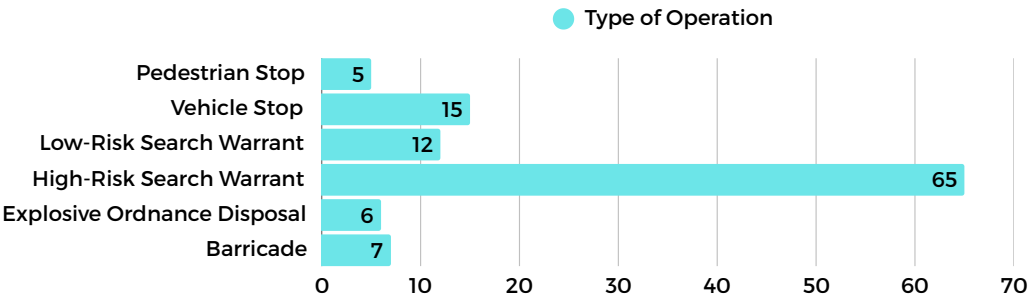
## Annual Crime Stats 2016-2023

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023		(+/-)	%
Homicide	47	41	35	39	58	51	39	24		-15	-38%
Rape	106	117	114	105	94	112	110	69		-41	-37%
Agg Battery	246	302	307	367	367	467	454	247		-207	-46%
Agg Assault	338	382	344	355	572	661	681	572		-109	-16%
Shooting Into Dwell/Auto	286	345	291	289	343	275	315	243		-72	-23%
Shooting-Occ Dwell	175	227	177	185	203	172	198	141		-57	-29%
Shooting-Occ Auto	71	72	65	67	110	79	74	68		-6	-8%
Shooting-Unocc Dwell	40	46	49	37	30	24	43	34		-9	-21%
Robbery	256	277	250	233	191	180	232	193		-39	-17%
Agg Robbery	204	224	204	193	162	142	199	161		-38	-19%
Robbery	52	53	46	40	29	38	33	32		-1	-3%
<b>Total Violent</b>	<b>1,279</b>	<b>1,464</b>	<b>1,341</b>	<b>1,388</b>	<b>1,625</b>	<b>1,746</b>	<b>1,831</b>	<b>1,348</b>		<b>-483</b>	<b>-26%</b>
Burglary	1962	1975	1686	1475	1911	1895	1533	1280		-253	-17%
Burglary-Aggravated	132	130	122	115	109	129	80	93		13	16%
Burglary-Res	680	648	532	459	399	470	368	300		-68	-18%
Burglary-NonRes	230	240	216	236	296	301	240	239		-1	0%
Burglary-Auto	920	957	816	665	1107	995	845	648		-197	-23%
Theft	5427	5394	5038	4830	5075	5067	4828	5188		360	7%
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY</b>	<b>7,389</b>	<b>7,369</b>	<b>6,724</b>	<b>6,305</b>	<b>6,986</b>	<b>6,962</b>	<b>6,361</b>	<b>6,468</b>		<b>107</b>	<b>2%</b>
<b>TOTAL TARGET CRIMES</b>	<b>8,668</b>	<b>8,833</b>	<b>8,065</b>	<b>7,693</b>	<b>8,611</b>	<b>8,708</b>	<b>8,192</b>	<b>7,816</b>		<b>-376</b>	<b>-5%</b>
Abduction	21	19	26	20	29	25	26	21		-5	-19%
Agg Arson	12	7	1	1	2	1	1	2		1	100%
Agg Ind Solicitation	7	6	13	7	13	9	14	7		-7	-50%
Agg Indec Liberties	104	85	94	65	56	58	87	53		-34	-39%
Agg Sexual Battery	4	17	8	8	16	20	22	13		-9	-41%
Agg Sodomy	26	29	33	32	35	26	35	10		-25	-71%
Assault	244	220	191	151	160	184	154	165		11	7%
Battery	931	941	903	833	830	854	896	758		-138	-15%
Child Abuse	41	42	43	28	30	25	22	37		15	68%
Criminal Restraint	11	17	32	12	33	43	43	41		-2	-5%
Criminal Threat	66	53	47	39	21	41	49	49		0	0%
Domestic Battery	1455	1424	1387	1256	1245	1362	1311	1227		-84	-6%
Indecent Liberties	14	16	17	19	14	12	10	9		-1	-10%
Indecent Solicitation	1	2	5	2	6	1	2	1		-1	-50%
Interf Parental Cust	8	10	8	3	6	12	5	20		15	300%
Sex Exploit of Child	10	5	13	5	11	4	14	14		0	0%
Sexual Battery	19	29	36	24	34	25	25	29		4	16%
Sodomy	6	8	8	6	7	7	6	13		7	117%
Stalking	27	19	23	18	18	34	37	35		-2	-5%
Telecomm Harrasment	490	406	354	258	366	348	325	303		-22	-7%
<b>TOTAL OTHER PERSONS</b>	<b>3,497</b>	<b>3,355</b>	<b>3,242</b>	<b>2,787</b>	<b>2,932</b>	<b>3,091</b>	<b>3,084</b>	<b>2,807</b>		<b>-277</b>	<b>-9%</b>
Arson	36	7	5	6	5	6	4	7		3	75%
Criminal Damage	3525	3707	3253	2965	3349	3547	3254	3242		-12	0%
Forgery	160	160	141	147	146	125	139	133		-6	-4%
Fraud	466	371	259	219	277	227	224	189		-35	-16%
Graffiti	42	38	64	63	61	49	56	21		-35	-63%
Poss Stolen Property	20	28	20	32	26	24	34	86		52	153%
<b>TOTAL OTHER PROPERTY</b>	<b>4,249</b>	<b>4,311</b>	<b>3,742</b>	<b>3,432</b>	<b>3,864</b>	<b>3,978</b>	<b>3,711</b>	<b>3,678</b>		<b>-33</b>	<b>-1%</b>
Drug Offense	865	1,074	1,015	1,024	587	744	980	1,224		244	25%
Weapons Offense	95	181	278	419	532	448	533	446		-87	-16%
<b>TOTAL SOCIETY</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>1,255</b>	<b>1,293</b>	<b>1,443</b>	<b>1,119</b>	<b>1,192</b>	<b>1,513</b>	<b>1,670</b>		<b>157</b>	<b>10%</b>
Other	588	708	1,391	1,665	1,602	1,660	1,482	2,278		796	54%
<b>TOTAL NON-TARGET CRIMES</b>	<b>9,294</b>	<b>9,629</b>	<b>9,668</b>	<b>9,327</b>	<b>9,517</b>	<b>9,921</b>	<b>9,790</b>	<b>10,433</b>		<b>643</b>	<b>7%</b>
<b>TOTAL CRIMES</b>	<b>17,962</b>	<b>18,462</b>	<b>17,733</b>	<b>17,020</b>	<b>18,128</b>	<b>18,629</b>	<b>17,982</b>	<b>18,249</b>		<b>267</b>	<b>1%</b>
Runaway	395	450	404	412	391	351	423	321		-102	-24%
Missing Person	103	145	118	154	144	148	159	145		-14	-9%

# Patrol/Operations Bureau

## SPECIAL OPERATIONS UNIT (SOU)

The KCKPD Special Operations Unit is comprised of two full-time sergeants; eight full-time officers; one part-time sergeant and eight part-time officers. They receive specialized training that enables them to respond to high-risk situations.



The following additions and upgrades were made to equipment used members of SOU:

**BearCat** - A new BearCat was purchased to replace an older model that was in use. A BearCat is an armored rescue vehicles which is used to transport SOU officers to and from hostile situations and to assist with the recovery and protection of civilians in harm's way. (Pictured at right.)



**ICOR Robot** - The addition of this robot gives officers the ability to remotely respond to high-risk situations with a variety of capabilities, including:

- Surveillance - provides real-time video and audio to help officers observe and assess situations
- Communication - enables two-way communication with suspects or victims
- Manipulation - of objects like doors
- Detonation - of objects remotely.
- Inspection - of vehicles, trains, equipment, etc.
- Intelligence gathering - of important information

**X-Ray Machine** - Purchased by the Mid American Regional Counsel, EOD received a new X-Ray machine as an upgrade to current technology.



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## OFFICER INVOLVED CRITICAL INCIDENTS

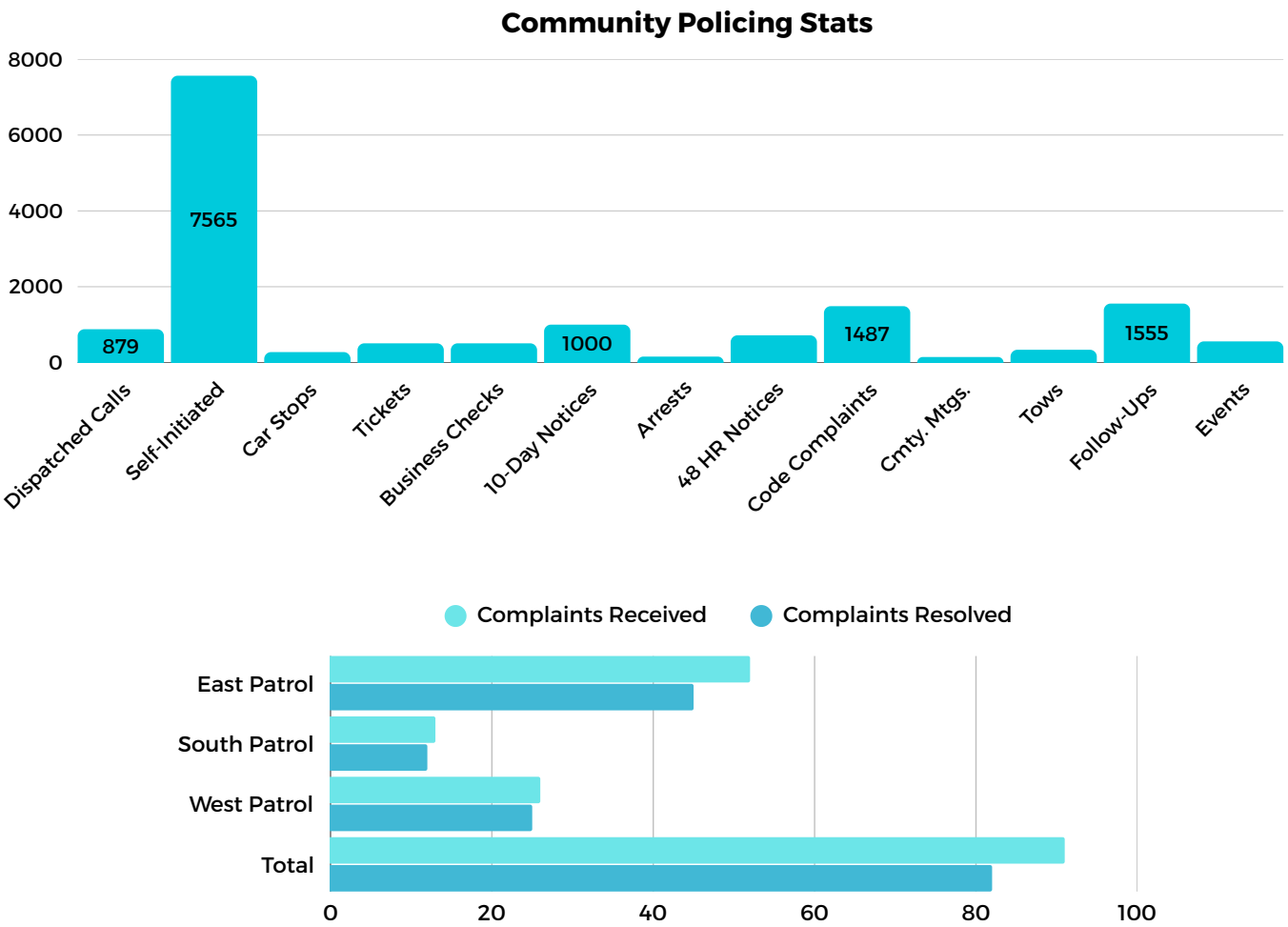
In 2023, KCKPD was involved in five separate incidents that involved the use of lethal force. Out of those incidents two subjects died from their injuries and four were treated for gunshot wounds. Additionally, three officers sustained gunshot wounds, two were treated for shrapnel and one for minor injuries.

These incidents were investigated by various outside agencies and KCKPD units including: KCKPD Major Case Detectives, KCKPD Internal Affairs Unit, KCKPD Crime Scene Investigation Unit (CSI), KCKPD Officer Involved Critical Incident Team, Investigators from the Wyandotte County Sheriff's Office, Detectives Shadowing from the Kansas City, Missouri Police Department Homicide Unit, and the Kansas Bureau of Investigation..

The Wyandotte County District Attorney's Office reviewed all incidents and determined the officers' actions were justified.

This year a memorandum was authored and signed by the KCKPD and the Kansas Bureau of Investigations granting full control of KCKPD Officer Involved Shooting (OIS) to their agency. Members of the KCKPD Major Case unit serve as liaison to KBI investigators. Once the investigation is complete, KBI will turn over their findings to the Wyandotte County District Attorney's Office for review and final disposition. The first investigation led by KBI occurred in December of 2023.

## COMMUNITY POLICING UNIT

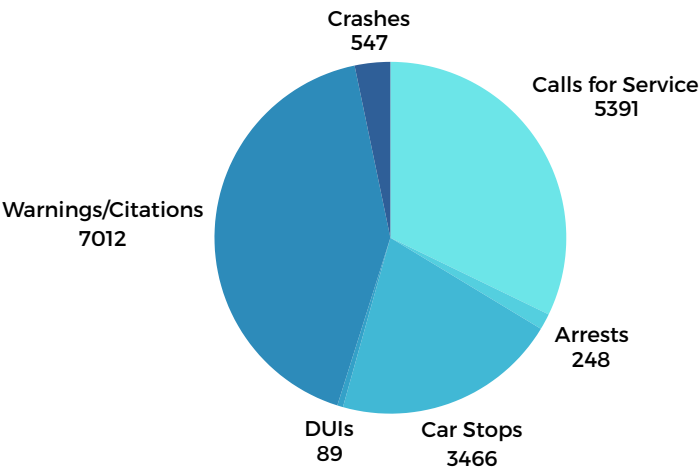


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## TRAFFIC UNIT

KCKPD's Traffic Support Unit (TSU) provides support for calls for service and community events; manages crash scenes; enforces seat belt compliance; speeding; towing of vehicles; DUI compliance; and participates in selective enforcement campaigns. The Unit is comprised of two sergeants , 7 patrol officers, and 1 officer specifically assigned to DUI enforcement.

## Traffic Unit Statistics



### Kansas Special Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) Grant

#### CLICK IT OR TICKET

Enforcement Stops: 420  
Enforcement Citations/Arrests: 667  
5 DUI arrests  
Enforcement Hours: 228

#### YOU DRINK, YOU DRIVE, YOU LOSE

Enforcement Stops: 385  
Enforcement Citations/Arrests: 630  
19 DUI arrests  
Enforcement Hours: 287

#### THANKSGIVING SAFE ARRIVALS

Enforcement Stops: 239  
Enforcement Citations/Arrests: 348  
6 DUI arrests  
Enforcement Hours: 149

#### AGGRESSIVE DRIVING CAMPAIGN

Enforcement Stops: 299  
Citations/Arrests: 414  
Enforcement Hours: 142

#### TAKING DOWN DUIS

Enforcement Stops: 136  
Citations/Arrests: 199  
4 DUI arrests  
Enforcement Hours: 98.5



### 2023 Specialized Trainings

#### KCKPD POLICE ACADEMY

Traffic Officers assisted Academy Staff with the training of new recruits on traffic stops, accident reporting, and traffic laws.

#### MOTORCYCLE OFFICER SCHOOL

KCKPD hosted training for agencies outside the Metro.

#### IMPAIRED DRIVING CONFERENCE

Drug Recognition Expert(DRE) Officers attended Impaired Driving Conference as ongoing education for certification.

#### DRE TRAINING

One officer attended all courses required for DRE certification.

#### SOBRIETY CHECKLANE SUPERVISOR COURSE

All TSU officers and supervisors attended in preparation for conducting DUI checkpoints.



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## CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAM

Call outs - 257  
Collaboration - 351  
Repeat Contacts - 510  
Telephone Contacts - 951  
Self-Initiated - 1,111  
Outreach Attempts - 92  
Hospital Admissions - 168  
Jail Bookings - 5  
Diversions from Jail - 25  
Diversions from E.R. - 29

CIT officers & co-responders work with individuals in our city that are experiencing a mental health crisis or need assistance accessing mental health services.

In 2023 CIT implemented a second full time co-responder position. Along with this addition, a new training program was implemented for co-responder training. CIT now supports the City with staffing from 9 AM - 10 PM.

CIT hosted a 40-hour CIT training course and anticipates continuing to host a basic class in the Spring and offering an advanced class in the Fall of 2024. The team also attended the International CIT Conference in Detroit.

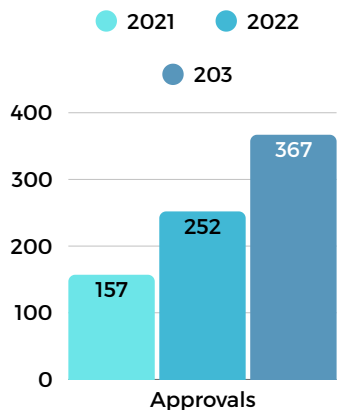
## COMMUNITY-BASED INITIATIVES

**Homeless Outreach** - Officers continue to perform Weekly Outreach to the unhoused of the community and provide resources through partners such as Frank Williams, Crosslines Community Outreach, Catholic Charities, Helping Hands Center of Hope, WYCO Care Connect, 3 Oaks Hospice, and Housing Authority. This year they created and distributed over 600 brochures outlines services serving the homeless population; assisted in camp clean-ups; and promoting the KCKPD ID Program.

**City ID Program** - Community Policing continues to issue id cards to residents who have been unable to obtain a state-issued identification card due to the loss of necessary personal documents.

This year 367 City IDs were issued with a verification rate of 95.6%. Additionally 322 individuals were able to then obtain a state ID card.

The primary reason applications were denied were officers were unable to verify information that was provided by the applicants



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**Christmas Program** - In 2023, the Community Policing Unit successfully raised over \$27,000 for the Christmas program, enabling them to support and adopt 58 families. These families included a total of 176 children who received Christmas gifts through the program.

**Summer Cadet Program** - The 2023 Summer Cadet Program provided employment for eight young adults from our community. Throughout this program, the Cadets explored various career paths within the UG and other organizations, including BSNF and volunteer opportunities.

**National Child Safety Council Program (NCSC)** - By collaborating with the NCSC, the department may now accept donations from local businesses. These contributions are used to purchase items for distribution at events, such as bracelets, pencils, and more. In 2023, the program successfully raised over \$8,500.

**School Resource Officers (SROs)**- In addition to the SRO's at Turner, Bishop Ward and Piper High Schools, an additional position was added for the Kansas School for the Blind, located at 1100 State Ave.

## Various Youth Initiatives

- Bike to School Events
- Quindaro Elementary Build-a-Bike
- Lunch with a Cop at Stony Point Elementary
- Junior Achievement
- Lead to Read with USD 500
- Dangers of Vaping Awareness Presentations

## POLICE ATHLETIC LEAGUE (PAL)



### 2023 PAL by the Numbers

1,200 youth attended some type of PAL programming  
807 youth visited the PAL for a total of  
34, 928 attendance hours

### Programs Offered

Air Rifle/Archery - Art - Computers - Driver's Education  
Fitness/Boxing - Fishing/Hunting - Gardening/Nutrition  
Low Rider Club - Weight Lifting

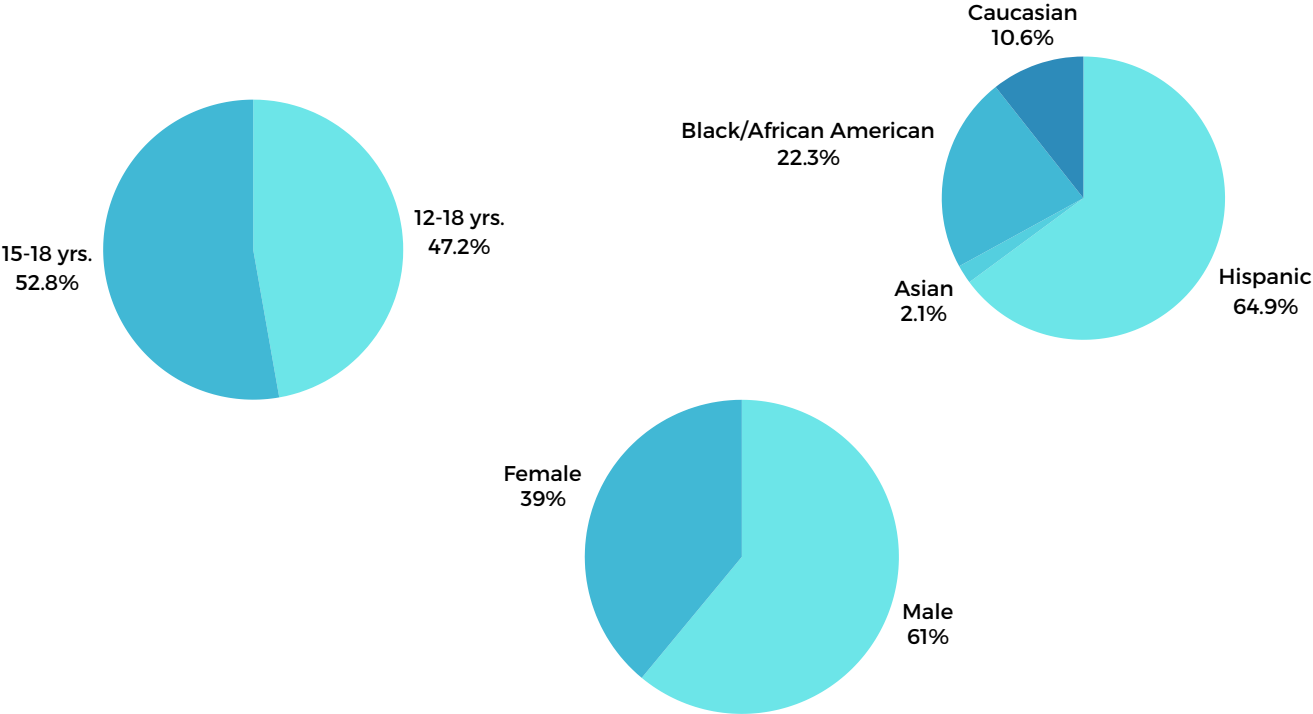


Across the country, Police Athletic Leagues work to foster strong relationships between police and the communities they serve through engagement with young people. Here in Kansas City, Kansas, the PAL, located at 5th & Elizabeth on historic Strawberry Hill, is one of the strongest in the nation.

PAL KCK is an initiative of the Kansas City, Kansas Police Department, and operates as a privately funded 501c3 organization. It is managed by an independent not-for-profit board and in addition to professional staff, three KCKPD Community Policing Officers work at the PAL full-time.

# Patrol/Operations Bureau

## Demographics of Youth Attending PAL



## 2023 Highlights

### Garden and Art Program

The PAL garden manager works five to six days per week during the growing season and teaches cooking classes for PAL kids in the off season using the fresh produce they grow to prepare healthy meals. The PAL art instructor teaches three classes each week, providing our kids with a creative outlet. Our art program continues to be one of our best attended classes.

### Driver's Education

More than 100 students successfully completed the PAL Kansas Driver's Education course, earning their Kansas learning permits and driver's licenses. Our police officer instructors also assisted them in navigating the licensure process, even taking them to the department of motor vehicles to complete their paperwork and testing. All of this is done at no cost to the youth; in lieu of payment, the students each perform 30 hours of documented community service. The program has received national attention as the only officer-instructed course of it's kind in the country.

The PAL also continues to provide support, space and equipment to other non-profits as a way of contributing further to our community at large. These include local groups from the Parkinson's Foundation, Golden Gloves and Special Olympics Kansas.

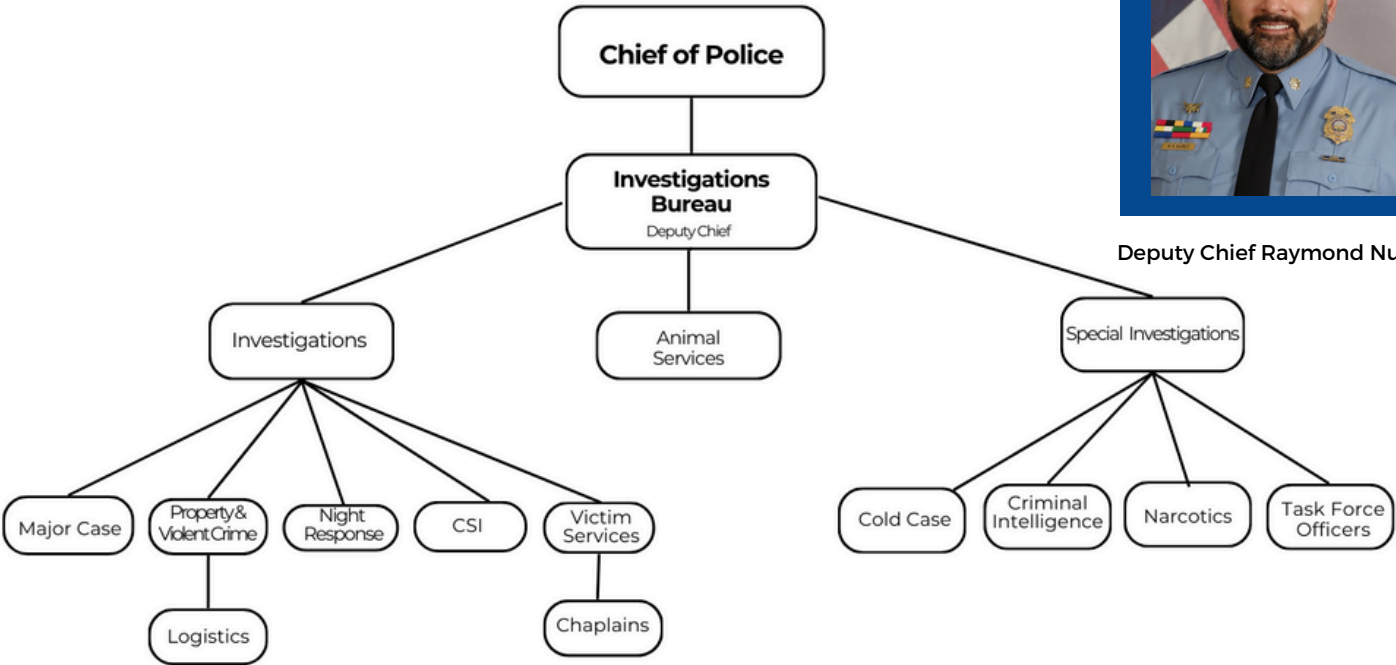


# Investigations Bureau

## 2023 ORGANIZATIONAL CHART Deputy Chief - Investigations



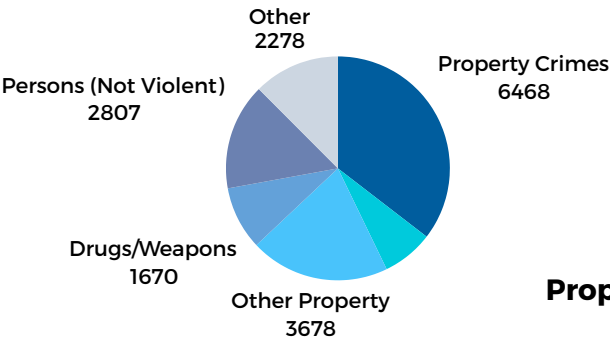
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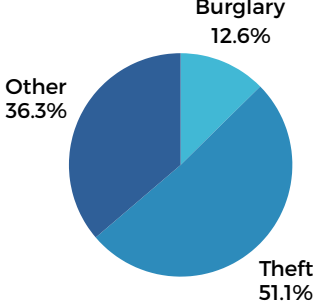
The KCKPD Criminal Investigations Bureau (CIB) is responsible for all investigations within the City of Kansas City, Kan. Their goal is to aggressively investigate crime in an effort to create an environment where all individuals feel safe to live, work and play.

The Bureau is comprised of 3 Divisions: Criminal Investigations Division (CID), Special Investigations Division (SID), and Animal Services Division (ASD). The Victim Services Unit and Police Chaplain Services are also operate within the Bureau. The commander is Lt. Col. Raymond Nuñez.

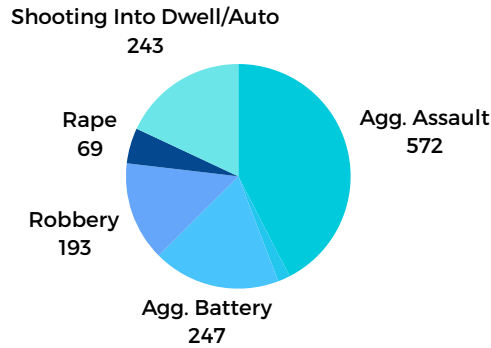
### Total Crimes: 17,982



### Property Crimes: 6,361



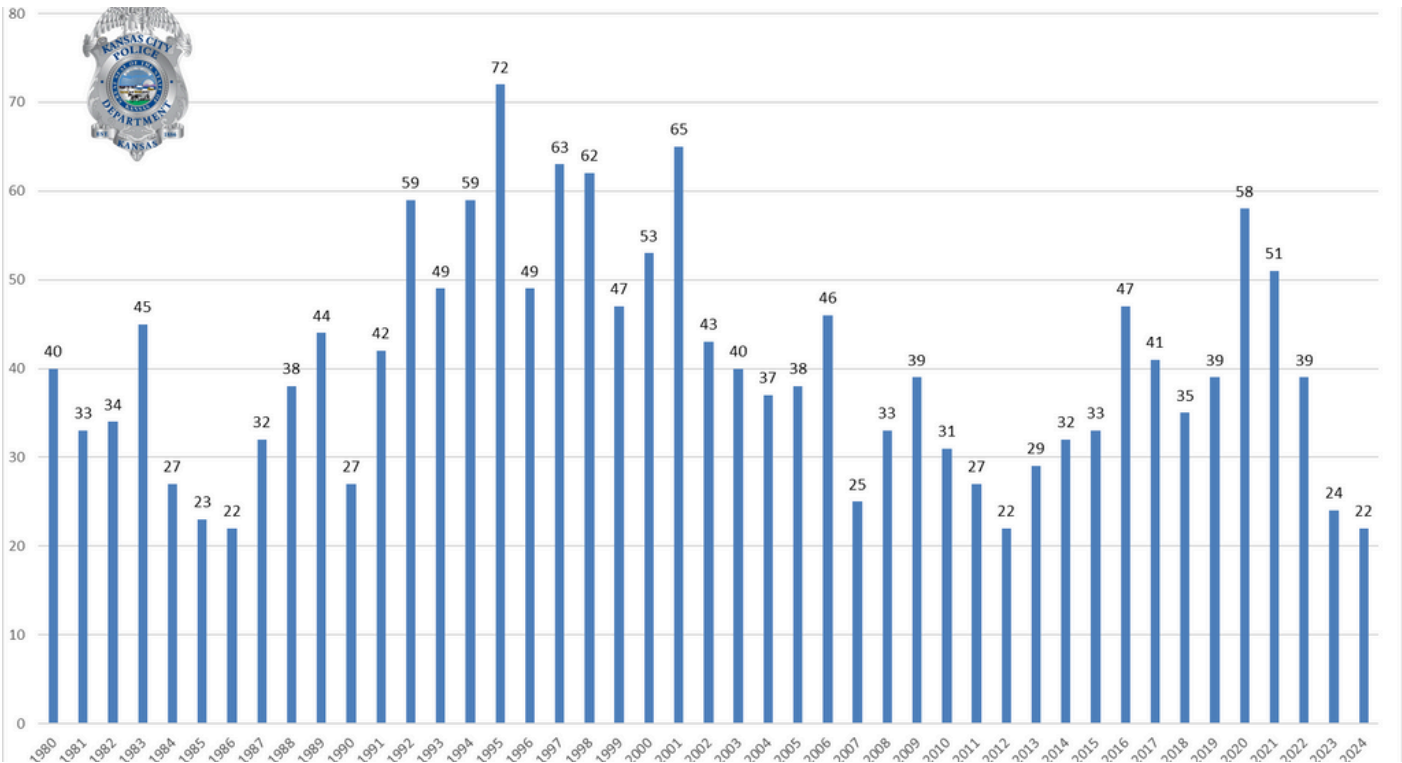
### Violent Crimes: 1,831



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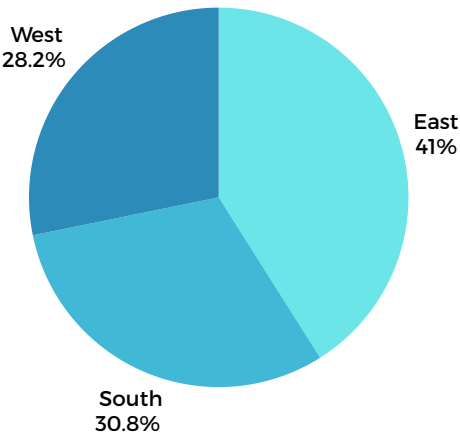
## MAJOR CASE/HOMICIDE

### Annual Homicide Totals 1980-2024



**Total Homicides:** 24 (decrease of 38% from 2022)

**Clearance Rate:** 79% (national rate is 52%)



### PAWN SHOP/TOW LOTS:

Pawn Shop Checks: 650

Tow Lot Visits: 170

Tow Release Recommendations: 431

Gun Validations: 776

Leads Online Checks: 520

Stolen Property Released to Victims: 47

### PERSONS/PROPERTY UNIT:

Cases assigned: 805

Cleared: 443

Inactivated: 185

### ROBBERY UNIT:

Cases assigned : 197

Cleared: 87

Inactivated: 78

Open: 32

# Investigations Bureau

## TRAFFIC/ANIMAL:

Felony DUI: 5 arrest affidavits submitted  
Hit and Run: 843  
Traffic Fatalities: 17 (16 crashes)  
Animal Cruelty: 6 cases investigated

## NIGHT RESPONSE UNIT:

Cases assigned: 734  
Case clearance rate: 79%  
Inactivated: 149  
Cases charged: 418 (56%)

## CSI/LOGISTICS UNIT:

Evidence Received: 20827  
Found Property Received: 4878  
Items Released: 3239  
Items Destroyed: 19151  
Firearms Received: 769  
Firearms returned to owners: 147  
Firearms Released: 622  
Crime scenes processed: 1098  
Firearms processed for NIBN: 523  
(National Integrated Ballistic  
Information Network)



## SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS

Includes: Child Abuse, Adult Sex Crimes, Missing Persons/Runaway/Elder Abuse and Cold Case

### Child Abuse

Cases assigned: 327  
Cases Cleared: 142  
Open Cases: 64  
Inactivated: 105  
Unfounded: 16

### Adult Sex Crimes

Cases assigned: 102  
Cases Cleared: 24  
Open Cases: 17  
Inactivated: 52  
Unfounded: 3

### Missing Persons

Cases assigned: 310  
Cases Cleared: 276  
Open Cases: 18  
Inactivated: 15  
Unfounded: 1

### Cold Case Unit

Launched in January of 2022, the unit, comprised of a captain and three detectives. The Unit has implemented a Metro Area meeting that includes investigators, prosecutors and CSI technicians. This group meets quarterly and works together to help investigate and provide assistance to other agencies. and has established relationships that have aided our department with free DNA testing of multiple items.

### Cold Case

Cases worked: 32  
Cases charged: 3  
Cases cleared: 3



# Investigations Bureau

## VIOLENT CRIME TASK FORCE

These stats are for all of VCTF. The 346 arrests are for self-initiated cases and do not include arrests made by patrol on 48 hour holds. Narcotics filed 400 affidavits for case charging (self-initiated and 48 hour holds from patrol).

This was the activity by VCTF. The total number of search warrants include homes, vehicles, and cell phones. The majority of search warrant assists are from processing cell phones and computers for other agencies on their search warrants. We assisted 11 outside agencies with cell phone extractions.

Activity	
SW Assist	168
SW Obtained	291
Outside Agency Assist	118
Buys	163
Attempted Buys	59
Phone Extractions	327
Interviews	182

Drug / Money Seizures	
Marijuana (Pounds)	476
Cocaine (Pounds)	169
THC Vapes	2188
Heroin (Pounds)	4
Meth (Pounds)	370
Powder Fentanyl (Pounds)	50
Pills	382,178
Mushrooms	107

	2023 YTD
Arrest	346
Misd. Warrant	3
Felony Warrant	171
New Misd.	7
New Felony	37
Narcotics	96
Weapon Viol	32

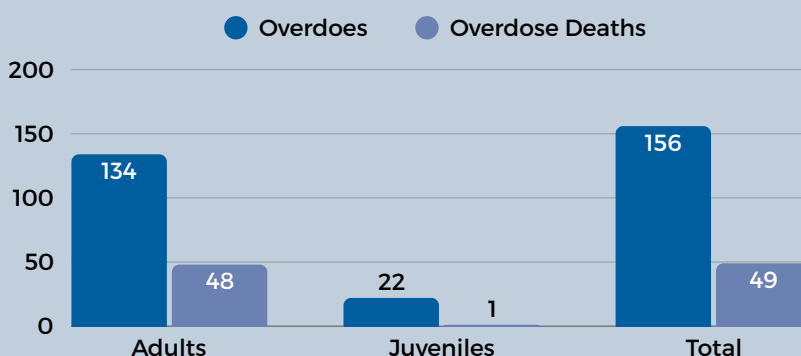
Property Seizures	
Cash	\$707,795.00
Cars	15
Motorcycle	1

Weapon Seizures	
Handguns	275
Shotguns	3
Rifles	52

## KCKPD Response to Fentanyl Epidemic

KCKPD has implemented a three pronged approach of education, investigation, and enforcement to combat the nationwide fentanyl epidemic. In 2023 KCKPD seized: **382,178 fentanyl laced pills** and **50 lbs. of powder fentanyl**, which is equal to **8,893,960 lethal doses**.

The unit continues to drive home messaging to the public, in particular, young people, about the dangers of fentanyl and the importance of immediate medical intervention (administering Narcan and calling 911) if faced with a fentanyl overdose. In 2023 the captain of the Narcotics Unit made 53 presentations to school and community groups. Additionally, thanks to a grant from the Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program, KCKPD produced a 60-second educational PSA targeting teens that was promoted via social media and our partners.

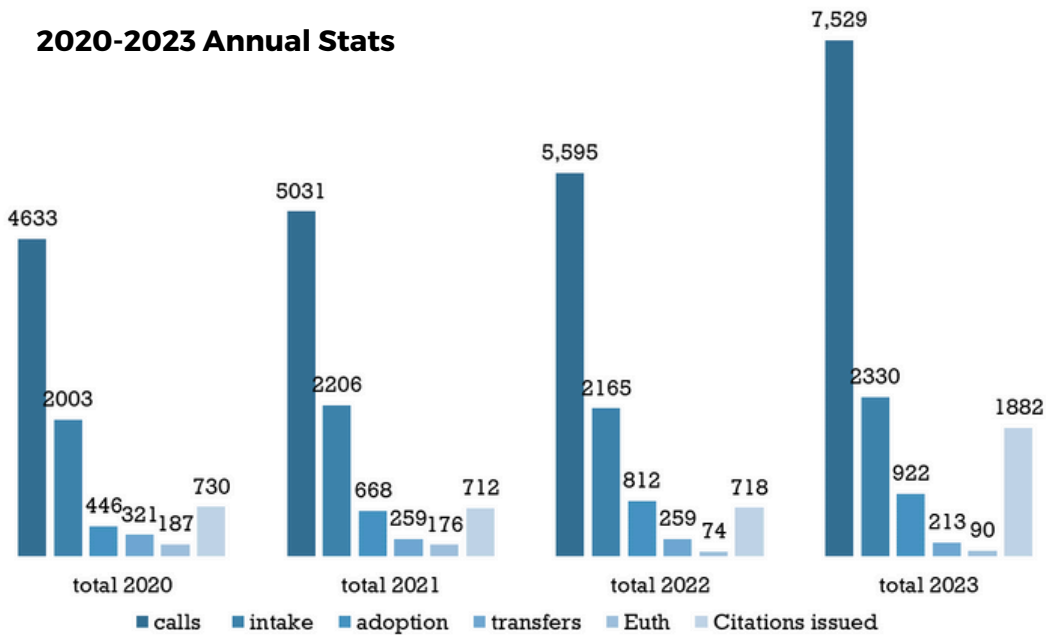


Total overdoses: 205  
Fatality Percentage: 31.4%

# Investigations Bureau

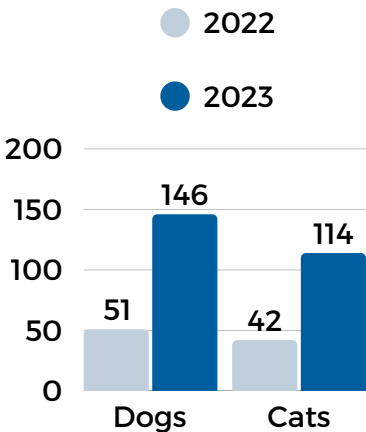
## ANIMAL SERVICES UNIT

2020-2023 Annual Stats



### Foster Program

To help address the overwhelming need to intake stray animals from our community, KCKAS established a foster program. When an animal goes to foster, it opens up a kennel in our shelter, allowing us to care for another pet in need. With support from the volunteer-based, Friends of Kansas City, Kansas Animal Services, it has also proven to get dogs adopted 50+% more quickly than residing in the shelter environment.



### Veternary Care & Community Outreach

In 2023 a new partnership was formed with Pet Resource Center, Kansas State University Veterinary Medicine School, Mission Veterinary Emergency & Specialty and Great Plains SPCA to provide veterinary services at the shelter. This new partnership is anticipated to save the shelter a significant amount of money which will be directed towards a community-driven, free spay/neuter program that will directly impact KCK’s animal over-population problem.

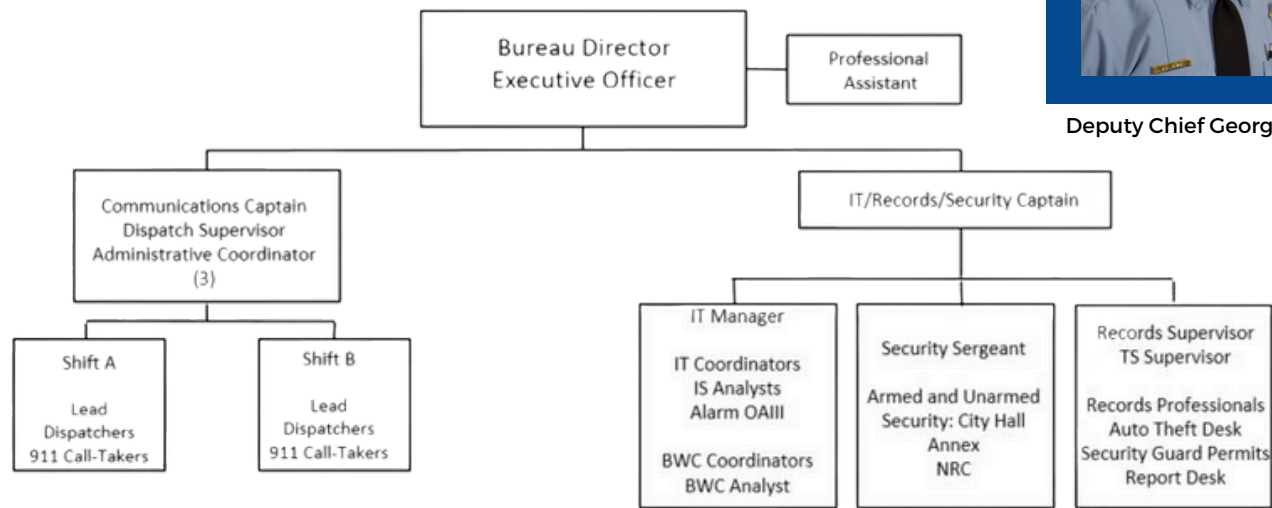
KCKAS also held its first Spay/Neuter Public Event for residents in 2023. A total of 24 dogs and 21 cats were spayed/neutered, vaccinated, microchipped, and licensed for free. Owners were brought into compliance with ordinances, effectively preventing thousands of unwanted pets from being born.

# Administrative Support

## 2023 ORGANIZATIONAL CHART Deputy Chief - Services



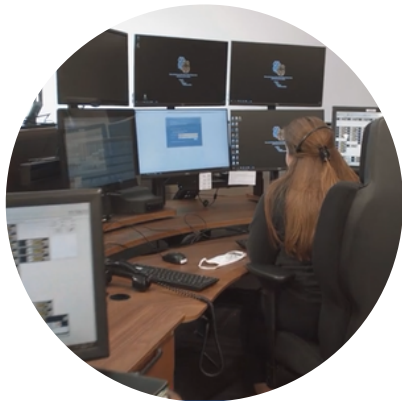
Deputy Chief George Sims



The Services Bureau maintains the "infrastructure" of the department, providing vital services within the department. These include communications/emergency dispatch, records, staff support and technology services. The commander of the Services Bureau is Lt. Col. George Sims.

### COMMUNICATIONS/DISPATCH

KCKPD Call Takers handle 911 including those for the Wyandotte County Sheriff's Office, Bonner Springs and Edwardsville Police Departments. For calls requiring fire and/or medical service are also answered and quickly connected to KCKFD dispatch.



#### 2023 Call Volume

357,248 Total Calls ➡ 979 calls per day

155,614 - 911 calls ➡ 426 calls per day

#### 911 Call Wait Time

99%+ are answered within 40 seconds

\*93.8% are answered within 15 seconds

\*exceeds national standard of 90%



# Administrative Support

## RECORDS UNIT

Records Unit personnel staff the walk-in lobby window at KCKPD Headquarters and the walk-in report desks at South and East Patrol. They handle all security guard permit applications; enter, remove, and validate stolen property in the national NCIC database; and submit KCKPD case and arrest information to the State of Kansas KBI Incident Reporting System.

- Entered 46,000 incident, accident, arrest and case reports into our system
- Launched Desk Officer Reporting System (DORS) that allows the public to directly enter their own reports for minor offenses, resulting in 107 reports being entered
- Processed 3000 accident reports
- Issued 804 security guard permits

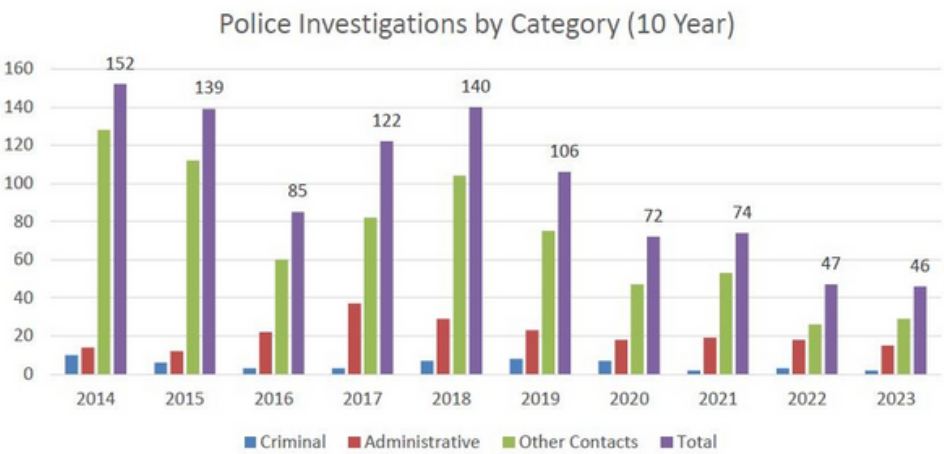
## INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY

Information and Technology touches all parts of the department. The types of available IT resources and the extent to which we rely them for emergency services, operations, investigations and administration is increasing every year. The Unit services the broad spectrum of tech resources that enable all PD units to provide the most efficient and effective service possible.

- Multiple steps completed to enhance cyber security posture
- Provided technical training to sworn and professional staff
- Improvements made to report writing logic and forms
- Over 2,000 service requests were processed
- Managed operation of LPRs (License Plate Readers) and traffic camera and their transitioning to fiber optics
- Replaced all patrol computers and body cameras
- Maintained registry of over 4,000 alarm registrants and monitored false alarms
- Deployed CAD/Mobile system to Edwardsville Police Department

INTERNAL AFFAIRS

The mission of the Internal Affairs Unit is to protect the public, the employee, and the Department through fair, thorough, and impartial investigations of alleged misconduct. The KCKPD Internal Affairs Unit reviews and investigates complaints regarding its employees as well as employees of the Unified Government. The statistics shared in this report relate only to the Kansas City, Kansas Police Department.

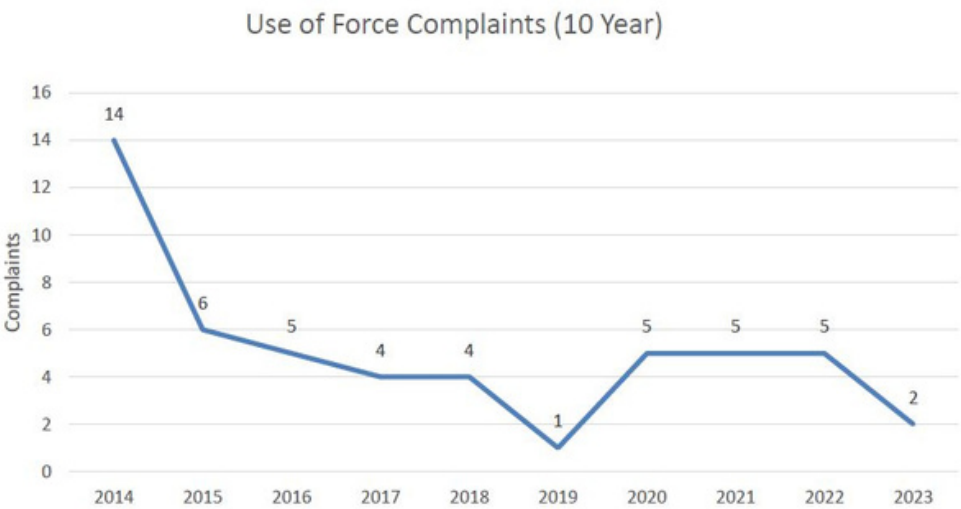


128,499  
Incidents/  
Calls for Service

46 Complaints  
Filed

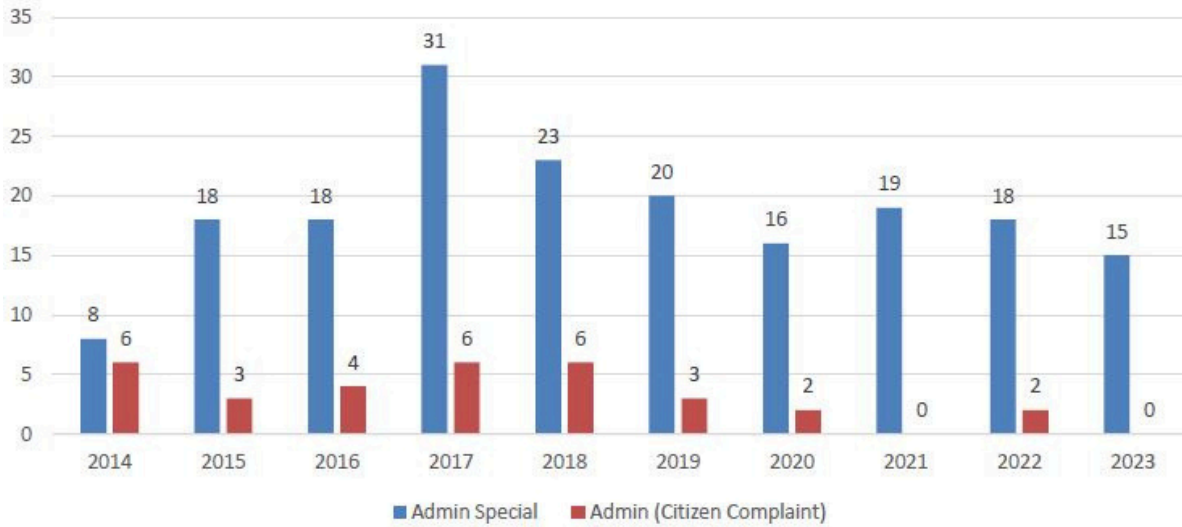
1 complaint  
for every  
2,783  
Calls for Service

To put the number of complaints into perspective, in 2023 there were 128,499 incidents (calls for service) involving Kansas City, Kansas Police Department (KCKPD) personnel. Using that figure comparing it to the total number of complaints (46 for KCK), there was one complaint made for every 2,793 incidents.



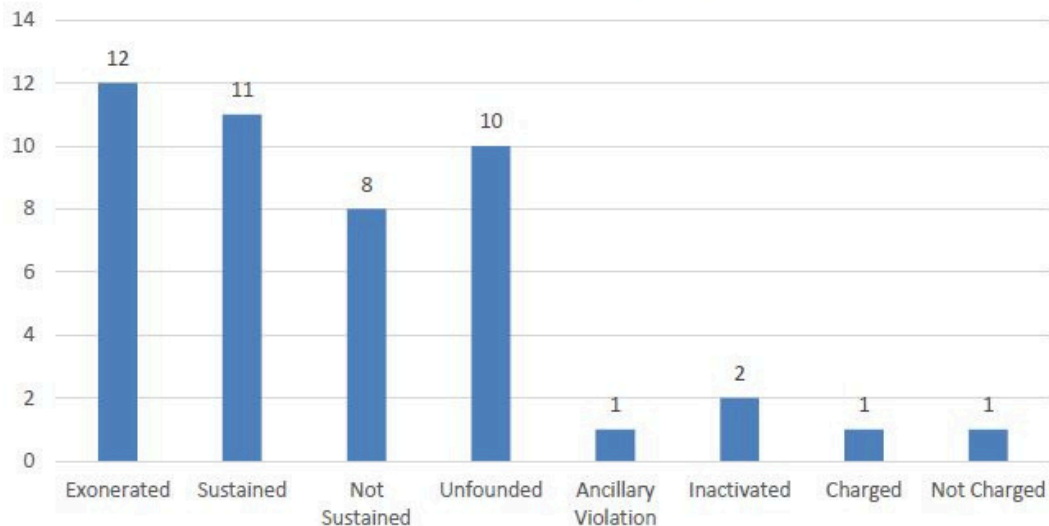
Over the past 10 years, the number of use of force incidents (one incident can involve multiple officers) has fluctuated between 182 and 266. Two use of force complaints were filed in 2023.

Total Number of Admin./Admin. Special Complaints (10 Year)



The number of administrative complaints has remained fairly consistent over the past ten years due in part to the increased the use of administrative special investigations over the same time period. When allegations of possible misconduct are presented, the Chief of Police initiates an investigation to determine if officers are meeting the expectations of the Department. The trend line for the past four years has decreased with 2017 (31 administrative special complaints) being the highest in the ten-year period. There were no administrative complaints in 2023.

2023 Investigation Dispositions



There were 46 internal investigations performed by Internal Affairs in 2023. More than half, 29, of those investigations were based on complaints which originated from outside of the Department. Two of 46 investigations were reported as criminal in nature. One of the criminal cases was declined by the Wyandotte County District Attorney's Office.



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