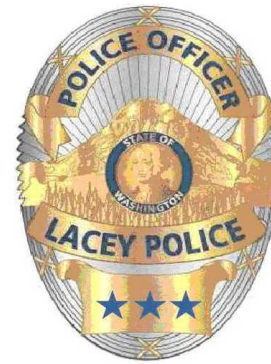


Memo



Date: January 13, 2022

To: Chief Robert Almada

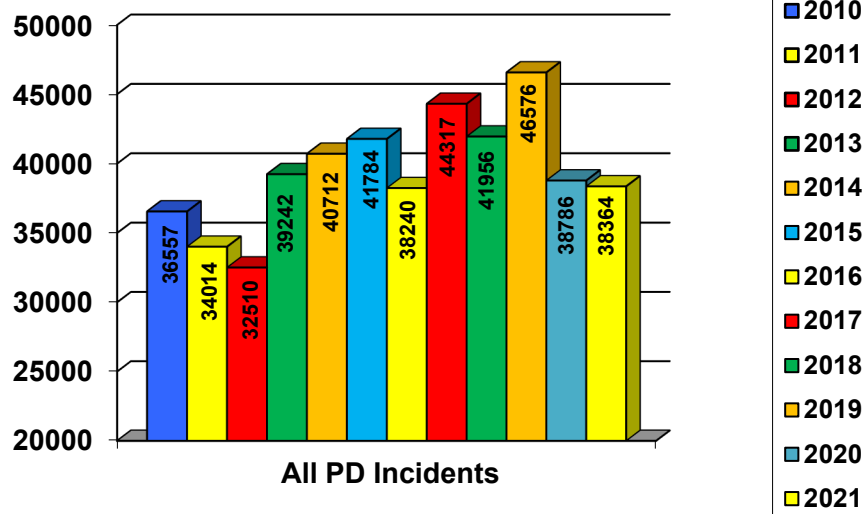
CC: Deputy Chief Robert Hollis
Commander Jim Mack
Management Analyst Chris Woodside

From: Commander Joe Upton

Subject: 2021 Statistics and Year End Summary

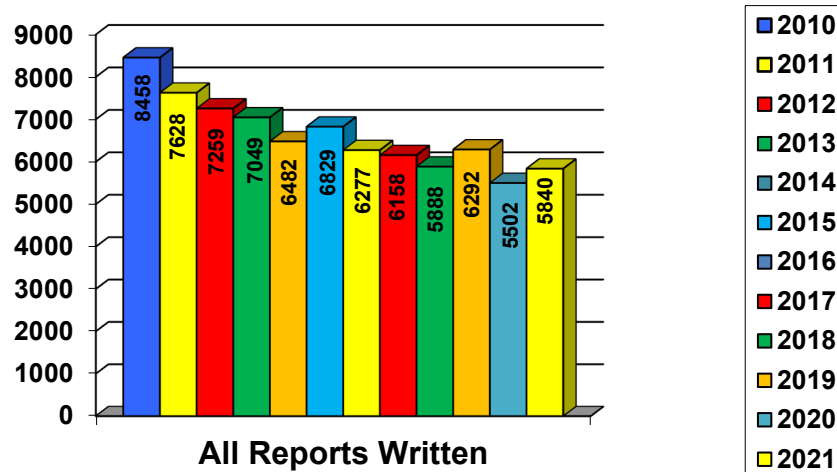
The 2021 statistics for the Lacey Police Department are as follows:

All Lacey PD Incidents: 38,364 in 2021. (-1.1%)



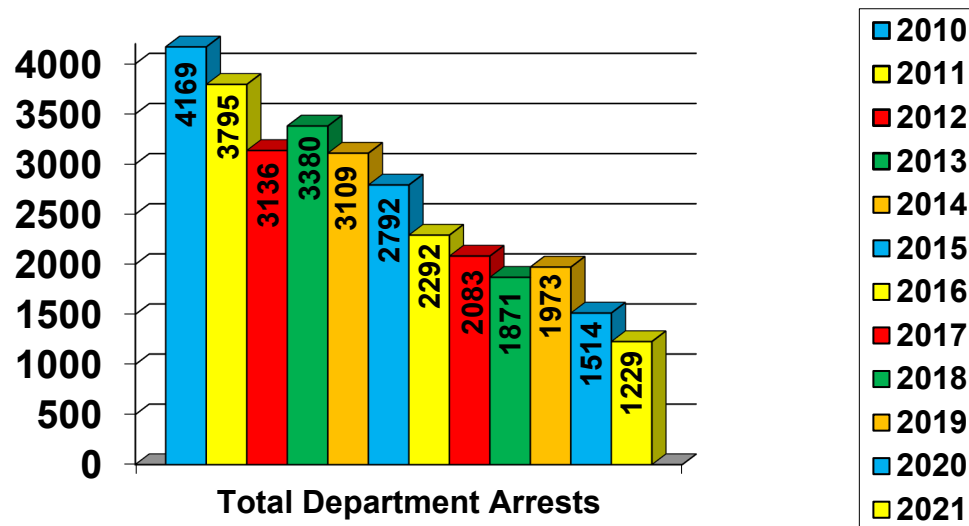
38,786 in 2020. 38,364 in 2021 is a decrease of 422 or -1.1%

Police Reports Written in 2021: 5,840 (+6.1%)

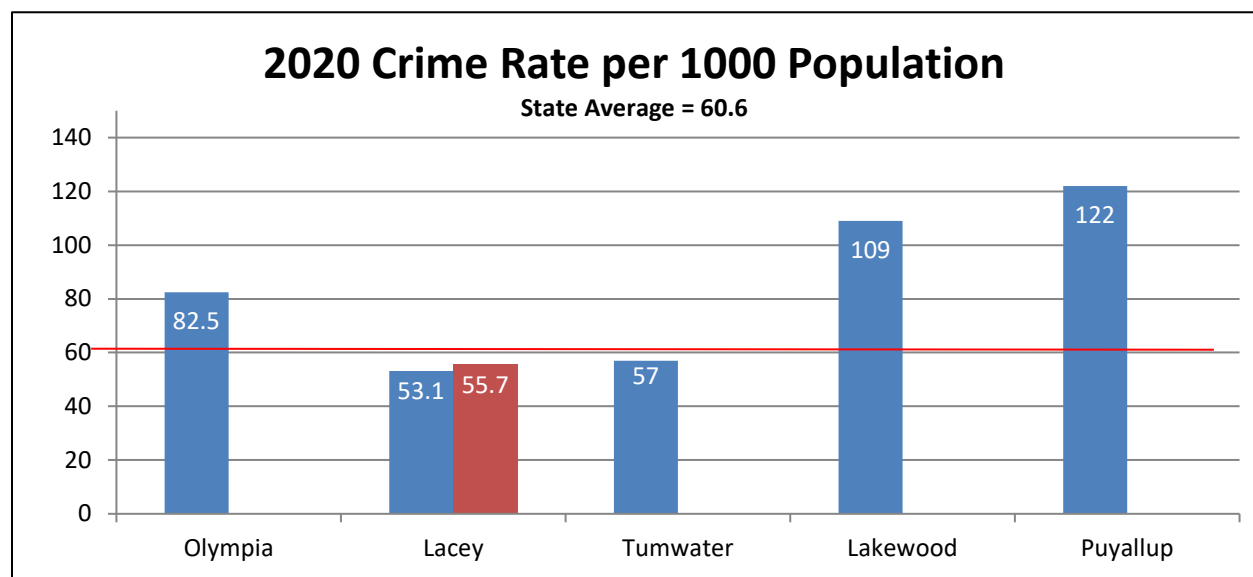


5,502 in 2020. 5,840 in 2021 is an increase of 338 or +6.1%

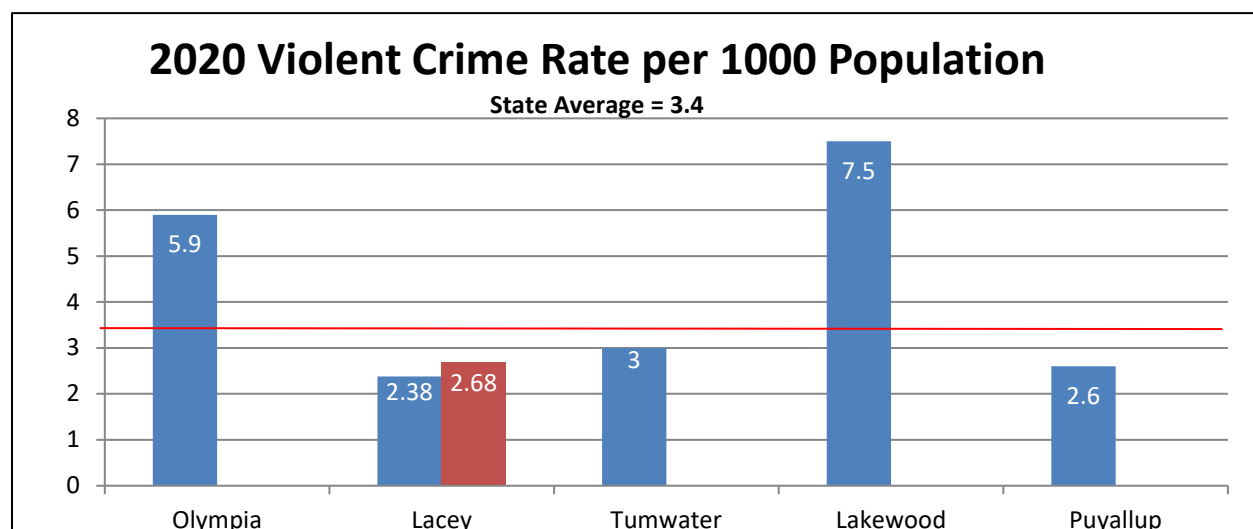
Arrests: 1,229 total Police Department arrests in 2021. (-18.8%)



1,514 in 2020. 1,229 in 2021 is a decrease of 285 or -18.8%.

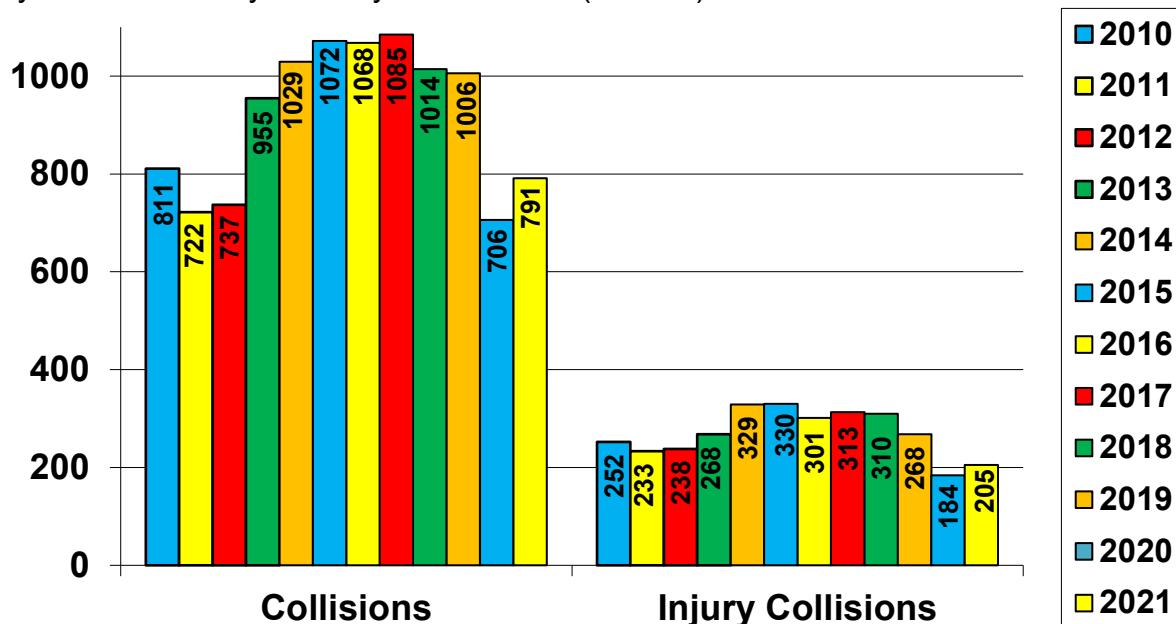


*Preliminary 2021 Crime Rate = 55.7 (+4.9%)



*Preliminary 2021 Violent Crime Rate = 2.68 (+12.6%)

All Collisions in the City of Lacey: 791 in 2021. (+12%)
 Injury Collisions in City of Lacey: 205 in 2021. (+11.4%)

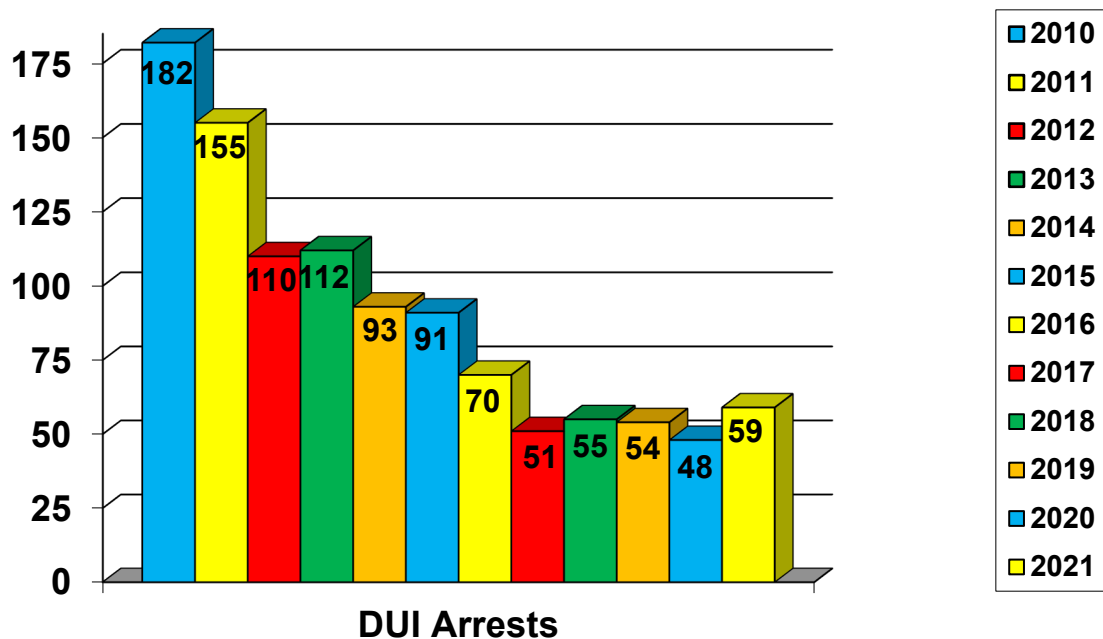


706 collisions in 2020. 791 in 2021 is 85 more or +12%.

184 injury collisions in 2020. 205 in 2021 is 21 more or +11.4%.

*Note: COVID-19 restrictions impacted vehicle travel in 2020 and 2021 resulting in lower overall numbers.

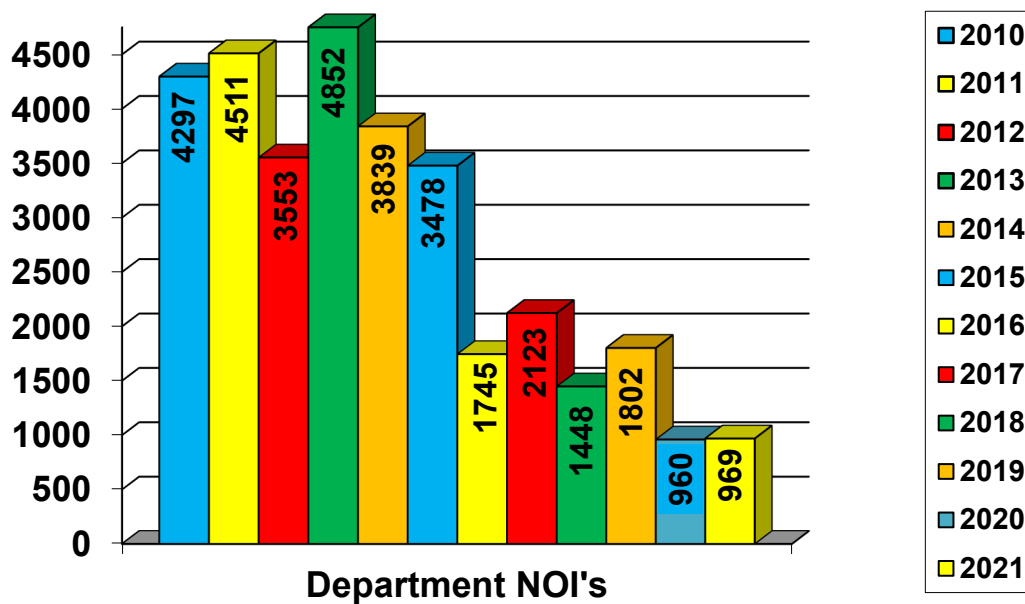
DUI Arrests: 59 in 2021. (+22.9%)



48 in 2020. 59 in 2021 is 11 more or +22.9%.

*Note: 2021 Legislative changes not allowing arrests for possession of narcotics as previously had been the case may have a causal relationship with the increased DUI numbers.

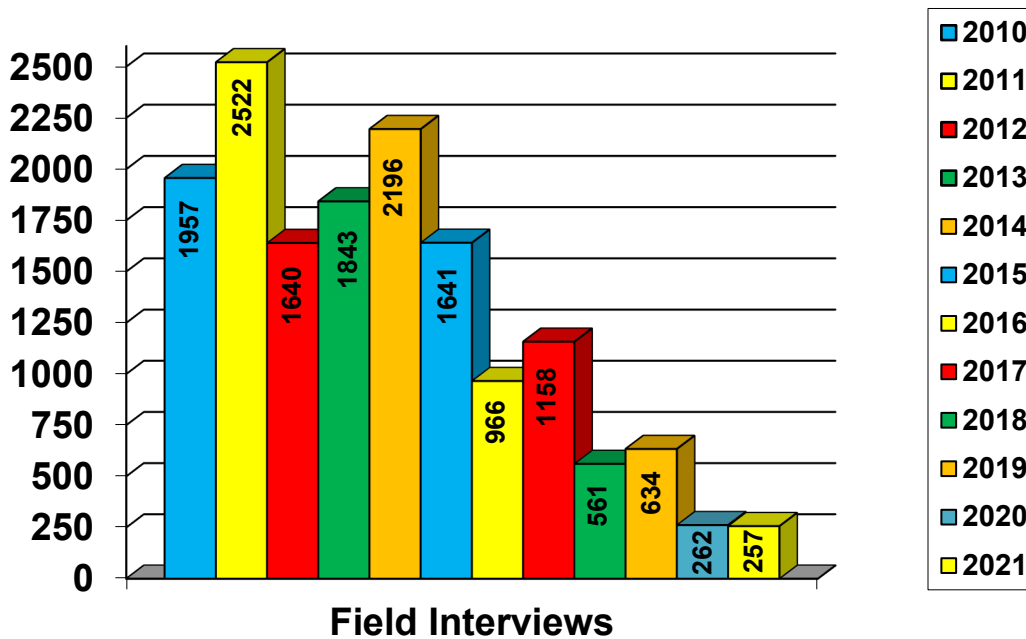
Police Department NOI's: 969 tickets issued during 2021. (+0.9%)



960 tickets in 2020. 969 in 2021 is 9 more or +0.9%.

*Note: One of the two Traffic Officer positions was filled in July of 2021.

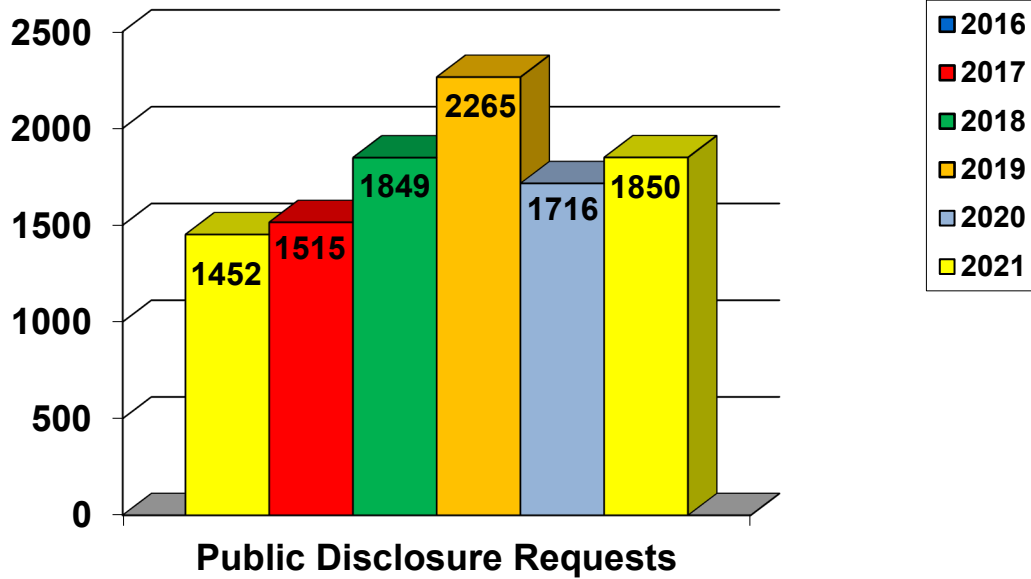
Field Interviews: 257 in 2021. (-1.9%)



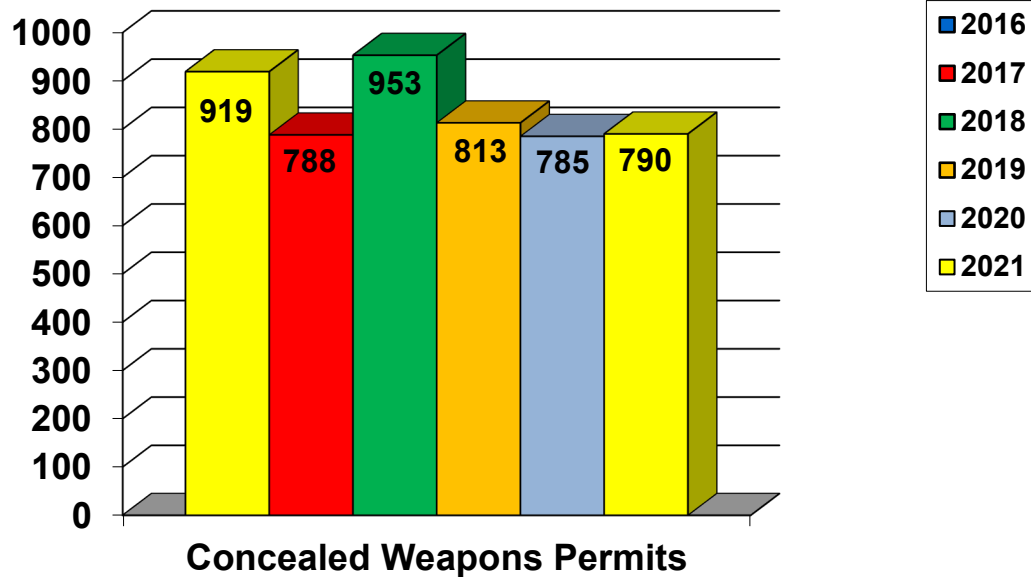
262 in 2020. 257 in 2021 is 5 less or -1.9%.

*Note: Legislation became effective July 25, 2021 impacting field interviews.

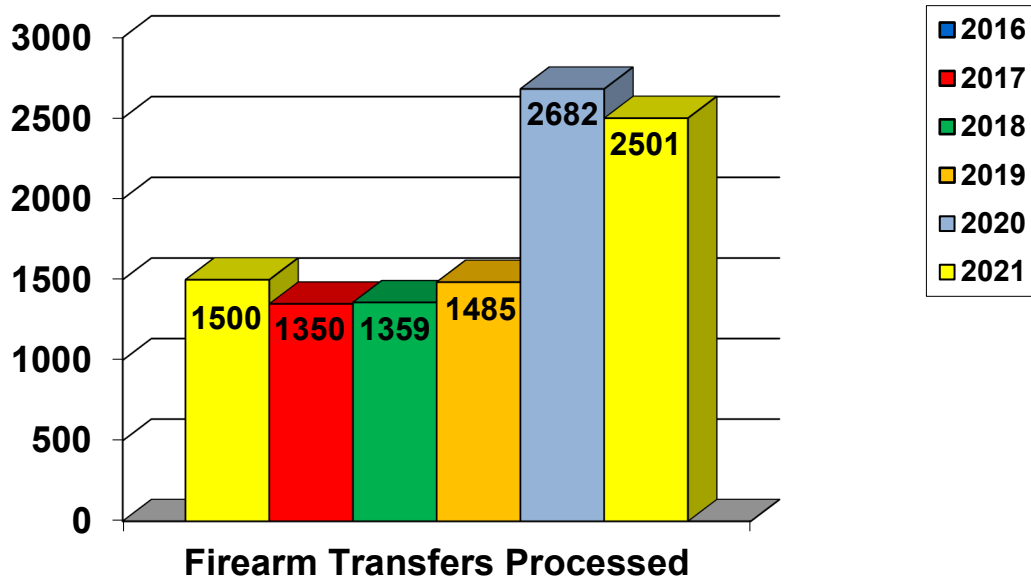
Public Disclosure Requests: 1,850 in 2021. (+7.8%)



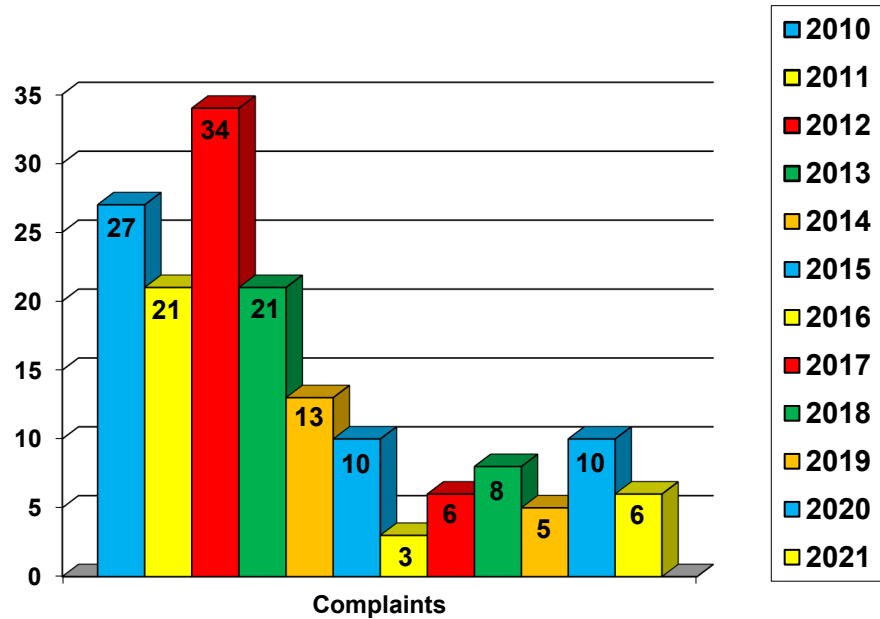
Concealed Weapons Permits: 790 in 2021. (+.1%)



Firearm Transfers Processed: 2,501 in 2021. (-6.7%)



6 Complaints were filed with the Police Department against employees in 2021.

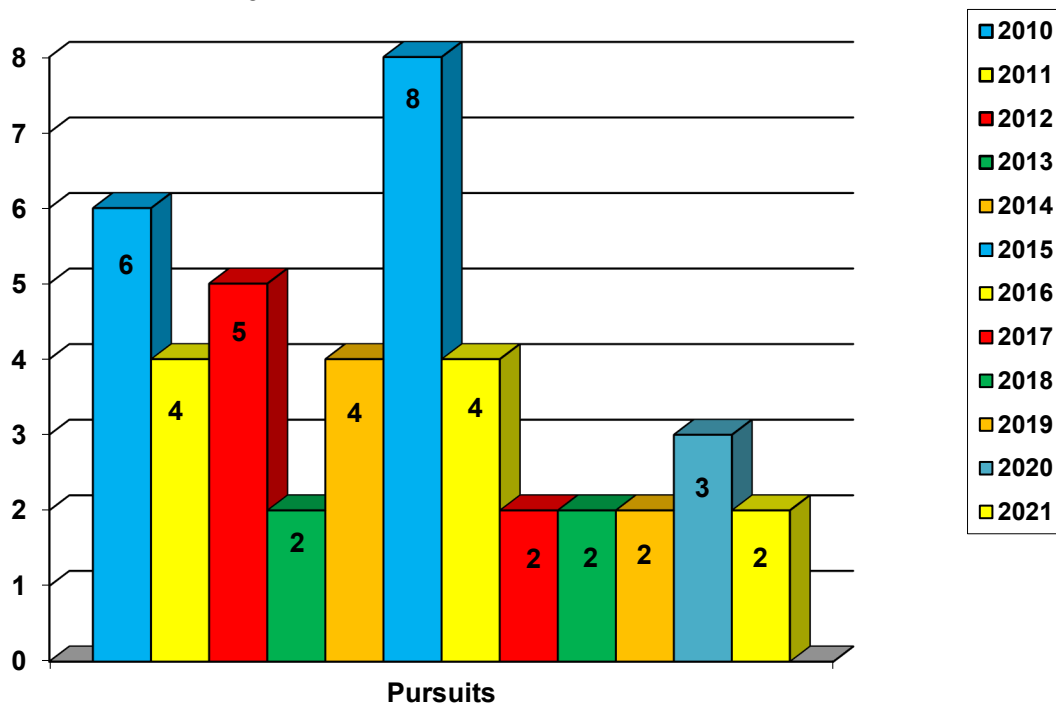


6 formal and 0 informal complaints were received in 2021. The ten year average for complaints is 14.8.

Of the 6 complaints, 3 were unfounded, 1 was sustained, and 2 are currently still under investigation.

Of the 6 complaints, 3 were courtesy related, 2 involved use of force, and 1 was an alleged policy violation.

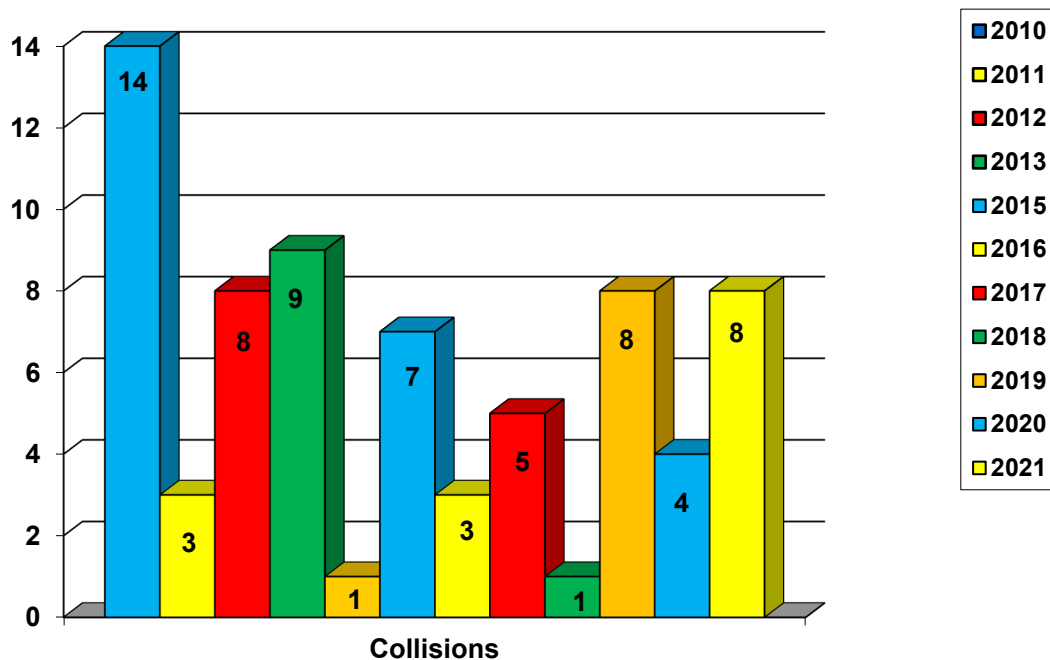
2 Pursuits occurred in 2021.



*Note: Legislation became effective July 25, 2021 impacting pursuits.

Reason for Pursuit	Review Findings
Reckless Driving	In Policy. Terminated by Officer. (Pre-2021 Legislation)
Stolen Vehicle	In Policy. (Pre-2021 Legislation)

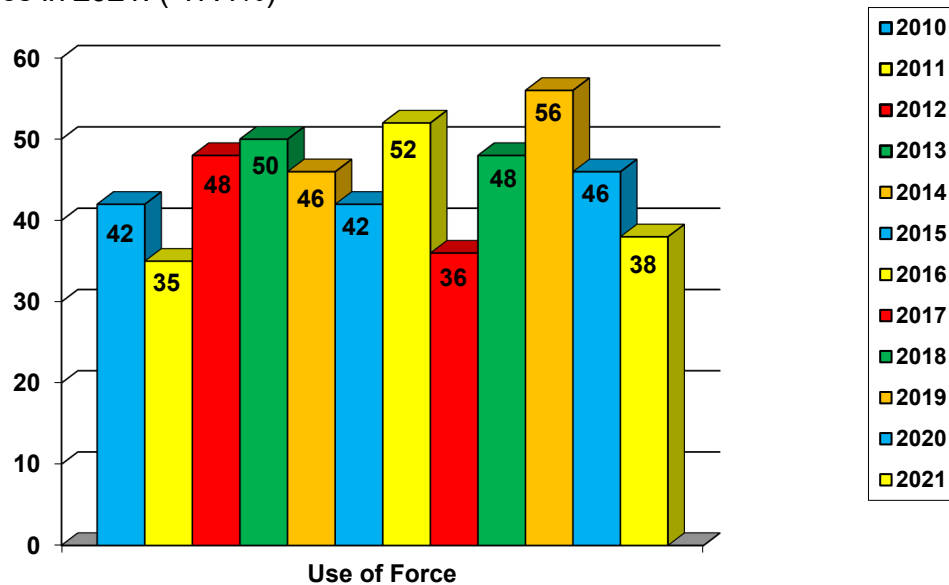
8 Police Vehicle Collisions occurred in 2021.



2021 Police Vehicle Collisions	
	Officer failed to yield at a parking lot intersection. Preventable.
	Citizen struck an Officer's parked vehicle. Not Preventable.
	Citizen struck an Officer's parked vehicle. Not Preventable.
	Citizen made an illegal lane change into the Officer's lane of travel. Not Preventable.
	Citizen rear-ended an Officer's vehicle who was stopped for traffic. Not Preventable.
	Officer struck a deer in the roadway. Not Preventable.
	Officer backed into a bollard in a parking lot. (under review)
	Officer struck an object. (under review)

Police vehicle collisions show a need for increased awareness and defensive driving skills.

38 Uses of Force in 2021. (-17.4%)



46 reportable use of force incidents occurred in 2020. 38 in 2021 is 8 less or -17.4%

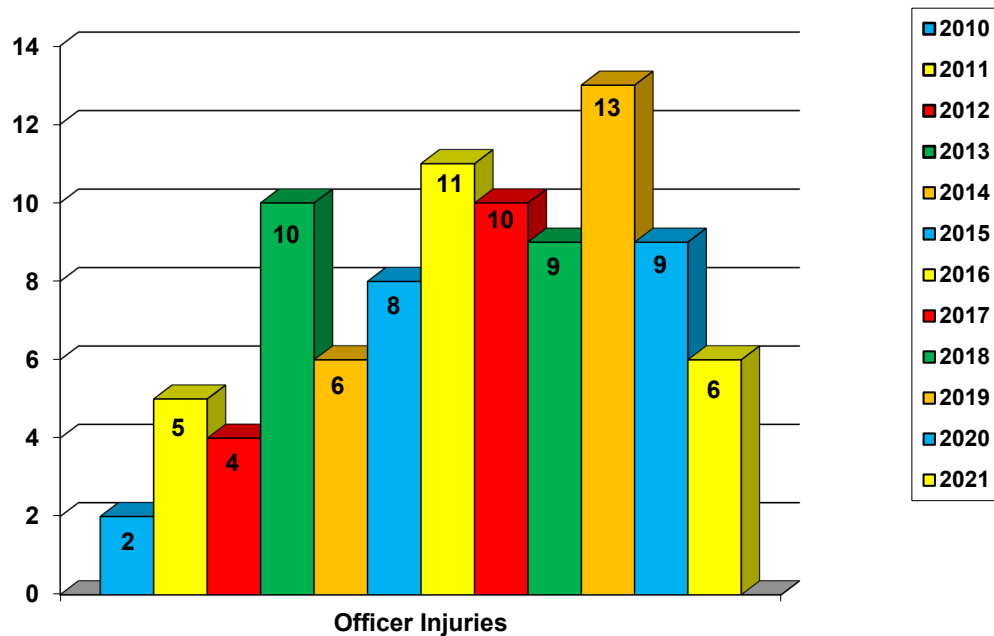
It is recommended C/DT instruction address dealing with persons under the influence of drugs as 13 of the 38 uses of force (34%) involved a person under the influence of alcohol or drugs. Also Taser application had a 60% success rate (3 of 5) in 2021, which should be communicated during training so back-up planning by officers occurs when Tasers are deployed.

Use of Force Breakdown during 2021:

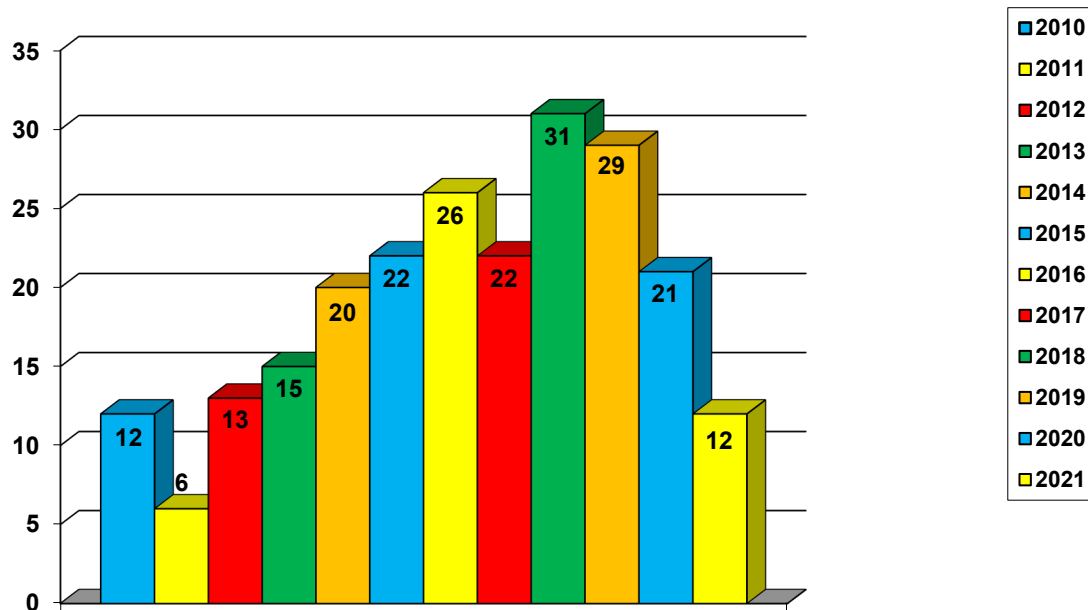
Physical Restraint (The WRAP)	11
Push or Shove	1
Goosenecks (+ other wrist-locks)	6
Takedown to ground - physical force	6
Hair Hold	2
Tackle	0
Arm Bar/Cross Face/Leg Sweep Takedowns	1
Dog Bites	0
PIT Maneuver above 35mph	0
OC-10	0
Taser Applications (Touch tase)	0
Taser Applications (Air Cartridge)	5
Punches - Kicks	4
Impact Weapons (Baton, etc.)	0
Extended Range Impact Weapons	2
Firearms (on-target)	0
Firearms (intentional discharge)	0

Total: 38

In 2021, out of the 38 uses of force 6 officers (15.8%) received minor injuries. (-33%)



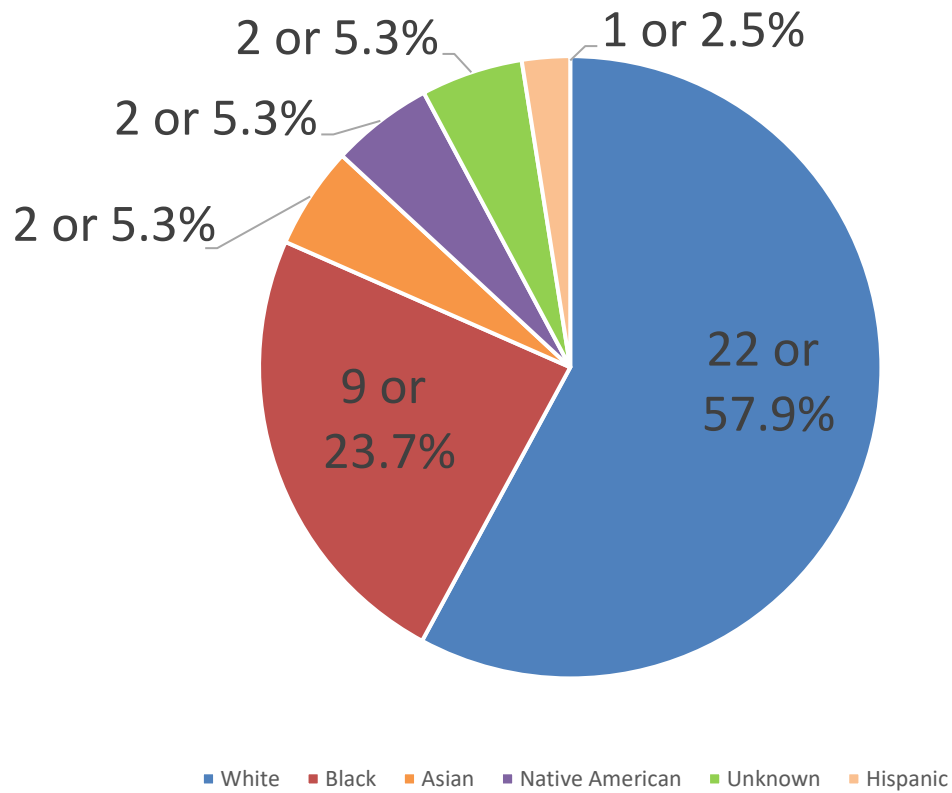
In 2021, out of the 38 uses of force 12 suspects (31.6%) received injuries. (-42.8%)



Suspect injuries decreased by 42.8% even though there is a continued emphasis on reporting all uses of force, no matter how slight an injury or suspected injury. All suspect injuries were minor (bruise, scratch, Taser probe puncture, or complaint of pain) and none required hospitalization.

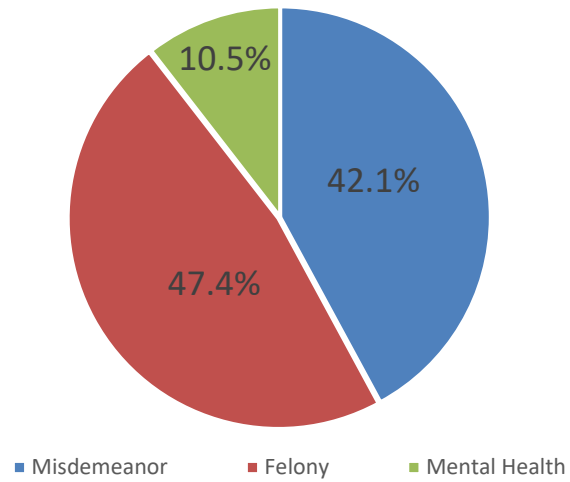
Type of Force Used	Total	Injury to Officer	Injury to Suspect	Mental?	Drugs?	Race of Suspect
Physical Restraint (The WRAP)	11	2	0	4	4	7 White 3 Black 1 Hispanic
Push or Shove	1	0	1	0	0	1 White
Gooseneck or other wrist-locks	6	2	2	2	2	4 White 1 Black 1 Unknown
Take down to ground by Physical Force	6	0	2	1	4	2 White 2 Black 1 Asian 1 Unknown
Hair Hold	2	0	1	0	1	2 White
Tackle	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arm Bar or Cross Face Takedown	1	0	0	0	1	1 White
Dog Bite	0	0	0	0	0	0
PIT Technique above 35mph	0	0	0	0	0	0
OC-10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Touch tase	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taser (air cartridge)	5	0	4	2	0	4 White 1 Black
Punches - Kicks	4	2	2	1	1	1 White 1 Asian 1 Black 1 Native American
Impact Weapons (baton, ASP)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Extended Range Impact Weapons	2	0	0	0	1	1 Native American 1 Black
Firearm – On Target	0	0	0	0	0	0
Firearm Discharge	0	0	0	0	0	0
	38	6	12	10	14	22 White 9 Black 2 Asian 2 Native American 2 Unknown 1 Hispanic

2021 Use of Force by Race of Suspect

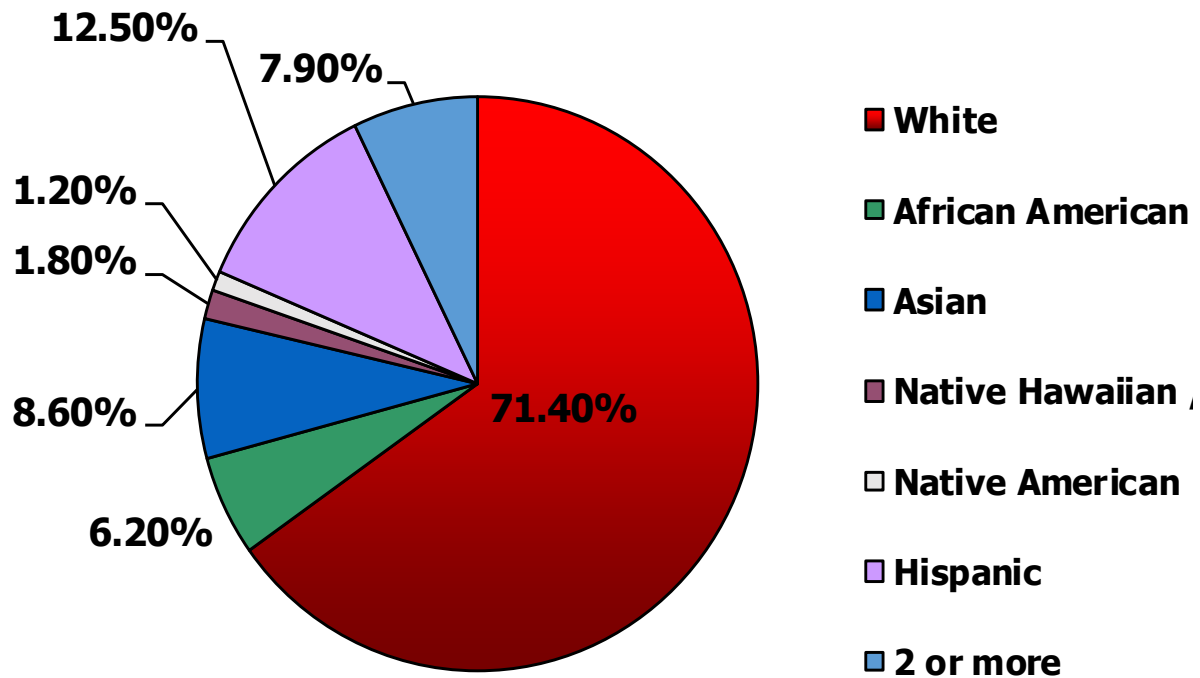


2021 Type of Crime or 9-1-1 Call	Number of Calls in 2021 where Force was Used out of 38,364 Incidents	Type of Force Used	Race of Suspect
Felony Crime	18	Physical Force to Ground Taser Punch WRAP Arm Bar / Cross Face Takedown Push / Shove	7 White 6 Black 2 Native American 1 Asian 1 Hispanic 1 Unknown
Misdemeanor Crime	16	4 Physical Force to Ground 4 WRAP 4 Gooseneck 1 Arm Bar / Cross Face Takedown 1 Punch 1 Hair Hold 1 Taser	12 White 2 Black 1 Asian 1 Unknown
Mental Health / Health Crisis	4	2 WRAP 1 Punch 1 Hair Hold	3 White 1 Black
Totals	38	38	22 White 9 Black 2 Asian 2 Native American 2 Unknown 1 Hispanic

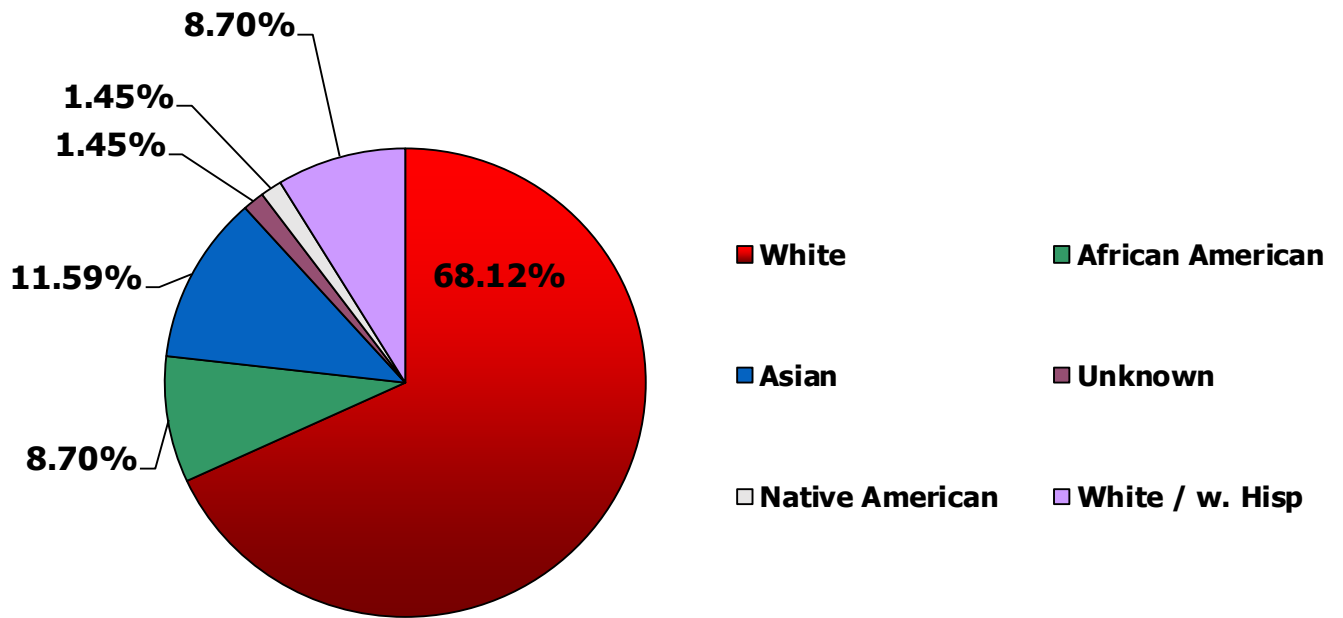
2021 Use of Force by Incident Type



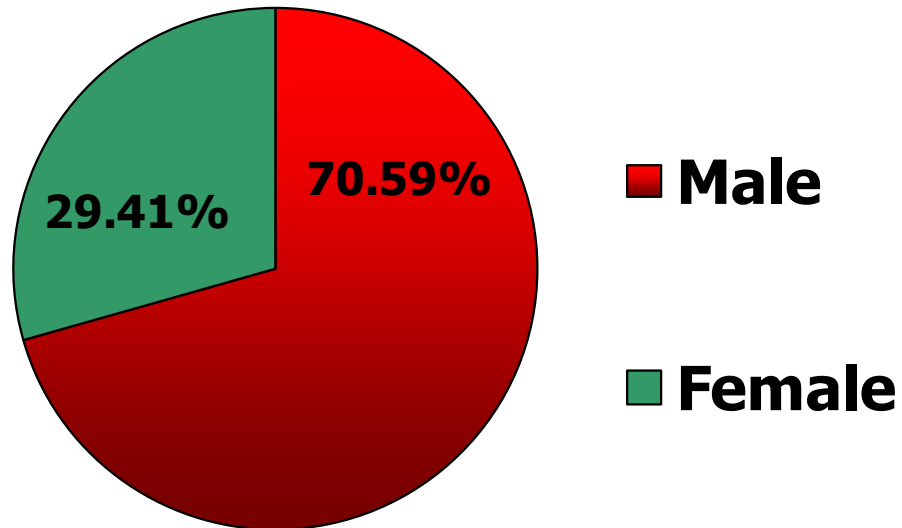
2019 City of Lacey Racial Data (2019 is the most recent US Census)



2021 Lacey Police Department Employee Racial Data

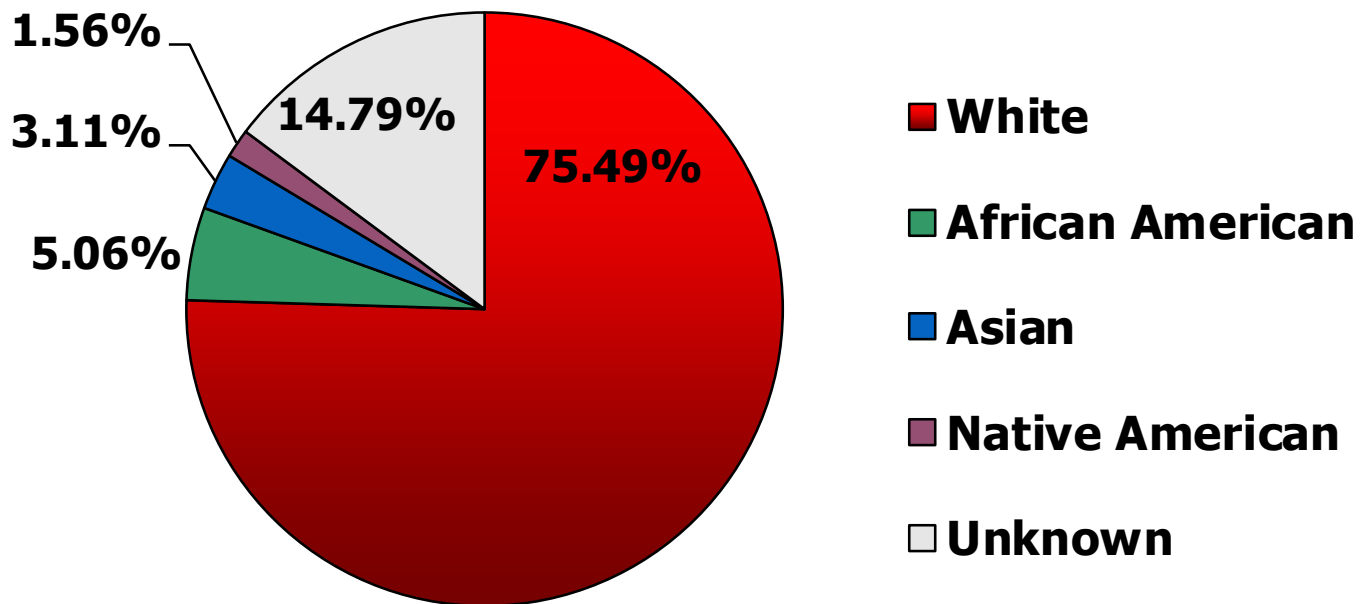


2021 Lacey Police Department Employee Gender Data



Overall, self-initiated officer events, field contacts and traffic tickets closely follow the racial percentages found in Lacey's general population:

2021 Field Interviews



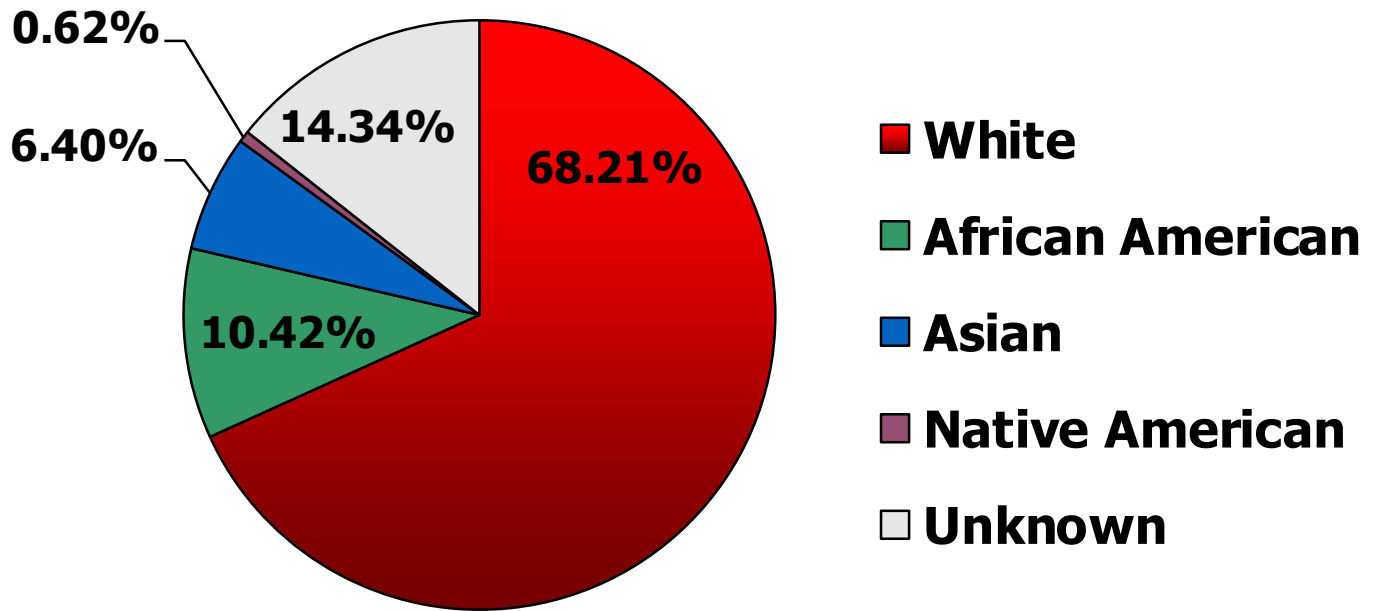
Whites comprised 75.49% of Field Interviews.
This is 4.09% above Lacey's general population for Whites at 71.4%.

African Americans comprised 5.06% of Field Interviews.
This is 1.8% below Lacey's general population for African Americans at 6.2%.

Asians comprised 3.11% of Field Interviews.
This is 5.49% below Lacey's general population for Asians at 8.6%.

Native Americans comprised 1.56% of Field Interviews.
This is 0.36% above Lacey's general population for Native Americans at 1.2%.

2021 Traffic Tickets



Whites comprised 68.21% of Traffic Tickets Interviews.
This is 3.19% below Lacey's general population for Whites at 71.4%.

African Americans comprised 10.42% of Traffic Tickets.
This is 4.22% above Lacey's general population for African Americans at 6.2%.

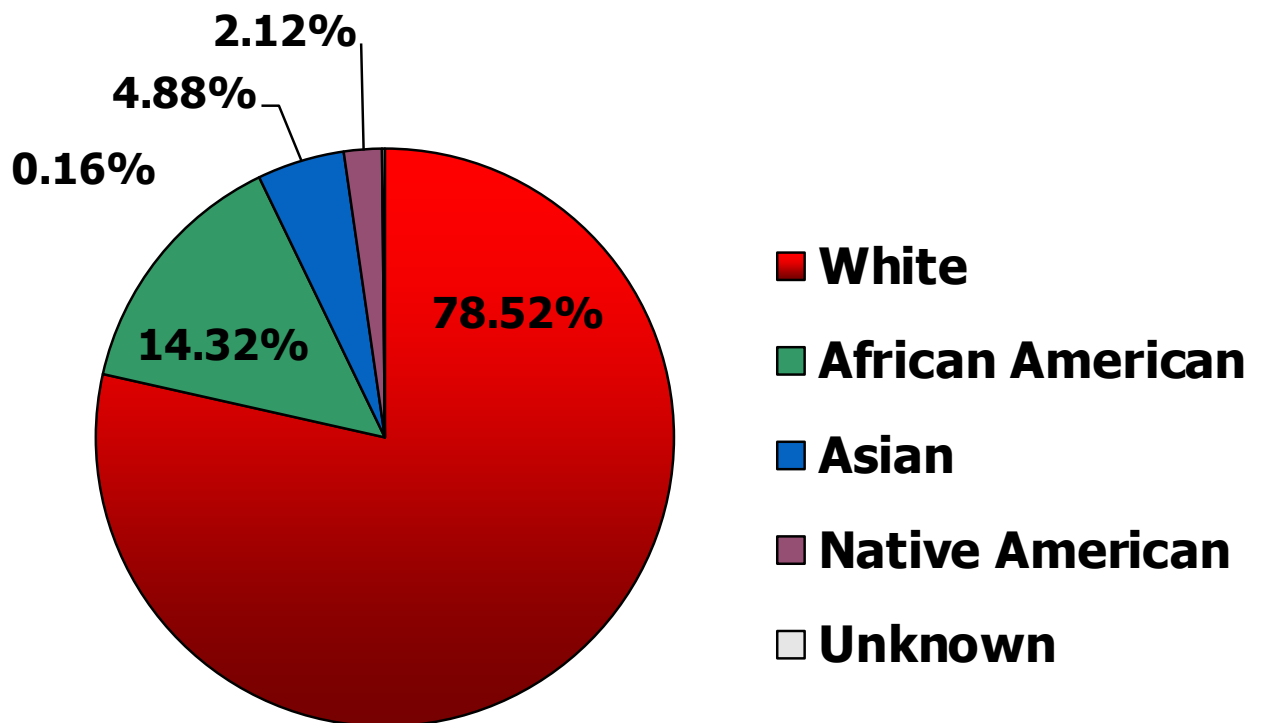
Asians comprised 6.4% of Traffic Tickets.
This is 2.2% below Lacey's general population for Asians at 8.6%.

Native Americans comprised .62% of Traffic Tickets.
This is 0.58% below Lacey's general population for Native Americans at 1.2%.

Arrests are not entirely self-initiated officer events. Many arrests result from 9-1-1 calls where crimes are reported and victims want to pursue criminal charges. Some crimes, such as domestic violence assaults, contain mandatory arrest provisions which strip officers of discretion in these situations. Other arrests may result from officers being pro-active such as DUI's and recovering stolen vehicles.

Even with the above background, the percentages of all arrests are within 8% of the racial percentages found in Lacey's general population:

2021 Arrests



Whites comprised 78.52% of Arrests.

This is 7.12% above Lacey's general population for Whites at 71.4%.

African Americans comprised 14.32% of Arrests.

This is 8.12% above Lacey's general population for African Americans at 6.2%.

Asians comprised 4.88% of Arrests.

This is 3.72% below Lacey's general population for Asians at 8.6%.

Native Americans comprised 2.12% of Arrests.

This is 0.92% above Lacey's general population for Native Americans at 1.2%.

No complaints of racial profiling were received by the Lacey Police Department in 2021.