



### INTRODUCTION TO VIP

#### Custom Notifications

VIP Peer Support Workers and APD officers identify and intervene with the individuals most likely to engage in gun violence. This intervention is called a *Custom Notification*. They often bring trusted community leaders with them who may connect with particular individuals.

#### Referrals

Candidates for the VIP Program are usually identified through law enforcement crime data. However, they can also be referred by hospitals or other means.

#### Engaging with Services

A key part of what makes the City's VIP Program successful is that VIP Peer Support Workers work with clients to identify and address their individual needs, then guide clients through risk-reduction resources. We measure success by how many of the individuals we provide Custom Notifications to engage with other services.

#### Enforcement

The goal of Custom Notifications and ongoing peer support is that people do not engage in further violence. However, when they do, the consequence is swift and targeted law enforcement action.



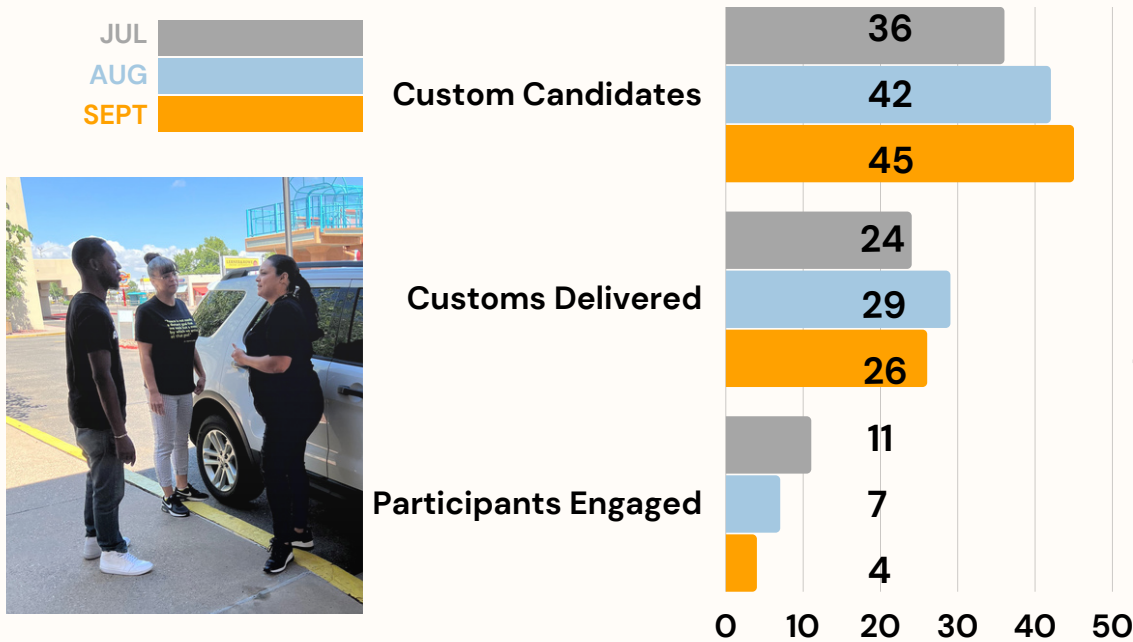
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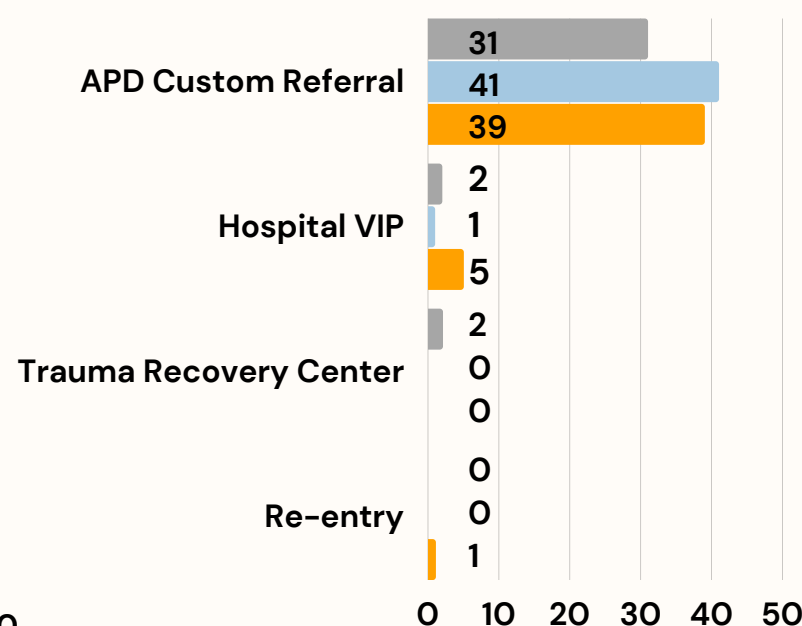
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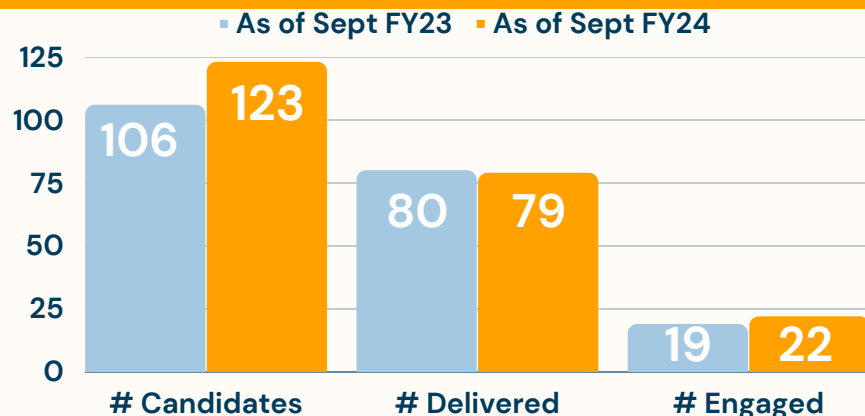
## CUSTOM NOTIFICATIONS



## VIP REFERRAL SOURCES



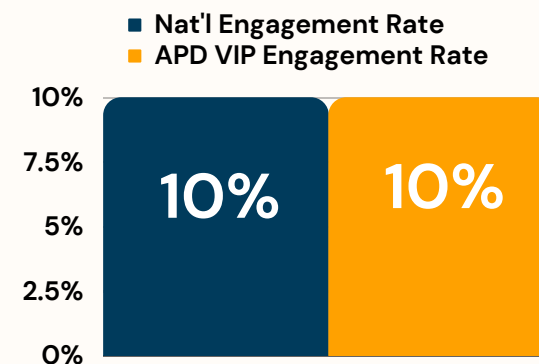
## FISCAL YEAR-TO-DATE TOTALS



## VIP'S ACTIVE CASELOAD



## SEPT ENGAGEMENT RATE



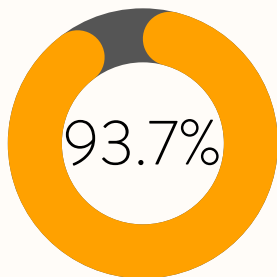
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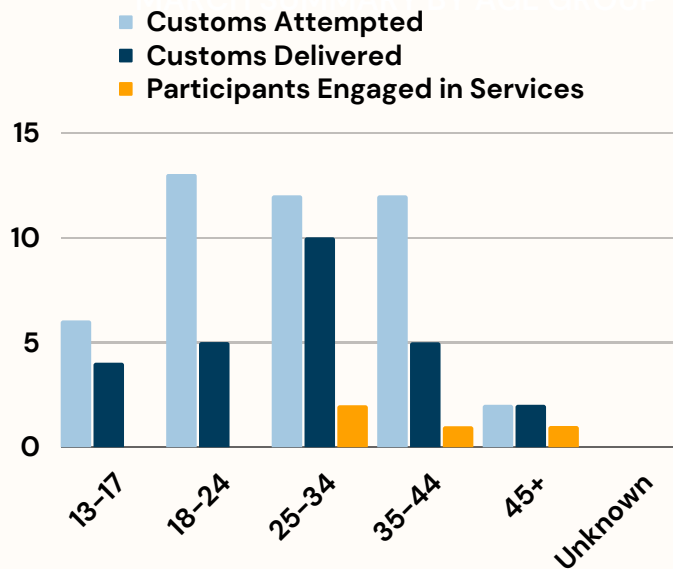


## VIP RUNNING SUCCESS RATE

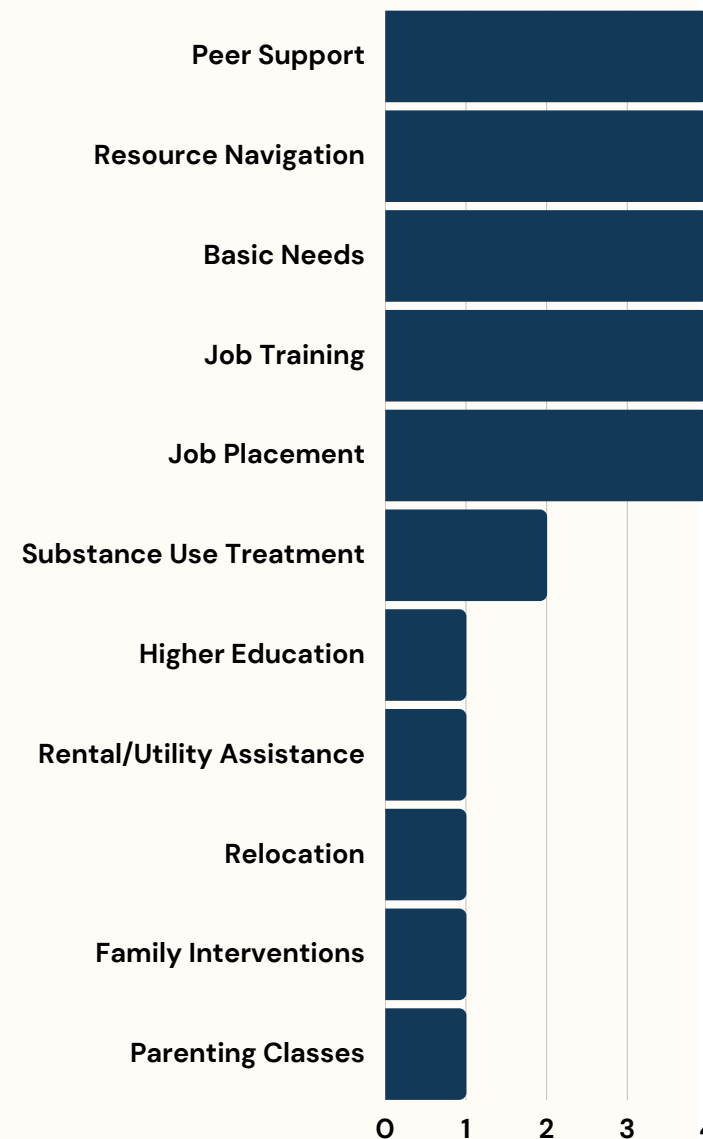


**SUCCESS RATE**

93.7% of participants have not engaged in further violent crime in the past two years



## Services Requested and Referred



## REFERRALS BY AREA COMMAND



	JUL	AUG	SEPT	FYTD
Southeast	4	11	13	28
Northeast	7	4	4	15
Northwest	3	4	3	10
Foothills	1	5	4	10
Southwest	8	7	8	23
Valley	6	8	7	21
N/A	2	2	0	4

INCIDENT TYPE	SEPT	FYTD
Gun/Other Violence	27	73
DV/Sexual Assault	11	27
Homicide	1	10
Other Deaths	7	9
Suicide	1	4
Other	8	8

AREA COMMAND	SEPT	FYTD
Southeast	16	57
Southwest	7	19
Valley	6	15
Foothills	8	13
Northeast	3	10
Northwest	5	7

FYTD IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS



## SIGNIFICANT RESPONSE ACTIVITIES

The Community-Oriented Response and Assistance Program began the process of completing and submitting rental assistance for two separate households who were facing eviction; while these cases are not closed yet, the bulk of work in securing rental assistance occurred in the month of September.

CORA provided outreach and support to employee who was held at gunpoint at a Verizon store. He was traumatized by the experience and wasn't sure how to move forward, or if he would ever be comfortable at work again. He initially declined services, but eventually became open to the idea of counseling though he didn't want to pay for it. Through conversation and exploration we discovered that he would qualify for counseling through his work due to the nature of his experiences. He signed up for the counseling and stated that he already felt a sense of relief and support.