Recommendation Submission/Response Form

Referenced CASA area (A,B,C,D,E): ___C____
This response is in reference to recommendation #19-06 – Violent Crime Statistics / Area Command Foothills
Responsible SME: DC J. Griego
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RECOMMENDATION (Recommendation/Reasoning):
APD provide violent (murder, rape, aggravated assault, robbery) and property crime statistics monthly.

Reason: Violent crime has been an important under-reported topic at our CPC meetings for years. Therefore, APD should provide violent crime (murder, rape, aggravated assault, robber) statistics monthly for each area command for the previous month (and the current year to date) by the 7th following month. Use FBI categories and criteria. Provide the same for property crime. We recognize that the statistics are preliminary and subject to change.

APD RESPONSE/REASONING:

We are currently in the process of reviewing and addressing inconsistencies across our data systems. Our desire is to produce accurate and timely data to the public. We are in the nascent phase of the project, which includes how this data will be presented.

In the interim there are three options. Area Command Crime Prevention personnel can pull “call for service” data. As stated above, this data is extremely preliminary. Another option is the website Crimemapping.com. This website is based on the same data that the crime prevention personnel would utilize and is linked to the City of Albuquerque website. Lastly, we will be submitting the 2019 NIBRS report (We have not used UCR since
2018) to the FBI. That data will be publicly available once it is verified by the FBI. It will likely be at least 60-90 days before we can be confident in property crime numbers 7 days after the end of the month. Homicide and shooting data is tracked manually and is updated after each occurrence and can be presented at any time.

Chief made aware of recommendation: Yes ☒ No ☐

Recommendation Status: Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Needs more time ☒