Jan 2022

Welcome to the first newsletter of 2022. We just wrapped up our Safe Retail Operation in the Uptown area focused heavily on reducing retail crime and related problems for the surrounding area. I am proud to report the patrol officers, proactive response team officers, and other assisting specialized units were able to perform over 800 patrols of the area on top of their normal call taking responsibilities. Officers made 30 arrests including 12 felony cases at these business properties along with citations, criminal trespass notices, and other crime diversion strategies.

Due to continued staffing challenges, the Department will be ending our current patrol schedule and moving to a 12 hour schedule in order to more efficiently utilize the patrol officers we have. This will tentatively take effect January 29 and because our practice is to have officers bid for any schedule changes like this, you will see some officer as well as supervisory changes at the lieutenant and sergeant level here in the command next month. Once I know who the new supervisors will be, we will begin announcing team field briefing events open to the public if they wish to attend a police briefing and talk to the officers about anything on their mind or simply see what occurs at these briefings. Look for these to be announced in the newsletter next month.

Finally, I frequently receive questions regarding how the new public safety department announced by Mayor Keller’s administration in 2020 interacts with and supplements the function of the police department. We have posted a link to the Albuquerque Community Safety Department presentation of capabilities, staffing, and other information on the area command website: you can access this information at https://www.cabq.gov/police/area-commands

Until next month, stay safe!

Greg Weber
Northeast Current Staffing and Proactive Stats

The following numbers show the number of staff currently active on each watch. In most cases, the watches have more officers assigned to them than what is displayed here. However, those officers are on assignments including military deployments or temporary reassigment to other areas of the Department for a variety of reasons so they are not listed here as being available to answer calls from the public. These numbers will fluctuate month to month.

**Day Watch (0630-1830)**
- Line Officers – 20
- Sergeants – 2
- Lieutenant – 1
- Total Sworn – 23

**Swing Watch (1400-2400)**
- Line Officers – 19
- Sergeants – 1
- Lieutenant – 1
- Total Sworn – 21

**Grave Watch (2200-0600)**
- Line Officers – 28
- Sergeants – 3
- Lieutenant – 1
- Total Sworn – 32

**Totals**
- PRT – 4 Line, 1 Sergeant
- Line Officers – 67
- Sergeants – 7
- Lieutenants – 3
- Commander – 1
- Total Sworn – 78

The United States has roughly 18,000 separate law enforcement agencies, all of which operate largely independent of each other.

**Officer Proactive Activity**

The following is a measure of self-initiated contacts over the last month. These contacts are either logged, specific patrols of problem areas or are contacts with individuals based on reasonable suspicion a crime is occurring. They do not represent contacts made during calls for service nor routine patrols in general areas while not responding to calls.

- Field Briefings – 86
- Logged Patrol Checks – 1020
- Traffic Stops - 552
- Suspicious Contacts – 131
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Use of Force Stats

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INTERNAL AFFAIRS FORCE DIVISION

STATISTICAL DATA FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2021

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Force per 1000 Calls

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Force cases are now categorized by three levels. If a case involves multiple applications of force, it is categorized as the most serious at the case level. These counts are not considered final as investigations are continuously updated.

- Level 1 is force that is likely to cause only transient pain, disorientation, or discomfort during its application as a means of gaining compliance. This includes techniques which are not reasonably expected to cause injury, do not result in actual injury, and are not likely to result in a complaint of injury (i.e., pain compliance techniques and twisted handcuffing). Pointing a firearm, beanbag shotgun, or 40 millimeter launcher at a subject, or using an ECW to “warn” a subject with the telesight, as a show of force are reportable as Level 1 force. Level 1 force does not include interaction meant to guide, assist, or control a subject who is offering minimal resistance.
- Level 2 is force that causes injury, could reasonably be expected to cause injury, or results in a complaint of injury. Level 2 force includes use of an ECW, including where an ECW is fired at a subject but misses; use of a beanbag shotgun or 40 millimeter launcher; including where it is fired at a subject but misses; OC Spray application; empty hand techniques (i.e., strikes, kicks, takedowns, distraction techniques, or leg sweeps); and strikes with impact weapons, except strikes to the head, neck, or throat, which would be considered a Level 3 use of force.
- Level 3 is force that results in, or could reasonably result in, serious physical injury, hospitalization, or death. Level 3 force includes all lethal force; critical firearms discharges; all head, neck, and throat strikes with an object; neck holds; caninew bites; three or more uses of an ECW on an individual during a single interaction regardless of mode or duration or an ECW application for longer than 15 seconds, whether continuous or consecutive; four or more strikes with a baton; any strike, blow, kick, ECW application, or similar use of force against a handcuffed subject, and use of force resulting in a loss of consciousness.

December 2021 Force Events

- Foothills: 1 Level 3, 3 Level 2, 1 Level 1
- Northeast: 3 Level 2, 3 Level 1
- Northwest: 3 Level 2, 1 Level 1
- Southeast: 4 Level 3, 6 Level 2, 1 Level 1
- Southwest: 1 Level 3
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Twelve Months of Force Data

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(Includes Out of Area)
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