



Police Department Council Briefing

12/4/2023

Our Why

"Community Partners in Safety"



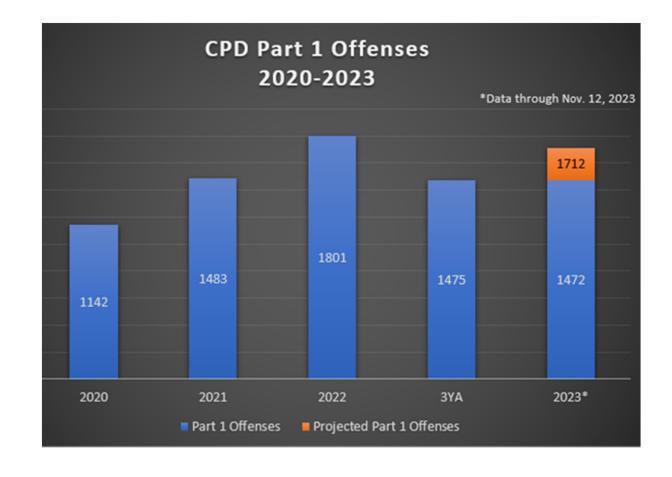
Mission

In partnership with our community, we strive to improve the quality of life of those who live, work, and visit our city. We will do this by creating a safe and secure environment through professional, empathetic, relational, and accountable policing practices. With community policing as our foundation, we strive to maintain trust and legitimacy through respectful, transparent, and impartial public safety practices.



Overview of Part 1 Crime

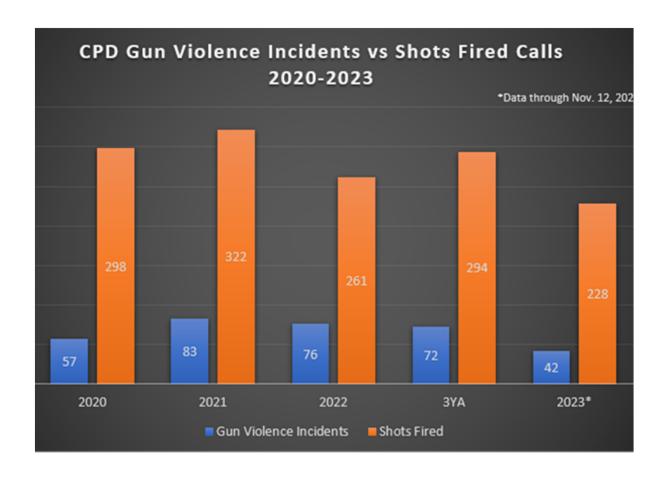
- Trending lower than 2022
- 6 Homicides
- Theft continues to be a driver of Part 1 Crime
- Robbery, Rape, Burglary continue to be down





Gun Violence Incidents

- Shots Fired calls for service are trending down after beginning the year with increases.
- Confirmed gun-related crimes are trending down.





Contributors to Reductions in Part 1 and Gun Crime

- Increased community partnerships
- Increased collaboration with Local, State, and Federal Partners
- Quick arrests for violent crime

All six homicides have been closed quickly

- Reallocation of resources
 - Officers are focusing on areas that continue to be disproportionately affected by violent crime.
 - Building relationships and developing community partnerships
- Lieutenant assigned to each district.

North, Central, South

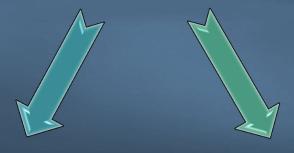
Increased focus on staff to include training



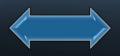
Strategic Priorities



Treatment & Wellness of Our Staff

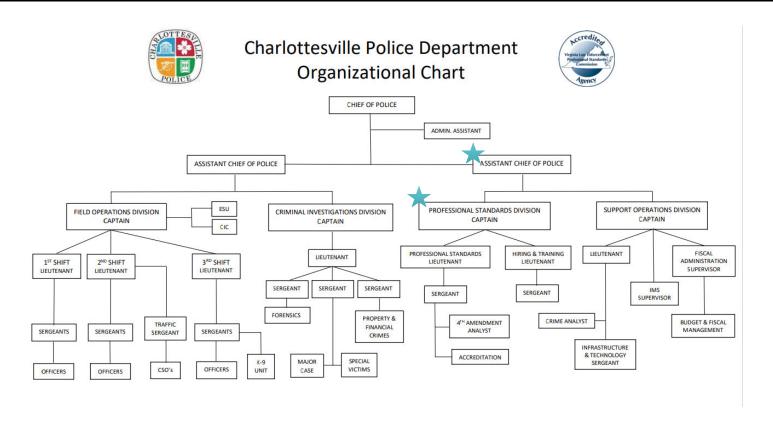


Recruitment & Retention



Gun Violence/ Community Partnerships

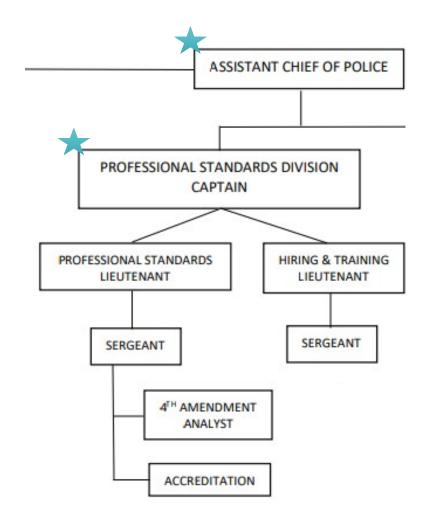
Organizational Chart





Reorganization Since Last Budget Process

Added Professional Standards Division





New Professional Standards Division:

"Accountability"

Budget Neutral (gave up 4 sworn FTE to gain new positions)

Added 2nd Assistant Chief and 4th Captain

Aligned training, recruitment, and accreditation within the same division as Internal Affairs

Culture change begins with knowing where our deficiencies are. (Deficiencies are typically identified during internal investigations.)

Aligned 4th Amendment Auditor with Internal Affairs (*Previously was directly under the Chief*)

Increased efficiency in working with PCOB Executive Director



Patrol Division Changes

Added

Community Involvement Coordinator

Filled 2 Vacant *K-9 Positions*





Community Involvement Coordinator



Create programs designed to involve the community with its police department

Community Police Academy

Weekly Community Walks

Community Action Team

Drug Takeback Events

Gun Buyback

Develop Partnerships:

Boys and Girls Club

YMCA

Supervises the K-9 Unit (will eventually have all K-9's work within their immediate supervisor)

Part of department's Social Media Team

Current Vacancies

8 Sworn Vacancies (Down from 30 in January 2023)

5 Professional Vacancies (Down from 8 in January 2023)



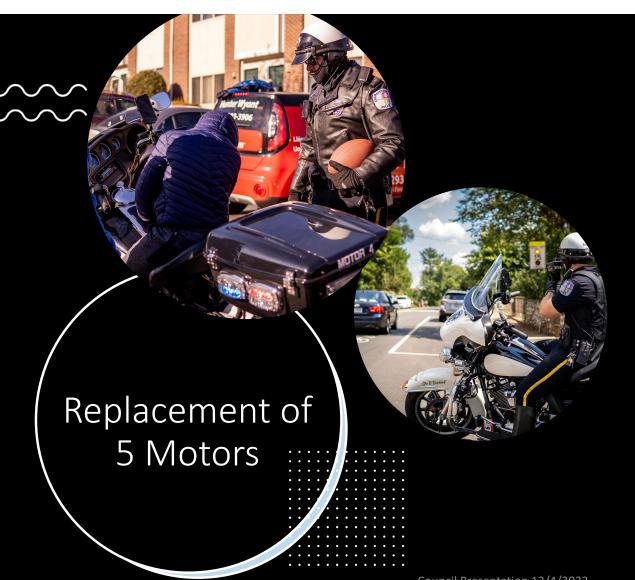
FY 25 Budget



New CIP Request

Operating Budget

- New Requests
- Support for Strategic Priorities
 - ✓ Treatment & Wellness of Staff
 - ✓ Recruitment & Retention
 - ✓ Building Community Partnerships & Addressing Gun Violence



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\$175K