

Coeur d'Alene Police



2023 Annual Report



Coeur d'Alene Police Department

Message from the Chief:

Over the past decade, crime has fallen at a significant rate in our City. I am extremely proud of the work done by the men and women of our police department to keep our community safe. The statistics in the following pages highlight that work.

This report does a great job of showcasing our efforts over the past year, and our Crime Analysis unit worked tirelessly to ensure that only verified, accurate data is included in this report. But what statistics often lack is context. Although these numbers are a great summary of what our officers and professional staff accomplished, they do little to explain the long hours and great sacrifice these numbers represent. The impact of helping people through crisis on a daily basis cannot be understated, and the men and women of the Coeur d'Alene Police Department exemplify the courage, compassion, and professionalism that it takes to truly keep a community safe.

Over the next year we hope to build on our past success through continued community engagement and proven programs, and we hope to improve by adding new initiatives such as the Opioid Task Force and expansion of our downtown bike and bar teams.

The members of the Coeur d'Alene Police Department care about our community and its visitors, and we will do our best to keep our community safe.

Lee White



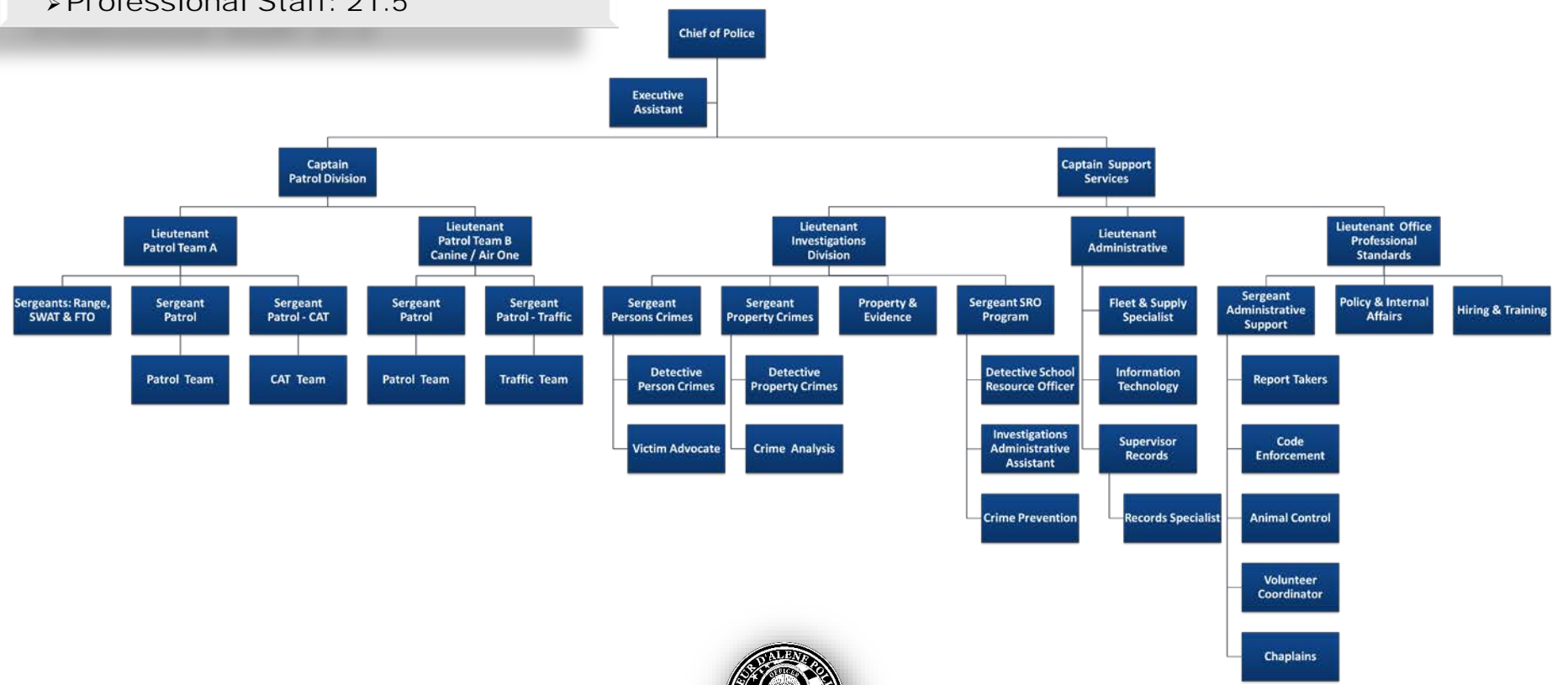
Coeur d'Alene PD: Personnel

Employees Per Department:

- Administration: 3 **(Sworn)**
- Patrol: 68 **(Sworn)**
- Investigation: 25 **(Sworn)**
- Professional Staff: 21.5

Police Total Employees: 121.5

- Sworn Officers: 96
- Civilian Staff: 25.5 **(includes part-time)**





PART 1 & 2 CRIME

2022 – 2023 Comparison

Coeur d'Alene Police: Part 1 Crimes

OFFENSE	2022	2023	% Chg
Aggravated Assault	80	89	11%
Arson	10	9	-10%
Auto Burglary	115	111	-3%
Burglary - Non Resid	26	12	-54%
Burglary - Resid	42	40	-5%
Rape	46	33	-28%
Homicide	1	1	0%
Robbery - Commercial	2	1	-50%
Robbery - Person	11	10	-9%
Theft	364	377	4%
Vehicle Theft	38	31	-18%
Part 1 Crimes Total	735	714	-2.86%

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Part 1 Crimes YTD Comparison

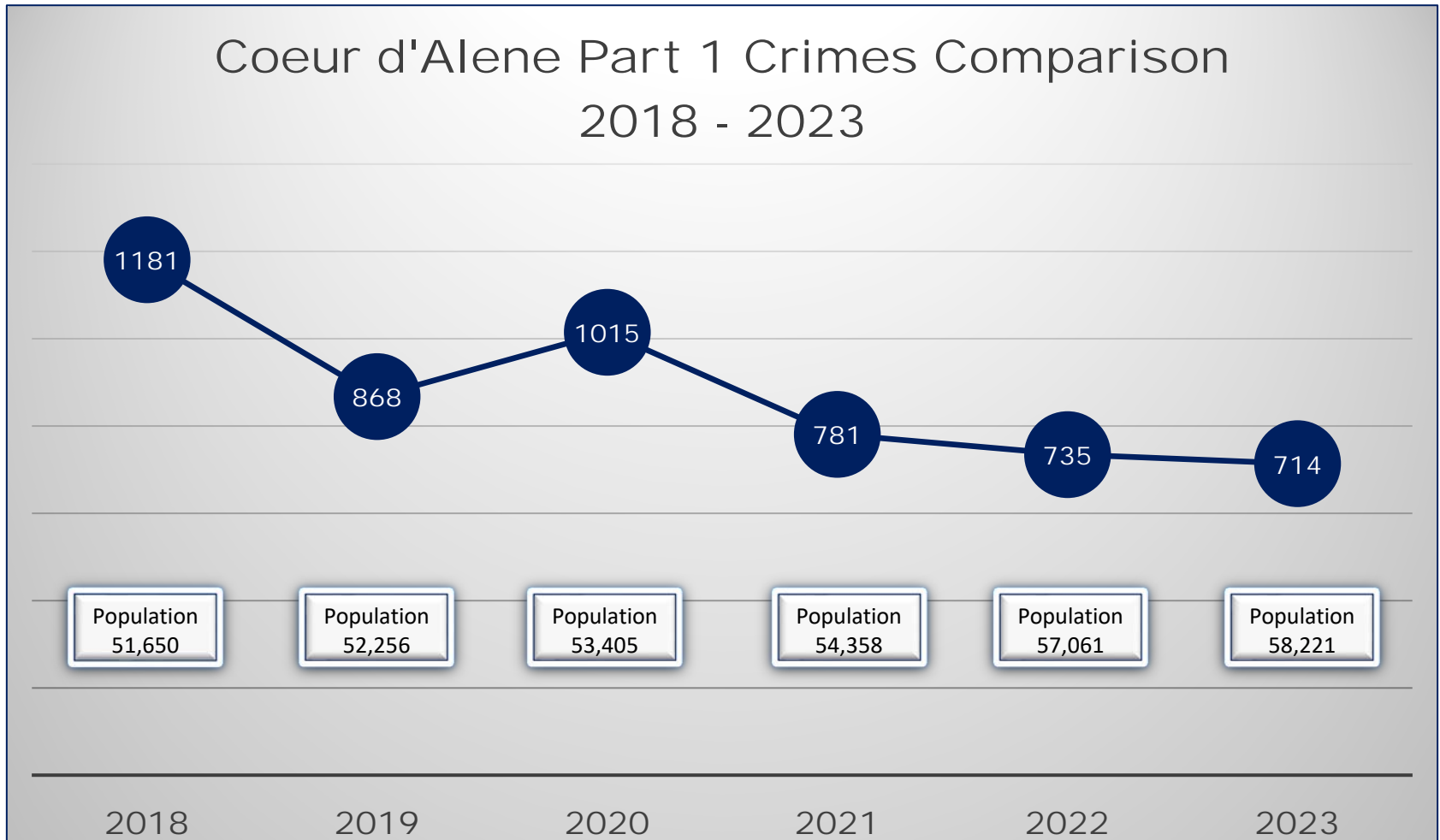
2021 to 2023 Decrease 8.58%	2017 to 2023 Decrease 47.23%
2020 to 2023 Decrease 29.66%	2016 to 2023 Decrease 56.20%
2019 to 2023 Decrease 17.74%	2015 to 2023 Decrease 56.91%
2018 to 2023 Decrease 39.54%	2014 to 2023 Decrease 65.87%

Coeur d'Alene Police: Part 2 Crimes

OFFENSE	2022	2023	% Chg
Alcohol Offense	134	162	21%
Assault	484	470	-3%
Child Abuse	96	73	-24%
Communications Off.	15	8	-47%
Conspiracy	9	4	-56%
CPOR/NCOV Violations	96	133	39%
Custodial Interference	20	31	55%
Disturbing the Peace	108	98	-9%
Drugs	1097	1150	5%
DUI	429	323	-25%
Embezzlement	19	10	-47%
False Info to LE	34	31	-9%
Fraud/Forgery	120	144	20%
Harassment	66	71	8%
Intimidation	53	70	32%
Juvenile Problem	149	166	11%
Kidnapping	13	6	-54%
Mail Tampering	16	10	-38%
Neglect (Elderly)	2	2	0%
Obstructing	121	123	2%
Pornography	9	7	-22%
Recvr'd Stolen Property	30	26	-13%
Sex Offender Violation	16	11	-31%
Sex Offense	62	81	31%
Trespassing	50	77	54%
Vandalism	277	309	12%
Weapon Offense	55	35	-36%
Other	56	48	-14%
Part 2 Crimes Total	3636	3679	1.18%



CRIME TREND WITH POPULATION

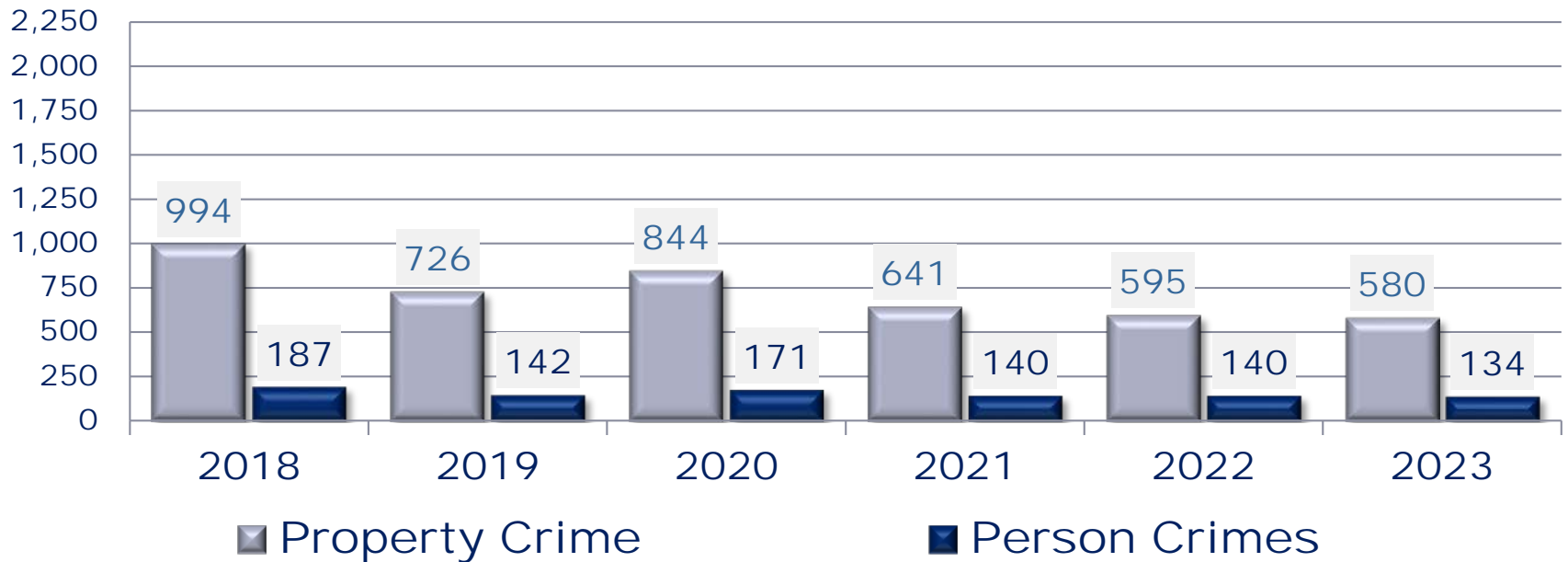


According to the Idaho State Police Crime in Idaho publications dating back to 1995, Part 1 crimes reported in 2023 was a record low for the Coeur d'Alene Police Department



PART 1 CRIME by Crime Group

Property & Person Crimes: 2018 - 2023



Property Crimes Comparison to Previous Years:

- 2022 to 2023 decrease of 2.52%
- 2021 to 2023 decrease of 9.52%
- 2020 to 2023 decrease of 31.28%
- 2019 to 2023 decrease of 20.11%
- 2018 to 2023 decrease of 41.65%

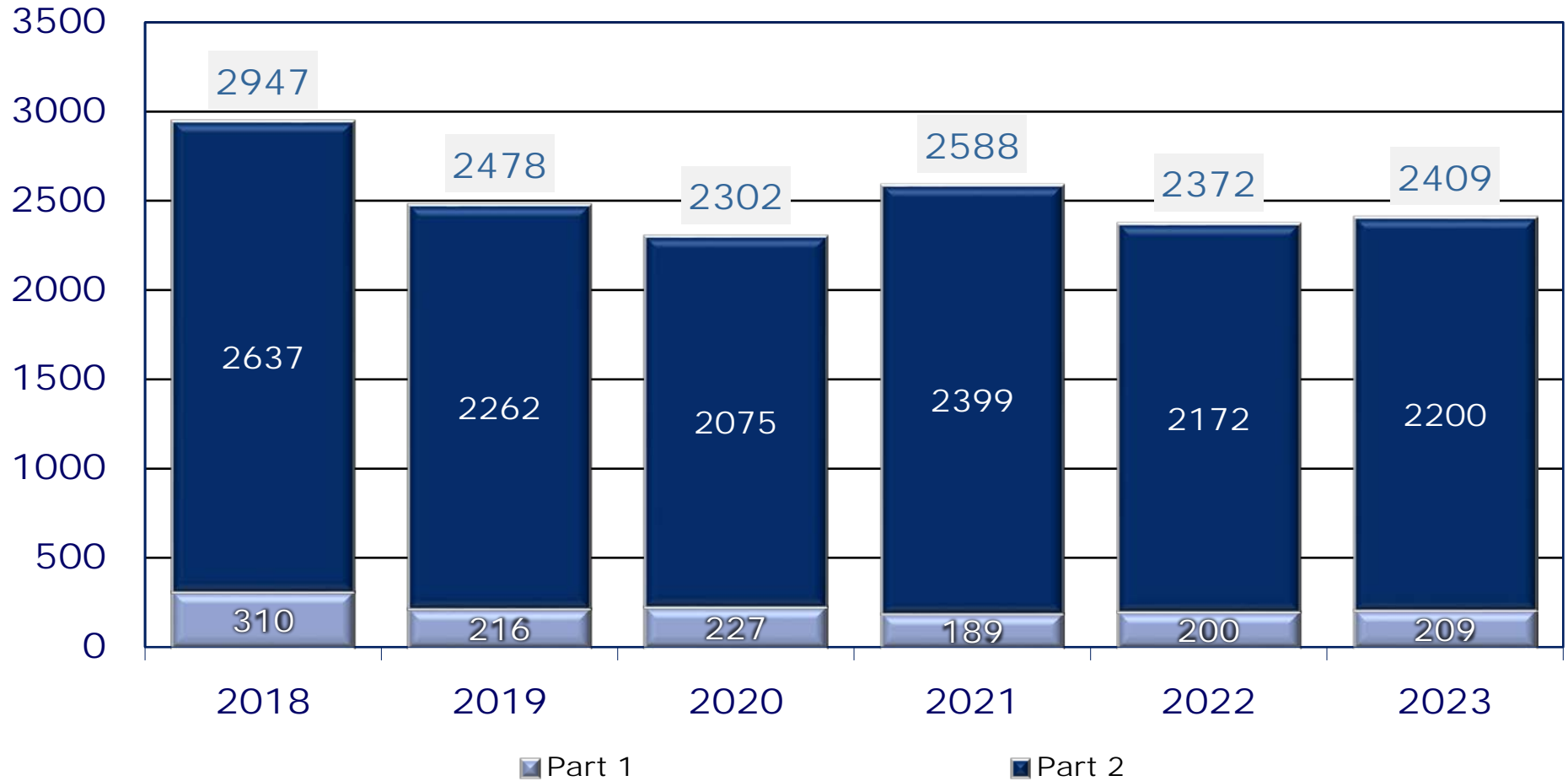
Person Crimes Comparison to Previous Years:

- 2022 to 2023 decrease of 4.29%
- 2021 to 2023 decrease of 4.29%
- 2020 to 2023 decrease of 21.64%
- 2019 to 2023 decrease of 5.63%
- 2018 to 2023 decrease of 28.34%

**Property Crimes include Burglary, Theft, Shoplifting, Arson and Vehicle Theft.
 Person Crimes include Homicide, Assault, Rape, and Robbery.**



Part 1 & 2 Crime Arrests by Year

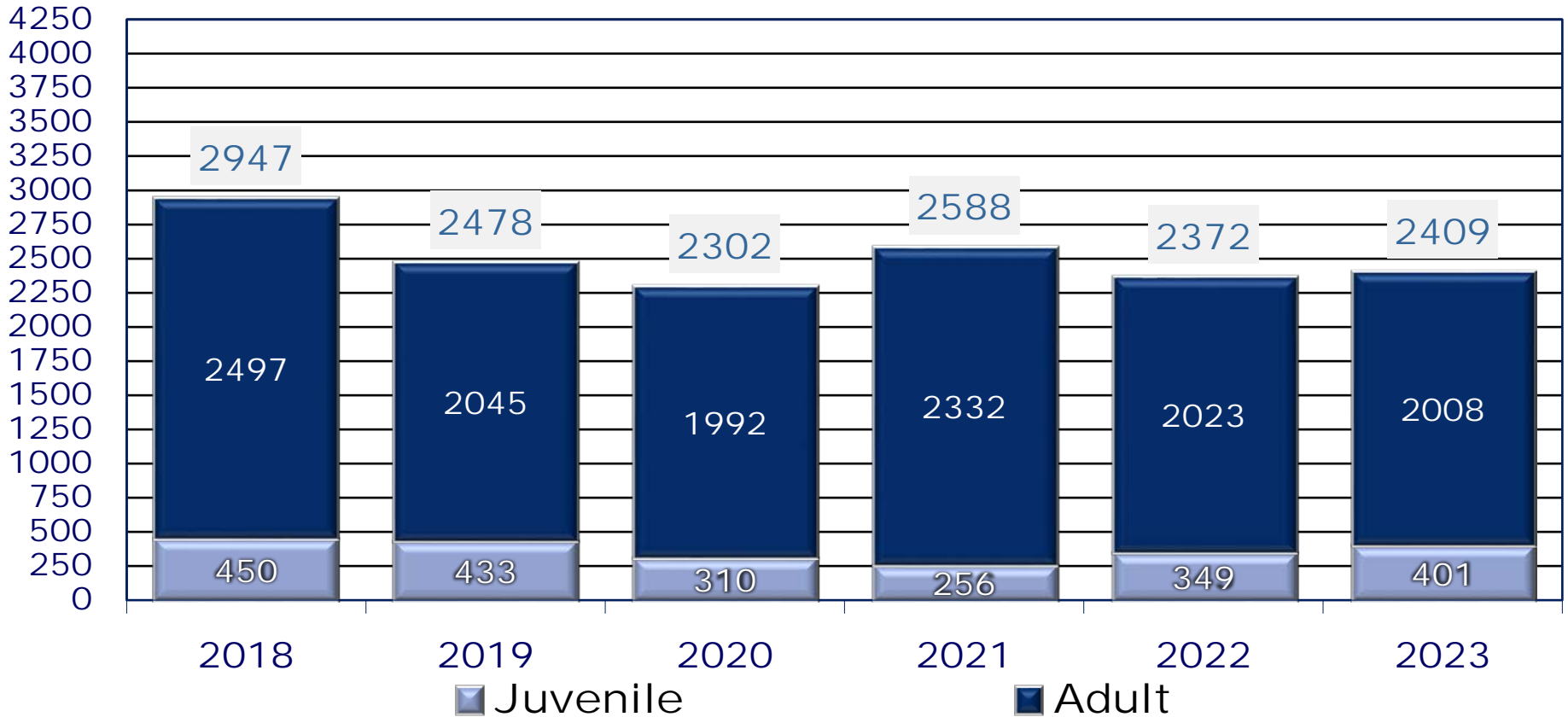


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Arrests: Adult & Juveniles

Adult, Juvenile & Total Arrests

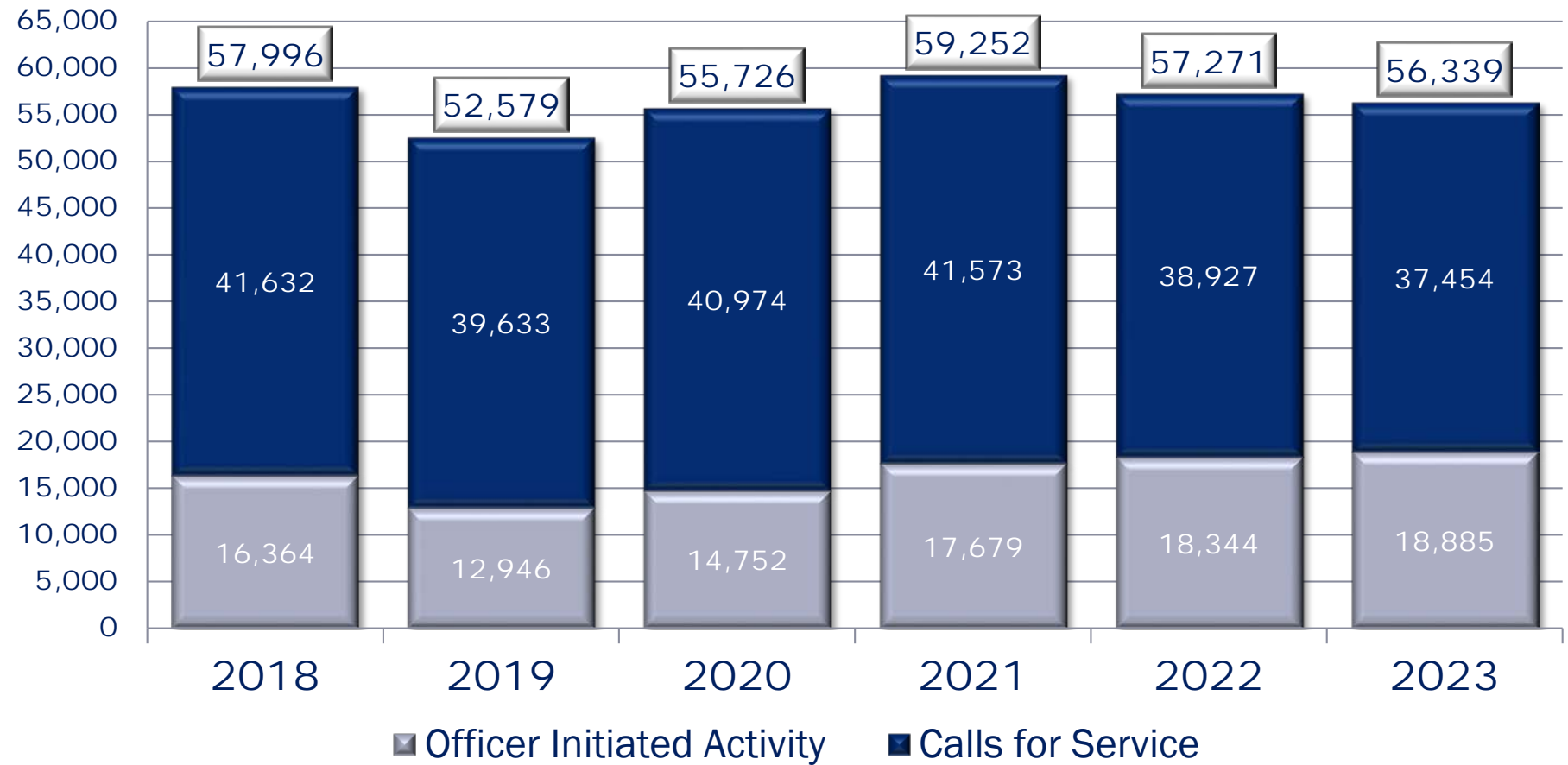


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CALLS FOR SERVICE TRENDS

Calls for Service: 2018 - 2023

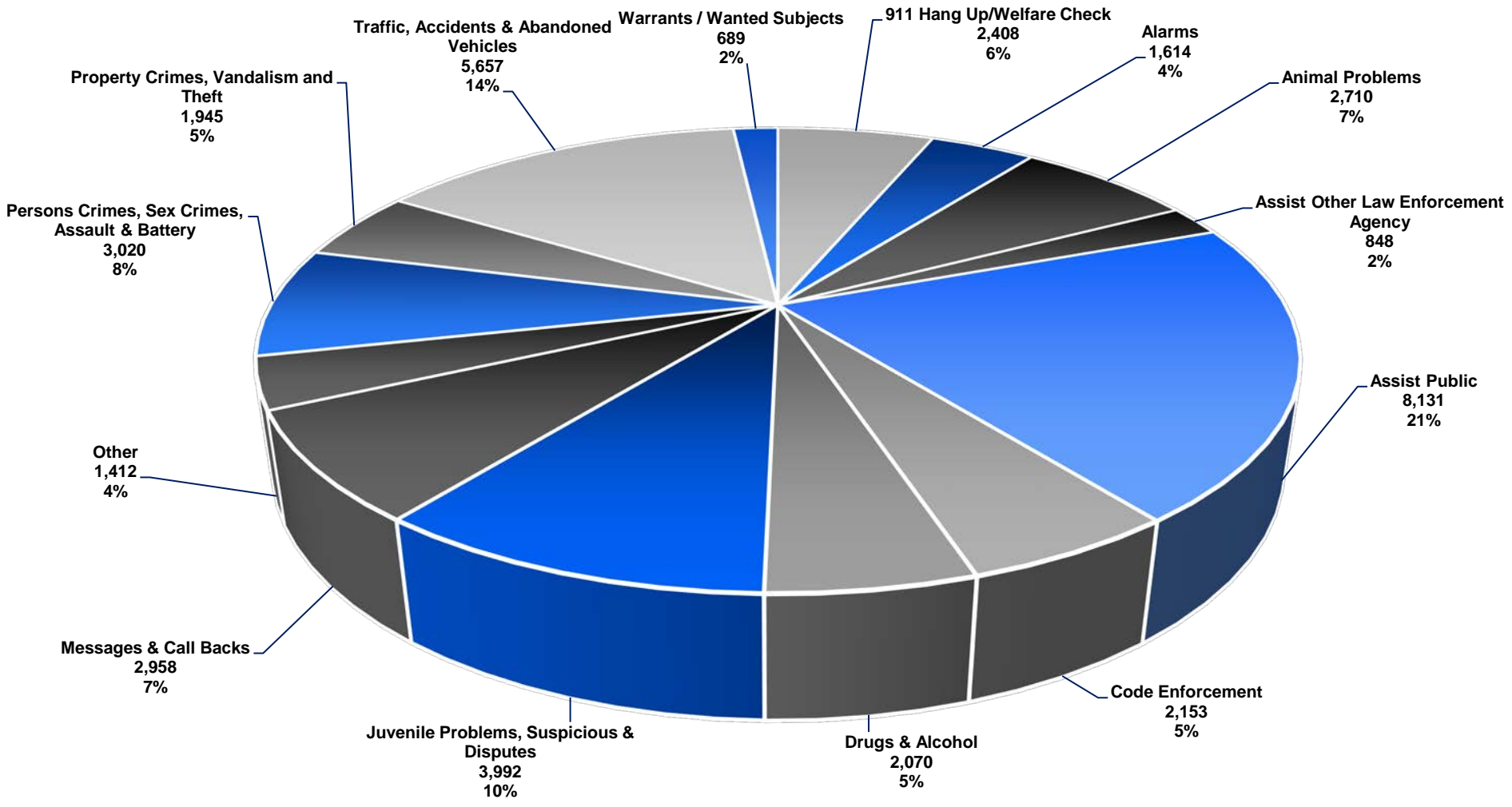


Officer Initiated Activity includes contact between the public and law enforcement that is not a direct response to a call for service. Examples: traffic stop, business check and pedestrian/bike checks. Directed patrol efforts were added in February of 2021.



Calls for Service

2023 by Type

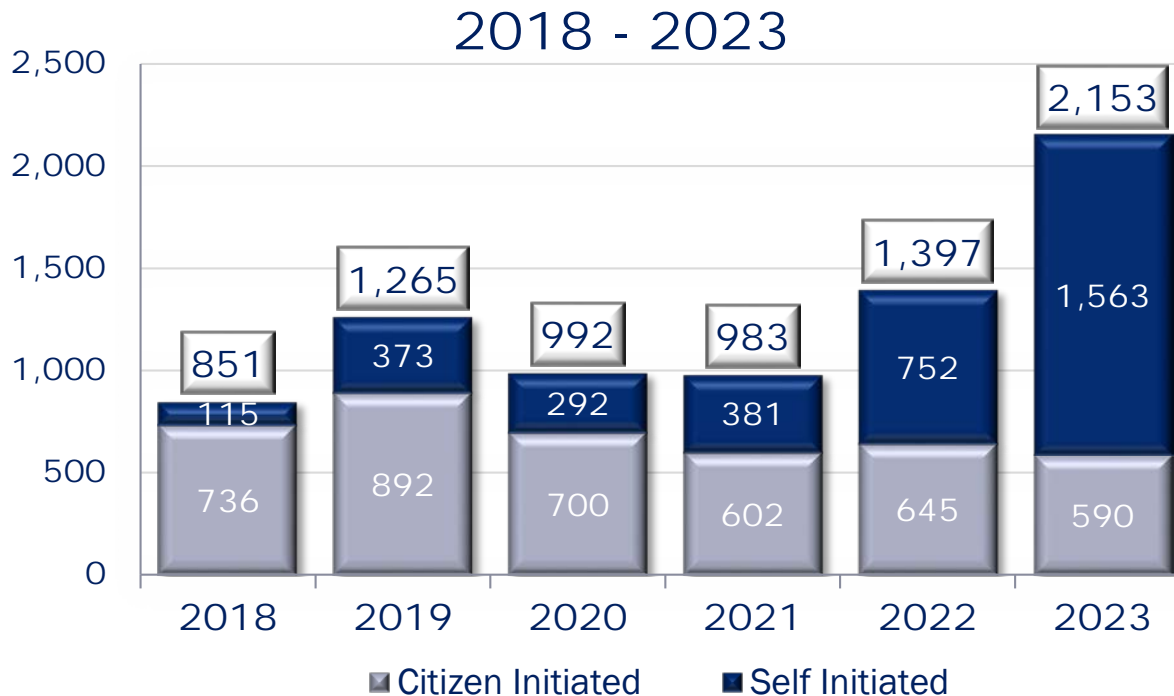




CODE ENFORCEMENT

Community Preservation and Enhancement.

The City of Coeur d'Alene is committed to working with the residents in a joint effort to preserve and improve our neighborhoods, open spaces and business corridors. By doing so, we not only improve the quality of life for our families and visitors, we also protect the appearance and safety of our community.



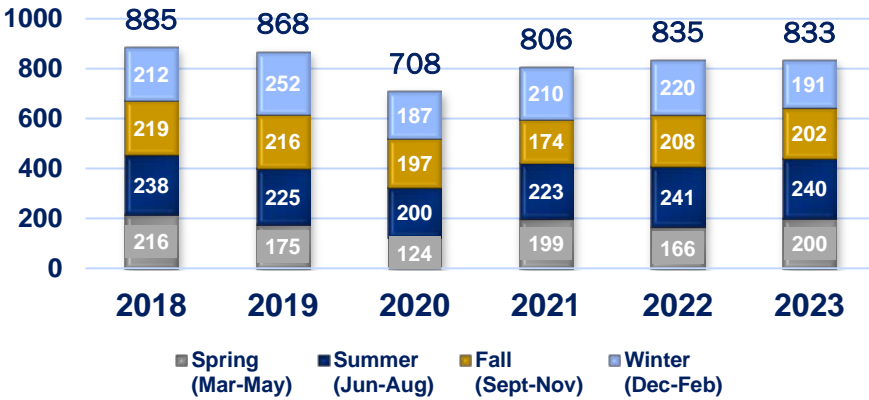
Types of calls that Code Enforcement typically handles include:

Graffiti, Abandoned/Inoperative Vehicles, Clearing of sidewalks, Overgrown trees/shrubs prohibiting visibility in the public right of way and permit violations.

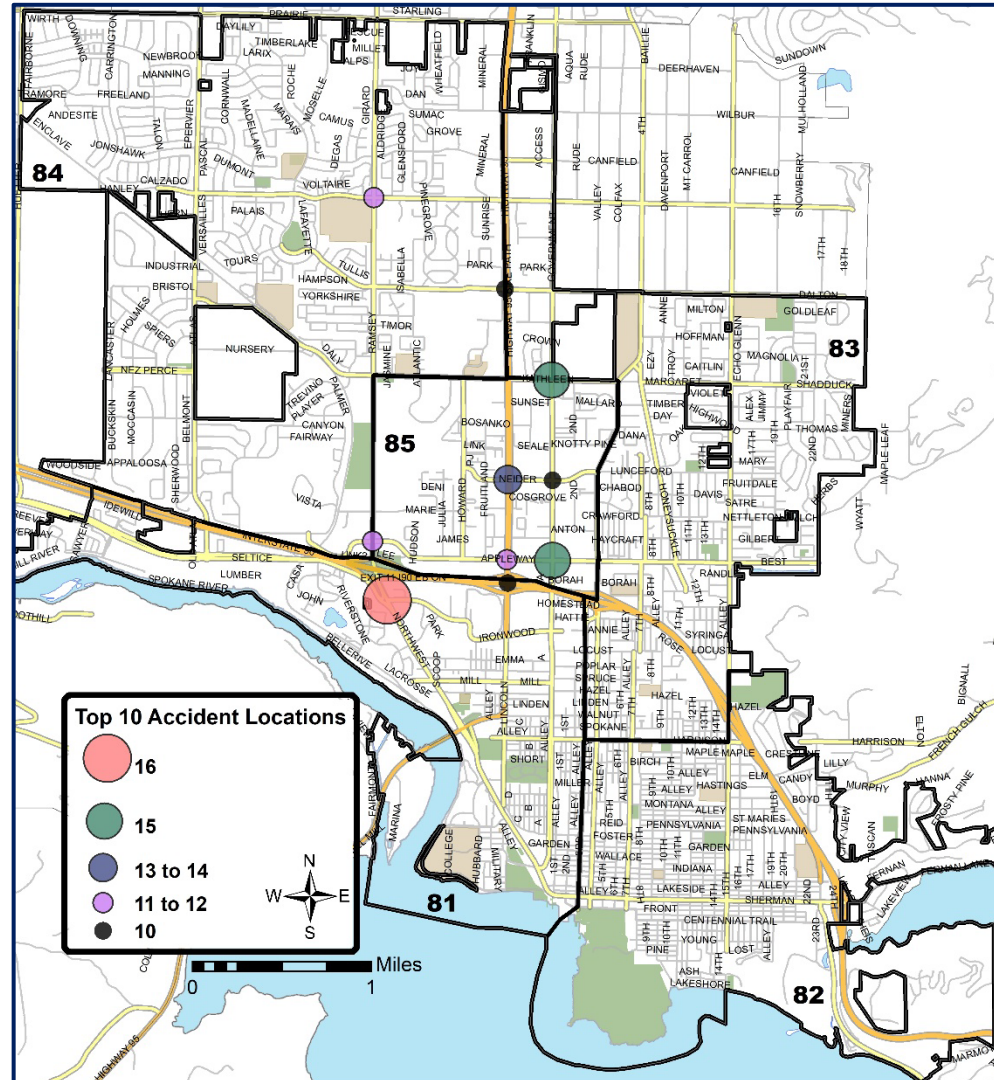


Accidents

Accidents by Year & Season



Repeat Accident Locations



Top 10 Accident Locations

Location	Count
W. Seltice Way & W. Ironwood Dr.	16
N. Government Way & W. Appleway Ave.	15
N. Government Way & E. Kathleen Ave.	15
N. Hwy 95 & W. Neider Ave.	14
N. Hwy 95 & W. Appleway Ave.	12
N. Ramsey Rd. & W. Hanley Ave.	12
N. Ramsey Rd. & W. Appleway Ave.	12
N. Government Way & E. Neider Ave.	10
N. Hwy 95 & I-90 overpass	10
N. Hwy 95 & W. Dalton Ave.	10



Coeur d'Alene Police: K9 Unit

K9 Yasko and K9 Ramos were selected to join the Coeur d'Alene Police Department in September of 2022 and obtained their certifications in December of 2022.

Officer Vestman
& K9 Yasko



Officer Bangs
& K9 Ramos



K9 Unit

Deployments: 386
Felony Arrests: 112



Coeur d'Alene Police: Volunteer Program

Volunteers spend time serving Investigations, Patrol, Records, Community Relations Unit and COPS (Citizens on Patrol) program.

Our 16 civilian volunteers spent just over 1,799 hours serving the department in 2023. During this time they handled 740 abandoned vehicles and issued 667 parking related citations.





Coeur d'Alene Police: Media

Success in Downtown CDA

CDA Press – 09/28/2023

Compared to previous years, the summer of 2023 in downtown has been peaceful, and much of the credit goes to the city's downtown enforcement unit and a bond between police and downtown businesses.

It's the first summer a five-officer task force was dedicated to downtown. Their constant presence made a difference.

From June to August this year, police calls for service and officer-initiated calls totaled 1,224. That's down from 1,406 last year, and 1,604 in 2021.

From two years ago, police calls and officer-initiated activity this summer were down more than 20%.



<https://cdapress.com/news/2023/sep/24/Downtown-police/>
https://www.kxly.com/news/coeur-dalene-police-task-force-reduces-downtown-crime-during-the-summer/article_f7a9c15a-5d90-11ee-9ef9-17d6fbd31380.html

8th Annual Toy Drive

Since 2015, CDA Police has collected approximately \$100,000 in new toys and donations to be delivered by officers and family to Kootenai Health and Sacred Heart Children's Hospital during the holidays.

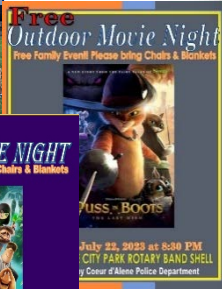


https://www.kxly.com/news/coeur-dalene-police-foundation-holding-annual-toy-drive/article_4ea7bb66-8fb3-11ee-8d2f-fb5d2ffcce7b.html



Crime Prevention

To strengthen, empower and cultivate proactive partnerships within the community of Coeur d'Alene, utilizing innovative crime prevention techniques as well as educational program through public outreach.



PROPERTY CRIME PREVENTION TIPS



LOCK IT

Ensure your car doors and all doors to your residence are kept locked.



LIGHT IT

Leave exterior residence lights on at night or utilize motion detecting lights.



HIDE IT

Keep valuables in your garage, car, and home out of sight.



REMOVE IT

Don't keep valuables, including spare keys and garage openers in your car.



CLOSE IT

Keep your garage door closed and double-check it is closed at night.



REPORT IT

Report all crime & suspicious activity immediately.



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Our vision is a solid level of trust, confidence, and mutual respect with the community as we together develop positive alternative and solutions to improve the quality of life for all the citizens of Coeur d'Alene.