## TUALATIN



2022 ANNUAL REPORT

POLICE



### OUR MISSION

WE ARE DEDICATED TO A SAFE COMMUNITY AND EXCELLENCE IN CUSTOMER SERVICE.

WE RECOGNIZE AND APPRECIATE OFFICER ERIC HERMANN FOR HIS CONTRIBUTION OF MOST PHOTOS SHOWN THROUGHOUT THIS ANNUAL REPORT.



### OUR VALUES

WE ARE A PROFESSIONAL, PROGRESSIVE LAW ENFORCEMENT FAMILY WHOSE MEMBERS ARE OUR GREATEST ASSETS. WE STRIVE TO IMPROVE LIVABILITY FOR OUR CITIZENS THROUGH PUBLIC INTERACTION, DEDICATION, CUSTOMER SERVICE, AND PARTNERSHIPS WITH THE COMMUNITY. OUR FAMILY IS PROUD TO TAKE CARE OF YOURS.

STATE ACCREDITED SINCE 2009





## CHIEF'S MESSAGE

2022 BROUGHT MANY CHANGES TO THE TUALATIN POLICE DEPARTMENT. A REEMERGENCE FROM A PANDEMIC, A RETIREMENT, REIMAGINING OF LAW ENFORCEMENT ACROSS THE COUNTRY, AND A RENEWED EFFORT TO REENGAGE WITH THE COMMUNITY.

THROUGH ALL OF THIS CHANGE, THE MEMBERS OF THE TUALATIN POLICE DEPARTMENT CONTINUED TO REMAIN FLEXIBLE AND OPEN TO THE CHANGES. THEY CONTINUED TO STRIVE TO PROVIDE A SAFE COMMUNITY AND EXCELLENCE IN CUSTOMER SERVICE.

IN LATE APRIL AND EARLY MAY, THE DEPARTMENT FULLY IMPLEMENTED OUR BODY WORN CAMERA SYSTEM. TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ARE AT THE FOREFRONT OF THIS PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THE DEPARTMENT ISSUES A BODY WORN CAMERA TO EVERY OFFICER IN UNIFORM TO WEAR WHILE ON DUTY.

In June, the department said goodbye to Chief Bill Steele after 6 years of service to the City of Tualatin. I am honored to have been selected as Tualatin's fourth Police Chief. I am dedicated to continuing to provide the best customer service to our community and to providing a safe place to live, work, and play.

THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, WE WORKED HARD TO REENGAGE WITH THE COMMUNITY, PARTICIPATING IN COMMUNITY EVENTS SUCH AS VIVA TUALATIN AND NATIONAL NIGHT OUT. WE ALSO HOSTED OUR FIRST POLICE DEPARTMENT OPEN HOUSE AS PART OF THE NATIONAL FAITH AND BLUE WEEKEND, WHICH AIMED TO RECONNECT THE PUBLIC WITH THE POLICE DEPARTMENT. WE ARE EXCITED TO CONTINUE THESE EVENTS AND OUR OUTREACH EFFORTS.

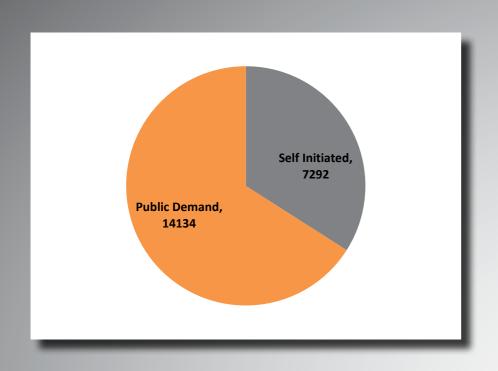
THE MEMBERS OF THE TUALATIN POLICE DEPARTMENT ARE PROUD TO SERVE THIS COMMUNITY. WE ARE EXCITED TO CONTINUE TO SERVE THE CITY OF TUALATIN THIS YEAR, AND INTO THE FUTURE.

THANK YOU,

GREG PICKERING

CHIEF OF POLICE





## PATROL DIVISION

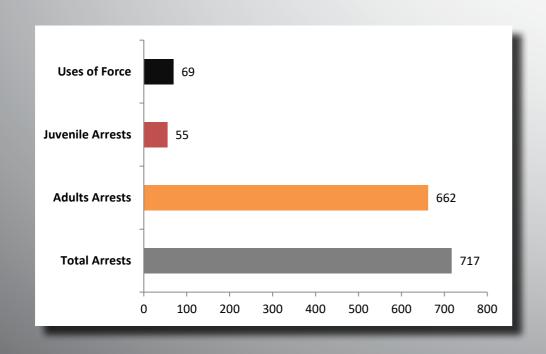
THIS GRAPH REPRESENTS ALL POLICE ACTIVITY IN TUALATIN AND DURHAM, INCLUDING CALLS FROM THE PUBLIC AND SELF-INITIATED ACTIVITIES.



TOTAL POLICE ACTIVITY

21,426 CALLS FOR SERVICE IN 2022

#### ARRESTS, USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS & COMPLAINTS





THE PATROL OFFICERS AND SERGEANTS ARE ASSIGNED TO SPECIFIC PATROL DISTRICTS WHERE THEY BECOME AN IMPORTANT PART OF THOSE AREAS. THE OFFICERS AND SERGEANTS GET TO KNOW WHO AND WHAT IS A PART OF THEIR DISTRICT, AND THEY BECOME THE "FACE OF THE CITY" TO THE RESIDENTS THEY SERVE. OUT OF THE 21,426 CALLS FOR SERVICE, TUALATIN POLICE RECEIVED NO CITIZEN COMPLAINTS.

- MAJOR CRIMES TEAM CALLOUTS 14
- OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING INVESTIGATIONS 1
- ROBBERY INVESTIGATIONS 21
- AGGRAVATED ASSAULT INVESTIGATIONS 42
- ARSON INVESTIGATIONS 3
- SEXUAL OFFENSE INVESTIGATIONS 33

IN 2022, DETECTIVES INVESTIGATED SEVERAL ASSAULTS, BURGLARIES, ARMED ROBBERIES, SEX CRIMES AND CHILD ABUSE ALLEGATIONS. ADDITIONALLY, DETECTIVES HELPED INVESTIGATE MULTIPLE WASHINGTON COUNTY MURDER CASES AND AN OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING.



Numbers can reflect incidents not only in Tualatin but throughout Washington and Clackamas Counties.

## INVESTIGATIONS

#### TUALATIN POLICE DETECTIVES PARTICIPATE IN SEVERAL MULTI-AGENCY TEAMS:

- CLACKAMAS COUNTY MAJOR CRIMES TEAM
- WASHINGTON COUNTY MAJOR CRIMES TEAM
- ELDER SAFE TEAM
- SEX ABUSE RESPONSE TEAM
- CHILD ABUSE MULTI-DISCIPLINARY TEAM
- METAL THEFT TASK FORCE
- ORGANIZED RETAIL CRIME ASSOCIATION



THE RECORDS DIVISION IS THE POLICE DEPARTMENT'S FIRST POINT OF CONTACT, WHETHER BY TELEPHONE OR IN PERSON, AND IS COMPRISED OF THREE POLICE SERVICES TECHNICIANS AND ONE SUPERVISOR.

TUALATIN POLICE DEPARTMENT RECEIVED 1958 PUBLIC RECORDS REQUESTS IN 2022.

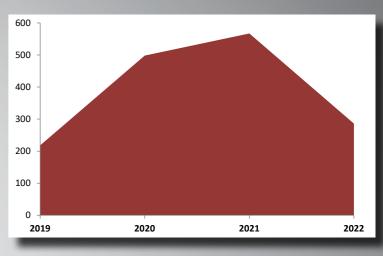
#### WHAT WE DO...

THE RECORDS DIVISION PROVIDES ESSENTIAL ASSISTANCE TO TUALATIN OFFICERS, ADMINISTRATION, OTHER CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCIES AND THE PEOPLE OF TUALATIN. THE MEMBERS OF THE RECORDS DIVISION TAKE GREAT PRIDE IN PROVIDING EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE WHILE OFFERING ASSISTANCE WITH ACCURATE AND UP-TO-DATE CRIME DATA INFORMATION.

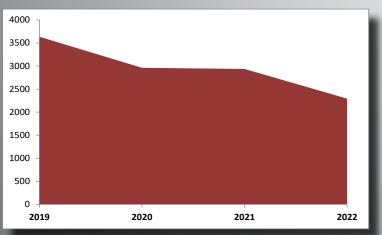
TUALATIN POLICE SERVICES TECHNICIANS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ASPECTS OF DOCUMENT CONTROL, TO INCLUDE COPYING, DISTRIBUTION, DATA ENTRY AND FILING OF POLICE REPORTS, RECORDS AND CITATIONS.

## RECORDS DIVISION

#### CRIMINAL CITATIONS ENTERED

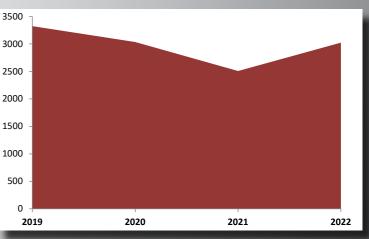


#### TRAFFIC CITATIONS ENTERED



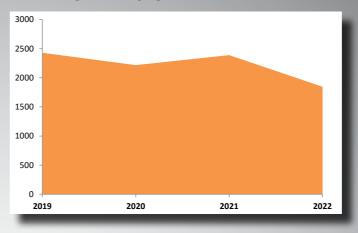


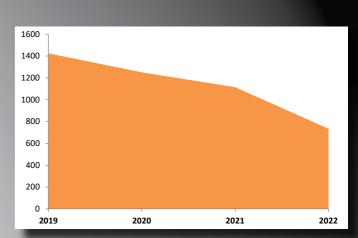
#### CASE REPORTS ENTERED





#### CITATIONS ISSUED BY THE TRAFFIC DIVISION

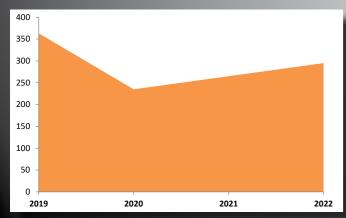




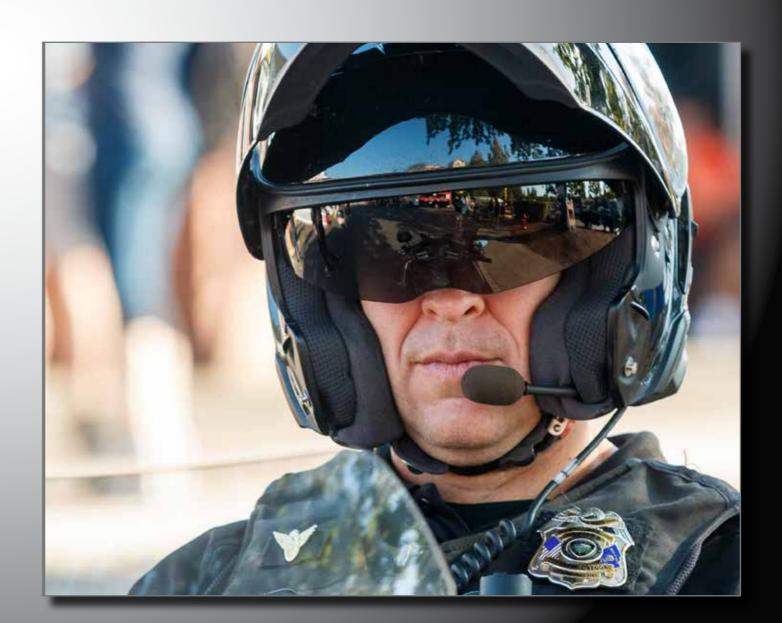
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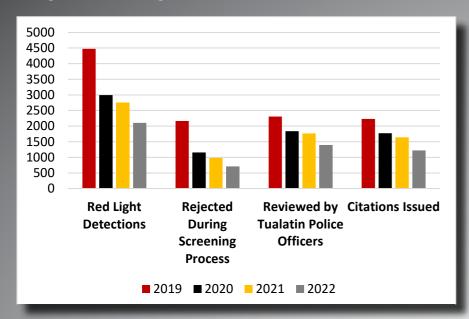
#### TRAFFIC CRASHES



THE TRAFFIC TEAM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ENFORCING TRAFFIC LAWS, EDUCATING THE PUBLIC, INVESTIGATING CRASHES AND EVALUATING THE INTERSECTION SAFETY CAMERA CITATIONS FOR FINAL APPROVAL. IN 2022, THE TRAFFIC TEAM WAS COMPRISED OF TWO OFFICERS ON MOTORCYCLES AND ONE IN A PATROL CAR.



#### SW Tualatin-Sherwood Rd At SW Avery St



THE CITY OF TUALATIN BEGAN UTILIZING INTERSECTION SAFETY CAMERAS, ALSO KNOWN AS PHOTO RED LIGHT CAMERA ENFORCEMENT, IN DECEMBER 2010. THE OBJECTIVE OF THE INTERSECTION SAFEY CAMERAS WAS TO REDUCE TRAFFIC CRASHES AT INTERSECTIONS, REDUCE THE NUMBER OF RED LIGHT VIOLATIONS, CHANGE THE BEHAVIOR OF DRIVERS WHO TRAVEL THROUGH THE CITY OF TUALATIN, REDUCE TRAFFIC CONGESTION AND IMPROVE OFFICER SAFETY.

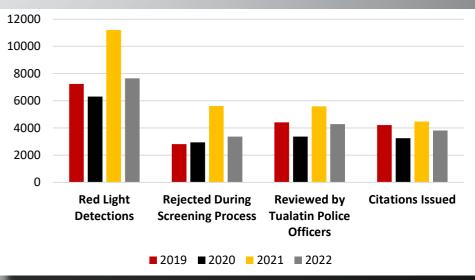
Tualatin currently has two operational safety camera intersections. They are located at SW Tualatin-Sherwood Road at Avery Street and at SW Lower Boones Ferry Road at Bridgeport Road/72nd Street.

When a violation occurs and a camera image is captured, a citation is not automatically generated. An initial screening of the camera image is done by the intersection safety camera system company, Verra Mobility. If they feel a violation has potentially occurred, the image is sent to Tualatin Police Department for an officer to review and determine if an actual violation has occurred. An officer makes the final decision on whether a citation is issued and mailed to the registered owner.

## INTERSECTION SAFETY CAMERAS



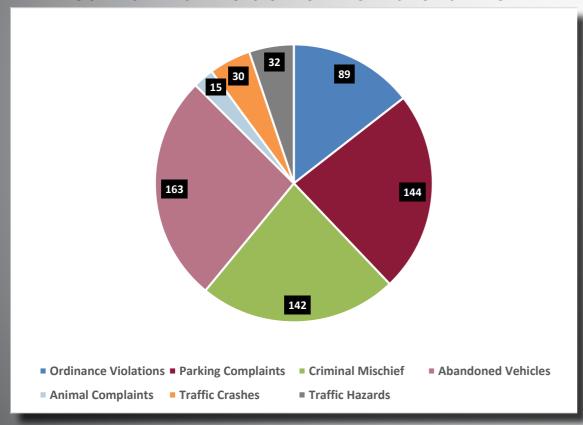
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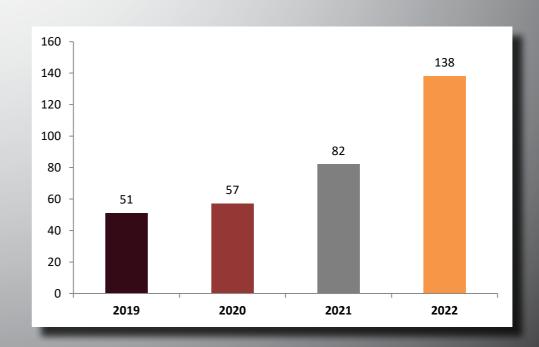
THE COMMUNITY SERVICES OFFICER (CSO) IS RESPONSIBLE FOR INVESTIGATING CIVIL COMPLAINTS AND CODE VIOLATIONS. THE CSO'S GOAL IS TO GAIN VOLUNTARY COMPLIANCE WITH CITY CODE VIOLATIONS. THE CSO ALSO ASSISTS WITH CRIME SCENES, TRAFFIC CONTROL, INFORMATION COLLECTION AND ORGANIZATION, AND REPORTING OF MINOR CRIMES, SUCH AS GRAFFITI.

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICES OFFICER - CALLS FOR SERVICE**



# COMMUNITY SERVICES OFFICER

THE PIE CHART TO THE LEFT REPRESENTS THE CALLS FOR SERVICE THAT THE COMMUNITY SERVICES OFFICER RESPONDED TO IN 2022. THE BAR GRAPH REPRESENTS TOTAL GRAFFITI REPORTS OVER THE LAST FOUR YEARS.

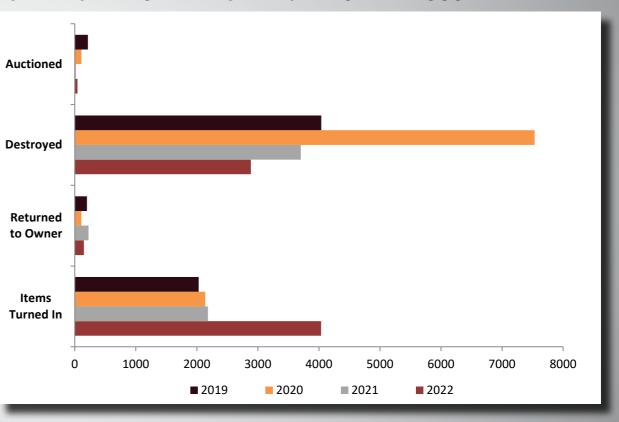


## PROPERTY & EVIDENCE

THE PROPERTY AND EVIDENCE DIVISION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE HANDLING AND STORAGE OF ALL ITEMS WITHIN THE PROPERTY ROOM. THE PROPERTY TECHNICIAN IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THE ACCURACY OF ALL SUBMISSIONS TO THE OREGON STATE CRIME LAB, MAINTAINING ACCURATE INVENTORIES OF ALL HIGH-RISK ITEMS WHICH INCLUDE NARCOTICS, CURRENCY AND WEAPONS.



TOTAL PROPERTY & EVIDENCE ITEMS IN 2022 = 4035



## MENTAL HEALTH RESPONSE TEAM

In 2022, Tualatin Police Department, along with neighboring police agencies, continued their partnership in the Washington County Mental Health Response Team (MHRT).

THE MHRT IS A TEAM, SKILLED AT CRISIS INTERVENTION AND SAFETY PLANNING, MADE UP OF A CRISIS CLINICIAN AND A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER. TOGETHER, THEY RESPOND TO CALLS FOR SERVICE WITH A BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COMPONENT. THIS TEAM APPROACH ALLOWS FOR BETTER RESOURCE AND INFORMATION SHARING, IN ORDER TO DIVERT PEOPLE FROM THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM AND GET THEM THE HELP THEY NEED.





DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR, THE TWO SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS (SROS) MAKE IT A PRIORITY TO PROVIDE A SAFE AND SECURE ENVIRONMENT FOR STAFF AND STUDENTS IN THE VARIOUS TUALATIN SCHOOLS TO HELP PROMOTE A SAFE, EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENT. THEY CONDUCT CLASSROOM PRESENTATIONS THAT FOCUS ON LAWS AND FAMILIARIZATION WITH THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM. THE SROS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR INVESTIGATING CHILD ABUSE CASES, TO INCLUDE DHS REFERRALS, AND INVESTIGATE LOCAL AND STATE LAWS WITHIN THE SCHOOLS, WHEN APPLICABLE. THE SROS DEVOTE THEIR SUMMERS TO THE TUALATIN POLICE SUMMER PROGRAM, GIVING STUDENTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO ATTEND A POSITIVE, EDUCATIONALLY FOCUSED SUMMER CAMP AT A MINIMAL COST. THE TUALATIN POLICE SUMMER PROGRAM ALSO PROMOTES THE VALUES OF THE TIGARD TUALATIN SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH BEING RESPONSIBLE, RESPECTFUL AND SAFE.





# SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS

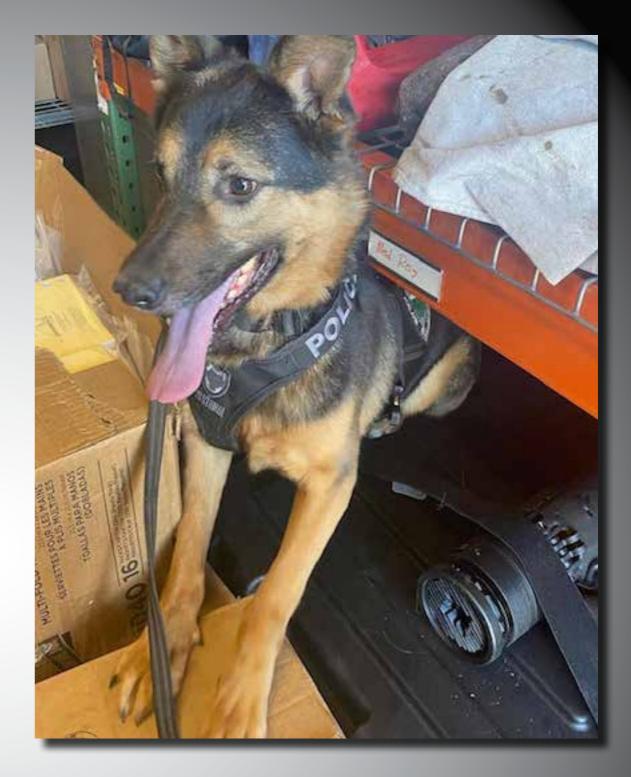




## K9 TONY

IN 2022, K9 TONY SNIFFED 35 VEHICLES, 73 ROOMS, AND 14 PARCELS. HE LOCATED AND RECOVERED 13 GUNS, APPROXIMATELY 90,000 PILLS OF FENTANYL, 935 GRAMS OF HEROIN, 2,043 GRAMS OF COCAINE, 8,611.04 GRAMS OF METHAMPHETAMINE AND \$24,131 IN CASH.





K9 Tony is tested and recertified annually in NARCOTIC DETECTION STANDARDS THROUGH THE OREGON POLICE CANINE ASSOCIATION.



# PARADES & EVENTS







TUALATIN POLICE PARTICIPATED IN THE LOCAL HOLIDAY PARADE AS WELL AS NEIGHBORHOOD NATIONAL NIGHT OUT EVENTS.



# FAITH & BLUE







TUALATIN POLICE AND HORIZON/
ESPERANZA COMMUNITY CHURCH
CO-HOSTED A FAITH & BLUE OPEN
HOUSE EVENT IN THE SUMMER OF
2022. WE RECOGNIZE THAT STRONG
COMMUNITIES ARE BUILT ON MUTUAL
RESPECT, TRUST, AND UNDERSTANDING. LAW ENFORCEMENT ENTITIES
AND FAITH-BASED GROUPS ARE KEY
PILLARS OF A LOCAL COMMUNITY,
AND WHEN WE ALL WORK TOGETHER,
NEIGHBORHOODS THRIVE.





## NATIONAL DRUG TAKE-BACK DAY





TUALATIN POLICE DEPARTMENT PARTNERED WITH THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION (DEA) FOR NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE-BACK DAY IN THE FALL AND SPRING. THIS GAVE COMMUNITY MEMBERS AN OPPORTUNITY TO BRING IN UNWANTED OR EXPIRED PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS AND OVERTHE-COUNTER MEDICINES TO BE DISPOSED OF IN A WAY THAT IS SAFER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT. ADDITIONALLY, THE TUALATIN POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFERS A PRESCRIPTION DROP-BOX IN THE LOBBY DURING BUSINESS HOURS, YEAR ROUND.

JUST OVER 500 LBS. OF DRUGS WERE COLLECTED IN 2022.









Members of the tualatin police department took part in giving gifts, clothing and food to several less fortunate families during the back-to-school and holiday seasons. This was all made possible through donations from the Tualatin Community Police Foundation and generous department members, through Tualatin Police Department's Adopt-A-Family Program, and holiday and back-to-school Shop With a Cop events.

TRAFFIC OFFICERS WERE ALSO ABLE TO PASS OUT TURKEYS, INSTEAD OF TICKETS, FOR THE THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY. THIS WAS MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH A VERY GENEROUS DONATION OF TURKEYS FROM PERLO CONSTRUCTION.







### DEPARTMENT MEMBERS & CITY COUNCIL





#### CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

- FRANK BUBENIK MAYOR
- OCTAVIO GONZALEZ COUNCIL PRESIDENT
- VALERIE PRATT CITY COUNCILOR
- BRIDGET BROOKS CITY COUNCILOR
- CYNDY HILLIER CITY COUNCILOR
- MARIA REYES CITY COUNCILOR
- CHRISTEN SACCO CITY COUNCILOR
- SHERILYN LOMBOS CITY MANAGER

#### **SWORN MEMBERS**

- GREG PICKERING CHIEF OF POLICE
- BRIAN STRUCKMEIER PATROL DIVISION CAPTAIN
- JEREMY RANKIN SUPPORT DIVISION CAPTAIN . BRENT POWELL DETECTIVE
- MARK WADDELL COMMUNITY SERVICES **SERGEANT**
- SETH CECILIANI PATROL SERGEANT
- CHRIS TURNER PATROL SERGEANT
- ERIC FRENCH PATROL SERGEANT

#### PROFESSIONAL STAFF

- MARY SHROLL OFFICE COORDINATOR
- JENNIFER MASSEY PROGRAM COORDINATOR
- KEN FROESCHER CSO
- ATHENA PAYNE POLICE SERVICES SUP.
- LINDSAY NATIONS POLICE SERVICES TECH.
- KELLY CHIZUM POLICE SERVICES TECH.
- JOSHUA KAPLAN POLICE SERVICES TECH.
- DENISE LEVIN PROPERTY & EVIDENCE TECH.
- NATE COOPER DETECTIVE SERGEANT
- MARK NEUMEISTER DETECTIVE
- ELI SANDERS DETECTIVE
- SAM RADAKOVICH CANINE OFFICER
- TONY K9

- BRIAN MILLER SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER
   MOLLY PFAFF PATROL OFFICER
- KEVIN MILLER SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER
- CAMERON MONTROSE TRAFFIC OFFICER
- JOHN VANDE BRAKE TRAFFIC OFFICER
- TAYLOR NOPSON TRAFFIC OFFICER
- HECTOR AGUILAR PATROL OFFICER
- CHRIS BOYLE PATROL OFFICER
- TOM BREWER PATROL OFFICER
- REY CHAVOLLA PATROL OFFICER
- JASON FARLOW PATROL OFFICER
- SHAWN FISCHER PATROL OFFICER
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- ERIC HERMANN PATROL OFFICER
- DANIEL HERNANDEZ PATROL OFFICER
- JESSICA LEMIEUX PATROL OFFICER

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