

ATLANTIC CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT



2017 ANNUAL REPORT





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MISSION STATEMENT

To promote public safety; to prevent, suppress and investigate crimes; to provide emergency and non-emergency services; to create and maintain strong community partnerships; to adapt a multi-disciplinary approach to solving community problems; and to develop and promote a diverse, professional workforce.



VALUE STATEMENT

The Atlantic City Police Department will commit its resources in partnership with the community to promote a safe and secure environment, free from crime and the fear of crime, to maintain order and provide for the safe and expeditious flow of traffic while practicing our core values of integrity, respect and service.

INTEGRITY

Integrity is the hallmark of the Atlantic City Police Department. We are committed to the highest performance standards, ethical conduct and truthfulness in all relationships. We hold ourselves accountable for our actions and take pride in a professional level of service to all

RESPECT

We treat all persons in a dignified and courteous manner and exhibit understanding of ethnic and cultural diversity both in our professional and personal endeavors. We guarantee to uphold the principles and values embodied in the Constitution of the United States and the State of New Jersey.

SERVICE

We believe that every member of our team has valuable skills that will contribute to our combined success. Utilizing these skills we will enhance the quality of life for our citizenry through a concerted effort, adopting a proactive approach to policing throughout the Twenty-First Century.

FAIRNESS

We will treat all people impartially with consideration and compassion. We are equally responsive to our employees and the community we serve.

Chief's Message

In 2017, the Atlantic City Police Department was called upon to serve the community in various ways. The men and women of the department stepped up to meet those challenges and performed diligently.

We implemented many positive changes to the police department while broadening our connections to the community. Much was accomplished this year and we have many new goals for the coming year.

Our major highlight was the opening of A.C.H.I.L.E.S (Atlantic City Headquarters for Intelligence, Logistics, Electronic Surveillance). This state of the art surveillance center allows us to access hundreds of cameras throughout Atlantic City.

This year marks the opening of several new properties in Atlantic City: Stockton University, the Hard Rock Hotel and Casino, and the Ocean Resort Casino. Thousands of jobs and tens of thousands of visitors are to be expected in Atlantic City as a result.

We will continue our involvement in community programs and plan to continue to expand our community policing.

Overall crime dropped in 2017 and we will continue our efforts to reduce crime in the city. We want to show that Atlantic City is a great place to visit and guests should not be concerned for their safety.

Maintaining a high level of performance



earned the department accreditation from the New Jersey State Association of Chief's of Police. The achievement of accreditation requires validation of our standards and professional objectives. This year we will work to achieve reaccreditation in 2019.

Crime mapping will also be available to the public through our website, increasing our transparency with the community.

In 2018 we will continue to provide a safe environment for our visitors, partner with our communities, and continue providing exceptional service to our city.



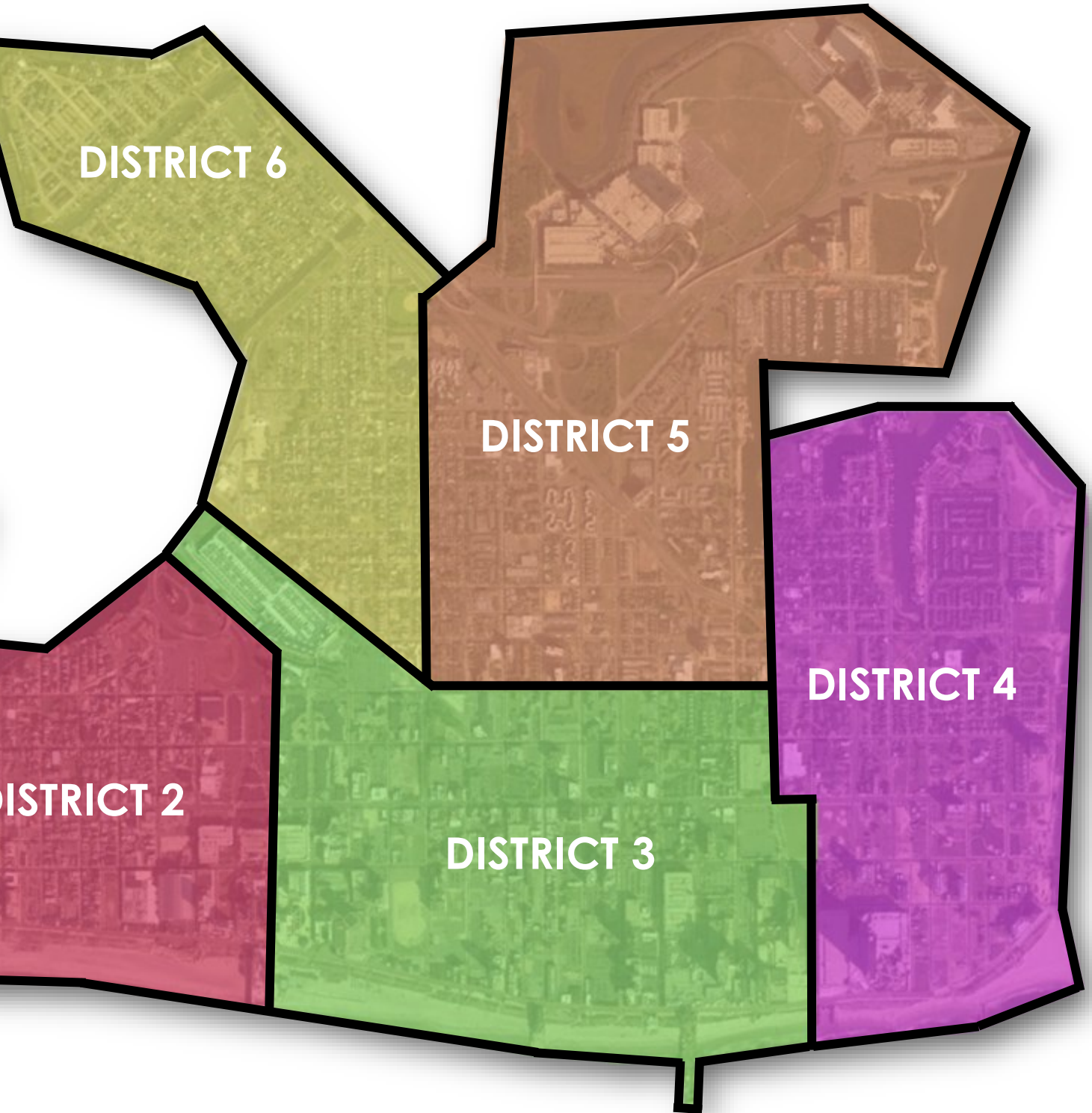
Henry M. White, Jr.
Chief of Police

YEAR IN REVIEW



DISTRICT 1

ACPD PATROL DISTRICTS



DISTRICT 6

DISTRICT 5

DISTRICT 4

DISTRICT 2

DISTRICT 3

2017 YEAR IN REVIEW



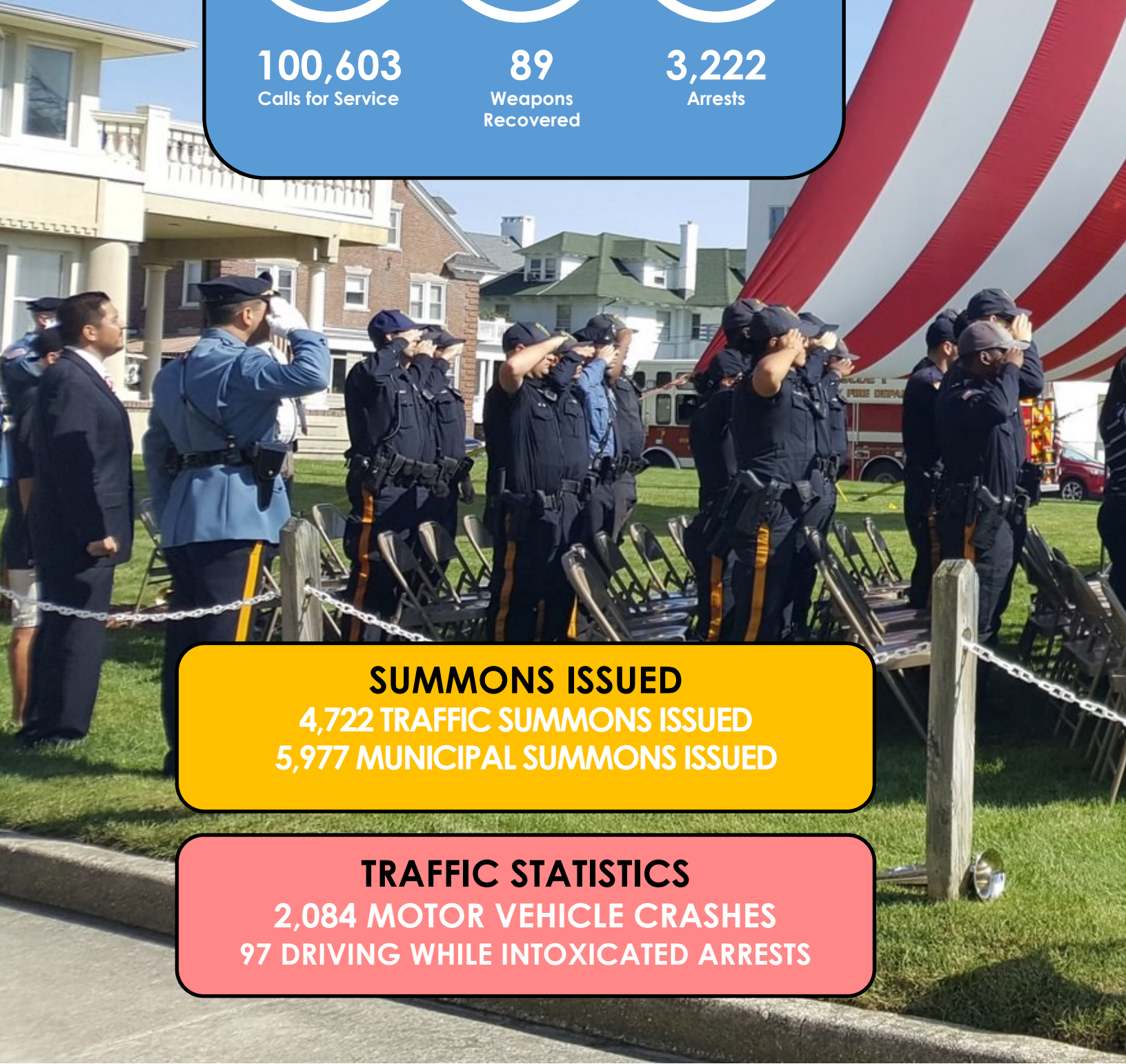
100,603
Calls for Service



89
Weapons
Recovered



3,222
Arrests



SUMMONS ISSUED

4,722 TRAFFIC SUMMONS ISSUED
5,977 MUNICIPAL SUMMONS ISSUED

TRAFFIC STATISTICS

2,084 MOTOR VEHICLE CRASHES
97 DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED ARRESTS

FINANCES

BUDGET

YEAR	ACTUAL BUDGET	% REDUCTION
2013	\$38,508,620	
2014	\$37,122,399	3.6%
2015	\$34,530,989	7.0%
2016	\$32,550,961	5.7%
2017	\$28,852,662	11.3%

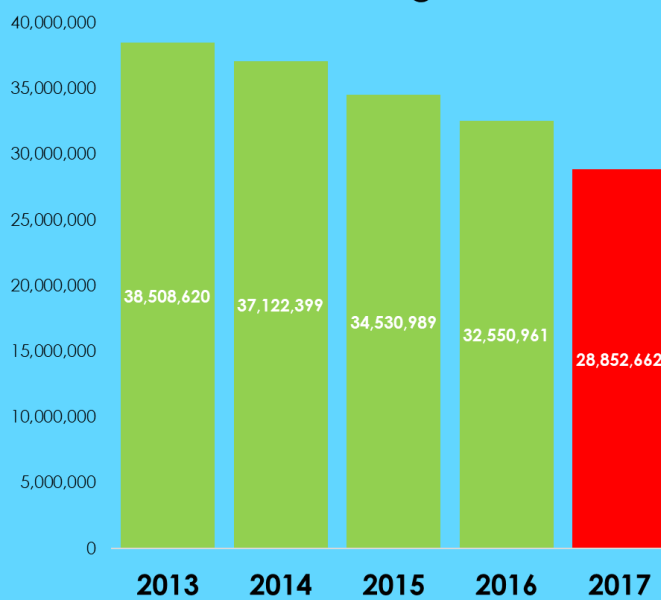
Budget has been reduced 25% (\$9.7 million) since 2013

REVENUE

SPECIAL EMPLOYMENT: \$591,496.38
TOW LOT: \$322,895.00
MUNICIPAL COURT: \$1,407,371.22

TOTAL: \$2,321,762.60

ACPD Budget



2017 CRIME STATISTICS

The Atlantic City Police Department relies on a strong partnership with the community and the utilization of technology to fight crime throughout the city.

Partnerships with criminologists allow for the assessment of risk based on location, or Risk Terrain Modeling (RTM). RTM was used to address an increase in burglaries through focused deployment.

A.C.H.I.L.E.S. has allowed for continuous monitoring of areas of the city. This has allowed for crimes to be disrupted and offenders stopped before crimes

are committed.

The Uniform Crime Report (UCR) compiles crime statistics, which are categorized by type.

The report focuses on seven categories, known as Part 1 Crimes.

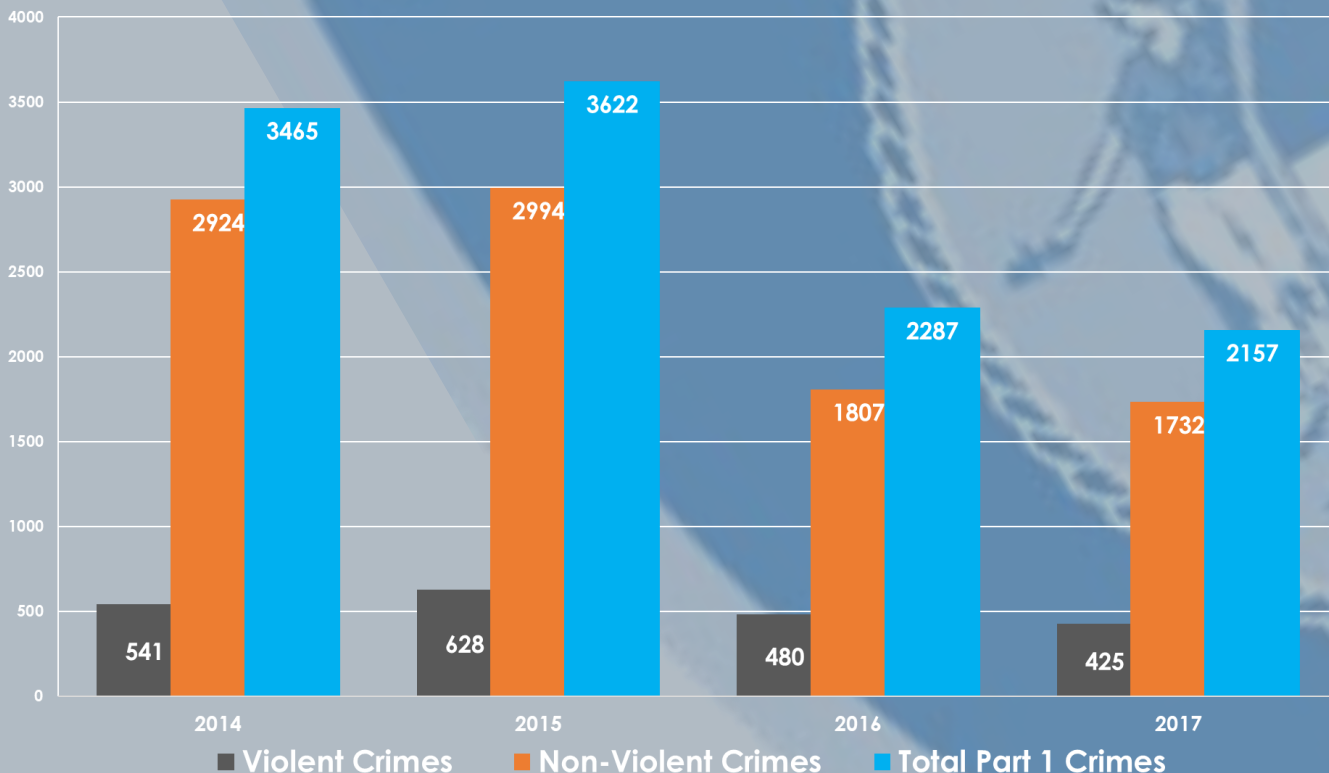
Statistics show that property crime was down **4.2%**, and Violent crime was reduced **11.5%**.

Non-fatal shootings were also reduced. In 2014, there were 42 non-fatal shootings. In 2017, there were half as many shootings.

2016-2017 CHANGE

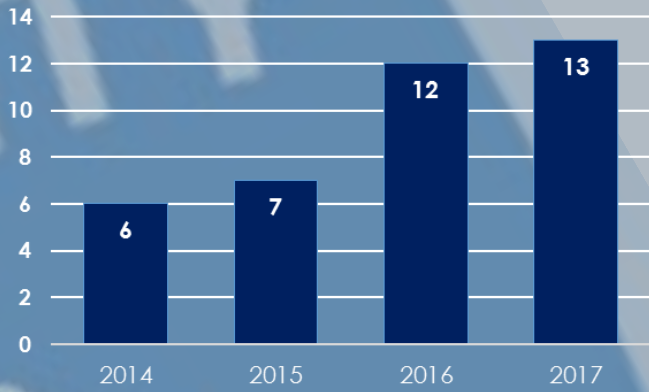
	DIFFERENCE 2016-2017	% CHANGE 2016-2017
Homicide	1 ▲	8.3%
Rape	1 ▲	4.3%
Robbery	-44 ▼	-16.2%
Assault	-13 ▼	-7.5%
Burglary	52 ▲	19.5%
Theft	-163 ▼	-11.2%
MV Theft	36 ▲	45.6%
Total	-429 ▼	-13.4%

TOTAL UCR PART 1 CRIMES

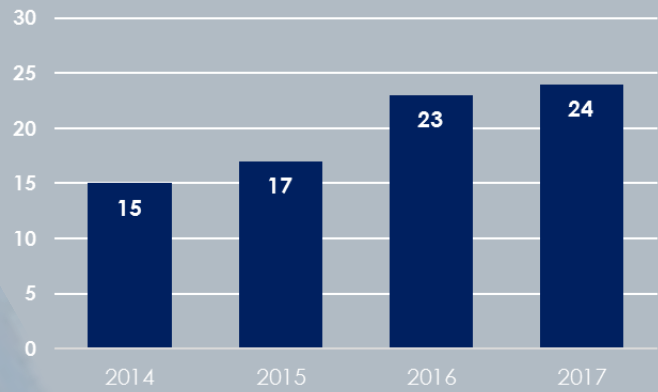


UCR PART 1 CRIMES

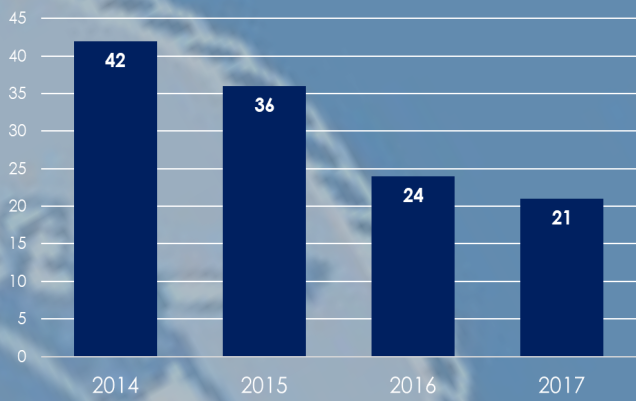
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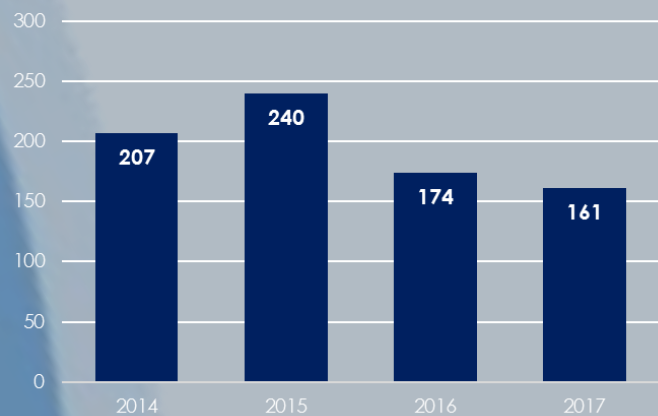
RAPE



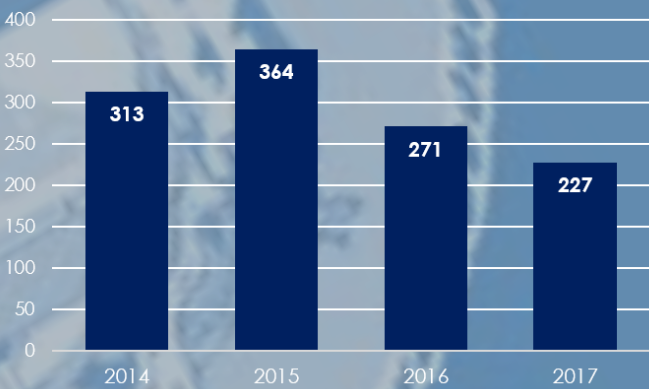
NON-FATAL SHOOTINGS



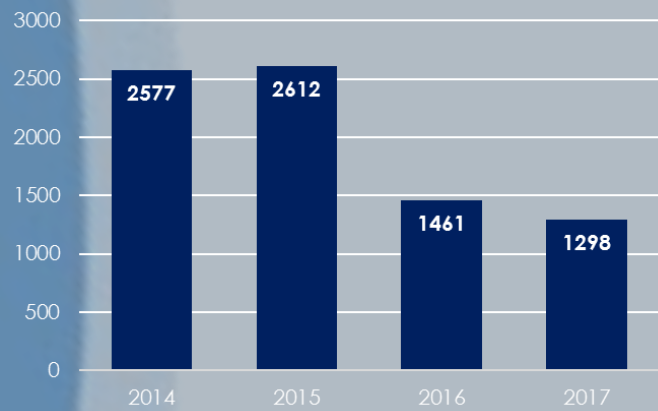
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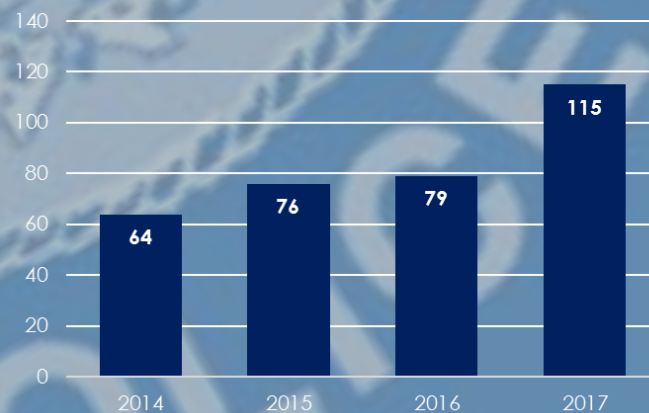
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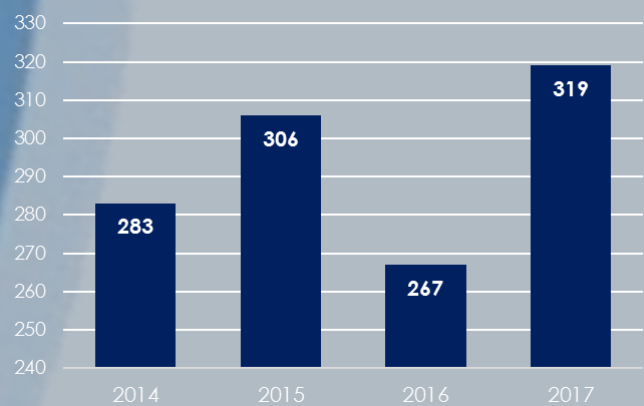
LARCENY / THEFT



MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT



BURGLARY



Source: NJSP UCR Statistics, ACPD



Atlantic City Headquarters for Intelligence, Logistics, Electronic Surveillance

In 2017, A.C.H.I.L.E.S. opened in the Public Safety Building. Staff monitor cameras throughout the city 24 hours a day, providing virtual patrols of the city to combat crime.

The facility also operates as a conference room, training and development center, and is the City of Atlantic City Emergency Operations Center for citywide incidents and events.

The facility is capable of linking to the medical center, school district, casinos, and other agencies. Mutual Link allows the various entities to communicate directly and share access to cameras.

Project P.A.C.T. (Protecting Atlantic City Together) provides residents and merchants an opportunity to allow access to their home or business surveillance cameras. This

provides an additional layer of security and monitoring to residents and merchants. It also increases the ability to respond to and monitor real time incidents.

The Emergency Operations Center allows for a fully functional command post during planned events and incidents occurring in the city. A.C.H.I.L.E.S. provides increased situational awareness while providing a central location for personnel from federal, state, and other local agencies to operate.

During the year, A.C.H.I.L.E.S. staff have been instrumental in fighting crime and virtually patrolling the streets, boardwalk, and beach of the city. They have been utilized in hundreds of investigations and calls for services.

Staff have been directly involved in 138 arrests and assisted countless investigations in the recovery of evidence and identification of suspects. They have also assisted in the reunification of families who have lost a child or loved one along the beach or boardwalk.

The facility is also utilized as a training center and has hosted training for agencies across the state.





RISK TERRAIN MODELING

LOCATION BASED RISK ASSESSMENT

The Atlantic City Police Department partnered with criminologists from Rutgers University to implement a new policing technique known as Risk Terrain Modeling (RTM).

RTM identifies risky locations for crime, enhancing the situational awareness of law enforcement. It provides real-time risk assessments about the context of crime incidents, offering strategies to prevent similar outcomes from future escalation.

It diagnoses the environmental attractors of crime that enable hotspots to emerge or persist, and is used by police to solve crime problems with a focus on places, not people.

The idea of risk-based policing is to assess risk, deploy resources, and check for success. With RTM, police focus on places, not people, to prevent crime and solve problems. The deploying of resources results in improved community relations, and hopefully, a reduction in crime.

The second main phase of this plan is the deployment of resources, fell on the ACPD. We saturated the at-risk areas that were identified through statistical analysis not to make arrests, but to make the area less desirable to criminals. This resulted in sign-in sheets being placed in select stores throughout the

City. It became a part of our officers daily routine to stop into these stores and engage in conversation with store merchants, owners, and customers. The officers log their interaction at a specific hotspot and at the end of each month, an analysis would check for success. We have seen the successes of RTM, and we continue this practice today.



53%
OF ROBBERIES
IN 2016
occurred in

0.2%
OF ATLANTIC CITY,
IDENTIFIED AS
CRIME-PRONE AREAS

Using his risk terrain modeling method, Dr. Joel Caplan discovered the bulk of crime in Atlantic City is concentrated in 10 small areas, helping police use resources more efficiently.



TOURISM DISTRICT UNIT

QUALITY OF LIFE ENFORCEMENT

Since 2016, the Casino Reinvestment Development Authority has allotted monies to fund a police unit that would specifically patrol the Tourism District within Atlantic City.

The unit primarily consists of Special Law Enforcement Officers, Class II. It is commanded by a police lieutenant and supervised by police sergeants.

The officers focus on crime and quality of life issues along the Boardwalk, beach, Pacific Avenue, and the Tanger Outlet stores.

Officers utilize marked patrol cars, Segway's, all terrain vehicles, bicycles, and foot patrols to conduct their tours.

The TDU's focus is active engagement with the community and active enforcement. A constant presence and visibility to the public acts as a deterrent to potential crime as well as an opportunity to easily assist the public.

Throughout their shift officers constantly check physical properties as well as make contact with businesses, visitors, and city residents.



13,135 COMMUNITY CONTACTS
11,272 PROPERTY CHECKS



2017 TOURISM DISTRICT STATISTICS

643 ARRESTS
1,586 TRAFFIC SUMMONSES
3,657 ORDINANCES ISSUED

EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM



RAPID, COORDINATED RESPONSE

The Atlantic City Police Department maintains an Emergency Response Team consisting of four parts: SWAT Team, the Bomb Squad, Mobile Command Post, and the Crisis Negotiation Team.

The Emergency Response Team not only responds to critical incidents, but our Bomb Squad and SWAT Team are routinely called upon by schools, organizations, and programs to provide demonstrations of their service.

BOMB SQUAD

The Bomb Squad is equipped with special utility and fully equipped bomb response vehicles, robots, fiber optics and portable x-ray capabilities. The Unit is also a member of the New Jersey Render Safe Task force, which is capable of activating 52 certified hazardous device technicians.

In 2017, the Bomb Squad conducted 23 investigations and participated in 28 special events and sweeps. They also took part in eight community outreach events, providing demonstrations to the crowd and allow for children and adults to try on their gear or tour the truck.

SWAT TEAM

The SWAT team consists of specially trained personnel capable of providing tactical response to hostage situations, barricaded

persons, sniper and terrorism incidents, crowd control during major disturbances or riots, work or school place violence and high-risk search warrant entries for various investigative units.

In 2017, the SWAT Team was activated 69 times resulting in the arrest of 46 individuals. These callouts ranged from the execution of a search warrant to a high risk apprehension. Like the Bomb Squad, the SWAT Team took part in 11 community outreach events. They are usually the top act for the children who get to try on a team member's helmet, ballistic vest, and carry a ram or shield. They also get to tour the Bearcat, our armored vehicle.

CRISIS NEGOTIATION TEAM

Crisis negotiators are called in incidents involving barricaded subjects, hostage takers, or persons threatening suicide. Crisis negotiators must establish contact with subjects, identify their demands, and work to resolve tense and often volatile standoffs without loss of life.

Crisis Negotiator Team members must have completed the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Crisis Negotiation course.

In 2017, our negotiators participated in the safe surrender of five individuals that were threatening suicide and one barricaded suspect.





SHOOTING INVESTIGATIONS

The Violent Crimes Unit (VCU) was formed in June of 2013 within the Criminal Investigations Section. The team is available at all times to investigate non-fatal shooting incidents within Atlantic City.

The team's specialized nature allows for highly concentrated investigations which are particularly successful within the field.

The team has a strong partnership with members of the community which has proven crucial in many investigations.

Additional monitoring techniques also contribute to an active gathering of intelligence, allowing the team to maintain situational awareness for violence within the city.

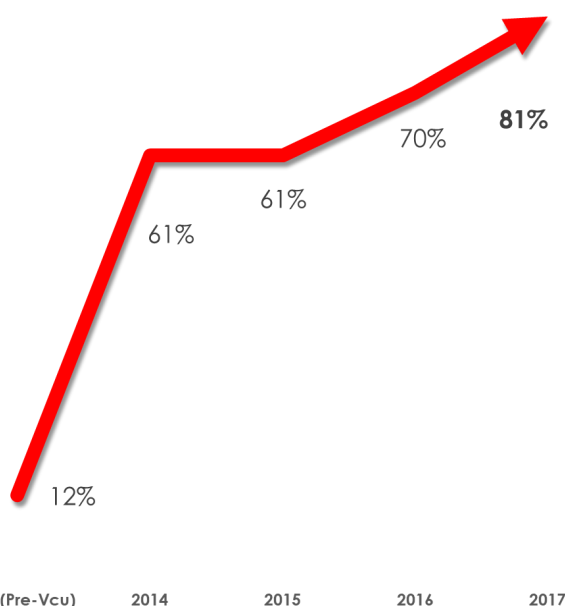
An increasing focus on the role of gang violence has also resulted in elevated charges, increasing prison sentences.

In 2017 the Violent Crimes Unit responded to

and investigated 21 non-fatal shootings. 17 cases have been solved, a solvability rate of **81%** which is well above the state average.

The ACPD Violent Crimes Unit continues to operate at an exceptional level, consistently solving non-fatal shootings far and above average.

SOLVABILITY RATE



VCU STATISTICS

	2014	2015	2016	2017
Non-Fatal Shootings	42	36	24	21
Arrests	41	26	28	29
Guns Recovered	9	9	11	12
Search Warrants	33	21	24	26



NARCOTICS INVESTIGATIONS

2017 ACPD DRUG SEIZURES

Drug	Grams	Pounds	Approximate Street Value
HEROIN	3,486.56 g	7.68 lb	\$348,656
COCAINE	1,118.71 g	2.47 lb	\$111,871
MARIJUANA	7,560.75 g	16.7 lb	\$142,000

FIGHTING THE OPIOID EPIDEMIC

Each year, the Atlantic City Police Department combats the possession and distribution of narcotics in our City through pro-active investigations, enforcement, and training. We combat these problems in many different ways.

At the Public Safety Building, residents can turn in expired or unused prescription drugs as a part of Project Medicine Drop. This is an effort to halt the abuse and diversion of prescription drugs. In 2017, 185 pounds of prescription drugs were turned in and destroyed by the ACPD.

The opioid epidemic in our country has cost us countless lives. ACPD patrol officers have been carrying Naloxone, or Narcan, since 2015. All members of the police department are trained in the use of the nasal spray which counteracts the life-threatening effects of an opioid overdose.

Additionally, we have provided training for the Police Chaplains, the Atlantic City Fire Department and the Atlantic City Beach Patrol in a citywide effort to combat the current epidemic.

There have been 44 Narcan deployments by the ACPD since the beginning of the program, with 22 of the deployments in 2017.

The program was recognized in June of 2017. The National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence presented an award to ACPD for its commitment and dedication to saving lives.

Our Special Investigations Unit actively investigates narcotics related crime leading to numerous arrests, large drug seizures, and the recovery of money connected to narcotics distribution.

During 2017, we recovered more than 26 pounds of heroin, cocaine, and marijuana with an estimated street value of over \$600,000. These numbers do not include the other narcotics that we recover throughout the year, such as: prescription pills, ecstasy, fentanyl, and PCP.

A photograph of a white and black Atlantic City Police car parked in a lot. The car has "EMERGENCY 911" on the rear and "POLICE" on the side. The text "INTERNAL AFFAIRS" is overlaid in large white and blue letters across the middle of the image.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS

FEWER USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS

During 2017, the Atlantic City Police Department continued to demonstrate a reduction in the amount of arrests requiring force and the amount of complaints made against officers.

Only 57 complaints were received during the year, many initiated by an ACPD supervisor and not a citizen. This is the third straight year that complaints have been under 60. Of these complaints, only 13 were for excessive force.

The total number of complaints and use of force reports have been reduced significantly over the past three years, while the number of arrests has remained steady.

Of the 100,603 calls for service only 267 required force to effect an arrest, or 0.26%. On average, less than 8% of arrests in 2017 required force. This is a reduction of 68% from 2013.

Only 4.9% of all use of force incidents resulted in a complaint of excessive force, (1 in 54).

Many of the Use of Force reports are for compliance holds alone, which is the least amount of force that can be used.

The department utilizes the Early Warning Alert System, a risk management procedure that offers the department methods to address any potential pattern,

practices, or changes in employee performance before they may develop into problems or deficiencies. The system also monitors positive performance.

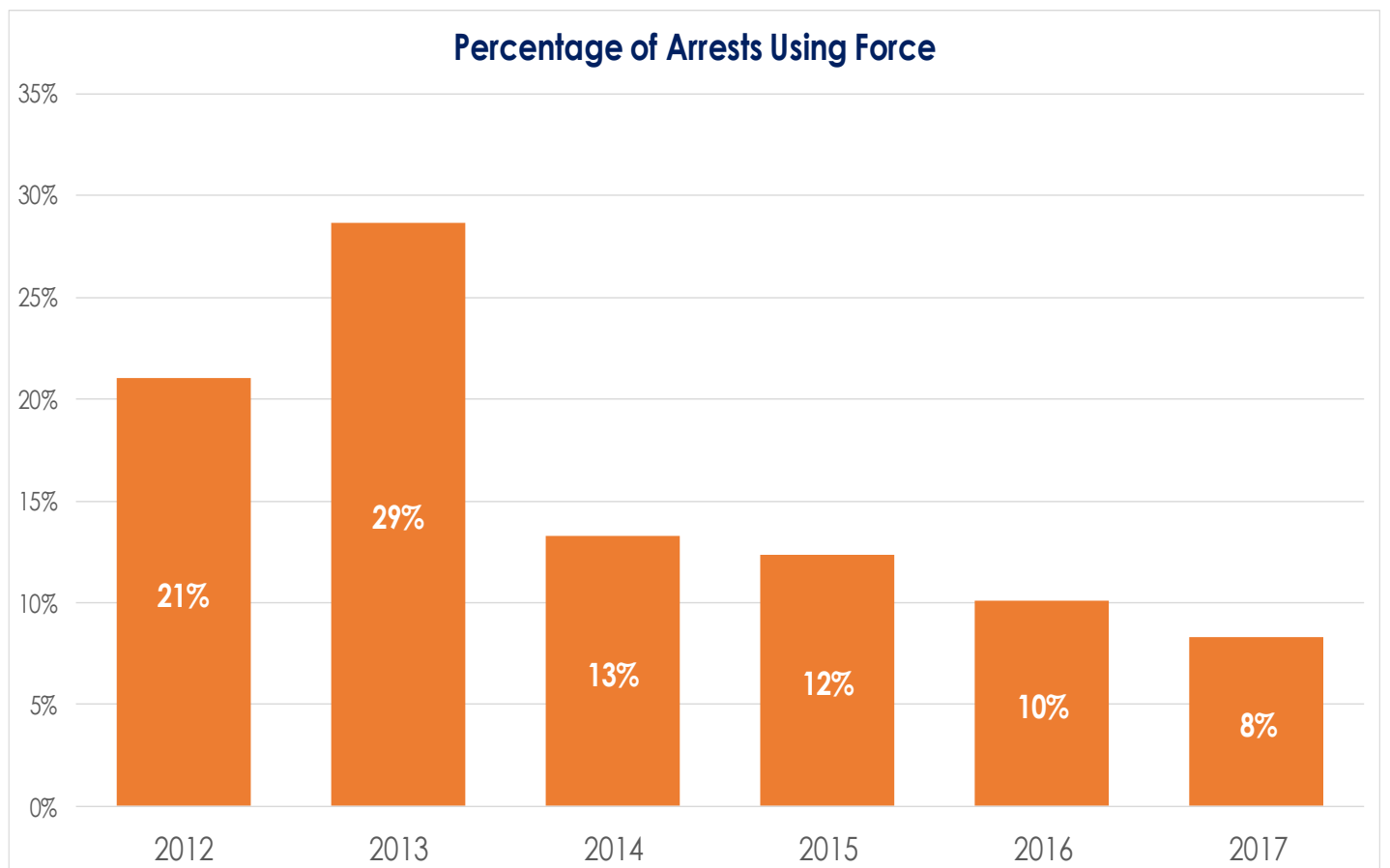
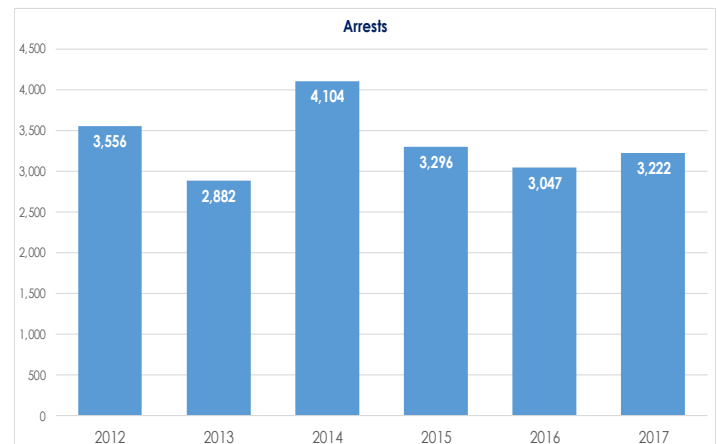
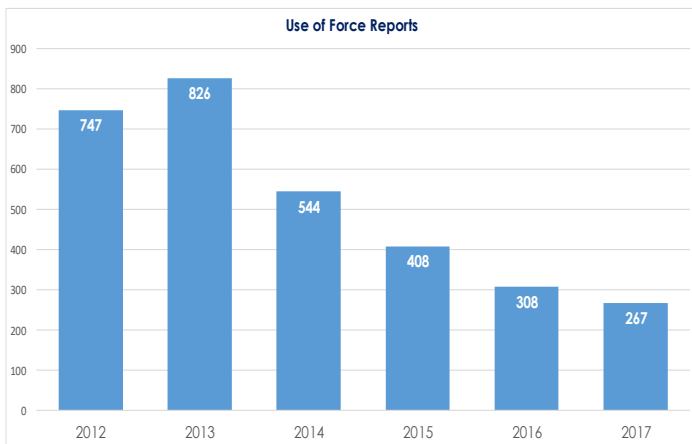
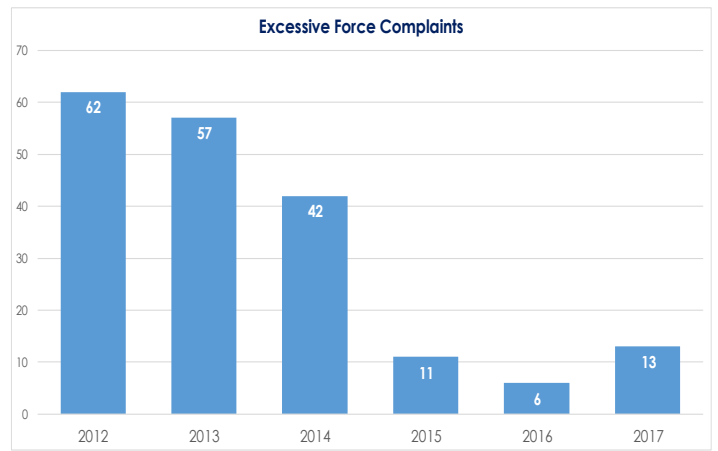
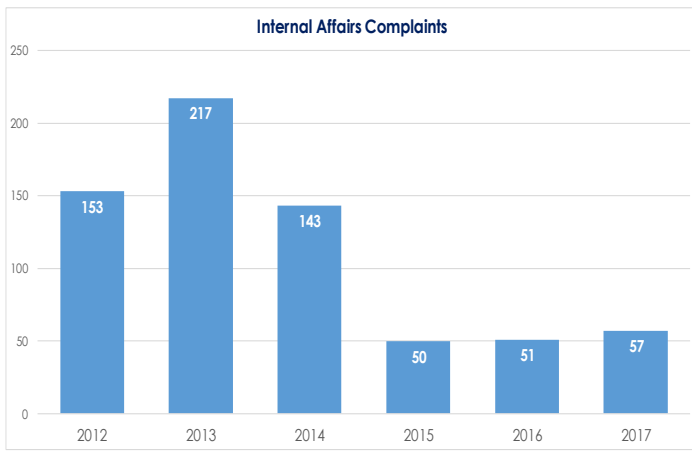
Each officer is also equipped with a body worn camera (BWC) which is activated on every call for service, regardless of the type or outcome.

Supervisors also routinely select random incidents to review all of the officers' cameras to ensure that officers are acting in accordance with departmental policies.

The cameras also allow Internal Affairs detectives to review citizen complaints and dismiss false charges.

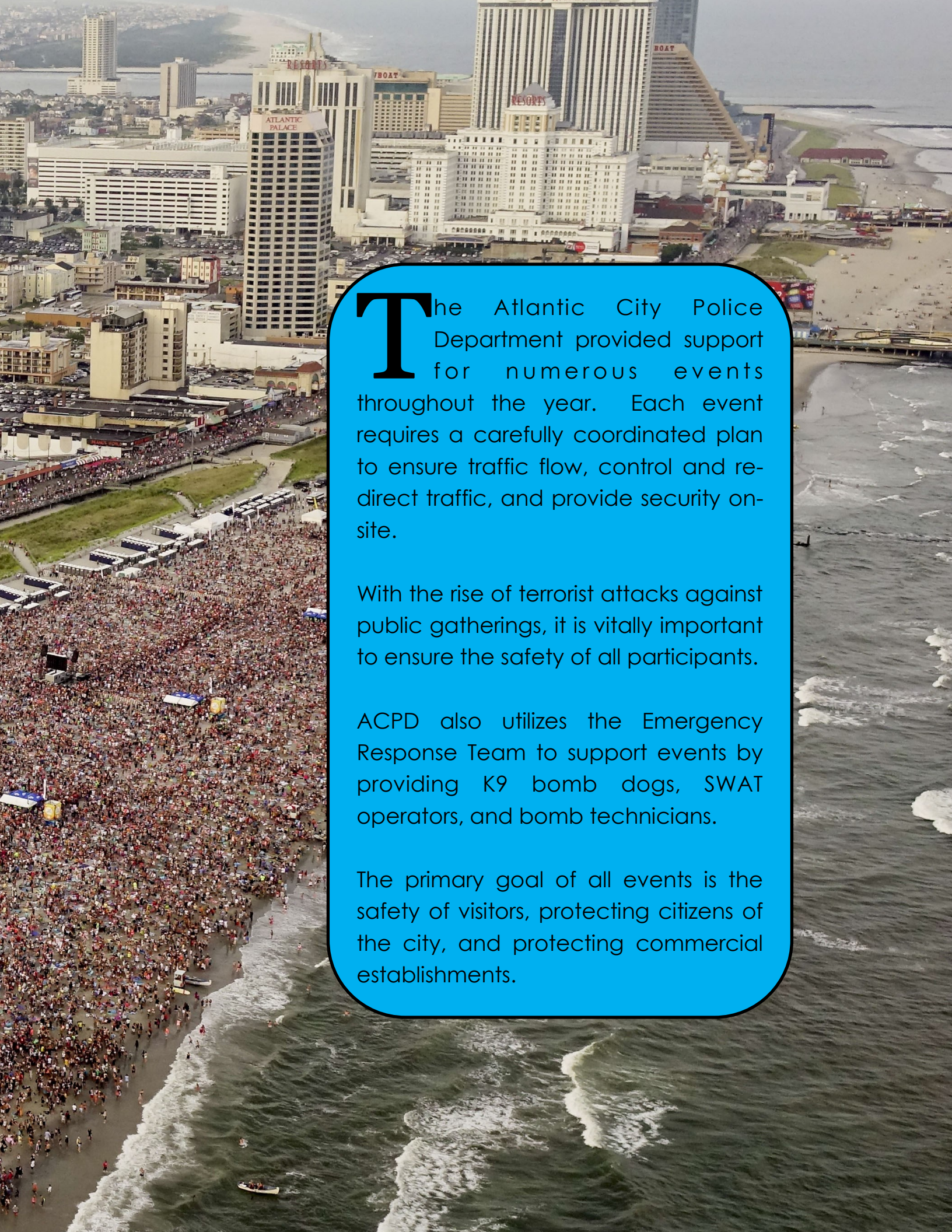
The results are obvious based upon the dramatic reduction in complaints and the reduction in force related arrests.







2017 SPECIAL EVENTS



The Atlantic City Police Department provided support for numerous events throughout the year. Each event requires a carefully coordinated plan to ensure traffic flow, control and re-direct traffic, and provide security on-site.

With the rise of terrorist attacks against public gatherings, it is vitally important to ensure the safety of all participants.

ACPD also utilizes the Emergency Response Team to support events by providing K9 bomb dogs, SWAT operators, and bomb technicians.

The primary goal of all events is the safety of visitors, protecting citizens of the city, and protecting commercial establishments.

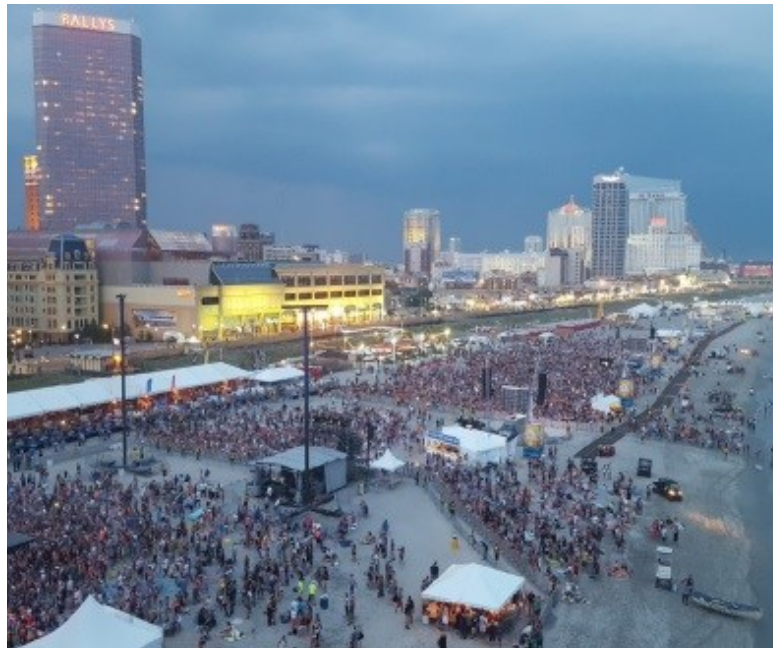
MAJOR EVENTS

Beach Concerts

Three beach concerts were held in Atlantic City in 2017. On July 12, 2017 P!nk entertained over 50,000 guests. Brantley Gilbert followed on July 13, performing for an estimated crowd of 15,000. On August 3, 2017 the Ruff Ryders concluded the 2017 beach concert series.

The large crowds on the Boardwalk and beach require extensive planning and preparation to ensure the safety of all concert-goers.

ACPD provided security plans to protect the location and all visitors. Additionally, the Emergency Response Team provided tactical support and swept for explosive devices.



Air Show

Over 400,00 people lined the beaches and boardwalk to watch the 15th annual Thunder Over the Boardwalk Airshow featuring the United States Air Force Thunderbirds.



AC Triathlon/ Ironman

DelMo Sports hosted the AC Triathlon and Ironman race bringing athletes from across the world to participate on the Boardwalk, Atlantic City Expressway, and the beaches of Atlantic City.

2018 Miss America Pageant

The Miss America Pageant takes place every September at Boardwalk Hall. The event is televised nationally, receiving high ratings every year. Leading up to pageant night, competitions take place the prior week.

Contestants arrive two weeks before the event, requiring an extensive security plan to protect the contestants and visitors. Numerous officers are assigned to the event to provide constant security and protection.

The Miss America "Show Us Your Shoes" Parade takes place along the Boardwalk and brings large crowds to watch the contestants showing off their state-themed shoes.



PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION

ACPD was requested to send officers to Washington D.C., for the inauguration of the 45th President of the United States of America.

The officers, who volunteered for the assignment, were deputized by the United States Marshals Service. Our officers provided a safe and secure environment for the supporters, protesters, and spectators of this historic event.

They were given the incredible task of being stationed in front of the Trump International Hotel. They were not concerned with the crowd's political affiliations, but with permitting the citizens the freedom to assemble that this great nation allows and the safety of all.

After more than 15 hours of being on their post, our officers secured from their assignment and met their goal of providing an unforgettable experience for everyone, including themselves.



OTHER EVENTS

ATLANTIC CITY SEAFOOD FESTIVAL



HOPS TROT 5K RUN



FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL



ST. PATRICKS DAY PARADE



ATLANTIC CITY BEERFEST



RED BULL GLOBAL RALLYCROSS



COMMUNITY RELATIONS

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POLICE

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A main focus of the Atlantic City Police Department's mission is our relationship with the community. We strive each day to better our relationship with our residents, especially the children.

ACPD takes part in numerous special events and programs throughout the year to strengthen our community partnerships and work together to improve our city.

Our commitment to the Police Athletic League and our own Community Relations Unit are the primary layer in the objective.

The Community Relations Unit has many goals to achieve that mission:



HELPING BUILD A COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP THAT WILL HEIGHTEN THE PUBLIC'S LEVEL OF CONFIDENCE IN THEIR POLICE DEPARTMENT.



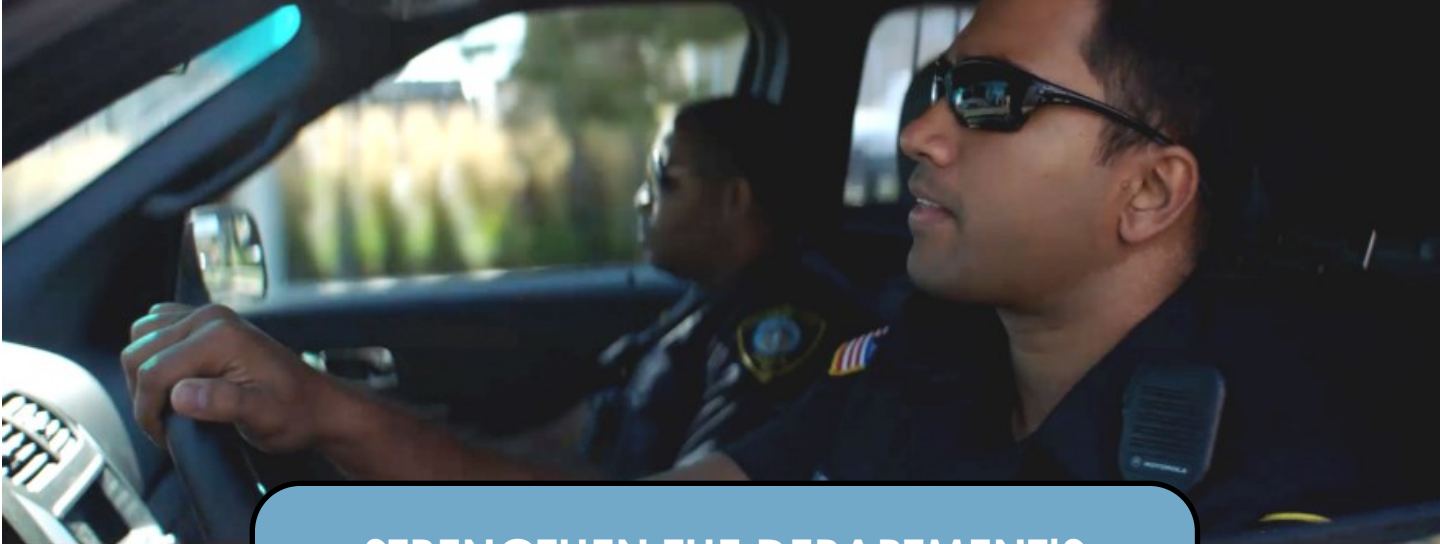
BUILDING COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS



ENHANCE THE COOPERATION BETWEEN THE COMMUNITY AND THE POLICE



DEVELOPING OUR FUTURE



STRENGTHEN THE DEPARTMENT'S
MINORITY **RECRUITING AND OUTREACH**
TO DIVERSE GROUPS

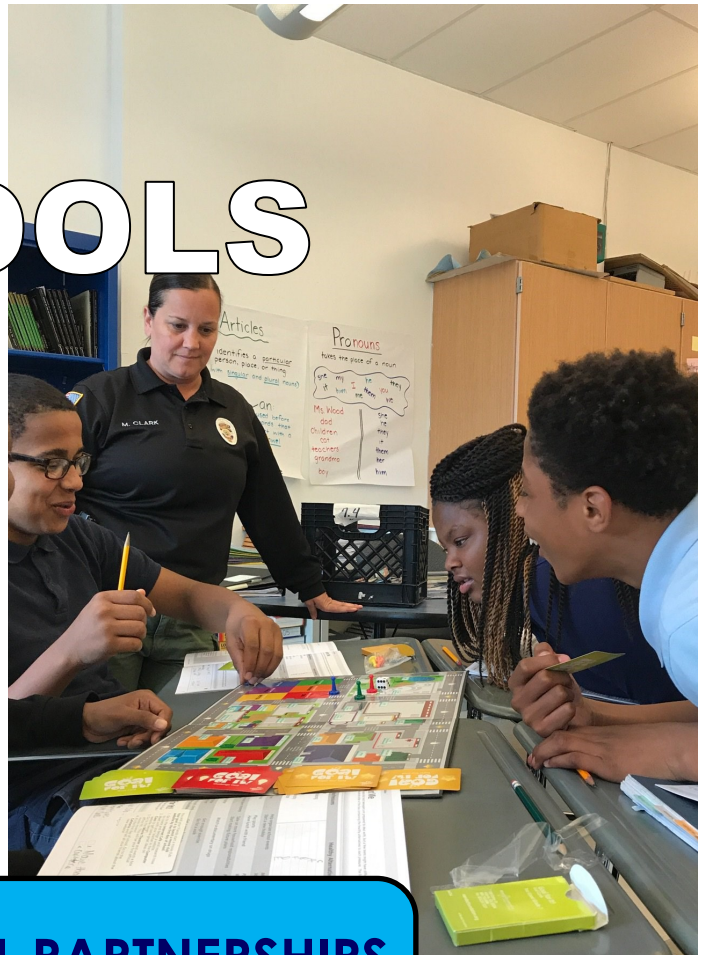




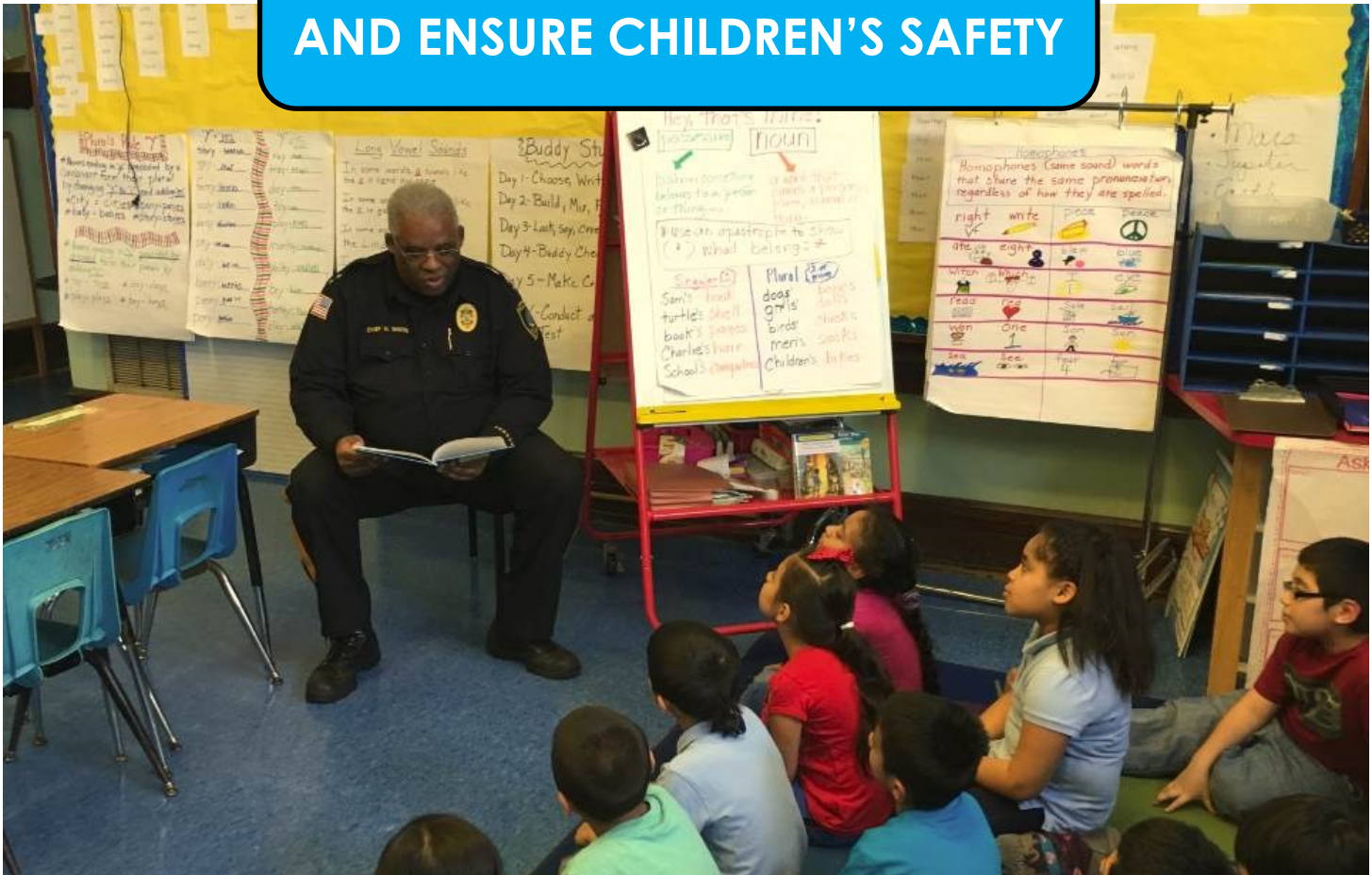
**FOSTER CULTURAL
DIVERSITY TRAINING AND
YOUTH CRIME DIVERSION
PROGRAMS**



SUPPORT OUR SCHOOLS



DEVELOP SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS AND ENSURE CHILDREN'S SAFETY





**EXPAND THE
NEIGHBORHOOD
WATCH AND CITIZEN
ASSISTANCE
PROGRAMS**



**TEAM WITH
NEIGHBORHOODS**



Homework Completion Program

ACPD partnered with the Atlantic City Housing Authority and Stockton University to create the program at Stanley Holmes Village.

The program runs after school throughout the year allowing students a quiet time to complete homework. Officers, volunteers, and Stockton students monitor homework time and assist the students with any questions that they may have.



Police Explorer Program

The program allows young adults and children the opportunity to experience law enforcement through instruction and hands-on training. We currently divide our 40 explorers into two groups: the Police Explorers and Junior Explorers.

Our 23 Police Explorers range in age from 13 to 18. Our Junior Explorers range in age from nine to 13. While many police departments select older candidates, we find that we can instill self-confidence, self-respect, and show the benefit of working as a team to some of our younger residents.

This also allows us the opportunity to interact at a younger age with these boys and girls while building a relationship. Our explorers can frequently be found assisting the ACPD at many special events.



Police Chaplain Program

We recognize the influence and impact that faith-based leaders have in the community. This program creates a partnership with the various faith-based leaders of the community to respond and assist police officers, together under positive circumstances.



Junior Police Academy

This two week training session for fifth and sixth grade students details the inner workings of the ACPD and promotes understanding of law enforcement and public safety. Recruits are provided with field trips, hands on instruction, and physical training by officers.



Civilian Police Academy

This eight week program provides a unique opportunity for insight into the structure and limitations of authority within each entity of the public safety community. Recruits are provided with instruction from personnel assigned to each unit in the police department and the other city public safety departments.



National Night Out

Every year the ACPD participates in National Night Out, a community building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer, more caring places to live.

National Night Out enhances the relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a true sense of community. Furthermore, it provides a great opportunity to bring police and neighbors together under positive circumstances.



Career Day

Each year the ACPD participates in Career Day at our schools. Officers from throughout the department explain to students what it is like to work in patrol, investigations, as a K9 handler, as a SWAT officer, and other areas. Demonstrations from our K9 unit, SWAT Team, and Bomb Squad are provided.





Holiday Basketball Game

On December 14, the 2nd Annual Holiday Basketball Game between the Atlantic City Police Department and students of the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. School Complex took place. The students got an early visit from Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus, and many students walked away with presents.



The "Blessing Bag"

Patrol officers on Charlie Platoon donated their money and assembled bags that were provided to members of our homeless population. The officers wanted to find a way to give back to the community. The bags consisted of various items such as hats, scarves, gloves, socks, toiletries and food.

Thanksgiving

On November 20, the ACPD partnered with the NJ State PBA to hand out 500 turkeys to needy families during Thanksgiving. On Thanksgiving, the ACPD and Police Explorers served a freshly cooked meal to the senior residents at the Atlantic City Townhomes at 1330 Mediterranean Avenue. The meal was prepared by the Explorers and officers of our Community Relations Unit.





CHRISTMAS AT THE AC RESCUE MISSION

Christmas at AC Rescue Mission- On December 21, Christmas came early for some special boys and girls at the Atlantic City Rescue Mission. Members of the ACPD escorted Santa Claus to the Mission and gave gifts to 13 children. The boys and girls, ranged in age from 18 months to 17 years old, provided a wish list to our Community Outreach officer. Each division/unit selected a child and purchased the requested gifts.



Autism Fun Day

We participated in the 6th Annual Autism Awareness Day sponsored by the Gentlemen of the Shore Motorcycle Club. More than 400 children from throughout Atlantic County interacted with our officers and received a demonstration from our K9 Unit and Bomb Squad.

Easter at Rescue Mission

On April 14, the ACPD partnered with Toys for Kids to bring the Easter Bunny and some treats to the children at the Rescue Mission.



Coffee with a Cop

These events join coffee and conversation with neighbors, community members, and police officers. No agendas, just a chance to ask questions, voice concerns, and get to know the officers in the ACPD.

Pizza with the Police

Certain classes throughout the schools are selected to receive a pizza lunch served by our officers. This allows the officers and the youth of the city to interact, ask questions, and build relationships and trust.

Summer Camp

During the summer, PAL offers Summer Camp to the children of our community, ages five to thirteen. They are provided meals and trips to the Aquarium, Black Bear Cave, skating, Clementon Park, and Sky Zone.

The active camps use the newly renovated Brown's Park as an outdoor gym where they learn new things such as yoga.

ADDITIONAL EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

- LE Against Drugs (LEAD)
- Citizen's Awards Night
- Summer Family Movie Nights
- African American History Trip
- Spanish Classes for Law Enforcement
- Mentoring Programs (Boys & Girls)
- Senior Public Safety Health Fair
- Trunk or Treat
- Girl Scouts
- Book Bag Giveaway
- Reading Corner
- Reading Across America
- English as a Second Language Classes
- Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Program (STEM)

SOCIAL MEDIA



The Atlantic City Police Department utilizes social media to remain connected with the community and immediately notify our followers of any potential incidents.

During major events we provide updated information so that visitors to provide awareness to visitors and guests of the city.



We operate pages on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. There are over 20,000 individual accounts following the department's pages. We provide updates on active incidents and notable arrests.

Instagram

In 2013 we began utilizing tip411, which is an anonymous texting service where citizens can report any concerns 24 hours a day. Alerts are received for every type of matter from illegally parked cars to homicide information.

Additionally, we provide information vital to the community regarding dangerous weather conditions, traffic closures, and other immediate news.

In 2017 we received 3,216 anonymous texts from citizens. This was a 91% increase from the year first year of using the service.

20,000 TOTAL FOLLOWERS

tip 411



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Police FOUNDATION

INVESTING IN A SAFE ATLANTIC CITY

The Atlantic City Police Foundation (ACPF) is a non profit organization charged with raising money to support the Atlantic City Police Department and Atlantic City community-based police activities.

The role of the Atlantic City Police Foundation is not to displace city or state funding for basic law enforcement, but to financially support programs designed to allow the ACPD to excel in the rapidly evolving areas of technology, strategies and training.

The ACPF provides resources that are not readily available through other means. The Foundation is also a mechanism which will ensure long-term, positive contributions to the future of public safety programs in Atlantic City by providing additional resources for safety programs and outreach to the community.



FOUNDATION INITIATIVES

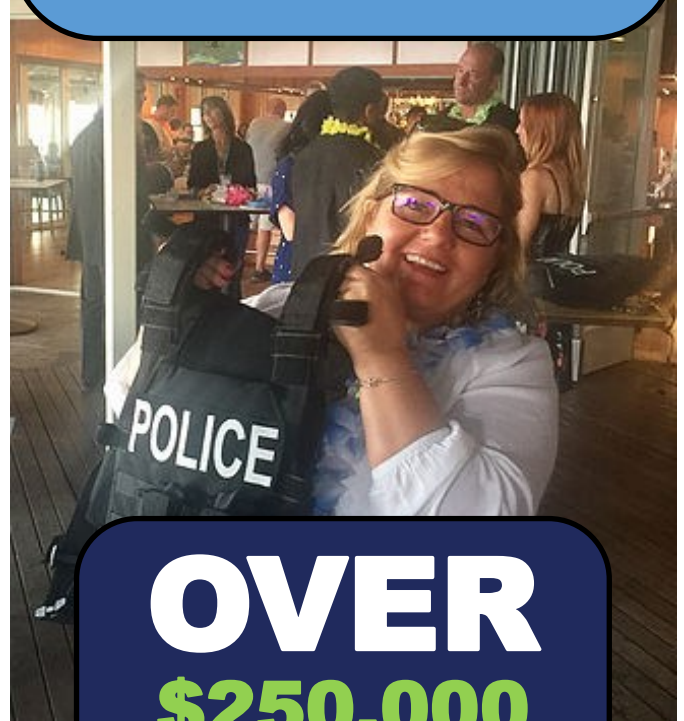


SUPPORTING THE DEPARTMENT PURCHASES MADE BY ACPF

- Self-Aid Medical Kits
- Rifle Resistant Armor Vests
- Tourniquets
- Bicycles, Racks, and Equipment
- Orthopedic Beds for ACPD K9's
- A.C.H.I.L.E.S. Monitor and other Equipment
- ACPD K9 Dogs (2)
- ACPD Press Room Upgrades

SUPPORTING THE COMMUNITY

- AC High School Junior ROTC
- AC National Night Out
- AC Police Athletic League
- Halloween Trunk or Treat
- AC Police Explorers
- AC Covenant House
- 200 Club of Atlantic /Cape May County Unity Festival
- AC Summer Concert Series
- Hooked on Fishing Not on Drugs
- Atlantic City Merchants Association
- AC Xclusive Drill Team



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