



ANNUAL REPORT 2020

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MISSION STATEMENT & PHILOSOPHY



The mission of the Lone Peak Police department is to maintain public trust by protecting and assisting the residents and visitors of our communities through courteous, fair and impartial enforcement of federal, state, and local laws.



Lone Peak Police Department Organizational Chart



Service Population: 29,691
 Number Sworn Officers: 22
 Number Civilian personnel: 5
 Allocated by Population
 Currently: 65% Highland
 35% Alpine

Officer Allocation:

1 Chief	2 Detectives
1 Lieutenant/ Patrol	2 School Resource Officers
1 Detective Sergeant	12 Uniform Patrol Officers
3 Field Supervisors	

3/2021





MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

Chief Brian J. Gwilliam

On behalf of the men and women of the Lone Peak Police Department, I am pleased to present the 2020 annual report. This past year has certainly been

interesting to say the least. The COVID-19 pandemic has altered life and society to a large degree and we've seen many work from home. As essential workers, law enforcement has continued to work through the pandemic much to the same degree as we did prior. I'd like to publicly thank the men and women of the department for proudly serving the communities throughout the pandemic this past year.

Even with the COVID-19 pandemic, 2020 proved to be a busy one. Day and night, the Lone Peak Police Department is committed to the safety and welfare of the residents and communities we serve. Some of this year's accomplishments include:

- Renewed efforts to be more present on social media to keep residents increasingly informed.
- Became an accredited agency through the Utah Chiefs of Police Association.
- Establishing and participating in a Mobile Field Force Team.
- Held a prescription drug takeback event which brought in over 225 lbs. of discarded medications.
- Received grants that improved evidence processing and storage, and helped supply the crossing guards with new equipment.
- The Lone Peak Police Department implemented NIBRS (National Incident-Based Reporting System) to help improve the overall quality of crime data collected by law enforcement.

We look forward to the future as we move to enhance our community involvement and continue to make this a great place to live, play and work.

Sincerely,

Chief Brian J. Gwilliam

LONE PEAK POLICE DEPARTMENT

Fiscal Year 2020 Budget

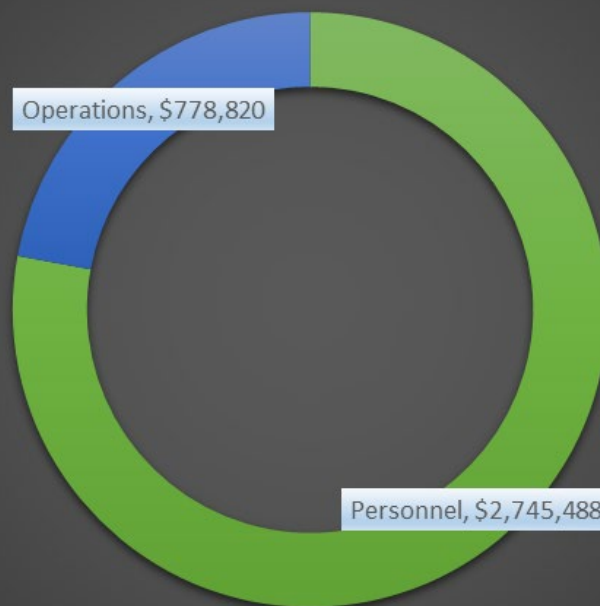
Personnel
\$2,745,488

Operations
\$778,820

TOTAL BUDGET
\$3,524,308

*Data from Cities of Alpine/Highland 19/20 adopted budget.

2020 Budget



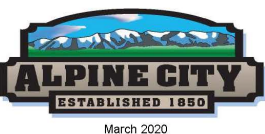
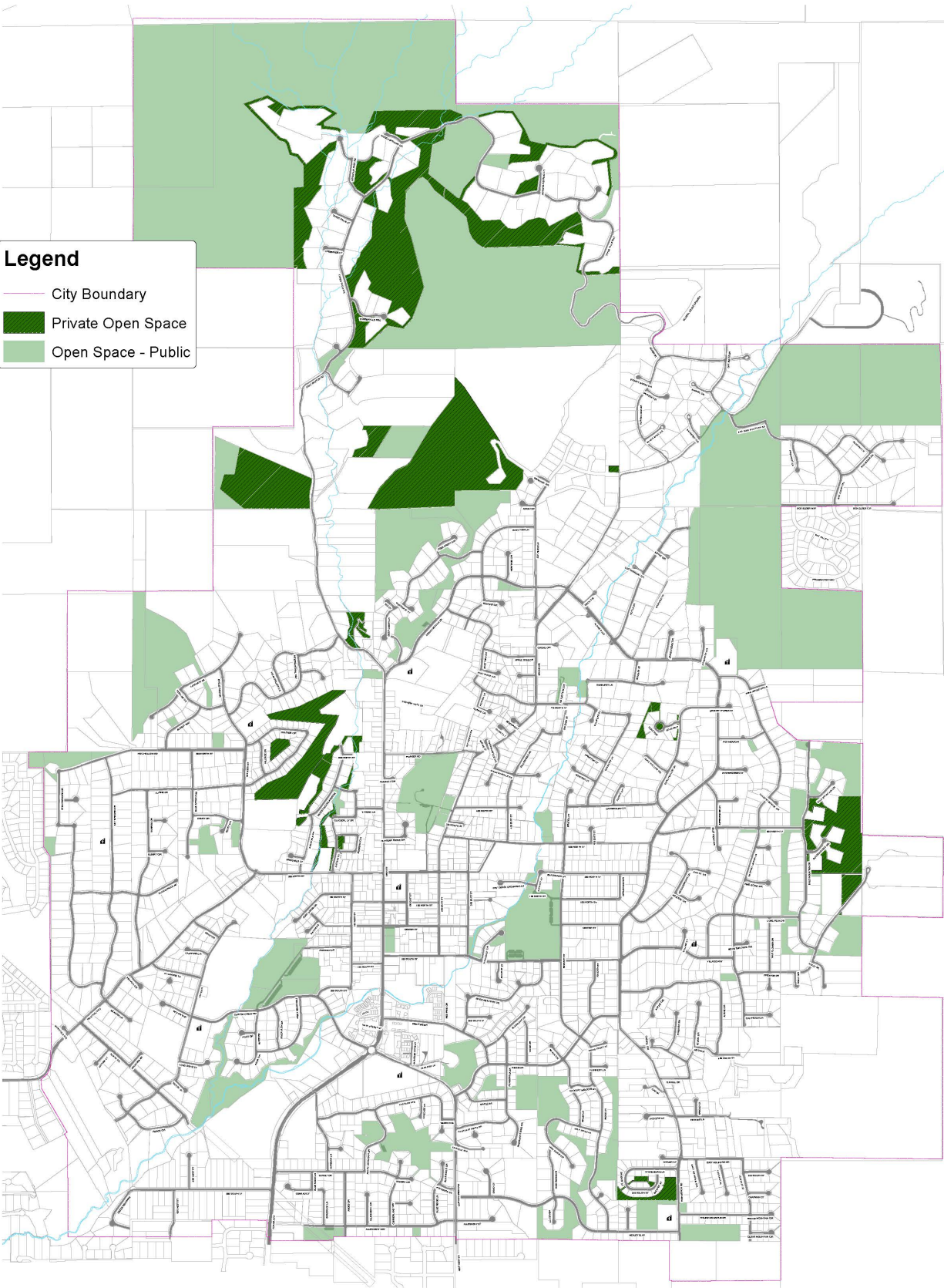
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INVESTIGATIONS

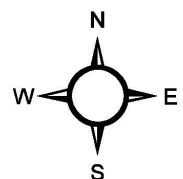
2020 Statistics for Investigative Bureau

Total Number of Cases Handled by Bureau	380
Cases Closed by Arrest	46
Total Persons Arrested	53
Total Number of Charges Filed	663
Felony:	614
Misdemeanor:	49
Cases Closed by Exception	17
Cases Closed as Unfounded	63
Cases Closed Administratively	152
Cases Remaining Open	101



Alpine Street Map

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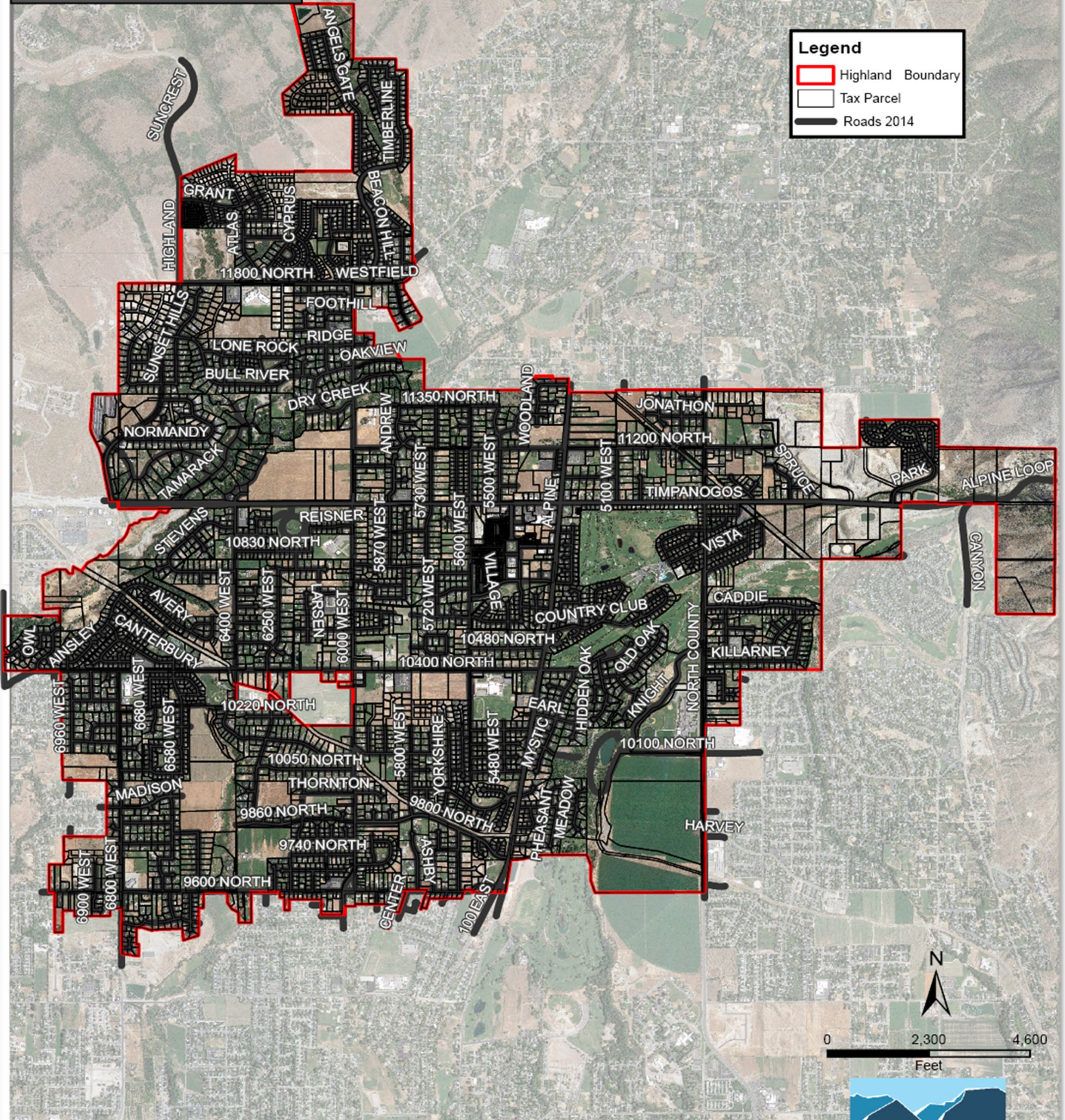


CITY OF HIGHLAND

Roads

Legend

- Highland Boundary
- Tax Parcel
- Roads 2014



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Feet

HIGHLAND CITY
Date: 3/14/2019

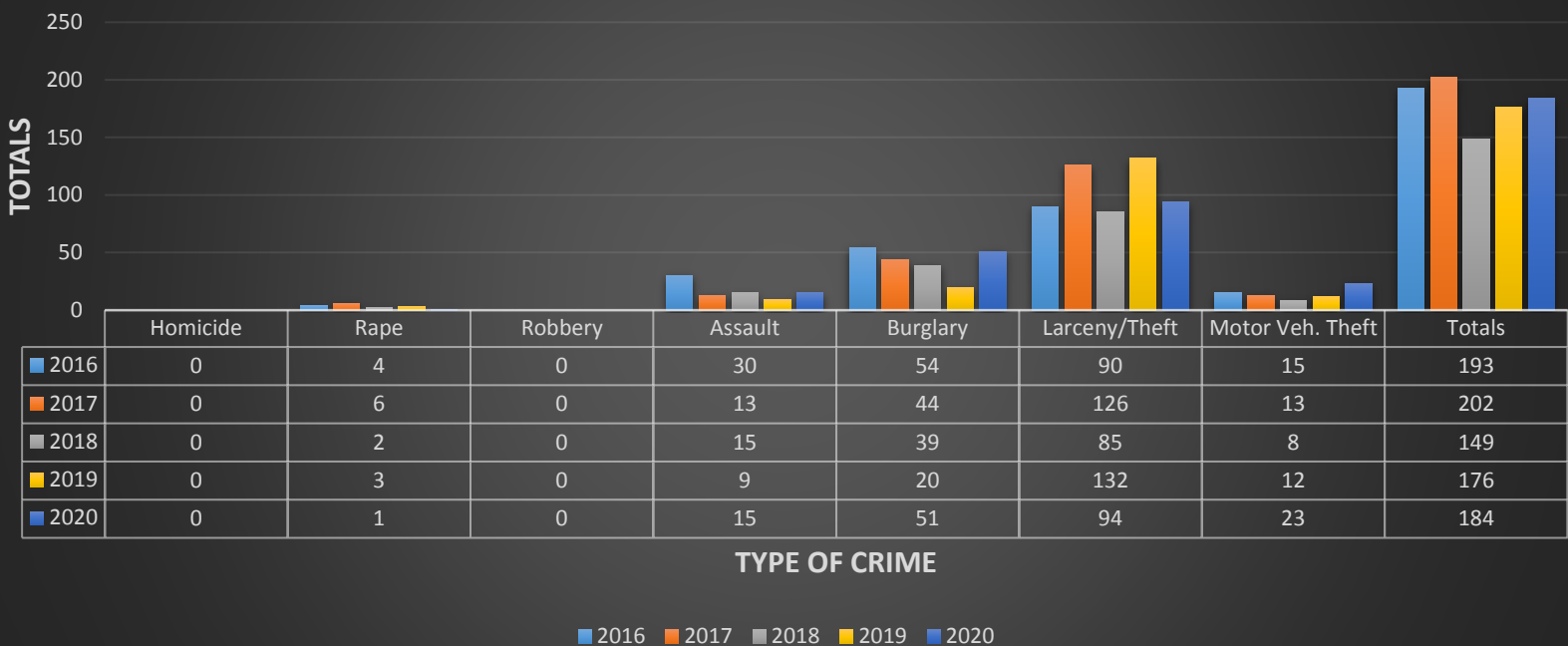


PATROL

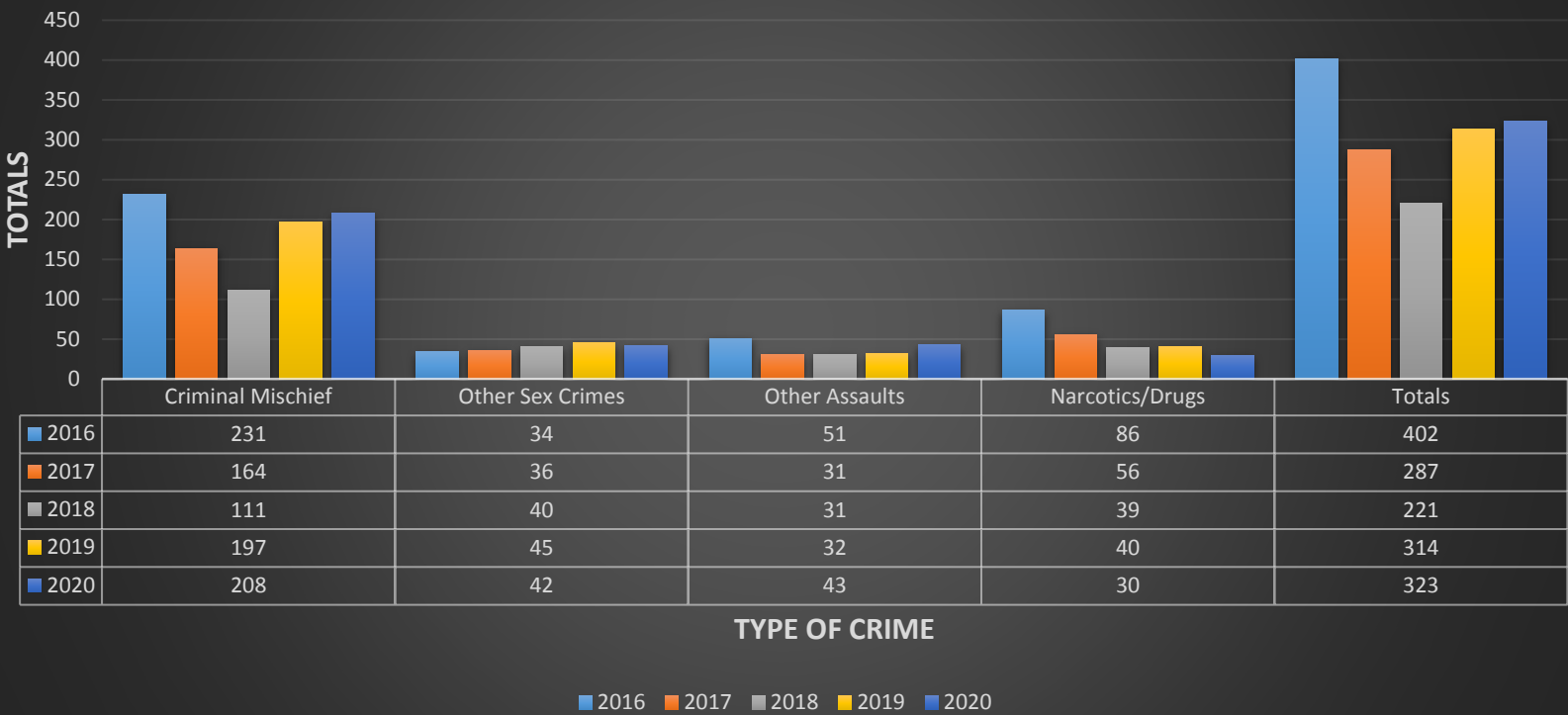
Violent Crime includes homicide, rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

Property Crime includes burglary, larceny and motor vehicle theft.

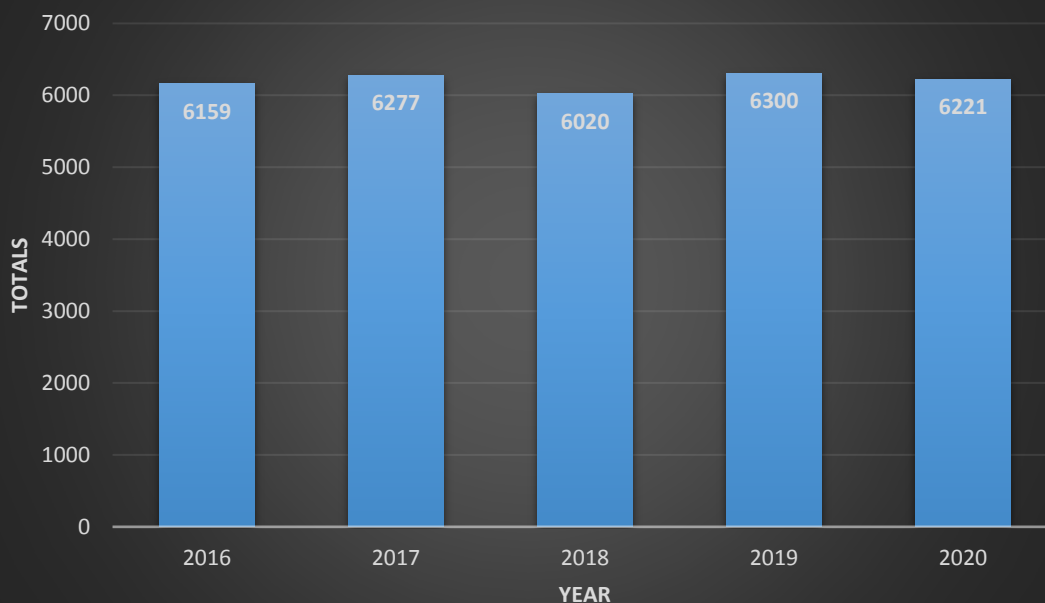
2020 Part I Crimes in Alpine & Highland



2020 Part II Crimes in Alpine & Highland



2020 Total Reports Generated



MOTOR TRAFFIC UNIT

The Motor Traffic Unit's mission is to maintain the normal and safe flow of vehicle and pedestrian traffic throughout the cities of Alpine and Highland. The Traffic Unit uses several means to conduct their mission, including the use of speed detection devices, and vehicle and motorcycle patrols.

In addition to regular traffic patrol, the unit also performs the following important safety duties:

- Distracted Driving Enforcement
- School Zones
- Traffic Accident Investigations
- Participation at community events such as parades, charity rides, etc.



Sergeant Wagstaff, the Motors Sergeant summarized 2020, "Due to the pandemic, most of the activities that motor officers usually engage in, such as making traffic stops and riding in city celebration parades, were severely limited or non-existent.

Motor officers with the Lone Peak Police Department participated in a funeral escort for a retired Orem officer. Motor officers from Lone Peak and neighboring agencies also assisted with traffic control and safety during the Harley Davidson Ladies Ride, a charity event.

Motor officers also participated in a funeral escort for an Ogden City police officer, Nathan Lyday, who was shot and killed in the line of duty on May 28th, 2020."



SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS (SROs)



SROs are sworn law enforcement officers responsible for safety and crime prevention in schools. These officers work closely with school administrators in an effort to create a safer environment.



There are two SROs that work within schools in our area to ensure safety and prevent crime in our schools.

Officer Moody is our newest school resource officer assigned to Lone Peak High School.

Officer Moody, "As the newest member of the Lone Peak Police SRO team, I have

been afforded an opportunity to work with students, school staff and members of the community. In my current assignment at Lone Peak High School, I feel that I have had many chances to impact students in a positive manner, due to the unique nature of the assignment."

Throughout the year, our SRO and other officers attended multiple Lone Peak High School sporting events, ensuring the safety of participants and spectators while building positive community relationships with parents, faculty and students.





Currently, the Lone Peak Police Department covers 6 elementary/middle schools to teach the NOVA program. The elementary schools we teach NOVA in are:

- Westfield Elementary
- Alpine Elementary
- Ridgeline Elementary
- Highland Elementary
- Freedom Elementary
- Timberline Middle School

Officer Bullock, who is the SRO for the middle/elementary schools and the NOVA Instructor said, “The NOVA Program helps students learn the police are there to help them with any trial they may be facing. There are several subjects taught such as abstaining from drugs, alcohol, and inhalants, bullying, social media, video games, and helping with anger management. Several projects and activities are completed as well to help support what is being taught.

Awards are given to students who complete projects and challenges. One beneficial part of the program is it teaches the kids to be responsible and will also hold them accountable for their choices during class.”

NIBRS

National Incident-Based Reporting System

Implemented to improve the overall quality of crime data collected by law enforcement, NIBRS captures details on each single crime incident—as well as on separate offenses within the same incident—including information on victims, known offenders, relationships between victims and offenders, arrestees, and property involved in crimes.

Unlike data reported through the UCR Program's traditional Summary Reporting System (SRS)—an aggregate monthly tally of crimes—NIBRS goes much deeper because of its ability to provide circumstances and context for crimes like location, time of day, and whether the incident was cleared.

As recommended by professional law enforcement organizations, the FBI has made nationwide implementation of NIBRS a top priority because NIBRS can provide more useful statistics to promote constructive discussion, measured planning, and informed policing. To increase participation, the UCR Program is partnering with the Bureau of Justice Statistics on the National Crime Statistics Exchange, working with advocacy groups to emphasize the importance of NIBRS data, and transitioned the UCR Program to a NIBRS-only data collection, as of Jan. 1, 2021. In addition, the UCR Program has made resources available to help agencies address the cost of transitioning, as well as the potential perception that an agency has higher crime levels when NIBRS actually establishes a new baseline that more precisely captures reported crime in a community.

The FBI mandated that all law enforcement agencies transition to NIBRS crime reporting by Jan. 1, 2021. The Lone Peak Police Department completed their transition in November 2020.



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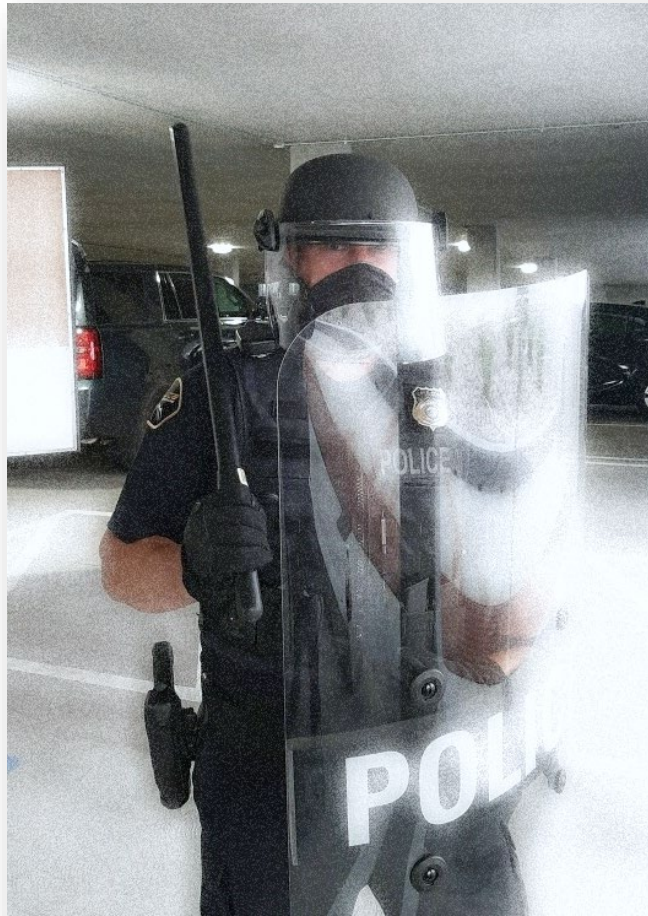


LPPD K-9 Unit

The Lone Peak Police Department K-9 Unit is made up of our patrol dog named Arko and his handler, Sergeant Travis Bellon. They respond to routine calls for service as well as formal requests for deployments. Due to precautions during the COVID-19 pandemic, the K-9 unit was utilized 16 times (11 of those deployments were during January-February 2020). Arko performed 8 vehicle sniffs and those alerted on 3 vehicles that contained drugs and paraphernalia.

The LPPD K-9 Program has had a few changes in 2020. Officer Bellon promoted to sergeant and Officer Wharton was given the opportunity to be Arko's new handler. Officer Wharton and Arko have trained and will work together as a great team moving the program forward.

Arko loves to be a part of the community and has demonstrated his skills at school presentations, classes and assemblies for schools in the Alpine School District. Our patrol dog, Arko loves to work and looks forward to the challenges ahead in 2021.



MOBILE FIELD FORCE

In 2020 the Lone Peak Police Department along with multiple other agencies in Utah County formed a Mobile Field Force Team. This team was formed so law enforcement would have a trained and dedicated resource to respond to incidents of civil unrest. This team's focus and goal is to provide safety and security resources to our communities during incidents of peaceful protest and civil unrest.

The Lone Peak Police Department dedicates three members of our department to the team of almost 100 officers. During 2020 this team was deployed approximately 10 times to different locations throughout our county and state to provide these resources and keep the peace.



GRANTS AWARDED

PROPERTY/EVIDENCE ROOM

In 2020 the Lone Peak Police Department applied for and was awarded two different grants. The First was the Utah State Asset Forfeiture Grant (SAFG) and the second the Justice Assistance Grant (JAG). The funds collected from these grants allowed us to make some essential upgrades to our department's evidence structure, and crossing guards.

The JAG Grant funds were utilized to overhaul our evidence room and further purchase equipment to make our evidence accountability and booking process completely sound and more streamlined. This was done through purchasing of new storage options and new bar code scanning systems.



These grants made available through state and federal funding are a great resource for our department. They allow us to continue to improve and upgrade the processes we need to stay compliant with mandated guidelines, but more importantly allows us to provide essential and sound services to the communities of Highland and Alpine.

GRANTS AWARDED (Cont.)

The funding from the SAFG grant allowed us to provide our crossing guards with lifesaving first aid and CPR training. It was also utilized to purchase upgraded reflective clothing and traffic regulation equipment to be placed at crossing guard stations, to make them as safe as possible for our children crossing.





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