

# **Police Department**

# **Quarterly Report to Council**

October 14th, 2025

# **Coburg Police Department Highlights July, August and September of 2025**

### **ODOT Traffic Safety Grant 2025-2026 Award**

The Coburg Police Department was selected to receive \$9,000 dollars in funds dedicated by the Oregon Department of Transportation to compensate Coburg Police Department personnel for overtime generated by traffic enforcement. Each of these grants are directed at enforcement in areas such as distracted driving, speed enforcement, driving under the influence, pedestrian safety enforcement and purchase of speed measurement equipment.

CPD officers have just completed the enforcement actions generated by the 2024-2025 grant year successfully. This will be the fifth year in a row that the Coburg Police Department has partnered with ODOT to make our local residents, pedestrians and motorists safer through enforcement activities made possible by funds obtained by ODOT.

### **Coburg Police Department Charter School Commendation**

The Coburg Police Department strives to maintain a positive relationship with the students and staff at the Coburg Charter School. At the end of every school year, the Coburg Police Department personnel attend festivities held on the last day of school. Chief Larson dedicates part of our community outreach funds to purchase ice cream treats for each of the students. The following is taken from an email written by a staff member at the Coburg Charter School:

"I hope this summer has been treating you well!

As I dive into a new school year, I was thinking about the end of this last school year. I wanted to send appreciation to Chief Larson and the police who come on the last day of school to give free popsicles to ALL of our students. This tradition, though I am sure is not cheap for Coburg, is so awesome. I love how the kids get so excited and there is nothing like a treat to get into the hearts of kids! What an important, generous act. This is helping to really build community with our kids and to continue to shine a positive light on our police department. Thank you!"

# **Third Quarter Trends**

 Agency Assists – Personnel availability, including full staffing, has not only affected the Coburg Police Department, but almost every single department within the state of Oregon. This has become a very challenging time in law enforcement, as



the calls for service continue to increase, the number of law enforcement officers continues to decrease. The Coburg Police Department partners with our neighboring agencies to provide the best level of coverage we can, to ensure the safety of residents.

CPD Officers routinely handle calls for general, low-level calls for service located near the city limits of Coburg. This is reciprocated by the Lane County Sheriff's Office, as CPD officers call them for assistance as "cover officers," or have deputies respond with us during a high-priority call for service. We appreciate the amazing working relationships and the partnerships we have with our neighboring agencies.

Traffic Enforcement— Throughout the summer, Officers with the Coburg Police
Department become very busy with traffic enforcement on our city's roads and
highways. One major difference which separates Coburg from other small municipalities
is the presence of Interstate 5. All the summer traffic traveling on Interstate 5 comes
directly through our town. This not only increases the number of traffic stops, but it also
increases other things such as motor vehicle accidents, driving complaints, speeding
vehicles and DUII's.

Officers will combat this with participation in ODOT sanctioned grants for speed enforcement, pedestrian safety enforcement, distracted driving and DUII enforcement.

# Police Statistics for Quarter Ended September 30th, 2025

Coburg Police Department stats are divided into the following seven categories.

#### 1. Traffic/person stops

Traffic stops, person stops, truck inspections,

#### 2. Patrol/business checks

#### 3. Person Crimes/calls for service

Assaults, rape, sex abuse, all other sex crimes, subject down, fight, menacing, all domestic violence crimes, welfare checks, harassment, runaways, suicidal subject, deceased subject, peace officer hold (POH Mental hold) etc.

#### 4. Property crimes/calls for service

Theft, unlawful use of a motor vehicle, unlawful entry into a motor vehicle, alarms, criminal mischief, motor vehicle accident, fraud, criminal trespassing etc.

#### 5. Society crimes/calls for service

DUII, reckless driving, unlawful possession of a controlled substance, disorderly conduct, illegal camping, assist public, all dog and animal issues, suspicious vehicle, speeding vehicle, suspicious conditions, abandoned vehicle, traffic hazard, ATL drunk driver, disabled vehicle, city ordinance violations, prowler, etc.

#### 6. Warrant arrests/fugitive from Justice



#### 7. All other crimes/calls for service

Citizen contact, assist other agency LCSO, OSP, Coburg Fire Department, follow up investigation, vin inspections, training, court, special assignment, stop sign down, etc.

(1) Traffic/Person stops	269	(5) Society crimes/calls for service	83
(2) Patrol/Business checks	106	(6) Warrant arrest/fugitive from justice	4
(3) Person crimes/calls for service	81	(7) All other crimes/calls for service	43
(4) Property crimes/calls for service	56		

## **Total Calls for Service by Quarter**

12/23/2023	3/31/2024	6/30/2024	9/30/2024	12/31/2024	3/31/2025	6/27/2025
535	638	493	987	617	773	624



