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MEMORANDUM

Police Department

To: City Council
From: Chief Frank Stevenson
Subject: March Monthly Report

Date: March 31st, 2025

- For the month of March 2025, the Patrol Division had approximately 1,289 calls for service, made 82 arrests, issued 65 traffic citations and wrote 106 case reports.
- Recruit Officer Brian Prather began his career as Patrol Officer today. Brian is a certified officer with almost 6 years of experience.
- Recruit Officer Tyler Robinson will begin his career as Patrol Officer beginning April 8th. He is a certified officer with over 3 years of experience.
- We currently have one opening for Communication Specialist and one opening for Police Officer, and are recruiting for both vacancies.
- The Detectives Division remains busy with very involved cases. This month, they were assigned seven (7) new cases. They were able to send two (2) cases to the Linn County DA's office for review and make one (1) arrest. They were able to close out three (3) cases this month and reviewed approximately 58 incoming child abuse referrals from DHS.
- Community Services staff members Albanese and Johnson, along with members of the patrol teams, continue to conduct extra patrol within our parks system to assist in reduction of unwanted activities (ordinance violations and trespassing) and provide outreach. A total of six individuals were trespassed from the parks for City ordinance violations. Staff assisted mental health/crises teams six times, and gave out nine resource guides to those in need.
- There were a total of two use-of-force instances for the month of March. (1) Officers attempted to contact a wanted subject who had outstanding felony warrants. When the officer approached the subject, they took off running on foot. Officers were able to get caught up with the subject and pointed their tasers at them, giving verbal commands. The subject complied with the commands and was taken into custody without further incident. (2) Officers contacted an intoxicated subject at a business who was refusing to leave after being asked. Upon contact, the subject made verbal threats toward the officers, then picked up a guitar and threatened to assault the officers. One officer tased the subject and placed them in handcuffs; the male subject continued to yell and be physical with the officers as they attempted to place the subject into a police vehicle. The subject was eventually

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restrained temporarily using a WRAP device and taken to jail. The subject sustained a puncture wound from one of the taser probes, but no other injuries were reported. All use-of-force incidents are reviewed extensively by a Sergeant, Lieutenant, the Police Captain and finally the Chief. All use-of-force incidents were found to be justified and fell within policy standards.

Please do not hesitate to ask if you have any questions with regard to this summarization.