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MEMORANDUM

Police Department

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

Date: February 28th, 2025

- For February 2025, the Patrol Division had approximately 1,403 calls for service, made 98 arrests, conducted 307 traffics stops, wrote 71 citations for various traffic violations, and wrote 139 case reports.
- Looking at year 2024 totals, Lebanon Police Dept. handled a total of 17,766 calls for service, made approximately 1,284 arrests, issued 708 traffic citations, conducted 2,417 traffic stops and wrote 2,100 case reports.
- For the calendar year of 2024, officers of the Lebanon Police Department reported using force in 24 separate incidents while attempting to control a violent situation or affect an arrest. Some of these incidents involved multiple officers, multiple suspects and multiple levels of force including physical takedowns, displaying and pointing the taser, firing the taser, and displaying a firearm. All reported uses of force were extensively reviewed and found to be in compliance with operational guidelines.
- For the calendar year of 2024, K-9 Oak was deployed a total of 61 times and has apprehended 18 individuals, biting three violent offenders who were resisting apprehension. K-9 Oak has also aided in tracking suspects who have attempted to run from officers and assisted in high-risk vehicle stops and building searches. All deployments and uses of force from K-9 Oak are also put through an extensive review process for proper application of procedures and compliance with the operational guidelines of this agency.
- There were four (4) uses of force for February. (1) Officers contacted a subject in an apartment who had recent resistive/violent contact with officers; officers contacted the subject regarding a warrant for his arrest and for violation a stalking order. Upon contact, due to the potential for volatility, the officer pointed their taser at the subject, who then complied and was taken into custody without incident. (2) An officer contacted a subject who was found to be in a stolen vehicle. The officer pointed his firearm at the subject and ordered him out of the vehicle; the subject got out and began to run away from the officer, who holstered his firearm and chased the subject. The officer caught up to the subject and tackled him to the ground; the subject was then taken into custody with no further incident, and no injuries were reported.

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(3) Lebanon officers aided another agency on a high-risk traffic stop involving individuals who had outstanding warrants for their arrest. Officers pointed their firearms at the subjects, who all complied and were taken into custody without incident. (4) Officers contacted a subject who was violating a restraining order that was actively under the influence of narcotics. The subject yelled at the officers to shoot him as they arrived on scene. Officers quickly grabbed ahold of the subject's arms and wrists; the subject then tensed and fell to the ground, and tried to keep his arms tucked underneath his body. Officers were finally able to get the subject's arms out from underneath him and to his back. The subject was taken into custody without further incident. Both involved officers sustained abrasions to their hands and the subject had an abrasion on his hand, but no medical attention was requested or needed. 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 and standards.

- 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 11 individuals were trespassed from the parks for City ordinance violations.
- The Detectives Division remains busy. This month, they were assigned four (4) new cases, reviewed thirty-eight (38) DHS referrals, and were able to close out one (1) case. They conducted interviews at the ABC House, and also spent time aiding neighboring agency groups with warrant execution and drug interdictions.