

Community Workshop #1 September 8, 2020

Police Practices/Potential Reforms



DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW



■ Mission Statement

The Los Gatos-Monte Sereno Police Department is committed to ensuring public safety with **integrity, compassion, and professionalism.**

- Providing exceptional law enforcement services
- Building community partnerships
- Engaging the community in problem solving

DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW



- **Los Gatos and Monte Sereno Jurisdiction Data**
 - 13.1 Square Miles
 - 33,649 Population

- **Staffing**
 - Sworn
 - Authorized: 39
 - Operational: 32
 - Civilian: 22
 - Volunteers: 206



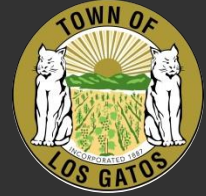
CRIME STATISTICS

- **Calls for Service and Self-Initiated Activity**
 - Annual Average: 28,977
- **Reports Written (Annual Average)**

Crimes Against Persons	Property Crimes	Mental Health	Other	Total
150	791	131	1,541	2,613

- **Arrests**
 - Annual Average: 1,059

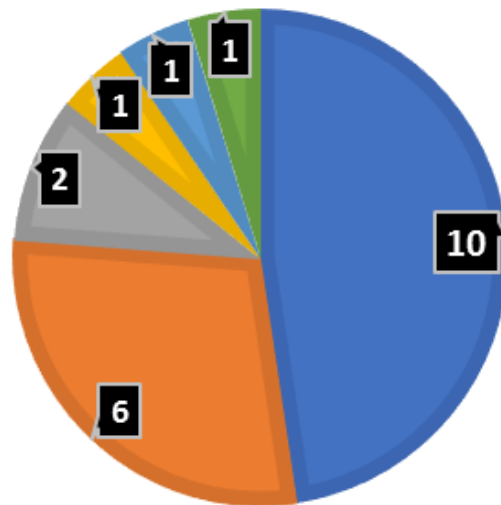
USE OF FORCE



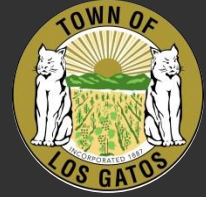
From 2015 to 2019, LGMSPD Officers had over 85,000 contacts with the community. Of these contacts, approximately 5,000 arrests were made. In all of these contacts and arrests, Officers used force in only 21 cases (0.024%).

TYPE OF FORCE USED 2015-2019

■ Body Force ■ WRAP Restraint ■ Taser
■ Impact Weapon ■ Canine ■ Carotid Restraint



PERSONNEL COMPLAINTS



Year	Description	Finding
2015	Inappropriate off-duty enforcement action	Unfounded
2015	Negligent discharge of a firearm on duty (without injury)	Sustained
2015	Abuse of authority; conduct unbecoming; discourteous treatment of a community member	Unfounded
2016	Discourteous treatment of a Department member	Not Sustained
2016	Unnecessary use of force	No Finding
2017	Conduct unbecoming; misuse of data systems	Sustained
2018	Failure to activate body worn camera	Sustained
2018	Conduct unbecoming	Exonerated
2018	Conduct unbecoming; discourteous treatment of a community member	Unfounded
2018	Conduct unbecoming; discourteous treatment of a community member	Unfounded
2019	Unlawful exercise of authority	No Finding
2020	Failure to take action	Exonerated
2020	Conduct unbecoming; discourteous treatment of a community member	Pending

ARREST/CITATION DATA



In the last 2 years:

Race	Total Population 30,222	Total Arrests 1,634	Total Citations 3,311	Arrests (Resident) 697	Citations (Resident) 1,036
White	72%	57%	56%	73%	72%
Hispanic	8%	28%	18%	15%	5%
Black	2%	6%	2%	2%	1%
Asian	14%	3%	9%	1%	8%
Other	4%	6%	15%	8%	15%