



Board of Trustees Summary Sheet

	May 2026
Title	Police Monthly Report
Action	N/A
Date	4/1/25-4/30/2026
Contact	Lieutenant A. Lundy
Summary	In the month of April 2026, the PLPD made 53 traffic stops and issued 52 citations. Also, in the month of April 25 reports were taken and there was 1 traffic accident. PLPD Officers charged 2 domestic violence cases in the month of April. PLPD made 17 citizen contacts.
Training	All officers were assigned Firearms training at the beginning of the month.
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Other Actions	Officer Dena Currin was sworn in and passed her field training. PLPD successfully hosted another blood drive. There were 18 donors, 1 medical deferral, and 3 power red donations. A total of 20 units of blood were collected with a goal of 16. Approximately 64 lives could be saved from these donations! PLPD held oral board interviews for the BHCON unit position. UCHHealth successfully trained a new BHCON clinician and assigned her to PLPD.

Calls for service	PLPD officers responded to 189 calls for service in the month of April.
B.H.C.O.N.	<p>The PLPD B.H.C.O.N. program launched at the beginning of this year. The grant funded program is intended to circumvent arrests of mentally ill individuals when appropriate and afford these individuals resources to seek the help they need.</p> <p>The program has had 206 calls for service including 90 Check the Welfares, 66 suicidal parties, 2 unattended deaths, 7 drunk individuals, 14 domestic violence calls, 5 suicide attempts, 7 missing persons, and 15 outside agency assists. 131 of these contacts required mental assessment, 44 were transported to the hospital, and 87 were placed on a safety plan.</p>
S.T.E.P.	<p>S.T.E.P. was instituted in March of 2021 and has made a great impact on police operations and overall street safety of Palmer Lake. Officers have conducted 360 shifts over the last 2 years. The most common citations written are for failure to stop at stop signs and speeding. Monies gained from these shifts have been a great benefit to the overall Town budget as a supplemental income. Proceeds from the S.T.E.P. program have recently purchased 2 vehicles for the PLPD which were previously unbudgeted for but needed.</p>
H.V.E.	<p>PLPD's High Visibility Enforcement (DUI/DUID) program has added to the safety of Palmer Lake's residents by effectively enforcing DUIs and DUIDs within its jurisdiction.</p>