



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

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DATE: March 17, 2025

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM: Turu VanderWiel, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: Sonora Police Department Annual Summary Report

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive the City of Sonora Police Department Annual Statistic Summary Report for 2024.

BACKGROUND:

Each month, the Sonora Police Department reports on general police activity for the previous month. The Chief of Police believes an annual summary of policing activities can provide a valuable source of reference and well.

DISCUSSION / ANALYSIS:

The Sonora Police Department staff maintained a commendable level of safety and security for the City, despite experiencing critical staffing levels and changes in line-level supervision. The following statistical information is a summary of some of the work performed.

STATISTIC SUMMARY

TOTAL INCIDENTS:	13,533
TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE:	9,159
FELONY ARRESTS:	113
MISDEMEANOR ARRESTS:	390
CASE REPORTS:	1,346
MOVING CITATIONS:	212
PARKING CITATIONS:	258
ANIMAL CONTROL CALLS:	356



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BUSINESS LINE CALLS: 31,016

911 CENTER CALLS: 9,702

CRIMES INVESTIGATED

LARCENIES: 280 Includes General Thefts, Fraud and Shoplifting

BURGLARIES: 5

ROBBERIES: 5

AUTO THEFTS: 2

AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS: 35 Includes (8) GBI, (10) ADW, and (17) Other

RAPES: 7

TRAFFIC COLLISIONS: 301

IMPAIRED DRIVING: 27 Includes Alcohol and Drug Impairment

OTHER ACTIVITY

CANINE DEPLOYMENTS: 23 Includes (1) Apprehension, (6) Meth Seizures, (4) Fentanyl Seizures, and (2) Heroin Seizures

ASSIST OTHER AGENCIES: 612 TCSO, CHP, Parole, Probation, Ambulance, Fire

HOMELESS INCIDENTS: 1,468

NARCAN DEPLOYMENTS: 7

HOMELESS OUTREACH SUPPORT TEAM PROGRAM

ENCOUNTERS: 161 Includes Numerous Referrals to BH Services, Rehab/Recovery, Relocation, CalFresh, MediCal, Various Medical Services.

HMIS ENTRIES: 71

HOUSED/SHELTERED: 41



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FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no Fiscal Impact on the General Fund.

CORE COUNCIL PRIORITIES:

Public Safety and Disaster Preparedness, Homelessness Issues, Training, and Retention