

# 2022 ANNUAL REPORT WHEATLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT



# MISSION STATEMENT

We strive to achieve excellence while keeping Wheatland safe, placing an emphasis on enhancing the quality of life in our community. We dedicate ourselves to be consistent with the Law Enforcement Code of Ethics and our Department Core Values.



# DEPARTMENT CORE VALUES

**The Wheatland Police Department established a set of core values that provide a guidance for all employees in the organization to achieve a common goal.**

**Integrity** – The quality of being honest and having strong moral principles. Even though ethical conduct cannot be assured by written policies, codes or oaths, it must be an integral part of the organization, a deeply ingrained tradition that assures citizens unethical conduct will not be tolerated. Our actions match our words, and we hold each other and ourselves accountable to our core values.

**Professionalism** – Excellent service is both a personal and organizational commitment. The department will make every effort to deliver professional, quality service to our citizens as we encounter incidents of crime and public safety. We are committed to working towards improving the quality of life in our community.

**Respect** – We show respect for ourselves, our organization, and our community by always acting in a manner above reproach both in public and with each other. While maintaining personal safety, we remember we often meet individuals on their worst days and strive to preserve their dignity.

**As members of the Wheatland Police Department, we treat each other and everyone we contact with decency and respect. We are proud of our accomplishments and dedication to our profession, along with our strong bond with our community.**

# MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

On behalf of the Wheatland Police Department, I'd like to thank you for the honor of serving you. We are committed to engaged community service and we work hard every day to maintain that commitment. We pride ourselves on maintaining a high level of service, including our quick and effective response to priority calls, good tactics, relentless follow-up and a very close partnership with our community.

We are one of the safest cities in California, and I would like to thank my exceptional sworn and professional staff, as well as our community, for making this such a special place.

Sincerely,

Chief Damiean Sylvester



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## City Manager

James Goodwin

## City Council

**Mayor** Rick West | **Vice Mayor** Bob Coe | **Council Member** Lisa McIntosh  
**Council Member** | Pamela Shelton | **Council Member** Angela Teter

## Wheatland Police Department

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# PERSONNEL UPDATES

## ***New Hires:***

Officer Daniel White

Officer Stephen Thornton

Officer Luke Gonsalves

Reserve Officer Brooke Kobold



# SERVING OUR COMMUNITY WITH PRIDE



Chief Damiean Sylvester



Sgt. Christopher Ellis



FTO Kirk Rekers



SRO Joseph Campos



Officer Thomas Munson



FTO Daniel White



Officer Steven Thornton



Officer Luke Gonsalves



Res. Sgt. Oscar Magana



Res. Officer Dennis Hollar



Res. Officer Brooke Kobold



Admin Asst. Glenda Hyde



Admin Asst. Kim Miller

# NEW IN 2022



Body worn camera's

Increased patrol fleet to 6 patrol cars

Updated the front office





# 2022 OFFICER OF THE YEAR



Officer Daniel White earned the title of “2022 Wheatland Police Officer of the Year.”

Officer White began his career in April 2021 as a Reserve Police Officer and was hired as a full-time Police Officer in April 2022. In 2022, Officer White led the department in total arrests, citations written, reports taken, and traffic stops conducted.

Officer White’s proactive performance definitely led to the crime reduction in our community in 2022. Along with his proactivity, Officer White assists new officers with their develop in their career and overall training and experience.

Officer White had aspirations of becoming a Field Training Officer, which he accomplished in early 2023 and plans on taking a leadership role at the department.

Thank you Dan for your hard work, it is appreciated !!

# COMMUNITY RELATIONS AND SAFETY AWARENESS

WUHS Graduation



National Night Out



4th annual Safe Trick or Treat

Wheatland Elementary

Kids Safety presentation

Pet Parade

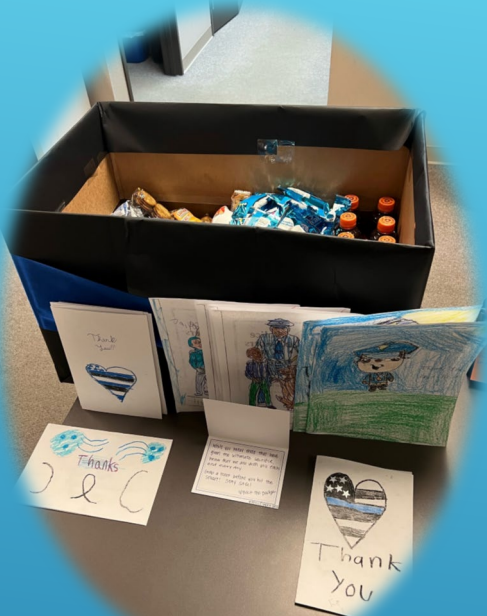


# COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Yuba-Sutter Back the Badge

Bishops Pumpkin Farm

Wheatland Schools



While you honor those that have given the ultimate sacrifice, know that we are with you each and every day.  
Grab a treat before you hit the street! Stay Safe!  
♥Back the Badge

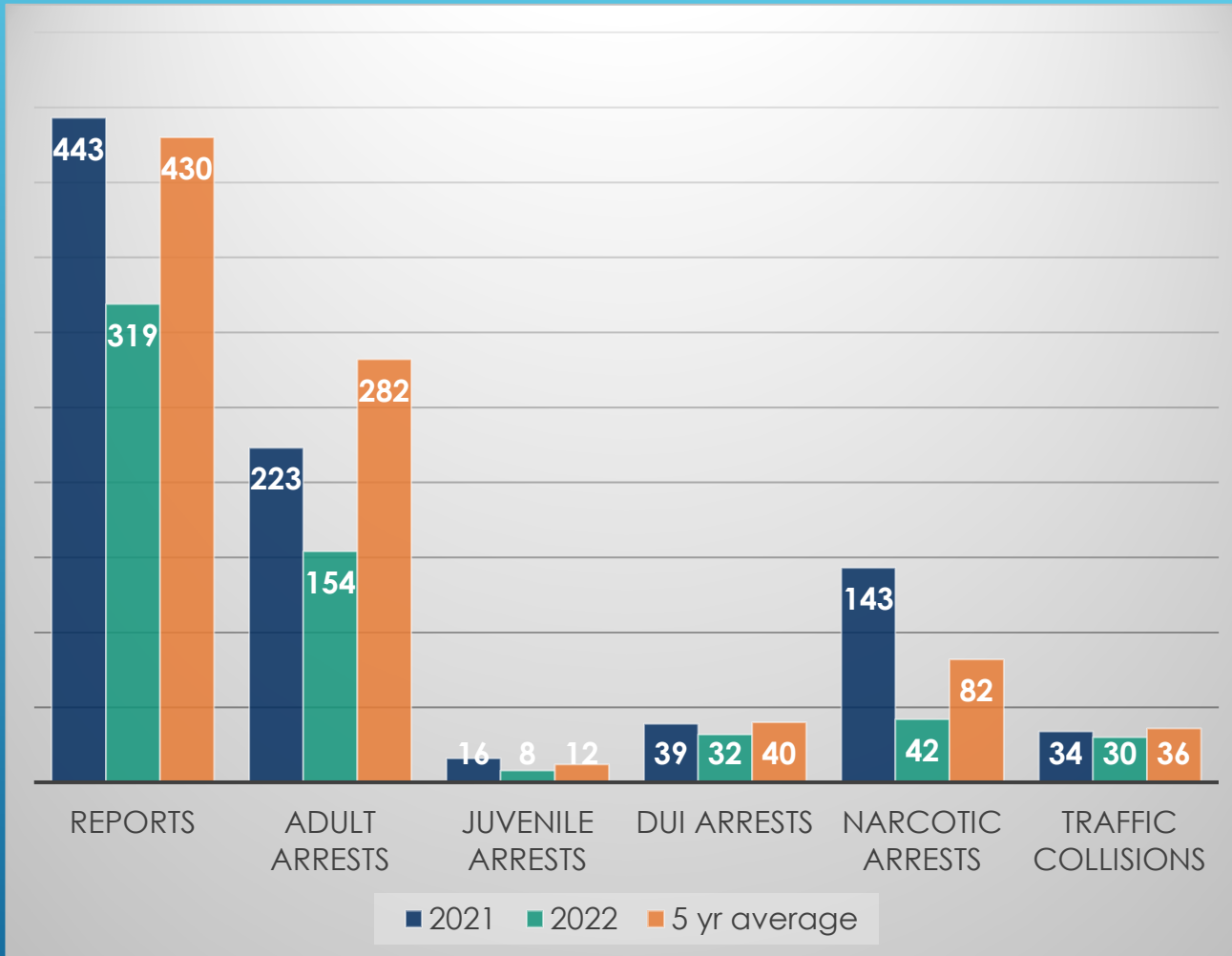


# TRAINING AND EDUCATION

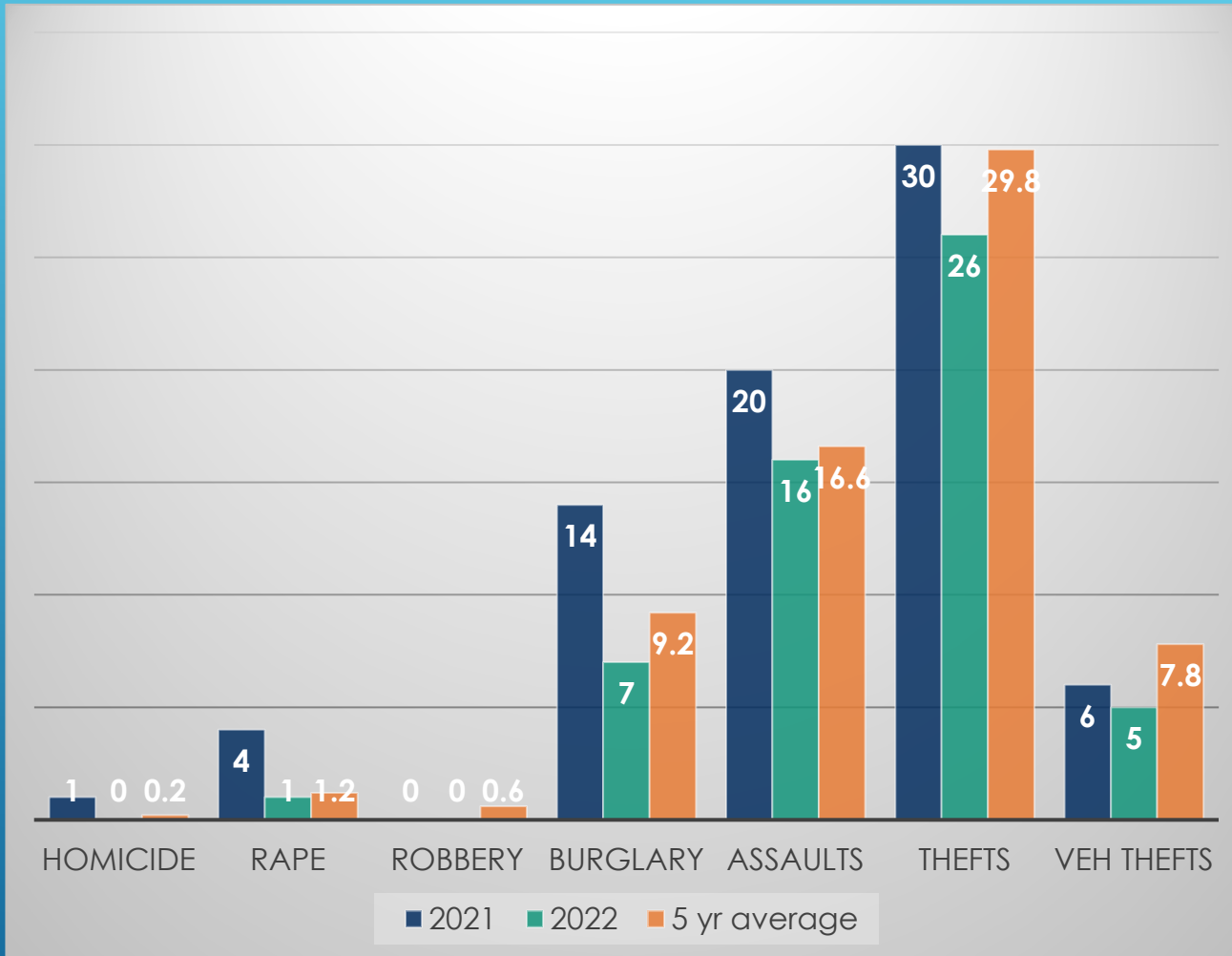
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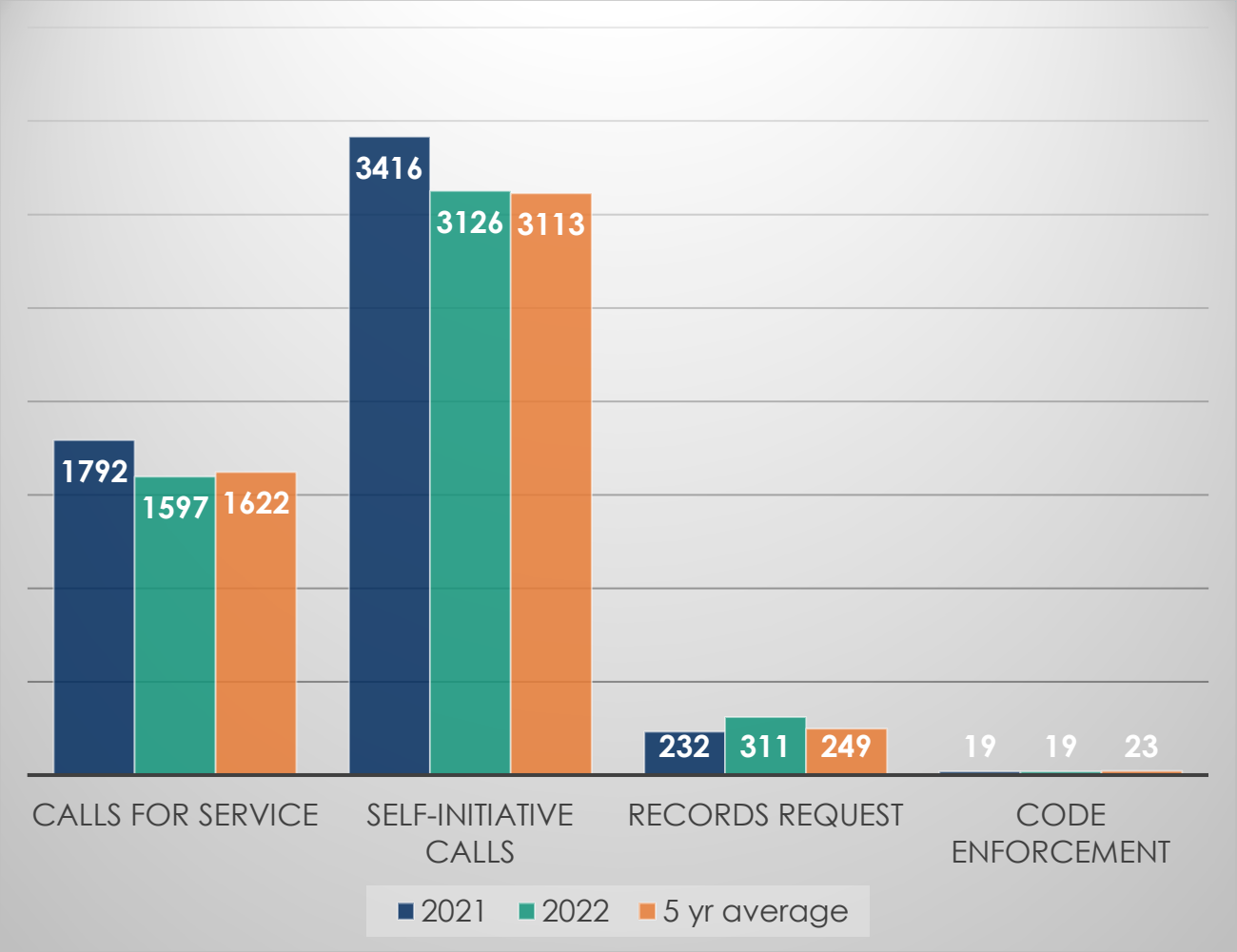
# PATROL STATS



# PART ONE CRIMES



# ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF STATS



# CODE ENFORCEMENT

## 2022 Statistics

**Cases investigated**        19

**Cases Closed**                17

**Cases remaining open:**    5

In July 2019, Wheatland Police Department took over Code Enforcement for the City of Wheatland. One part-time Code Enforcement Officer was hired to oversee, respond, enforce, and process all code violations within the City Limits. Our goal is to reach out to our community members, both private citizens and businesses in hopes of gaining voluntary compliance for all code violation complaints.

Citizens can bring forward any complaints or concerns of code violations by completing a Code Enforcement Complaint Form, those forms are available at <https://www.wheatland.ca.gov/>, or by stopping by the police department. Complainant names and information are confidential.

We look forward to serving and working with our community.

