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LINCOLN CITY



2025 | ANNUAL REPORT

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

Dear Lincoln City Community,

On behalf of the employees of the Lincoln City Police Department, I am pleased to present the Lincoln City Police Department Annual Report. This report contains a summary of the Department's accomplishments, staff achievements, and statistical information for 2025.

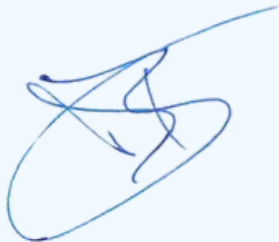
The Lincoln City Police Department is comprised of very talented and highly-skilled employees, who are committed to serving our community. These employees serve as officers, telecommunicators, community service officers, evidence technicians, records specialists and support staff. Their teamwork and commitment to professionally policing our community is commendable and we are proud of each of them.

We all continue to enter each day of "policing" our community with the understanding that we will face new, and often challenging incidents and circumstances, and we do so with the confidence that our high level of experience and training will allow us the opportunity to make sound decisions, leading to positive outcomes.

Our team had many accomplishments this past year, some of which are captured in the pages of this report. As we move forward into 2026, our team is steadfast in our commitment to meet the ever-evolving needs of our community.

Our agency is very privileged to serve such an outstanding and supportive community, and we strive each day to maintain and strengthen the partnership we have fostered with our community.

CHIEF DAVID BRODERICK



MEET OUR COMMAND TEAM



CHIEF OF POLICE
DAVID BRODERICK



OPERATIONS LIEUTENANT
ERIC HENDERSON



ADMIN LIEUTENANT
RANDY WEAVER



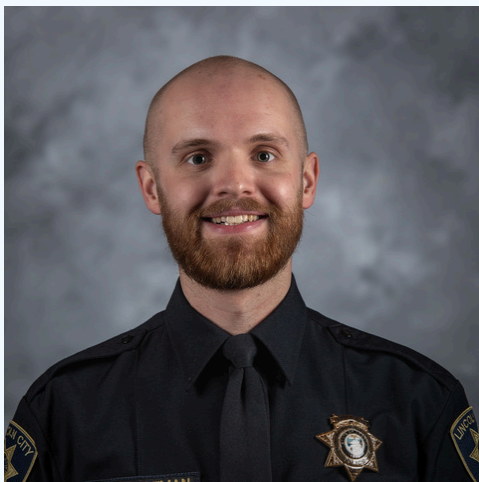
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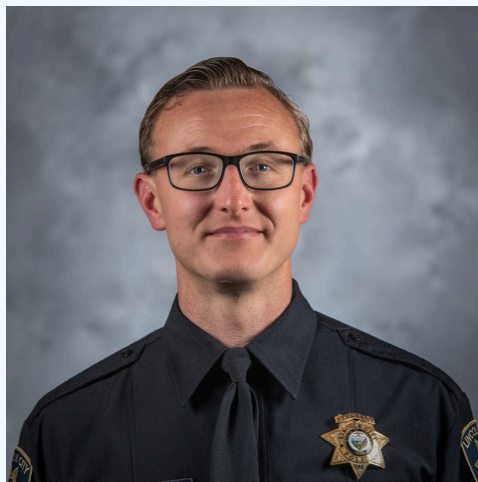
PATROL SERGEANT
JAMES BURKE



PATROL SERGEANT
TORIN LIDEN



PATROL SERGEANT
HAYDEN TOLZMAN



PATROL SERGEANT
ERIC ANDERSON



DETECTIVE SERGEANT
JOHN GOODMAN

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Lincoln City Police Department, through a close partnership with our community, is to maintain human rights, protect persons and property, and address citizen concerns while providing the highest quality professional service to all.

VISION STATEMENT

The Lincoln City Police Department is committed to establishing a positive police legacy with its citizens and visitors it serves. This vision includes a city free from crime and the fear of crime, where people work together to improve our neighborhoods and general quality of life.

To do this, we must show we are a specially selected, well-trained, professional organization of selfless public servants dedicated to our mission and each other. We shall always endeavor to uphold a well-trained workforce that uses technology, training, equipment, and staffing strategically and effectively.

Through partnerships with the community we will identify and prioritize crime prevention and law enforcement challenges using flexible problem-solving approaches that achieve results. Our desire is to be a transparent agency by strengthening links with all community members and associations through open communications, mutual responsibility, and a commitment to service.

We have a duty to our employees and our citizenry to ensure our employees are led by competent, attentive supervisors, and are supported by community members, support staff, and work systems designed to enhance their effectiveness and efficiency.

Each and every employee is expected to be a consummate professional, shoulder more than their share of the tasks, and set examples for others to follow in pursuit of accomplishing our mission. The organization will not tolerate those seeking to harm or otherwise undermine the good order and morale of the Department or seek only their own self interests.

To achieve and maintain our stated end goals, we will foster an organizational culture where shared fundamental values gallantly portray us to be high-performing professionals who are strategic in planning and directed in purpose. We highly value a culture of teamwork and believe in our commitment to being community- and customer-oriented in all we do. We will rigorously pursue the use of best practices that include officer safety guidelines and performance-based accountability to provide progressive and responsive police services to crime victims and all members and guests of our community.

MOVERS AND SHAKERS



Before leaving in May 2025, Kerri Paxton served the community as a 911 Dispatcher for 7 years, while Kambra Buell provided Administrative Support for Records and Evidence for 18 months, and both were integral to the successful operation of our agency.

After serving with our agency as a Dispatcher and Field Training Officer (FTO) for the past 4 years, we bid farewell to Kevin Casey, who left to pursue his certification as an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) and ultimately become a Firefighter.



LCPD happily welcomed Susie O'Toole back to our agency as a new Community Service Officer. She previously served as a Patrol Officer and Sergeant with LCPD for nine years before moving on to work as a Parole/Probation Officer with Lincoln County from 2006 until earlier this year.

LCPD welcomed to our agency Patrol Officer Amanda Longanecker, who was sworn in August 2025.



LCPD promoted Randy Weaver to the position of Administrative Lieutenant to oversee the Administrative Division of the Department.

MOVERS AND SHAKERS

After 20 years of service as a Reserve Officer with LCPD, Tim Beatty hung up the uniform, and was presented with a shadowbox to honor his years of service by Chief Dave Broderick. In addition to being a long-time employee with NW Natural Gas, Beatty rode along once a month as a cover officer, and assisted our agency with coverage at community events.



Scott Winter retired after 14 years of service to the City of Lincoln City as the PD's maintenance person.

Officer Chad Nielson joined us as a lateral Patrol Officer from East Carbon City Police Department in Utah, where he worked for the past five years.



Jeff Hughes joined LCPD as a lateral Patrol Officer with 34 years of experience. If he looks familiar, it's because he served many years as a Deputy with the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office.

LCPD CAREER RETIREMENT



The Lincoln City Police Department recognized Lieutenant Jeffrey Winn for more than 35 years of dedicated law enforcement service in Oregon. Since joining the department in 1991, he played a key role in shaping public safety efforts and, in recent years, provided steady leadership as a police administrator during a period of organizational change.

Lieutenant Winn was widely respected for his professionalism, integrity, and calm demeanor in high-pressure situations. Throughout his career, he served as a mentor and role model, helping to develop and guide numerous officers while reinforcing high standards in both field operations and professional conduct. He served his community through public outreach and service organizations.

The department extends its sincere appreciation to Lieutenant Winn and his family for their years of service and dedication, and wishes him a well-deserved and fulfilling retirement.

2025 PERSONNEL

NAME	POSITION	HIRE DATE
ADMINISTRATION		
David Broderick	Chief of Police	1/25/2005
Randy Weaver	Admin Lieutenant	7/9/1990
Eric Henderson	Operations Lieutenant	12/18/2018
DETECTIVE DIVISION		
John Goodman	Detective Sergeant	12/17/2018
Bud Lane	Detective	6/5/1989
Jon Humphreys	Detective	9/26/2022
PATROL DIVISION		
James Burke	Sergeant	9/25/2017
Torin Liden	Sergeant	9/6/2011
Erik Anderson	Sergeant	5/15/2017
Hayden Tolzman	Sergeant	2/8/2021
Logan Smith	School Resource Officer	7/26/2010
Tim Delugach	Sr. Officer	08/23/2010
Zachary Rigg	Sr. Officer	9/17/2012
KC Claunts	Sr. Officer	5/15/2017
Cody Snidow	K9 Officer / NIX	3/19/2018
Jarett Villafane	K9 Officer / NATO	10/12/2020
Zack Lane	Sr. Officer	10/12/2020
Andy Johnson	Sr. Officer	11/15/2021
Jay King	Sr. Officer	1/30/2023
Drew Glines	Sr. Officer	7/31/2023
Josh Lane	Patrol Officer	3/4/2024
Mike Destito	Patrol Officer	5/8/2024

2025 PERSONNEL CONT.

Sean Nieto	Patrol Officer	8/26/2024
Amanda Longanecker	Patrol Officer	8/11/2025
Chad Nielson	Patrol Officer	12/1/2025
Jeff Hughes	Patrol Officer	12/15/2025
911 DISPATCH CENTER		
Paul Compton	911 Operations Manager	11/4/2004
Selina Weitzel	Dispatch Supervisor	2/16/2016
Kristi Schabert	Dispatcher	10/6/1998
Amy Maestas	Dispatcher	2/16/2016
Leah Leider	Dispatcher	9/8/2022
Sarah Parker	Dispatcher	12/17/2025
SUPPORT STAFF		
Tami Williams	Records Administrator	9/2/2008
Mara Young	Evidence Technician	2/4/2019
Amy Ketchum	Records Admin/Evidence Support	4/24/2023
Craig Grabenhorst	Code Enforcement Officer	3/11/1991
Jim Folmar	Community Service Officer	1/3/2023
Susie O'Toole	Community Service Officer	7/28/2025
De Ann Wright	Executive Assistant to Police Chief	1/28/2018

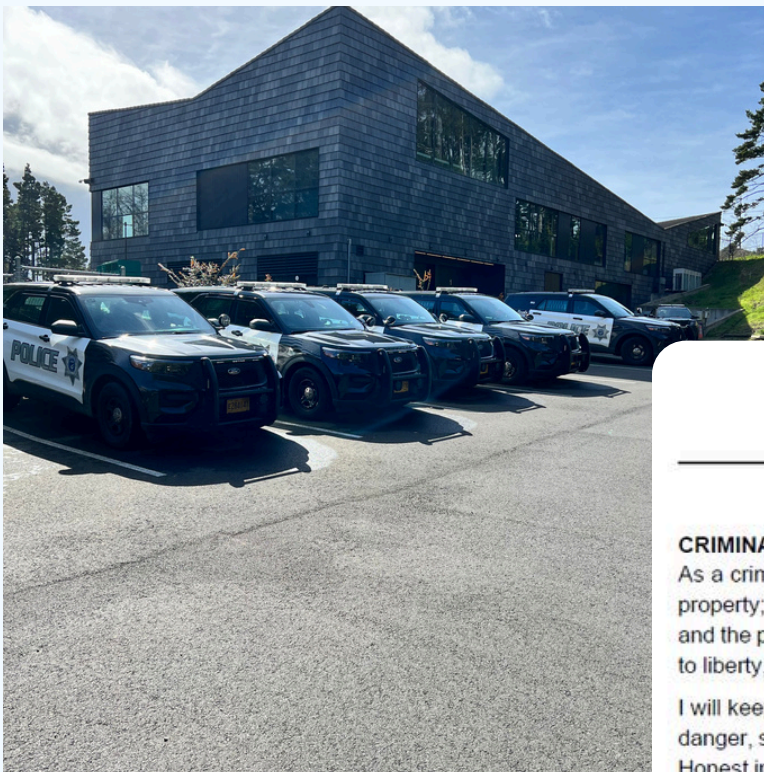
ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

Division Overview

The Administrative Division provides essential leadership and support to ensure the smooth and effective operation of the police department. Guided by the Administrative Lieutenant, the division oversees key functions including Evidence and Property, Code Enforcement, and Community Service Officers.

Throughout the year, the division supported departmental readiness and accountability through grant writing, use-of-force reporting, and coordination of patrol fleet maintenance. It also managed critical programs such as AED deployment, impound hearings, traffic safety initiatives, and ongoing policy and legal training updates for sworn personnel.

With its broad range of responsibilities, the Administrative Division plays a central role in strengthening internal operations and supporting both officers and the community.



Lincoln City Police Department

Lincoln City PD Policy Manual

CRIMINAL JUSTICE CODE OF ETHICS

As a criminal justice officer, my fundamental duty is to serve humankind; to safeguard property; to protect all persons against deception, the weak against oppression, and the peaceful against violence or disorder; and to respect the Constitutional right to liberty, equality and justice.

I will keep my private life unsullied as an example to all; maintain courageous calm in danger, scorn, or ridicule; develop self-restraint; and be constantly mindful of the welfare of the community. Honest in thought and deed in both my personal and official life, I will be exemplary in the laws of the land and the regulations of my department. Whatever I see or hear of a confidential nature or that is confided to me in my official capacity will be kept ever secret unless necessary in the performance of my duty.

I will never act officiously or permit personal feelings, prejudices, animosities or influences to influence my decisions. Without compromise and with relentless determination, I will uphold and protect the duties of my profession courteously and appropriately without fear or ill will, never employing unnecessary force or violence, and never accepting gratuities.

I recognize my position as a symbol of public faith, and I accept it, as a public trust as long as I am true to the ethics of The Criminal Justice System. I will constantly strive to achieve these objectives and ideals, dedicating myself before God to my chosen profession.

RECORDS DEPARTMENT

Lincoln City Police Department's Records Division is staffed by a dedicated Records Administrator and a dual Administrative Assistant/Evidence Support Specialist. They are responsible for maintaining the accuracy, integrity, and confidentiality of sensitive information pertaining to the Police Department. Their duties include processing all police reports, which are distributed to local courts, DAs, and other agencies. Other responsibilities are data entry, facilitating Sex Offender registrations, completing requests for records checks/police reports from other agencies, as well as requests from the public, monitoring court schedules, distributing subpoenas, and performing background investigation requests.

Tami Williams has been with the Lincoln City Police Department for 17 years. In 2008, she was hired as a 911 Dispatcher and spent her first 7 years in that capacity, before becoming the Records Administrator in 2015. She is also the Coordinator for our Citizens Police Academy, the spearhead for generating department involvement in community events, and the official proofreader for LCPD.

Amy Ketchum joined LCPD in April 2023 as a 911 Dispatcher, serving in that role for two and a half years before transitioning into her current position as Administrative Assistant/Evidence Support Specialist.



TAMI WILLIAMS



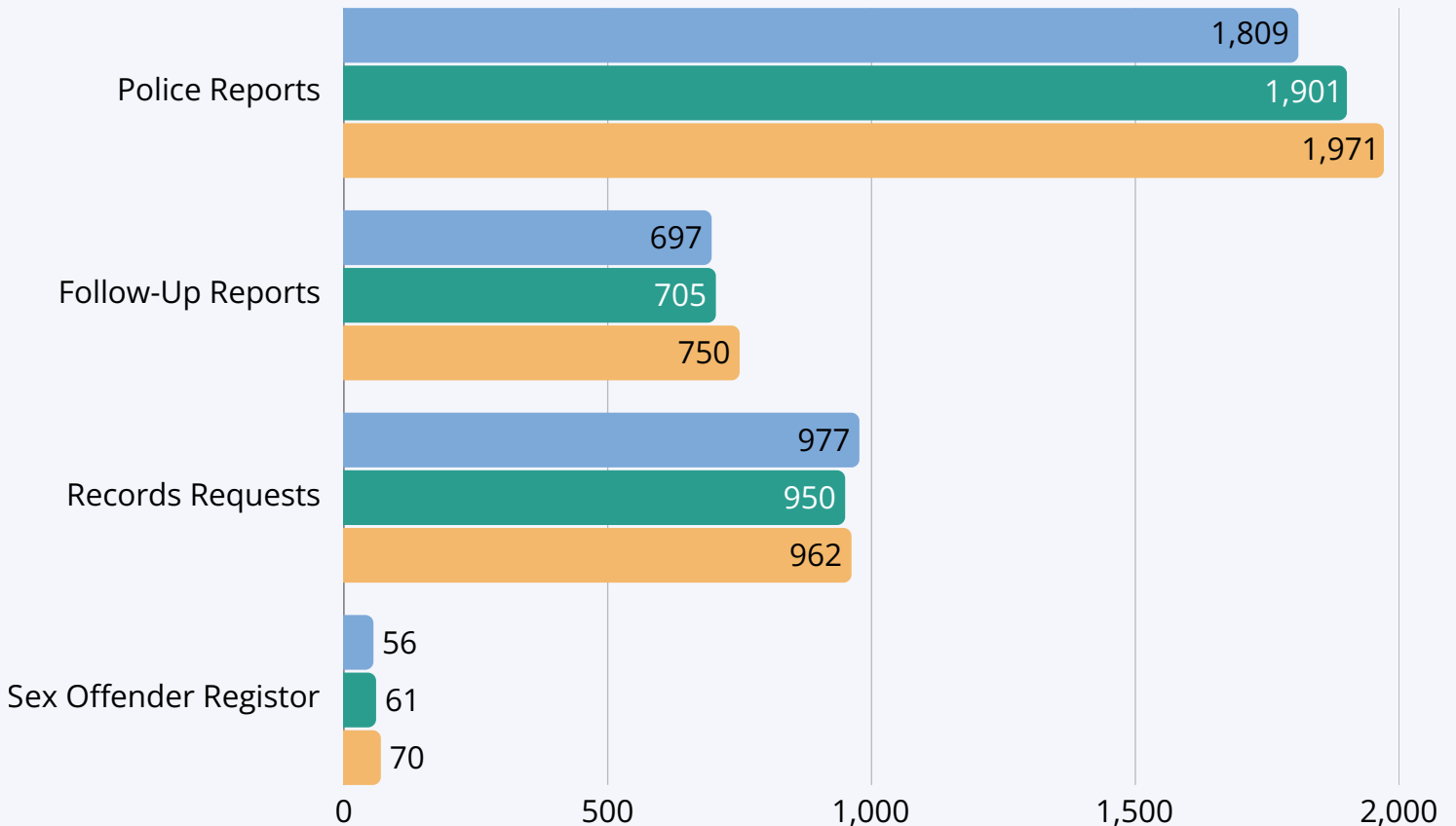
AMY KETCHUM

RECORDS DEPARTMENT



- RECORDS REQUESTS INCREASED SIGNIFICANTLY, BECOMING A LARGER SHARE OF THE TOTAL WORKLOAD
- OVERALL PROCESSING VOLUME HAS STEADILY INCREASED OVER THE PAST THREE YEARS
- SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATIONS REMAIN CONSISTENT WITH MINIMAL FLUCTUATION

● 2023 ● 2024 ● 2025



PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICERS

The primary job of the LCPD public information officer (PIO) is to facilitate communication between the organization and the public. The PIO acts as a liaison and contact point between the department and media to provide them with timely and essential information regarding events or incidents that involve the police department. In addition, the PIO works in an ambassador role for the department by interacting with the citizens, the media, and community organizations to promote positive community relations and information sharing. Those wanting to receive up-to-date information regarding events involving the Lincoln City Police Department are encouraged to follow the department's Facebook page and subscribe to FlashAlert.

The PIO also serves as a Strategic Communications Advisor to the Chief of Police by:

- Anticipating opportunities to tell the department's story through proactive, positive media and curated content
- Supporting the Chief's mission and vision through communication
- Curating, protecting, and amplifying the agency's brand
- Working proactively in crises to build transparent communications
- Creating a community of advocates via engagement strategies

MEDIA RELEASES

2025 = 38



**MEDIA
RELEASE**



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PROPERTY AND EVIDENCE



Our Property & Evidence Technicians assist the agency by ensuring that all submitted property items are packaged, cataloged, and stored properly, and also assists the Records Division as needed. The Evidence Technicians must exercise the utmost care in the accounting, control, and integrity of all property that comes into our custody. The Evidence Technicians must care for seized property to retain its evidentiary value, and ensure the protection of property from contamination or deterioration. They also facilitate the transfer of property to and from the Crime Lab and the courts, and maintain all documentation of its movement, while adhering to all State and Federal laws, Lincoln City Police policies, District Attorney policies, and City of Lincoln City policies.

Mara Young has been an Evidence Technician with the Lincoln City Police Department for 8 years. In addition to managing the Evidence Room, she assists at crime scenes and search warrants. To date, she has helped with 12 search warrants and 8 crime scene callouts.

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PROPERTY AND EVIDENCE



Evidence Room Totals

Year	Intake	Disposed	% Purged
2018	2447	780	31%
2019	2852	1246	43%
2020	1563	1055	67%
2021	1460	619	42%
2022	1711	880	51%
2023	1743	988	56%
2024	1520	1499	98%
2025	1457	393	27%



The incinerator closed at the end of 2024, hence the lower dispo rate in 2025.



2025 Dispo YTD	
Returned	68.00%
Destroyed	32.00%

Current Inventory		
	# of Items	% of Total
Evidence	3114	62%
Found	230	5%
Narcotics	930	18%
Safekeep	373	7%
Guns	214	4%
Stolen	33	1%
Other	168	3%
Total	5062	100%



CODE ENFORCEMENT



The Code Enforcement Officer conducts investigations and gathers pertinent information to determine compliance with the Lincoln City Municipal Code, takes enforcement actions, and informs the general public regarding the Municipal Code.

They conduct periodic patrols and respond to Municipal Code violations as assigned, which includes researching, interpreting and applying Municipal Code to specific conduct and situations and conducting investigations and inspections. The Code Enforcement Officer works with members of the public to bring violations into compliance, with the primary strategy being voluntary compliance.

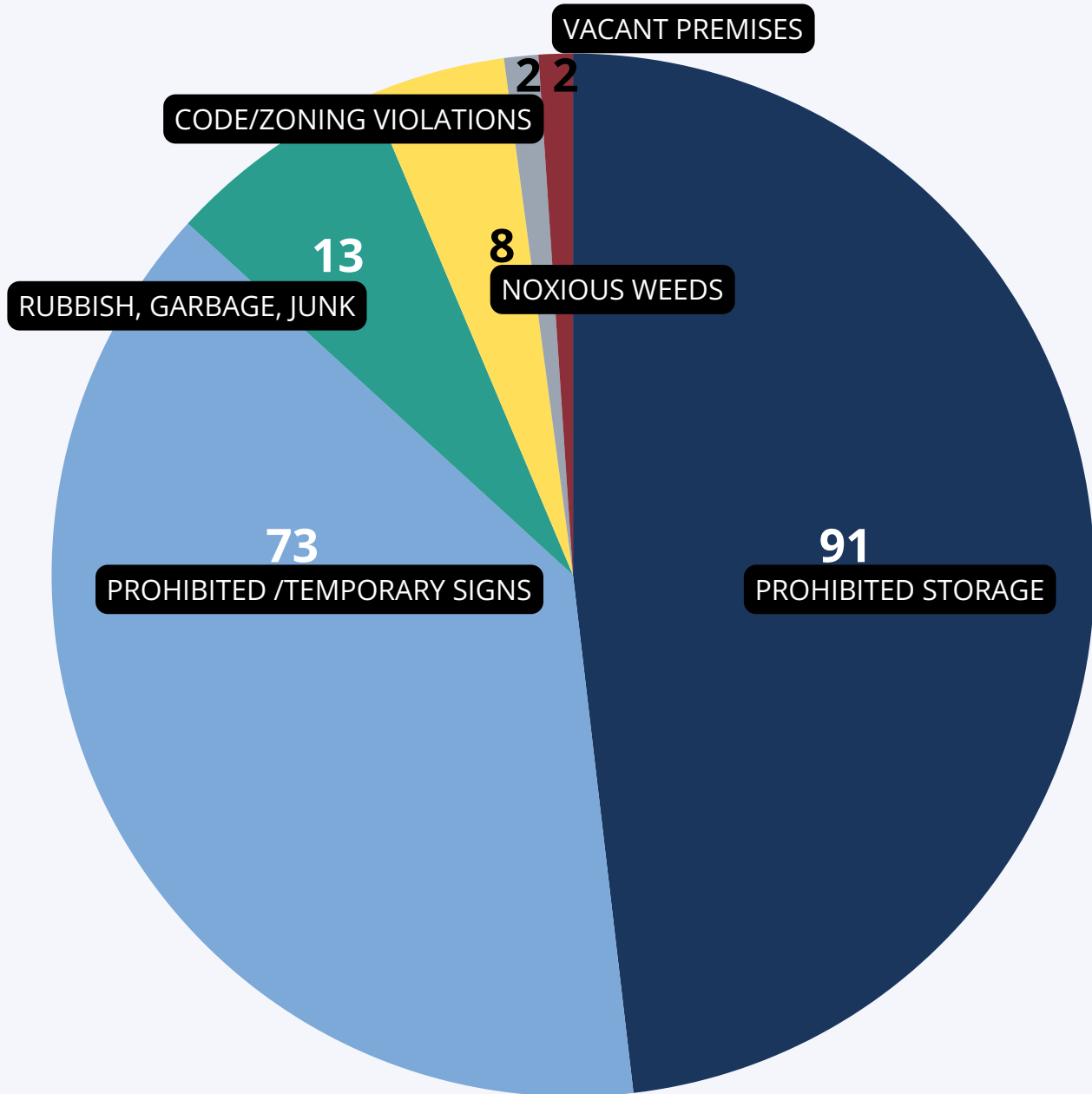
Code Enforcement Officer Craig Grabenhorst is tasked with proactively enforcing Lincoln City's Municipal Codes and laws. Officer Grabenhorst spent over 25 years as a Police Officer for the LCPD before retiring. Officer Grabenhorst returned to the LCPD in 2017 to fill the open Code Enforcement position and has excelled ever since.

In 2025, there were 218 code enforcement complaints that were investigated. Of those cases, 179 were closed and completed with 132 being voluntarily resolved (no enforcement action other than contact and advisement of the violation) and 59 cases were forced closed (warning letters issued, citation issued, other enforcement action taken). As an example, readers will see in the chart that in 2025, there were 91 Prohibited Vehicle Storage/Abandoned Vehicle cases, and of those, the Code Enforcement Officer was required to tow 28 vehicles (2 of which were RVs), as the owners did not take care of the issue.



CODE ENFORCEMENT

- Prohibited Storage
- Prohibited/Temp Signs
- Rubbish, Garbage, Junk
- Noxious Weeds
- Code/Zoning Violations
- Vacant Premises



Overall, the data indicates that enforcement efforts are largely driven by storage and signage compliance concerns, with other violation types occurring at comparatively low and stable levels.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICERS

Our Community Service Officers (CSOs) Jim Folmar, who joined the department in 2023, and Susie O'Toole, who proudly rejoined the department in 2025, bring decades of combined law enforcement experience and a strong commitment to public service. Their backgrounds, professionalism, and community-focused approach make them an invaluable asset to both the department and the residents and visitors served.

CSOs perform a broad range of essential functions that directly support departmental operations and enhance overall efficiency by handling responsibilities that do not require a sworn police officer. These duties include, but are not limited to, minor traffic crash investigations, minor criminal investigations, providing traffic control, parking enforcement, found and lost property cases, suspicious activity reports, directed area checks, civil complaints and subpoena service.

The CSO position is non-sworn, and these officers do not carry firearms. They are, however, equipped with non-lethal tools, including Tasers and pepper spray, and are easily identifiable by distinct uniforms and specially marked vehicles, clearly differentiating them from sworn patrol officers. CSOs do not conduct traffic stops or investigate crimes that involve felonies, and/or involving identified suspects, allowing sworn officers to focus on higher-priority enforcement and investigative responsibilities.

Beyond their operational role, our CSOs are deeply engaged in community outreach and crime prevention efforts. They regularly participate in events such as Angels Anonymous, Law Enforcement National Night Out, and Touch-A-Truck, helping strengthen relationships between the police department and the community. The CSOs also participate in the department's popular Citizens Academy by assisting in the training and educational aspects of the program. CSOs are approachable and readily available to speak with residents and visitors to the area, answer questions, provide guidance.

In 2025, our Community Service Officers handled a substantial volume of calls for service and self-initiated activities, demonstrating their critical role in daily operations and their significant contribution to efficient, responsive and community-centered policing.



680- INVOLVED CALLS
84 - REPORTS WRITTEN
276- SUBPOENAS SERVED



PATROL DIVISION

The Patrol Division serves as the foundation of the police department, providing continuous service to the community 24 hours a day. Patrol officers respond to both emergency and non-emergency calls for service and operate on two shifts: day shift and night shift. When not responding to calls, officers conduct proactive patrols, enforce traffic laws, address ongoing community issues, and follow up on felony and misdemeanor cases.

On average, only a small number of patrol officers are on duty in Lincoln City at any given time. The department's long-term goal is to increase staffing to ensure four officers are available around the clock. Achieving this model would improve emergency response times, enhance city-wide visibility, and strengthen community relationships by allowing officers to serve consistently within designated areas.

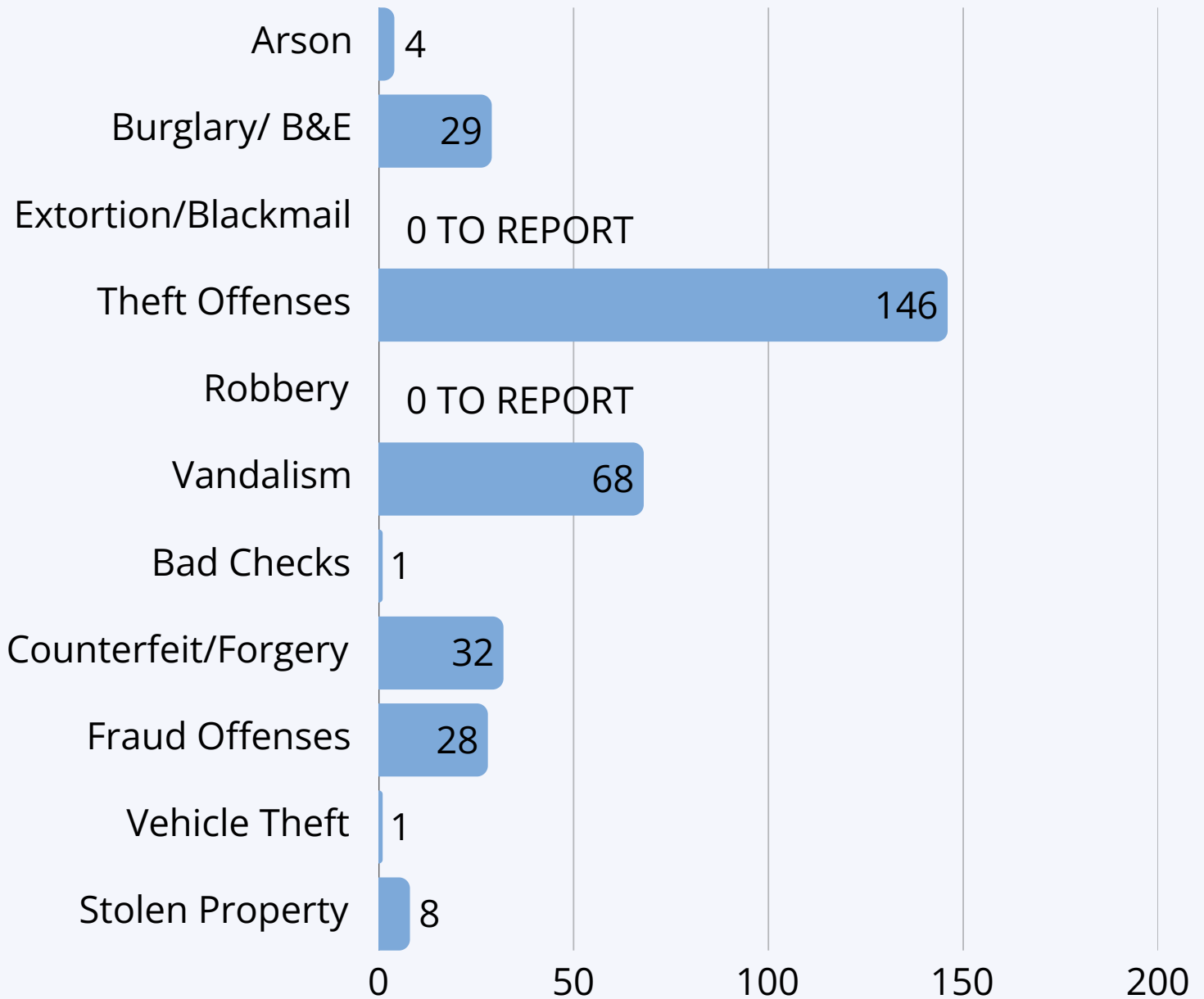
Patrol officers also contribute to interagency teams that support public safety throughout Lincoln County. These include the Tactical Response Team (TRT), which responds to high-risk incidents requiring advanced tactics and equipment, and the Crisis Negotiation Unit (CNU), which works to resolve volatile situations peacefully through specialized negotiation skills.

The Patrol Division supports additional specialized functions as well. Several personnel serve on the Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Team, expanding the department's capability to safely assess complex scenes. Others serve as K-9 handlers, providing critical support for tracking, detection, and community outreach. Two Patrol sergeants within the division are also certified Drug Recognition Evaluators (DRE), equipped to identify drivers impaired by substances other than, or in addition to, alcohol. Another patrol sergeant contributes to the Lincoln County Crash Team, which investigates serious and fatal collisions through advanced crash-reconstruction training.



PROPERTY CRIME STATS

● 2025

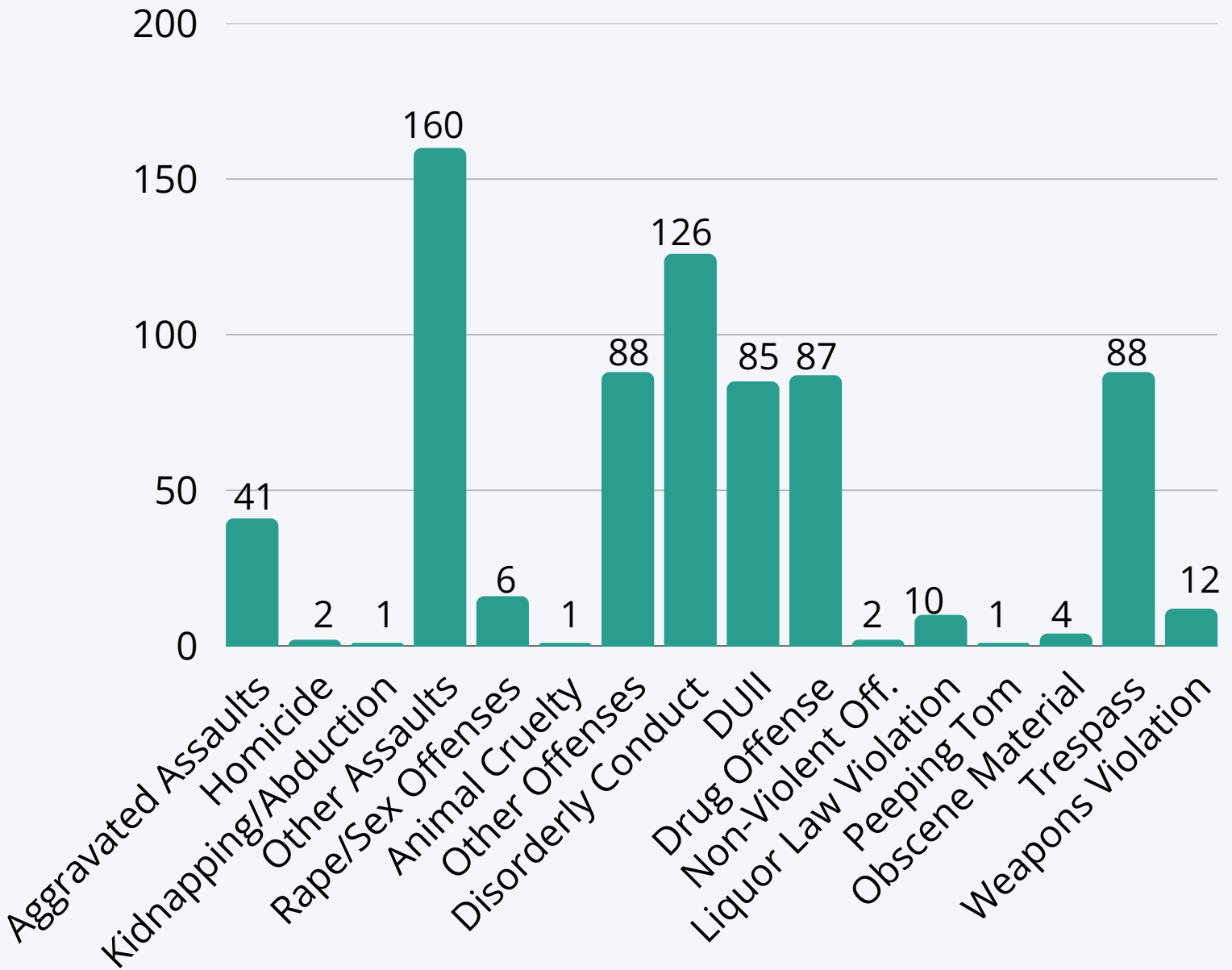


- PROPERTY CRIMES (LIKE THEFT, BURGLARY, VANDALISM) ARE DECREASING SIGNIFICANTLY
- COUNTERFEITING/FORGERY IS THE ONLY CATEGORY CONSISTENTLY INCREASING
- MOST OTHER OFFENSES ARE EITHER DECLINING OR REMAIN VERY LOW

PERSON CRIME STATS

- VIOLENT AND ASSAULT-RELATED OFFENSES ARE RISING, ESPECIALLY "OTHER ASSAULTS" AND "AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS"
- PUBLIC DISORDER AND SUBSTANCE-RELATED OFFENSES (DUII, DRUGS, LIQUOR LAWS) SHOW STRONG UPWARD TRENDS
- SOME SENSITIVE CRIMES (SEX OFFENSES, ANIMAL CRUELTY) ARE DECREASING
- A FEW CATEGORIES SHOW ONE-YEAR SPIKES RATHER THAN CONSISTENT TRENDS

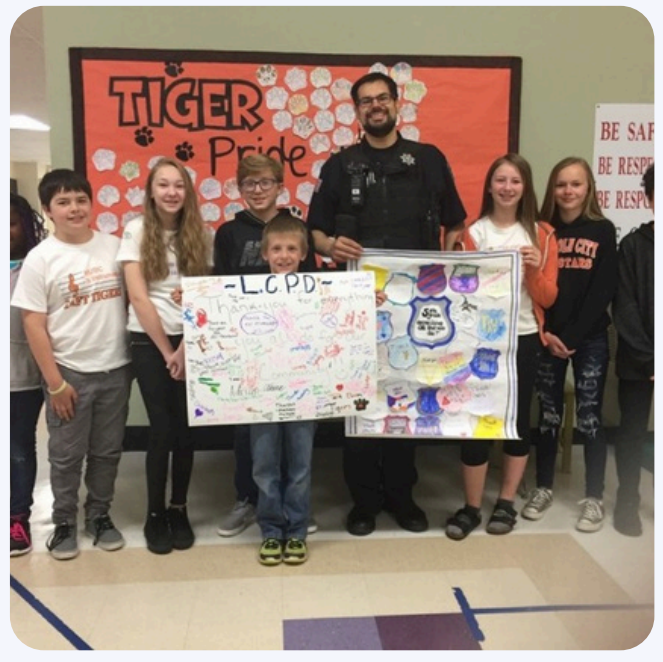
● 2025



SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER

The School Resource Officer position is a sworn police officer who collaborates with the school administration on a daily basis. Typical duties of this SRO include traffic enforcement and traffic-related issues around the schools, threat assessments, volatility screenings, and providing security to requested events. The SRO also performs home visits, welfare checks, and meetings with various members of the school district and the public. They must maintain a wide knowledge of the laws and procedures surrounding minors. Our SRO also teaches classes addressing a variety of subjects, holds meetings with students, and works at various community events.

Logan Smith is a Senior Police Officer who has been with our department for the past 15 years. The last 7 of those years have been as the School Resource Officer in the Lincoln City Schools. Officer Smith has lived in Lincoln City for the past 29 years and is a graduate of Taft 7-12.



K-9 PROGRAM

The LCPD K9 Program was introduced in 2020 with K9 Nato, a German Shepherd. In 2022, the LCPD acquired a second police dog, K9 Nix, a Belgian Malinois. Their skills include tracking human scent, locating hidden evidence, and criminal apprehension. 2025 was the busiest year to date for our K9 team.

K9 Activities	2023	2024	2025	Trend
Training Hours	363	319	354	+10.97%
Deployments	36	28	40	+42.86%
AOA	0	4	8	+100%
Locates/Captures	7	4	8	+100%

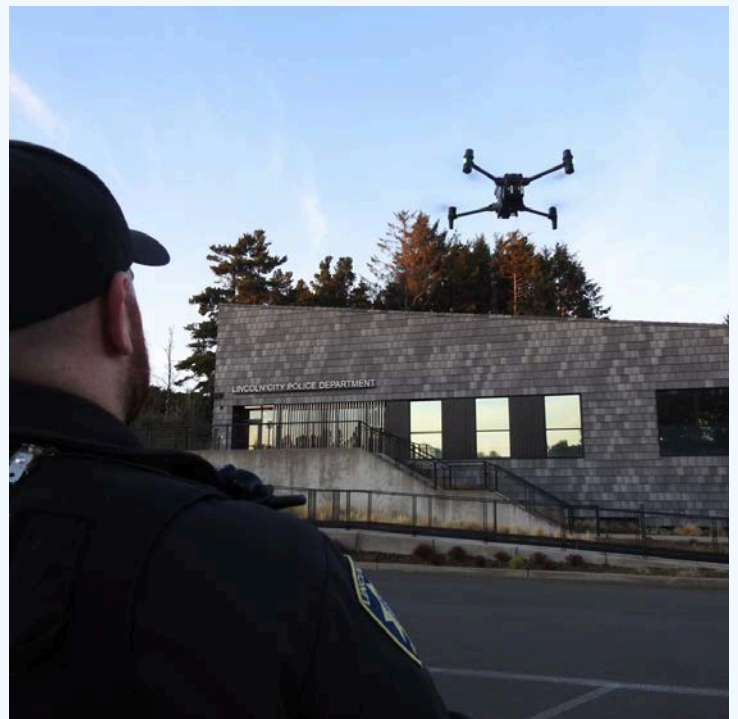
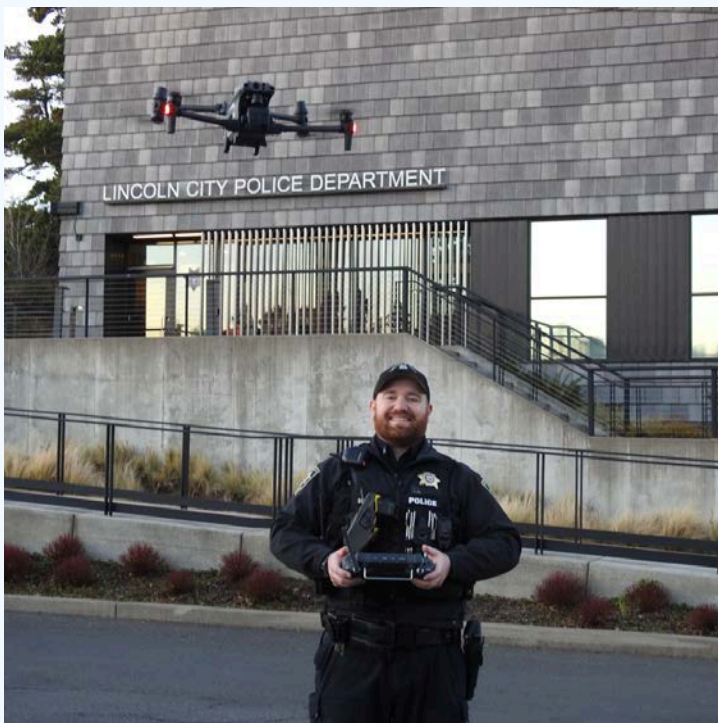


UAS PROGRAM

The use of Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) has become an effective tool for law enforcement operations, including critical incidents, search and rescue missions, drug interdictions, and crash scene documentation. UAS technology enables rapid, accurate scene mapping, allowing for more efficient incident management and quicker restoration of normal traffic flow. Its cost-effectiveness and adaptability make it a practical alternative to manned aircraft, which are often unavailable in this region.

The Lincoln City Police Department remains committed to safeguarding constitutional protections, ensuring all UAS deployments balance operational needs with respect for individual privacy and compliance with state and federal laws.

The primary objectives of the UAS program include enhancing situational awareness, supporting search and rescue efforts, assisting in tactical operations, improving visual oversight for crowd and traffic management, and providing efficient documentation of crime, crash, and major incident scenes.



RECRUITMENT TEAM

The law enforcement job market remains highly competitive, with rigorous qualification standards for prospective candidates. These factors, combined with the unique challenges of recruiting in coastal regions such as the Oregon Coast, have made it increasingly difficult to attract and retain qualified applicants.

To address these challenges, the department has implemented a range of targeted recruitment strategies, including participation in collegiate career fairs, outreach to military personnel, and the use of digital marketing campaigns designed to engage candidates through social media platforms.

In 2025, the LCPD Recruitment Team actively participated in multiple recruitment events both locally and throughout Oregon, further expanding its outreach efforts and strengthening its presence among potential applicants.



COME JOIN OUR TEAM!
VISIT: [HTTP://LINCOLNCITY.ORG/
EMPLOYMENTOPPORTUNITIES](http://lincolncity.org/employmentopportunities)



INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION

The Investigations Division includes one Detective Sergeant and two General Crimes Detectives. In addition, there is one Narcotics Detective in the division that specifically investigates narcotics-related crimes. On occasion the narcotics detective will be called upon to assist when there is a Major Crime Team call out. These Investigations Division Detectives are assigned the more complex criminal investigations such as sex abuse investigations, human trafficking investigations, major assaults, robbery investigations, homicides and narcotics investigations. All LCPD Detectives are members of the Lincoln County Major Crimes Team and have taken lead detective role in several callouts.

In 2025, LCPD Detectives were assigned 111 criminal cases to investigate. Of those cases fifty-one (51) cases were closed or sent to the Lincoln County District Attorney for review. Three (3) of those cases were inactivated for assorted reasons, and forty-three (43) of the cases were solved with arrests being made.



DETECTIVE STATISTICS

- **32** APPROVED SEARCH WAREANTS
- **111** INVESTIGATED CASES
- **51** CASES CLOSED OR TO DA FOR REVIEW
- **3** CASES INACTIVATED
- **43** CASES CLOSED BY ARREST
- **16** CASES STILL OPEN AS OF DECEMBER 2025
- **2** CASES CLOSED BY BEING UNFOUNDED

TO CATCH A PREDATOR

Significant Cases

In April 2025, a father reported inappropriate communications involving multiple juvenile females and an adult co-worker at a local pizza restaurant. Sergeant Tolzman and School Resource Officer Smith worked together on this case. Subsequently, Edward Hernandez-Sanchez, age 25, was arrested and convicted of Luring a Minor and Online Sexual Corruption of a Child - 1st Degree.

In May 2025, a juvenile female came forward to report that a Lincoln County school bus driver had been engaging in inappropriate communications with her. LCPD School Resource Officer Smith spearheaded the investigation and interviewed the suspect, Josiah Lafrenz, age 22. This case resulted in an arrest and conviction for Luring a Minor and Online Sexual Corruption of a Child - 2nd Degree.

In June 2025, 59-year-old Danny Hicks was convicted of multiple counts of Luring a Minor, Online Sexual Corruption of a Child, and Purchasing Sex with a Minor. Hicks was sentenced to over 12 years in prison. During the initial investigation, which mostly took place in 2024, Hicks contacted and propositioned five different decoy accounts belonging to the LCPD and the LCSO. This investigation showed excellent teamwork between the LCPD, LCSO, and the Lincoln County DA's Office.

2025 LURING A MINOR STATISTICS

**12 - DECOY INVESTIGATIONS PROGRESSED
ENOUGH TO WRITE A FULL POLICE
REPORT**

**2 - NON-DECOY LURING A MINOR
INVESTIGATIONS (REAL VICTIMS)**

12 - ARRESTS

2 - UNABLE TO IDENTIFY THE SUSPECT

911 DISPATCH CENTER

The LCPD 911 Dispatch Center operates as an integral division of the Police Department, providing emergency communication services for both LCPD and North Lincoln Fire & Rescue.

The Center is staffed 24 hours a day, seven days a week, and is responsible for receiving and prioritizing 911 and non-emergency calls for service.

In addition to call-taking, dispatch personnel provide critical, real-time support to officers and emergency responders in the field, while also performing a range of administrative functions essential to the Department's daily operations. The ability for community members to quickly and reliably access emergency services remains a cornerstone of public safety.

The Dispatch Center is equipped with advanced two-way radio communications and a Computer-Aided Dispatch (CAD) system, which enhances operational efficiency and response effectiveness. The CAD system streamlines key processes—including call entry, unit dispatching, resource deployment, communications, and status tracking—allowing dispatchers to manage incidents more efficiently and support timely, coordinated responses to calls for service.

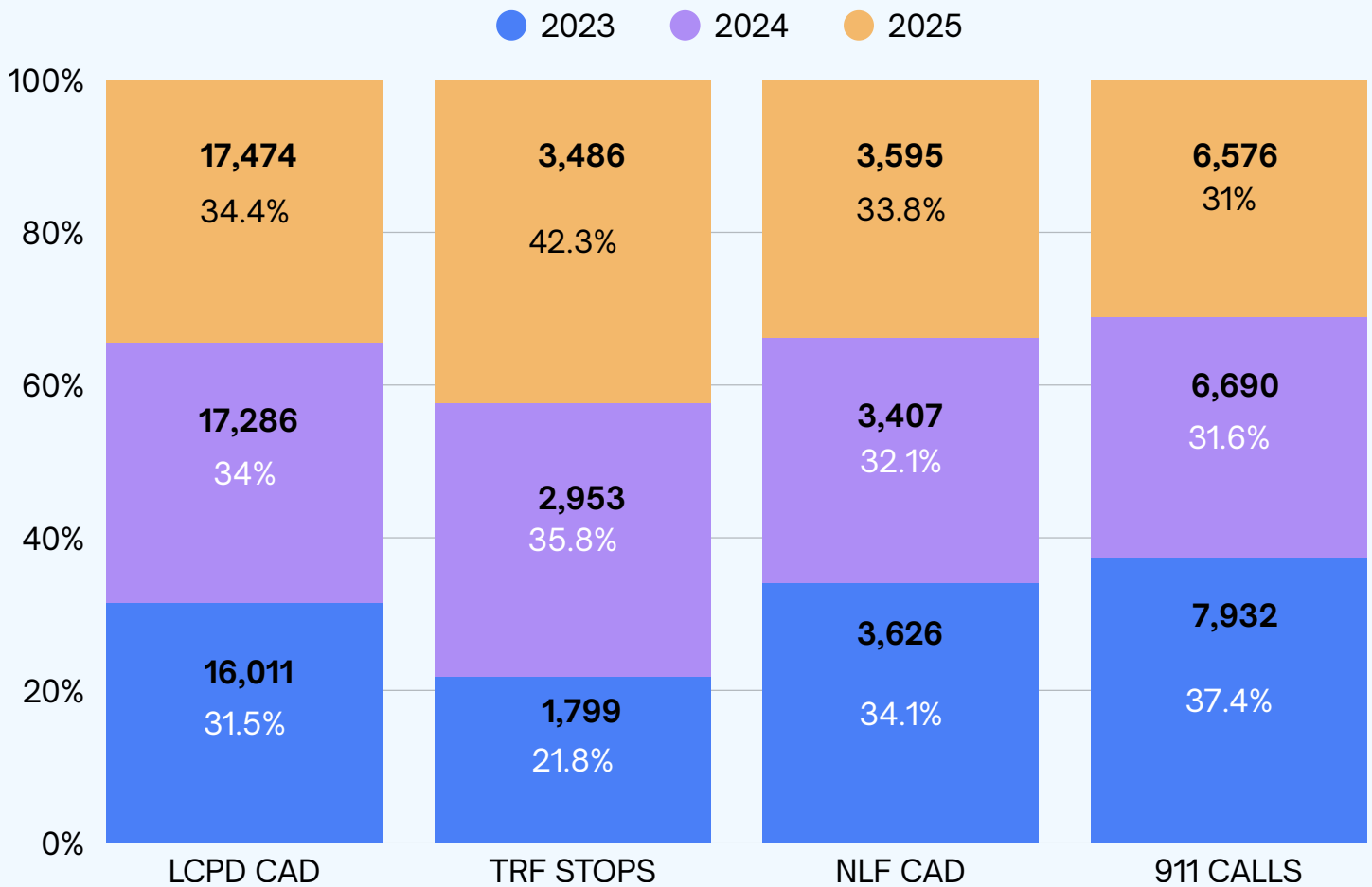


911 Operations Manager Paul Compton was recognized on July 17, 2025 as a Patriot Employer and presented with a certificate from Greg Malkasian with the Office of the Secretary of Defense Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve.

Former Telecommunicator Kevin Casey, who was an active member of the US Army while employed with our agency, nominated Compton to show his appreciation for the exceptional support he received during his absence from work for prolonged periods of time to attend mandatory military training.

Additionally, Mr. Malkasian presented Chief Dave Broderick with a Statement of Support for the Guard and Reserve, recognizing Lincoln City Police Department's pledge to recognize, honor, and comply with the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act. (USERRA).

911 DISPATCH CENTER



Overall Call Volume: Decreased steadily from 40,415 (2023) to 35,849 (2025), indicating a downward trend in total calls for service.

- **911 Calls:** Declined each year, from 7,932 (2023) to 6,576 (2025), contributing significantly to the overall reduction in call volume.
- **LCPD CAD Activity:** Increased moderately from 16,011 (2023) to 17,474 (2025), reflecting steady growth in police-related calls and activity.
- **Traffic Stops (TRF Stops):** Showed significant growth, rising from 1,799 (2023) to 3,486 (2025), indicating an increase in proactive enforcement efforts.
- **North Lincoln Fire (NLF CAD):** Remained relatively stable, with a slight decrease in 2024 and recovery in 2025 (3,626 → 3,407 → 3,595).
- **Overall Trend:** Data suggests a shift toward increased proactive policing activity, alongside a gradual decline in emergency call volume, with fire service demand remaining consistent.

LCPD ACCREDITATION 2025



The Lincoln City Police Department is proud to report that it received its initial law enforcement accreditation from the Northwest Accreditation Alliance (NWAA) in 2025. The accreditation was formally presented to Dave Broderick by Scott Hayes during the Oregon Association of Chiefs of Police annual conference held in Pendleton on April 17, 2025. This accomplishment represents a significant milestone and underscores the Department's commitment to best practices in law enforcement and public safety. The accreditation process required a comprehensive, independent evaluation of LCPD's policies, procedures, and operations to ensure alignment with established professional standards.

Accreditation is valuable to law enforcement agencies as it promotes consistency, transparency, and accountability in operations, while ensuring policies reflect current legal standards and industry best practices. It enhances organizational efficiency, supports risk management and liability reduction, and strengthens public trust by demonstrating a commitment to professional excellence. Achieving accreditation reflects the Department's ongoing dedication to these principles and its mission to provide the highest level of service to the community.

CITIZENS ACADEMY 2025



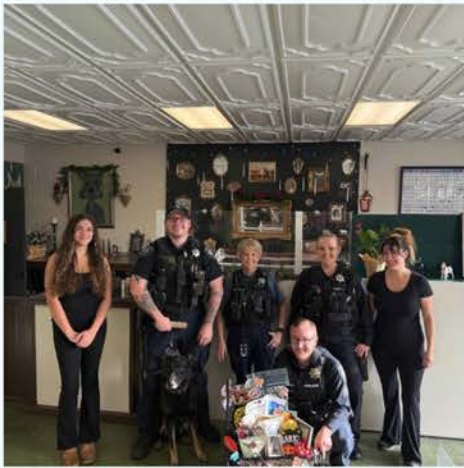
In 2025, we held our 8th annual Citizens Police Academy for the residents of North Lincoln County, and this year we had 16 community members graduate from the program. Every fall we proudly host our Citizens Police Academy, which provides community members with an in-depth opportunity to learn about our department and law enforcement in general. Our 13-week Academy covers information on local laws, police procedures, law enforcement theory, and investigations, as well as presentations from Dispatch, Evidence, Records, and other Lincoln County departments we utilize. Additionally, we provide our participants the opportunity for hands-on experiences learning about Use of Force tactics, Traffic Stops, Firearms, Fingerprinting, Active Attacker incidents, and interacting with our LCPD K9s.

We began our Academy in 2016 as a way to foster a partnership between our agency and the community, and the first-hand knowledge and experiences our participants receive creates an understanding about both law enforcement and our agency, to build that essential partnership. It also provides the opportunity for the participants to not only interact with the members of our agency, but to get to know the person inside the uniform on a more meaningful and personal level.

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