

# Everett Police Department Annual Report: 2022



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## In Memory

This year's roll call included the loss of the following retirees, Officer Paul Leuci, Sargent Norman Solari, Lieutenant Howard Stacey, and Parking Enforcement Officer Florence Molliver (pictured left to right).



## A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Dear Residents,

Although the years may pass, it is essential that all our residents continue to feel safe in our community as it grows and changes over time. The work of the Everett Police Department is critically important to ensuring a sense of safety for all of us.



One of the reasons our public safety efforts have been successful is because of the commitment of the members of the Everett Police Department to being positive contributors to our community.

In 2022, the City continued to hire new members in the department to fill vacancies that have been created by attrition over time. It has been positive to see that Everett is not facing the hiring challenges that other departments are experiencing. We continue to have a large number of candidates interested in working for our City. Our commitment to use these hiring opportunities to increasingly diversify the Department continues to be successful. We have been able to hire new officers that represent all demographic groups in the community. The Department has also increased the number of officers who bring multi-lingual skills to their roles.

Chief Mazzie continues to emphasize across the Department the importance of creating opportunities for residents to interact with officers and Department personnel in positive community settings. Our School Resource Officers are furthering conversations with young adults at the Everett High School. This creates better opportunities for students to share their perspectives on issues that are important to them. The Junior Police Academy was resumed in 2022. We continued our National Night Out tradition, which included walks starting in our neighborhoods. As I have said before, providing residents with an opportunity to engage with members of the Department in comfortable, non-threatening situations to learn about one another and gain a better understanding of each other is an important part of effective community policing.

Public confidence in policing can only be achieved when residents know that members of law enforcement are being held accountable. I hope that the information contained in this report demonstrates that the work being done at the department level and to meet the Commonwealth's POST Commission (Police Officer Standards & Training) standards assures the members of our community how seriously the Department takes its responsibility to ensure public accountability.

I encourage anyone who has questions about the information contained in this report, about our public safety efforts, or who has questions or concerns about anything going on in Everett to not hesitate to reach out to the Department directly.

Everett is a vibrant, diverse community that I am grateful to be able to call my home. I appreciate all the work that the Everett Police Department does each year to make sure that we all feel safe in our homes and our community.

Sincerely,

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Carlo DeMaria - Mayor

## A MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF



I'm not sure where time goes but 2022 has come and gone. As we look back and reflect on the year, I do so with great pride and admiration for the men and women of the Everett Police Department. It appears that we are back to normal post COVID, and our calls for service continued to go back to normal levels.

We have continued to build back our ranks with many new officers who continue to go through our hiring process and wrap up their academy time to join us on the streets. I am optimistic for the future of policing locally as we continue to find a great mix of young people who want to serve for the right reasons. We continue to add more people who are reflective of our community and they come from all walks of life – to include military veterans, college graduates, people with solid work and life experiences, as well as children of police officers.

We are now in the era of the new POST Commission (Police Officer Standards & Training) and had all our officers whose last name begins with the letters A thru H certified in 2022. The next round will begin sometime in 2023 with the last group of officers being finished sometime in 2024. Certifications will last for three years and officers must fulfill all training requirements as well as maintain being people of good character.

We continue to be very involved in our community by attending events and partnering with as many people as possible to make Everett a great place to live, work, and play. For us, we enjoy the opportunities to spend time with the various segments - whether it is our youth, the business community, or our senior population. I have to say, that it is some of the most rewarding work we do and goes a long way in showing that we care about those that we police.

Overall, our crime rate is not moving higher and that's a good thing when you take into consideration that the city continues to grow in terms of housing, business, population, and visitors. Normally, when you see increases in all those areas, it is common for crime to increase along with it. We continue to use data to address our most problematic issues, whether it is crime or traffic related matters, combined with proven strategies that work to keep our city a livable place for all.

In closing, I've been a realist when it comes to my approach to the most serious problems that we deal with on a daily basis. Although we may not always be able to prevent crime or have all the answers to society's most complex problems, we will always offer assistance to help those that need it. We will work with families that are having a crisis, and we will partner with anyone who wants to help solve a problem. Nobody should ever have to go it alone, especially when it comes to domestic violence, alcohol and drug addiction, mental health issues, homelessness, and other complex issues. We are committed to the community. If we cannot help directly, we can find the help for you with support personnel like our full time clinician, domestic violence advocate, or one of the many community partners in the city or region. Lastly, nothing gets done without the good work of all our team members. I'd like to thank each and every one of the men and women of the department who work hard to keep our community a safe one. We value each and every employee regardless of how big or small a role they think they play. God Bless and stay safe.

Sincerely,

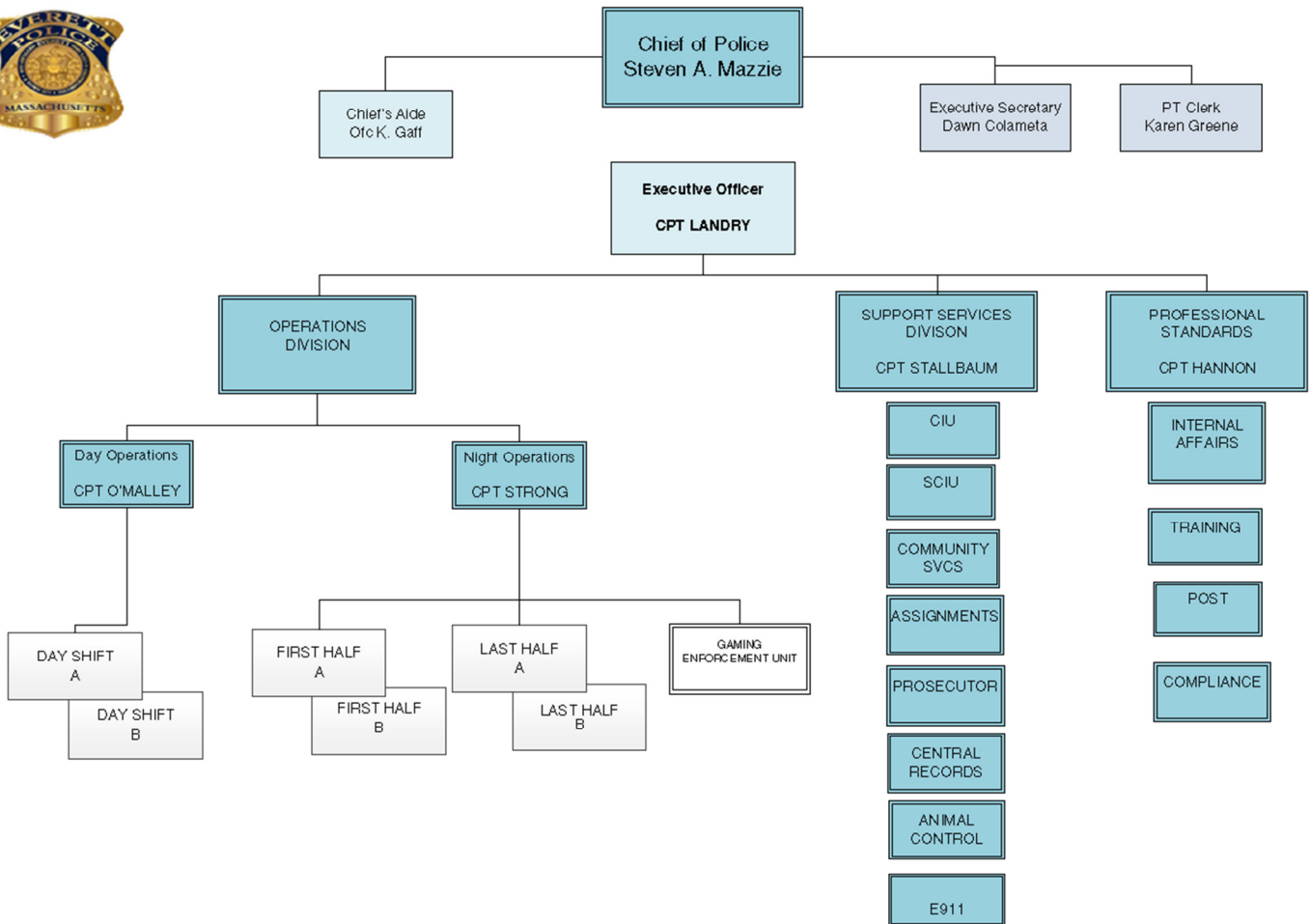
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Steven A. Mazzie  
Chief of Police

# Organizational Chart

In 2022, the department finished the year with 114 sworn Police Officers, 8 student officers and 29 civilian employees, including dispatchers.

Chief Mazzie has been serving as Chief of the EPD since 2003.



Of the 114 sworn staff:  
 38% are Veterans  
 71% are White  
 5% are Black  
 11% are Hispanic  
 12% are Female

# 2022 Staffing Changes

## New Hires:

Officers Jorge Gallego, Nick Petrelis, Matthew Cafarella, Chris Davidson, Robert Shields III, Travis Nally, Marie Sylvain, and Social Worker Charlotte Jamar (left to right)



## Promotions:

Congratulations to Sean Bagley & Brian Herbert who were promoted to the ranks of Lieutenant and Sergeant, respectively.



## Retirements:

Officer Patrick Johnston, Officer Joseph Imbornone, Sergeant Alfred Sabella, Lieutenant Richard Ditrapano, Sergeant Dennis O'Donnell (left to right)



## Everett Police Department – Report Overview

The primary focus of this year's report is to review calls for service, incidents, and crimes reported to the department in 2022 and to discuss the department's new and continuing initiatives and outreach programs. For a look at additional ongoing initiatives, community programs, and charitable events, please see the department's past annual reports or visit us on Facebook. Furthermore, for a more complete and in-depth description of the department's units, their capacity and function, please see our past annual reports. These products/documents can be found on the department's website ([www.everettpolicema.com](http://www.everettpolicema.com)).

- ✚ **Social Media-** for information on notable cases and arrests, please visit us online. In 2022, over 8,500 people were following the Everett Police Department on Twitter (#everettpolicema), and over 550 people were following the department's Instagram (everettpd\_ma). Additionally, the department's Facebook page (facebook.com/EverettPoliceMa/) had over 14,000 followers, making it one of the largest police social media sites in the region. These platforms can also be used for information on road closures, snow emergency information, citywide events, identification of suspects, department honors, promotions, and new hires.
- ✚ **Anonymous Tips-** Wired Blue offers the "My Police Department" (MyPD) application for Smart Phones. This application allows the public to anonymously submit tips to the Everett Police, receive incident notifications, commend an officer, and submit feedback to the department. The application (or app) can be downloaded from the App Store or Android Marketplace.
- ✚ **Please note-** The department's Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter accounts are not for the public to report crimes, nor is it where the Everett Police will post emergency warnings about ongoing crimes in progress. We ask that you call 911 for emergencies and 617-387-1212 for non-emergency reports of crime or police related issues. We will utilize our Community Notification system to inform the public of ongoing crimes in progress, as appropriate.

## Neighbors App by Ring

As a reminder, the EPD has joined the Neighbors App by Ring. Neighbors is a free application (app) that allows users to upload videos, images and information for others to see, and also allows the user to see the same information shared by their neighbors related to crime and safety. Neighbors App users post and comment on posts anonymously. Any type of video or image can be shared through the Neighbors App; it does not have to be a Ring camera system. Users can easily define the neighborhood they wish to receive notifications from by utilizing the app's user friendly customization settings. Members of the Everett Police Department monitor the app frequently and may utilize videos on the app to assist in the investigation of crimes. It is important to know that the app will not be monitored 24/7 and if someone encounters an emergency, they should immediately call 911 for assistance. Click [here](https://store.ring.com/neighbors) to learn more and join today! - <https://store.ring.com/neighbors>



## 2022 Officer Awards



Officer Uga and Nally received the Everett Police Department Life Saving Award for their exemplary service while responding to a call on August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

## 2022 EDP Fundraisers

### First Annual Polar Plunge

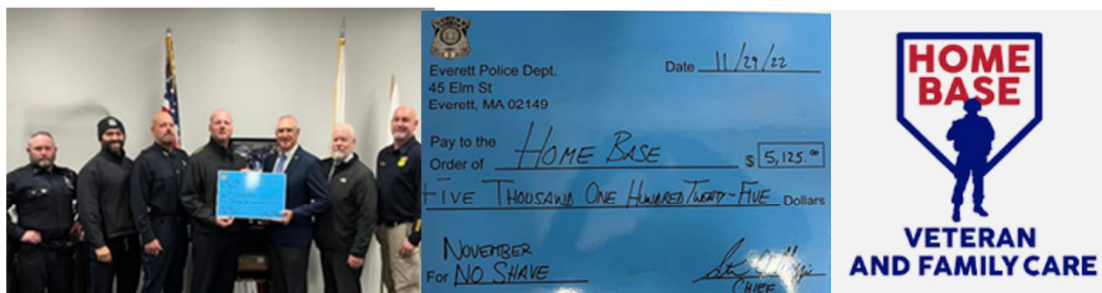
This year, EPD hosted our first annual Polar Plunge for Special Olympics MA. We were able to donate more than triple our fundraising goal while raising awareness for an amazing organization.



### No Shave November Event

Members of the EPD participated in a “No Shave November” event that allowed officers to have relaxed grooming standards in return for a charitable donation to the cause.

This year officers donated over \$5,000 to Home Base, a group whose mission has been to help our vets with the invisible injuries of war.



## A Look Back at 2022: Community Highlights



**March** – There was an incredible turn out at “G.I.R.L.S Day” this year: members of the Everett MA Police, Everett Fire, and Mass State Police spent the day talking about their profession with young women in the community.

**May** – “Kids to Parks Day” was a great success at Swan St Park this past May! Everett officers and families from the community got together to enjoy our beautiful parks.

**June** – Officers visited Everett schools to give out high fives and fist bumps to our young people on Fridays this month! It was a great way to kick off the weekend by sharing a moment with local students and their families.

**July** – This July we hosted our Annual Junior Police Academy where children going into 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade were able to hang out with officers and learn about the job.

**August** – Everett’s National Night Out Initiative had a great turn out this year. Everett officers and fire along with the Portal to Hope team, DEA field division, ATF officers, Army National Guard, and many more community groups and vendors came together to celebrate community safety and resilience.

**September** – Everett Police had a strong showing in this year’s “Strike Out Cancer Tournament” at Glendale Park. It was a great time had by all, raising money for a wonderful event.

**October** – Hundreds of families joined us at Everett Police Headquarters for our Annual “Halloween Drive Thru Trick or Treat Event.” Our officers enjoyed getting to dress up and celebrate with the community; there was music, decorations, drinks, treats, and more treats. Also in October, EPD participated in a Faith in Blue Blood drive in memory of Ella O’Donnell in partnership with Boston Children’s Hospital.

**November** – Members of the EPD volunteered at the City of Everett Annual Thanksgiving Dinner led by Mass Badge at the Connolly Center.

**December** – This holiday season officers and children in the community participated in our “Shop with a Cop Event” at Target.



## A Look Back at 2022: Community Highlights

### Hercules – Horses over America Multi Visit Series

Horses Over America is a creative partnership between New England’s 850 police departments and 850 of New England’s horse owners who volunteer their horses, trailers and time to change the landscape of mental health in these towns and cities. Hercules the Horse made two visits this year to Everett along with Molly the Lab and handler Retired Lieutenant Colonel Gerry Scott.



### Everett Police Department’s 25 days of Christmas

“The 25 Days Of Christmas - The EPD Way” begins on December 1st and continues until Christmas Day. Over the course of the month, Officers hand out toys to children in the community as a way to spread some good will with our young people in Everett. In addition to handing out toys to community members, this year, EPD visited the Eliot Family Resource Center and the annual Grace Food Pantry Christmas event, handing out toys, fuzzy socks, and Christmas cards.



## Support Services Division- Captain Scott Stallbaum

The **Support Services Division** of the department is responsible for conducting a variety of operational and non-operational support activities that aid the members of the Department to provide law enforcement and investigative services to the community. These activities provide daily, on-going support ensuring that our officers have the equipment, training, and support to provide high quality law enforcement services to the people of Everett. Included within the Support Services Division is the **Training Unit (TU)**, which is responsible for managing the in-service training requirements as well as the professional development and other training requirements for veteran officers. In addition, the unit manages the volunteer and intern programs for the department. In 2022, the EPD completed several department wide trainings to include Municipal Police Institute online classes covering these topics: responding to emergencies involving the mentally ill, cultural competency, mass gatherings, human trafficking, legal update, de-escalation – use of force, and officer wellness. Other department wide trainings included use of Tasers, CPR/AED, weapons qualifications, health and wellness, defensive tactics/verbal judo, policy and use of force review.

**Animal Control** also falls under the Support Services Division. The **Animal Control Officer (ACO)** is in charge of all facets related to domesticated and wild animals throughout the city. The ACO helps identify lost / stolen or injured animals and enforces city ordinances related to animal issues. In 2022, the ACO responded to over 450 calls for service. The ACO has built a solid working relationship with local rescue organizations, the officers at the department, and the community. This relationship includes helping local families obtain resources needed to keep their animals safe and healthy! In 2022, the ACO had approximately 62 cases of found/missing dogs that were returned to their owner: all missing or stolen dogs were recovered this year. In addition, as part of Animal Controls mission to control the cat population, hundreds of cats were rescued, spayed/neutered, and adopted.

**ACO Highlight:** Tank was found May 4, 2022 after Animal Control received a call for a dog found in the pouring rain. The dog was left in a hallway then escaped. The ACO found the dog 10 hours later suffering and severely matted with a massive infection shutting his organs down. The ACO took him to Dr. Olga at Revere Pet Clinic where he underwent surgery saving his life. After surgery, our ACO fostered him for months until a home was found for him with a Somerville Police Officer who named him Tank: he is now thriving in his new family.



# Support Services Division- Captain Scott Stallbaum

## Use of Force Incidents

The Support Services Division tracks and documents use of force incidents in the department. The incidents can be tracked by officer, force type, citizen involvement, and other factors. In 2022, there were 39 use-of-force incidents, representing 0.15% of all police contacts for the year. In some of these incidents, more than one officer was required to use force in the same incident. Thirty seven officers used force in 2022. During this period, there were no officer involved shootings. The first table below breaks down the use of force incidents by type over the last three years. The second and third tables below focus on 2022.

Type of Force Used	# Incidents 2022	# Incidents 2021	# Incidents 2020
Firearm Discharged	0	2	1
Firearm Displayed	14	9	4
Hands/Feet	6	9	8
Less Lethal	3	0	2
Taser	9	6	19
Verbal/Presence	2	3	NA
Type Not Listed	5	NA	NA

Use of Force Race and Gender	Male	Female
White	8	0
Black	12	5
Hispanic	14	0
Unknown	0	0
Asian	0	0

Use of Force Reason	Count
Restrain Suspect for Safety	1
Effect Arrest	23
Defend Self	10
Defend Another	4
Unknown	1

Call Type	Count
Call for Service	25
Self-Generated	4
Traffic Stop	9
Unknown	1

# Support Services Division- Captain Scott Stallbaum

## External Complaints

In 2022, there were a total of four complaints filed against officers by a citizen. All four of these complaints of discourtesy were deemed unfounded.

## Internal Complaints

In 2022, there were 13 internal complaints/investigations into officer activity. 11 complaints were founded.

## Complaints by Type:

Complaint Type	Count
Performance of Duty	2
Improper Procedure	1
Policy Violation	1
Improper Tactics	0
Conduct Unbecoming	4
Absence from Duty	1
Neglect from Duty	1
Discourtesy	1

## Filing a Complaint

A citizens complaint can be filed in person, via the phone, mail, or electronically. For more information on this process, please contact the Patrol Shift Commander at 617-389-2120 or go to Everett Police Headquarters at 45 Elm Street Everett, and speak to the Patrol Shift Commander.



# Criminal Investigations Unit (CIU)

## Lieutenant Sean Bagley

### Criminal Investigations Unit (CIU)

The **CIU**, traditionally known as the Detective Division, investigates crimes occurring in the city of Everett. Cases may be referred to the unit from other law enforcement agencies, referred for follow up from the Patrol Division, or received as a direct call for assistance. The CIU also works closely with the Middlesex District Attorney on homicides, domestic violence, and sexual assault investigations while also assisting as needed on other pending matters. During 2022, 329 cases were referred to the CIU for follow up by Patrol, and over 255 of these were assigned to a member of the CIU. In 2022, the CIU made over 30 arrests, applied for over 60 warrants, over 90 summons and 14 hearings. Over 50 search warrants including houses, cars, and personal property were executed by the CIU.

#### **2022 CIU Case Highlights:**

- In early January, 26 shots were fired on Malden St in a motor vehicle involved incident. As a result, multiple rounds hit surrounding homes. During investigation the CIU was able to identify the two individuals involved in the shooting, resulting in one local arrest, and police partnership with the ATF to close the case.
- After a robbery with a firearm incident in April at Swan St Park, Detectives were able to identify the involved parties. The individual believed to be in possession of the firearm used in the incident voluntarily turned himself in to EPD custody following a search warrant conducted on his home.
- Following a homicide in late July, Detectives were able to identify the suspect with the help of the Crime Analysis Unit. The suspect was investigated, identified, and arrested without incident.

A detective in the CIU is also responsible for all firearms licensing and renewals, and the registration of all sex offenders. Encompassed in this are Licenses to Carry (LTC) and all Firearms Identification Cards (FID). In 2022, the EPD issued 148 Resident Class A Large Capacity LTCs, 21 renewals for Law Enforcement Officer LTC, and 5 Over 70 Years of age Renewal of FID/LTC.



## Crime Analysis Unit (CAU)

The **CAU** consists of two full time analysts, who provide the department with administrative, tactical, investigative, and strategic analysis support. The CAU participates in the daily UASI regional BRIC calls and contributes to local and regional data sharing through EIA Services and the State Wide Information Sharing System (SWISS). Additionally, the CAU works closely with other local analysts on a daily basis, and has produced and developed more efficient means through which this information is communicated, both in house and to outside agencies.

The CAU assisted CIU, SCIU, CSU, Gaming Unit, and the ACO with cases throughout the year. The CAU also assisted local and Federal agencies with case linkage or suspect identification for crimes ranging from assault and battery, robbery, commercial breaking and entering, and theft from a motor vehicle to credit card fraud and other larcenies. Notably, the analysts of the CAU were able to facilitate the identification of several serial shoplifters, several persons involved in motor vehicle breaks, package thefts, the identification of a suspect involved in 10+ motor vehicle vandalisms, and suspects involved in a shooting.

## Special Criminal Investigations Unit (SCIU)

The **SCIU** mission is to suppress overt and covert drug dealing, prostitution, and other types of crimes of a sensitive nature. The SCIU accomplishes their mission by targeting street-level and mid-level drug dealing through the use of undercover officers, confidential informants, and decoys. The unit is also involved with task forces at the federal level, which are comprised of officers from other local and state agencies. In addition, detectives of this unit assist other agencies in their efforts to address multi-jurisdictional drug distribution in neighboring communities.

There are four detectives and one sergeant assigned to the unit. The SCIU was involved in over 116 arrests, with charges ranging from Trafficking Fentanyl, Violating Marijuana Drug Laws, Trafficking Cocaine, Firearm charges, and Receiving Stolen Property. Note, this number is markedly higher than 2021 because the unit had two new members assigned to it half way through 2022. These officers had previously been in patrol and the arrests made during their time on patrol are included in the total SCIU arrests. The SCIU assisted Chelsea, Winthrop, and Saugus with cases and the execution of search warrants. Additionally, 8 search warrants were executed in Everett in 2022. The table below highlights recoveries across three of these search warrants.

Property Type Seized	Amount Recovered
Fentanyl	450+ grams
Cocaine/Crack	1000+ grams
Fentanyl pills/ Counterfeit Percocet	800+ pills
Guns	3
Monies	\$70,000+



## Special Criminal Investigations Unit (SCIU) – Continued

### SCIU Notable cases for 2022:

Case 843571 – Search warrant executed on two suspects after a two month long investigation resulting in recovery of over 300 grams of Fentanyl and over 200 grams of Cocaine, along with over \$8,000 in cash. The male suspect was a repeat offender and will likely face charges of career criminal.



Case 852947 – Investigation in partnership with New Hampshire DEA. An individual was stopped after a sale of 6 pounds of Crystal Meth while at the Encore Casino. The DEA stopped the purchaser of the Meth in New Hampshire and that individual was placed in custody. The seller was stopped in Everett after leaving the casino and was arrested for distribution. This individual was in possession of over 100 grams of Cocaine, over 800 Counterfeit Fentanyl Pills, and over \$50,000 all of which was seized at time of his arrest.

Case 857782 – A search warrant was executed after a several months long investigation. The search lead to the recovery of over 100 grams of Cocaine and the arrest of a female who was found to be in possession of a firearm.

Case 866162 – Members of the EPD SCIU, along with members of North Metro Swat, served a search warrant in Everett. Arrested without incident were a 49 year old man out of Everett and an unnamed juvenile female. Detectives recovered Cocaine, Crack, Oxycodone, a firearm, and US currency. Both suspects will be charged with drug related trafficking charges and firearms changes.



## EVAPorate Violence Project

The **EVAPorate Violence Project** (EVAP) is part of the CIU. EVAP provides direct care services to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking crimes and in support of law enforcement cases. Direct care services include: (i) assistance with 209A Abuse Prevention Orders (APO), Victim Impact Statements, and Victim Witness Statements; (ii) case management; (iii) court advocacy in the District and Probate and Family Courts; (iv) crisis intervention; (v) liaison between clients and the Department of Children and Families, employment, housing, schools and other agencies; (vi) safety planning; (vii) facilitation of Support Groups and meetings; (viii) coordination of referrals to other services (e.g., food pantries, housing assistance, shelters, etc.); and other victim advocacy. EVAP, also, provides services to victims and their families who may not have APOs or who may have been referred to EVAP outside of the Everett Police Department for help (e.g., Cambridge Health Alliance/Whidden Hospital, Department of Children and Families, Everett City Government, Everett Public Schools, Massachusetts Office for Victim Assistance, MelroseWakefield HealthCare/Tufts, the National Domestic Violence Hotline, Safelink, local businesses, community and religious organizations, and by other crime victims previously served by EVAP).

In 2022, EVAP received and recorded: 429 active 209A Abuse Prevention Orders; 198 cases involving EPD action; 12 incidents of sexual assault related to family violence; and 15 cases involving domestic violence that required Harassment Prevention Orders. Further, EVAP responded to 39 cases involving youth impacted by family violence: cases which were referred by the Department of Children and Families. Of the total number of survivors responded to in 2022, which was 618, 389 clients served were adults and 189 were children reported as victims. Of this number, 431 victims of domestic violence identified as female, 145 identified as male, 12 identified as non-binary, and 30 identified as transgender.

EVAP provided a continuum of care to 367 victims of domestic violence and provided advocacy services to 215 clients. Of this number, 68 cases were assisted with emergency shelter and housing, and 45 cases remain active through 2023 where advocacy services (e.g., court advocacy and renewal of 209A Orders) are still required. In 2022, EVAP experienced a 23% increase in requests for assistance from 2021. In order to meet the demand for services, EVAP referred 151 cases involving domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking implications to Portal To Hope (PTH) for additional aid (e.g., emergency shelter, Benevolence Project, legal aid, housing and interpreter assistance). PTH provided 453 hours of support service to EVAP in 2022.

EVAP participated in the Faith and Blue public event and facilitated community outreach activities via online video interface and in-person public forums in 2022 including:

- A) Community resource training in partnership with the Massachusetts Office For Victim Assistance
- B) Job Shadowing Program in partnership with Suffolk University
- C) Open House For Youth Leaders in partnership with PTH and the Everett Public Schools
- D) Outreach to agencies for referral and resource sharing
- E) Trauma Informed Care training in partnership with the Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, City of Everett
- F) Violence prevention training to students at Everett High School and other domestic violence roundtable meetings with civic groups and local businesses.

## Community Services Unit (CSU)

The **Community Services Unit (CSU)** consists of one lieutenant and three officers. The officers are assigned as the School Resource Officers (SRO) in Everett's schools. These officers aim to increase safety in the schools and to develop an open and ongoing dialogue between youth and the police department.

The CSU organizes and helps out at a variety of youth based events throughout the year. The pandemic limited the scope of these activities over the past two years. However, the unit was able to reinstate several activities and events in 2022, including the Junior Police Academy.

The CSU is involved in planning and organizing Everett's National Night Out. The August 2022 National Night Out event had a great turn out. The 2023 event is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday August 1<sup>st</sup>. In 2022, the unit was able to host the department's second annual drive up trick or treating event. *See more about these events on pages 9-10: A Look Back at 2022.*

The CSU also focuses on gang activity and investigates matters that are potentially gang related. The CSU participated in regional information sharing meetings and utilized the Shannon grant to work with gang involved youth.

The Department is pleased to offer car seat installation and inspection by a certified officer. Please see the department's Facebook page for availability (service is usually offered once a month). Parents and caregivers are encouraged to schedule an appointment by visiting [EverettPoliceChildSafety.com](http://EverettPoliceChildSafety.com) or call (617)410-6176.

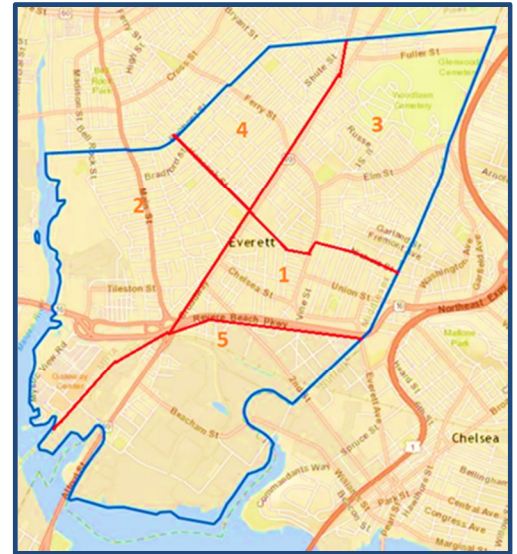


# Operations Division

## Captains Paul Strong and Demetri O'Malley

The Operations Division responds to Emergency 911 calls, other calls for service, and conducts essential activities, such as directed patrols. The city is divided into five sectors and patrols are assigned by sector (sector map, right). In 2022, this division was involved in 25,880+ calls/activities (including 911 calls, directed patrols, traffic issues, etc). This number mirrors the 2021 number.

Of the calls received in 2022, over 3,690 were documented as incidents requiring reports. During this period, the department arrested 670 adults, 27 juveniles, and responded to 1,316 motor vehicle accidents, an increase of over 63 accidents from the previous year.<sup>1</sup> An additional 24 people were placed into Protective Custody by EPD. 46% of the individuals who were arrested were white, 24% were black, 24% were Hispanic, and approximately 6% were of other or unknown race. 80% of those arrested identified as male.



The primary programs/initiatives that fall under the Operations Division and the Community Services Unit are:

- ✓ Cops' Corner and Junior Cops' Corner – completed on a limited scale
- ✓ Junior Police Academy— successfully completed in 2022
- ✓ 25 Days of Christmas—successfully completed in 2022
- ✓ National Night Out— successfully completed in 2022

For more information on these programs and initiatives, please see the department's past annual reports.

<sup>1</sup>

All data in this report was pulled from either- Microsystems, CrimeTrack. Retrieved Feb 8, 2023 from the PROIV database. **\*\*CrimeTrack is EPD's Records Management System** OR Commonwealth Fusion Center Data Systems. Retrieved Feb 7, 2023, from Mass CrimeSOLV database. Crime rates are based on current census data.

# Operations Division

## Captains Paul Strong and Demetri O'Malley

### Patrol Highlights



In October, officers responded to Bucknam St at Cleveland Av around 5:45pm for a report of potential drug activity reported by a concerned neighbor. When officers arrived, they confronted 3 males. One of the males was found to be in possession of a loaded ghost gun. He was placed in custody without incident. He was arraigned in Malden District Court for firearms related charges.

While conducting routine patrol in August, officers stopped a motor vehicle that had failed to stop at a stop sign. The operator of the motor vehicle was unlicensed, resulting in a tow of the vehicle. During tow inventory, officers recovered a large quantity of drug paraphernalia linked to possession and distribution offenses.



Officers conducted a traffic stop in early May after witnessing a motor vehicle travel through a red light. The operator was unlicensed and had two active warrants, resulting in a tow and subsequent inventory of the vehicle. During inventory search, officers located a substance consistent with Cocaine hidden in a hollowed-screw driver along with a large sum of cash. The operator was charged with possession with intent to distribute.

### *Additional Incidents of Recognition*

- In September, officers identified a stolen vehicle, leading to the arrest of 5 individuals and the recovery of a magazine and ammunition.
- Dispatch relayed to patrol in late October that there was potentially a women in distress in the backseat of a vehicle traveling through Everett. Officers were able to identify the vehicle and initiate a traffic stop. Two individuals were wanted out of Rhode Island for kidnapping and were subsequently arrested for kidnapping, outstanding warrants, and drug possession.
- In late June, the late night patrol operations team made a quick apprehension of a breaking and entering suspect at the Dunkin Donuts on Main St. The suspect arrested is believed to be linked to numerous other breaks in the Main St area during that time.



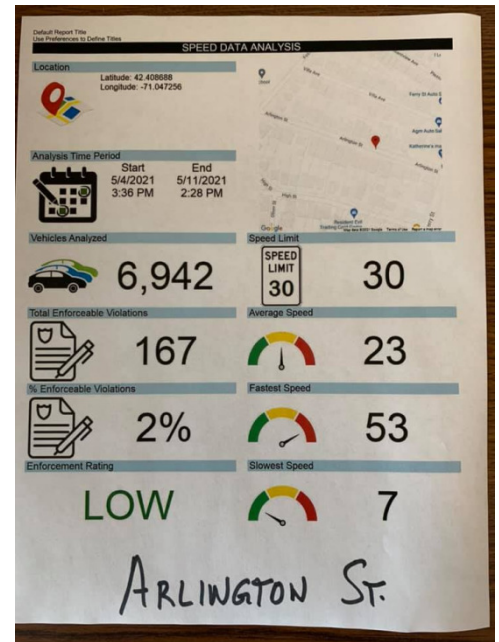
## Traffic Unit

The Traffic Unit is tasked with enhanced enforcement efforts as well as managing traffic related grants from the state. In 2022, this unit was staffed with three officers and one sergeant. Through the course of daily patrols, the Traffic Unit recorded over 856 citations, of which 359 were warnings and 388 were civil (non-criminal). In 2022, the Traffic Unit continued to utilize a speed survey device to better depict actual speeds of motor vehicles on city streets. The results of some of the speed surveys can be found on the department's Facebook site. An example of a speed survey on Arlington St is posted right.

The Commercial Motor Vehicle Unit is a part of the Traffic Unit.

This specialized unit's activities are outlined below:

Activity Type	Total
Truck Inspections	108
Level One Inspections	97
Level Two Inspections	6
Inspections Resulting in Vehicle Out of Service	24
Drivers Out of Service	5
Citations Issued	189
Total Hazardous Material Citations/Checks	34

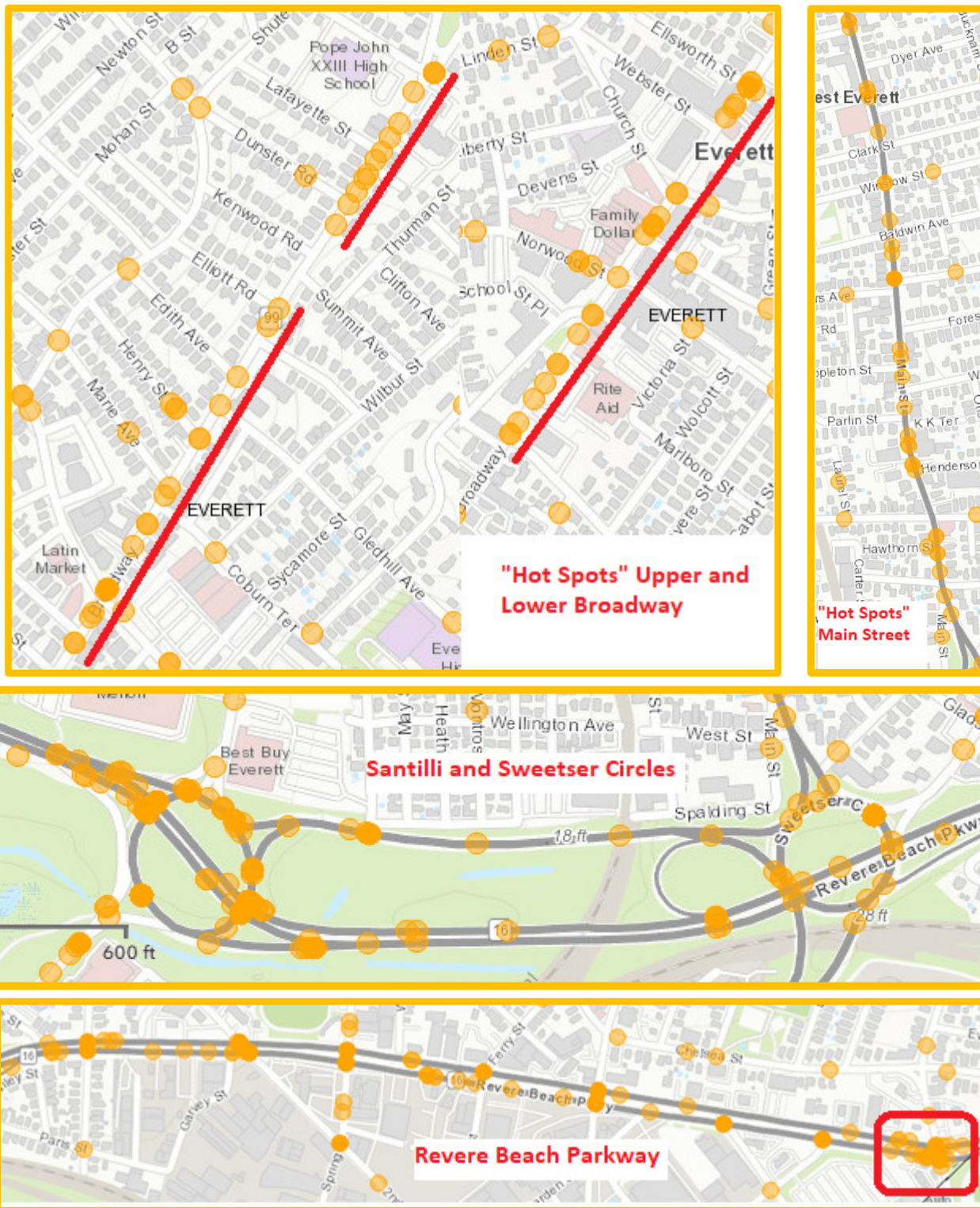


### Top Accident Locations Citywide – 2022

In 2022, the locations with the highest volume of accidents requiring a Masscrash report were Broadway (specifically the sections between Glendale Square and the Pope John Paul building and Ellsworth Street and Second Street), Main Street (full length), Sweester and Santilli Circles, and Revere Beach Parkway (near Everett Ave, Garvey Street, and Spring Street). See page 22 of this report for maps highlighting these crash locations.

## Top Accident Locations Citywide – 2022<sup>2</sup>

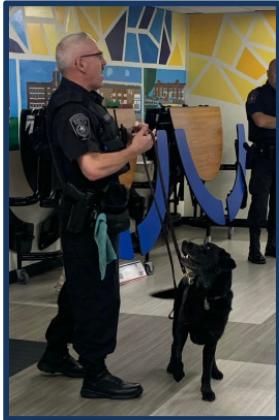
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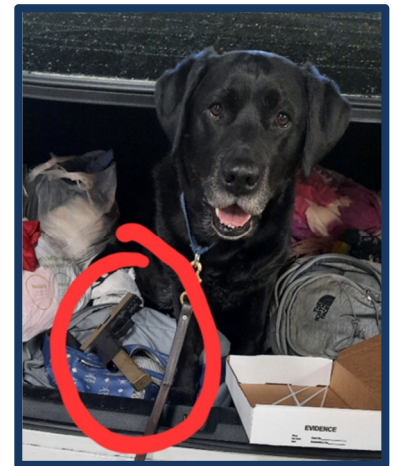
<sup>2</sup> Images obtained from MassDot IMPACT portal – reports filed by EPD and MSP

## K9 Unit

The K9 Unit is called to conduct bomb sweeps at businesses, schools, and other high profile locations, such as the July 4<sup>th</sup> festivities on the Esplanade, the T.D. Bank North Garden, and the Boston Marathon. The Patrol/Drug K9 Unit assists with calls for narcotic and patrol searches. In 2022, the K9 Unit recorded over 39 calls for service. These calls included narcotics searches, explosive detection calls, and trainings and demonstrations at events, such as area schools and the Junior Police Academy. In addition, the K9 teams have worked with nearly a dozen municipal and state agencies including US Marshalls, DEA, and ATF.



Vast amounts of heroin, cocaine, marijuana, and firearms/ballistics were seized from the streets of Everett and surrounding communities. Throughout the year, several motor vehicles were seized in conjunction with the Special Criminal Investigations Unit.



### ***K9 Unit Highlights***

In 2022 Mary found several shell casings in various locations around Everett along with a gun and magazine found in a vehicle. Some key cases that K9 Mary worked are outlined below.

- On January 26, rounds were fired on Malden St during an incident that is believed to have involved two motor vehicles, three firearms, and three shooters. Mary helped recover many of the shell casings and other ammunition projectiles from streets, in and around houses, and motor vehicles.
- In July, a female was struck by a bullet while operating a motor vehicle. Mary was able to locate the scene of the crime and recover multiple projectiles. Mary also assisted in searching the motor vehicle involved, she recovered additional projectiles inside.
- In August shots were fired on Edith St. In this case, Mary was able to recover casings and projectiles from under motor vehicles and from several floors inside the residence.

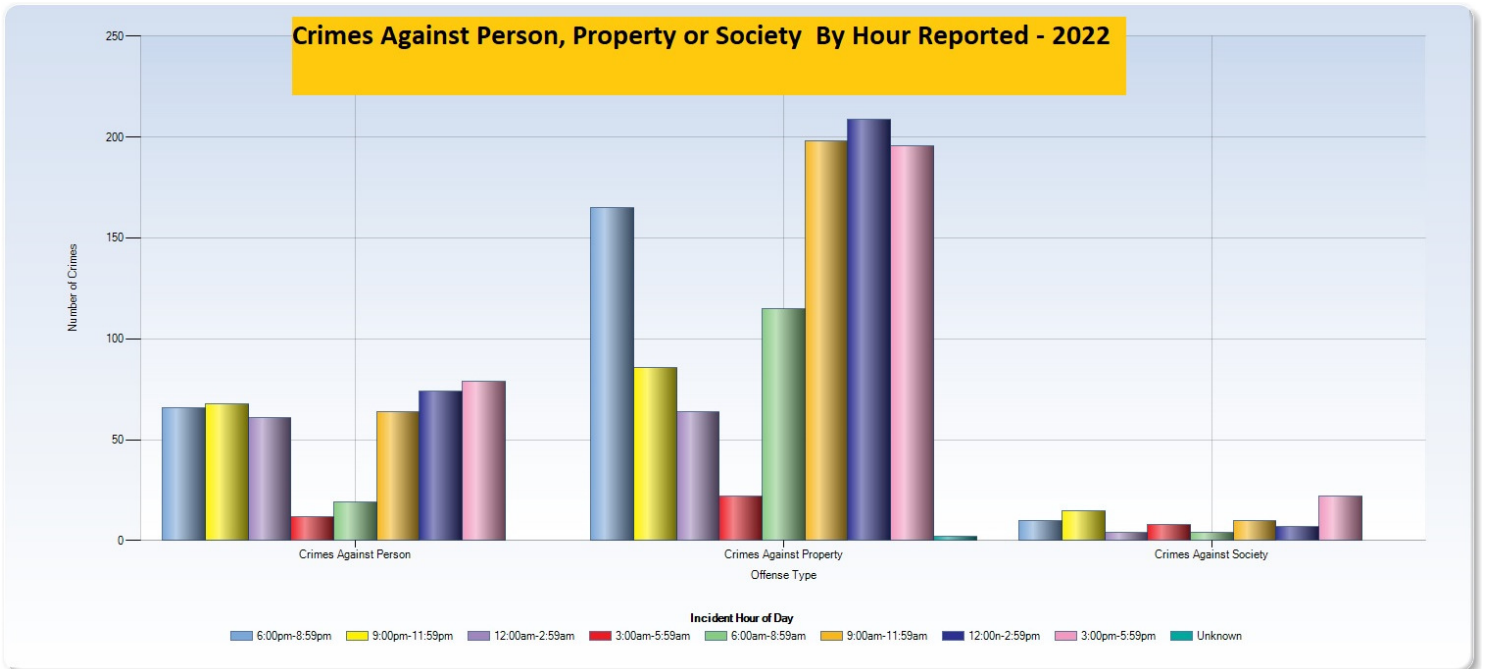
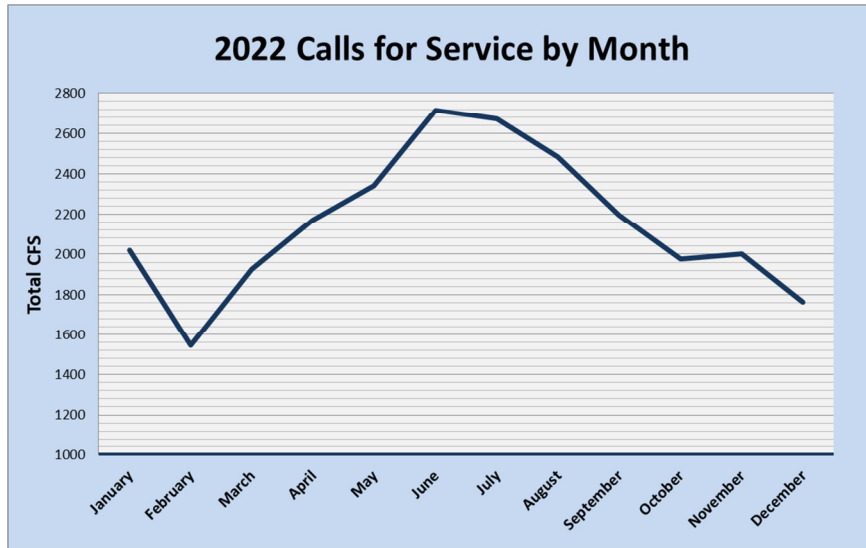
Mary also participated in several K9 demos in various cities throughout the year. In addition, Mary assisted the ATF and National Park Services with K9 sweeps for several high profile events.



# Calls for Service (CFS)

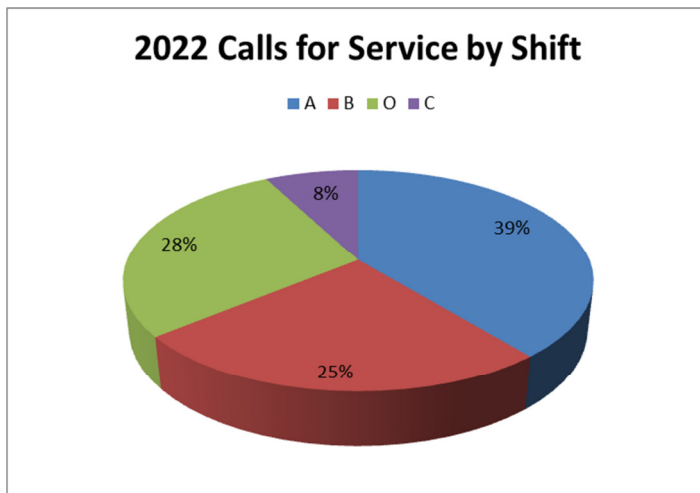
In 2022, **25,800+** calls for service were logged by the department.

- 28,480+ unique action codes were utilized (each call can have more than once incident type attached).
- February was the quietest month with 1,544 calls taken, while June was the busiest month with 2,714 calls taken.



**Note:** The time referenced is the time the incident was reported, not the time the incident occurred.

## Percent of Calls for Service by Shift - 2022



Time Frame	Shift Name
06:45-15:59:59	A - Day Shift
16:00 – 20:59:59	B - First Half
21:00 -01:59:59	O - Overlap
02:00-06:44:59	C - Last Half

## 2021 and 2022 Top Ten Calls For Service Locations

Location - 2022	# of Calls
Encore Boston Harbor(1 Broadway)	737
Walgreens & Glendale Square Lot	674
Swan Street Park	335
Mystic & Bow St*	319
7-11 (188 Chelsea St)	246
Gateway Mall	197
Karma Lounge	196
Cambridge Health Alliance	162
Rivergreen Dr	162
Glendale Park	150

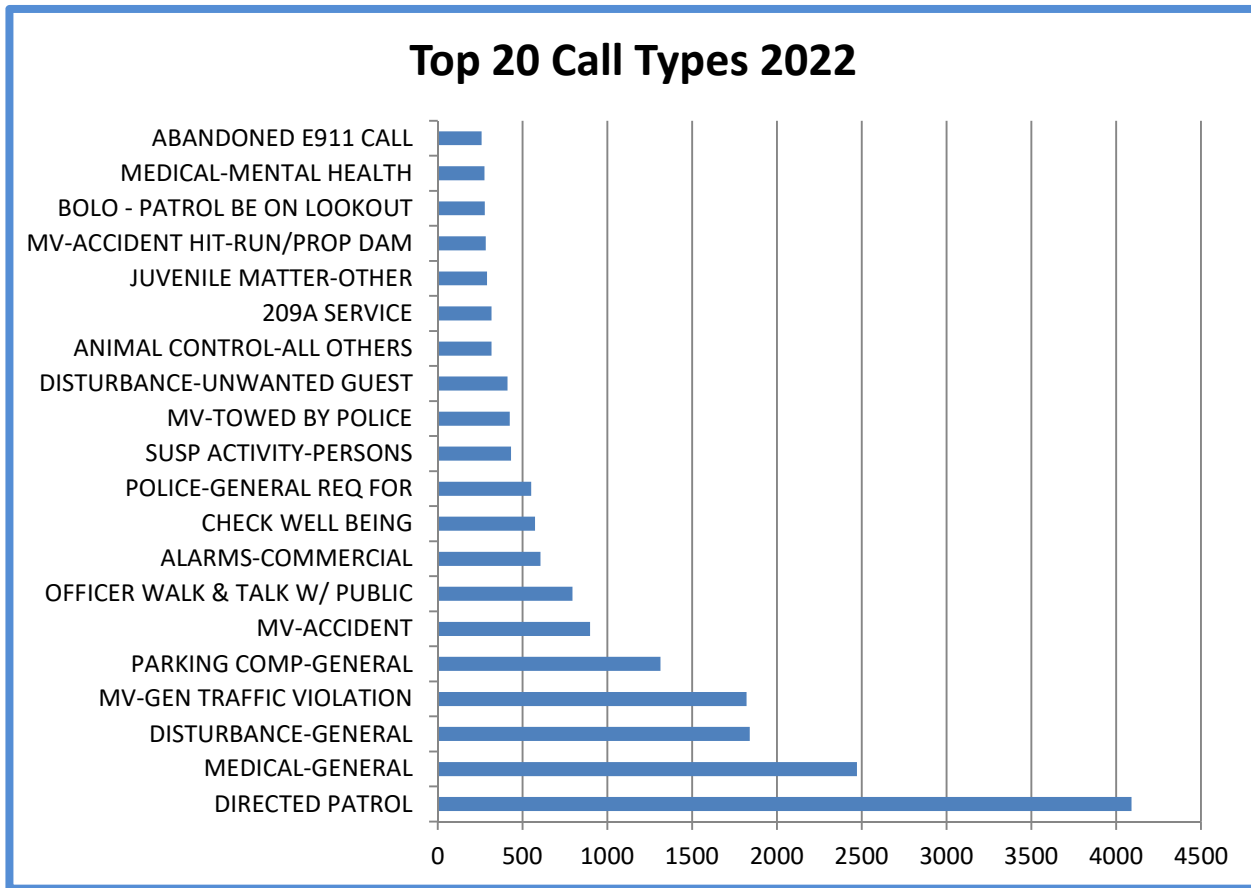
Location - 2021	# of Calls
Walgreens & Glendale Square Lot	1,074
Cambridge Health Alliance	695
Encore Boston Harbor(1 Broadway)	529
Pope John XXIII High School	369
Werner Park	301
Glendale Park	265
Stop & Shop	193
7-11, 188 Chelsea Street	135
Envision Hotel*	133
Sonny's Car Wash	121

### Notes on top three locations:

- **Encore Boston Harbor / 1 Broadway** - After accounting for directed patrol, transportation provided and adult arrests, officer walk and talk with public represented the next most common CFS type. Please see page 27 of this report for a more thorough discussion of Encore-related activity during 2022.
- **Walgreens** – Directed patrols account for 54% of the CFS to Walgreens and its surrounding parking lot. After accounting for these calls, the most common CFS type included officer walk and talk, general medical care, general disturbances, and motor vehicle violations.
- **Swan Street Park** – Directed Patrol accounted for 81% of all CFS to Swan Street Park. After accounting for these calls, the most common CFS was for general disturbances and juvenile matters.

\* The CFS directed to Mystic St & Bow St in 2022 were Directed Patrol or Motor Vehicle Violation - related given the high volume of traffic at that intersection.

# Top 20 Call Types - 2022



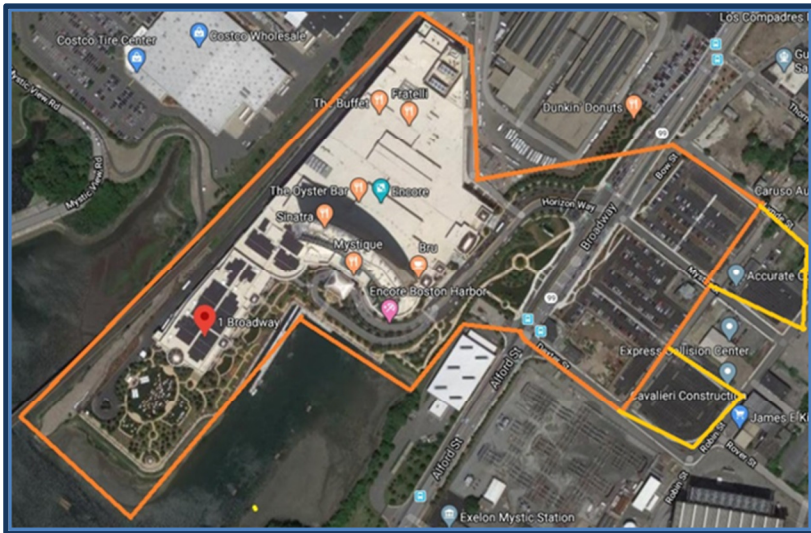
**Note:** Consistent with previous years, the top 20 call types for 2022 were proactive or service oriented calls. Additionally, not all motor vehicle accidents resulted in a Massachusetts State accident report being filed.

# Encore Boston Harbor

During 2022, the EPD responded nearly 1,070 times to Encore Boston Harbor at 1 Broadway, or the adjacent parking lots at Bow and Mystic Street. Directed patrol and officer walk and talks with the public accounted for 654 calls for service (CFS). Additionally, approximately 9% of overall CFS involved motor vehicle/traffic related issues, including responses to motor vehicle accidents, issuing motor vehicle citations, and following up with parking issues. Note, not included in these calls are over 40 calls that occurred at an additional address not located at Encore or the adjacent parking lots but can be attributed to the casino. For example, a male party was arrested on a warrant and motor vehicle offenses after driving away from the casino. A male was observed assaulting a female at the casino, the suspect was located on property and arrested. As another example, the Gaming Enforcement Unit (GEU) denied entry to two patrons, these two patrons were later observed trying to gain entry to the property through access roads around the casino and were ultimately trespassed from the casino. On several occasions, EPD assisted Encore staff with issues such as theft from their motor vehicles parked off property or theft of employee property with suspects being located or tracked off property. The map below outlines the geographic areas included in this analysis.

During 2022, the EPD arrested 131 individuals at Encore and there were an additional 7 arrests made where the incident resulting in the arrest had a tie to Encore. Consistent with 2021 data, charges of trespass, disorderly conduct, warrants, and assaults accounted for the majority of arrest offenses. Analyst note: Data is based on arrest reports where 1 Broadway or Encore was assigned as the arrest location.

When compared to citywide data for the same time period, Encore and the adjacent parking lots account for 4% of the total calls for service and 18.8% of the total arrests.



# Arrests/Summons/Citations

**Top 5 Charges Applied to Arrests**

In 2022, Everett Police made 697 arrests (670 adults, 27 juveniles).

Primary Arrest Charge Code	Number of Charges
Warrants	434
Assault and Battery on a Family Member	136
Trespass	87
Disorderly Conduct	65
Assault and Battery	48

**Top 5 Crime Types Issued Summons**

In 2022, 420 people were summonsed to court.

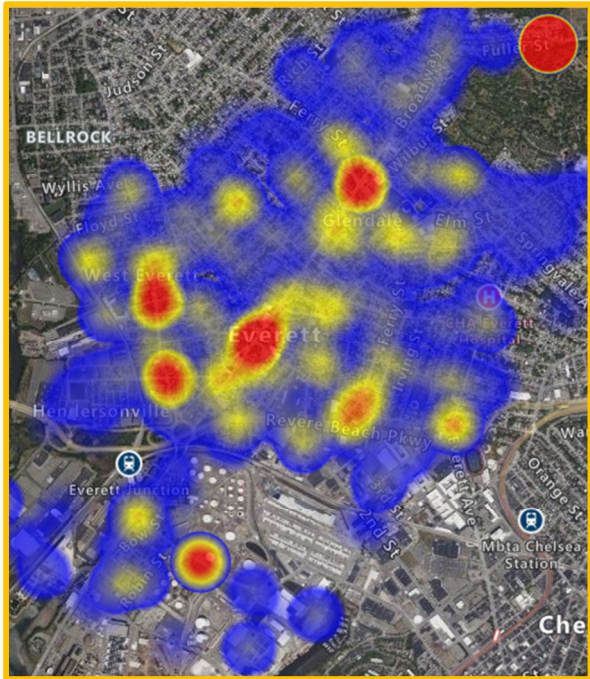
Summons Issued by Crime Type	Number
Unlicensed Operation of a MV	116
Uninsured MV on Road	85
Unregistered MV	71
License Suspended	26
Fail To Stop For Mechanical Signal	22
Assault and Battery	19

**Top 5 Driving Infractions Issued Citations**

In 2022, 1,375 citations with a total of 1,883 charges (each citation can have multiple charges) were issued by the EPD. In 2022, 8 of the listed charges were for violating the new hands-free – electronic device while operating law; this is large reduction from 2021, with 53 charges.

Driving Infraction by Type	Number
Unregistered MV on Public Way	282
Stop Sign Violations	162
No Inspection Sticker	108
Speeding	98
Unlicensed Operation of a MV	68

Of these motor vehicle charges, 499 were warnings. Another 502 were civil charges, 260 were criminal charges, and 114 were arrest charges. The map (pictured right) highlights locations in the city where motor vehicle citations were issued. The larger and darker the icon, the more citations were issued. Fuller St, Beacham St, Broadway, Main St, Tileston St, and Chelsea St saw the highest number of citations.



## Table 1: Group A Crimes by Year Including 5 Yr. Average and Percent Change

Definitions of these crimes can be found on pages 14- 42 of this report: <https://ucr.fbi.gov/nibrs/nibrs-user-manual>

**Note: If offense type does not appear, then none were reported.**

Offense Type	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	5 Yr. Avg 2017- 2021	5 Yr. % Change btw 5yr. Avg vs 2022	1 Yr. % Change 2021 vs 2022
<b>Total</b>	1748	1670	1714	1716	1579	1630	1685.4	-3%	3%
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	2	1	3	0	1	2	1.4	43%	100%
Negligent Manslaughter	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.2	-100%	NC
Kidnapping/Abduction	2	1	4	4	1	4	2.4	67%	300%
Rape	18	17	18	23	24	21	20.0	5%	-13%
Sodomy	0	0	0	2	0	1	0.4	150%	NC
Sexual Assault With An Object	0	0	1	1	0	1	0.4	150%	NC
Fondling	10	9	12	5	15	8	10.2	-22%	-47%
Incest	0	1	0	1	0	0	0.4	-100%	NC
Statutory Rape	6	0	1	0	0	1	1.4	-29%	NC
Aggravated Assault	111	122	201	141	105	122	136.0	-10%	16%
Simple Assault	114	112	128	126	142	163	124.4	31%	15%
Intimidation	93	84	89	97	88	116	90.2	29%	32%
Arson	2	1	1	1	0	2	1.0	100%	NC
Bribery	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.0	NC	NC
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	121	114	110	78	70	95	98.6	-4%	36%
Counterfeiting/Forgery	12	10	8	6	2	6	7.6	-21%	200%
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	300	242	212	243	249	223	249.2	-11%	-10%
Embezzlement	0	2	1	1	1	0	1.0	-100%	-100%
Extortion/Blackmail	3	3	0	4	0	3	2.0	50%	NC
False Pretenses/Swindle/Confidence Game	17	25	38	51	46	29	35.4	-18%	-37%
Credit Card/Automatic Teller Fraud	136	85	71	33	39	28	72.8	-62%	-28%
Impersonation	2	5	2	2	8	4	3.8	5%	-50%
Welfare Fraud	0	0	0	8	1	2	1.8	11%	100%
Wire Fraud	4	8	3	8	12	8	7.0	14%	-33%
Identity Theft	56	22	41	82	45	43	49.2	-13%	-4%
Hacking/Computer Invasion	NA	NA	3	1	0	1	1.3	-25%	NC
Robbery	31	40	21	19	12	19	24.6	-23%	58%
Pocket-picking	0	3	3	3	1	3	2.0	50%	200%
Purse-snatching	2	9	5	2	6	4	4.8	-17%	-33%
Shoplifting	99	130	153	131	117	137	126.0	9%	17%
Theft From Building	19	29	44	30	26	34	29.6	15%	31%
Theft From Coin Operated Machine or Device	0	2	0	0	0	0	0.4	-100%	NC
Theft From Motor Vehicle	151	118	85	171	151	118	135.2	-13%	-22%
<b>Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts/Accessories</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>528%</b>	<b>133%</b>
All Other Larceny	214	271	253	227	207	190	234.4	-19%	-8%
Motor Vehicle Theft	72	76	76	81	88	99	78.6	26%	13%
Stolen Property Offenses	9	13	14	17	14	9	13.4	-33%	-36%
Drug/Narcotic Violations	49	56	50	53	38	44	49.2	-11%	16%
Drug Equipment Violations	25	22	16	18	12	15	18.6	-19%	25%
Betting/Wagering	0	0	1	1	1	0	0.6	-100%	-100%
Gambling Equipment Violations	0	1	1	1	0	0	0.6	-100%	NC
Pornography/Obscene Material	2	1	2	3	13	7	4.2	67%	-46%
Prostitution	0	0	1	0	0	1	0.2	400%	NC
Weapon Law Violations	51	20	21	17	14	13	24.6	-47%	-7%
Animal Cruelty	11	14	14	16	9	4	12.8	-69%	-56%

## Crime Data Analysis: Table 1 Summary

Table 1 highlights those offenses that had a notable percent change in their reporting. The 5 year average includes data from years 2017-2021. The 5 year percent change looks at the difference between the 5 year average (2017-2021) and the 2022 data. The resulting percentage change validates any trends that may be present in the 2021 data. For example, if robbery decreases 50% from 2020 to 2021, there is no way to tell from that figure whether 2021 was unusually low or 2020 was unusually high. Therefore, comparing 2021 to an average helps to better assess whether the crime truly went up or down in the most recent year. "NC" or non-calculable is used when a number cannot be calculated. For further explanation on table 1 methodology, please see our past annual reports available on our website.

### Overall Crime Comparisons – Group A Crime

2022 there was a 3 percent increase in the number of personal, property and societal crimes reported when compared to 2021. More importantly, the number of offenses in 2022 represents a 3 percent decrease over the 5-year average.

### 5 Year Crime Trends

The offense types (crimes in category larger than 10 per year) that had the most significant decrease between 2022 and the 5 year average are credit card fraud (-62%), weapons law violations (-47%), robbery (-23%), all other larceny (-19%), swindling (-18%), theft from a motor vehicle and identity theft (-13%), vandalism (-11%), and aggravated assault (-10%). Additionally, there was a small decrease in burglary.

The offense types (crimes in category larger than 10 per year) that had the most significant increase between 2022 and the 5 year average were theft of motor vehicle parts and accessories (+528%), simple assault (+31%), intimidation (+29%), motor vehicle theft (+26%), theft from a building (+15%), shoplifting (+9%), and rape (+5%). In 2016, the FBI started collecting data specific to identity theft (providing stricter definitions on fraud offenses). As a result of this, there is a shift in crime counts across the fraud related categories.

### 1 Year Crime Comparison

Notable changes by number and type of offenses reported in 2022 compared to 2021 (crimes in category larger than 10 per year).

A sample of notable decreases in 2022 from 2021 include swindling (-37%), credit card fraud (-28%), theft from a motor vehicle (-22%), rape (-13%), vandalism (-10%), all other larceny (-8%), weapons law violations (-7%), and identity theft (-4%).

## Table 1 Summary Continued

### 1 Year Crime Comparison Continued

A sample of notable increases in 2022 from 2021 include the theft of motor vehicle parts and accessories (+133%), robbery (+58%), burglary (+36%), intimidation (+32%), theft from a building (+31%), shoplifting (+17%), aggravated assault (+16%), simple assault (+15%), and motor vehicle theft (+13%).

#### Additional Data Notes on Table 1

The increase in theft of motor vehicle parts and accessories noted in 2021 and 2022 is a result of the increase in catalytic converter thefts. For more information on this topic, please see page 33 of this report.

The increase in pornography/obscene materials noted in 2021 is a direct result of an EPD detective from the CIU being assigned as the EPD affiliate of the Massachusetts State Police Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force. In this role, the detective is assigned cases received from tips about crimes against children that are occurring on the internet with a nexus to Everett. The ICAC Task Force targets predators who are seeking to exploit and victimize children through the use of computers and the Internet. The ICAC Program is a national network of 61 coordinated task forces representing over 3,000 federal, state, and local law enforcement and prosecutorial agencies. To contact the MSP ICAC please go to: <https://www.icactaskforce.org/TaskForceContacts>, and click on Massachusetts.

The decrease in identify theft noted in 2021 and 2022 is a result of the decrease in reported identities stolen and used to file unemployment claims. In 2020, there was a nationwide increase in unemployment claims filed as a result of the pandemic. Throughout 2020 this claims system was hindered by fraud. See page 34 of this report for more information.



**Table 2: 2018-2022 Number of Crimes by Crime Type with a Firearm**

Type of Weapon/Force Involved	Firearm				
Incident Date	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	1	2	0	1	1
Rape	0	0	0	0	1
Aggravated Assault	16	20	19	14	23
Robbery	22	8	6	2	5

Type of Weapon/Force Involved	Other Dangerous Weapons				
Incident Date	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	0	1	0	0	1
Kidnapping/Abduction	1	1	3	0	1
Rape	1	0	0	0	1
Aggravated Assault	44	46	36	47	50
Robbery	8	3	5	2	5

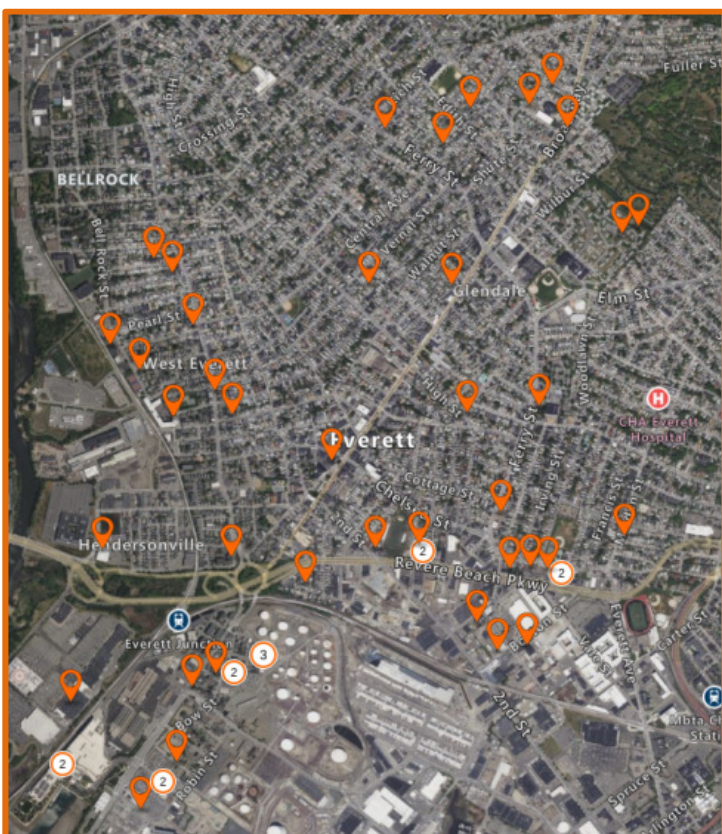
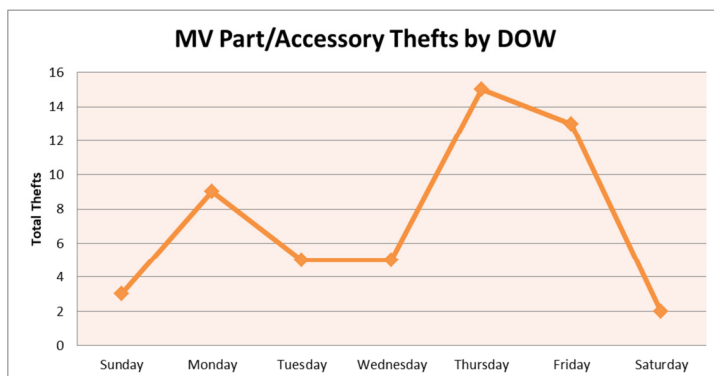
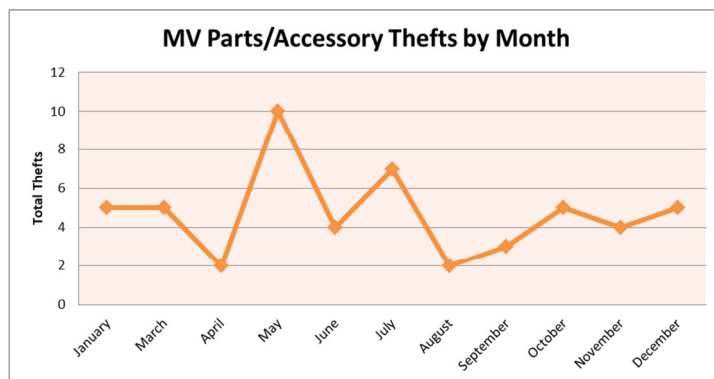
Type of Weapon/Force Involved	Motor Vehicle/Vessel				
Incident Date	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Negligent Manslaughter	0	1	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	8	12	3		7

Type of Weapon/Force Involved	Personal Weapons (Hands, Feet, Teeth, Etc.)				
Incident Date	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Kidnapping/Abduction	1	1	1	0	0
Rape	4	6	5	9	8
Sodomy	0	0	1	0	0
Sexual Assault With An Object	0	0	1	0	0
Fondling	3	6	2	8	1
Aggravated Assault	30	61	47	34	23
Robbery	3	7	2	4	4

# Catalytic Converter Thefts

Catalytic converter thefts accounted for 44 of 48 or 92% of all reported theft of motor vehicle parts or accessories in 2022. Of those 44 reported, there were three incidents where multiple catalytic converters were found stolen resulting in a total of 48 thefts. Accounting for reported incident where more than one thing was stolen, there were a total of 52 parts/accessories stolen in 2022.

The month with the most catalytic converter thefts was May (10), there were no reported thefts in February and only two incidents in August of 2022. The majorities of the incidents reportedly took place over night, and were reported in the morning when the victim tried to start their car. The most common day of week (DOW) where incidents occurred were Thursdays and Fridays, accounting for 54% of all motor vehicle part/accessory thefts. Saturday and Sunday was the least common with only 5 total. See the two graphs on the right for further information on times when motor vehicle (MV) part/accessory thefts were most common.



Cases of catalytic converter thefts have been on the rise regionally as the price of their compounds: rhodium, palladium and platinum have increased. Catalytic converters use these three precious metals to convert exhaust into less harmful gasses. The most common car type targeted is Honda CRVs, and other older model Honda vehicles.

There were three streets where an incident occurred more than once: Factory St, Bartlett St and Revere Beach Parkway. The map shown to the left depicts all locations where a motor vehicle part/accessory was stolen in 2022. There appears to be a high number of incidents occurring near the Encore Casino and Revere Beach Parkway, most likely due to access to main roadways.

## Scams / Frauds Reported in 2022

In 2022, the EPD responded to over 113 fraud complaints. Identity theft and false pretenses / scams (e.g. gift card scams) represented the most frequent fraud calls for service, representing nearly 70% of total fraud complaints. False pretense scams included the purchase of expensive items such as apartments, homes, vacations, high-valued equipment, and pets. In 2020, a significant percentage of identity theft incidents were accounted for by unemployment fraud (50 cases). In 2021 officers responded to 9 complaints of unemployment fraud, this number decreased in 2022 to 4 complaints.

### Additional notes on gift card scams:

Consistent with what is being seen regionally and across the country, Everett residents have seen an increase in the number of gift card scams. *In several recent cases, the victims were called by someone claiming to be from a government agency and instructed to purchase thousands of dollars in gift cards in order to avoid arrest.*

### **REMEMBER:**

- Gift cards *cannot* be used to pay legal fees or bail
- Gift cards *cannot* be used to pay taxes
- Do not share card numbers or PINs with anyone
- Report any of the above to law enforcement

Descriptions of some of the most common scams of 2022 are outlined below:

Scam Type	Description
<b>Bail Bond / "Grandparent Scam"</b>	You are contacted by phone and told that a family member needs bail money, lawyer fees, or other monies resulting from a fictitious claim that the family member was arrested, usually out of state. In some recent cases, suspects told victims that they would send a courier to pick up the money at the victim's residence or at a location nearby.
<b>IRS Scam</b>	The Internal Revenue Service demands immediate payment for back taxes. Caller threatens an arrest warrant will be issued OR caller asks for personal information such as social security number.
<b>Kidnapping/Ransom Scam</b>	Similar to Bail Bond Scam, except the family member has been kidnapped or held hostage after an accident or other incident.
<b>Tech Support</b>	You have been told that your computer is broken, hacked or has a virus, and you are asked to send money or buy gift cards so that it can be repaired.
<b>Internet Sale</b>	You were selling something online, offering a service (e.g. babysitting) online, or recently started a "Secret Shopper" or work from home job and received a check for too much money. You were instructed to deposit the check and wire the extra back or send the balance back in <b>gift cards</b> .
<b>Arrest Warrant</b>	You get a call from a "law enforcement agency" demanding money or <b>gift cards</b> as payment for fines or fees to avoid asset forfeiture or immediate arrest on warrants-usually out of state.
<b>Medicare Scam</b>	Somebody from "Medicare" calls stating you are getting a new Medicare card, but until it comes you will need a temporary card. The fee for the card is between \$5-50 dollars. They want personal information, bank account or credit card so they can process your temporary card. Medicare will never call you unless you ask them to.

## Table 3: 2018-2022 Count of Arrests for NIBRS Group B Offenses

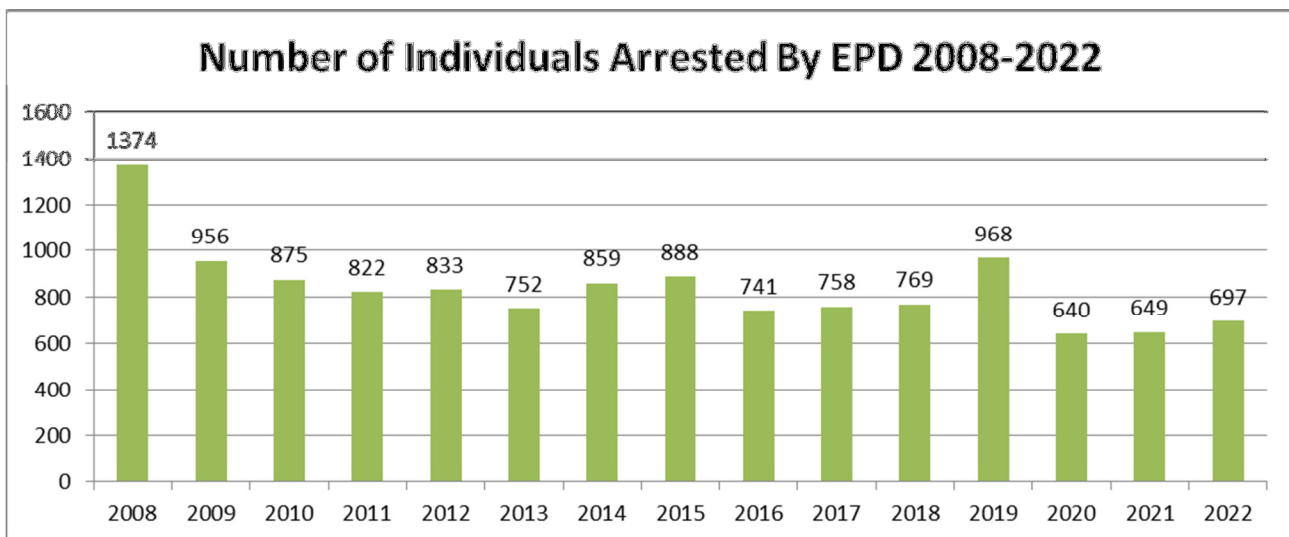
Note: If offense type does not appear, then none were reported.

Arrest Date	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
<b>Offense Type</b>					
Bad Checks	2	0	0	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	28	46	32	43	26
Driving Under the Influence	30	65	26	24	40
Family Offenses	100	93	107	117	130
Trespass of Real Property	9	19	14	34	5
Liquor Law Violations	0	2	3	0	3
All Other Offenses	0	4	0	14	0
<b>Total Group B Arrests</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>204</b>

### Notes on Table 3:

Group B offenses are only reported to the State if an arrest is made. Therefore, the incident count for Group B offenses mirrors the arrest count. The data captured in this chart is a count of incidents, not a count of crimes (each incident can have more than one crime attached to it). As an example, if a party is arrested for shoplifting (a group A offense) and is subsequently trespassed from the store (a group B offense), only the group A offense of shoplifting would be counted. Additionally, as stated above, if a group B offense is committed, but no arrest is made, it is not reported to the State.

## A Look Back at Arrests Made by EPD 2008-2022



## Table 4: 2021 & 2022 Area Crime Rates (NIBRS Group A Crimes)

NOTE: If crime type does not appear, then none were reported.

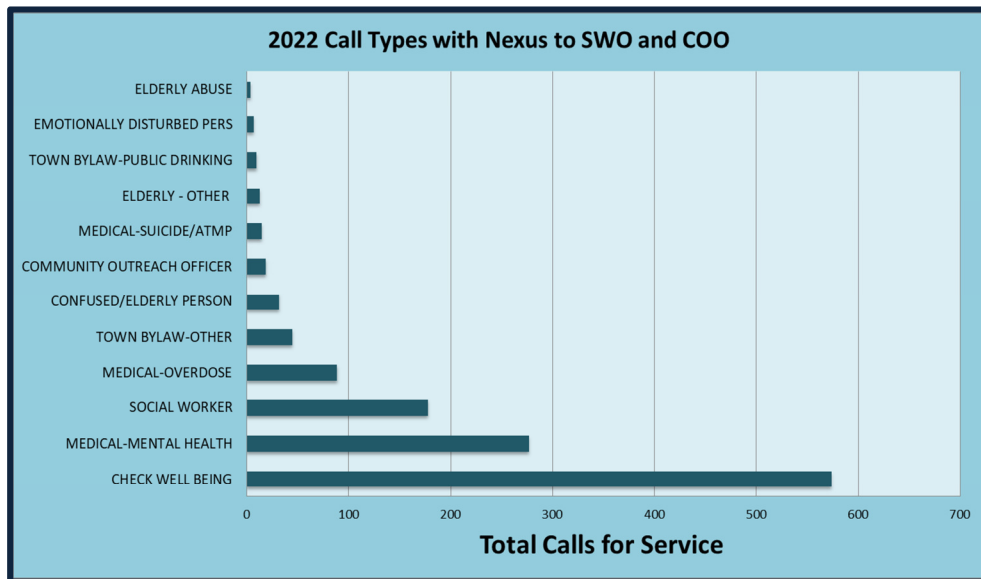
**Note:** The crime rate is used to measure the number of crimes per 1,000 people in a geographic area.

Measures	Crime Rate (per 1,000)					
	2021			2022		
Incident Date	Everett	Malden	Chelsea	Everett	Malden	Chelsea
Jurisdiction by Geography	Everett	Malden	Chelsea	Everett	Malden	Chelsea
Offense Type	Everett	Malden	Chelsea	Everett	Malden	Chelsea
<b>All Offense Types</b>	<b>31.39</b>	<b>25.92</b>	<b>54.98</b>	<b>33.70</b>	<b>25.30</b>	<b>56.78</b>
<b>Crimes Against Person</b>	<b>8.04</b>	<b>7.97</b>	<b>21.00</b>	<b>9.39</b>	<b>6.52</b>	<b>23.83</b>
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.04	0	0
Kidnapping/Abduction	0.02	0.08	0.38	0.09	0.03	0.28
Rape	0.51	0.17	0.43	0.45	0.03	0.43
Sodomy	0	0	0.35	0.02	0	0.23
Sexual Assault With An Object	0	0	0	0.02	0	0
Fondling	0.32	0.15	0.50	0.17	0.12	0.45
Incest	0	0	0.08	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	0	0	0.78	0.02	0	0.60
Aggravated Assault	2.25	2.03	4.85	2.61	1.94	5.38
Simple Assault	3.04	5.08	10.23	3.49	4.15	11.78
Intimidation	1.88	0.42	3.35	2.48	0.25	4.70
<b>Crimes Against Property</b>	<b>21.68</b>	<b>17.28</b>	<b>32.08</b>	<b>22.60</b>	<b>18.23</b>	<b>31.18</b>
Arson	0	0.03	0.10	0.04	0.03	0.10
Bribery	0.02	0	0.03	0.02	0	0
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	1.50	1.73	2.10	2.03	1.06	2.08
Counterfeiting/Forgery	0.04	0.25	0.38	0.13	0.15	0.43
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	5.32	3.10	8.63	4.77	3.77	8.48
Embezzlement	0.02	0	0.08	0	0	0.05
Extortion/Blackmail	0	0.02	0.15	0.06	0	0.10
False Pretenses/Swindle/Confidence Game	0.98	0.71	1.78	0.62	0.81	1.65
Credit Card/Automatic Teller Fraud	0.83	0.32	0.10	0.60	0.43	0.15
Impersonation	0.17	0	1.30	0.09	0	1.08
Welfare Fraud	0.02	0	0	0.04	0	0.03
Wire Fraud	0.26	0.02	0	0.17	0	0.13
Identity Theft	0.96	0	0	0.92	0.02	0.03
Hacking/Computer Invasion	0	0	0	0.02	0	0
Robbery	0.26	0.43	1.70	0.41	0.40	1.50
Pocket-picking	0.02	0.10	0.30	0.06	0.05	0.40
Purse-snatching	0.13	0	0.03	0.09	0.02	0.15
Shoplifting	1.41	1.08	1.05	2.29	1.20	2.03
Theft From Building	0.56	0.68	1.95	0.73	0.75	2.98
Theft From Motor Vehicle	2.39	2.51	5.18	2.10	2.67	4.03
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts/Accessories	0.45	0.22	0.25	1.05	0.22	1.53
All Other Larceny	4.15	4.52	5.05	4.06	4.60	2.00
Motor Vehicle Theft	1.88	1.58	1.50	2.12	2.06	1.88
Stolen Property Offenses	0.30	0	0.45	0.19	0	0.43
<b>Crimes Against Society</b>	<b>1.67</b>	<b>0.66</b>	<b>1.90</b>	<b>1.71</b>	<b>0.55</b>	<b>1.78</b>
Drug/Narcotic Violations	0.81	0.23	0.53	0.94	0.27	0.58
Drug Equipment Violations	0.26	0	0	0.32	0	0
Operating/Promoting/Assisting Gambling	0	0	0.18	0	0	0.10
Pornography/Obscene Material	0.28	0.02	0.18	0.15	0.02	0.08
Prostitution	0	0.07	0.05	0.02	0.02	0
Weapon Law Violations	0.30	0.35	0.98	0.28	0.25	1.03
Animal Cruelty	0.02	0	0	0.02	0	0

# Community Outreach and Jail Diversion Initiative

Effective as of October 2022, Officer Nicole O'Donnell has been newly assigned as a Community Outreach Officer (COO) working under the Operations Division with immediate supervisor being Captain O'Malley. Her role is to assist special populations of the community like the elderly and homeless. Officer O'Donnell will be conducting outreach at events, making proactive visits to people with known complications, and assisting people who need help obtaining other services.

Officer O'Donnell acts as liaison between community members and other support elements within the community such as Everett's City's Road Map to Recovery Program via Everett Fire, Family Resource Center, etc., on a needed basis. In addition, The Everett Police Department would like to welcome Charlotte Jamar to our team as the department's new full time social worker (SWO). Charlotte works for Eliot Community Human Services and is assigned to the department as our Jail Diversion Clinician. Charlotte will support Everett residents who would benefit from community resources (such as substance use and mental health treatment, housing, and financial aid.) Charlotte will also assist officers in responding to emergency calls in which a mental health professional could be useful (mental health crises, traumatic experiences, etc.).



*The graph depicts all call types in 2022 that had a nexus to the kind of work our new Community Outreach Officer and Social Worker will/are conducting. Please note that "Social Worker" call types not only depict calls Charlotte has been attached to, but also our past Social Worker Kim Russell.*

In 2022, EPD responded to a total of 78 confirmed Medical Overdose calls for service. The table below outlines overdoses over the past four years.

	2019	2020	2021	2022
<b>Total</b>	80	90	104	78
<b>Fatalities</b>	9	8	15	9

## 2022 Everett Police Department/DEA Initiative



The Everett Police Department is open 24 hours a day for residents to drop off unused or expired prescription drugs. Residents are encouraged to come to the Everett Police Department to properly dispose of their prescriptions by placing them in the prescription drop-box located in the lobby. This program involves no paperwork, and there are no questions asked.



**Prescription Drug Collection-** During 2022, residents of the city continued to deposit their unwanted or expired medications inside the 24 hour drop-off box. The contents of the box are removed every 30 days and stored inside a restricted vault until they are transported to an approved incinerator for destruction. Additionally, there are MedReturn Drug Collection Units throughout the City. Pictured on the top right is one such box located at the Board of Health Office in City Hall. Residents may drop off their unwanted medications during regular business hours.



- On April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022, the department participated in the semi-annual Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) coordinated National Take Back Day, and turn in all the prescription medications collected over the past six months. In 2022, over 250 lbs of prescription medicine were turned in to the DEA for destruction over the course of the year. ***The next take back day is scheduled for April 22nd, 2023***

The EPD would like to remind residents of the dangers associated with drug use. Many OD deaths are resulting from a mixture of substances, such as fentanyl with heroin.

Residents are encouraged to report any information on illegal drug distributors by calling 617-389-DRUG or if it requires immediate attention 617-387-1212.

**As always, in an emergency or if medical help is needed, please call 911.**

For additional information on crimes as they occur in Everett, visit <https://communitycrimemap.com/>. The Everett Police Department and LexisNexis Inc. have partnered to provide a new way for the public to stay informed about crime in Everett. The data is updated four times a week. The site is free to use.

The mission of the Everett Police Department is to provide community oriented law enforcement designed to protect life and property, maintain order, while ensuring fair and equal treatment for all.

### Law Enforcement Core Values

**Professionalism-** we are committed to the highest ethical standards of the law enforcement profession.

**Respect-** we pledge to preserve human dignity by caring for the citizens we serve, and for ourselves.

**Integrity-** we shall, through our behavior, reflect honesty, sincerity, and complete accountability.

**Dedication-** we are devoted to Public Service to enhance the quality of life for all.

**Excellence-** we encourage innovation, effectiveness and efficiency through training, skills and effort.

Our Motto:

*“Serving with Pride Since 1870”*





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