Police Department Quarterly Crime Report

Second Quarter 01 January to 30 June, 2021

Presentation to the Public Safety Committee October 12, 2021



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Weekly Crime Report — Citywide 20 Sep. – 26 Sep., 2021

Part 1 Crimes All totals include attempts except homicides.	Weekly Total	YTD 2019	YTD 2020	YTD 2021	YTD % Change 2020 vs. 2021	3-Year YTD Average	YTD 2021 vs. 3-Year YTD Average
Violent Crime Index (homicide, aggravated assault, rape, robbery)	88	4,324	4,278	4,737	11%	4,446	7%
Homicide – 187(a)PC	3	53	70	96	37%	73	32%
Homicide – All Other *	-	3	5	6	20%	5	29%
Aggravated Assault	48	2,055	2,368	2,641	12%	2,355	12%
Assault with a firearm – 245(a)(2)PC	10	224	326	457	40%	336	36%
Subtotal - Homicides + Firearm Assault	13	280	401	559	39%	413	35%
Shooting occupied home or vehicle – 246PC	5	189	275	407	48%	290	40%
Shooting unoccupied home or vehicle – 247(b)PC	6	93	143	208	45%	148	41%
Non-fiream aggravated assaults	27	1,549	1,624	1,569	-3%	1,581	-1%
Rape	1	154	165	98	-41%	139	-29%
Robbery	36	2,062	1,675	1,902	14%	1,880	1%
Firearm	16	755	504	783	55%	681	15%
Knife	3	102	128	85	-34%	105	-19%
Strong-arm	10	912	736	574	-22%	741	-23%
Other dangerous weapon	-	68	57	52	-9%	59	-12%
Residential robbery – 212.5(a)PC	-	67	62	59	-5%	63	-6%
Carjacking – 215(a) PC	7	158	188	349	86%	232	51%
Burglary	29	10,096	7,135	6,544	-8%	7,925	-17%
Auto	15	8,163	5,160	5,193	1%	6,172	-16%
Residential	3	1,326	975	724	-26%	1,008	-28%
Commercial	6	478	812	421	-48%	570	-26%
Other (Includes boats, aircraft, and so on)	1	113	140	118	-16%	124	-5%
Unknown	4	16	48	88	83%	51	74%
Motor Vehicle Theft	75	4,760	6,632	6,338	-4%	5,910	7%
Larceny	25	5,363	4,686	3,891	-17%	4,647	-16%
Arson	3	107	143	131	-8%	127	3%
Total	220	24,653	22,879	21,647	-5%	23,060	-6%

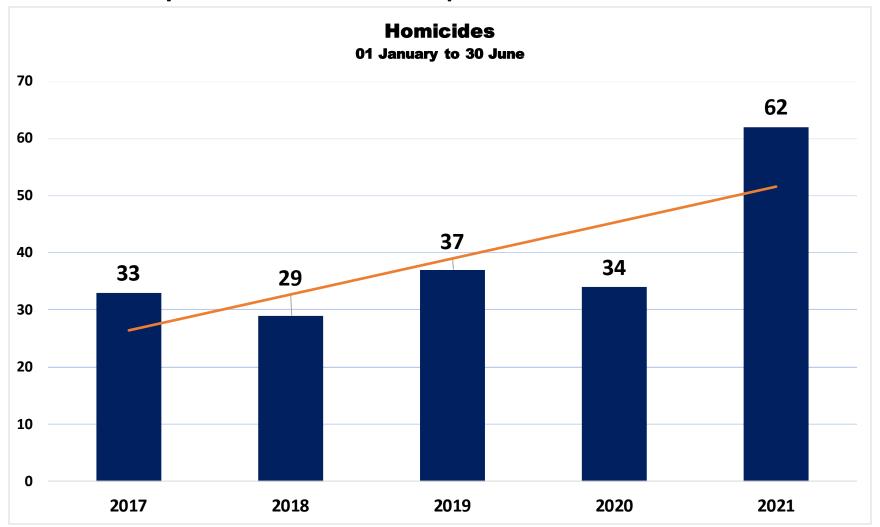
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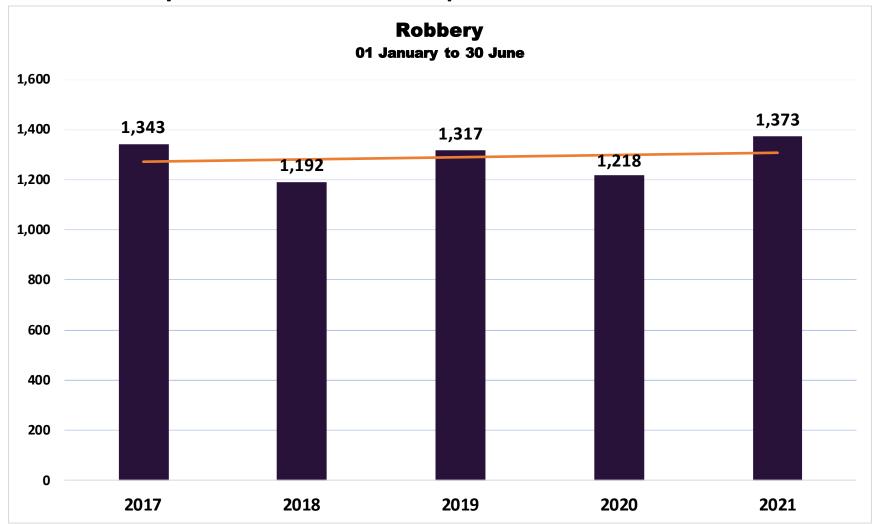
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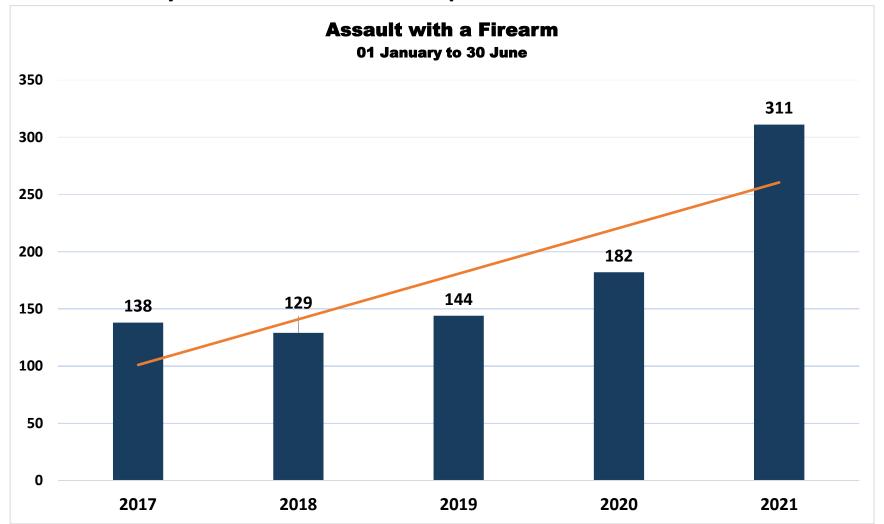
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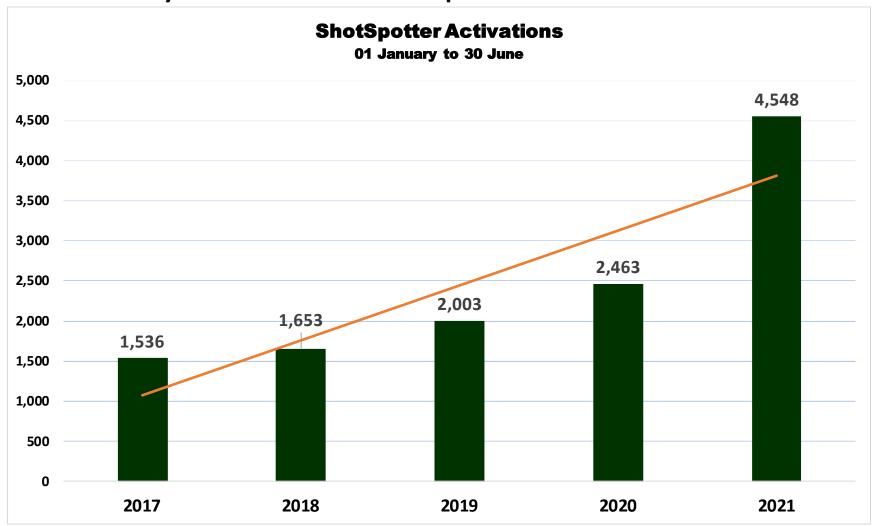
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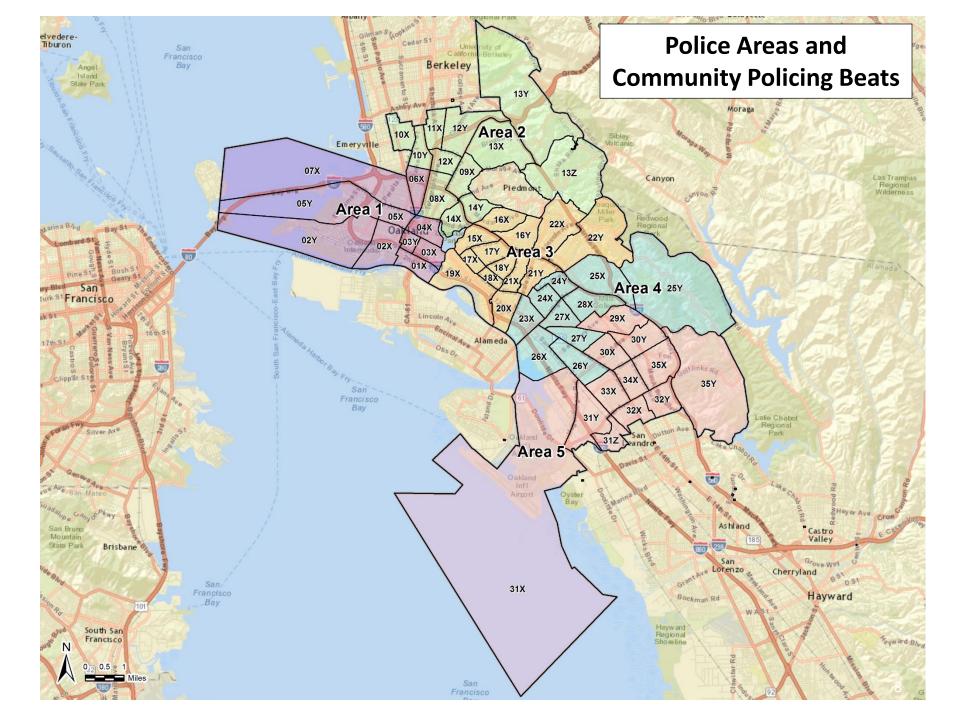
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Citywide Crime Stats – Year-to-Date Comparison

Part 1 Crimes All totals include attempts except homicides	01-01-2020 through 06-30-2020	01-01-2021 through 06-30-2021	Year-to-Date % Change 2020 vs. 2021	3-Year Year-to-Date Average	YTD 2021 vs. 3-Year YTD Average
Homicide	34	62	82%	44	40%
Aggravated Assault	1,518	1,781	17%	1,565	14%
With Firearm	182	311	71%	212	46%
Rape	111	61	-45%	92	-34%
Robbery	1,218	1,373	13%	1,303	5%
Burglary Total	5,507	4,055	-26%	5,354	-24%
• Auto	4,097	3,163	-23%	4,170	-24%
• Residential	672	505	-25%	677	-25%
• Commercial	604	272	-55%	397	-31%
Other/Unknown	134	115	-14%	110	4%
Motor Vehicle Theft	4,403	4,411	0%	4,022	10%
Larceny	3,463	2,689	-22%	3,189	-16%
Arson	91	97	7%	83	16%
Total Part 1 Crimes	16,345	14,529	-11%	15,652	-7%

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Citywide Crime Stats – Crime by Area

Part 1 Crimes All totals include attempts except homicides	Area 1 01 Jan to 30 Jun	Area 2 01 Jan to 30 Jun	Area 3 01 Jan to 30 Jun	Area 4 01 Jan to 30 Jun	Area 5 01 Jan to 30 Jun
Homicide	9	6	12	11	24
Aggravated Assault	297	139	325	372	618
With Firearm	42	23	66	61	111
Rape	15	7	14	7	11
Robbery	190	161	406	296	290
Burglary Total	1,341	1,097	594	300	436
• Auto	1,167	837	403	165	320
• Residential	74	168	115	74	65
• Commercial	63	69	60	41	34
Other/Unknown	37	23	16	20	17
Motor Vehicle Theft	574	657	990	966	1,161
Larceny	529	605	528	431	503
Arson	14	8	22	18	35
Total Part 1 Crimes	2,969	2,680	2,891	2,401	3,078

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Police Area 1 — Captain Bobby Hookfin

Part 1 Crimes All totals include attempts except homicides	01-01-2020 through 06-30-2020	01-01-2021 through 06-30-2021	Year-to-Date % Change 2020 vs. 2021	3-Year Year-to-Date Average	YTD 2021 vs. 3-Year YTD Average
Homicide	4	9	125%	7	23%
Aggravated Assault	262	297	13%	283	5%
With Firearm	21	42	100%	30	38%
Rape	27	15	-44%	22	-31%
Robbery	234	190	-19%	234	-19%
Burglary Total	1,282	1,341	5%	1,491	-10%
• Auto	999	1,167	17%	1,271	-8%
• Residential	106	74	-30%	90	-18%
• Commercial	142	63	-56%	97	-35%
Other/Unknown	35	37	6%	33	12%
Motor Vehicle Theft	511	574	12%	510	13%
Larceny	708	529	-25%	688	-23%
Arson	15	14	-7%	15	-7%
Total Part 1 Crimes	3,043	2,969	-2%	3,251	-9%

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Police Area 1 – Captain Bobby Hookfin

- Homicides, shootings, robberies, and burglaries are priority focus.
- Gang and group violence challenges
 - Working with OPD Ceasefire Section to identify and solve.
- Developed a 90-Day Crime Plan to reduce Part 1 crimes and increase public safety.
- Utilizing all available resources:
 - Neighborhood Council Chairs
 - influential community members input to reduce Part 1
 Crimes and increase public safety.

Police Area 1 – Captain Bobby Hookfin

- Community policing success example:
 - Collaboration between Area 1 Community Resource Officers (CRO) and the beats 2X / 2Y Neighborhood Councils.
 - Focus: Reduce the open-air drug dealing, loitering, and shootings in the area.
- Other strategies:
 - Visible presence;
 - fixed command post;
 - communication and compassion
- Part 1 crimes
 - decreased by 2 percent YTD in part as a result of these efforts.

Police Area 2 — Acting Captain Robert Rosin

Part 1 Crimes All totals include attempts except homicides	01-01-2020 through 06-30-2020	01-01-2021 through 06-30-2021	Year-to-Date % Change 2020 vs. 2021	3-Year Year-to-Date Average	YTD 2021 vs. 3-Year YTD Average
Homicide	0	6	PNC	2	157%
Aggravated Assault	121	139	15%	136	2%
With Firearm	3	23	667%	12	92%
Rape	13	7	-46%	12	-43%
Robbery	176	161	-9%	175	-8%
Burglary Total	1,918	1,097	-43%	1,568	-30%
• Auto	1,642	837	-49%	1,260	-34%
• Residential	203	168	-17%	201	-16%
• Commercial	60	69	15%	86	-19%
Other/Unknown	13	23	77%	21	8%
Motor Vehicle Theft	391	657	68%	533	23%
Larceny	710	605	-15%	702	-14%
Arson	3	8	167%	7	20%
Total Part 1 Crimes	3,332	2,680	-20%	3,135	-15%

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Police Area 2 – Acting Captain Robert Rosin

- Shootings and Homicides are a main focus for Area 2 given the onaverage 222 percent increase year to date (YTD) in 2021 vs 2020.
- Community Resource Officer (CRO) and patrol teams directed to conduct focus on serious and violent crime incidents
 - thorough preliminary investigation, video canvassing recovery, dissemination, partnering with newly formed CGIC to enhance field work and provide better customer service

CRO Projects:

- Lake Merritt Area chronic nuisance issues: Boat House and DJ Skate Parties, trash, noise, unpermitted activities, concerns of dangers to lake-based animals and endangered species;
- COVID-19 Health Order violations complaints;
- traffic related complaints;
- illegal sideshow and narcotics activity.

Police Area 2 – Acting Captain Robert Rosin

Stakeholders and Partner Collaboration:

- NCPC leaders, neighborhood groups, City Administrator's Office, Nuisance Abatement, Lake Merritt working group, and Park and Recreation Department.
- Partnership, communication, education, officer presence, collaboration with code enforcement and officer / neighborhood service coordinator-hosted community meeting achieved a mutual understanding that DJ-hosted parties at the Boathouse would be generally allowed until a reasonable hour, and event organizers would be provided information and encouraged to obtain a special events permits.
- Oak Dept of Transportation agreed to lock gates to the park after hours more frequently, install road strips on Bellevue Ave to prevent people from driving the wrong way and entering the park after hours.
- Positive community feedback to these initiatives.
- Progress without any related custodial arrests, uses of force or internal affairs complaints.

Police Area 3 — Acting Captain James Beere

Part 1 Crimes All totals include attempts except homicides	01-01-2020 through 06-30-2020	01-01-2021 through 06-30-2021	Year-to-Date % Change 2020 vs. 2021	3-Year Year-to-Date Average	YTD 2021 vs. 3-Year YTD Average
Homicide	9	12	33%	10	16%
Aggravated Assault	226	325	44%	276	18%
With Firearm	29	66	128%	44	50%
Rape	19	14	-26%	20	-30%
Robbery	306	406	33%	345	18%
Burglary Total	930	594	-36%	827	-28%
• Auto	601	403	-33%	557	-28%
• Residential	262	115	-56%	175	-34%
• Commercial	51	60	18%	77	-22%
Other/Unknown	16	16	0%	18	-11%
Motor Vehicle Theft	786	990	26%	931	6%
Larceny	614	528	-14%	624	-15%
Arson	9	22	144%	17	29%
Total Part 1 Crimes	2,899	2,891	0%	3,051	-5%

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Police Area 3 – Acting Captain James Beere

Crime Increases in YTD 2021 vs 2020 YTD

- Homicides (33 percent)
- Assaults with a firearm (128 percent)
- Robberies (33 percent)
- Significant reduction in rapes and burglaries. Overall Part 1 crimes are down five percent.

Area Focus:

- Safely reduce gun violence, human trafficking, and robberies through collaborative efforts with OPD Vice Crimes Unit and Violent Crimes Operation Center.
- Developed a 90 Crime Plan leveraging internal resources from Criminal Investigations and the Special Operations Division.

Police Area 3 – Acting Captain James Beere

- Community Resource Officer (CRO) Project
 - Long term investigation into the illegal casinos associated with multiple shootings. Search warrants were served at each location netting multiple arrests, the seizure of dozens of firearms, and the closure of the businesses.
- Patrol resources and CROs assisted the Vice Unit with extensive undercover operations targeting illegal sex trafficking trade along the East 15th and International Blvd. corridors.
- Chief Armstrong, A/C Beere and officers participated in March 27th Solidarity Walk in Partnership with Neighborhood Services.
- In August a squad was established to concentrate on robberies and gun violence abatement on Beats 17X, 19X and 21X.
 - squad has recovered multiple firearms and made arrests of individuals responsible for committing robberies.
- More police presence has been directed on Foothill Blvd. and San Antonio Park area 18X.

Area 4 — Captain Jake Bassett

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Homicide	8	11	38%	7	50%
Aggravated Assault	302	372	23%	327	14%
With Firearm	32	61	91%	42	46%
Rape	10	7	-30%	11	-34%
Robbery	276	296	7%	269	10%
Burglary Total	563	300	-47%	465	-35%
• Auto	354	165	-53%	282	-41%
• Residential	141	74	-48%	96	-23%
• Commercial	59	41	-31%	72	-43%
Other/Unknown	9	20	122%	15	33%
Motor Vehicle Theft	722	966	34%	878	10%
Larceny	539	431	-20%	503	-14%
Arson	12	18	50%	15	17%
Total Part 1 Crimes	2,432	2,401	-1%	2,476	-3%

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Police Area 4 – Captain Jake Bassett

Aggravated firearm assaults – 91 percent increase; a 65 percent decrease from 2021 Quarter 1 - but significant increase YTD.

- A significant portion of the violence was being driven by group or gang conflicts and homeless encampment related circumstances.
- Area 4 Command initiated the following to address the firearms assault increase:
 - -Intelligence reports were provided to Patrol Commanders to direct available resources to those areas most effected by violent crime.
 - -Prioritized patrol and supplemental presence during times, days and locations where offenses were trending.
 - -A ShotSpotter detail was developed focusing on crime analysis of where to direct resources on a bi-weekly basis.
 - -Collaboration with Department of Violence Prevention on known victims of violent crime with attention to the mitigation of retaliatory violence.

Police Area 4 – Captain Jake Bassett

- The Violent Crime Operations Center (VCOC) and stakeholders directed resources to those locations and those individuals who were most likely driving the violence.
- Prioritized Ceasefire strategies and referrals/requests to and for assistance, outreach, and prevention.
- A walking detail was created to mitigate robberies due to increased trend of victims being shot despite their cooperation.
- Ensured thorough preliminary investigations were being completed and followed up on in partnership with the Criminal Investigations Division.
- Hosted community meetings with Councilmembers, the City Administrator Office, local community groups, and OPD Unhoused Unit to identify encampments responsible for violent criminal activity and submit them for potential relocation.

Area 5 — Acting Captain Casey Johnson

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Homicide	13	24	85%	17	41%
Aggravated Assault	426	618	45%	511	21%
With Firearm	47	111	136%	78	43%
Rape	26	11	-58%	17	-35%
Robbery	251	290	16%	255	14%
Burglary Total	912	436	-52%	686	-36%
• Auto	693	320	-54%	502	-36%
• Residential	149	65	-56%	102	-36%
• Commercial	56	34	-39%	61	-44%
Other/Unknown	14	17	21%	20	-16%
Motor Vehicle Theft	860	1,161	35%	1,114	4%
Larceny	611	503	-18%	567	-11%
Arson	21	35	67%	28	24%
Total Part 1 Crimes	3,120	3,078	-1%	3,195	-4%

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Police Area 5 – Acting Captain Casey Johnson

Homicides in Area 5 have increased by 85 percent as of June 30th, compared to 2020. Area 5 Command, as a result, has deployed the following measures:

- Data and intelligence reviewed to identify possible groups or gangs escalating the violence, as well as individuals most likely engaged in at-risk circumstances.
- Partnered with the Department of Violence Prevention who assisted in reaching out to involved parties to prevent further violence.
- The VCOC focused on individuals driving the violence who have also refused resources.
- Weekly meetings (Shooting Review) conducted with local stakeholders and law enforcement partners to share information, resources, and strategies; monthly meetings with District 7 Councilmember (Reid) and other city stakeholders to discuss resources and strategy.

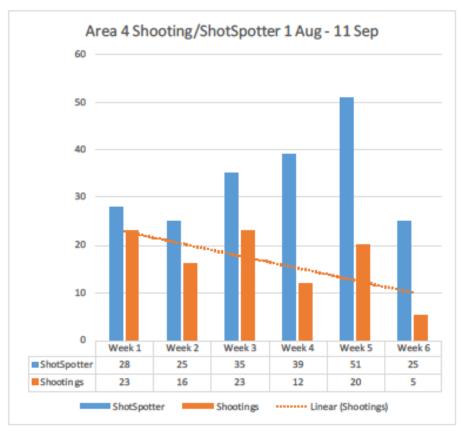
Police Area 5 – Acting Captain Casey Johnson

Aggravated firearm assaults in Area 5 increased 135% during this period compared to 2020. Area 5 Command, as a result, has deployed the following measures:

- Prioritized Ceasefire strategies and referrals and requests to and for assistance, outreach, and prevention.
- Review of ShotSpotter activity as well as information from victims of shootings showed concentrations in areas where groups or gangs were known to gather. Information provided to patrol commanders to direct available resources in those areas most effected by violent crime.
- Overtime details (ShotSpotter response and walking officers) added to focus on identified locations with increased firearm-related aggravated assaults. Also Prioritized patrol and supplemental presence for prevention and intelligence-led stops during times/days and locations where offenses were trending.
- Emphasis on ensuring thorough preliminary investigations completed and sent to the Criminal Investigations Division for follow-up.



Week over Week ShotSpotter and Shooting Activity in Area 4 1 Aug 2021—11 Sep 2021



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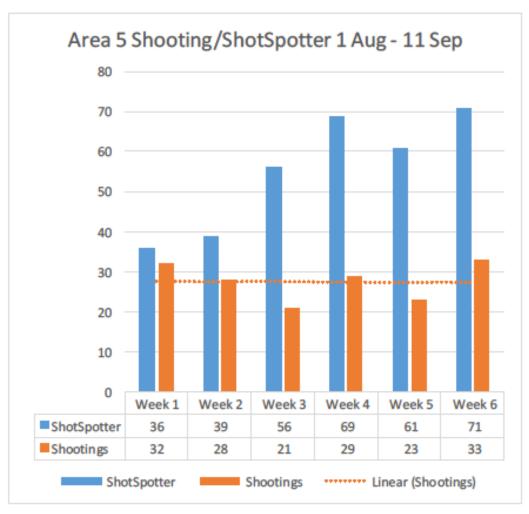
Statute Violation	Prior 6 Weeks	Current 6 Weeks	Change
PC245(A)(2)	26	25	-4%
PC246	20	11	-45%
PC246.3	56	37	-34%
PC246.3(A)	9	5	-44%
PC247(B)	21	17	-19%
PC664/187	2	1	-50%

Injury Shooting numbers during operation:

PC245(A)(2)	Count
8/1-8/7	3
8/8-8/14	4
8/15-8/21	6
8/22-8/28	4
8/29-9/4	3
9/5-9/11	0



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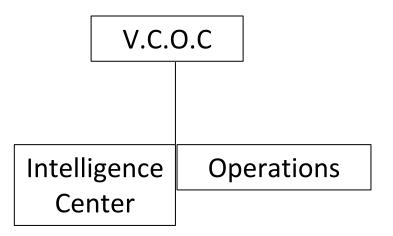
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PC245(A)(2)	45	42	-7%
PC246	36	16	-56%
PC246.3	90	85	-6%
PC246.3(A)	15	3	-80%
PC247(B)	27	20	-26%
PC664/187	2	0	-100%

Injury Shooting numbers during operation:

PC245(A)(2)	Count
8/1-8/7	7
8/8-8/14	5
8/15-8/21	8
8/22-8/28	5
8/29-9/4	6
9/5-9/11	10

Violent Crime Operations Center (VCOC) Captain Roland Holmgren

The <u>Violent Crime Operation</u> <u>Center's (VCOC)</u> vision is to centralize the strategic dissemination of criminal intelligence and deployment of Departmental resources in support of the Criminal Investigation Division and intelligence-led violent crime prevention.



VCOC - Captain Roland Holmgren

Mission:

Reduce citywide violent crime through intelligence-informed and task-driven operations.

VCOC - Captain Roland Holmgren

- Receive, analyze, and disseminate criminal intelligence and information.
- Reduce and Prevent Crime through intelligence driven enforcement.
- Support the Department's Ceasefire strategy in using data to reduce group/gang violence.
- Provide real-time assistance to field units.
- Identify crime patterns/ trends/areas for preventive measures and follow up investigations.
- Collaborate with external partners to prevent, interrupt, and solve violent crime:
 - Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI)
 - U.S. Marshals Service (USMS)
 - Oakland Department of Violence Prevention (DVP)
 - Community-based organizations (CBO)

VCOC - Captain Roland Holmgren

- Q2 2021 VCOC Arrests: 64
 - Murder: 19
 - Attempted Murder: 4
 - Aggravated Assault: 3
 - Robbery/Carjacking: 14
 - Other: 24

Dispatched Calls for Service

- Several times a month OPD Communications (dispatch) faces 100+ calls for service waiting to be assigned to available patrol officers at any one time.
- This service queue occurs nearly everyday, as OPD often faces a higher call volume than can be handled by available personnel. The complexity or nature of individual calls can also cause delays when additional personnel are needed to safely or adequately handle critical incidents or investigations.

Dispatched Calls for Service

- During these times of 100+ calls for services queues, OPD takes the following actions:
 - A "no 950" status" notification is sent. A "no 950 status" means that a watch commander has made the determination that available patrol resources are dedicated to answering active and standing calls for service rather than respond to "cold" calls for crime reports where the suspect is no longer on-scene and no immediate or imminent danger exists.
 - Calls are dispatched and answered based on priority.
 - For non-urgent calls, OPD dispatchers may be directed to tell callers to call back when there is greater capacity to respond and/or that online reporting options may be available.
 - When possible, OPD Command redeploys officers from a lower crime and lower call volume Police Beat or Police Area to Police Beats and Areas impacted by a disproportionate number of standing calls for service.