

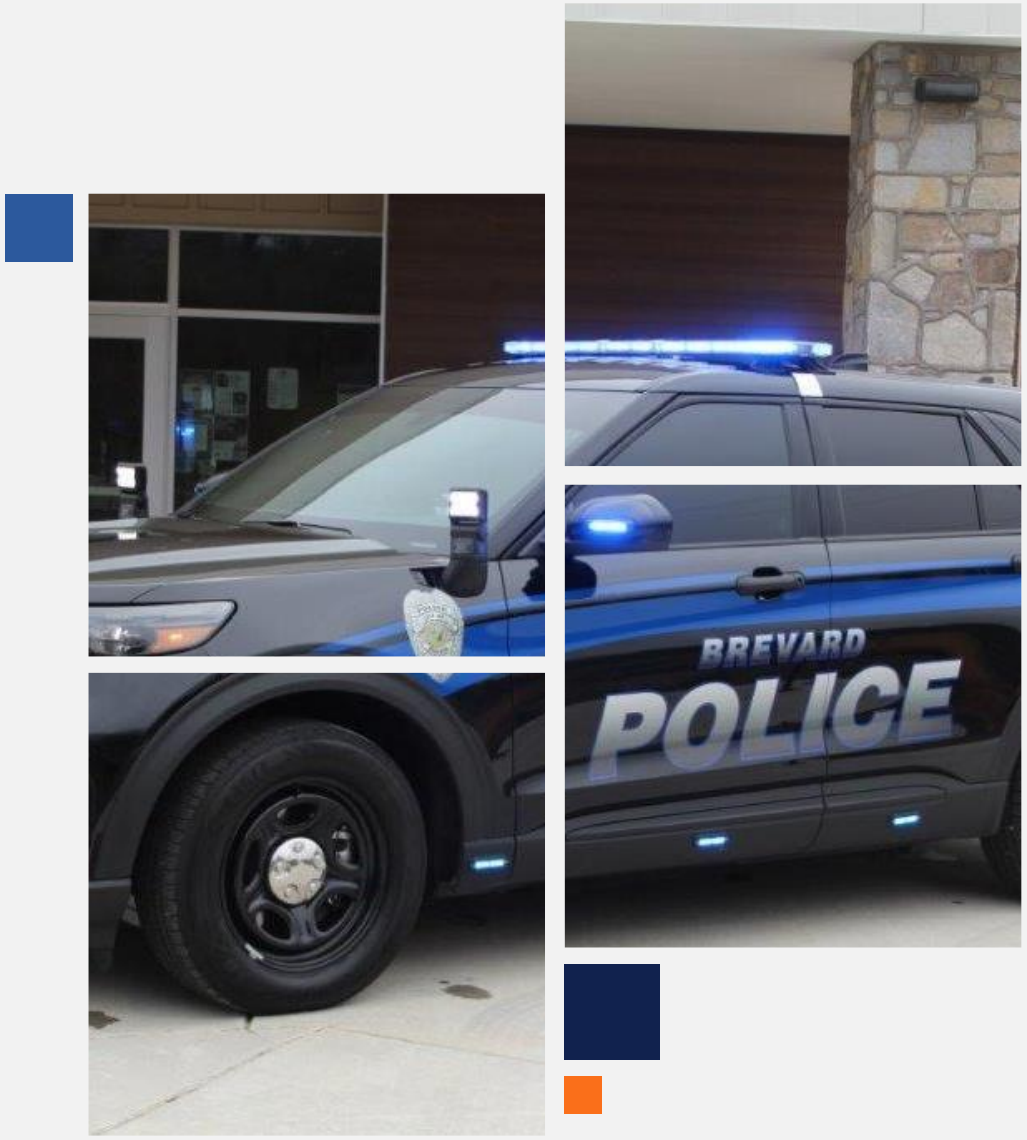
Brevard Police Department

Annual Review 2023

January 22, 2023

Chief C. Thomas Jordan

Introduction



Crime Reporting 2023

Year	Pop.	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Agg. Assault	Violent Crime Total	Burglary	Larceny	MV Theft	Arson	Property Crime	UCR Total	Crime Per 1000 residents
2014	7651	0	1	2	8	11	41	178	7	0	226	237	31
2015	7656	0	2	2	5	9	36	142	7	0	185	194	25
2016	7710	0	4	4	6	14	31	157	4	0	192	206	27
2017	7759	1	2	2	9	14	23	142	9	1	174	189	24
2018	7785	0	10	2	12	24	23	122	6	0	151	175	22
2019	7928	0	4	4	8	16	23	162	3	1	188	205	26
2020	7731	0	6	1	7	14	22	117	7	0	146	160	21
2021	7755	0	1	2	8	11	12	92	6	3	110	124	16
2022	7800	0	4	0	12	16	19	87	4	1	110	127	16
2023	**7818**	**0**	**6**	**0**	**11**	**17**	**25**	**118**	**4**	**0**	**147**	**164**	**21**

Calls for Service 2023

Year	Calls for Service
2020	23210
2121	24135
2022	25330
2023	22148

Arrests 2023

Year	Arrests
2019	572
2020	461
2021	423
2022	437
2023	305

Traffic Enforcement 2023

Year	Verbal Warnings	Written Warnings	Traffic Citations	Total Traffic Enforcement Contacts
2019	339	1373	1591	3303
2020	408	719	786	1913
2021	1198	615	555	2368
2022	1636	393	886	2915
2023	947	57	448	1452

Use of Force 2023

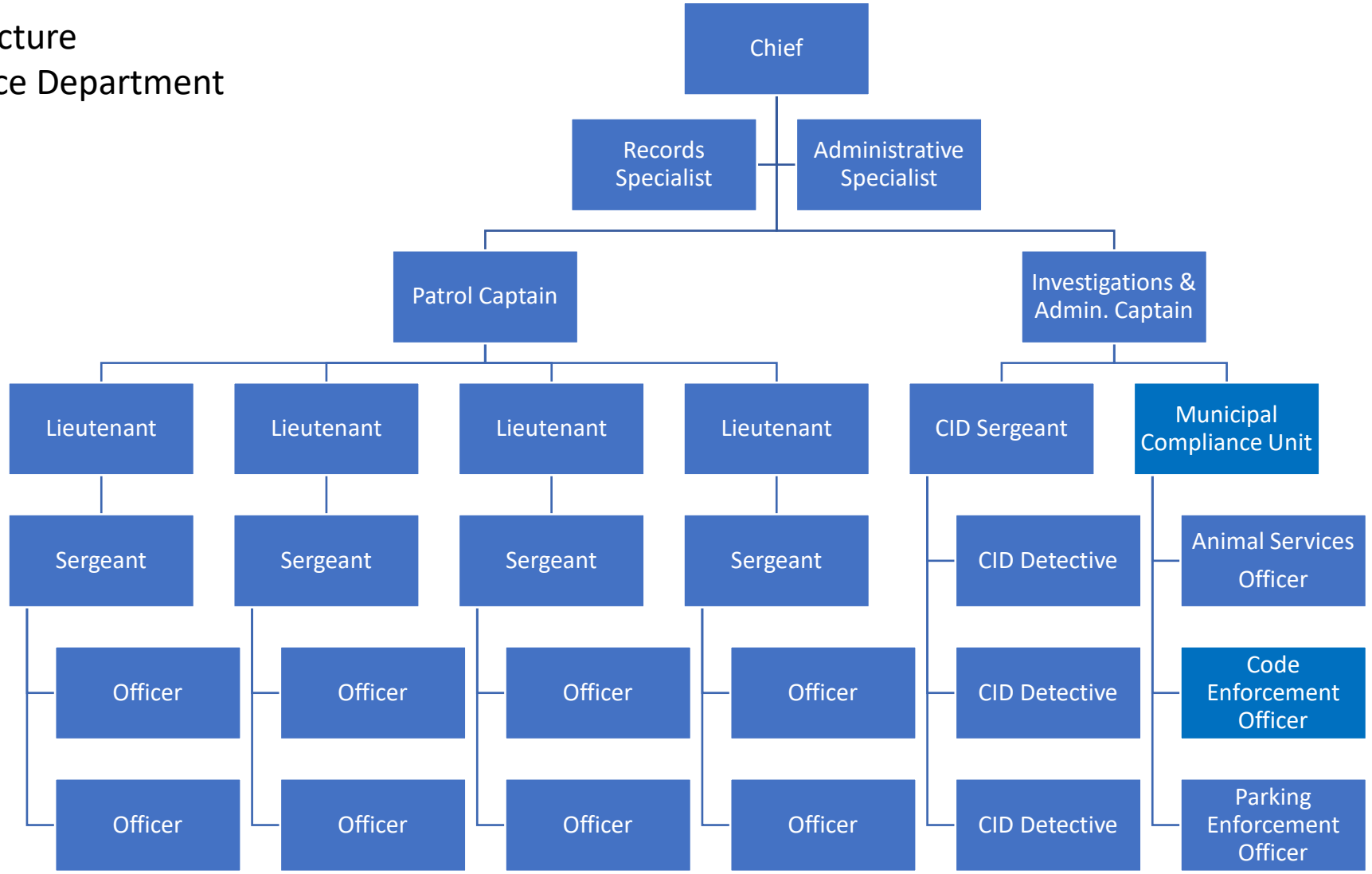
Number of Instances	Racial/Ethnic Background	Gender
15	White	Male
5	White	Female
2	Black	Male
3	Black	Female
0	Hispanic	Male
0	Hispanic	Female

- Out of 22148 Brevard Police interactions, only 25 incidents required the use of force to gain compliance, make an arrest, or subdue an individual. (.001% of all Brevard Police interactions)
- 5 of the 25 incidents involved an officer being assaulted. (20%)
- Disturbance calls represented the highest number of incidents where force was necessary (13 incidents)

Notables

- Operated with six (6) open vacancies for the majority of 2023
- Filled two (2) detective slots at the end of 2023.
- Started the Brevard Police Cadet Program in July 2023 with four (4) cadets being hired.
- Graduated all cadets in December 2023 – set to complete Field Training in April 2024
- All openings were filled at the end of 2023.
- Beginning NC Law Enforcement Accreditation Program in 2024

Current Structure
Brevard Police Department
2024



Summary of 2024 Goals



Increase Transparency and Accountability



Expand Training in De-Escalation, Mental Health Crisis Awareness, & Youth Mental Health Awareness



Expand ABC Compliance Efforts & Create a Safe Social District Environment



Start North Carolina Law Enforcement Accreditation Process

2-Year Plan



Move from current location to new location close to The Depot



Enhance Traffic and Pedestrian Safety in the City with the TC Vision Zero Initiative

Closing

- Thank you for your commitment and support of the Brevard Police Department!
- We look forward to relocating the Brevard Police Department in 2024!




Questions?