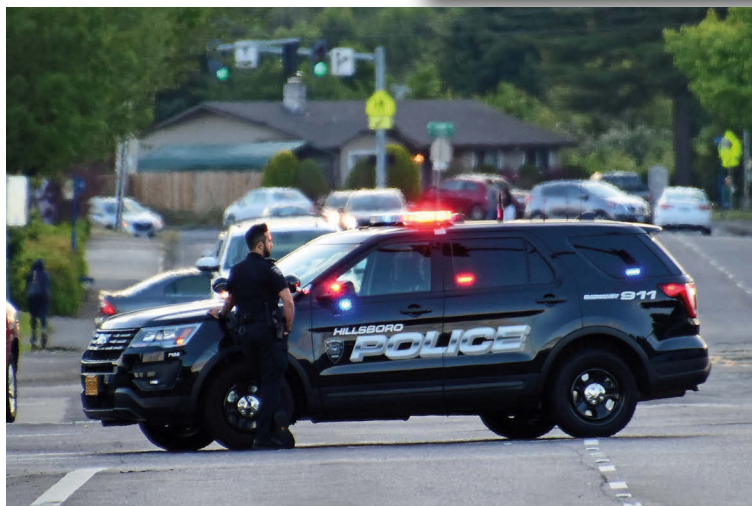




2019

ANNUAL REPORT



2019 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

A snapshot of HPD accomplishments by month



NEW RMS

HPD launched a new records management system (RMS). Our staff and Information Services staff worked long days developing, translating, and testing data for a smooth transition. The new RMS is cloud-based, allowing greater flexibility and customization.

JOINT TRAINING

Our officers trained jointly with Hillsboro Fire & Rescue personnel in techniques to rescue community members and other first responders during critical incidents. All HPD front-line officers and all HF&RD firefighters received this training to increase interoperability between the agencies.

CITIZENS' ACADEMY

A free 12-week program designed as an educational tool to facilitate communication and understanding of the police role in the community while encouraging partnerships between law enforcement and community members. 31 people graduated from the 2019 academy.

JANUARY

FEBRUARY

MARCH

ATM THEFT WITH A TRACTOR

A man drove a stolen tractor over an ATM and stole money. HPD detectives identified him and learned he was the same suspect in two bank robberies in nearby jurisdictions. As they closed in on him, he committed a bank robbery in Bend. They gave him information to investigators in Central Oregon, and Oregon State Police troopers spotted him in southern Oregon. They pursued him into California, where he crashed and was arrested. He pled guilty and received 10 years in federal prison.

DOGS & DONUTS

Hundreds of community members turned out for the inaugural Dogs & Donuts events held in partnership with the Hillsboro Public Library. Attendees enjoyed donuts, coffee, and the opportunity to interact with our K-9 members.





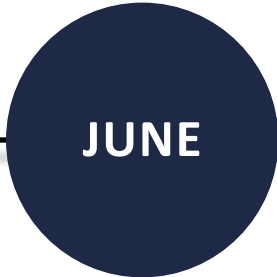
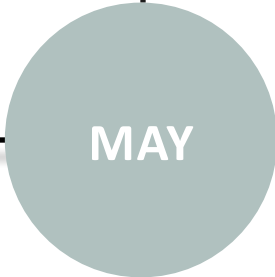
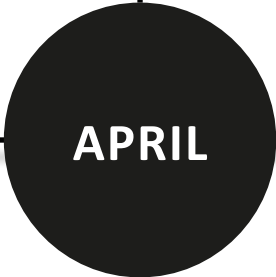
INCREASED DV VICTIM SERVICES

DVRT rolls out its Emergency Services Program, allowing officers and advocates the resources to help victims of domestic violence with essential needs, such as hotel stays, cell phones, and gift cards. Through training and recruitment, the cadre of advocates grew from six to 30 during the year.



VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

The inaugural Diane Cadonau Volunteer of the Year Award was presented to Joel Wilson. A retired HPD commander, Joel donates several hundred hours of his time annually working in evidence and serving as the de facto department photographer. Most of the photos in this report are his work.



SHRED IT

In an effort to reduce identity theft victimization among Hillsboro residents, we hosted a bi-annual drive-up event to safely shred personal confidential documents. In 2019, we served 1,435 vehicles and received \$8,429 in donations for the Hillsboro Schools Foundation Safe & Sober Grad Night parties.



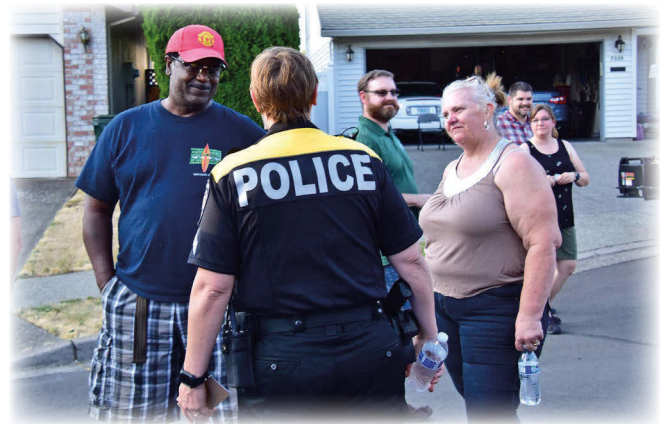
SAFETY TOWN

Through this week-long, half-day safety camp, 5- and 6-year-old kids learn a variety of safety concepts from guest speakers, demonstrations, songs, crafts, and hands-on activities. 48 participants graduated with the help of 28 student leaders and 28 community presenters.



SUMMER CAMPS

Youth services detectives held four summer camps for at-risk youth in partnership with the City of Hillsboro and Hillsboro School District. They reached 64 kids aged 10-14, and the camps are designed to support and encourage successful and enriching experiences for youth with law enforcement.



NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

An effective, inexpensive, and enjoyable program, this event promotes crime prevention awareness and neighborhood spirit while allowing the police department and community members to build relationships. Four HPD party patrols visited 17 neighborhood parties.

JULY

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

SEXUAL ASSAULT CONVICTION

Detectives' hard work on a case in which a man burglarized a stranger's apartment and sexually assaulted her resulted in his conviction by a jury for first-degree attempted rape, first-degree burglary, and three counts of first-degree sexual abuse. He was sentenced to 246 months in prison.

WORD IS BOND

We launched our participation in Word is Bond, an organization whose mission is "to build positive relationships between young Black men and law enforcement." A patrol officer spent six weeks as part of the Rising Leaders program building relationships with a cohort of young Black men through guided dialogue and engagement.

DISTRACTED DRIVING

Traffic officers conducted a grant-funded distracted driver enforcement mission using plainclothes officers holding cardboard signs as spotters. In 2.5 hours, 38 drivers were stopped, of which 32 were on cell phones and 24 were cited. Five other citations were issued, including one suspended driver and one uninsured motorist.





CHIEF DOBROWOLSKI RETIRES

After five years as our Chief of Police and 28 years of law enforcement service, Chief Lee Dobrowolski retired on October 25. Deputy Chief Jim Coleman was appointed interim chief.



SHOP WITH A COP

An annual event giving HPD staff the chance to share the holiday spirit with local kids while shopping for gifts. Through partnerships with the Hillsboro Police Officers Association and Sunset Fred Meyer, we added joy to the holidays for 10 deserving kids and their families, and they join hundreds of others to benefit from this program over the years.



NEW YOUTH SERVICES POSITION

A new youth services position was created in partnership with the Beaverton School District to provide support for the Health & Sciences School and Beaverton Community Transitions Program, both of which are located in the City of Hillsboro.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS

We took part in several events throughout the month, including a candlelight vigil, Clothesline Project, National Coffee with a Cop, and a DV offender sweep.



MOBILE COMMAND CENTER

After receiving it in late November, the MCC deployed for the first time to a homicide scene at Quatama MAX station. The MCC houses state-of-the-art communications equipment and enhances our ability to provide services to the community. This was a collaborative effort between HPD, the City's Fleet Division, Information Services, and the Finance Department.

2019 BY THE NUMBERS

RECORDS STATS

31,115 phone calls
11,597 reports processed
5,815 officer assists
4,156 public records requests
3,678 citizen contacts at counter
1,396 background checks

DVRT PROGRAM

700 DV-related calls
202 victims served
168 additional victims served at
the Family Justice Center
of Washington County

VOLUNTEERS

22,465 total hours
149 volunteers
88 new volunteers

- domestic violence advocates
- conflict resolution/mediators
- reserve officers
- cadets
- administrative support
- community outreach

74,738 CALLS FOR SERVICE | 11,793 REPORTS TAKEN

PROPERTY & EVIDENCE

68,000 evidence managed
9,633 total evidence intake
2,912 total items destroyed
1,565 intake of BWC evidence
1,364 intake of Axon capture evidence
1,020 total pounds of drugs destroyed
1,000 body-worn camera case files created
822 total items returned to owner
600 intake of drug evidence
164 intake of firearms evidence
123 total firearms destroyed

INVESTIGATIONS

1,340 cases investigated/assisted
1,076 crimes against persons
156 other crimes
108 property crimes

K-9 STATS

PATROL

85 suspect captures

DRUG-RELATED

160 grams meth
68 grams heroin
22 arrests

CODE COMPLIANCE



94% reduction in city-wide graffiti since 2013

76 graffiti cases

23 gang-related graffiti cases



STAFF OF THE YEAR AWARDS

Ofc. David Bonn was awarded Officer of the Year. Project Coordinator Cindy Naylor was awarded Professional Staff of the Year. Both won by a peer vote for their outstanding work serving Hillsboro's community members.

HONOR GUARD ACTIVITIES

Presented the colors:

- State of the City address
- Citizens' Academy
- Hillsboro Hops games

Memorial services for line-of-duty deaths:

- Cowlitz County SO Deputy Justin DeRosier
- Lynden, WA PD Chief Michael Knapp
- Pierce County, WA SO Dep. Cooper Dyson

Other services:

- Memorial for Technician 5th Grade Robert Maxwell, WWII Medal of Honor recipient
- Oregon Law Enforcement Memorial Ceremony



CASES INVESTIGATED BY DETECTIVES

205 Crimes against children referred to DA or cleared by arrest

98 Assists to outside police agencies

75 Average number of cases worked or cleared by detectives or sergeants

13 Cases with search warrants served



K-9 HIGHLIGHTS

- K-9 Blazer won Top Dog at the 2019 Washington County K-9 Trials
- K-9 Jessie joined the unit as the first female dog in department history

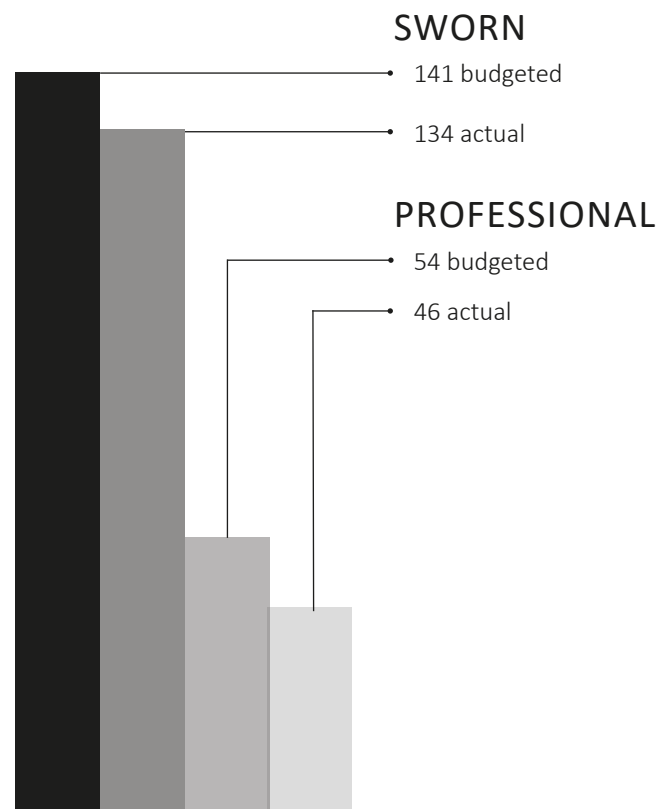
CARRYING ON OUR LEGACY

Commander Stacy Jepson moved on in March after 22 years of service to HPD to become the Eugene Police Department's Deputy Chief

Commander John Schmerber retired in May after 30 years of service to HPD to become the Gladstone Police Department's Chief of Police

Lieutenant Henry Reimann retired in November after 31 years of service to HPD and was later appointed as the Forest Grove Police Department's interim Chief of Police

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