

2019

ANNUAL REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY

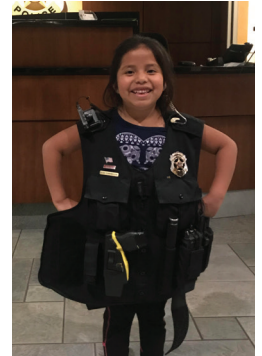


Our mission at Fort Collins Police Services is to be the safest city in the country. This may sound like a lofty, even impossible goal, but I believe that we can achieve it in partnership with our community. In order to accomplish that, we have to continually build and maintain strong connections and trust with the people we serve.

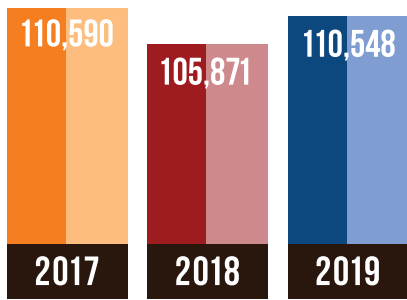
As a police department that works for you and with you, we constantly evaluate how we're policing and how we share important information. Transparency is a necessary part of building trust and creating strong connections within our community. We're not afraid to have difficult conversations about complex issues. Without our community, we fail. We genuinely want to hear your ideas and concerns—diverse perspectives and thoughtful collaboration will make Fort Collins stronger and safer for all. If you want to connect, we encourage you to engage with us on social media, come to a Coffee with a Cop event, request an officer to attend your neighborhood meeting, or even just send an email to start the conversation.

We want you to trust that Fort Collins officers will treat you with compassion and respect regardless of your identity or situation. We have high ambitions for 2020 and beyond, and I look forward to working with you to create a safe, inclusive, vibrant community for everyone. Please call if you need help. We're here to protect, serve, support, and grow with you, Fort Collins.

—Jeff Swoboda, Chief of Police



TOTAL INCIDENTS OFFICER-INITIATED + CALLS FOR SERVICE



TOP CALLS FOR SERVICE

1. Traffic Complaints
2. Suspicious Circumstances
3. Welfare Checks
4. Disturbances
5. Non-Injury Crashes



PRIORITY 1 CALLS AVERAGE RESPONSE TIME

Year	Priority 1 Calls	Response
2019	207	0:05:09
2018	254	0:05:40
2017	267	0:05:56

Every second counts in a life-or-death situation. When people call 911 for an emergency, they expect help to arrive as quickly as possible. Priority 1 calls are just that - serious crimes in progress and imminent threats to life and safety. In 2019, the average response time to Priority 1 calls was 5 minutes, 9 seconds (21 seconds faster than the target time of 5m30sec) from the time the call was created to the moment help arrived at their doorstep.

224 SWORN OFFICERS
117 CIVILIAN STAFF

22 OFFICERS HIRED
12 CIVILIANS HIRED

31,500 TRAINING HOURS
2,086 VICTIM SERVICES

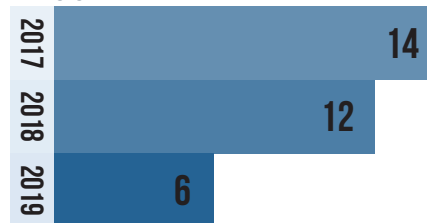
65,742 REPORTS PROCESSED
273 PATIO PATROL SIGN UPS

UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING PART I CRIMES

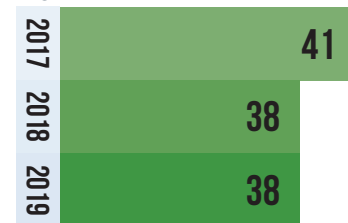
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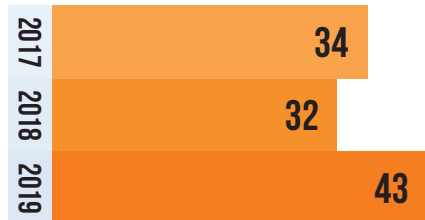
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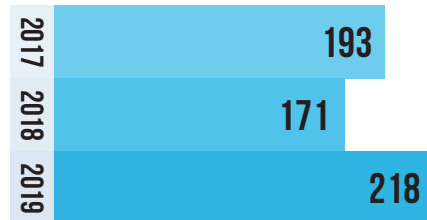
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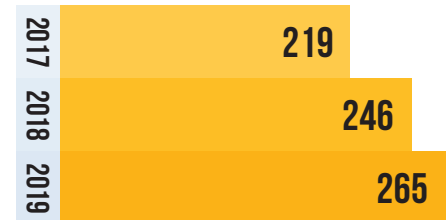
RAPE



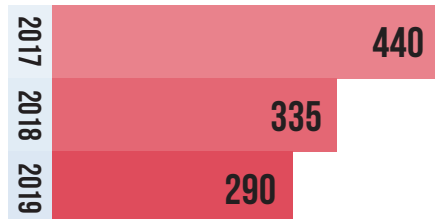
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT



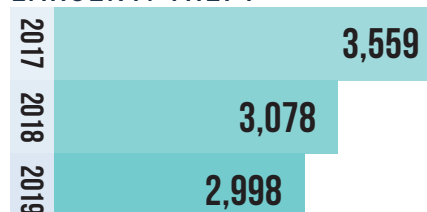
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT



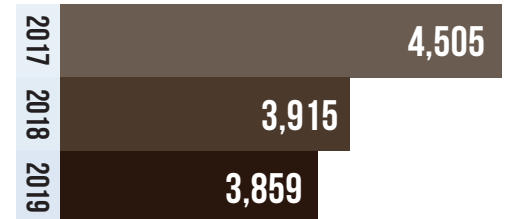
BURGLARY



LARCENY/THEFT



TOTAL PART I CRIMES



CRIME REDUCTION

Crime reduction is one of four agency goals at Fort Collins Police Services. Every employee is expected to contribute to this, from analyzing data to community education to focusing enforcement efforts on problem areas. While population growth has continued to trend upward in Fort Collins, several areas of criminal activity have actually decreased. FCPS will continue to partner with residents, business owners, and other City service areas to identify and address crime trends through data-driven and sustainable problem solving.

THEFT & BURGLARY
These have consistently declined over the last 3 years

2020 FOCUS
Reduce sexual assault through intervention and education

COMPASSION & PROFESSIONALISM
We work to serve all people with respect and dignity

TRAFFIC SAFETY

Traffic safety is a priority and a shared responsibility between police and community members. To report chronic traffic concerns, call 970-221-6842.

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

Traffic Stops: 13,072
Citations Issued: 10,946
Motor Vehicle Accidents: 3,603

TOP 3 TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS

1. Speeding/5-9mph Over Posted Limit
2. Careless Driving
3. Expired License Plates



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



At Fort Collins Police Services, connecting with our residents isn't just an afterthought. **Engagement is in our DNA.** We want to hear from you, so we host social opportunities like **Coffee with a Cop** and **Pizza with Police** where people can share ideas and concerns. We're active on **social media** platforms to deliver news, information, and behind-the-scenes stories. Officers also attend **neighborhood meetings** and give **safety talks** for businesses and community groups. To learn more about ways to connect or request an officer for an event, follow us on social media or visit our website.

561 FACEBOOK POSTS

66 PRESS RELEASES

13 CHIEF CHAT PODCASTS

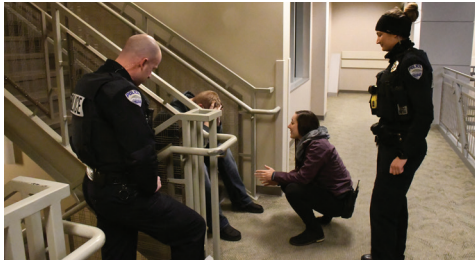
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PERSONAL WELLNESS

You can't take care of others if you don't take care of yourself. Our employees invest in their physical and mental health to provide the best service possible. Personal wellness also means creating a positive environment and paths to leadership so we can develop strong teams. With incentivized fitness programs, a full-time staff psychologist, an active Peer Support Team, and internal personal and professional development training, we're committed to being our best so we can serve you 24/7.

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MENTAL HEALTH CO-RESPONSE

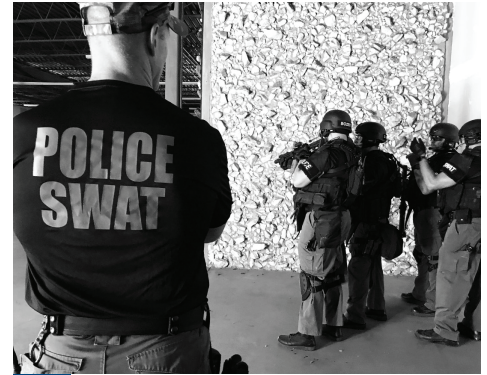


631 CONTACTS WITH PEOPLE EXPERIENCING A CRISIS

HOURS SPENT HELPING FORT COLLINS RESIDENTS **293**

The FCPS Co-Response Program helps address behavioral health challenges in our community, assists families in connecting with local care, and reduces repeat visits to the emergency room or jail. Learn more online at: fcgov.com/police/mental-health

SWAT TEAM



- 71** Small Team Deployments
- 44** High Risk Warrants Served
- 29** Community Service Talks
- 16** Full Team Deployments
- 15** Barricade Incidents
- 10** Search Warrant Assists
- 11** Patrol Assists
- 6** Special Events
- 1** Dignitary Protection

UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS PROGRAM

Unmanned aircrafts, or drones, are useful tools for improving public safety and efficiency during police, fire, and search and rescue situations. Our agency's program launched in July 2017 and has been successfully used to serve our local community in a variety of area operations.

MISSIONS	UNITS SUPPORTED
22 Mapping	16 Traffic
11 Special Events	16 Other
8 Search/Rescue	13 Patrol
8 Patrol Incidents	6 Forensics
7 Tactical Visuals	6 SWAT
1 Fire	

K9 PROGRAM



1,008 DEPLOYMENTS	45.9 LBS DRUG SEIZURES	293 ARRESTS
516 NARCOTIC SEARCHES	381 NARCOTIC FINDS	\$9,660 CURRENCY SEIZURES
137 EXPLOSIVE SEARCHES	11 FIREARM SEIZURES	36 PUBLIC DEMOS

COMMUNITY + EMPLOYEE AWARDS + ACHIEVEMENTS

MERITORIOUS SERVICE CITATION

Tony Espinoza • Mark Pestal/AeroAngel
Jim Fanning • Second Assistant District
Attorney Emily Humphrey

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE COMMENDATION

Jason Scrivner • Brooke Erickson • Zachary Bullinger • Stephen Demacopoulos • Marilyn Schimanski • Margaret Hill • Katie Abeyta

COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE

Ofc. Jim Lenderts • Ofc. Nick Rogers
Ofc. Kyle Duncan • Dolores Garza
Sgt. Jason Curtis • Ofc. Jaclyn Shaklee

Det. Siobhan Seymour • Det. Neal Hisam
FBI Special Agent Philip Jones
Ofc. Marty Shaw • Carol Workman
Mark Leinweber • Jeff Willard • Mary Alice Zamora • Anthony Sparks

POLICE CHIEF'S UNIT COMMENDATION

SRO Unit • SWAT Team
Neighborhood Engagement Team

MEDAL OF MERIT

Ofc. Kevin Alexander • Ofc. Andy Ferraro
Ofc. Ryan Barash • Ofc. Ryan Barash
Ofc. Scott Brittingham • Megan Biberos

Ofc. Will Biberos • Cpl. Randy Klamser
Ofc. Dollie Knab • Ofc. Matt Taibi • Cpl. Andy Leslie • Ofc. Dexter Rowe • Ofc. RJ Tuttle

MEDAL OF VALOR

Ofc. Keith Hunter

OF THE YEAR AWARDS

Robert Hippler (Volunteer)
Ofc. Brady Staggers (Rookie)
Dolores Garza (Civilian) • Ofc. Kyle Duncan (Officer) • Det. Neal Hisam (Detective)
Lisa Robles (Civilian Supervisor)
Sgt. Joel Tower (Sworn Supervisor)



FCPS achieved accreditation through the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). FC911 also achieved accreditation for the fourth time through the International Academies of Emergency Dispatch.