





### Rocklin Police Department

## Message from the Chief



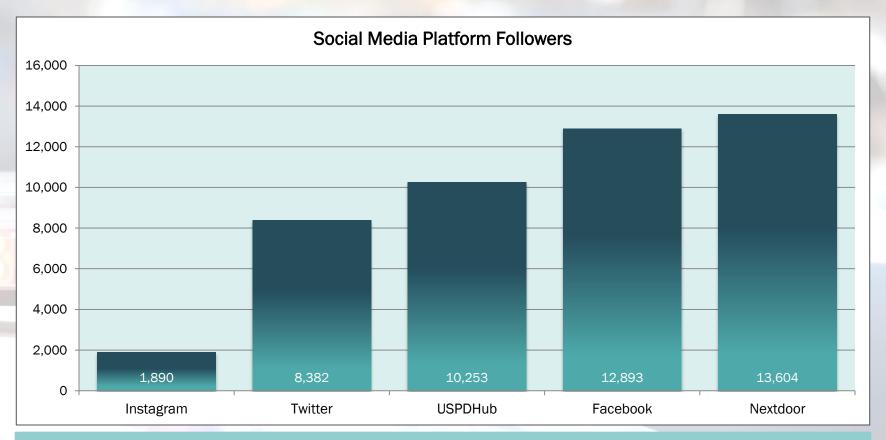
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On behalf of the men and women of the Rocklin Police Department, I am pleased to present to you this 2017 Annual Report. I am honored to lead your Police Department and look forward to the next year of continued successes of the Rocklin Police Department and our community. I am very proud of our department's staff and volunteers who support the Department's Mission; to serve, protect and promote a safe community. Our members continue to provide excellent service with skill, compassion and empathy. Residents and visitors to our city deserve to be very proud of this police department and the staff who continue to work together with our community to maintain Rocklin as a premiere, safe, destination city.

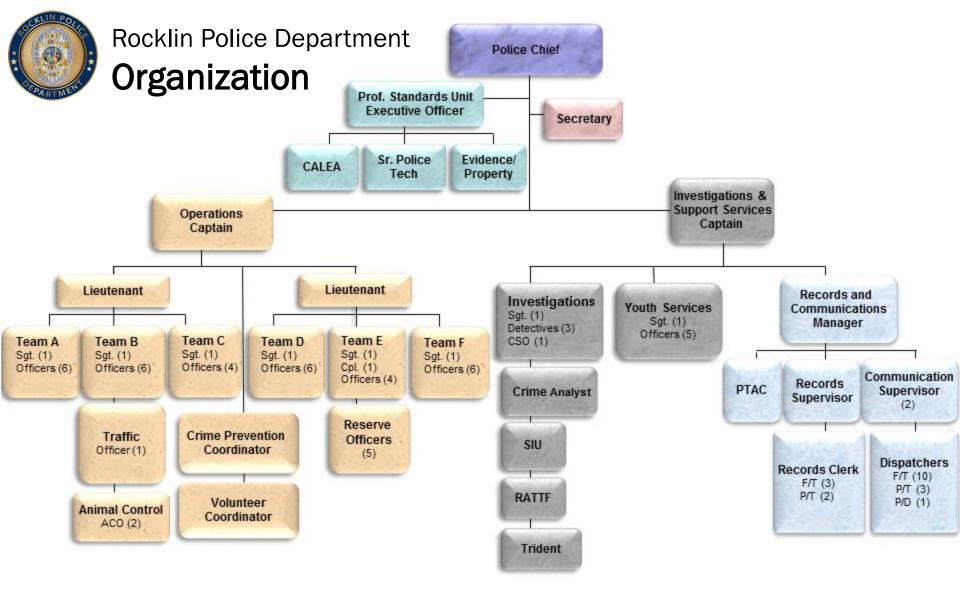
This year's annual report documents an overall decrease in crime compared with the past two years and only a slight increase over 2013 and 2014, adjusted for an increase in population. Although 2017 represents a reduction in overall crime, some areas experienced a slight increase. Robbery saw a 93% increase over 2016, but this only represents an increase of 13 additional robberies from the previous year's 14. Part of this increase can be attributed to a robbery series we experienced where seven (7) locations were robbed by a single individual. Our Investigations Unit worked hard to solve this series and ultimately brought the suspect to justice. There was a slight increase in burglaries, up 10 crimes over the previous year and a 10% drop in larceny crimes. Larceny is defined as the "unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another" to include shoplifting and theft from an unlocked vehicle amongst others. In addition, theft of motor vehicle increased by 17% from 96 to 112. This increase appears to be on par with the rest of the region and state. Despite the slight increases in some categories, the City of Rocklin continues to be one of the safest cities in our region and our state. This distinction is possible because of the hard work of our police personnel, our public safety volunteers, other city departments and the involvement of our residents and business community who collaboratively work with us to keep our community safe.

The content of this report is prepared to highlight your police department's statistical data from the previous year. More important than the actual data is recognizing the outstanding relationships we continue to nurture with our community. I want to thank each and every one in our community who assists us in keeping our city safe; we couldn't do it without your support. The support enjoyed by the members of the Rocklin Police Department does not go unnoticed by those who serve.

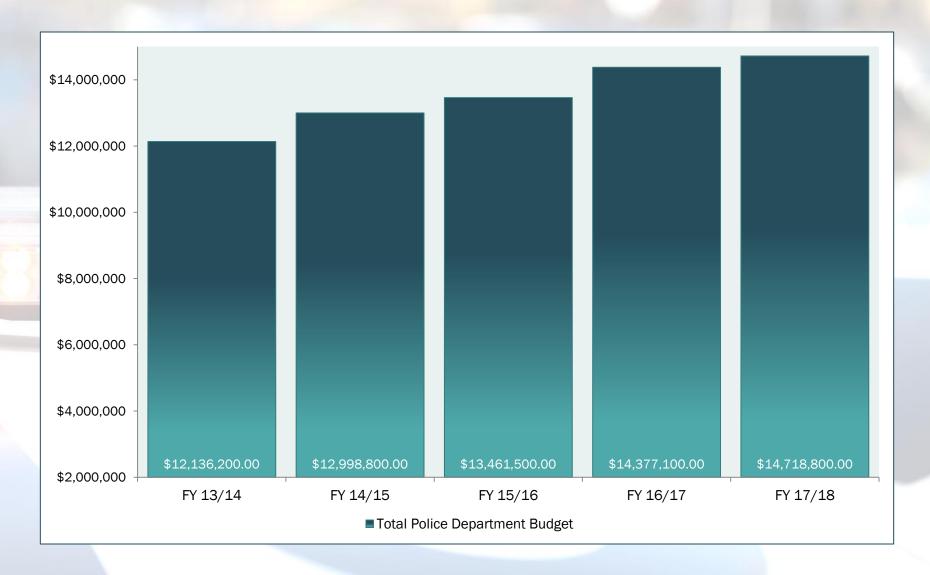
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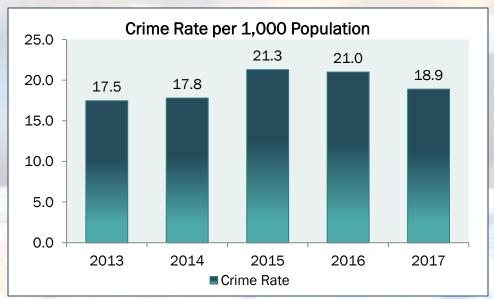
The purpose of Rocklin PD's community outreach through social media is to communicate with our community to prevent and solve crimes, strengthen police-community relationships and to enhance services. We use social media to engage with our community, to release important information and to share our every day interactions. Our current following for all social media platforms is approximately 47,000 followers and growing each day.

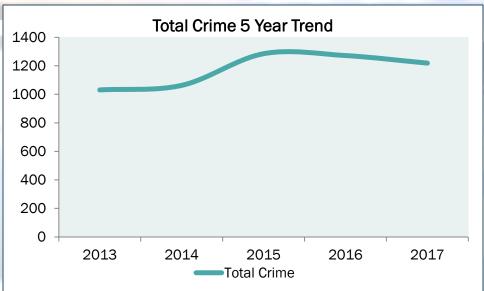


Team A—Weekday Dayshift
Team B—Weekday Swing
Team C—Weekday Graveyard
Team D—Weekend Dayshift
Team E—Weekend Swing
Team F—Weekend Graveyard



# Statistics Part 1 Crime Rate



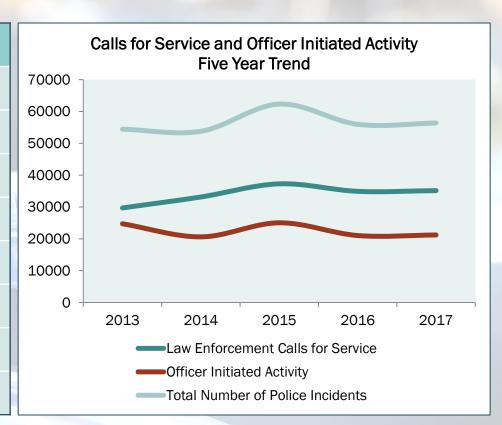


Rocklin's violent crime increased 11% and property crime decreased 5%.

CRIME	2016	2017	% Change
Homicide	1	0	-100%
Rape	18	17	-6%
Robbery	14	27	93%
Aggravated Assault	24	19	-21%
Burglary	203	213	5%
Larceny	911	820	-10%
Vehicle Theft	96	112	17%
Arson	5	11	120%

Theft from vehicle (vehicle burglary) accounted for 54% of all larceny for the year. Shoplifting accounted for another 17% of the larceny total.

DISPATCH / PATROL ACTIVITY	2016	2017
Business Phone Calls Processed	75,850	72,202
911 Phone Calls Processed	15,322	18,638
Law Enforcement Calls for Service	34,919	35,151
Officer Initiated Activity	21,043	21,221
Total Number of Police Incidents	55,962	56,372
Fire Calls for Service	1,613	1,636
Medical Calls for Service	3,706	3,968
Animal Control Calls for Service	3,178	2,743



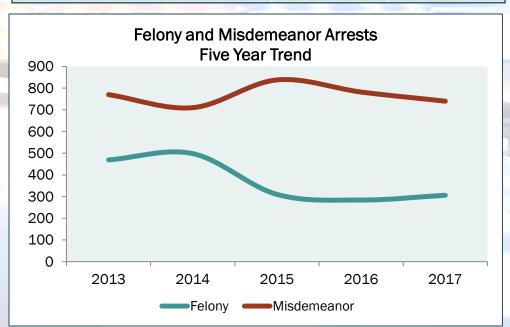
Law enforcement calls for service increased 1%, officer initiated activity increased 1% and total police incidents increased 1%.

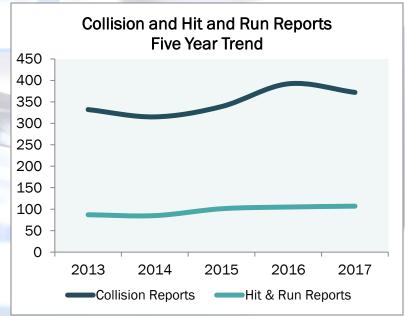


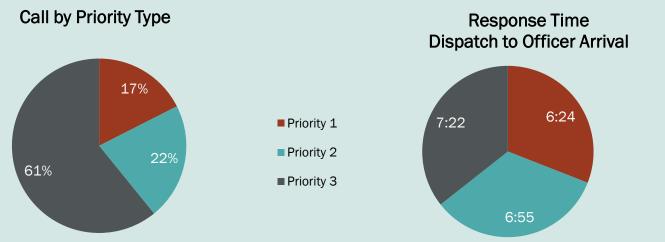
PATROL ACTIVITY	2016	2017
Felony Arrests	284	306
Misdemeanor Arrests	782	740
Citations Written	3,324	2,704
Case Files Initiated	4,728	4,447

TRAFFIC COLLISIONS	2016	2017
Collision Reports	392	372
Hit & Run Reports	105	107

Overall, injury and non-injury collisions decreased by 5%. Hit and run collisions increased by 2%.



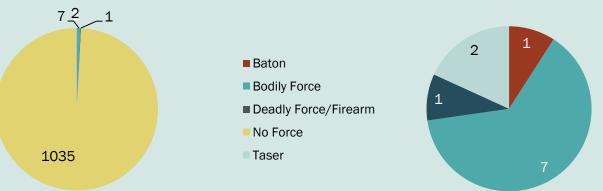




- Priority 1 Emergency situations requiring immediate police response
- Priority 2 Incidents where the situation may escalate into an emergency
- Priority 3 Non-emergency and report incidents that do not require an emergency response

#### Response to Resistance

#### Response to Resistance Type



Officers used a Response to Resistance (Use of Force) when making an arrest only 11 times during 2017, which is approximately 1% of the total 1046 arrests made. Of the times Response to Resistance was used, baton (1), bodily force (7), deadly force/firearm (1), Taser (2), K9 (0), and pepper spray (0).



#### **Professional Standards**

## **Complaints and Commendations**



#### PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

The Professional Standards Unit (PSU) is responsible for protecting the integrity and reputation of the police department. The PSU's duties range from managing the agency's accreditation process, to overseeing the complaint and commendation process of police personnel.

The Rocklin Police Department has been a nationally accredited agency for the past ten years. Accreditation is awarded by the Commission on Accreditation of Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). Rocklin PD participates in this voluntary process to pursue excellence, and to ensure the highest law enforcement standards are maintained.

ACTIVITY	2017
Internal Commendations	4
External commendations	17
External Recognition Awards	3
Formal Citizen Complaints	3
Informal Citizen Complaints	0
Internal Investigations	6

DISPOSITION	2017
Unfounded	2
Exonerated	0
Not Sustained	0
Sustained	0
Pending*	4
Policy Inquiries	2

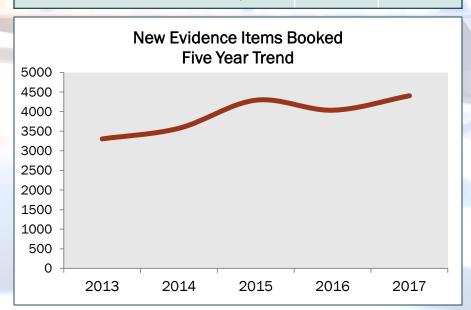
<sup>\*</sup> Investigations that have not reached final disposition

There are 509 local law enforcement agencies in California. Rocklin is one of only 21 accredited agencies in California and among only 5% in the nation.

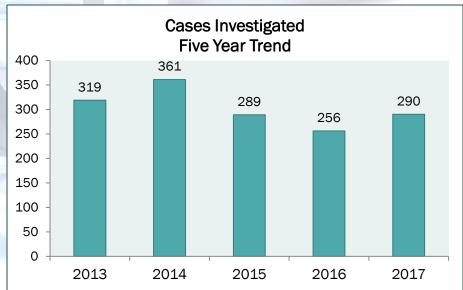
<sup>\*\*</sup> Dispositions may include pending previous year(s) complaints



CRIME LAB / PROPERTY	2016	2017
Crime Lab Cases Submitted	186	176
Evidence Items Processed by Lab	722	509
Latent Prints Analyzed	89	57
Latent Print Matches in AFIS	37	21
New Evidence Items Booked	4,036	4,405
Evidence Items Disposed	4,696	3,670



INVESTIGATIONS UNIT ACTIVITY	2016	2017
Cases Investigated	256	290
Special Victim (MDIC) Interviews	19	17
Sexual Assault Exams	4	8



SIERRA COLLEGE	2016	2017
Calls for Service	612	373
Officer Initiated Activity on Campus	1,081	1,171
Officer Initiated Activity off Campus	108	112
Total Police Activity	1,801	1,656
Arrests	3	2
Traffic Collisions	18	16
Moving Citations	4	2
Parking Citations	976	678

ROCKLIN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT	2016	2017
Calls for Service	968	837
Officer Initiated Activity	1,118	1,262
Total Police Activity	2,086	2,099
Moving Citations	5	28
Arrests	20	24
Parking Citations	75	71
Truancy Citations	1	9

YOUTH SERVICE PROGRAMS	2016	2017
Police Service Aids	9	12
Student Volunteers	3	2

JUVENILE DIVERSION	2016	2017
Diversion Cases Opened	7	2
Successful Completion	7	2

Officer initiated activity off campus encompasses the area immediately surrounding the college campus and is generally campus or student related.

72% of officer initiated activity at RUSD school sites is generated by school and security checks, performed by officers and volunteers, before, during, and after school hours.

RECORDS UNIT ACTIVITY	2016	2017
Case Files / Supplements / Citations Processed	10,207	9,475
Public Records Act Requests	898	782
Documents Released	5,140	4,627
Subpoenas Processed	1,009	887
Registrants	169	140

On average, the Records unit processes 36 documents and releases 18 documents a day.

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY	2016	2017
Volunteer Personnel	100	95
Volunteer Service Hours	10,566	9,290
Value of Service Hours	\$291,516	\$264,393*
Vacation Checks Performed	1,136	876
School Checks Performed	353	321

<sup>\*</sup> According to Independent Sector, which valued volunteer labor at \$28.46 per hour in California (2016).

CRIME PREVENTION / COMMUNITY PROGRAMS	2016	2017
Buckle-Up Baby Installations	76	85
Child Safety Presentations	62	25
Children Fingerprinted by Child ID	238	272
Drug Take Back	1,283 lbs	1,625 lbs
Home Security Inspections	4	29
Neighborhood Watch Groups	261	281
Senior Services Presentations	4	2



#### Rocklin Police Department

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#### **Important Phone Numbers**

Emergency: 911

Non-Emergency Dispatch: (916) 625-5400









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