



City of Alexandria

State of Public Safety Tarrick McGuire, Chief of Police

City Council Legislative Meeting

April 8, 2025



Agenda



- 1. 2024 Public Safety Performance Review and Outcomes**
- 2. Outcomes of First 100 Days and Priorities**
- 3. 2025 Q1 Performance**
- 4. Development of Five-Year Public Safety Plan**



Summary: Public safety update

- Highlight changes in crime rates, trends in violent and property crimes, and current crime prevention strategies.
- Outline the specific actions taken by the police department, such as targeted initiatives and community outreach programs.
- Discuss the ongoing work and strategies being developed for a comprehensive 5-year plan aimed at reducing crime, improving community engagement, and ensuring long-term safety.





Calls for Service



2019 - 80,928

2020 - 60,879

2021 - 66,438

2022 - 65,059

2023 - 70,836

2024 - 72,067



Public Safety Overview

2023 - 2024 Year End Snapshot
January - December Comparison



Total Crime
Offenses
YOY
2023 - 2024

↑ 2%

**Crime numbers are being reconciled. Final numbers will be available upon reporting to the FBI.*



Technology

Public Safety Cameras/LPR

Results

- Advanced numerous investigations
- 200 criminal arrests
- 108 stolen vehicles
- 6 illegal firearms
- 11 missing people





Technology

2025 Violent Offender Apprehended

March 31, 2025

- Officer received an LPR alert of a stolen vehicle
- Officer made a felony traffic stop
- The driver of the stolen vehicle was a wanted suspect in attempted murder in MD
- He was concealing a 9mm handgun at the time of arrest





Roadway Safety





Community Engagement



125

Community
Engagement
Events

Community Cookouts
Annually

12

140

Contacts with Business &
Property Owners

APD Led Community &
Youth Programs

8



APD Youth Basketball League
Citizen's Police Academy
National Night Out
Senior Law Day
Safe Stays:Hotel/Motel Safety Program
Shop with a Cop



Learning & Leading: 2024 Trainings



23
ORGANIZATION
LEADERS
TRAINED

- FBI National Academy
- IACP Women's Leadership Institute
- West Point Way Public Safety Leadership
- Professional Executive Leadership School (PELS)



445
TRAINING
HOURS
APD
HOSTED/ATTENDED

- Active Violence Federal Law Enforcement School
- High Risk Traffic Stop
- Less Lethal Launcher School
- New Police Officer Training



Outcomes: First 100 Days

Priorities

- Community listening sessions
- Organizational evaluation
- Documented feedback
- Established regional partners
- Established department-led initiatives
- Implemented policy updates
- Reported outcomes



60-Day Public Safety Plan

- Data Driven Review
- Identification of micro-geographical areas
- Prevention, Intervention, Enforcement
- Offender Focus





First Quarter Snapshot

First Quarter Comparison 2024 - 2025

January 1 - March 31



-43.6%

Violent Offenses

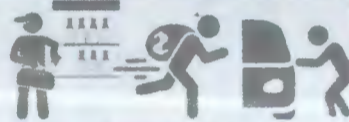


Homicide, Rape,
Robbery, Aggravated Assault



-23.6%

Property Offenses



Larceny, Burglary, Vehicle Theft



-36.5%

Nuisance Offenses



Vandalism, Drug/Narcotic,
Prostitution, Gambling, Disorderly, DUI,
Drunkenness, Liquor Law

Total Crime
Offenses
YOY
First Quarter
2025



-25.3%

Jan - March 31, 2025



Building Five-Year Public Safety

- Partnership with George Mason University
- Evidence-Based Policing
- Collaboration and Coproduction
- Strategic Analysis and Evaluation





Thank you.

Questions and Comments

