

**Gainesville Police Department
3rd Quarter Report
April 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024**



Agenda Item:
2024-578A

2024 GPD's Mission

- Violent Crime
- Traffic Safety
- Homeless Outreach Efforts
- Recruiting Police Officers



GPD Crime Statistics

April 1 – June 30, 2024

Gainesville Police Department							
Quarterly Statistics April 1, 2024 - June 30, 2024							
	2022	2023	2024	3 Year Average	% Change 2023-2024		
Violent Crimes							
Homicide	3	2	2	2.33	0.00		
Rape	49	35	39	42.33	11.43		
Robbery	39	30	52	34.67	73.33		
Aggravated Assault	155	180	181	171.67	0.56		
<i>Total</i>	246	247	274	251.00	10.93		
Property Crimes							
Burglary	89	146	104	113.33	-28.77		
Larceny	794	1017	841	883.00	-17.31		
Auto Theft	158	143	86	137.00	-39.86		
<i>Total</i>	1041	1306	1031	1133.33	-21.06		
Grand Total	1287	1553	1305	1384.33	-15.97		
Burglary to Conveyance	179	288	157	222.67	-45.49		
Motorcycle Thefts	17	7	6	11.67	-14.29		
Retail Theft	195	271	288	214.33	6.27		

*Please remember, NIBRS counts the number of Incidents, not the number of victims.



Violent Crime



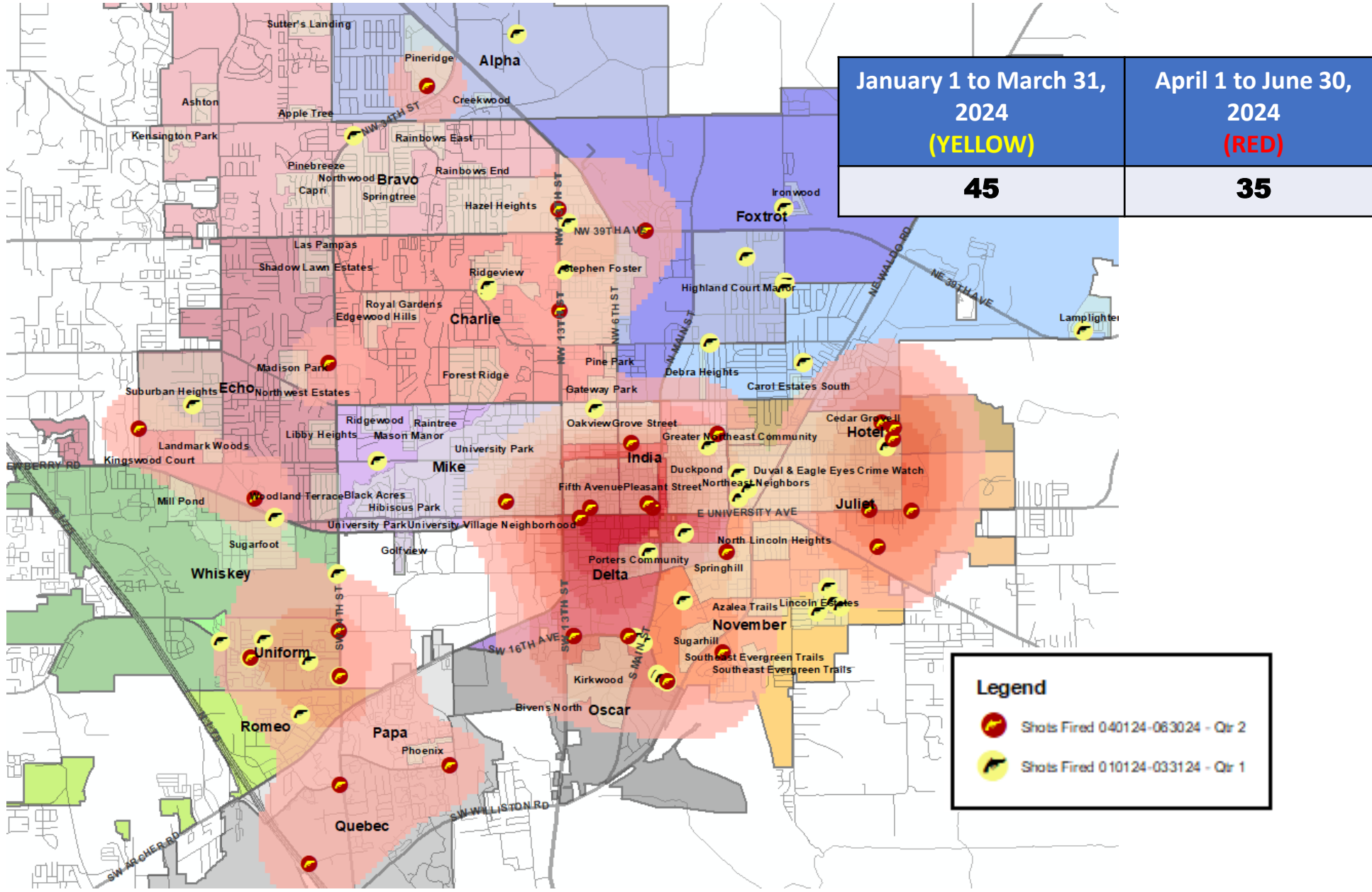
GPD Gun Related Statistics

Crime	January 1 – March 31, 2024	April 1 – June 30, 2024	% Change from last quarter
Stolen Firearms**	21 (11 Conveyance Burglary)	32 (16 Conveyance Burglary)	52.38%
Firearms Seized/Recovered by LEO**	85	90	5.88%
Number of Shots Fired	45	35	-22.22%
Number of Persons Shot or Injured by Gunfire	13 (3 accidental)	16 (3 accidental)	23.08%
Homicide Victims**	6 (5 Gun Related)	2 (2 Gun Related)	-66.67%
Suicide (From ME)	5	7	40.00%

** Numbers can change due to updates in RMS. Numbers current as of 7/9/24.

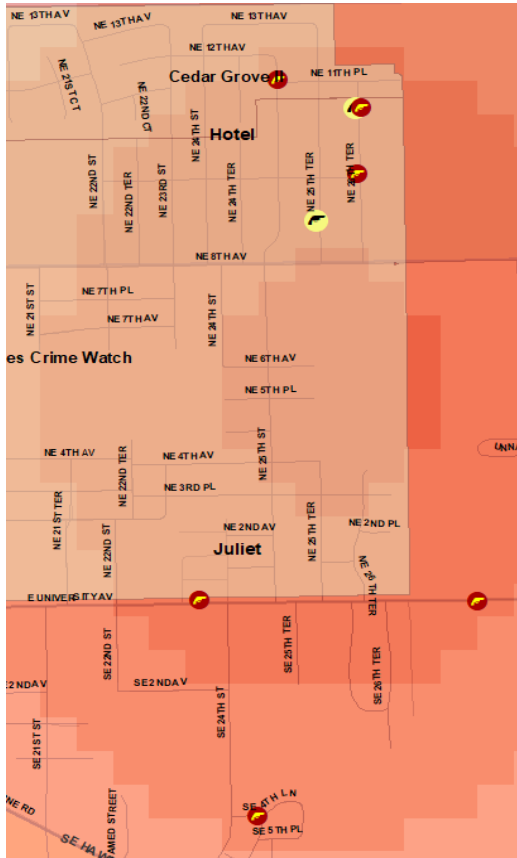


Shots Fired Calls (Quarterly)

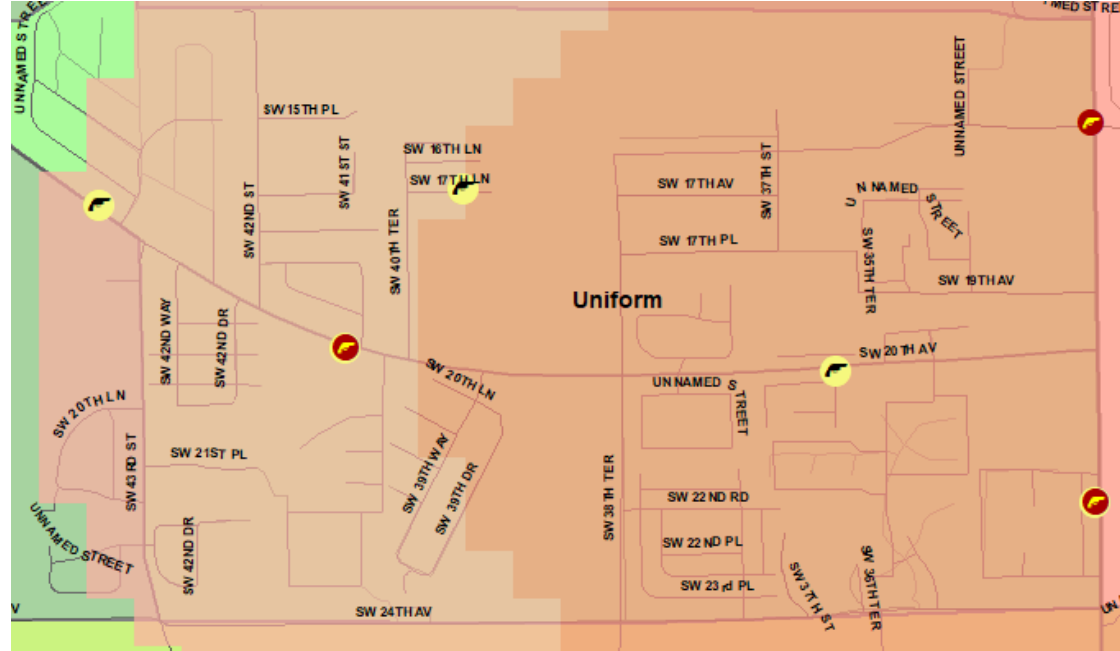


Neighborhoods Where Confirmed Shots Fired Calls Occur – Quarterly

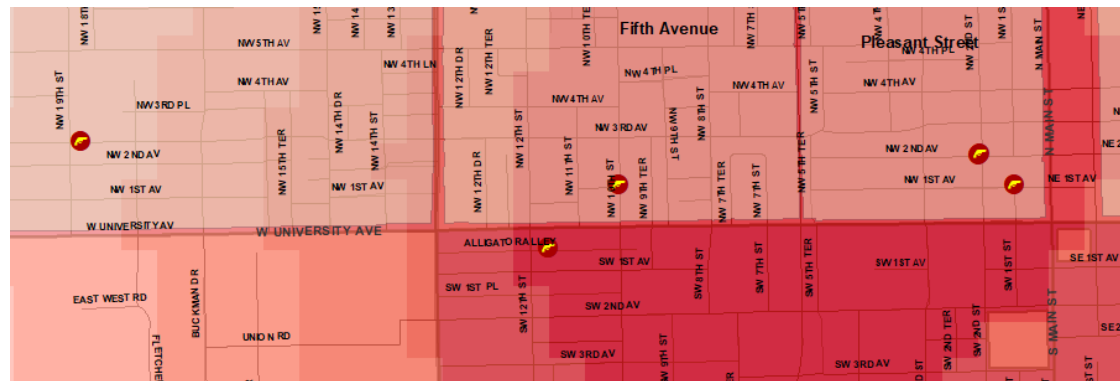
Northeast (8)



Southwest (6)



Midtown (5)



January 1 to March 31, 2024 2024 (YELLOW)	April 1 to June 30, 2024 2024 (RED)
45	35



Operations Bureau and Investigations Bureau Firearm Seizures



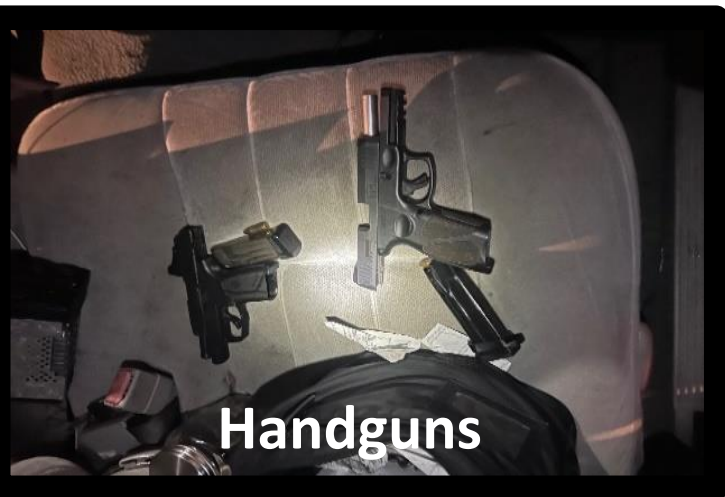
Handguns and Shotgun



Handgun and Rifle



Altered Shotgun & Rifle



Handguns



AR 15 Rifle



Glock Switch



VIOLENT CRIME PREVENTION/INTERVENTION EFFORTS



Crime Watch D1

- ❖ 5th Avenue
- ❖ Pleasant St
- ❖ Kirkwood
- ❖ Grove St
- ❖ Porters

Crime Watch D2

- ❖ Sweetwater Square
- ❖ Ridgeview
- ❖ Bellamy Forge
- ❖ Cumberland Circle
- ❖ Rock Creek
- ❖ Greater Duval
- ❖ The Grove at Sweetwater
- ❖ Pineridge Food Giveaway

**Phoenix Neighborhood
 Event
 June 4th, 2024
 Pledge to reduce Gun
 Violence**



Investigations Bureau Gun Violence Unit

PATROL EFFORTS	JAN 1 – MAR 31	APR 1 – JUN 30	TOTAL
Traffic Stops	156	148	304
Gun Violence Arrests/Sworn Complaints/Warrants	20	30	50



Gregory R. Curtis BM 12/13/2004
Warrant Arrest (Patrol)– Patrol charged Curtis with Attempted Murder (Discharge of a Firearm 20yr min/man) Aggravated Assault with a Firearm and Assault with a Firearm. GVU located arrested and interviewed Curtis.



Exavier L. Kellogg- 4/5/2005
VOP / Poss. of a Firearm by a Delinquent / Poss. of Ammo by a Delinquent -During a Probation and Parole check-in, contraband was located. Search warrant resulted in the discovery of loaded rifle magazine, AR 15 rifle and a “Glock Switch”. **ASO-DOJ Bond: \$125,000**



Food Max - 404 S Main St.
 GVU and CID collected intel on 404 S Main St. **Mohammad "Pappi" Rahman A/M 2/17/1953** was arrested for Possession of a certain drug without prescriptions, Possession of a controlled substance, and Possession of the personal identification of another. Raham were interviewed went to ASO-DOJ.



Investigations Bureau

Gun Violence



- **Homicide – 484 SE 24th Dr (Tiger Bay)** – On 04-19-24, the victim was shot in the parking lot. Follow up investigation resulted in the arrest of the following involved offenders : **Kemani Hill BF 2-27-11, Zion James BM 1-19-10, Kiyanah Stephens BF 12-28-06.**

Case Resolution:

- **Anthony Mack III** was sentenced to **5yrs DOC** on a VOP charge from original charge of possession of controlled substance.
- **Montrell Lawson** was sentenced to **7yrs DOC** for Poss Firearm by Felon. This arrest was a combined GPD/ASO gun detail.
- **Dovico Miles Jr BM 2-6-97:** was **sentenced to 15yrs DOC** on a VOP charge from an original charge of Accessory After the Fact to Murder (238 West homicide).
- **James Clark III BM 1-27-99:** guilty of business robberies **sentenced to to Life in prison x2 DOC.**
- **Danetria Flagg BF 7-18-93:** Flagg was identified as the person who committed an Attempt Robbery at the Murphy Express in 2023. She was adjudicated guilty and **sentenced 8yrs DOC.**



Homeless Outreach



Operations Bureau Homeless Outreach

- Grace
- Lynch Park
- 100 SE 4th PL
- City Hall
- I-75 Overpass
- SW 40th BLVD
- 1200 NE Waldo RD (South of Walmart)



Grace

Lynch Park



1200 NE Waldo RD



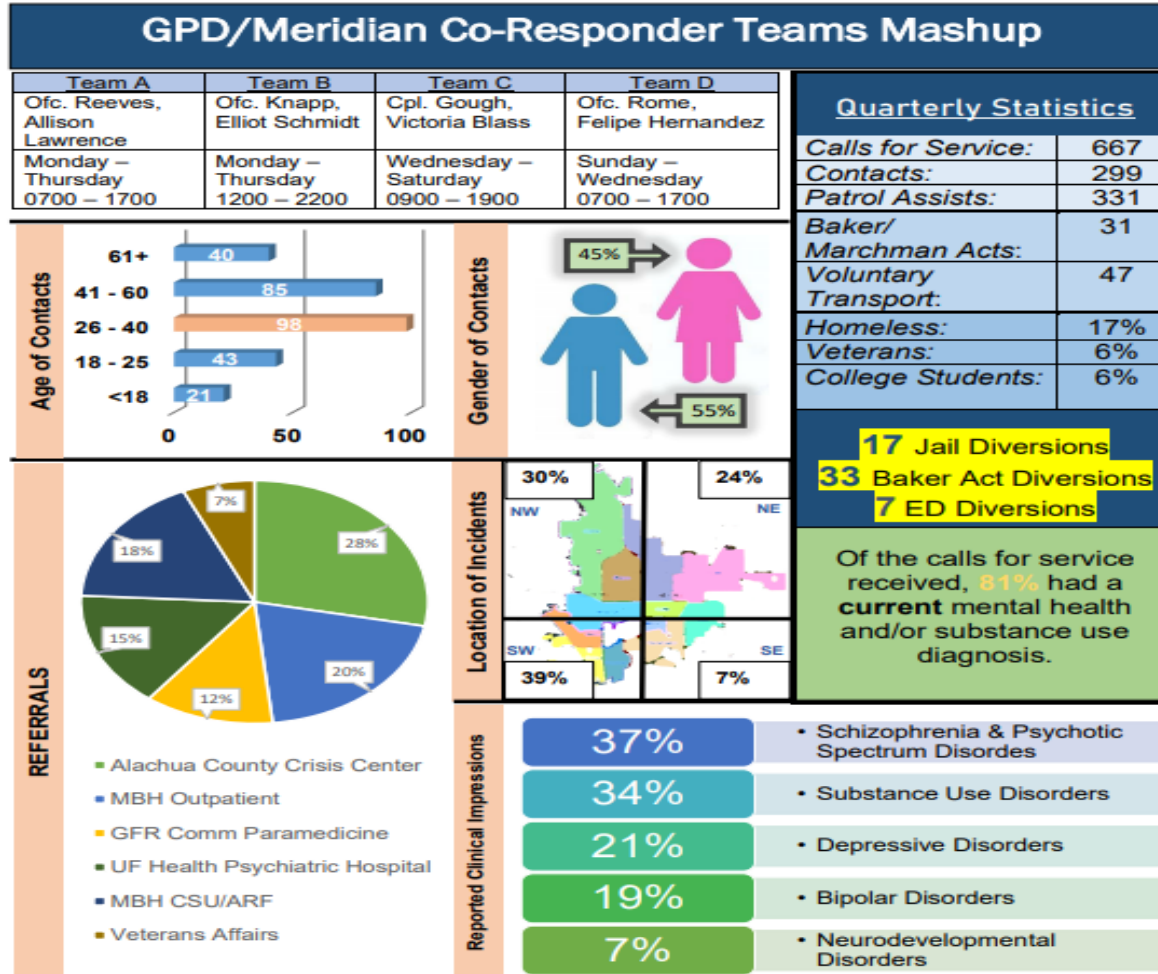
SE 4th PL



Operations Bureau Co-Responder Outreach

Quarterly Mashup Report

April - June 2024



Traffic Safety



2013 – 2024 Traffic Crash Fatality Victims

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>THI</u>
2013	9
2014	8
2015	10
2016	14
2017	14
2018	13
2019	16
2020	16
2021	23
2022	24
2023	20
2024 (Jan-June)	10

Traffic Homicide Investigations “THI” (Actual Loss of Life)

April 1 – June 30, 2023
 Bike or Pedestrian
 fatal crashes: 0

April 1- June 30, 2024
 Bike or Pedestrian
 fatal crashes: 1



Traffic Education & Enforcement

Gainesville Police Department 16h · 🌐

High Springs Police Department · Follow 19h · 🌐

Message From the Chief - Thank you Alachua Police Department, Gainesville Police Department, Alachua County Sheriff, and Florida Highway Patrol for your assistance during Memorial Day weekend Operation.

<https://www.highsprings.gov/media/7521>

May 26, 2024

Message to High Springs Residents from Chief Antoine Sheppard Memorial Day Weekend Operation

During each Memorial weekend, our city endures a surge of tourists to our stunning springs and other attractions. This year, with the invaluable support of our law enforcement partners - Alachua County Sheriff's Office, Alachua Police Department, Gainesville Police Department, and the Florida Highway Patrol, we successfully maintained the safety and enjoyment of our community. The robust law enforcement presence acted as a deterrent, resulting in no reported traffic crashes, physical altercations, or disturbances in the City of High Springs. We conducted over five hundred traffic stops, including numerous felony drug arrests, impaired driver apprehensions, and the service of out-of-county fugitive warrants. We also provided aid to numerous lost motorists and managed traffic control at the intersection of South Main and Northeast 46th Avenue for an extended period of time. This operation significantly enhanced the overall safety and security of our community, making High Springs an even better place to live.

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April is National Distracted Driving Awareness Month



Recruiting and Hiring



Recruiting and Hiring Statistics

2022 to 2024 Comparison	2022	2023	Year to Date 2024 Jan 1 – June 30, 2024	April 1 - June 30 2024
PO Applications	195	201	179	106
Hired	19	22	15	10
Failed FTO	5	9	0	0

There are currently 5 Officers in Field Training Officer (FTO) and 14 graduating the police academy in August which will then start the GPD mini academy.

Recruitment efforts:

- Hosting monthly hiring processes
- Attending current police academies
- Updated the application process
- Modified our hiring process
- Added a Recruitment and Retention Committee



Recruiting Efforts



POLICE NOW HIRING
POLICE OFFICERS
 We are seeking certified and non-certified Police Officers

GPD OFFERS

- Attractive and competitive starting pay and Step Plan
 Certified \$50k-\$58k/Non-cert \$42k-\$46k
- Paid Holiday/Vacation hours/Sick leave
- 25 year retirement / DROP plan
- Comprehensive health insurance program
- Education incentive pay /tuition reimbursement
- Take home car program - Police academy sponsorship
- Promotional opportunities - Specialty units

HIRING BONUS
 \$8000-\$11000 based on certification and years of experience

CONTACT US TODAY
<https://police.gainesvillefl.gov/About-GPD/Join-Our-Team>
gpdrecruiter@cityofgainesville.org
 (352) 213-1175



Classroom presentations at:

- Miami Dade College Police Recruit Academies
- Santa Fe College of Public Safety
- College of Central Florida (Ocala)
- Gateway College Public Service Training Center
- Starke PD
- UF Navy ROTC

Career Fairs:

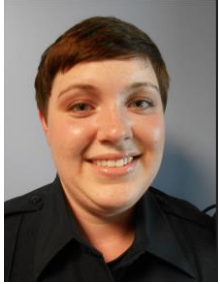
- Florida International University
- Gainesville High School Career Fair
- Butler Plaza Community Event
- Santa Fe High School Career Day
- MYcro Gainesville Charter School Career Day



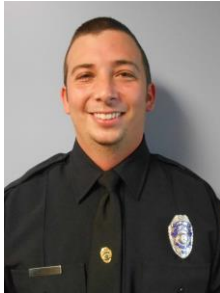
Employee Recognition



Sworn Awards



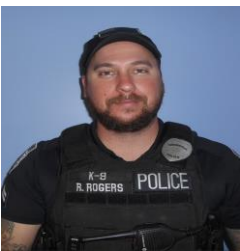
March: Officer Katie Boyett



April: Officer Andrew Milman



May: Officer Brian Knapp



June: Corporal Robert Rogers



Civilian of the Month Awards



April: Tracy Deluca - Account Clerk Senior



June: Deana O'Campo - Senior Latent Fingerprint Examiner



GPD Awards Banquet



Police Star - Ofc. Maurquice Miller, Ofc. Dalton Ripley, Cpl. Casey Walsh
Medal of Valor- Sgt. Charles Owens



City Manager Cynthia W. Curry
Commissioner Bryan Eastman



Police Service Award - Debbie Connor
Police Service Award – GFR Reginald Kinsey



Medal of Valor
Officer Havis Velasquez



Lt. Corey “Spoon” Dahlem Mentorship
Award- Lieutenant Ariel Lugo



Patrol Operations Pin: 10 or more years of dedicated
service serving in Patrol Operations Bureau

