



# City of High Point

## Meeting Agenda

### Prosperity, Livability, & Safety Committee

Municipal Office Building  
211 S. Hamilton Street  
High Point, NC 27260

Monica Peters, Chair  
Dr. Patrick Harman  
Tyrone Johnson  
Vickie M. McKiver  
Cyril Jefferson, Mayor (Alternate)  
Britt Moore, Mayor Pro Tem (Alternate)

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Thursday, April 10, 2025

9:00 AM

Council Chambers

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#### CALL TO ORDER

Prosperity and Livability Committee - Council Member Monica Peters, Chair

#### PRESENTATION OF ITEMS

2025-136

**High Point Police Department 2024 Annual Report**

The High Point Police Department will present the 2024 Annual Report.

#### ADJOURNMENT

# CITY OF HIGH POINT

## AGENDA ITEM



**TITLE:** High Point Police Department 2024 Annual Report

**FROM:**  
Curtis Cheeks III  
Chief of Police

**MEETING DATE:**  
April 10, 2025

**PUBLIC HEARING:**  
No

**ADVERTISED DATE/BY:**  
N/A

**ATTACHMENTS:**  
1. Presentation

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**PURPOSE:** To provide the committee with an overview of the High Point Police Department's 2024 Annual Report. The presentation will also include information about the department's 2025 plans, which include implementing an Alternate Response Team, hiring Civilian Traffic Crash Investigators, and seeking accreditation through the North Carolina Law Enforcement Accreditation (NCLEA).

**BACKGROUND:** The High Point Police Department produces an annual report to share important and impactful information with the community. It includes crime statistics, the use of new technology, and community engagement efforts.

The Police Department will seek to address any questions or concerns from the Prosperity, Livability & Safety Committee related to the 2024 Annual Report and plans for 2025.

**BUDGET IMPACT:** N/A

**RECOMMENDED ACTION REQUESTED:** This item is for Information Only.

# HIGH POINT POLICE 2024 ANNUAL REPORT



*Scan for full report*





# CALLS FOR SERVICE

**122,156**

↓ **10% from 2023**

## Top 10 Calls for Service

<b>Traffic Stop</b>	<b>Assistance</b>
<b>Special Check</b>	<b>Non-Residential Alarm</b>
<b>Follow Up</b>	<b>Traffic Crash</b>
<b>School Safety Check</b>	<b>Suspicious Vehicle</b>
<b>Criminal Process</b>	<b>Trespass</b>



# CRIME OVERVIEW

Overall Crime	Criminal Homicide	Aggravated Assaults
↓ 6%	↓ 77%	↑ 1%
Violent Crime	Manslaughter	Vehicle Thefts
↑ 1%	↑ 100%	↑ 124%
Property Crime	Larceny	Burglary
↓ 3%	↓ 19%	↑ 10%

*\*Percentages compared to 2023*



# CRIME OVERVIEW

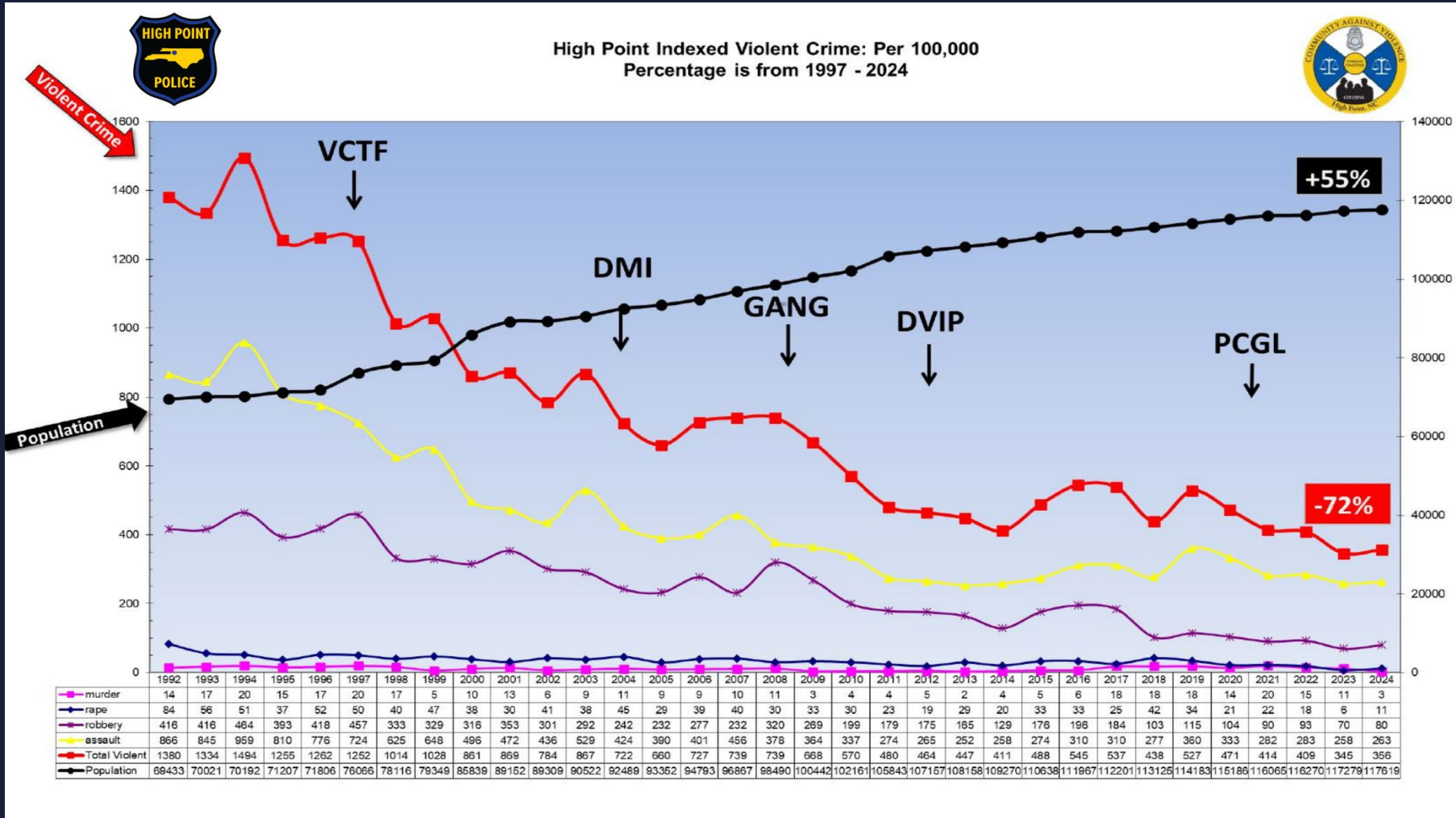
- Criminal Homicides: 3
  - Fewest homicides in High Point since 2013
- Homicide Clearance Rate: 66%
  - Only one homicide case remains unsolved
  - HPPD's homicide clearance rate is above national average of about 52%

# CRIME OVERVIEW

- HPPD and High Point Community Against Violence (HPCAV) hosted the first Violent Offender Notification since 2019
- More than 100 steering wheel locks passed out to drivers of Kia and Hyundai vehicles



# VIOLENT CRIME INDEX



VCTF: Violent Chronic Offenders  
DMI: Open Air Drug Markets

DVIP: Domestic Violence Intimate Partner  
PCGL: People, Cars, Guns, Locations



# TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Traffic Crashes	4,421	4,482	4,424	4,229	4,081
<i>(Fatal)</i>	8	14	9	9	13

## Top Citations Issued

- Speeding
- Expired Registration
- Driving While License Suspended or Revoked
- Speeding – 15 MPH More Than Speed Limit
- No Operator License





# USE OF FORCE

	2024	2023
Calls for Service	122,156	135,836
Use of Force Incidents	287	310

Every use of force is reviewed by the officer's chain of command and ultimately, the chief of police.

In June, the department started categorizing uses of minor force and equipment applications as Minor Force.

Examples: Forcefully pulling someone's hands behind his/her back to apply handcuffs, and putting a hobble, spit sock or padded helmet on someone.

**49**  
**Minor Force Incidents**  
**(Tracking began June 26)**

# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

## Community Day

- 500+ Attendees
- 65 HPPD Volunteers
- 21 Community Partners

## Angels in Blue

- 30 Families Adopted (79 Children, 48 Adults)
- 31 Community Partners
- 44 Seniors Adopted
- \$10,501.31 raised from Battle of the Badge



# 2024 HIGHLIGHTS

- **Spring**: Axon Body Worn Camera Program
- **June**: Real Time Crime Center (RTCC) Completed
- **June**: First HPPD Youth Athletic Camp
- **September**: HPPD Becomes NIBIN Site



# 2024 HIGHLIGHTS

- October: HPPD Featured at IACP Conference
- October: Officers Deploy to WNC
- November: K9 Jacky Joins Street Crimes Unit





# LOOKING AHEAD

- Alternate Response Team
  - Team will assist with mental health calls for service
- Civilian Traffic Crash Investigators
  - Non-sworn investigators will respond to non-priority traffic crashes involving property damage and minor traffic complaints
- Accreditation Through North Carolina Law Enforcement Accreditation (NCLEA)



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