

Annual Safety and Security Update



Overview

- UTA Police Department Staffing
- 2021/2022 Statistics
- Local Coordination
- Key Events
- Emergency Management Incidents
- Emergency Management Activities



UTA Police Department Staffing

- **85.5 FTE**

- Chief (1)
- Office Staff (4)
- Detective Sergeant (1)
- Detectives (6)
- Fare Inspectors (1)
 - Part Time (3)
- Captain (2)
- Lieutenants (5)
- Sergeants (10)
- Officers (56)
- Training Officer (1)
- Canines (4)



Salt Lake County

- 8 Sergeants
- 39 Officers

Utah/Tooele County

- 1 Sergeant
- 6 Officers

Davis/Weber/Box Elder County

- 1 Sergeant
- 6 Officers



2021/2022 Person & Property Crimes



• Salt Lake County

- 2021 Person Crimes: **198** Property Crimes: **1937** Society Crimes: **1593** Other Crimes: **1487**
- 2022 Person Crimes: **249** Property Crimes: **1864** Society Crimes: **1804** Other Crimes: **1534**

• Utah/Tooele County

- 2021 Person Crimes: **13** Property Crimes: **129** Society Crimes: **99** Other Crimes: **166**
- 2022 Person Crimes: **19** Property Crimes: **142** Society Crimes: **118** Other Crimes: **174**

• Davis/Weber/Box Elder Counties

- 2021 Person Crimes: **31** Property Crimes: **310** Society Crimes: **217** Other Crimes: **248**
- 2022 Person Crimes: **20** Property Crimes: **382** Society Crimes: **291** Other Crimes: **231**



Monthly Collaboration Meetings

- Salt Lake County Valley Police Chief's Alliance (VPA)
- Salt Lake Valley Law Enforcement Administrators and Directors (LEADS)
- Utah County Law enforcement Executive Meeting
- Chief's Meetings in Davis/Weber Counties
- All other meetings or joint calls as necessary pertaining to situations, intelligence, etc.



Key Events

• Salt Lake County

- Collaborated with Salt Lake City PD to reduce theft at the airport
- Provided support to partner agencies on several incidents
 - Provided mutual aid for a Bomb threat at the University of Utah
 - Arrested Homicide suspect for Salt Lake City
 - Transportation Secretary Buttigieg Visit
- Provided means to share intel with agencies in adjoining counties

• Utah County

- Regular contact with businesses along UVX Line
- Educate owners/managers on reporting procedures
- Collaborate with local municipalities to locate wanted and missing individuals
 - Responded to a Lehi business on an active shooter call, Orem felony theft case



Key Events

- **Davis/Weber Counties**

- Worked directly with local agencies in preparation for the new Ogden bus line
- Participate in multi-agency major accident investigation team
 - Investigated fatal accidents in Weber County
- Utilized UTA bomb dogs to assist partner agencies in our service area
 - Assisted Ogden PD with bomb threat at McKay Dee Hospital
 - Suspicious vehicle abandoned at Davis Hospital

- **Safety Initiatives**

- Installed Radar/Infrared Cameras
- Opened Security Camera Center
- Legislation change for UAV deployment laws



Training

- De-Escalation Training for Police Officers and UTA Operators
- Hidden Disabilities Training
 - Officers receive training in recognizing Autism and other disabilities
 - UTAPD Sgt. Pearce provided Autism awareness training to 100 officers from police agencies throughout Utah, Idaho, and Wyoming
- Advanced First Aid Training
- Domestic Violence Investigation Training



Arrest Diversion

- **Salt Lake County**

- Volunteers of America takes non-violent intoxicated individuals
- Other Side Academy, individuals with substance abuse problems are referred to this program to help them obtain sobriety



- **Utah County**

- Food and Care Coalition. Unhoused individuals are referred here for meals, shower, housing resources and employment resources
- Worked with Wasatch Mental Health to address repeat offenders with mental health problems

- **Davis/Weber Counties**

- Davis County Diversion Center. Non-Violent suspects with substance abuse problems or mental health problems are referred here where treatment is available.



Emergency Management 2022

- **EOC Level 1 Activations**
 - No Level 1 activations for 2022
- **Level 2 Activations**
 - Garth Brooks Concert



Emergency Management Activities

- Participated in Utah State Emergency Response Team drills
- Updated Plans
 - Emergency Preparedness Plan (EPP)
 - Emergency Operations Plan (EOP)
 - Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP)
- Liaised with state/local municipalities to maintain situational awareness
- Full Scale exercise with Orem Police and Fire Departments at Vineyard
- Facilitated BowMac training for improved interaction with partner jurisdictions
- Flood Preparation 2023



Questions?

