

Pacific Grove Police Department 2016 Annual Report











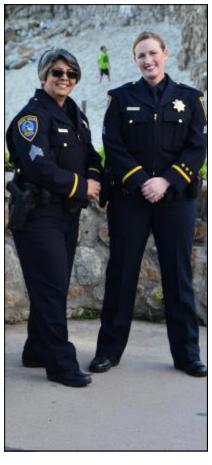
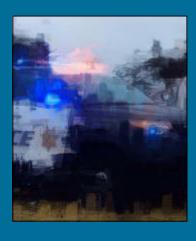




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Chief's Message

I want to thank those who assisted me in the preparation of this annual report, namely Administrative Services Manager Jocelyn Francis and her team. I also want to thank the employees who work at the Pacific Grove Police Department for their dedication to our community and their continued pursuit of achieving a culture of excellence. I am proud of the work you do in providing exceptional public safety service in Pacific Grove.

This past year, 2016, we moved forward in a meaningful way. This report contains Department milestones, such as, hiring over 10 Police Department employees and strengthening community-police partnership through expanding community outreach and programs. The report also contains budget information, crime statistics and data, and information that highlight career milestones and professional excellence.

The purpose of this report is to promote an understanding of the purpose, goals and accomplishments of the Pacific Grove Police Department. It is important to communicate what we do so that our community can better understand how the members of this department prevent, detect and investigate crime. The report also contains information about our 22-

month goals that support our Mission, Vision and Organizational Values.

I want to thank you for taking the time to read our annual report and encourage you to follow us on social media to keep apprised of public safety and department Information.

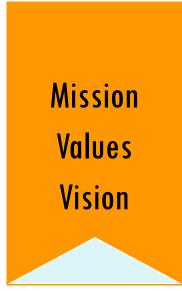
Amy Christey
Chief of Police



Message from the Chief







Mission

To provide exceptional public safety service and enhance the quality of life in our community.

Vision

To achieve a culture of excellence by partnering with our community, respecting the rights and dignity of all people, and providing professional public safety service through integrity and accountability.

Motto

"Our Community, Your Police"

Values

Excellence

We will promote the common good, uphold the public trust, and leave the Department greater and better than when entrusted to us.

Community

We will commit to partnering with our community and deliver excellent public safety services.

Respect

We will respect the rights and dignity of all people.

Professionalism

We will exemplify professionalism in all we do as public employees.

Integrity

We will be accountable to ourselves, the public, and the law enforcement profession.



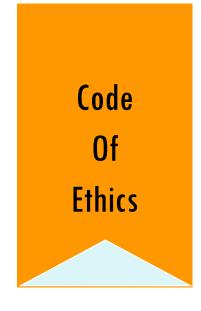
As a Law Enforcement Officer, my fundamental duty is to serve mankind; to safeguard lives and property; to protect the innocent against deception, the weak against oppression or intimidation, and the peaceful against violence or disorder; and to respect the Constitutional rights of all men to liberty, equality and justice.

I will keep my private life unsullied as an example to all; maintain courageous calm in the face of danger, scorn, or ridicule; develop self-restraint; and be constantly mindful of the welfare of others. Honest in thought and deed in both my personal and official life, I will be exemplary in obeying the laws of the land and the regulations of my department. Whatever I see or hear of a confidential nature or that is confided to me in my official capacity will be kept ever secret unless revelation is necessary in the performance of my duty.

I will never act officiously or permit personal feelings, prejudices, animosities, or friendships to influence my decisions. With no compromise for crime and with relentless prosecution of criminals, I will enforce the law courteously and appropriately without fear or favor, malice or ill will, never employing unnecessary force or violence and never accepting gratuities.

I recognize the badge of my office as a symbol of public faith, and I accept it as a public trust to be held so long as I am true to the ethics of the police service. I will constantly strive to achieve these objectives and ideals, dedicating myself before God to my chosen profession...law enforcement.

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Chief of Police

PGPD Organizational Chart

Patrol/Operations Commander

<u>Patrol 1A Days Sun-</u> <u>Tue (Wed)</u> Special Events & Training

<u>Patrol 2A Nights Sun-</u> <u>Tue (Wed)</u> Reserve Officer Program

Patrol 1B: Days (Wed)
Thu-Sat Field
Training Program

Patrol 2B: Days (Wed)
Thu-Sat School
Resource & DARE

Investigations, PRVNT & Traffic

Administrative Services Manager

Animal Control

Parking

Police Records

Property & Evidence







Police Department is a Hiring Machine in 2016!

The Police Department hired 10 staff to join our team!

In August, the City Manager appointed Police Chief Amy Christey.

Officers Eva Rasul and Dan Deis were assigned as our new Corporals, and promoted Nancy Anzalone to Records Supervisor! Plus, we hired Kristopher Moore, Andrew Butler, and Michael Gonzalez as Police Officers; Shayla Hoffman and Patrick Romero as Police Services Technicians; Kyle Baum and Luke Siebach as Police Recruits; Giselle Acevedo as Parking Enforcement Officer; and Brigette Jones as our newest Crossing Guard!

Go team!

The Year of Recruitment





PEO Giselle Acevedo (second from left) & Supervisor Nancy Anzalone (far right)











Chief Amy Christey



Sergeant J. Fenton



Sergeant R. Viray



Sergeant O. Perez



Sergeant R. Beuttler





Corporal A. Lonsinger



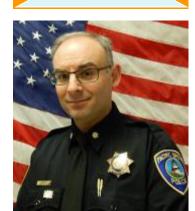
Corporal J. Haas



Corporal E. Rasul



Corporal D. Deis



Commander Rory Lakind



Officer B. Hawkins



Officer L. Buenrostro



Officer J. Hankes



Officer K. Moore



Officer K. Baum



Officer M. Gonzalez



Officer R. Gordano

Not Pictured

Recruit L. Siebach

Recruit G. Acevedo

Recruit R. Sulton



Reserve L. Esquivel



Reserve K. Rolle



Reserve M. Young



Reserve S. Gorman



Supervisor N. Anzalone



PST M. Basanese



PST M. Hunt



PST S. Hoffman



Manager Jocelyn Francis



PST P. Romero



ACO L. Conti-Yeo



PEO T. Marino



PEO A. Butler







Range Master M. Kunoa Crossing Guard M. Logan



Crossing Guard B. Jones







2016 Crime Statistics

Top 10 Report Types

- 1. Thefts
- 2. False Alarms
- 3. Disorderly Conduct
- 4. Persons Cared For
- 5. Animal Codes
- 6. Property Damage
- 7. Assaults
- 8. Fraud
- 9. Civil Matters
- 10.Burglary



Report Types*	Total
Written Reports	2,815
Citations (All Violations)	1,164
Field Interviews	932
Arrests	244
Traffic Reports	169
DUI Reports	27



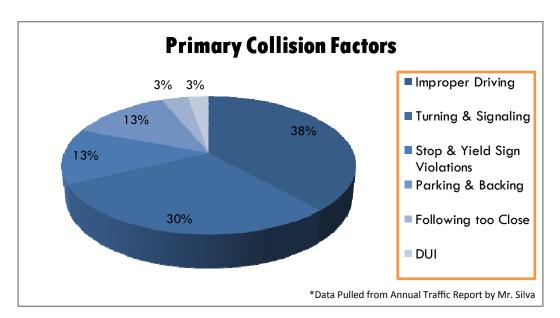
22% Increase in Calls for Service

2016 Crime Reporting**	Reported
Homicide	0
Rape	5
Robbery	2
Aggravated Assault	3
Non-Aggravated Assault	62
Burglary	48
Larceny-Theft	257
Vehicle Theft	23
Domestic Violence	47
Arson	2

Total Traffic Collisions	169
Non-Injury	151
Injury	1 <i>7</i>
Fatal	1

Top 5 Intersections for Traffic Collisions

- 1. Lighthouse/Eardley
- 2. Forest/Prescott
- 3. Forest/David
- 4. Forest/Pine
- 5. Lighthouse/Forest



2016
Traffic
Statistics

Most common issued citations are Stop Sign & Speeding Violations.

Moving Violation Citations	961
Parking Citations	3,634

Most common parking citations are Overtime, Meter & Over Line Violations.





Body Worn Cameras

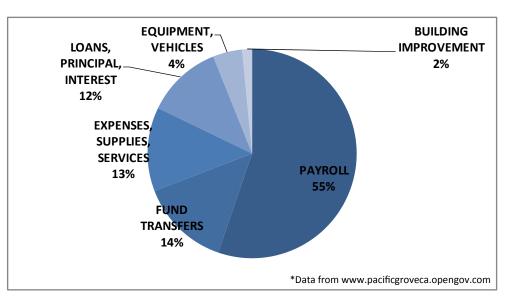
FY2016/17 Department Budget



New Patrol Vehicle

Budgeted Positions	
Total Full-Time:	32
Sworn:	22
Professional:	10

FY2016/17 Police Department Budget by Expenditure Type



PAYROLL	4,308,108
FUND TRANSFERS	1,085,919
EXPENSES, SUPPLIES, SERVICES	1,012,976
LOANS, PRINCIPAL, INTEREST	916,610
EQUIPMENT, VEHICLES	353,310
BUILDING IMPROVEMENT	120,150
TOTAL POLICE BUDGET	7,797,073

Projects Completed:

- Server Upgrades
- Patrol Vehicle Purchase
- Parking Citation System
 Implemented
- Electric Parking Scooter
- Interview Room Recording Equipment Upgrade
- * PD Station Interior Painting
- Body Worn Cameras

Total Special Fund Expenditures	\$468,400
Public Safety Augmentation	\$303,000
Law Enforcement Grants & School Resource Officer Program	\$157,118
DARE	\$8,282



In 2017, the City Manager directed each City Department to create a 22 Month Work Plan. Chief Christey developed and proposed the PGPD goals listed below.

<u>Goal #1</u> – Initiate CALEA (Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies) program by fall 2018. The purpose of CALEA programs is to improve the delivery of public safety services by strengthening accountability through a continuum of standards that clearly define authority, performance and responsibilities.

22 Month Work Plan

Goal #2 – Expand public outreach and transparency. Robust engagement with social media by spring 2017, publish annual report and finalize BWC program by summer 2017, and 10-week Citizen's Police Academy and Chief's Advisory Committee by spring 2018.

<u>Goal # 3</u> – IACP (International Association of Chiefs of Police) One Mind Pledge by fall 2018. Including 40-hour crisis intervention training for all of the sworn personnel, Dealing Effectively with the Mentally III (4-hour) training course for the entire department, and Mental Health First Aid for Public Safety (8-hour) training curriculum, partnering with community mental health organizations, and implementing a model policy.

<u>Goal #4</u> – Enhance Property & Evidence/CSI support by fall 2018. Increase P&E staffing by summer 2017, 8-hour CSI training for all sworn and P&E staff by winter 2017, advance CSI training by spring 2018, and acquire modern CSI equipment/storage by fall 2018.

<u>Goal # 5</u> – Improve facilities by winter 2018. Complete interior and exterior painting by summer 2017, complete Animal Shelter upgrade by summer 2017, upgrade video/surveillance by fall 2018, and upgrade interior facilities (breakroom, locker rooms and exercise room) by summer 2018.

2016 Officer of the Year Corporal Ami Lonsinger

Corporal Lonsinger was recognized for her leadership and professionalism, her community policing values and her dedication to Pacific Grove.

Corporal Lonsinger joined the police department in July, 2003, after working for the

Monterey County Probation Department. She is the department's Taser Instruction, as well as a Field Training Officer. Corporal Lonsinger is an excellent mentor to the newer officers and continues to be a well -respected officer at the department.

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2016 Support Services Employee of the Year Parking Enforcement Officer Tony Marino

PEO Marino is recognized for his dedication to the Department in providing guidance and support to our newly hired administrative staff. He worked as the field training officer for the parking enforcement officer training program, and has become a wonderful mentor to our newest employees. In addition, he never hesitates to help his co-workers in times of need. Whether he is out in the field assisting police officers with traffic control, using his eagle eyes to find a suspect vehicle, or inside the station helping the public at the front counter, PEO Marino exemplifies a team leader.

PEO Marino celebrated his 20th work anniversary this year, previously working for the City of Monterey Parking Division.



Award of Merit

On January 27, 2016, Sergeant Rachel Beuttler was off-duty and on her way to the station when she came upon a serious accident at the corner of Pine and Forest. Sergeant Beuttler immediately pulled over and began taking charge of the scene. After notifying dispatch about

the accident, she began to provide comfort and assistance to a pedestrian who had been struck by a vehicle while she was walking across the crosswalk. Her husband later stated Sergeant Beuttler gave great comfort at the worst moment of their lives and he appreciated her for this act. Sergeant Beuttler received the Award of Merit from Chief Christey at the Department Meeting.





During the same incident, Officer Billy Hawkins was dispatched to the scene as the primary officer. Just a few months off of probation, Officer Hawkins immediately took over the scene and conducted an excellent investigation. With the assistance of the California Highway Patrol, Officer Hawkins completed all of the necessary follow-up and scene work for his work in a chaotic and stressful situation. Officer Hawkins is commended for his efforts.

Case of the Year. On December 19, 2016, officers were dispatched to a Stabbing that Just Occurred. Sergeant Viray and Corporal Haas rushed to the scene and observed a woman who had been stabbed. First, they secured the scene and determined that only the woman's son had been at the scene and took him into custody without having to use any force. Corporal Haas processed the suspect and brought him to the Monterey County Jail and returned with Monterey County Investigators, completed an interview with the suspect who was charged with Attempted Homicide.

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As shift change occurred, Sergeant Fenton and Officer Buenrostro became involved in the follow-up investigation. Officer Buenrostro completed his first search warrant, went back to the secured scene with Sergeant Fenton and collected important evidence. Due to the hard work and expertise of these team members, the case continues to move forward in the criminal justice system.



Crisis Intervention. On April 5, 2016, officers were dispatched to a suicidal subject call on Cedar Street. Sergeant Perez immediately responded as well as all on-duty department members. Sergeant Perez made verbal and visual contact with the subject. For the next three hours, Sergeant Perez spoke with the subject, keeping the scene calm and under



control. Members of the Mobile Crisis Team came out and also tried to assist and eventually with the subject was taken into protective custody without injury. Due to his patience and desire to help, Sergeant Perez was awarded the Fiesta of Hope Crisis Intervention award.

Movie Night with Night Shift. Members of the department were challenged to come up with a Community Policing Project for each patrol squad. One squad's idea was the most innovative. Sergeant Perez, Corporal Rasul, Officer Hankes, and Police Services Technician Hunt developed the idea of Movie Night at the Pacific Grove Youth Center. On November 12, 2016, the Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry commenced. A large number of our youth came out and participated in games, food, and the original movie.



National Night Out: In August 2016, the Pacific Grove Police Department hosted its very first National Night Out event. The event

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attracted a wide array of community members to learn more about public safety, listen to music, eat dinner, and play! Records Supervisor

Nancy Anzalone received a variety of in-kind donations and contacted several public safety agencies to participate and even more when the fires prevented Carmel and the County from hosting theirs. Nancy was a major contributor to the event and is commended for her efforts that went above and beyond.

Property & Evidence. In September 2016, PST Michaela Basanese traveled to incinerate years of accumulated property. She spent many hours reviewing and inventorying each item ready approved for destruction. When it was all said and done, we destroyed 134 firearms and firearm replicas, 76 illegal weapons, and 180 pounds of narcotics! In addition to this major accomplishment, PST Basanese set-up an evidence booking area, reorganized the homicide evidence boxes for easier control and set-up a prescription drug drop off bin. PST Basanese was nominated to the California Association of Property and Evidence, Property Officer of the Year for 2016!



PST Basanese & Reserve Rolle at incineration facility

Hit & Run to Burglary: In August, 2016, Corporal Deis was dispatched to a Hit and Run accident in the 100 block of Ocean View. The driver said the suspect continued to drive to Central Ave where they began unloading items into a dumpster. Soon after, another call came out in regards to a burglary of a tour bus for a group visiting from China. While he began to investigate that case, Parking Enforcement Officer Tony Marino found the property and safeguarded it until officers could arrive. Further investigation pieced the cases together and

by the end of the investigation, the suspects were charged with Hit and Run, Driving on a Suspended License, Possession of Marijuana, Conspiracy to Commit a Crime, Vehicle Burglary, Probation Violation (LA County) and Possession of Stolen Property.

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Social Media: In April 2016, the City of Pacific Grove re-launched a City Facebook page for all Departments to use. PST Macee Hunt became the Facebook Guru for the Police Department and we began to dominate the City's Facebook feed. And so, in November 2016 the Police Department launched our own Facebook page, Twitter, and Instagram. Macee did a fantastic job setting up each account, requesting different people, agencies, and businesses to follow us, choosing profile photos and the like. She also published a majority of our posts to first the City pages, and now the Department page. Macee is great at telling our story.

Traffic Stop: In September, Corporal Haas and Officer Hankes were in the area of 900 Congress when Corporal Haas observed a suspicious vehicle late at night. He conducted a traffic stop and with the assistance of Officer Hankes determined that the driver's story did not match the observed circumstances. Further investigation led to charges of Theft of Motor Vehicle, Possession of Stolen Property, and Possession of a Controlled Substance, Possession of Narcotics Paraphernalia, and Possession of Burglary Tools. Their intuition and follow-up probably stopped more burglaries from occurring that night and beyond.



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Service Awards. Reserve Officer Ken Rolle , Parking Enforcement Officer Tony Marino, Sergeant Jeff Fenton, Animal Control Officer Elizabeth Yeo, and Reserve Officer Larry Esquivel all celebrated 20+ years of service.



Staff Celebrating 20+ Years of Service

Animal Kennel Remodel. In July 2016, the Animal Kennel Remodel Project was funded in the City's Capital Improvement budget. ACO Liz Yeo was instrumental in coming up with the project and recommendations for improvement. She spent significant time researching and ensuring the project keeps moving forward. We look forward to the end product and know all the hard work will be well worth it when it is completed in 2017!



Leadership Development & Training



Firearm Training

POST Certificates Awarded:

- Ofc. Buenrostro—Basic
- Ofc. Hawkins—Basic
- Sgt. Beuttler—Intermediate
- Cmdr. Lakind

 Management

Completed Training:

- Bloodborne Pathogens
- ♦ CLETS/NCIC
- Community Policing
- Crisis Intervention
- DARE Conference
- Ethics Training
- Fingerprint Analysis
- POST Supervisor Course
- ⋄ Property & Evidence Mgmt.
- Public Records Act
- Rap Sheets
- Social Media & Body Worn Camera Records Retention
- ♦ Storm Water
- ♦ Tactical Rifle
- ♦ WebEOC

Police Academy Graduates:

- Officer Justin Hankes
- Officer Kyle Baum



Wrap Training



Public Records Act Training



Recognized for POST Certification

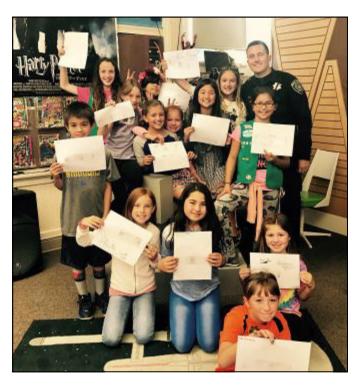


Crisis Intervention Training

School Resource Officer Program

School Resource Officer Billy Hawkins is assigned to the schools in Pacific Grove, to include the High School, Middle School, Elementary Schools and the Adult School. Officer Hawkins spends his time collaborating with students, parents, and school staff. The SRO acts as the liaison between the school and PD, handles calls for services, conducts school or student related investigations, maintains a visible presence on

campus, attends school functions, and ancillary duties that might include reading to a class, a presentation or providing help to a teen.





Program
Corporals Ami
Lonsinger and
Eva Rasul assist
with the DARE
Program through

donated funds.

DARE



School Partnerships

Crossing Guard Program

Crossing Guards Michael Logan and
Brigette Jones help to protect students
walking and biking to school. You can see
Michael at Congress and Sunset and
Brigette on Pine, rain or shine!











National
Night
Out

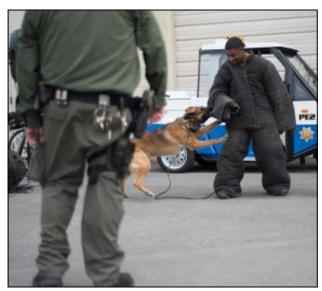














Each year, PGPD participates in a variety of community events—both on-duty and off-duty. And this year, we hosted some of our own to build stronger relationships, create partner-

ships, and get to know our community even better.



Fundraising with our law enforcement partners for the Special Olympics Program



Thanksgiving Day



Parade of Lights

Community Outreach



Harry Potter Movie Night with Night Shift



PGPD Team at the Jingle Bell Run



Donated to Shoe Drive organized by Al Siekert



Coffee with a Cop



Tree Lighting Ceremony



Halloween



YWCA Clothing Drive



MCCPOA Toy Drive



Pacific Grove Police Department

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