

# SALT LAKE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Council Update  
Chief Mike Brown



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**CRIME CONTROL PLAN**

Recently released our Revised Crime Control Plan

We have four (4) overall goals:

OVERALL GOALS



LOWER CRIME



IMPROVE  
RESPONSE TIMES



FILL FUNDED  
AND UNFUNDED  
SWORN POSITIONS



CONTINUE BUILDING  
COMMUNITY  
RELATIONSHIPS

These goals will be achieved through our short, medium and long-term strategies.



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## Strategy: Recruitment, Hiring and Retention

- Shared Recruitment and Retention Bonus
- Housing Incentive
- Take-Home Car Policy





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## Strategy: Community Reestablishment Efforts

- In mid-2020, Salt Lake City Police Department launched a formalized and extensive downtown community reestablishment and crime mitigation
- More than 50 officers have participated in these overtime focused area shifts
- Because their successful efforts, the department is now able to focus on its secondary goal of this program: crime reduction



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## Strategy: Violent Crimes Task Force

- SLCPD will use COPS Hiring grant funds to create squads to specifically address violent crime
- The department intends to further address violent crime by forming a 10-person Violent Crimes Task Force (VCTF)
- The VCTF will work directly with the Salt Lake County District Attorney's Office and the Project Safe Neighborhood partners to investigate and refer criminal gun-crimes for prosecution



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## Strategy: Police Civilian Response Team

- We are in the process of implementing a “Police Civilian Response Team” (PCRT) that will start with the hiring of Police Telephonic Specialists (PTS).
- Non-sworn positions will take telephonic police reports on low-level calls that don’t need an officer response.
- This will keep sworn officers available for high-priority calls to help lower the department's response time.





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## Strategy: Call Diversion and Online Reporting

- The Department will work with the incoming director of SLC911 to ensure certain low priority calls for service are processed as telephonic calls for service or the caller is directed to online reporting services.
- Types of calls eligible for potential call diversion and online reporting: non-injury/non-blocking hit and run, ID theft, Lost/Found Property, Theft, Vanadlism, and Car Prowls.



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## Strategy: Business Community Engagement Officer

- The Department intends to create a Business Community Engagement Officer (BCEO) who will be a direct point of contact for business operators and owners.
- The BCEO will work directly with SLC911 and Watch Command to respond to non-emergency calls for service that tend to impact our business districts disproportionately.
- BCEO will provide problem solving models to reduce patrol response times for calls for service.





# October Response Time - 2021

## Priority 1-3 Response Time Averages

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Priority 2 Average	0:16:39	0:16:03	0:18:09	0:21:38	0:21:45	0:23:14	0:22:16	0:23:49	0:24:13	0:25:16
Priority 3 Average	0:43:12	0:49:26	0:51:51	1:06:10	1:16:24	1:21:38	1:19:57	1:26:37	1:40:37	1:19:07
Priority 1 Average	0:30:17	0:33:18	0:35:24	0:43:32	0:48:43	0:51:29	0:49:54	0:55:32	1:02:36	0:52:34

Our average priority 1 response time for October was 14 minutes and 16 seconds. This is up only two seconds from September.



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- The average Priority 3 average response time dropped 21 minutes and 30 seconds from Sept. to Oct.






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- The combined average response time for Priorities 1, 2 and 3 dropped 10 minutes and 02 seconds from Sept. to Oct.

