



DATE: October 9, 2023

TO: Mayor Robinson and City Councilmembers

FROM: Wendell Shirley, Chief, 452-4177
Police

SUBJECT: Crime Statistics and Trends Council Update

On October 9, Chief Shirley and Assistant Chief Popochock will provide the council with an update on current crime statistics in the City of Bellevue, comparing year-over-year data from 2022 to 2023. This update will include current crime trends and the steps the department is taking to reduce crime and the fear of crime in the city, including an overview of the P.I.E. crime reduction philosophy: Prevention, Intervention and Enforcement.

The presentation will also discuss ways in which Bellevue Police is working to engage the community, including work with both residents and businesses, as well as growing initiatives, like the Community Crisis Assistance Team (CCAT) program. Finally, the update will touch on the City's efforts to recruit, retain, and develop our team of officers.

The intent of this presentation is to inform the council and the public to ensure transparency so that residents are aware of what is occurring in their community.

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