

KINGMAN

POLICE

2012

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concerns.*



Annual Report

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A message from



January 2013

TO: Citizens of Kingman
Mayor and Council
Jack Kramer, City Manager

On behalf of the entire staff of the Kingman Police Department, I am pleased to submit our 2012 Annual Report of activity. In 2012 the department responded to 39,682 calls for service or officer initiated activity. This marks a slight 2.12% decrease in comparison to 2011. Unfortunately, some of the crime downturns we experienced in 2011 reversed in 2012 and are highlighted below.

Property crimes and theft continue to impact the community. Thefts from commercial property and motor vehicle theft experienced the most significant increases over the year. Commercial burglaries increased 69.57% and motor vehicle thefts jumped 62.90% in comparison to the year prior. Residential burglary rose 19.88% whereas vehicle burglary rose 27.30%. While these statistics are concerning, I am pleased to report a high number of the crimes committed were solved and those responsible arrested through a team effort of both patrol and detectives.

After experiencing 5 years of decline, accidents increased in 2012. Officers handled a total of 1,017 crashes throughout the year compared to 996 in 2012. Traffic citations decreased 24.9% and written warnings dropped 16.68% over the course of the year. However, DUI enforcement through details and increased presence on the roadway resulted in a 17.07% increase in arrests compared to the year prior.

the desk of Chief DeVries

In 2012 the department underwent major changes in dispatching services. In February of 2012 staff moved into the new 911 Center located downtown. In March, dispatch began to provide services to Northern Arizona Consolidated, Golden Valley, Pinion Pines and Pine Lake Fire Districts. In May, oversight for the 911 Center transitioned to the Kingman Fire Department and April Hanss was appointed as the new 911 Administrator in the summer of 2012.

In July of 2012 the Mohave Area General Narcotics Enforcement Team (M.A.G.N.E.T.) moved into a new facility. Several large seizures of cash, directly involved with narcotics trafficking, allowed the task force to purchase a facility versus leasing office space. The Northern Arizona Gang & Immigration Intelligence Team Enforcement Mission (G.I.I.T.E.M.) also co-located their task force operations in the new building. The property acquisition coupled with a larger facility will help to ensure sustainability for drug and gang task force operations well into the future.

The department also added a new member to our ranks in 2012. K-9 “Sam” and his handler Officer Adam Parrott graduated from narcotics detection school on August 27th in Casa Grande, Arizona. Both K-9 “Sam” and Officer Parrott are assigned to the department Flex Team that is responsible for investigating street level narcotics and property crimes.

Individuals continue to use the department web site to obtain valuable information. In 2012 web site hits numbered 12,311 noting a 21% increase compared to 2011. “Crime Reports”, a web based program highlighting crime occurring in neighborhoods was accessed 4,841 times marking a 24% increase compared to the year prior. Both the web site and Crime Reports allows our residents to stay informed of activity in the community.

Our Volunteer in Policing (VIP’s) Unit continues to provide a tremendous service to both the department and community. The VIP’s have increased to 22 hard working and valued members that contributed 6,258 hours of service marking a 23.7% increase in comparison to 2011. They assist the department with traffic and pedestrian control, property watches, parking enforcement, parades and other community events. The youth involved in our Explorer Post provide an additional 330 plus hours of service to the community. The dedication and commitment of both groups allows our department to provide a high level of service to the community.

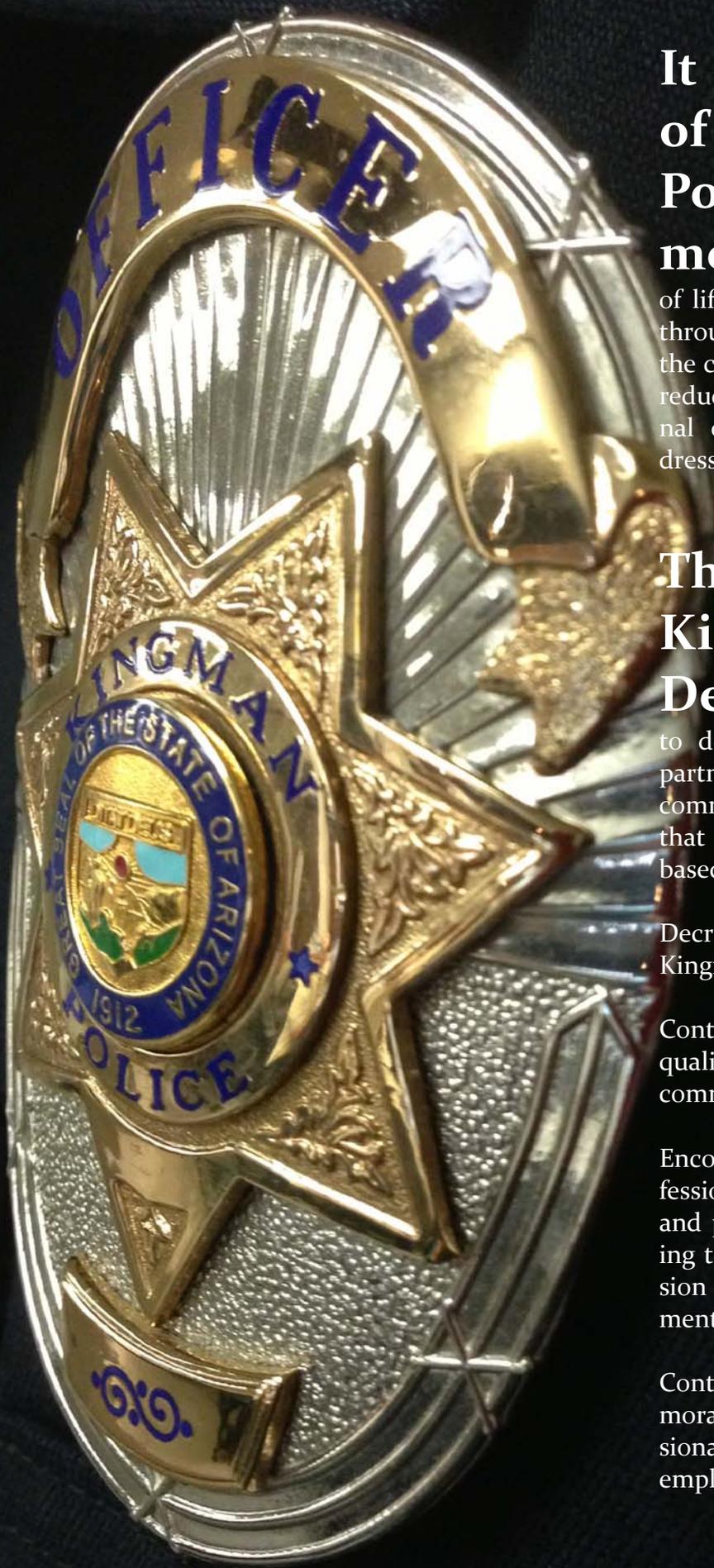
In conclusion, I would like to thank and recognize each and every employee and volunteer with our department. We are extremely fortunate to have the high caliber and level of professionals working in our agency. It is an honor to work alongside them each and every day.

Respectfully,



Robert J. DeVries
Chief of Police

Pride, Service, Valor



It is the mission of the Kingman Police Department to maintain a high quality of life for our residents and visitors, through an active partnership with the community, by being proactive in reducing crime, apprehending criminal offenders, and aggressively addressing all public safety concerns.

The goals of the Kingman Police Department are

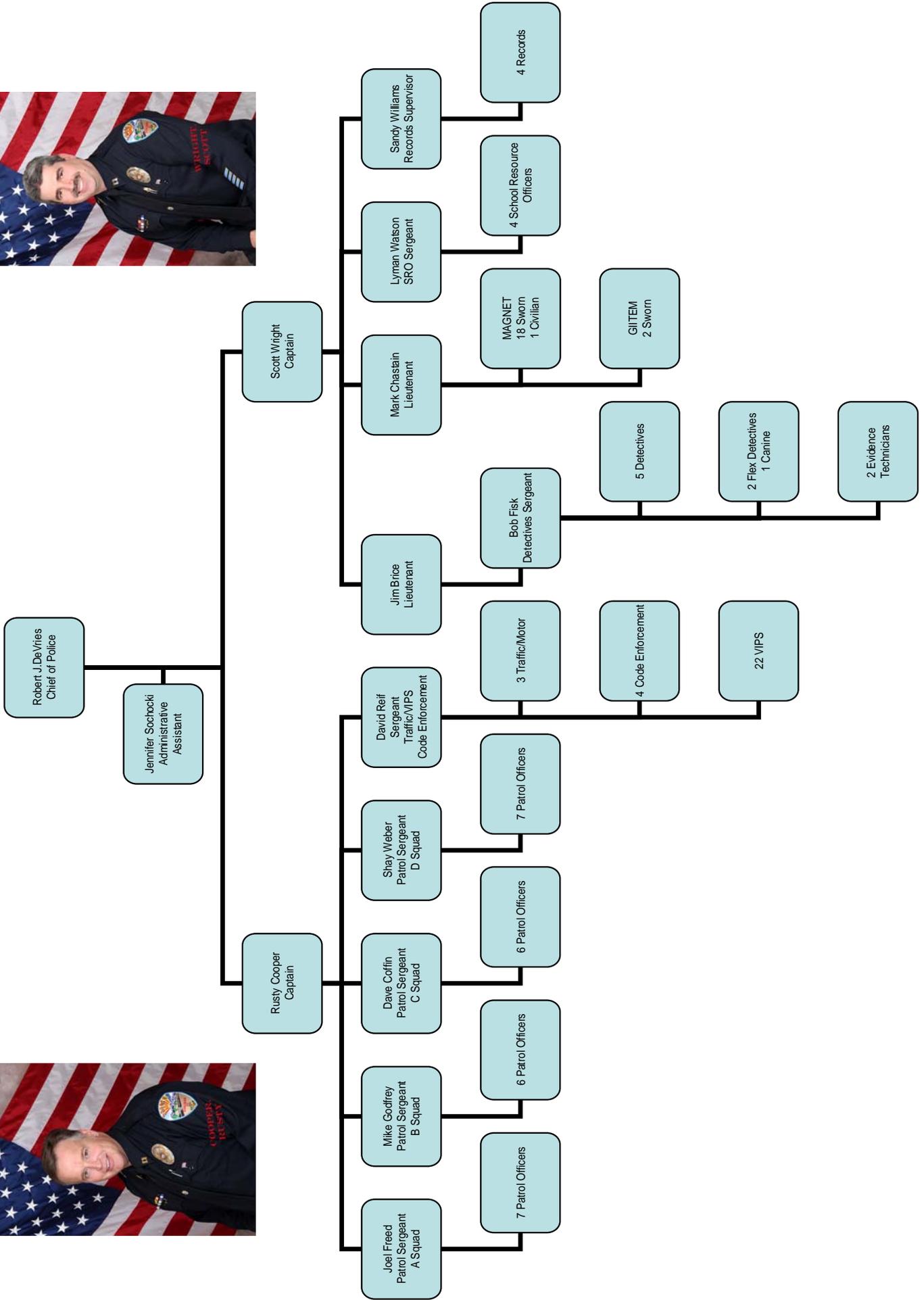
to develop and promote long-term partnerships with a wide range of community members in Kingman that fosters working relationships based on mutual trust and respect.

Decrease crime within the City of Kingman.

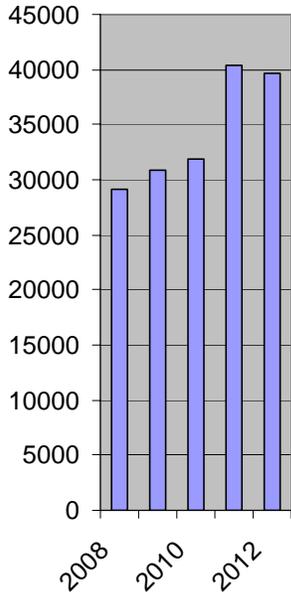
Continually identify and address quality of life concerns based on community input.

Encourage our employees to be professional in all aspects of their career, and provide the resources and training to successfully complete the mission of the Kingman Police Department.

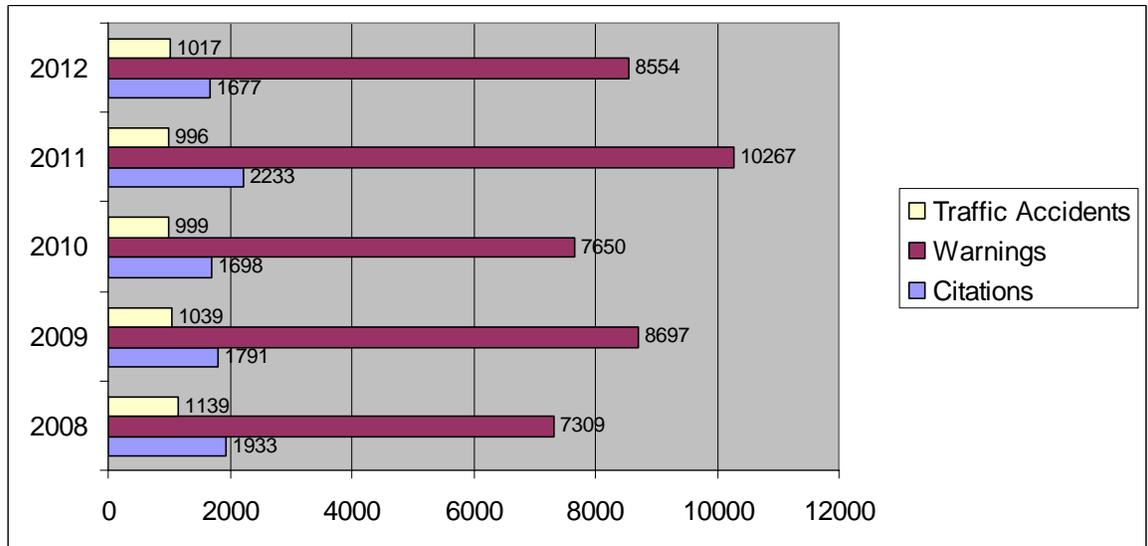
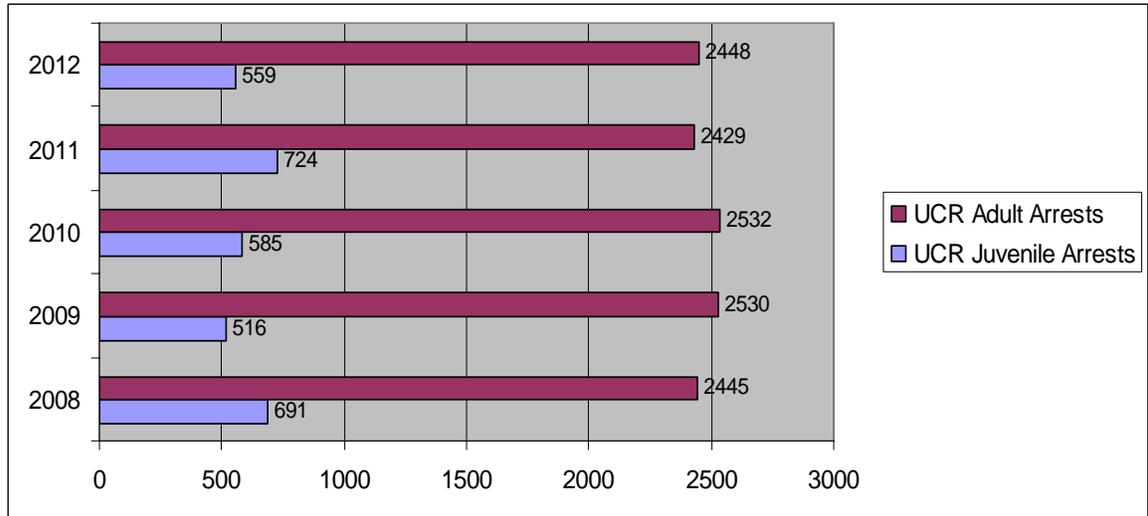
Continually work to maintain a high morale to recruit and retain professional law enforcement employees and volunteers.



**Calls for Service
5 Year Comparison**



	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Calls for Service	29191	30928	31911	40453	39682
Homicide	0	4	2	2	0
Rape	12	13	17	17	16
Robbery	18	12	21	15	8
Aggravated Assault	71	66	49	48	41
Burglary	529	695	658	590	787
Theft	1040	1070	865	879	899
Theft Motor Vehicle	104	106	77	62	101
Arson	5	5	3	4	1
Drugs	287	289	245	251	238
Citations	1933	1791	1698	2233	1677
Domestic Violence	940	946	870	647	672
DUI's	148	125	114	123	144
Traffic Accidents	1139	1039	999	996	1017
Juvenile Arrests	691	516	585	724	559
Adult Arrests	2445	2530	2532	2429	2448
Total Arrests	3136	3046	3117	3153	3007



Grant Funding

The Kingman Police Department seeks grant funding opportunities. This effort results in enhanced services to the community that may not otherwise be possible. During Fiscal year 2011/2012, the Department was awarded over \$972,000 in grant funding.

Grants	Amount	Purpose of Grant
GOHS – DUI & Seat Belt Enforcement	\$23,000.00	DUI & Seat Belt Enforcement
GIITEM	\$140,000.00	2 Officers to Gang Taskforce
ACJC-DGVCC	\$280,794.00	5 MAGNET Personnel
HIDTA	\$101,490.00	MAGNET Facilities and Services
HIDTA DHE 22	\$10,000.00	MAGNET Drug Highway Interdiction
HIDTA HINTS	\$158,451.21	MAGNET Facility Remodel/Furniture
HIDTA HINTS Celebrite	\$11,594.00	MAGNET Forensics
DART	\$135,600.00	MAGNET Bulk Cash Interdiction
Ballistic Vest	\$1,400.00	Bulletproof Vests
AZ POST	\$8,361.86	Law Enforcement Training Simulator
U.S. Secret Service	\$2,000.00	Computer Forensics
FIRG Task Force	\$100,000.00	MAGNET High Profile Cases

Criminal Investigations Bureau Evidence & Property Section

The Criminal Investigations Bureau is made up of 1 Captain, 1 Lieutenant, 1 Sergeant, 4 general assignment Criminal Investigators, 2 Evidence/Property Technicians and 1 Administrative Secretary.

This past year the Criminal Investigations Bureau handled approximately 246 felony cases. 129 of these cases were cleared by arrest or other successful clearances. This gives the bureau a 73 % clearance rate for the year 2012. 46 of these cases are inactive and there are still 56 cases active and openly being investigated.



The bureau gave 6 speaking engagements throughout the year covering such topics as, Domestic Violence Awareness, Robbery Prevention, Identity Theft, and Fraud.

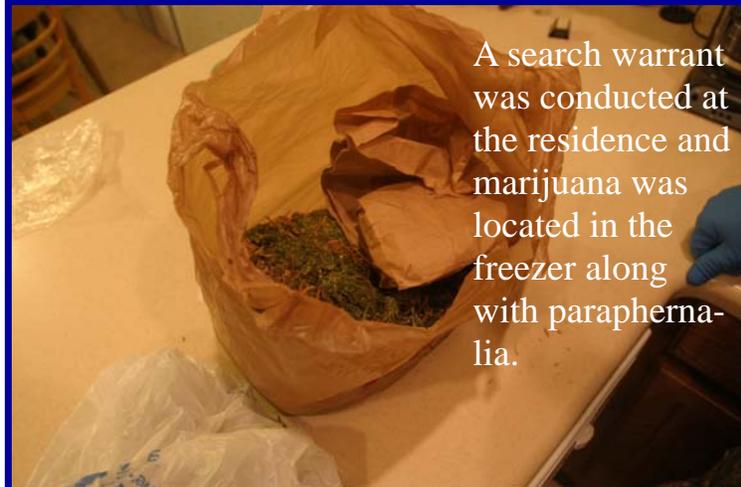
The Administrative Secretary handled 401 business license applications.

This past year there were no Homicides in Kingman. However there were some shootings that detectives investigated.

In September of this last year the detective bureau was in the process of writing a search warrant for a different investigation, when dispatch advised of a subject that was shot. Detectives responded and learned that roommates



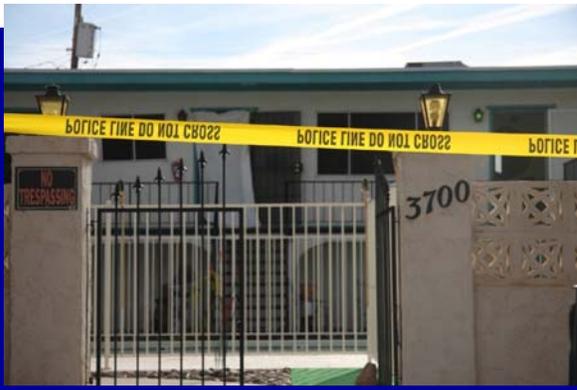
were arguing over money when one roommate shot the other. The suspect was standing on the corner waiting for officers to arrive. The victim was sitting in the garage.



A search warrant was conducted at the residence and marijuana was located in the freezer along with paraphernalia.

The detective bureau also responded to a multiple stabbings investigation. In the early morning hours a male subject went to his former girlfriends' residence and stabbed multiple people.





During the year the Investigations Bureau is sometimes called to assist other agencies when an officer is involved in a shooting. This past year we responded to Lake Havasu City Arizona to assist in this type of case. Lake Havasu officers responded to an apartment complex where a suspect was holding a gun on the occupants of the apartment next door, and threatening to harm residents.



It is believed that alcohol was a factor

The suspect left the area and was later located at an area business where he turned himself in.



The Investigations Bureau was inundated with auto burglaries this past year.

This investigation involved juveniles who in the early morning hours and were seen by patrol officers running from a business. Detectives became involved and these juveniles were later tied to vehicle burglaries that had occurred the last week in this area.



This year we welcome Evidence Technician Steve Barnes!

Since his arrival in March 2012 Steve has been instrumental in reorganizing the entire evidence department. Together we have completed two intensive inventories of the entire facility which resulted in destroying an enormous amount of evidence ready for disposal.

- The Evidence Room has downloaded a total of 34,923 photos.
- 3,656 items have been received this year.
- 1,855 items were destroyed
- 205 items were returned to their owners
- 220 items were donated to charitable organizations
- 148 items were converted for departmental use
- 52 items were returned to other police agencies



We have auctioned two motorcycles and a boat which resulted in a deposit into the City's general fund of \$4,928.50 and we converted a small hauling trailer into the Cities name for use within the department.

All the unclaimed money which hasn't been dealt with in years and include many cases from 1970 resulted in another deposit into the City's general fund of \$15,734.45

Five illegal motorcycles that have been on the property for years were crushed which resulted in a small donation into the City's general fund for the scrap metal.



Evidence's number one back log was finally resolved with extensive research and a working collaboration with the City Attorney Carl Cooper which resulted in the destruction of 699 guns which included cases from the 60's and 70's. A small amount of money resulting from the scrap metal of the guns was deposited into the City's general fund.

Both the City and County Attorney's keep us busy with copying CD's, DVD's, and files needed for their court cases, which result in court dispositions that need to be compared to items held in evidence. Between the requests from attorneys and court dispositions we average between 1000 to 1500 requests and/or dispositions per year.



This year, Evidence added a stainless steel, 12 locker refrigerator unit. It is a controlled unit with a constantly regulated temperature and an alarm if the unit goes out. This secure unit is used for temporary evidence storage of DNA evidence and blood draws.

Flex Detectives



The Kingman Police Department Flex Team consists of one non rotational detective, Bill Fancher, and one rotating detective/ canine handler Adam Parrott. The objective for the Flex Team is to combat street level narcotics and quality of life issues in the City of Kingman. In addition to their regular duties they also taught various classes at the training academy “WALETA,” and gave various talks on a variety topics for the citizens of Kingman and assisted both Patrol and Investigations Bureau with numerous robberies and auto burglary investigations.



This was a traffic stop conducted by the Flex Squad on Interstate 40. Flex Detectives became suspicious when stories from the driver and passenger didn't match. They obtained permission to search the vehicle resulting in a seizure of over \$298,000. The driver and the passenger denied any knowledge of the money.



Flex detectives conducted a four month long investigation on numerous suspects transporting Heroin to Kingman. This took up a lot of time and ultimately led to 5 subjects being arrested for this investigation.



Flex detectives also served numerous search warrants through out the city and the county. This search warrant was conducted in Golden Valley and it solved approx. 15 burglary cases and also resulted in a drug arrest and for paraphernalia.

Our newest star...

K9 Sam

This past year Sam was added to the Flex Squad. A testing process was conducted and Adam Parrott was awarded the K9 Handler Position.

Sam is a 2 year old Malinois, which was purchased from Adler Horst International, in California. He is a single detection dog that searches for narcotics. When Sam finds the drug or drugs he will sit and not move, until the handler provides his reward.

Sam has already been a great asset to the police department; he and his handler Det. Parrott have assisted school resource officers and have located drugs at the area schools.

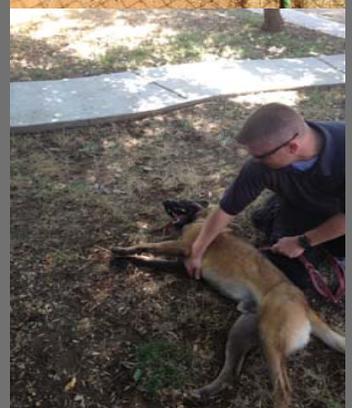
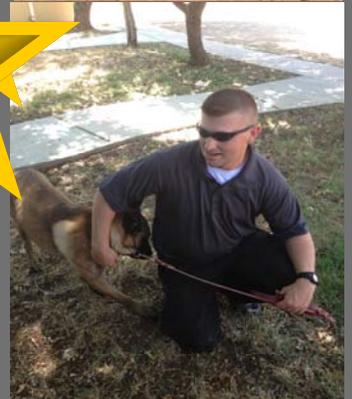
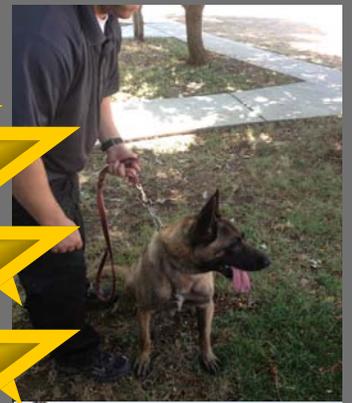
Sam has assisted other agencies with K9 sniffs, which led to the seizure of various amounts of illegal drugs.

Sam's presence alone has led to numerous arrests' involving narcotics.

Sam was purchased from money seized during the year by the Flex Squad.



This is a picture of Sam at Alder Horst International. Det. Parrott is putting Sam through the paces to see if he would fit in at the Kingman Police Department.

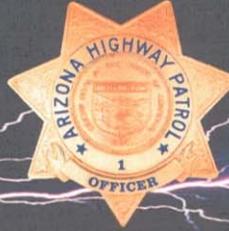


Sam is required to have a minimum of 4 hours of training a week consisting of obedience training and narcotic or illegal drug training. Sam has been used on many cases and has found drug paraphernalia, marijuana and cocaine.

Dr. Paula Acer at Cerbat Cliffs Animal Hospital is Sam's veterinarian. Many of the services she provides are donated to assist the department and community.

M.A.G.N.E.T.

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MOHAVE AREA GENERAL NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT TEAM

M.A.G.N.E.T. is comprised of five separate law enforcement agencies: the Arizona Department of Public Safety, Mohave County Sheriff's Office, Lake Havasu City Police Department, Bullhead City Police Department, and Kingman Police Department, which is the "lead agency". Kingman Police Lieutenant Mark Chastain serves as the M.A.G.N.E.T. Commander. The Mohave County Attorney's Office houses three prosecutors in the M.A.G.N.E.T. office, located in Kingman. These prosecutors not only prosecute cases generated by M.A.G.N.E.T. detectives, but they also provide legal advice to help detectives develop sound cases.

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Arrests:

- Drug Related.....388
- Non-Drug Related.....67
- Total Arrests.....455**

Drugs Seized/Purchased:

- Cocaine.....32.9 Kilograms
- Heroin.....293.155 Grams
- Marijuana.....1,424.328 Pounds
- Marijuana Plants16,524 Plants
- Methamphetamine.....14,861.83 Grams
- Illegal Prescription Drugs.....433 Units

Asset Seizures:

- Currency.....\$517,451.55
- Vehicles.....\$200,580.00
- Other (Weapons, jewelry, etc.).....\$47,125.00

Note: Asset seizures are dependant on court review and judgment before these assets can be liquidated and deposited into the "Anti-Racketeering Fund". At times there can be up to several years delay pending court review before the assets can be converted for use.

Other Statistics:

- Number of Methamphetamine related cases.....257
- Number of search warrants served.....95
- Number of drug endangered child referrals/calls to CPS.....10
- Number of Interdiction Activity Assists.....33

Community Outreach:

In 2012, M.A.G.N.E.T. participated in many different community outreach programs, including the Drug Take Back Initiative in September and manning a "Dump the Drugs" booth at Kingman's Annual Walk Away from Drugs event in October.

M.A.G.N.E.T. Secures New Housing for Operations

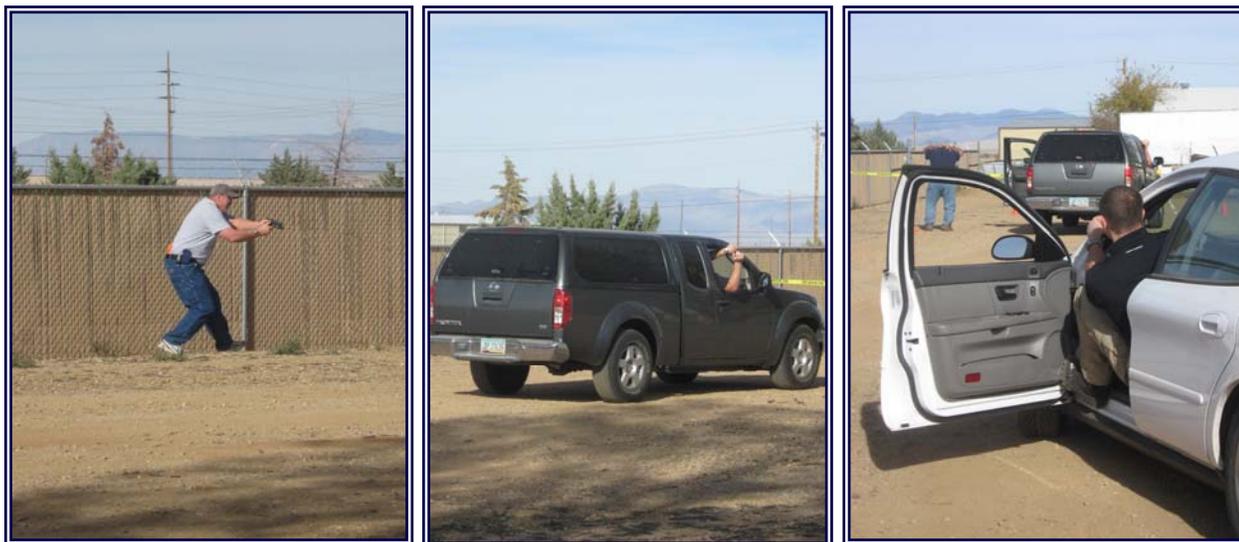
Thanks to on-going collaborative efforts with California's Regional Narcotics Suppression Program (RNSP), M.A.G.N.E.T. was contacted and asked to assist with locating an 18 wheeler that was believed to be hauling an unknown illicit cargo. M.A.G.N.E.T. located this 18 wheeler and seized 1.3 million in U.S. currency.

M.A.G.N.E.T., believing that it would be better to own its own facility rather than lease, began a search for a building suitable for its needs. A building was located which provided office space twice the size of its current location.

M.A.G.N.E.T. used the seized money from the 18 wheeler to purchase the building costing the tax payers nothing.

With the assistance of H.I.D.T.A., the building was renovated to accommodate the needs of M.A.G.N.E.T. This allowed for a co-location for G.I.I.T.E.M., the Mohave County Attorney's Office and M.A.G.N.E.T. M.A.G.N.E.T. moved to its new facility in June 2012. The move allows M.A.G.N.E.T. to not be so reliant on grant funding to support its operations and allows for sustainability into the future.

In addition to being the permanent home for M.A.G.N.E.T.'s day to day operations, the facility is also being utilized for trainings conducted by member law enforcement agencies.



CASE HIGHLIGHTS

In January, M.A.G.N.E.T. received intelligence that fifty pounds of high grade marijuana was coming through the Kingman area, in route to Tallahassee, Florida. The transport was located and tracked to a controlled delivery location in Florida. Florida law enforcement officials served a search warrant on the location and seized approximately \$90,000.00 from known smugglers.

In January, M.A.G.N.E.T. detectives located and seized ninety-one pounds of high grade marijuana in route from California to Texas.

In April, M.A.G.N.E.T. assisted Department of Public Safety officers with a traffic stop on Interstate 40. The investigation yielded a total weight of two gallons of liquid methamphetamine in the windshield wiper fluid container worth approximately \$50,000.

On April 19, 2012, M.A.G.N.E.T. detectives assisted the Arizona Department of Public Safety with the discovery of 28 pounds of high-grade marijuana during a search of a vehicle. Detectives conducted interviews of the suspects and they admitted to transporting the marijuana from California to Wilmington, North Carolina. Both suspects agreed to become confidential informants and complete a controlled delivery. Detectives contacted the Wilmington, North Carolina Police Department and they agreed to accept the delivery. Photographs of the marijuana and informants were sent to the receiving agency. As a result of the controlled delivery, three additional arrests were made, and an additional pound of marijuana seized. Two search warrants were written and a major marijuana grow operation in California was identified and shared with DEA.

On April 20, 2012, M.A.G.N.E.T. detectives assisted the Arizona Department of Public Safety with a traffic stop made on I-40. The officer suspected there was contraband concealed in the intake manifold of the Dodge pickup. The vehicle was taken to the A.D.O.T. shop and the manifold was disassembled. As a result, 10 lbs of cocaine was discovered. The suspect was interviewed and eventually booked into jail. Information gained during the interviews revealed the suspect was traveling from Fontana, California. to Louisville, Kentucky. Additional information was shared with Kentucky law enforcement agencies. \$1,516 in U.S. currency was seized.

In April of 2012 M.A.G.N.E.T., in a collaborative effort with BLM (Bureau of Land Management), DEA (Drug Enforcement Agency), US Border Patrol and the Arizona Game and Fish Department, initiated an investigation into a large marijuana grow operation being conducted on a remote portion of BLM land south of Wikieup, Arizona. On July 10th, 2012, members of the above agencies along with two Arizona Department of Public Safety helicopters and one DEA helicopter conducted a "raid" of the marijuana grow operation. Four Mexican Nationals were apprehended after a short foot pursuit. Several grow sites were located scattered amongst the vegetation next to the Big Sandy river. In excess of 16,000 marijuana plants, valued at \$8,139,000, in various stages of growth were eradicated. Makeshift encampments were located throughout the grow sites along with a large amount of debris. Sophisticated water catch basins were also discovered. With the use of helicopters, marijuana plants were moved to a safe location where BLM Wild Land Fire personnel burned the plants.





On September 15, 2012 M.A.G.N.E.T. assumed an investigation into liquid Methamphetamine. The Mohave County Sheriff's Office attempted to stop a vehicle for an equipment violation. After a pursuit and ultimate contact with the occupants of the vehicle a suspected Methamphetamine Laboratory was located in the vehicle along with an explosive device. M.A.G.N.E.T. responded and determined that the suspected Methamphetamine Laboratory was Methamphetamine in its liquid form. Bullhead City Police Department Bomb Technicians responded and rendered the explosive device safe. The investigation revealed that there was approximately 2.07 gallons of Methamphetamine. Suspect interviews revealed that they were transporting the methamphetamine for a Devils Disciple Outlaw Motorcycle Gang member. The investigation is on-going.

In October, M.A.G.N.E.T. detective Brandon Barkhurst assisted the Arizona Department of Public Safety with a traffic stop on the Arizona Strip in which 224 pounds of marijuana were located and seized. Two suspects were arrested.



This year M.A.G.N.E.T. has seen a rise in the availability of heroin in Mohave County. Several deaths in the City of Kingman have been attributed to the use of heroin.

D.A.R.T. Drug Asset Recovery Team

M.A.G.N.E.T. submitted and was awarded a Bulk Cash Initiative grant which purpose is to seize drug proceeds and weapons destined for the Country of Mexico. M.A.G.N.E.T. arranged for officers from the Kingman Police Department, Lake Havasu City Police Department, Bullhead City Police Department, Mohave County Sheriff's Office and the Arizona Department of Public Safety to attend Desert Snow training. The Drug Asset Recovery Team (D.A.R.T.) was formed.

Statistics

Number of Days Details Conducted.....	52
Miles Driven.....	6864.4
Number of Traffic Stops.....	652
Number of Stops that Resulted in Search.....	51
Number of Searches that Resulted in Items Seized.....	11
Number of Citations Issued.....	61
Number of Written Warnings Issued.....	502

On June 6th, an officer conducted a vehicle stop for a traffic violation. The driver of the vehicle did not have a consistent story. A search of the vehicle was conducted, which yielded \$8,500.00 in cash. The money was seized by M.A.G.N.E.T. and the Mohave County Attorney's Office.

On June 21st, an officer working a D.A.R.T. detail stopped a vehicle on Interstate 40 which contained four illegal immigrants. A search of the vehicle was conducted and no contraband was located. Due to no one in the vehicle having a valid driver's license, the vehicle was impounded. United States Customs and Boarder Patrol (C.B.P.) was notified of the subjects illegal status.

On July 10th, agents working D.A.R.T. activity just east of Kingman, Arizona seized \$298,000.00 out of a hidden compartment in a vehicle trunk. Subjects transporting the money signed disclaimers and the money was forfeited.

On August 16th, an officer stopped a vehicle traveling from Waco, Texas, to Berkeley, California. A search of the vehicle was conducted and \$15,000.00 in U.S. currency was located. The money was seized by M.A.G.N.E.T. and the Mohave County Attorney's Office. When questioned by M.A.G.N.E.T. detectives, the driver of the vehicle stated that he was transporting the money for someone else and that he suspected it was drug money. Information from the suspect on who he was transporting the money for was forwarded to authorities in Texas.

On August 29th, an officer stopped a vehicle traveling ten miles per hour over the speed limit. The driver presented numerous indicators for marijuana. The driver consented to a search of the vehicle. Ground marijuana, a joint, and a marijuana pipe were located. The driver was arrested accordingly.

Gang and Immigration Intelligence Team Enforcement Mission (G.I.I.T.E.M.) is a statewide, multi-agency task force consisting of five districts that provide gang and illegal immigration enforcement and intelligence services. The two Mohave County squads are part of the Northern G.I.I.T.E.M. district.

Ten detectives and two sergeants make up the Mohave County squads. The two squads are identified as the enforcement squad and the investigations squad, each made up of five detectives and one sergeant. Detectives are based in Kingman, Bullhead City and Lake Havasu City. G.I.I.T.E.M. is made up of two detectives from the Kingman Police Department, one from the Bullhead City Police Department, one from the Lake Havasu City Police Department, and six detectives and two sergeants from the Arizona Department of

Public Safety.

While the unit's primary area of responsibility is Mohave County, it is also utilized around the state for special details, enforcement efforts and investigations.

G.I.I.T.E.M.'s anti-gang efforts are directed into three areas: enforcement, intelligence gathering and training.

G.I.I.T.E.M. is one of only a few true multi-agency statewide gang task force programs in the country. G.I.I.T.E.M.'s unique approach brings together law enforcement and prosecutorial agencies from municipal, county, state, federal and tribal jurisdictions in a coordinated, intelligence-driven approach to deal with gangs and violent human smuggling organizations on a large scale. Traditionally, Arizona agencies addressed the gang and illegal immigration problem individually, rather than

collectively. This separate approach resulted in displacement rather than focused and directed gang and illegal immigration enforcement efforts and identification. The primary benefit of the G.I.I.T.E.M. task force is the combined resolution of the involved agencies and citizens, who ultimately are the recipients of the project's services, to cripple gangs and human smuggling organizations in the state rather than displacing these problems into adjoining jurisdictions.

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Statistics

Arrests and Seizures		Other Activity	
Total Number of Arrests	43	GMIC Cards (Gang Member ID)	96
Felony Arrests	34	Drop Houses	0
Misdemeanor Arrests	9	Illegal Immigrant Apprehension	0
Gang Member Arrests	30	Request for Assistance	32
Human Smuggler Arrests	0	G.I.I.T.E.M. Search Warrant	18
Firearms Seized	3	Major Security Details	4
Vehicles Seized	2	Major Operations	3



The mission of the Gang and Immigration Intelligence Team Enforcement Mission (G.I.I.T.E.M.) is to:

- *Deter criminal gang activity through investigations, arrest and prosecution.*
- *Dismantle gang-related criminal enterprises.*
- *Deter border-related crimes.*
- *Disrupt human smuggling organizations.*
- *Collect, analyze and disseminate gang and illegal immigration intelligence.*
- *Provide anti-gang and illegal immigration awareness training to communities and schools.*

CASE HISTORY

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

On January 6, 2012 at approximately 1700 hours, Bullhead City Police Department responded to the 900 block of Harbor Drive in reference to numerous gun shots being fired. The reporting party indicated the suspects were SOUTH SIDE BOYZ gang members shooting from a green Chevy S-10 pick up truck. Moment's later, dispatch received a call from a citizen on Montecito Drive that indicated she observed three male subjects exit a vehicle carrying guns and run into the Montecito Drive residence.

Bullhead City PD units responded to both locations. Officers located a crime scene consisting of "nine" .9 mm shell casings consistent with being fired from a moving vehicle in the 900 block of Harbor Drive. Officers interviewed witnesses who stated the shots were fired at a BREED STREET gang member who is currently living in the 900 block of Harbor Dr.

The officers that responded to Montecito Drive located a green Chevy S-10 parked in the driveway that matched the description provided by the original caller who reported the shooting and the caller who witnessed the male subjects exiting the vehicle with guns.

BHCPD officers contacted a SOUTH SIDE BOYZ gang member and two gang associates at the Montecito residence. During the initial interviews it was learned that a blue Dodge Durango driven by the victim, drove by

the Montecito residence and possibly brandished a weapon. All of the subjects initially lied to officers with a variety of misleading accounts of what happened. Essentially, the subjects stated they followed the blue Durango to Harbor Drive where a shooting occurred. The subjects were reluctant to tell the officers exactly what occurred.

BHCPD Detectives arrived and began conducting field interviews with the subjects. Detectives confirmed that the subjects were in fact involved in the shooting and the weapons used in the shooting were hidden inside the residence. Detectives were allowed in the residence and shown a .9 mm handgun and a .12 gauge shotgun. Detectives received information that another SOUTHSIDE BOYZ member was the person who fired the gun.

Mohave Enforcement detectives were called to take over the investigation.

Suspect interviews indicated the victim had allegedly driven by their residence and brandished a firearm. At that time the four of them followed him to the area of his residence where the shooting suspect removed a .9 mm handgun from his waistband and began firing shots towards the victim. The subject then stated another subject who was with the victim began firing shots back at them. The subject stated they arrived back at his residence at which time the suspect gave his brother the gun and told him to hide it then fled the area on foot.

The victim's mother stated that the

suspect has been threatening her son since he identified the suspect and another man during a 2010 gang related attempted murder investigation that occurred at AM/PM in August of 2010. During that investigation, the victim in this case, cooperated with law enforcement which led to the prosecution and incarceration of the shooting suspect.

The three subjects were arrested by Mohave Enforcement for drive-by shooting, aggravated assault, and assisting a criminal street gang and booked into the Mohave County jail.

During the investigation GIITEM detective's learned the number of the cell phone the suspect was using. GIITEM detectives began tracking the suspect's whereabouts through his cell phone which eventually led to his apprehension. The suspect was in possession of a man's wig in an effort to conceal his identity. He was booked into the Mohave County Jail for drive-by shooting, aggravated assault, assisting a criminal street gang along with a probation violation warrant for an original charge of assisting a criminal street gang and aggravated assault.

GIITEM detectives also arrested the suspect's girlfriend for hindering prosecution. She had been allowing the suspect to stay at her residence since the time of the shooting and confessed to seeing the suspect's photograph in the newspaper along with the WANTED flyer.

OPERATION CATCH 22

Beginning in June of 2011, the Arizona State Gang Task Force (GIITEM) has seen a resurgence of violent crimes related to the Vagos Motorcycle Gang in the Bullhead City area. This follows a six month lull in violent activity in the wake of Operation Sandcastle where members of the Vagos Motorcycle Gang were arrested stemming from a riot at Rio Lomas beach in Bullhead City. Recently, there have been several incidents where Vago members, prospects, and hang-arounds have been involved in violent encounters involving other patrons of local bars. The common denominator of most of these instances is the reluctance or refusal of witnesses to come forward for fear of reprisal from the gang.

The latest incident occurred on December 23rd, 2011 at a local business in Bullhead City. During this incident, a patron was assaulted, dragged out of the bar, and beaten by several members of the Vagos motorcycle Gang.

On December 24th, 2011 GIITEM Mohave Enforcement began an investigation into the incident. This investigation coupled with a concurrent investigation into the Lake Havasu Chapter of the Vagos MC revealed crimes including assaults, witness intimidation, drug sales, motorcycle theft, and possession of stolen property.

On February 29, 2012 in the early morning hours, law enforcement officers from all over the tri-state area served 11 search warrants, along with 10 arrest warrants, at various locations across Mohave County to include Bullhead City, Ft. Mohave, Mohave Valley, Lake Havasu City, and Laughlin, NV. The Arizona Department of Public Safety State Gang Task Force (GIITEM) was assisted by the Bullhead City Police Department, Fort Mohave Tribal Police Department, Highway Patrol, Kingman Police Department, Lake Havasu City Police Department, Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department, Mohave Area General Narcotics Enforcement Team (MAGNET) and the Mohave County Sheriff's Office.

CASE HIGHLIGHTS

Fraudulent Schemes/ Assisting a Criminal Street Gang Warrant

On August 2, 2012, Mohave GIITEM, with the assistance of the GIITEM Units from Coconino County, and Maricopa County, ACTIC, Metro Highway Patrol, Phoenix PD, Phoenix Fire and US Army CID, executed three search warrants as part of "Operation Avalanche" on Ruff Ryders members in the Phoenix area. The warrants were served as part of an investigation involving an insurance fraud in which Ruff Ryders members stripped their president's Chevrolet Avalanche and burned it so she could collect insurance money. One search warrant was served in Phoenix, the second warrant was served in New River, while the third search warrant was served in Surprise, AZ. During the service of the search warrants, detectives located the rear window of the Avalanche, as well as the rims and headrest TV systems from the Avalanche. In addition, about 2.0 grams of marijuana and marijuana pipes were located as well as parts of a stolen motorcycle. That stolen motorcycle was from a 2008 Mesa Police Department investigation. Three individuals were arrested and booked for fraudulent schemes, participating in/assisting a criminal street gang, and participating in a criminal syndicate. One was additionally charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of marijuana, while another was charged with possession of stolen property. This investigation continues.

Conviction at trial- Attempted Manslaughter/ Aggravated Assault

On August 7, 2012 the jury trial of a Southside Boyz (Sureno) gang member commenced in Mohave County Superior Court stemming from an August 2010 shooting where he shot a Norteno gang member four times and his girlfriend three times after the two parties exchanged gang gestures regarding Sureno and Norteno street gangs.

The shooting incident was captured on video tape that displayed the two victims fueling their vehicle at the AM/PM store in Mohave Valley. Three South Side Boyz gang members arrived shortly thereafter. One of the Southside Boyz was observed walking into AM/PM which caught the eye of the victims who are seen stopping and apparently watching the Southside Boyz gang member walk into the store. The victims drove past the waiting vehicle and apparently "mad dogged" the remaining South Side Boyz members.

The surveillance video showed the victims back their vehicle up and begin confronting the remaining Southside Boyz. All of the participants postured one another and witnesses state they heard what sounded like gang slurs being exchanged. The confrontation took a turn for the worst when the other Southside Boyz gang member exited the store and observed the fight occurring. He punched both victims at which time the Norteno gang member was seen running toward his vehicle. As he advanced to his vehicle the three South Side Boyz members got back into their vehicle.

The Norteno Gang member was then observed running up to the driver's side of the vehicle containing the South Side Boyz Gang members with his right hand concealed behind his

back. One of the Southside Boyz then opened fire on the first victim shooting him four times. The victim's girlfriend is then observed running towards the vehicle at which time the Southside Boyz gang member shot her three times. The South Side Boyz Gang members fled the area and eventually absconded to Mexico.

The shooter was able to avoid being captured for seventeen months. Once he was eventually arrested he was interviewed and stated he shot both victims in self-defense.

During the trial, the GIITEM case detective was qualified as gang expert on Sureno street gangs.

After deliberation, the Mohave County jury convicted the shooter of two counts of attempted manslaughter, two counts of aggravated assault, assisting a criminal street gang and misconduct involving weapons.

This conviction was made possible by cooperation between Mohave GIITEM, the Mohave County Sheriff's Office and the Fort Mohave Tribal Police Department.

Attempted First Degree Murder/ Search Warrant

On August 12, 2012 the Bullhead City Police Department responded to a residence on Lakeside Boulevard in reference to a shooting victim. Upon Arrival, BHCPD contacted the victim, a close associate to the president of the Lake Havasu chapter of the Vagos. The victim was transported to the hospital.

BHCPD detectives conducted the initial interview with the victim who indicated he was shot by a Hispanic male who was driving a grey truck that was owned by a former Vago who was recently kicked out of the Vagos in bad standing. Due to the apparent gang

nexus BHCPD turned the investigation over to GIITEM.

As the investigation progressed, a possible suspect emerged with the street name of Largo. GIITEM detectives were familiar with a White Fence gang member who was recently paroled to Bullhead City who used the moniker "Largo". A photo line up was created and shown to the victim and his wife who also witnessed the shooting. The victim and his wife both positively identified the shooter as the same person.

GIITEM detectives worked with the shooter's parole officer who issued a parole violation warrant. GIITEM detectives distributed a state wide wanted bulletin for his arrest.

On August 17, 2012 detectives from the MAGNET received information on the shooter's whereabouts. MAGNET and GIITEM began a surveillance detail which quickly resulted in the shooter being arrested on the parole violation warrant. During the arrest, the shooter went towards a loaded sawed off shotgun but was apprehended without serious incident.

GIITEM detectives authored a search warrant for the residence in which the shooter was found. A total of three illegal firearms, methamphetamine, drug paraphernalia and a stolen 1999 Harley Davidson Motorcycle were recovered. The shooter was booked for a violation of his parole, Misconduct Involving Weapons, Possession of Dangerous Drugs, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, and Resisting Arrest.

GIITEM detectives are still investigating the shooting and are confident he will also be charged with two counts of attempted first degree murder.

Northside Piru

On September 9, 2012 at about 1730 hours, a GIITEM detective contacted a subject in the 3200 block of John L Avenue in Kingman AZ. The subject had an Arrest Warrant for Failure to Appear from Sacramento, California. He failed to appear for court on an attempted murder charge. Information from Sacramento PD said that the subject was a North Side Piru gang member. After locating the subject at the residence, the detective noticed he had PIRU tattooed on his left arm and "N.S.P" tattooed underneath it. When the subject was classified



at the jail, he admitted that he was a North Side Piru, which was a Bloods Gang Set. The subject stated that he was jumped into the gang when he was 14 years of age. He dropped out/walked away when he was 24. He went on to say that North Side Pirus are in the North Side Heights area of Sacramento, California.

Multi-Agency Assist: California Stabbing Suspect Apprehension

On May 4, 2012, GIITEM detectives received a phone call from a detective with the San Jose Police Gang Unit who requested assistance in locating a Sureno Gang Member who had stabbed a co-worker in the torso on September 9, 2011. During the stabbing suspect was yelling "Sur Trece"

The suspect was identified, but fled California before police could serve a warrant. The suspect was arrested in Mohave County on April 4, 2012, but was not arrested for the \$500,000 Arrest Warrant he had pending in San Jose, California.

With the limited information that was given, detectives found that the suspect was arrested in Littlefield, Arizona and was booked for failure to provide driver's license. He was using a false name and date of birth and his vehicle was impounded in St. George, Utah after he was arrested.

Detectives were able to locate the vehicle and found that the suspect had been in the business to get property from vehicle. Detectives arranged a release of all property in the vehicle.

Detectives drove to St. George where they conducted surveillance at the impound yard until the suspect's friends came to retrieve his property. Detectives then followed the vehicle from St. George to Las Vegas, Nevada.

After arriving in Las Vegas, detectives, with help from the Las Vegas METRO Police Fugitive Apprehension Team, followed the suspect's friends to an automotive shop on Dean Martin Drive where the suspect was working as a mechanic. He was taken into custody on his arrest warrants, with out any further incident.

For the 2012 School year the School Resource Officers (SRO's) handled a total of 1287 calls for service at the (11) eleven local Kingman school campuses. In 2012 the School Resource Division's total arrests increased from 123 in 2011 to 138 in 2012. In 2012 Officer Mike Bradley retired leaving a vacancy in the SRO division which Officer Phil Hudgens has been selected to fill as soon as patrol staffing levels allow. The opening of Lee Williams High School in the fall of 2012 and Officer Bradley's retirement required a re-assignment of the SRO personnel.

Officer Stacey Mayo was assigned to Lee Williams High School and also Palo Christi Elementary, Officer Ramona Auld was assigned to Kingman Middle School and Manzanita Elementary, Officer John Nielson was assigned to White Cliffs Middle School and Hualapai Elementary and Officer Pat Brock was assigned to all of the Kingman Academy of Learning Schools (Primary, Intermediate, Middle and High School).

In 2011 the SRO Division provided 319 Law Related Education (LRE) classes for a total of 1403 hours of LRE in the schools. In 2012 the SRO Division provided 310 Law Related Education (LRE) classes for a total of 1458 hours of LRE in the Schools. This increase in total hours can be attributed to the increase in drug awareness classes and the addition of the GREAT Program being taught by Officer John Nielson in the middle school environment and the addition of the second KPD Youth Academy which was presented during the summer of 2009 and which continued into the summer of 2011 and 2012.

The School Resource Officers completed the required training to conduct the background investigations on potential police and civilian applicants for the Kingman Police Department and during the 2012 school year over 42 background investigations were conducted.

School Resource Officer's Activity	2011	2012
Calls for Service	1244	1287
Law Related Education Classes	319	310
Law Related Education Total Hours	1403	1458
Drug Related Arrests	29	21
Total Arrests	123	138

The summer of 2006 was the inaugural KPD Youth Academy. This program was patterned after a similar program that Chief DeVries had implemented in Holland, Michigan. This program is designed to expose children in the middle school age (6th, 7th and 8th grade) to law enforcement.

In 2007 a second academy was added and the combined academies accounted for 46 local children in those age ranges. In 2012 the Kingman Police Department continued with the two junior police academies. The Kingman Police Junior Academy Cadets were required to adhere to a Police Academy style protocol which included discipline, daily physical training (PT), team building and evaluations. The School Resource Officers provided training in the following areas during this four (4) week training academy: Intro to the Juvenile Justice System, Probation, Courts and Laws, Drug and Substance Abuse, K-9 handling /demonstration, Crime Scene Processing and Traffic Accident Investigation. Practical exercises, wherein the cadets actually conducted "mock investigations" were utilized in the Crime Scene and Traffic Accident portion of the class. Guest speakers and instructors included Mohave County Attorney Matt Smith, Judge Kathy McCoy, Mohave County Probation Officer Roger Stewart and a DPS K-9 Officer who provided a class and live demonstration on the use of K-9 (dogs) in law enforcement. In 2007 Tactical training and "Building Entry" training was added and seemed to be enjoyed by the cadets.

The cadets were given tours of the Arizona Department of Public Safety Crime Laboratory in Flagstaff. The Cadets also conducted a "mock criminal trial" with the assistance of Mohave County Attorney Matt Smith utilizing the Kingman Municipal Court room.

The cadets completed the Mohave Community College Challenge course which is designed to develop leadership and team building. The academy and graduation ceremonies were held at the new Lee Williams High School campus.



Day 1:

Our cadets enter as 25 individuals, unsure of their future, unaware of their abilities, uncommitted to their teams and to their class:

During the following four weeks, they are challenged with confronting their fears, forming a bond with their team and with the officers and uncovering the potential they all have to excel!

Graduation Day:

The cadets, now as a team, demonstrate to the proud staff and family just how far they have traveled, how much they grew and the beginnings of their potential.





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The Mohave Silent Witness group is a non-profit organization dedicated to the apprehension of wanted suspects through the posting of rewards. Reward money is raised through fund raisers and private donations. The group is managed and operated by an independent board, separate from the Kingman Police Department. The board consists of a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and board members.

Mohave Silent Witness holds monthly business meetings at the Kingman Police Department on the second Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. Anyone interested in being part of this organization is welcomed to attend.

This year Silent Witness paid out \$1,750 dollars for 3 different cases leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspects. Since starting Silent Witness, they have paid out \$37,420 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of criminals in Mohave County.

Callers to Mohave Silent Witness can remain anonymous. Rewards are paid for information leading to prosecutable cases.

You can reach Mohave Silent Witness by calling locally 753-1234, or toll free 1-888-227-8780.

Kingman's 6th Annual & "Keep Kingman Safe"



The Kingman Area Meth Coalition continues to "Adopt a Block" through the Kingman Clean City Commission. The Coalition picks up trash along Stockton Hill Road between Airway Ave and Kino Ave at various times throughout the year.



Our community coalition is made up of law enforcement, government officials, health care professionals, business leaders, attorneys, judges, school officials, and concerned members of the public. Our purpose, goal and mission are described below.

GENERAL PURPOSE:

The objectives of this Coalition will be to conduct a comprehensive needs assessment and raise community awareness of substance abuse through education. Implement ongoing practices for METH and substance abuse prevention, treatment and after care programs.

GOAL:

Minimize the staggering destructive impact of METH, and other substance abuse, in our community.

MISSION:

To organize and establish a comprehensive representation of relevant parties from private, public and non-profit sectors, to develop a partnership through advocacy, education, collaboration, and support of best practices to effectively address METH, and other substance abuse.

"Walk Away from Drugs"



Honor Guards represented at the Walk were MTC, Mohave County S.O., and Kingman Police Department

The Kingman Area Meth Coalition held their 6th Annual Walk Away From Drugs and Keep Kingman Safe Public Safety Expo on Wednesday, October 3rd, 2012. At 5:30PM participants lined up at one of the three starting locations: Smiths, 3490 Stockton Hill Rd, Fire Fighters Park, 2001 Detroit Av, and the lot just east of Mother Road Harley Davidson, 2501 Beverly Av. At approximately 5:45PM the participants began the walk and ended it at the Centennial Park near the north softball fields. Once at the park, LA Sounds provided music and there were free hotdogs and drinks for those that participated. There were informational booths and public safety displays on hand for all to enjoy. There was also a safe place to dispose of old and unwanted prescription drugs at a "Dump the Drugs" booth. The event collected several pounds of these unwanted drugs. Awards were also given to those that won the coloring contest and poster contest. State and local dignitaries that attended the event included Kingman Mayor John Salem, state Rep. Doris Goodale, Arizona Department of Public Safety Capt. Ron DeLong, HIDTA Director Beth Kempshall, ACJC Director John Blackburn Jr., Kingman Academy of Learning District Administrator Susan Chan, and Kingman Police Chief Bob DeVries. It is estimated that 1500 people attended the event.

Sponsors:

The event is sponsored by: Kingman Area Meth Coalition, Kingman Regional Medical Center, Monica J. Busch Investments, Mohave Mental Health Clinics Inc., Desert De Oro Foods, Taco Bell, Northern Arizona Regional Behavior Health Authority, Powerhouse Kiwanis, Kingman Elks Lodge, MSTEPP, MCTUPP, KART, City of Kingman, City of Kingman Police Department, Mohave County Sheriff's Office, MTC Arizona State Prison Complex-Kingman, Smith's Food and Drug, Mother Road Harley Davidson, LA Sounds, Discount Signs, Pepsi Bottling Of Kingman, Route 66 Association, and other local businesses.



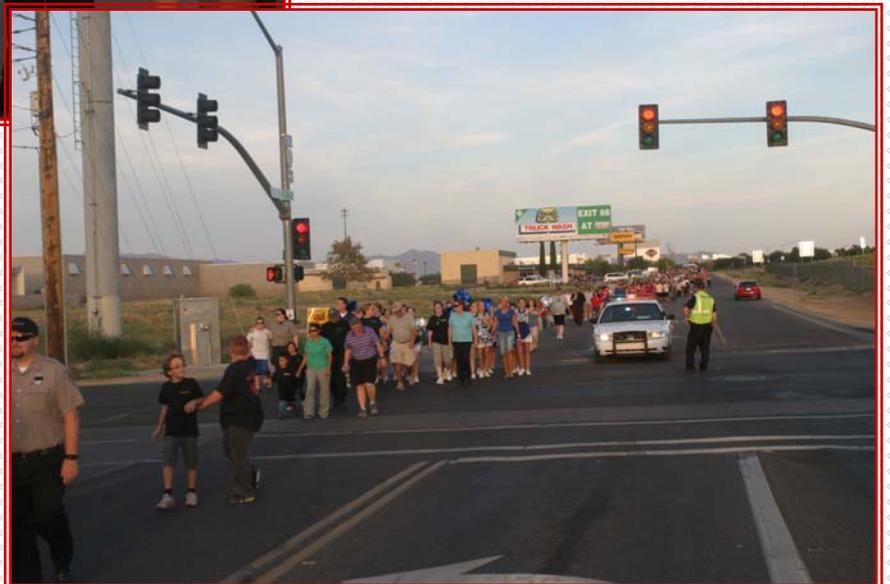
DPS Ranger Unit on display for the Walk A way from Drugs and Keep Kingman Safe Public Safety Expo

MTC Honor Guard Walking to the Park from Mother Road Harley Davidson



A CJC Director JR Blackburn, DPS Captain Ron Delong, State Rep Doris Goodale and Chief Robert DeVries preparing to walk to the Park

Walkers approaching the park from the Mother Road Harley Davidson.



Community Policing & Involvement

Neighborhood Watch

Neighborhood Watch Groups: 2 active groups.



Neighborhood Watch is a program that the Kingman Police Department encourages and supports. KPD currently has 2 active Neighborhood Watch groups. KPD provides support and resources to those persons or groups that are interested in forming and operating an effective neighborhood watch. These programs fight the isolation and separation that crime can create. These groups create a bond among area residents and business, which in turn helps reduce burglaries and other crimes. KPD has found that these groups also improve the relationship between KPD and the community we serve. Anyone interested in forming a Neighborhood Watch in their area is urged to call KPD.

Channel 4 (TV-4)

Kingman Channel 4 (TV-4) is a government access channel that has allowed KPD to broadcast several seasonal programs and public service announcements that involved updates on the new 911 Emergency Dispatch Center, Annual Pumpkin Patrol, False Alarm Ordinance, School Resource Officer information and other outreach programs. This Government Access is provided by SuddenLink Cable, Inc. for use by the City of Kingman under the current cable franchise agreement. The mission of the City of Kingman Government Access Channel TV-4 is to provide an informative and mutually beneficial link between the City and its citizens. This has proven to be a cost effective and efficient way for KPD to share information, current events and crime trends with the local community.



Coffee with Cops

KPD manpower: 10 officers – 30 man hours.

In 2012 KPD held 3 **Coffee with Cops** community events. Coffee with Cops is a community outreach effort by KPD. KPD makes an effort to hold these events on a quarterly basis at neutral locations such as community parks and business parking lots. These events are held at different times and locations throughout the city. The events are advertised and posted, inviting anyone in the community to come and share a cup of coffee with members of the department. The idea is to make ourselves more accessible to the general public for questions and comments. The Kingman Public Safety Mobile Command Post is usually the meeting point and makes the event easier to find.



CrimeReports

www.KingmanPolice.com

KPD CrimeReports page: 4,841 Hits in 2012

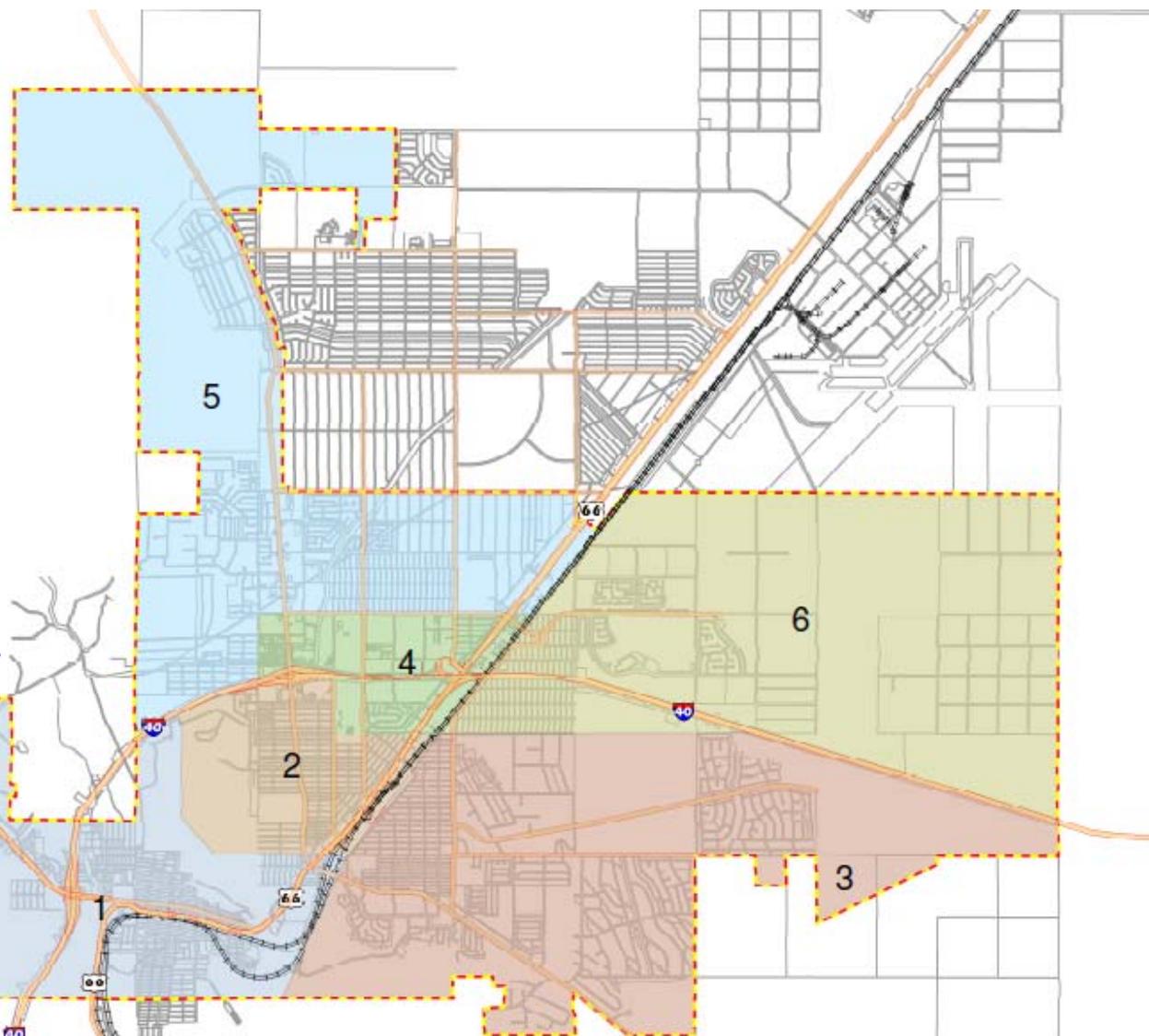
KPD Crime Beat page: 12,311 Hits in 2012

Providing timely and reliable information to our citizens is one of our top priorities. In January 2011 KPD partnered with CrimeReports which gave us the ability to keep the public informed on a regular basis as to what is going on in the community. The public can access the CrimeReports 24 hours a day through the KPD website. This information can also be obtained through the CrimeReports iPhone app, which is available free in the Apple iTunes store. Local citizens are able to sign up for free email alerts to stay on top of crime in their neighborhood. Crime information is posted within 72 hours. KPD hopes to raise the community's awareness that this information is available. In 2012 the CrimeReports page was updated to better serve the community of Kingman.

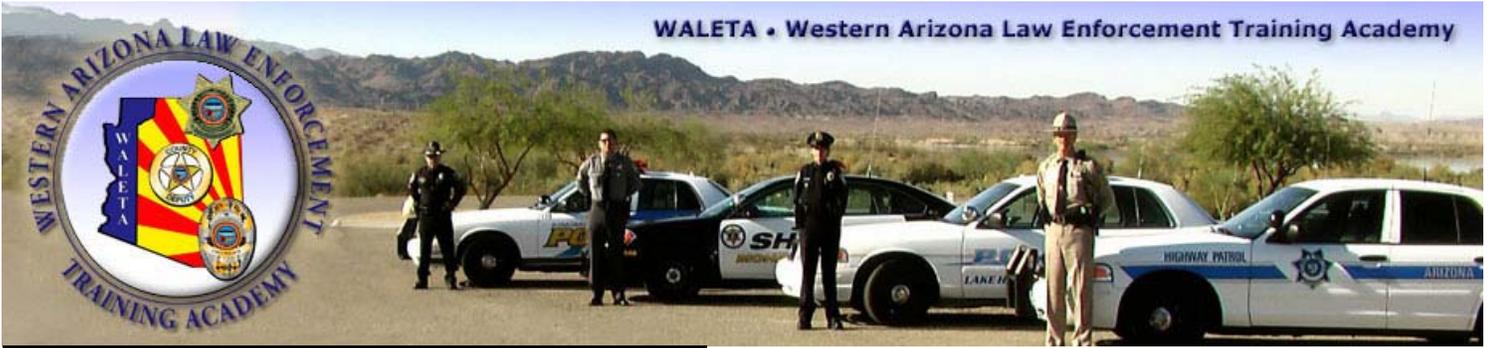
Transient Details

The City of Kingman's geographic location combined with the confluence of major transportation corridors makes it a natural stopping point for both motorists and transients. KPD makes every effort to be sensitive to the needs of the homeless while aggressively protecting the safety, property and quality of life of the community. KPD has maintained relationships with area shelters and resource centers which allows officers to provide resource information to members of the homeless community that are seeking assistance. Anyone interested is provided with this information. KPD recognizes the inherent criminal element associated with any transient community. It is these criminal offenders that KPD has a zero tolerance approach to. The most common types of criminal conduct are Criminal Trespass, Public Consumption of Alcohol, Disorderly Conduct, Illegal Camping and Theft. Every year KPD conducts "Transient Details" as needed. These details involve locating and removing illegal transient camps that are hidden in obscure locations within the city limits. These camps often attract multiple offenders and, if left unattended, would create a community hazard due to the collection of trash and human waste. These details have had a positive impact on crime reduction in the community.

Police Beats & Area Assessments



Police Beats are geographic areas of the city broken down for patrol assignments and statistical purposes. The City of Kingman is currently divided into 6 police beats. These beats have been established based on calls for service and geography, both natural and man made. KPD is committed to providing a timely response to both emergency and non-emergency calls for service. Officers are assigned to a specific "beat" and are responsible for calls for service and other patrol duties in that area. The officers are encouraged to develop relationships with the community and businesses in their assigned area.



WALETA	Hours
Total Academy Hours of Instruction	727
Actual Classroom Hours of Instruction	646
KPD Instructors provided 25% of instruction	182

During 2012 the Kingman Police Department sent two recruit officers to the Western Arizona Law Enforcement Training Academy (WALETA), located in Lake Havasu City for peace officer training. **Officer Dennis**



Farrington and **Officer Kyle Clancy** completed 18 weeks of law enforcement instruction and graduated from WALETA Class 12-10 on December 21st. Both began their 16 week Field Training during the Christmas Holiday weekend.



Class 13-11 is slated to begin on January 28, 2013, with Kingman Police Officer Danny Reed remaining the Class Supervisor. The Class Supervisor is responsible for training and discipline of police recruits. The academy structure is quasi military; designed to promote teamwork, camaraderie, and stress management in addition to a rigorous and aggressive academic schedule.

Kingman Police Department has provided certified personnel to the Academy since its inception in 2007. Participation as an Academy staff member allows for career officers to obtain valuable management and leadership skills which may be utilized in the future for promotional opportunities.

Oversight, direction and fiduciary responsibility for WALETA is provided by the Western Arizona Law Enforcement Association (WALEA), and is managed by Lieutenant Joe Archie of the Lake Havasu City Police Department. Instructors that teach the Academy curriculum are provided by WALEA agencies. Kingman Police Department provides about 25% of the instruction during each recruit class. The instructors provide training in areas such as pursuit driving, firearms, report writing, defensive tactics and law. To date, the Kingman Police Department currently employs fourteen (14) certified police officers who received their certified training at WALETA.





WALETA Campus Expansion:

The Western Arizona Law Enforcement Association (WALEA) was successful in obtaining a \$90,000.00 grant award to expand the academy facility located in Lake Havasu City. The grant was to fund a modular classroom that would allow for both in-service training and academy training simultaneously on campus. On December 17th the modular unit was delivered and placed at the facility. Law enforcement agencies from WALEA will utilize additional funds from drug asset seizures to outfit the modular unit and complete landscaping on site. Staff from the academy envision the unit will be fully operational in time for the start of the January 28th academy.



Dispatch Academy:

The Western Arizona Law Enforcement Training Academy held its first Dispatch Academy in July 2012. The Dispatch graduates receive three weeks of intense classroom and scenario based training resulting in several certifications being awarded. WALETA can house the dispatchers on campus in the dorm rooms during the three week academy. The second Dispatch Academy was held January 7th, 2013 to January 25th, 2013. Dispatch class 13-02

graduated sixteen dispatchers representing nine agencies from around the state. The next Dispatch Academy, Class 13-03 will begin July 8th, 2013. This is the only Dispatch Academy available in the State of Arizona.



HONOR

GUARD



The team is currently comprised of the following members:

Sergeant Dave Coffin — Team Leader, Officer Dennis Miller, Officer Marcus Hood, Officer Rochelle Finney, Detective Adam Parrott, Detective Brandon DeLong

The Kingman Police Department Honor Guard was formed in 2010. The Honor Guard unit is a ceremonial unit composed of Police Officers that volunteer their time. The unit provides funeral honors for fallen comrades and are “guardians of the colors” which they display by escorting the National Flag during ceremonial occasions. The Honor Guard participates in funerals, parades, and several ceremonial events throughout the city. The uniforms worn and equipment used by the Honor Guard were paid for by RICO (drug money seizure) funds.

Events that the Honor Guard participated in are as follows:

*Andy Devine Days Parade
Pink Heals Parade
Veterans Day Parade
Walk Away From Drugs
Relay for Life
Republican Party Event
KRMC Veteran Appreciation
Scotty’s Veteran Appreciation
Little League Events
KPD Awards Ceremony*



DUI Taskforce



During 2012 the Kingman Police Department continued to participate in DUI taskforce operations. These operations were a combined effort by other area law enforcement agencies, such as the Mohave County Sheriff's Office, Arizona Department of Public Safety, Hualapai Tribal Police, and other agencies in the Colorado River areas.



The operations were funded through the Arizona Governor's Office of Highway Safety and National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).



Activity

The Kingman Police Department hosted 22 DUI details, the focus of these were around major holidays and special area events. Our officers made 595 traffic contacts, which resulted in 52 DUI arrests and 37 other subjects were apprehended for arrest warrants and criminal traffic offenses. The department has continued to take an aggressive approach to impaired drivers. The department's success can be seen not only in our area of arrests, but educating the community, increased number of saturation patrols, and additional training to our officers. During Taskforce operations officers contacted 55 designated drivers.



We have also continued efforts in getting the message out to the public on the dangers of impaired driving. We utilized the local Kingman Daily Miner newspaper, a local radio station, road-side business marquees, as well as distributing hundreds of posters containing NHTSA approved artwork. The support we have received from area businesses was greatly appreciated.

During this past year we added three new phlebotomists, bringing our total to five. In 2012 our phlebotomists conducted 80 blood draws during DUI investigations. We also had one officer complete the demanding Drug Recognition Expert training and sponsored two specialized DUI training sessions at the police academy.



The Kingman Police Department is committed to removing impaired drivers from our roads and highways!



STAT Team

The Serious Traffic Accident Team (STAT) was formed in 2008. The STAT Team is tasked with the responsibility of investigating and documenting traffic collisions involving serious injury and/or death. Serious traffic collisions are defined as any collision that involved motor vehicle (s) that results in the excessive property damage, involves malice, serious physical injury, and/or results in the loss of life or any combination thereof.

The team is comprised of highly experienced and trained officers, selected from both the Patrol and Detective Bureaus, who ensure that thorough and comprehensive investigations are conducted and documented.

Each team member has a minimum of Advanced Accident Investigation training, with most members having obtained even more advanced training and certification in the area of Accident Reconstruction. Prior to being selected for the team, each member must have demonstrated experience and skill in conducting and documenting serious traffic collision investigations.

The team is currently comprised of the following members:

Sergeant Dave Coffin — Team Leader

Officer Dennis Miller

Officer Evan Kunert

Officer Eric Urquijo

Officer Dan Spivey

Officer Pat Brock

Detective Todd Foster

D.R. # 2012-18022

June 13th, 2012

1900 Block of Motor Ave.

Vehicle backing out of private/residential driveway ran over a baby. The baby was transported to KRMC where she was pronounced dead.

No criminal actions or charges filed.



D.R. # 2012-22832

July 28th, 2012

MP #69.3 Highway 93 (Coyote Pass)

Single vehicle motorcycle (trike) left the south bound road edge and drove off road into the desert mountain area of the south bound shoulder. Rider and single occupant was pronounced dead at the scene. The rider of the motorcycle is believed to have suffered from a medical event prior to the collision.



Investigative Reports



D.R. # 2012-26259

August 27th, 2012

3200 Block of N. Stockton Hill Rd.

A motorcycle was traveling north bound on Stockton Hill Rd. when a south bound vehicle made a left hand turn into a private driveway access. The vehicle struck the motorcycle, running over the sole rider. The rider of the motorcycle was transported to KRMC where he was pronounced dead. The driver of the vehicle was cited for Failure to Yield—Left Turn.



D.R. # 2012-34129

November 5th, 2012

A motorcycle was traveling west bound on Gordon Dr. when a vehicle traveling east bound on Gordon Dr. made a left hand turn on to Powell Ave. The rider and sole occupant of the motorcycle struck the passenger side of the vehicle. The rider of the motorcycle was initially transported to KRMC and later flown to Sunrise Medical Center in Las Vegas, Nevada, where he was pronounced dead. The driver of the vehicle was cited for Failure to Yield—Left Turn.

D.R. # 201-34599

November 10th, 2012

A vehicle was traveling west bound in the 3700 Block of E. Andy Devine Ave. when the driver and sole occupant crossed the center median, east bound lanes, and then struck landscaping rocks/trees of the east bound shoulder. The driver and sole occupant of the vehicle was transported to KRMC where he was pronounced dead. The driver of the vehicle is believed to have suffered from a medical event prior to the collision.



D.R. # 2012-38540

December 19th, 2012

A male subject got onto the railroad tracks in the area of Eastern Ave. and Pacific Ave. as a west bound train was approaching at approximately 57 miles per hour. The subject turned his back to the train and held his arms up in the air. The subject was pronounced dead at the scene. The investigation revealed the male subject to have made suicidal comments earlier in the evening and told family that he was going to die on this night.



Firearm Training



Jan / Feb: Daytime shoot consisting of the annual handgun and rifle qualifications set by Arizona P.O.S.T. standards.

September: Daytime shoot consisting of handgun and rifle drills. The drills included empty gun transitioning drills; multiple target drills; accuracy drills; and movement shooting.

Oct / Nov: Indoor shoot to include low light shooting, the proposed AZPOST 2013 qualification, accuracy drills, decisions shooting and full automatic weapon familiarization and firing. Shooting indoors is in itself training due to the different sounds and sights.

December: AZPOST rifle school in which seven KPD officers were issued rifles and completed continued training and qualification. This training added additional resources to the officers.

In addition to the live firing shoots, KPD officers and staff participated in simulations training through the Laser Shot scenarios. KPD was also able to send one officer to Rifle Instructor School.





Bomb Squad

The Bomb Squad went through a series of changes this year.

Sergeant Dave Turk retired from the Kingman Police Department and as Bomb Squad Commander. With Sgt. Turk's retirement, Detective Dennis Gilbert assumed duties as the Bomb Squad Commander.

Officer Gabe Brown is starting the procedure to become the next Civilian Bomb Technician for the City of Kingman. He has prior military experience as an Explosive Ordinance Disposal Technician in the United States Army.

Detective Dennis Gilbert has worked diligently with contacts he has developed over the years to acquire additional equipment for the squad to enhance their safety. To date, he has secured the donation of the following equipment:

Your Bomb Squad added some new equipment to make our community safer!

- A Northrup Grumman Remotec Mini Andros II Robot valued at \$120,000.00 donated by the Technical Support Working Group at Tyndall Air Force Base and Combating Terrorism Technical Support Office in Alexandria, Virginia. Supplies were also donated to assist with the operation and maintenance of the equipment.
- A Marcobot Robot valued at \$10,000.00 donated by the Explosive Ordinance Disposal Technical Division from Indian Head, Maryland
- One Bombot System consisting of three remote controlled robots and one controller valued at \$5,000.00 each, for a total donation of \$15,000.00 from the Explosive Ordinance Disposal Team from Marine Corps Base Twenty Nine Palms, California

Total donations received are valued at approximately \$146,500.00 for the City of Kingman.

Code Enforcement

The Code Enforcement Division currently has four (4) full time employees. Their duties cover a wide range of responsibilities to include, quality of life issues, abandoned vehicles, business license compliance, camping violations, junk and debris, stray shopping carts, illegal dumping, commercial vehicle parking, transient camps (clean up), assists with zoning violations, vegetation hazards, traffic control, special details, and animal control.



Neighborhood Services

1550 City Code Enforcement related calls

163 Junked or Abandoned Vehicles

Approximately 50 Community Cleanups utilizing the Betterment Crew.

3 Community Policing Talks

Total Neighborhood Service calls for service- 1,766

Animal Control

The calls Code Enforcement Officers respond to include, animal bites, barking dogs, dog impounds, and dogs at large. Officers work closely with the Western Arizona Humane Society as animals are impounded.

**Total Animal Control calls for service
2,125**

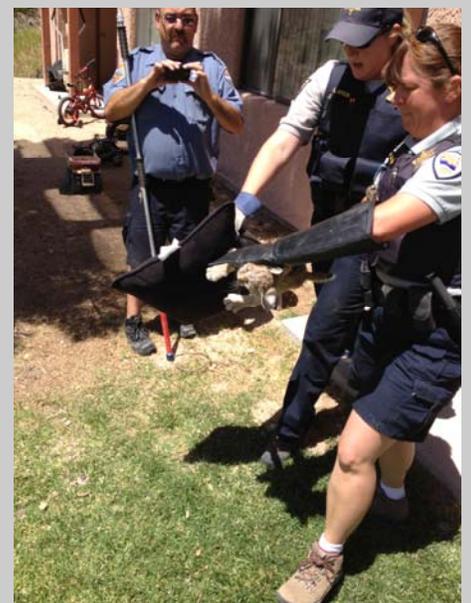
Assist Other Divisions

241 Department Service, included in this total assisting with traffic control.

65 Traffic Complaints/ Road Debris Removal /Stranded Motorists/ Vehicles for Sale.

Total Assists for this agency- 306

Total overall calls handled- 4,197



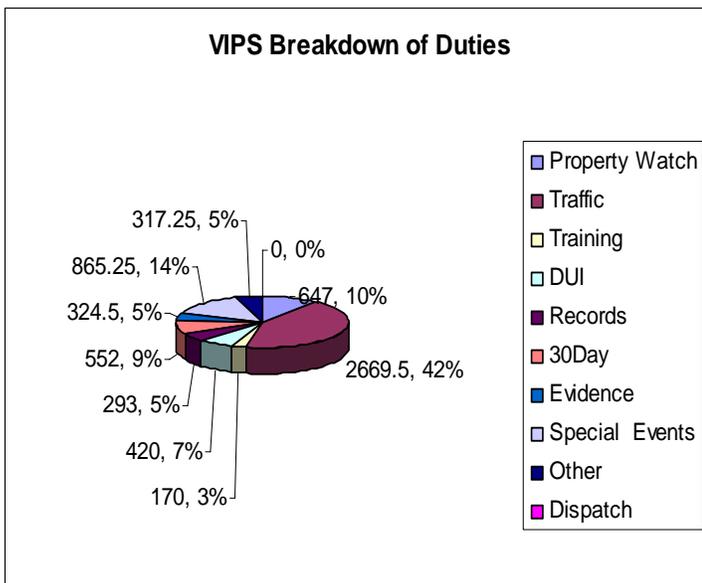
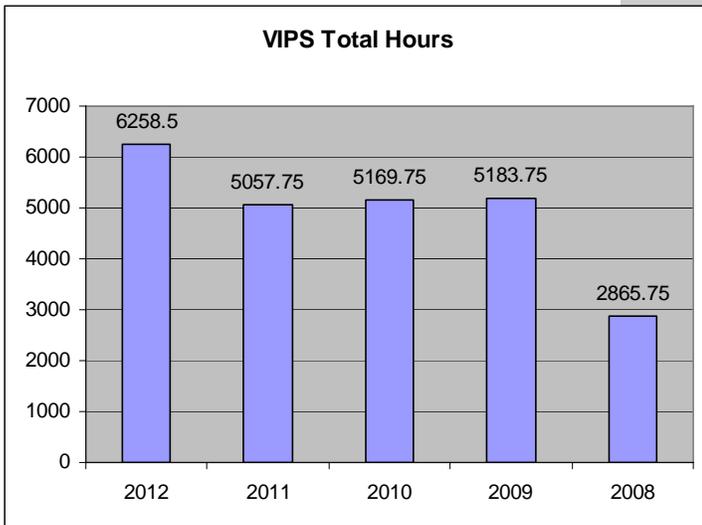
Volunteers in Police Service

V.I.P.S.

In 2012 the VIP's accounted for 6258.5 man hours of police service. The savings to the City of Kingman in service related activities totals \$123,355.04 in wages. This is based on the National Volunteer's in Police Service "Value of Volunteer Time". VIPS numbers continue to increase as does the programs responsibilities and activities. Currently the VIP squad has maintained an average of 20 members as opposed to 14 members in 2011. Volunteers assist with traffic control, property watches, parades, special events, special details, law enforcement officer training, 30 day impounds, clerical and records filing, traffic enforcement, DUI details, and private property accidents.



In 2012, Volunteer Lonnie Taylor was selected as Volunteer of the Year for his hard work and dedication.



the Kingman Police Department VIPS squad provide a professional, ethical, and an invaluable service to their community without monetary reward. They take pride in what they do. The police officers and support staff of the Kingman Police Department are grateful for their committed and continued service.





Explorer Post 47

The Kingman Police Explorers Post #47 program is continuously changing and evolving as well as adapting to the positive development of our communities youth. Our leadership has been streamlined and charged with the duties of mentoring and training our departments Explorers in every aspect of law enforcement, para-military structuring, problem solving and personal development all needed to be a productive citizen in their community.

Sergeant Shalene Weber
Post Committee Chairman

Officer Eric Urquijo
Explorer Post Lead Advisor

Explorers are
trained in:

Physical Fitness

Self Defense

Investigation of
Crimes

Public Speaking

Teamwork



In July of 2012 a week long Explorer Academy (M.L.E.E.A.) was held as it is every summer in Lake Havasu City. Explorer Posts from Arizona and California attended and completed over 120 hours of training in Law Enforcement. KPD Explorer Daniel Williford was presented with the Physical Fitness Award at the graduation ceremony.



**Developing the minds
of the youth for
the future of tomorrow**

9-1-1 Center

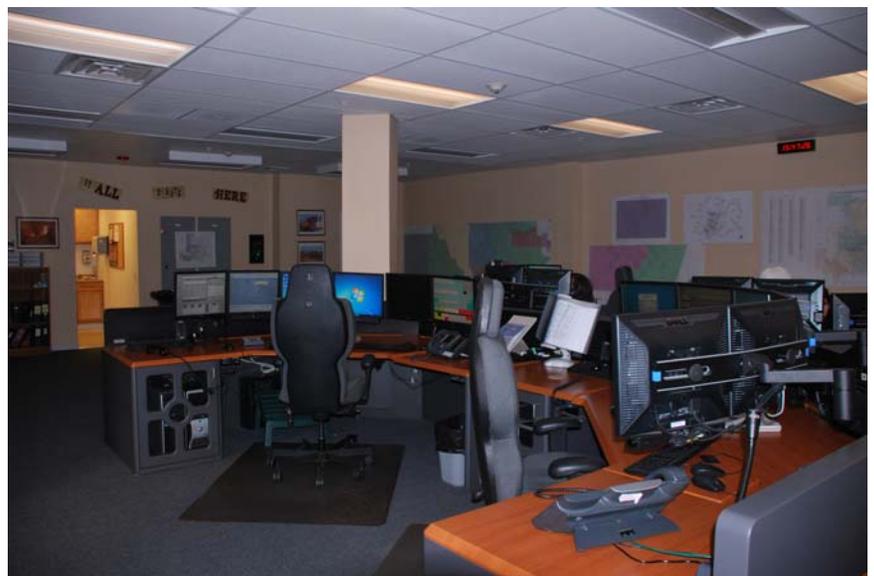
On February 14, 2012 the City of Kingman

opened a new 911 Center in the Kingman downtown area. The 911 Center initially dispatched just for the Kingman Police Department and the Kingman Fire Department; however, on March 1, 2012 the Center added the Northern Arizona Consolidated Fire District, Golden Valley Fire District, Pinion Pines Fire District and the Pine Lakes Fire District to the agencies that are provided services. The 911 Center, when fully staffed, has 15 dispatchers operating the facility 24/7. Due to the efforts of the 911 Center's staff and the other City departments involved in this endeavor the transition from the old dispatch center to the new dispatch center went smoothly. As a result of the long hours and hard work, the Kingman Police Department, Kingman Fire Department and surrounding Fire Districts are being provided a high quality and professional communications service unparalleled by none.

On May 1, 2012 the 911 Center transitioned from the leadership of the Kingman Police Department to the Kingman Fire Department. The transition was made as a result of the center now being a regional dispatch facility consisting of five fire departments and one police department in addition to the physical proximity to the Kingman Fire Department Administrative offices. This transition has been smooth with the continuation of the same quality and professional service provided by the 911 Center.



9-1-1
Always There,
Always Ready!



Records

Department Reports Pulled.....	39,682
Written Reports.....	6,774
Warnings Entered.....	8,554
Citations Entered (Traffic and Code Violations).....	1,677
Field Interviews Entered.....	2,961
Subpoenas, Summons, and Trial Notices Logged In.....	730
Thirty Day Tow/Impound Hearing Requests Logged In.....	211
Criminal Information Requests Processed.....	1,688
Copies of Reports to Other Criminal Justice Agencies.....	2,589
Copies of Reports to Insurance Companies and Individuals.....	1,065
Crash Reports to Insurance Companies and Individuals via Docview.....	459
Average Number of Calls Received by Reception per day.....	91
Average Number of Walk-in Customers per day.....	44

There were some personnel changes in Records this year. We were fortunate to have the assistance of Harsha, our extremely helpful Volunteer. We lost Sydney our Alarm Administrator as she transferred to another department, and Jackie has stepped in to take over. We hired Teri in December to take over Reception, and expect the best. In October we participated in the City wide Pink Heals fund raiser for the Kingman Cancer Care Unit. We also assisted with the set up for this year's event. We did receive some assistance from light-duty officers again this year, but they seem to mend ever so quickly and hurry back to patrol.



Supporting Breast
Cancer Awareness

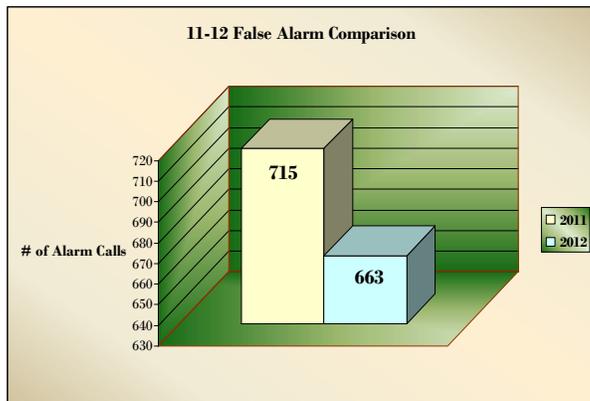
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Celebrating
Halloween

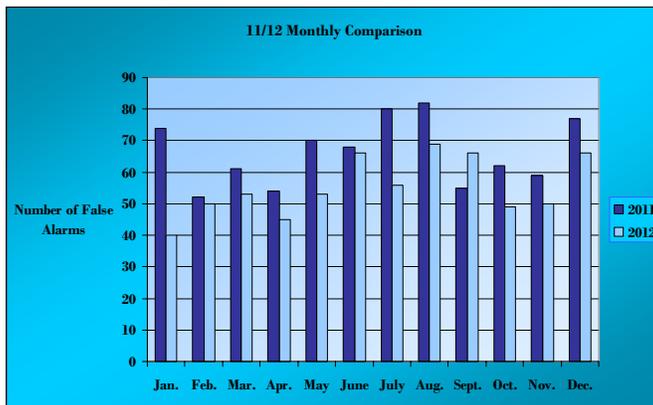


KPD Team Records 2012: Tiffany, Casey, Jackie, Sandy, Harsha with Admin Asst. Jennifer.
(Sydney and Teri not pictured.)

2012 marked the end of the seventh year for the police department's False Alarm Ordinance.

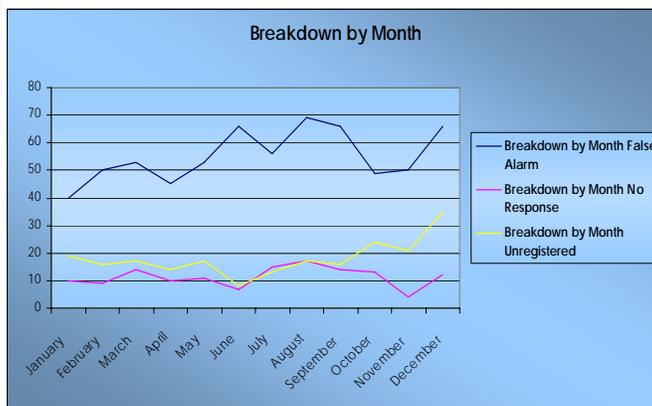
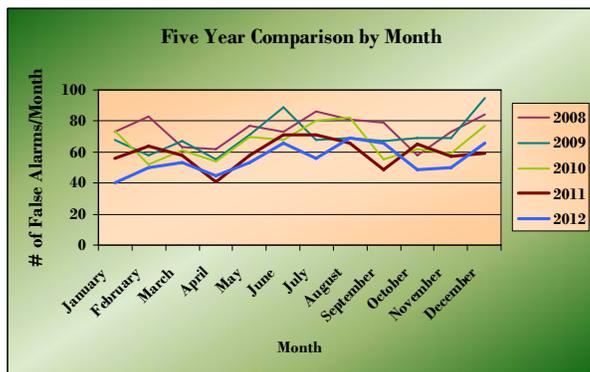


2012 saw a 7% drop in false alarms over 2011 and an average monthly drop of 11.75%.



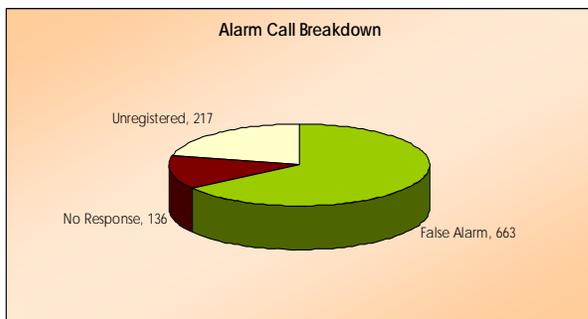
In 2012 the number of average monthly alarm responses dropped from 60 in 2011 to 55. Since the program's start in 2006, the average monthly alarm response has dropped from 156 to 55.

Since 2008, the police department has had an 80% drop in false alarm calls over all.

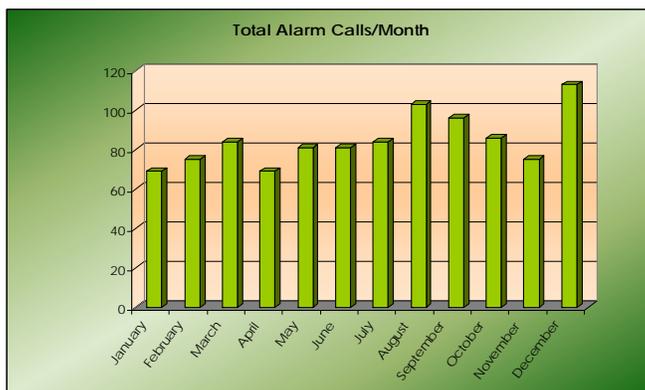


KPD also received an average of 29 alarm calls per month which were not responded to as either the calls were cancelled prior to officer arrival or the location was not registered with the department.

65% of the alarm calls received were false alarms, 14% were cancelled prior to officer arrival and 21% were not registered with KPD.



An average of 85 total alarm calls, including responded to and not responded to, were received each month in 2012.



False Alarm Ordinance

Testing & Hiring

The Kingman Police Department typically will hold two new hire tests a year, depending on what replacements are needed. This past year we held two testing dates. One in May and the other testing date in November.



The applicants have their applications' screened and after they make through that portion of the process they are invited to come and take a written test, if they are not a lateral officer. Lateral officers only take a oral interview. After successful completion of the written exam, they are invited to a physical agility test, which is performed at Centennial Park. If they pass this phase they will then go to an assessment test. After the assessment test they are invited to an oral board where a panel from the police department and human resources rate the applicants.



In May we had 27 applicants, 12 were invited to test, and 3 laterals were invited to the oral boards. From the testing process, two new officers were hired, Dennis Farrington and Kyle Clancy. They attended the Western Arizona Law Enforcement Training Academy located in Lake Havasu City. They stay at the facility for 18 weeks, and then return to our agency where they will attend another 16 weeks being trained by a field training officer.

In September another test was conducted. 19 applicants applied and out of that group 14 were invited to test and three laterals were invited to the oral boards. From that process four new officers were hired, Craig Murk, Andrew Link and Jesse Kennedy. They will attend the Academy in January 2013. Also hired in that testing was lateral Denny Gaddis.

Annual In-Service Training

In October and November the Department conducted 9 hours of Continuing Training and 3 hours of Proficiency Training for Sworn Officers. Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board mandates 8 hours of Continuous Training every year. The training consisted of the following:

- Blood Borne Pathogens
- DNA Training
- Electrical Safety for Law Enforcement
- High Risk Vehicle Stop
- Pepper Ball
- Taser Re-Certification



W.A.L.E.A.

Western Arizona Law Enforcement Association



Jan	Gang Training Basic	96
Jan	Gang Training Advanced	93
Feb	Advanced Crisis Communication (NIMS)	14
Feb	Tactical Intelligence Led Policing	26
Mar	Basic Forensic Interviewing	34
Mar	Strangulation, SANES, Stalking	34
April	Tactical Driving	33
April	Medical Marijuana	63
April	Desert Snow	42
April	FST/ HGN DUI	7
April	Cyber Investigation 205	20
May	Cyber Investigation 105	25
May	Cyber Investigation 210	20
May	General Instructor School	25
May	Gang Training	95
July	Records Retention	23
July	Field Training Officer	30
Aug	Liquor Law Update	43
Sept	Below 100	43
Sept	Rifle Instructor School	10
Oct	Taser Cert X2	2
Oct	Advanced SWAT	10
Oct	Handgun Tactics	3
Dec	Memory and Suggestibility	26
Dec	How to Conduct Peer Review	26
Dec	Peer Review	21
Dec	HGN/ FST DUI	8



27 Trainings
872 Attended Training
through the
WALEA Consortium

C.I.S.M.

Critical Incident Stress Management

The Kingman Police Department's Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Team was formed in the early part of 2004 and since its inception the Team has been there for the psychological "first aid" of our officers, our support staff and for outside entities when critical incidents arise or when an officer or staff member needs a Team Member for Peer Support issues.

Our eight-member Team is comprised of not only officers, but civilian staff as well. When critical incidents occur, our Team (all or in part) is activated to respond to the needs of our Kingman Police Department Family. Officers or "peers" needing Peer Support often call one of the Team members with a myriad of differing subject matters and we provide assistance in getting their questions or needs attended to. In 2011, we had officers responding to various incidents where our Team's need was utilized. One incident alone can be very traumatic to our officers and support staff alike.

During 2012, there were 10 documented responses by our Team Members where we assisted our officers, support staff and outside agencies with either critical incidents or in the function of a Peer Supporter. These numbers can be skewed slightly due to a need of confidentiality for many of the personal issues brought before the Team. This year we added two new team members Officer Denis Miller and Officer Don Doughty.

The Team Members are as follows: Jack King, Kari McComas, Oscar Lopez, Shalene Weber, Dan Spivey, and Wayne Hollon

C.I.C.

Continuous Improvement Committee

The Continuous Improvement Committee, referred to as "CIC", was created to help implement ways for members of the police department to "continuously improve" as a team and to better serve our community. The CIC also oversees the KPD Employee Fund which is solely funded by donations from employees and various fund raising activities.



The Employee Fund is used to recognize employees for life events such as births and deaths in the family. We also provide meals for those working away from their families on the holidays. This fund is also used to off-set the expense of the annual Christmas Party for KPD employees. The Committee feels that these activities are integral to building employee morale and helping to achieve a sense of family within our workplace.



The CIC also supports Arizona organizations such as the Special Olympics and the 100 Club, which is an organization that assists the families of officers who were wounded or killed in the line of duty.



The Continuous Improvement Committee is dedicated to serving KPD employees as well as this great community that we work and live in.



Special Olympics
Arizona

Arizona Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics



The AZ Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics (AZLETR) is Special Olympics International's largest grassroots fundraiser and public awareness effort. Monies raised fund sponsor athletes' transportation, hotel and meal costs to the Special Olympics World Games.

The Kingman Police Department (KPD) held three annual events to support AZLETR. For the third year in a row, KPD held a Tip-A-Cop fundraiser at IHOP in March. The fundraiser was able to generate over \$672 for Special Olympics.



In April, KPD participated in the 27th Annual AZLETR for Special Olympics. Kingman was once again the first leg of this week long, multi-agency run. Participants began the run at Centennial Park and made their way to the Powerhouse. Special Olympic athletes from Route 66 Special Olympics joined the participants at the beginning and at the end of the run. The Arizona Department of Public Safety (DPS) continued the run onto Lake Havasu City.



KPD held the Second Annual AZLETR Poker Run in October. The Poker Run was open to all law enforcement and fire department personnel, along with their friends and families. Motorcyclists began the route from KPD and traveled to Oatman, Bullhead City and returned to KPD for a bar-b-que. The Poker Run tripled in size this year and generated over \$1,126 in cash and over \$1,793 worth of donations from the community.



KPD continues to salute and honor our local Special Olympic athletes, whom we are proud to call friends.



Special Olympics
Arizona

Community Events

2012 Historic Route 66 Fun Run

KPD Manpower: **2 Officers** – **12 man hours**
 10 Explorers – **20 man hours**
 4 Volunteers – **28 man hours**
 60 total man hours

The 25th annual Historic Route 66 Fun Run was held in May 2012. This event drew over 800 participants. KPD provides added presence during this popular event. This year KPD provided 10 Explorers, 4 Volunteers and 2 officers for added police presence and assistance with traffic control. The Route 66 Fun Run committee provides reimbursement to the city for the KPD services.



2012 Andy Devine Days Parade

KPD manpower: **14 Officers** – **96 man hours**
 10 Explorers – **60 man hours**
 4 Volunteers – **24 man hours**
 180 total man hours

The 4^{2nd} Annual Andy Devine Days Parade was held in downtown Kingman on September 29th. Every year KPD provides an enhanced police presence during the parade. This year KPD provided 4 Volunteers, 10 Explorers and 14 officers to help with traffic control and public safety. The photo shows the KPD Honor Guard in this year's parade.



2012 Bullhead City River Regatta

KPD manpower: **9 Officers/2 Sergeants** – **144.5 total man hours**



The 6th Annual Bullhead City River Regatta was held on August 11th, on the Colorado River in Bullhead City. Over 25,000 people attend to float down the river. This year KPD provided 9 Officers and 2 Sergeants to assist with public safety.



2012 Mohave County Fair

The 66th Annual Mohave County Fair was held this year on September 13th thru the 16th, 2012. The Kingman Police Department Investigations Bureau along with Flex and GIITEM provided security at the fair.

This year there were approximately 15,000 people that attended the fair, and there were no major incidents to report. There were a couple of incidents involving minor consumption.



The 2012 Pink Heals Tour made their last stop in Kingman, Arizona on October 10th, 2012 marks the third year the Pink Fire Trucks visited Kingman, Arizona. The City of Kingman employees joined together once again to make this year another success raising over \$5,000 for the Kingman Cancer Care Unit. The Kingman Cancer Care Unit is a non-profit group that raise funds to help people in Kingman and the surrounding area in their fight to survive cancer. Their mission is to provide financial aid and moral support to the patient and their entire family during their hour of need. Many of the City of Kingman employees and their families have been affected by cancer, and we strive to fundraise, promote awareness, and support and honor our HE-roes and SHE-roes. The Pink Heals Tour travels all over the country celebrating women, inspiring hope, and helping communities raise money in the battle against cancer. The Kingman Police Department Motor Officers and joint Police & Fire Honor Guards led the escort of cancer survivors, Pink Fire Trucks and Mobile Unit, Public Safety and Emergency Vehicles, and community supporters from the City of Kingman Complex down 4th Street to Beale Street where the parade arrived at the Locomotive Park at 1st Street and Beale to commence our celebration.



Our celebration in the park began with the Presentation of Colors by Kingman Police and Fire Honor Guards, and an opening prayer by Chaplain Dave Patriquin from the Kingman Fire Department, moment of silence with a sea of pink balloon release followed by a sobering Amazing Grace played by Bag Pipers Fred Waring and James Glover. Guest speakers included City of Kingman Mayor John Salem, Guardians of the Ribbon founder Dave Graybill, and Kingman Regional Medical Center's doctors; Dr. Christopher Johansen, Radiologist & Breast Imaging Specialist, Dr. Michael Van Tuyl, Radiation Oncologist, and



Pink Heals Tour

Pink Heals

Dr. Kathleen Naegele, Medical Oncologist and Hematologist. We recognized our sponsors/supporters and presented the checks to the Kingman Cancer Care Unit. Some survivors spoke about their own experiences and their own testimony. Alas our celebration ended with pulling the ticket for the "Name the Pink Car" fundraiser and we released the attendees to sign the pink fire trucks and visit our vendors. It was a wonderful event supporting those who lost their fight and those that are fighting cancer, and bringing awareness about prevention. We support our community through fundraisers such as the Pink Pig Out, Name the Pink Police Car, Pink Ribbons, and T-Shirt sales.

2012 Pinky

2013 Pink Heat

We look forward to celebrating cancer survivors and fighters in 2013. Efforts are already underway as we begin to plan and coordinate activities and fundraisers with Kingman Regional Medical Center and the community that will culminate with a celebratory event on October 19, 2013!

Everyone in the City pitched in to help with setup and cleanup of Pink Heals!

Pink Madness!!!



Fundraiser



PINK WEEK PIG OUT

On September 22nd, Redneck's Southern Pit BBQ sponsored the 2nd Annual Pink Pig Out where each contestant had 30 minutes



In 2011, we had 5 participants make this attempt and 12 in 2012! Each participant paid a \$75 registration fee and because Redneck's donated all of the food and participant shirts, all proceeds were donated to the Kingman Cancer Care Unit. Flat pledges and pledges per ounce were collected for each participant with Scott Kern from Kingman Regional Medical Center and Joey McEuen tying at \$ for our "Soaring Fundraiser Pig" trophy.

No one successfully ate the whole sandwich in the time allotted; however, Richard Chambers ate the most in weight and won our first place trophy. The Pink Week Pig Out is our largest fundraiser which raised over \$2,500.

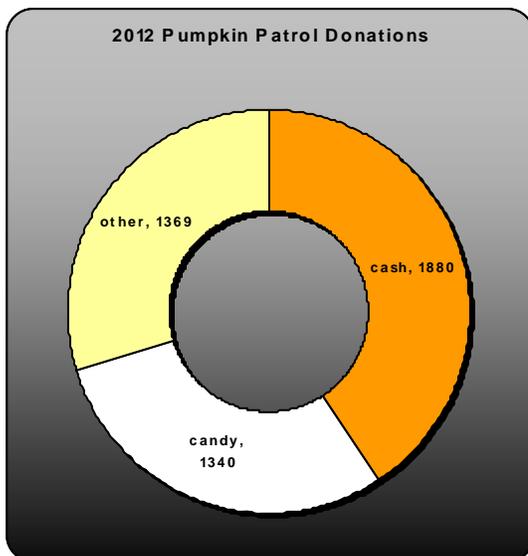
2012 Pumpkin Patrol

Kingman Police Explorer

Post 47 hosted the 39th Annual Pumpkin Patrol. Letters and flyers went out to community members and businesses beginning in August asking for donations for this event. The community showed great support, donating more than \$4500 in cash, candy, discounts and other goods and services.

The printed bags were again sponsored by Dambar Steakhouse, Taco Bell and KRMC. Numerous businesses and individuals donated cash and candy to fill more than 5500 bags for trick-or-treaters.

KPD Explorers, staff, and many volunteers gathered the Thursday before Halloween for the "Candy Bagging Party". The Explorers and Papa John's Pizza provided dinner while Swire Coca-Cola provided drinks. This has become a tradition every year for many of our participants and their families.





On Halloween night we had 4 Sworn Officers, 4 Neighborhood Services Officers and 2 ViPS units participate in the extra patrol. Explorers and family members were also able to participate making it a fun night for everyone.



The additional patrol serves to put extra eyes and ears on the streets during a night that is known for mischievous activity. It is also an opportunity for our department to interact with residents of the city, fostering a better relationship with law enforcement.



2012 Pumpkin Patrol

Christmas Tree Lighting

The 5th Annual Christmas Tree Lighting was once again an overwhelming success! For the second year, the Tree Lighting was held at the City Complex in conjunction with the Very Merry Parade of Lights. As in years past, light bulbs and ornaments were available for sponsorship with all proceeds being divided between the Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics and the 100 Club of Arizona. Once again, Second Graders from Kingman Unified School District decorated ornaments, provided by the City, to be placed on the tree.



The City of Kingman Parks Department utilized their specially designed brackets for the top and bottom of the tree to attach the lights to. The brackets helped hold the beautiful star, created by the Parks Department, at the top of the tree.



The crew from the Parks Department worked for several weeks preparing this year's new tree for its big debut, including shaping the tree to help give it a classic Christmas tree appeal.



Santa and Mrs. Claus arrived in style with a little help from their elves with City of Kingman Parks and Recreation. Children lined up well into the night so that Santa could hear their Christmas wishes.



The beautifully decorated City Complex provided the perfect back drop for the Choir performance,



On the evening of Saturday, December 1st approximately 300 people gathered at the City Complex after the Parade of Lights to help light the tree. A joint choir comprised of students from Kingman and White Cliffs Middle Schools sang carols on the steps of the Complex .



Mayor John Salem and Chief Robert DeVries addressed the crowd

about both the meaning of our Tree and the symbolism of the blue and white lights that adorn the tree, representing the hope of peace for the coming year.



Councilwoman Erin Cochran, who once again helped organize the Tree Lighting event, had the honor of leading the count-down to flip the switch which illuminated the beautiful 40 foot pine!

This year's Tree Lighting would not have been possible without the generosity of our sponsors: K&K Printers, Martin Swanly Dodge, Desert Del Oro Foods, and Staples.

Annual Awards Ceremony



Once again, our department held our awards ceremony in conjunction with the Peace Officers Memorial Day Proclamation signed by President Kennedy in 1962.

With this in mind, we held our ceremony to honor all the fallen officers in 2012 as well as recognize the outstanding accomplishments of our own officers.

Over the years our awards ceremony has grown and this year we moved our location from the Kingman Police Department to the new Lee Williams High School to accommodate our growth.

As in prior years, we utilized the Kingman Police Department Honor Guards as well as bagpipers from the Mohave County Superior Court and the Kingman Fire Department to honor the fallen and the local award winners.



Bagpipers Jim Glover & Fred Waring





Explorer of the Year

Verale Emery

Volunteer of the Year

Lonnie Taylor

Departmental Commendation

Sgt. Shay Weber Kari McComas
April Hanss Shirley Mathe
Todd Foster Dennis Miller

Civilian of the Year

Carmen Haack

Honorable Service

Jason Zerr
Dan Spivey
Dennis Gilbert

Officer of the Year

Heath Mosby

Supervisory Achievement

Sgt. Michael Godfrey



Meritorious Service Award

Dan Spivey
Don Doughty

New Hires

Volunteer Harsha Patel 1/20/12

Volunteer David Johnson 2/22/12

Volunteer Kristi Miller 3/22/12

Volunteer Bryan Sengdeng 4/24/12

Officer Dennis Farrington 8/16/12

Officer Kyle Clancy 8/16/12

Officer Denny Gaddis 11/26/12

Volunteer Jon Hall 11/28/12

Volunteer Carlyle Reef 11/28/12

Volunteer Jon Hall 11/28/12

Officer Craig Murk 12/3/12

Admin. Secretary Teri Howell 12/17/12

**In 2012, KPD experienced
three more Kingman veterans retire.**

Evidence Technician Joany Legg

Sergeant Dave Turk

Police Officer Mike Bradley

Joanna “Joany” Legg dedicated over 32 years to the Kingman Police Department. She retired on January 31, 2012 finishing out her career as an Evidence Technician. Joany was very well rounded as she served many areas of our department throughout her career. She worked as a Reserve Officer, as well as in Records, Dispatch, and Evidence. We wish her well in her new endeavors of retirement!



David Turk served over 25 years with the Kingman Police Department when he retired April 28th. He served in the United States Marine Corp and began his law enforcement career at the Oklahoma City Police Department before coming to the Kingman Police Department. He worked in all areas of the department before he ended his career as a Patrol Sergeant and Bomb Squad Commander. We wish Dave well in his new endeavors of retirement!

Michael Bradley dedicated over 32 years to the Kingman Police Department before he retired on August 6th, 2012. He worked in all areas of the department as an Officer and Sergeant from the Patrol Division, Detectives Division, and finished his career here as a School Resource Officer. He also worked as a Volunteer Firefighter for the Kingman Fire Department. We wish Mike well in his retirement!



The dedication, knowledge and experience lost this past year is insurmountable and irreplaceable. Joany, Dave, and Mike have been a great asset to the KPD Family and we will miss them. It is truly an honor to have worked side by side with each of them. You are always welcome back.

Thank you Joany, Dave, and Mike for all your hard work!

~ Your KPD Family

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Pride ~ Service ~ Valor

*Special thanks to the members of the Kingman Police Department
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