Neighborhood Watch Leader Meeting

January 2024

Agenda

NBPD Updates

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Meet HLO Thomson

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2023 Numbers + Crime Info

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Q&A w/ Area Lieutenants

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NBPD Updates

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- New alert system (Nixle replacement) – Delayed, but coming soon!

- Next meeting: Spring 2024

Meet HLO Thomson

Lower Castaways

Before After

San Nicolas

Before

After

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Newport Plaza

Before
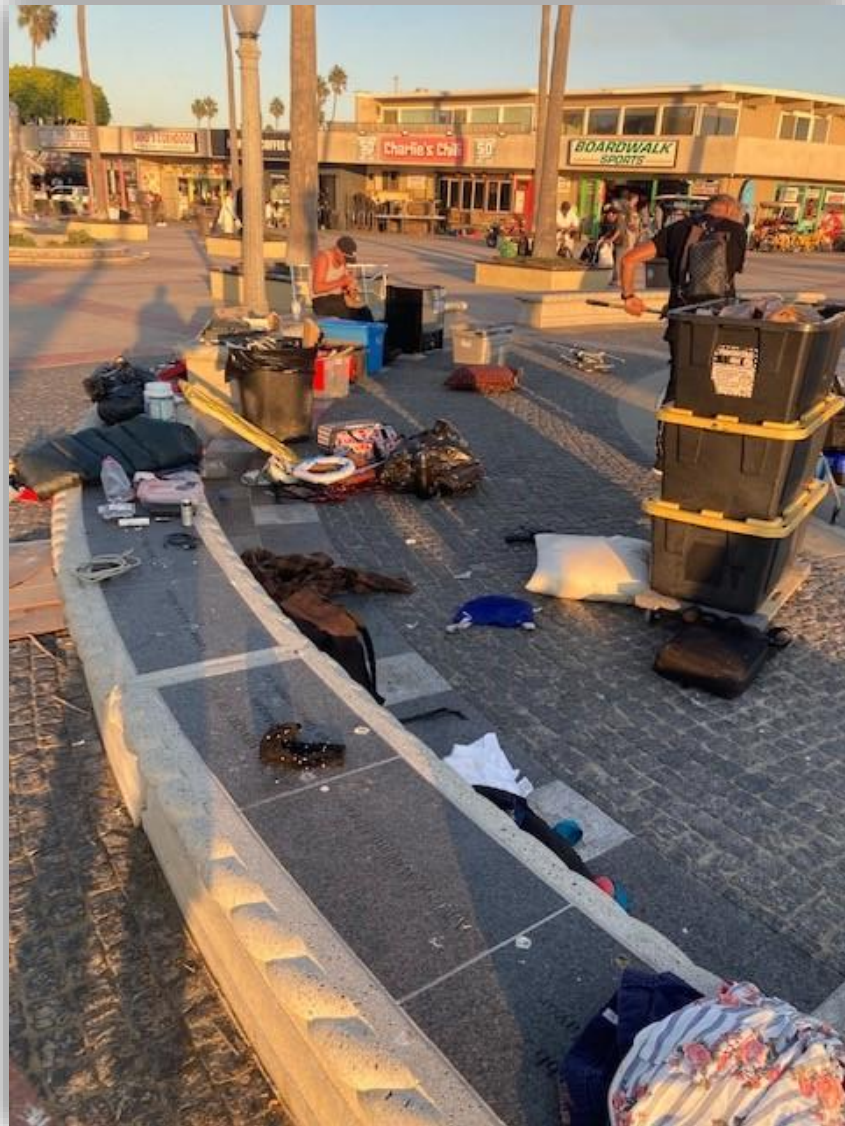
After

NBPD 2023 by the Numbers

2023 Dispatch Calls

- **Total Phone Calls Handled in Dispatch:** 169,371 (includes outgoing calls)
- **Total CAD Events Entered:** 101,945

- **Number of 911 Calls Answered:** 40,940
- **Answered in 15 seconds:** 99.85%
- **Answered in 10 seconds:** 99.54%
- **Number of days w/ 100% of calls answered within 10 seconds:** 259

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2023 Response Times + Arrests

- **Number of Priority 1 Calls*:** 57 (includes some field initiated calls)
- **Average response time for Priority 1 Call*:** 3:00
- **Number of Priority 2 Calls*:** 3,986
- **Average response time for Priority 2 Call*:** 5:57

- **Total Arrests:** 2,566 (Approximately 7 per day)

* You can learn more about how NBPD prioritizes calls on the NBPD website:
https://www.nbpd.org/what-we-do/information/response-times

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Crime Reporting Transition

UCR/SRS ➡ NIBRS

- New System for reporting crime numbers to FBI
  - More offenses reported (vs. the hierarchy system used prior)
  - New crime categories captured (for example: gambling, bribery, society offenses)
  - Crimes categorized differently. Examples:
    - Robbery has been changed from violent crime to property crime.
    - Burglary from Motor Vehicle & Theft from Motor vehicle now separate categories
- Main Challenge: Comparing year over year numbers until we build up more data in this new system

Crime Reporting Transition

UCR/SRS

VIOLENT CRIME
HOMICIDE
VICTIM COUNT
RAPE
ROBBERY
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
PROPERTY CRIME
RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY
GARAGE BURGLARY
COMMERCIAL BURGLARY
THEFT/LARCENY
BURG/THEFT FROM AUTO
BURG/THEFT FROM BOAT
AUTO THEFT
ARSON
THEFT BREAKDOWN
BIKE THEFT
BOAT THEFT
MAIL THEFT
PICK POCKET
SHOPLIFT
GRAND THEFT
PETTY THEFT

NIBRS

PERSON OFFENSE	PROPERTY OFFENSE	SOCIETY OFFENSE
HOMICIDE	ROBBERY	PORNOGRAPHY
SEX OFFENSES	BURGLARY	WEAPONS
FORCIBLE	*RESIDENTIAL*	ANIMAL CRUELTY
NON-FORCIBLE	*GARAGE*	NARCOTICS
ASSAULT	*COMMERICAL*	GAMBLING
AGGRAVATED	THEFT/LARCENY	PROSTITUTION
SIMPLE	*VEHICLE*	
INTIMIDATION	*BIKE THEFT*	
KIDNAPPING	*MAIL THEFT*	
HUMAN TRAFFICKING	*PICK POCKET*	
	SHOPLIFT	
	AUTO PARTS	
	OTHER	
	AUTO THEFT	
	ARSON	
	FRAUD	
	EMBEZZLEMENT	
	EXTORTION/BLACKMAIL	
	BRIBERY	
	COUNTERFEITING/FORGERY	
	VANDALISM	
	STOLEN PROPERTY	

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2023 Crime Statistics

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Robbery	33	44	22	48	42
Burglary	279	341	343	358	319
Theft	1444	1415	1257	1306	1289
Assault	596	642	643	624	567
Fraud	692	518	504	410	398

Disclaimer: These are unofficial numbers. This is the closest comparison we can make between 2023 and prior years given the change from UCR/SRS to NIBRS in 2023.
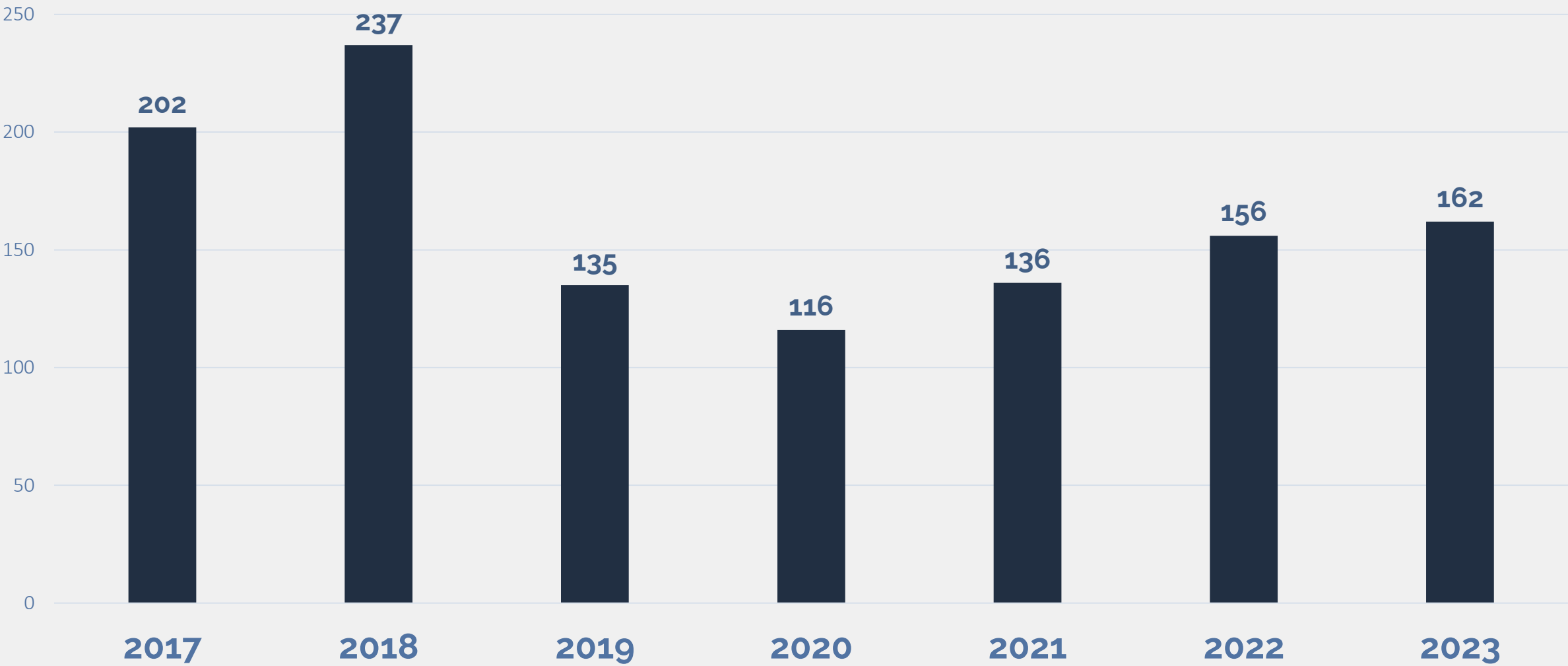For more info: https://www.nbpd.org/what-we-do/information/crime-statistics

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Crime Info

Year-Over-Year Residential Burglaries in Newport Beach

Year	Burglaries
2017	202
2018	237
2019	135
2020	116
2021	136
2022	156
2023	162

January 1 – December 31 of each year

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2023 Residential Burglaries

- Forced Entry
- Attempted Forced Entry
- No Forced Entry

Pie chart: 62% Forced Entry, 27% No Forced Entry, 11% Attempted Forced Entry

2023 Residential Burglaries in Newport Beach

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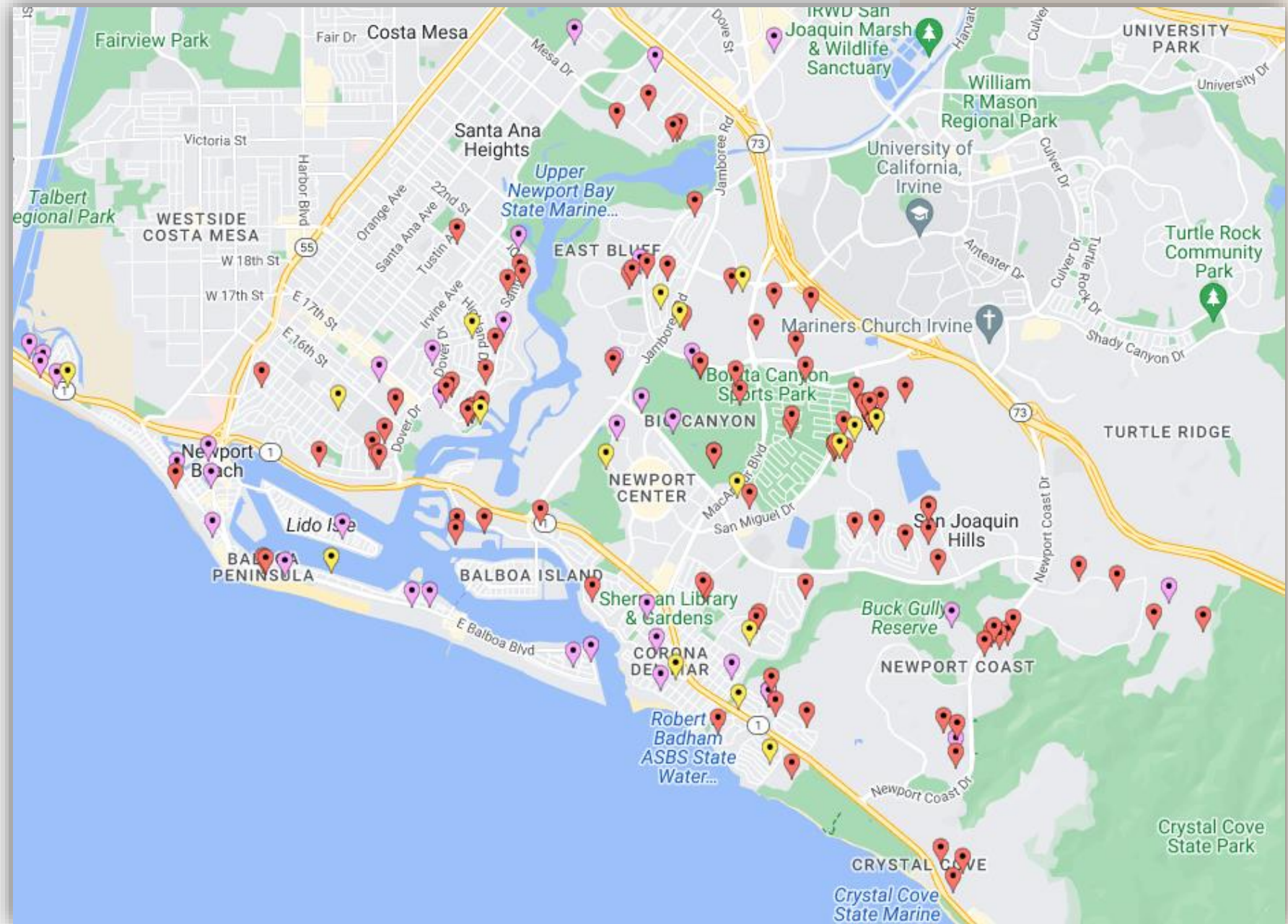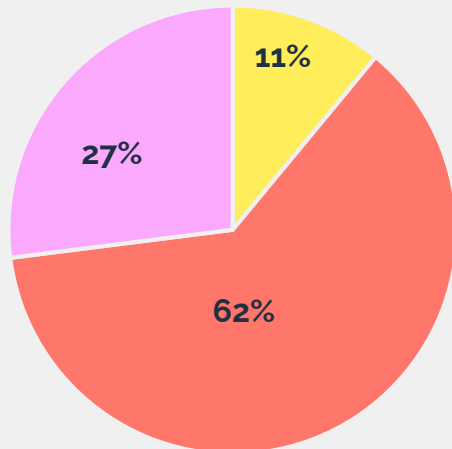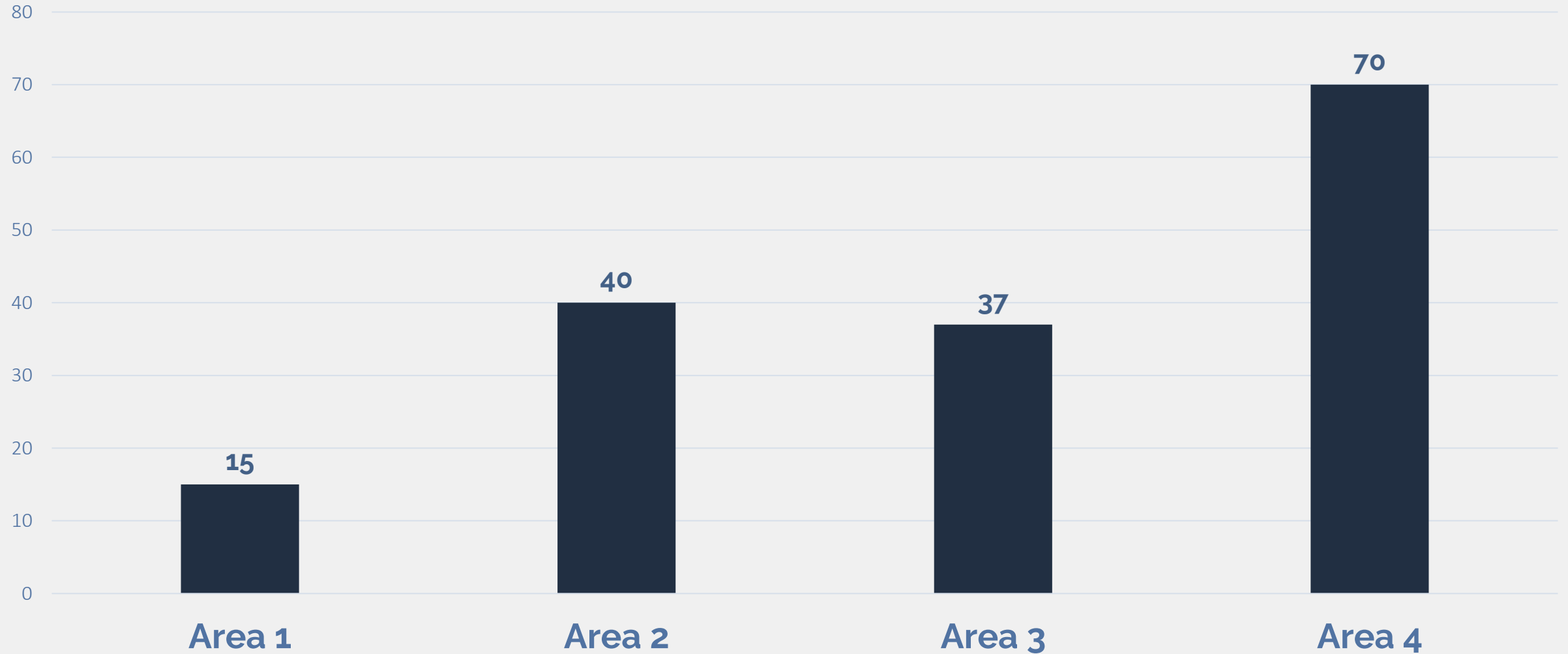
2023 Residential Burglaries

TRENDS + PATTERNS

- Day of the Week: Daily, mostly Friday + Saturday
- Time of Day: 5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

- Empty homes targeted
- Dinnertime/early evening hours (shortly after sunset)
- Entry Points:
  - Sides of house/backyards
  - Shattering glass doors/windows
  - 2nd story balconies
- Master Bedroom targeted
  - Master closet

NEW TRENDS?
- Apartments/condos
- Unlocked doors
- Pried doors/tampered locks

* January 1-October 9, 2023

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Mail Theft Info

Trends:

- Late night and early morning hours
- Targets: residential curbside mailboxes, multi-unit residential mailboxes, and publicly accessible blue U.S. Postal Service boxes
- Looking for: documents containing personal info, checks and cash
- "Fishing": using glue traps or glue-covered items to "fish" for mail
- P.O. Box Tampering

Prevention:

- Collet your mail daily, preferably, as soon as it is delivered.
- Avoid mailing any item containing your personal information, checks, or cash.
    - If you must mail those items, hand the mail to U.S. Postal Service employees or use a secure U.S. Postal Service Facility.

Garage Burglary Prevention Tip:
Remote Lock

The "Remote Lock" button will disable the remote and external keypad from working. Considering using:

- When on vacation
- At night
- When parking outside your garage (if your remote is programmed into your vehicle)
- If your garage remote is lost or stolen

Resource Reminder

NBPD Non-Emergency Number:
949-644-3717
Save as a favorite in your phone contacts

NBPD Calls for Service:
https://www.nbpd.org/what-we-do/information/calls-for-service

Nixle (for now):
https://local.nixle.com/newport-beach-police-department

QUESTIONS?

NBPD Patrol Area Commanders

Area 2
Lt. Schiavi

Area 3
Lt. Blakely

Area 4
Lt. Vincelet

Area 1
Lt. Wolik

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