



# POLICE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS AND PERFORMANCE BI-MONTHLY STATUS REPORT

Public Safety, Finance, and  
Strategic Support Committee  
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**PRESENTED BY  
LT. PAUL HAMBLIN**

**CITYWIDE CRIME STATISTICS**

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**OTHER MATTERS OF INTEREST:  
REDISTRICTING UPDATE**

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**PRESENTED BY  
CAPT. JASON  
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**REPORT ON THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE G.H.O.S.T TEAM**

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**TODAY'S TOPICS**

# CITYWIDE CRIME STATISTICS

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# UCR PART I CRIMES: APRIL 2019-2023

VIOLENT OFFENSES	SRS				NIBRS
	2019 APRIL	2020 APRIL	2021 APRIL	2022 APRIL	2023 APRIL
HOMICIDE	2	1	4	4	3
RAPE (UCR-DEFINED)	46	29	67	72	57
ROBBERY	113	100	87	85	88
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	208	175	201	231	318
<b>TOTAL VIOLENT CRIMES</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>466</b>

PROPERTY OFFENSES	SRS				NIBRS
	2019 APRIL	2020 APRIL	2021 APRIL	2022 APRIL	2023 APRIL
BURGLARY	322	357	329	358	291
LARCENY	1,197	890	853	1,161	990
VEHICLE THEFT	527	520	478	484	477
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES</b>	<b>2,046</b>	<b>1,767</b>	<b>1,660</b>	<b>2,003</b>	<b>1,758</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>2,415</b>	<b>2,072</b>	<b>2,019</b>	<b>2,395</b>	<b>2,224</b>

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# UCR PART I CRIMES: MAY 2019-2023

	SRS				NIBRS
VIOLENT OFFENSES	2019 MAY	2020 MAY	2021 MAY	2022 MAY	2023 MAY
HOMICIDE	1	4	3	4	1
RAPE (UCR-DEFINED)	62	33	67	66	65
ROBBERY	113	91	87	90	98
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	245	218	244	266	343
<b>TOTAL VIOLENT CRIMES</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>507</b>

PROPERTY OFFENSES	2019 MAY	2020 MAY	2021 MAY	2022 MAY	2023 MAY
BURGLARY	381	312	280	328	328
LARCENY	1,252	1,040	852	1,267	1,073
VEHICLE THEFT	500	581	474	521	534
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES</b>	<b>2,133</b>	<b>1,933</b>	<b>1,606</b>	<b>2,116</b>	<b>1,935</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>2,554</b>	<b>2,279</b>	<b>2,007</b>	<b>2,542</b>	<b>2,442</b>

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# REDISTRICTING UPDATE

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## Phase I

- Present – August 2022
- RFP for a consultant / vendor (closed)
- Establish a working group of Department subject matter experts
- Selection of a consultant / vendor

## Phase II

- Expected Start Date June 2023
- Consultant / vendor analysis of: call volume and severity; response times; staffing and personnel deployment options; equity assurance; foot patrol options; technology and physical infrastructure; population density; geography. Will also consider any changes in policy, such as through the Reimagining Community Safety process.

← Current Position

## Phase III

- Expected Start Date January 2024
- Cost analysis & acquisition of funding
- Development of a strategic implementation plan
- Redeployment/addition of Department personnel, as appropriate, to support the recommended model

## Phase IV

- Expected Start Date July 2024
- Deployment of recommended staffing model and redistricting
- Continued analysis by the working group for evaluation and review of implementation

## Phase V

- Expected Start Date January 2025
- Adjustment of staffing model and redistricting (if necessary)

**GUN & HIGH-RISK OFFENDER  
SUPPRESSION TEAM  
(G.H.O.S.T.)**

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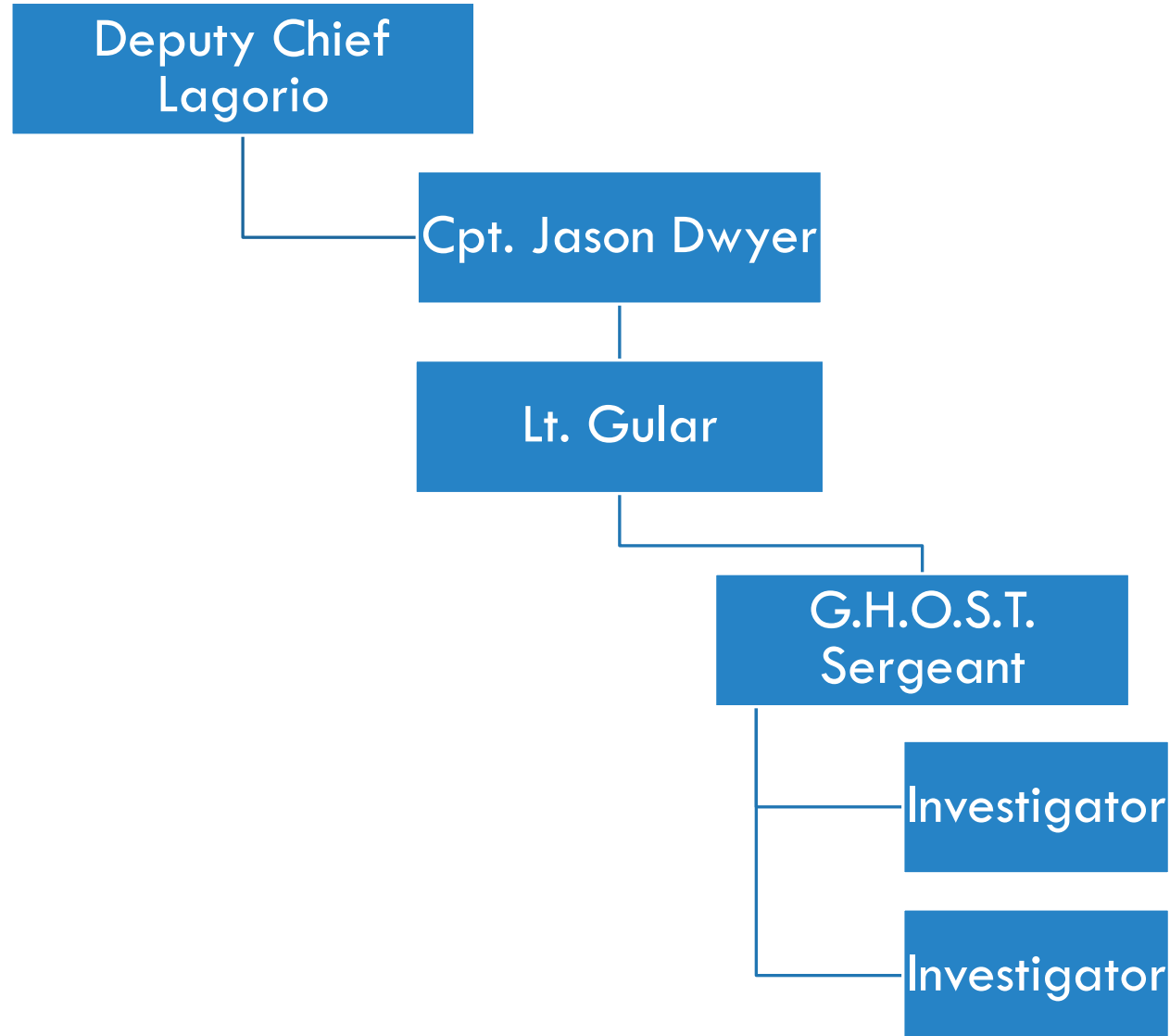


# G.H.O.S.T. UNIT HISTORY

- ▶ SF Bay Area has been identified by United States DOJ as one of the 5 key market regions in the U.S. for illegally trafficked firearms\*
- ▶ G.H.O.S.T. Unit Created January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023

\*<https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/justice-department-launches-firearms-trafficking-strike-forces-address-violent-crime-crack#:~:text=Leveraging%20existing%20resources%2C%20the%20regional,Chicago%2C%20Los%20Angeles%2C%20the%20San>

# G.H.O.S.T. UNIT CHAIN OF COMMAND



# G.H.O.S.T. UNIT MISSION STATEMENT

The Gun & Hazardous Offender Suppression Team's mission is to increase public safety in the City of San Jose through the suppression and interdiction of illegal firearms possession, trafficking, and manufacturing.

# G.H.O.S.T. UNIT OBJECTIVES

- ▶ **Identify and apprehend** Priority Gun Offenders involved in illegal firearms possession, distribution and trafficking, possession of illegal firearm accessories such as suppressors, silencers and fully automatic switches (machine gun conversionary devices).
- ▶ **Conduct intelligence gathering** on firearm-related crimes through investigative methods including human sources, social media, prior case knowledge, and follow-up investigation.
- ▶ **Collaborate** with other law enforcement agencies on major gun investigations.
- ▶ **Serve as a resource** for other units within the Police Department.

# G.H.O.S.T. STATISTICS

G.H.O.S.T. Unit Statistics for January 1 <sup>st</sup> – August 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2023	
# of cases	83
Bureau of Investigations assists	29 (35%)
Bureau of Field Operations assists	39 (47%)
# of suspects	78
# of prohibited persons	35 (45%)
# of juvenile suspects	18 (23%)
# of search warrants	81
# of G.H.O.S.T. Unit-led operations	8
# of firearms recovered	78 (28 G.H.O.S.T.)

# G.H.O.S.T. MOVING FORWARD

- ▶ Working toward an MOU with the ATF
- ▶ Working with the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office as part of a Crime Gun Intelligence Center (CGIC) model
- ▶ Working on streamlining the processing of firearm & ballistic evidence:
  - Integrated Ballistics Identification System (IBIS): Captures ballistic information
  - National Integrated Ballistic Information Network (NIBIN): Allows for the comparison of ballistic evidence to aid in solving and preventing violent crimes involving firearms
  - BRASSTRAX



# G.H.O.S.T. UNIT SEIZURES





QUESTIONS

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