



# Fluvanna Sheriff's Office

FY2027

# What is a Sheriff?

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- The Sheriff is the only locally elected constitutional law enforcement officer of the Commonwealth of Virginia, as provided in the Constitution of Virginia, and is elected by the citizens of his or her locality every four years. Accordingly, the duties of the sheriff are not spelled out in any one document, law or regulation. Elected Every 4 years.
- Law Enforcement – All sheriffs are responsible for law enforcement in all counties and cities in which they serve. Title 15.2-1609 of the Code of Virginia mandates that all sheriffs are ultimately responsible for law enforcement in their respective localities.
- Service to the Courts – Court services are the responsibility of all Virginia's sheriffs. In each locality, the sheriff is responsible for the security of the courthouse, the courtrooms and the trials while they are underway. Sheriffs are responsible for the security and sequestering of the jurors and notification of jurors for court service. Additionally, sheriffs' offices are responsible for the service of hundreds of thousands of court papers per year, ranging from divorce proceedings and child custody cases to simple civil suits among citizens.
- We use a regional jail under contract, paid out of county budget.

# What the FCSO does

## Administration

- Shared among Executive Staff, all wear many hats
- Lack of stand-alone administrative division

## Communications

- Dispatch all emergency services
- IT
- Radio system maintenance
- CAD/RMS
- Emergency Medical Dispatch

## Patrol

- Backbone of the operation
- 8 of new deputies
- Recovering from historically low staffing numbers
- Answer calls for service 24/7 in all conditions

## Animal Care Unit

- Was only one ACO in FY25, recently added another in FY26
- Highest call volume
- Operate on behalf of the county
- County contracts with SPCA for shelter

## Court Unit

- Court building security
- Inmate transport and detention
- Increase in court hours
- After hours BOS/Planning meetings
- Building maintenance/fire alarms
- Drug/DNA/Printing services for court

## Civil Process

- Court summons, subpoenas, writs, evictions, & levies
- Assist on calls as needed
- Project Life Saver
- Schedule service at FCCW

## School Resource

- Aid in school security and youth engagement
- Had to reallocate in FY25, back to four currently
- MDT for juvenile related matters
- DARE/Virginia Rules
- CIT Team
- Not required by state code

## Investigations

- All major crimes & crime scenes
- ICAC Task Force
- Computer forensics
- 3A Task Force (drugs) –currently suspended due to staff shortage
- MDTs for CPS/APS case load

# FCSO

- Authorized 47 full-time deputies, 3 part-time deputies, & 20 COs
- Current 5 deputy vacancies
- One deputy in the academy
- Request Communications Deputy Director

		<b>Sheriff</b>	<b>AminAsst</b>	PT				<b>ComDirector</b>	
		<b>MAJ</b>	<b>LEST</b>					<b>*DeputyDir</b>	
<b>PATROL</b>			<b>INV</b>		<b>Court/SRO</b>			<b>ECC</b>	
<b>LT</b>			<b>LT</b>		<b>LT</b>			<b>OpsCordinator</b>	<b>CommSupervisor</b>
					<i>SRO</i>	<i>Court</i>	<i>Civil</i>		
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\* INV SGT is reallocated CPT vacancy

# Compensation Board

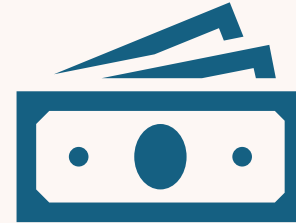


**27 positions are partially funded by the state Compensation Board**

21 deputies

5 communications officers

1 civilian administrative position



**Approximately \$1.4 million returns to Fluvanna to offset wage costs**

# FY25 Comp Board Stats

Subpoenas  
968

Other civil  
2507

Jury Summons  
1628

Transports  
187

Court days  
241

Levies  
34

Mental Health  
Transports  
81

31,648 law incidents

37,412 CAD calls

Communications averages one call every 14 minutes


### Most common sheriff's call types

- 3,132 Law questions/Follow-ups
- 1,639 Animal related
- 1,368 Traffic stops
  - 568 Tickets
- 742 Suspicious Activity
- 582 Welfare Checks
  - 81 ECO/TDO
- 570 MVC
- 444 Disturbances & Assault
- 329 Physical Arrest
- 158 Larceny
- 125 Fraud
- 41 Natural Deaths

- What we do not see a lot of:
  - Burglary
  - Robbery
  - Unknown Offender Crime (other than frauds)
- Have seen an increase in shootings

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# Career Development, Recruitment & Recruitment

- County lacks a career development plan
    - Our starting pay is competitive
  - Lack of a career development plan stifles recruitment and retention
  - Hope to address before FY28 budget
  - Changing demographic creates new hiring/retention challenges
    - Historically low applications numbers nationwide
    - Public perception on of law enforcement
    - Increased importance of work-life balance
    - Length of hiring & training process
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# LAKE MONTICELLO PUBLIC SAFETY

JIM MOONEY, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CHIEF OF POLICE

# CHAPTER NINETEEN - SECTION 19.01 DUTIES OF THE LAKE MONTICELLO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

- IT SHALL BE THE POLICY OF THE LAKE MONTICELLO OWNERS' ASSOCIATION TO MAINTAIN A DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO HELP MAINTAIN PEACE AND GOOD ORDER WITHIN THE COMMUNITY, MONITOR AND CONTROL ACCESS POINTS TO PARTS OF THE COMMUNITY WITH BARRIERS DESIGNED TO LIMIT ACCESS, AND TO SECURE THE ASSETS AND AMENITIES OF THE LAKE MONTICELLO OWNERS ASSOCIATION.

# POLICE AUTHORITY

WHILE RECOGNIZING THE FLUVANNA COUNTY SHERIFF IS THE CHIEF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER FOR THE ENTIRETY OF FLUVANNA, THE LAKE MONTICELLO POLICE DEPARTMENT (LMPD) SHALL EXERCISE THE FOLLOWING AUTHORITY:

- 1. THE LMPD SHALL LAWFULLY ENFORCE THE POLICIES, OF THE LAKE MONTICELLO OWNERS ASSOCIATION AS ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AS RELATED TO PUBLIC SAFETY, TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES, BOATING, COMMON AREAS, ACCESS CONTROL, AND GENERAL PEACE AND GOOD ORDER.
- 2. THE LMPD IS AUTHORIZED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO ACT AS THE AGENT AND CUSTODIAN OF LAKE MONTICELLO OWNERS ASSOCIATION COMMON PROPERTIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRESPASS, EITHER ORALLY OR IN WRITING, AND MAY ORDER PERSONS TO NOT GO ONTO, OR REMOVE HIMSELF OR HERSELF FROM ANY LMOA COMMONS PROPERTIES.
- 3. THE LAKE MONTICELLO POLICE DEPARTMENT IS A DULY AUTHORIZED PRIVATE POLICE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO §9.1-101 CODE OF VIRGINIA. PRIVATE POLICE OFFICERS ARE SWORN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, CERTIFIED AND REGULATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES, WHO EXERCISE LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY AS DEFINED IN THE CODE OF VIRGINIA.
- 4. THE LMPD SHALL REASONABLY ENFORCE ALL THE LAWS OF THE COMMONWEALTH WITHIN ITS SCOPE OF STATUTORY AUTHORITY.



# WHO WE ARE.....



- POLICE DEPARTMENT

- CHIEF (33 YEARS LE EXPERIENCE)
- 3 FT OFFICERS (EACH RETIRED WITH 25+ YEARS VA LE EXPERIENCE)
- 1 FT OFFICER VACANCY
- 1 ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT STAFF MEMBER

- SECURITY

- MAIN GATE STAFF
  - 10-12 OFFICERS
- 2-3 "ROVERS"
- 1 ON-SITE SUPERVISOR



# 2025 REVIEW

- LMPD HAD 2,500 DISPATCHED CALLS FROM ECC IN 2025
- AN ADDITIONAL 2,000 FROM MAIN GATE STAFF
- OVER 200 ASSIST CALLS WITH FIRE/RESCUE LAST YEAR, INCLUDING NUMEROUS INCIDENTS WHERE LE PERFORMED LIFE-SAVING MEASURES (CPR, AED USAGE, ETC.)
  - 2 OFFICERS RECOGNIZED WITH LIFE-SAVING AND MERITORIOUS AWARDS.
- TOP ISSUES IN 2025
  - TRAFFIC CALMING
    - TRAFFIC STOPS FOR SPEEDING, ENFORCEMENT (WHEN NECESSARY)
    - REMINDER - FLUVANNA ORDINANCE 18-1, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY CONTAINED IN SECTION 46.2-100 OF THE CODE OF VIRGINIA, THE ENTIRE WIDTH BETWEEN THE BOUNDARY LINES OF **ALL PRIVATE ROADS AND PRIVATE STREETS IN THE LAKE MONTICELLO SUBDIVISION ARE HEREBY SPECIFICALLY DESIGNATED HIGHWAYS FOR LAW-ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES ONLY.**
  - SELECT PATROLS
    - EVERY AREA OF THE LAKE (6 ZONES)



## PRIMARY CALLS

## SECONDARY CALLS

## TRAFFIC CALLS

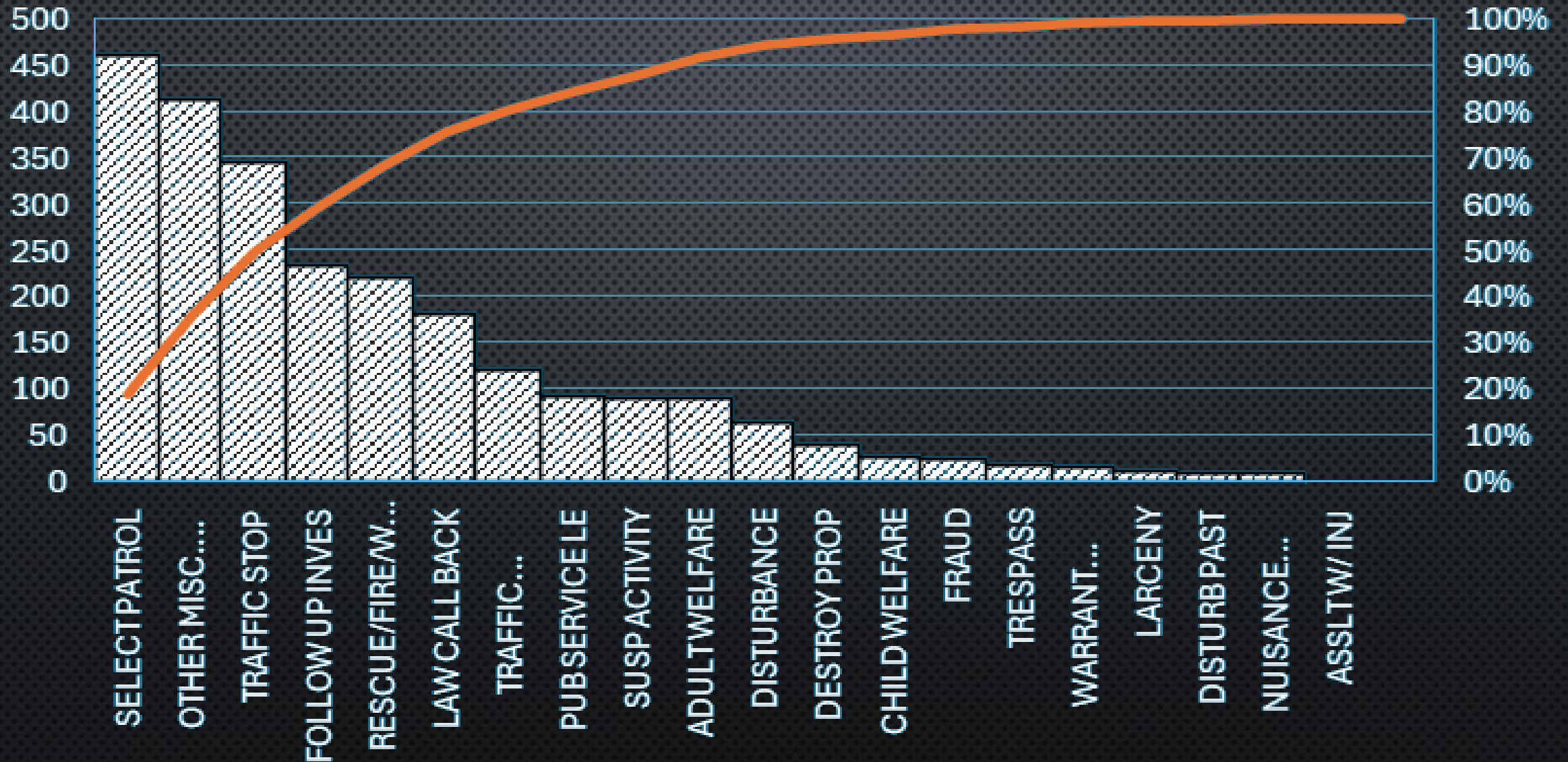
SELECT PATROL	459
TRAFFIC STOP	344
FOLLOW UP INVES	232
LAW CALL BACK	181
PUB SERVICE LE	91
SUSP ACTIVITY	90
ADULT WELFARE	88
DISTURBANCE	72
DESTROY PROP	38
CHILD WELFARE	25
FRAUD	23
NUISANCE DOMEST	9
ASSLT W/ INJ	1
TRESPASS	17
LARCENY	10
WARRANT SERVICE	15
OTHER MISC. CALLS	413
RESCUE/FIRE ASSISTS	220

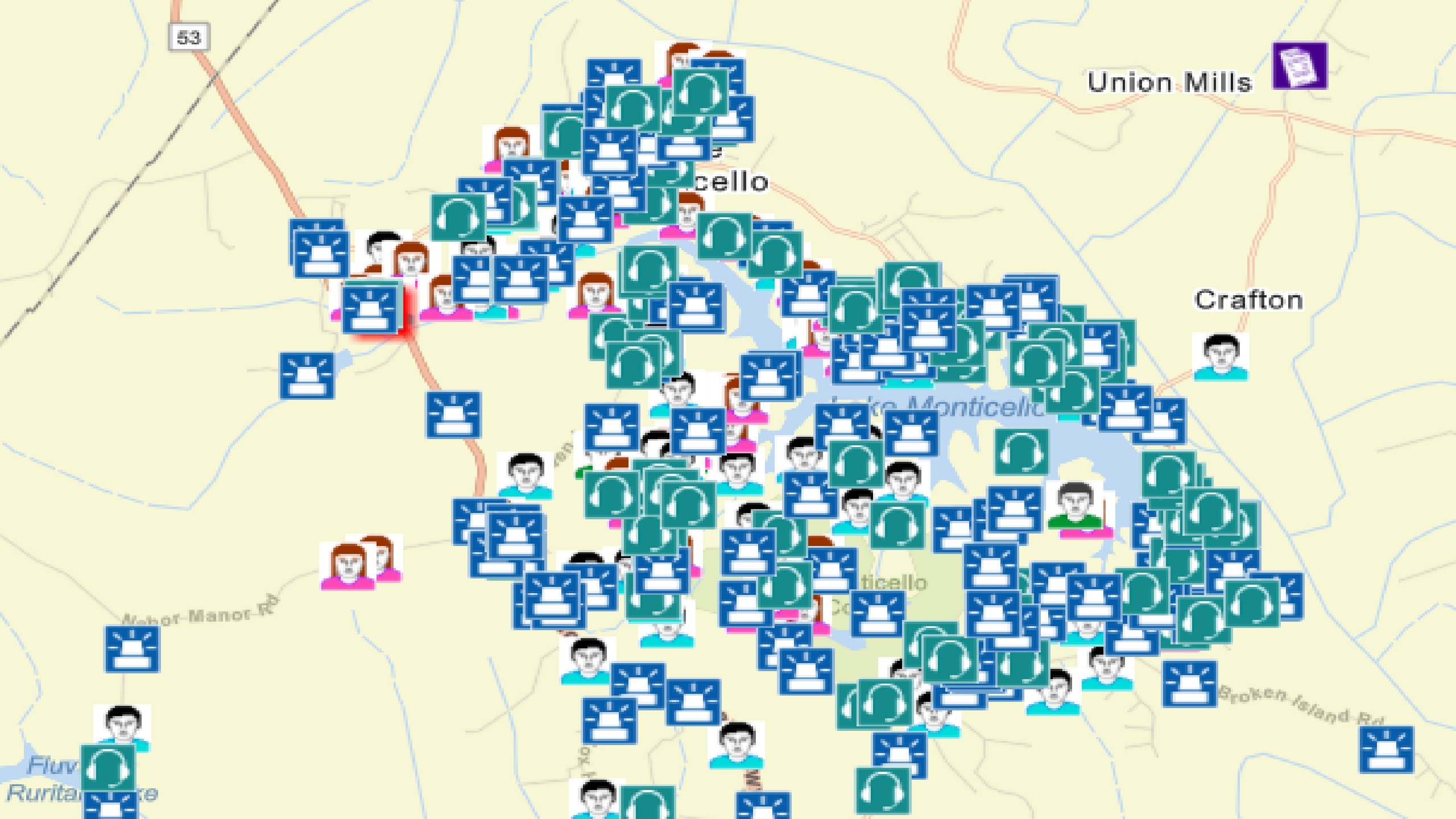
OTHER LAW	70
ANIMAL WELFA	40
NOISE COMPLAINT	40
VCIN INQUIRY	36
STRAY DOG	31
911 HANG UP	21
911 OPEN LINE	21
RES-BURG ALARM	18
HARASSMENT	17
CIVIL COMPLAINT	16
TREE DOWN	15
ATL REC	12
MISSING JUV	10

DISABLED VEH	34
TRAFFIC ISSUE	24
MVC NO INJURY	22
TRAFFIC HAZ	20
MVC INJURY/UNK	6
MVC W/ ANIMAL	6
MVC ENTRAP/BLD	2
PEDESTRIAN	2
TRAFFIC ASSIST	2



# 2025 LMPD CALLS FOR SERVICE (DISPATCHED)

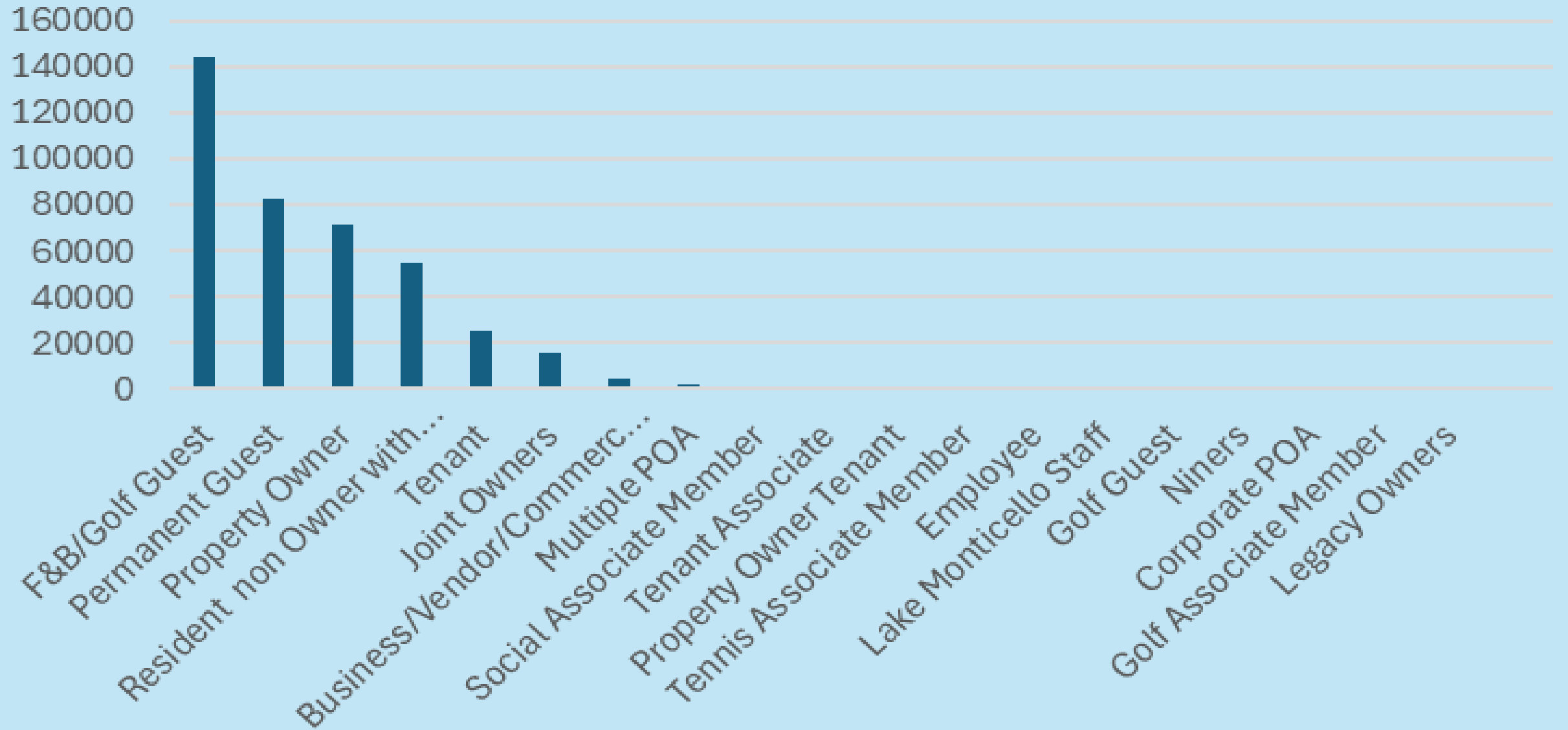




# ALLIED MAIN GATE STAFF

- RESPONSIBLE FOR PHYSICALLY CHECKING IN EVERY PERSON WHO COMES TO THE ASHLAWN OR TURKEYSAG VISITOR ENTRANCES (24/7, EVERY DAY OF THE YEAR)
  - IN 2025, OVER 400,000 PEOPLE WERE CHECKED IN AT THE ASHLAWN AND TURKEYSAG GATES
    - THAT EQUATES TO 1,097 PER DAY AND 46 PER HOUR
- ADDITIONALLY, MAIN GATE STAFF TAKE PHONE CALLS AND EMAILS FROM RESIDENTS FOR VISITOR REQUESTS, COMPLAINTS, DISPATCH NON-EMERGENCY POLICE CALLS FOR SERVICE, AND MONITOR OUR SECURITY CAMERAS

# 2025 Lake Monticello Check-in's



# 2026 PROJECTS

- STRATEGIC PLAN
  - 1<sup>ST</sup> INITIATIVE - IMPROVE PHYSICAL SECURITY, GATE MANAGEMENT, AND SURVEILLANCE CAMERA OPERATIONS
    - IS THE BARCODE SYSTEM SUFFICIENT? 13,500 ACTIVE BARCODES CURRENTLY.
    - GATE BACKUPS/TAILGATERS, ETC., HOW CAN WE IMPROVE THE PROCESS?
- RECENT UPGRADES
  - IMPROVED DVR SYSTEMS/CAMERAS AT ALL GATES/BUILDINGS
  - EMERGENCY GATE OPENING AT THE TOUCH OF A BUTTON (AND A COST-SAVINGS OF APPROX. \$450 A MONTH)
  - ON-GOING QUOTE PROCESS FOR SECURITY ENHANCEMENTS (LOOKING AT COSTS FOR VARIOUS ENHANCEMENTS/ADDITIONS)
  - SAFETY/SECURITY COMMITTEE HAD SOME SUCCESS WITH MAPPING APPS (APPLE/GOOGLE)

THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY!

QUESTIONS?