

Northglenn Police Department Monthly Report

Prepared for City Council and
Community



March 2022



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Vision

The Northglenn Police Department commits to providing exceptional police services that promote a safe and peaceful community.

Our Mission

The members of the Northglenn Police Department are a dedicated team committed to protect life and property, reduce crime, and promote peaceful neighborhoods. We achieve this through strong community partnerships, collaborative problem-solving and ethical enforcement of the law.

Character ~ Courage ~ Commitment ~ Competence

CRIME

Crime Reports				
Crime Type	Feb. 2022	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	2022 vs. 2021 YTD
Homicide	0	1	1	0
Robbery	5	7	6	16.6%
Aggravated Assault	7	12	29	-58.6%
Burglary	14	21	22	-4.5
Motor Vehicle Theft	25	63	79	-20.5%
Larceny	62	141	186	-24%

For cross-jurisdictional comparison, crime count is based on Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) criteria from the Colorado Bureau of Investigations (CBI), which may differ from in-house crime count. **CBI publishes stats monthly for the previous month and are subject to change.** Small numbers result in large percentage changes. N/C = non-calculable

CRIMES Against Society				
Crime Type	Feb. 2022	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	2022 vs. 2021 YTD
Drug Violations	18	35	27	29.6%
Weapons Violations	16	24	11	118%

Crime Data - Count based on "violations" recorded in the Police Records Management System. Numbers are subject to change.

NEWS RELEASES

March 14 - 1355 York St. Homicide - 17-year-old stole victim's phone and shot him in the abdomen. Suspect was located nearby and taken into custody.

COMMUNITY ADVISORY

March 18 - Marketplace Robbery - Upon leaving the store with stolen merchandise the suspect punched a Loss Prevention employee, causing minor injury, and then fleeing in a red, 4-door sedan.



TRAFFIC & PEDESTRIAN

Safety data

Traffic	March 2022	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	2022 vs. 2021 YTD
Traffic Accidents (start date)	71	294	267	10%
Muni Traffic Citations (Court rept) Does not include County	339	651	853	-23.6%
Speed Violations	218	355	342	3.8%

Numbers are subject to change.

Accident Detail

Auto-Pedestrian Detail current month

March - No Auto-pedestrian accidents in March.

Fatal Accident Detail current month

March - No fatal accidents in March.

Traffic Enforcements

Additional Traffic Enforcement current month

- Two day highway enforcement operation resulting in 65 traffic tickets written by the Northglenn Traffic Team.
- Additional enforcement in school zones.
- Additional enforcement at top crash locations: 104th Ave. / Huron St.



Top 25 Calls for Service

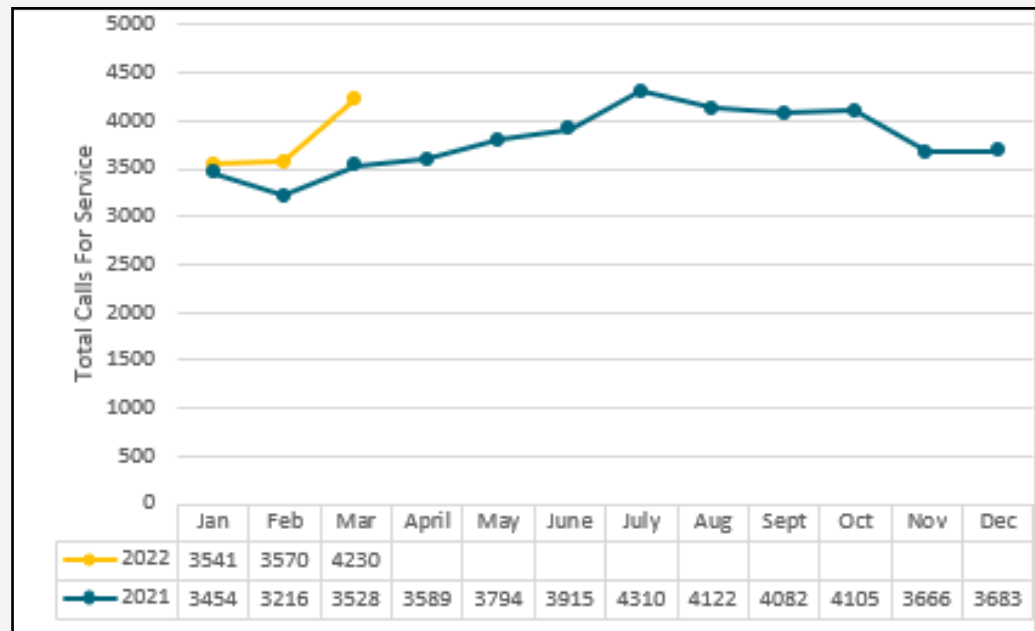
March

Call Types	Mar-21	Mar-22	% Change 21-22	Percentage of total CFS current month 2022
TRAFFIC STOP	336	640	90%	15.27%
INFORMATION	248	352	42%	8.40%
SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY	182	323	77%	7.71%
MEDICAL	267	312	17%	7.44%
CHECK WELL BEING	312	285	-9%	6.80%
PHONE MESSAGE	134	221	65%	5.27%
ANIMAL CALL	108	132	22%	3.15%
TRAFFIC COMPLAINT	129	126	-2%	3.01%
UNWANTED PARTY	113	123	9%	2.93%
THEFT	145	122	-16%	2.91%
DISTURBANCE	84	101	20%	2.41%
PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT	141	99	-30%	2.36%
CIVIL MATTER	54	90	67%	2.15%
ALARM BUSINESS	49	81	65%	under 2%
BE ON THE LOOKOUT	62	79	27%	under 2%
TRESPASS	49	77	57%	under 2%
ABANDONED VEHICLE	58	71	22%	under 2%
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	51	55	8%	under 2%
STAND BY TO PREVENT	37	52	41%	under 2%
NOISE COMPLAINT	78	51	-27%	under 2%
ATTEMPT TO CONTACT	67	49	-27%	under 2%
DRUNK DRIVER	33	46	39%	under 2%
INJURY ACCIDENT	37	42	14%	under 2%
DIRECTED PATROL	3	38	1167%	under 2%
CITIZEN ASSIST	57	37	-35%	under 2%

Datasource: TriTech CAD

Top 25 CFS represents 86% of the total months CFS

All Calls for Service for Current Month [click](#)



SPECIAL UNIT ACTIVITY

SWAT

March - No SWAT activity in Northglenn during March.

Property and Evidence Inventory Completed

Behind this wall of lockers is the secure storage for over thirty-thousand physical items of property and evidence managed by the Northglenn Police Department.

During the month of March the Criminalist, Property/Evidence Custodians, and their Lieutenant completed a very successful three week inventory to ensure that all property secured by the Northglenn Police Department is correctly documented and accounted for.



Victim Services

The Victim Services Unit is critical to providing a victim-centered and trauma-informed perspective to police operations.

Victim Services	February 2022	YTD
Victims Served	137	268
• Person Crime Victims	98	177
• Non-Criminal Victims	39	91
Call-outs	30	48
Hours on scene	54.5	77.25

Numbers are for the City of Northglenn only, as the Victims Services Unit is shared between the City of Northglenn and Thornton.

DEPARTMENT Highlights

Meet Northglenn Volunteer Police Chaplains



The Northglenn Police Department Chaplain Program is established for the purposes of providing spiritual and emotional support to all members of the Department, their families, and members of the public. We are pleased to have **Bill Winter (left)** and **David Farley (right)** alongside of us.

Highlight of 2021 Police Employee Awards



Sworn Employee of the Year
Sergeant DanShube



Non-Sworn Employee of the Year
Administrative Specialist Sarah Verver

- ♦ **Purple Heart:** Sergeant Joel Brown
- ♦ **Medal of Valor:** Officers Festi and Moreau
- ♦ **Life Saving Award:** Officer Brandon Porta
- ♦ **Trainer of the Year:** Officer Chad Reffel
- ♦ **Chief's Service Award:** VA Andrea Buitrago
- ♦ **Leadership of the Year:** Officer Joseph Gutierrez
- ♦ **Retiree Recognition Award:** Officer Michael Pilla
- ♦ **Excellence in Policing:** Officer Jordan Gillette

- ♦ **Certificate of Commendation:** Jose Carrazco, Joseph Gutierrez, Jarrod Guzman, Jennifer Holt, Justin Lauck, Jean Mahan, Joshua Moreau, Austin Prince, Austin Schmid, Michael Schranz, Luke Swartz, Michele Soustek, Jackie Sprester, Jamaris Williams, Cameron Woods
- ♦ **Letter of Recognition:** Jeramie Lund, Chris Miller, Cynthia Pettinato, Austin Schmid, Skyla Spotkaeff

Congratulations!



COMMUNITY Outreach

Read Across America

Northglenn School Resource Officers Festi, Alary, and Skattum joined in on National Read Across America Day, a day established by the National Education Association in 1998 to help get kids excited about reading. This day is celebrated each year on the birthday of the popular children's book author, Dr. Seuss.

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." -Dr. Seuss



Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design



Before you start your next landscape project be sure to consider the Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design or CPTED principles:

- **Natural Surveillance**
- **Natural Access Control**
- **Territorial Reinforcement**
- **Maintenance**



Kudos to Officer Austin Prince for excellent service in our community!

Let's Talk Public Safety

The Chief and Deputy Chief are scheduled to attend one Ward meeting for each of the Wards and the "Mingle with the Mayor" to discuss Public Safety in Northglenn. We hope you will plan to attend!

- **March 2 - Ward 3 at Justice Center**
- **March 31 - Ward 4 at Recreation Center**
- **April 2 - Ward 1 at Justice Center**
- **April 20 - Ward 2 at Justice Center 6 p.m.**

MINGLE WITH THE MAYOR - April 16



Nancy Dukeman

Northglenn · 14h

Had to give Northglenn Police some kuddos, thank you so much for your help today. Around 3:45pm was on my way to pick up my granddaughter, my car's transmission decided to quit, right in middle of intersection by Boondocks. Lucky for me there was a Policeman behind me, he was kind enough to push my car into pkg lot & go pick up my granddaughter & bring her to me. This was very much appreciated and very kind for him to go out of his way. My granddaughter was thrilled to get a ride in a police car. Thought I'd share some kindness I experienced & very much appreciated!

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COMMUNITY Outreach

Persons Experiencing Homelessness Data

2022	# Community Navigator Interactions	# Police Interactions
<i>March</i>	338 (86 individuals)	112
<i>February</i>	95 (46 individuals)	79
<i>January</i>	81 (41 individuals)	91

Note: Due to the growth of CRU, this is the last month the number of interactions will be reported. As members of CRU grow and new software is fully implemented outcomes through case management will be reported.

Project Updates

The Winter Housing Program will need a new name now that it has been extended! Through March 31, 2022, the program has averted 1,465 nights of unsheltered homelessness. Two guests of the WHP obtained permanent housing in the month of March. As a bonus one person, who has been living out of their car for four years, also moved into their permanent housing.

Community Concerns

CRU is putting plans into place to keep the old rec. center from becoming a gathering place as the weather warms.

Anticipated Community Questions

Question: Is the Winter Housing Program being extended?

Answer: Yes, the program has been extended through August 31, 2022.

A photograph of a brick building with large windows reflecting a vibrant sunset. A Northglenn Police SUV is parked in the foreground. A teal text box is overlaid on the right side of the image.

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