

# LAGO VISTA POLICE DEPARTMENT CHIEF'S MONTHLY REPORT OCTOBER 2023



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## Lago Vista Police Department Data

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## Introduction

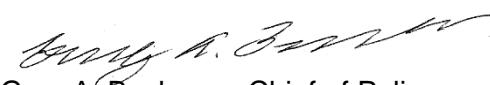
There are several significant matters to address in this month's report. At the onset of this month, the City's Code Enforcement Division underwent a transition, coming under the purview of the Police Department's supervision. Consequently, Code Enforcement statistics will now be incorporated into our department's monthly reports. We are actively engaged in the recruitment process for both Code Enforcement / Animal Control Officer positions. In the interim, our Patrol and Criminal Investigation Divisions have ensured a prompt and responsive approach to addressing citizen complaints within these domains.

This month has proven to be particularly fruitful in building relationships within our community. Notably, our department hosted a National Night Out celebration on the first Tuesday of October. The fundamental objective of National Night Out is to foster collaboration between law enforcement and the community in combating crime. This year's event was a block party and attracted substantial participation. We eagerly anticipate expanding upon this initiative in the future. Additionally, throughout this month, we actively engaged in various other community involvement opportunities, such as participating in the Trunk or Treat event at the high school.

Our department dedicated substantial efforts to several major projects during this month. Noteworthy among these endeavors is the commencement of the project to upgrade our radio system, Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD), and Records Management System (RMS). We have also collaborated with the Lago Vista Independent School District to finalize the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and logistical arrangements for the School Resource Officer position. Furthermore, our recruitment efforts for Dispatch, Code Enforcement, Animal Control, and Patrol have been in full swing. Lastly, we take great pride in successfully launching the new Police Department website, an integral component of the city's newly revamped website.

Training emerged as a focal point during this month. Chief Boshears and Captain Chrane attended the International Association of Chiefs of Police Annual Conference, where they both participated in multiple valuable educational workshops and engaged in productive networking opportunities with various vendors. Chief Boshears is an active member of the IACP's Small Department Section and the Community Policing Committee, which convened meetings during the conference. This occasion provided a platform to share with other law enforcement leaders the commendable initiatives of our department. Furthermore, we facilitated access for our officers to an online training platform that offers content focusing on officer safety, health, and wellness. We also hosted two training classes for Telecommunicators, focusing on Sexual Assault and Family Violence Investigations, with the participation of all our Telecommunicators. Additionally, several officers received training in investigating internet crimes against children.

In summary, this month has witnessed several commendable and positive developments within the Police Department. We are enthusiastic about building upon this positive momentum as we continue to work toward the overarching goal of delivering excellence in service to our citizens.



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Lago Vista Police Department



## Department Statistics

### Patrol Division Statistics

Calls for Service	<b>1,234</b>
Increase / Decrease Percent from the previous month	<b>13.003 % increase</b>
Average Response Time	<b>1 minute</b>
Citations / Warnings	<b>324</b>
Motor Vehicle Accidents	<b>5</b>
On-View / Warrant Arrest	<b>8</b>
Traffic Stops / Vehicle Stops	<b>348</b>

\* Detailed statistics are attached at the end of this report. Note: These statistics represent reported 'Calls for Service' and not verified offenses.

### Calls for Service – Days of the Week

Sunday	<b>170</b>
Monday	<b>218</b>
Tuesday	<b>206</b>
Wednesday	<b>194</b>
Thursday	<b>140</b>
Friday	<b>162</b>
Saturday	<b>144</b>

### Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) – Offenses Reported & Cleared

UCR Offenses Report	<b>12</b>
UCR Offenses Cleared	<b>6</b>

\* Denotes some cases reported in previous months that were closed.

### Citations

Traffic	<b>97</b>
Animal	<b>0</b>
Other	<b>7</b>
Warning	<b>220</b>
Total	<b>235</b>



## Arrest Made

### October 2023

8

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>Total</b>	4	4	3	4	4	2	5	3	3	8		

## Animal Control

### Animal Calls

### October 2023

19

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>Total</b>	14	20	17	22	19	13	14	7	6	19		

### Animal Impounds

### October 2023

\*5

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>Total</b>	*1	1	*1	*1	*2	*2	*5	*2	*2	*2	*5	

\*Dogs returned to owners

## Offenses

### October 2023

23

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>Total</b>	40	32	32	34	44	32	38	42	26	23		

## Accidents

### October 2023

5

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>Total</b>	6	5	13	9	8	6	6	7	5	5		

## Miles Patrolled

### October 2023

16,872

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>Total</b>	10,965	12,046	12,017	12,302	17,157	14,012	15,674	19,659	24,882	16,872		



## Dispatch Division Statistics

Total Calls	<b>81</b>
Total 9-1-1 Calls	<b>80</b>
Total Inbound	<b>80</b>
Total Abandoned	<b>1</b>
Administrative 911	<b>87</b>
Total 911 Call Average Duration	<b>288.85 minutes</b>
Call Transfer from LVPD	<b>15</b>
Call Transfer to LVPD	<b>80</b>

### 9-1-1 Calls for Service – Days of the Week

Sunday	<b>20</b>
Monday	<b>11</b>
Tuesday	<b>9</b>
Wednesday	<b>8</b>
Thursday	<b>6</b>
Friday	<b>11</b>
Saturday	<b>16</b>

### 9-1-1 Calls by Shift

Day Shift	<b>35</b>
Night Shift	<b>46</b>



## Staff

Below you will find a list of our current personnel as well as information about certification level, length of time with the department, and total time as a peace officer.

Name	Rank	Peace Officer / Telecommunicator Certification Level	Length with City	Total Peace Officer / Telecommunicator Service
Gary Boshears	Chief of Police	Master	1 year, 1 months	19 years, 8 months
Paul Chrane	Captain	Master	0 years, 10 months	17 years, 10 months
Thomas Franco	Lieutenant	Master	24 years, 9 months	28 years, 9 months
Frank Allocca	Detective Sergeant	Master	12 years, 7 months	22 years, 0 months
David Wilson	Detective Sergeant	Master	8 years, 0 months	21 years, 4 months
Jerome Brooks	Sergeant	Master	9 years, 1 month	37 years, 1 month
Doyce Smith	Sergeant	Master	5 years, 7 months	20 years, 4 months
Roberto Mercado	Sergeant	Advanced	11 years, 0 months	11 years, 0 months
Brandon Carey	Sergeant	Basic	10 years, 4 months	7 years, 1 months
Sylvia Arnold	Police Officer	Intermediate	0 years, 3 months	4 years, 1 months
Christopher Cochran	Police Officer	Advanced	11 years, 10 months	11 years, 10 months
Jason Bartholomew	Police Officer	Advanced	5 years, 4 months	13 years, 10 months
Mia Hernandez	Police Officer	Basic	2 years, 3 months	2 years, 3 months
Jose Saldivar	Police Officer	Basic	1 year, 4 months	5 years, 3 months
Robert Quick	Police Officer	Intermediate	1 year, 5 months	5 years, 0 months
Nikki Campos	Police Officer	Basic	1 year, 0 months	1 year, 0 months
Jonothan Perez	Police Officer	Basic	0 years, 10 months	0 years, 9 months
Hope Delarosa	Police Officer	Basic	0 years, 10 months	0 years, 10 months
Bryan Muzquiz	Police Officer	Basic	0 years, 8 months	0 years, 8 months
Amy Villegas	Police Officer	Basic	0 years, 8 months	0 years, 8 months
VACANT	Police Officer			
VACANT	Dispatch Supervisor			
Kara Smith	Dispatcher	Intermediate	3 years, 6 months	3 years, 6 months
Kathryn Palmer	Dispatcher	Basic	0 years, 5 months	0 years, 5 months
Nicole Baker	Dispatcher	Basic	0 years, 10 months	0 years, 10 months
Juan Celedon	Dispatcher	Basic	0 years, 10 months	0 years, 10 months
Kerry Semon	Dispatcher	Basic	0 years, 9 months	1 year, 1 months
Gwen Mathews	Dispatcher	Basic	0 years, 6 months	0 years, 6 months
Samantha Talavera	Dispatcher (NEW)	Basic	0 years, 0 months	0 years, 0 months
Crystal Street	Executive Assistant	Advanced	5 years, 4 months	23 years, 1 month
VACANT	Code Enforcement			
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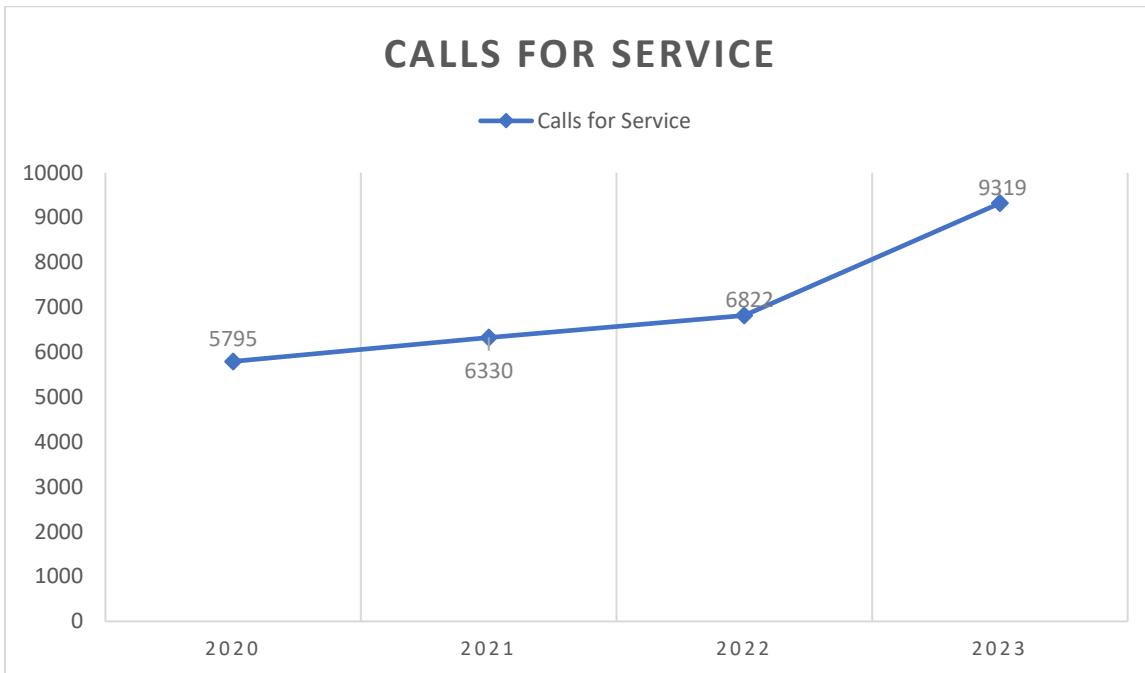
**Total Peace Office / Dispatcher Experience of Department: 258 years, 6 months**

**Total Service Time to City: 121 years, 0 months**

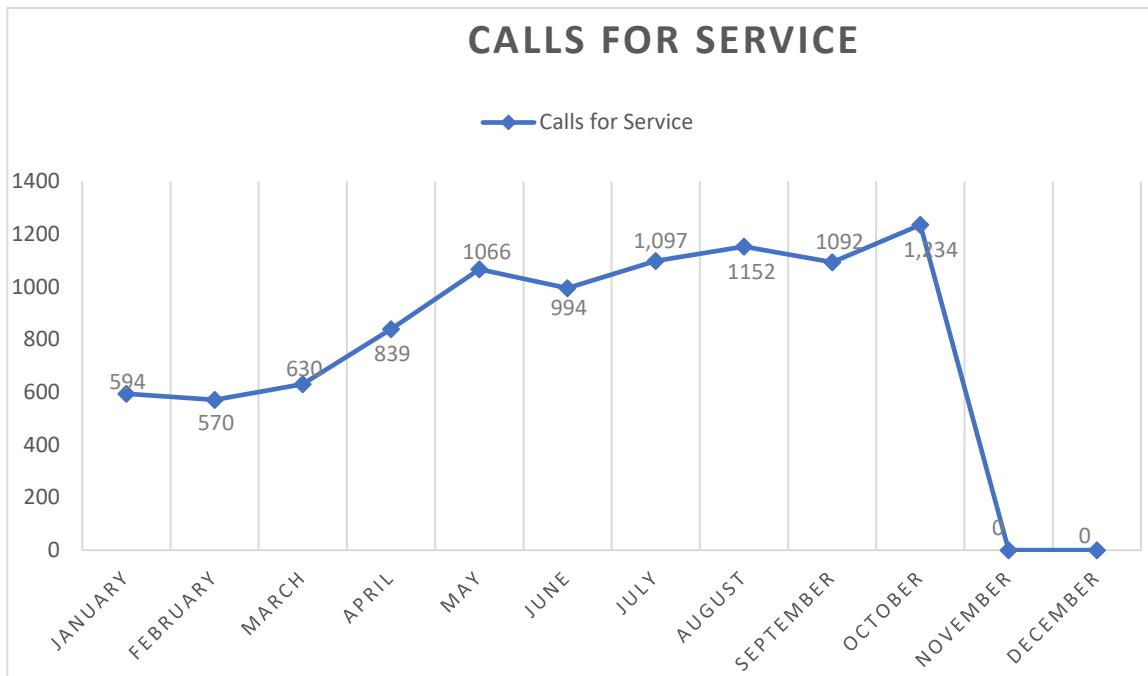


## City of Lago Vista Police Department Statistics

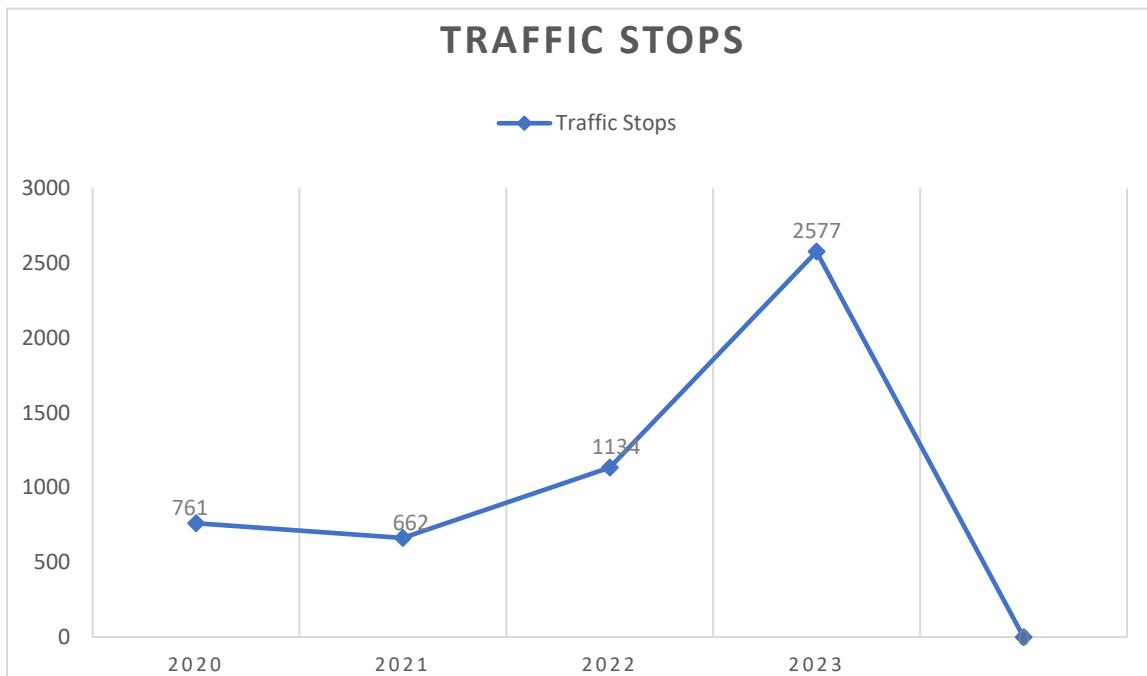
### Calls for Service – Historical and Year-to-Date



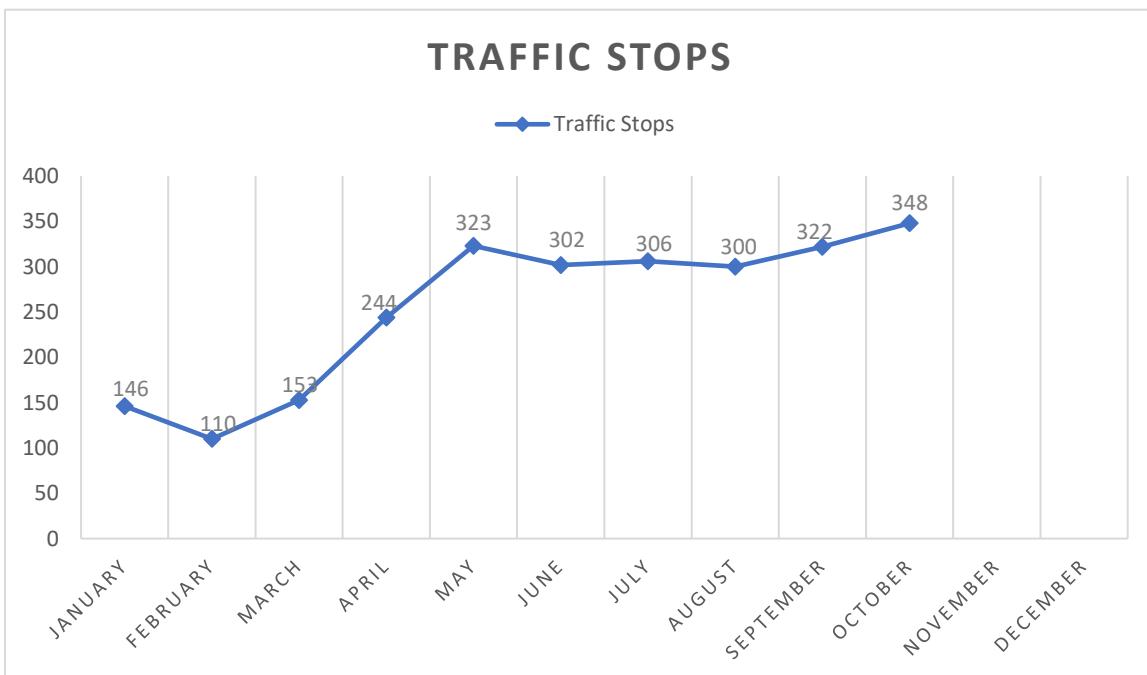
### Calls for Service – 2023 by Month



## Traffic Stops - Historical & Year-To-Date



## Traffic – 2023 by Month



**OCTOBER 2023 TOTAL INCIDENT REPORT BY NATURE OF INCIDENT**

Call Type	Number of Calls
Abduction / Kidnapping	0
Abuse/ Abandonment/Neglect	0
Administrative Documentation	90
Alarm Calls	18
Animal Calls	17
Assault / Sexual Assault	2
Assist Other Law Enforcement Agencies	7
Assist Fire Department	3
Assist EMS	23
Assist City (Utilities, Street, etc.)	20
Assist Citizen	64
Bomb / Suspicious Package	0
Bomb Threat	0
Burglary / Home Invasion	3
Damage / Vandalism / Criminal Mischief	6
Deceased Person	2
Disturbance / Nuisance (VCO)	44
Dog/Cats	19
Fireworks	3
Illegal Dumping	1
Illegal Burning	0
VCO Parking (Non-Traffic)	5
Domestic Disturbance / Family Violence	11
Driving under the Influence / Driving While Intoxicated	0
Drugs	0
Explosion	0
Fraud / Deception	3
Harassment / Stalking / Threat	0
Indecency / Lewdness / Disorderly Conduct	2
Mental Disorder (Behavioral Problems)	2
Miscellaneous	0
Missing Person / Runaway / Found Person	5
Officer Needs Assistance	0
Public Service (Lock In/Out, Welfare Check)	14
Robbery / Carjacking	0
Security Checks	382



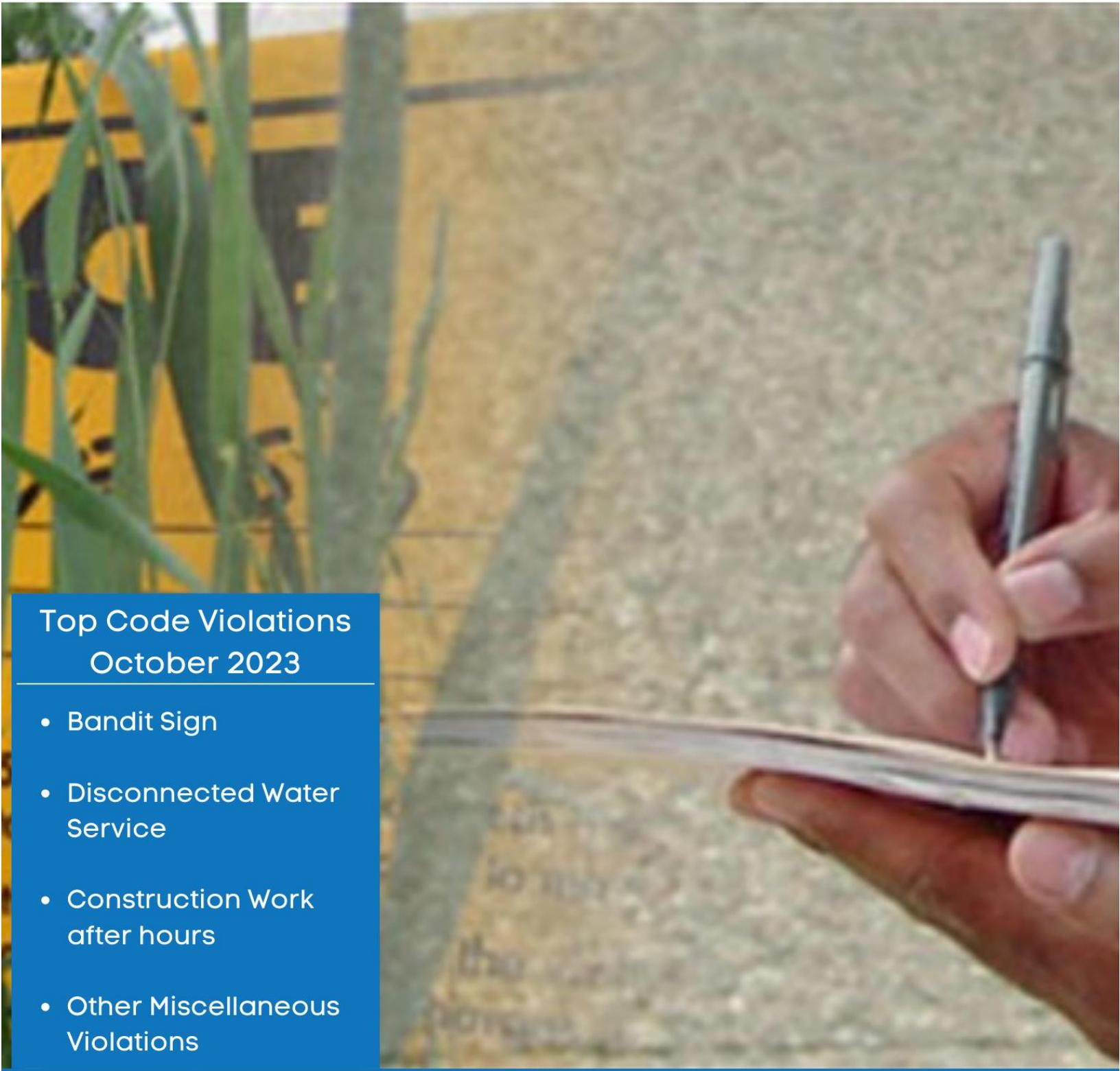
Shots Heard	5
Subject Check	0
Suicidal Subject / Attempted Suicide	1
Supplemental	30
Suspicious/ Unwanted (Persons/Circumstances/Vehicle)	41
Theft (Larceny)	6
Traffic Accidents (Crash) / Sinking Vehicle	5
Traffic Violations / Complaint / Hazards	36
Trespassing / Unwanted	7
Unknown (3 <sup>rd</sup> party)	0
Weapons / Firearms	1
Warrant Arrest	1
Resisting / Evading	0
911 Hang-Up	1
BOLO	5
W911	1
Vehicle Stops	348
<b>Total Incidents for this Report</b>	<b>1,234</b>



# LAGO VISTA POLICE DEPARTMENT CODE ENFORCEMENT MONTHLY REPORT OCTOBER 2023

## Top Code Violations October 2023

- Bandit Sign
- Disconnected Water Service
- Construction Work after hours
- Other Miscellaneous Violations



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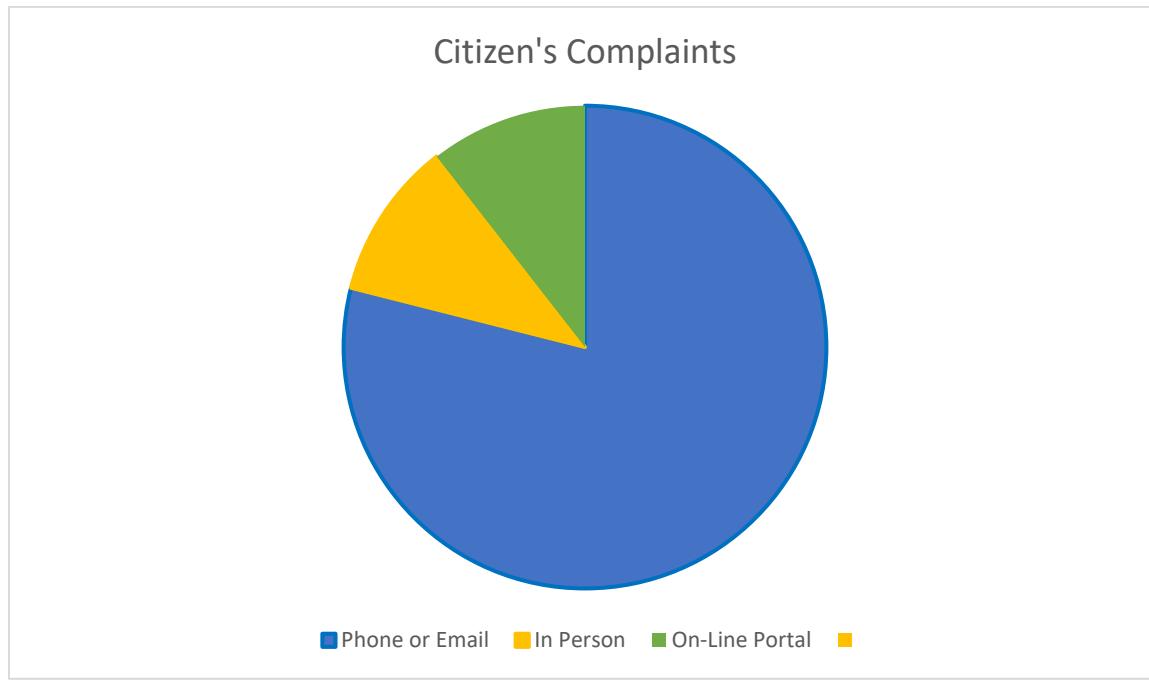
## Summary

Code Enforcement is a section of our Police Department that helps maintain and improve the quality of Lago Vista's neighborhoods by operating programs that ensure public compliance with the City Building Code and other state construction codes. Additionally, we respond to customer complaints of potential Code violations and initiate fair and unbiased enforcement actions to correct those violations and educate property owners to maintain code compliance.

## Code Enforcement Statistics

- Responded to **72** new cases.
- Citations issued: **4**
- Grease Trap Letters sent for Public Work: **5**

### Code Enforcement Statistics – Citizen Complaints



## OCTOBER 2023 – TYPES OF VIOLATIONS

<b>Call Type</b>	<b>Number of Violations</b>
Other Miscellaneous Violations	5
Other Zoning Violations	1
Sign Violations	5
Boat Violations	4
Vehicle Violations	4
RV/Trailer Violations	5
Land Violations	7
Construction Violations	9
Construction – No Permit	3
Dark Skies Pollution	2
Disconnected Water/Delinquency	6
Failure to Erect E/S	1
E/S Damage	1
Failure to obtain Proper Inspections	2
Illegal Dumping	1
Open Display	3
Waste Violation(s)	1
Stop Work Notifications	2
Animal Violations	2
Maintenance Violations	8

