



## **POLICE DEPARTMENT COUNCIL REPORT**

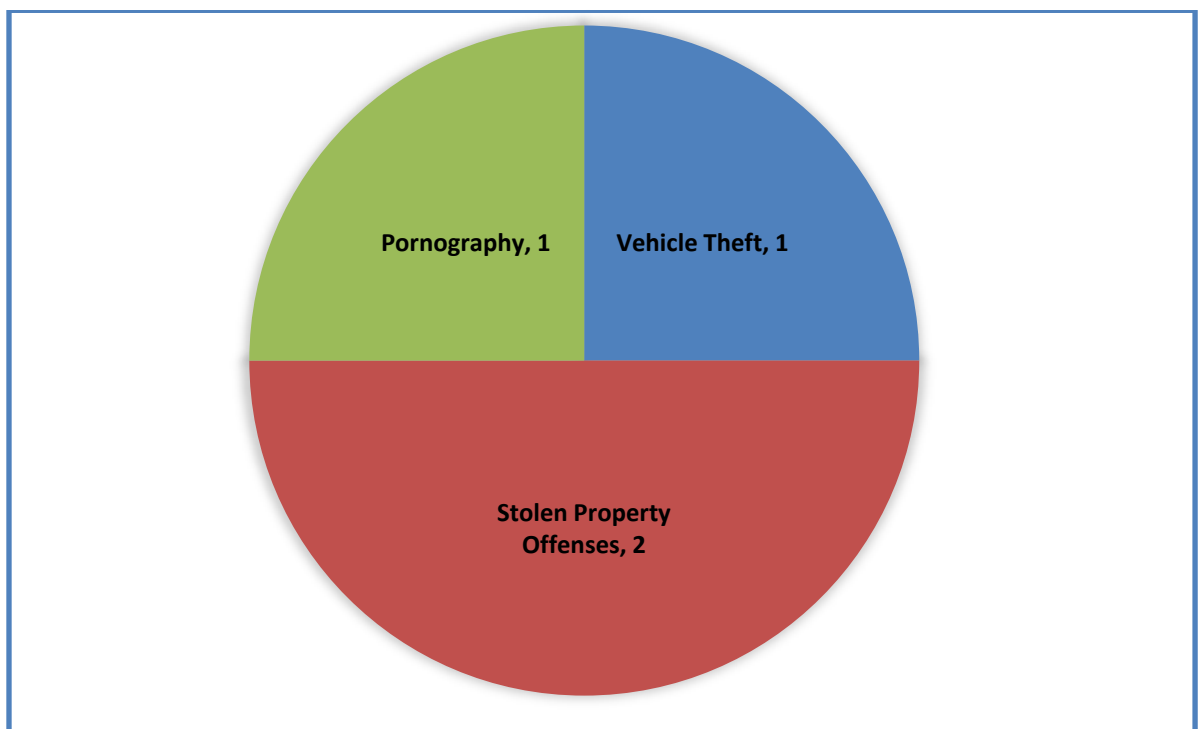
To: Mayor Greg Thornton  
La Center City Council

From: Bob Richardson, Interim Police Chief

Date: March 22, 2023

Re: Crime Report for The Month of February 2023

### February 2023 – Reported Crimes



February 2023 – Total Crimes Reported = 4

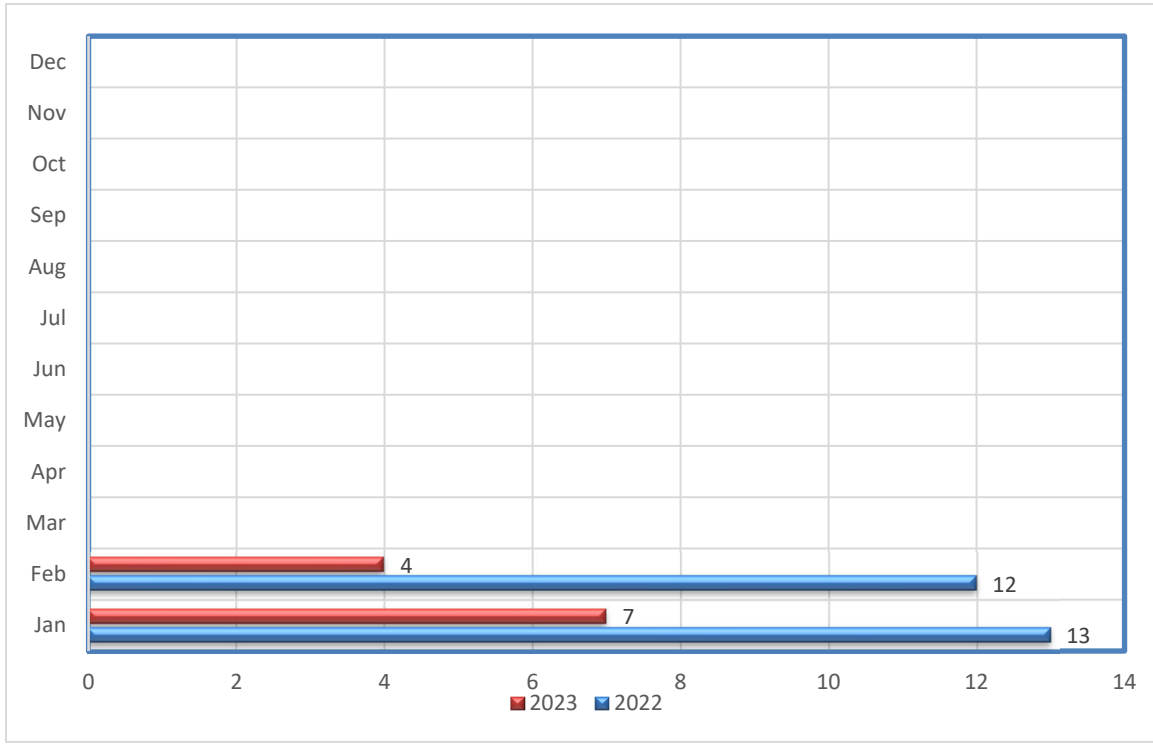
February 2022 – Total Crimes Reported = 12

(1 – Intimidation, 2 – Theft from Motor Vehicle, 3 – All other Larceny, 6 - Vandalism)

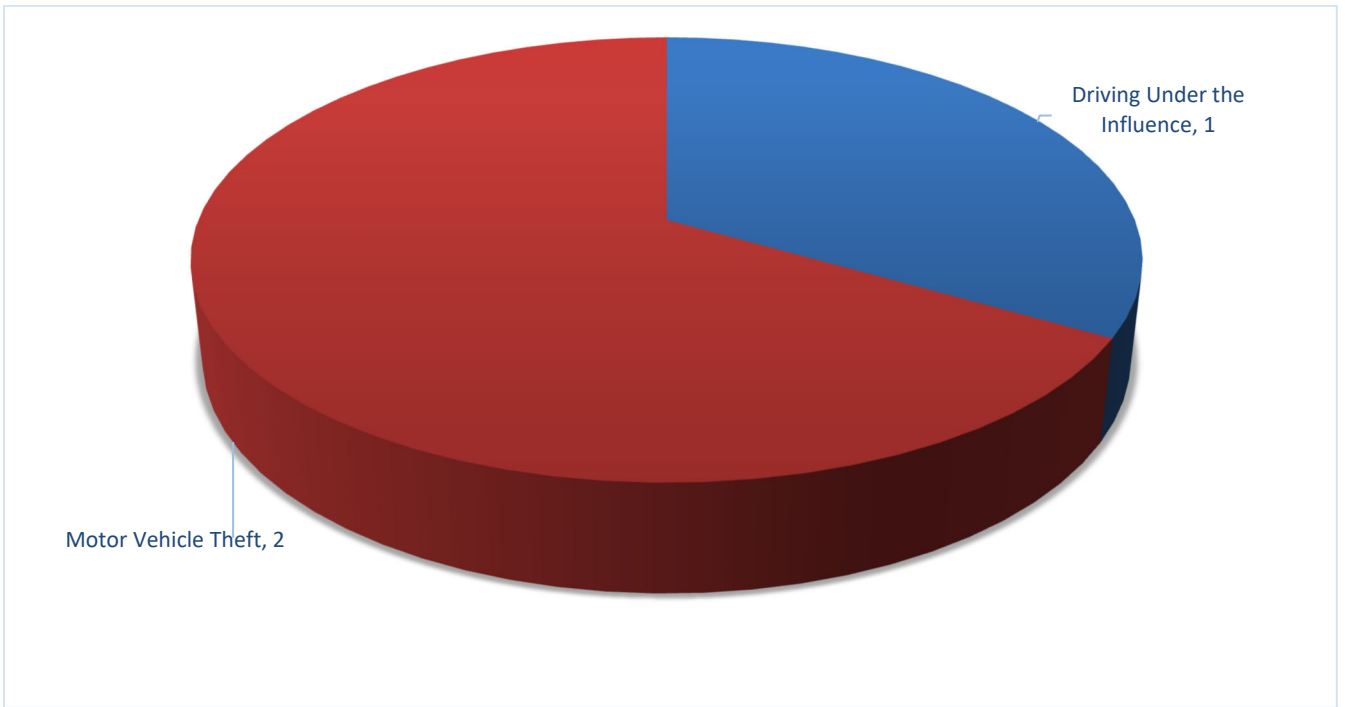
February 2023 – Crime Incidents

<b>Case Number</b>	<b>Offense</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Notes</b>
23-000024	Recovered Stolen Vehicle	02/08/2023	XXXX W. 15 <sup>th</sup> Street	Recovered Stolen Vehicle - KIA
23-000027	Obscene Material	02/26/2023	XXX W. 12 <sup>th</sup> Way	Minor shared explicit image on Snapchat
23-000029	Recovered Stolen Vehicle	02/28/2023	XXX NW La Center Road	Known suspect abandoned stolen vehicle. – Honda. Related to 23-000030.
23-000030	Auto Theft	02/28/2023	XXX E. 5 <sup>th</sup> Street	Known suspect flees police in stolen vehicle – Honda. Related to 23-000029.

## Monthly Reported Crime Comparison 2022 Versus 2023



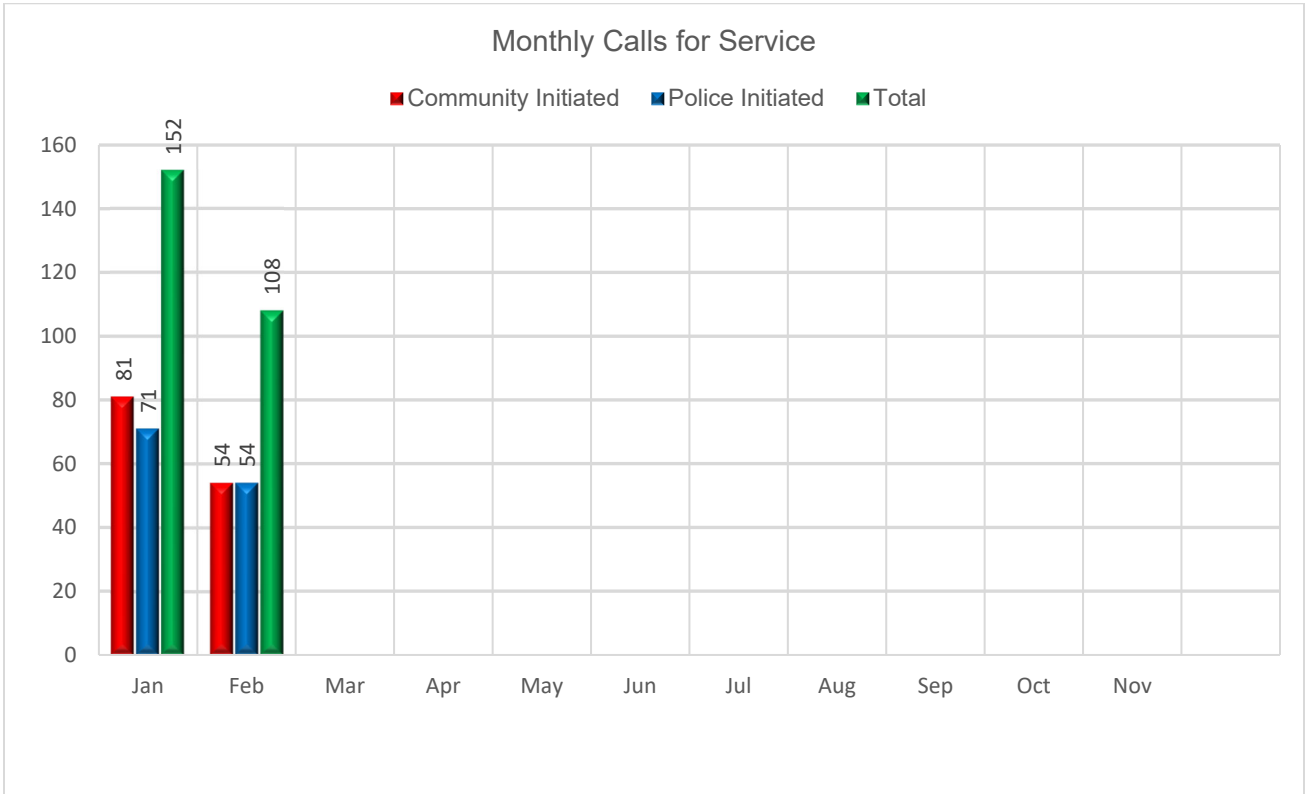
February 2023 – Reported Arrests



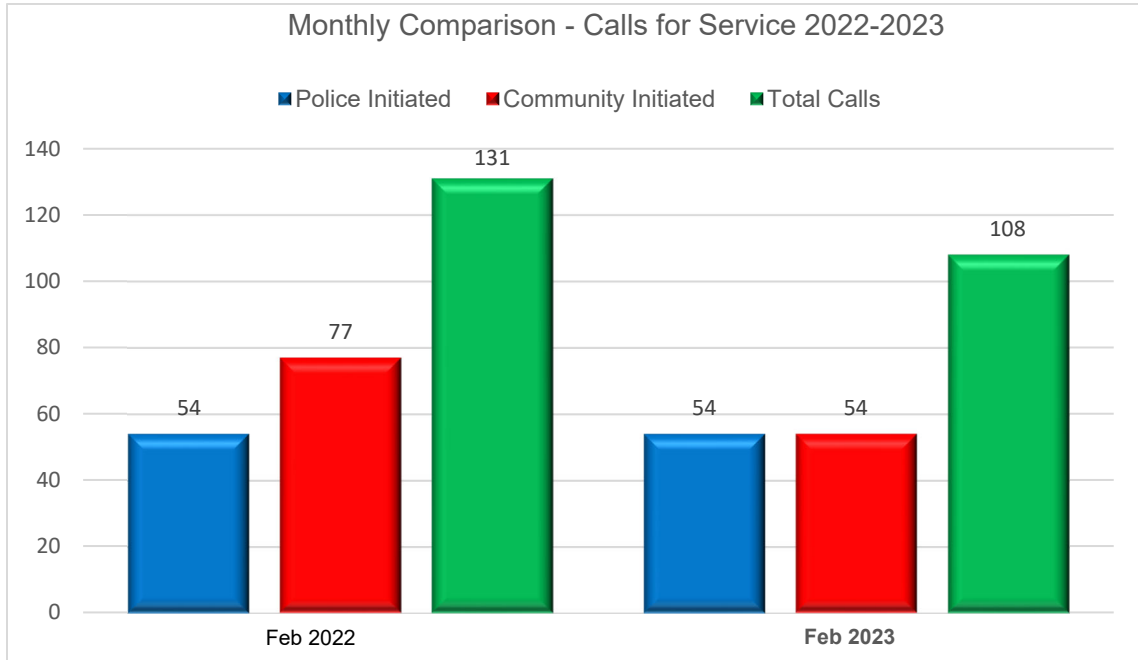
Total Arrests Reported – February 2023 = 3

Total Arrests Reported – February 2022 = 1

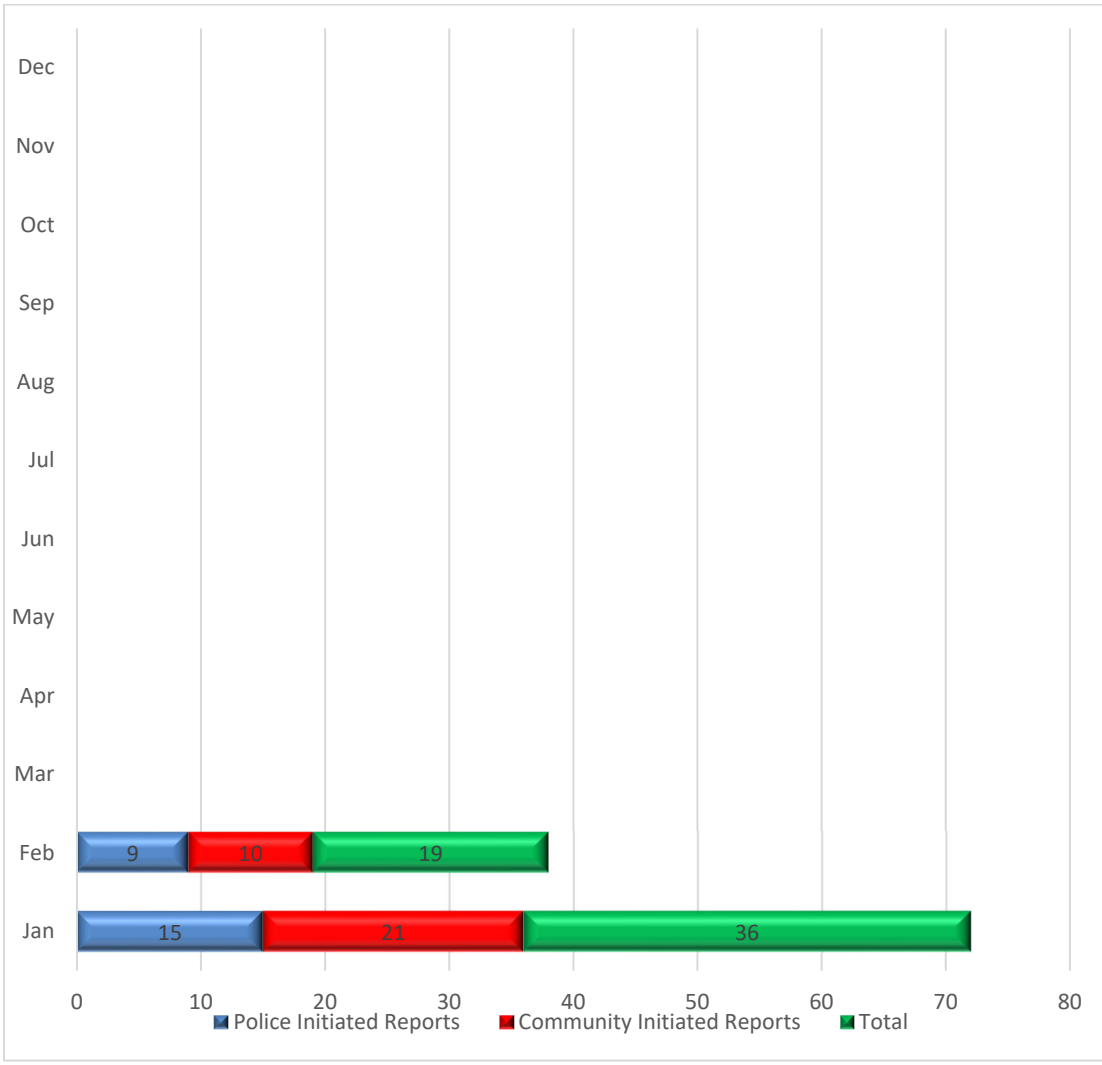
February 2023 - Calls for Service.



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2023 - Monthly Written Reports by Source





## Community Messaging

- We Still Have Free Steering Wheel Locks At The La Center City Hall – 2 Per Family.
- We are experiencing an increase in stolen vehicles that we can contribute to our auto theft suspect from 2021 being back in the area. He has already been identified as the suspect in two of our auto thefts that occurred in February.