

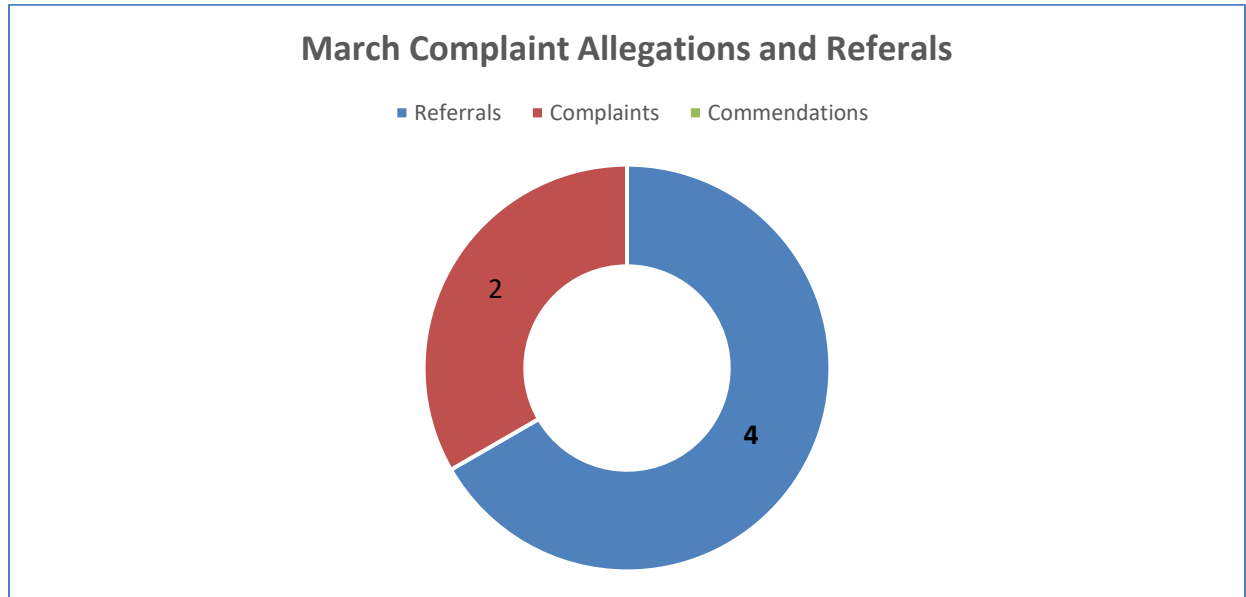


Office of the Police Ombudsman

Public Safety & Community Health Committee Report

Reporting Period: March 1-31, 2022

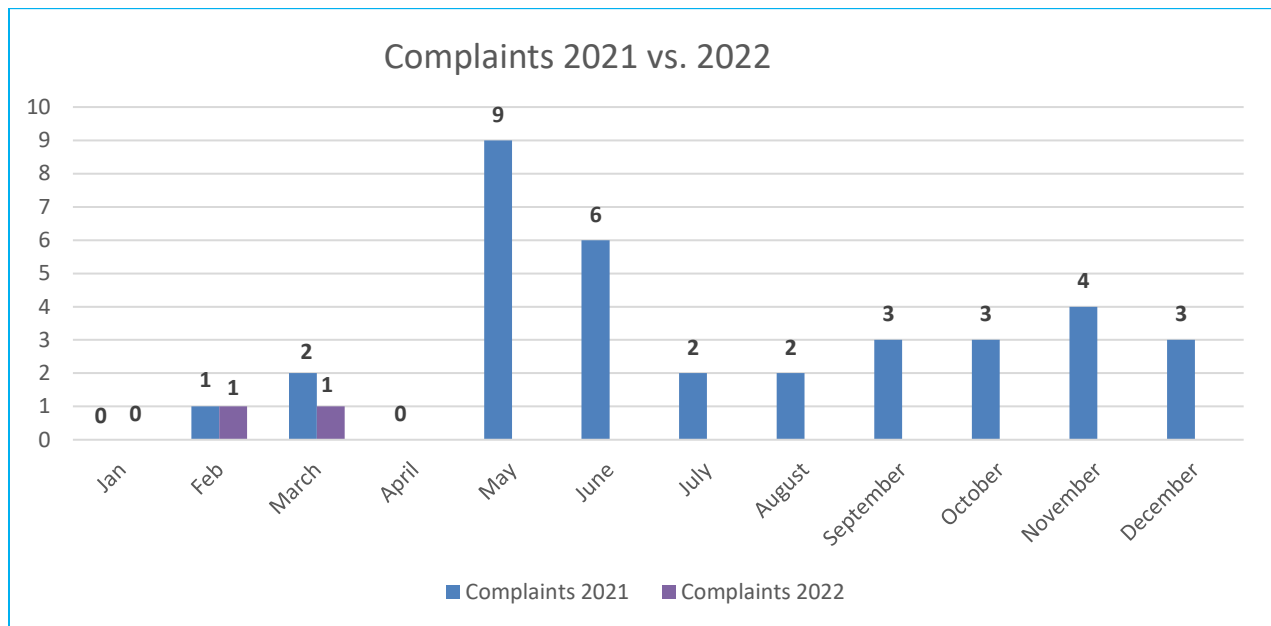
Complaints/Referrals/Contacts



Highlights:

In March, the Office of the Police Ombudsman (OPO) submitted 2 Complaints to Internal Affairs and made 4 Referrals to various offices and agencies.

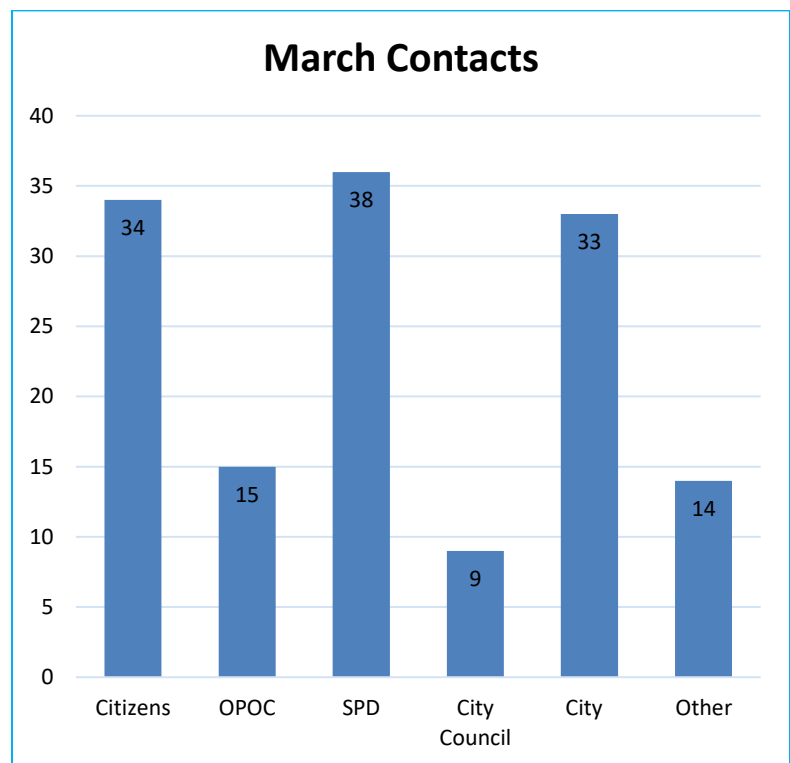
- OPO 22-03: A community leader witnessed a member of SPD speeding through a school zone.
- OPO 22-04: A community member complained about a traffic stop conducted by an officer for not wearing their seatbelt. In addition, the complainant alleged that the officer stated that they had conducted an inspection on the community members commercial vehicle, but did not conduct the inspection.
- IR 22-08: A community member had concerns regarding their complaint they submitted in 2019; this was referred to SPD/IA.
- ER 22-09: A community member had been trying to get their Public Records fulfilled; this was referred to the Police Records Department.
- ER 22-10: A community member was frustrated with an alleged lack of follow through from SPD; this was referred to the Police Chief's Office.



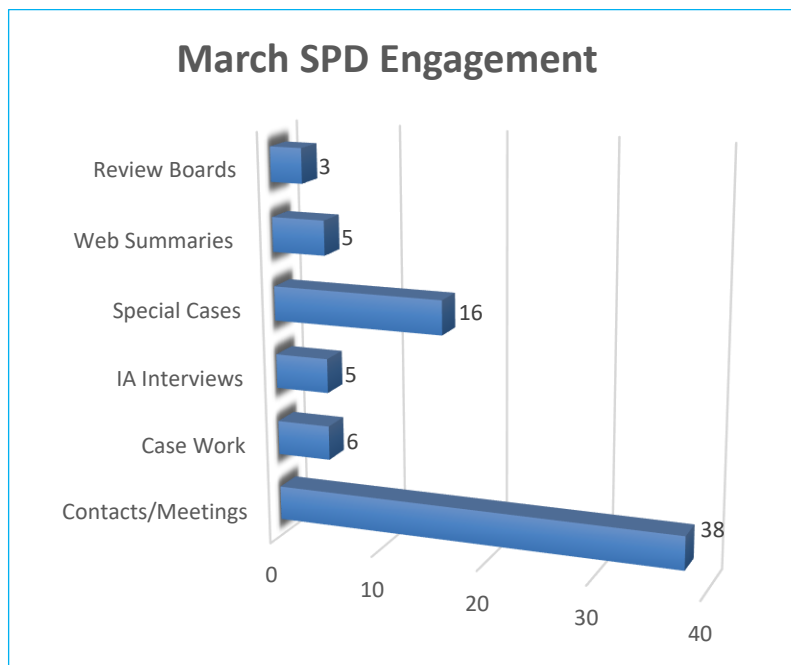
Contacts/Oversight:

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- 141 total contacts
- 34 community member contacts
- 2 citizen interviews were conducted
- 5 officer interviews in IA
- 38 total SPD contacts
- 18 IA contacts



Oversight Activities



Case Work

5 – Cases certified
1 – Case returned for further investigation

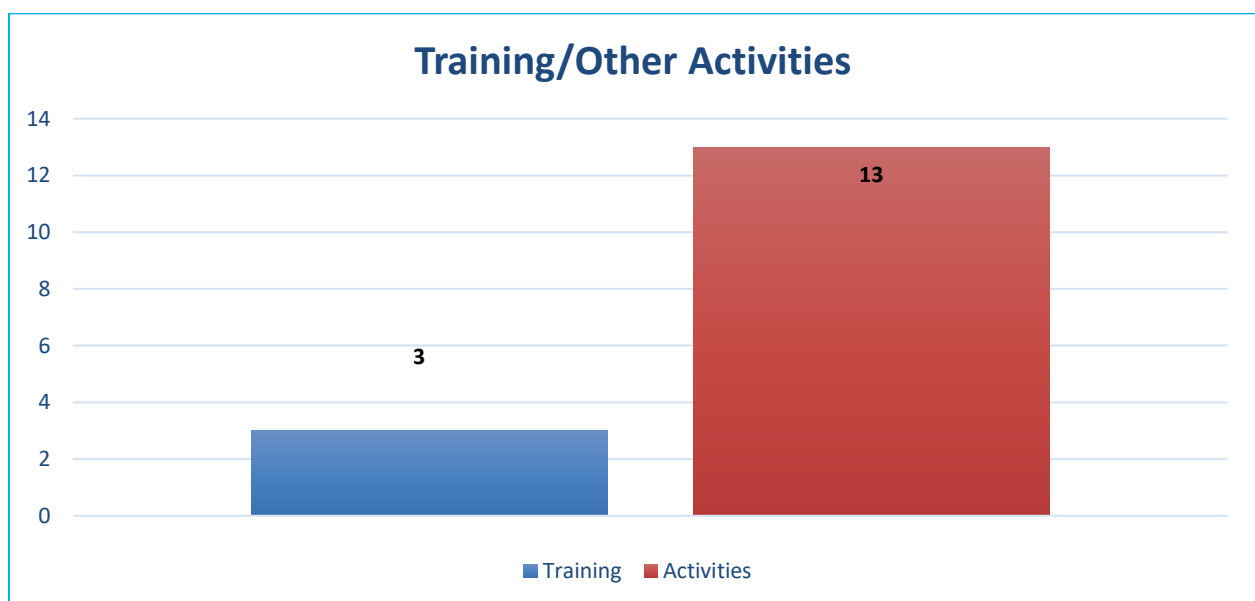
Special Cases

5 – Use of Force
2 – K9
6 – Collision
3 – Pursuit

Review Boards / ARP

1 – UOF
1 – Collision/Pursuit
2 – DFRB

Training/Other Activities



Highlights:

- Training - Force Science: Introduction to Human Dynamics and Conflict Resolution, CJIS
- Oversight – IA Bi-Weekly Meeting, March COPS Board Meeting, WSCJTC Meeting, Use of Force Review Board, Collision/Pursuit Review Board, Deadly Force Review Board
- Other Community Meetings – Presentation to City Council, OPOC Meeting, Leadership 2022, Celebrate Recovery Events, Leadership Spokane Finance and Program Committee Meetings, Leadership Spokane Executive Board Meeting, Leadership Spokane Gala
- Oversight/Outreach - Washington Coalition for Police Accountability Meeting

Upcoming

- WSCJTC Meetings
- IACP Spring Legal Officer Training

Office of the Police Ombudsman Commission Meeting:

Held virtually, the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 5:30pm

In-person, beginning with the April, 2022 meeting in Council Chambers at City Hall

Agendas and meeting recordings can be found at:

<https://my.spokanecity.org/bcc/commissions/ombudsman-commission/>