



TOPEKA POLICE DEPARTMENT

Community Initiatives toward transparency



COMMUNITY INITIATIVES SINCE NOV 2017

- TPD Policies online
- Crime Statistics online
- Purchase of "IAPRO" for improved customer service and complaint case management
- Social media team created for comprehensive coverage
- Community Officers selected with specific focus
 - Community Outreach Officer
 - The Brothers- Latino Outreach Officer



COMMUNITY INITIATIVES- CON'T

- Increase accessibility to mainstream media
- Enhancement and addition of community partnerships
 - YWCA Center for Safety and Empowerment
 - Center for Peace and Justice
 - Over 22 TPD Officers involved in Momentum 2022
- PSAs to keep community engaged and involved
- Re-involving TPD in the Police Athletic League (PAL)



COMMUNITY INITIATIVES CON'T

- Increased mainstream media participation in Citizens Academy
 - WIBW,KSNT City 4
- Transition from Chiefs Advisory Board format to Citizens Advisory Council
 - Citizen Survey Questions created to query general public to increase TPD effectiveness and accountability

COMMUNITY INITIATIVES



- TPD Re-Organization