

CITY COUNCIL PRESENTATION

May 29th, 2017



Officer In Charge
Supt. Brent Mundle
Kelowna RCMP

2016-2019 CRIME REDUCTION STRATEGY

- ❖ The Kelowna RCMP continues to work diligently towards the four goals set forth in the 2016-2019 Crime Reduction Strategy



Crime Reduction Strategy

GOAL #1

TAKING A PROACTIVE APPROACH TO CRIME

GOAL #2

TO WORK WITH PARTNER AGENCIES FOR MORE EFFECTIVE POLICING

GOAL #3

TO MAXIMIZE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF RESOURCES USING AN INTELLIGENCE-LED MODEL

GOAL #4

LEVERAGING EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

GOAL #1

TAKING A PROACTIVE APPROACH TO CRIME

❖ Annual Performance Plan

- Yearly Goals Outlined
- Quarterly Statistics Measuring Progress:
 - Collisions
 - Domestic Violence
 - Property Crime
 - Violent crime
 - Criminal Code Offences



GOAL #1

TAKING A PROACTIVE APPROACH TO CRIME (CONT'D)

- ❖ **Summer Policing**
 - **Bike Patrol**
 - **Inadmissible Patrons**
 - **Enhanced Policing Shifts**
 - **Boat Patrols**

- ❖ **Lock, Register, Report**
 - **Protect You Bike Campaign**
 - **Project 529 Garage**

- ❖ **Senior Safety and Fraud Presentations**

- ❖ **Traffic Safety Initiative**



GOAL #1

TAKING A PROACTIVE APPROACH TO CRIME (CONT'D)

- ❖ Impaired Driving Enforcement
 - Alexa Awards



GOAL #1

TAKING A PROACTIVE APPROACH TO CRIME (CONT'D)

- ❖ Anti-Tamper License Plates
- ❖ Coordinated Speed Watch Event
- ❖ Significant Drug Seizures
 - Fentanyl



SIGNIFICANT DRUG SEIZURES

- ❖ In late 2015 an drug importation investigation was initiated and concluded in 2016 with the following seized:
 - 100 litres of GBL (precursor to GHB)
 - An industrial pill press confirmed to with fentanyl residue
 - 110 counterfeit pharmaceutical pills
 - Loaded firearm



SIGNIFICANT DRUG SEIZURES

- ❖ In March of 2016, two properties were searched and Kelowna RCMP located:
 - 2 industrial pill presses
 - More than 8 kilograms of fentanyl powder
 - 1300 counterfeit pharmaceutical pills
 - \$150,000 in cash and vehicles seized as proceeds of crime



SIGNIFICANT DRUG SEIZURES

- ❖ A two month investigation that concluded in November of 2016 led to the seizure of:
 - 1.32 kilograms of suspected fentanyl-laced heroin
 - 2.1 kilograms of methamphetamine
 - \$100,000 in Canadian currency
 - Several unrestricted firearms



GOAL #2

TO WORK WITH PARTNER AGENCIES FOR MORE EFFECTIVE POLICING

- ❖ **John Howard Society**
 - **Program 'STOP' - Domestic Violence Prevention**

- ❖ **Elizabeth Fry / RCMP / Willow CYAC**
 - **Building Knowledge and Resiliency Workshop**

- ❖ **Interior Health**
 - **Supervised Injection Sites**



GOAL #2 TO WORK WITH PARTNER AGENCIES FOR MORE EFFECTIVE POLICING (CONT'D)

- ❖ Central Okanagan Crime Stoppers
 - Program of the Year



GOAL #2

TO WORK WITH PARTNER AGENCIES FOR MORE EFFECTIVE POLICING (CONT'D)

- ❖ Police and Crisis Team (PACT)
- ❖ In the first 7 weeks of operation PACT attended 22.5% of all the mental health act general occurrences.

GOAL #3

TO MAXIMIZE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF RESOURCES USING AN INTELLIGENCE-LED MODEL

- ❖ **CompStat Success with Problem Residences**

- ❖ **More Efficient Alignment of Resources**
 - **Criminal Intelligence Analysts**
 - **Target Team**
 - **Bike Patrol**
 - **Addition of 6 Police Officers**



GOAL #3

TO MAXIMIZE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF RESOURCES USING AN INTELLIGENCE-LED MODEL (CONT'D)

- ❖ Online Crime Reporting Project
- ❖ Auxiliary Constable Program
- ❖ Kelowna RCMP and the Crisis Team
- ❖ General Duty Staffing Analysis and Scheduling



GOAL #4

LEVERAGING EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

- ❖ **Internal Communication in the New Detachment**
- ❖ **Quarterly Meeting with City of Kelowna Communications Section**
- ❖ **Emergency Flood Support**
- ❖ **Commitment of Volunteers**
- ❖ **Positive Community Involvement**



POSITIVE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- ❖ Fill The Bag Blood Drive



POSITIVE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

❖ Anti-Bullying Day



 **Kelowna RCMP** ✓
@KelownaRCMP

.@KelownaRCMP On Pink Shirt Day we encourage everyone to wear pink and show your support #PinkShirtDay



2017-02-22, 07:40

VIEW TWEET ACTIVITY

The screenshot shows a tweet from the Kelowna RCMP. The text of the tweet encourages people to wear pink shirts on Pink Shirt Day to show support. Below the text is a photograph of two RCMP officers standing in front of a wall with a rainbow flag and a logo. Both officers are wearing pink shirts under their dark uniforms. The tweet is dated 2017-02-22 at 07:40 and includes a 'VIEW TWEET ACTIVITY' link.



POSITIVE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

❖ Cops For Kids Ride



POSITIVE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

❖ Law Day



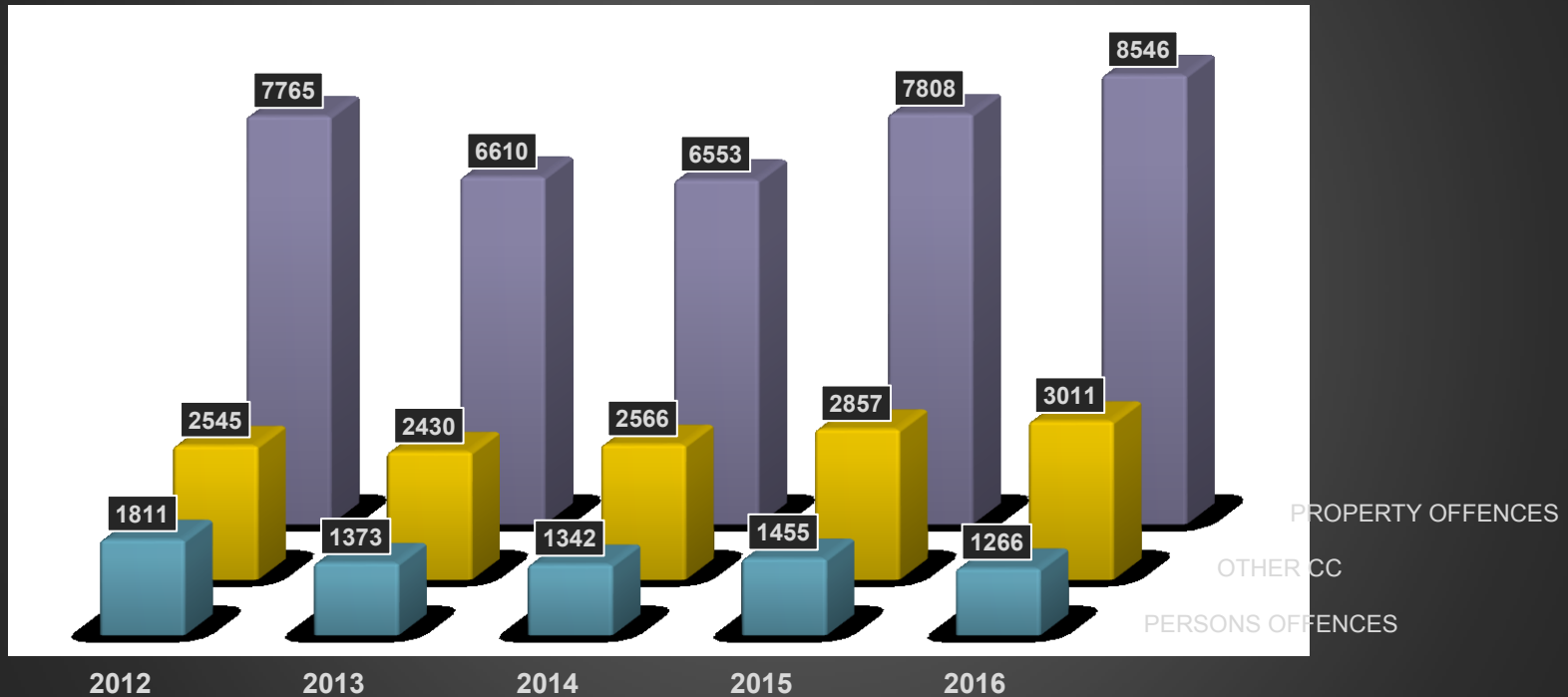
POSITIVE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

❖ Cops For Kids - Jail & Bail



2016 IN REVIEW

YEARLY COMPARISON OF ALL CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES



TRENDS IN 2016

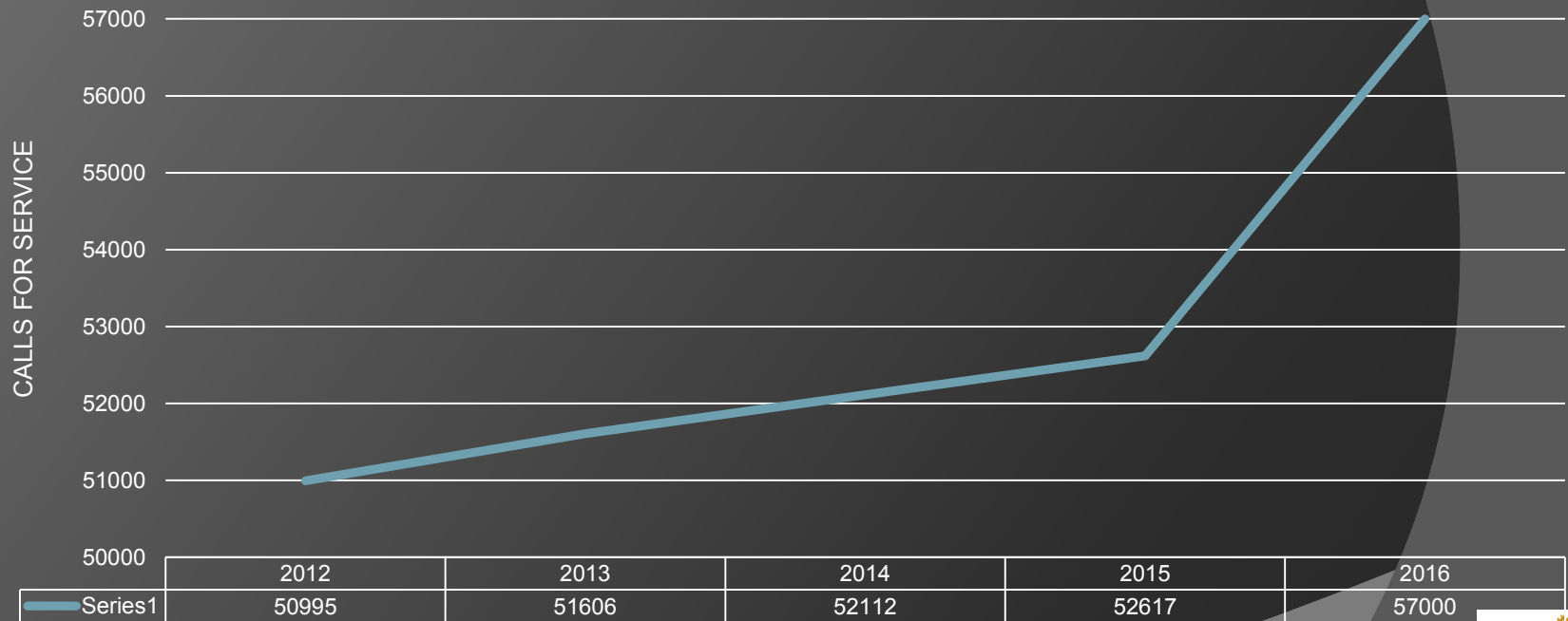
- ❖ Increase of **9.5%** in property crime in 2016 compared to 2015
- ❖ This increase was primarily driven by small scale offences including thefts from auto and thefts of bicycles
- ❖ Persons offences in 2016 decreased **13%** compared to 2015, and represent the lowest total overall in the past five years.



TRENDS IN 2016

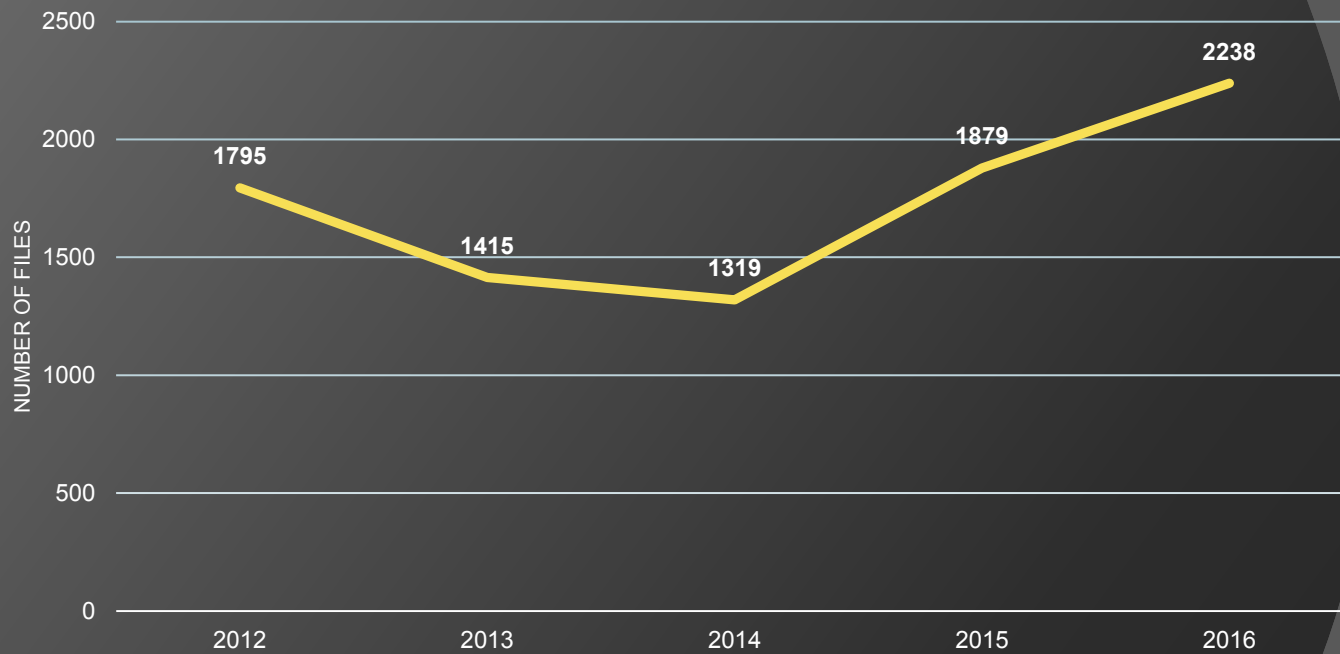
- ❖ Calls for service have increased **8.33%** in 2016 compared to the same period in 2015; an increase of **4383** calls.

CALLS FOR SERVICE



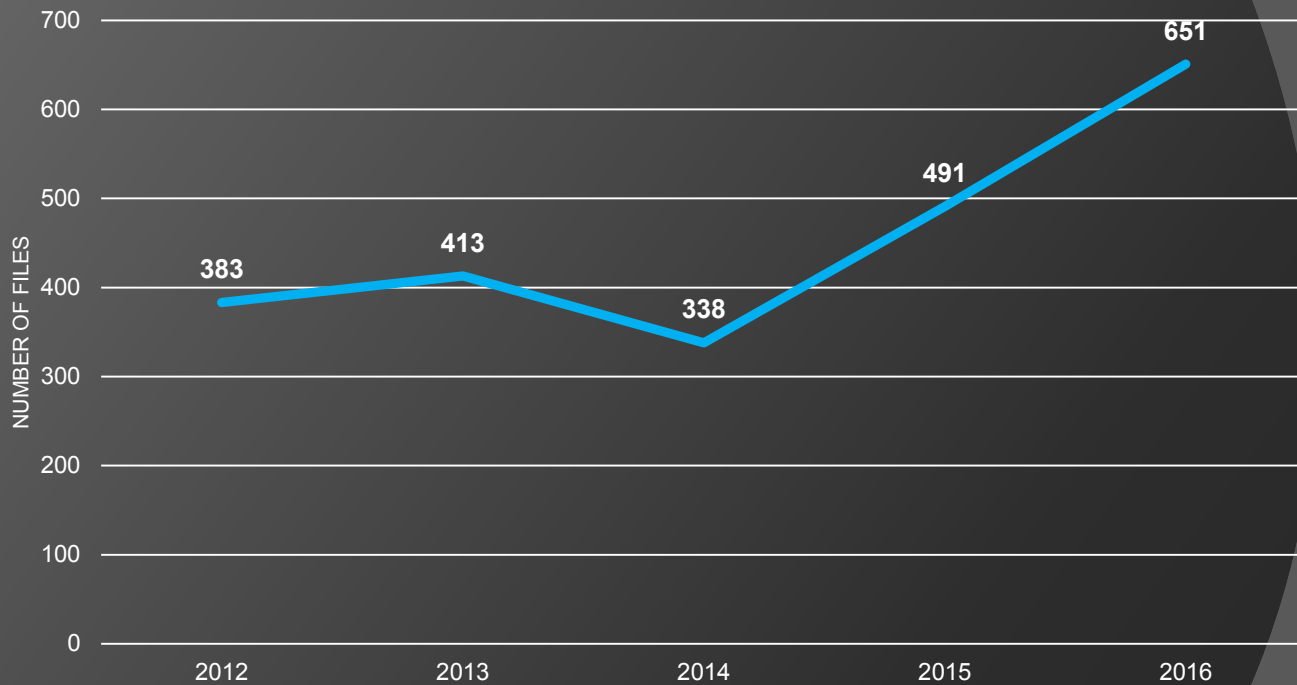
THEFT FROM VEHICLE

- ❖ Theft from vehicle files have increased of **26%** from 2015 compared to 2016, or a difference of **349 files**



THEFT OF BICYCLE

- ❖ Theft from bicycle files have increased of **43%** from 2015 compared to 2016, or a difference of **164 files**



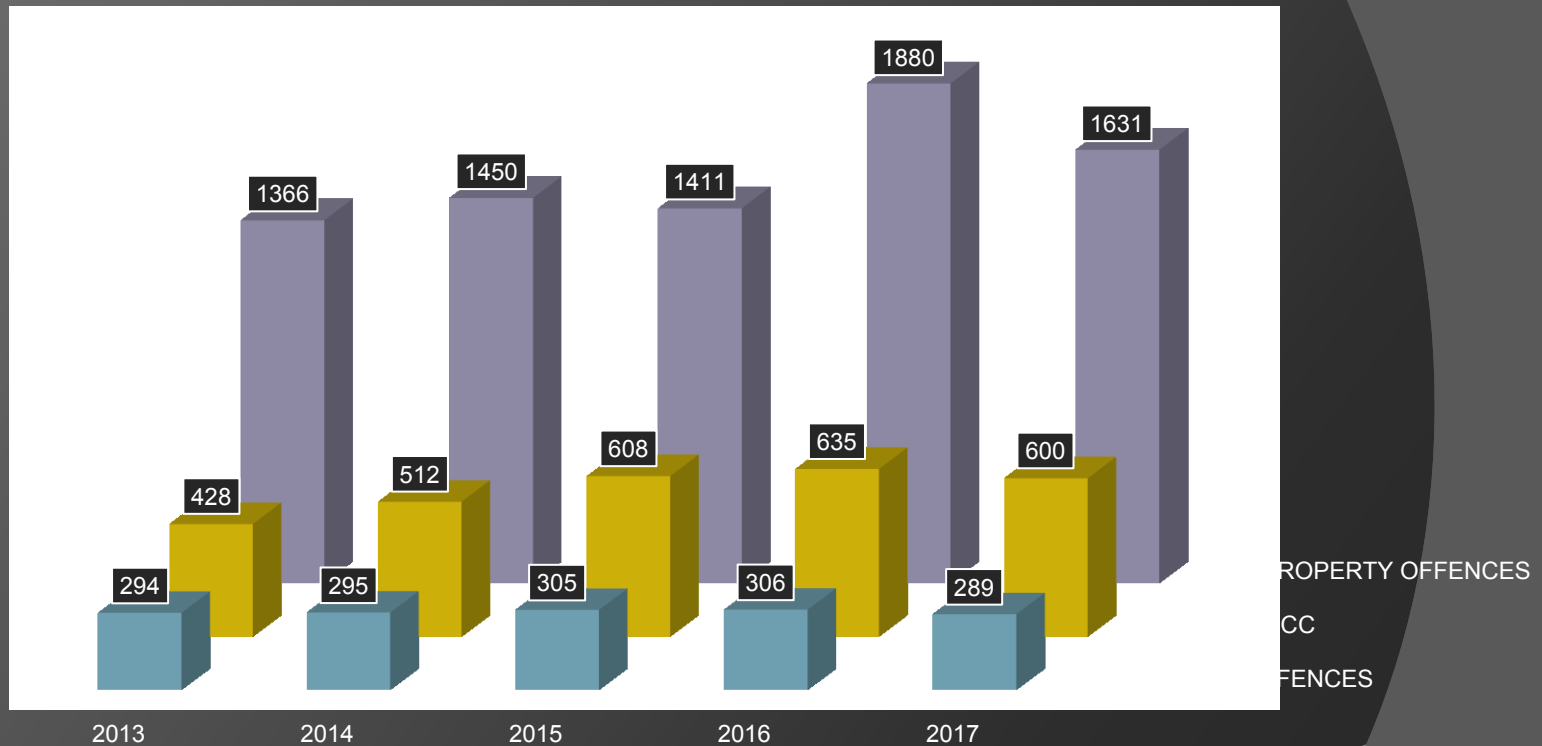
2016 Census Metropolitan Area Crime Severity Index / Crime Rate Ranking

- ❖ Results will not be known for several months
- ❖ Expectations are that our ranking will be similar to last year despite our fourth quarter reduction in crime

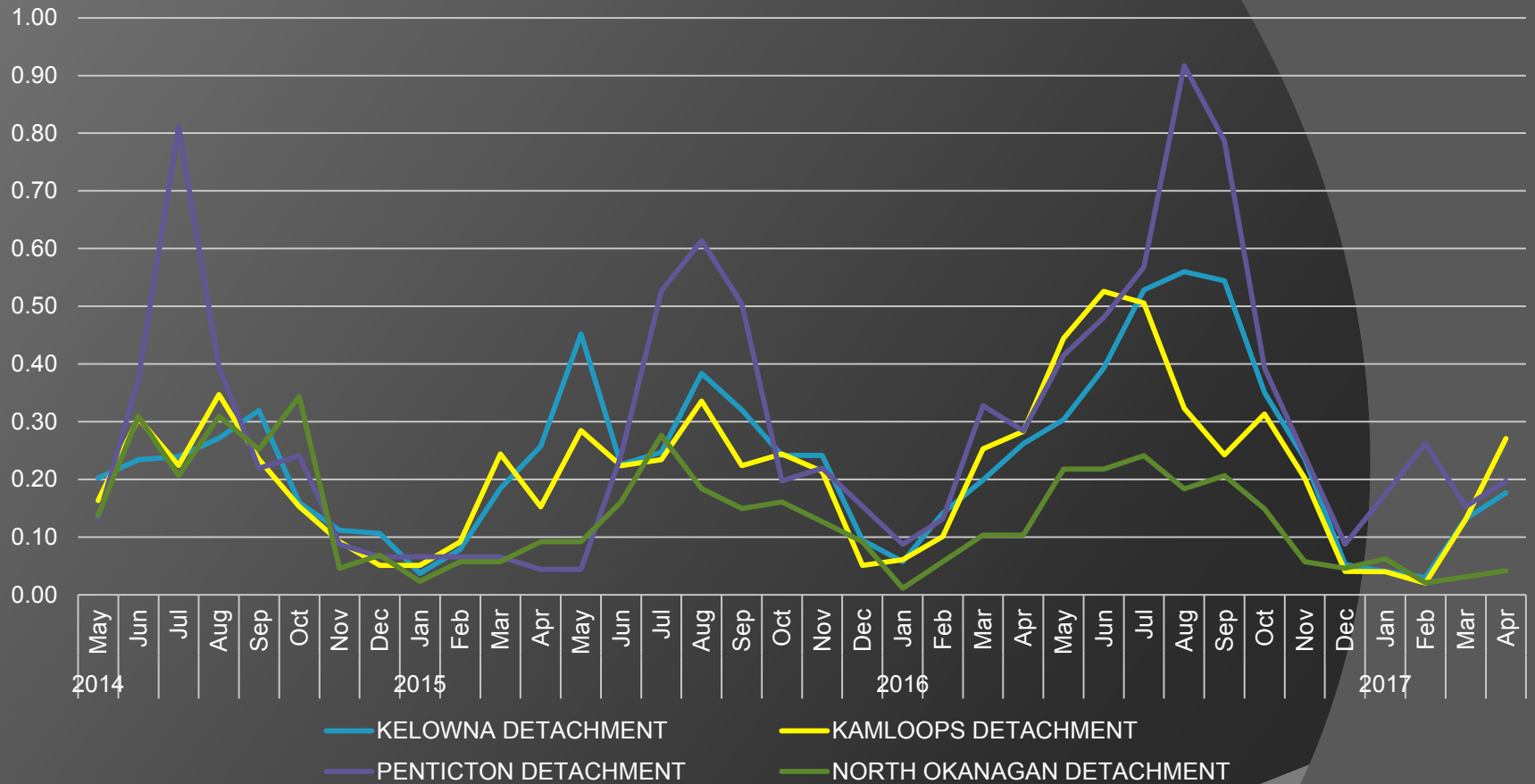


FIRST QUARTER OF 2017

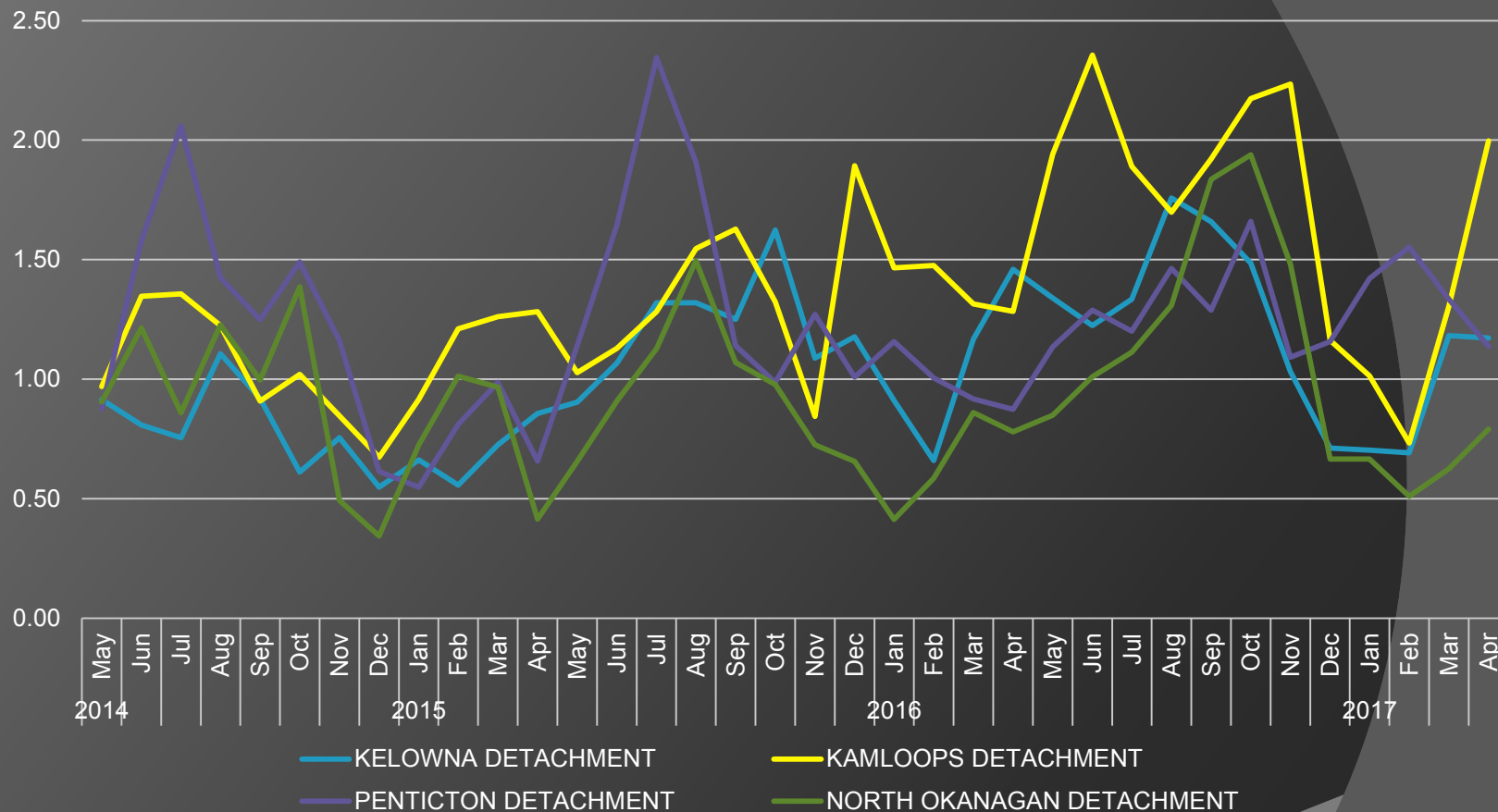
CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES JANUARY TO MARCH



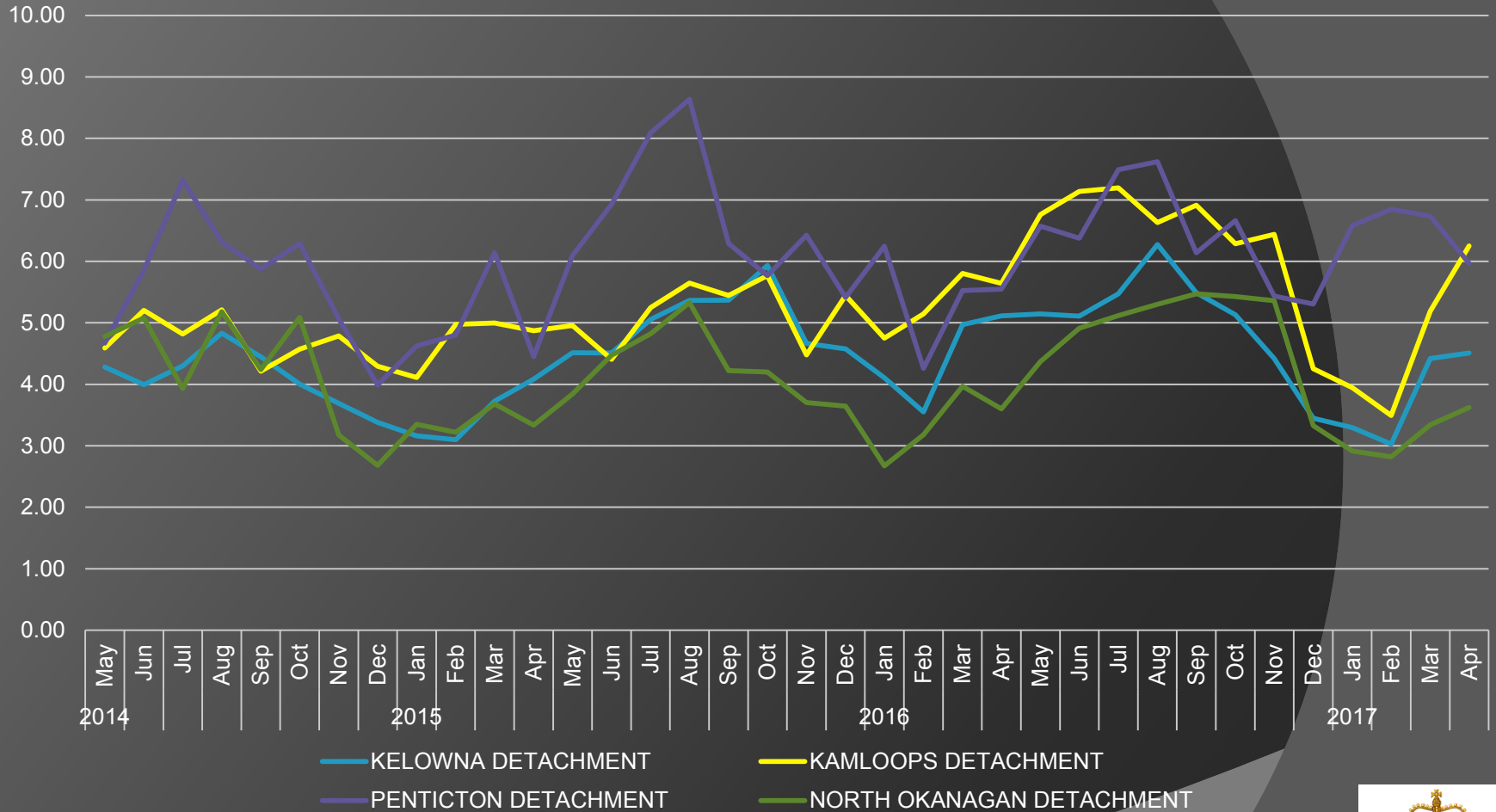
Bicycle Theft by Jurisdiction Rate per 1,000



Theft From Vehicle by Jurisdiction Rate per 1,000



All Property Crime by Jurisdiction Rate per 1,000



KELOWNA POLICE SERVICES BUILDING

- ❖ 1190 Richter St.
- ❖ Opens June 15th
- ❖ Opening ceremonies on June 27th



QUESTIONS?