

# Brookline Police Department

## 2012 Year End Report on the Critical Infrastructure Monitoring System (CIMS)



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# Review of CIMS

- This review covers 2012
- Review of three areas of CIMS use:
  - On-Hours Incidents Reviewed (10pm-6am)
  - Overrides of the System
  - Incidents Missed During Off-Hours
- Policy/Procedure



# On-Hours Incidents Reviewed

- There were 29 requests for a review of camera footage from the on-hours (10pm – 6am)
- The footage was reviewed and recordings were made in 13 requests.
  - Footage was provided to:
    - Traffic Officers (1)
    - Evidence (11)
    - MBTA Investigator (1)
  - Recordings were not made in five requests due to:
    - Nothing of value being visible on the footage (6)
    - Camera out of view (4)
    - Camera being out of service (4)
    - No investigation (2)

# On-Hours Incidents Reviewed (cont)

- Types of incidents that the footage was reviewed/requested for:
  - Assault/Assault & Battery (6)
  - Motor Vehicle Crash (6)
  - OUIL (5)
  - Robbery (3)
  - Larceny (2)
  - MV Pursuit (2)
  - Bomb Threat
  - Car Breaks
  - Graffiti
  - Home Invasion
  - Internal Affairs Investigation



# System Overrides

- During 2012, there were 33 overrides of the camera system (turning the camera on during the off-hours of 6am-10pm).
- Overrides were initiated by:
  - Dispatchers (10)
  - BPD IT Director (23)



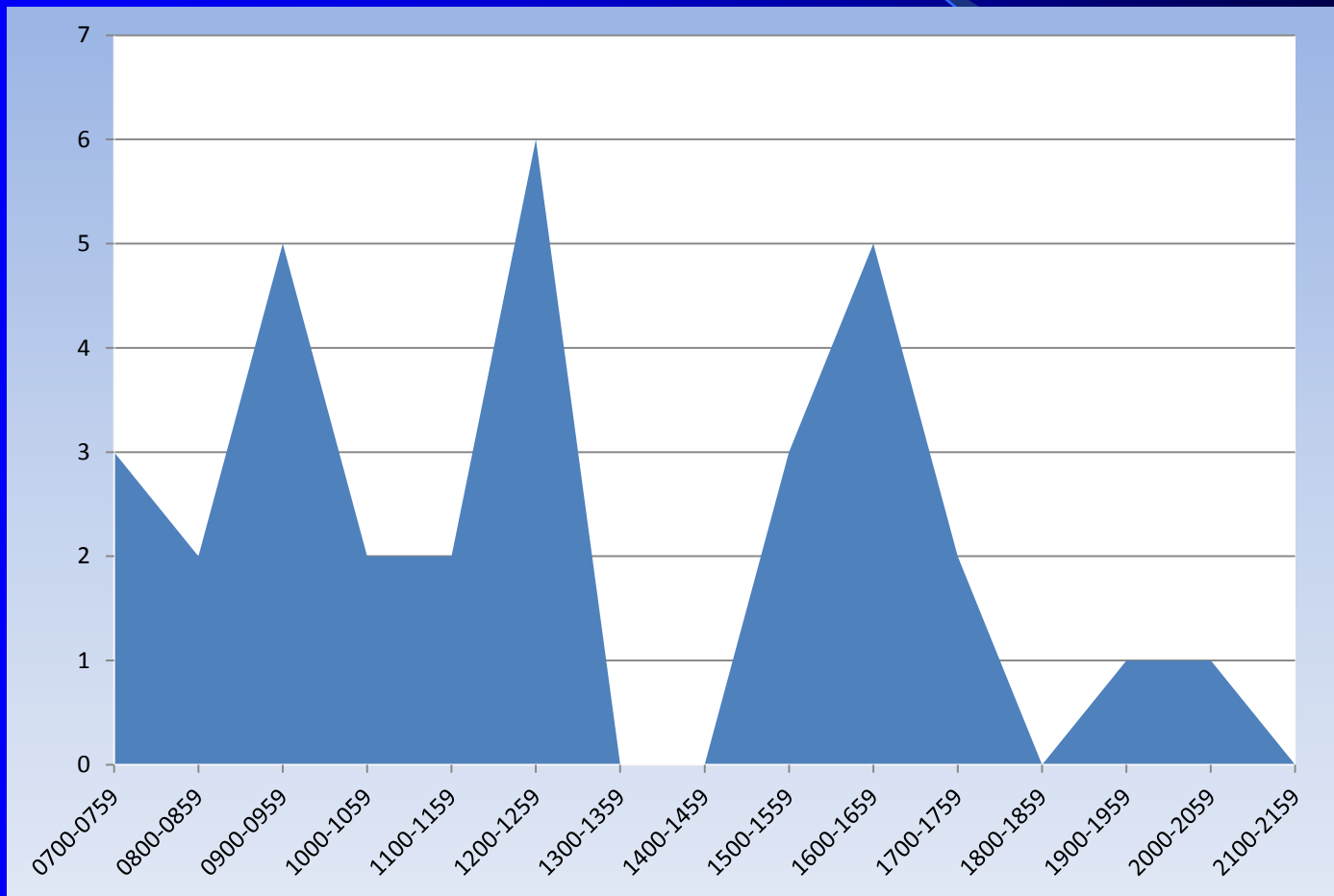
# Camera Overrides

Incidents for which override was initiated:

- Preplanned Event (7)
- Robbery (5)
- Missing Person (4)
- System Maintenance (4)
- Burglary (3)
- Suspicious Activity (2)
- Erratic Operation (1)
- Fight in Progress (1)
- Fire (1)
- Sexually Accosting (1)
- Stabbing (1)
- Stolen Motor Vehicle (1)
- Suicidal Person (1)
- Weather Event (1)



# Time of Day for System Overrides



# Incidents Missed

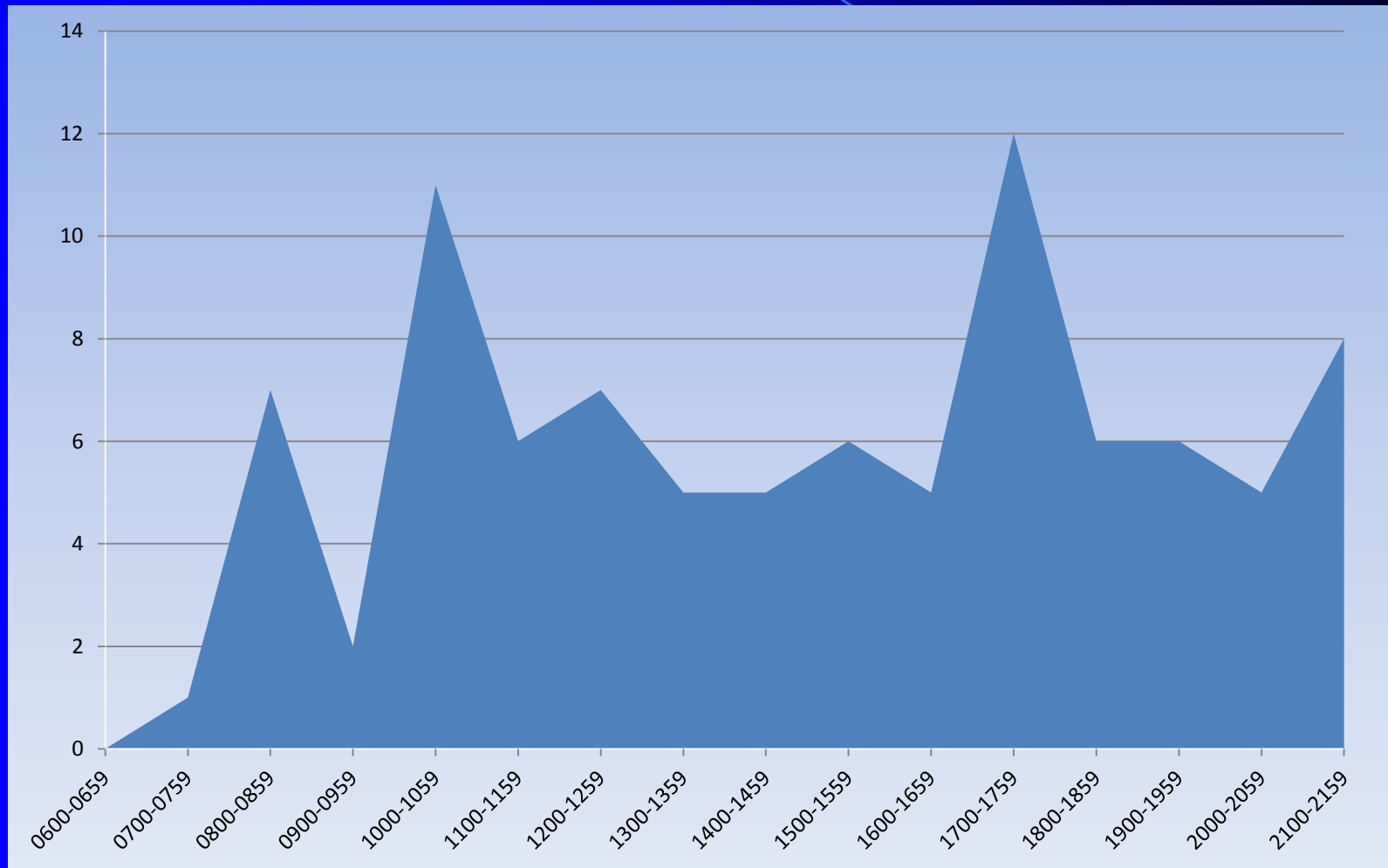
- The following is a look at incidents for which it is believed valuable footage could have been obtained had the cameras been on.
- During 2012, it is believed that in at least 94 incidents footage could have been obtained that would have been valuable.



# Types of Incidents Missed

- MV Crash (40)
- Robbery (8)
- Assault & Battery (7)
- Road Rage (5)
- Suspicious Activity/Person (5)
- Larceny (4)
- Erratic Operation (3)
- Fall on Town Property (3)
- Indecent Exposure (3)
- Missing Person (3)
- Car Break (2)
- Shoplifting (2)
- Stolen MV (2)
- Burglary (1)
- Car Jacking (1)
- Graffiti (1)
- Investigation (1)
- OUIL (1)
- Run Away (1)
- Sexually Accosting (1)

# Time of Day for Incidents Missed



# Policy/Procedure

- During 2012:
  - There were no incidents of misuse reported
  - There were no violations of policy/procedure in the use or activation of the cameras or in the retention of footage

# Questions



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