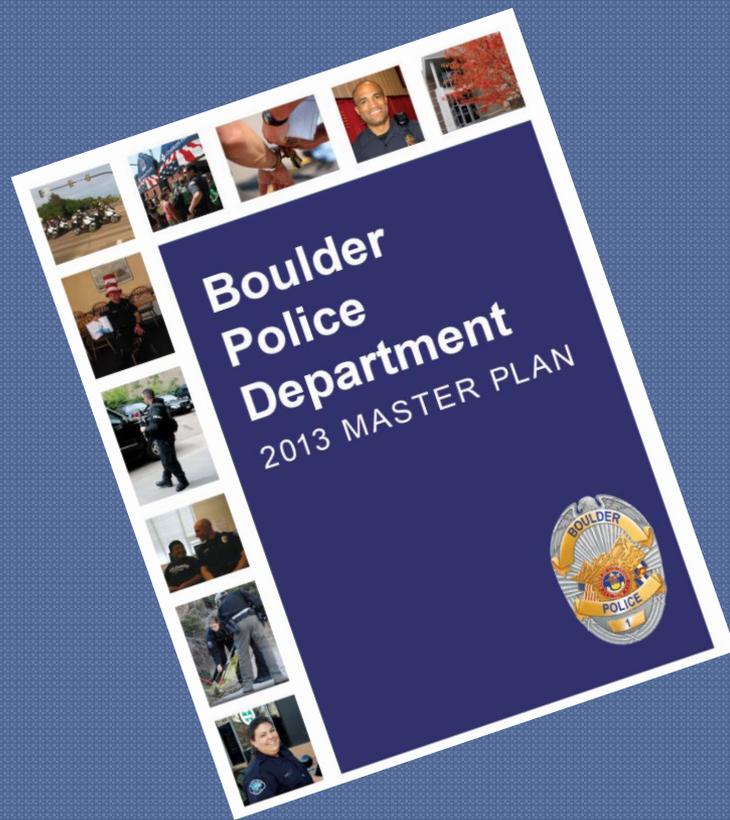


Review and Recommendation 2013 Police Master Plan

City Council
September 3, 2013



Purpose of the Meeting

- Consideration of Police Master Plan
- Approval of Boulder Valley Comprehensive Plan (BVCP) Summary
- Amend BVCP Urban Service Criteria and Standards for Urban Police Protection

Boulder Police Department

- Public Safety
- Crime Prevention Education
- Enforcement
 - Animal Control
 - Code Enforcement
 - Photo Radar
- Investigative Services



Key Purposes of the Plan

- ◉ Guide police service delivery
- ◉ Meet community's service standards and sustainability goals
- ◉ Address emerging community issues and challenges
- ◉ Create a “living document”



Major Accomplishments Since Last Police Master Plan

- ◉ Developed Police/Fire Communications Center
- ◉ Implemented New Code Enforcement & Animal Control Unit
- ◉ Increased Inclusiveness through “Leadership Teams”
- ◉ Built Firearms Range, Training Facility, & Computer Forensics Lab



How Are We Doing?

○ Crime Statistics (2012)

- Serious Crimes = 3,244 (*32.8/1,000 residents*)
- Less Serious Crimes = 5,092 (*51.4/1,000 residents*)
- Violent Crime = 258 (*2.6/1,000 residents*)
- Domestic Violence = 334 (*3.4/1,000 residents*)
- Traffic Summonses = 16,547

How Are We Doing? (*continued*)

○ Comparing Boulder to Benchmark Cities

- Average number serious crimes (32.8/1,000 resident)
- Officers >than average per resident (1.67)
- Leading benchmark cities in Alcohol enforcement
 - 709 DUIs (7.2/1,000) (2nd highest)
 - Other alcohol arrests/citations (2030 total, 20.5/1,000) (1st)

How Are We Doing? *(continued)*

○ Number of Calls for Police Service

- 58,892 in 2010
- 61,372 in 2011
- 60,443 in 2012 (*563 per officer with 109 officers*)

○ Total Calls: 91,675 in 2012

○ Clearance Rates

- Part I – 32% (4th highest)
- Violent Crime – 78%
- Part II – 73% (#1)

○ Women in Policing – 21% (#1)



Key Trends

- ◉ Increasing Population & Changing Demographics
- ◉ Increasing Number of Calls
- ◉ Quality of Life Issues & Expectations
- ◉ Advances in Technology & Communication
- ◉ Use of Technology in Crimes



Master Plan Update Process



Sustainability Framework

- Ensure alignment and advancement of goals and priorities of council and community
- Based on BVCP police areas and city's Priority Based Budgeting approach
- Framework will evolve



Vision: Excellent Police Services

- 2013 Police Master Plan helps move toward vision of providing excellent police services to community through:
 - Leading edge police department
 - State-of-the-art technology
 - Up-to-date equipment
 - Well-trained officers and staff
 - Sufficient work space

Police Master Plan Strategies



Safe Community

- ◉ Adjust service delivery to meet new community expectations.



Healthy & Socially Thriving Community

- ◉ Provide a safety net of services, early intervention and prevention to meet critical human needs.

Police Master Plan Strategies

Continued



Livable Community

- Ensure public safety services support evolving urban areas and vice versa.



Accessible & Connected Community

- Ensure safety for all travel modes and efficiency for emergency response.

Police Master Plan Strategies

Continued



Environmentally Sustainable Community

- ◉ Reduce energy consumption and emissions.
- ◉ Improve preparedness for natural disasters.



Economically Vital Community

- ◉ Provide a high level of policing services ensuring safety and security.

Police Master Plan Strategies

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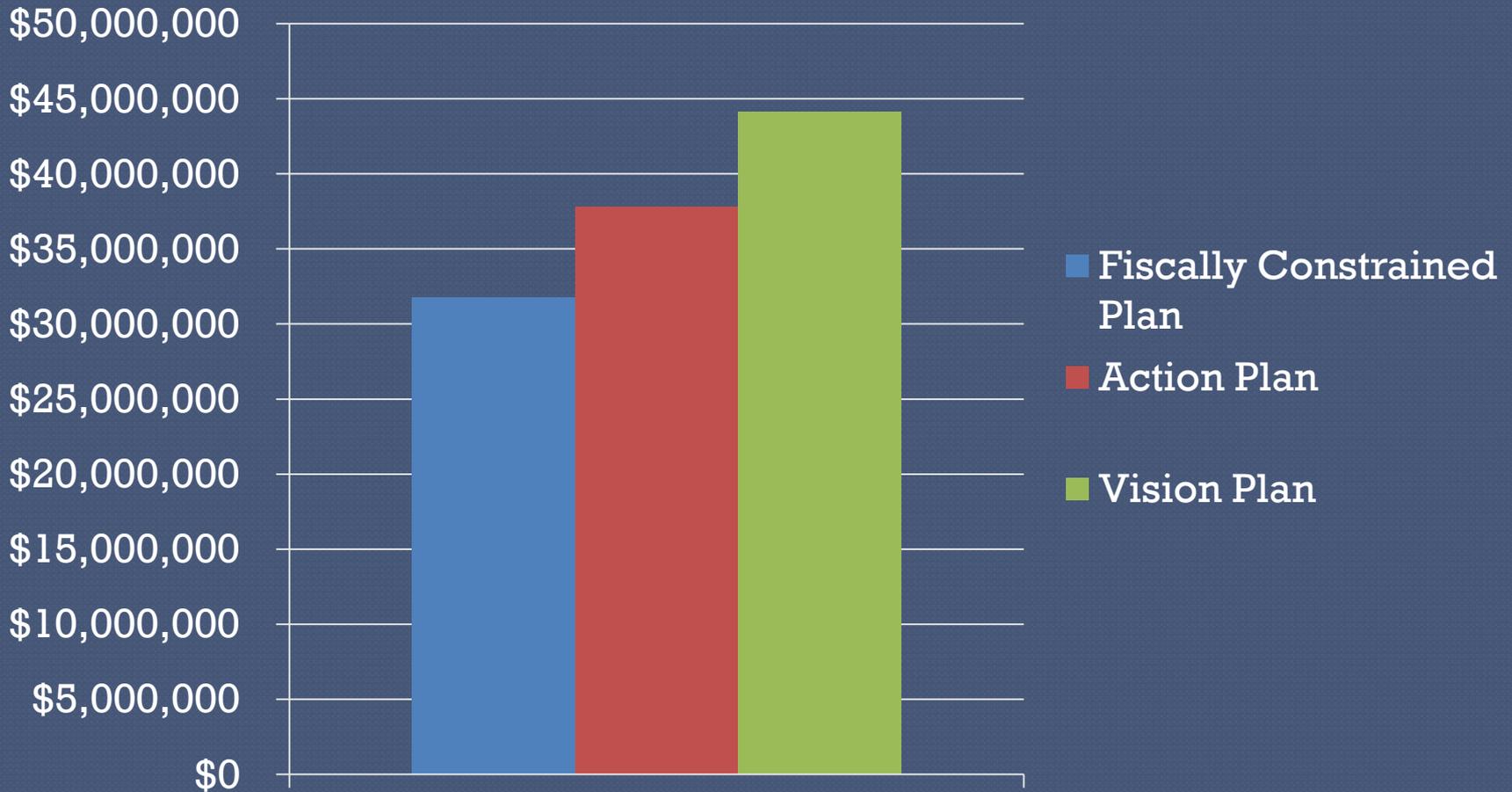


Good Governance

- Use resources more efficiently and effectively to provide professional police services.



Investment Priorities & Implementation



BVCP Urban Service Criteria and Standards

- ◉ Minimum requirements for Boulder Valley
- ◉ Meeting existing criteria
 - Continue with current response time standards
 - Re-evaluate after implementing new data system
- ◉ Add “crime rates and neighborhood/geography” to location of patrol districts



Next Steps: Implementation

- ◉ Refine “Community Policing” Approach Guided by Focus Group Input
- ◉ Evaluate Changes in False Alarm Response Policy
- ◉ Establish Strategic Funding Plan for Maintenance & Replacement of Technology

Staff Recommendation

- Acceptance of Police Master Plan
- Approve Master Plan Summary for BVCP
- Amend BVCP Urban Police Protection Service Criteria and Standards

