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### **Chief's Message**



This has been a week full of excitement and changes! I want to congratulate Sgt. Kurtis Andrews and Sgt. Andrew Blanchette, who will be going the Shoreline ranks and Pct. 5 Team June 8<sup>th</sup> for their promotional date! Please help me welcome them with open arms and any support and assistance we can provide.

Both new sergeants will have there "Sgt. FTO" period for integration and training to set them up for success.

More to come on who is going where for shifts with MORE anticipated good news later this afternoon!

Thank you all for your dedicated service.

- Chief Park

## **Kenmore Among WA's Safest Cities**

Safewise released the 2024 rankings for the safest cities in Washington. Kenmore ranked fifth, moving up from seventh last year. Safewise identified the safest cities by reviewing 2022 FBI crime report statistics (the most recent complete report available at the time of ranking) and population data. The rankings are based on both violent and property crime numbers. They look at the number of reported violent crimes (aggravated assault, murder, rape, and robbery) in each city and the number of reported property crimes (burglary, larcenytheft, and motor vehicle theft).



- 1. Camas
- 2. Oak Harbor
- 3. Sammamish
- 4. Pullman
- 5. Kenmore
- 6. West Richland
- 7. Ridgefield
- 8. Snoqualmie
- 9. Enumclaw
- 10. Bainbridge Island

We want to recognize everyone serving in Kenmore for keeping our community safe.

- Chief Brandon Moen

#### **Thank You to Our 911 Partners**



Thank you for helping us celebrate and show our appreciation for our hardworking 911 dispatchers and call receivers last week. With the money we collected, Shoreline treated them to a delicious lunch catered by Torero's Mexican Restaurant.

- Kris Tsujikawa

# 'Treating him with empathy...'

Nearly every week, as you've read, we are receiving commendations. Most often it is not the work we perform but *how* we treat those we contact that's earning high praise. We want to thank K9 Deputy Dallon for leaving yet another great impression.



#### Memorandum

Date: April 22, 2024

To: Captain Meyer Via: Direct

From: Sergeant Scott Fitchett

Re: K24105812 DALLON COMMENDATION

On 4-16-2024 I, Sergeant Scott Fitchett, received the following email from CSO Dahlia Corona referencing a community member's commendation of their encounter with K9 Deputy Dallon.

"Hi Jeremy,

The accident victim/RP - wanted to say thank you for treating him with empathy yesterday at the traffic accident. He said he really appreciated it especially because he was scared and in shock, plus the language barrier.

Dahlia Corona"

Another great example of Deputy Dallon's work in the community!

Sergent Scott Fitchett

# Monday's Meaningful (RCR) Outreach

On Monday evening, Sgt. Mandella shared that MHP Melissa Hartley responded to Kenmore to assist a mother in-need with a car seat. In an email exchange thanking Melissa for her efforts she shared the rest of this story:

'Thank you so much! I was honestly just grateful to be able to help this 21 year old Tigrinya speaking woman and her beautiful one year old son get settled into a hotel! They have been sleeping on the streets for the past month in Kent, I gathered

through the interpreter. Emily, Ruby and I are working on getting her connected w	vith
a more permanent shelter and with the women's refugee alliance.'	

Many of us have seen Shoreline / Kenmore co-response from its earliest stages. Monday's outreach is another example of how far our program has evolved to meet the immediate needs of vulnerable community members in Shoreline and Kenmore. We thank Melissa, Ruby, Emily and John for their compassion and incredible work.

- Sgt. Mandella, Captain Tim Meyer

