



Shoreline Police

Memorandum

Date:

To: Chief Tommy Collins

Via: Chain Of Command

From: Capt. Neil Woodruff

Re: SEPTEMBER 2025 STATS FOR THE SHORELINE INVESTIGATIVE

Special Enforcement Team

New Cases Assigned to detectives: 8

Total cases active: 40

Total Closed: 3

Narcotics arrest: 0

Prostitution arrest: 0

Human Trafficking Rescues: 0

Warrant arrest: 1

Other arrests: 0

Patrol Assists: 6

Patrol Follow-Ups: 2

Search Warrants: 3

Assists (other KCSO entities and outside agencies): 1

Total currency seized: 0

Drug seizures:

- Methamphetamine: 0
- Cocaine: 0
- Cocaine Base/Crack: 0
- Heroin: 0
- Crack cocaine: 0
- Fentanyl Powder: 0
- M30 pills (fentanyl): 0
- Vehicles: 0

New Criminal Informants Assigned: 0

Firearm confiscated/seized: 1

Kenmore Cases: 1

Highlights

C24-004587, VUCSA Patrol F/U filed Shoreline District Court.

C25-015504, VUCSA Patrol F/U filed Shoreline District Court

C25-026904, NAR referred to another agency due to deconfliction

C25-026984, VUCSA Patrol F/U filed Shoreline District Court
C25-027796, Kenmore reckless shooter incident, responded with 40MM, wrote SW, recovered guns
Sept 17/18 Turner and Koontz attended human trafficking and massage parlor course
C25-025147, VUFA Koontz initiated, inactivated pending further leads
C25-019972, NAR suspect identified via fingerprints, but case referred to USPS for jurisdiction
9/22/2025-9/25/2025 Det Turner attended Surveillance & Call Records Analysis Course
9/25/2025 Det Koontz attended Judicial Impact course
C25-028942, Patrol FU threats case

Criminal Investigations Unit

Cases Assigned: 49
Cases Closed (Including previously assigned cases): 37
Open Investigations (Including previously assigned): 72
CopLogic Intake: 58

Auto Theft: 2
Burglary Commercial: 3
Burglary Residential: 2
Criminal Conspiracy: 1
DV NCO Violation: 3
Extortion: 2
Fraud: 7
Larceny: 7
Poss. Stolen Property: 2
Recovered Stolen Property: 1
Revenge Porn: 2
Robbery: 1
Shooting Drive by: 1
Stabbing: 1
Stalking: 2
Strangulation DV: 1
Suspicious Circumstances: 5
Threats: 1
Unlawful Possession Firearm: 3
Vandalism: 1
VUCSA: 1

Charges Filed: 11
Info Only: 3
Non-Criminal Incident: 2
Prosecutor Decline: 0
Pending AFIS: 2
Pending NIBIN: 1
Referred to Other Agency: 1
Unable to ID Suspects/No Leads: 11

Unfounded: 2

Victim Refused to Assist: 2

Highlights:

In late August, Deputy Maria Liberta was dispatched to a vehicle theft at a construction site involving a stolen 420 Skid Steer front loader and trailer. The case was assigned to Detective Joshua Gedney.

The victim located it on Facebook Marketplace and notified Detective Gedney. A meet up was arranged with the suspects and last week, MPO Ryan Cullen and CID detectives arrested them at the scene without incident. MPO Cullen transported both to King County Jail, where they were booked for possession of stolen property and trafficking stolen property.

Detective Gedney also served a search warrant on the Toyota Tundra used to haul the stolen loader. The vehicle was reported stolen in a separate Seattle Police case. A search recovered a semi-automatic handgun, ammunition, and illegal drugs.

Community Outreach Detective - Velie

Det. Velie returned to partial hours, light duty the middle of September.

2 -School Safety assessments (Shorewood, Einstein)

1 – ZOOM meeting/presentation w Einstein self-contained classrooms

1 – ZOOM meeting/presentation w Kellogg Administrator for Gang info update (new admin)

1 – Shop w a Cop meeting with Fred Meyer store director

1 – Uniform Equipment Board meeting

4 – Days of Report Writing mentoring new Deputy

Violent Crimes and Trafficking Detective - Finan

- Completed 20 outside agency assists relating to social media, gang, and human trafficking intelligence.
- The FBI human trafficking task force received a tip about a juvenile trafficking victim. Det. Finan was able to identify the victim for the FBI and provided them with her social media accounts.
- KCSO Assists:
 - Det. Finan found a social media image of the primary suspect in a robbery series assigned to MCU. The suspect was wearing the exact same outfit worn during the robbery. He provided MCU with information of the suspect's gang and associates.
 - Assisted Det. Volpe with the initial fact finding in his Shorewood HS assault case. Helped Det. Volpe with the social media aspects of the case.
 - IFIT response: On 08/30/25, he responded to an IFIT call-out in Renton to assist with the investigation. Kent PD was primary on the case.
 - Helped teach TDA Deputy advanced investigative techniques while he was on a 2-week assignment in the CID office.
- Cases:

- **C25028368 – Extortion:** Involved threats made on Instagram. Followed up with the victim and found the incident to be an attempted scam utilizing social media extortion methods. Determined the accounts were fake and likely created by foreign scammers.
- **C25025054 – Drive-By Shooting:** Early morning drive-by shooting on 18000 block of Aurora. Attempted to ID suspect vehicle via databases and through regional partners. No victim came forward.
- **C25027660 – PSV:** Assigned case for filing after a patrol arrest. Helped TDA Deputy work through the follow-up investigation process and showed him various avenues to pursue in trying to identify the original vehicle theft suspect(s). Completed the follow up for the case.
- **C25028289 – Assault 2:** Juvenile assault case. Suspect stabbed victim in the neck with a pencil. Completed the investigation and referred Assault-2 charges on the 12-year-old suspect.
- **C25011871 – Human Trafficking:** Submitted Instagram warrant relating to a runaway 15-year-old trafficking victim and her suspected pimp. Warrant return confirmed the pimp's involvement in trafficking the juvenile. Working with the prosecutor's office on next steps for filing Promoting CSAM charges.
- **C25003891 & C25004162 – MV Theft (UPDATE):** Suspect in this case pled guilty MV Theft & ID Theft in this case as part of a global resolution. He received a 36-month prison sentence + 36-month DOSA probation.
- **C24030081 – Human Trafficking (UPDATE):** Suspect had his bail reduction hearing and was asking for release to home monitoring and drug rehab. Det. Finan wrote a 27-page evidentiary supplemental report chronicling the evidence. The supplemental was presented to the prosecutor and the judge prior to the bail reduction hearing. The judge denied release and kept bail at \$425k.

Outside Agency Assists through August: 174
 Search Warrants written through August: 28
 Felony Charges filed through August: 22