



Board of Police Commissioners

Accountability through Civilian Oversight

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INVESTIGATOR

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OCI MISSION STATEMENT

THE MISSION OF THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INVESTIGATOR (OCI) IS TO **FAIRLY, EFFECTIVELY, AND OBJECTIVELY** RECEIVE, INVESTIGATE, AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING COMPLAINTS CONCERNING THE DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT AND ITS PERSONNEL. IT IS THE GOAL OF THE OCI TO ASSIST IN IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES BY INSTILLING CITIZEN CONFIDENCE IN THE INTEGRITY OF THE DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT.



Tools of Investigation





Body Worn Camera Policy

Who is required to wear BWC's?

When are BWC's activated?

When can BWC's be de-activated?



BWC Activation



- Why Shall Members Activate Their BWC's.
- Once activated, BWC's Shall Remain On.
- Failure to Activate BWC's



BWC Activation



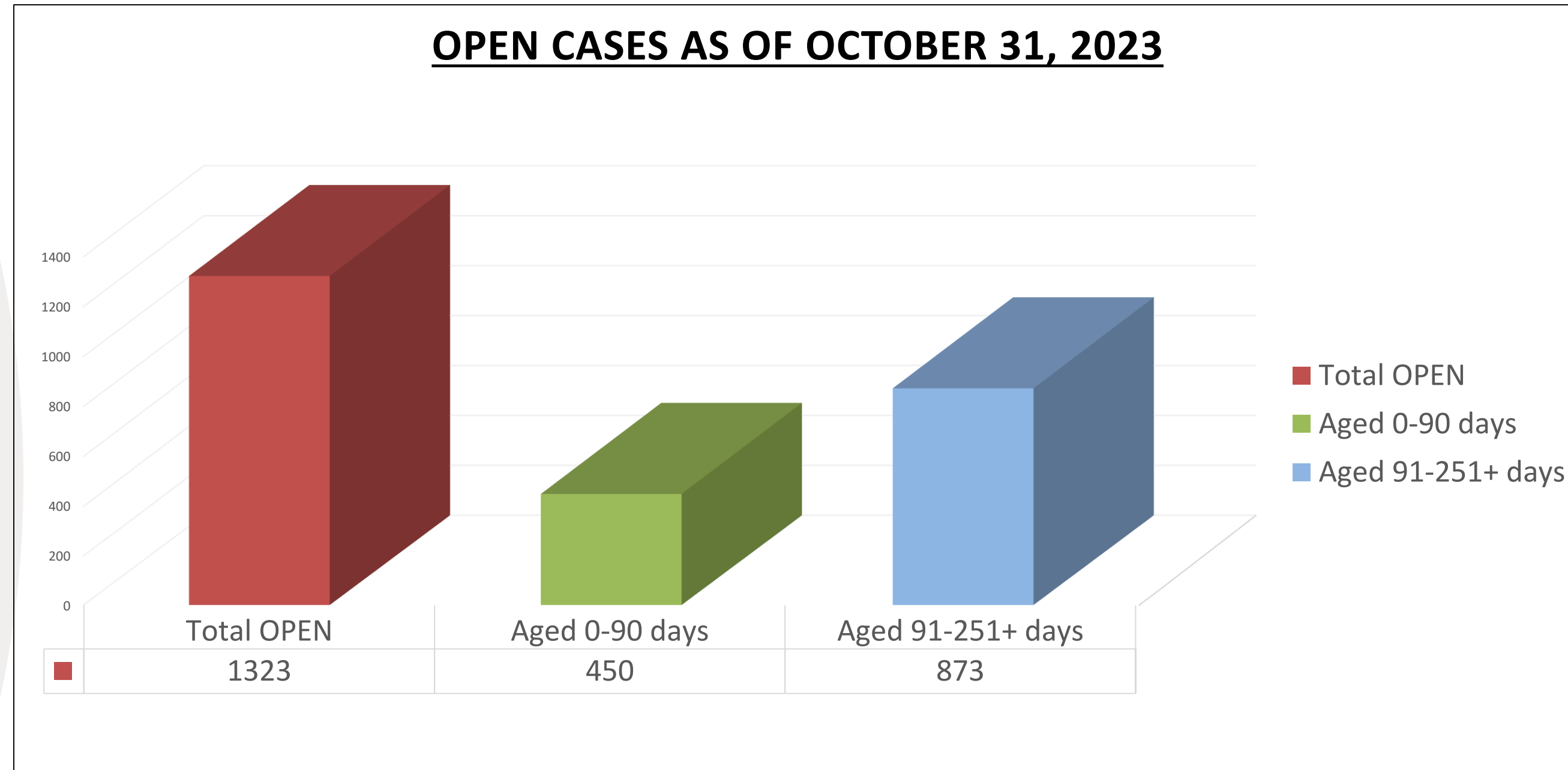
BWC's Are Triggered to Activate When:

- The Police Cruiser Reaches a Certain Speed
- The Back Doors of the Cruiser Opens
- The Emergency Lights or Siren is Activated
- There is Hard Braking



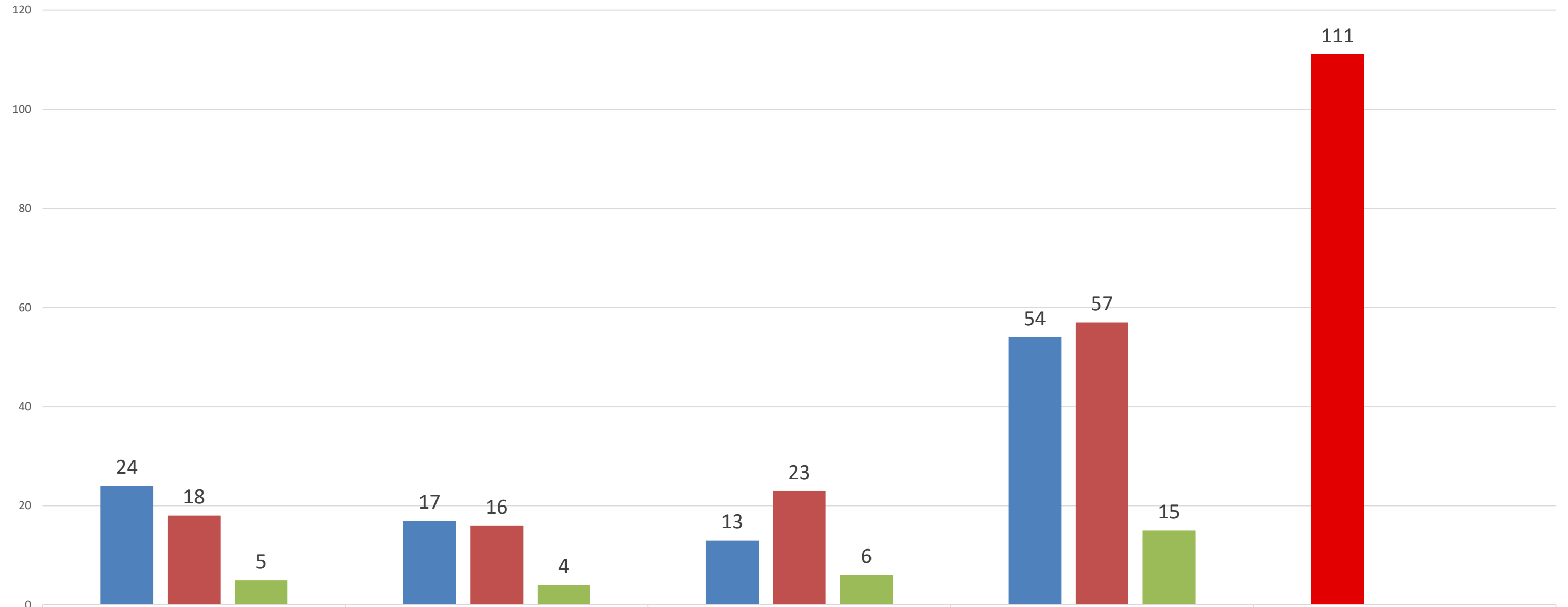


OCI STATS FOR OCTOBER 2023





CASES CLOSED VS CASES SUBMITTED VS INVESTIGATORS ON TEAM – OCTOBER 2023

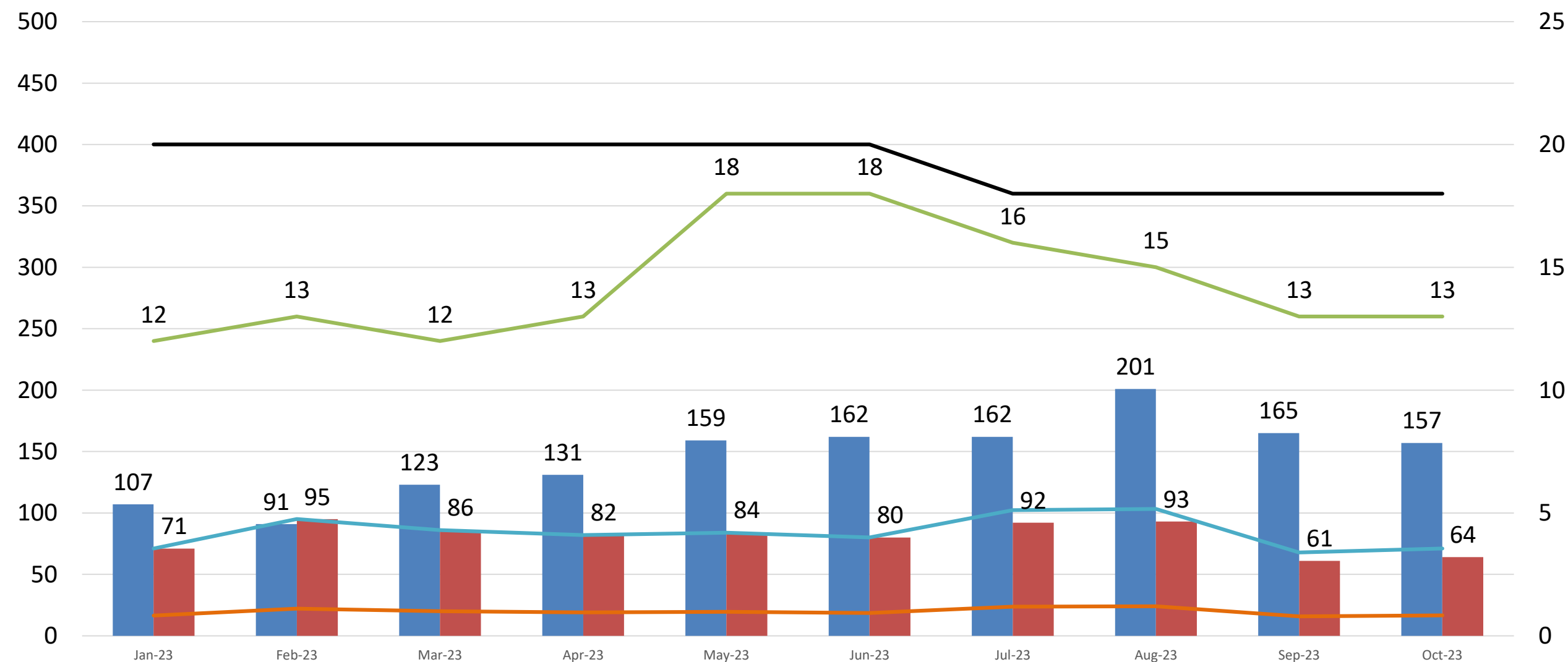


	SI Cromwell	SI Murphy	SI Sloan	Total	Total Cases Submitted and/or Closed
Total Cases Closed	24	17	13	54	111
Total Cases Submitted	18	16	23	57	
Investigators on Team + Supervisors	5	4	6	15	

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2023 Reciepts vs Closures vs Staffing

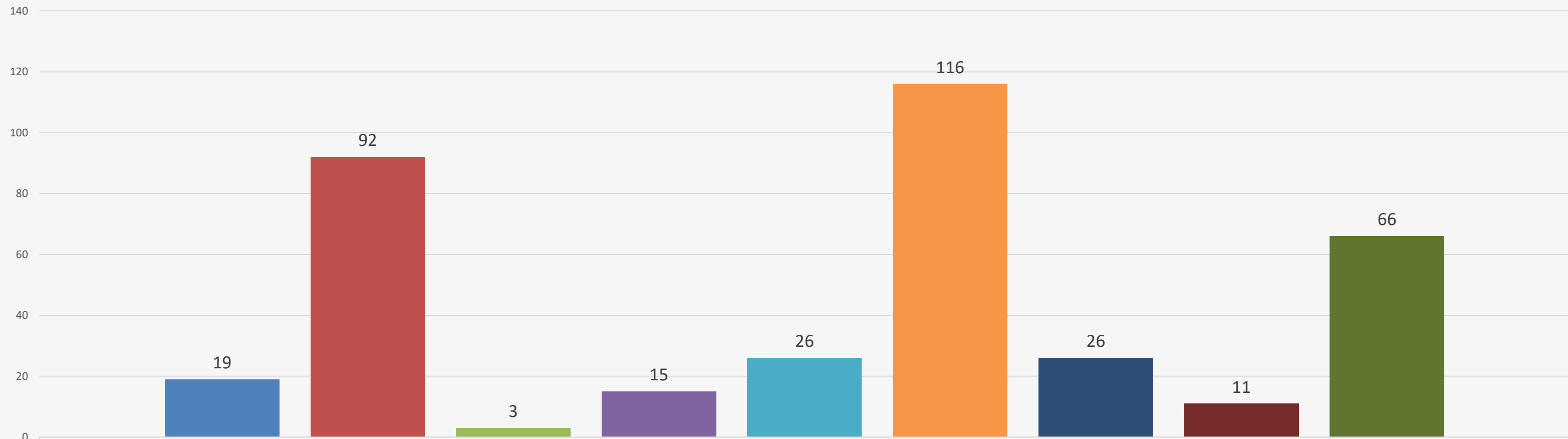


	Jan-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Apr-23	May-23	Jun-23	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23
Received	107	91	123	131	159	162	162	201	165	157
Closed	71	95	86	82	84	80	92	93	61	64
Investigators On Staff	12	13	12	13	18	18	16	15	13	13
Budgeted Staff	20	20	20	20	20	20	18	18	18	18
Monthly Rate (cases closed per Investigator)	3.6	4.8	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.0	5.1	5.2	3.4	3.6
Weekly Closure Rate per Investigator	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.8



OCI INVESTIGATORS CLOSED 808 CASES TO DATE IN 2023
OCI RECEIVED A TOTAL OF 1458 CITIZEN COMPLAINTS TO DATE IN 2023

TOTAL CCR ALLEGATIONS RECEIVED IN OCTOBER 2023



Arrest	19
Demeanor	92
Entry	3
Force	15
Harassment	26
Procedure	116
Property	26
Search	11
Service	66

**OCI RECEIVED 157 CITIZEN COMPLAINTS
IN SEPTEMBER
WITH A TOTAL OF 374 ALLEGATIONS**



OCI CCR ALLEGATIONS RECEIVED BY PRECINCT/UNIT FOR OCTOBER 2023



UNIT INVOLVED	ARREST	DEMEANOR	ENTRY	FORCE	HARRASSMENT	PROCEDURE	PROPERTY	SEARCH	SERVICE	TOTAL/UNIT
2nd Precinct		11			2	7	1	2	3	26
3rd Precinct		3		2	2	4			3	14
4th Precinct	1	2				1	1	1	1	7
5th Precinct	3	1				6			4	14
6th Precinct	3				1	2	2		2	10
7th Precinct	2	5			2	5			1	15
8th Precinct		8			3	6	1	1	6	25
9th Precinct	4	2		2	1	9	4	1	5	28
10th Precinct	3	8		2		8	4		4	29
11th Precinct		1				3			1	5
12th Precinct		2		3	1	1	1			8
ABAN		1			1	1	1		2	6
Auto Theft		1							1	2
Communciations Operations						1			1	2
Downtown Service Div.		4			1	2				7
Police Recruiting		1				1				2
Police Towing and Impound Unit		1					1			2
Records		1							1	2
Sex Crimes		1			1					2
Tactical Operations		1				1				2
Task Force Administration						1				1
TCRU		1								1
Training Staff		1		1		1				3
Unknown Command	3	34	3	5	11	56	10	6	31	159
Vice Enforcement		2								
TOTAL	19	92	3	15	26	116	26	11	66	374

UNKNOWN COMMAND NUMBERS ARE GENERALLY HIGH AT CITIZEN COMPLAINT INTAKE. HOWEVER, THOSE COMMANDS ARE IDENTIFIED DURING THE COURSE OF THE OCI INVESTIGATION AND THE DATA IS UPDATED ACCORDINGLY.

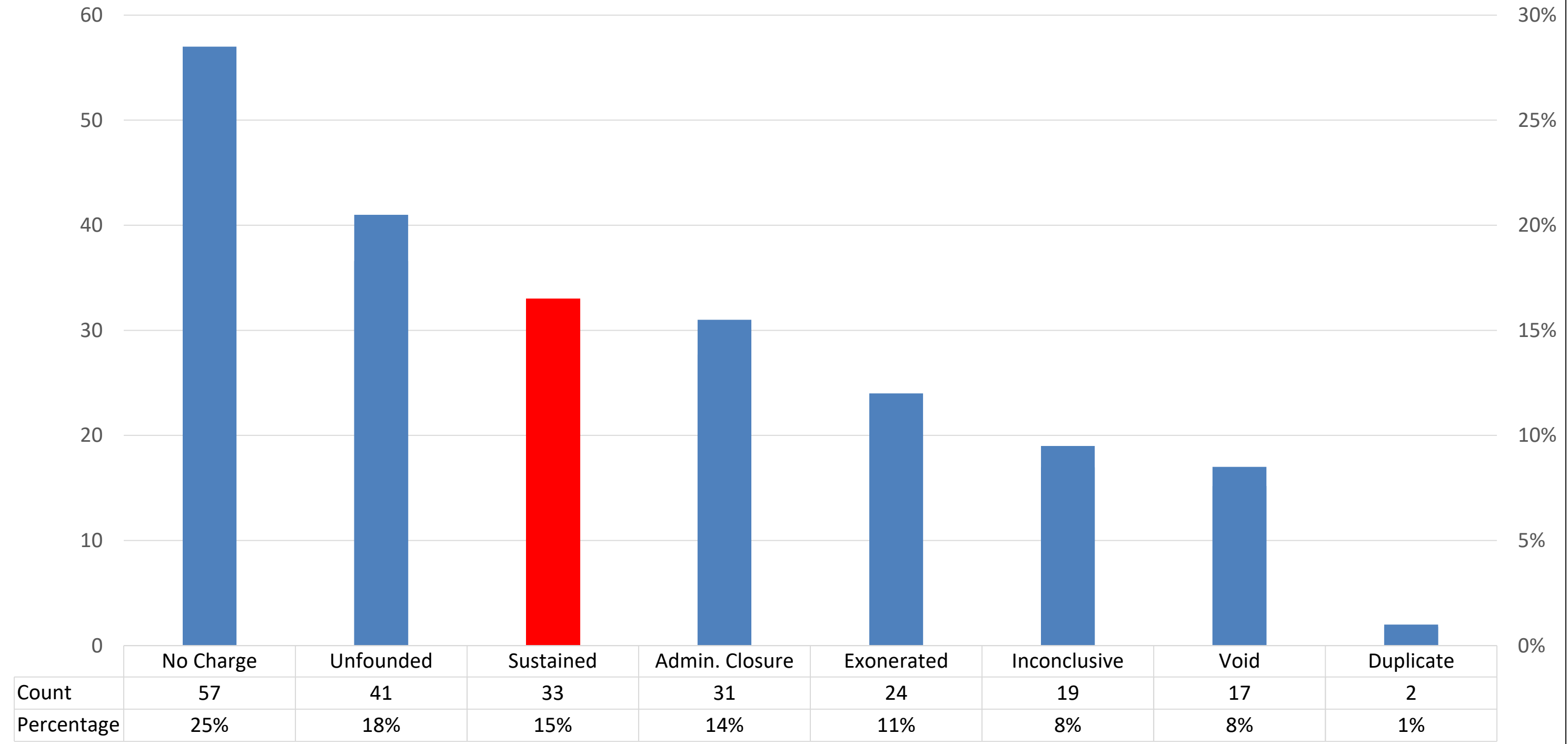
THIS DOES NOT MEAN THAT THE OFFICER IS UNKNOWN, JUST THAT THEIR ASSIGNMENT HAS NOT BEEN UPDATED IN THE MAS SYSTEM.

A CITIZEN COMPLAINT MAY HAVE SEVERAL ALLEGATIONS. EX: DEMEANOR, PROCEDURE, FORCE.





Allegation Findings (Closed in September 2023)



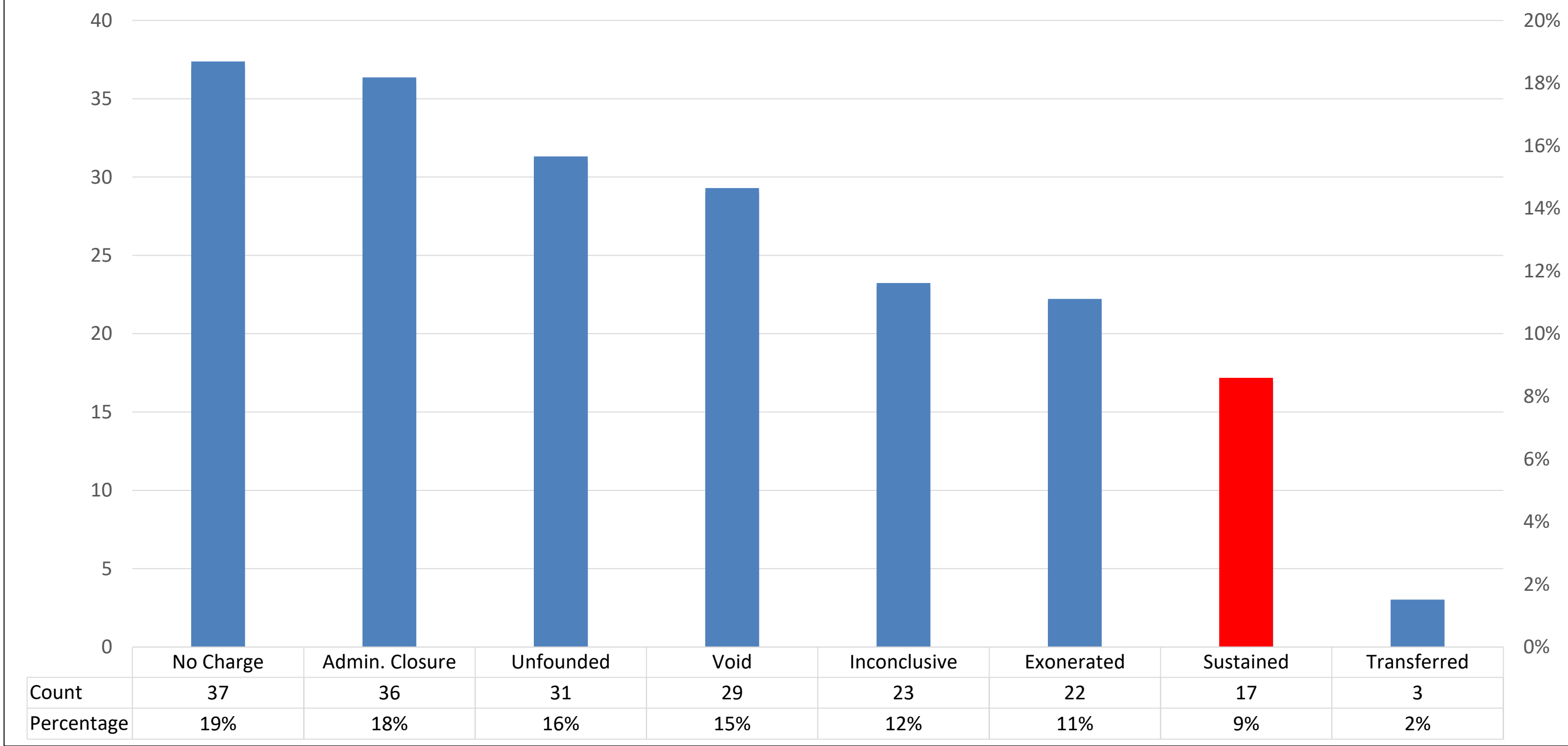
**OCI INVESTIGATORS CLOSED 224 ALLEGATIONS IN SEPTEMBER 2023
15% OF THOSE ALLEGATIONS WERE SUSTAINED**

CURRENTLY DPD DOES NOT REPORT TO THE BOARD ACTIONS TAKEN ON SUSTAINED ALLEGATIONS





Allegation Findings (Closed in October 2023)



OCI INVESTIGATORS CLOSED 198 ALLEGATIONS IN OCTOBER 2023

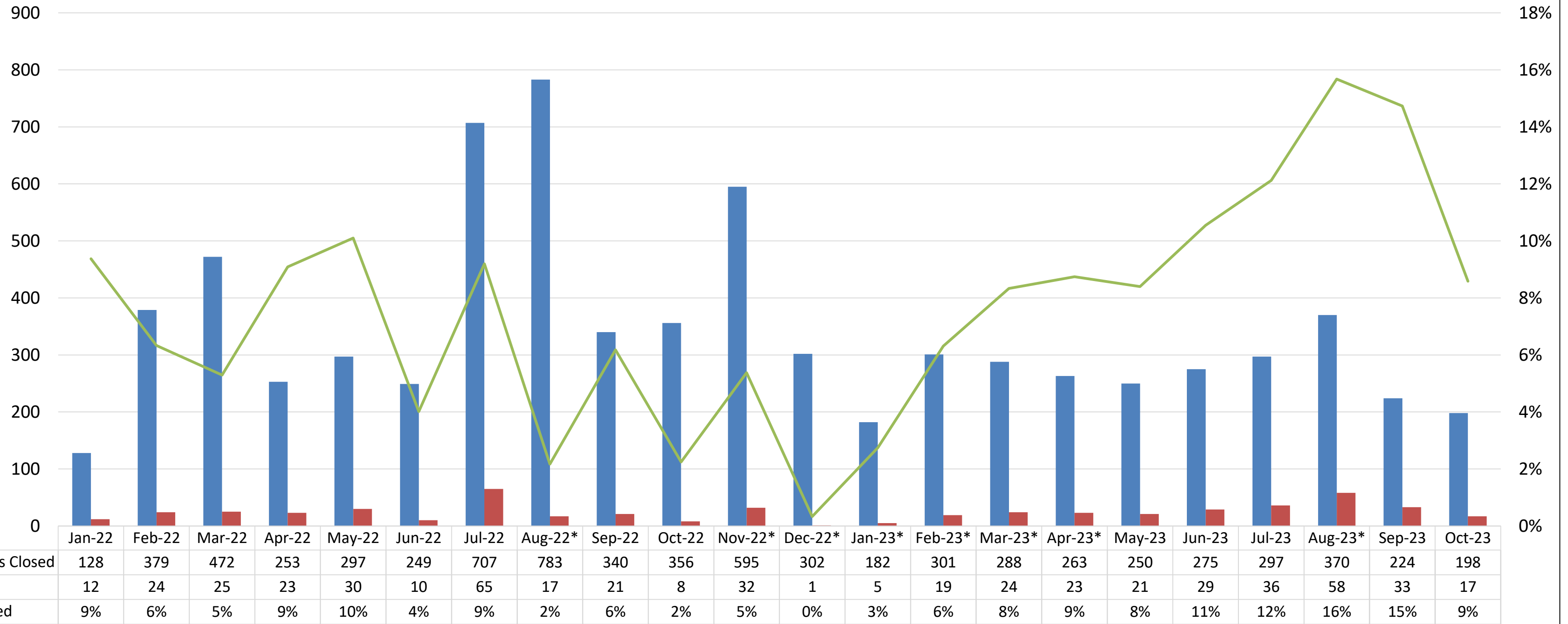
9% OF THOSE ALLEGATIONS WERE SUSTAINED

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Allegations Closed vs Sustained Jan 2022 - Oct 2023



****Aug 2022, Nov 2022, Dec 2022, Jan 2023, Feb 2023, Mar 2023, Apr 2023, Aug 2023 data has cases that are closed but no findings loaded to the database. Once those findings are loaded, the number of sustained cases for these months may change.***



QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, OR CONCERNS?



FILE A CITIZEN COMPLAINT

HOW TO FILE A CITIZEN COMPLAINT...

- IN-PERSON AT OCI OR AT ANY PRECINCT IN THE CITY
- BY LETTER
- BY TELEPHONE OR FAX
- ONLINE - SCAN QR CODE



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NO ONE CAN BE TURNED AWAY FROM FILING A CITIZEN COMPLAINT



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