

DICE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

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PACE Pilot Program

- Culturally-diverse communities targeted for engagement
- Requests for police attendance and participation at various community events promoted and filled
- Positive relationships, trust, and police legitimacy developed

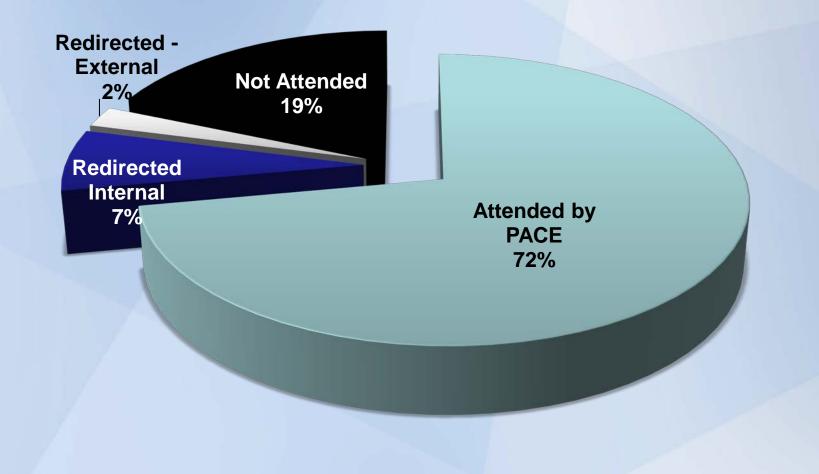


PACE Team Members

- 13 EPS members recruited, trained and deployed based on requests and availability of the officer
- Operated on a call-out bases
- No interference with regular duties
- Members were provided with straight time reimbursement



Event Requests





Event Types

Educational 10% Community Youth Activities Celebrations 14% 37% **Presentations** 20% Cultural Events 19%



Engagements





Results & Cost

- More culturally aware membership
- Unique engagement opportunities for members beyond standard working day
- Positive feedback from community and police members
- 219.25 hours worked for a total cost of approximately \$10,869



Recommendations

- Resource the program (coordinator & program budget)
- Enhance the role of the coordinator
- Focus on engaging culturally-diverse communities
- Support training opportunities
- Promote the PACE program internally and externally