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Police Foundation**
Building a Safer City Together

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The New York City Police Foundation

is an independent nonprofit organization that provides resources for the NYPD to innovate and enhance the quality of its services, build bridges with the community, and make New York City a safer place to live, work and visit.



Message from the President & CEO

"The New York City Police Foundation remains dedicated to working closely with the NYPD and the communities they serve to address the evolving safety needs of the city. Our mission helps advance programs to prevent violent crime and thwart terrorism, strengthen communities by building relationships between the NYPD and community members, including youth across the five boroughs, and enhance the health, wellness and training of the members of the NYPD. We are grateful to our loyal and dedicated supporters who make our important work possible, as we work to build a safer city together."

*Susan L. Birnbaum, President & CEO,
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The Police Foundation provides resources for four core areas of support which:

Advance Programs to Prevent Violent Crime, Thwart Terrorism, & Safeguard our City

The NYPD has the most comprehensive Intelligence & Counterterrorism program in the world, responsible for countless disruptions accomplished through its collective vigilance since 2002. The Police Foundation has been there to support their efforts every step of the way. Through the **International/Domestic Liaison Program (IDL P)**, the New York City Police Foundation makes it possible for NYPD Senior Intelligence Officers to be stationed in major cities around the world.

These officers are responsible for collecting vital information on tactics and individuals suspected of terrorism to confirm if there are potential connections to New York City. They then provide timely, in-depth analysis directly to the NYPD. In some cases, the information collected by these investigators results in restructuring training, refreshing response strategies, and informing other agencies of potential threats-- including federal, state, and local law enforcement partners such as the National Joint Terrorist Task Force, National Counterterrorism Center, US Customs & Border Protection, and Drug Enforcement Administration agencies in Washington, D.C.

Last year, through the support of the Police Foundation, the NYPD expanded the IDLP to add posts in Tucson, Arizona and Bogotá, Colombia, further expanding on the program's focus on terrorism-related threats, attacks, and transnational crime.

The New York City Police Foundation also supports vital rewards programs that rely on the public's assistance to help solve crimes through **Operation Gun Stop** and **Crime Stoppers**, some of the NYPD's most effective crime fighting tools. Crime Stoppers began in 1983, and since 1985, the Police Foundation has coordinated awareness campaigns to encourage participation from the public. The program offers rewards of up to \$3,500 for anonymous information to the 1-800-577-TIPS hotline, or to 888-57-PISTA for the Spanish-speaking hotline, that leads to the arrest and indictment of a violent felon. Information may also be submitted via the Crime Stoppers mobile app or the website, which can be translated into 10 different languages. To date, over \$3.3 million in rewards have been approved -helping to solve more than 5,600 violent crimes, including nearly 1,600 murders.

As of April 2025, in an effort to help address the devastating impacts of human trafficking, the Crime Stoppers Rewards Program has expanded its criteria to cover cases of human trafficking. Similarly, the Gun Stop Program has led to over 7,800 arrests and the removal of over 5,000 illegal weapons since the program's inception in 2001, with over \$3.2 million in Gun Stop rewards approved to date.





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Strengthen Communities by Building Relationships & Trust Between the NYPD and Community Members, Including Youth Across the Five Boroughs

The Foundation has a long history of bringing the police and communities together. Through increased dialogue and positive interactions – including creating meaningful opportunities for youth – we lay the groundwork to resolve neighborhood concerns and enhance safety for all. The public’s partnership with the NYPD is essential to the safety and strength of all our neighborhoods. From mentorship and career development to scholarships and sports leagues, supporting NYPD engagement with youth is a transformative piece of the Police Foundation’s strategy to build bridges between the police and communities by building trust and creating meaningful opportunities.

The **NYPD OPTIONS Program**, established with the New York City Police Foundation in 2018, helps New York City youth build decision-making skills and access career-development opportunities through a series of workshops, training programs and internships. By partnering together, NYPD officers and youth participants in the program are having authentic, thoughtful, and productive discussions regarding real-life situations and challenges that young New Yorkers are facing. The Options curriculum was designed to create better outcomes, by enhancing emotional intelligence, developing de-escalation techniques, and strengthening the situational awareness of its participants.

To date, hundreds of NYPD officers and over 33,000 young people have participated in these dynamic workshops. In addition, NYPD **OPTIONS Wellness Centers** continue to grow throughout the city, which provide safe and creative spaces for young people to participate in various OPTIONS

workshops designed to further their personal and professional development. The **Bronx OPTIONS Center**, at 1932 Arthur Avenue, has begun a 14,000 square foot expansion to include a Wellness Welcome Garden, Hydroponic Farm, Cosmetology/ Barber School, Broadcast Studio/Communication Center, Performance Stage, Sport Complex, as well immersive workshops focused on the trades.

NYPD’s Youth Flag Football Mentorship Program sponsored by the Police Foundation and the New York Giants, provides participants with tutoring, school mentoring and coaching by police officers, while playing flag football on the Far Rockaway, Harlem, and the Bronx Giants. Beyond learning to play flag football and receiving tutoring, the program reinforces the importance of safety in their neighborhoods.

The Police Foundation also sponsors a variety of programs each year that engage communities across New York City’s diverse populations. Events included **Kids-Fest**, which attracted over 10,000 young people, city-wide **Back-to-School Initiatives**, that provided 9,600 students with backpacks and school supplies. **NYPD Baby Showers** reached over 5,000 soon-to-be and recent mothers, providing essential childcare items and connecting families with a myriad of organizations that provide financial planning, childcare support, educational and employment resources. The Police Foundation also sponsored the creation of the **NYPD Inspire Youth Running Club**, aimed at engaging kids from each borough to teach them the principles of competitive running, building confidence and instilling the importance of setting goals, improving physical and mental well-being of the participants.

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Enhance Leadership, Wellness & Training Within the NYPD

Members of the NYPD must navigate a broad spectrum of stressors while operating in a dynamic, high-pressure environment. The challenges they face are compounded by rapidly evolving external factors, such as legislative changes, shifting public sentiment, and increased scrutiny, all of which demand continuous adaptation and resilience. To address these challenges, the NYPD has implemented a range of programs designed to support the mental, emotional, and physical well-being of the members of service.

Additionally, the Department continues to review, maintain, and enhance its facilities and asset management practices to ensure a supportive and sustainable operational environment. The Police Foundation supports these efforts by sponsoring renovation projects, scholarships, emotional support K9s, enhanced trainings, law enforcement conferences, and programs such as **Healthy Meals for Cops**, and funding for 40+ **NYPD Sports Unit** teams.

Through the **Precinct Enhancement Fund**, the New York City Police Foundation partners with the **NYPD Facilities Management Division** to meet the requests and needs of the Department as it improves its facilities throughout the city, including 77 Precincts, 9 Housing Areas, and 12 Transit Districts, and specialized commands city-wide. Many of the facilities are undergoing modernization with the goals of meeting today's operational demands and improving

quality of life in the workplace for members of the NYPD. A total of 87 precinct enhancement projects have been completed to date, including NYPD cardiovascular fitness centers, lounges, kitchens, dorms, and memorial walls dedicated to fallen Members of Service. In early 2025, the Police Foundation partnered with the Detectives' Endowment Association to begin the **restoration of the NYPD vehicle of fallen Police Officer Eddie Byrne**, who was tragically killed in the line of duty in 1988, which will serve as a lasting tribute to his service and sacrifice and will be installed at the NYPD Police Academy in Queens, NY.

In addition, the Police Foundation sponsored various conferences throughout the past year, including the **International Law Enforcement Liaison Conference**, the **NYPD Shield Conference**, the **NYPD Operation Sentry Conference**, the **NYPD Cyber Intelligence & Counterterrorism Conference**, the **Executive All-In**, the **NYPD Women's Conference**, and the **NYPD Hostage Negotiation Team Conference**. Combined, these events welcomed thousands of attendees representing hundreds of law enforcement organizations from around the world, including domestic and international agencies, private-sector security specialists, and critical partners.





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Innovate Technology & Police Services to Protect the Public & the Police

From providing the first bullet resistant vests for members of the Department and ensuring the survival of the **NYPD Mounted Unit** in the 70s, to piloting new light weight ballistic vests and securing PPE in the 2020s, the support of the Police Foundation has proved vital to the members of the NYPD. Throughout our history, we have invested in training programs, crime fighting tools, and public safety programs – prioritizing officer health and wellness, and working with the public to keep neighborhoods safe. For decades, these efforts have made a significant impact here on the streets of New York City, changing the way the NYPD fights crime.

Last year, with the support and generosity of our donors, the Police Foundation provided funding for a new state-of-the-art **Crime Stoppers Video Truck**, a **Critical Response Command K-9 Camera Pilot Program**, and **NYPD Transit Drones**.

The Police Foundation also launched a multi-million-dollar campaign to re-design the **NYPD Firearms & Tactics Training Section at Rodman's Neck**. This new 5,000 square foot Tactical Training Center will be equipped with specially designed, moveable wall panels, with the ability to transform the layout to mimic

commercial or residential settings, providing officers with the ability to train in various scenarios simultaneously.

In May 2025, the Police Foundation approved funding for a **new kennel for the NYPD Narcotics K9s**, which will have a modern design prioritizing durability, proper ventilation, temperature control and ease of maintenance. Additionally, the new kennels will have an enduring impact on the NYPD for years to come.



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Looking Back at the



Year in Review



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2024 Annual Gala



Fiscal Year 2024

Audited Financial Information

(For the Period of July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024)

Revenue

Contributions	\$ 5,460,181
Annual Benefit.....	\$ 4,934,534
Investment Activity.....	\$ 666,398
NYPD Licensing and other revenue.....	\$ 373,089
Total Revenue	\$ 11,434,202

Expenses

PROGRAM SERVICES:

Crime Fighting, Counter Terrorism and Intelligence.....	\$ 3,029,443
Options, Youth Programming, Community Support.....	\$ 2,574,767
Professional Development, Training, Precinct Improvements, Mental Health & Wellness.....	\$ 2,032,515
Total Program Services.....	\$ 7,636,725

SUPPORTING SERVICES:

Management and General.....	\$ 1,474,039
Fundraising.....	\$ 679,781
Annual Benefit.....	\$ 773,100
Total Supporting Services.....	\$ 2,926,920

Total Expenses.....	\$ 10,563,645
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Change in Net Assets.....	\$ 870,557
Net Assets – End of Year.....	\$ 15,416,346

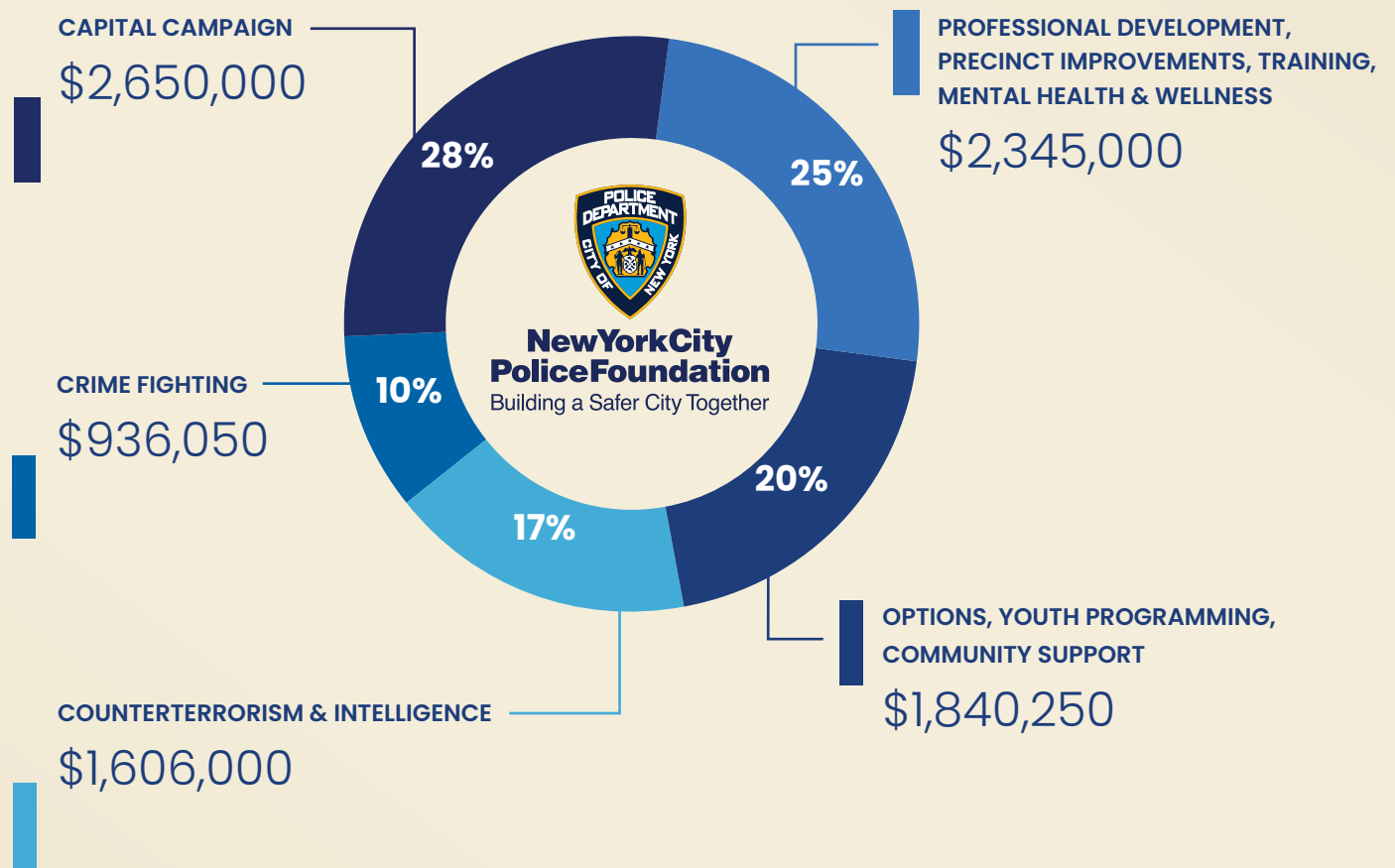
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Fiscal Year 2025 Budgeted Program Expenses

(For the Period of July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025)



TOTAL: \$9,377,300



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