



CITY OF BANNING STAFF REPORT

TO: CITY COUNCIL

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MEETING DATE: April 28, 2026

SUBJECT: Receive and File Police Department Statistics for the Month of March 2026

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file.

BACKGROUND:

The Banning Police Department provides statistics to the public and City Council upon request.

JUSTIFICATION:

Statistics tell a city how many police officers need to be on the street, what crimes are being committed, and reveal increases and decreases in specific crimes. Also, cities get funding in part on their crime rates. If a federal crime bill passed, the Government needs to know which cities could benefit the most from those funds, and some cities have been rewarded financially for drastically lowering rates of crime.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. [Group A Offense Report March 2026.pdf](#)
2. [Police Stats 2026 March.pdf](#)