

# Objective Statement

The following objectives have been established to accomplish the mission within in the budgetary and manpower constraints imposed on the agency:

- A. Protect Life and Property:** To provide services that contribute to the preservation of life, the protection of property, and the safety of the community.
- B. Maintain Public Order:** To maintain peace and public order. To assist during times of natural or technological disasters and/or other critical incidents. To provide for the safe and effective flow of both vehicular and pedestrian traffic and the investigation of traffic related accidents.
- C. Prevent, Detect and Investigate Criminal Activity:** To prevent crime through active and coordinated patrols that limit the opportunity for a crime to occur, and through education of citizens that reduces the likelihood of them becoming victims of crime. To provide a thorough, appropriate, and efficient investigation of criminal activity.
- D. Apprehension of Offenders:** To provide for the expeditious and prudent apprehension of suspected violators of the law, regardless of an individual's status in the community.
- E. Community Service:** To provide the resources necessary for assisting citizens under special non-criminal circumstances.
- F. Compliance with Ethical Standards and Professionalism:** To ensure integrity and adherence to the professional standards of the Agency by investigating all complaints against Agency personnel. To provide for the training needs of officers and promote a high rate of proficiency in the officers of the Agency. To address the career development goals of agency personnel.