



## Memorandum

**Date:** March 11, 2025

**To:** Chief Collins

**Via:** Chain of Command

**From:** Det. Sgt. Scott Fitchett

**Re:** SHORELINE CIU STATS FEBRUARY 2025

Cases Assigned: 32  
Cases Closed (Including previously assigned cases): 23  
Open Investigations (Including previously assigned): 20  
CopLogic Intake: 30

Arson: 1  
Agency Assist: 1  
Active Shooter Threat: 1  
Commercial Burglary: 6  
Fraud: 3  
Human Trafficking: 2  
Indecent Exposure: 1  
Residential Burglary: 6  
Robbery: 4  
Stabbing: 1  
Unlawful Firearm: 2  
Vandalism: 2  
Vehicle Prowl: 2

Charges Filed: 13  
Unable to ID Suspects/No Leads: 5  
Victim Refused to Assist: 2  
Adopted by other agency: 2

**Highlights:** This month a victim of sex trafficking called the National Human Trafficking Hotline and said she was being sold for sex and under the control of a pimp. All she stated was that she was in the King County/Shoreline area and needed help. Det. Finan quickly went to work establishing phone contact with the victim. He then developed an operational plan and enlisted the help of Shoreline SET and Shoreline CID. The team of Shoreline Detectives led by Det. Finan successfully and safely recovered the woman and provided her with much needed help.

A woman called 911 to report that her neighbor who lives in the apartment below her, knocked on her door and then stabbed her in the stomach when she answered. She further reported that the man fled back to his apartment. CIU Detectives responded to the scene. After reviewing multiple security cameras, conducting interviews and a thorough investigation, we were able to prove that the woman

stabbed herself in an attempt to frame the downstairs neighbor for a felony assault because his noise complaint got her evicted. In fact, we were able to prove that the neighbor she accused was buying a toy for his son at Fred Meyer at the time she claimed the stabbing occurred.

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