



HAMILTON POLICE SERVICE
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2020 UOF Statistical Report

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Changes to Use of Force Reporting

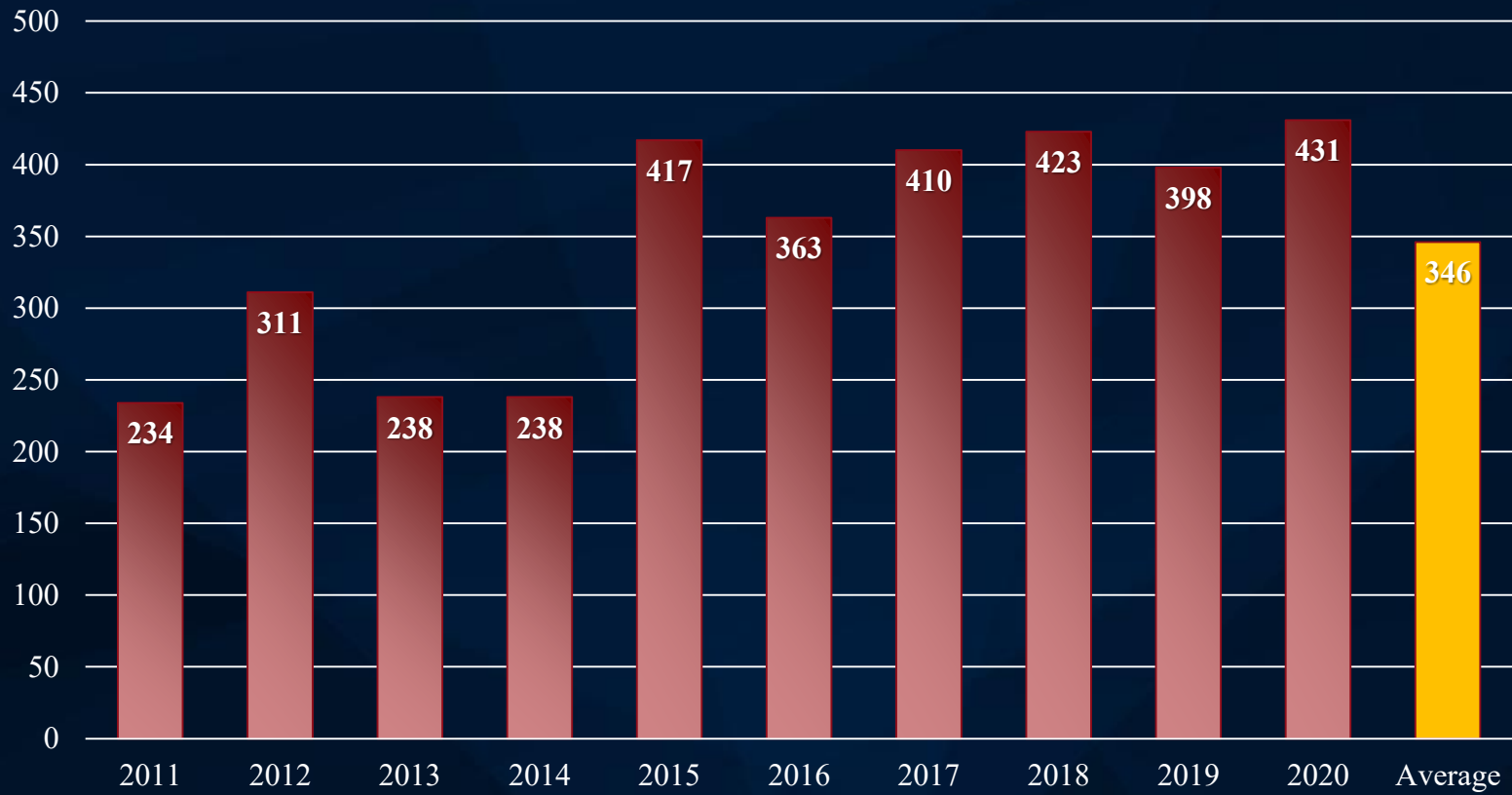
- As of January 1st 2020, Police are now required to use a Ministry of the Solicitor General Use of Force report.
- This requires Police to collect Race stats of all persons involved in a use of force incident which are gathered based on the officers perception of race
- The Hamilton Police Service now completes a full UOF report anytime a CEW is drawn in the presence of a member of the public. In previous years this was not a requirement.

2020 Total Use of Force Reports Submitted

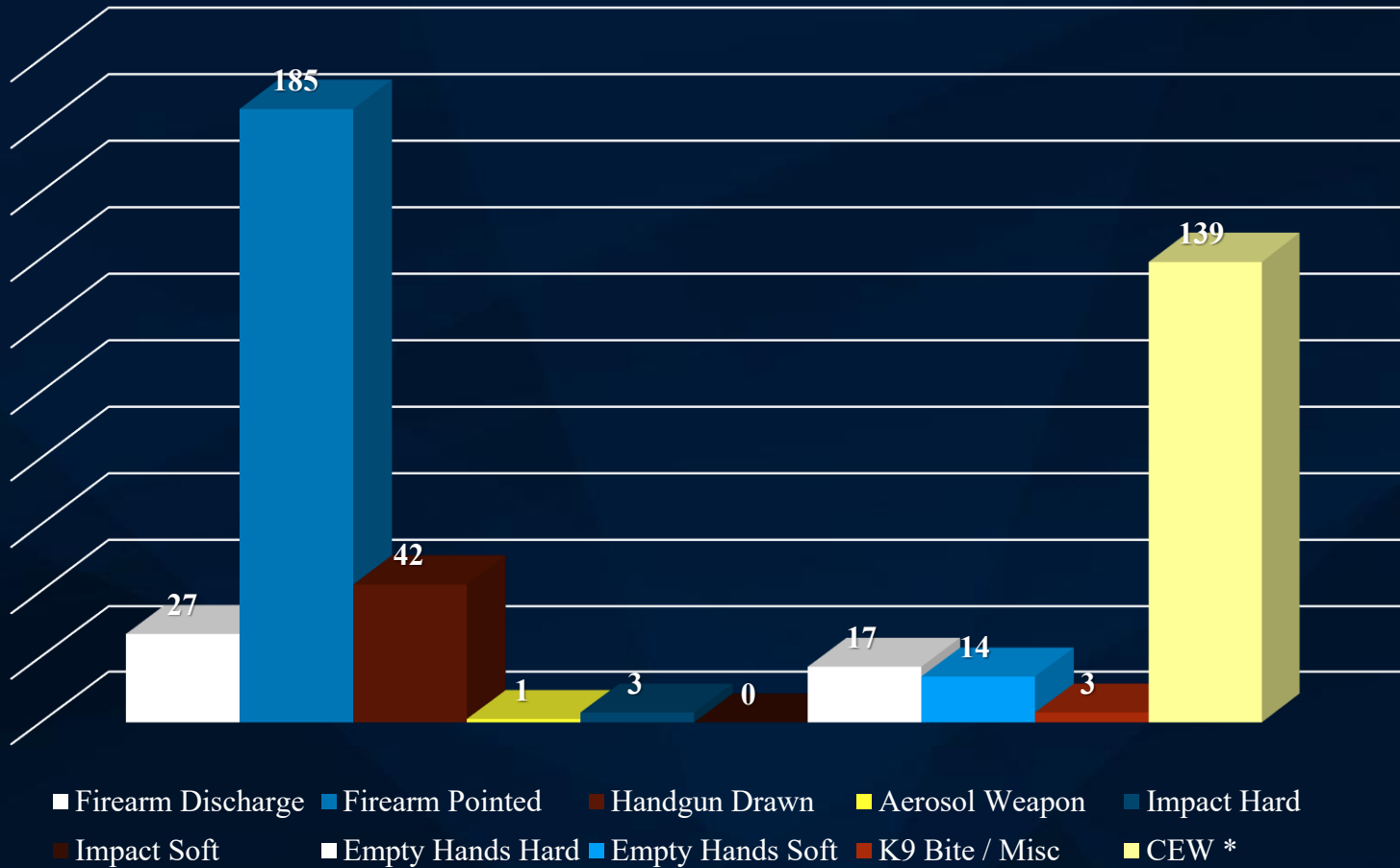
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Use of Force Over 10 Years

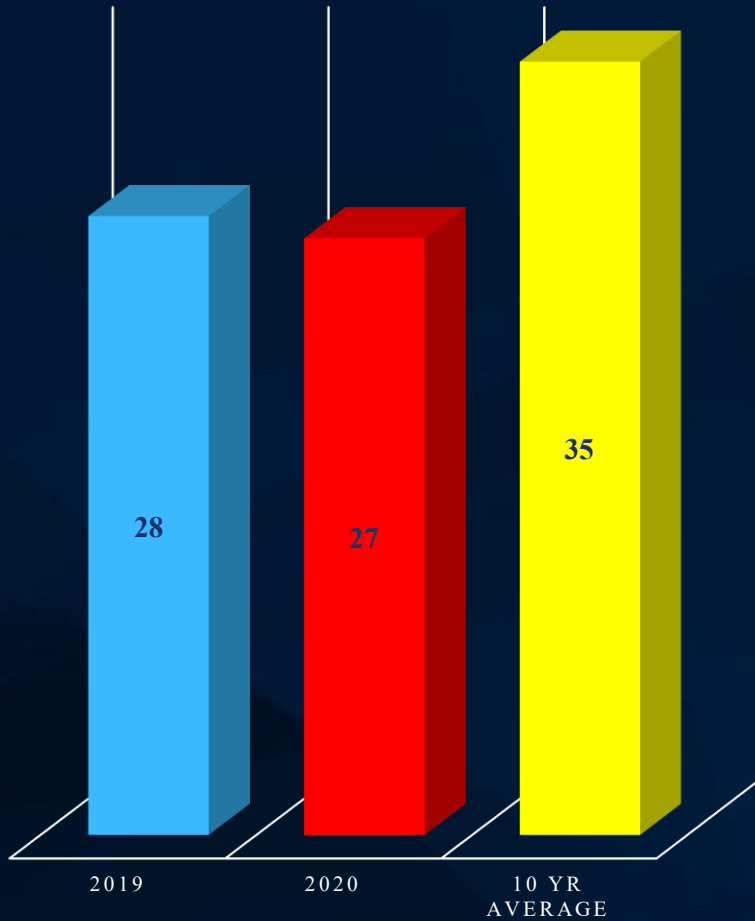
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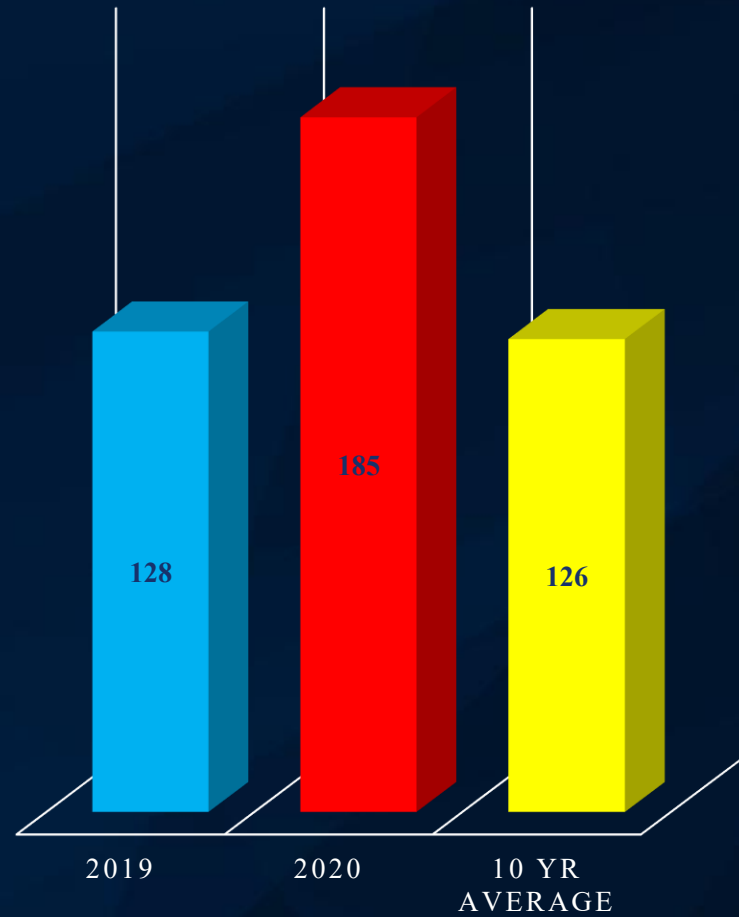
Use of Force by Type



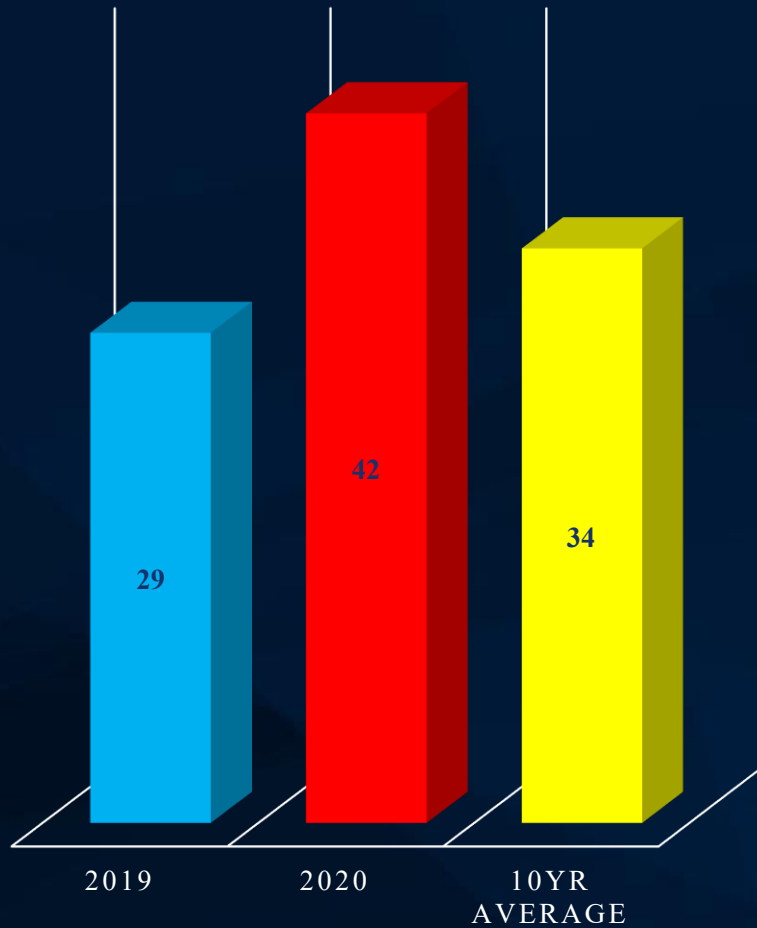
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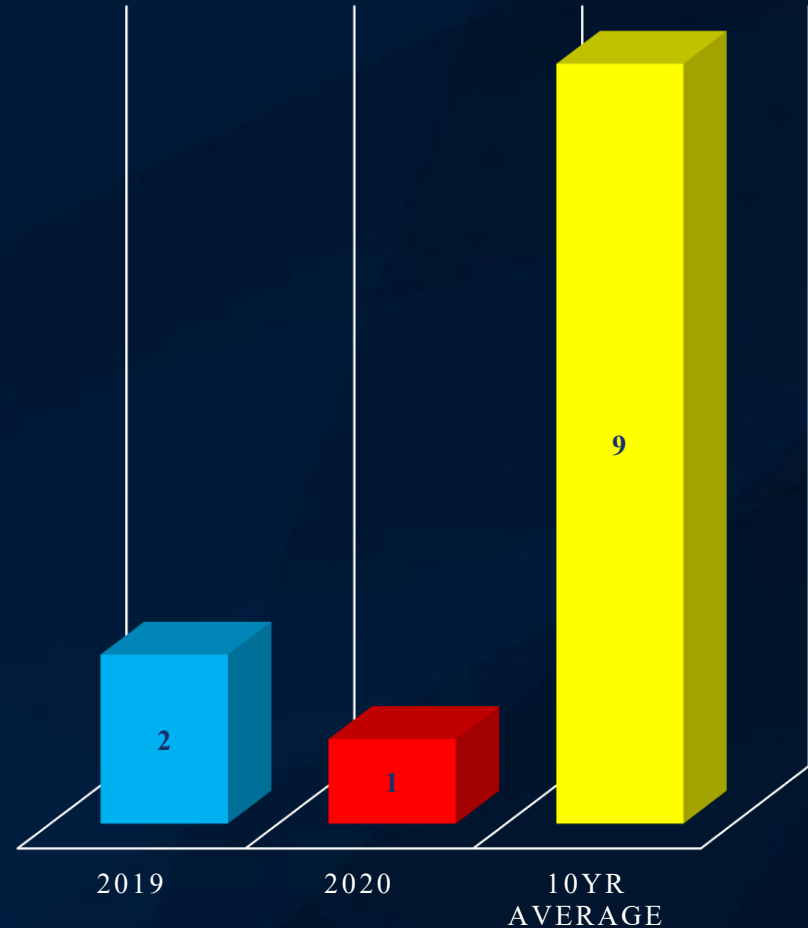
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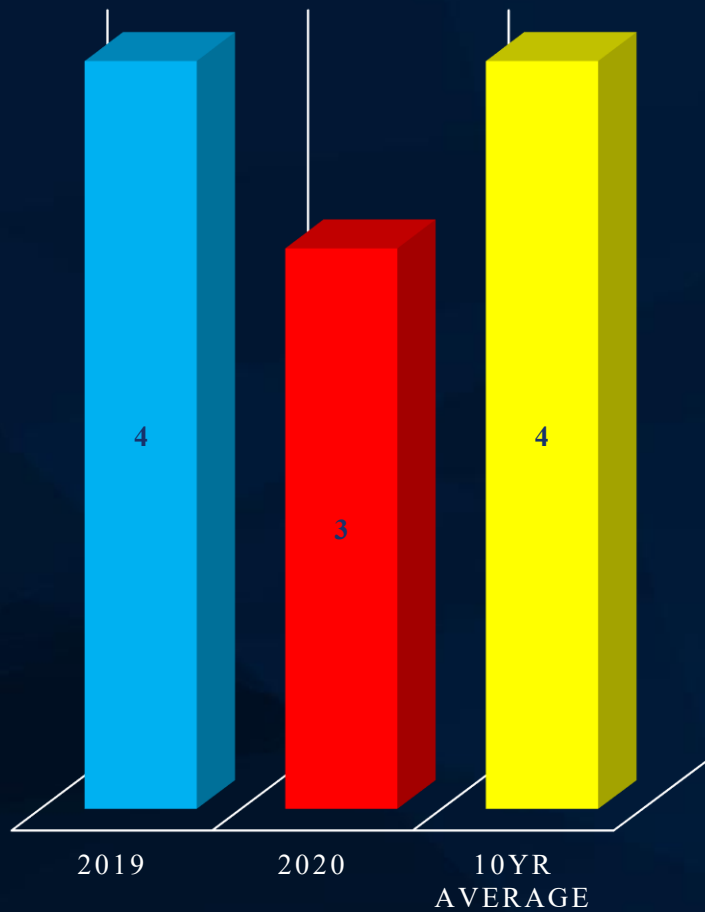
HANDGUN DRAWN



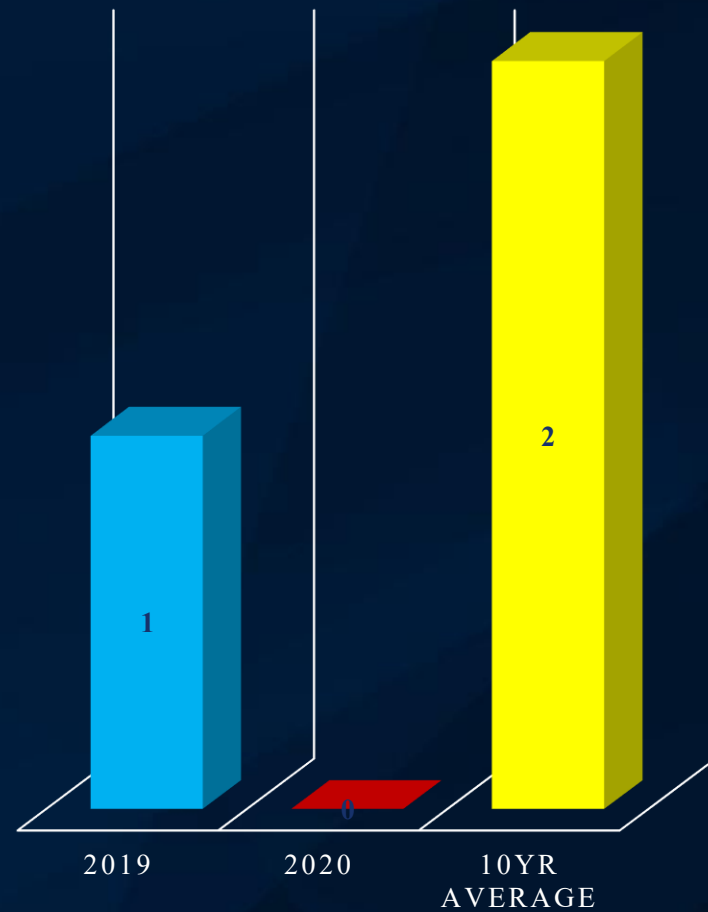
AEROSOL WEAPON



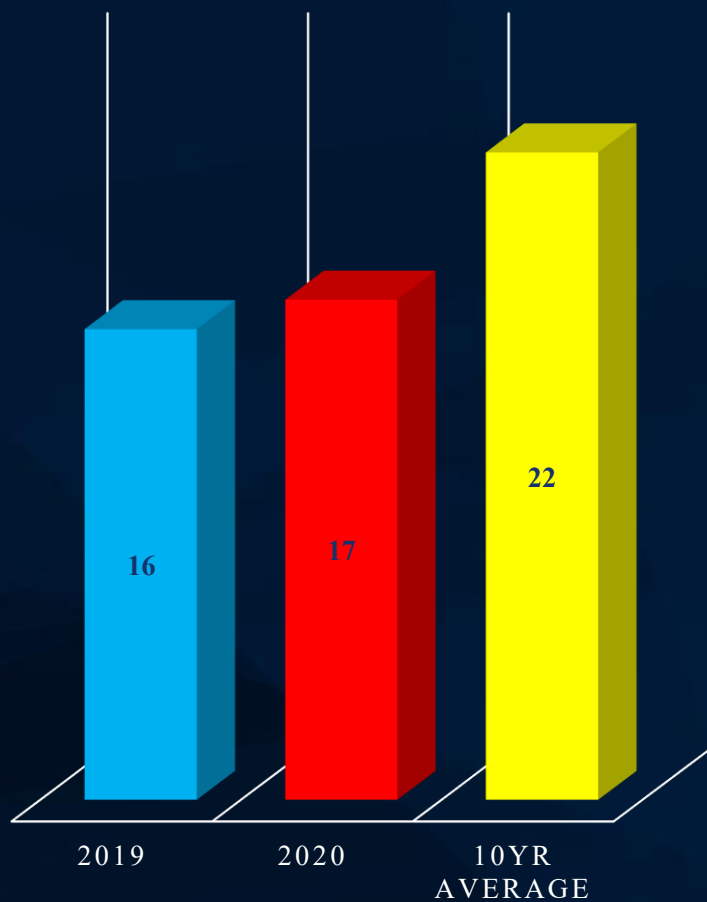
IMPACT HARD



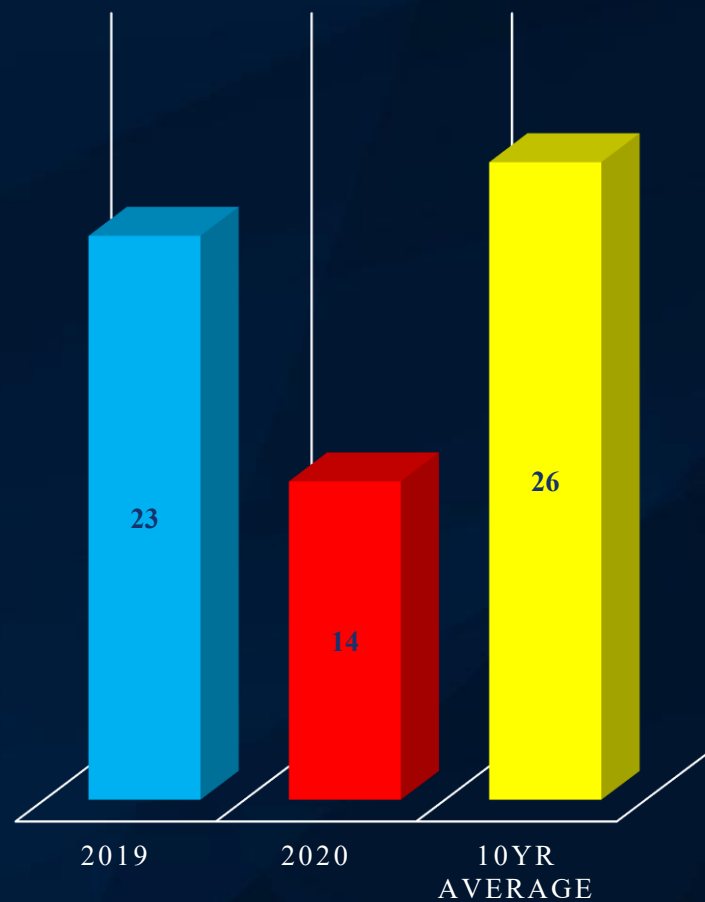
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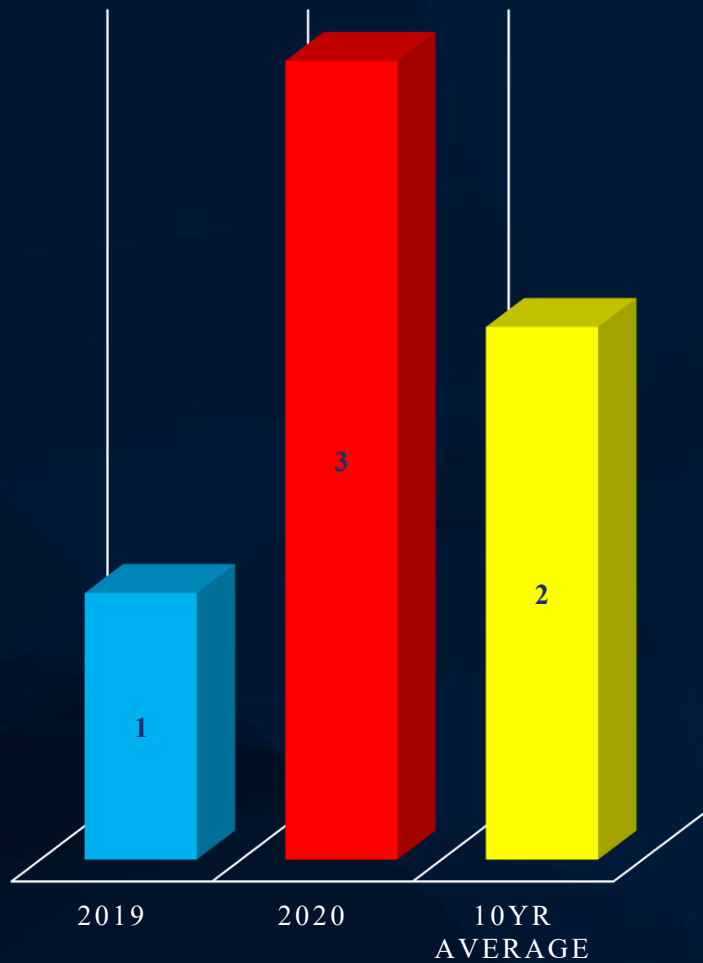
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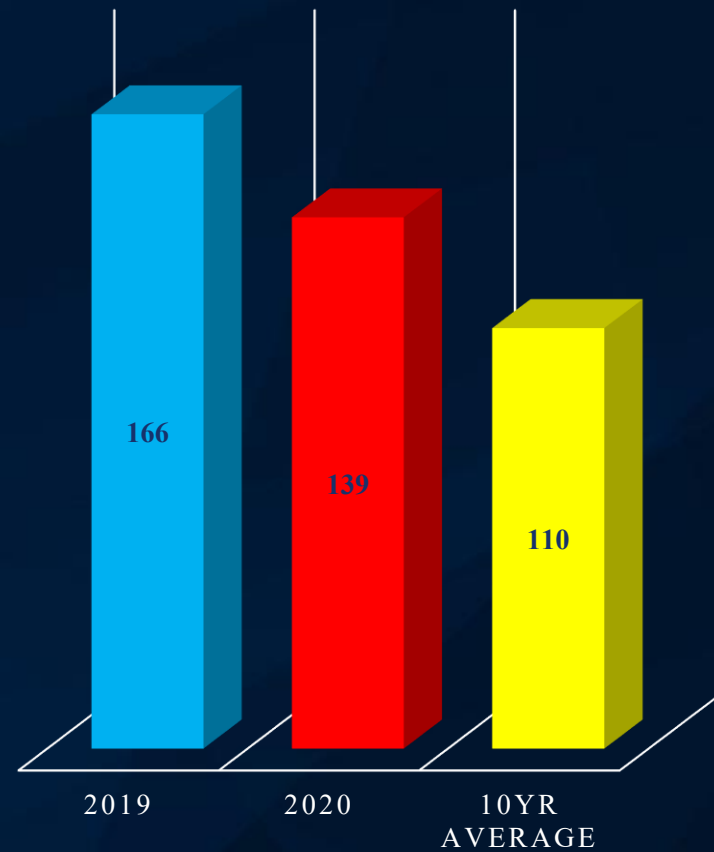
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K-9 BITE



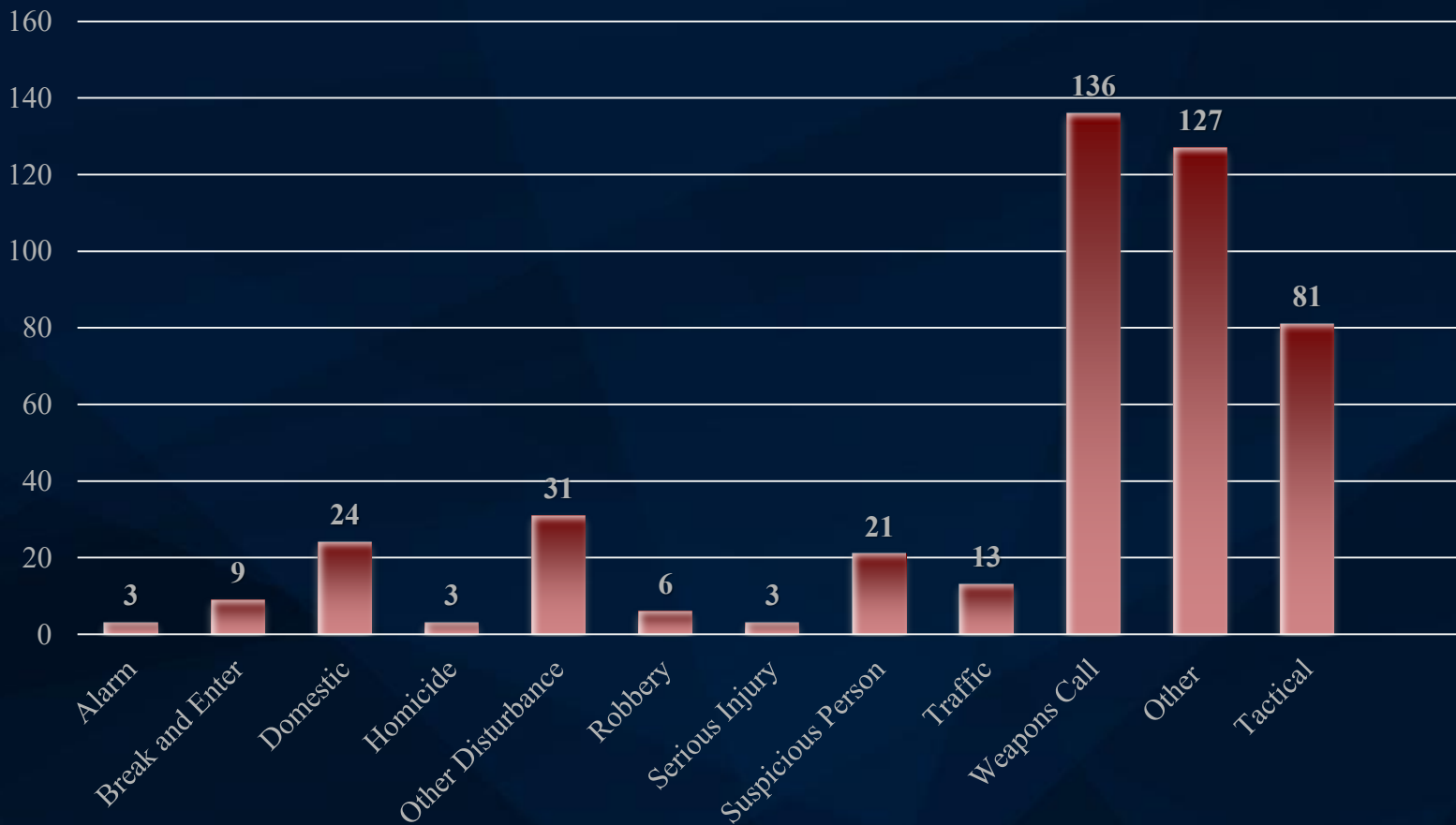
CONDUCTIVE ENERGY WEAPON USE



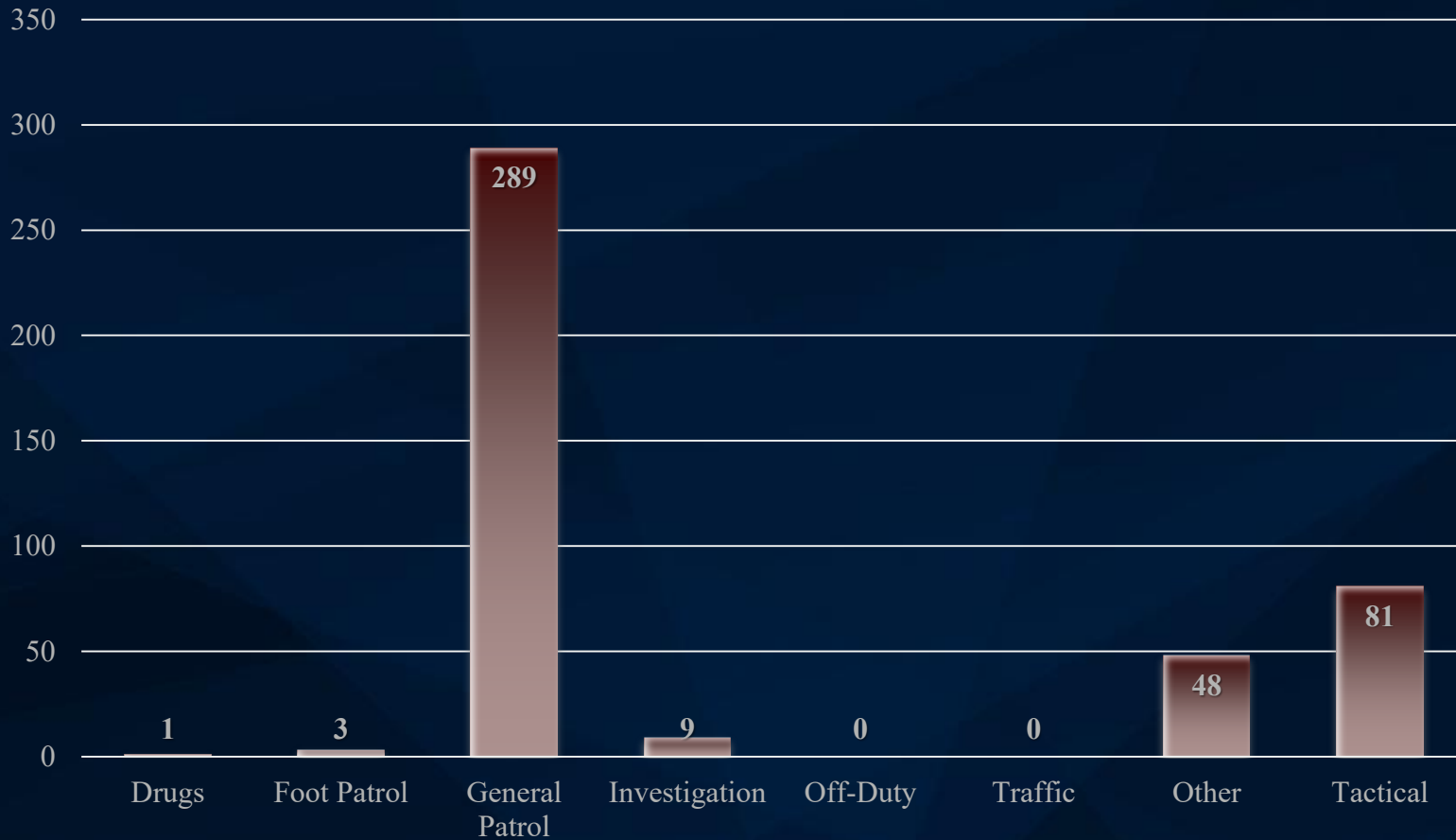
Conductive Energy Weapon Usage From 139 Incidents



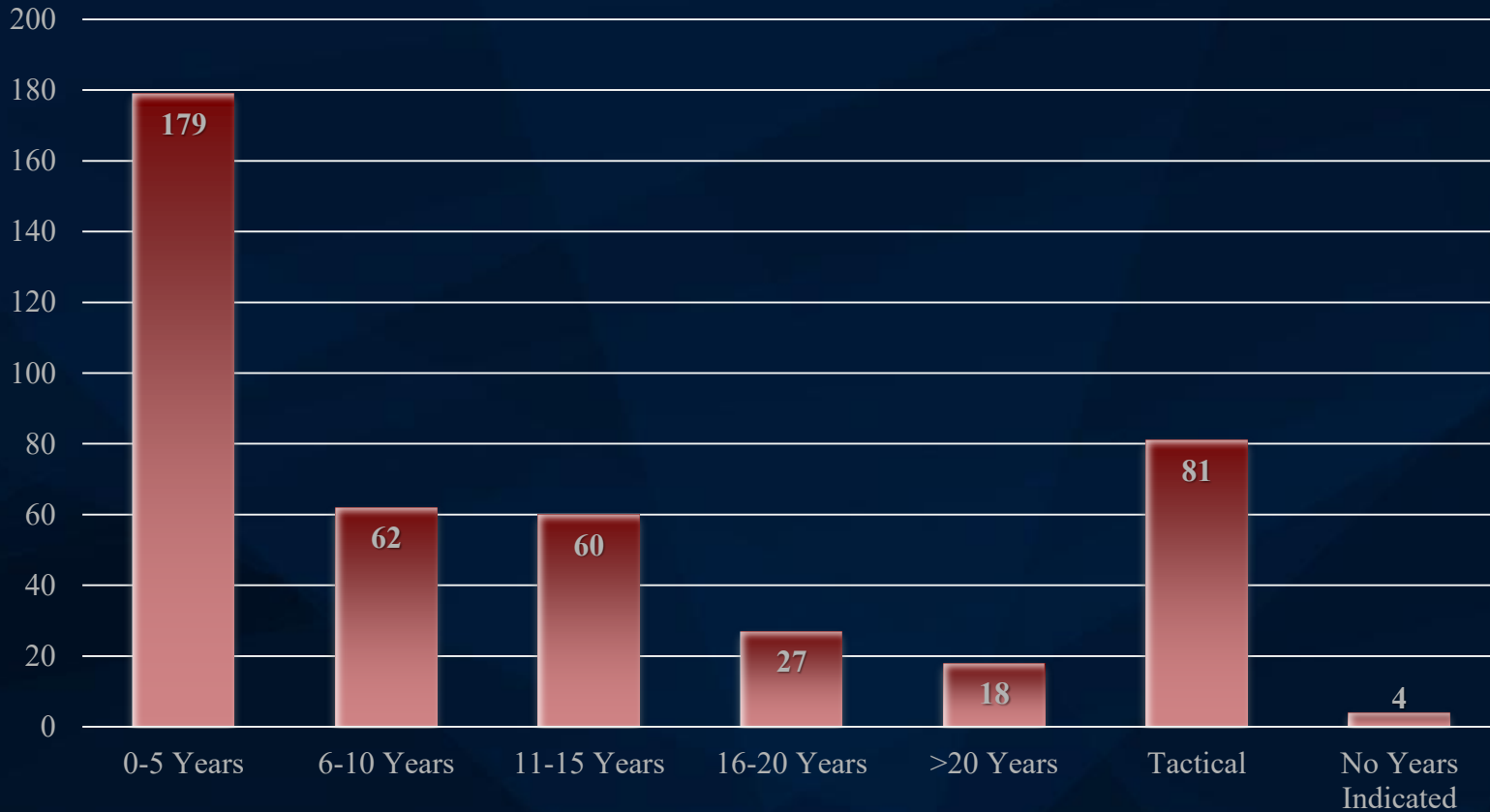
Use of Force By Call Type



UOF by Assignment



Years of Service



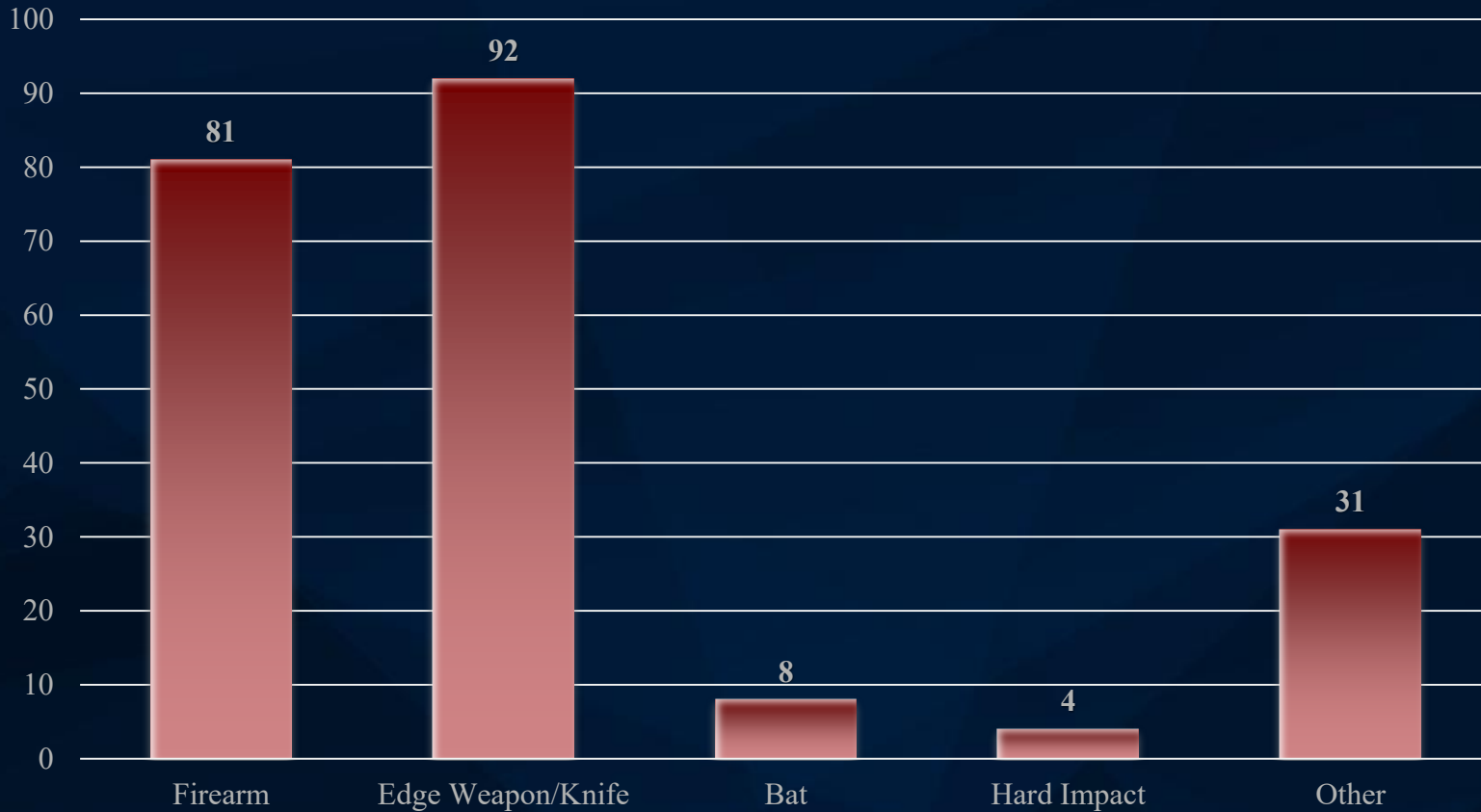
Medical Attention

- There were 140 incidents in which a subject, Police Officer or both required medical attention
- In 108 incidents the subject was identified as requiring medical attention
- In 32 incidents the officer required medical attention

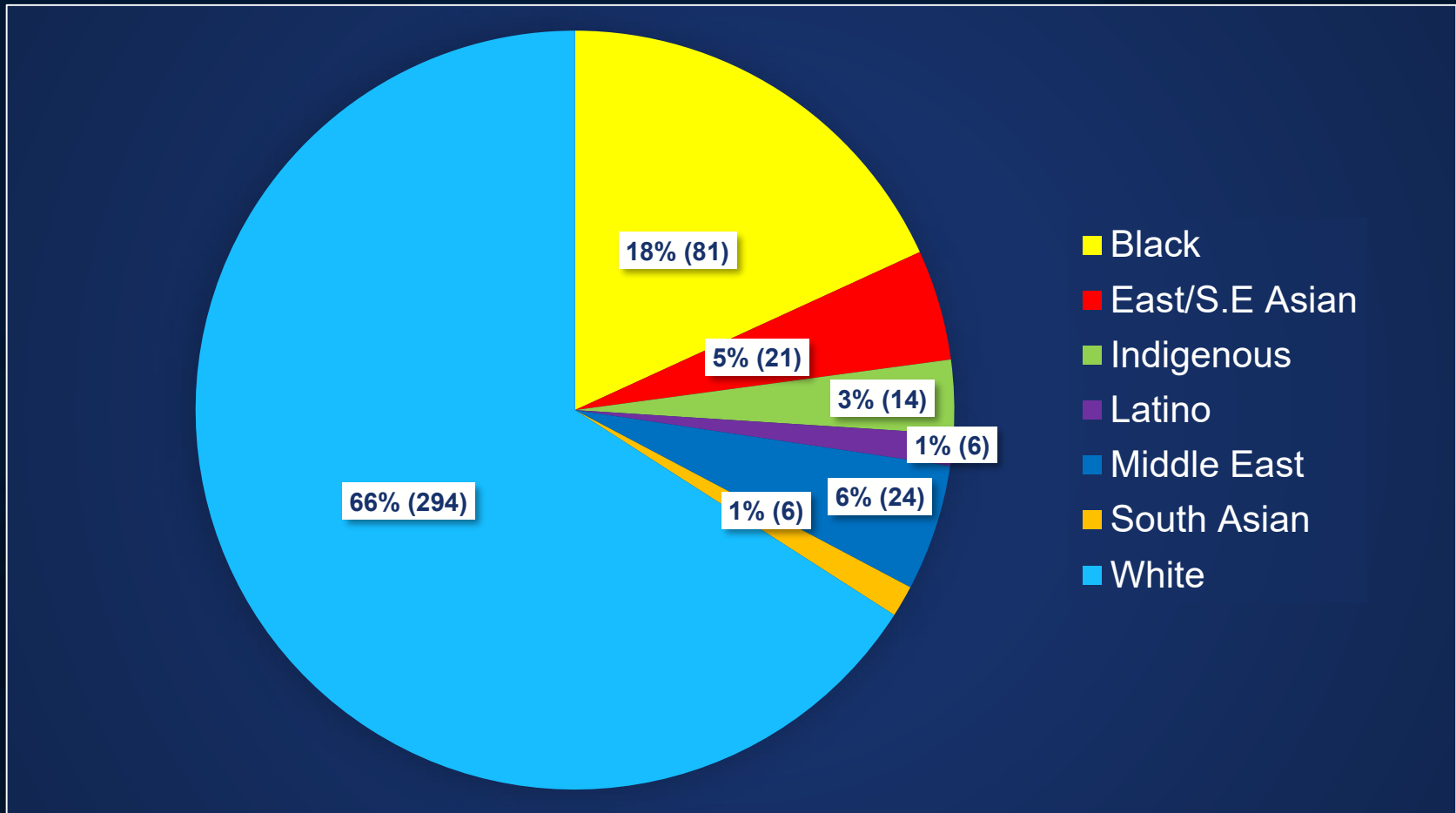
Weapons Use Against Officers

- In 2020 there was 216 incidents in which subjects had access to a weapon a **118%** increase from 99 in 2019
- 81 incidents the subject had a firearm or replica a **170%** increase from 2019

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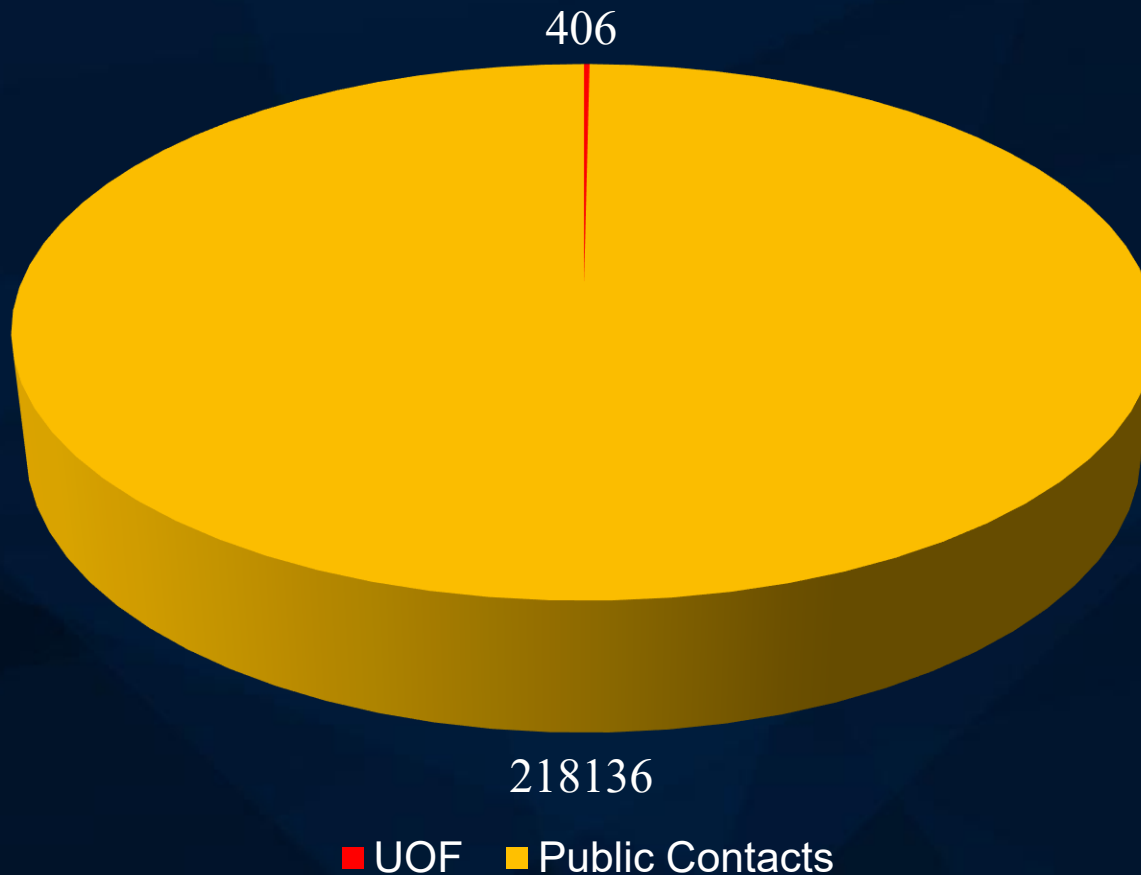
Use of Force by Race



Public Contact vs UOF

- In 2020 Hamilton Police interacted with the public 218,136 times
- These interactions include; PONs (tickets), calls for service, RIDE and arrests
- During these interactions a UOF occurred 406 times

Public Contacts vs UOF



This results in UOF being used in

0.18 %

of all public contacts

Thank you for your time

Questions?