

# Town and Country Police Department

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## VEHICLE PURSUIT REPORT Calendar Year 2019

In 2019, Town & Country Police Department (TCPD) was involved in 5 vehicular pursuits. Each pursuit is monitored by a supervisor with the objective to weigh the totality of circumstances with the risks of continuity and overall public safety. Subsequently, the pursuit is reviewed, evaluated, investigated (if necessary), and documented by a Command Officer holding the rank of Lieutenant or higher. Every incident involving an vehicular pursuit includes a case report, suspect(s) pedigree, type of offense, speeds of vehicles involved, weather and traffic conditions, time of day, day of week, roadway conditions, and number of officers involved.

Of the 5 pursuits which occurred in 2019, 3 were determined to be within standards of TCPD policy. The review and evaluation of the other 2 pursuits revealed these to be outside the standards of TCPD policy based upon type of offense and speeds. Officers involved in these two pursuits were disciplined per TCPD policy. It should be noted, the duration and distance of the 2 pursuits outside the policy were less than 1 minute and less than one mile.

### **Reason Pursuit Initiated**

Stolen Vehicle	1
Traffic/Suspicious Activity	2
Leaving the scene/Larceny	1
Potential Medical Problem	1

### **Terminated For / By**

Safety / Policy	2
Supervisor	1
Officer Lost Site	1
Suspect Apprehension	1

### **Area Type<sup>i</sup>**

Interstate	2
State Roadway	2
City Street	1

<b><u>Resulting Crashes</u></b>	0
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<b><u>Injuries</u></b>	0
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### **Speeds of Officer**

40-60	0
60-80	4
80-99	1
100+	0

### **Speeds of Suspect**

40-60	1
60-80	2
Unknown	2

### **Distance Traveled**

1 or less miles	4
12 miles	1

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