

# Kingman Police Department

**Rusty Cooper – Chief of Police**



**Yesterday.**



Kingman Police Department  
2019

***Today and tomorrow...***

# ALEAP Assessment

**August 9 & 10, 2023**



## **KPD Mission Statement**

***“It is the mission of the Kingman Police Department to maintain a high quality of life for our residents and visitors, through an active partnership with the community, by being proactive in reducing crime, apprehending criminal offenders, and aggressively addressing all public safety concerns.”***

### **Our Values**

#### **Honor**

***We honor the profession by valuing those whom we serve with and alongside in our community.***

#### **Integrity**

***We maintain integrity in all areas of conduct and behavior in accordance with the oath of office.***

#### **Courage**

***We have the courage to confidently and humbly fulfill the mandates of our profession, while recognizing the higher authority of the public’s trust.***

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# Welcome to the Kingman Police Department

[Captain Larry Jones],

I want to thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to be part of our department's accreditation process. It is my goal and hope to make your visit as fulfilling, productive and rewarding as it is meant to be. This welcome packet is meant to provide a brief overview of our city and our operation at Kingman PD. If at any point between now and your onsite visit you have questions that I can answer, please do not hesitate to ask me. I feel confident in echoing the same sentiment from any of our staff. You will find contact information for our key personnel below.

We are looking forward to your visit! Travel safe.

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**Assessor Office / KPD Conference Room**  
928-753-2006 Office



# KPD Command Staff



## **Rusty Cooper, Chief of Police**

Chief Rusty Cooper began his career in Law Enforcement in 1991 with the Kingman Police Department. During his 32-year career, he has worked as a Patrol Officer, Patrol Sergeant, Criminal Investigations Sergeant, School Resource Sergeant, Patrol Lieutenant and Patrol Captain, and the Deputy Chief of Police. He has served as the Chief of Police since April 2020.

Rusty is a graduate of the FBI National Academy and the Leadership in Police Organizations Academy, and is an active member of the Arizona Association of Chiefs of Police and the International Association of Chiefs of Police. He serves as the department's Public Information Officer and is often asked to speak publicly to community groups, businesses and organizations on assorted law enforcement topics to include: crime prevention, domestic violence, drug crimes, active shooter and workplace violence. Rusty has served as a member of the Western Working Group of the FBI ACJIS Advisory Policy Board since April of 2013 with the endorsement of the Arizona

## **Joel Freed, Deputy Chief of Police**

Deputy Chief Freed began his career in 2000 upon graduating the Arizona Law Enforcement Academy. He has held assignments in Patrol, Investigations, Field Training, and as the MAGNET Task Force Commander. Deputy Chief Freed is also an Assessor for the Arizona Law Enforcement Accreditation Program (ALEAP).

Deputy Chief Freed is a graduate of the Arizona Leadership Program, FBI-LEEDA's Institutes of Command and Executive Leadership as well as the FBI National Academy Session 281. Deputy Chief Freed's current role includes oversight of the department's Professional Standards.



## **Brian Zach, Captain of Operations**

Captain Brian Zach has been with the Kingman Police Department since 2006. Captain Zach is currently assigned as the Operations Captain. In addition, Captain Zach has worked in patrol, investigations, school resource and professional standards.

Captain Zach holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Management, a Master's in Business with an emphasis in Leadership and is in progress of earning his Doctorate in Organizational Leadership. Captain Zach is a graduate of the Northwestern University Center for Public Safety School of Police Staff and Command. Captain Zach was recognized as Arizona Law Enforcement Accreditation Program (ALEAP) 2022 Assessor of the year and is an Accredited Command Executive through the Arizona Association of Chiefs of Police (AACOP).

Captain Zach is a 3<sup>rd</sup> generation law enforcement officer for his family. Captain Zach grew up in Kingman and supports the community in volunteering his time coaching youth in athletics, being a volunteer for the Kingman Regional Medical Center and sits on various boards and committees.





**Chief David O. Hughes**

1952 – 1953



**Chief Carroll O. Brown**

1972 – 1996



**Chief Elmer Imus**

1953 – 1955



**Chief Larry J. Butler**

1996 – 2003



**Chief Harold W. Hanna**

1955 – 1965



**Chief Robert J. DeVries**

2003 – 2020



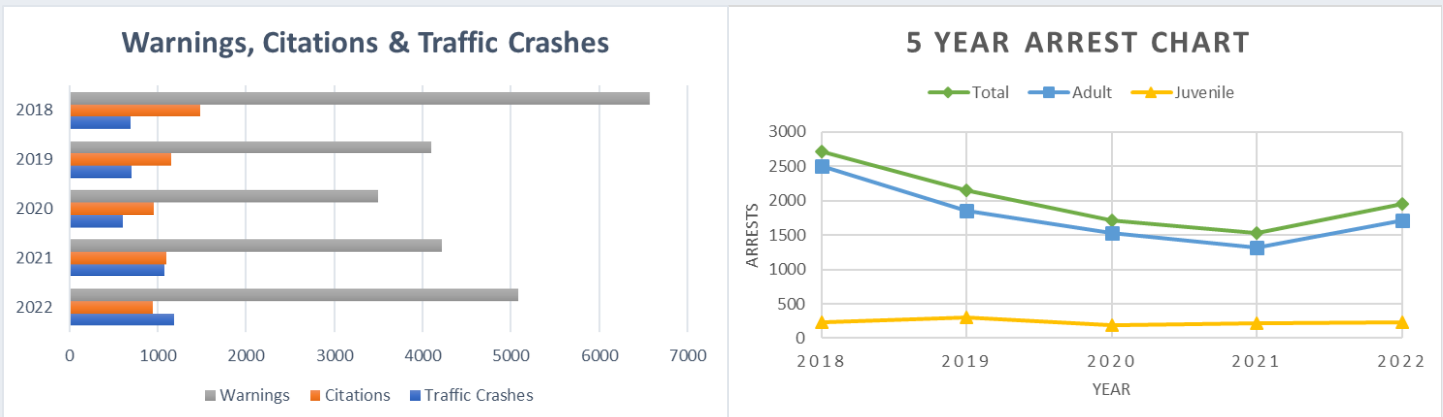
**Chief Carl W. Fisher**

1965 – 1972

# KPD Annual Statistics

|                                       | <u>2022</u> | <u>2021</u> | <u>2020</u> | <u>2019</u> | <u>2018</u> |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b><u>Total Calls For Service</u></b> | 35,516      | 35,364      | 34,935      | 35,734      | 42,301      |
| <b>Homicide</b>                       | 2           | 3           | 2           | 1           | 2           |
| <b>Sexual Assault</b>                 | 23          | 12          | 8           | 10          | 7           |
| <b>Robbery</b>                        | 15          | 22          | 15          | 10          | 15          |
| <b>Aggravated Assault</b>             | 103         | 112         | 96          | 54          | 45          |
| <b>Burglary</b>                       | 111         | 114         | 126         | 326         | 345         |
| <b>Theft</b>                          | 925         | 767         | 778         | 881         | 896         |
| <b>Theft (Vehicle)</b>                | 83          | 75          | 95          | 103         | 90          |
| <b>Arson</b>                          | 8           | 8           | 12          | 26          | 14          |
| <b>Drug Offense</b>                   | 218         | 92          | 181         | 187         | 361         |
| <b>Domestic Violence</b>              | 424         | 296         | 372         | 883         | 1,075       |
| <b>Driving Under the Influence</b>    | 152         | 129         | 83          | 90          | 214         |
| <b>Traffic Crashes *</b>              | 1,186       | 1,070       | 1,003       | 1,025       | 1,167       |

\* Includes private property crashes.



# The City of Kingman, Arizona

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Founded in 1882 and incorporated in 1952, Kingman is the county seat of Mohave County located in northwest Arizona along Interstate 40, U.S. 93, and the historically famous Route 66. The city's population is 28,068, and approximately 60,000 including neighboring communities. Kingman is a general law city that operates under a council/city manager form of government with a mayor and six councilmembers elected at large. City government provides a wide range of municipal services that include administration, development services, engineering, public works, parks and recreation, water, sewer and sanitation services, and police and fire services.

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## About Kingman...

Kingman is located in northwestern Arizona at the intersection of Interstate 40 and U.S. 93. Situated in the Hualapai Valley between the Cerbat and Hualapai Mountain Ranges, Kingman was established in the early 1880's by Lewis Kingman, surveyor for the Santa Fe Railway. It has served as county seat of Mohave County since 1887.

The Colorado River forms the western boundary of Mohave County with an estimated 1,000 miles of fresh water shoreline including Lakes Havasu, Mohave, and Mead. Outdoor enthusiasts can visit wilderness areas, enjoy hunting, fishing, hiking, and historical sites all within a short drive from Kingman.

Kingman is known as "The Heart of Historic Route 66" because it is located in the middle of the longest stretch of the Mother Road still in existence. Kingman has a historic downtown district featuring homes and businesses built in the early 1900s, including the Powerhouse Visitor Center. Beale Street, the center of downtown Kingman, features many thrift and antique shops as well as city and county services. History buffs can also learn more about Kingman from the award-winning Mohave Museum of History & Arts.

Favorable taxes, the Interstate highway, the Santa Fe railroad mainline and proximity to the California market has made Kingman a prime site for industries. Situated between Los Angeles, Las Vegas, Phoenix, and the Grand Canyon, Kingman's leading industries are tourism and manufacturing. The fully developed Airport Industrial Park attracts manufacturers with reasonable land costs and the opportunity to build regional trade and service centers.

Residents enjoy an ideal southwestern climate. Summer months are not too hot with a July maximum average of 95°F. Winter months are cool with a January minimum average of 31°F. Annual precipitation is approximately 10 inches.



The public school system has several elementary schools, two middle schools, and two high schools. The city also supports a charter school, private schools, a community college campus, and an extension campus for Northern Arizona University. Attractive neighborhoods offer many housing choices with prices suitable for all ranges, from the executive to the young family, single person to retiree.

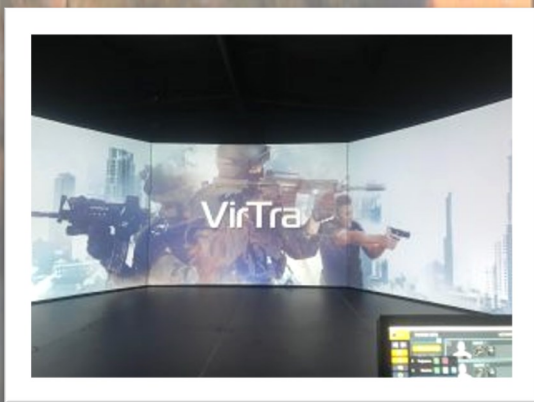


# W.A.L.E.A./W.A.L.E.T.A.

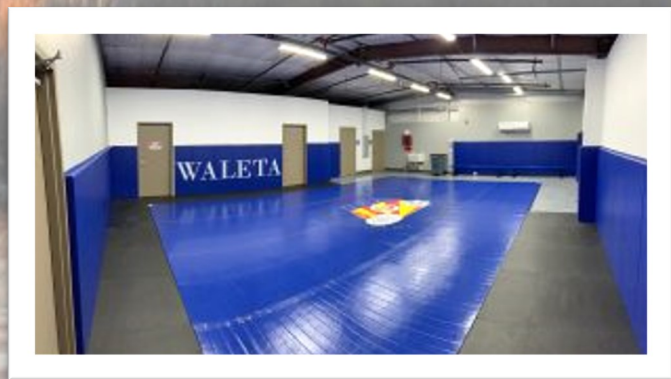


The Western Arizona Law Enforcement Association (WALEA) was formally organized in 2006 with membership of all law enforcement agencies in Mohave and LaPaz County. The group has grown to include all of Yuma County and California law enforcement agencies. The original goal was to form a training consortium for in-service officer training. Over the past 13 years, WALEA, has offered numerous training courses reaching hundreds of officers throughout Western Arizona.

In 2007 the group expanded their training opportunities by opening the Western Arizona Law Enforcement Training Academy (WALETA). The academy, located in Lake Havasu City, was the first regional training academy opportunity for Western Arizona. The academy has gained significant respect and recognition throughout the state and recently graduated their 24<sup>th</sup> class of new police officers. Over the course of years the academy has expanded their dormitory capacity, added two mobile classrooms and added a satellite building to house a state-of-the art firearms simulator and defensive tactics room.



In 2011 WALEA approved expansion of training opportunities through the development of the first dispatch academy in the State of Arizona. The academy is held twice a year with a 3-week curriculum that provides APCO, EMD, CPR, ACJIS and NIMS certifications. The 16<sup>th</sup> class is slated to graduate on July 26, 2019.



We are proud of the accomplishments to date and believe that WALEA serves as a classic example of collaboration and partnerships throughout the State of Arizona.

# M.A.G.N.E.T.



The Kingman Police Department is an active member of the **Mohave Area General Narcotics Enforcement Team (MAGNET)**. The multi-jurisdictional task force was formed in 1987 to address regional narcotics concerns. Active partners include the Bullhead City Police Department, Lake Havasu City Police Department, Mohave County Sheriff's Office and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). Additionally the Mohave County Attorney's Office has six staff members and attorney's based at the main task force facility located in Kingman.

The Kingman Police Department serves as the lead agency with a Lieutenant assigned as the Task Force Commander. The City of Kingman also serves as the fiduciary providing financial oversight for grant funds provided by the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission (ACJC) and the Arizona High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA). The task force was recognized by HIDTA in 2013 as the "Outstanding Task Force" for the State of Arizona.

## Looking to the Future:

The City of Kingman has long been recognized as a community with tremendous potential. That potential is rapidly becoming reality for the city and region as a whole.

Within the next five years the city will be faced with an additional three interchanges impacting the region. The push for the I-11 corridor will bring a new Western Kingman interchange in 2022 that will eliminate traffic congestion on the current Highway 93. A public/private partnership between the City of Kingman and the Kingman Regional Medical Center (KRMC) will bring a new Kingman Crossing Interchange on I-40 that will focus on retail and professional development. In June it was announced that the State of Arizona designated \$20,000,000.00 to assist in developing the Rancho Santa Fe Interchange on I-40 in the east bench area of the city. The new interchange will alleviate traffic congestion on Route 66 and focus on industrial and logistic distribution centers. The interchange will also play a major role in the release and expansion of 1,100 acres in the Kingman Industrial Park.

As the region and nation look to invest in the City of Kingman the need for the Kingman Police Department to achieve accreditation is crucial. It is imperative that we focus on providing national best practices and policies for our current and future residents and visitors.



**Kingman Police Department**  
**Public Notice**  
*Chief Rusty Cooper*

## KPD Seeks four-year Re-Accreditation through The Arizona Association of Chiefs of Police

The Kingman Police Department (KPD) is seeking its four-year re-accreditation through the Arizona Association of Chiefs of Police (AACOP) Arizona Law Enforcement Accreditation Program (ALEAP). Accreditation is a progressive and time-proven method of assisting law enforcement agencies in measuring and improving their overall performance. ALEAP is intended to provide law enforcement agencies in the state with an avenue for demonstrating that they meet commonly accepted best practices and industry standards for efficient, effective, productive and quality operations.

A team of assessors will be conducting an on-site assessment of KPD's compliance with the ALEAP standards as part of the voluntary pursuit to achieve ALEAP accreditation. As part of the on-site assessment, members of the community and agency employees are invited to offer comments regarding KPD during a public call-in session on Wednesday, August 9, 2023 between the hours of 2:00 pm and 3:00 pm. Calls can be made to 928-753-2006. Calls will not be recorded and callers will speak directly with ALEAP assessors. Comments should be limited to five (5) minutes and address the department's ability to comply with ALEAP standards.

A copy of the standards is available for review at:

Kingman Police Department  
2730 East Andy Devine Avenue,  
Kingman, Arizona 86401

Questions may be directed to the department accreditation manager, Deputy Chief Joel Freed, at [jfreed@cityofkingman.gov](mailto:jfreed@cityofkingman.gov).

# PowerDMS™

## Log In Information

(case sensitive)

**Captain Larry Jones**

**Site Key: *KingmanPD***

**User Name: *ljones***

**Password: *Ljones123***

**Valid Dates: *07-19-23 / 08-17-23***

**\* You should be prompted to immediately change your password.**



# ALEAP Assessment – Schedule

(Subject to Change)

## Day 1 – Wednesday, August 9

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| 09:00 – 09:30 | Welcome; Introductions with ALEAP Assessors and KPD Command Staff<br>KPD Training Room |
| 09:30 – 10:00 | Interview; Chief Rusty Cooper<br>Chief's Office  |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | Department Tour; facilitated by Deputy Chief Joel Freed and Captain Brian Zach         |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Interview; Detective Sergeant Jesse Kennedy<br>Detective Sergeant 's Office            |
| 10:45 – 11:00 | Site Inspection; facilities and functions<br>KPD Evidence Bureau                       |
| 11:00 – 11:15 | Interview; Records Supervisor Sandy Williams<br>KPD Training Room                      |
| 11:15 – 11:30 | Site Inspection; facilities and functions<br>KPD Records Bureau                        |
| 11:30 – 13:00 | Lunch<br>Grand Canyon Brewing Company  |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | Assessor Work Time / File Review<br>KPD Training Room                                  |
| 14:00 – 15:00 | Public Call-in Session<br>KPD Training Room  |
| 15:00 – 16:00 | Ride-Alongs  |
| 16:00 – 17:00 | Assessor Work Time / File Review<br>KPD Training Room                                  |
| 17:30 – 19:00 | Dinner<br>Dambar Steakhouse  |

# ALEAP Assessment – Schedule

(Subject to Change)

## Day 2 – Thursday, August 10

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| 08:00—09:00   | OPTIONAL— KPD Command Staff Meeting<br>KPD Training Room  |
| 09:00—09:30   | Interview; Finance & Support Services Administrator<br>Jennifer Sochocki<br>KPD Training Room   |
| 09:30—10:00   | Interview; Operations Captain Brian Zach<br>KPD Training Room   |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | Travel to City Hall; DC Freed & Capt. Zach  |
| 10:15 – 10:45 | Interview; Human Resources/ Risk Management<br>Director Krista Toschlog<br>Site Inspection; <i>City of Kingman Human Resources Department</i> |
| 10:45 – 11:15 | Interview; Communications Administrator Deann MacLeod<br>Site Inspection; <i>Kingman 911 Communications Center</i>                            |
| 11:15 – 11:30 | Travel to Kingman Police Department; DC Freed & Capt. Zach  |
| 11:30 – 12:30 | Assessor Work Time / File Review<br>KPD Conference Room   |
| 12:30         | Exit Interview with Command Staff<br>Lunch; Catered, TBD<br>KPD Training Room   |
|               |   |

# Lodging Arrangements



## SpringHill Suites Kingman Route 66

3101 East Andy Devine Avenue

Kingman, AZ 86401

+1-928-753-8766

### Room Amenities

#### Beds and Bedding

Maximum Occupancy: 4

1 King

Sofa bed

Trundle Bed

Pillowtop mattress

#### Bath and Bathroom Features

Shower

Double vanities

Lighted makeup mirror

Bathroom amenities (Paul Mitchell)

Hair dryer



### Furniture and Furnishings

Sofa

Chair

Alarm Clock

Outlet with dual voltage adaptors

Desk, writing / work, electrical outlet

Iron and ironing board

Washer and dryer

### Food & Beverages

Grocery shopping service

Coffee maker / tea service

Instant hot water

Wet bar

### Kitchen Features

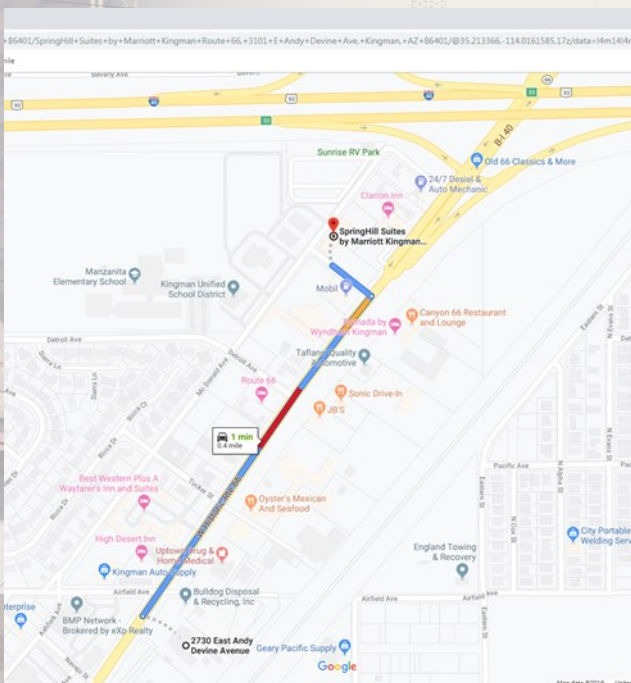
Refrigerator

Mini-refrigerator

Microwave

Silverware

Dishes and glasses





# SpringHill Suites Kingman Route 66

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Arizona 86401 USA

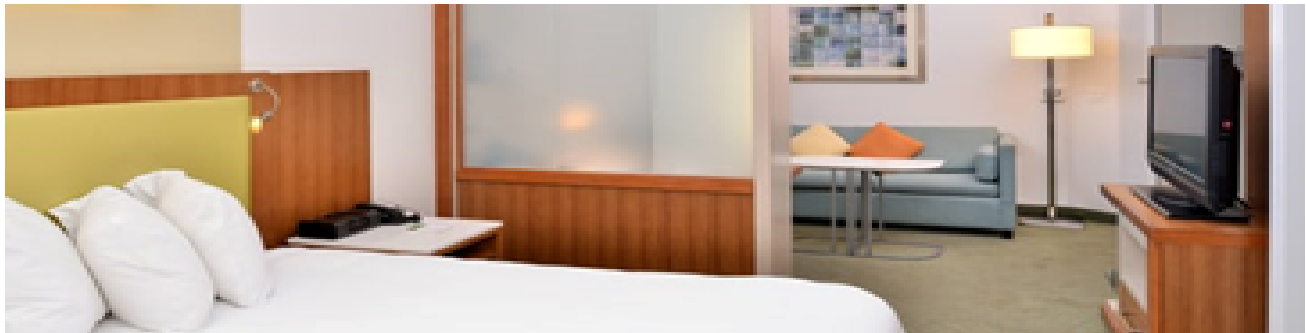
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Thank you for booking with us, Larry Jones.

## A Little Extra. A lot Less Ordinary.

Tue, Aug 08, 2023 – Thu, Aug 10, 2023

Confirmation Number: 79586836



Check-In: Tuesday, August 8, 2023 03:00 PM

Check-Out: Thursday, August 10, 2023 12:00 PM

|                                   |                                    |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Number of rooms                   | 1 Room                             |
| Guests per room                   | 1 Adult                            |
| Guarantee Method                  | Credit Card Guarantee, Master Card |
| <b>Total for Stay (all rooms)</b> | <b>219.52 USD</b>                  |

|                          |                             |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Room 1</b>            |                             |
| Room Type >              | Studio, 1 King, Trundle bed |
| Guaranteed Requests:     | None                        |
| <b>ALL REQUESTS &gt;</b> |                             |



**KINGMAN  
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

