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Mayor Alfin, City Manager Bevan, and City Council Members,

Please consider using Traffic Calming Methods in Palm Coast to reduce the additional funding requirements by the Sheriff's Office. As the city continues to grow and traffic increases in residential neighborhoods there will be greater requirements for the Sheriff's Office to patrol more residential streets. Traffic Calming will support the Sheriff's Office fight against crime, increase residential safety, and be fiscally responsible toward Palm Coast taxpayers.

Traffic Calming Methods used in residential neighborhoods will help the Sheriff's Office and Taxpayers.

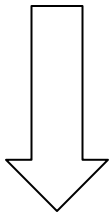
"Traffic calming is the combination of mostly physical measures that minimize negative effects of motor vehicle use, alter driver behavior, and increase safety for bicyclists and pedestrians. Traffic calming measures are self-enforcing and do not require enforcement by Police. Traffic calming reduces the speed and volume of traffic to acceptable levels for improved neighborhood livability, crime prevention, and urban redevelopment."

See 5 articles (2018-2023) below requesting additional funding.

Sincerely,

Steven Carr

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August 2018 - Flagler County sheriff finalizes budget (12.3 percent increase)

[Flagler County sheriff finalizes budget \(news-journalonline.com\)](https://www.news-journalonline.com)



JULY 2019 - "Flagler sheriff petitions Palm Coast for 6 more deputies" --

[Flagler sheriff petitions Palm Coast for 6 more deputies](#)



JULY 2021 - Sheriff asks Palm Coast government for \$1.14 million to cover cost of 10 additional deputies -

[Sheriff asks Palm Coast government for \\$1.14 million to cover cost of 10 additional deputies | Observer Local News](#)



JUNE 2022 - Sheriff's Office seeks funding to add 10 new deputy positions, increase salaries

[Sheriff's Office seeks funding to add 10 new deputy positions, increase salaries | Observer Local News | Palm Coast Observer and Ormond Beach Observer](#)



JUNE - 2023 - Flagler Sheriff Requests 12.2% Budget Increase and 5 New Deputies from County as Constitutionals Submit Proposals

[Sheriff Requests 12.2% Budget Increase and 5 New Deputies \(flaglerlive.com\)](https://www.flaglerlive.com)



The Flagler County Sheriff's Office moved back into an operations center of its own late last year after nearly five years without one. The building was the responsibility of the county, as are all constitutional officers' facilities, and is not part of annual budgeting figures. (© FlaglerLive)