Welcome back. A lot has happened within the last year and we have incorporated a wider range of safety and security services that we currently perform. As we begin 2014, let’s start with high expectations and accomplish even greater things this year. Since last year, our crime in the 4th quarter has gone down 2.9% lower than it was during this time in 2012. The crime data required to be reported by the Clery Act for 2013 is 53% lower than what was recorded for 2012. This is a remarkable achievement for our university. It illustrates the collaborative partnerships between our students, faculty, staff and our internal and external law enforcement organizations who are all dedicated in keeping Howard University safe.

Over the years we have accomplished a lot under the leadership of Leroy K. James. We have seen a decline in our crime, increase in police officers & civilians, installation of 83 code blue phones, and over 250 security cameras. Partnerships have been established with MPD and other agencies; he has established security & technology, emergency management, and threat assessment teams; he has implemented the active shooter awareness drills and presentations, transitioned the department to 9mm-semi-automatic handguns, employed Rave Alert, implemented ARMS, purchased new vehicles, segways, and a host of other achievements.

As a leader, he focused and marched to the beat of the mission and understands that achievement of an organization is the result of the combined efforts of each individual. He has gained knowledge and wisdom to move people and plans from obscurity to excellence. He is always on the learning curve, reading and keeping abreast of what is happening in and around the world. He believes he has not arrived until he has shown someone else by their own example, how to be the best they can be. As we journeyed with him during these last six years, we have definitely been inspired and encouraged to be the best we can be and look forward to a very successful year.
PROTECTIVE SERVICE MERGES UNDER HOWARD UNIVERSITY

Management would like to take this opportunity and welcome all the Protective Service employees as they transitioned and joined the university forces to strengthen our capabilities and better secure the university campus and hospital. This was a long involved and tedious process with everything that had to be done. Nonetheless, the transition went over as well as expected. We look forward to achieving great things together in 2014 as we collaborate and fulfill our mission and reach our goals.

SAFETY TIPS

1. Avoid Dark areas and walking alone
2. Always keep your phone accessible
3. Sign-up for Alert HU and Guardian Service
4. Use Late Night Transportation
5. Be Aware of your surroundings
6. Always be alert while talking on your cell phone

MISSION STATEMENT

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LEADERSHIP MOTIVATORS

Leaders identify core values
“Try not to become a person of success but a person of value.”
-Albert Einstein

Leaders are team builders
“Coming together is a beginning; keeping together is progress; working together is success.”
-Henry Ford

Leaders are servants
“Be ashamed to die until you have done something for humanity”
-General Douglas McArthur

Leaders always involve others
“Good leadership is motivating and mobilizing others to accomplish a task or to think in ways that are for the benefit of all concerned”
-Don Page

“Public Safety through Public Services”

JANUARY - DECEMBER 2013

January - December = 202
The 2013 Year to Date (YTD) crime statistics are 2.9% below this time period in 2012.

2013 CALLS FOR SERVICE

- Sick Student Transports = 311
- Crime Prevention Presentations = 74
- Crime Alerts and Advisories Issued = 17

LATE NIGHT SHUTTLE SERVICE

To provide a safer alternative for students during the late night hours HU has a shuttle service available. For further information you can visit the website at: http://auxiliary.howard.edu/parking-shuttle-bus-schedules-maps-rules.html
Brian K. Jordan served with the Metropolitan Police Department for more than 27 years, with the last eleven years at the command and executive level. During the 11 year period, the District of Columbia experienced a 40% reduction in crime and reached record low numbers of homicides in the city. In his nine years as an Assistant Chief of Police, he was the longest serving Assistant Chief of Police for the Department since Home Rule was established for the District of Columbia.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish Deputy Chief Alonzo F. Joy of the Patrol Services Bureau a happy retirement. His last day with the Department of Public Safety was March 31, 2014. He has been a dedicated and appreciated Deputy Chief and we will miss him and all he has contributed to Howard University. We wish him well as he embarks on his next venture.

Michelle Milam Appointed Deputy Chief of the Patrol Services Bureau

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome Michelle Milam the newly appointed Deputy Chief of the Patrol Services Bureau. She will come on board April 7, 2014. We are pleased that she has accepted this position and will be joining Howard University. Her role will be critical in fulfilling the mission of the department. Her law enforcement experience will be a great asset to this department.

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The Department of Public Safety is mandated to receive this training annually as a requirement of a grant that is funded by the Office of the Violence Against Women. This year, the focus was on “Sexual Assault”. Ms. Coles was an excellent instructor, and passionately engaged 89 HUDPS employees in morning and afternoon sessions of very relevant statistics, history, protocol, and table-top exercises on this topic. All members walked away with a wealth of information that they could confidently articulate and utilize in their day-to-day tasks.
Leadership motivators

Leaders are decision makers
“Efficiency is doing things right. Effectiveness is doing the right thing.”
- Alan Nelson

Leaders are goal-driven
“We can do anything we want as long as we stick to it.”
- Helen Keller

“Public Safety through Public Services”
Welcome to Our New and Returning Students, Faculty and Staff

Welcome back and congratulations to our 17th President, Dr. Wayne A.I. Frederick as we start the new academic year. We would like to wish the freshman and the incoming senior class of 2015, encouragement to enjoy and appreciate their final year at Howard University.

We are currently experiencing a 10.9% reduction in crime through July compared to the same time period last year. We have two new college dorms opening this month, College North and South located on 4th & College Streets, NW. We have increased our video surveillance and access control in and around all of our residence halls, and we are working to fully upgrade our access control capacities around the entire university.

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Jeffrey B. Wise Appointed Deputy Chief of Howard University Hospital

Jeffrey B. Wise is appointed Deputy Chief over the Protective Services a Howard University Hospital and is a graduate of Howard University (HUH). He is a retired Supervisory Criminal Investigator with over 25 years of experience as a Special Agent of the United States Secret Service (USSS) and has 27 years of government (Federal and County), law enforcement experience. He joins the Howard University Department of Public Safety (DPS) as the new Deputy Chief in charge of security at HUH. Let’s welcome him to the DPS family.

Clery Compliance Training

As a part of our on-going efforts to comply with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, Howard University is required to train individuals who have been identified as Campus Security Authorities. Under this law a “Campus Security Authority” is an official of an institution who has significant responsibility for student and campus activities, including, but not limited to, student housing, student discipline, and campus judicial proceedings. An example of a “Campus Security Authority” would be a Dean of Students who oversees student housing, an individual responsible for a student center, or student extra-curricular activities, giving that this official has significant responsibility for student and campus activities. This training session was held on Wednesday, July 30, 2014, from 11:00am to 12:30pm, at the Howard University Service Center, Department of Public Safety (DPS) Briefing Room.

DPS Staff Received CPR Training from American Heart Association

On July 16th, the DPS family received CPR training from Ms. Dorothy and Alisha Berry both certified through the American Heart Association. This was on-hands training and involved learning proper CPR techniques, proper use of the Automated External Defibrillator (AED) device and all the Core Objectives of Basic Life Support.
Leaders motivators

We have had a series of Sexual Harassment training symposiums for DPS. We would like to thank the Assistant Dean of Administration, Ann M. Waterman, Title IX Coordinator, Carol McKinnon, and E.E. Laison Andrea Wray, and our Chief Operating Officer, Artis Hampshire-Cowan for their participation in our symposiums here at Howard University.

Also, I attended the Historically Black Colleges & Universities, (HBCU) Law Enforcement Executives & Administration (LEEA) training that discussed Title IX, Clery, hazing, and financial constraints on HBCUs. At this conference Howard University and the University of the District of Columbia was selected to host the 2015 HBCU-LEEA Conference in Washington, DC.

Congratulations to Joyce Brooks

Mrs. Joyce Brooks, Crime Prevention Specialist is a member of the National Crime Prevention Council (NCPC) and has just recently been honored by the Council for her continued dedication to crime prevention. We want to take this opportunity and congratulate her on her success in achieving the Level I National Crime Prevention Specialist Certification. KUDOS Ms. Brooks!

Safety First Guide
Staying Safe

The increase in reported violence within the higher education has made us question whether we are safe on campus. A question facing us all is “what if something happened on campus or in a classroom?” DPS has put together a Safety First brochure listing some safety strategies and resources to keep for future reference. Safety is first and our #1 priority, so let us all do our part.

DPS Crime Stats 2014

January - July = 90
The 2014 Year-to-date (YTD) crime statistics is 10.9% below the same time in 2013.

Leaders are team builders

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-Henry Ford

Leaders provide resources to do the job

“A good objective of leadership is to help those who are doing poorly to do well and to help those who are doing well to do even better.”
-Jim Rohn

Our Deepest Fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure.
-Marianne Williamson

Safety Awareness Fair

To increase your personal safety Howard University is hosting its annual Safety Awareness Fair from 11a.m.-2p.m. on September 18, 2014, on the “Main Yard” of the campus. There will be refreshments, door prizes and giveaways. Guests from various agencies will be present to share some safety information. RSVP points will be given for attendance, free Guardian service, free laptop protection through FRONT DOOR, free engraving, RAD Classes, (ladies only) and free fingerprinting services.
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CAMPUS SAFETY AWARENESS

TOWN HALL MEETING

On September 29, 2014, a Town Hall meeting was held at the College Hall South Multipurpose Room, in collaboration with HUSA and Interpersonal Violence Prevention Program (IVPP). This program is grant funded by the Office of Violence Against Woman (OVAW).

Over two hundred students were in attendance as Ms. Amber West, Resident Assistant of College South, called the meeting to order and introduced the speakers. Dr. Akosoa McFadgion (IPVP) led a very interactive, adult, and engaging session where she discussed the topics of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, and Stalking.

Chief Jordan introduced his Command Staff and highlighted their areas of responsibility; he fervently emphasized a topic near and dear to his heart, of "Systemic Prevention". He identified some, and clarified other aspects of living in a dorm, with roommates, and how the DC Code identifies and penalizes certain types of assaults for domestic violence.

Ms. Joyce Brooks, our Crime Prevention Specialist, closed the session as she promoted the many safety tips and free services offered such as: Fingerprinting, "Front Door", "Rave Guardian", and the "Blue-Light System". Ms. Brooks coordinates our annual Safety Fairs and is present at ALL orientation classes. The meeting was a success.

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INTERNERNSHIP PROGRAM

DPS would like to take this opportunity to welcome our 2014, fall interns: Whitley Daniels, Senior; Shavontey Kitt, Senior; Brianna Davis, Sophomore; and Brianna Brown, Sophomore. They provide support to the Office of the Chief of Police, Field Services Bureau, Crime Prevention, Crime Analysis, Personnel and the Training & Development divisions.

These students are Administrative Justice majors and minors. We are very happy to have them work with us and look forward to introducing them to the various facets of public safety. WELCOME!
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**DPS Crime Stats 2014**

The 2014 Year-to-date (YTD) crime statistics is 3.3% below the same time in 2013

**THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS TO EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

As of October 6, 2014, the Department of Public Safety will no longer report to the Chief Operating Office. Currently, DPS will report to the Vice President of External Affairs, Gracia Hillman.

(Above) Chief Brian K. Jordan of Public Safety poses with McGruff, the Crime Dog of Safety during the event.

(Above) Student playing games to win free gifts and prizes.

(Above) DPS officers patrol the grounds on Segways, while maintaining safety and keeping order during the safety event. These officers work hard and long hours. They are committed in maintaining safety; and some have invested years of service to the University. These officers are committed and strive for excellence in protecting and keeping the campus safe.

(Above) McGruff & University Police Officers riding Segways