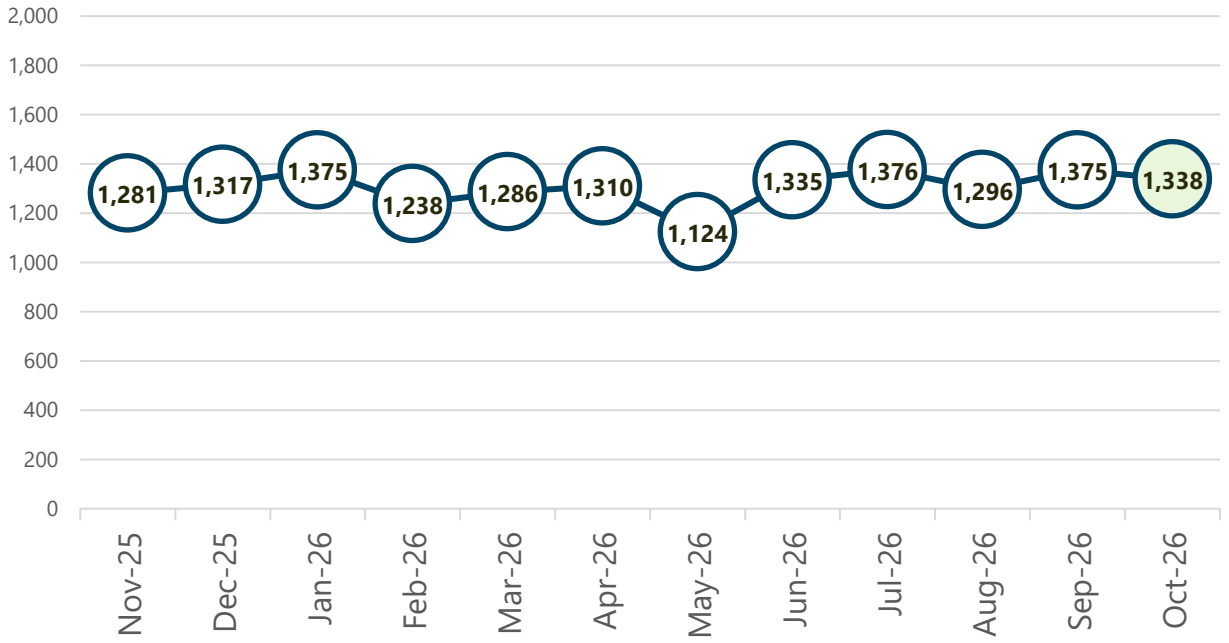
EAST SALEM SERVICE DISTRICT (ESSD)

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Calls for Service by Month



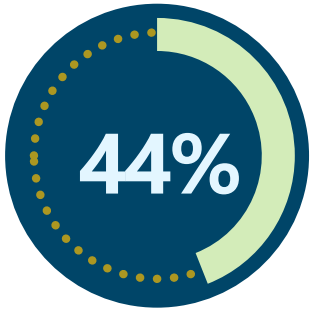
Total Calls for Service

In October 2026, there were 1,338 calls for service in the East Salem Service District (ESSD). This represents 29% of all calls for service in Marion County.

From November 2025 – October 2026, there were 15,735 total calls for service in ESSD, a 12% decrease compared to November 2024 – October 2025.

Monthly Cases

The 1,338 calls for service in ESSD generated 856 case numbers in August, 44% of all Marion County Sheriff's Office cases.



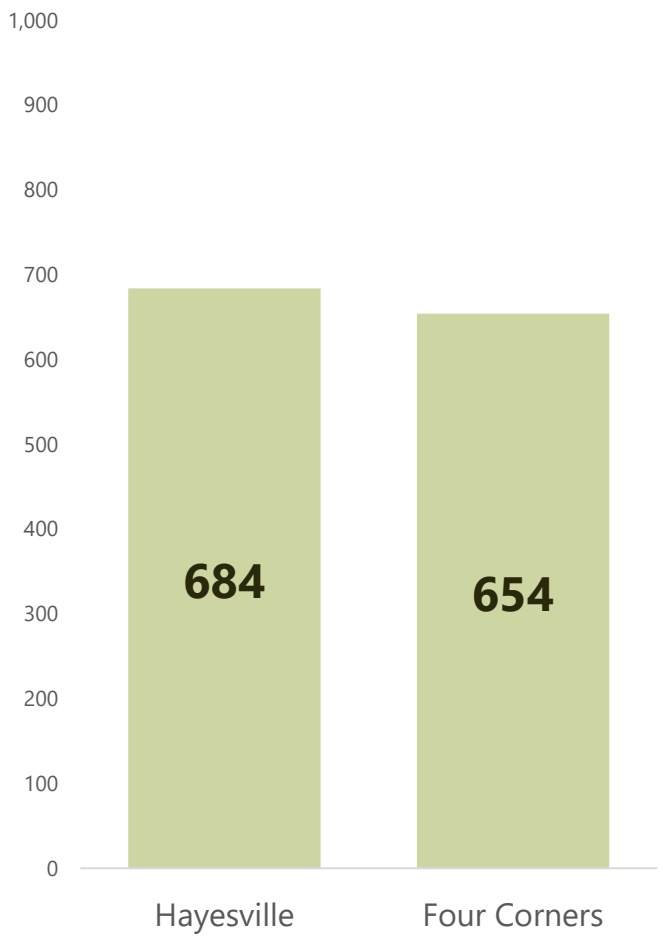
Note: In 2021, the Sheriff's Office implemented a new records management system. During the transition, a technical issue did not allow us to assign case numbers the way we had in the past, which made it appear as though the number of cases had decreased.

We worked closely with the vendor and the dispatch center and have been able to restore our prior case number assignment process. Returning to our prior process made it appear as though the number of cases has increased. These fluctuations are the result of the case number assignment process; the calls for service responded to by the Sheriff's Office and deputies' response to calls have remained the same.

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Calls for Service by Neighborhood



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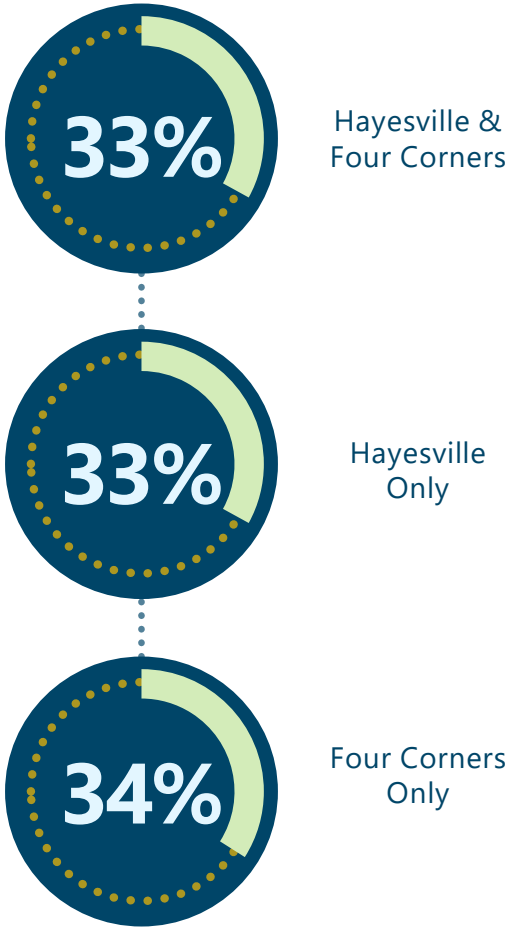
Of those 1,338 calls for service, **684 (51%) were from Hayesville** and **654 (49%) were from Four Corners**.

The communities of Hayesville and Four Corners have many of the characteristics and defined boundaries that make them similar to incorporated cities. To better serve these communities, Marion County established a public safety fee within the East Salem Service District, which funds ten patrol deputies specific to the ESSD area.

In October 2026, **33% of calls for service were responded to by deputies specifically assigned to ESSD.**

The deputies assigned to ESSD spend most of their time responding to calls located within the service district; 66% of the calls they responded to were in ESSD.

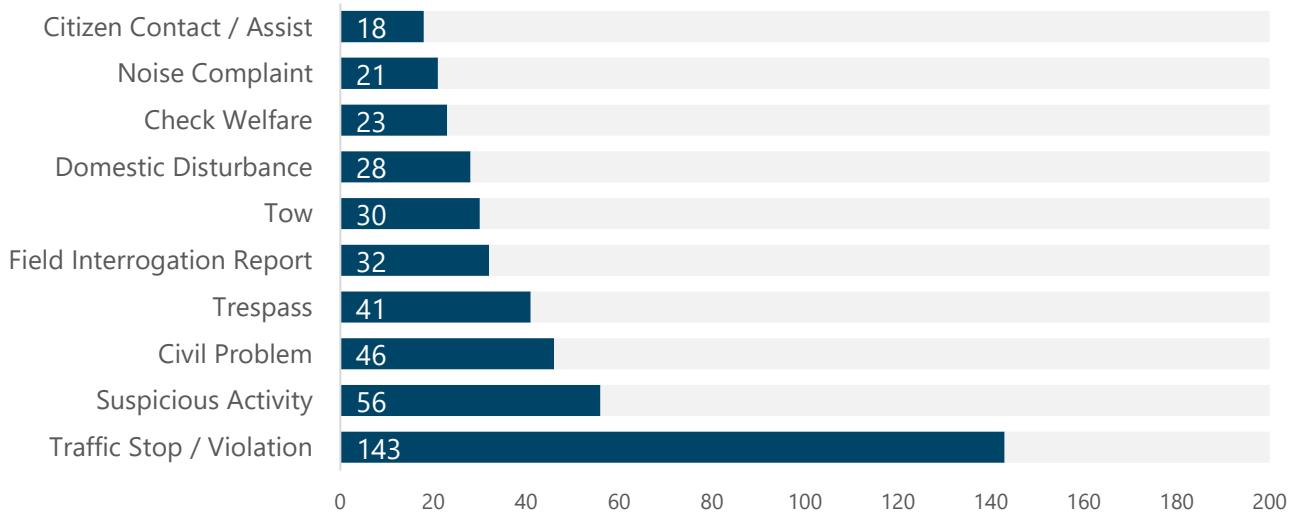
Percentage of Calls Responded to by ESSD Deputies



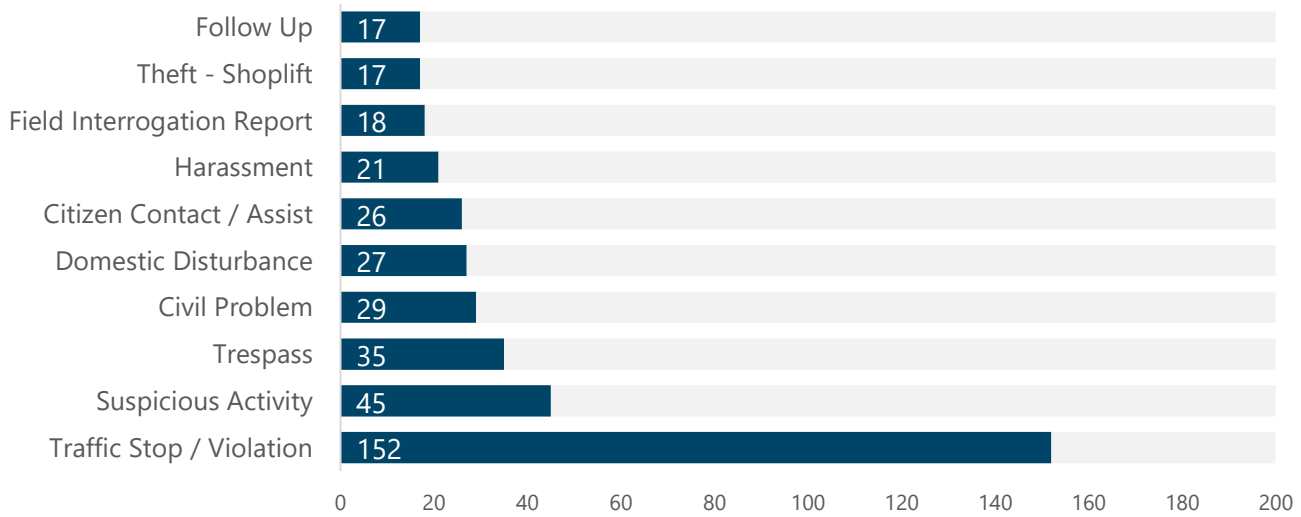
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Top Calls for Service - Hayesville



Top Calls for Service – Four Corners



Top Calls for Service

While there were 1,338 total calls for service in ESSD in October, some calls for service occur more frequently than others.

The top calls for service in Hayesville and Four Corners are displayed to the left.

These calls account for 62% of all October 2026 calls for service in ESSD.

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Call Priority

When someone calls the Sheriff's Office for service, dispatch will obtain details about the event occurring and assign priority to each call.

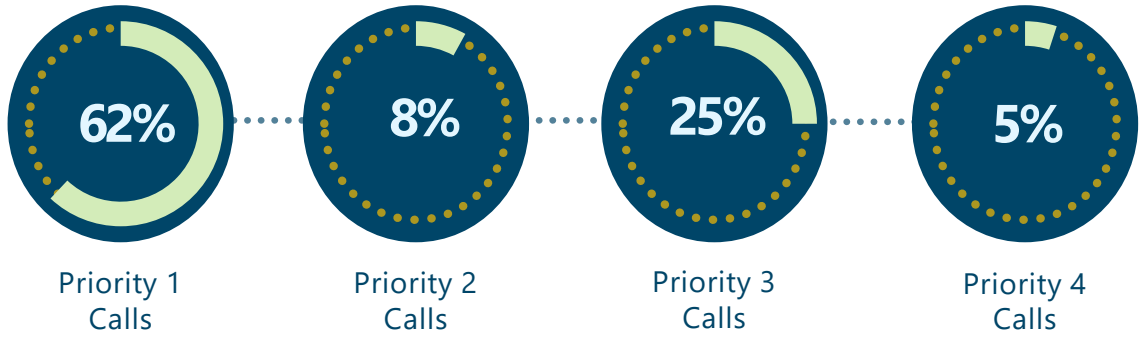
Priority 1 *– Event in progress*
Priority 2 *– Event no longer in progress, but occurred recently*
Priority 3 *– Event no longer in progress, did not occur recently*
Priority 4 *– Follow up*

When there are multiple calls for service, deputies utilize call priority to determine where to respond first.

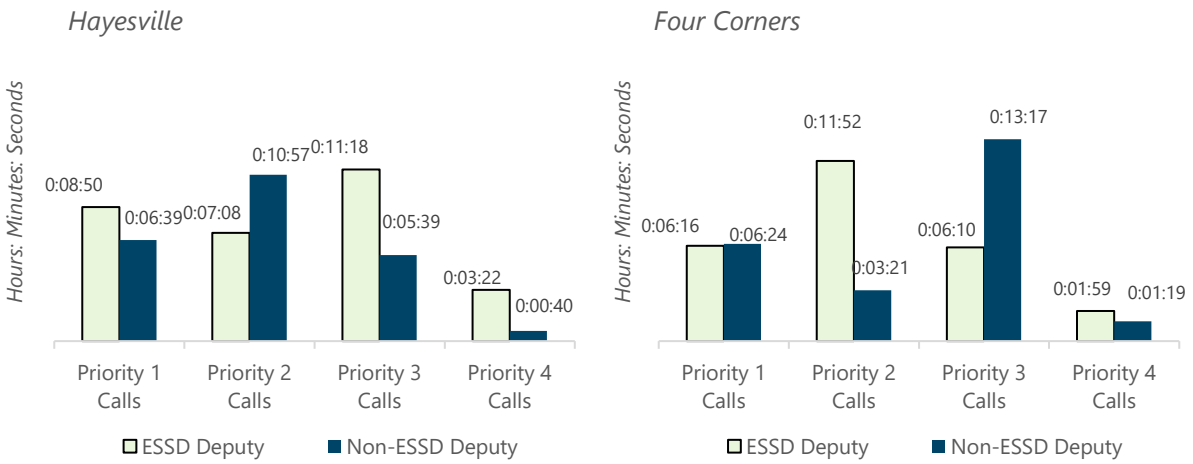
Arrival Time

Arrival time is the amount of time it takes for a deputy to arrive after accepting a call from dispatch. Call priority significantly impacts arrival time, as deputies will respond to higher priority calls first. The average arrival time in October 2026 (regardless of call priority) was 7 minutes.

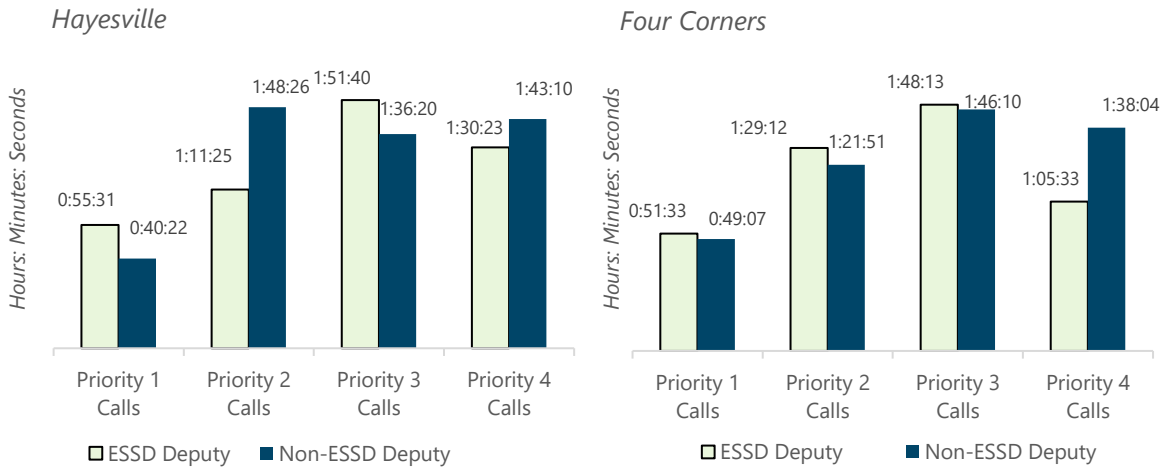
Priority of Calls for Service in ESSD



Average Dispatch to Arrival Time (excludes reactivated and deputy-initiated calls for service)



Average Call Length in Minutes (excludes reactivated calls for service)



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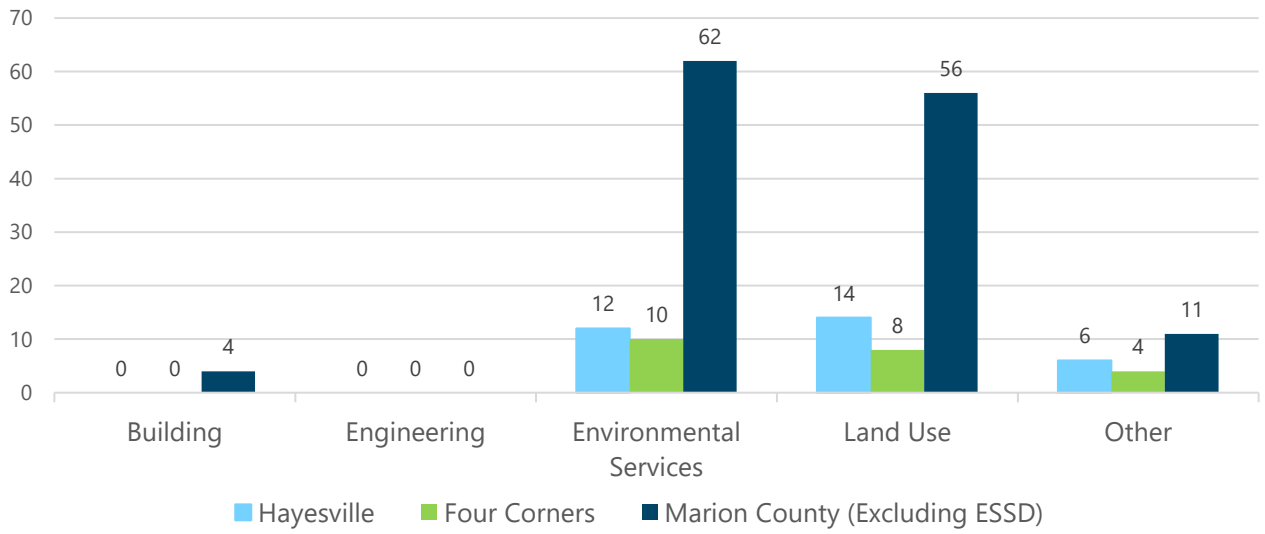
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Code Enforcement

Code enforcement responds to complaints of possible violations of various ordinances for unincorporated areas of Marion County. Possible violations fall into several major categories:

- *Building: Building code violations, including buildings that are posted as dangerous, septic violations, etc.*
- *Engineering: Violations related to land development engineering, permits, and traffic engineering.*
- *Environmental Services: Violations pertaining to solid waste, inoperable vehicles, and illegal dumping.*
- *Land Use: Violations of the chapter 16 (urban) and chapter 17 (rural) zoning code. Examples include unauthorized businesses, RV habitation, events, accessory dwellings, replacement dwellings, sign violations, and floodplain work.*
- *Other: Other violations, including habitation in the right of way, nuisance vegetation, chickens in the urban growth boundary, graffiti, etc.*

Open Marion County Code Enforcement Cases: October 2026



Open Code Enforcement Cases

In October 2026, Marion County had 187 open code enforcement cases. Of those, 54 (29%) were located within ESSD. Of the cases located in ESSD, 32 (59%) were in Hayesville and 22 (41%) were in Four Corners.

Activities Related to Parking & Graffiti

In addition to these open cases, code enforcement completes activities related to illegal parking and graffiti. Due to the short duration of these activities, they are tracked separately from those related to open cases. In October, there were 57 code enforcement activities related to illegal parking, and 11 related to graffiti.

- 35 of the illegal parking activities were in ESSD.
  - 19 in Hayesville and 16 in Four Corners.
- 11 of the graffiti activities were in ESSD.
  - All 11 were in Four Corners.