

Program Update September 2022

Hours

7 a.m. - 8 p.m., M-F

16 active staff

13,559

contacts in
September

39,387

contacts since
July 1, 2022

78%

calls answered in
25 seconds or less

What is 311?

311 provides a single point of contact for community members to access City government and the services it provides. The program also provides information and referral services to the community for other local government, community and social services, including vital and time-sensitive public notification in emergency and disaster.

Program Highlights

Community education & outreach

Events: In September, PDX 311 attended **Welcoming Week** to talk with community members & share informational materials.

Social media: **3,128** views

New services

Launched new Graffiti Reporting Form

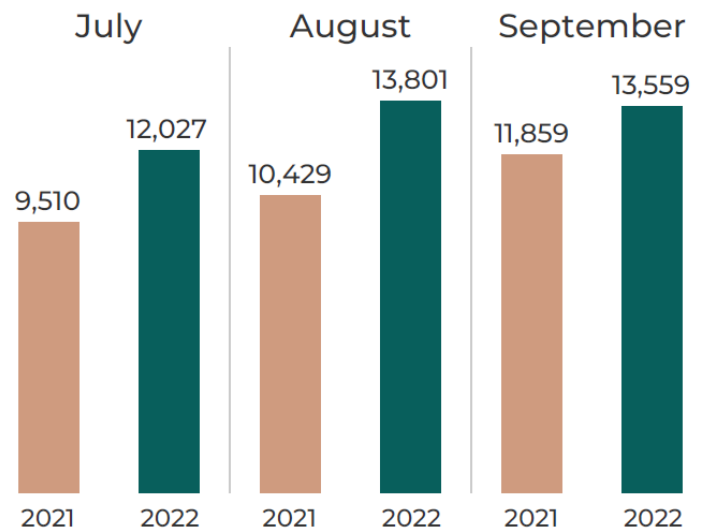
Operations

Six new customer service representatives joined the PDX311 team.



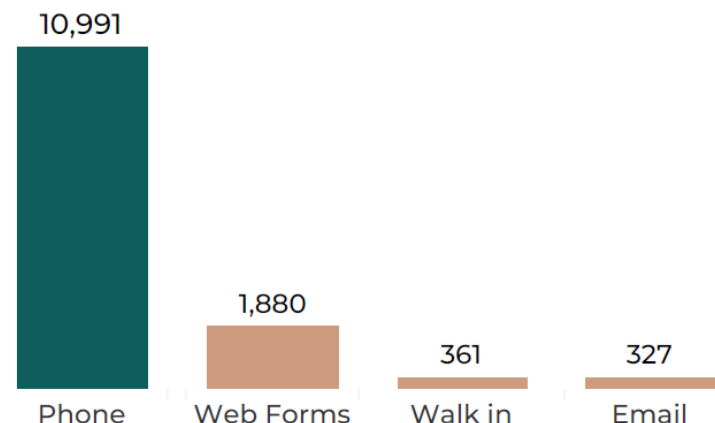
Contacts to PDX 311 in September grew 14% between **2021** and **2022**.

Columns show the number of contacts from all sources in July, August & September **2021** vs. **2022**.



PDX 311 answered **10,991** calls in September 2022.

Columns show totals contacts to PDX 311 in September 2022 by channel.

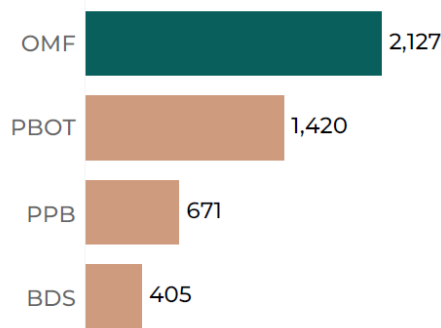


Contact volume by agency

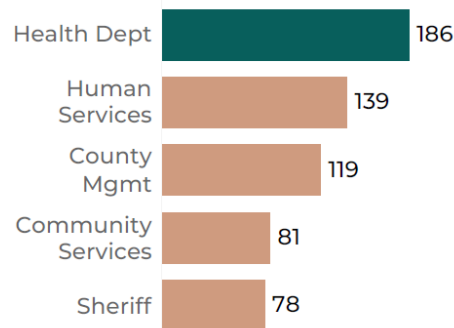
Top 5 agencies by September contact volume for their services.

Bars show the number of contacts for services provided by the City of Portland, Multnomah County, and Other Jurisdictions and Agencies;

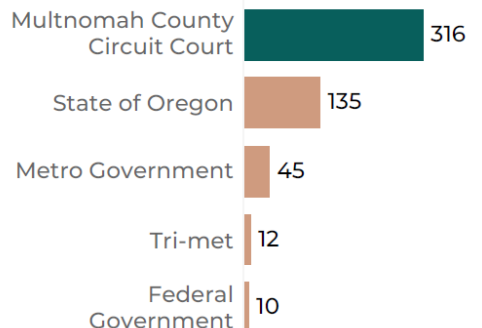
City of Portland Bureaus



Multnomah County Departments

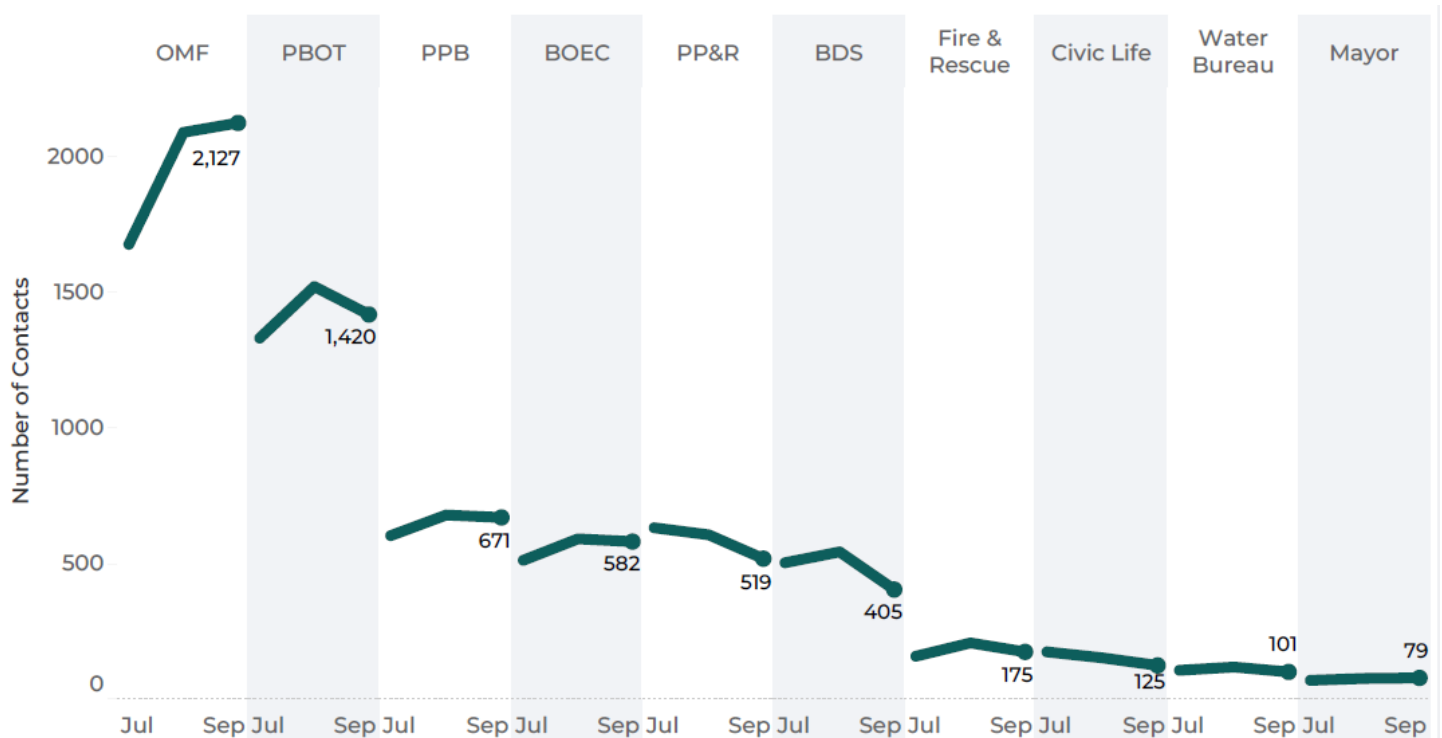


Other Jurisdictions and Agencies



Three-month contact volume trend by City of Portland Bureau.

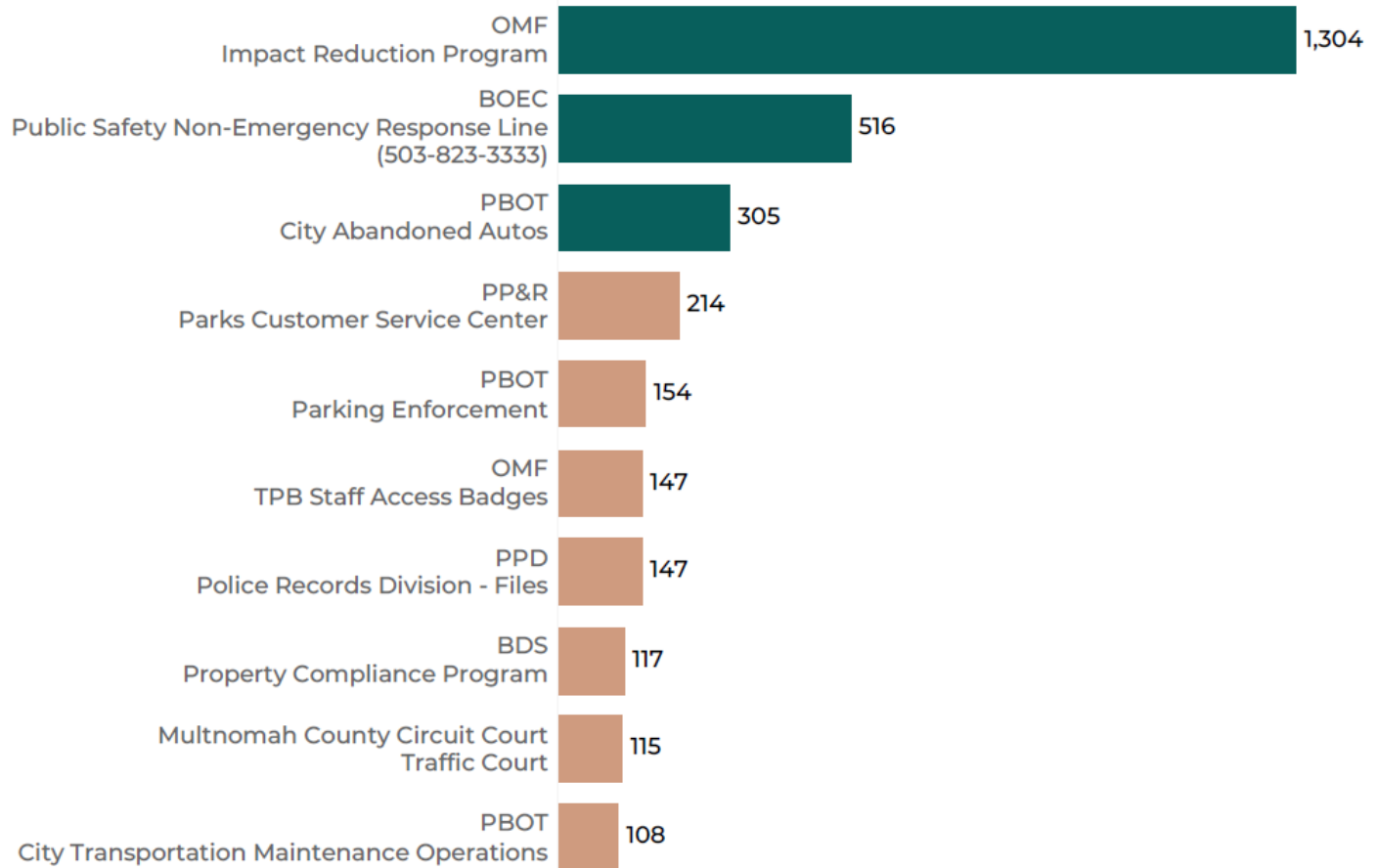
Top 10 bureaus by September contact volume. Showing July through September volumes.



Contact volume by service

Community members contacted PDX 311 most frequently about the **Impact Reduction Program, Non-emergency response, & abandoned vehicles.**

Bars show the number of contacts for the top 10 services by September volume.



Ongoing service migrations

PDX 311 is currently working with multiple bureaus to improve business processes and migrate customer service to 311 for the following services.

TrackIT replacement & process improvement

- Campsite & abandoned auto reports
- Temporary street use permits
- Park maintenance & ranger dispatch
- PBOT maintenance
- Overflowing trash cans
- Noise complaints
- Mayor constituent services

Phone line or customer service migrations

- Public Records Request help line
- Biketown for All information
- PBOT 823-CYCL hotline

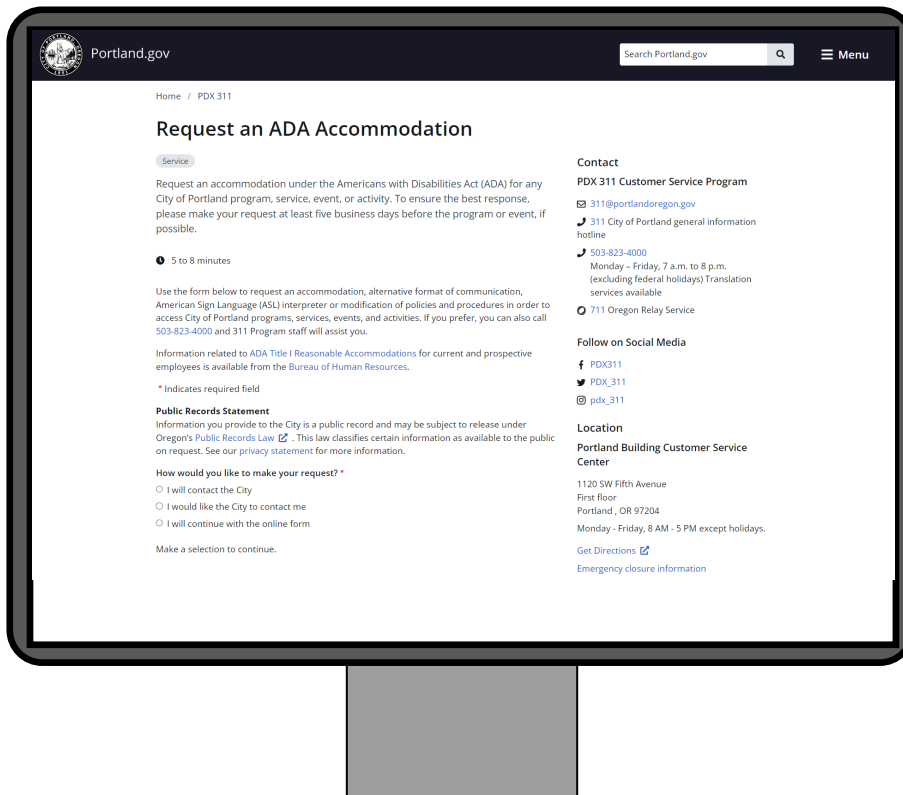
Spotlight

Requesting an ADA Accommodation

In August 2022, the City of Portland introduced a new way for community members with disabilities to navigate, connect with, and request assistance accessing City programs, services, and facilities.

This new **centralized approach** combines PDX 311's ability to provide community members with a single point of contact, with bureaus' expertise, and BTS's new webform and customer service technologies. It forwards the City's commitment to support equitable outcomes and opportunities for community members of all abilities.

Community members can now call 311 or use the Request an ADA Accommodation link featured on every page of [Portland.gov](https://portland.gov) to request an accommodation. PDX 311 staff will then review the request and route it to the appropriate bureau or program. The centralized system will also help the City track data, report on compliance, and build internal tools and capacity to ultimately improve the City's level of service to all community members.



Portland.gov, the City's website, now features centralized information and a new form to request ADA accommodations.

Community members can also call 311 or ask for a 311 representative to contact them to complete the request.