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Public Safety Action Plan update

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Dear Community Council members,

I work in the office of Governor Walker, and I'm writing to make sure you all get eyes on the recent update to our [Public Safety Action Plan](#). It's been an all-hands-on-deck effort across departments, and we have some good progress to show for it: a fix to the pretrial system; authority to the Attorney General to ban dangerous drugs by regulation without having to wait for the legislature, some much-needed investment, including:

- More prosecutors – prosecutors have been slashed in the last few years, forcing the Department of Law to have to prioritize the highest level cases. More prosecutors will help address the wave of property crimes.
- Trooper support staff – to free up trooper time to do police work, not data entry.
- \$12 million for substance abuse treatment
- Domestic violence and sexual assault investigators – these cases typically involve long investigations, and having dedicated investigators will bring more perpetrators to justice.

The State also worked with local partners to get a federal [designation](#) to combat drug trafficking, which will bring more federal dollars and law enforcement coordination.

That being said, there are still around 60 other public safety initiatives in the plan that are in the works or ongoing.

Passing the updated Plan your way so you can give it a look, and share with those who want to know what's being done at a statewide level to improve public safety. It's a living document. Please feel free to provide feedback at safer.alaska@alaska.gov.

Best,

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