

Complementary policing in Hungary and Civil Guard

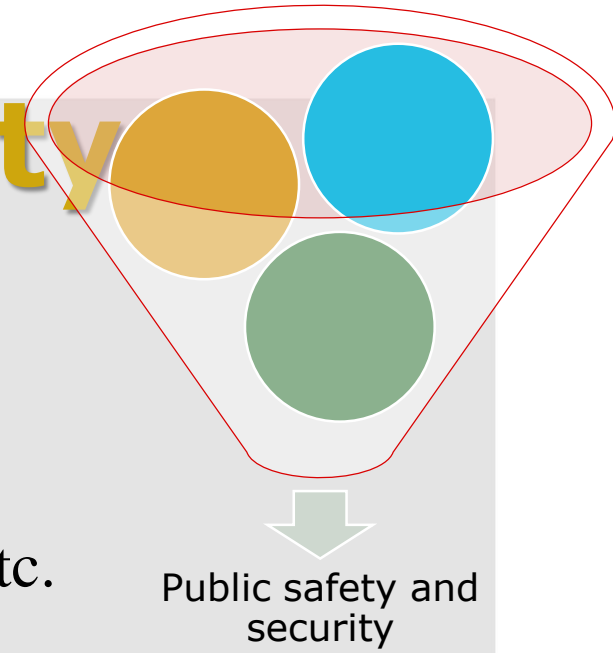


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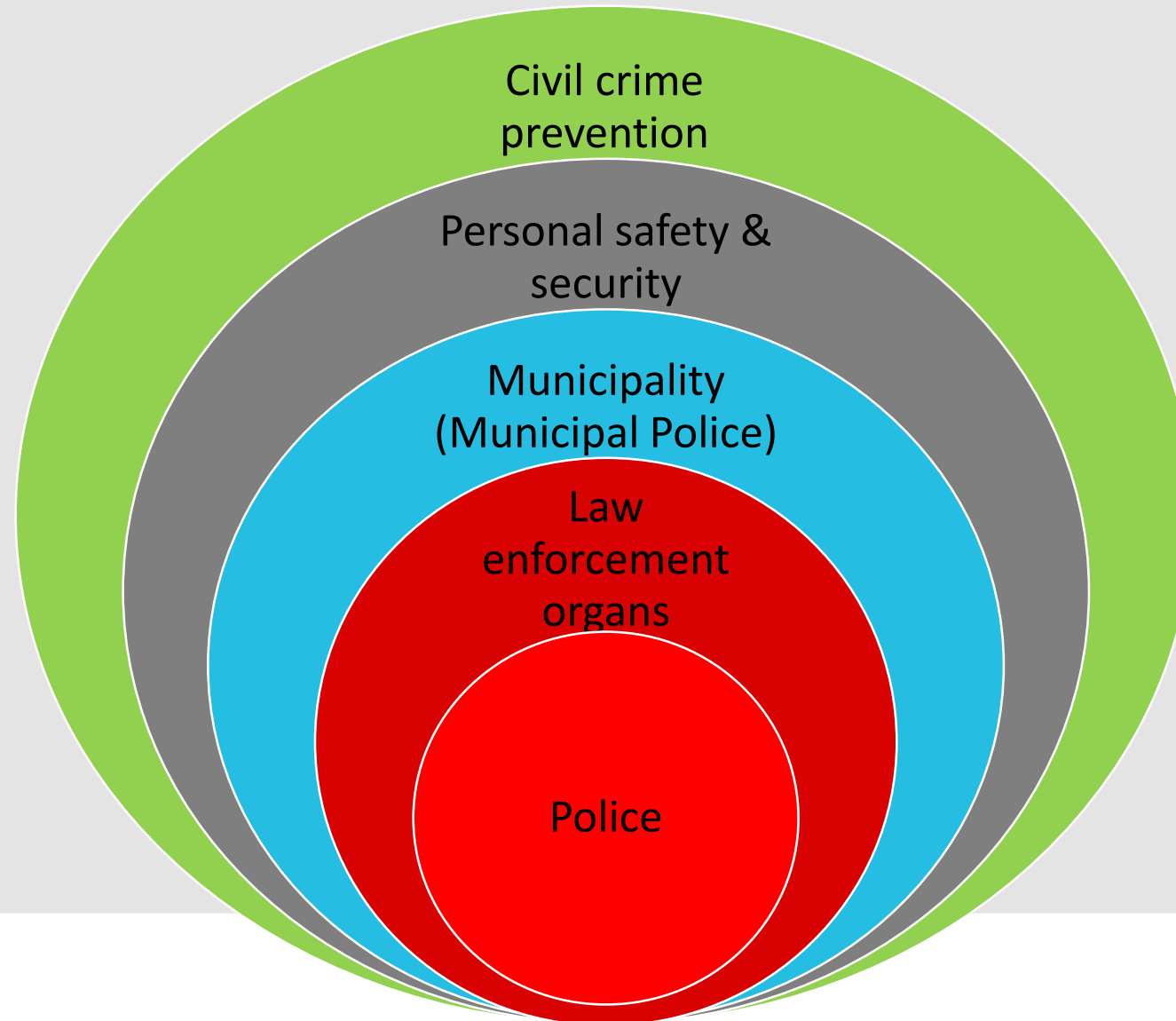
- Public safety and security: social cooperation, collective work
- Mono policing >>> plural policing,
- New players: state and market players, individuals, associations, etc.
- >Characteristics of their tasks and contributions, authorisation, competences: “New police forces”,
- Primary field of activity: crime prevention.
- (see: Adam Crawford, Stuart Lister, Collin Rogers, Ian Loader, Andrej Sotlar)





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The Civil Guard

- 64.000 Civil Guard officers, 1600 junior Civil Guard officers (age group 14-18 years), 2020 associations
- Since 1991, the importance of the Civil Guard has gradually increased; by now, it is the strategic partner of the Government and the Police
- Voluntary work performed to the benefit of society, with an increasingly diversified range of tasks
- The 2011 Law No. CLXV on the Civil Guard and the Civil Guard Activities is considered a “milestone”
- The most organised and largest civil society organisation of social crime prevention
- The Civil Guard’s main mission: serving the purpose of crime prevention by improving citizens’ perceived safety and security.





The legal status of the Civil Guard officer

- Civil Guard officer: **minimum age 18 years, capable of acting, no criminal record, voluntarily performs** the duties of a Home Guard officer, **considers** the service and ethical regulations referring to Civil Guard officers **as compulsory**, and the Civil Guard officer **successfully passes the examination** following the **basic course**.
- A person **fulfilling public tasks** without any administrative authority;
- **Enjoys enhanced protection of criminal law** while at the same time having a greater level of responsibility in terms of criminal law;
- The Civil Guard consists of **local associations, regional** (capital, county) Home Guard **Federations**, as well as the **Hungarian Civil Guards Association**.





Budapest Civil Guard Association

Budapest Public Safety and Security Network

The secret of efficiency is close cooperation.

Participants:

- Budapest Metropolitan Police Headquarters (BRFK)
- Municipality of Budapest Law Enforcement Directorate (FÖRI)
- National Directorate General for Disaster Management (FKI)

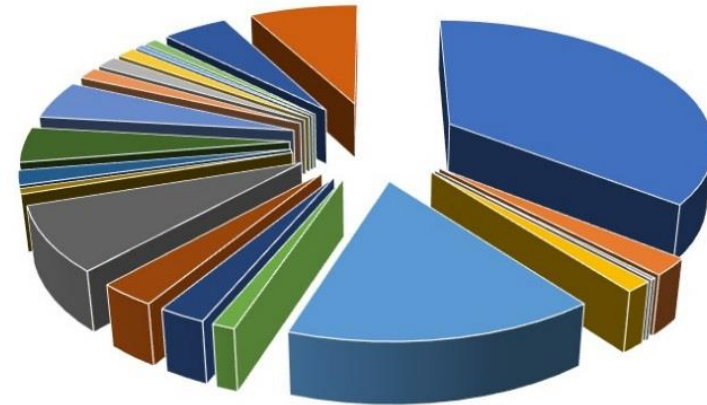




Budapest Civil Guard Association (BPSZ), continuation

- Member organisations: 49
- Members: 1665
- Office hours: 314.408
- In collaboration with police officers: 87.154

Szolgálatok számának alakulása



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| ■ Közrendvédelmi szolgálat gépjárművel | ■ Közrendvédelmi szolgálat gyalogosan |
| ■ Helyszínbiztosítás | ■ Rendszámfelismerő szolgálat |
| ■ Rendezvénybiztosítás | ■ Posztos szolgálat |
| ■ Iskola biztosítás | ■ Vasúti , MÁV szolgálat |
| ■ Rendőrrel közös közrendvédelmi szolgálat | ■ Rendőrségnek - hatósági tanú |





National University of Public Service (NKE), Civil Guard University

- Background (National University of Public Service (NKE) - Hungarian Civil Guard Association (OPSZ)): Civil Guard Academy
- Serving the university community
- Protection of the Ludovika Campus, Smart University
- Getting acquainted with the activities of a Civil Guard officer
- Exciting adventure, challenge, useful professional experience, great community, noble duty!



Thank you for listening.

Vielen Dank für
Ihre Aufmerksamkeit!

