

FY 2016-16 OC Municipal Police Services Cost Comparison

Shading Key: City Police Department OC Sheriff Police Services Contract City
 Source: [a] [a] [b] [c]

Rank	City (Ranked by per capita cost, highest to lowest)	City Incorp.	Area (Sq. Mi.)	Population (Jan. 2015)	FY 2015-16 Budget (LE Public Safety-All Funds)	Per Capita Cost (Police Services Cost Per Resident)
1.	Laguna Beach	1927	7.80	23,355	\$15,330,400	\$656
2.	Newport Beach	1906	25.30	87,249	\$52,225,031	\$599
3.	Los Alamitos	1960	4.30	11,779	\$5,927,947	\$503
4.	Brea	1917	12.40	43,328	\$20,843,131	\$481
5.	Seal Beach	1915	12.00	24,684	\$9,968,600	\$404
6.	Anaheim	1876	50.30	351,433	\$136,769,566	\$389
7.	Costa Mesa	1953	15.50	113,455	\$42,531,191	\$375
8.	Huntington Beach	1909	27.60	198,389	\$70,121,788	\$353
9.	Irvine	1971	66.30	250,384	\$85,032,017	\$340
10.	Placentia	1926	6.60	52,427	\$17,055,535	\$325
11.	Cypress	1956	6.90	49,184	\$15,853,400	\$322
12.	Santa Ana (FY 14-15)	1886	27.30	335,264	\$106,810,920	\$319
13.	Dana Point (OCSD Contract City)	1989	6.80	34,208	\$10,821,207	\$316
14.	Orange	1888	25.20	140,094	\$42,223,109	\$301
15.	La Palma	1955	2.00	15,965	\$4,704,150	\$295
16.	Tustin (FY 14-15)	1927	11.00	79,601	\$23,141,600	\$291
17.	Buena Park	1953	10.10	82,767	\$23,705,380	\$286
18.	Fountain Valley	1957	9.60	57,021	\$16,233,194	\$285
19.	Fullerton	1904	22.60	141,042	\$39,927,644	\$283
20.	Garden Grove (FY 14-15)	1956	17.90	174,774	\$49,119,300	\$281
21.	La Habra (FY 14-15)	1925	7.30	62,079	\$16,946,286	\$273
22.	Westminster	1957	10.20	92,106	\$22,173,998	\$241
23.	San Juan Capistrano (OCSD Contract City)	1961	14.50	36,223	\$8,453,930	\$233
24.	Stanton (OCSD Contract City)	1956	3.10	39,219	\$9,030,583	\$230
25.	Laguna Hills (OCSD Contract City)	1991	6.60	30,994	\$6,928,991	\$224
26.	Villa Park (OCSD Contract City)	1962	2.10	5,960	\$1,285,493	\$216
27.	San Clemente (OCSD Contract City)	1928	18.30	65,399	\$12,769,761	\$195
28.	Mission Viejo (OCSD Contract City)	1988	17.50	96,652	\$17,546,055	\$182
29.	Lake Forest (OCSD Contract City)	1991	16.80	80,070	\$14,210,844	\$177
30.	Laguna Niguel (OCSD Contract City)	1989	14.70	64,836	\$10,694,156	\$165
31.	Rancho Santa Margarita (OCSD Contract City)	2000	13.10	49,125	\$8,023,835	\$163
32.	Laguna Woods (OCSD Contract City)	1999	3.30	16,652	\$2,451,840	\$147
33.	Aliso Viejo (OCSD Contract City)	2001	6.90	50,204	\$7,281,149	\$145
34.	Yorba Linda (OCSD Contract City)	1967	19.90	67,719	\$9,426,452	\$139
Average - Non-Contract Cities			18.01	113,637	\$38,887,818	\$362
Average - All Cities			15.35	88,931	\$27,516,720	\$298
Average - OCSD Contract Cities			11.05	49,020	\$9,148,023	\$195

Sources:

- [a] Cal State Fullerton, Center for Demographic Research, OC Progress Reports - City Data - August 2014
<http://www.fullerton.edu/cdr/Demographics/>
- [b] State Department of Finance, Tables of January 2015 City Population - Ranked by Size, Numeric and Percent Change
<http://www.dof.ca.gov/research/demographic/reports/estimates/e-1/view.php>
- [c] Per City websites. Some are Adopted, some are Proposed. Includes funding sources from "All Funds".

Red = FY 14-15 data. FY 15-16 not available online.