

No More Police Petition Social Media Toolkit

Here are **GRAPHICS** of various sizes - take your pick!

Message suggestions for social media posts:

- We want Community Responders, not more Police. Please sign the petition to tell Urbana council to hold the line on yet another budget increase for the police: <https://www.ucimc.org/petition>
- We keep us safe. Urbana is ready to join the many communities who fund community responders outside the police department to low risk calls for service. Sign the petition: We want Community Responders, not more Police. <https://www.ucimc.org/petition>
- Would you like to be able to call for a Community Responder rather than a police officer for a loved one having a mental health issue? Urbana's council will be voting on a budget proposal to add \$2.5 million for 11 more police staff, rather than waiting for a report recommending a Community Responder model. Tell Urbana to slow it down; sign the petition: <https://www.ucimc.org/petition>
- 73% of calls to Urbana Police are issues that are non-criminal or non-violent, yet the city is moving on hiring more police before exploring opportunities for Community Responders. Sign the petition: We want Community Responders, not more Police. <https://www.ucimc.org/petition>
- Do you want to pay more taxes for more police officers? That's what's coming to a city near you. Let the Urbana City Council know your priorities: <https://www.ucimc.org/petition>

- We need Community Responders who are independent of the police department to respond to large number of non-criminal calls in Urbana in a trauma informed way. Sign the petition: We want Community Responders, not more Police. <https://www.ucimc.org/petition>
- Urbana is ready to join the dozens of communities who fund Community Responders outside the police department for low risk calls for service. Why? 1) 73% of 911 calls for Urbana Police are low risk - twice that of sister cities. 2) Crime in Urbana is at a historic low. 3) Urbana residents want safer ways to call for help that connect people to services instead of harm. Sign the petition: We want Community Responders, not more Police. <https://www.ucimc.org/petition>
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