Oregon State Police 12-Codes

OSP dispatch is quite different from the local (City, County) police dispatch. The Grants Pass OSP station is identified by ID 3500, and troopers out of this station have IDs matching - for example, 3518 or 3526. Nearly every transmission begins with the trooper's ID and is ended with with a timestamp. OSP also makes use of what are known as "12-codes" for describing day-to-day activities. Dispositions are also generally entered by code.

Code	Description		
		12-25	Similar subject record, additional info required
12-1	Unit in service	12-26	Base station going out of service
12-2	Unit out of service	12-27	Call by radio on arrival at office
12-3	Return to office	12-28	Suspicious person
12-4	Call (office, other) by phone	12-29	Disturbance
12-5	Revise message	12-30	Reckless driver
12-6	Contact address or complainant information	12-31	Intoxicated driver
12-7	DMV registration check	12-32	Intoxicated person
12-8	DMV registration and RO check	12-33	Emergency - all stations/cars remain silent
12-9	PUC status check	12-34	Resume normal operations/radio traffic
12-10	Operator's license check	12-35	Abandoned motor vehicle
12-10A	No valid operator's license	12-36	Fish and Game violation
12-11	Advise descriptors from operator's license	12-37	Advise road and weather vicinity
12-12	Unable to copy; change location	12-38	Change radio frequency
12-13	Stations and/or cars called, prepare to write	12-39	Attention all stations
12-14	Relay following to station	12-40	Standby, busy
12-15	Locate for emergency message	12-41	Go ahead with radio transmission
12-16	Motor Vehicle Accident (general)	12-42	No traffic
12-16A	MVA, fatal	12-43	Disregard previous transmission
12-16B	MVA, injury, no ambulance	12-44	Accident or spill - hazardous materials
12-17	MVA, ambulance dispatched	12-45	Burglar alarm
12-18	Dispatch ambulance	12-46	Advise telephone number of station
12-19	Dispatch tow vehicle	12-47	Computer files temporarily not available
12-20	Check priors, record, wants, stolen	12-48	Computer files now available
12-20A	Sensitive info - can subject hear radio?	12-49	Death investigation
12-21	No records/priors and no wants	12-49A	Possible homicide
12-22	No wants, prior misdemeanor record	12-50	Message not radio traffic, handle by phone
12-23	No wants, prior felony record	12-51	Sex offender
12-24A	Subject wanted - felony	12-52	Radio technicians enroute to your station
12-24B	Subject wanted - misdemeanor	12-53	Utility power out - using emergency power

12-54	Testing station, desire report of voice quality	12-88	Off duty
12-55	Transmit an equipment test, count 1 to 5	12-94	All clear - no assistance needed
12-56	No help immediately available	12-96	Vehicle stop - location and license
12-57	Disabled motorist	12-97	Radio check
12-58	Narcotic activity	12-98	Officer needs help - non-emergency
12-59	Late return - advise my residence	12-99	Officer needs help - emergency
12-65	Roll call for all units		

Each stop or situation handled by OSP is ended with a disposition code, giving basic information as to the outcome of the situation.

Oregon State Police - Dispo Codes

Code	Description	Code	Description
1	No action taken	15	Follow Up
2	Traffic citation issued	16	Information Obtained
3	Traffic warning issued	17	Truck Inspection
4	Lodged in jail	18	Cite and Release
5	Report taken	19	Miscellaneous
6	No report taken	20	ODOT Advised
7	Log in daily report	2A	55MPH Citation
8	Unable to locate/Gone on arrival	2B	65MPH Citation
9	Field identification report	2C	Seatbelt Citation
10	Unfounded	2D	Child seatbelt Citation
11	Referred to outside agency	3A	Seatbelt Warning
12	Recontact - case continuing	4A	DUII Arrest – State Highway
13	Civil matter - no action	4B	DUII Arrest – other Highway
14	No patrol available		