



# City of St. Peters Police Department

Chief of Police • Jeff Finkelstein



# 2014 ANNUAL REPORT



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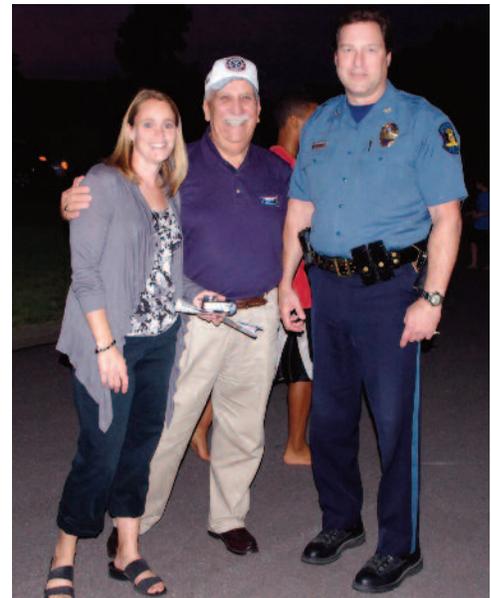
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On the cover: School Resource Officer, Explorers Program, St. Peters Justice Center & traffic enforcement



# MESSAGE from the CHIEF

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To the Residents of St. Peters,

Thank you for taking the time to review the 2014 Annual Crime Report for the St. Peters Police Department.

As you will notice in this report, the crime in our community continues to decrease, including our Part I crime, which fell by 15%. As I have stated before, I attribute the continual decrease to the men and women of this department who come to work every single day and give 100% of themselves to make St. Peters a safe place to live, shop and own a business. However, the officers would be unable to do their jobs to their full potential without the cooperation of our residents. I am continually amazed by the relationship our community members have with the police officers of this department, and it shows in our crime statistics.



As the Chief of Police, I intend to maintain the integrity and professionalism of our Police Department as well as continue to build a stronger relationship with our community. I can assure you that the men and women of this department will continue working hard to bring our residents top quality law enforcement services and we will strive to sustain the safety in our community that we all value.

Sincerely,

Jeff Finkelstein  
Chief of Police



# DEPUTY CHIEF'S MESSAGE

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Dear Citizens,

Thank you for your continuing interest in our annual report. The Bureau of Support Services manages and operates your police department's communications, records, and property management systems.

In addition to maintaining our local police records management system, the Police Records Section submits local crime data to the Missouri Incident Based Reporting System (MIBRS) and the Missouri Data Exchange (MODEX) program. Sharing local crime information across the state and to the National Data Exchange (NDEX) project contributes significantly to both local and national crime-fighting efforts.



The St. Peters Police Department, working with our regional partners, successfully implemented the P25 Regional Radio System for our community. The regional radio system permits participating agencies to utilize local, regional, state, and national communications resources.

During 2014, we participated in the selection and design of a new countywide 911 Emergency Communications System scheduled for delivery and implementation in the spring of 2015.

On behalf of the Bureau of Support Services, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

Michael D. Townsend

To the Residents of St. Peters.

Thank You for reviewing the 2014 St. Peters Police Department's Annual Report. I serve as the commander of the St. Peters Police Bureau of Field Operations. This bureau encompasses the patrol and investigative functions of the department and is divided into three divisions. These units include the Patrol Division, the Criminal Investigations Division, and the Community Services Division.



Our officers take pride in our community and strive to maintain St. Peters as a great place to live and work. I am proud to count myself among this group of outstanding, dedicated, and professional men and women. Our customer satisfaction ratings continue to demonstrate our commitment to quality public service. However, this commitment could not meet with success without the support of the community in addressing issues of public safety.

Over the course of the next two years, the criminal statutes in Missouri will undergo a major revision for the first time in decades. The St. Peters Police Department will be involved in training our employees pertaining to these revisions and ensuring a seamless transition when the new laws take effect.

On behalf of the men and women of the St. Peters Police Department, thank you for your support and commitment to our community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rick Struttmann".

Rick Struttmann

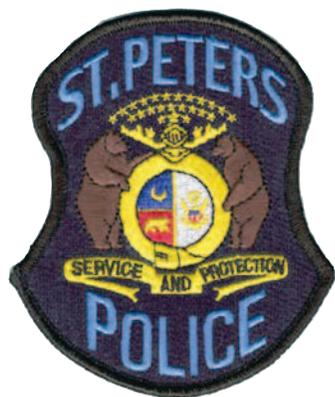


# MISSION STATEMENT

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The mission of the St. Peters Police Department is to provide dedicated police service based on high ethical and professional standards while preserving the peace and order of the City. We will attain this mission through conflict management and enforcement of criminal law and City ordinances by officers who are committed to the rule of the law. The officers are empowered to investigate violations, arrest individuals who violate the law, search and seize evidence, and use objectively reasonable force when necessary. It includes being both responsive and responsible to the public we serve.

Our mission is public service and we are proud of it.





# GOALS & OBJECTIVES

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- **Develop and begin implementation of procedural and administrative adjustments required by Missouri Criminal Code Revision (SB 491 and HB 1371) effective Jan. 1, 2017. The Missouri Criminal Code (RSMO) will undergo significant revision, including statutory revisions, crime classification revision, and Missouri Charge Code revision.**

**Objectives:**

- A) Identify departmental programs which will be impacted by upcoming statutory revisions. These programs include record management systems, offense and arrest systems and Missouri Incident Based Reporting System (MIBRS)
- B) Develop and implement processes and procedures to address affected departmental systems.

- **Expand departmental use of electronic citation software (E-ticketing) in patrol fleet. The use of this system will eliminate duplication of traffic citation information by court and records personnel.**

**Objectives:**

- A) Increase utilization of system to entire patrol fleet.
- B) Develop system tools to analyze common geographical violation locations.
- C) Assign additional resources based on traffic analysis to areas of frequent traffic complaints consistent with traffic crash and violation data.

- **Increase employee safety awareness. Achieve and maintain a zero lost-day record and reduction in property loss and accidents through improved communication, increased individual accountability, safety training, and team action plans.**

**Objectives:**

- A) Increase employee awareness of safety issues through supervisory focus on risk awareness training and debriefing on unsafe practices.
- B) Stress importance of thinking "Safety First" by recognizing safe behavior of employees both informally, through intradepartmental recognition, and formally through the City's Employee Recognition Program.
- C) Focus on employee accountability through individual counseling and progressive discipline for violations of established safety rules, including those causing loss or damage to City property.

- **Continue a Customer Satisfaction level of 90% by focusing on the City's "IT" philosophy in daily interactions with internal and external customers.**

**Objectives:**

- A) Reduce sustained citizen complaints against employees.
- B) Provide timely recognition for outstanding employee performance through both City and departmental programs.



# COMMUNITY OUTREACH

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Clockwise from top:  
Scenes from the National Night Out event,  
a Neighborhood Watch meeting, the School Resource Officer  
program, the St. Peters Explorers program for youth,  
and a Citizens Police Academy graduation ceremony.





# I. DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

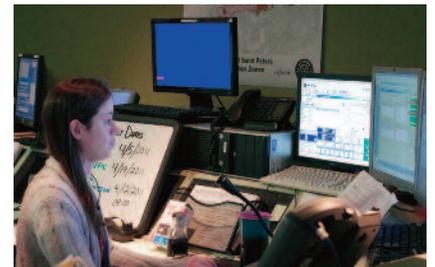
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## POLICE STAFFING REPORT **Commissioned Personnel**

Colonel	Chief of Police	1
Major	Deputy Chief of Police	1
Captain	Patrol Division	1
Lieutenant	Patrol Division	3
Lieutenant	Community Services Division	1
Lieutenant	Criminal Investigation Division	1
Lieutenant	Training & Professional Standards Unit	1
Lieutenant	Office of Emergency Management	1
Sergeant	Criminal Investigation Division	2
Sergeant	Patrol Division	7
Sergeant	Traffic/DWI Unit	1
Sergeant	Training & Professional Standards Unit	1
Detective	Criminal Investigation Division	6
Detective	M.E.G. Unit (Drug Unit)	1
Patrolman	Media/Community Relations	1
Patrolman	Patrol Officers	44
Patrolman	Traffic Officers	4
Patrolman	School Resource Officer	3
Patrolman	D.A.R.E. Officer	1
Patrolman	In-House Officer	3
Patrolman	Code Enforcement Officer	1
	<b>TOTAL FULL-TIME COMMISSIONED</b>	<b>85</b>

## **Non-Commissioned Personnel**

Police Property Coordinator	1
Office Clerk (Property Management)	2
Office Clerk (Criminal Investigation Division)	1
Office Specialist	1
Police Records Supervisor	1
Police Records Clerk	5
Communications Supervisor	1
Dispatcher (full-time)	11
Corrections Officers (full-time)	3
<b>TOTAL FULL-TIME CIVILIANS</b>	<b>26</b>
Police Records Clerk (part-time)	3
Corrections Officer (part-time)	1
<b>TOTAL PART-TIME CIVILIANS</b>	<b>4</b>

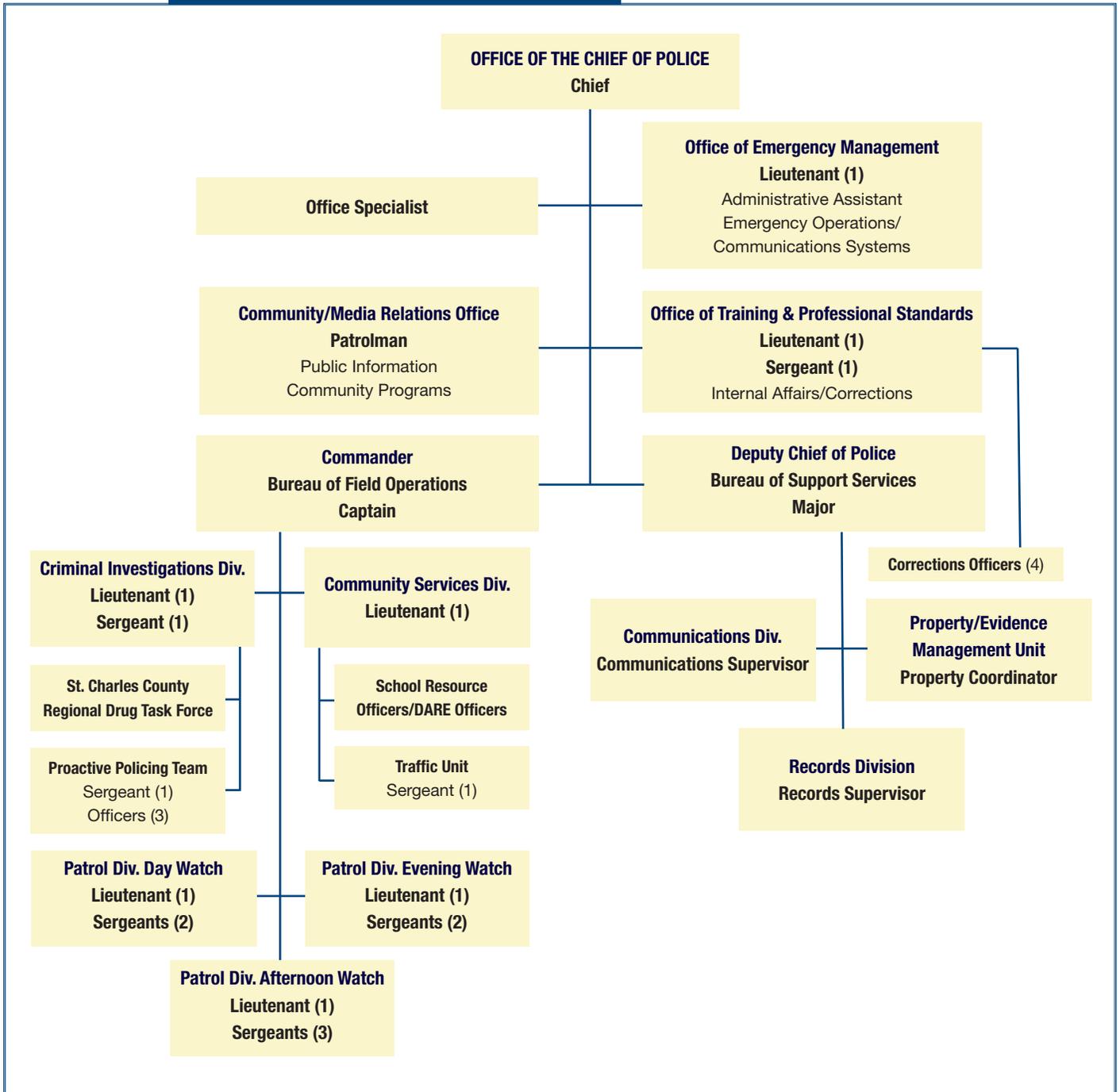




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## St. Petersburg Police Department Organizational Chart





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## St. Peters Police Department Organization

### OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

The Office of the Chief of Police is responsible for the management, direction, and administration of the Department. The Chief of Police is accountable for ensuring that the general functions of the Department are carried out effectively and efficiently.

#### Office of Emergency Management

The Office of Emergency Management is staffed by a Lieutenant, who is the Director of Emergency Management, and who reports to the Chief of Police. The duties include emergency management, all-hazards planning, coordination and management of the citywide radio system. The lieutenant is also in charge of the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), which is a citizen volunteer group trained to handle emergency situations.

#### Community & Media Relations Office

The Community/Media Relations Office is staffed by an Officer, who reports to the Chief of Police and whose duties include media and public relations, administration of crime prevention programs, management and administrative reporting, and Citizen Police Academies.

#### Training & Professional Standards Office/Corrections

The Training & Professional Standards Unit is staffed by a Lieutenant and Sergeant, who report to the Chief of Police and are responsible for the professional development of the members of the Department as well as the creation and maintenance of the standards of conduct for the Department's internal investigations, complaint review/investigation, inspections, promotional process, training, hiring and background investigations. This office also manages the Police Department's jail facility and corrections officers.

### BUREAU OF FIELD OPERATIONS

A Captain, who reports to the Chief of Police, commands the Bureau of Field Operations. Lieutenants, Sergeants, Detectives, Patrolmen and civilian clerical personnel comprise this unit's staff. The Bureau Commander is responsible for the intelligent, coordinated and effective deployment and management of the Department's patrol, uniformed and investigative resources.

#### Patrol Operations Division

Composed of three shifts, each commanded by a Lieutenant, supervised by one or more Sergeants, and reports to the Bureau of Field Operations Commander. This Division provides 24-hour uniformed police services.

#### St. Charles County Regional SWAT Team

This multi-jurisdictional unit is staffed by the departments of the St. Charles County Sheriff, St. Peters Police, O'Fallon Police, Lake St. Louis Police and Wentzville Police. The St. Charles County Ambulance District, Central County Fire and Rescue, and Cottleville Fire Protection District supply tactical medics for the team. The St. Peters Police Department contributes five police officers as a secondary assignment. Team members train 16 hours per month with a 40-hour training week once per year. The team is activated for tactical situations, including but not limited to armed barricaded subjects, armed suicidal subjects, hostage situations and dignitary protection details.



Police Chief Jeff Finkelstein leads a promotion ceremony during a Board of Aldermen meeting.



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### Community Services Division

Commanded by a Lieutenant who supervises various units providing specialized service to the community, and reports to the Commander, Bureau of Field Operations. Included within this Division are the following functions:

**Traffic/DWI Enforcement Unit** serves as a flexible enforcement and investigative unit with regard to traffic-related incidents/concerns. A Sergeant, who reports to the Community Services Division Commander, supervises this element.

**School Resource Officer and D.A.R.E. Unit** serves as a flexible enforcement or teaching unit assigned to public or private parochial schools and is responsible for the general policing or D.A.R.E. activities within the schools to which they are assigned.



DARE car at National Night Out block party

### Criminal Investigations Division

Commanded by a Lieutenant, who reports to the Commander, Bureau of Field Operations, and is supervised by a Sergeant. This division is responsible for specialized investigations of those types of crimes requiring time and/or expertise beyond the capacity of the patrol force. The Investigations Division is responsible for general investigations including property crimes/crimes against persons, special investigations and youth crimes.

The **Proactive Policing Team (PPT)** became a full-time detail in May 2007. Commanded by a Sergeant, the PPT serves as a special assignment enforcement and investigative unit, specializing in a proactive response to selected crime problems.

The **St. Charles County Regional Drug Task Force** serves as a special assignment unit specializing in investigating drug crimes in the St. Charles County area.

## BUREAU OF SUPPORT SERVICES

Deputy Chief of Police (with the assignment rank of Major), who reports to the Chief of Police, commands the Bureau of Support Services. The Bureau is responsible for providing general administrative and operational support to all other elements of the Department as well as other City Government units as directed. In addition, the Bureau Commander exercises direct supervisory control of all budgetary issues, purchasing, and other fiscal management issues subject to the approval of the Chief of Police.

### Police Records Division

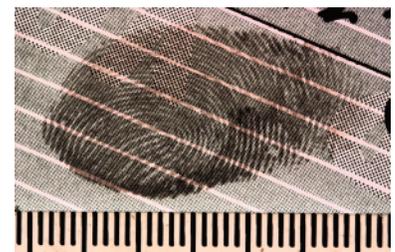
A civilian Records Supervisor who reports to the Commander, Bureau of Support Services, supervises the division, which is staffed by civilian personnel and is responsible for the collection, preservation and distribution of official reports generated by this agency as the result of calls for service.

### Communications Division

A civilian Lead Dispatcher, who reports to the Commander, Bureau of Support Services, supervises this division, which is staffed by civilian personnel. The division is responsible for departmental telecommunications and records system data entry on a 24-hour-per-day basis.

### Property Management Unit

A civilian Property Management Coordinator, who reports to the Commander, Bureau of Support Services, supervises the Property Management Unit, which is staffed by civilian employees. The unit is responsible for evidence and property control, photographic services, facility and fleet management, as well as assistance in budget preparation and procurement.





# II. BUREAU OF FIELD OPERATIONS

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## Part I Crimes



Crime scene investigation (CSI) demonstration during Citizens Police Academy.

### DEFINITIONS

**Criminal Homicide:** Murder and non-negligent manslaughter are the willful killing of one human being by another.

**Involuntary Manslaughter:** Recklessly cause the death of another person.

**Rape:** Sexual intercourse with another person by force without the victim's consent.

**Robbery:** The taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of violence and/or by putting the victim in fear.

**Aggravated Assault:** An unlawful attack or attempted attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting bodily injury.

**Burglary:** The unlawful entry or attempted unlawful entry of a structure for the purpose of committing a crime.

**Larceny:** The unlawful taking, carrying, leading or riding away of property from the possession of another.

**Motor Vehicle Theft:** The theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle.

**Arson:** The act of knowingly damaging a building or inhabitable structure by starting a fire.

### STATISTICS

	2014	2013	2012	2011
1. Criminal Homicide	0	0	0	0
2. Involuntary Manslaughter	0	2 <sup>1</sup>	1	2 <sup>1</sup>
3. Rape	16 <sup>2</sup>	7	6	7
4. Robbery	14	10	13	16
5. Assault	441	556	588	574
Aggravated	61	96	122	155
Simple	380	460	466	419
6. Burglary	92	134	111	136
7. Larceny	964	1,096	1,248	1,271
8. Motor Vehicle Theft	35	27	26	29
9. Arson (structures)	2	2	0	0

<sup>1</sup>Double-fatality traffic wreck

<sup>2</sup>Rapes doubled for 2014 due to the FBI changing the definition of rape, which includes more types of sexual offenses than in previous years.



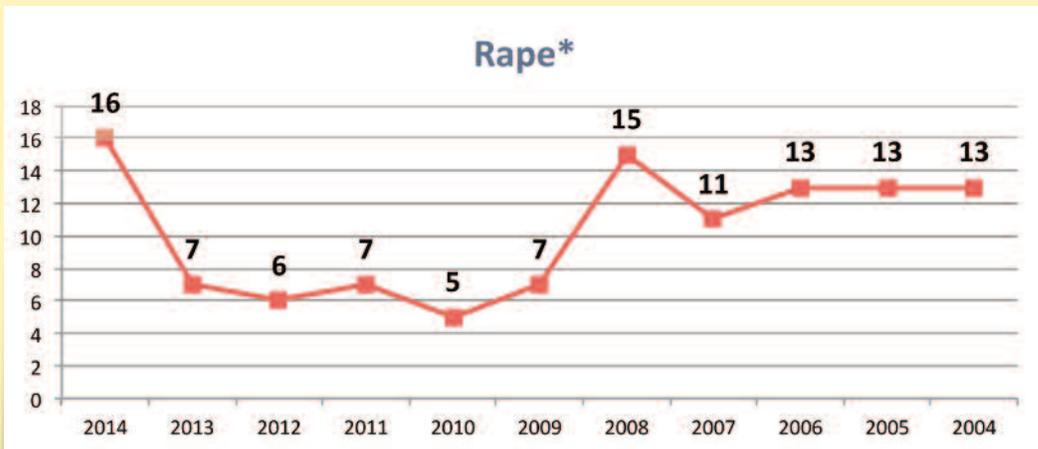
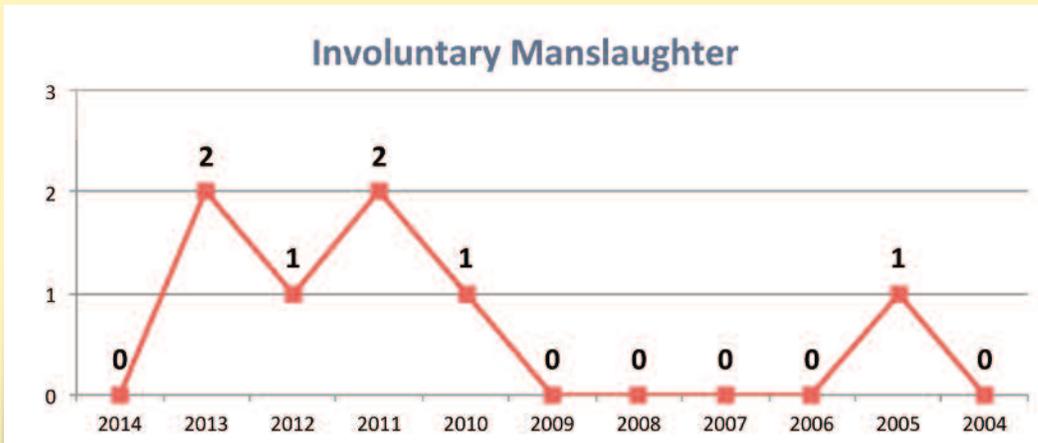
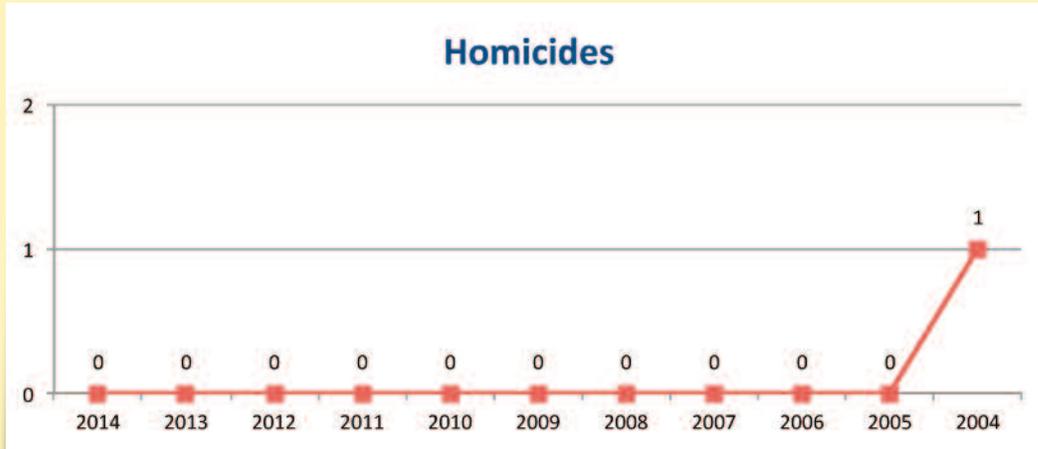


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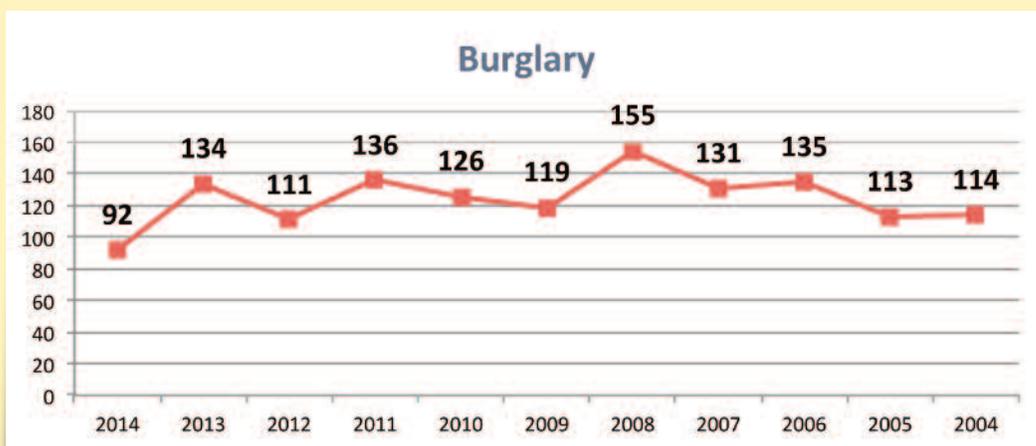
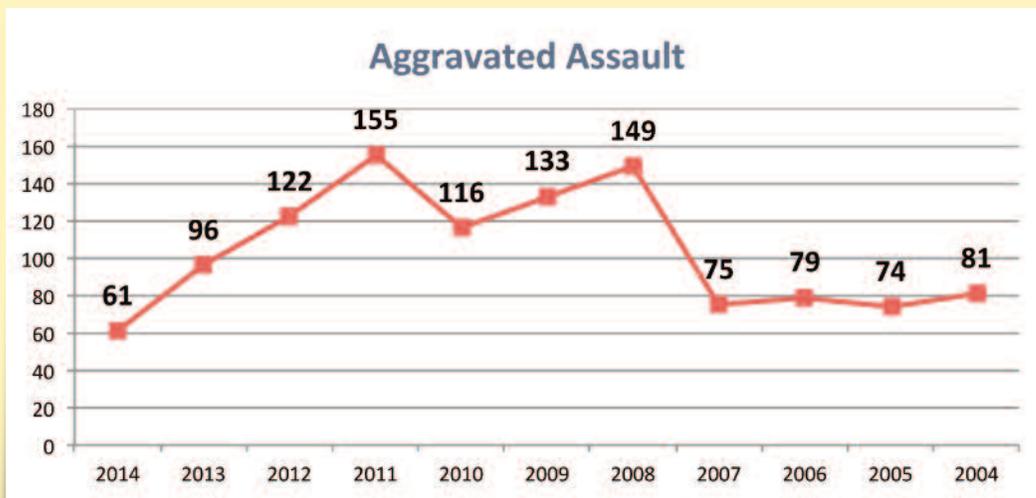
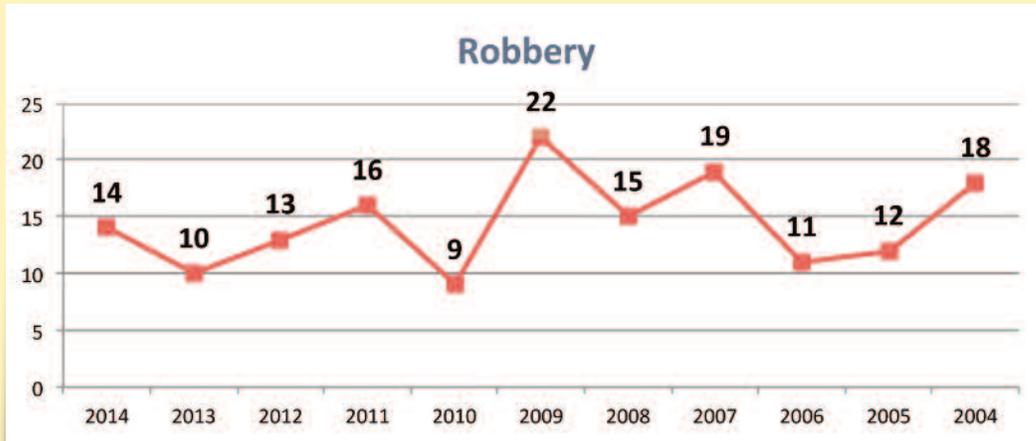


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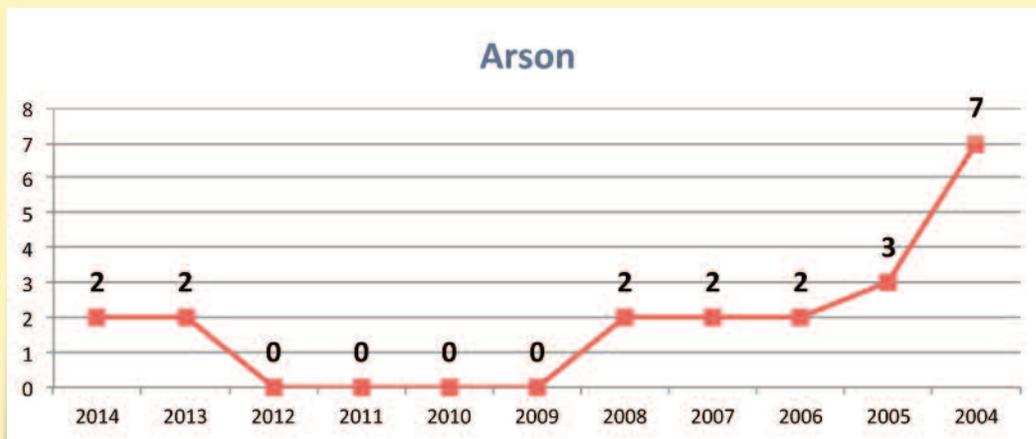
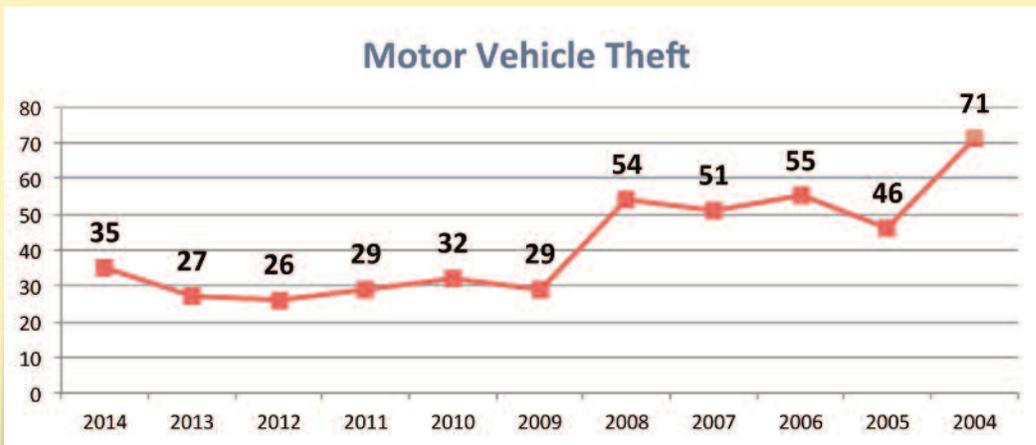
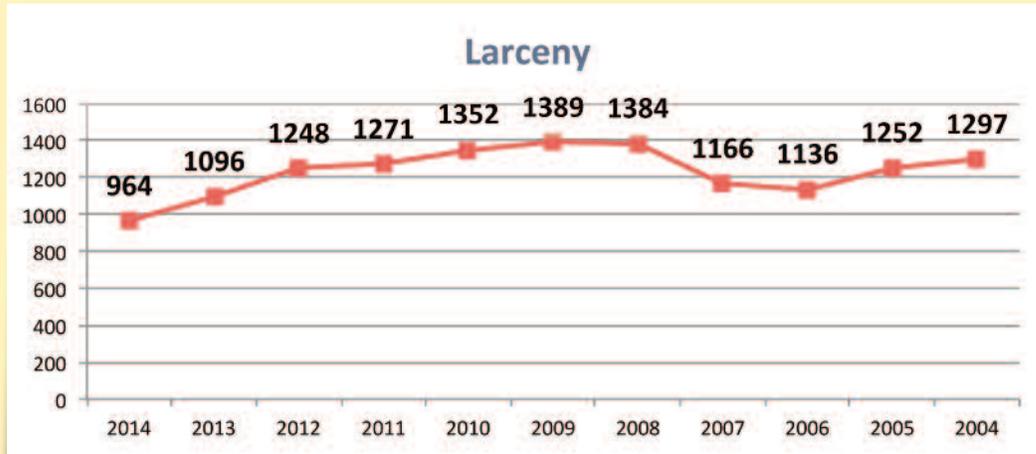


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## Part I Crimes

STATISTICS ~ Continued





# II. BUREAU OF FIELD OPERATIONS

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## Part II Total Crimes

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Incidents Reported	2,641	2,907	2,712	2,817
Reports Taken	1,280	1,460	1,234	1,173

## 2014 Calls for Service

### Calls Per Month

Month	Number	% of calls
January	2,026	7%
February	1,802	7%
March	2,137	8%
April	2,094	9%
May	2,465	9%
June	2,491	9%
July	2,528	9%
August	2,811	10%
September	2,078	8%
October	2,102	8%
November	2,088	8%
December	<u>2,064</u>	8%
TOTALS	26,686	



### Calls Per Day

Day	Number	% of calls
Sunday	2,953	11%
Monday	3,862	14%
Tuesday	3,999	15%
Wednesday	3,987	15%
Thursday	4,174	16%
Friday	4,145	16%
Saturday	<u>3,566</u>	13%
TOTALS	26,686	



- Telephone
- Citizen Report
- Radio
- 911 Calls
- Reported at Station
- On View

### How Call Was Received

Telephone	Citizen Report	Radio	On View	911 Call	Reported at Station
5,591	10,747	5,507	277	2,524	2,040



## II. BUREAU OF FIELD OPERATIONS

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### Arrest Data

#### Adult Arrest Statistics (male and female)

	2014		2013		2012		2011	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
January	124	59	109	52	110	48	120	56
February	121	55	111	58	129	60	107	46
March	116	59	140	73	102	67	121	74
April	129	36	156	81	120	54	132	69
May	125	68	126	69	168	67	127	51
June	134	39	119	47	157	86	167	62
July	146	64	154	78	187	87	147	91
August	105	64	136	68	147	88	146	69
September	120	46	113	62	133	66	147	69
October	92	43	133	57	139	68	154	75
November	80	43	102	47	111	47	138	71
December	77	43	85	48	126	60	132	62
Total	1369	619	1484	740	1629	798	1638	795
<b>Male &amp; Female</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1988</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2224</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2427</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2433</b>

#### Juvenile Arrest Statistics (male and female)

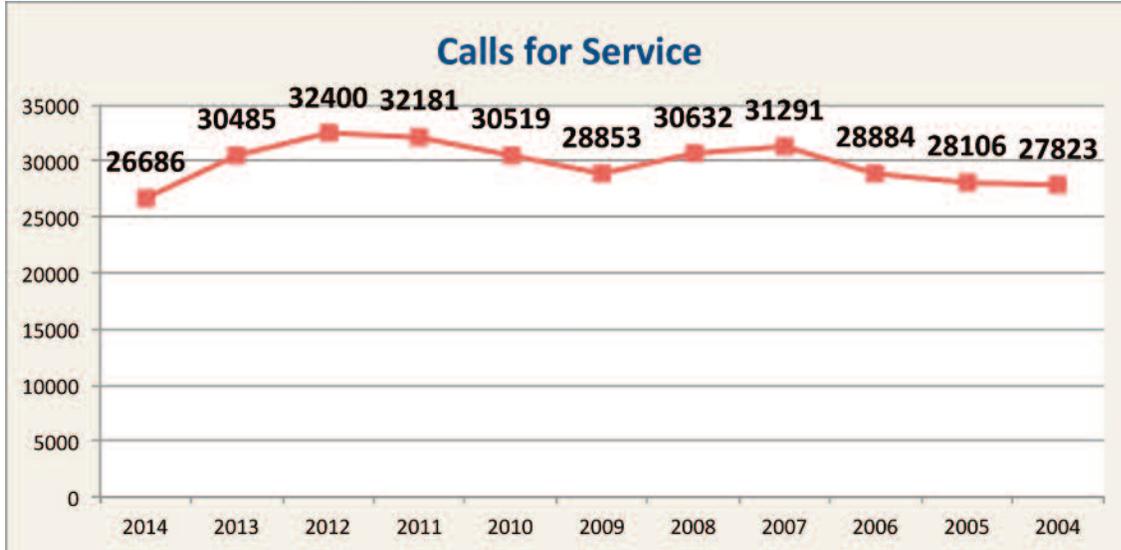
	2014		2013		2012		2011	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
January	20	10	30	16	49	19	20	13
February	35	6	24	16	33	27	31	20
March	16	16	33	9	47	14	41	16
April	36	11	30	7	34	24	31	22
May	28	13	32	21	30	16	53	15
June	16	15	52	13	43	24	43	25
July	29	13	24	23	48	30	53	13
August	15	12	28	13	36	27	23	14
September	31	13	41	11	43	16	72	25
October	20	11	35	13	60	33	47	30
November	21	8	18	13	30	24	43	28
December	23	7	9	9	25	15	38	24
Total	<b>290</b>	<b>135</b>	356	164	478	269	495	245
<b>Male &amp; Female</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>740</b>



# II. BUREAU OF FIELD OPERATIONS

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## Police Response

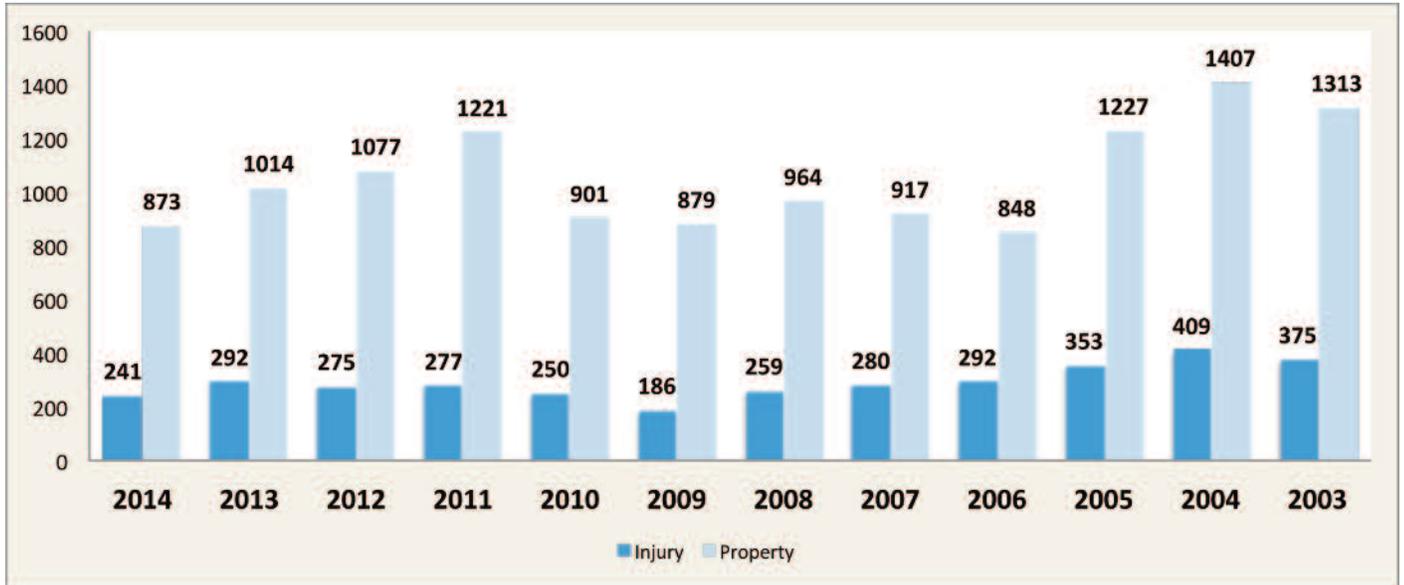




# III. TRAFFIC ANALYSIS

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## Motor Vehicle Accidents



## Crash Detail & Enforcement Summary

2014													Totals	
Traffic Accidents	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total for 2014	Last Year
Fatals	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Personal Injury	22	9	14	23	27	18	15	16	22	37	16	22	241	292
Property Damage	82	88	64	56	60	61	56	69	75	88	85	89	873	1077
Monthly Totals	104	97	79	79	87	79	71	85	97	125	101	111	1115	1371

Enforcement Activity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Current Year	Last Year
D.W.I	26	22	27	19	23	21	17	27	18	19	23	17	259	229

**PLEASE NOTE:** Traffic citation numbers are no longer available due to Court software updates.





# III. TRAFFIC ANALYSIS

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## Crash Detail & Enforcement Summary – past years

2013													Totals
Traffic Accidents	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total for 2013
Fatals	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Personal Injury	14	19	26	27	30	22	26	20	21	36	26	25	292
Property Damage	88	84	111	95	103	88	94	90	96	83	97	11	1040
Monthly Totals	102	103	137	122	133	110	120	110	117	119	123	36	1332
Enforcement Activity													Current Year
D.W.I	10	21	19	28	23	10	20	19	20	13	22	17	222

2012													Totals
Traffic Accidents	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total for 2012
Fatals	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Personal Injury	16	21	19	24	21	28	25	19	26	30	16	30	275
Property Damage	116	83	84	82	96	89	96	79	82	107	81	82	1077
Monthly Totals	132	104	103	106	118	117	121	98	108	138	97	112	1354
Enforcement Activity													Current Year
Photo Enforcement Vio.	235	215	211	221	218	260	573	1216	1238	1063	599	590	6639
D.W.I	13	9	21	10	20	32	18	20	15	23	21	24	226
Hazardous Violations	338	559	626	618	833	523	723	710	360	361	424	353	6428
Non-Hazardous Vio.	568	502	509	447	601	568	604	629	442	456	432	352	6110
Monthly Totals	1154	1285	1367	1296	1672	1383	1918	2575	2055	1903	1476	1319	19403

2011													Totals
Traffic Accidents	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total for 2011
Fatals	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
Personal Injury	19	18	29	17	25	29	21	22	29	27	19	22	277
Property Damage	112	92	92	88	82	108	102	108	94	98	97	148	1221
Monthly Totals	132	110	121	105	107	137	124	131	123	125	116	170	1501
Enforcement Activity													Current Year
Photo Enforcement Vio.	302	331	327	442	422	225	238	309	346	379	305	265	3891
D.W.I	14	15	7	13	15	19	20	23	25	14	15	15	195
Hazardous Violations	438	457	674	644	765	983	853	892	686	446	361	336	7535
Non-Hazardous Vio.	527	405	402	420	599	598	618	545	417	323	348	362	5564
Monthly Totals	1281	1208	1410	1519	1801	1825	1729	1769	1474	1162	1029	978	17185



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## Criminal Investigations Division

Cases are assigned to the Criminal Investigation Division as directed per Department Policy. The Criminal Investigation Division assesses each case based on, but not limited to, the following solvability factors: Was an arrest made? Are there witnesses? Can a suspect be identified or described? Is stolen property traceable? Is there a significant mode of operation or

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### 2014 Report

CASE CLASSIFICATIONS	ASSIGNED	CLEARED	CLEARANCE RATE
ARSON	0	0	100%
ASSAULTS	11	11	100%
BURGLARY	33	17	52%
CHILD ABUSE/MOLESTATION	13	13	100%
DRUGS	4	4	100%
FORGERY	17	14	82%
FRAUD	13	8	62%
HOMICIDE	0	0	100%
ID THEFT	14	10	71%
MISSING PERSONS/RUNAWAY	25	25	100%
RAPE/SEX CRIMES	34	34	100%
ROBBERY	7	5	71%
STEALING	136	102	75%
SUICIDE/DEATH	15	15	100%
OTHER	44	38	86%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>81%</b>

### 2013 Report

CASE CLASSIFICATIONS	ASSIGNED	CLEARED	CLEARANCE RATE
ARSON	0	0	100%
ASSAULTS	13	13	100%
BURGLARY	55	47	85%
CHILD ABUSE/MOLESTATION	12	12	100%
DRUGS	3	3	100%
FORGERY	25	21	84%
FRAUD	21	16	76%
HOMICIDE	0	0	100%
ID THEFT	18	16	89%
MISSING PERSONS/RUNAWAY	15	15	100%
RAPE/SEX CRIMES	27	26	96%
ROBBERY	7	5	71%
STEALING	127	100	79%
SUICIDE/DEATH	23	23	100%
OTHER	47	45	96%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>87%</b>



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significant physical evidence? If none of those factors exist in a case, it is not normally assigned to this division. The Criminal Investigation Division does not generally investigate misdemeanor crimes or municipal ordinance violations. Those cases are handled by the Patrol Division with the help of the Criminal Investigation Division when needed.

## 2012 Report

CASE CLASSIFICATIONS	ASSIGNED	CLEARED	CLEARANCE RATE
ARSON	0	0	100%
ASSAULTS	8	8	100%
BURGLARY	41	29	71%
CHILD ABUSE/MOLESTATION	10	10	100%
DRUGS	6	6	100%
FORGERY	20	19	85%
FRAUD	23	17	74%
HOMICIDE	0	0	100%
ID THEFT	12	10	83%
MISSING PERSONS/RUNAWAY	18	18	100%
RAPE/SEX CRIMES	44	42	95%
ROBBERY	6	5	83%
STEALING	128	101	79%
SUICIDE/DEATH	15	15	100%
OTHER	33	31	94%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>85%</b>

## 2011 Report

CASE CLASSIFICATIONS	ASSIGNED	CLEARED	CLEARANCE RATE
ARSON	0	0	100%
ASSAULTS	13	13	100%
BAD CHECKS	8	8	100%
BURGLARY	62	42	68%
CHILD ABUSE/MOLESTATION	21	21	100%
DRUGS	12	12	100%
FORGERY	20	17	85%
FRAUD	22	14	64%
HOMICIDE	0	0	100%
ID THEFT	7	6	86%
MISSING PERSONS/RUNAWAY	29	29	100%
RAPE/SEX CRIMES	22	21	95%
ROBBERY	12	9	75%
STEALING	148	119	80%
SUICIDE/DEATH	29	29	100%
OTHER	46	38	83%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>84%</b>



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## Proactive Policing Team Report

The **Proactive Policing Team** serves as a special assignment enforcement and investigative unit, specializing in a proactive response to selected crime problems.

2014 ACTIVITY	TOTAL
Reports Taken	407
Felony Drug Arrests	42
Misdemeanor Drug Arrests	120
Drug Paraphernalia Arrests	145
Minor in Possession Arrests	35
Driving While Intoxicated	2
Warrant Arrests	215
Driving While Suspended/Revoked	66
Other Offenses	75

2014 ILLEGAL ITEMS SEIZED
Marijuana
Heroin
Crack Cocaine
Prescription Pills
K2/Synthetic
Fentanyl Patch
Methamphetamine
Hallucinogenic Mushrooms

### Holiday Season Assignment

The **Proactive Policing Team** had a special assignment during the holiday season to provide extra coverage at Mid Rivers Mall in order to prevent crime. There were two officers assigned to Mid Rivers Mall for a one-month-period during the holiday season, which resulted in:

Reports Taken	21
Cash Seizure	\$13,114.35
Stolen Merchandise Recovery	\$194.00
Fugitive Arrests	12
Drug-Related Arrests (Misdemeanor)	20
Drug-Related Arrests (Felony)	4

A majority of the arrests made were proactive police work, which means the officers recognized suspicious activity before they were called to address the issue. The officers involved in this special assignment were vigilant in looking for suspicious behavior primarily in the parking lots of the mall. They were able to deter criminal activity by being visible and aware of their surroundings, and they were able to stop crime immediately after it happened. The increased presence of officers at Mid Rivers Mall was extremely successful and made the holiday shopping experience safer for our community.



## St. Peters Police Department Training Summary

The St. Peters Police Department takes an active role in ensuring all of its employees receive professional, proficient and quality training. This training allows employees to gain knowledge and skills needed to provide all citizens with the best service available.

In order for a police officer to remain licensed by the State of Missouri, they must have completed a minimum of 48 hours of continuing education in a three-year period through the Missouri Peace Officers Standards and Training Program (POST). In 2014, our officers took an average of 59 hours of continuing education.



## Use of Force Report Annual Summary

- **Use of Force Reports Filed - 34**
  
- **Number of suspects injured during use of force incidents – 4**
  - o Age of suspects: Range of 12-59 years old (average age 27)
  
- **Number of suspects fatally injured during use of force incidents – 0**
  
- **Number of officers injured during use of force incidents – 0**
  
- **Breakdown of officers' defensive weapons by type:**
  - o Soft empty hand techniques
  - o Hard empty hand techniques
  - o Taser displayed
  - o Taser deployed
  - o Straight arm bar
  - o Hand gun displayed
  - o Knee strike
  - o Escort position
  - o Torso grapple
  - o Rifle display





## Internal Affairs Investigations/Complaints

In accordance with Departmental General Order 10.1 the following statistical information is being provided based upon records of the Professional Standards.

- Number of Internal Affairs Investigations – 13
- Number of Employees Complained Against – 13
- Investigative Findings\* (some investigations had more than one accusation):
  - Unfounded: 5
  - Exonerated 3
  - Sustained: 3
  - Not Sustained: 1

### \*DEFINITIONS

**Unfounded:** Allegation is false or not factual.

**Exonerated:** Incident complained of occurred but was lawful and proper.

**Sustained:** The allegation is supported by sufficient evidence.

**Not Sustained:** Insufficient evidence to either prove or disprove the allegation.





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