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City of Toronto

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

This report provides a snapshot of crime statistics pertaining to the incidents reported to York Regional Police between January 1 and December 31,2021. Results of the current reporting year (2021) are compared with the previous year (2020) and trends in the last five years (2017-2021) are provided for select key indicators. Crime rates are calculated using the corresponding population estimates<sup>1</sup> received from the Regional Municipality of York.

York Regional Police provides investigative resources towards resolving a crime incident. For some crime types, the process may take months and sometimes years as new investigative information is available. Data presented in this report represents a "snapshot" at the time of extraction from the records management system at year-end. York Regional Police has policies not to revise data counts once the results are published.

York Regional Police uses the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) survey methodology implemented by the Canadian Centre for Justice and Community Safety Statistics (CCJCSS), a division of Statistics Canada. *Criminal Code* violations data are captured in the process of receiving incident reports, providing investigative services and resolving the crime incidents, where possible.

Unless otherwise noted, crime statistics in this report are compiled using the "all violations" methodology and should not be compared with those published by the CCJCSS. The CCJCSS published crime statistics are based on the most serious violation of an incident. In addition, the CCJCSS include the number of offences reported by the Toronto North Detachment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP), along with York Regional Police's crime statistics. However, the CCJCSS data may be used for comparisons between policing jurisdictions, municipalities and provinces as all data is compiled using the same reporting methodology and includes incidents reported to municipal, provincial and federal policing organizations.

Crime statistics of 2020 and 2021 were impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic restrictions imposed by the Province of Ontario and Canada on March 17, 2020, and afterwards. The 2020-2021 data presented in this report demonstrates the impact of the pandemic restrictions on individuals and businesses in York region.

Crime rates incorporated in this report were estimated for all categories irrespective of the size of the denominator. Generally, rates and ratios are not reliable if it is based on a small number (less than 30).

A glossary of terms, types of violations and changes in Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) survey methodology during the last five-year period are included in this report as appendices.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Regional Municipality of York (York Region) revised the population estimates of 2016 and 2017 lower based on the 2016 Census results released by Statistics Canada in July 2018. However, the 2017 crime rates in this annual statistical report are not revised.

# **CRIME STATISTICS**

FIVE YEAR DATA (JANUARY -DECEMBER)

Crime Categories	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Population <sup>1</sup>	1,206,543	1,196,559	1,202,535	1,213,602	1,228,180
Citizen Generated Calls for Service <sup>2</sup>	207,346	241,076	275,292	255,407	254,451
Crimes Against Persons					
Total	7,372	8,346	8,837	8,830	9,777
Cleared	5,500	6,024	5,719	5,369	5,596
Clearance Rate (%)	74.6	72.2	64.7	60.8	57.2
Rate per 100,000 population	611.00	697.50	734.86	727.59	796.06
Crimes Against Property					
Total	21,755	22,998	25,423	21,340	22,504
Cleared	9,033	8,309	9,086	7,009	6,042
Clearance Rate (%)	41.5	36.1	35.7	32.8	26.8
Rate per 100,000 population	1,803.09	1,922.01	2,114.12	1,758.40	1,832.30
Other Criminal Code					
Total	4,167	4,674	4,846	4,425	4,609
Cleared	3,640	4,080	4,182	3,925	4,132
Clearance Rate (%)	87.4	87.3	86.3	88.7	89.7
Rate per 100,000 population	345.37	390.62	402.98	364.62	375.27
Weapons Violations					
Total	413	553	531	535	490
Cleared	325	445	437	436	409
Clearance Rate (%)	78.7	80.5	82.3	81.5	83.5
Rate per 100,000 population	34.23	46.22	44.16	44.08	39.90
Public Morals Violations					
Total	11	2	11	25	20
Cleared	4	1	11	19	16
Clearance Rate (%)	36.4	50.0	100.0	76.0	80.0
Rate per 100,000 population	0.91	0.17	0.91	2.06	1.63
Criminal Code - Total					
Total	33,718	36,638	39,648	35,155	37,400
Cleared	18,502	18,502	19,435	16,758	16,195
Clearance Rate (%)	54.9	50.5	49.0	47.7	43.3
Rate per 100,000 population	2,794.60	3,061.95	3,297.04	2,896.75	3,045.16

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Year-end population figures were supplied by York Region Planning and Development Services Department based on Census counts and CMHC housing completion data.

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  Citizen generated calls for service data for the years 2018-2021 were obtained using Business Intelligence tools.

# **CRIME STATISTICS (CONT'D...)**

FIVE YEAR DATA (JANUARY -DECEMBER)

Crime Categories	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Drug Violations					
Total	2,313	1,985	1,023	1,467	1,624
Cleared	2,300	1,922	992	1,350	1,580
Clearance Rate (%)	99.4	96.8	97.0	92.0	97.3
Rate per 100,000 population	191.70	165.89	85.07	120.88	132.23
Other Federal Violations					
Total	268	281	242	92	88
Cleared	264	262	252	92	84
Clearance Rate (%)	98.5	93.2	104.1	100.0	95.5
Rate per 100,000 population	22.21	23.48	20.12	7.58	7.17
<b>Total Criminal Code &amp; Federal Violations</b>					
Total	36,299	38,839	40,913	36,714	39,112
Cleared	21,066	21,043	20,679	18,200	17,859
Clearance Rate (%)	58.0	54.2	50.5	49.6	45.7
Rate per 100,000 population	3,008.51	3,245.89	3,402.23	3,025.21	3,184.55
Criminal Code Traffic Violations					
Total	4,514	4,796	5,094	4,069	4,305
Cleared	1,894	2,021	2,235	2,212	2,439
Clearance Rate (%)	42.0	42.1	43.9	54.4	56.7
Rate per 100,000 population	374.13	400.82	423.61	335.28	350.52
Motor Vehicle Collisions (Reportable)					
Property Damage	11,452	10,997	10,241	7,125	6,945
Personal Injury	3,059	2,917	2,817	1,652	1,818
Fatal	18	30	27	21	20
Total	14,529	13,944	13,085	8,798	8,783
Fail to Remain	3,102	3,017	3,299	1,990	2,102

# **CRIME STATISTICS**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Crime Categories	2020 Actual	2020 Percent Cleared	2020 Rate Per 100,000 Population	2021 Actual	2021 Percent Cleared	2021 Rate Per 100,000 Population	2020/21 Variance in Actual (%)	2020/21 Variance in Rates (%)
Crimes Against Persons	8,830	60.8	727.59	9,777	57.2	796.06	10.7	9.4
Violations Causing Death	10	80.0	0.82	16	75.0	1.30	60.0	58.1
Attempt Capital Crime	37	54.1	3.05	39	92.3	3.18	5.4	4.2
Sexual Violations	691	54.7	56.94	796	57.0	64.81	15.2	13.8
Commodification of Sexual Activity	47	97.9	3.87	32	106.3	2.61	-31.9	-32.7
Assault	4,354	69.5	358.77	4,787	64.5	389.76	9.9	8.6
Violations Deprivation Freedom	165	81.2	13.60	140	97.1	11.40	-15.2	-16.2
Robbery & Other Violent Violations	3,526	49.9	290.54	3,967	46.3	323.00	12.5	11.2
Crimes Against Property	21,340	32.8	1,758.40	22,504	26.8	1,832.30	5.5	4.2
Arson	71	25.4	5.85	67	29.9	5.46	-5.6	-6.8
Break and Enter	1,564	28.5	128.87	1,398	27.4	113.83	-10.6	-11.7
Theft Over \$5000	1,786	17.0	147.17	2,559	9.1	208.36	43.3	41.6
Theft Under \$5000	8,144	25.9	671.06	8,918	22.6	726.12	9.5	8.2
Have Stolen Goods	1,427	105.1	117.58	1,355	101.5	110.33	-5.0	-6.2
Fraud	5,263	26.6	433.67	4,998	14.9	406.94	-5.0	-6.2
Mischief	3,085	39.9	254.20	3,209	39.6	261.28	4.0	2.8
Other Criminal Code	4,425	88.7	364.62	4,609	89.7	375.27	4.2	2.9
Other Criminal Code (Part A)	3,791	89.8	312.38	4,082	89.1	332.36	7.7	6.4
Other Criminal Code (Part B)	634	82.2	52.24	527	93.7	42.91	-16.9	-17.9
Weapons Violations	535	81.5	44.08	490	83.5	39.90	-8.4	-9.5
Public Morals Violations	25	76.0	2.06	20	80.0	1.63	-20.0	-20.9
Prostitution/Public Morals	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	0.00	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Gaming and Betting	25	76.0	2.06	20	80.0	1.63	-20.0	-20.9
Total Criminal Violations	35,155	47.7	2,896.75	37,400	43.3	3,045.16	6.4	5.1
Drug Violations	1,467	92.0	120.88	1,624	97.3	132.23	10.7	9.4
Other Federal Violations	92	100.0	7.58	88	95.5	7.17	-4.3	-5.5
Total Criminal Code & Federal Violations (excluding traffic)	36,714	49.6	3,025.21	39,112	45.7	3,184.55	6.5	5.3
Traffic Violations	4,069	54.4	335.28	4,305	56.7	350.52	5.8	4.5
Dangerous Operation	502	77.9	41.36	596	75.7	48.53	18.7	17.3
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	1,383	99.9	113.96	1,546	99.5	125.88	11.8	10.5
Other Criminal Code Traffic Violations	2,184	20.1	179.96	2,163	20.8	176.11	-1.0	-2.1
Street Racing	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	0.00	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>N.C. – Not Calculable

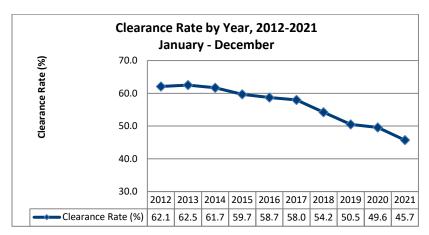
#### **CLEARANCE RATE**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Crime Categories	2020 Actual	2020 Total Cleared	2020 Cleared (%)	2021 Actual	2021 Total Cleared	2021 Cleared (%)	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance (%)
Crimes Against Persons	8,830	5,369	60.8	9,777	5,596	57.2	227	-3.6
Crimes Against Property	21,340	7,009	32.8	22,504	6,042	26.8	-967	-6.0
Other Criminal Code	4,425	3,925	88.7	4,609	4,132	89.7	207	1.0
Weapons Violations	535	436	81.5	490	409	83.5	-27	2.0
Public Morals Violations	25	19	76.0	20	16	80.0	-3	4.0
<b>Total Criminal Violations</b>	35,155	16,758	47.7	37,400	16,195	43.3	-563	-4.4
Drug Violations	1,467	1,350	92.0	1,624	1,580	97.3	230	5.3
Other Federal Violations	92	92	100.0	88	84	95.5	-8	-4.5
Total Criminal & Federal Violations (excluding Traffic)	36,714	18,200	49.6	39,112	17,859	45.7	-341	-3.9
Traffic Violations	4,069	2,212	54.4	4,305	2,439	56.7	227	2.3

Note: In January 2018, Statistics Canada/CCJCSS introduced new standards for reporting incidents by updating the definitions of both 'founded' and 'unfounded', and by incorporating three new non-clearance categories of 'X-open/still under investigation', 'Y-insufficient evidence to proceed' and 'Z-victim/complainant declines to proceed (no CSC identified)'. The clearance rate is negatively impacted by the change.

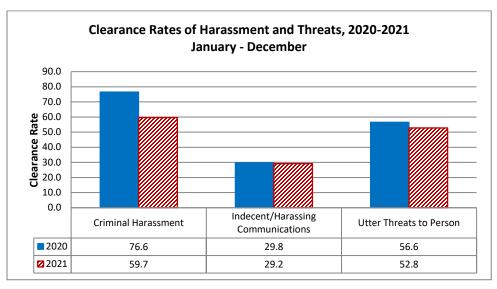


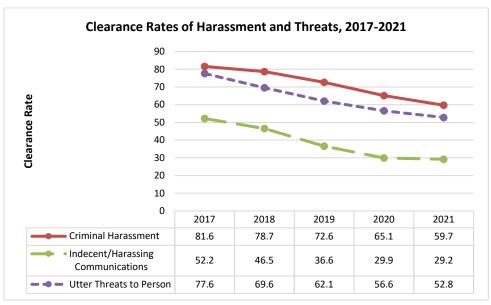


#### **CLEARANCE RATES OF HARASSMENT AND THREATS**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

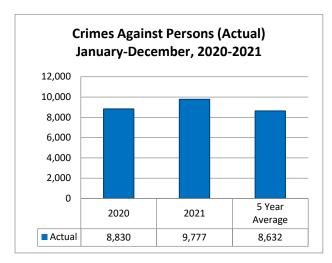
Indicator	2020 Actual	2020 Cleared	2020 Cleared %	2021 Actual	2021 Cleared	2021 Cleared %	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance Cleared %
Criminal Harassment	521	399	76.6	578	345	59.7	10.9	-16.9
Indecent/Harassing Communications	788	235	29.8	1,012	295	29.2	28.4	-0.7
Utter Threats to Person	1761	996	56.6	1,886	995	52.8	7.1	-3.8
Total	3,070	1,630	53.1	3,476	1,635	47.0	13.2	-6.1

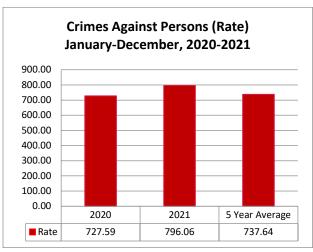




# CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

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Crimes Against Persons	2020 Actual	2020 Rate	2021 Actual	2021 Rate	5 Year Average Actual	5 Year Average Rate	2020-21 Variation (%) Actual	2020-21 Variation (%) Rate
Violations Causing Death	10	0.82	16	1.30	14	1.12	60.0	58.1
Attempt Capital Crime	37	3.05	39	3.18	34	2.98	5.4	4.2
Sexual Violations	691	56.94	796	64.81	715	60.15	15.2	13.8
Commodification of Sexual Activity	47	3.87	32	2.61	62	4.49	-31.9	-32.7
Assault	4,354	358.77	4,787	389.76	4,329	368.09	9.9	8.6
Violations Deprivation Freedom	165	13.60	140	11.40	158	13.07	-15.2	-16.2
Robbery & Other Violent Violations	3,526	290.54	3,967	323.00	3,320	287.73	12.5	11.2
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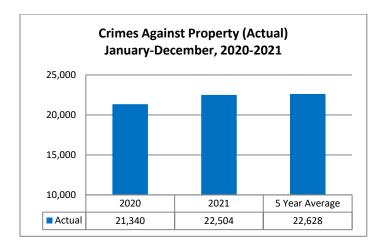


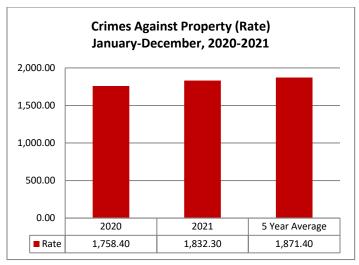


#### **CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Crimes Against Property	2020 Actual	2020 Rate	2021 Actual	2021 Rate	5 Year Average Actual	5 Year Average Rate	2020-21 Variation (%) Actual	2020-21 Variation (%) Rate
Arson	71	5.85	67	5.46	69	5.74	-5.6	-6.8
Break and Enter	1,564	128.87	1,398	113.83	1,961	162.49	-10.6	-11.7
Theft Over \$5000	1,786	147.17	2,559	208.36	1,708	140.91	43.3	41.6
Theft Under \$5000	8,144	671.06	8,918	726.12	9,182	759.57	9.5	8.2
Have Stolen Goods	1,427	117.58	1,355	110.33	1,942	160.81	-5.0	-6.2
Fraud	5,263	433.67	4,998	406.94	4,692	387.74	-5.0	-6.2
Mischief	3,085	254.20	3,209	261.28	3,074	254.14	4.0	2.8
Total	21,340	1,758.40	22,504	1,832.30	22,628	1,871.40	5.5	4.2

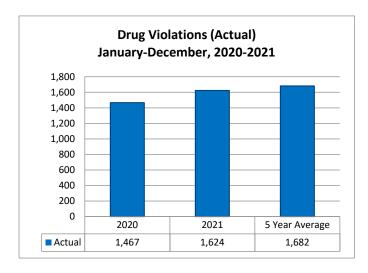


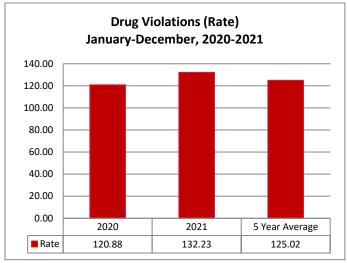


#### **DRUG VIOLATIONS**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

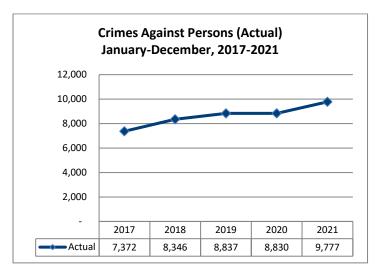
Drug violations	2020 Actual	2020 Rate	2021 Actual	2021 Rate	5 Year Average Actual	5 Year Average Rate	2020-21 Variation (%) Actual	2020-21 Variation (%) Rate
Possession - CDSA	716	59.00	847	68.96	1,103	71.80	18.3	16.9
Trafficking - CDSA	705	58.09	746	60.74	542	50.03	5.8	4.6
Import & Exportation - CDSA	3	0.25	3	0.24	4	0.20	0.0	-1.2
Production - CDSA	34	2.80	21	1.71	27	2.30	-38.2	-39.0
Precursor Equipment - CDSA	3	0.25	4	0.33	4	0.35	33.3	31.8
Other Drug Violations - CDSA	6	0.49	3	0.24	3	0.35	-50.0	-50.6
Total	1,467	120.88	1,624	132.23	1,682	125.02	10.7	9.4

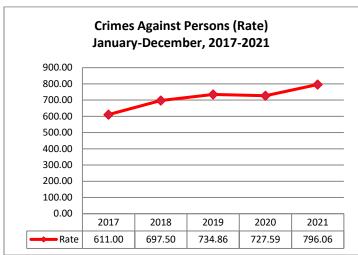




#### **CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS**

Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	7,372	577	8.5	1,292	21.3	611.00	6.7	13.6
2018	8,346	974	13.2	2,238	36.6	697.50	14.2	30.7
2019	8,837	491	5.9	2,355	36.3	734.86	5.4	32.2
2020	8,830	-7	-0.1	2,035	29.9	727.59	-1.0	27.1
2021	9,777	947	10.7	2,405	32.6	796.06	9.4	30.3





#### **VIOLATIONS CAUSING DEATH**

# (HOMICIDE & CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE CAUSING DEATH) FIVE-YEAR TREND JANUARY-DECEMBER (2017-2021)

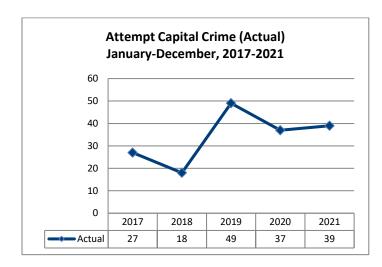
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	10	0	0.0	1	11.1	0.83	-1.6	4.1
2018	14	4	40.0	0	0.0	1.17	41.2	-4.3
2019	18	4	28.6	10	125.0	1.50	27.9	118.2
2020	10	-8	-44.4	0	0.0	0.82	-45.0	-2.2
2021	16	6	60.0	6	60.0	1.30	58.1	57.2

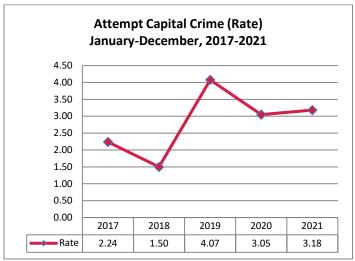




#### **ATTEMPT CAPITAL CRIME**

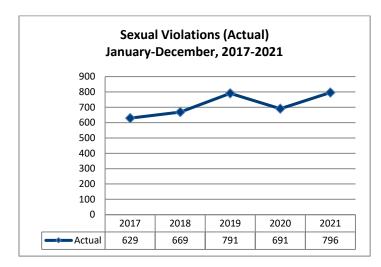
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	27	16	145.5	4	17.4	2.24	141.5	10.0
2018	18	-9	-33.3	0	0.0	1.50	-32.8	-4.3
2019	49	31	172.2	36	276.9	4.07	170.9	265.6
2020	37	-12	-24.5	26	236.4	3.05	-25.2	229.0
2021	39	2	5.4	12	44.4	3.18	4.2	41.9





#### **SEXUAL VIOLATIONS**

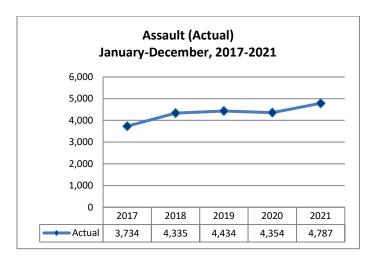
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	629	52	9.0	161	34.4	52.13	7.2	25.9
2018	669	40	6.4	261	64.0	55.91	7.2	56.9
2019	791	122	18.2	299	60.8	65.78	17.6	55.9
2020	691	-100	-12.6	114	19.8	56.94	-13.4	17.1
2021	796	105	15.2	167	26.6	64.81	13.8	24.3

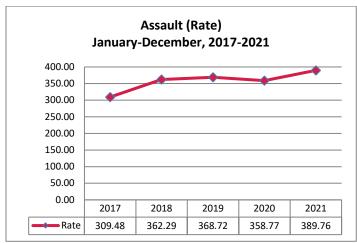




ASSAULT FIVE-YEAR TREND JANUARY-DECEMBER (2017-2021)

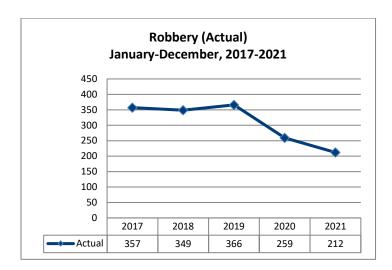
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2017	3,734	308	9.0	653	21.2	309.48	7.2	13.5
2018	4,335	601	16.1	1,062	32.4	362.29	17.1	26.7
2019	4,434	99	2.3	1,087	32.5	368.72	1.8	28.5
2020	4,354	-80	-1.8	928	27.1	358.77	-1.8	25.4
2021	4,787	433	9.9	1,053	28.2	389.76	8.6	25.9

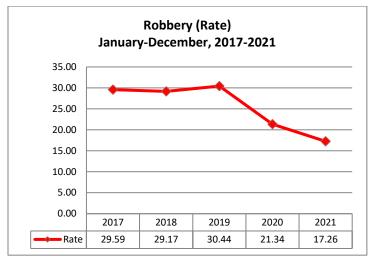




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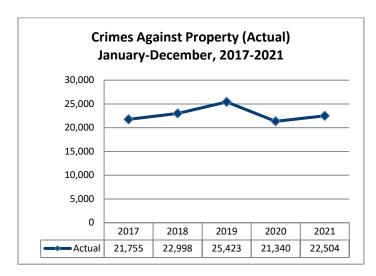
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2017	357	81	29.3	95	36.3	29.59	27.2	27.7
2018	349	-8	-2.2	144	70.2	29.17	-1.4	62.9
2019	366	17	4.9	144	64.9	30.44	4.3	59.9
2020	259	-107	-29.2	-17	-6.2	21.34	-29.9	-8.2
2021	212	-47	-18.1	-145	-40.6	17.26	-19.1	-41.7





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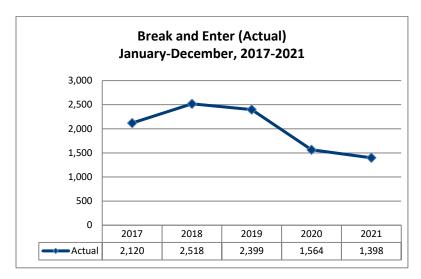
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2017	21,755	880	4.2	2,472	12.8	1,803.09	2.5	5.7
2018	22,998	1,243	5.7	4,791	26.3	1,922.01	6.6	20.8
2019	25,423	2,425	10.5	5,356	26.7	2,114.12	10.0	22.9
2020	21,340	-4,083	-16.1	465	2.2	1,758.40	-16.8	0.0
2021	22,504	1,164	5.5	749	3.4	1,832.30	4.2	1.6

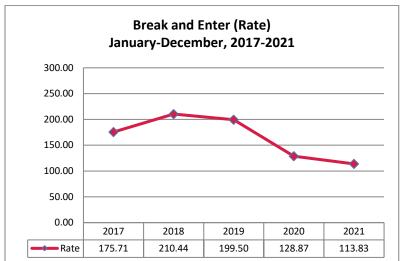




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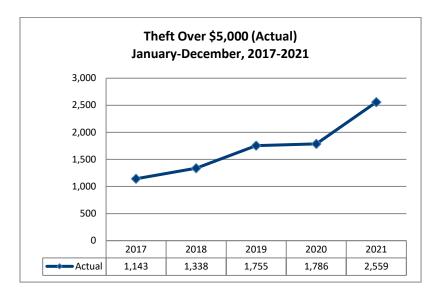
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison %	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison %	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	2,120	192	10.0	255	13.7	175.71	8.2	6.5
2018	2,518	398	18.8	671	36.3	210.44	19.8	30.4
2019	2,399	-119	-4.7	99	4.3	199.50	-5.2	1.2
2020	1,564	-835	-34.8	-364	-18.9	128.87	-35.4	-20.7
2021	1,398	-166	-10.6	-722	-34.1	113.83	-11.7	-35.2

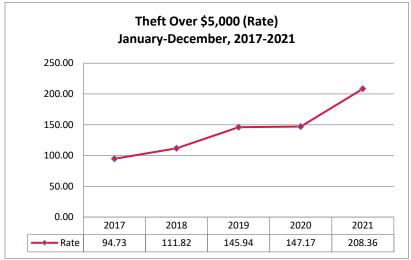




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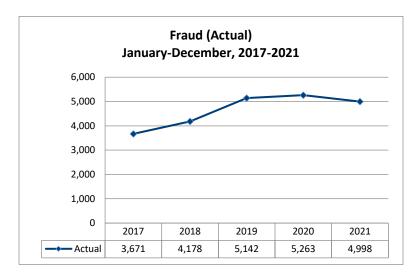
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison %	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison %	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	1,143	42	3.8	59	5.4	94.73	2.1	-1.2
2018	1,338	195	17.1	297	28.5	111.82	18.0	23.0
2019	1,755	417	31.2	651	59.0	145.94	30.5	54.2
2020	1,786	31	1.8	685	62.2	147.17	0.8	58.6
2021	2,559	773	43.3	1,416	123.9	208.36	41.6	119.9

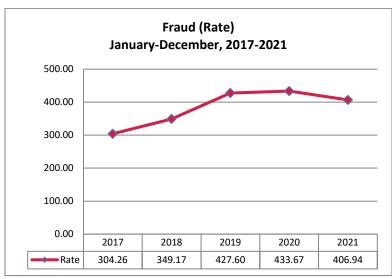




**FRAUD**FIVE-YEAR TREND
JANUARY-DECEMBER (2017-2021)

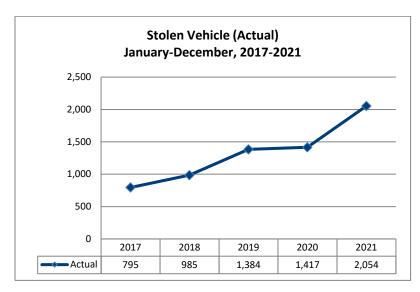
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison %	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison %	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	3,671	-206	-5.3	956	35.2	304.26	-6.9	26.7
2018	4,178	507	13.8	1,775	73.9	349.17	14.8	66.3
2019	5,142	964	23.1	2,223	76.2	427.60	22.5	70.9
2020	5,263	121	2.4	1,386	35.7	433.67	1.4	32.8
2021	4,998	-265	-5.0	1,327	36.1	406.94	-6.2	33.7





#### **STOLEN VEHICLE**

Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	795	-4	-0.5	-99	-11.1	65.89	-2.1	-16.7
2018	985	190	23.9	177	21.9	82.32	24.9	16.6
2019	1,384	399	40.5	553	66.5	115.09	39.8	61.5
2020	1,417	33	2.4	618	77.3	116.76	1.5	73.4
2021	2,054	637	45.0	1,259	158.4	167.24	43.2	153.8



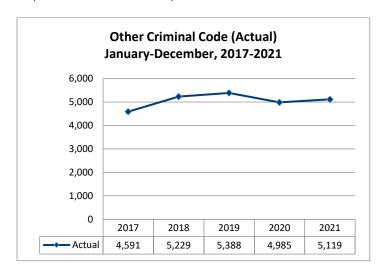


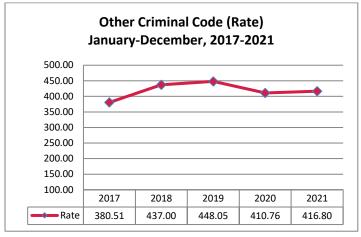
#### **OTHER CRIMINAL CODE**

(INCLUDES OTHER CRIMINAL CODE, WEAPONS & PUBLIC MORALS)
FIVE-YEAR TREND
JANUARY-DECEMBER (2017-2021)

Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	4,591	502	12.3	1,212	35.9	380.51	10.4	27.3
2018	5,229	638	13.9	1,679	47.3	437.00	14.8	40.9
2019	5,388	159	3.0	1,614	42.8	448.05	2.5	38.5
2020	4,985	-403	-7.5	896	21.9	410.76	-8.3	19.2
2021	5,119	134	2.7	528	11.5	416.80	1.5	9.5

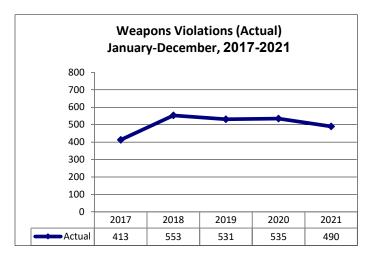
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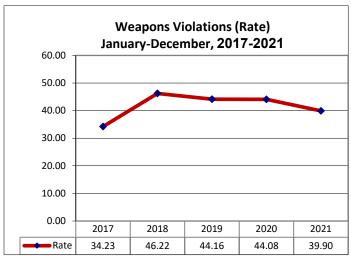




#### **WEAPONS VIOLATIONS**

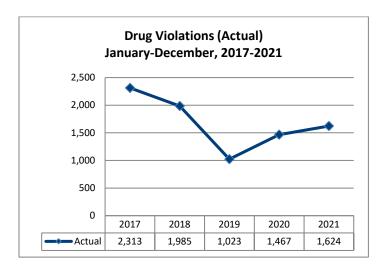
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	413	52	14.4	65	18.7	34.23	12.5	11.2
2018	553	140	33.9	164	42.2	46.22	35.0	36.0
2019	531	-22	-4.0	108	25.5	44.16	-4.5	21.8
2020	535	4	0.8	174	48.2	44.08	-0.2	44.9
2021	490	-45	-8.4	77	18.6	39.90	-9.5	16.6

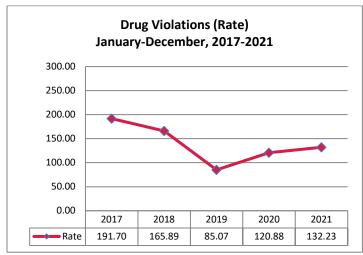




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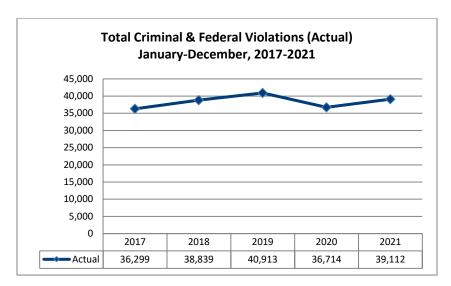
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	2,313	-31	-1.3	-224	-8.8	191.70	-2.9	-14.6
2018	1,985	-328	-14.2	-885	-30.8	165.89	-13.5	-33.8
2019	1,023	-962	-48.5	-1,621	-61.3	85.07	-48.7	-62.5
2020	1,467	444	43.4	-877	-37.4	120.88	42.1	-38.8
2021	1,624	157	10.7	-689	-29.8	132.23	9.4	-31.0

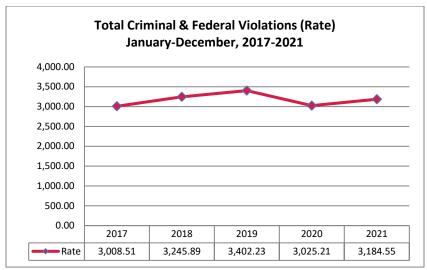




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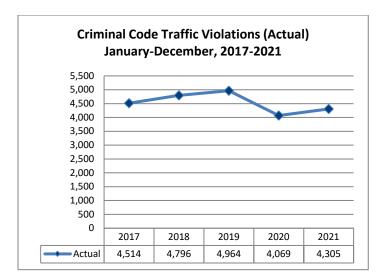
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	36,299	1,922	5.6	4,801	15.2	3,008.51	3.9	8.0
2018	38,839	2,540	7.0	7,877	25.4	3,245.89	7.9	20.0
2019	40,913	2,074	5.3	7,711	23.2	3,402.23	4.8	19.5
2020	36,714	-4,199	-10.3	2,337	6.8	3,025.21	-11.1	4.4
2021	39,112	2,398	6.5	2,813	7.7	3,184.55	5.3	5.9





#### **CRIMINAL CODE TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS**

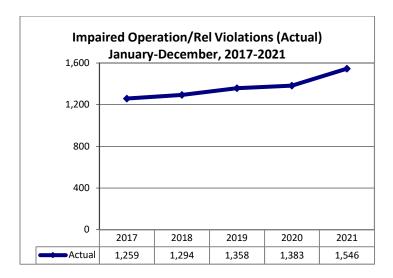
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	4,514	208	4.8	474	11.7	374.13	3.1	4.7
2018	4,796	282	6.2	573	13.6	400.82	7.1	8.7
2019	4,964	168	3.5	673	15.7	412.79	3.0	12.2
2020	4,069	-895	-18.0	-237	-5.5	335.28	-18.8	-7.6
2021	4,305	236	5.8	-209	-4.6	350.52	4.5	-6.3

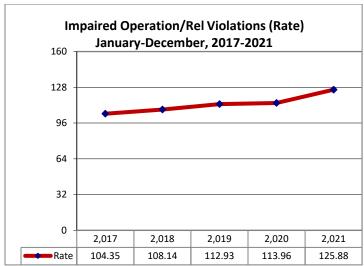




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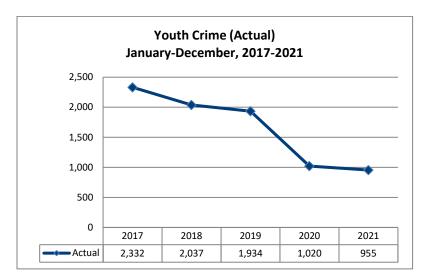
Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	1,259	-12	-0.9	391	45.0	104.35	-2.6	35.9
2018	1,294	35	2.8	186	16.8	108.14	3.6	11.7
2019	1,358	64	4.9	103	8.2	112.93	4.4	4.9
2020	1,383	25	1.8	112	8.8	113.96	0.9	6.4
2021	1,546	163	11.8	287	22.8	125.88	10.5	20.6

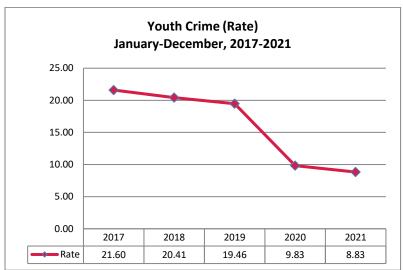




#### **YOUTH CRIME**

Year	Actual	1 Year Comparison Variance	1 Year Comparison (%)	5 Year Comparison Variance	5 Year Comparison (%)	Rate per 100,000 Population	Rate Variance (%) 1 Year	Rate Variance (%) 5 Year
2017	2,332	-148	-6.0	-360	-13.4	21.60	-7.0	-19.7
2018	2,037	-295	-12.7	-552	-21.3	20.41	-5.5	-20.4
2019	1,934	-103	-5.1	-531	-21.5	19.46	-4.7	-18.6
2020	1,020	-914	-47.3	-1,460	-58.9	9.83	-49.5	-57.7
2021	955	-65	-6.4	-1,377	-59.0	8.83	-10.2	-59.1

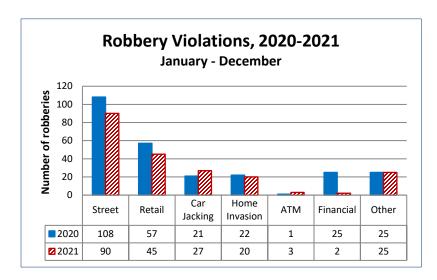


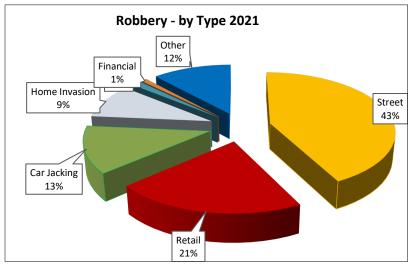


#### **ROBBERY STATISTICS**

JANUARY-DECEMBER, 2020-2021

Robbery Type	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance %
Retail	57	45	-12	-21.1
ATM	1	3	2	200.0
Financial	25	2	-23	-92.0
Home Invasion	22	20	-2	-9.1
Car Jacking	21	27	6	28.6
Street	108	90	-18	-16.7
Other	25	25	0	0.0
Total	259	212	-47	-18.1



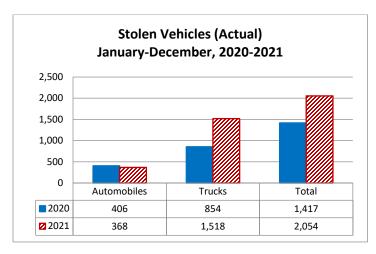


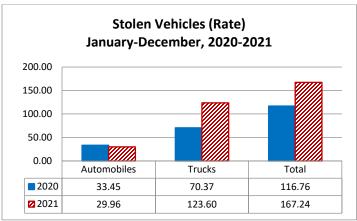
#### **STOLEN VEHICLES**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Vehicle Type	2020 Actual	2020 Rate	2021 Actual	2021 Rate	2020/21 Variance Actual (%)	2020/21 Variance Rate (%)
Automobiles	406	33.45	368	29.96	-9.4	-10.4
Trucks	854	70.37	1,518	123.60	77.8	75.6
Motorcycles	44	3.63	50	4.07	13.6	12.3
Construction/Farm	36	2.97	45	3.66	25.0	23.5
Tractor Trailers	48	3.96	46	3.75	-4.2	-5.3
Other	29	2.39	27	2.20	-6.9	-8.0
Total	1,417	116.76	2,054	167.24	45.0	43.2

Note: stolen vehicle counts include vehicles taken without owner's consent. Does not include attempt theft and vehicles obtained by fraud. Trucks include pickup trucks, bus, van, minivan, SUV and recreational vehicles. Tractor-trailers include tractors with or without a trailer.



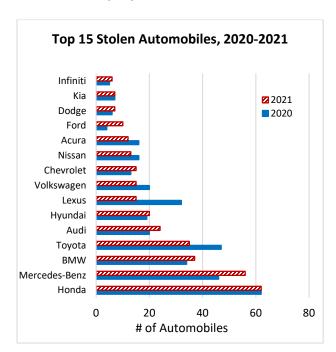


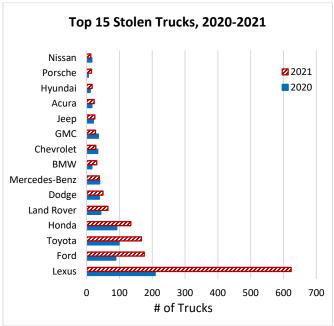
#### **MAKE OF STOLEN AUTOMOBILES AND TRUCKS**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Make of Automobiles	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance (%)	Make of Trucks	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance (%)
Honda	62	62	0.0	Lexus	209	623	198.1
Mercedes-Benz	46	56	21.7	Ford	89	176	97.8
BMW	34	37	8.8	Toyota	99	167	68.7
Toyota	47	35	-25.5	Honda	92	135	46.7
Audi	20	24	20.0	Land Rover	43	65	51.2
Hyundai	19	20	5.3	Dodge	39	50	28.2
Lexus	32	15	-53.1	Mercedes-Benz	40	39	-2.5
Volkswagen	20	15	-25.0	BMW	16	31	93.8
Chevrolet	13	15	15.4	Chevrolet	34	28	-17.6
Nissan	16	13	-18.8	GMC	36	27	-25.0
Acura	16	12	-25.0	Jeep	21	25	19.0
Ford	4	10	150.0	Acura	16	23	43.8
Dodge	6	7	16.7	Hyundai	11	17	54.5
Kia	7	7	0.0	Porsche	5	15	200.0
Infiniti	5	6	20.0	Nissan	16	13	-18.8
Other	59	34	-42.4	Other	88	84	-4.5
Total	406	368	-9.4	Total	854	1518	77.8

Note: Trucks include pickup trucks, bus, van, minivan, SUV and recreational vehicles.





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# **TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

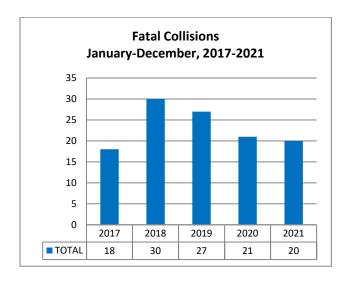
Traffic Violations	2020 Actual	2020 Rate Per 100,000 Population	2021 Actual	2021 Rate Per 100,000 Population	2020/21 Variance in Actual (%)	2020/21 Variance in Rates (%)
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	1,383	113.96	1,546	125.88	11.8	10.5
Impaired Operation/Over 80 Mgs - Alcohol	981	80.83	1,156	94.12	17.8	16.4
Impaired Operation - Drug	178	14.67	180	14.66	1.1	-0.1
Impaired Operation - Alcohol & Drug <sup>3</sup>	58	4.78	30	2.44	-48.3	-48.9
Impaired Operation - Unspecified <sup>3</sup>	7	0.58	0	0.00	-100.0	-100.0
Impaired Operation - Cause Bodily Harm	5	0.41	8	0.65	60.0	58.1
Impaired Operation - Cause Death	1	0.08	1	0.08	0.0	-1.2
IO - FTC with Demand <sup>3</sup>	153	12.61	171	13.92	11.8	10.4
IO - FTC with Demand Accident Cause BH <sup>3</sup>	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
IO - FTC with Demand Accident Cause Death <sup>3</sup>	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Dangerous Operation	502	41.36	596	48.53	18.7	17.3
Dangerous Operation	302	24.88	360	29.31	19.2	17.8
Cause Bodily Harm	12	0.99	15	1.22	25.0	23.5
Cause Death	6	0.49	2	0.16	-66.7	-67.1
Evade Police	182	15.00	219	17.83	20.3	18.9
Evade Police Cause Bodily Harm	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Evade Police Cause Death	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Fail to Stop or Remain	1,990	163.97	1,922	156.49	-3.4	-4.6
Drive While Prohibited	194	15.99	241	19.62	24.2	22.8
Other Criminal Code	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C.¹	N.C.¹
Street Racing	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C.¹
Criminal Traffic Violations - Total	4,069	335.28	4,305	350.52	5.8	4.5
Traffic - Provincial Offences						
Speeding	32,770	2,700.23	30,770	2,505.33	-6.1	-7.2
Red Light	1,422	117.17	1,359	110.65	-4.4	-5.6
Disobey Stop Sign	11,859	977.17	13,710	1,116.29	15.6	14.2
Seatbelt Related	881	72.59	674	54.88	-23.5	-24.4
Drive Under Suspension	2,558	210.78	2,223	181.00	-13.1	-14.1
Careless Driving	3,502	288.56	3,840	312.66	9.7	8.4
Fail to Remain	106	8.73	113	9.20	6.6	5.3
Motor Vehicle Collisions-Total (Reportable)	8,798	724.95	8,783	715.12	-0.2	-1.4
Fatal Collisions	21	1.73	20	1.63	-4.8	-5.9
Personal Injury Collisions	1,652	136.12	1,818	148.02	10.0	8.7
Property Damage Collisions	7,125	587.10	6,945	565.47	-2.5	-3.7
Persons Injured	2,128	175.35	2,267	184.58	6.5	5.3
Persons Killed	23	1.90	21	1.71	-8.7	-9.8
Fail to Remain Collisions	2,200	181.28	2,102	171.15	-4.5	-5.6

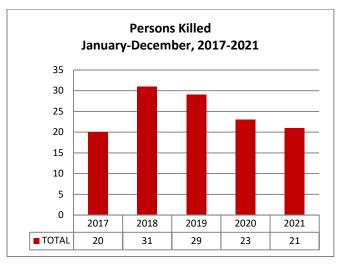
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## **FATAL MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISIONS**

Indicator	2020 Actual	2020 Rate Per 100,000 Population	2021 Actual	2021 Rate Per 100,000 Population	2020/21 Variance in Actual (%)	2020/21 Variance in Rates (%)
Fatal Collisions	21	1.73	20	1.63	-4.8	-5.9
Persons Killed	23	1.90	21	1.71	-8.7	-9.8
Driver	11	0.91	11	0.90	0.0	-1.2
Passenger	3	0.25	0	0.00	-100.0	-100.0
Pedestrian	7	0.58	8	0.65	14.3	12.9
Cyclist	2	0.16	2	0.16	0.0	-1.2
Major Contributing Factors						
Alcohol	2	0.16	1	0.08	-50.0	-50.6
Speed	7	0.58	1	0.08	-85.7	-85.9
Seatbelt	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Suicide	2	0.16	0	0.00	-100.0	-100.0
Distraction	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Inattentive	6	0.49	2	0.16	-66.7	-67.1
Lost Control	0	0.00	2	0.16	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Drugs	1	0.08	0	0.00	-100.0	-100.0
Fatigue	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Careless	3	0.25	8	0.65	166.7	163.5
Mechanical	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Weather	0	0.00	0	0.00	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Medical	2	0.16	5	0.41	150.0	147.0
Other	0	0.00	1	0.08	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>

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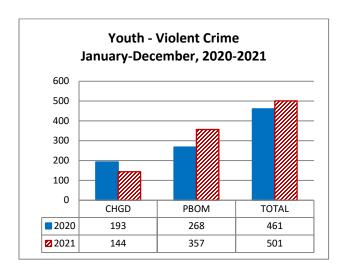
### **YOUTH CRIME STATISTICS**

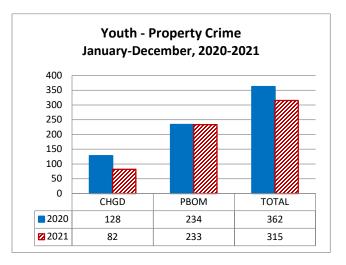
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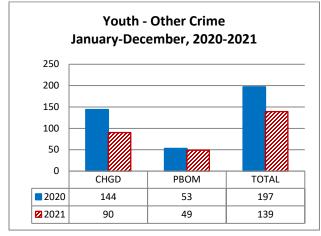
Indicator	2020 CHGD	2020 PBOM	2020 Total	2021 CHGD	2021 PBOM	2021 Total	2020/21 Variance CHGD (%)	2020/21 Variance PBOM (%)	2020/21 Variance Total
<b>Violent Crime</b>	193	268	461	144	357	501	-25.4	33.2	8.7
<b>Property Crime</b>	128	234	362	82	233	315	-35.9	-0.4	-13.0
All Other	144	53	197	90	49	139	-37.5	-7.5	-29.4
Total	465	555	1,020	316	639	955	-32.0	15.1	-6.4
Youth Crime Rate			9.83			8.83			-10.2

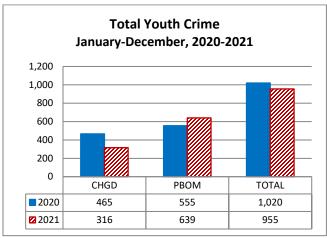
Note: CHGD-Charged youth includes persons aged 12-17 years inclusive. Includes criminal, federal, & criminal traffic charges PBOM - Processed by other means. Includes persons under the age of 18 years.

Youth Crime is expressed as a rate of youths per 1,000 youth population (12-17 inclusive), rounded to two decimals. The number of persons aged 12-17 inclusive formally charged or processed by other means have been used in this calculation. Multiple crime incident records of a youth on a same charged date are excluded in the estimation of youth crime rate. Youth population estimate supplied by York Region Planning and Development Services Department.





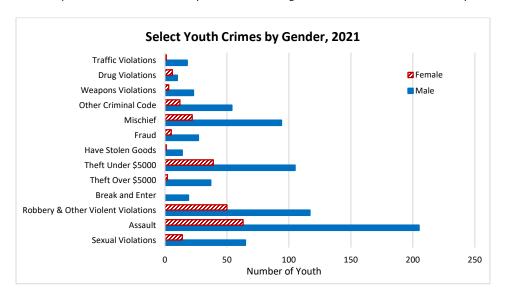




## YOUTH CRIME BY GENDER

Crime Categories	2020 Male	2020 Female	2020 Both	2021 Male	2021 Female	2021 Both	2020/21 Variation Male (%)	2020/21 Variation Female (%)	2020/21 Variation Both (%)
Crimes Against Persons	377	146	523	394	128	522	4.5	-12.3	-0.2
Violations Causing Death	1	0	1	1	0	1	0.0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	0.0
Attempt Capital Crime	3	0	3	3	1	4	0.0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	33.3
Sexual Violations	41	4	45	65	14	79	58.5	250.0	75.6
Commodification of Sexual Activity	0	0	0	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Assault	176	71	247	205	63	268	16.5	-11.3	8.5
Violations Deprivation Freedom	1	0	1	3	0	3	200.0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	200.0
Robbery & Other Violent Violations	155	71	226	117	50	167	-24.5	-29.6	-26.1
Crimes Against Property	348	117	465	305	72	377	-12.4	-38.5	-18.9
Arson	3	2	5	9	3	12	200.0	50.0	140.0
Break and Enter	47	7	54	19	0	19	-59.6	-100.0	-64.8
Theft Over \$5000	49	7	56	37	2	39	-24.5	-71.4	-30.4
Theft Under \$5000	109	69	178	105	39	144	-3.7	-43.5	-19.1
Have Stolen Goods	37	3	40	14	1	15	-62.2	-66.7	-62.5
Fraud	26	5	31	27	5	32	3.8	0.0	3.2
Mischief	77	24	101	94	22	116	22.1	-8.3	14.9
Other Criminal Code	76	13	89	54	12	66	-28.9	-7.7	-25.8
Weapons Violations	19	1	20	23	3	26	21.1	200.0	30.0
Public Morals Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Drug Violations	43	4	47	10	6	16	-76.7	50.0	-66.0
Other Federal Violations	3	1	4	4	0	4	33.3	-100.0	0.0
Total Criminal Code & Federal Violations (excluding traffic)	866	282	1,148	790	221	1,011	-8.8	-21.6	-11.9
Traffic Violations	29	2	31	18	1	19	-37.9	-50.0	-38.7

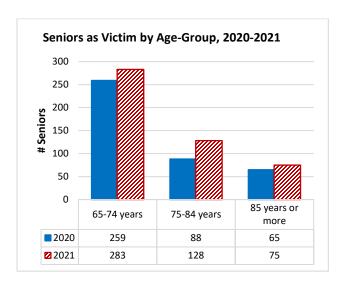
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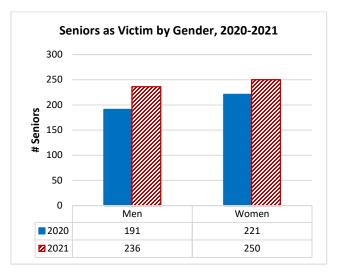


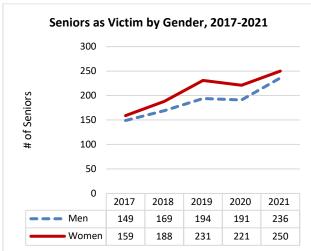
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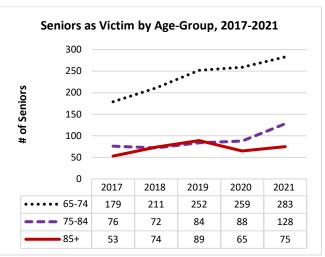
Violent Crime Categories	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance %
Violations Causing Death	0	1	1	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Attempt Capital Crime	1	0	-1	-100.0
Sexual Violations	22	20	-2	-9.1
Assault	261	310	49	18.8
Violations Deprivation Freedom	2	4	2	100.0
Robbery & Other Violent Violations	126	151	25	19.8
Crimes Against Persons	412	486	74	18.0

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# **HATE CRIME MOTIVATIONS**

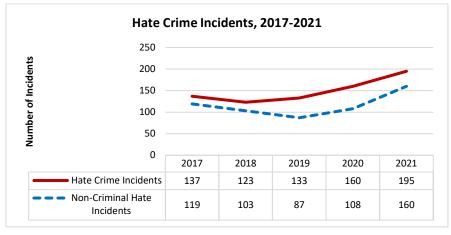
Principle Motivation Factor	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actua	2020/21 I Variance (%)
Race/Ethnicity	89	104	15	16.9
Aboriginal	7	1	-6	-85.7
Arab/West Asian	12	12	0	0.0
Black	39	48	9	23.1
East & Southeast Asian	19	29	10	52.6
South Asian	7	5	-2	-28.6
White	1	2	1	100.0
Multiple Races/Ethnicities	2	4	2	100.0
Other Race/Ethnicity	2	3	1	50.0
Unknown Race/Ethnicity	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Religion	38	58	20	52.6
Catholic	1	3	2	200.0
Jewish	30	43	13	43.3
Muslim (Islam)	7	11	4	57.1
Other Religion	0	1	1	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Unknown Religion	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Sexual Orientation	22	30	8	36.4
Bisexual	0	1	1	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Heterosexual	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Homosexual (Lesbian or Gay)	22	27	5	22.7
Other Sexual Orientation	0	1	1	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Unknown Sexual Orientation	0	1	1	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Language	6	0	-6	-100.0
English	6	0	-6	-100.0
French	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Other Language	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Unknown Language	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Disability	2	3	1	50.0
Mental	2	0	-2	-100.0
Physical	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Other Disability	0	3	3	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Unknown Disability	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Gender	3	0	-3	-100.0
Age	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Other Factors	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Unknown	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Total Hate Crime Incidents	160	195	35	21.9

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> NC - Not Calculable.

### **HATE CRIME VIOLATIONS**

Most Serious Violation	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance (%)
Crimes Against Persons	88	122	34	38.6
Aggravated Assault III	0	1	1	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Assault with Weapon or CBH	9	14	5	55.6
Assault Level I	24	27	3	12.5
Assault Officer	0	1	1	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Other Assaults	1	0	-1	-100.0
Sexual Assault	1	1	0	0.0
Street Robbery	1	0	-1	-100.0
Criminal Harassment	7	11	4	57.1
Extortion	1	2	1	100.0
Harassing Communications	16	30	14	87.5
Utter Threat to Persons	28	35	7	25.0
Crimes Against Property	67	70	3	4.5
Arson	1	0	-1	-100.0
B&E Commercial	1	2	1	100.0
B&E Residential	1	0	-1	-100.0
Theft Under	7	1	-6	-85.7
Mischief Hate	41	47	6	14.6
Mischief Property	10	11	1	10.0
Mischief Graffiti	6	9	3	50.0
Other Criminal Code	5	3	-2	-40.0
Cause Disturbance	3	1	-2	-66.7
Utter Threat to Animals	2	2	0	0.0
Total Hate Crime Incidents	160	195	35	21.9

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> NC - Not Calculable. **Hate Crime** means a criminal offence committed against a person or property, which is motivated by the offender's bias, prejudice, or hate based on race, national or ethnic origin, language, colour, religion, sex, age, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation, or any other similar factor. **Non-criminal hate incidents** do not meet the threshold of a criminal offence.

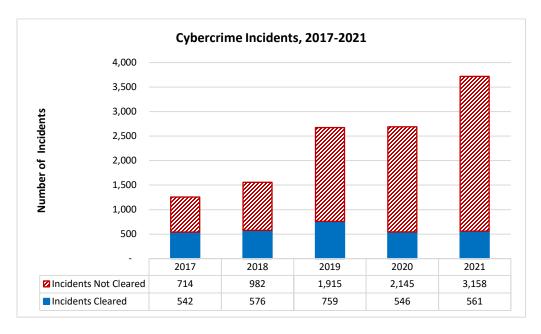


**CYBERCRIME**JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Offence Type	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance %
Sexual Violations	109	112	3	2.8
Assault	37	63	26	70.3
Violations Deprivation Freedom	3	8	5	166.7
Robbery and Other Violent Violations	1,125	1,422	297	26.4
Commodification of Sexual Activity	1	4	3	300.0
Crimes Against Persons	1,275	1,609	334	26.2
Fraud	1,413	2,280	867	61.4
Mischief	51	52	1	2.0
Theft	16	17	1	6.3
Have Stolen Goods	16	9	-7	-43.8
Break & Enter	4	3	-1	-25.0
Crimes Against Property	1,500	2,361	861	57.4
Other Criminal Code	308	270	-38	-12.3
Drug Violations	2	4	2	100.0
Other Federal Violations	2	0	-2	-100.0
Traffic Violations	1	0	-1	-100.0
Total Cybercrime Incidents	2,691	3,719	1,028	38.2

Note: All four violations in an incident are counted.

**Cybercrime** is defined as a criminal offence involving computer or such device as the object of the crime or the tool used to commit a material component of the offence. Texting, messages on Facebook, Twitter and other such social media are considered as cybercrime activity if a criminal offence is involved.

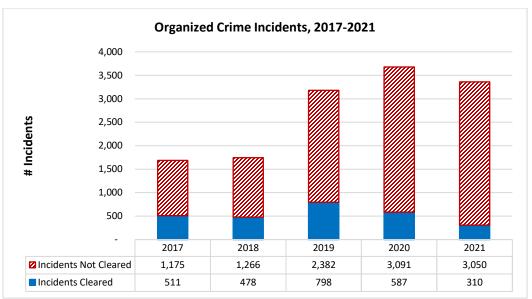


### **ORGANIZED CRIME**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Offence Type	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance %
Capital Crime	6	0	-6	-100.0
Sexual Violations	1	3	2	200.0
Assault	27	17	-10	-37.0
Violations Deprivation Freedom	14	4	-10	-71.4
Robbery and Other Violations	72	54	-18	-25.0
Commodification of Sexual Activity	8	1	-7	-87.5
Crimes Against Persons	128	79	-49	-38.3
Arson	9	2	-7	-77.8
Break & Enter	126	46	-80	-63.5
Theft Over \$5000	89	207	118	132.6
Theft \$5000 or Under	122	100	-22	-18.0
Have Stolen Goods	143	114	-29	-20.3
Fraud	3,215	2,820	-395	-12.3
Mischief	16	23	7	43.8
Crimes Against Property	3,720	3,312	-408	-11.0
Other Criminal Code	263	119	-144	-54.8
Weapons Violations	59	25	-34	-57.6
Gamming and Betting	15	3	-12	-80.0
Drug Violations	181	193	12	6.6
Youth Criminal Justice Act	1	2	1	100.0
Traffic Violations	6	4	-2	-33.3
Total	3,678	3,360	-318	-8.6

Note: All four violations in an incident are counted. **Organized Crime** is a criminal offence committed by members of a criminal organization or street gang for material benefits or financial gains or in order to obtain power and recognition and/or control specific areas of criminal activities

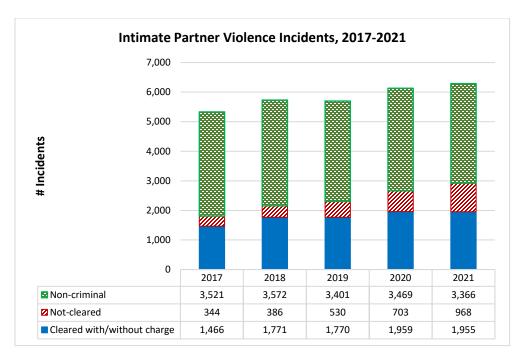


## **INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Indicator	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance %
Total intimate partner violence occurrences	6,131	6,289	158	2.6
Occurrences where charges laid/warrant sought	1,869	1,939	70	3.7
Occurrences where accused held for bail/show cause	447	477	30	6.7
Occurrences where offences alleged but charges not laid	1,223	1,329	106	8.7
Occurrences where no offences alleged (non-criminal)	3,469	3,366	-103	-3.0
Accused with previous intimate domestic violence charges	673	756	83	12.3
Percent of accused with prior convictions	36.0	39.0	3.0	8.3
Type of Relationship - Intimate Partner Violence				
Husband/Wife	1,714	1,728	14	0.8
Common Law	330	324	-6	-1.8
Boyfriend/Girlfriend	1,571	1,571	0	0.0
Same Sex Relationship - Male	9	12	3	33.3
Same Sex Relationship - Female	14	14	0	0.0
Ex-Husband/Wife	930	971	41	4.4
Ex-Common Law	203	183	-20	-9.9
Ex-Boyfriend/Girlfriend	1,228	1,384	156	12.7
Ex-Same Sex Relationship - Male	14	13	-1	-7.1
Ex-Same Sex Relationship - Female	11	20	9	81.8
Other Intimate Relationship	107	69	-38	-35.5
Total	6,131	6,289	158	2.6

Note: Non-criminal incidents include unfounded incidents. All 2020-2021 data extracted from RMS in March 2022.



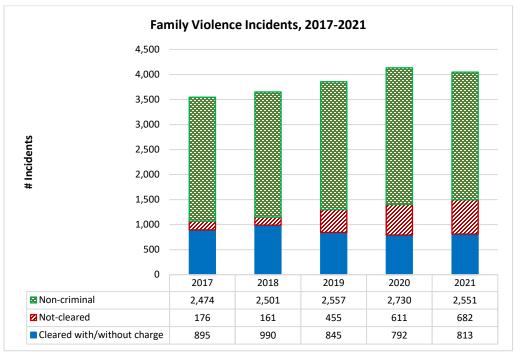
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## **FAMILY VIOLENCE**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Indicator	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance %
Total family violence occurrences	4,133	4,046	-87	-2.1
Occurrences where charges laid/warrant sought	368	310	-58	-15.8
Occurrences where accused held for bail/show cause	98	85	-13	-13.3
Occurrences where offences alleged but charges not laid	1,035	1,185	150	14.5
Occurrences where no offences alleged (non-criminal)	2,730	2,551	-179	-6.6
Accused with previous family domestic violence charges	78	60	-18	-23.1
Percent of accused with prior convictions	21.2	19.4	-1.8	-8.7
Type of Relationship - Intimate Partner Violence				
Brother/Brother	245	247	2	0.8
Brother/Sister	333	324	-9	-2.7
Father/Daughter	448	425	-23	-5.1
Father/Son	829	703	-126	-15.2
Mother/Daughter	653	689	36	5.5
Mother/Son	948	919	-29	-3.1
Sister/Sister	113	126	13	11.5
Other Family Relationship	564	613	49	8.7
Total	4,133	4,046	-87	-2.1

Note: Non-criminal incidents include unfounded incidents. All 2020-2021 data extracted from RMS in March 2022.



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## **CALLS FOR SERVICE**

JANUARY-DECEMBER (2020-2021)

Indicator	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance (Actual)	2020/21 Variance (%)
Total Citizen Generated Calls for Service	255,407	254,451	- 956	- 0.4
Dispatched Citizen Generated Calls for Service	98,042	96,852	- 1,190	- 1.2
Calls Diverted to CRC and ARU	5,395	7,134	1,739	32.2
Calls Diverted to Online Reporting	12,627	13,008	381	3.0

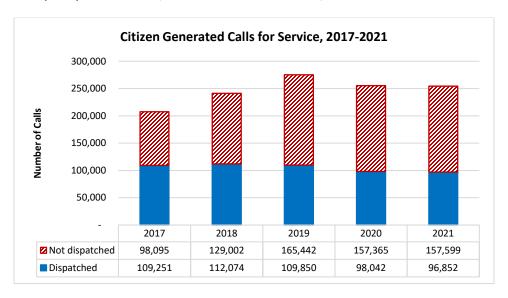
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#### Calls to Communication Bureau, 2020-2021

Call Type	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance (Actual)	2020/21 Variance (%)
Emergency 911 Calls	250,496	270,269	19,773	7.9
Non-Emergency Calls	371,571	340,132	- 31,439	- 8.5
Total	622,067	610,401	- 11,666	- 1.9

## Call Response Time (in Minutes) by Level of Priority, 2020-2021

Priority	Priority Description	2020 # of Calls	2020 Mean (mm:ss)	2021 # of Calls	2021 Mean (mm:ss)	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance %
1	Emergency	3,234	6:44	3,449	6:52	+ 0:08	1.5%
2	High priority	33,725	13:24	34,074	13:21	- 0:03	- 5.4%
3	Medium priority	53,082	23:41	48,349	24:31	- 0:50	- 7.9%



## **DISPATCHED CALLS FOR SERVICE**

Initial Call Type	2020 Calls	2020 %	2021 Calls	2021 %	2020/21 Variance Calls	2020/21 Variance %
DOMESTIC RELATED	9,233	9.4	9,257	9.4	24	0.3
CHECK WELFARE	6,360	6.5	6,895	7.0	535	8.4
MVC RELATED	7,771	7.9	6,306	6.4	-1,465	-18.9
ASSIST P.O. OR OTHER AGENCY	4,938	5.0	5,535	5.6	597	12.1
IMPAIRED	4,786	4.9	4,673	4.8	-113	-2.4
MENTAL HEALTH RELATED	4,149	4.2	4,270	4.4	121	2.9
THEFT RELATED	3,487	3.6	3,424	3.5	-63	-1.8
ASSIST AMBULANCE	3,203	3.3	3,233	3.3	30	0.9
DISPUTE	2,901	3.0	3,206	3.3	305	10.5
ASSIST CITIZEN	1,821	1.9	3,188	3.3	1,367	75.1
UNWANTED PERSON	2,689	2.7	2,938	3.0	249	9.3
SILENT 911	3,188	3.3	2,626	2.7	-562	-17.6
ALARM RELATED	4,007	4.1	2,609	2.7	-1,398	-34.9
NOISE COMPLAINT	2,936	3.0	2,551	2.6	-385	-13.1
SUSPICIOUS PERSON	2,466	2.5	2,343	2.4	-123	-5.0
THEFT OF VEHICLE RELATED	1,531	1.6	2,073	2.1	542	35.4
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	2,251	2.3	1,747	1.8	-504	-22.4
REOPENING ONTARIO/EMACT	3,433	3.5	1,714	1.7	-1,719	-50.1
INJURED PERSON	1,385	1.4	1,554	1.6	169	12.2
ASSAULT RELATED	1,571	1.6	1,485	1.5	-86	-5.5
THREATS	1,603	1.6	1,327	1.4	-276	-17.2
DRIVING COMPLAINT / HAZARD	1,198	1.2	1,254	1.3	56	4.7
KEEP THE PEACE	1,061	1.1	1,105	1.1	44	4.1
PROPERTY DAMAGE	985	1.0	1,084	1.1	99	10.1
FIRE	997	1.0	1,036	1.1	39	3.9
MISSING PERSON RELATED	1,233	1.3	988	1.0	-245	-19.9
HARASSMENT	1,112	1.1	982	1.0	-130	-11.7
BREAK IN RELATED	1,906	1.9	906	0.9	-1,000	-52.5
WANTED PERSON	560	0.6	809	0.8	249	44.5
UNKNOWN TROUBLE	940	1.0	708	0.7	-232	-24.7
WEAPONS CALL	809	0.8	640	0.7	-169	-20.9
PROPERTY FOUND	596	0.6	555	0.6	-41	-6.9
SHOPLIFTING	541	0.6	540	0.6	-1	-0.2

# **DISPATCHED CALLS FOR SERVICE (CONT'D)**

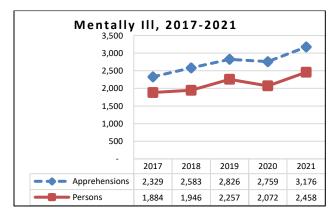
Initial Call Type	<b>2020</b> Calls	<b>2020</b> %	<b>2021</b> Calls	<b>2021</b> %	2020/21 Variance Calls	2020/21 Variance %
TRESPASSING	463	0.5	512	0.5	49	10.6
BREACH OF CONDITIONS OR PROBATION	445	0.5	477	0.5	32	7.2
FRAUD RELATED	529	0.5	474	0.5	-55	-10.4
VITAL SIGNS ABSENT	566	0.6	468	0.5	-98	-17.3
ANIMAL COMPLAINT	459	0.5	457	0.5	-2	-0.4
SEXUAL ASSAULT / SEX OFFENCE RELATED	351	0.4	452	0.5	101	28.8
YOUTH COMPLAINT	372	0.4	399	0.4	27	7.3
ELECTRONIC CRIME	222	0.2	310	0.3	88	39.6
RECOVERED AUTO	260	0.3	296	0.3	36	13.8
HATE/BIAS MOTIVATED	179	0.2	262	0.3	83	46.4
DISTURBANCE	385	0.4	221	0.2	-164	-42.6
SOUND OF GUNSHOTS	318	0.3	203	0.2	-115	-36.2
DRUGS	261	0.3	198	0.2	-63	-24.1
ROBBERY RELATED	231	0.2	172	0.2	-59	-25.5
ABANDONED VEHICLE	182	0.2	171	0.2	-11	-6.0
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS	169	0.2	166	0.2	-3	-1.8
INSECURE PREMISE	194	0.2	160	0.2	-34	-17.5
TRANSPORT WEAPON	145	0.1	142	0.1	-3	-2.1
LIQUOR OFFENCE	201	0.2	122	0.1	-79	-39.3
INDECENT ACT	136	0.1	120	0.1	-16	-11.8
ABUSE ELDER	81	0.1	100	0.1	19	23.5
DEMONSTRATION, STRIKES, PICKET, RIOT	40	0.0	190	0.2	150	375.0
ACCIDENT INDUSTRIAL / FARM	70	0.1	90	0.1	20	28.6
BOAT IN DISTRESS	106	0.1	89	0.1	-17	-16.0
PROPERTY LOST	67	0.1	83	0.1	16	23.9
PARKING COMPLAINT	55	0.1	68	0.1	13	23.6
ABUSE CHILD	42	0.0	50	0.1	8	19.0
TRAFFIC CONTROL	46	0.0	43	0.0	-3	-6.5
PROWLER	37	0.0	33	0.0	-4	-10.8
BY LAW	39	0.0	27	0.0	-12	-30.8
INFORMATIONAL CALL	26	0.0	26	0.0	0	0.0
ARMED BARRICADED PERSON	22	0.0	18	0.0	-4	-18.2
STALKING	26	0.0	14	0.0	-12	-46.2
Total	98,042	100.0	96,852	100.0	-1,190	-1.2

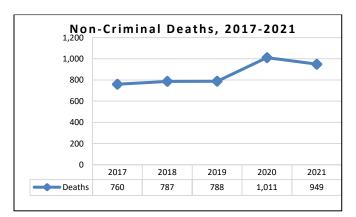
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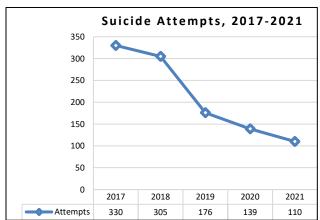
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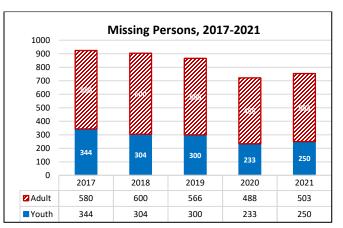
						1 Year	1 Year	5 Year	5 Year
Indicator	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Variance	Variance	Variance	Variance
						Actual	%	Actual	%
Mentally III Apprehensions	2,329	2,583	2,826	2,759	3,176	417	15.1	847	36.4
Mentally III Persons	1,884	1,946	2,257	2,072	2,458	386	18.6	574	30.5
Suicide Attempt	330	305	176	139	110	-29	-20.9	-220	-66.7
Total Non-Criminal Death	760	787	788	1,011	949	-62	-6.1	189	24.9
Death - Suicide	63	56	67	59	58	-1	-1.7	-5	-7.9
Death - Natural	629	630	632	787	724	-63	-8.0	95	15.1
Death - Accidental	40	29	40	50	44	-6	-12.0	4	10.0
Death - Non-traffic Aircraft	0	2	0	0	0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>
Death - Unidentified*	28	70	49	115	123	8	7.0	95	339.3
Missing Persons	924	904	866	721	753	32	4.4	-171	-18.5
Missing Youth	344	304	300	233	250	17	7.3	-94	-27.3
Missing Adult	580	600	566	488	503	15	3.1	-77	-13.3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> NC - Not Calculable.









# **MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS**

Indicator	2020	2021	2020/21 Variance Actual	2020/21 Variance (%)	
Alarm Program					
Alarm Calls Received	6,211	5,105	-1,106	-17.8	
False Alarms	3,114	2,013	-1,101	-35.4	
False Alarm (%)	50.1	39.4	-11	-10.7	
Crime Stoppers					
Tips Received	3,732	3,084	-648	-17.4	
Arrests Made	153	140	-13	-8.5	
Cases Cleared	194	109	-85	-43.8	
Property Recovered	\$35,530,826	\$603,736	-\$34,927,090	-98.3	
Weapons Seized	52	5	-47	-90.4	
Drugs Seized	\$747,168	\$13,264,373	\$12,517,205	1675.3	
Rewards Authorized	\$2,200	\$22,642	\$20,442	929.2	
Arson Loss Value	\$0	\$0	0	N.C. <sup>1</sup>	
Information Management					
Police Record Checks: Employment	32,521	42,565	10,044	30.9	
Police Records Check: Volunteer	7,226	5,832	-1,394	-19.3	
MVC/Incident Summary Reports	2,029	1,837	-192	-9.5	
Warrants Processed	1,255	1,664	409	32.6	
Freedom of Information					
Formal Requests	1,381	1,480	99	7.2	
Informal Requests	1,272	1,175	-97	-7.6	
Total	2,653	2,655	2	0.1	
Victim Services of York Region					
On-Scene Occurrences	345	180	-165	-47.8	
Telephone Crisis Calls/Office Visits	16,680	15,088	-1,592	-9.5	
Total Clients Served	14,762	13,001	-1,761	-11.9	
Female	8,252	6,553	-1,699	-20.6	
Male	3,040	1,955	-1,085	-35.7	
Children (0-15 years)	3,470	4,493	1,023	29.5	

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  NC - Not Calculable.

#### **APPENDIX A: GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

**Actual** totals include only those incidents for which an occurrence report was made and have been substantiated through police investigation.

**ATM Robberies** include robberies at ATM machines within financial institutions or at stand-alone locations where the victim is approached and forced to withdraw money or is robbed as they are leaving the machine.

**Calls to 9-1-1 Communications Centre** include all telephone calls, 911 and non-emergency, made by members of the public.

**Car Jacking** includes robberies where the intent is to steal a motor vehicle with the use or threat of violence against the person(s) in care or control of that vehicle.

**Charged/Suspect-Chargeable (CSC)** is a person who has been identified as an accused in an incident and against whom a charge may be laid in connection with the incident.

**Citizen Generated Calls for Service** occur when a citizen requests or requires a police response of any kind. Requests are received by, but not limited to, 911 telephone calls, non-emergency telephone calls, walk-in requests, online reports, or requests via other agencies.

Clearance Rates are calculated by the number of violations cleared by charge or otherwise (persons processed by other means) divided by the number of violations. These violations may not necessarily have occurred during the reporting period but sometime prior.

**Complainant** is the target of a non-violent incident. The complainant can be a person or a company depending on the type of crime.

**Crime Rates** are expressed as a rate per 100,000 population using year-end population estimates supplied by the York Region Long Range Planning Department and have been rounded to two decimal points. The rate for youth crime is based on 1,000 youth population.

Deposit Robberies include robberies where a business deposit is stolen from a person using force.

**Dispatched Calls** are those 911 emergency telephone calls and non-emergency telephone calls, which are received at the communications bureau, assessed and then dispatched to front-line officers to assist victim(s) or address concerns.

**Fatal Motor Vehicle Collisions Contributing Factors** are based on the Major Collision Investigation Unit's interpretation of each collision. Distracted driving is counted if there is some physical or witnessed evidence to suggest the collision was linked to distraction. Inattentive is based on witness or physical evidence that would cause belief that the responsible driver was inattentive and there is no other explanation for the collision. All other categories are self-explanatory.

Financial Robberies include robberies occurring at banks, credit unions, or involving armoured cars.

## APPENDIX A: GLOSSARY OF TERMS (CONT'D...)

**Hate Crime** means a criminal offence committed against a person or property, which is motivated by the offender's bias, prejudice, or hate based on victim's race, national or ethnic origin, language, colour, religion, sex, age, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation, or any other similar factor.

**Home Invasion** is an intrusion into a residence with the intent of robbing the occupants therein.

**Incident** or criminal incident is the set of connected events that usually constitute in a police occurrence report. An incident may involve several victims, several CSCs, and multiple violations of the law. An incident report in RMS can contain up to four different violations.

**Non-Criminal Deaths** include natural deaths, suicidal deaths, non-traffic accidental deaths and undetermined deaths. The last three categories constitute non-natural deaths.

**Offence** is defined as a statistical fact for aggregate-based reporting. This terminology is not used in incident-based reporting.

**Other Robberies** include robberies that do not meet the criteria for any of the other categories. Examples include hotel robberies, robberies by uninvited guests at house parties, and break and enter occurrences that result in a robbery occurring.

**Retail Robberies** include robberies occurring at retail or commercial premises including convenience stores, restaurants/fast food establishments, massage parlours, gas stations, and donut/coffee shops.

**Street Robberies** include muggings, intimidation style robberies, and all other robberies by force or threat of force that occurs in a public place.

**Unfounded** incidents are those where it has been determined through police investigation that the offence reported did not occur, nor it was attempted. This new definition of unfounded was introduced in January 2018. The prior definition of unfounded was 'an incident is unfounded if it has been determined through police investigation that no violations of law took place at that time or location'.

**Founded** incident is if, after police investigation it has been determined that the reported offence did occur or was attempted or there is no credible evidence to confirm that the reported incident did not take place. This includes third party reports that fit these criteria.

**Violation** refers to a contravention of the *Criminal Code, Federal,* or *Provincial Statutes*.

**Victim** is a person who is the target of a violent or aggressive action or threat.

Young Person or Youth refers to a person aged 12 - 17 years inclusive (Youth Criminal Justice Act).

**Youth Crime Rate** refers to the number of youths formally charged plus processed by other means for committing a criminal or federal offence per 1,000 youth population. Youth population (12-17 inclusive) estimates used are supplied by the York Region Long Range Planning Department.

#### **APPENDIX B: TYPE OF VIOLATIONS**

**Crimes Against Persons** are crimes involving aggressive action (with the intent to do harm) or threat of such action by one person against another. These include violations causing death, attempt capital crime, sexual violations, commodification of sexual activity, assault, robbery and other violent violations, and violations/deprivation of freedom.

**Violations Causing Death** include murder 1<sup>st</sup> degree, murder 2<sup>nd</sup> degree, manslaughter, infanticide, criminal negligence cause death, and other related offences causing death.

**Attempt Capital Crime** violations include attempted murder and conspiracy to commit murder.

**Sexual** violations include aggravated sexual assault, sexual assault with a weapon or cause bodily harm, and level 1 sexual assault. This category also includes sexual violations that specifically apply to children such as invitation to sexual touching, sexual exploitation, incest, corrupting morals of a child, making sexually explicit materials available to children, voyeurism, bestiality, luring child via computer, householder permit sexual activity, and distribution of intimate images.

**Commodification of Sexual Activity** violations include obtaining sexual services, material benefit from sexual services, procuring and advertising sexual services.

**Assault** violations include aggravated assault, assault with a weapon or cause bodily harm, level 1 assault, unlawfully cause bodily harm, discharge firearm with intent, assault peace/public officer, criminal negligence cause bodily harm, use firearm/imitation in commission of offence and point firearm.

**Robbery and Other Violent** violations include robbery, extortion, criminal harassment, uttering threats, explosives causing death/bodily harm, arson disregard for human life, intimidation of a justice system participant, intimidation of a non-justice system participant, indecent/harassing communications, forging/destruction of documents associated with Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID) and failure to comply with safeguards (MAID).

**Violations/Deprivation of Freedom** include kidnapping, forcible confinement, hostage taking, trafficking in persons, removing child from Canada, and abduction.

**Crimes Against Property** involve unlawful acts with respect to property but do not involve the use or threat of violence against an individual. These include arson, break and enter, theft, possession/trafficking of stolen goods, fraud, and mischief.

**Drug** violations include violations under the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act* and the *Food and Drug Act*. These violations are comprised of possession, trafficking, and importation/exportation or production of various illicit controlled drugs and substances.

**Weapons** violations include violations under the *Criminal Code*, which involve any thing used, designed to be used or intended for use in causing death or injury to any person or used for the purpose of threatening or intimidating any person. These include possession, use, trafficking, pointing, unauthorized import/export, firearms documentation and administration, and unsafe storage.

## APPENDIX B: TYPE OF VIOLATIONS (CONT'D...)

**Prostitution/Public Morals** violations include prostitution/public morals and gaming and betting. The definition of public morals violation was revised in 2016.

**Other Criminal Code** violations include the remaining non-traffic *Criminal Code* violations that are classified as neither violent nor property violations. These violations are divided into two parts:

Part A: includes bail violations, counterfeiting currency, disturb the peace, escape custody, indecent Act, child pornography, public morals, obstruct peace/public officer, prisoner unlawfully at large, trespass at night, fail to appear, breach of probation, utter threats to property-animal, advocating genocides, and public incitement of hatred.

Part B: includes unauthorized recording of movie, offences against public order, offences relating to terrorist activity, offences against administration of law and justice, invasion of privacy, offences against the person and reputation, offences against the rights or property, fraudulent transactions/contracts and trade, intimidation of justice system participant, willful/forbidden acts/respect of certain property, offences related to currency, proceeds of crime, attempts/conspiracies/accessories, offences relating to criminal organization, and all other *Criminal Code* violations.

**Federal Statutes** violations include violations under all other federal statutes. They include the Bankruptcy Act, Income Tax Act, Canada Shipping Act, Canada Health Act, Customs Act, Competition Act, Excise Act, Immigration/Refugee Protection Act, Firearms Act, National Defense Act, Young Offenders Act, Youth Criminal Justice Act, and Other Federal Statutes.

**Traffic** violations include all traffic violations under the *Criminal Code*. These include dangerous operation, evade police, impaired related violations (alcohol and drug), street racing, and other criminal traffic violations including fail to stop or remain and drive while prohibited.

**Hate Crime** means a criminal offence committed against a person or property, which is motivated by the offender's bias, prejudice, or hate based on race, national or ethnic origin, language, colour, religion, sex, age, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation, or any other similar factor.

**Homicide** includes first and second-degree murders, manslaughter and infanticide. Deaths caused by criminal negligence, suicide and accidental or justifiable homicide are not included in this classification.

**Cybercrime** is defined as a criminal offence involving computer or such device as the object of the crime or the tool used to commit a material component of the offence. Texting, messages on Facebook, Twitter and other such social media are considered as cyber-crime activity if a criminal offence is involved.

**Organized Crime** is a criminal offence committed by members of a criminal organization or street gang for material benefits or financial gains or in order to obtain power and recognition and/or control specific areas of criminal activities.

#### APPENDIX C: CHANGES IN UCR SURVEY REPORTING METHODOLOGY

(2017-2021)

Changes are made to UCR survey methodology by the Canadian Centre for Justice and Community Safety Statistics (CCJCSS) of Statistics Canada. There are two types of changes that affect UCR survey: changes brought in by the Government of Canada in the form of a new bill or law, and changes that are initiated by the CCJCSS, most often because of feedback or requests from police services or recommendations from the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (CACP). This section also includes policy and operational changes made by York Regional Police that might affect crime statistics presented for the municipalities, Districts or for the Region. The following sections outline what changes were made to the UCR survey methodology during the last five-year period, 2017-2021.

In May 2017, Bill C-37 An Act to amend the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act and to make related amendments to other Acts was granted royal assent, resulting in increased penalties for six drug violations. CCJCSS adjusted the UCR Survey and the changes were implemented in 2017.

In November 2017, the Canadian Centre for Justice and Community Safety Statistics (CCJCSS) added four new violation codes specific to opioids (other than heroin) to the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) survey. The addition of these codes was in response to the need expressed by police services to capture the prevalence of opioids using violation codes specific to these types of drugs. Previously, offences related to the possession, trafficking, importation and exportation and production of opioids (other than heroin) were included under 'other controlled drugs and substances'. The changes were implemented in December 2017.

In December 2017, Bill C-305 An Act to amend the Criminal Code (mischief) was granted royal assent, resulting in changes of the definition of violation code 2176 to 'Hate motivated mischief relating to property used by identifiable group' from 'Mischief to religious property motivated by hate'. The enactment amended Section 430(4.1) of the Criminal Code. CCJCSS made changes to UCR Survey and the changes were implemented in 2018.

In January 2018, the Canadian Centre for Justice and Community Safety Statistics in consultation with the Police Information and Statistics (POLIS) Committee made UCR methodology changes by introducing new standards for reporting founded and unfounded incidents. The definitions of both unfounded and founded were updated as:

<u>Unfounded</u>: An incident is unfounded if it has been determined through police investigation that the offence reported did not occur, nor it was attempted.

<u>Founded</u>: An incident is founded if, after police investigation it has been determined that the reported offence did occur or was attempted or there is no credible evidence to confirm that the reported incident did not take place. This includes third party reports that fit these criteria.

## APPENDIX C: CHANGES IN REPORTING METHODOLOGY (CONT'D)

In June 2018, the Canadian Government granted royal assent to Bill C-45: "An Act respecting cannabis and to amend the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, the *Criminal Code* and other Acts". The come into force date for the legislation was October 17, 2018. In response to the legislation, CCJCSS has introduced 22 new drug offences to the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Survey. The existing four cannabis-specific violations were expired. The changes were implemented in 2018.

In June 2018, the Canadian Government granted royal assent to Bill C-46: 'An Act to amend the Criminal Code (offences relating to conveyances) and to make consequential amendments to other Acts'. In response to the legislation, CCJCSS made changes to the UCR methodology in two steps (part). The come into force date for part 1 of the legislation was June 21, 2018, and for part 2 was December 18, 2018. The changes were implemented in December 2018.

Part 1 of Bill C-46 amended the provisions of the *Criminal Code* that deal with offences and procedures relating to impaired driving. As a result, seven new UCR violation codes were added to the survey. Of those, one violation captures operation while impaired with a low blood drug concentration, three violations capture impaired driving where the substance (whether alcohol or drug) causing impairment is not known, and three violations capture impaired driving where it is known that the impairment was caused by a combination of alcohol and drugs.

Part 2 of Bill C-46 repealed the provisions of the *Criminal Code* that deal with offences and procedures relating to conveyances, including those provisions enacted by part 1, and replaced them with provisions in a new part of the *Criminal Code*. In response to part 2 of Bill C-46, all existing UCR traffic violation codes were mapped to new *Criminal Code* sections or expired. Altogether, 12 new violations were added, 15 violations (including three provincial offences) were expired and the maximum penalties were increased for 15 pre-existing offences.

In December 2014, The Canadian Government granted royal assent to Bill C-13 'Protecting Canadians from Online Crime Act.' The legislation raised the maximum penalty for Criminal Code section 372. The come into force date was December 9, 2014, but the change was not implemented in the UCR survey by CCJCSS at that time. Effective October 2018, the maximum penalty 'indecent/harassing communications' was increased from six months to two years. The related changes were implemented by CCJCSS in 2018.

In December 2018, CCJCSS in consultation with the Police Information and Statistics Committee, introduced a number of changes to the gender category in the Uniform Crime Reporting Survey. The changes were in response to Bill C-16: An Act to amend the Canadian Human Rights Act and the Criminal Code which came into force on June 19, 2017. This legislation added gender identity and gender expression to the list of prohibited grounds of discrimination and protects members of the public who are distinguished by gender identity or expression against offences motivated by bias, prejudice, or hate. The changes were implemented in December 2018.

## APPENDIX C: CHANGES IN REPORTING METHODOLOGY (CONT'D)

In June 2019, the Canadian Government granted royal assent to Bill C-75, "An Act to amend the Criminal Code, the Youth Criminal Justice Act and Other Acts to make consequential amendments to other Acts". As a response to the legislation change, CCJCSS made changes to the UCR survey methodology by expiring two offences and increasing maximum penalties for nine existing offences. York Regional Police implemented the associated changes in July 2019.

In November 2019, CCJCSS introduced the new violation of 'sexual offence occurring prior to January 04, 1983' to the UCR survey for capturing historical sexual offences. The change was implemented in December 2019.

On March 17, 2020, the Province of Ontario made a declaration under the *Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act (EMCPA)*. In a letter to all Chiefs of Police, the Ontario Ministry of the Solicitor General informed Police Services about new set fines for offences under the EMCPA. York Regional Police implemented these provisions immediately.

In April 2020, the Canadian Centre for Justice and Community Safety Statistics (CCJCSS) made adjustments to the Uniform Crime Reporting Survey in response to the Federal Government amendments to the *Contraventions Regulations (Quarantine Act)*. New offence codes were introduced for federal violations of the *Quarantine Act* and implemented at York Regional Police immediately.

In April 2020, the City of Vaughan introduced a by-law to regulate activities deemed to have a potentially adverse impact on the health and wellbeing of the public during the COVID-19 Emergency. The by-law was in line with the declaration of Emergency by the Province of Ontario. New offence codes were introduced in April 2020 as per the by-law.

In July 2020, the Canadian Centre for Justice and Community Safety Statistics (CCJCSS) introduced changes to selected prostitution violation labels used for collection and publication within the Uniform Crime Reporting Survey. The new labels were endorsed by the Police Information and Statistics (POLIS) Committee in September 2019. The changes were implemented within York Regional Police immediately.

In October 2021, the Canadian Centre for Justice and Community Safety Statistics (CCJCSS) introduced changes to Uniform Crime Reporting survey by incorporating new variables on firearms, hate crime and cybercrime and also adding new options for existing hate crime variables. Four new variables on firearms recovery, firearms seized, firearms stolen and firearms discharged, one new variable on cybercrime classification, and two new variables on hate crime type and hate crime motivation were added. The changes were endorsed by the Police Information and Statistics (POLIS) Committee and the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (CACP). The changes were implemented within York Regional Police immediately.