



Orland Park Police Department Annual Report 2016





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Orland Park Police Department's Mission Statement

The mission of the Orland Park Police Department is to enhance the quality of life for the people and families within our community by providing professional, high quality and effective police service in partnership with the people. We, the members of the Orland Park Police Department believe that our work has a vital impact on the quality of life in our community. To demonstrate our dedication to our profession and our community, we commit ourselves to the following values:

Integrity

Integrity is defined as being honest, moral, upright, and sincere. We believe that integrity is the basis for community trust; therefore, we can only serve effectively to the extent that we are credible, individually, as a department, and as a profession. We lead by example in both our professional and private lives and strive to serve as role models for the community. The high level of integrity of our employees is the very foundation of the Orland Park Police Department.

Community Partnership

We see the community in a partnership role; our citizens are our partners as well as our clients. Dedicated to professional service, we are constantly striving to work with the community to solve problems. We actively solicit citizen participation in the development of police activities and programs that impact their neighborhood. The department gives a high priority to crime prevention and community safety and is committed to implementing those practices that afford greater contact between the police and the community.

Community Problem Oriented Policing

The Orland Park Police Department is committed to an open and honest relationship with the people of the community. Department members shall uphold laws in an ethical, impartial, courteous, and professional manner while respecting the rights and dignity of all persons. We shall strive to achieve a balance between enforcement and community needs that reflect both the spirit and the letter of the law.

Commitment to Employees

The department recognizes that its employees are the vital component to the successful delivery of police services. We believe we can achieve our highest potential by actively involving our employees in problem solving, and the development and implementation of programs. We strive to achieve an environment of mutual respect and trust. The department recognizes and supports academic achievement of employees and promotes their pursuit of higher education.

Professionalism and Dedication

We are proud of the trust that the public places in us individually, as a department, and in our profession. We are committed to the development and maintenance of a force of well-trained, thoroughly professional employees that are dedicated to public service and protection to the people of the Village of Orland Park. The department shall continue to provide reinforcement and support to those employees who offer contributions to a work environment that reflects dedication to department values.

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Message from the Chief

Mayor McLaughlin, Trustees and Village Manager:

I am pleased to provide to you the annual report of the Orland Park Police Department for 2016. The report provides a summary of the activity and accomplishments of the Orland Park Police Department during 2016.

Community engagement programs thrived in 2016 as we conducted eight (8) Beat Meetings, three (3) Police in the Park programs, attended dozens of block parties, held our Senior Citizens Crime Prevention Luncheon, National Night Out, and Crime Prevention Seminars with our businesses and the religious community. The department had bike patrols in all beats, DARE in our elementary and junior high schools, hosted the Citizen's Police Academy and the 2nd annual Teen Citizen's Police Academy, participated in Active Shooter Drills at numerous schools throughout the community and four (4) Coffee with a Cop events at local businesses, where officers met with residents to discuss any issues or concerns they may have.



Crime statistics were a mixed result in 2016. We are most encouraged that crimes against persons or violent crimes went down by eight percent. While property crimes such as theft, retail theft, burglary, auto theft and arson increased by one hundred thirty two, or eleven percent. The largest increase was in theft and retail theft that increased by one hundred five. The addition of approximately ninety more businesses and a significant increase in retail sales may account for part of this increase.

The holiday shopping season went very well as we continued our strategy of enhanced foot patrols, mobile patrols and undercover officers during the holiday shopping season throughout our retail and commercial areas. Orland Square Mall hosted a breakfast for police and village officials in recognition of police assistance to make the Holiday Shopping Season at the mall as one of the most uneventful but successful shopping season in years.

Involuntary committals, drug deaths and overdoses continue to be of great concern. 2016 saw a decrease of involuntary committals from one hundred and twenty (120) to ninety-three (93) largely due to our Crisis Intervention Team (CIT). CIT training assists the officers in helping to identify symptoms of mental illness and appropriate outcomes, which often eliminates the need for a committal. Almost 30% of those committed were age twenty or under and the leading cause was the use or threat of use of a weapon.

The use of heroin and other opiates remains high with fifteen overdoses and three deaths resulting from their use in 2016, which is a slight increase when compared to 2015. On a positive note; the department has now trained all of its officers in the use of Naloxone (NARCAN), which is an

injection that counteracts the effects of an opioid overdose. Officers deployed NARCAN on eight occasions in 2016 saving the lives of the overdose victims.

I would also like to mention the departments numerous accomplishments. In April 2016, the department purchased a state of the art Response to Resistance simulator. The simulator assists in evaluating decision-making, judgment and reaction by officers to real life encounters. The department was the fifth law enforcement agency in the United States to receive specialized jurisdictional authority from the Federal Aviation Administration (F.A.A.) to operate a drone to locate missing persons, fleeing offenders and survey natural and manmade disasters. The department's "Plan Prepare Act" active shooter training video distributed to area schools, churches and businesses, received national recognition by being awarded the coveted Bronze People's Telly Award in the Non-Broadcast Production Category. In June 2016, the Justice Technology Information Center (JTIC), a program of the National Institute of Justice (NIJ), Office of Justice Programs, wrote an article on the "Plan Prepare Act" video and as a result, agencies across the nation have requested copies of the video to train their officers and school personnel.

Special recognition must be given to many of the less heralded members of the department who along with the sworn members contribute so much to our success every year. Our telecommunicators, on duty 24/7, are the vital link between those in need of help and our first responders, taking calls from those often in crisis and connecting them quickly and professionally with the help they need. Our Community Service Officers support our law enforcement operations throughout the village. Detention Aides routinely handle prisoners safely, professionally and securely, relieving patrol officers of that responsibility and getting them back on the street faster. Crossing Guards safely cross our children over busy streets every day and our Emergency Services and Disaster Agency (ESDA) volunteers assist in all manner of emergencies. The Animal Control Officer routinely handles animal issues professionally and compassionately; our IT folks keep us all connected, on-line and functioning and our Evidence Officers manage and safeguard all types of evidence. Finally, all our clerical support staff keeps our administrative house in order. Without all of these folks and others, this police department could not function effectively and achieve the success it has had. Many thanks to all of them for a job well done every day.

Sincerely,

Timothy J. McCarthy
Chief of Police

Executive Summary



The Orland Park Police Department has seen immense growth and modernization through its decorated history. Long gone are the days of lighting the street lamps, powering up the water pumps, and borrowing part-time Chief Olsen's personal vehicle to patrol the streets if one of the two squad cars was in for repair.

Today, the Orland Park Police Department has a Chief of Police, a Deputy Chief, three Commanders (Administration and Technical Services, Investigations, and Patrol), six Lieutenants, nine Sergeants, and three civilian supervisors who oversee 189 civilian and sworn personnel. With an authorized strength of 101 full-time sworn officers and 9 part time officers, the department is capable of answering the community's needs efficiently and effectively through the three divisions, many specialized units and numerous community based programs.

In October 2014, the Orland Park Police Department had underwent an onsite assessment by two independent assessors from the Illinois Law Enforcement Accreditation Program (ILEAP) to determine if the department met the rigorous requirements for Tier II Accreditation from the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police. At the conclusion of the inspection, the assessors described the "Orland Park Police Department as a leader in law enforcement." Additionally, the assessors "found the staff to be dedicated, well trained, and highly educated. The facilities, were clean, modern, well equipped and at the leading edge of technology." On January 15, 2015, the Illinois Law Enforcement Accreditation Council unanimously awarded Tier II Accreditation to the Orland Park Police Department.

In 2016, index crime offenses increased by 10.57%, largely due to an increase in burglaries and thefts. However, crimes against persons or violent crimes decreased 7.69%. Given the concern for mental health intervention, the department increased the number of state certified Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) members to 20, including 2 supervisors. Mental health related calls for service continue to be at unprecedented levels.

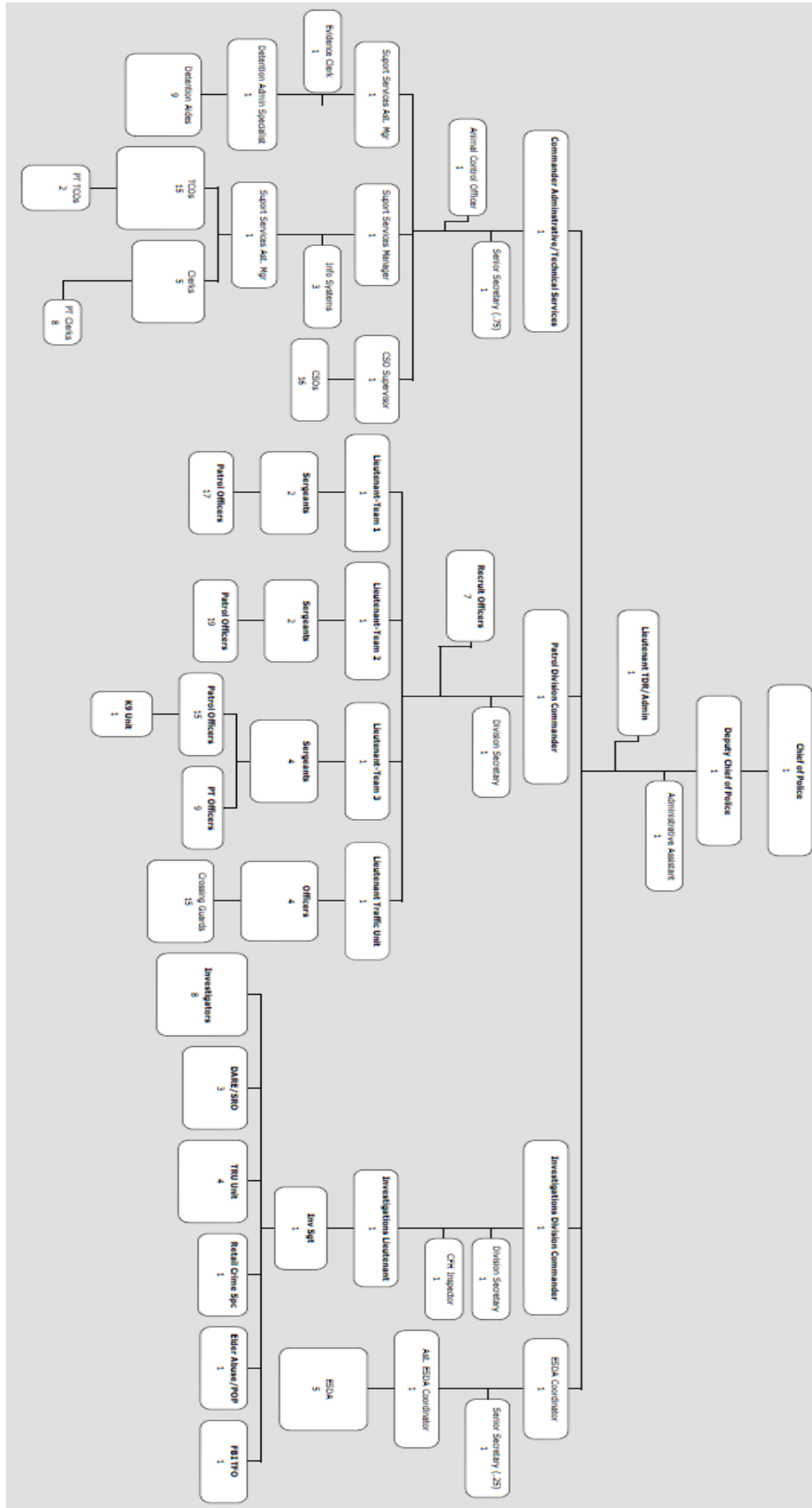
The year was not without challenges. Staffing issues due to retirements, illness and military obligations caused some disruptions but did not hinder implementing any of the community-based initiatives or accomplishing this year's strategic goals.

As evidenced by the programs, initiatives, activities and individual efforts described throughout the remainder of this report, the men and women of the Orland Park Police Department are committed to providing the most effective and efficient services to the community that it proudly serves.

ORLAND PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

Organizational and Staffing Chart

Authorized Staff
January 1, 2016





Orland Park Police Department's 2016 Strategic Goals

Police Department - Administration

MISSION

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DEPARTMENT MISSION:

To enhance the quality of life for the people and families within the Village community by providing professional, high quality and effective police service in partnership with the people.

DIVISION FUNCTIONS:

The Administration Division is responsible for budgeting, planning, inspecting, training, and internal affairs; coordination and direction of all facets of the five divisions of the Police Department to ensure that consistent and quality police services are delivered to the residents, businesses, and visitors of the Village of Orland Park. In addition, the Administration Division is also responsible for the management of emergency services and disaster response for natural and man-made disasters by police and ESDA personnel.

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: Quality of Life

1. Training Development and Review Unit will provide specialized training in FY 2016 that will increase sworn officers' knowledge base and ultimately improve the overall efficiency and effectiveness of the Department.

- **OBJECTIVE** – Develop a comprehensive use of force training program which shall include scenario based training.
 - **PURPOSE** – The State of Illinois passed the Police and Community Relations Improvement Act (50 ILCS 727/). In order to maintain compliance with the Act, the Orland Park Police Department sworn personnel will train, on at least a bi-annual basis, with a newly purchased Use of Force Firearm Training Simulator.
 - **COMPLETION DATE** – December 31, 2016

2. NIMS Compliance: Achieve full compliance with the National Incident Management System (NIMS) certification requirements for FY 2016.

- **OBJECTIVE** - Complete IS-700 and ICS-100 awareness training for all officers. IS-702, IS-703 and IS-704 will be completed by personnel assigned to specific duties within the ICS framework. Supervisory staff will successfully complete ICS-200, ICS-300 and IS-800. Lieutenants and Command Staff personnel will complete ICS-400.

Command Staff personnel will also complete IS-703, 704, 706, and 800. All NIMS related training will be completed by October 1, 2016.

- **PURPOSE** - The Federal Government has provided specific directives in which employees must complete specific levels of ICS training for the organization/municipality to be in full compliance. This training plan is developed to meet that requirement.

- **COMPLETION DATE** – Fourth Quarter of 2016

- **OBJECTIVE** - Conduct a position–specific ICS training practicum by the end of the third quarter of 2016.

- **PURPOSE** – As part of gaining full federal NIMS compliance, an ICS practicum is a required.

- **COMPLETION DATE** – Fourth Quarter of 2016

3. Rifle Carbine Certification: the implementation of a training program to increase the number of sworn police officers qualified to deploy a department issued rifle carbine in FY 2016.

- **OBJECTIVE** – Increase by 10% the number of sworn police officers qualified to carry the department issued rifle carbine in FY 2016.

- **PURPOSE** - An increase in qualified full-time sworn officers in the use of carbine rifles will assist in effectively safeguarding the community, enhance officer safety, and it ensures that a weapon system designed to counter the growing trend of high capacity firearms utilized by offenders is readily available.

- **COMPLETION DATE** – Fourth Quarter of 2016

4. Maintain effective and efficient compliance with the School Safety Drill Act (105 ILCS 128/)

- **OBJECTIVE** – Create a training video for Orland Park schools depicting an active shooter incident.

- **PURPOSE** – The video will increase awareness and to assist in gaining a better understanding of the roles of educators, students and first responders in the event of an active shooter situation.

- **COMPLETION DATE** – Fourth Quarter of 2016

**Village of Orland Park
Police Department – Administration and Technical Services**

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ADMINISTRATIVE/TECHNICAL SERVICES DIVISION - TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNIT, RECORDS UNIT, CSO UNIT, EVIDENCE UNIT, ANIMAL CONTROL UNIT, DETENTION AIDES

DIVISION FUNCTIONS:

The function of the Administrative/Technical Services Division is to provide the highest level of response to crisis and non-crisis requests from the public, department members and related agencies through the Orland Park Enhanced 9-1-1 Emergency Telecommunication System. The primary responsibilities of the Administrative/Technical Services Division are:

- Manage department-wide record keeping
- Manage the department-wide vehicle purchasing and maintenance
- Manage all radio and communications purchasing and scheduling of repairs and maintenance
- Acquire training needs for personnel and schedule training division-wide
- Manage the MSI Parking and Compliance ticket program
- Manage the Municipal Adjudication Ordinance Violation Program
- Manage the Community Service Officer program
- Manage the evidence and recovered property room
- Provide animal control of domestic and wild animals
- Manage the Detention Aide program for the lock-up facility
- Maintain inventory of department assets and all property coming under the control of the police department
- Maintenance and management of the department's management information systems
- Maintain the in-car video program
- Maintain the in-car AVL program

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: Quality of Life

1. Upgrade the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) system from the current New World System Microsoft Platform to the New World System Enterprise Platform. Currently, the Orland Park Police Department utilizes the New World System for Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD). Within the next one to two years, the Orland Park Police Department will be

implementing the Next Generation 9-1-1 (NG911). NG911 allows digital information (e.g. voice, photos, videos, text messages) to flow seamlessly from the public, through the 911 network, and on to emergency responders. The current New World Microsoft Platform CAD System does not support and interface with NG911 technology. To fully implement NG911, the police department will upgrade from the Microsoft Platform to the New World Enterprise Platform.

- **OBJECTIVE** – Attend a demonstration of the New World System Enterprise Platform that is currently being used by a local police department dispatch center. Evaluate the system for functionality to determine if the platform functions properly and suits the needs of the Orland Park Police Department. Meet with representatives from New World to discuss and negotiate the costs of implementation and training.
 - **PURPOSE** – The functionality and reliability of the CAD system is extremely important to the operation police department communication center. A thorough demonstration and evaluation of the system needs to be completed prior to the upgrade and implementation of the system.
 - **COMPLETION DATE** - First quarter of FY16.
- **OBJECTIVE** – Train all telecommunicators on the new Enterprise platform. Install and test the new Enterprise platform. After training and testing of the system, fully implement the use of the New World Enterprise platform for Computer Aided Dispatch.
 - **PURPOSE** – Testing and training of the new Enterprise platform is essential to a smooth and seamless transition from one system to another.
 - **COMPLETION DATE** – Training will be conducted between the second to third quarter of FY16. Full implementation will take place between the third and fourth quarter of FY16.

**Village of Orland Park
Police Department - Patrol**

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**PATROL DIVISION - PATROL UNIT, BIKE PATROL UNIT, PATV UNIT, TRAFFIC UNIT,
CROSSING GUARD UNIT**

DIVISION FUNCTIONS:

The function of the Patrol Division is to provide professional proactive and reactive police service to the residents, businesses and visitors of the Village of Orland Park. The primary responsibilities of the Patrol Division Units are:

- Emergency response to criminal and non-criminal activity
- Respond to criminal and quasi-criminal activity
- Respond to nuisance and ordinance violations
- High visibility patrol throughout Village
- Emphasize problem solving

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: Quality of Life

1. Increased Driving Under the Influence enforcement

- **OBJECTIVE** – Conduct quarterly traffic enforcement details, on strategic dates to coincide with events that are known to correlate with impaired driving, with the intent to locate and arrest drunk and impaired drivers. The Traffic and Patrol Division, specifically the Midnight Patrol Shift, will increase their enforcement of impaired driving.
 - **PURPOSE** – To decrease the amount of fatalities that occur by actively enforcing Driving Under the Influence violations.
 - **COMPLETION DATE** – December 31, 2016

**Village of Orland Park
Police Department - Investigations**

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INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES DIVISION - CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS, COMMUNITY RELATIONS/CRIME PREVENTION/DARE UNIT, JUVENILE INVESTIGATIONS, MAJOR CASE UNIT, P.O.P. INVESTIGATOR (PROBLEM ORIENTED POLICING), INTERNET UNIT, TARGETED RESPONSE UNIT, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNIT, SCHOOL RESOURCE PROGRAM and the CRIME FREE RENTAL HOUSING PROGRAM

DIVISION FUNCTIONS:

The function of the Investigative Service Division includes conducting follow-up investigations on criminal and quasi-criminal activity and conducting liquor license and employment background investigations. Other functions of the Investigative Services Division include:

- Provide drug interdiction, education and enforcement activities, programs and initiatives
- Provide crime prevention and community relations activities, programs and training
- Coordinate efforts related to major case investigations and regional task forces
- Provide an enhanced problem oriented policing response in addressing neighborhood conflicts and other unusual community/individual problems
- Maintain a registration and investigate compliance on mandatory sex offender registrants
- Provide an enhanced response or support to victims of domestic violence and elder abuse

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: Quality of Life

1. Crime Reduction Utilizing Intelligence-led Policing

Intelligence-led Policing (ILP) utilizes the application of criminal intelligence analysis as an objective decision making tool in order to facilitate crime reduction and crime prevention through effective policing strategies and external partnerships projects drawn from an evidential base.

- **OBJECTIVE** – The 3i Model (Interpret, Influence, Impact)
 - **Purpose** – Gather data or intelligence, analyze the criminal environment and determine or interpret things like who are the main players, and what are the significant and emerging threats. Intelligence gathered is used to influence the decision makers who then decide the best course of action which impacts the criminal environment.

2016 Statistics



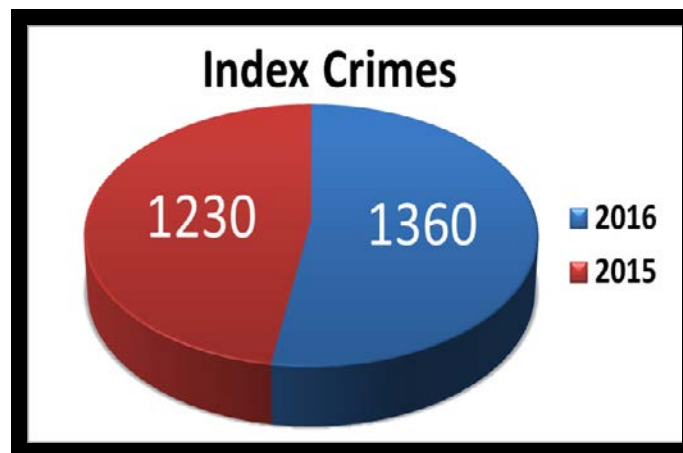
Orland Park Police Department



Index crimes consists of ten crimes the FBI combines to produce its annual crime index. These offenses include homicide, forcible rape (criminal sexual assault), robbery, burglary, aggravated assault / battery, theft, motor vehicle theft, arson, human trafficking – commercial sex acts and human trafficking- involuntary servitude.

The Uniform Crime Report (UCR) is comprised of two classifications of crime reporting. Part I crimes that include serious felonies and Part II crimes are categorized as non-serious felonies and misdemeanors. This methodology allows for uniformity in conducting regional or nationwide comparisons of statistical crime data.

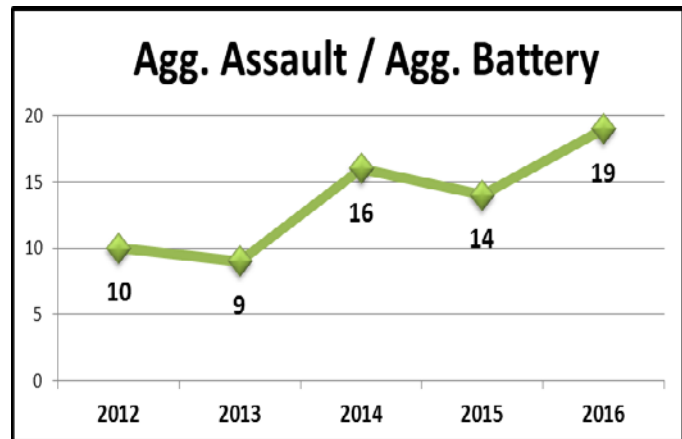
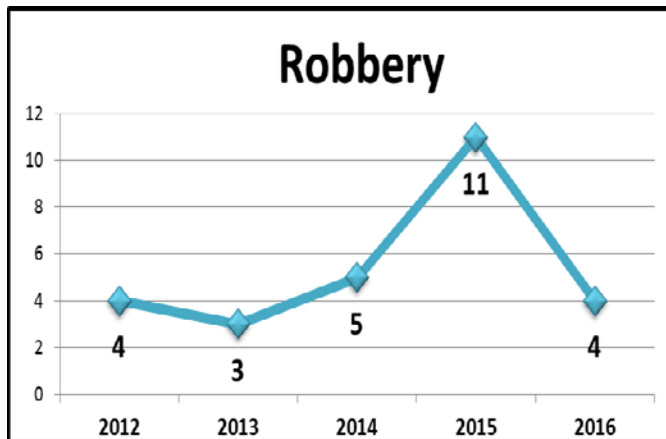
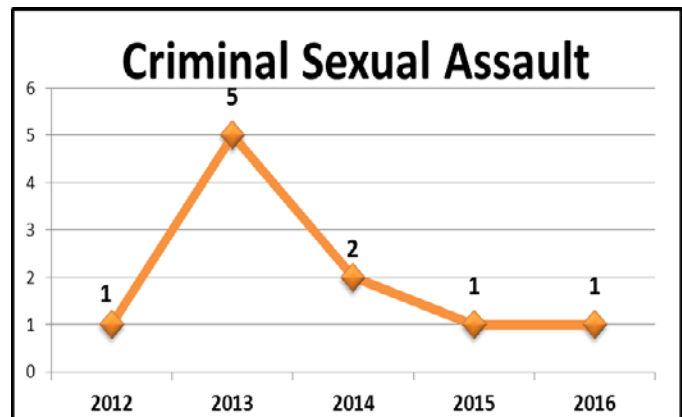
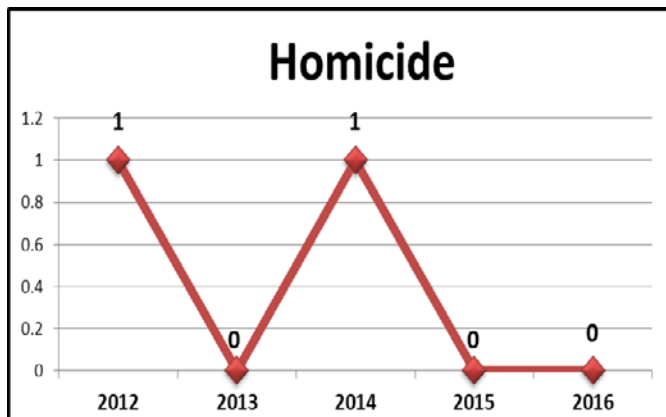
	2015	Δ	2016	Pct.
Index Crime Offenses:				
Against Persons:	26	-2	24	-7.69%
Criminal Homicide	0	0	0	
Forcible Rape (Criminal Sexual Assault)	1	0	1	
Robbery	11	-7	4	
Aggravated Assault / Aggravated Battery	14	5	19	
Human Trafficking - Commercial Sex or Involuntary Servitude	0	0	0	
Against Property:	1,204	132	1,336	10.96%
Burglary	32	21	53	
Theft	1,157	105	1,262	
Motor Vehicle Theft	14	5	19	
Arson	1	1	2	
Crime Index	1,230	130	1,360	10.57%



Crime Index Offense Analysis (2012 - 2016)

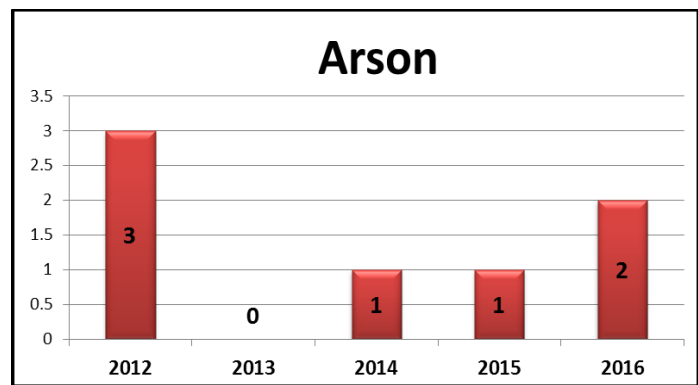
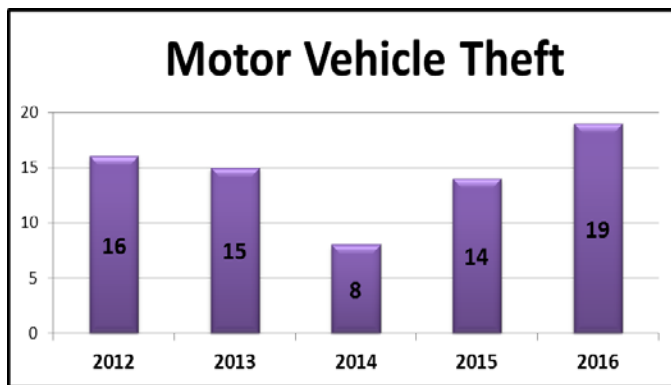
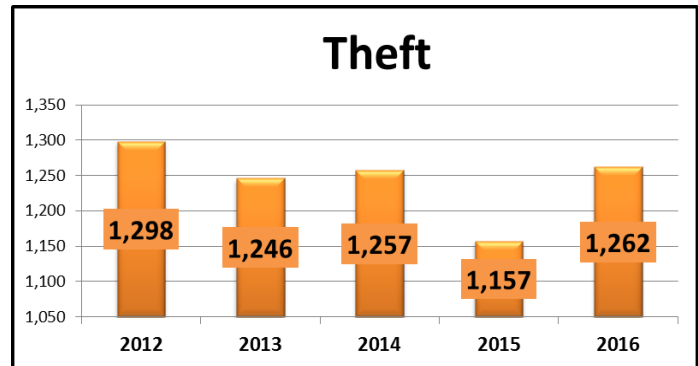
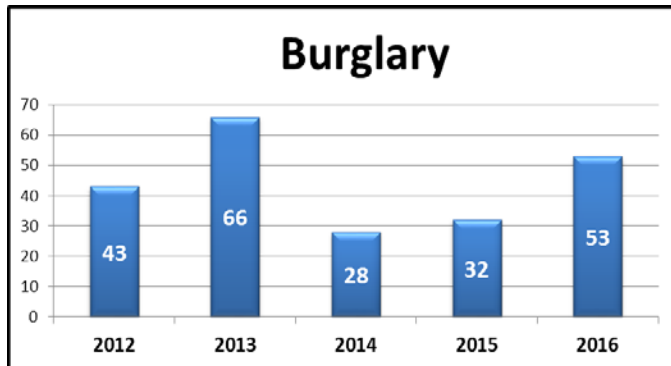
Because crime can fluctuate significantly from year to year, the Orland Park Police Department makes most of its comparisons based on averages rather than the examination of year-to-year. Comparing yearly rather than taking an average over a period of five years limits your ability to determine if the department had an unusually high or low year of crime. Comparing 2016 to an average helps to better assess and judge whether crime truly increased or decreased.

Index Crime Offenses:	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	5 Yr. Avg.
Against Person:	16	17	24	26	24	21.4
Homicide	1	0	1	0	0	.4
Forcible Rape	1	5	2	1	1	2.2
Robbery	4	3	5	11	4	5.4
Aggravated Assault / Aggravated Battery	10	9	16	14	19	13.6



Crime Index Offense Analysis (2012-2016) Cont'd

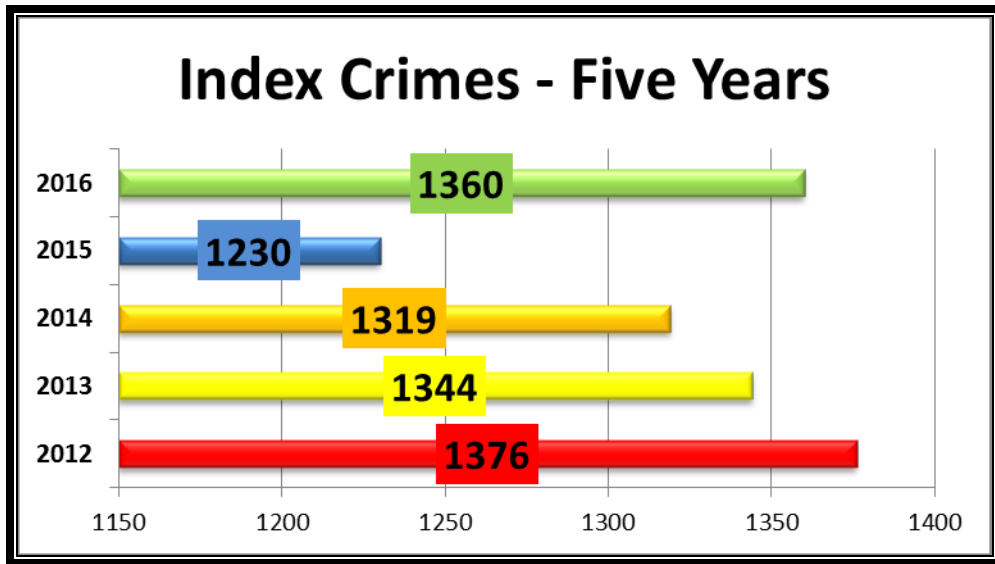
Index Crime Offenses:	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	5 Yr. Avg.
Against Property:	1,360	1,327	1,293	1,204	1,336	1,304
Burglary	43	66	28	32	53	44.4
Theft	1,298	1,246	1,257	1,157	1,262	1,244
Motor Vehicle Theft	16	15	8	14	19	14.4
Arson	3	0	1	1	2	1.4



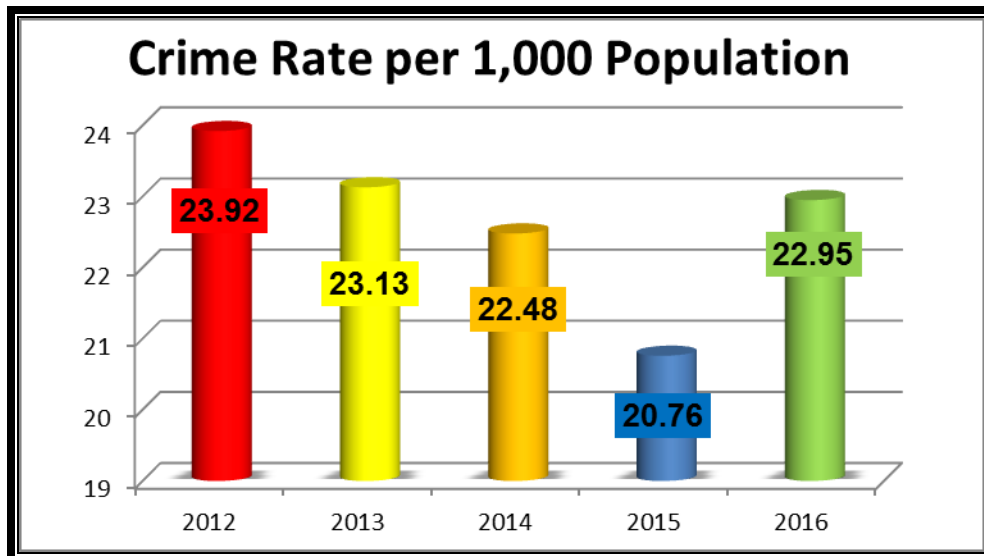
The department observed an increase in the number of burglaries, theft and motor vehicle thefts in 2016, while arsons remained relatively unchanged.

Performance Measures

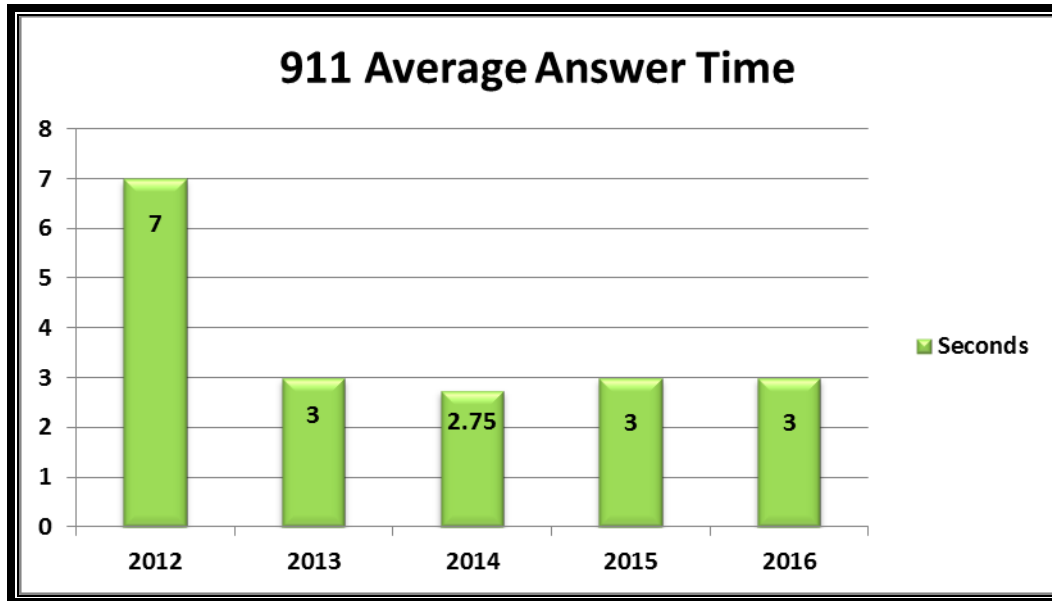
The Orland Park Police Department continues to develop and revise a strategic plan to utilize technology, effective resource allocation, modern equipment and a highly trained staff to prevent and reduce the number of crimes within the village.



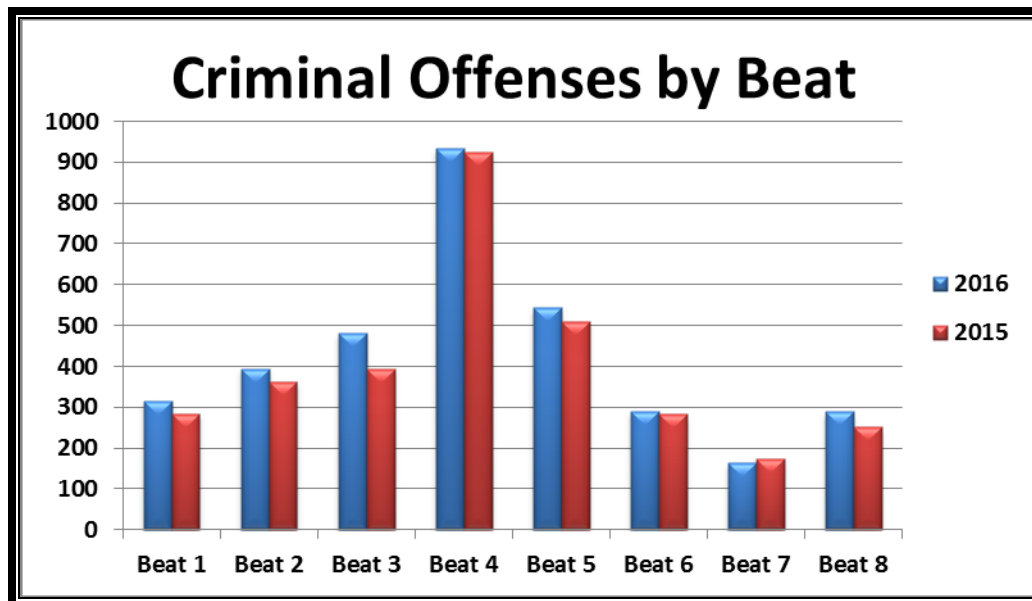
The crime rate indicates the prevalence of crime occurring across a given population. To obtain the crime rate, two factors must be known, the Crime Index and the jurisdictional population. The Village of Orland Park population has grown from approximately 56,767 residents in 2010 (U.S. Census) to an estimated 58,666 in 2014. Using the U.S. Census estimated rate of increase, the population of the village was approximately 59,252 in 2016. The graph depicts the crime rate based on the reported Crime Index and the projected populations of that given year.



Performance Measures Cont'd

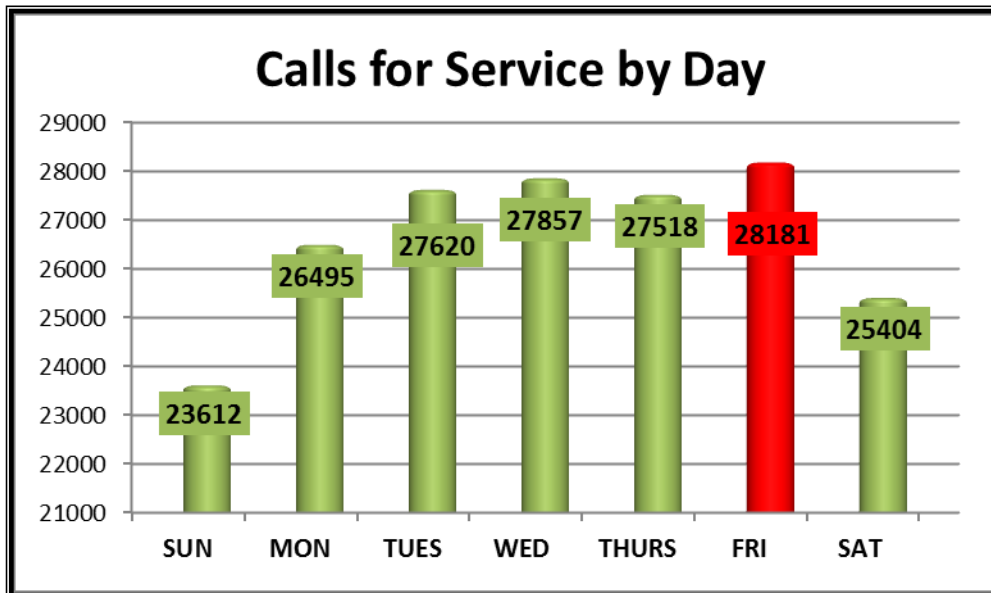
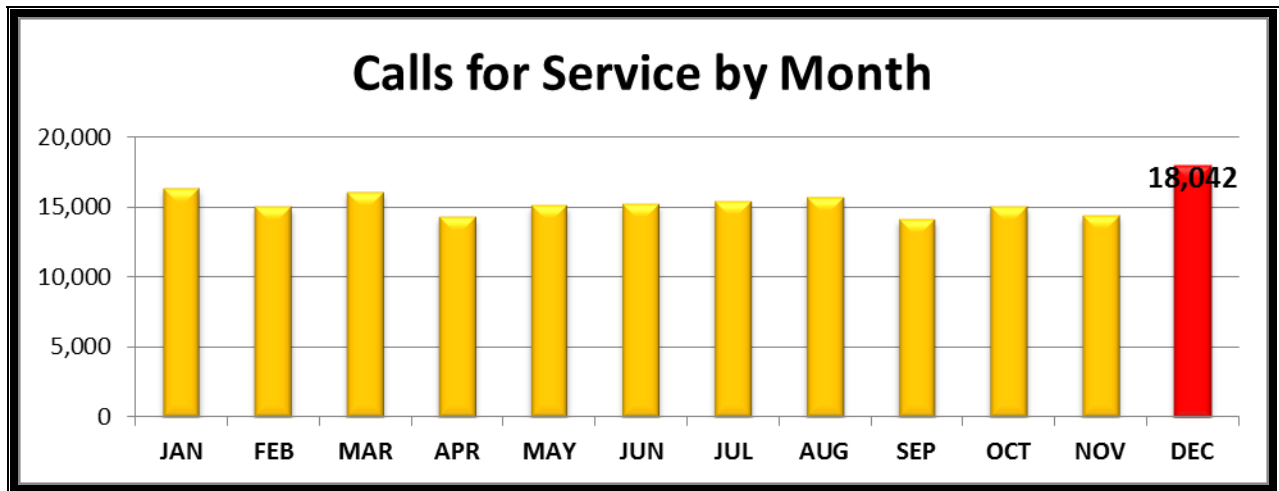
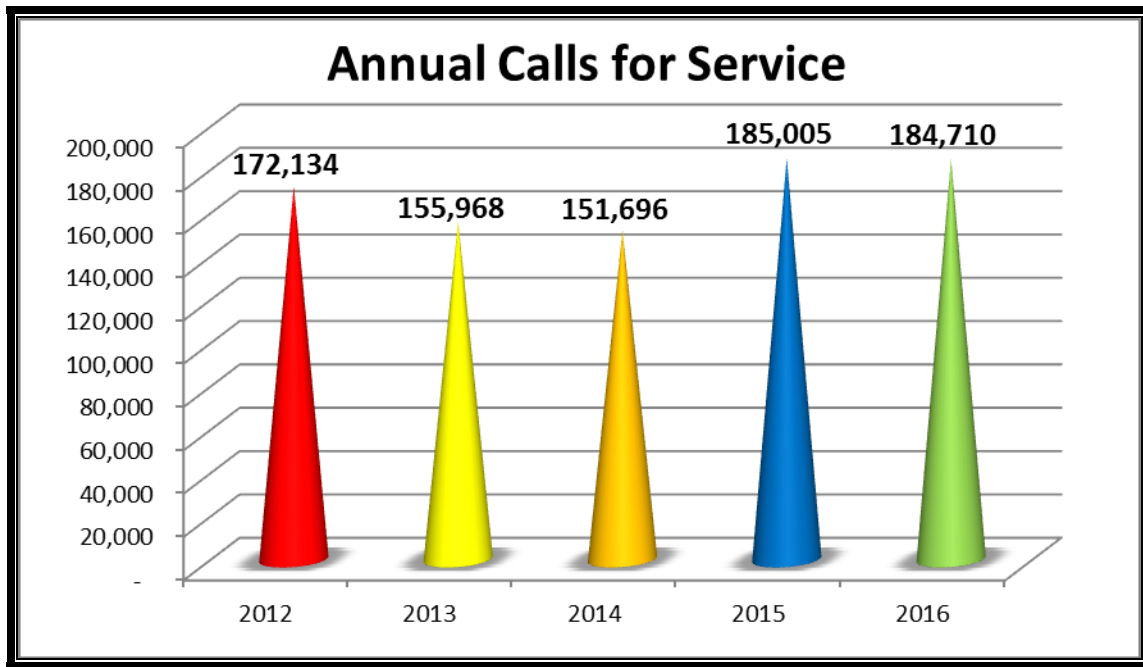


In 2016, the department answered 22,190 calls from 911 with the average call length of 75 seconds.

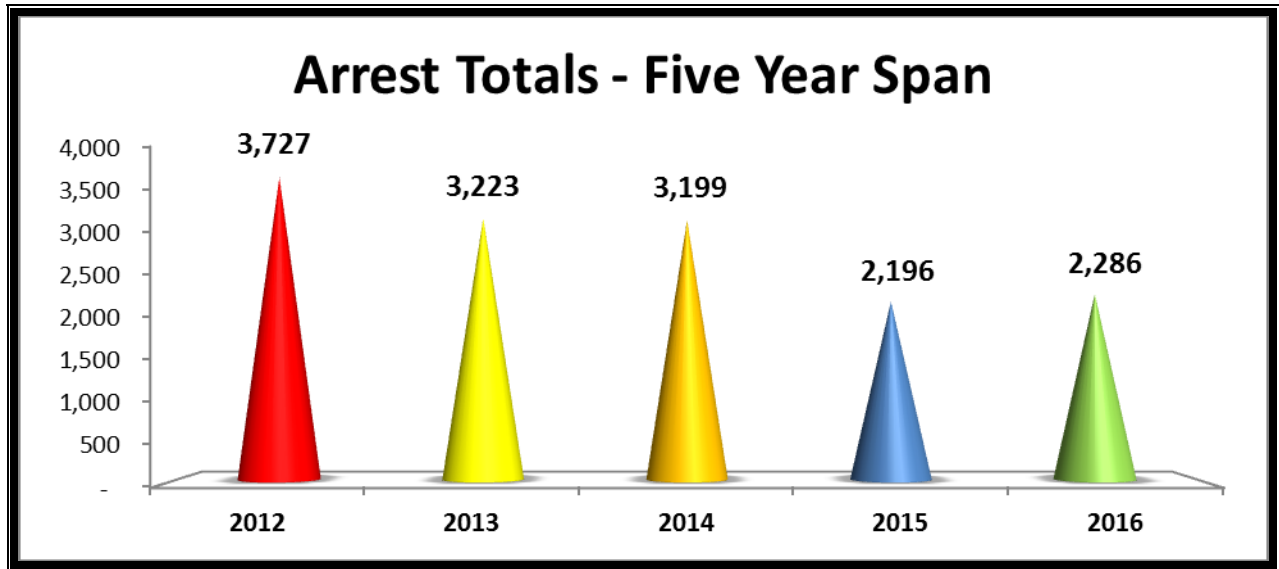


Beat four, encompassing the Orland Square Mall, continues to be our busiest beat for criminal related offenses while Beat 7 was the lowest. The number of all reported criminal offenses increased from 3,186 in 2015 to 3,416 in 2016.

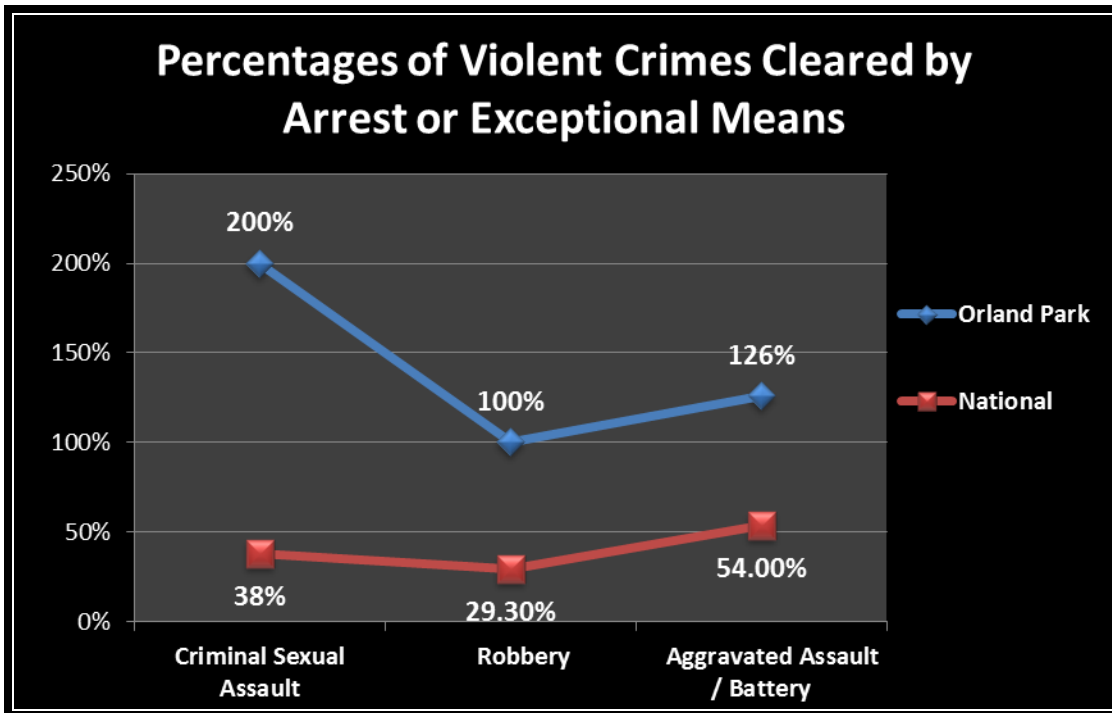
2016 Calls for Service



Arrest History and Examination

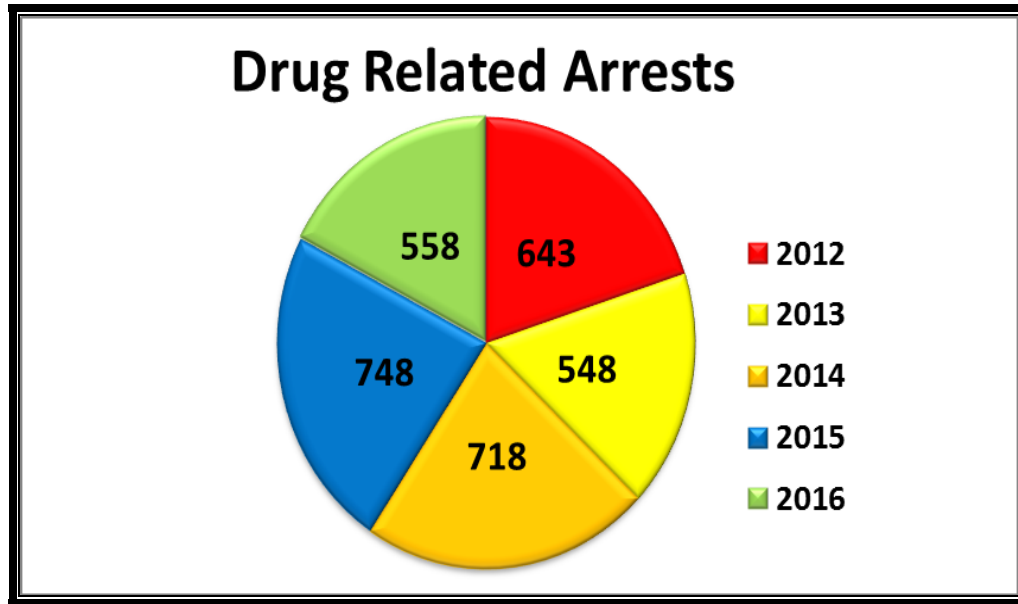


In the last five years, as the number of crimes decreased so has the overall number of custodial arrests. The number of arrests is down 38.6% in 2016 when compared to the high in 2012.

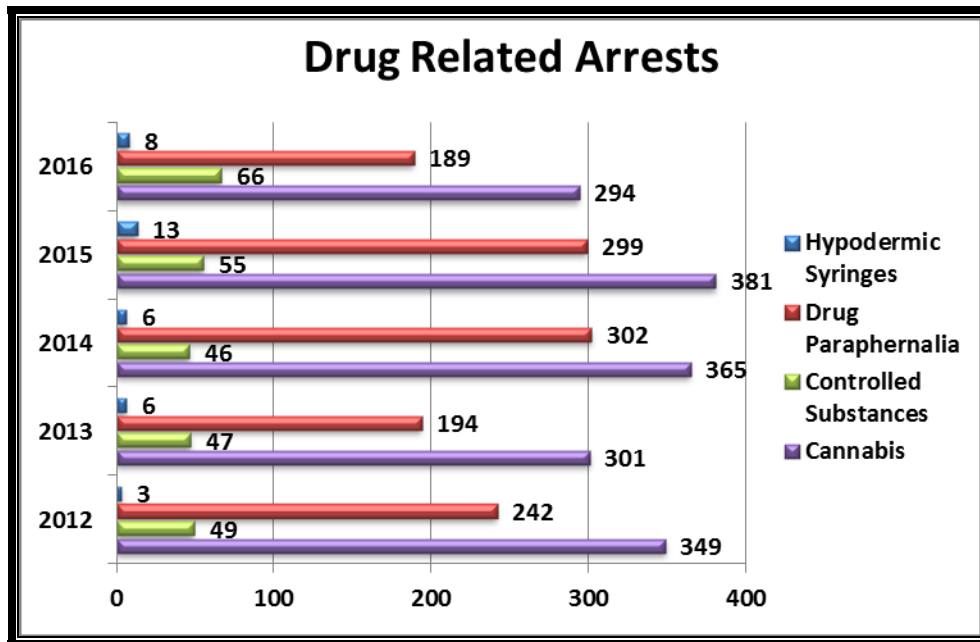


The Orland Park Police Department exceeded the National clearance rates for all violent crimes categories in 2016. The National and Midwest average clearance rates are from the latest data provided by the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Uniform Crime Report.

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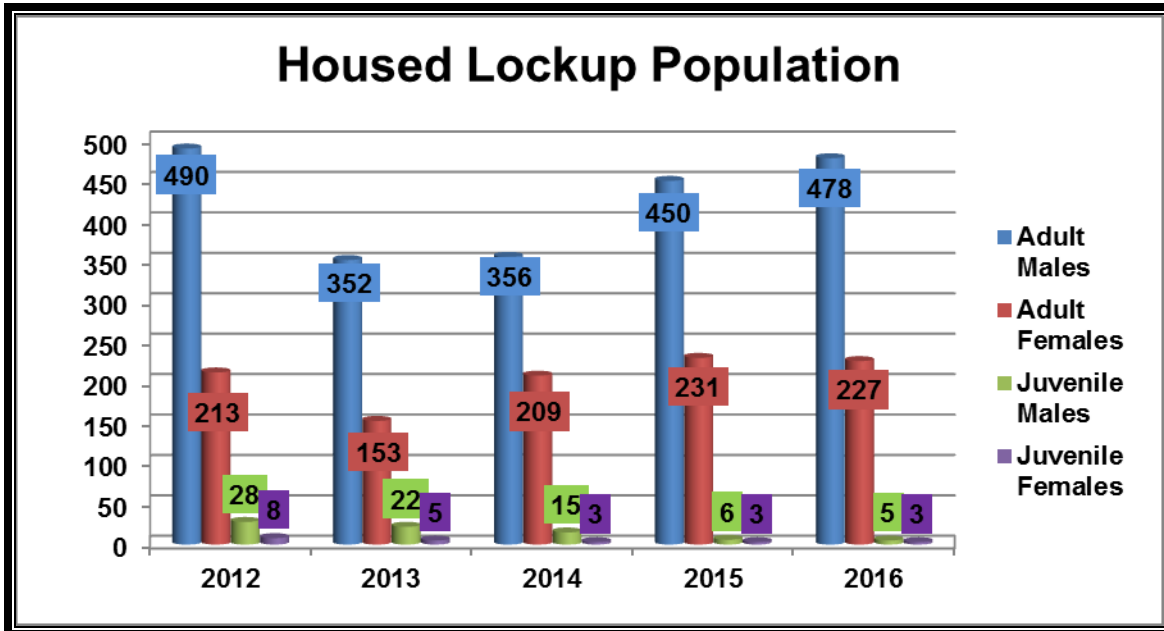
The numbers of drug related arrests in 2016 decreased to the level last seen in 2013. The controlled substance arrest category saw the greatest increase.



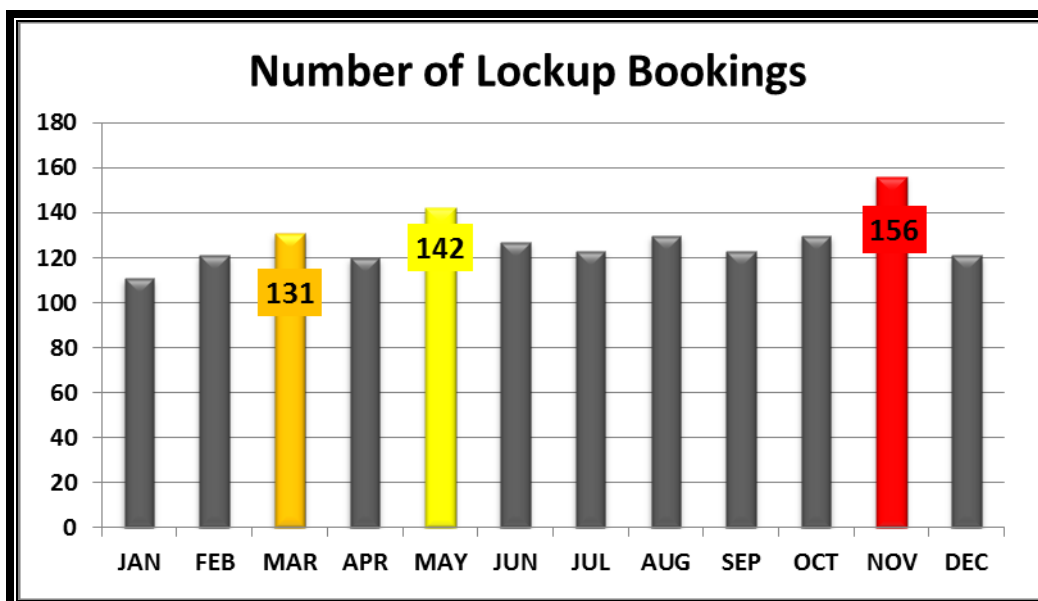
171 of the drug arrests made in 2016 were for a felony amount of cannabis and/or a controlled substance (i.e. unauthorized possession or sale prescribed medication, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, etc.).

Arrest History and Examination Cont'd

The lock-up population is defined as the number of prisoners (juvenile/adult) housed *in cells* at the Orland Park Police Department awaiting transfer to court or another police department or for bond. In 2016, the average adult prisoner stay in a cell prior to release or transfer was 10 hours and 6 minutes. The average juvenile prisoner remained housed for 1 hour and 45 minutes. The total number of hours prisoners (adult and juvenile) were housed in a cell in lockup was 7,198 hours.

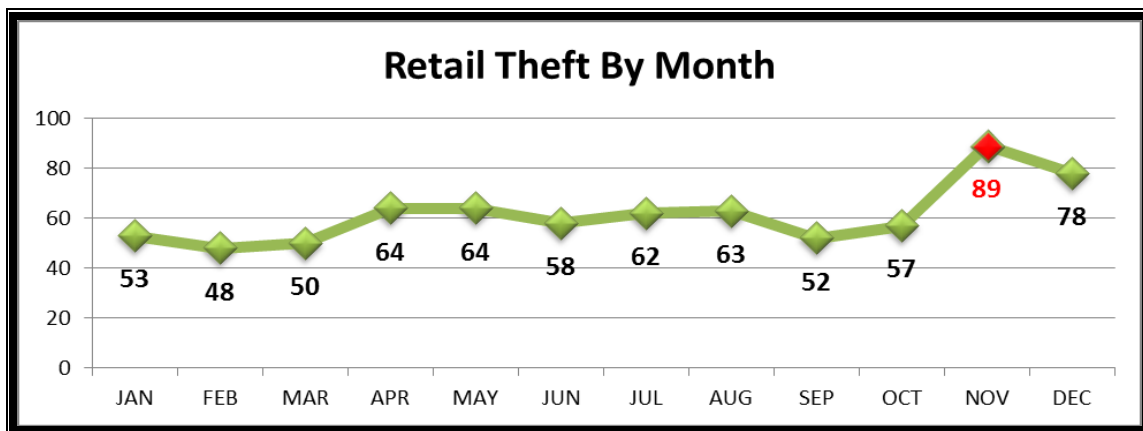
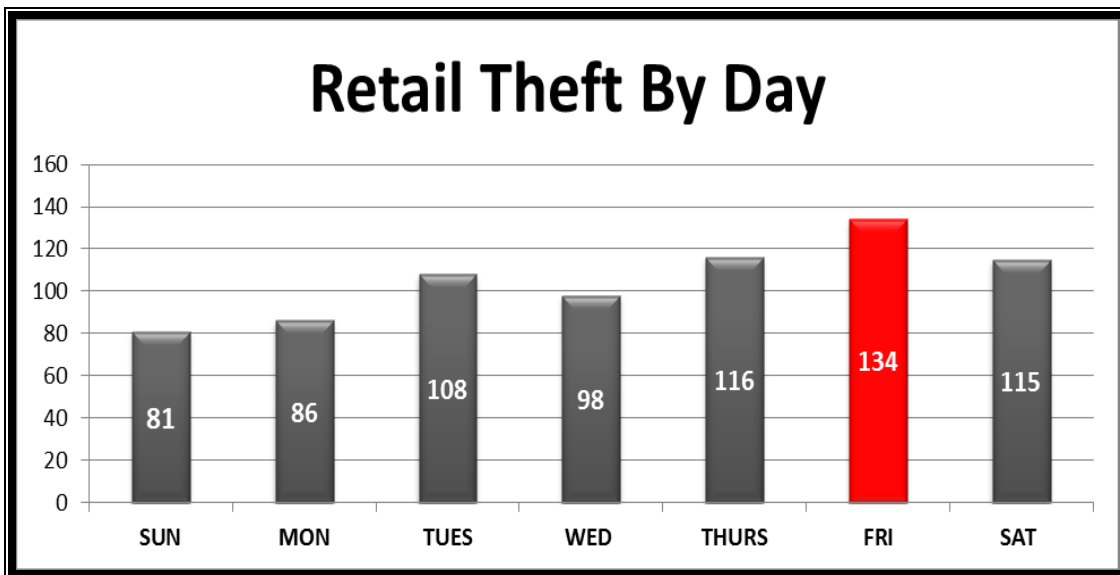
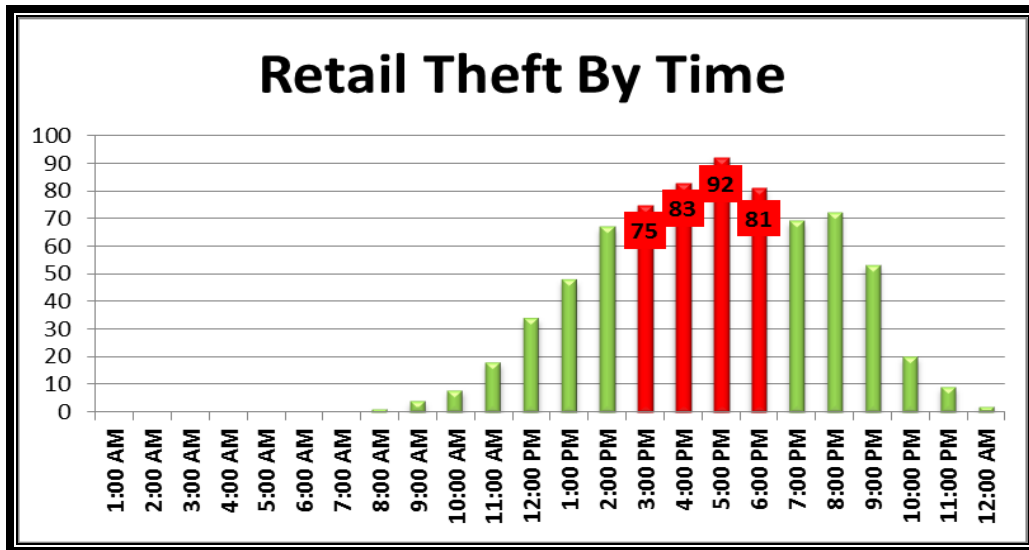


The highest concentration of prisoners in lockup was during the third quarter of 2016 (July, August and September) with 187 arrestees housed. In 2016, the detention aides processed 1,535 prisoners, both adult and juvenile, a 6% decrease when compared to 2015 statistics.

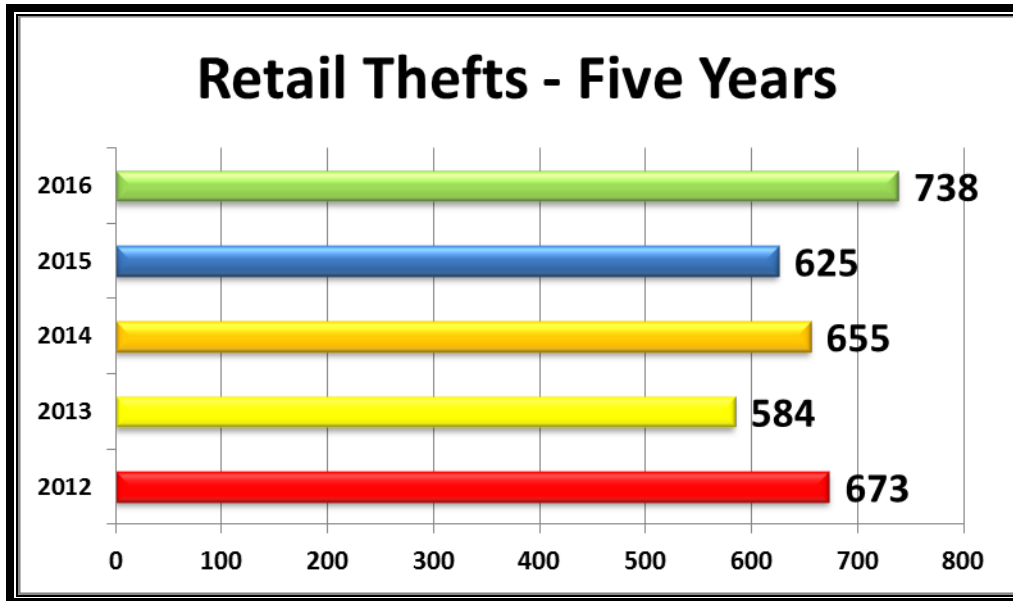


Retail Theft Analysis

In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department experienced the highest concentration of reported retail thefts on Fridays with most retail theft calls occurring from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. November was the busiest month for retail theft arrests.



Retail Theft Analysis Cont'd.



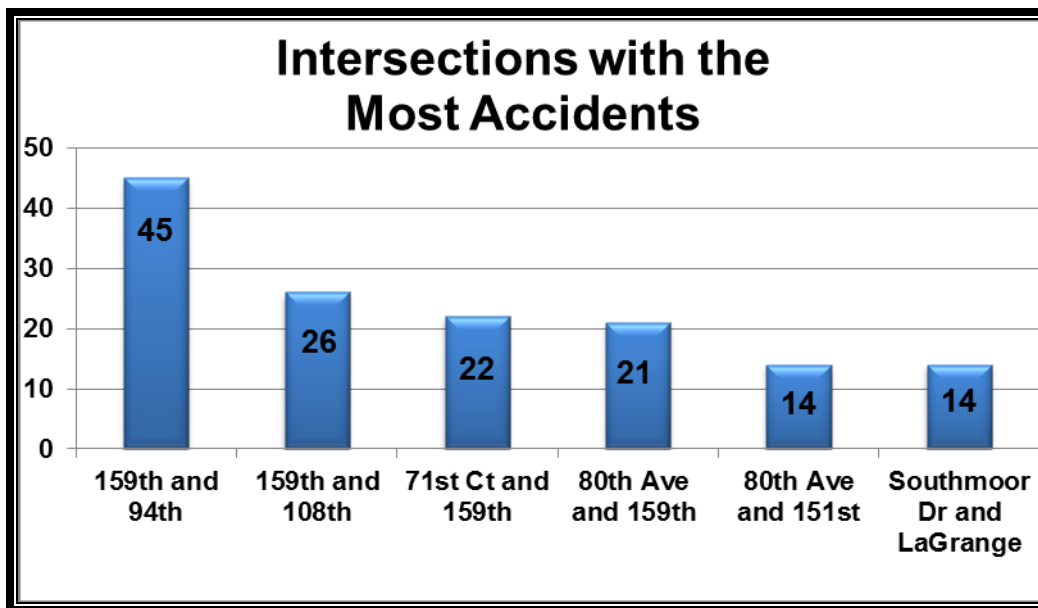
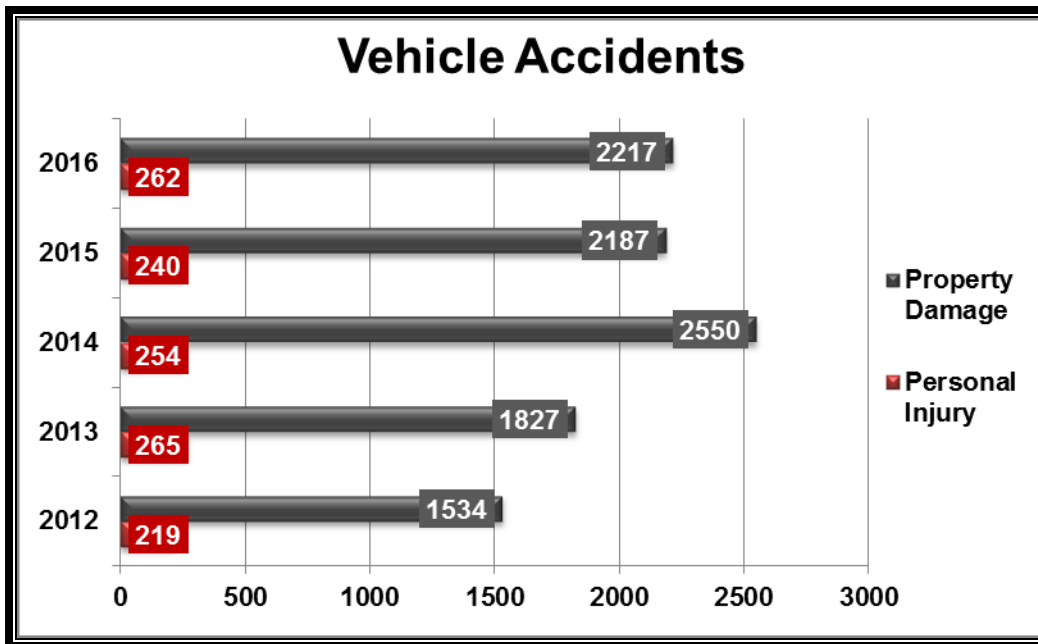
The Orland Park Police Department experienced an increase in reported retail thefts when compared to 2015. The retail thefts in 2016 are 13% more than the five-year average.

In 2014, the department assigned an officer to the role of Retail Crime Specialist to aid in decreasing crimes in the retail sector. The Retail Theft Specialist is the point of contact for retail businesses, shopping centers and private security. Conducting crime analysis, educating the retail mercantile establishments on the latest trends in retail crimes, providing information on organized retail crime groups and conducting security assessments for the businesses upon request are a few of the responsibilities of the Retail Crime Specialist.



Traffic Accidents

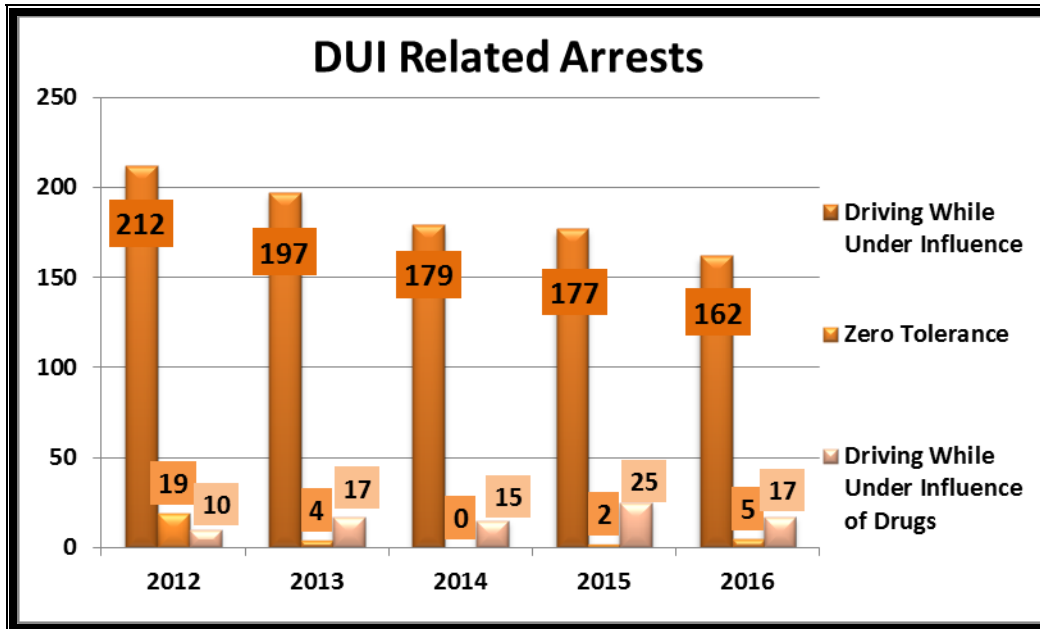
In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department investigated 2,217 motor vehicle crashes, a 1% increase from 2015. The highest reports of causation were failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident, followed by improper lane usage. The department investigated one accident involving a fatality in 2016.



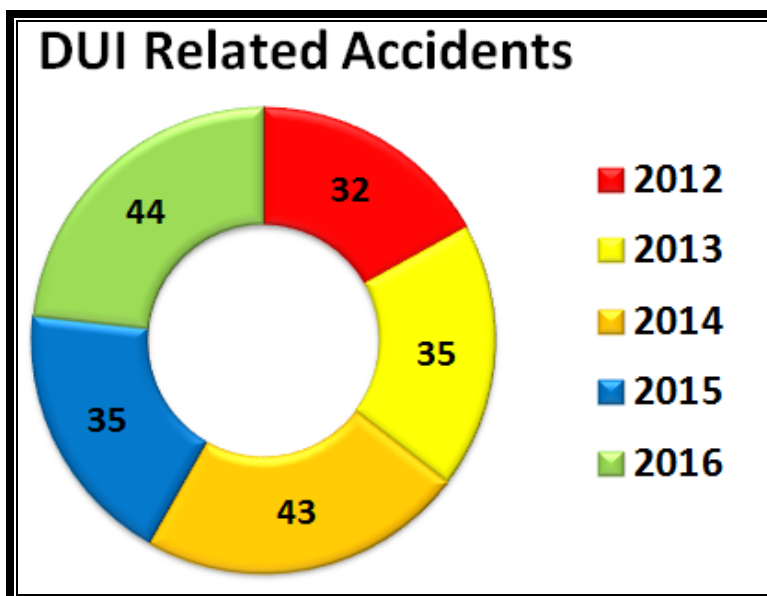
DUI Related Incidents

DUI Related Incidents (2012-2016)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	5 Year Average
Driving While Under Influence	212	197	179	177	162	185
Zero Tolerance	19	4	0	2	5	6
Driving While Under Influence of Drugs	10	17	15	25	17	17

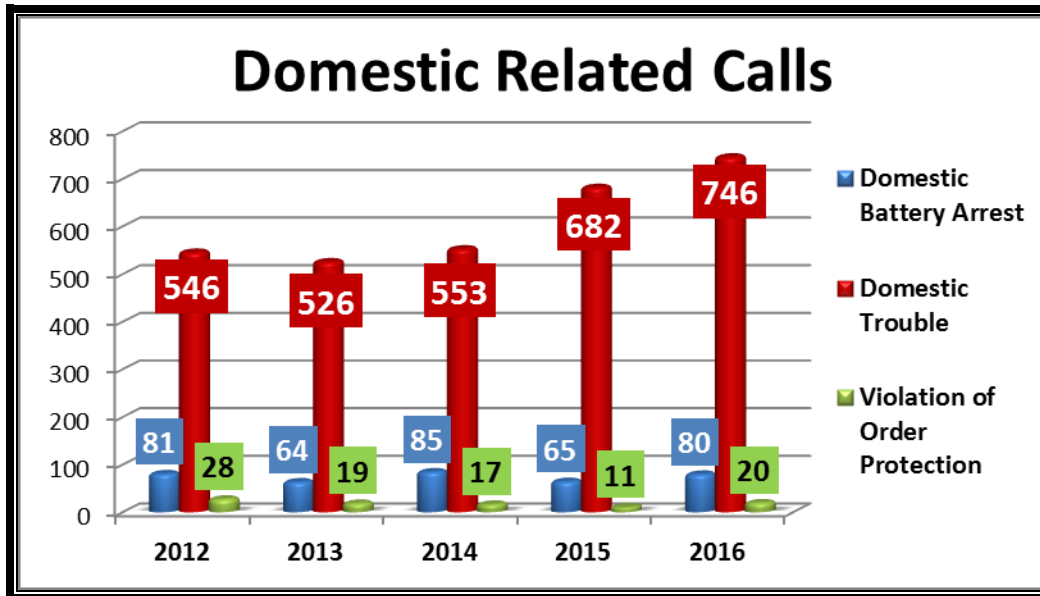


The Orland Park Police Department responded to 44 accidents in 2016 which resulted in a DUI arrest. When compared to 2015, the department saw a 25% increase in the number of DUI arrests stemming from vehicle accidents in 2015.

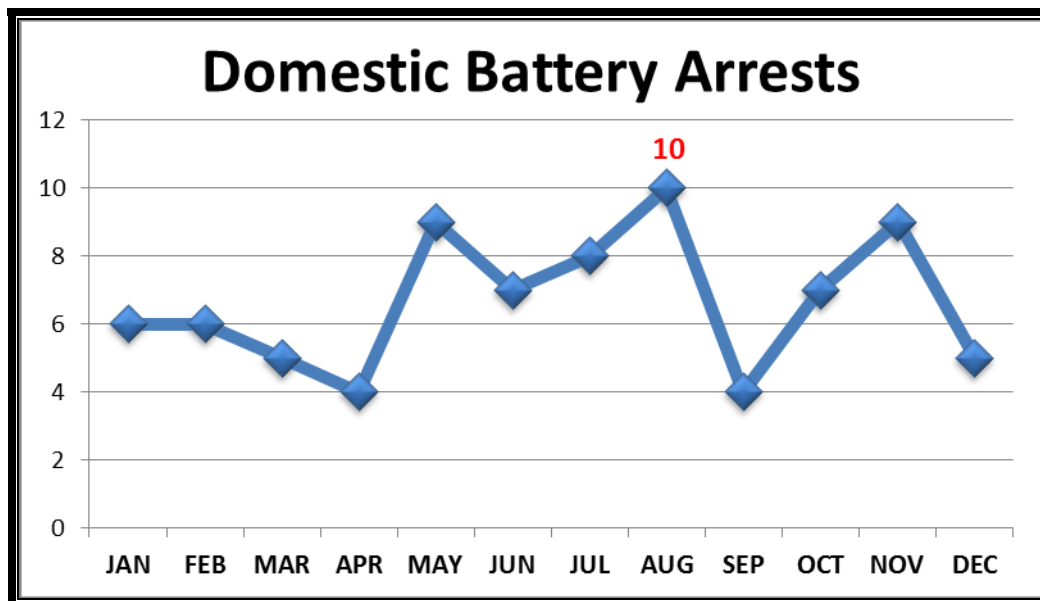


Domestic Incidents

Responding to domestic related incidents is one of the most dangerous calls law enforcement faces due to the volatility surrounding the call for assistance. In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department responded to the highest number of domestic related service calls in the last five years.



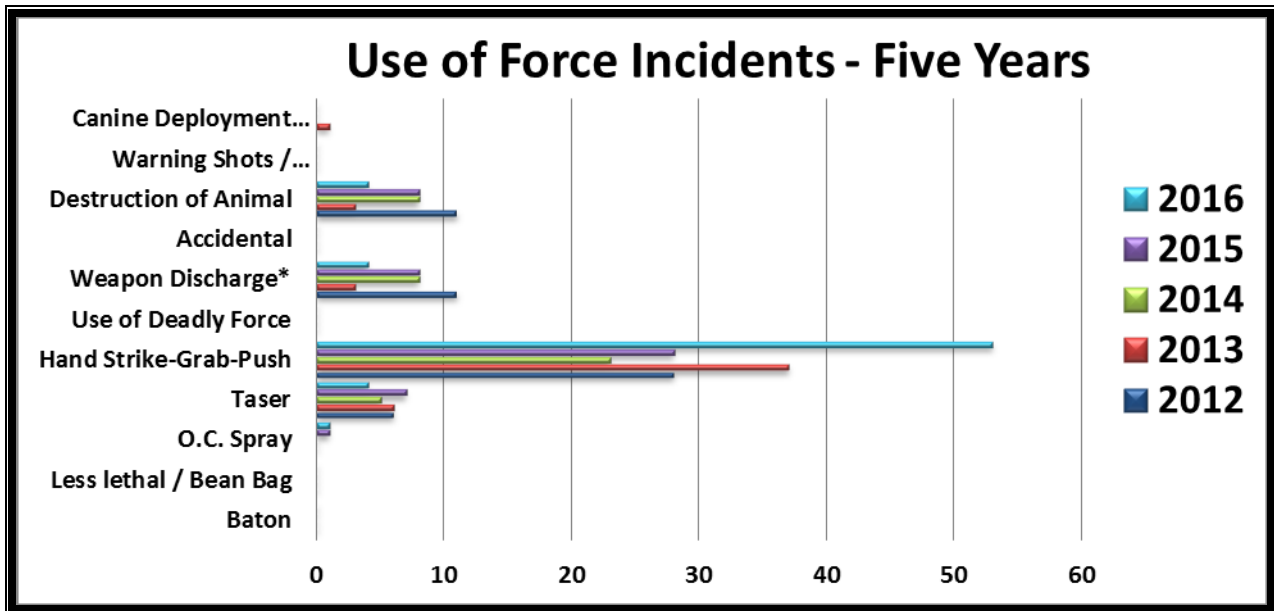
The largest number of domestic related calls for service in 2016 occurred on Sundays at 9:00 pm (67 total calls). The highest numbers of arrests for a domestic battery were on a Sunday in the month of August. Last, reported violations of an order of protection, were most likely to occur on a Monday or Tuesday at 5:00 pm.



Use of Force Incidents Five-Year Review

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Baton	-	-	-	-	-
Less lethal / Bean Bag	-	-	-	-	-
O.C. Spray	-	-	-	1	1
Taser	6	6	5	7	4
Hand Strike-Grab-Push	28	37	23	28	53
Use of Deadly Force	-	-	-	-	-
Weapon Discharge*	11	3	8	8	4
Accidental	-	-	-	-	-
Destruction of Animal	11	3	8	8	4
Warning Shots / Prohibited	-	-	-	-	-
Canine Deployment w/ Bite	-	1	-	-	-
Total Custodial Arrests	3,727	3,223	3,199	2,196	2,286

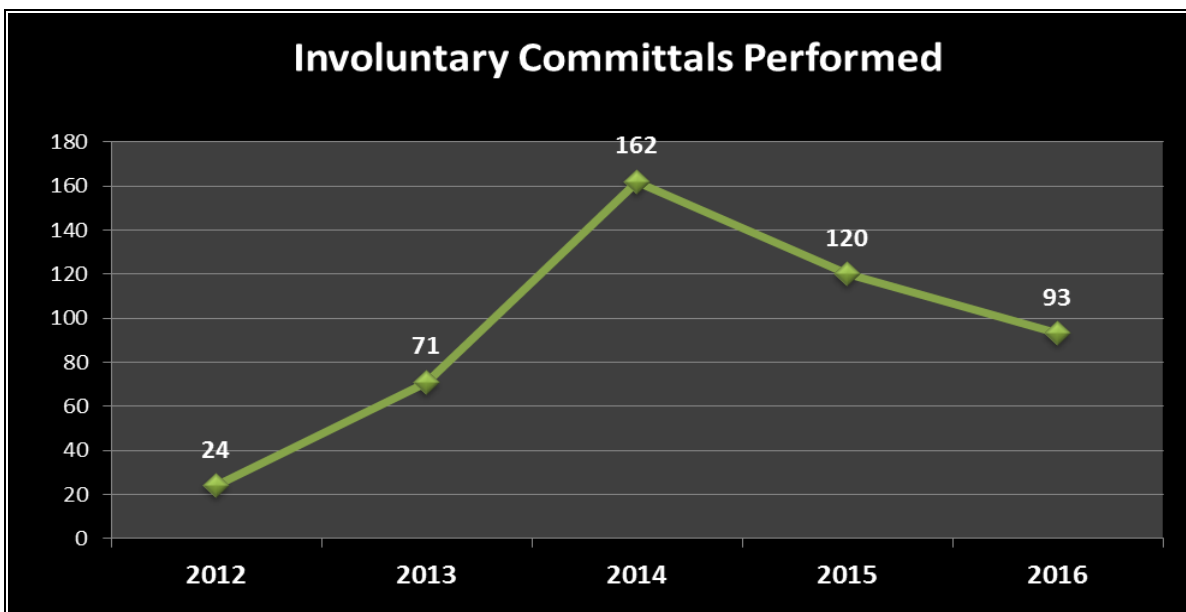
*As evidenced above, the discharging of a weapon only occurred when putting down an injured and suffering animal.



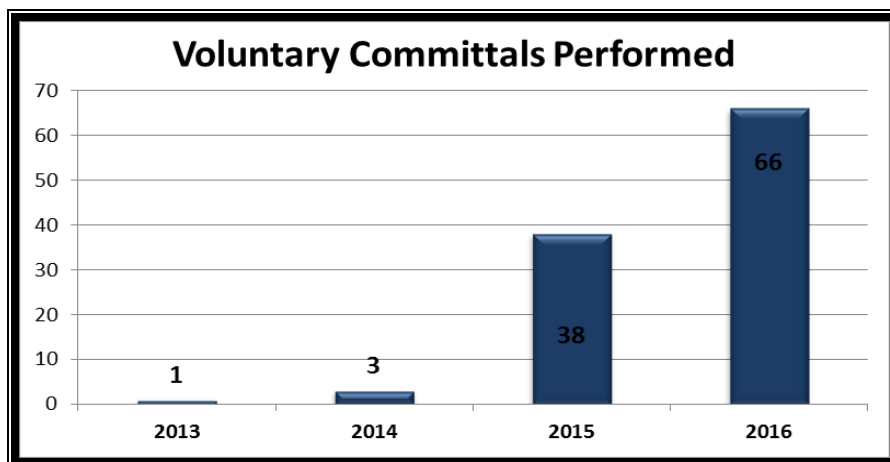
Although the number of custodial arrests increased slightly in 2016 over 2015, the number of people resisting arrest equates the highest recorded, being one resistor for every 43 arrests. With the exception of 2014, offenders charged with physically resisting an officer's arrest has risen each year, while the deployment of the Oleoresin Capsicum spray, Taser and less lethal weapons has remained relatively unchanged.

Mental Health

In January of 2013, the Orland Park Police Department collaborated with the Cook County State's Attorneys Office and the National Alliance on Mental Illness (N.A.M.I.) to provide additional comprehensive training on proper procedures when interacting with persons suffering from mental illness. This training, provided to all sworn members, was in part due to the shutdown of the Tinley Park Mental Health Center (July 2012), a 30% decrease in state funding for mental health services over a three year period (Southtown Star 01/28/2013), and the substantial rise in the calls for service involving people in mental crisis in 2012.

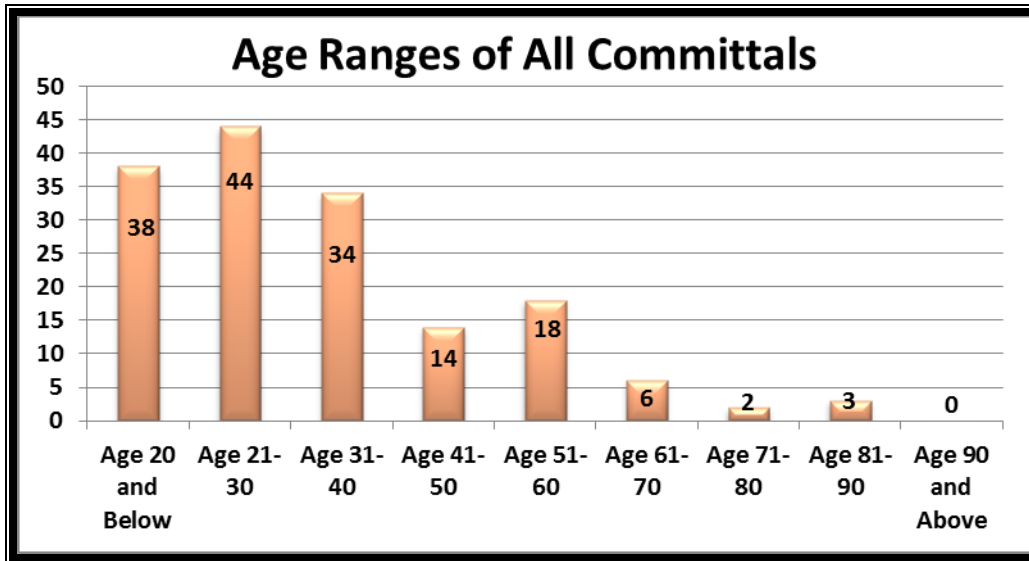


In 2015, the Orland Park Police Department created a twelve member, state certified, Crisis Intervention Team, to assist in de-escalating potentially volatile situations where individuals were in mental crisis. As evidenced by the graphs, the number of individuals requiring a committal was relatively unchanged (158 vs 159) when compared to 2015. The Crisis Intervention Team, however, has been successful in reducing the involuntary committals in 2016 by gaining more compliance for those requiring a psychiatric evaluation which leads to a better outcome for the patients.



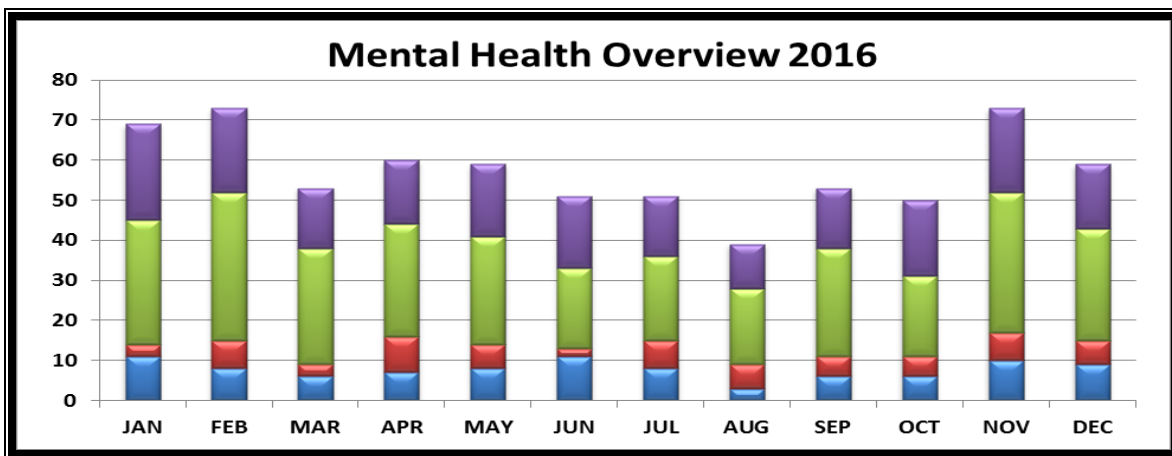
Mental Health Cont'd

Youth continue to be the most at risk population requiring mental health intervention in Orland Park. The leading identifiable cause for the committal involved an individual suffering from a mental illness, age 30 and under alleged the use or threat of use of a weapon.



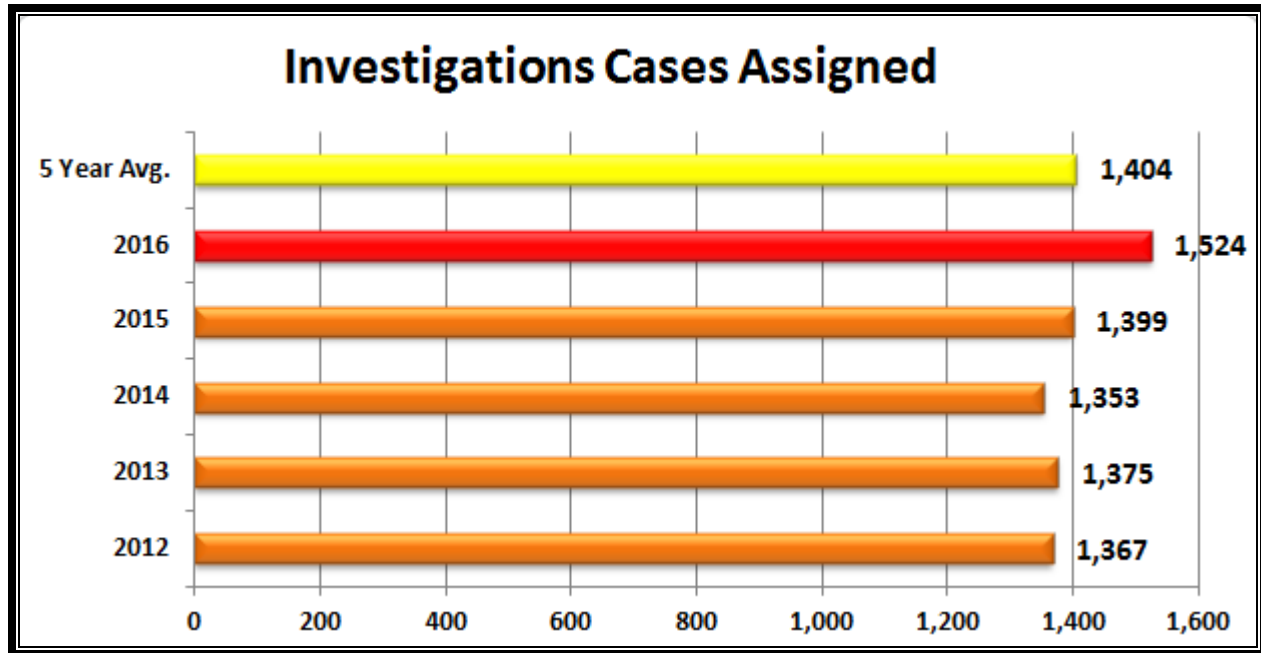
Ninety males and sixty-nine females were transported for a psychiatric evaluation in 2016. Of the 159 committals performed, nearly 33 percent were non-residents.

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Total
Involuntary	11	8	6	7	8	11	8	3	6	6	10	9	66
Voluntary	3	7	3	9	6	2	7	6	5	5	7	6	93
CIT Call	31	37	29	28	27	20	21	19	27	20	35	28	357
CIT Follow ups	24	21	15	16	18	18	15	11	15	19	21	16	209

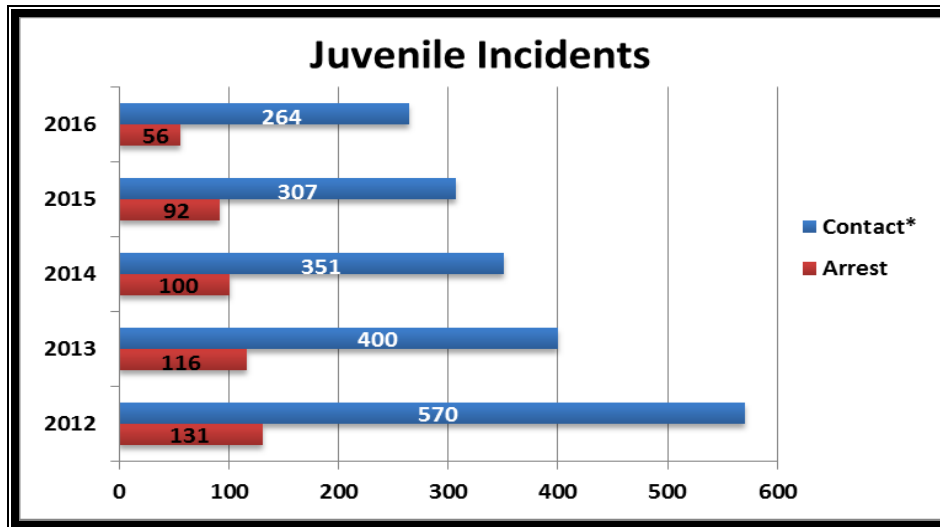


As the public became more aware of the Orland Park Police Department CIT program, the number of follow-ups, calls seeking assistance and referrals increased through the year.

Investigations Division Activities



In 2016, the Orland Park Police Investigations Division assigned the most number of cases. The number of assigned cases exceeded the 5 year average by approximately 8.5%.



*A contact involves the issuance of a municipal violation citation, a diversion to an alternative to court program or a release to parent/guardian situation (curfew, runaway, etc.)

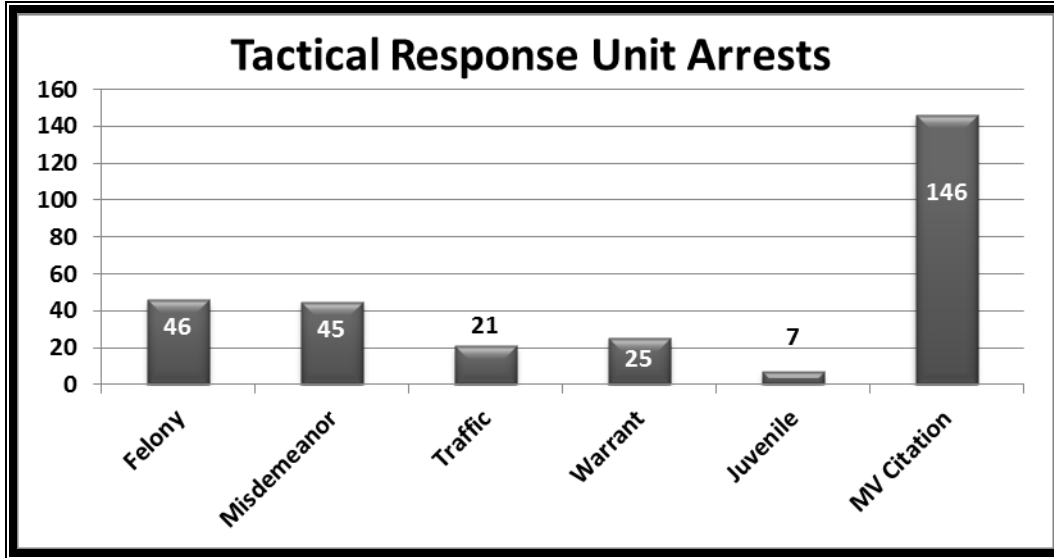
Juvenile related calls for service resulting in a contact or an arrest continued to decline based on a three-year statistical analysis.

The D.A.R.E. program reached over 900 students in 2016. The program along with the D.A.R.E. Booster has been well received by educators, students and parents alike.

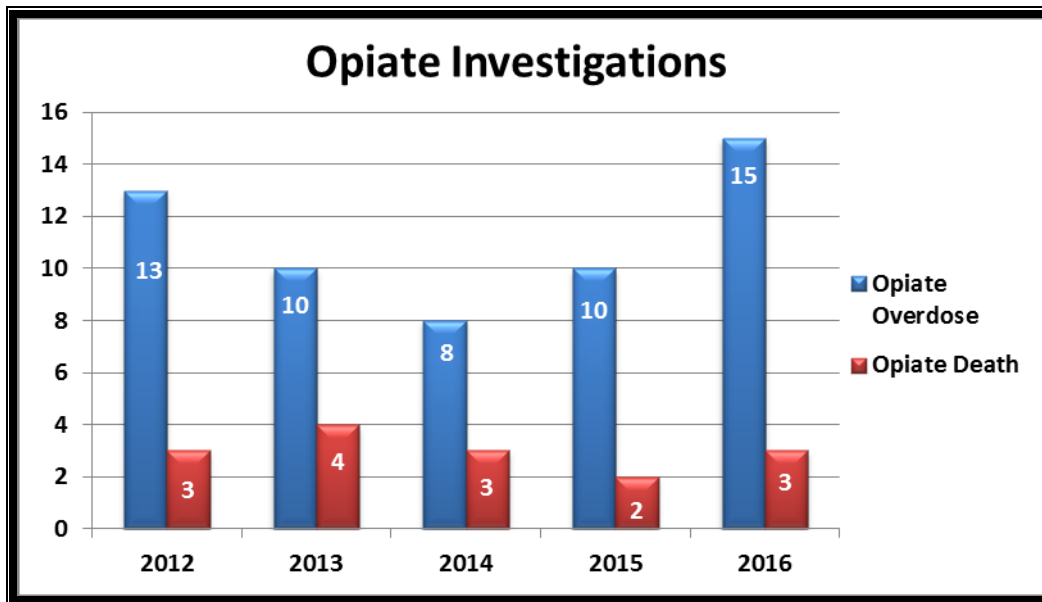
D.A.R.E.

Investigations Division Activities Cont'd

The Orland Park Police Department's Investigations Division, includes a four (4) person Tactical Response Unit, commonly referred to as TRU. The unit's primary responsibility is to focus on in progress calls. This unit also takes a proactive law enforcement approach. The chart below illustrates a breakdown of arrests performed by TRU.



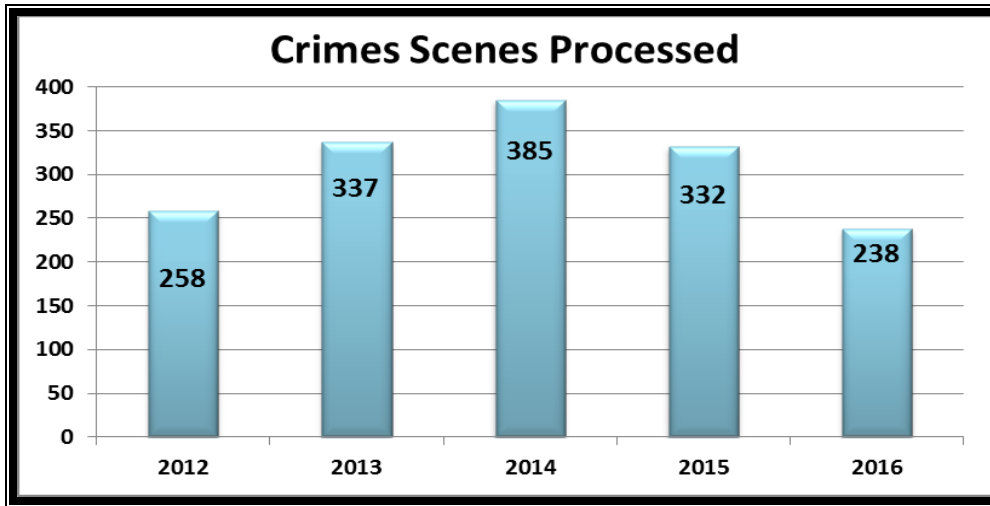
The unit also conducted seven search warrants and performed 85 assists to other agencies throughout the year.



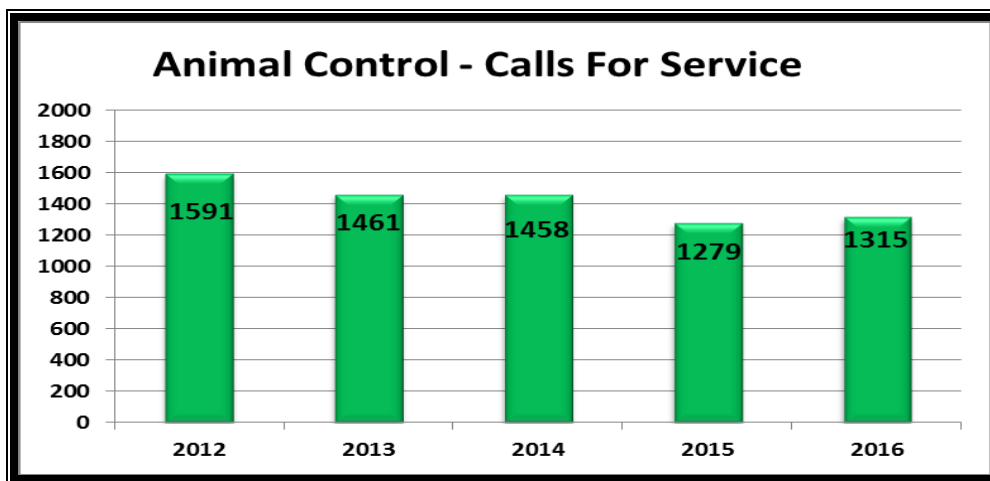
Heroin, an opiate, continues to be a problem within the Chicagoland area. In 2016, members of the patrol division administered NARCAN to eight subjects in respiratory depression from an overdose of opioids. The individuals survived due to the dispensing of the lifesaving medication to reverse the effects of opioids.

Street Evidence Technicians

The Orland Park Police Department has nine highly skilled and trained patrol officers who respond and process crime scenes for latent, trace, ballistic and forensic evidence to help solve crimes.



Animal Control

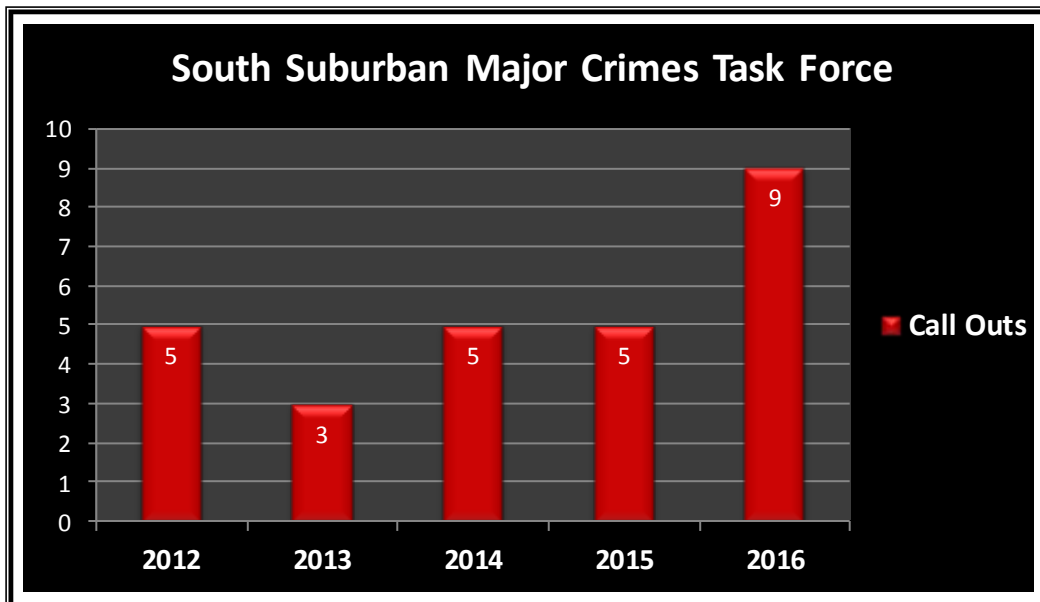


Task Force Overviews 2016

The mission of the South Suburban Major Crimes Task Force (SSMCTF) is to provide comprehensive investigative services to all participating member agencies. These services include, but are not limited to, major drug related violent crimes including homicides, non-parental kidnappings, and other exceptionally heinous crimes when requested to do so by the Police Chief of the member agency with the approval of the Board of Directors. A ten member Board of Directors manages the SSMCTF. Chief McCarthy, is the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The task force is divided into an East and West Division and coordinated by the Illinois State Police and Cook County Sheriff's Department respectively. The task force is made up of 150 investigators from 58 South and Southwest suburban communities with a population of approximately 990,000.



In 2016, the task force responded to 53 total call outs, which included 48 homicides, 2 attempt murders and 3 aggravated battery. Forty-four (44) call outs were in the East Division and nine (9) call outs were in the West Division. Orland Park had a 100% attendance to the call outs in the West Division.

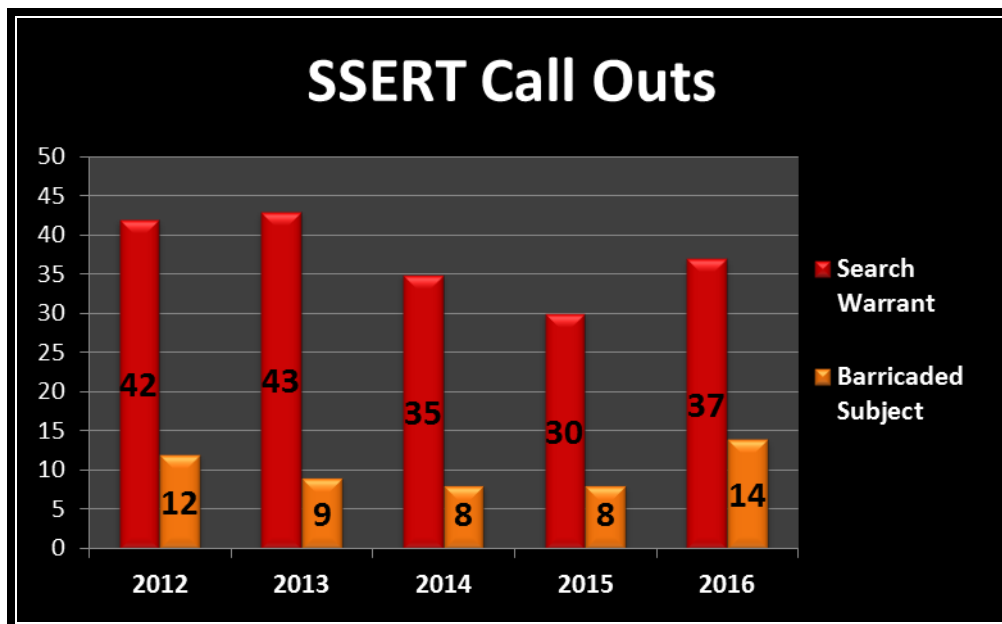


Task Force Overviews 2016 Cont'd

The South Suburban Emergency Response Team (SSERT) is a multi-jurisdictional emergency response team comprised of thirty-four police departments in the south suburbs of Chicago. The team is responsible for the protection of approximately 600,000 residents in an area that is over 150 square miles.

The response team is designed to provide member agencies with a tactical response to Critical Incidents. Currently, the Orland Park Police Department has two full-time sworn officers assigned to the specialized unit part-time. Prior to his retirement, Deputy Chief Kenealy was a member of the Board of Directors of SSERT.

In 2016, Orland Park Officers responded to 51 call outs. Of the 51 call outs, fourteen were for emergencies such as hostage or barricaded subjects and the rest were for the execution of high-risk search warrants. In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department did not request the services of SSERT for any critical incident.



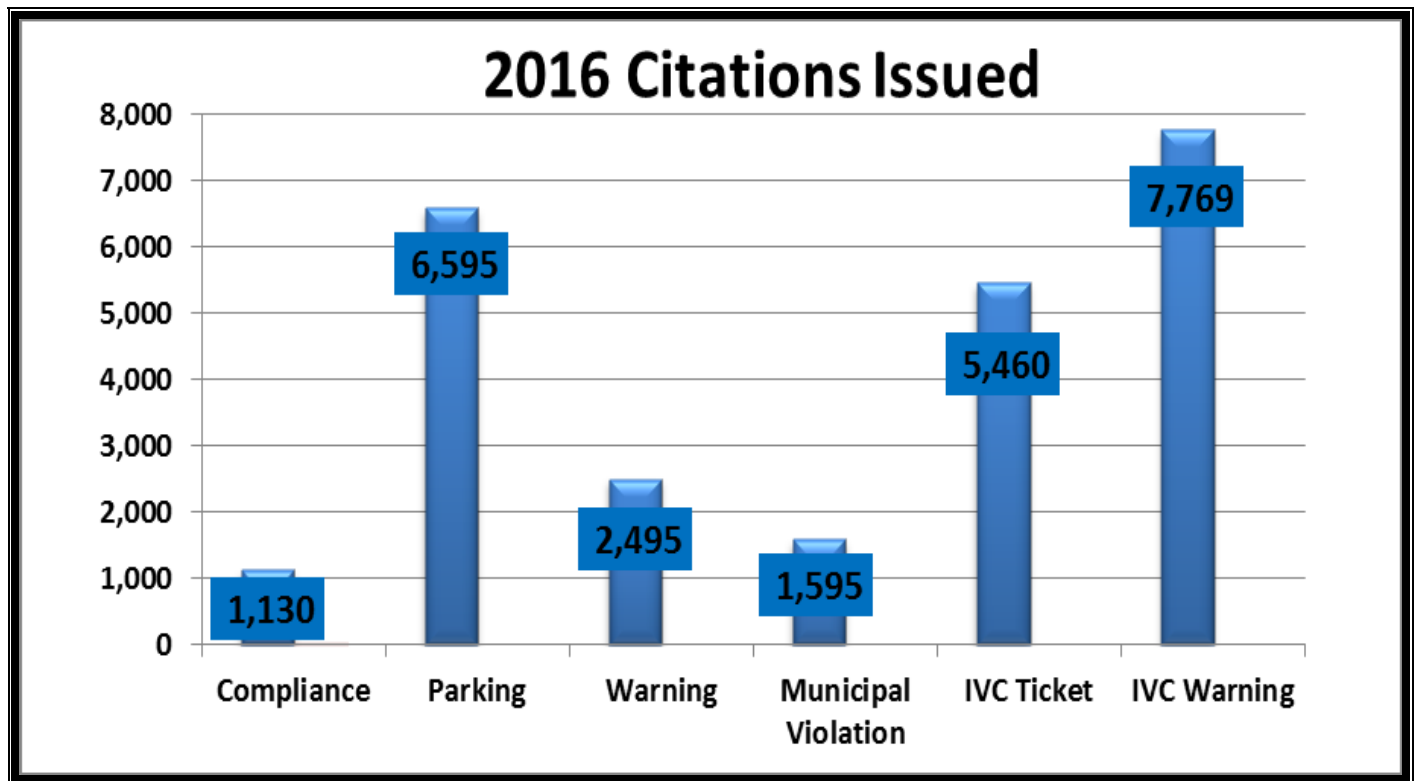
The ILEAS Mobile Field Force (MFF) was created to provide rapid, organized, and disciplined response to civil disorder, crowd control or other tactical situations involving the distribution of pharmaceuticals from the National Strategic Stockpile, weapons of mass destruction incidents, as well as other more conventional events. The Orland Park Police Department has two full-time sworn officers assigned to the specialized unit. In 2016, officers assigned to MMF responded to one call out.

The Orland Park Police Department has one member, Investigator Walsh, assigned to the F.B.I.'s Safe Streets Task Force (SRA-1). In 2016, SRA-1 made 58 arrests, executed 118 search warrants or court orders and recovered 39 weapons and 41 drug seizures.

Five-Year Citation Analysis (2012 – 2016)

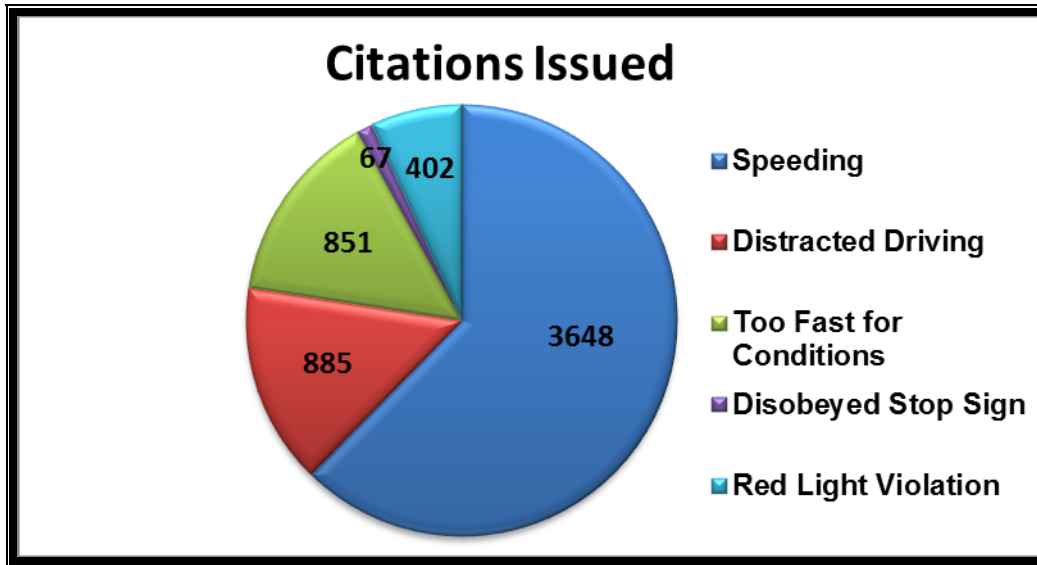
Citation Type	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Total
Compliance	3,246	2,838	1,854	1,485	1,130	10,553
Parking	9,369	9,237	6,389	8,282	6,595	39,872
Warning	4,371	4,371	12,351	2,872	2,495	26,460
Municipal Violation	1,759	1,628	1,624	1,628	1,595	8,234
Total	18,745	18,074	22,218	14,267	11,815	85,119

The department utilizes municipal violation summons as a more effective and efficient means to address minor crimes. Municipal violation summons are an alternative to a formal custodial arrest, which includes charging, fingerprinting, bonding and a mandatory court appearance. Additionally, through the Municipal Violations Hearing Officer, the offender may be ordered to participate in a specialized program that can be more tailored to address his particular deficiencies/needs and thus reduce recidivism.

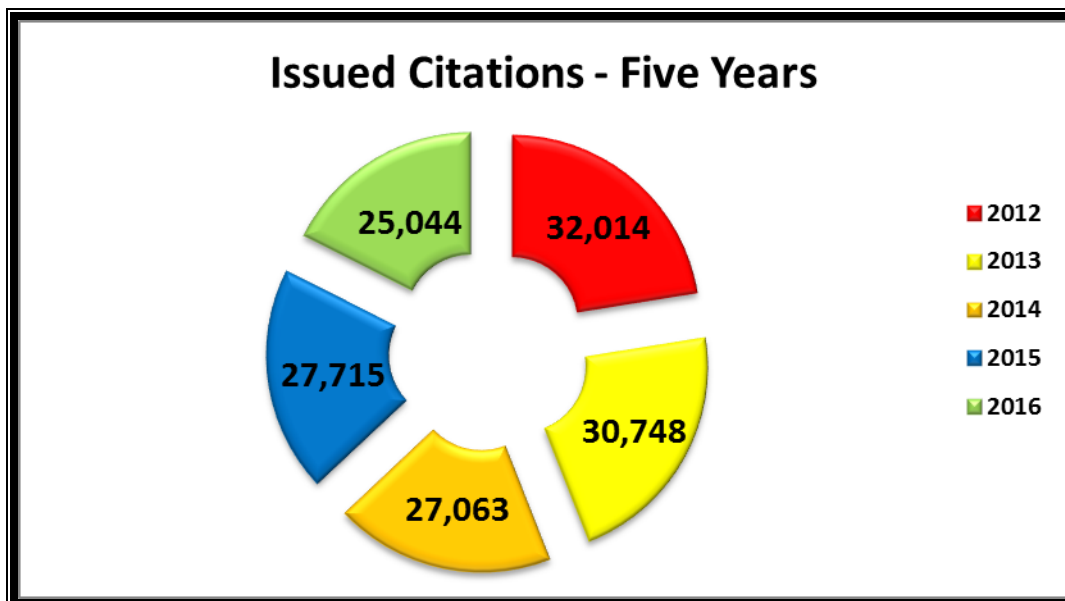


As evidenced in the above graph, parking citations and Illinois Vehicle Code (IVC) warnings are the prevailing means to address violations in the village in 2016.

Five-Year Citation Analysis Cont'd.



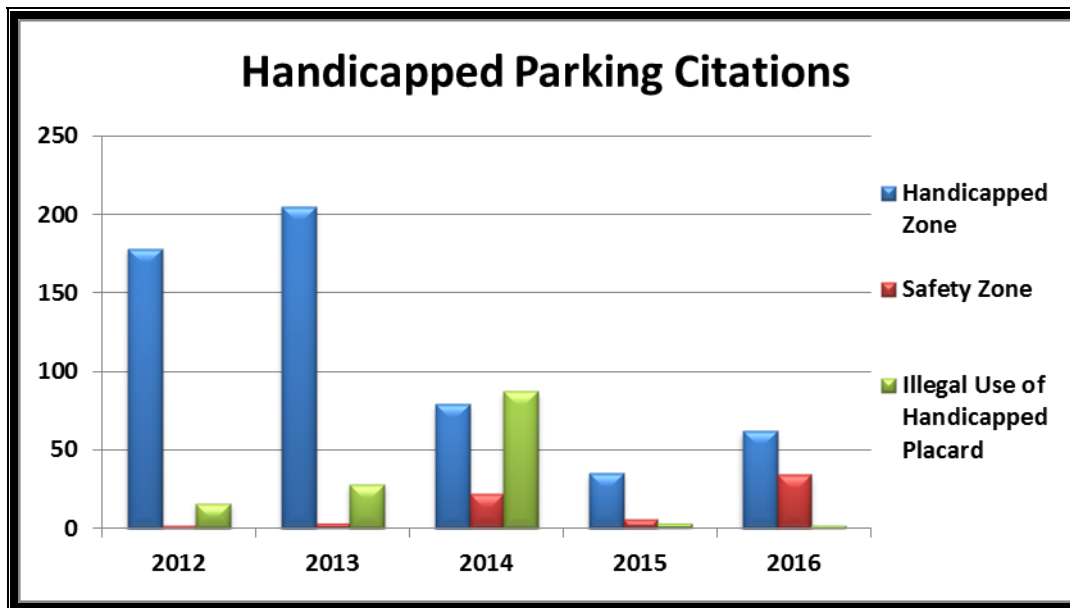
The chart above lists the top five issued citations to motorists. Speeding continues to be the leading ticket issued in Orland Park. Distracted driving continues to rank in the top five for citations written.



In 2016, the number of citations issued decreased by 10% when compared to the 2015 statistics.

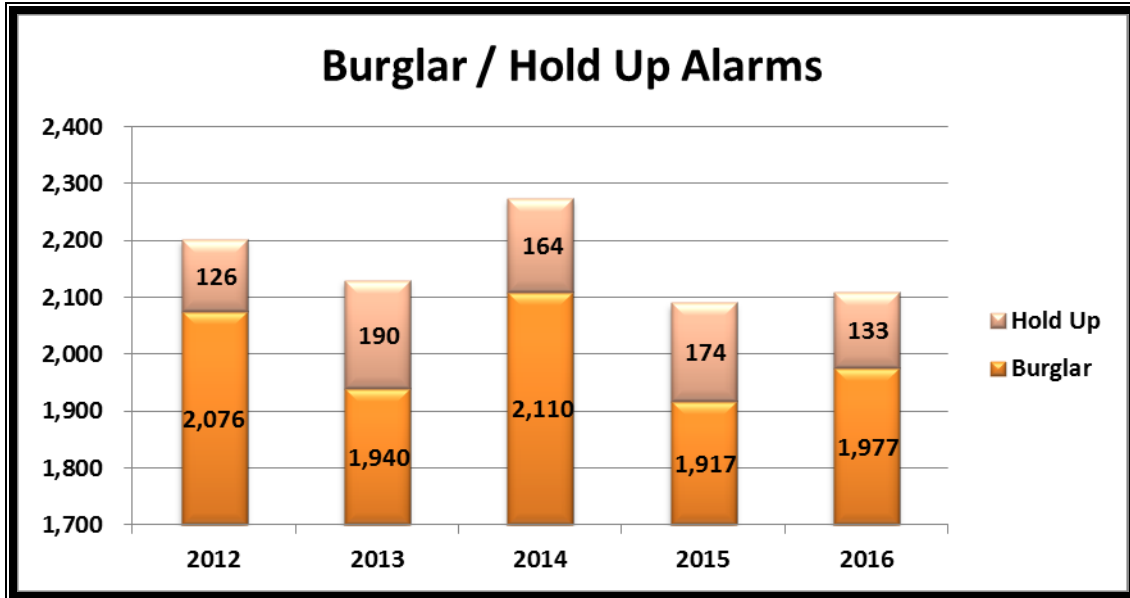
Five-Year Citation Analysis Cont'd

Citations	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	5 Year Average
Handicapped Zone	178	205	79	35	62	112
Compliance	2	0	1	1	1	1
Parking	144	150	67	22	52	87
Warning	32	55	11	12	9	13
Safety Zone	2	3	22	6	34	13
Compliance	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parking	2	3	14	6	34	12
Warning	0	0	8	0	0	2
Illegal Use of Handicapped Placard	16	28	87	3	2	27
Compliance	3	0	0	0	0	1
Parking	13	28	43	2	2	18
Warning	0	0	44	1	0	9
Grand Total:	196	236	188	44	98	152



Five-Year Citation Analysis Cont'd

Burglar / Hold Up Alarm Overview						
Alarm Category	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	5 Year Average
Burglar	2,076	1,940	2,110	1,917	1,977	2,004
Hold Up	126	190	164	174	133	128
Total	2,202	2,130	2,274	2,091	2,110	2,161



Red Light Camera Enforcement

Intersection Location	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Total
151st St & Harlem Ave	873	837	874	1,485	-	4,069
159th St & Harlem Ave	1,548	1,600	1,609	2,082	1,579	8,418
151st St & La Grange Rd	503	244	-	-	-	747

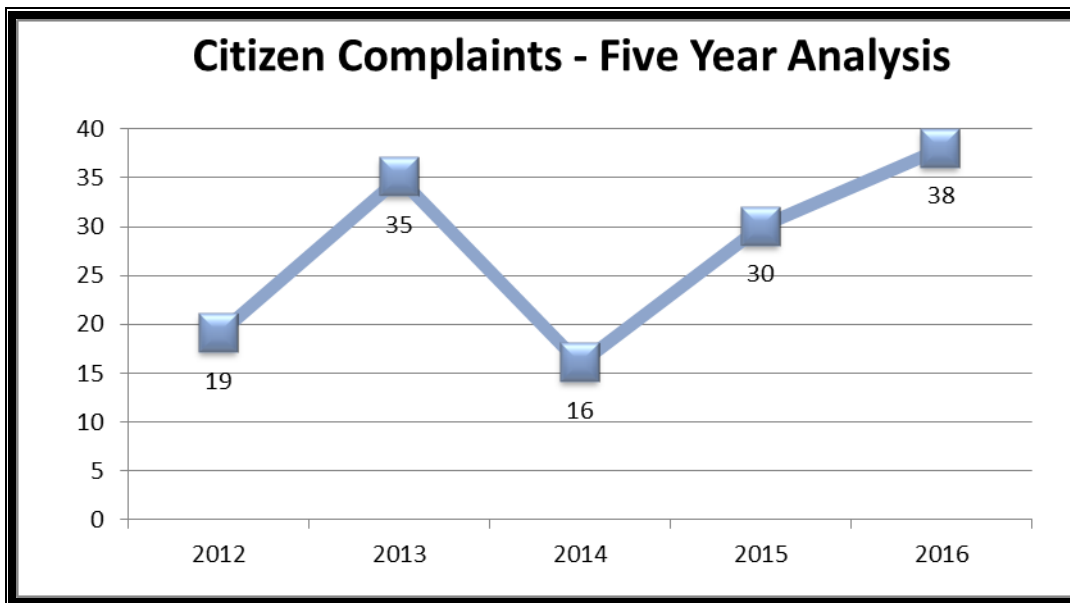
* The red light camera located at 151st and LaGrange Rd was removed on 07/02/2013 due to road construction. The red light camera located at 151st and Harlem Ave was not active.

At 159th and Harlem, the number of recorded red light violations decreased by 24% when compared to 2015 statistics.

Citizen Complaints (2012 – 2016)

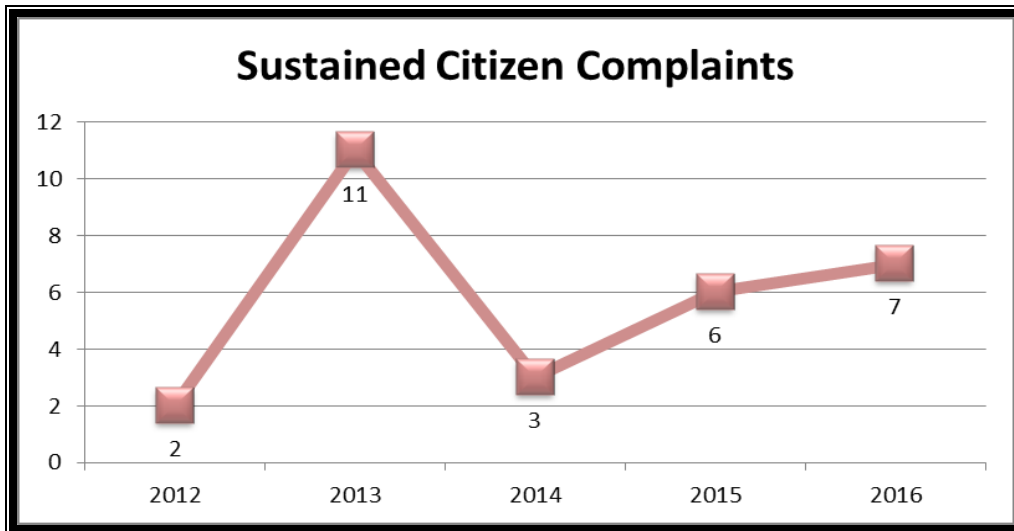
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Five Year Average	Five Year Total
Demeanor	4	18	13	11	13	12	59
Policy Violation	12	16	4	15	20	13	67
Racial Profiling	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Criminal Misconduct	2	0	0	2	2	1	6
Excessive Use of Force	1	1	0	2	0	1	4
Other	0	0	0	2	3	1	5
Sustained	2	11	3	6	7	6	29
Service Calls	171,134	155,968	151,969	185,005	184,710	169,757	848,786

* In 2013, 2014 and 2015 the number of complaint categories is greater than the number of actual complaints because in certain situations, the complainant had alleged more than one violation.

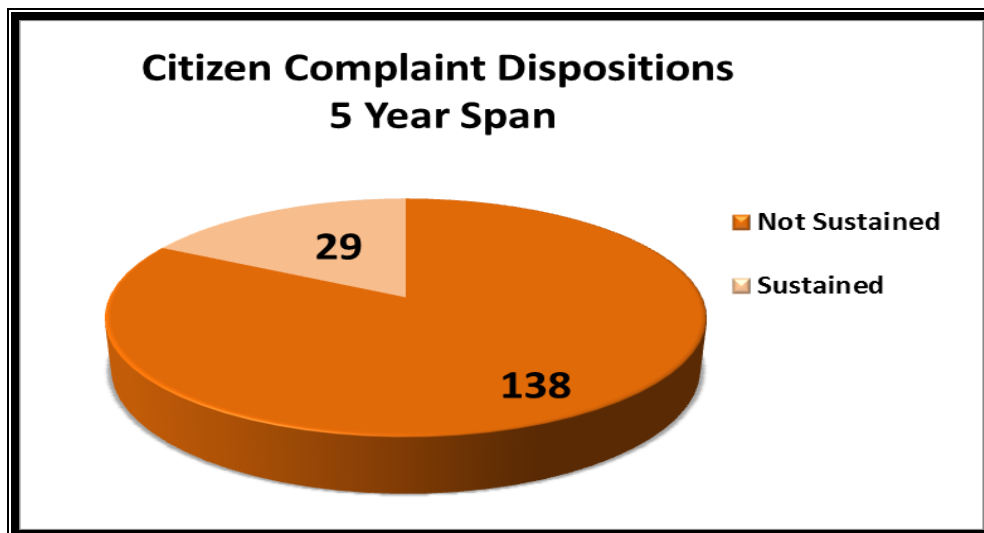


In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department received 38 citizen complaints, higher than the five-year average of 28. Although difficult to measure, some of the increase in citizen complaints may be attributed to the widespread media coverage of protests alleging police misconduct.

Citizen Complaints (2012 - 2016) Cont'd



The sustained rate of 18.4% is the lowest since 2012 (10.5%). Every sustained complaint (7) was the result of a policy violation. The department received two criminal misconduct complaints in 2016. The two complaints were thoroughly investigated and all found to have no merit.



As evidenced above in the Citizen Complaints Dispositions, 17.4% of all complaints against members of the Orland Park Police Department were sustained over the last five years. No racial profiling or excessive use of force complaints were sustained throughout the last five years.

The Orland Park Police Department responded to 184,710 calls for service in 2016 and sustained six (7) citizen complaints. This computes to one sustained complaint for every 26,837 citizen contacts.

Awards and Commendations 2016

On November 10, 2016, the Orland Park Police Department held its Annual Awards Ceremony at Carl Sandburg High School.

Officer of the Year

Richard Stoettner

Life Saving Award

Officer Carone
Officer Legris

Grand Cordon

Sergeant Rosinski
Investigator Ronald Ahrendt
Officer W. Fitzgibbon
Officer Legris
Officer O'Connell
Officer Prieto (2)*
Officer Schoonveld (2)*
Officer Swendsen
Officer Zayed

Exceptional Service Award

Sergeant Siewert, Sergeant Lee, Investigator Davids, Officer Berthold, Officer Czarnowski, Officer Dargan, Officer DeVries, Officer K. Fitzgibbon, Officer W. Fitzgibbon, Officer Folliard, Officer Goewey, Officer Hartsock, Officer Kelly-Valan, Officer Kois, Officer Kirby, Officer Legris, Officer Losurdo (5)*, Officer Majcherek, Officer Murphy, Officer O'Brien, Officer O'Connor, Officer Prieto (3), Officer Sanders, Officer Schoonveld (3)*, Officer Swendsen (5)*, Officer Toosley, Officer Valentino (2), Officer Van Wagner, Officer Wall, Officer Walsh, Officer Whalen, Officer Zayed and Officer Zumerling.

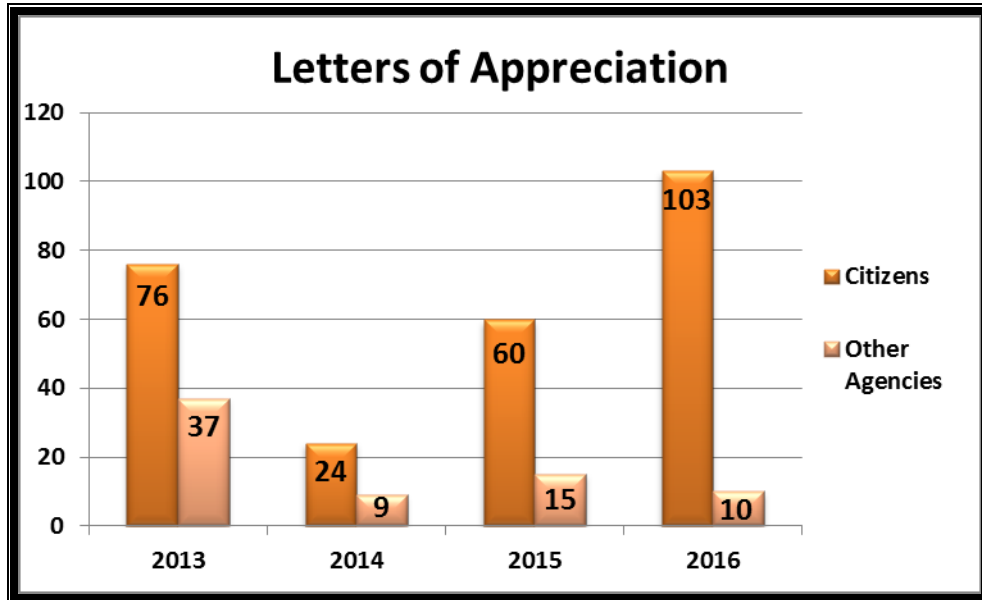
Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorist Award

Officer W. Fitzgibbon, Officer Folliard, Officer Martyn, Officer O'Connell and Officer O'Connor

* (X) Denotes the number of awards the recipient received for separate incidents rising to that level of recognition.

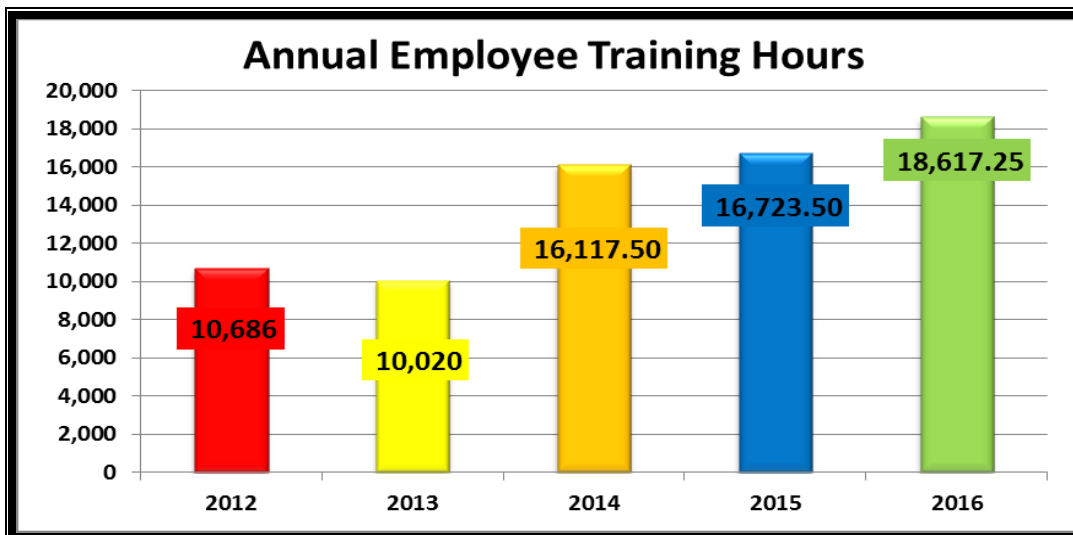
Awards and Commendations 2016 Cont'd

In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department received numerous letters of appreciation from citizens and from entities in both the public (federal, state and local) and private sectors. The graph below illustrates the number of officers and civilian employees recognized for outstanding performance and dedication to the public.



Training

The Orland Park Police Department is committed to having a professional and highly trained work force that serves the community effectively and efficiently. The chart below provides evidence of the department's dedication and the considerable resources devoted to achieving that goal. In 2016, the department logged the highest number of training hours in the last five years.



Security Measures

In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department devoted additional resources to deterring, investigating and arresting offenders for retail crimes. The initiative consisted of increased patrols, undercover operations, and foot patrols at local retail establishments. During the busy holiday shopping season, there were additional officers assigned to Orland Square Mall. In the month of December alone, the department made 78 arrests for retail theft and had no reported burglary to motor vehicles. Orland Square Mall Security compiled the following holiday shopping data:

- ✓ Holiday season sales were preliminarily reported to be up 16% when compared to 2015,
- ✓ Faster police response to calls for service within and outside the mall,
- ✓ No reported Crimes Against Person at Orland Square Mall during holiday season,
- ✓ Loss Prevention (LP) agents have reported that shoplifting incidents decreased when police presence was visible and when incidents did occur, quick police response time made the response easier and safer for mall security.
- ✓ A substantial increase in the gratitude expressed by customers regarding the uniform police presence at the mall during the holiday shopping season.



Crime Risk

CRIMECAST Map - 2:6 Methodology Orland Park Police Department

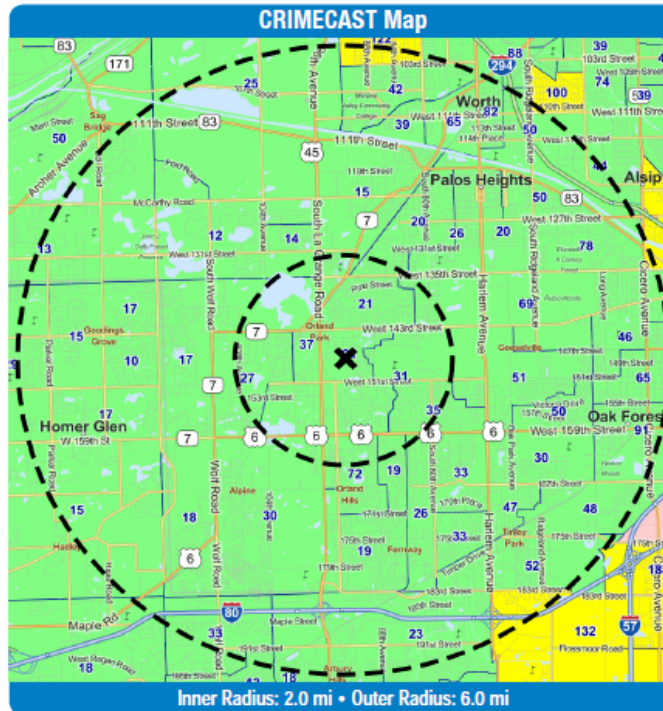
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Score Ranges: 0-99 100-199 200-399 400-799 800-2000

CRIMECAST Scores are based on a scale of 0 to 2000, with 0 representing the lowest risk and 2000 the highest - 100 is average. A score of 66 is below the national average.

National

This Site's Scores

CRIMECAST CATEGORY	CURRENT 2016
CAP Index	66
Homicide	110
Rape	74
Robbery	70
Aggravated Assault	44
Crimes Against Persons	51
Burglary	164
Larceny	88
Motor Vehicle Theft	73
Crimes Against Property	68
CAP INDEX SCORE NATIONAL	
Past - 2010	63
Current - 2016	66
Projected - 2021	63



Creation Date: November 28, 2016

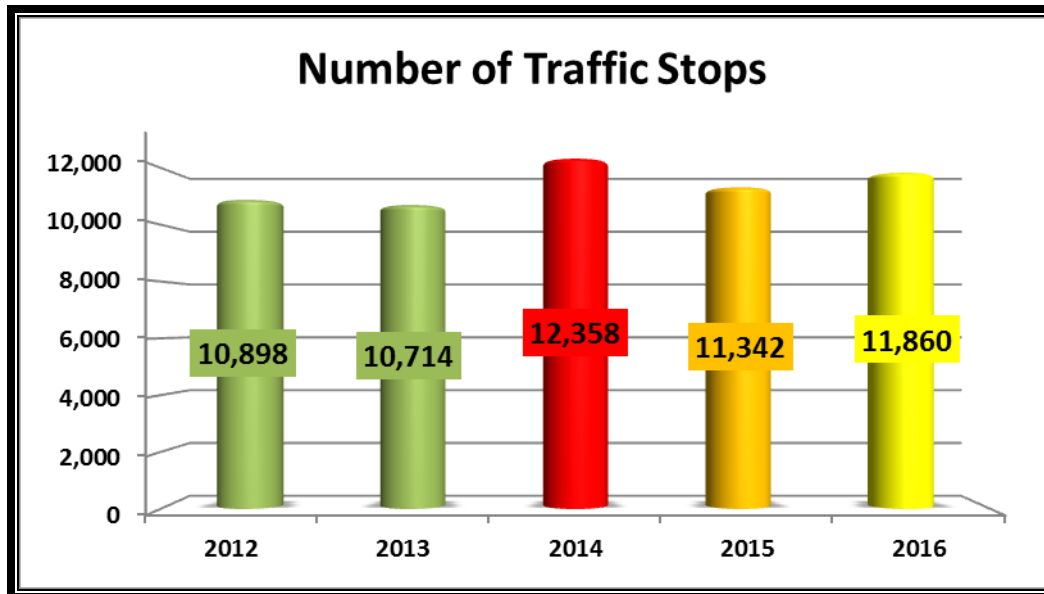
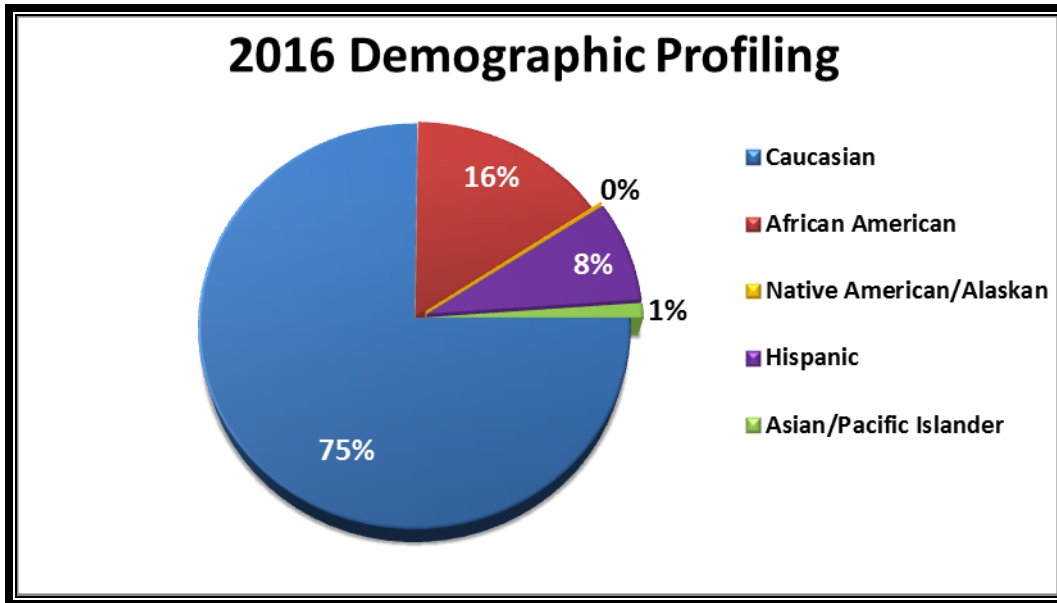
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The Cap Index is a methodology to measure crime risk expressed numerically with 100 being the national average. The CAP Index has been shown in numerous validation studies to be the single most useful indicator of site-specific serious crime risk. Many of the top 100 Fortune companies use Cap Index as a crime risk forecasting resource.

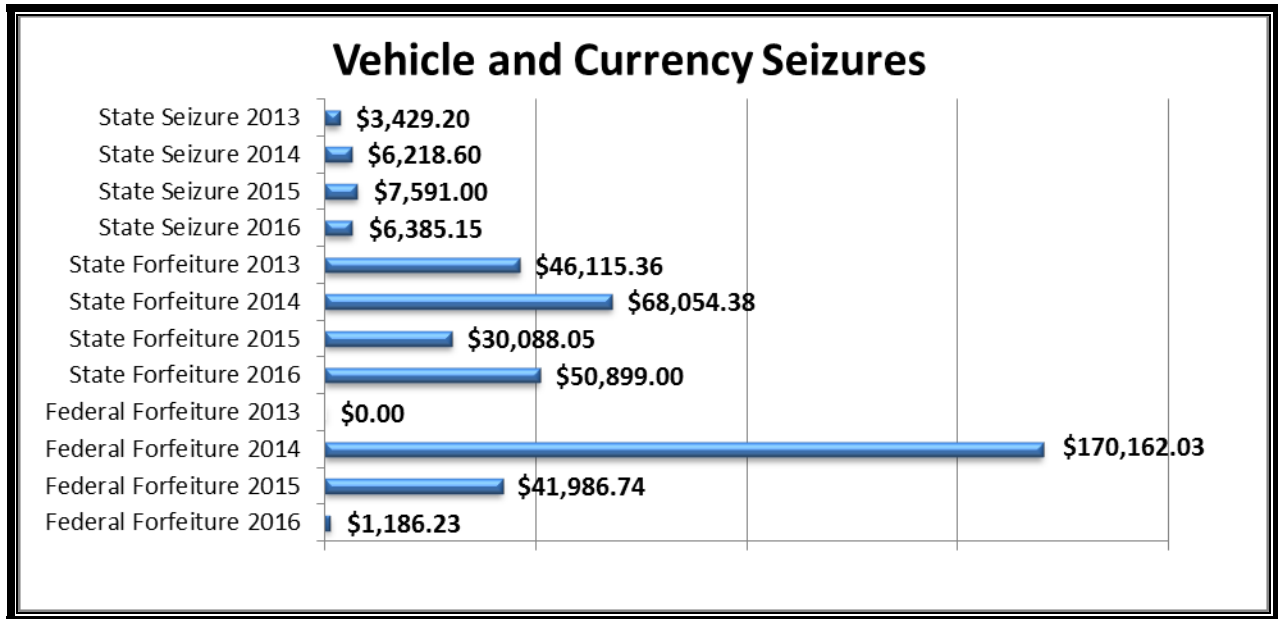
As evidenced by department data and the Cap Index of 66 (34% below the national average for crime risk) for the Orland Square Mall, the Village of Orland Park continues to have a low crime rate within its designated retail zones, commercial areas and neighborhoods.

Traffic Stops

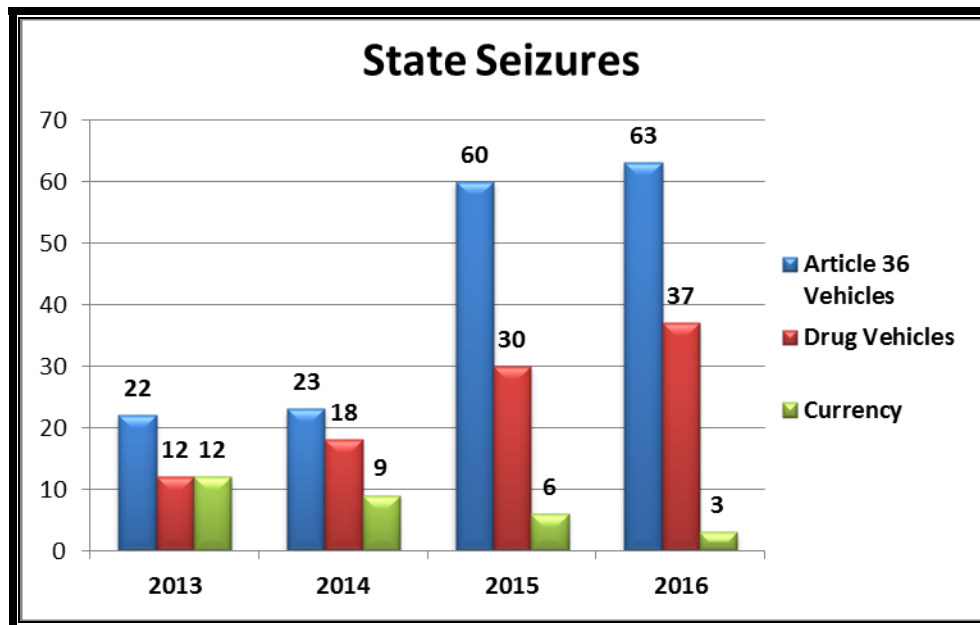


In 2016, the number of traffic stops increased by 4.57% when compared to 2015 statistics.

Vehicle and Currency Seizures



As evidenced in the above graph, the Orland Park Police Department continues to seize large quantities of currency and property that was obtained through illegal criminal activity.



In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department seized 11.1% more vehicles than in 2015 for drugs (Delivery or Possession with the Intent to Deliver) or under 720 ILCS /36-1 (Article 36) of the Illinois Compiled Statutes. The total amount currency seized in 2016 at the state level was \$6,385.15.

2016 Revenues*

Federal Forfeiture Fund.....	\$113,109.36
State Forfeiture Fund.....	\$217,380.80
State Seizure Fund.....	\$29,289.05
Driving Under the Influence Fund.....	\$30,630.73
Vehicle Impoundment Fund.....	\$215,652.75

2016 Fines**

Municipal Violations	\$603,540.62
Ordinance Violations.....	\$206,876.07
Circuit Court	\$144,717.36
Red Light Enforcement.....	\$63,054.73

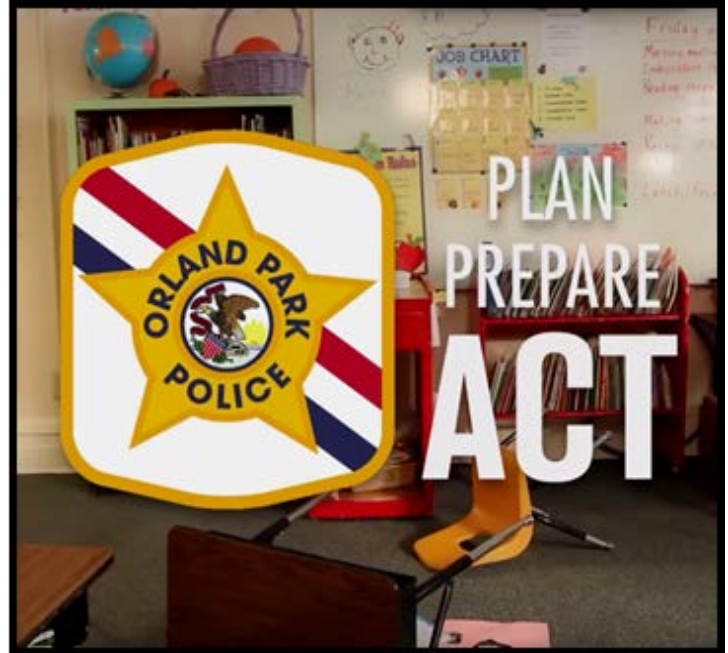
***As of January 20, 2016**

**** 2016 Revenue Collected**

School Security

The Orland Park Police Department continues to enjoy a strong partnership, dedicated to school safety, with all of the schools located within the Village of Orland Park. This partnership includes ten schools in District 135, Carl Sandburg High School, Saint Michael School, Kruse Education Center, and Fernway Park School along with various colleges / universities, pre-schools, and day care centers.

The department has three dedicated School Resource Officers (SROs) that meet regularly with school officials to share safety-related information.



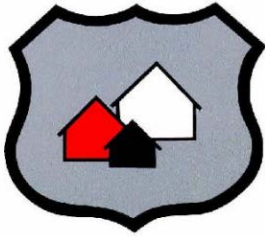
In 2016, the department participated in fifteen lock down drills at the local schools and participated in "School Safety" meetings with each school.

As part of a continual commitment to school safety, the department created the Plan Prepare ACT active shooter training video for all school personnel. The purpose of the video is to stimulate - "What If Thinking" - in the event a critical incident unfolded in an Orland Park school. Because no two active shooter incidents are the same, the video provides a list of possible options rather than hard fast rules for school staff to consider.

The Orland Park Police Department's "Plan Prepare Act" active shooter training video distributed to area schools, churches and business received national recognition by being awarded the coveted Bronze People's Telly Award winner in the Non-Broadcast Production Category.



Crime Free Rental Housing Program



On January 19, 2009, the Village of Orland Park passed a new ordinance implementing a Crime Free Rental Housing Program for the Village of Orland Park. The purpose of this ordinance is to provide minimum standards for residential rental housing for the protection of the life, health, welfare, and property of rental residential owners and tenants, as well as that of the public. Inspections facilitate the enforcement of minimum standards.

Laws regarding rental properties and eviction proceedings can be complicated. Most small property owners operate their rental unit as an investment and may not have the background, information, or experience that would assist them in preventing or dealing with problems on their property. The "Crime Free Rental Housing Program" can help you be prepared to prevent problems or be ready to quickly and effectively deal with problems should they occur.

The Crime Free Rental Housing Program is a state-of-the-art, crime prevention program designed to reduce crime, drugs, and gangs on rental properties. This program was successfully developed at the Mesa Arizona Police Department in 1992.

The program consists of three phases that are completed under the supervision of the department. Property managers can be certified after completing training in each phase and the property becomes certified upon successful completion of all three phases.

The anticipated benefits are reduced police calls for service, a more stable resident base, and reduced exposure to civil liability.

Crime Free Housing	Registered Properties	Calls for Service	Generated Reports	Arrests
2012	668	444	304	43
2013	757	565	373	46
2014	751	407	243	30
2015	811	377	71	20
2016	961	137	39	12

Although 2016 saw the most registered rental properties, the number of calls for service, generated reports and the number of arrests were the lowest recorded in the last five years.

Response to Resistance Simulator

In April of 2016, the Orland Park Police Department purchased a state of the art, Response to Resistance simulator. The system offers low-light simulation and 3D capabilities to enhance the realism of over 500 pre-programed scenarios. The simulator will assist in evaluating decision-making, judgment and reaction by officers to real life encounters.



Orland Park Chief Timothy J. McCarthy Named Police Chief of the Year for 2016



Orland Park Police Chief Timothy McCarthy was named the first recipient of the Chief of the Year Award by the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police. The award, was given for the first time this year, for leadership in law enforcement, leadership in his own police department and service to the association.

The chief's accomplishments, including his lobbying on law enforcement issues, helping to establish the South Suburban Major Crimes Task Force, automating the Orland Park Police Department, implementation of the crime free rental housing program, overseeing construction of the nation's first LEED Gold certified police station, implementation of community policing initiatives, promoting crisis intervention training for officers and the use of NARCAN to help save those overdosing on heroin. McCarthy and the Orland Park Police Department have been actively involved with the Law Enforcement Torch Run and fundraising for Illinois Special Olympics and the Orland Park Police Department was the first municipal police agency to receive a certificate of authorization from the Federal Aviation Administration for the use of a drone.

Orland Park Police Department's small Unmanned Aircraft System (sUAS)

The Orland Park Police Department is the fifth police department in the United States to receive a Blanket Area Public Safety Certificate of Authorization from the Federal Aviation Administration for its drone. Orland Park was also the first municipal police department in the State of Illinois to receive Federal Aviation Administration permission to operate a drone for training purposes.

Under Illinois Compiled Statutes, the use of the sUAS may only be used:

1. To counter a high risk of a terrorist attack by a specific individual or organization if the United States Secretary of Homeland Security determines that credible intelligence indicates that there is that risk,
2. If a law enforcement agency first obtains a search warrant,
3. If a law enforcement agency possesses reasonable suspicion that, under circumstances, swift action is needed to prevent imminent harm to life, or to forestall the imminent escape of a suspect or the destruction of evidence,
4. If a law enforcement agency is attempting to locate a missing person, and is not undertaking a criminal investigation,
5. If a law enforcement agency is using a drone solely for crime scene and traffic crash scene photography, or
6. If a law enforcement agency is using a drone during a disaster or public health emergency.



DEA's National Take Back Program

The Orland Park Police Department participated in the bi-annual Drug Enforcement Administration's National Prescription Take-Back Initiative. According to the 2010 National Survey on Drug Use and Health, "Americans currently abuse prescription drugs more than the number of those using cocaine, hallucinogens, heroin, and inhalants combined." In a published article on January 13, 2012, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention had identified prescription drug abuse as the fastest growing drug problem in the United States.

In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department collected over 403 pounds of prescription medication from area residents for proper destruction during the bi-annual initiative and during the scheduled drop off days and times at the department. Since enrolling in the program in 2012, the Orland Park Police Department has collected over two tons (4,200 lbs.) of unwanted, not used or discarded prescription medications. A large quantity of the medication collected is tightly controlled; highly addictive and potentially fatal opioids (pain killers). Prescription drugs (no needles or liquids) may be dropped off at the police department from 9AM to 1PM Monday through Thursday.



National Night Out Against Crime

On 8/2/16, the Orland Park Police Department participated in the National Night Out Against Crime program for the sixteenth year. The annual event held at the Civic Center, included hosting a Senior Citizen Luncheon and a seminar on crime prevention in the afternoon. During the evening, hundreds of residents participated in numerous events for both children and adults emphasizing crime prevention and awareness.



Orland Park Police Department

Crime Tips: 708-349-TIPS
crimetips@orlandpark.org

If You
SEE
Something
SAY
Something
NOW!

*Working Together for a
Safer Community.*

Citizen's Police Academy

The Orland Park Police Department held its first Citizen's Police Academy class in the fall of 2008 when 25 enthusiastic citizens met for the first night. Since the inception of the academy, approximately 300 citizens have participated in the successful program. In 2016, the department held its second Teen Citizen's Police Academy. Twenty seven local teens participated in the two day, 16 hour academy.

Program Description for the Citizen's Police Academy

The Citizen's Police Academy is a 12-week program designed to give citizens, 18 years or older, a working knowledge of law enforcement. The free program is limited to 25 students per session. The participants receive one block of instruction each week. Each session provides an in-depth overview of how a particular division of the department functions.

Classes offered in both academies include:

- Laws of Arrest
- K-9
- Firearms
- Internet Investigations
- DARE
- Cook County State's Attorney's Office
- Crime Scene Analysis
- Traffic Stops
- Traffic Unit
- Search and Seizure
- Community Orientated Policing Program(COPP)

Goals

The Major goals of the department is to provide the best possible service to the citizens of Orland Park and to show our commitment to serve the community. We continually look for new ideas that will take us out into the community and provide an opportunity to meet the citizens and leave them with a positive impression.

Benefits

At the completion of the academy, the participants develop a better understanding of personnel issues, procedures, responsibilities, demands, equipment, and the laws that influence the department's decisions.

The Citizen's Police Academy also provides the opportunity to build a strong partnership with the Orland Park Police Department and the citizens of Orland Park. Through this partnership, the needs of the community can be identified while the citizens obtain a greater understanding of the police department.

2016 Citizen's Police Academy



2nd Annual Teen Citizen's Police Academy

In 2016, the Orland Park Police Department held its second Teen Citizen's Police Academy. Twenty seven local teenagers participated in the sixteen hour course. The training concluded with the teens measuring their judgment, timing and accuracy in a Use of Force simulator.



Noteworthy 2016 Investigations

Four Arrested After Off Duty Officer Prevents Theft

On 09/08/2016 at 10:57am an off-duty Orland Park Police Officer was working security at James and Sons Jewelry store 15234 Lagrange Road when he observed a suspicious subject enter the business. That subject, later identified as Gionny Coker appeared to be concealing a large object under his pants pocket and holding the large object with his right hand. Coker also had a white cloth item over his shoulder. Coker walked around the store and told the employees that he was looking for men's gold chains. It appeared that Coker then observed the off-duty officer and left the business still holding and concealing the large object covered by his right hand. Coker exited the store and met with three other male subjects in the parking lot near the vehicle they all arrived in, a 1998 green Jeep Cherokee. The off-duty officer called dispatch and requested assistance before investigating the subjects. Upon arrival of the marked patrol units all four subjects took off running eastbound through the parking lot refusing officers commands to stop. The subjects fled across Lagrange Road and into the Dicks Sporting Goods Store with officers in foot pursuit. Three of the suspects then exited Dick's and one suspect was apprehended outside the Barnes and Noble store, one was apprehended in the Dick's Sporting Goods parking lot, and the third suspect was arrested in the rear of Center School. The fourth suspect was later found inside the shoe department of Dick's and taken into custody.

The subsequent investigation revealed that the four suspects were from Detroit, Michigan. They were planning on committing a theft at the James and Sons Jewelry Store by using hammers to break the glass cases and stealing jewelry. The suspects stole a Jeep earlier in the day from the driveway of a home in Mokena, Illinois around 10:00 am. The four drove to the parking lot of James and Sons and Coker entered the business to check it out. They fled when officers arrived and were arrested.

The stolen vehicle was recovered at the scene and a mini sledge hammer dropped by Coker was recovered near the stolen Jeep. Nothing was stolen from the store. No other weapons were displayed or recovered at the scene.

Arrested and Charged

Gionny Coker Male/18 years of age
13102 Kentucky
Detroit, MI 48228

1 Count Resisting Arrest
Class A Misdemeanor

Jacob Scott Male/21 years of age
2923 Sheridan St
Detroit, MI 48213

1 Count Unlawful Possession of Stolen Vehicle
Class 2 Felony

Antoine Scott Male/22 years of age
12039 Mettetal St
Detroit, MI 48227

1 Count Resisting Arrest
Class 4 Felony

Matthew Devon Male/24 years of age
9034 Westwood St
Detroit, MI 48228

1 Count Resisting Arrest
Class A Misdemeanor

Noteworthy 2016 Investigations Cont'd

South Holland Man Charged With Stolen Vehicle and Loaded Gun

On July 29, 2016 at 4:52pm Orland Park Police received notification from On-star Auto Security reporting a stolen vehicle driving in the Orland Park area near 159th Street and 88th Ave. The stolen vehicle was described a 2007 Saturn bronze in color along with a license plate number. The vehicle was reported stolen in Chicago on 7/21/2016. An Orland Park Police Officer spotted the vehicle driving northbound Lagrange Road from 159th Street and radioed for additional units before attempting a vehicle stop. The Saturn was stopped in the Whole Foods parking lot at 153rd and Lagrange Road where two occupants of the vehicle were taken into custody. A fully loaded Glock 9mm handgun was observed in an unzipped book bag in the backseat of the Saturn.

The driver was identified as Shelton G. Brooks 29 years of age. The investigation determined that Brooks took the Saturn from his ex-girlfriend and refused to return the vehicle which was then reported stolen by the vehicle owner in Chicago. Brooks is a convicted felon and is not authorized to be in possession of a handgun.

Arrested and Charged

Shelton G. Brooks Male/29 years of age
16713 Maple Ave
South Holland, IL 60473

1 ct. Felony Unlawful Possession of a
Weapon by a Felon
1 ct. Misdemeanor Criminal Trespass to
Vehicle
1 ct. Misdemeanor Driving While Suspended

Noteworthy 2016 Investigations Cont'd

Suspect charged in Arson

On November 9th at 3:23 AM, Orland Park Police responded to the area of 151st and Harlem to investigate a hit and run accident that occurred approximately 20 minutes prior. A passerby witnessed a vehicle strike the guardrail and drive away from the scene. The same witness later saw the unoccupied vehicle parked at the Walmart, 9245 159th in Orland Hills. Orland Hills officers attempted to locate the driver while Orland Park officers investigated the accident. During the course of the investigation, the vehicle was found to be stolen earlier in the night from unincorporated Lemont.

At 4:02 AM, Orland Park Police and the Orland Fire Protection District responded to a fire alarm at an empty business located at 9270 159th. As fire personnel made entry, they discovered that a fire extinguisher had been activated in the business but no one was inside. At 4:20 AM, officers on scene heard an audible alarm coming from the vacant business at 9186 159th. Officers also observed smoke coming out of the rear door. Fire personnel made entry to the business and discovered a fire had been set in the rear bathroom of the business. No one was located inside.

At 4:29AM, fire personnel observed smoke coming from the rear of Park Hill Cleaners, 9174 159th. Entry was made and fire damage was discovered in the rear bathroom along with a large amount of water on the floor. No one was located inside.

While investigating the above incidents, Michael Pawlak was found walking in the parking lot of Park Hill Plaza. Pawlak had an active traffic warrant out of Will County and taken into custody. Further investigation into Pawlak found that he committed a burglary in unincorporated Lemont and had stolen the vehicle located in the Walmart parking lot. Pawlak was also the person who set fire inside the two businesses. Working in conjunction with the Cook County Sheriff's Police, Pawlak was charged with the following:

Michael Pawlak Male/ 20 years of age
13535 88th Ave.
Orland Park, IL 60462

2 Counts Arson	Class 2 Felony	(Orland Park)
1 Count Criminal Trespass	Class A Misdemeanor	(Cook County)
1 Count Burglary	Class 2 Felony	(Cook County)
1 Count Unlawful Possession of Stolen Vehicle	Class 2 Felony	(Cook County)

Noteworthy 2016 Investigations Cont'd

Joliet Man Charged With Residential Burglary

On July 4, 2016 at 5:37pm, Orland Park Police received a call from a resident in the 10400 block of Emile Lane reporting a suspicious male subject looking into their front window and then walking away quickly when confronted by the homeowner. The caller provided police with a detailed description of the male subject and vehicle as he drove from the area. Officers checked the area but were unable to locate the subject or vehicle at that time. Later that evening at approximately 10:45pm, an officer spotted a vehicle that matched the description driving westbound on Emile Lane in the 10400 block. The officer conducted a traffic stop on the vehicle. The driver was identified as Juan G. Sanchez out of Joliet, Illinois. Sanchez was taken into custody, the vehicle towed, and Sanchez was charged with Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle and No Valid Driver's License. Sanchez matched the description of the previous suspicious person on Emile Lane however no reported crime was known at that time. Sanchez was released on bond.

After reviewing the townhome complex surveillance cameras it was determined that Sanchez drove his red 2003 BMW convertible to the 10400 block of Emile Lane on July 4, 2016 and approached at least 4 townhome front doors. At one residence he tried the front door but it was locked. At the second residence he approached the front door and looked into the door window but left after the homeowner yelled from inside asking what he wanted. Sanchez approached the third residence, opened the unlocked front door peered inside briefly and left without entering or taking anything. At the fourth residence Sanchez opened the front door which was unlocked and entered the home. He remained inside for a short period of time and exited without taking any items that we are aware of.

On July 12, 2016 Sanchez was taken into custody by Orland Park detectives. Sanchez and charged with 1 count of Residential Burglary.

The Orland Park Police would like to note that the security surveillance system installed by the townhome complex was a key factor to solving these crimes.

Sanchez was transported to the Will County Jail on July 12, 2016 and held pending bond hearing.

Arrested and Charged

Juan G. Sanchez Male/ 40 years of age
816 Gage Street
Joliet, IL 60432

1 count Residential Burglary Class 1 Felony



2016 Promotions

Sergeant Wayne Lee
Sergeant Bradley Jankowski

New Employees

Officer Matthew Mungia
Officer Ray Robertson
Officer Alex Vainer
Officer Christopher Ziegler
CSO Jason Enguita
DA Sabrina Hall
DA Jeffrey Michalek
CSO Anthony Sanchez
DA Brittany Stiso

Retirements

Deputy Chief Thomas Kenealy
Investigations Commander John Keating
Patrol Division Commander Laura Guerra
Lieutenant Timothy McCormick
Sergeant Robert Goudie
Officer Daniel Glecier
Officer Daniel Drzymkowski