



Orland Park Police Department Annual Report 2014



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Orland Park Police Department's Mission Statement

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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 2014. The report provides a summary of the activity and accomplishments of the Orland Park Police Department during the past year.



Crime in Orland Park went down two percent in 2014; the third year in a row that we have seen a decrease. Over the past three years, we have experienced over a 20% decrease in crime. We are very pleased by the reduction in light of the fact that we were down over twelve officers for much of the year due to retirements, injuries and military deployments. Eight replacement officers were hired in 2014 and five officers started the police academy on 01/12/15. By late summer, these officers should be on the street bringing us to nearly full staffing.

Crimes against persons increased by six in 2014, while crimes against property were reduced by thirty-three. We also saw an increase of seventy-one retail thefts in 2014 versus 2013. We had one criminal sexual assault in 2014 versus five in 2013. This case was relationship in nature. Burglaries decreased to twenty-eight in 2014 from sixty-four in 2013. This is the lowest number of burglaries in over twenty years. The largest decrease in this category were the ruse burglaries where perpetrators, posing as repairmen, utility workers or governmental officials, attempt to enter to steal valuables such as cash and jewelry while the resident is home. We went from approximately fifteen ruse burglaries and attempts in 2013 to three in 2014.

We continued our strategy of enhanced foot patrols, mobile patrols and undercover officers during the holiday shopping season throughout our retail and commercial areas that led to another uneventful holiday shopping seasons. The director of security at Orland Square Mall and many retailers commented on the police presence and the positive impact it had on the shopping experience. One of the benefits may

have been a 2 to 3% increase in holiday sales at Orland Square Mall according to the mall manager.

One area of concern remains the number of involuntary committals for mental illness that have increased from seventy-one in 2013 to one hundred and sixty-two in 2014. The involuntary committals reflect a substantial increase in calls for service involving people with mental illness and outcries utilizing social media. The department has provided training to all members through the National Alliance on Mental Illness (N.A.M.I.) and by the end of 2015, six more officers will receive 40 hours of specialized training for responding to emergency calls with the mentally ill, bringing the total number trained to twelve.

Community engagement programs did not suffer in 2014 as we conducted eight beat meetings, three Police in the Park programs; attended several dozen block parties; held our senior citizens Crime Prevention Luncheon, National Night Out, crime prevention seminars with our businesses, a regional retail security seminar, bike patrol in all beats, DARE, station tours, Citizen's Police Academy and many other activities to insure we have timely and relevant communication with our residents and businesses. The department added another community engagement program called "Coffee with a Cop" where officers meet with residents and others at local coffee shops to discuss issues of concern.

The men and women of the Orland Park Police Department are very proud of these accomplishments in 2014 and along with our colleagues in the other village departments, are continuing to strive to make Orland Park one of the safest and most desirable communities to live, raise a family and conduct business. We appreciate the significant resources dedicated to the Orland Park Police Department by the Mayor and Board of Trustees and trust that you find your investment is being used wisely and efficiently. We also urge you to review this report in detail. It gives you a snapshot of the length and breadth of activities and services of the department. Please feel free to contact any member of the department in regard to any issue of concern to you.

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 community based programs (Trailer in the Parks, D.A.R.E, beat meetings, Citizen Police Academy, Night Out Against Crime, Senior Luncheon and yearly crime prevention seminars hosted by the department and the F.B.I. for financial institutions).

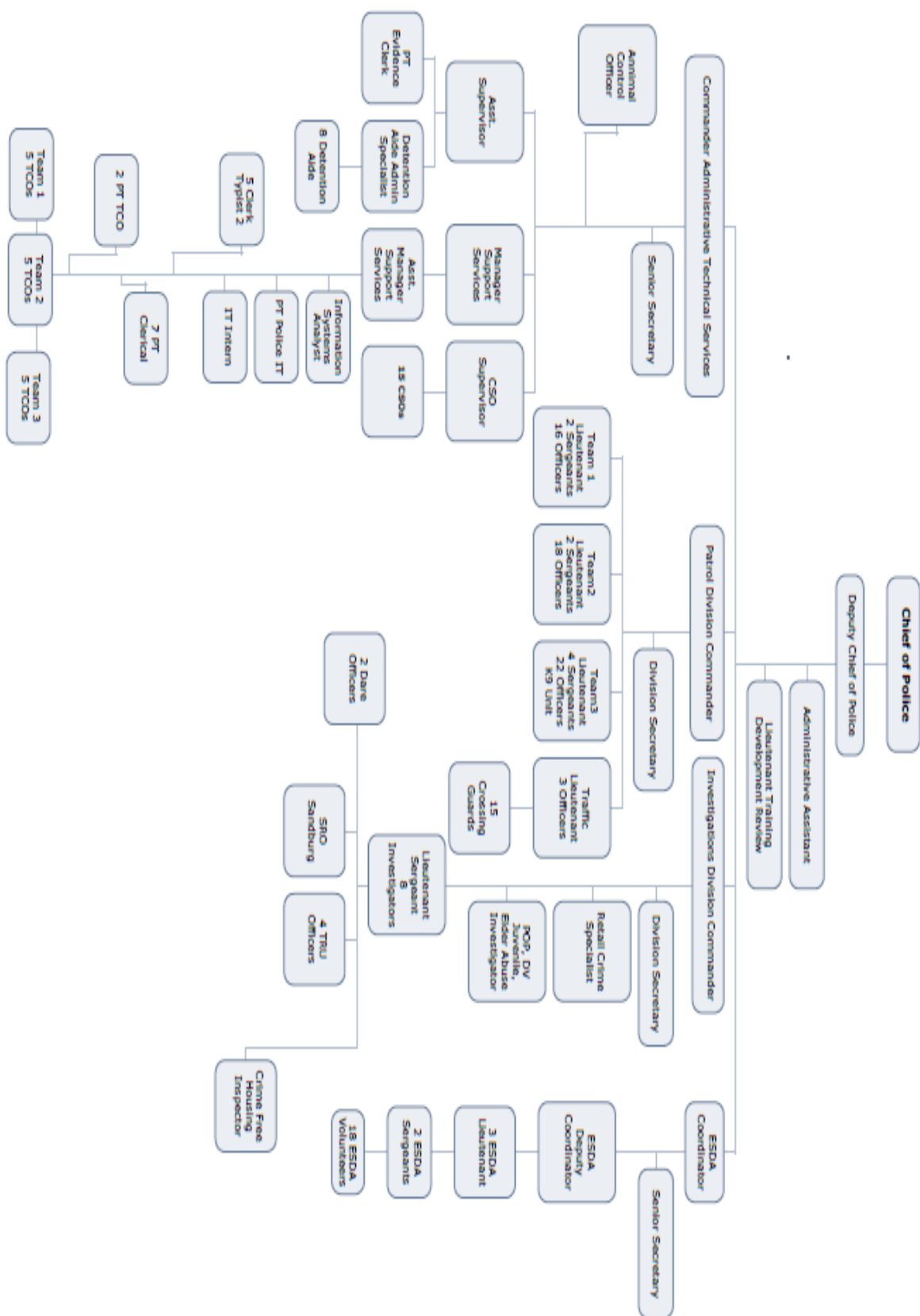
In October 2014, the Orland Park Police Department had undergone an onsite assessment by two independent assessors from the Illinois Law Enforcement Accreditation Program (ILEAP) to determine if the department met the rigorous requirements for Tier II Accreditation from the Illinois Chiefs of Police. At the conclusion of the inspection, the assessors described the "Orland Park Police Department as 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." The vote for Tier II Accreditation will take place in early 2015.

The Orland Park Police Department is also pleased to report that index crime offenses dropped by two percent in 2014. This decrease marks the fourth consecutive year of decline. In 2014, through assigning additional resources, community engagement and crime analysis, the department was able to reduce the number of reported burglaries by 42.4 %. New this year was Coffee with a Cop, the Naloxone program and the creation of the Retail Crime Specialist position.

Year 2014 was not without challenges though. 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. Additionally, mental health related calls for service continued to climb at an alarming rate.

As illustrated 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 serves proudly.

Orland Park Police Department Organizational Chart 2014





Orland Park Police Department's 2014 Strategic Goals

Police Department - Administration

MISSION

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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

FY 2014 STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS:

- **GOAL NO. 1—ENHANCED TRAINING:** Training Development and Review Unit will provide specialized training in FY 2014 that will increase sworn officers' knowledge base and ultimately improve the overall efficiency and effectiveness of the Department.
 - **OBJECTIVE 1** – State certify three full-time sworn officers in crisis intervention.
 - **PURPOSE** – The Orland Park Police Department has seen a dramatic increase in the number of calls for service for people in mental crisis in 2013. Having several officers state certified in crisis intervention will assist in ensuring that the department provides the optimum services available to people in need by providing a consistent and effective framework to handle these volatile situations and thus reduce potential liability.
 - **OBJECTIVE 2** – Train and state certify at least one additional officer in Accident Reconstruction by the conclusion of 2014.
 - **PURPOSE** – Having an additional officer certified in accident reconstruction will increase the efficiency and effectiveness in the identification and documentation of the causes of major crashes.
- **GOAL NO. 2 - NIMS COMPLIANCE:** Achieve full compliance with the National Incident Management System (NIMS) certification requirements for FY 2013.

- **OBJECTIVE 1** - 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, 2014.
 - **PURPOSE** - The Federal Government has provided specific directives in the 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 FY2014

- **OBJECTIVE 2** -Conduct a position–specific ICS training practicum by the end of the third quarter of 2014.
 - **PURPOSE** – As part of gaining full federal NIMS compliance, an ICS practicum is a required.

COMPLETION DATE – Fourth Quarter of FY2014

➤ **GOAL NO. 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 2014.

- **OBJECTIVE 1** – Increase by 10% the number of sworn police officers qualified to carry the department issued rifle carbine in FY 2014.
 - **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 FY2014

**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

FY14 STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS:

- **GOAL NO. 1** – Installation of a Monopole Antenna Tower and Police Radio Receiver System at the Schumack Farm: As a result of narrowbanding the radio frequencies, the Orland Park

Police has lost a considerable amount of portable radio reception and transmission coverage throughout the northwest section of the Village. To alleviate this situation, the Police Department will install a 150 ft. monopole with a receiver radio system on the Schumack Farm property located at 139th Street and 110th Avenue. This system will enhance portable radio coverage in the northwest section of Orland Park including Centennial School as well as the surrounding subdivisions.

- **OBJECTIVE 1** - Prepare a Request for Proposal (RFP) and select a tower company for the installation of the monopole and the underground electric service. The proposal and selection will be completed during the first quarter of FY14.
 - **PURPOSE** – The reliability of the police department radio communications system is a high priority. Emergency 911 dispatching, public safety and officer safety depends on a reliable radio communications system.
- **OBJECTIVE 2** -Install the monopole and receiver system. Conduct a test of the system and make any adjustments to the system to obtain optimum performance. The installation of the monopole and receiver system will be completed during the second quarter of FY14.
 - **PURPOSE** – The receiver system will provide the department with reliable portable radio coverage in the northwest section of the village.

**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

FY14 STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS:

- **GOAL NO. 1** – Increased Police Presence during the Holiday Season: Increase the police presence at Orland Square Mall and other retail establishments during the 2014 holiday shopping season.
 - **OBJECTIVE 1** – Establish a two-officer walking assignment inside Orland Square Mall starting the day after Thanksgiving 2014 until December 26th, 2014. Additional officers will be assigned to a special Retail Detail assignment as well.
 - **PURPOSE** – Provide an enhanced police presence and visibility to the shopping public.
 - **OBJECTIVE 2-** Officers will conduct Walk-n-Talk at retail establishments beginning the day after Thanksgiving 2014 and will continue until December 26th, 2014
 - **PURPOSE** – For members of the Police Department to achieve and maintain a relationship with local retail stores and to provide a police presence.

COMPLETION DATE – Fourth Quarter of FY2014

- **GOAL NO. 2** – Enforce Use of Electronic Communications while Driving Violations: The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration reports that an estimated 1.2 million crashes each year involve using cell phones for conversation (NSC, 2012).

- **OBJECTIVE 1** – Educate the motoring public to eliminate the use of a cell phone while driving. Conduct traffic details quarterly that are specific to, 625 ILCS 5/12-610.2a, (2014 Law Update) Electronic Communication Devices violations.
 - **PURPOSE** – Achieve public awareness and compliance through traffic enforcement details.

- **OBJECTIVE 2** – Utilize the local media to promote public awareness.
 - **PURPOSE** – To inform and educate the motoring public of the updated law and on the dangers of cell phone use while driving.

COMPLETION DATE – Fourth Quarter of FY2014

**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

FY14 STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS:

- **GOAL NO. 1 - CRIME FREE HOUSING PROGRAM:** To conduct a Quantitative and Qualitative analysis of the CFH Program and the impact the program has had on the Community.
 - **OBJECTIVE 1** – Beginning in February 2014, review calls for service at apartment rental properties from January 19, 2006 through January 19, 2009 (CFH implemented). Compare to calls for service from January 19, 2009 through January 19, 2012.
 - **PURPOSE** – To provide data to measure effectiveness of the CFH Program. Provide the Chief of Police a CFH Program report detailing the results of the analysis and recommendations on the programs future.

COMPLETION DATE – First Quarter of FY2014

- **OBJECTIVE 2** – In June 2014 develop and initiate an on-line re-certification process for previously certified rental property owners/managers.
- **PURPOSE** – To provide relevant, updated, and more convenient follow up training to owner/managers.

COMPLETION DATE – Third Quarter of FY2014

➤ **GOAL NO. 2 – COMMUNITY RELATIONS PROGRAM:** To implement a Crime Prevention Program in 2014 specifically targeting the Senior Citizen demographic. Develop a program name and advertise meetings in the media as well as the department website.

- **OBJECTIVE 1** – In January 2014 develop and initiate senior safety meetings in January, March, May, July, September, and November, hosted at the Orland Park Police Department.
 - **PURPOSE-** To engage the senior community in a less formal environment enhancing the relationship between law enforcement and the senior community. To provide up to date information on crime trends, community safety alerts, and senior related quality of life issues.

COMPLETION DATE – Fourth Quarter of FY2014

2014 Statistics



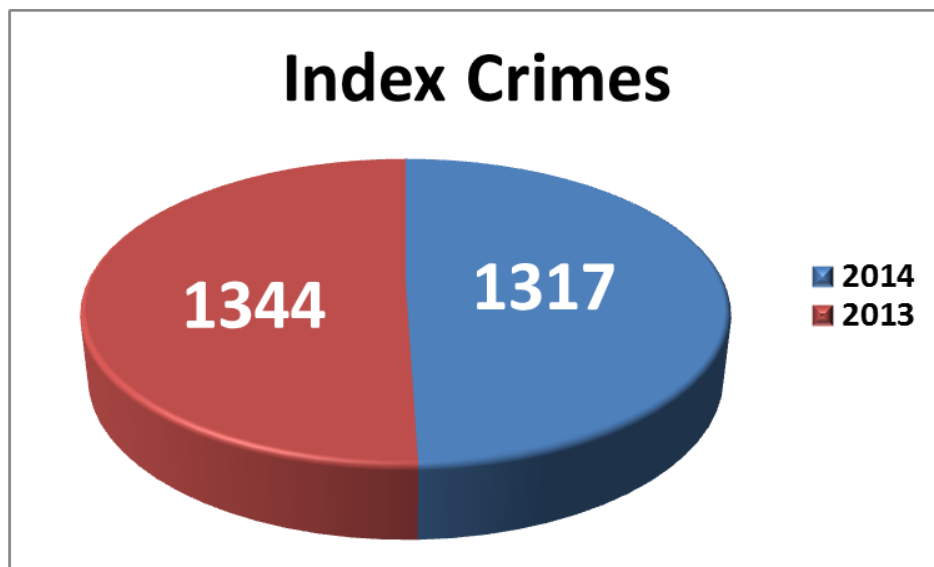
Orland Park Police Department



Index crimes consists of eight 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, and arson.

The Uniform Crime Report (UCR) is comprised of two classifications of crime reporting. Part I crimes 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.

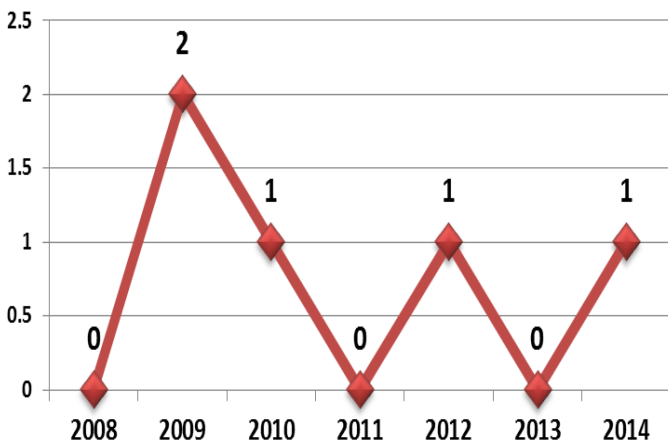
	2014	Δ	2013	Pct.
Index Crime Offenses:				
Against Person:	23		17	26.00%
Criminal Homicide	1	1	0	
Forcible Rape (Criminal Sexual Assault)	1	-4	5	
Robbery	5	2	3	
Aggravated Assault / Aggravated Battery	16	7	9	
Against Property:	1,294		1,327	-2.49%
Burglary	28	-37	66	
Theft	1,257	8	1,246	
Motor Vehicle Theft	8	-7	15	
Arson	1	1	0	
Crime Index	1,317		1,344	-2.00%



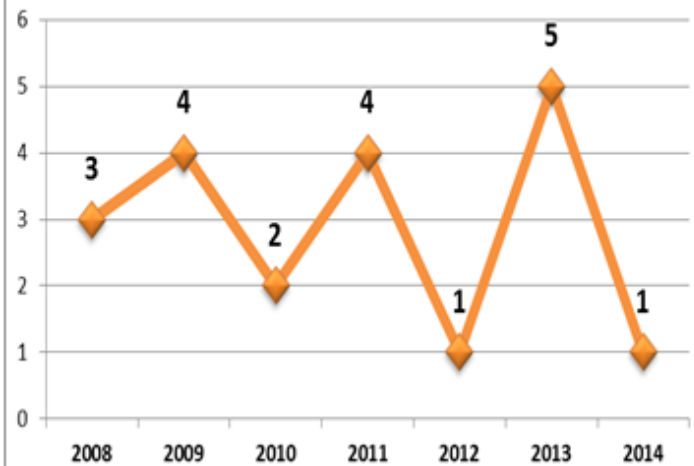
Crime Index Offense Analysis (2008 - 2014)

Index Crime Offenses:	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
Against Person:	39	41	24	18	16	17	23	177
Homicide	0	2	1	0	1	0	1	5
Forcible Rape	3	4	2	4	1	5	1	20
Robbery	12	8	7	3	4	3	5	42
Agg. Assault / Agg. Battery	24	27	14	11	10	9	16	110

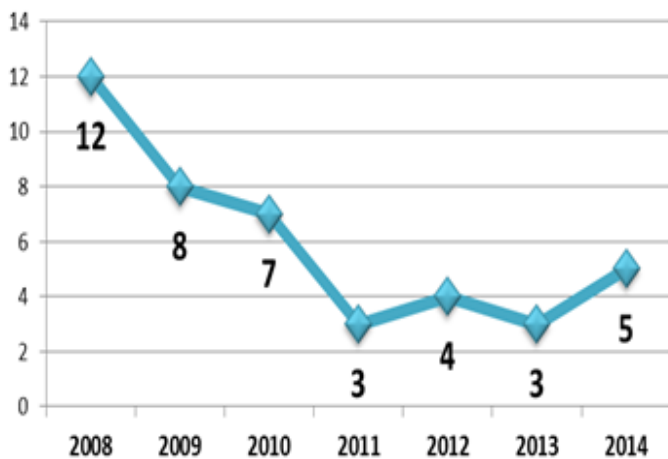
Homicide



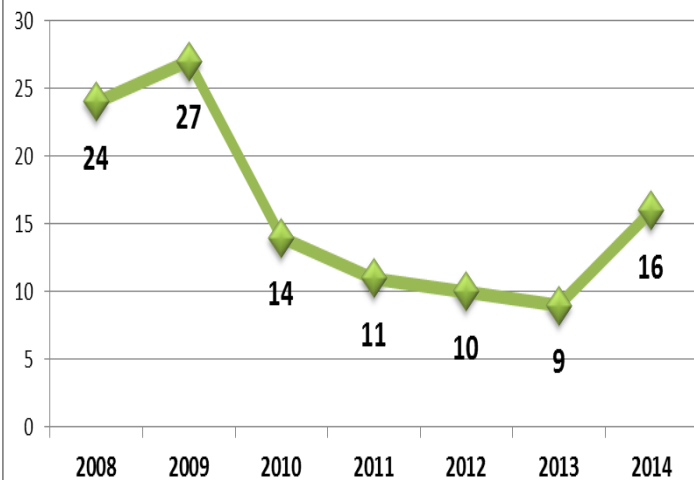
Criminal Sexual Assault



Robbery

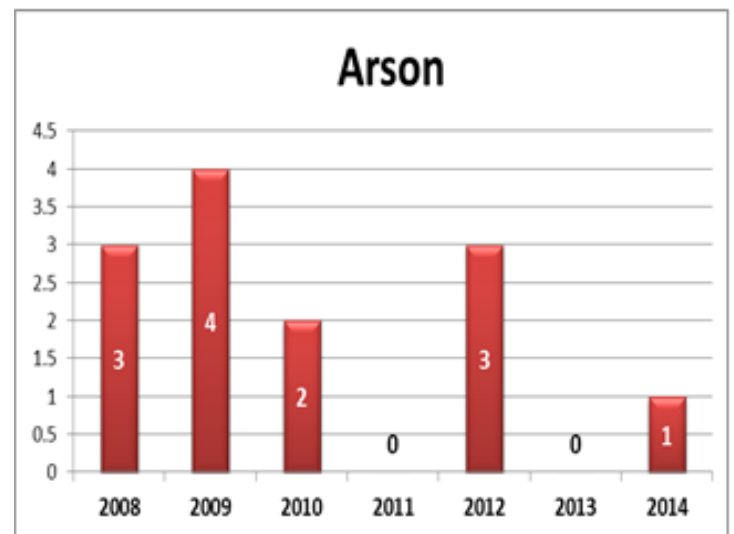
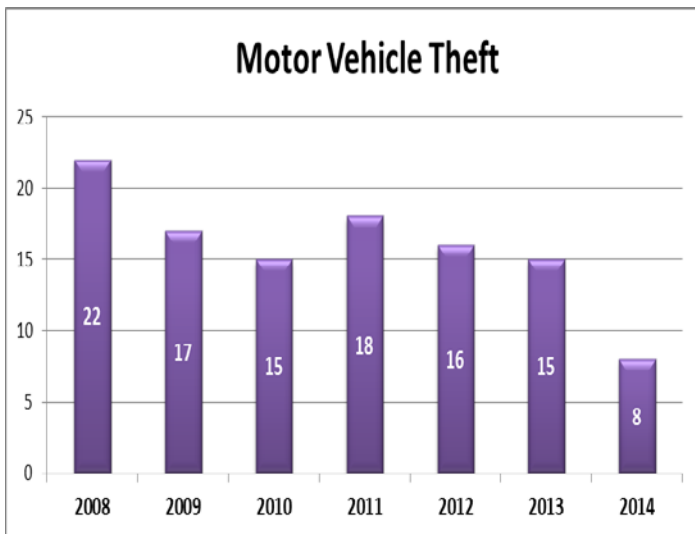
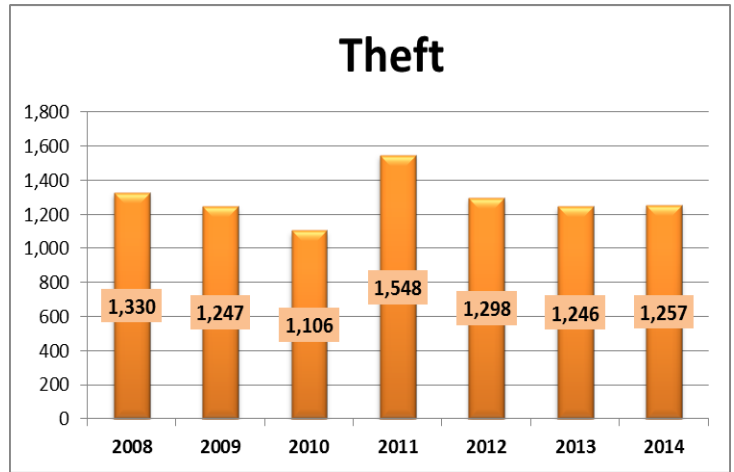
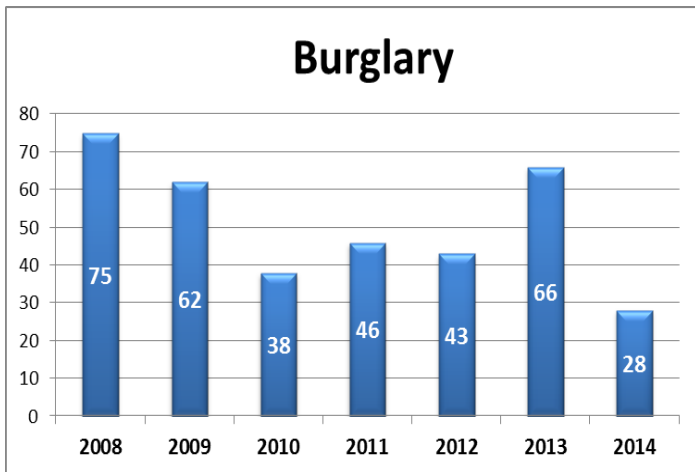


Agg. Assault / Agg. Battery



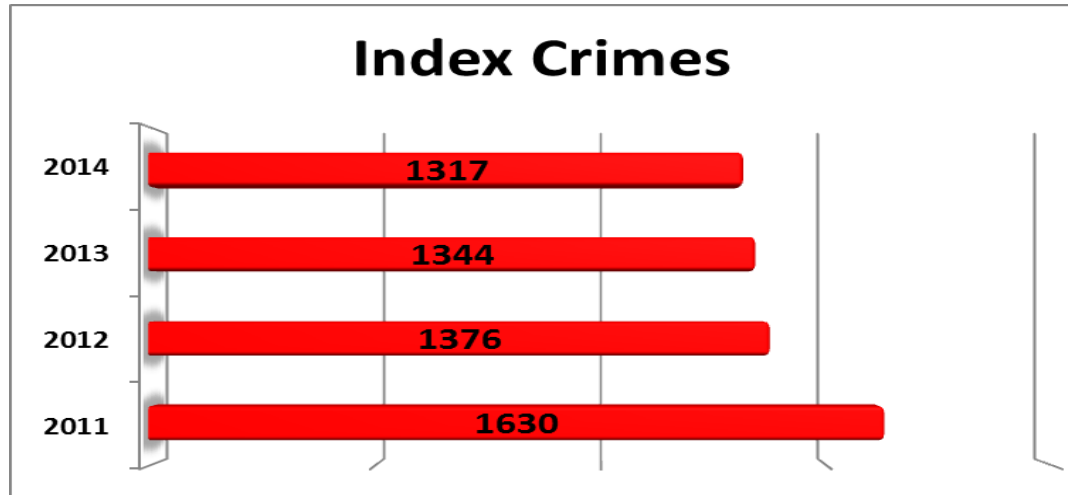
Crime Index Offense Analysis (2008 - 2014) Cnt'd

Index Crime Offenses:	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
Against Property:	1,430	1,330	1,161	1,612	1,360	1,327	1,293	9,513
Burglary	75	62	38	46	43	66	28	356
Theft	1,330	1,247	1,106	1,548	1,298	1,246	1,257	9,032
Motor Vehicle Theft	22	17	15	18	16	15	8	112
Arson	3	4	2	0	3	0	1	13

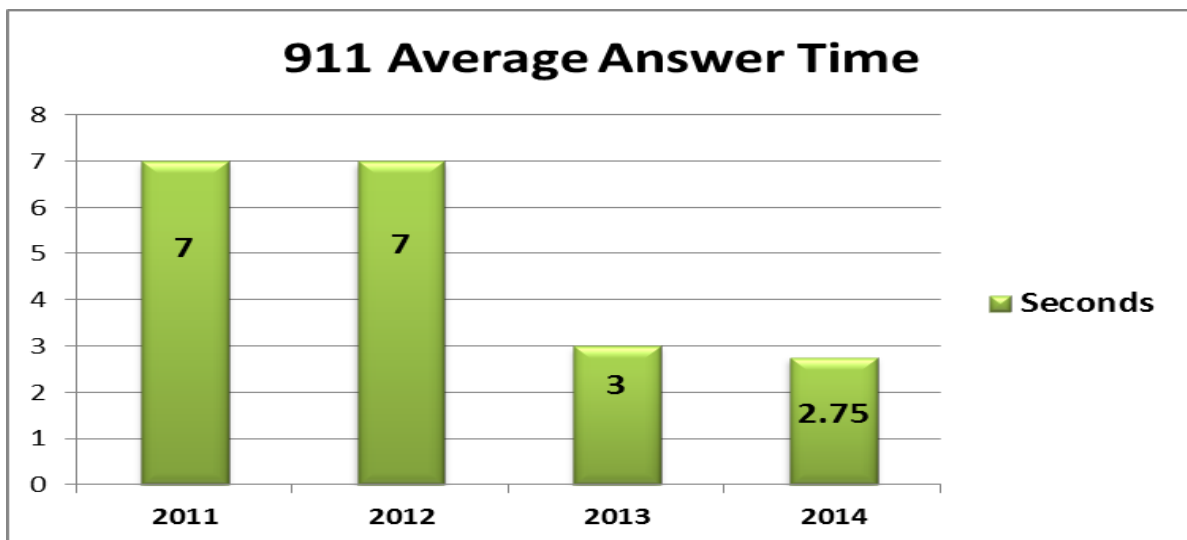
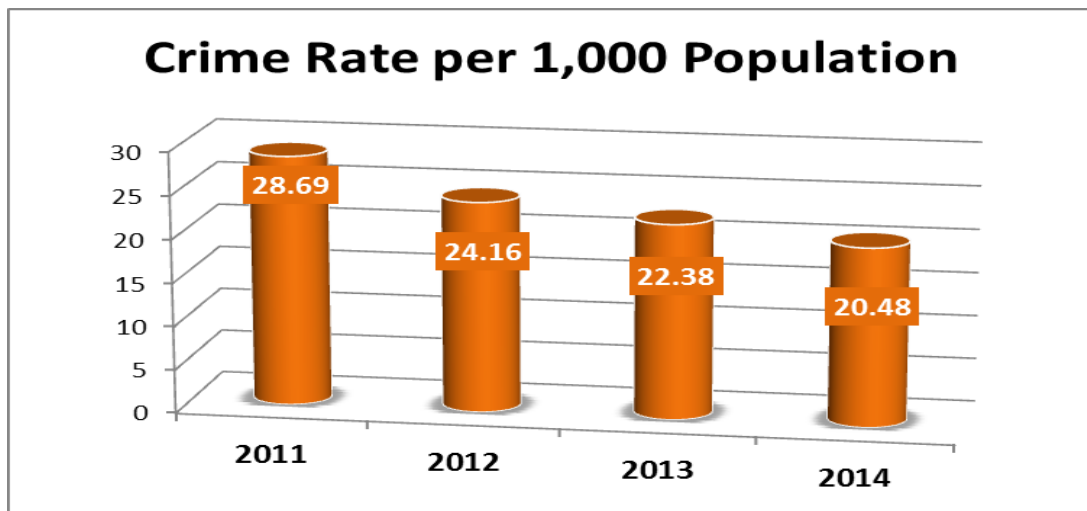


In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department developed and implemented a comprehensive plan involving additional resources, community outreach and crime analysis to reduce the number of burglaries occurring within our community. As a result, the number of reported burglaries declined by 42.4 %. As evidenced in the charts above, the number of burglaries and motor vehicle thefts reported in 2014 were the least amount reported in at least seven years.

Performance Measures



The Orland Park Police Department has continued to develop and revise a strategic plan to utilize technology, resources and a highly trained staff to prevent and reduce the number of crimes within the community. As evidenced above, the Village of Orland Park has experienced a 19.2 % decrease in Index Crimes in the last four years.



Crime Risk

CRIMECAST Map - 2:6 Methodology

CAP Index, Inc.

CRIMECAST[®]
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This site's Current 2014
National CAP Index Score is

61

Orland Square Mall
288 Orland Square Dr
Orland Park, IL 60462

Lat: 41.622231, Long: -87.845459



National

CRIMECAST CATEGORY	This Site's Score CURRENT 2014
CAP Index	61
Homicide	108
Rape	79
Robbery	65
Aggravated Assault	56
Crimes Against Persons	56
Burglary	97
Larceny	94
Motor Vehicle Theft	81
Crimes Against Property	79
CAP INDEX SCORE NATIONAL	
Past - 2010	63
Current - 2014	61
Projected - 2019	61

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 600 is 6 times higher than average, and a score of 25 indicates that the risk is 1/4 the average.

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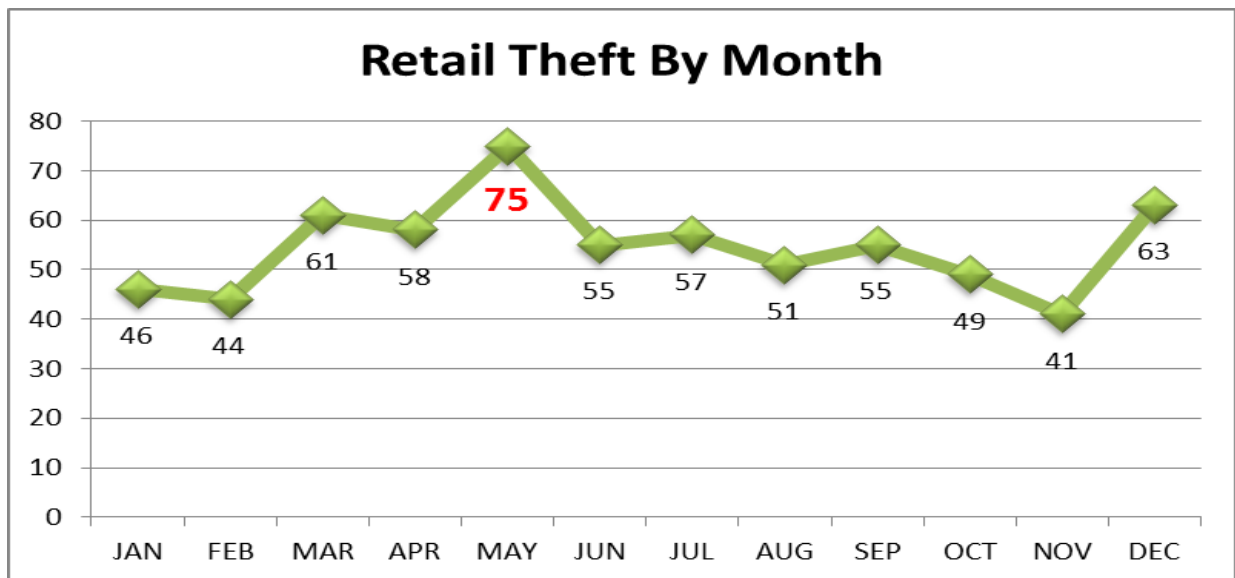
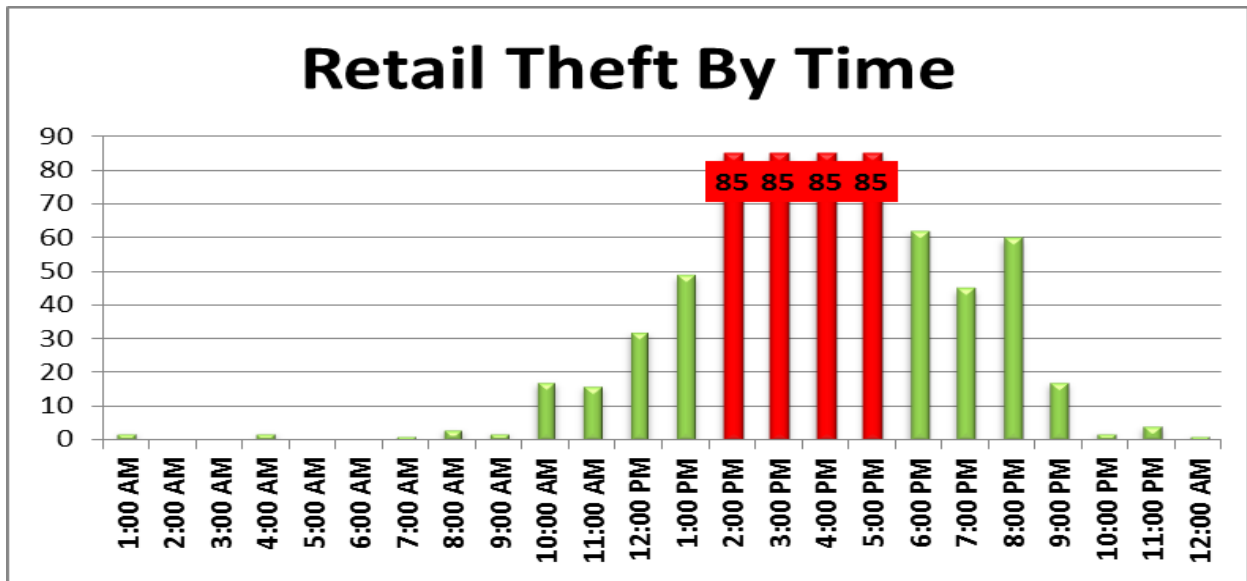
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The Cap Index is a methodology to measure crime risk expressed numerically with 100 being the national average. The CAP Index has been shown in numerous validation studies to be the single most useful indicator of site-specific serious crime risk.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

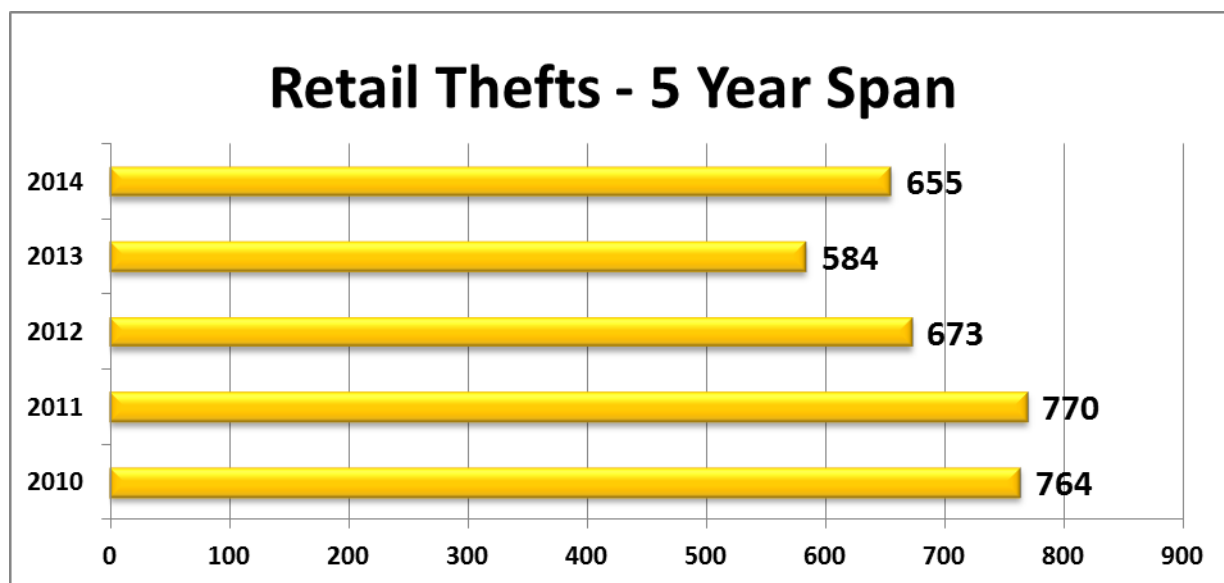
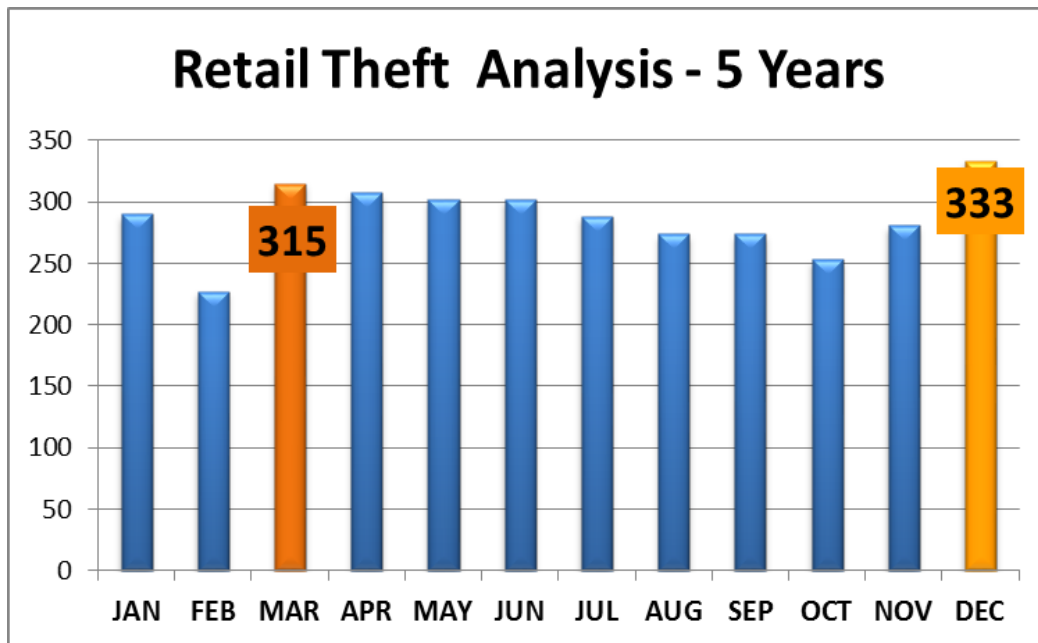
As evidenced by department data and the Cap Index of 61 (39% below the national average for crime risk) for the Orland Square Mall, the Village of Orland Park continues to have a low crime rate within its designated retail zones, commercial areas and neighborhoods.

Retail Theft Analysis

In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department experienced the highest concentration of reported retail thefts on Fridays with the most retail theft calls occurring from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Surprisingly, May was the busiest month for retail theft arrests.



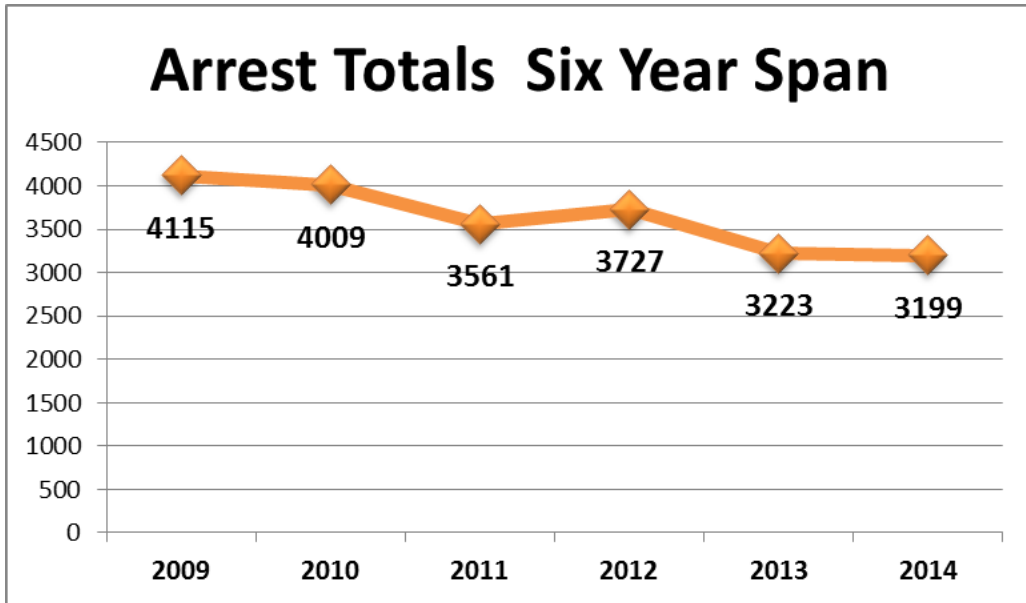
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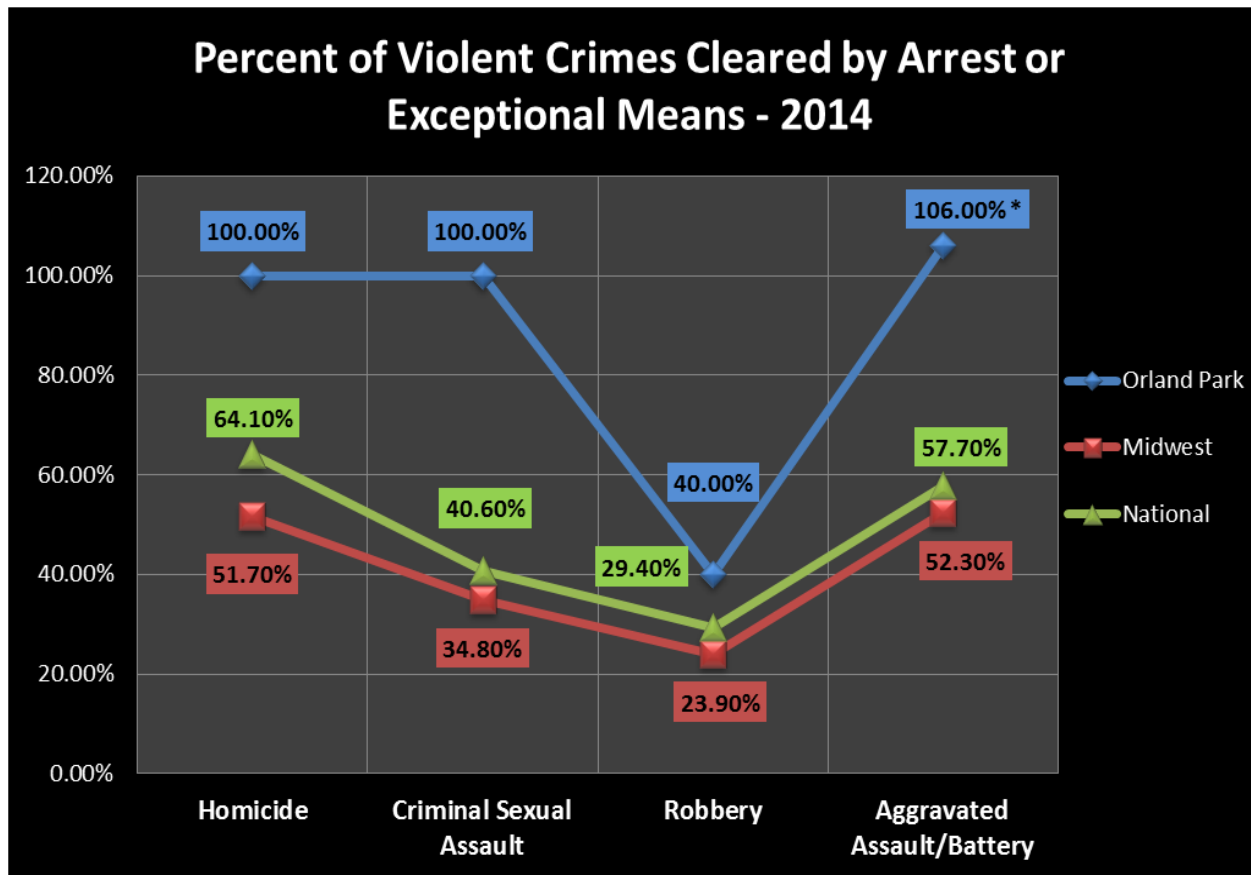
Although the Orland Park Police Department experienced an increase in reported retail thefts in 2014 when compared to 2013, the number of retail thefts has decreased from the reported high of 770 in 2011.

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.

Arrest History and Examination

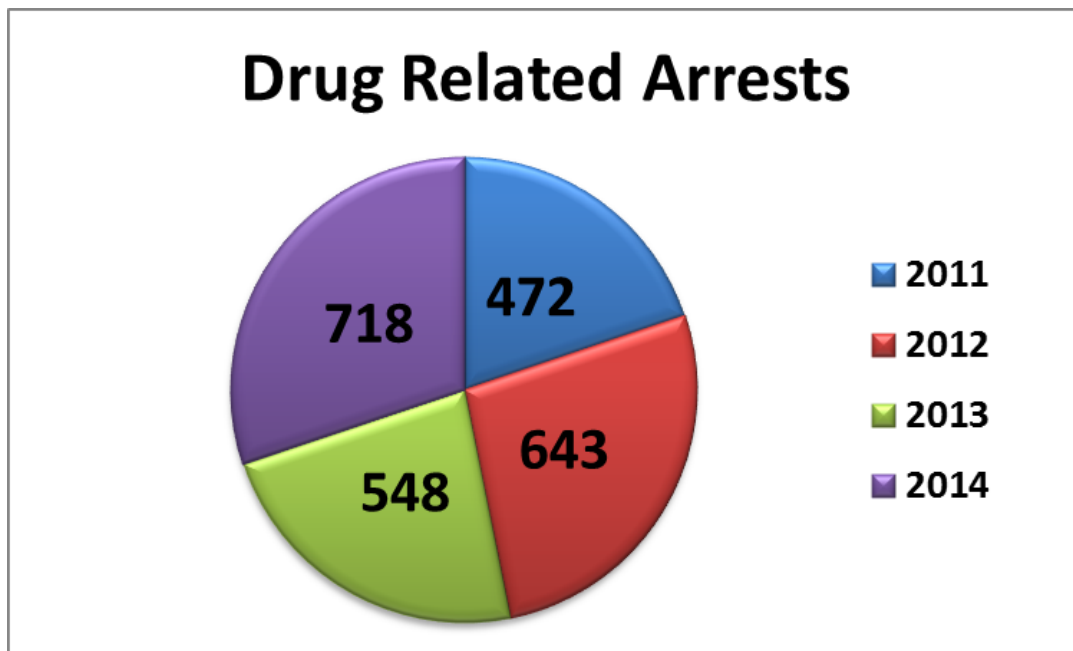


In the last six years, as the number of crimes decreased so has the overall number of custodial arrests.

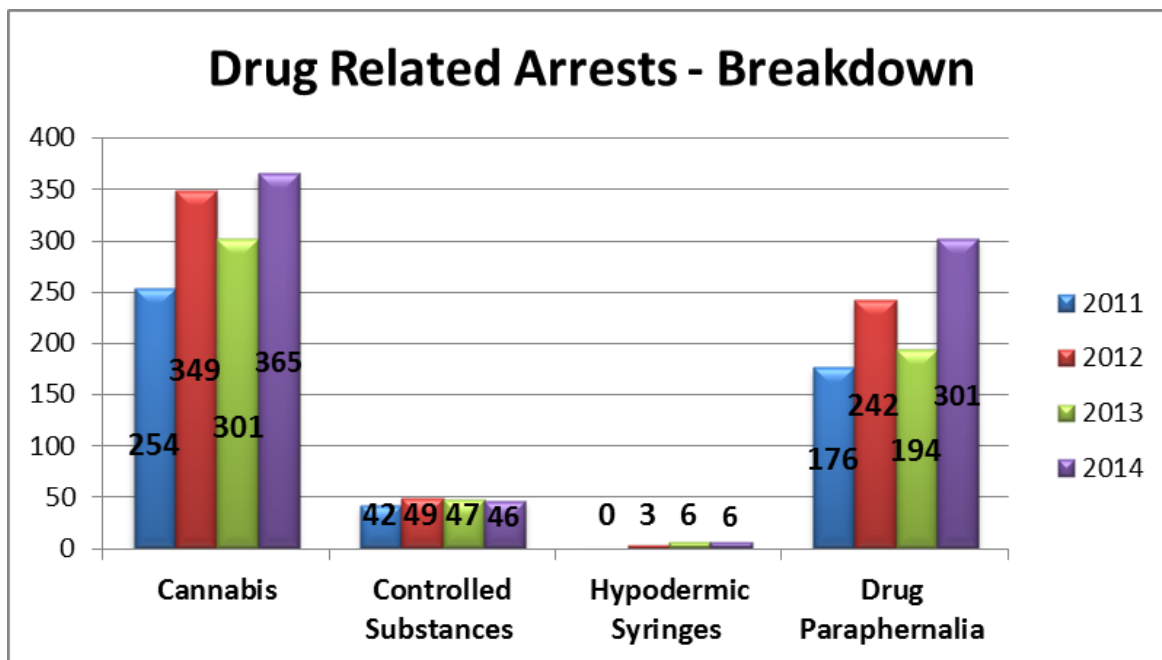


The Orland Park Police Department surpassed the National and Midwest region on clearance rates for all violent crimes categories in 2014. The National and Midwest average clearance rates are from the latest data provided by the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Uniform Crime Report.

Arrest History and Examination Cnt'd



The number of drug related arrests rose sharply in 2014. The possession of drug paraphernalia, an increase of 160% when compared to 2013, was the primary contributor to the overall climb in drug related arrests.



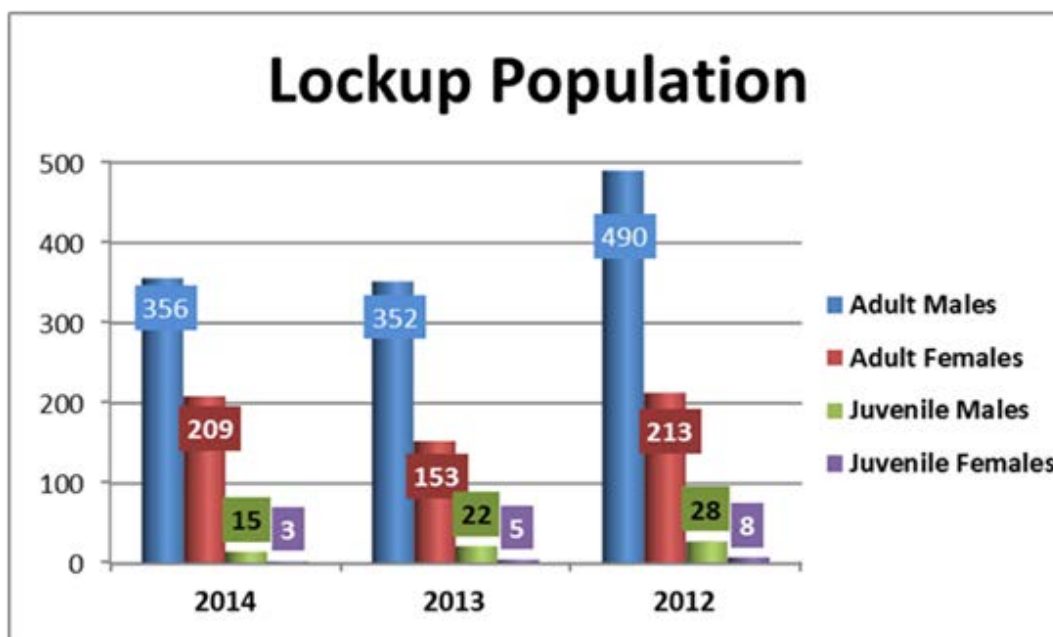
Fifty-six of the drug arrests made in 2014 were for a felony amount of cannabis and/or a controlled substance (i.e. unauthorized possession or sale prescribed medication, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, etc.). Although the number of arrests for controlled substance has remained relatively unchanged the last four years, the number of arrests for Cannabis increased to the highest level in four years.

Arrest History and Examination Cnt'd

The Orland Park Police Department had addressed the area wide heroin overdose epidemic by utilizing a three-prong approach/strategy of education, prevention, and enforcement. In 2014, the department instituted a Naloxone Program, the first in Cook County, whereby trained first responders are able to administer the drug (A.K.A. Narcan) in situations where a person is overdosing. This program adds an additional prong - life saving - to the overall strategy. When administered, Naloxone reverses the effects of an opioid overdose including those involving prescription medications, which is the leading cause of overdose deaths in the United States (Center for Disease Control 2010).

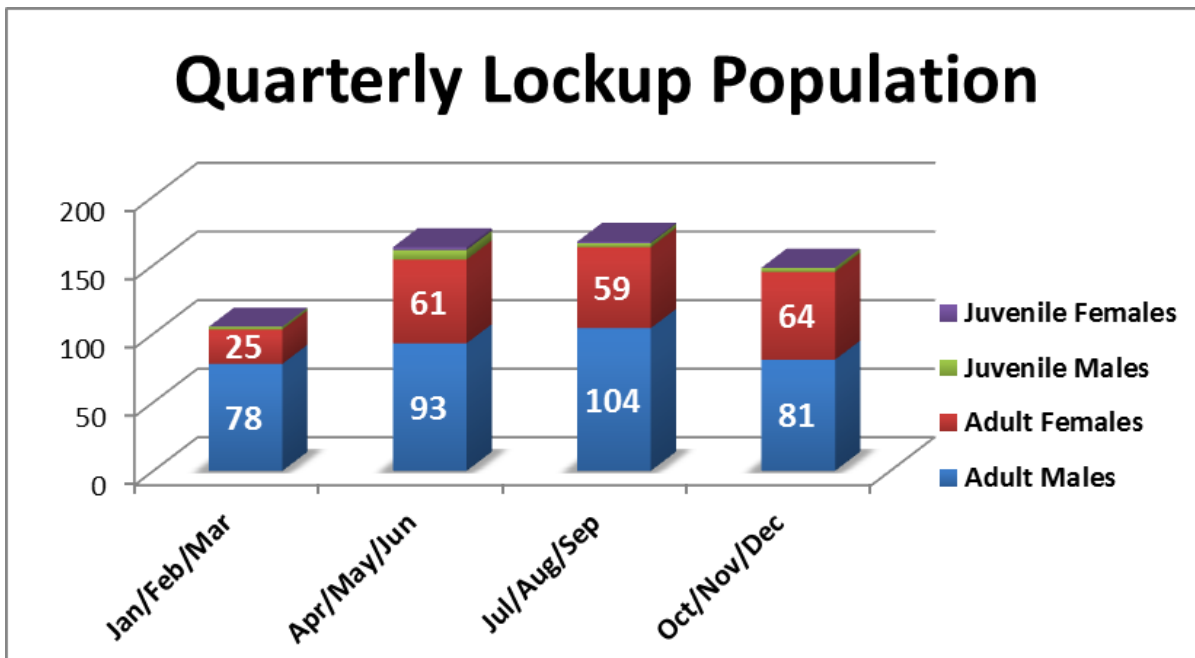


The lock-up population is defined as the number of prisoners (juvenile/adult) housed *in cells* at the Orland Park Police Department awaiting transfer to court or another police department or for bond. In 2014, the average adult prisoner stay in a cell prior to release or transfer was 11 hours and 10 minutes. The average juvenile prisoner remained housed for 3 hours and 11 minutes. The total number of hours prisoners (adult and juvenile) were housed in a cell in the Orland Park Police Department Lockup during 2014 was 6,686 hours.

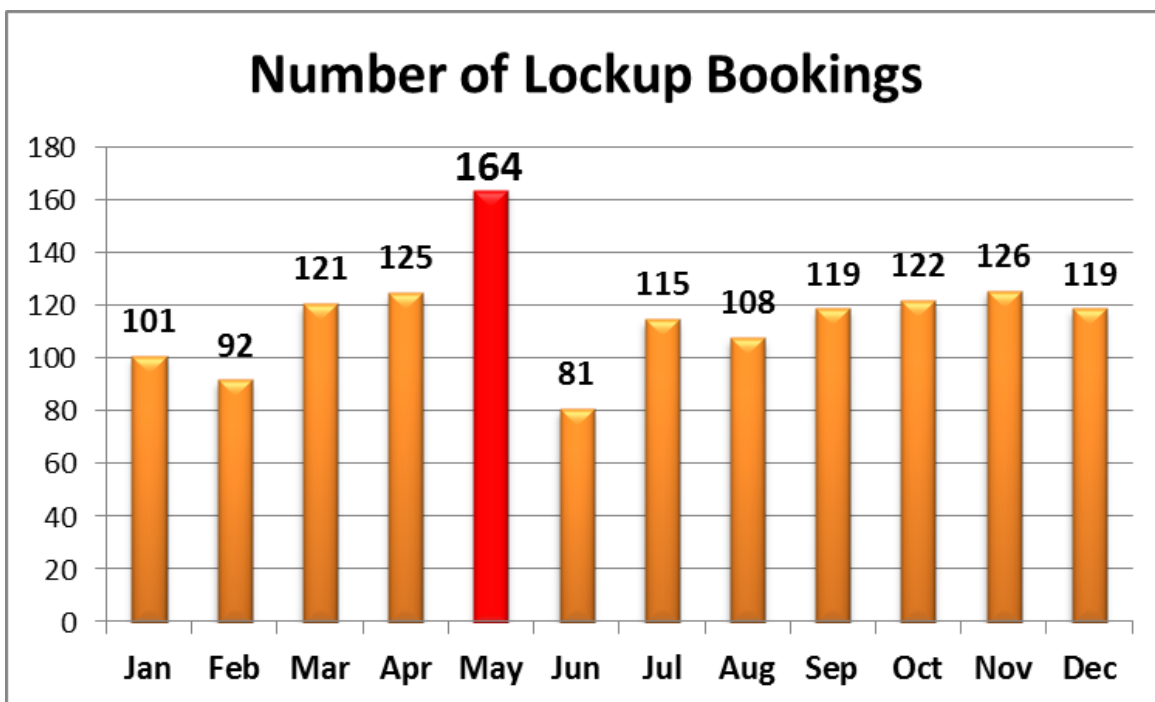


Arrest History and Examination Cnt'd

The highest concentration of prisoners in lockup was during the third quarter of 2014 (July, August and September).

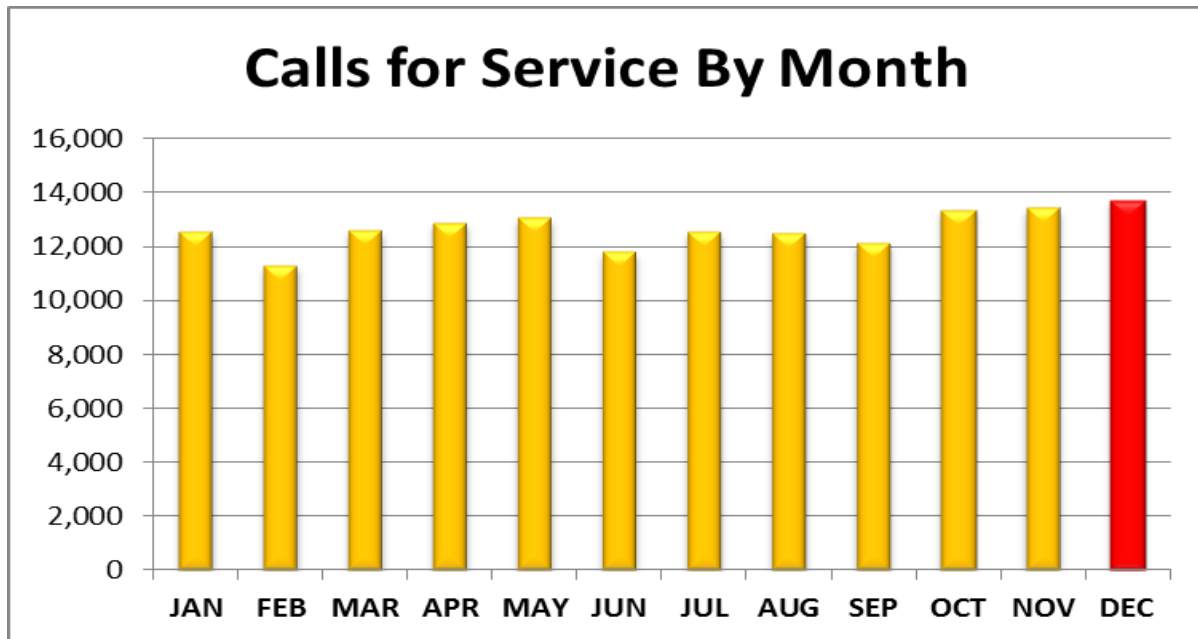


In 2014, the detention aides processed 1,393 prisoners in the Orland Park Police Lockup. May was the highest month for prisoner bookings and the number of prisoners housed (80). In February, the number of prisoners housed (32) was the least amount of any month in 2014.

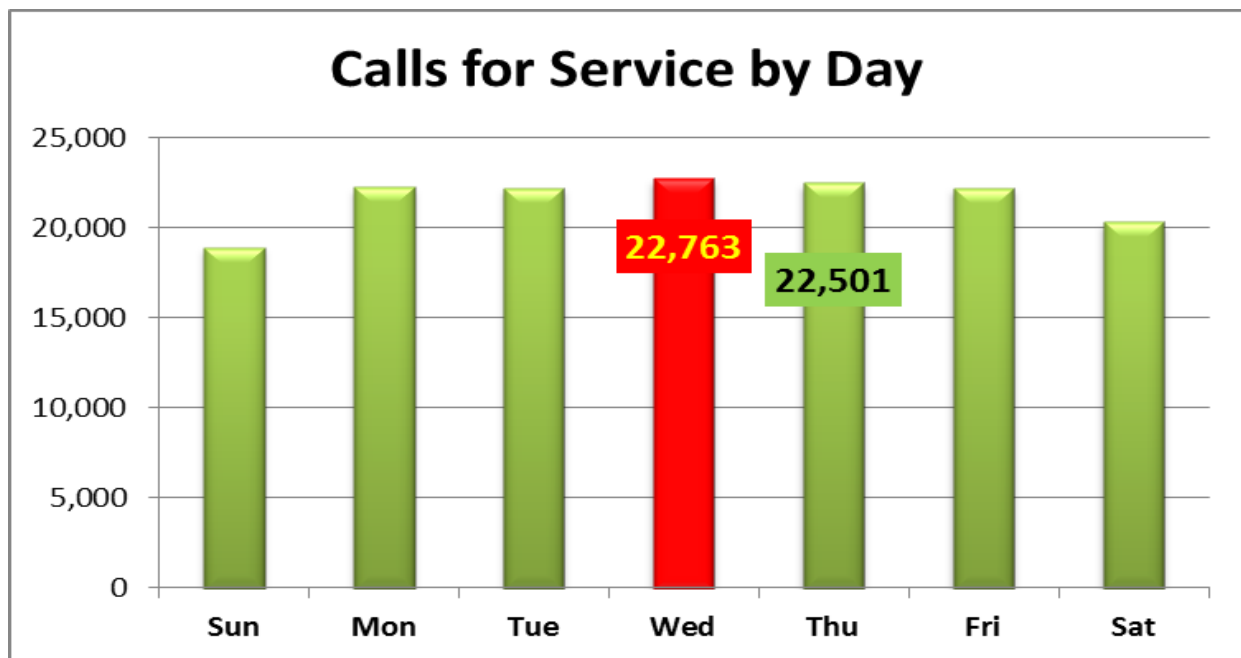


2014 Calls for Service Volume

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Total
12,516	11,296	12,565	12,869	13,039	11,789	12,528	12,477	12,110	13,366	13,404	13,737	151,696



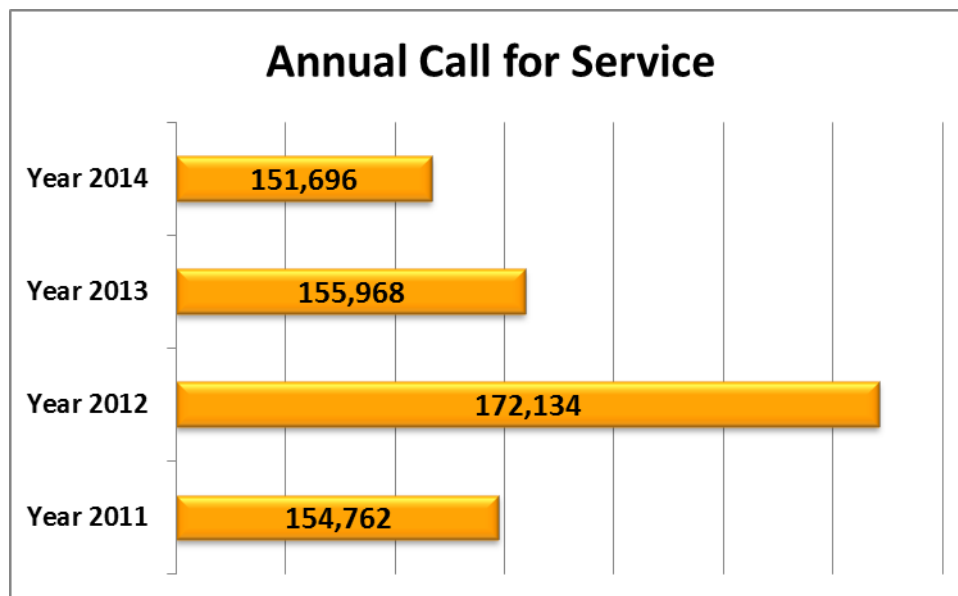
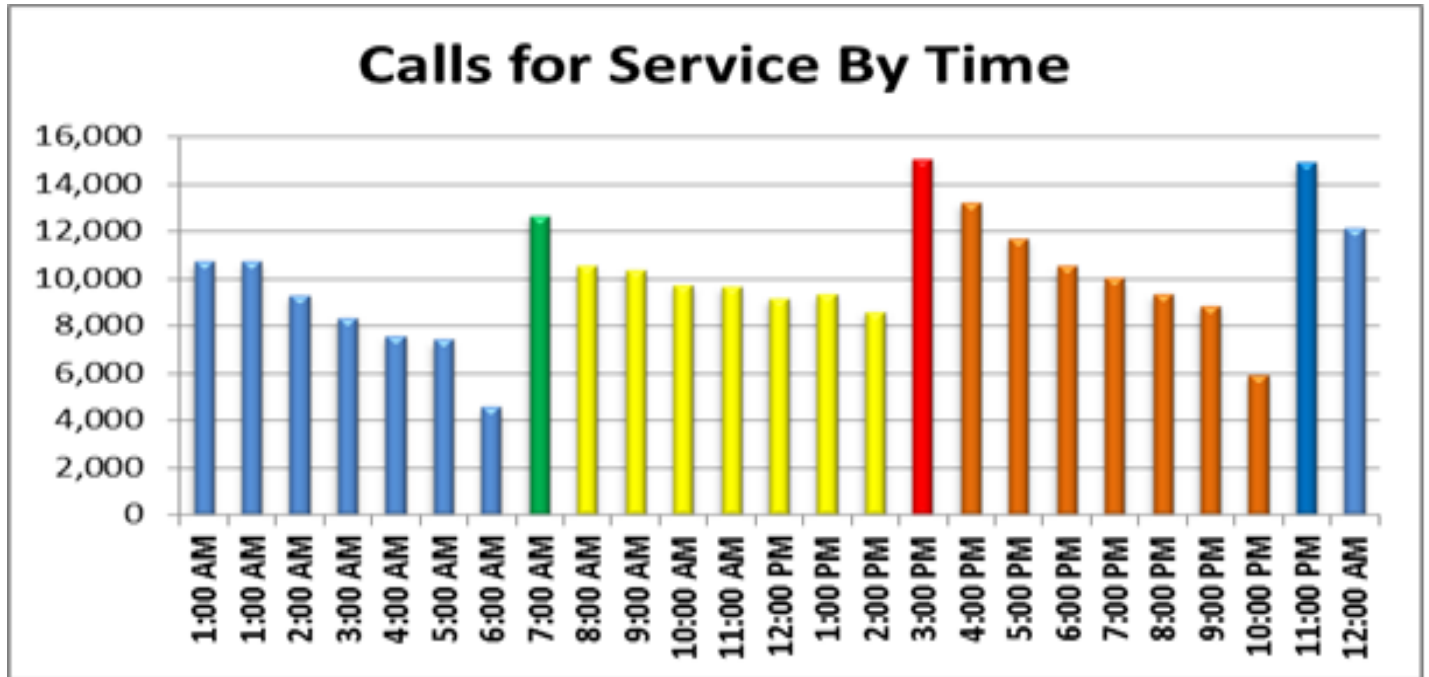
In 2014, the two busiest days for calls for service were Wednesday and Thursday. In 2013, Tuesdays and Fridays were identified as the two days with the highest call volume.



Despite the major road reconstruction underway within the Village of Orland Park in 2014, dispatched to arrival on scene for any call averaged 2 minutes and 22 seconds.

2014 Calls for Service Volume Cnt'd

The highest number of calls for service throughout 2014 occurred during December and on the afternoon shift (63,094 calls or 41.70% of the total call volume), with the most calls between 3:00 and 4:00 pm. However, day shift had the highest calculated obligated time than any other shift with 50.69% of the officer's workday being down on calls.

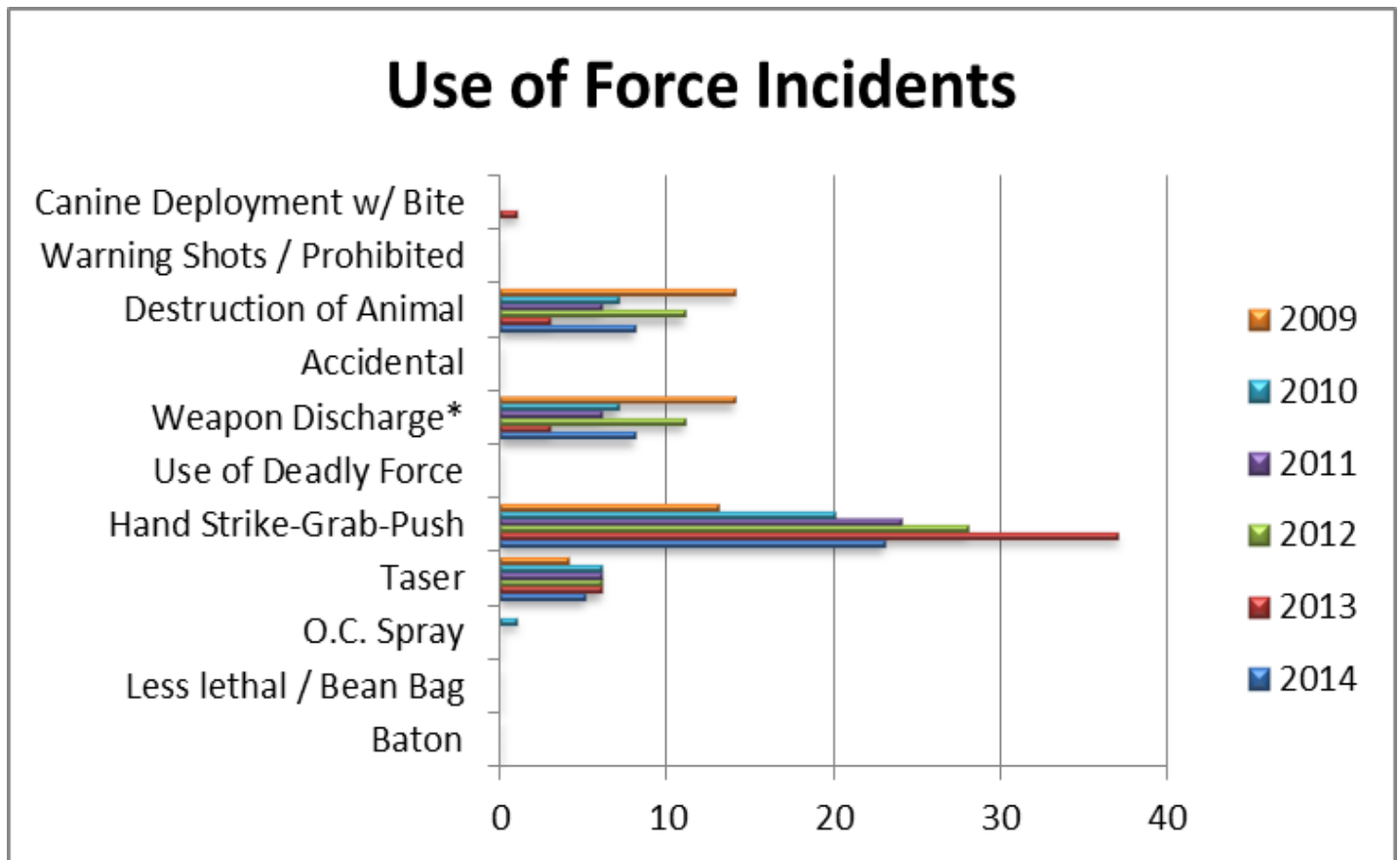


Although the volume of calls for service has steadily decreased since 2012, the number of “top priority” calls has risen from 301 in 2013 to 382 in 2014, a 27% increase. A “top priority” call is defined as an emergency response to an immediate threat to life, imminent critical danger and/or the possibility of major property loss.

Use of Force Incidents Six-Year Review

Use of Force	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009
Baton	0	0	0	0	0	0
Less lethal / Bean Bag	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oleoresin Capsicum Spray	0	0	0	0	1	0
Taser	5	6	6	6	6	4
Hand Strike-Grab-Push	23	37	28	24	20	13
Use of Deadly Force	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapon Discharge*	8	3	11	6	7	14
Accidental	0	0	0	0	0	0
Destruction of Animal	8	3	11	6	7	14
Warning Shots / Prohibited	0	0	0	0	0	0
Canine Deployment w/ Bite	0	1	0	0	0	0
Total Custodial Arrests	3,199	3,223	3,727	3,561	4,009	4,115

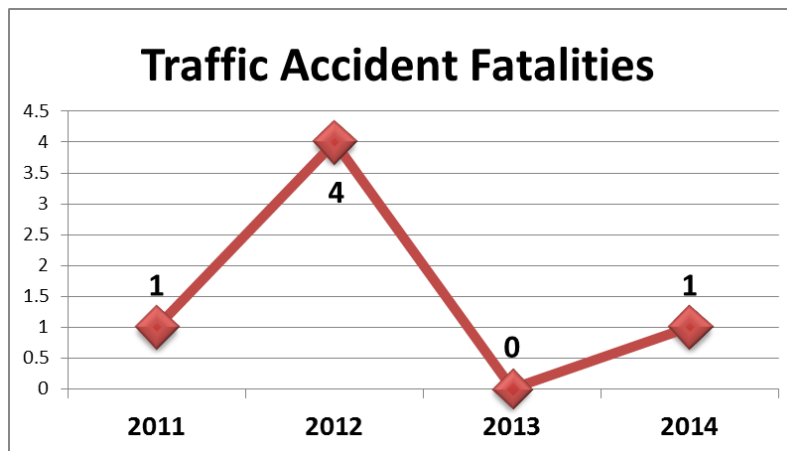
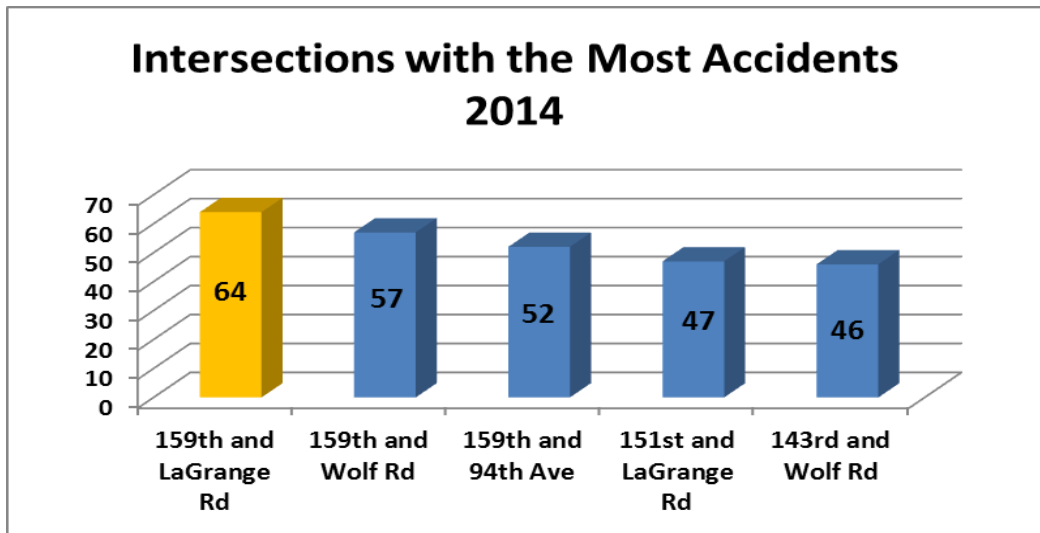
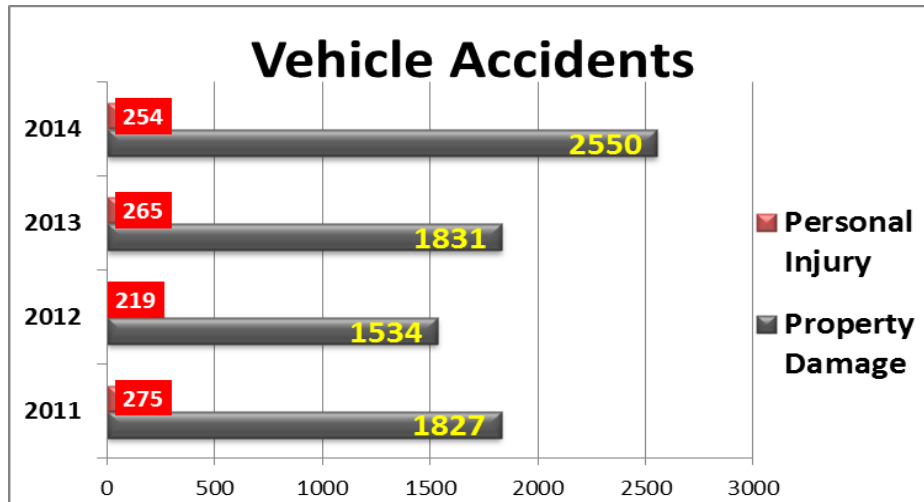
*As evidenced above, the discharging of a weapon only occurred when putting down an injured and suffering animal.



Although the number of custodial arrests had steadily dropped to the lowest amount in the last six years, the number of people resisting arrest equates to one resistor for every 139 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.

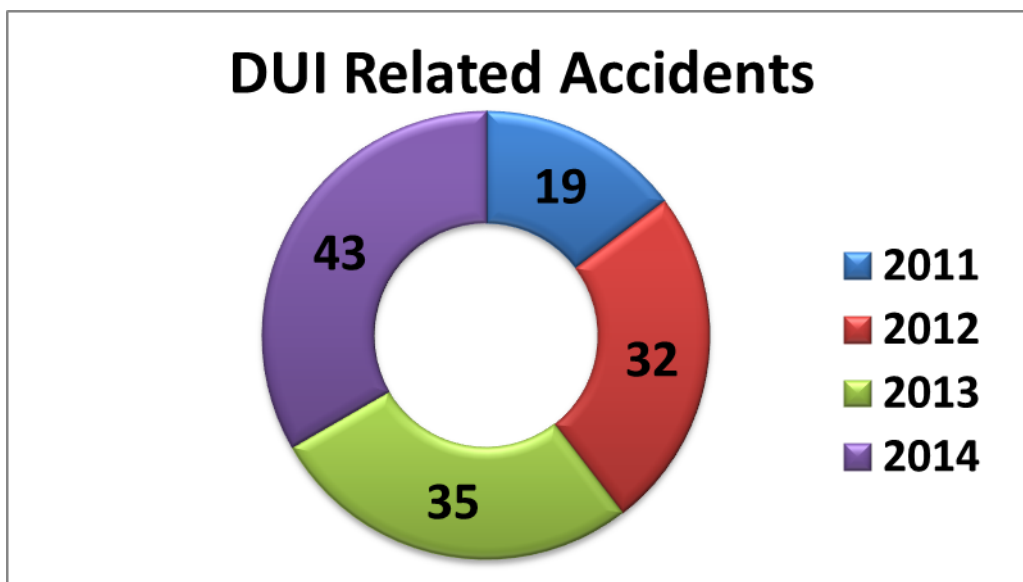
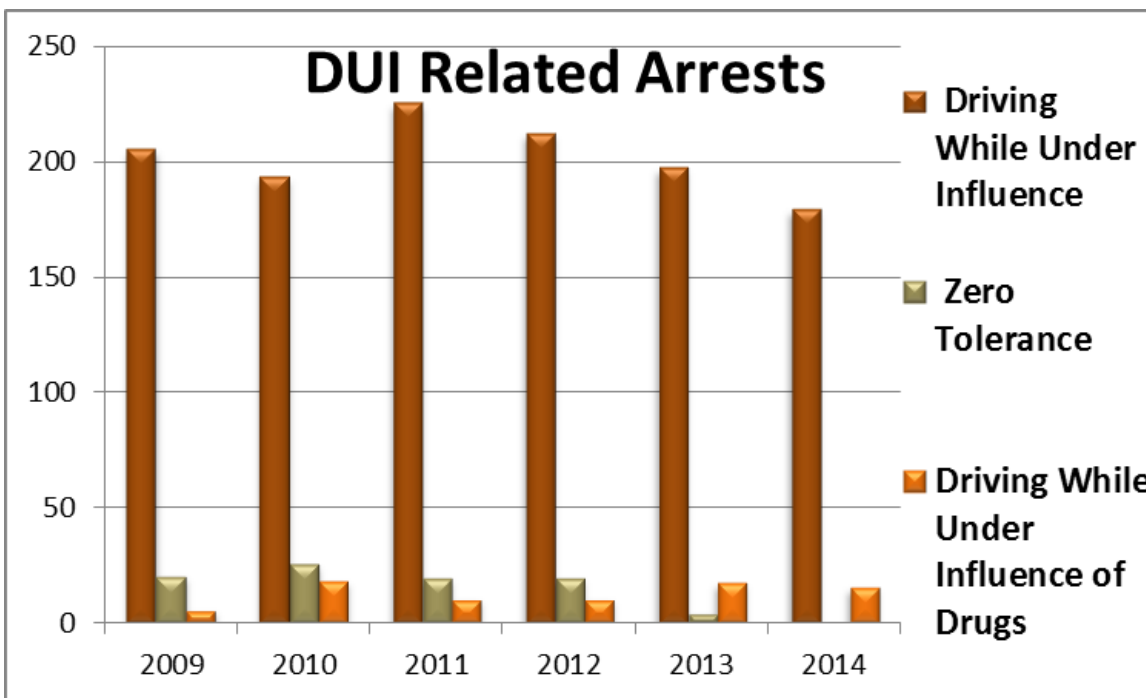
Traffic Accidents

In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department investigated 2,550 motor vehicle crashes, a 139% increase from 2013. The highest reports of causation were failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident (cited 874 times). In 2014, the highest number of accidents occurred on Fridays followed by Saturdays. Most accidents occurred between 1:01 pm and 2:00 pm while the highest number of personal injury accidents was reported between of 4:01 and 5:00 pm.



DUI Related Incidents

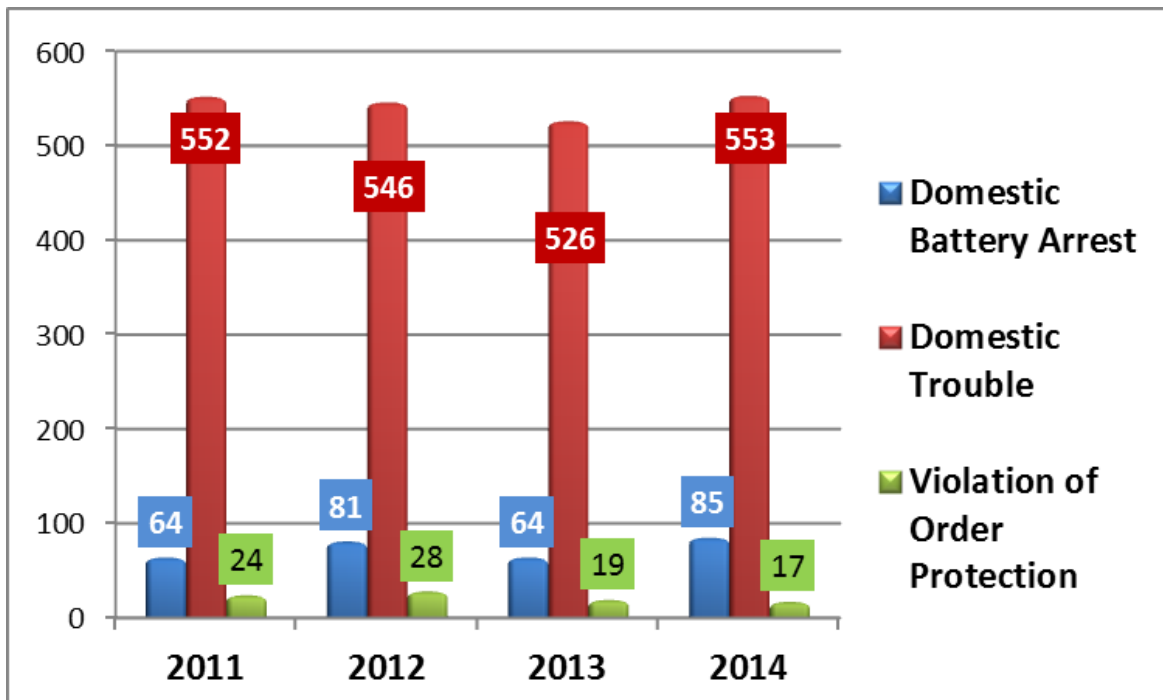
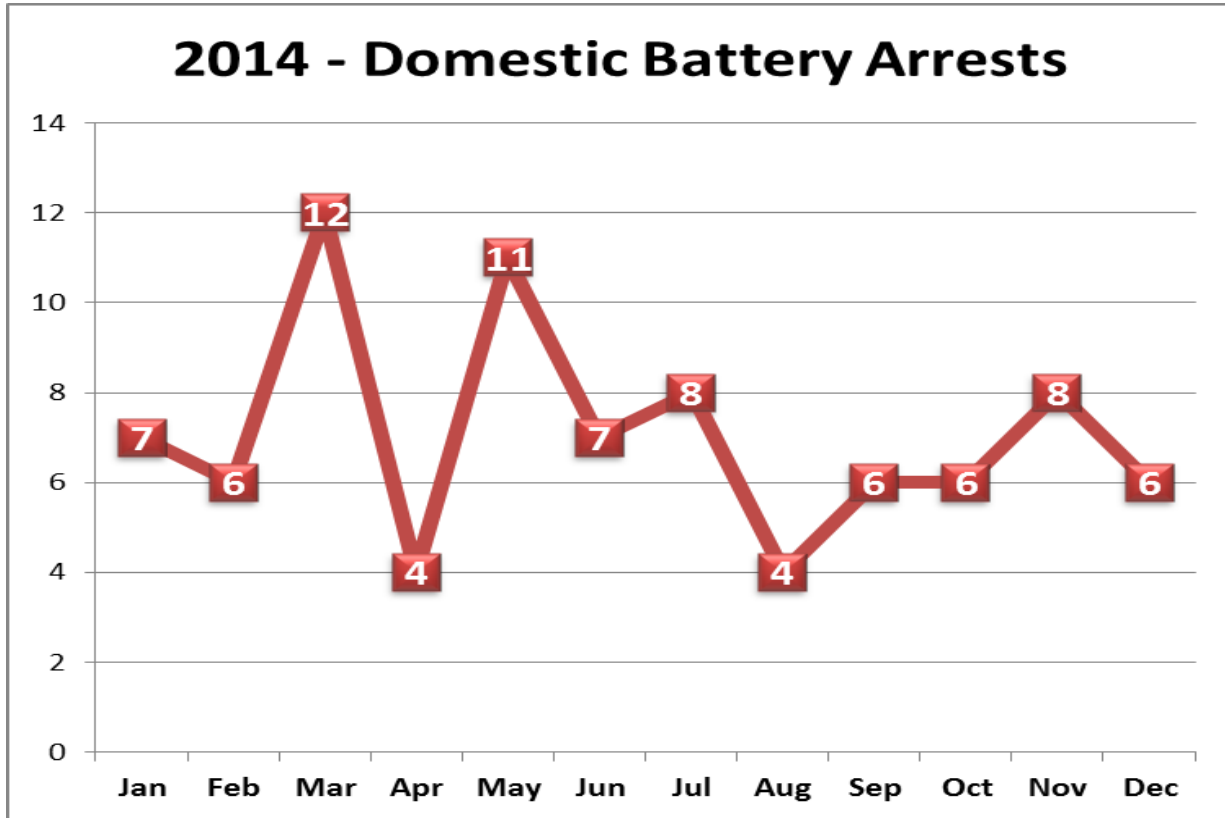
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
Driving While Under Influence	205	193	225	212	197	179	1211
Zero Tolerance	20	25	19	19	4	0	87
Driving While Under Influence of Drugs	5	18	10	10	17	15	75



The Orland Park Police Department responded to 43 accidents in 2014, which resulted in a DUI arrest. When compared to 2013, the department saw an 18.6 % increase in the number of DUI arrests stemming from vehicle accidents in 2014.

Domestic Incidents

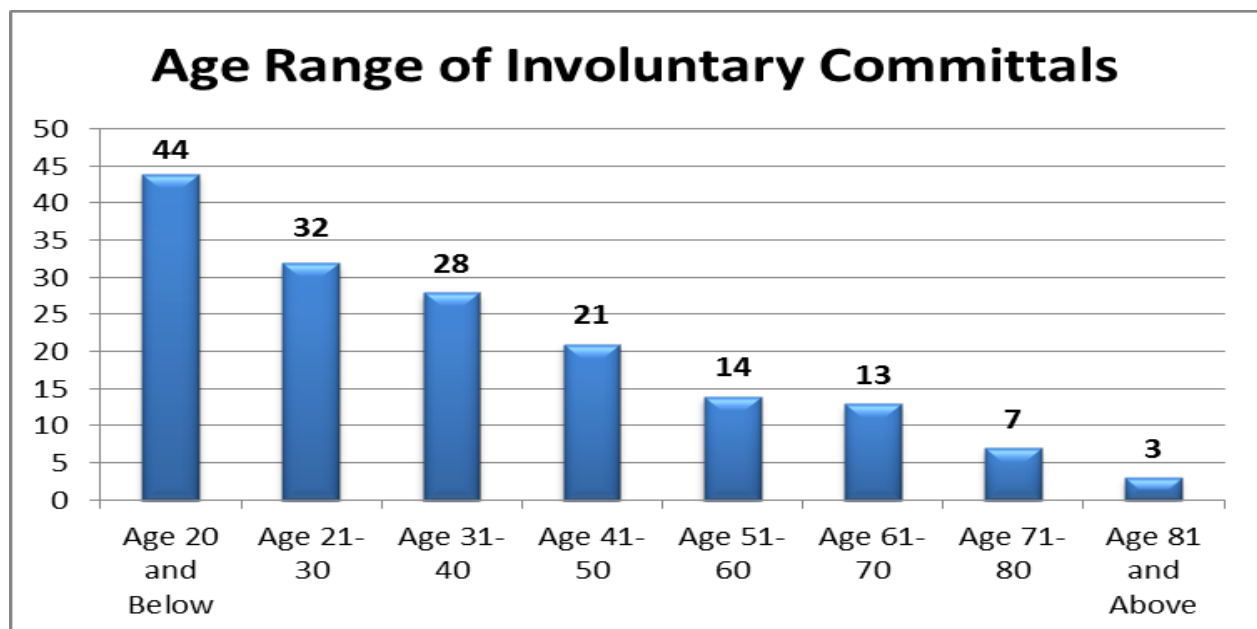
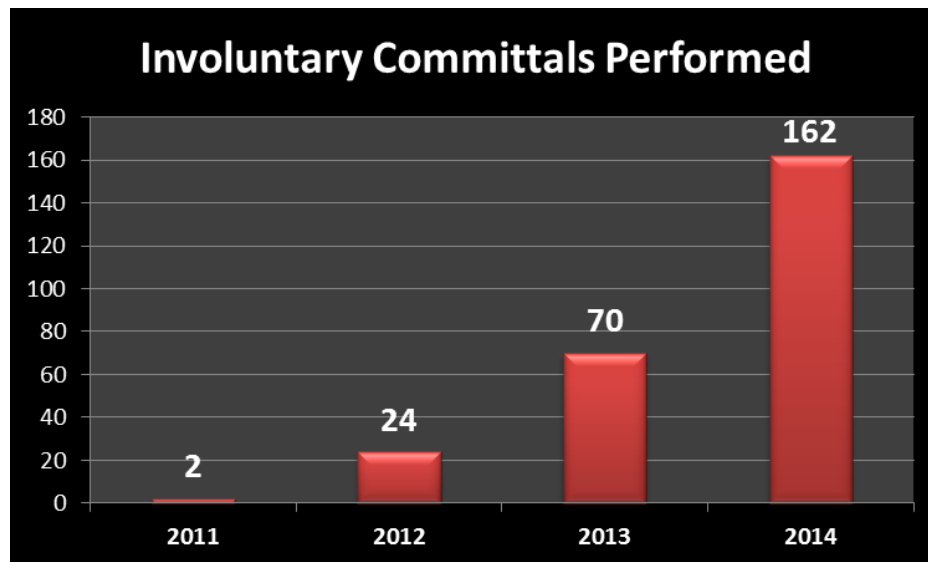
Responding to domestic related incidents is one of the most dangerous calls law enforcement faces due to the volatility surrounding the call for assistance. In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department responded to a higher number of domestic related service calls and made more arrests than in the last four years.



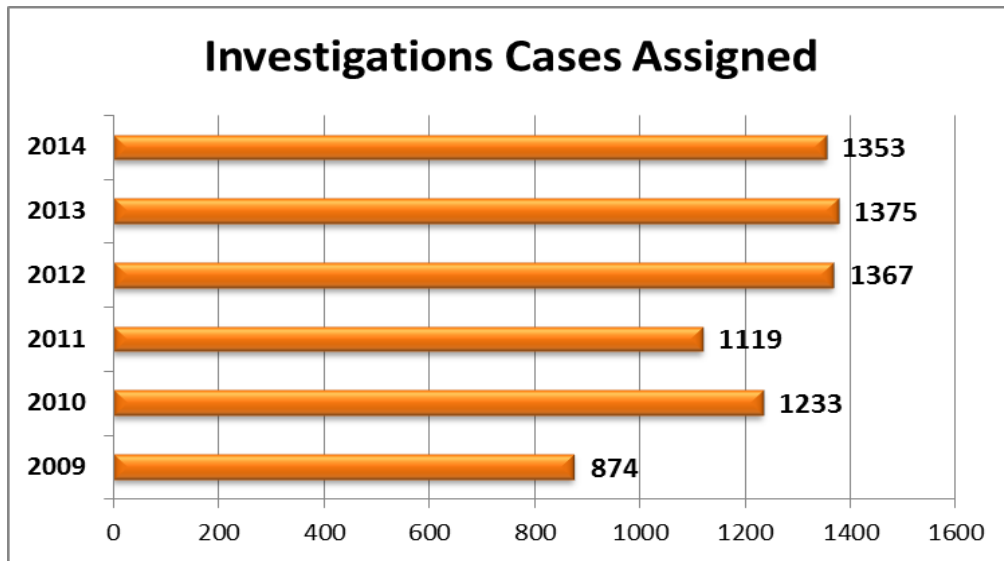
Mental Health

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. As evidenced in the below chart, the number of involuntary committals performed by department personnel has increased at an alarming rate.

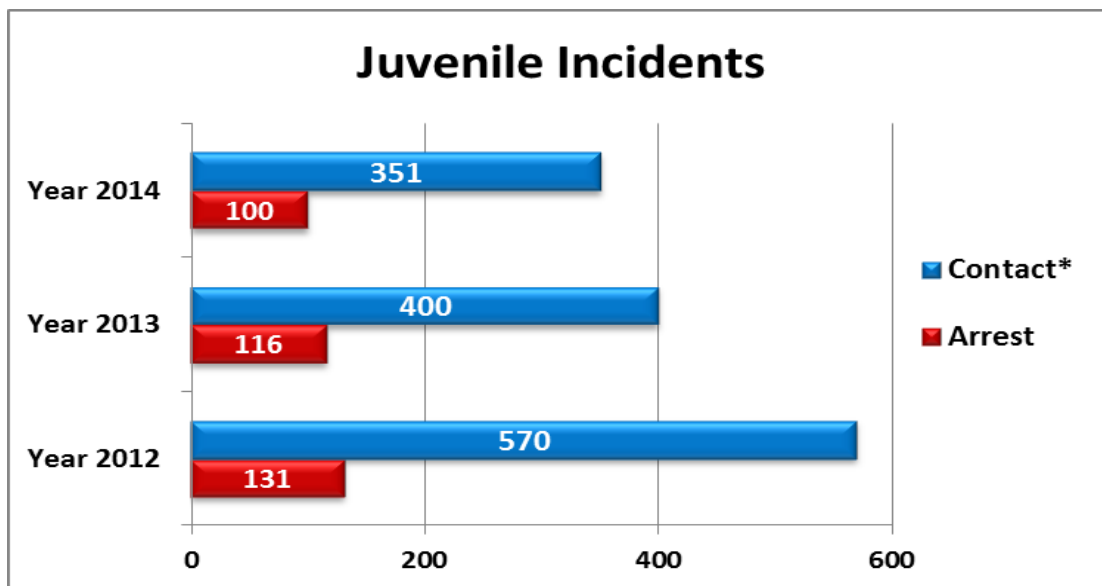
In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department had six sworn officers trained and state certified in crisis intervention. These specialized officers will continue to respond to calls of people in crisis to assist in deescalating any potentially volatile situations.



Orland Park Police Investigations Division Activities



In 2014, the Orland Park Police Investigations Division cases assigned have stabilized in the last three years.



*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 continued to reach over 900 students in 2014. The program along with the D.A.R.E. Booster has been well received by educators, student and parents alike.





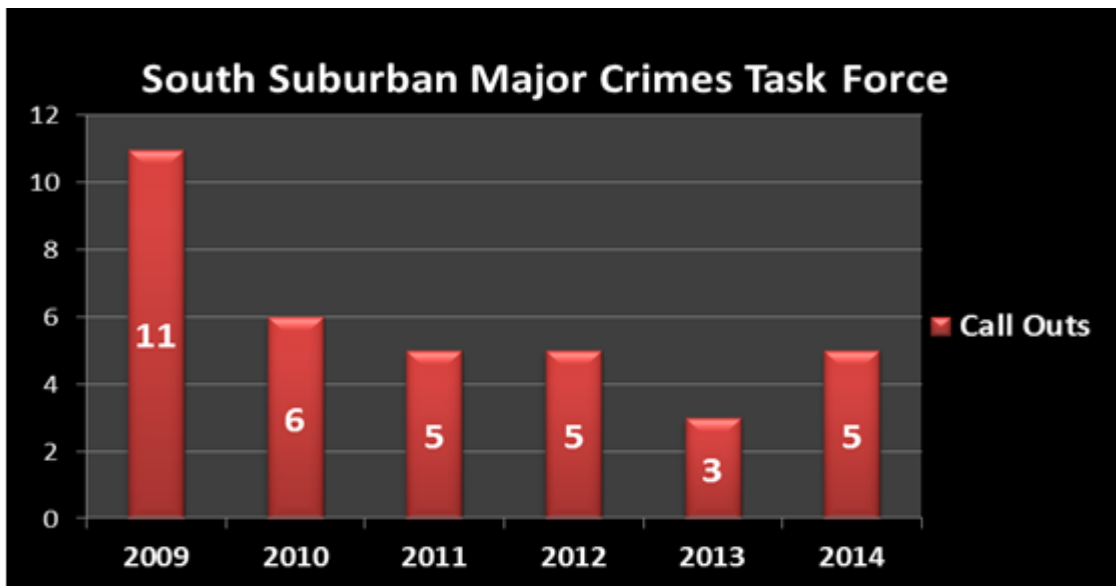
Task Force Overviews 2014

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 nine member Board of Directors manages the SSMCTF. Chief Timothy J. McCarthy, the former Chairman remains as a member 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 59 South and Southwest suburban communities with a population of approximately 990,000.



In 2014, the task force responded to 42 total call outs, which included 34 homicides, 4 aggravated batteries and 4 death investigations that turned out to be suicides or other causes of death. Clearance rate by arrest or warrants issued were 60% with several cases still under active investigation. Thirty-four call outs were in the east division and eight call outs in the West Division. Orland Park had a 100% attendance to the call outs.

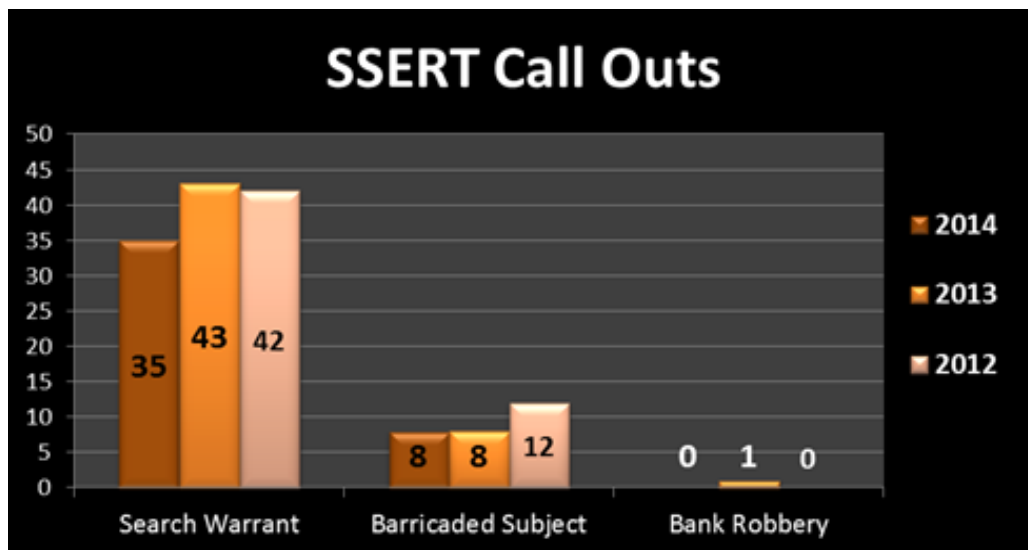




The South Suburban Emergency Response Team (SSERT) is a multi-jurisdictional emergency response team comprised of thirty-four police departments in the south suburbs of Chicago. The team is responsible for the protection of approximately 600,000 residents in an area that is over 150 square miles.

The response team is designed to provide member agencies with a tactical response to Critical Incidents. Critical Incidents are defined as, but not limited to Armed/Suicidal Subject's, Barricaded Subject's, Hostage Situations, Sniper Situations, High-Risk Apprehension, High-Risk Warrant Service, Dignitary Protection, Civil Disturbances, Disaster Assistance, Terrorist Incidents, and Special Assignments. Currently, the Orland Park Police Department has two full-time sworn officers assigned to the specialized unit part-time. Deputy Chief Kenealy is a member of the Board of Directors of SSERT.

In 2014, Orland Park Officers responded to 35 call outs. Of the 35 call outs, eight were for emergencies such as hostage or barricaded subjects and the rest (27) were for the execution of high-risk search warrants. In 2014, the Orland Park Police department did not request the services of SSERT for any critical incident.



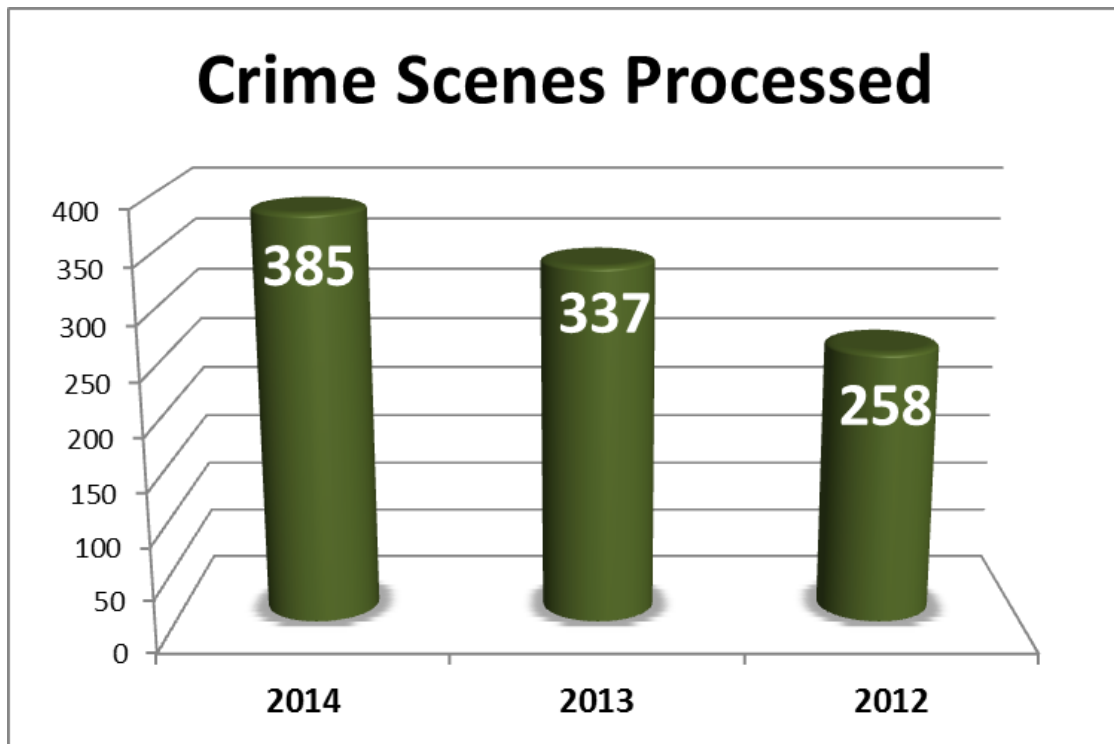
The ILEAS Mobile Field Force (MFF) was created to provide rapid, organized, and disciplined response to civil disorder, crowd control or other tactical situations involving the distribution of pharmaceuticals from the National Strategic Stockpile, weapons of mass destruction incidents as well as other more conventional events. The Orland Park Police Department has two full-time sworn officers assigned to the specialized unit. In 2014, MMF responded to one barricaded subject callout.

The Orland Park Police Department has one member of the department, Investigator Kelly, assigned to the F.B.I.'s Safe Streets Task Force (SRA-1). In 2014, SRA-1 arrested a homicide suspect, twenty-five bank robbers, four for Human Trafficking, Sex Trafficking or Child Prostitution charges, fourteen offenders on gun and or narcotics charges and seized over 8 kilograms of crystal methamphetamine and twenty-five firearms including a Thompson submachine gun.

The Orland Park Police Department created, equipped and trained a thirty-five member team to respond to crowd control situations in the year of 2012 in light of the NATO Summit. The training continued in May of 2014 with newly assigned officers.

Street Evidence Technicians

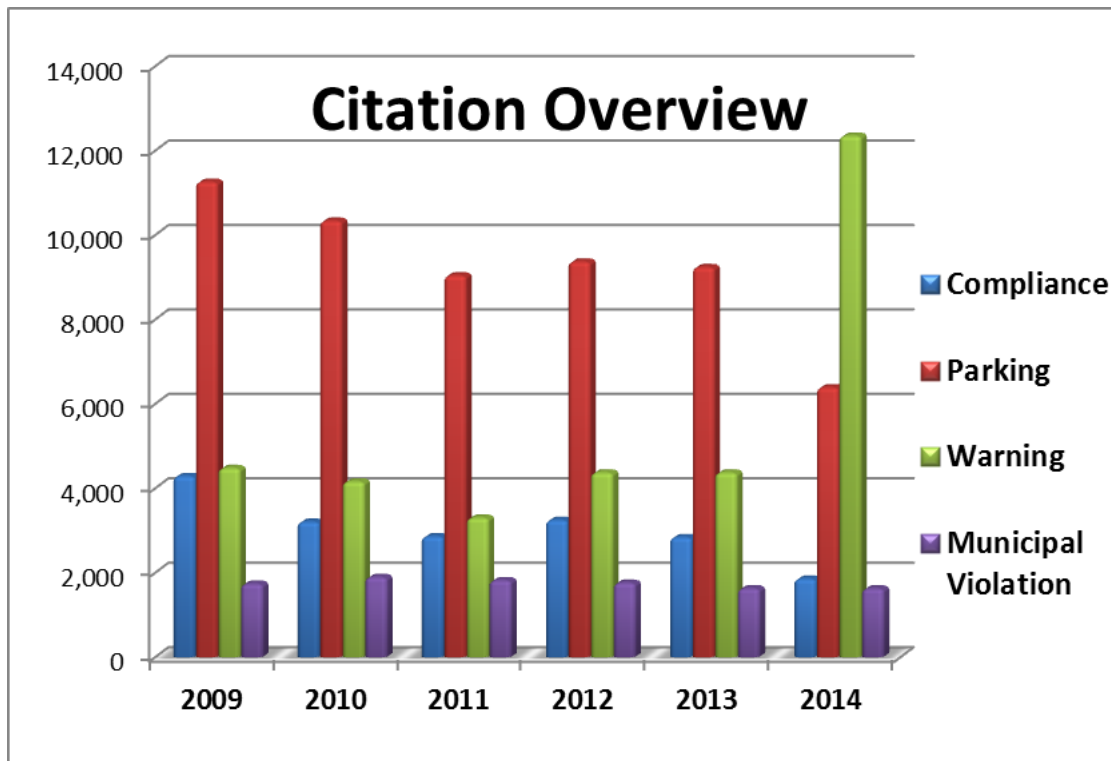
The Orland Park Police Department has nine highly skilled and trained patrol officers who respond and process crime scenes for latent, trace, ballistic and forensic evidence to help solve crimes. The Street Evidence Technicians processed the highest amount of crime scenes in 2014.



Five-Year Citation Analysis (2009 – 2014)

Citation Type	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
Compliance	4,287	3,204	2,858	3,246	2,838	1,854	18,287
Parking	11,260	10,337	9,041	9,369	9,237	6,389	55,633
Warning	4,477	4,160	3,301	4,371	4,371	12,351	33,031
Municipal Violation	1,736	1,893	1,819	1,759	1,628	1,624	8,835
Total	21,760	19,594	17,019	18,745	18,459	22,608	106,951

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.

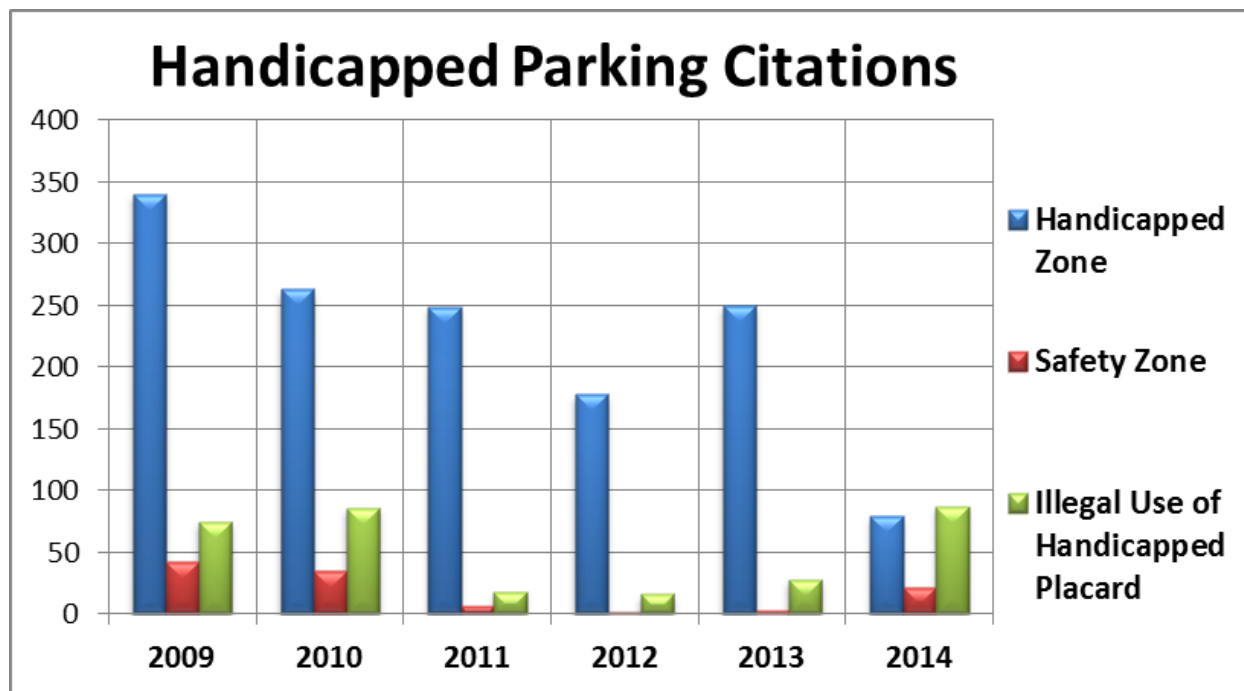


As evidenced in the above graph, citations are the prevailing means to address violations in the village in the last five years.

Statistics for 2014 show that the most common cited violation was speeding (1747 citations issued). Improper lane usage was the second most ticketed moving violation (682) followed by disobeying a stop sign (479).

Five-Year Citation Analysis (2009 – 2014) Cnt'd.

Citations	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
Handicapped Zone	340	263	249	178	250	79	1,359
Compliance	5	3	1	2	0	1	12
Parking	292	224	155	144	150	67	1,032
Warning	43	36	93	32	55	11	270
Safety Zone	42	35	7	2	3	22	111
Compliance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parking	19	1	0	2	3	14	39
Warning	23	34	7	0	0	8	72
Illegal Use of Handicapped Placard	75	86	18	16	28	87	310
Compliance	5	2	1	3	0	0	11
Parking	63	84	16	13	28	43	247
Warning	7	0	1	0	0	44	52
Grand Total:	457	384	274	196	281	188	1780



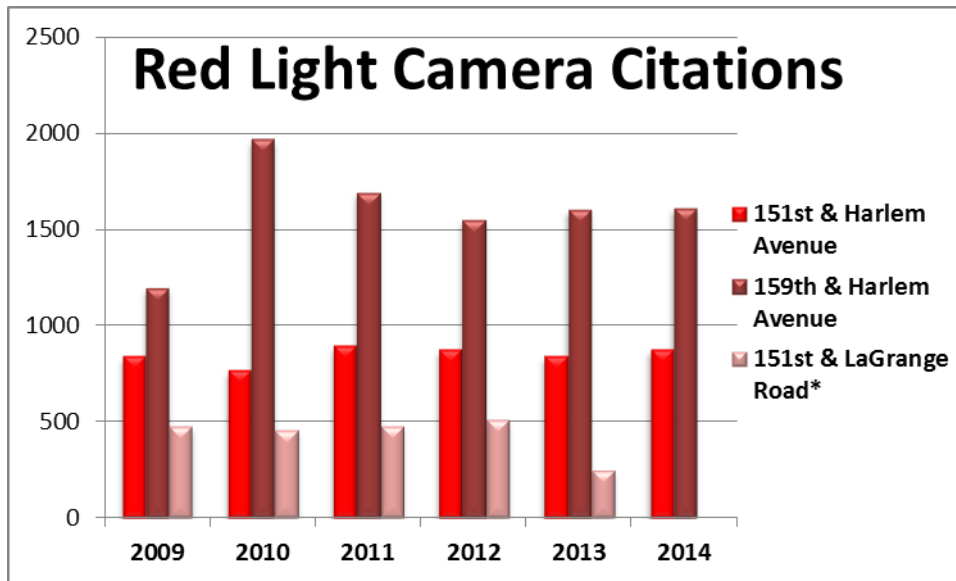
Although the illegal use of a handicapped placard was the highest cited, all other citations for handicapped and safety zones were down in 2014 when compared to previous years.



Red Light Camera Enforcement (2009 - 2014)

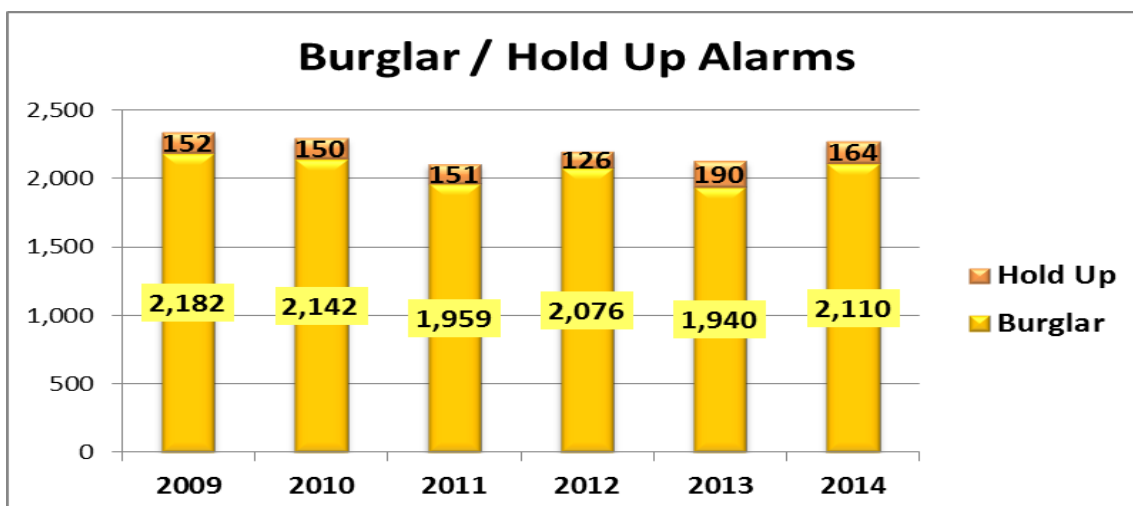
Intersection Location	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
151st & Harlem Avenue	837	762	893	873	837	874	5,076
159th & Harlem Avenue	1,190	1,963	1,686	1,548	1,600	1,609	9,596
151st & LaGrange Road*	471	454	474	503	244	0	2,146

* The red light camera located at 151st and LaGrange Rd was removed on 07/02/2013 due to road construction.



Burglar / Hold Up Alarm Overview (2009 - 2014)

Alarm Category	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Burglar	2,182	2,142	1,959	2,076	1,940	2,110
Hold Up	152	150	151	126	190	164
Total	2,334	2,292	2,110	2,202	2,130	2,274

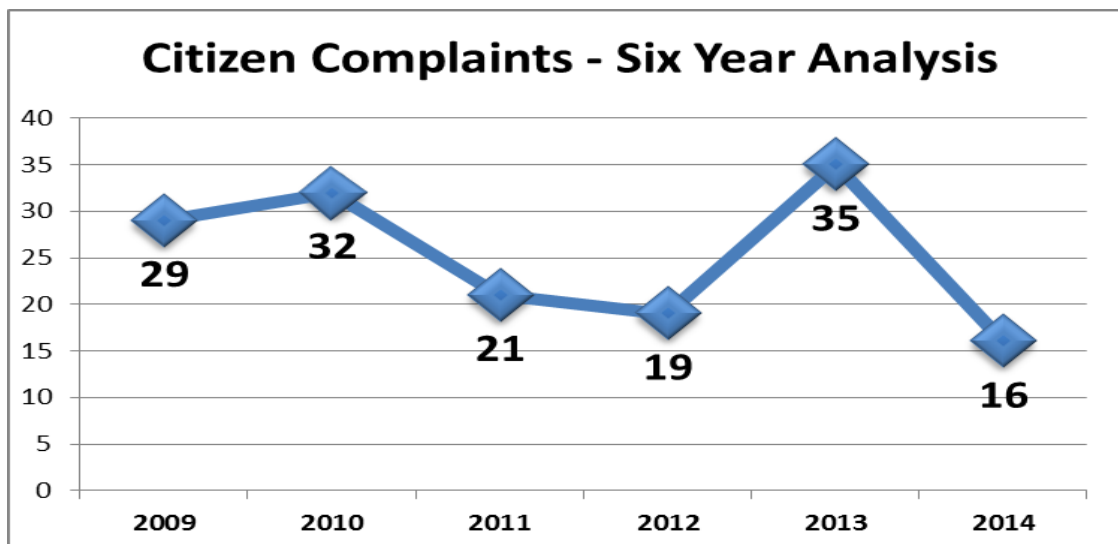


Citizen Complaints (2009 - 2014)

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013*	2014*	6 Year Total
Demeanor	7	19	12	4	18	13	73
Policy Violation	7	6	9	9	16	4	51
Other	15	7	0	6	4	0	32
Sustained	6	8	5	2	11	3	35
Service Calls	225,872**	207,637**	154,762	172,134	155,968	151,696	634,560**

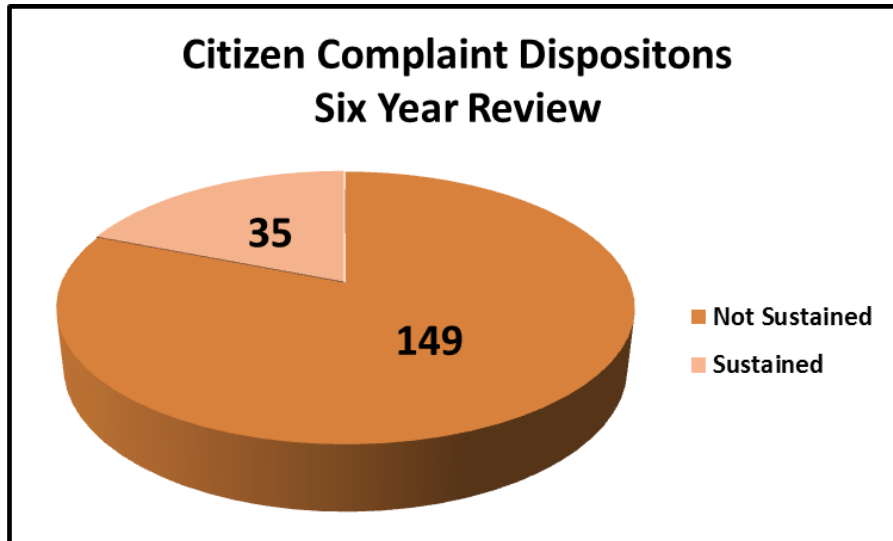
* In 2013 and 2014, the number of complaint categories is greater than the number of actual complaints because in certain situations, the complainant had alleged more than one violation.

** New World System was implemented on 10/18/2010. The way calls for service were identified has changed (i.e. personal or lunch breaks were no longer classified as calls for service).

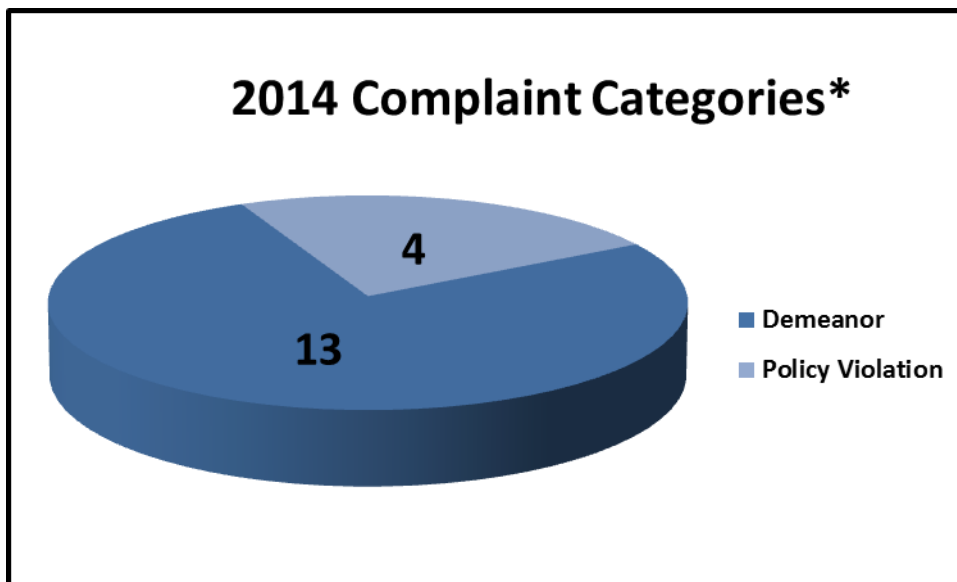


In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department received 16 citizen complaints, a 45.7 % decrease when compared to the number of complaints in 2013, and the lowest number in six years.

As evidenced below in the Citizen Complaint Dispositions, 23.5 % of all complaints against members of the Orland Park Police Department were sustained over the last six years. 51.5% of the sustained complaints were for a policy violation. No racial profiling and excessive use of force complaints were sustained throughout the last six years.



In 2014, three complaints were sustained, two for demeanor and one for a policy violation. The department did not receive any racial profiling or excessive use of force complaints in 2014.



* The number of complaint categories (17) is greater than the number of complaints (16) because in one situation, the complainant had alleged more than one violation.

The Orland Park Police Department responded to 151,696 calls for service in 2014 and sustained three (3) citizen complaints. This computes to one sustained complaint for every 50,565-citizen contacts.

Awards and Commendations 2014

On November 13, 2014, the Orland Park Police Department held its Annual Awards Ceremony at Carl Sandburg High School.

Officer of the Year

Mark Kenn

Civilian of the Year

Gloria Oehmen

Life Saving Award

Officer Slewoski

Grand Cordon

Officer Kelly-Valan Officer Staszak

Exceptional Service Award

Lieutenant Hottinger, Sergeant Hasty, Sergeant Goudie, Sergeant Ford, Sergeant Rossi, Officer Berthold, Officer Bush, Officer Eppolito, Officer Fitzgibbon, Officer Gomez, Officer S. Kelly, Officer Legris, Officer Losurdo (2)*, Officer O'Brien (2), Officer Prokaski, Officer Sanders, Officer Svetkovich, Officer Toosley, Officer Weiland (2), Officer Zorbas, Investigator Kein (3), Investigator Murray, IT Specialist Kouba, Assistant Support Services Manager Miller, Senior Secretary Roop

Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorist Award

Officer Ahrendt, Officer Eppolito, Officer Fitzgibbon and Officer Martyn

Training Achievement

Lieutenant Mitchell

Unit Citation

Commander Keating, Lieutenant Farrell, Sergeant Malmborg, Officer Dangles, Officer Dargan, Officer Goewey, Officer S. Kelly, Officer Losurdo, Officer Martyn, Officer Murphy, Officer Prestia, Officer Shuster, Officer Swendsen, Officer Valentino, Officer Walsh, Officer Weiland, Officer Ziolkowski, Officer Zumerling, Investigator Davids, Investigator Gorman-Kenny, Investigator Jankowski, Investigator Lee, Investigator Murray, Investigator Stoettner, Investigator Swearingen

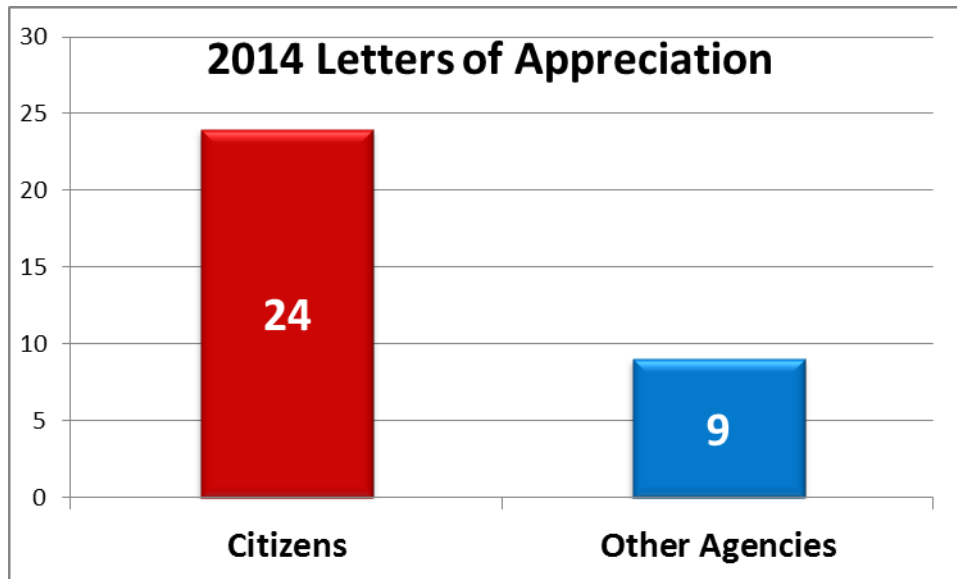
* (X) Denotes the number of awards the recipient received in that specific category for separate incidents rising to that level of recognition.

Awards and Commendations 2014



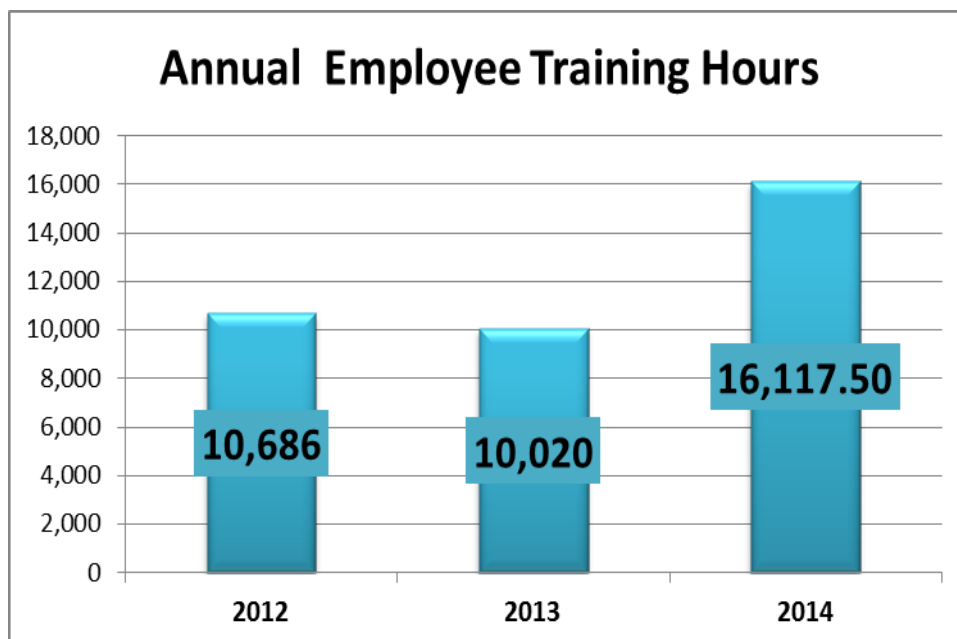
Awards and Commendations 2014 C'ntd

In 2014, 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 sector. 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.



Retail Security Measures

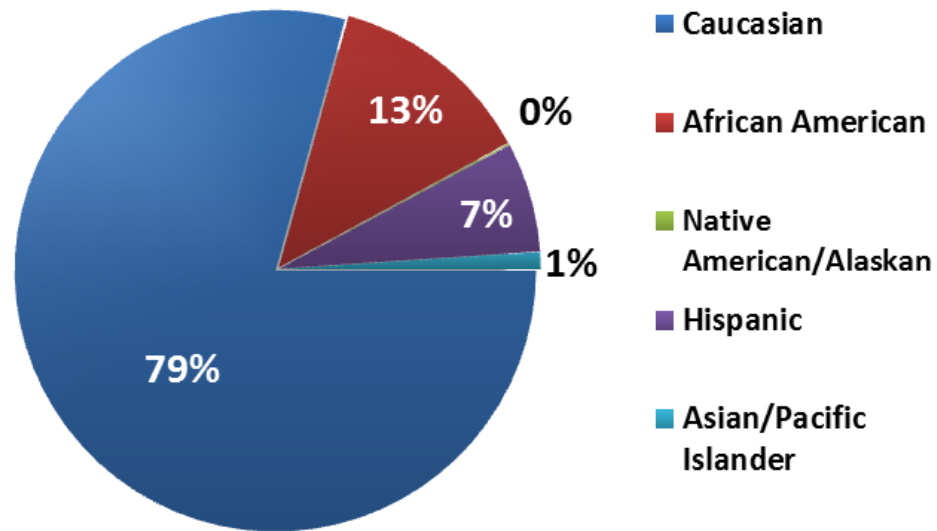
In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department devoted additional resources to deterring, investigating and arresting offenders for retail crimes. The initiative consisted of increased patrols, undercover operations, and foot patrols at local retail establishments. During the busy holiday shopping season, there were additional officer assignments concentrating in particular at the Orland Square Mall. In the month of December alone, the department made 59 arrests for retail theft and only had one reported burglary to motor vehicle. Orland Square Mall Security compiled the following holiday shopping data:

- ✓ Holiday season sales were up 4.3% when compared to the 2013,
- ✓ Faster police response to calls for service within and outside the mall,
- ✓ There have been no major criminal incidents at Orland Square Mall during the 2014 holiday season,
- ✓ No reported crimes against person at the Orland Square Mall during holiday season and
- ✓ 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.

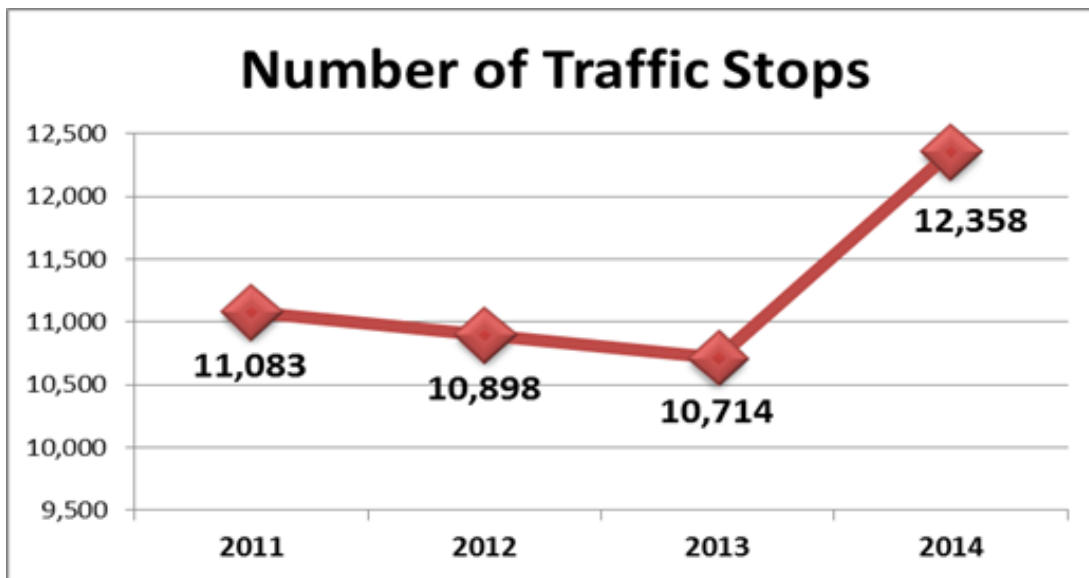


Demographic Profiling

2014 Demographic Profiling

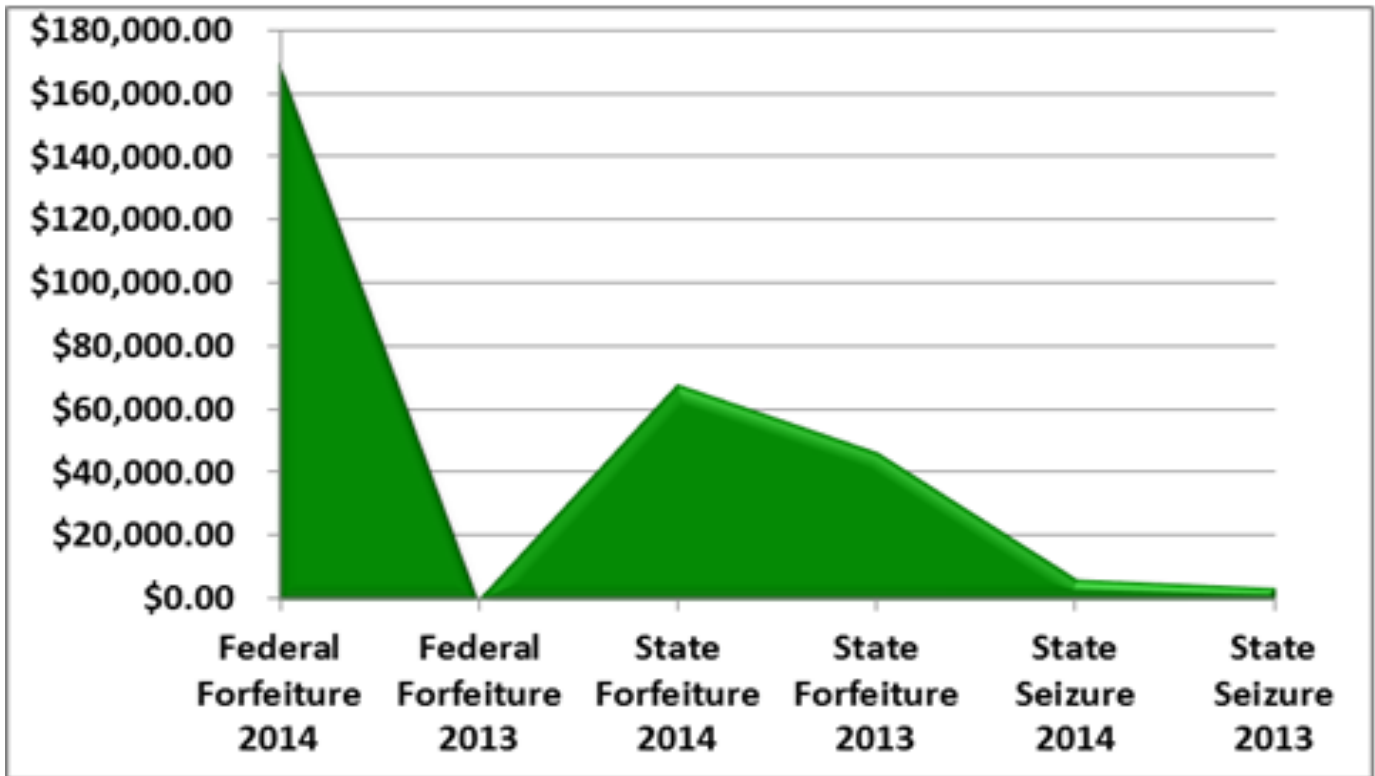


Caucasian	8,570
African American	1,506
Native American/Alaskan	10
Hispanic	702
Asian/Pacific Islander	109

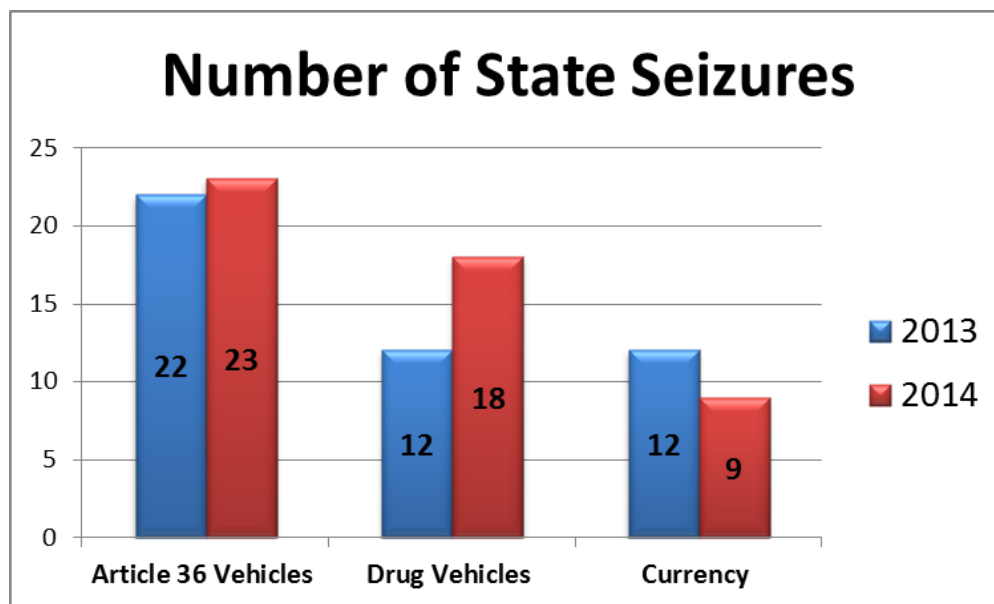


In 2014, the number of traffic stops made was the highest in four years and a 13.3 % increase when compared to 2013.

Vehicle and Currency Seizures



As evidenced in the above graph, the Orland Park Police Department seized in 2014 \$244,435.01 in United States Currency and \$49,544.56 in 2013. The largest seizure of \$155,791.73 was the result of a complex federal narcotics investigation originated by the department in 2004.



In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department seized more vehicles than in 2013 for drugs (Delivery or Possession with the Intent to Deliver) or under 720 ILCS 5/36-1 (Article 36) of the Illinois Compiled Statutes.

*Revenues**

Federal Forfeiture Fund.....	\$240,153.36
State Forfeiture Fund.....	\$167,700.89
State Seizure Fund.....	\$33,733.22
Driving Under the Influence Fund.....	\$70,972.27
Vehicle Impoundment Fund.....	\$205,500.00

*2014 Fines***

Municipal Violations	\$590,166.38
Ordinance Violations.....	\$292,081.90
Circuit Court	\$124,979.64
Red Light Enforcement.....	\$84,724.99

*As of January 6, 2015

** 2014 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 2014, the department participated in fifteen lock down drills at the local schools. After each drill, the department command staff, school officials, and SROs meet and evaluated the drill. Patrol officers also participate in the drills and periodically tour the schools within their designated beat.

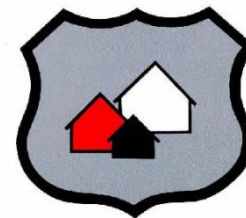
Annually, the department also holds "School Safety" meetings with each school.

The department has conducted Rapid Deployment training (critical incident response) for over ten years. This training includes the use of an actual school, or other such venue, as a training site. School officials participate in this training in an effort to gain a better understanding of each partner's role and to improve safety procedures.

To aid in obtaining vital information during a critical incident, the department obtained the VIPER System. VIPER consists of maps, pictures of entrances and other vital areas in all of the schools and includes contact information for all school officials in Orland Park. This computerized system is updated semi-annually and accessible by the officers and school staff.

In 2014, the Orland Park Police Department held numerous live training exercises at the Orland Square Mall and with school officials at numerous Orland Park schools with sworn members, school personnel and volunteers.

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 will 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
2011	662	623	553	104
2012	668	444	304	43
2013	757	565	373	46
2014	751	407	243	30

Calls for service, generated reports and arrests declined in 2014 while the number of registered properties remained generally unchanged.

Department Accomplishments/Community Service

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 2014, the Orland Park Police Department collected over a thousand 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 a ton and one half (3,170 lbs.) of unwanted, not used or discarded prescription medications.



On 8/5/14, the Orland Park Police Department participated in our fifteenth year in the National Night Out Against Crime program including hosting a Senior Citizen Luncheon and Seminar on Crime Prevention in the afternoon. Our evening event at the civic center again drew hundreds of residents who participated in numerous events emphasizing crime prevention. There were also many activities and events for children and parents. On 1/8/13, the department received the National Award from the National Town Watch Association for our "Night Out" activities.



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.

Classes offered include:

*Laws of Arrest *Crime Scene Analysis *K-9 *Traffic Stops *Firearms * Traffic Unit
* Internet Investigations *DARE *Community Orientated Policing Program (COPP)

Program Description

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

Goals

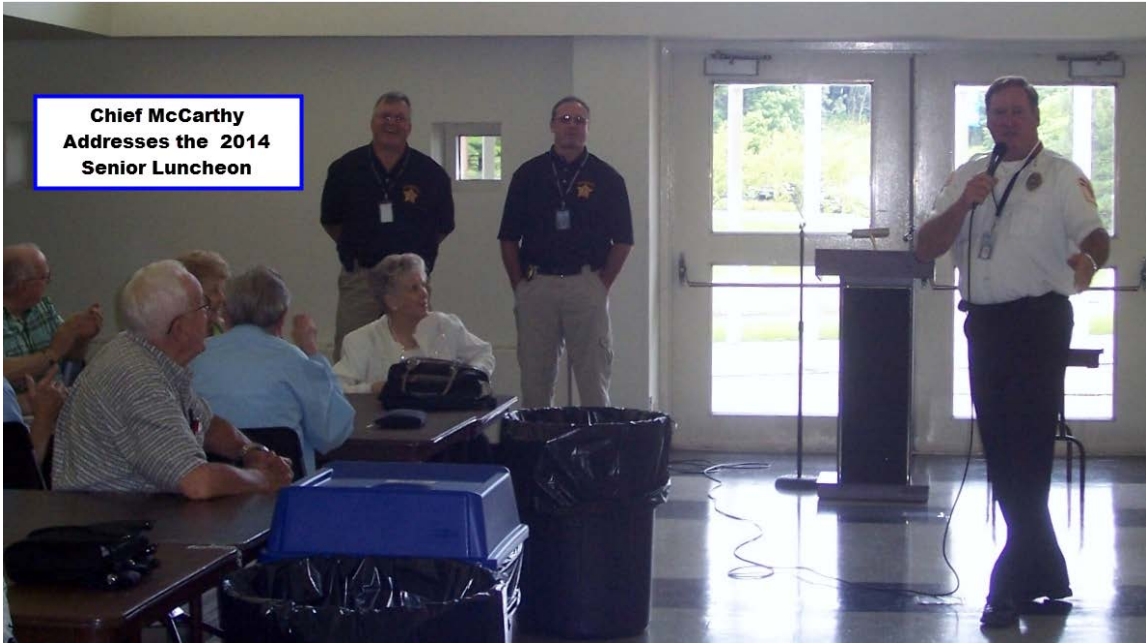
One of the major goals of the department is to not only provide the best possible service to the citizens of Orland Park, but to also show how committed we are in our effort to serve the community. We continually look for new ideas that will take us out into the community and provide an opportunity to not only meet the citizens, but also leave them with a positive impression.

Benefits

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

The Citizen's Police Academy 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.







Accreditation Tier II

An independent team from the Illinois Law Enforcement Accreditation Program (ILEAP) representing the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police arrived on October 6, 2014 to review and examine all aspects of the Orland Park Police Department policies, procedures, management, operations and support services against established criteria of professional excellence.

During the two-day onsite assessment, the assessors judged, based on 180 separate ILEAP standards and thousands of documents to provide proof of compliance, if the Orland Park Police Department met the standards to achieve ILEAP's **highest level** of accreditation, Tier II status. After conclusion of the exhaustive onsite inspection, the assessors unanimously recommended the Orland Park Police Department receive Tier II Accreditation.

The Illinois Law Enforcement Accreditation Council will vote in early 2015 on the Orland Park Police Department's Tier II Accreditation application. The appointed membership of the Illinois Law Enforcement Accreditation Council includes:

- Two incumbent Illinois police chiefs appointed by ILACP;
- A member of the Campus Law Enforcement Executive Committee appointed by ILACP;
- Director of the Center for Public Safety and Justice, or designate;
- Director of the Institute for Public Safety Partnerships, or designate;
- Director of the Illinois Municipal League, or designate;
- Director of the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, or designate;
- Director of the Intergovernmental Risk Management Association;
- Director of the Illinois County and City Managers Association.

If successful, the Orland Park Police Department will join only eight (8) other law enforcement agencies awarded the coveted Tier II Accreditation status through ILEAP as of December of 2014.

Noteworthy 2014 Investigations

Homicide Arrest

On Saturday, January 25, 2014, Judge Donald Panarese signed a No Bond arrest warrant for 1st Degree Murder for Alisha M. Walker.

On January 24, 2014, at approximately 12:30 am Walker was taken into custody by members of the Orland Park Police Department, South Suburban Major Crimes Task Force, and Fort Wayne Police Department. Walker is currently being held at the Cook County Jail .

The murder investigation began on January 21, 2014, at 10:35 am when Alan P. Filan 61 years of age was found deceased in the home at 9422 Georgetown Square Orland Park. Filan lived alone in the home and police were called to a well-being check after he failed to show up for work. The Cook County Medical Examiner's Office ruled the death a Homicide and the cause of death was the result of multiple stab and incise wounds.

Investigators developed a suspect in the case which ultimately led to the arrest of Alisha Walker 20 years of age in Fort Wayne, Indiana. Walker who resides in Akron, Ohio, has prior arrests for drugs, prostitution, and battery, had previously met the victim on at least 2 other occasions.

Walker confessed to being at the home of the victim on January 18, 2014 after Filan contacted her via the internet site Backpage. The investigation revealed that Walker and Filan argued over money, a struggle ensued which resulted in Walker stabbing Filan multiple times. Walker then fled the scene in her vehicle.

The investigation indicates this was not a random act and no additional suspects are being sought.

Suspect

Alisha M. Walker, 20 years of age
1769 Leighton Ave
Akron, Ohio 44314



Noteworthy 2014 Investigations

Juvenile Charged in Aggravated Vehicular Hijacking

On October 17, 2014 at 10:18 p.m., the Orland Park Police responded to a vehicular hijacking at the upper level Sears parking lot at Orland Square Mall. The victim said he was leaving his job at a retail store in the mall when a male approached him while placing some items into his car. The offender displayed a black handgun and demanded the keys to his vehicle.

The offender was later observed driving east bound on 151st St. by a patrol unit who activated his emergency lights and siren. The vehicle, refusing to stop, drove south bound on 80th Ave. and then turned westbound on 159th St. while driving erratically.

An off-duty Orland Park officer later observed the vehicle northbound on 80th Ave., turn westbound on 157th St. and southbound onto Brassie Ct. (a dead-end).

The male ran from the vehicle eastbound. After a short foot pursuit, he was apprehended in the 15600 block of Innsbruck. A black, air-soft pellet gun was recovered from the vehicle. The victim was not injured as a result of the incident.

The male was petitioned to juvenile court. The juvenile also had an active warrant from Chicago for a previous Vehicular Hijacking incident.



2014 Promotions

Sergeant Kenneth Rosinski

Sergeant Eric Rossi

Retirements

Sergeant William Kinsella

Sergeant Scott Malmborg

Sergeant Dennis Pratl

Officer Edward Hozzian

Officer Jeffery Rehus

Officer Robert Piatanesi

Officer William Verburg