#### ORLAND PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

# ANNUAL REPORT





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#### LET'S CONNECT

We want to hear from you! There are many ways to communicate with Village staff and your local representatives. From stopping by any Village buildings, giving us a call, interacting on social media, or sending us an email, we appreciate and encourage community input.

### WEBSITE

#### ORLANDPARK.ORG

The Village website has a wealth of information available to residents in just a few clicks. Looking for meeting dates and times? Want to know what events are happening around town? Check our website for this up-to-date information.

#### twitter

#### VILLAGEOFORLANDPK ORLANDPARKPD

Receive timely tweets about events, traffic, public announcements and more.

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#### VILLAGEOFORLANDPARK

Check out the many videos featuring local events, our cable shows and updates from the Mayor. Catch our board meetings and events LIVE and be sure to subscribe to be notified on when to tune in.

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Events, important information and highlights of people in our community are featured on our page. Give us a "like" to stay upto-date on all that's happening.

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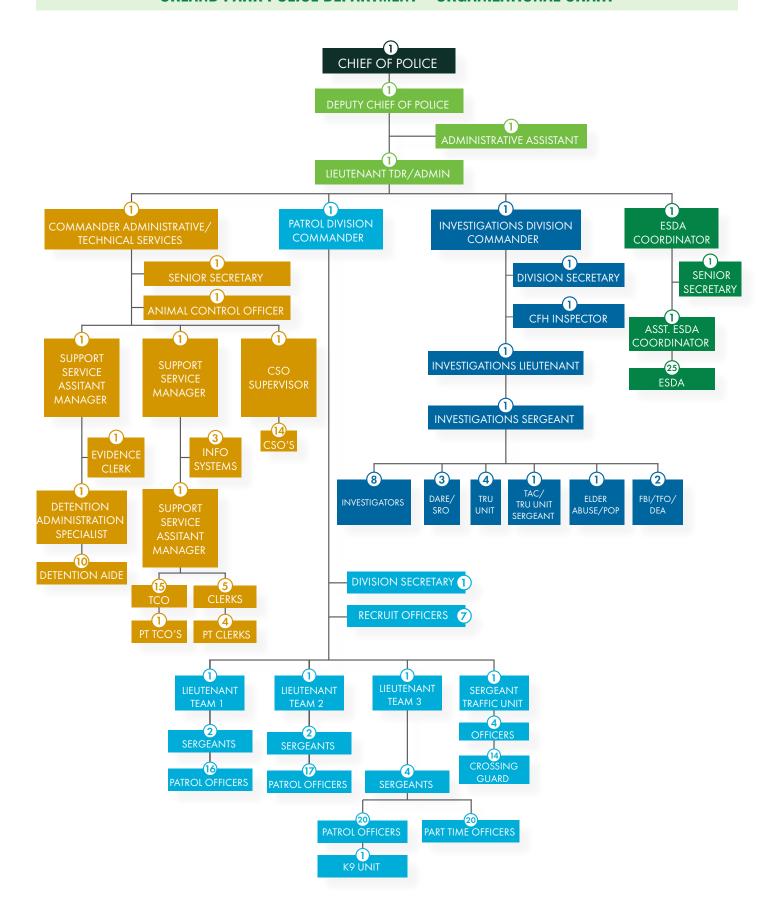
Short, fun and joyful videos from events to community information is what you'll find on our profile. Give us a "follow" to stay up-to-date on all that's happening.

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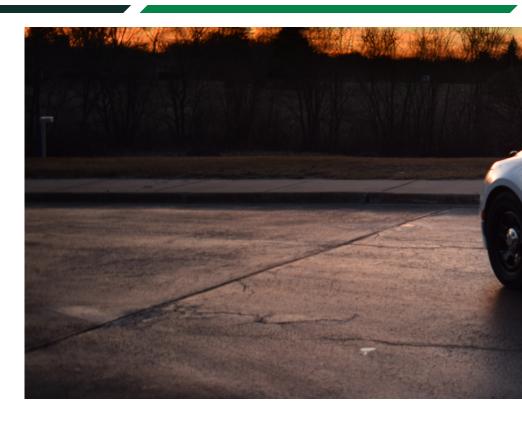
Capturing fun and light hearted sights around Orland Park, as well as keeping the community upto-date on Village happenings is what you'll find on our feed.

#### ORLAND PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT - ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



# MISSION STATEMENT





#### **INTEGRITY**

Integrity is defined as being honest, moral, upright, and sincere. We believe 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

# COMMITMENT TO EMPLOYEES

# PROFESSIONALISM AND DEDICATION

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.

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.

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.

# MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF OF POLICE



Mayor Pekau, Trustees, Village Manager and the Residents of Orland Park,

Unprecedented, life altering, challenging and uncertainty are words that come to mind when trying to describe and define 2020. The global pandemic, where over 550,000 Americans lost their lives to COVID-19, coupled with civil unrest occurring regionally after the tragic death of George Floyd had challenged the men and women of the Orland Park Police Department like no other. The Department, like everyone else, had to adjust procedures, often times on a daily basis, to safeguard our most valuable asset, our employees, while never wavering in our commitment in our core mission of protecting the lives of the residents, visitors and businesses of Orland Park. Despite the considerable risk of contracting COVID-19, our resilient employees continued to serve the Village of Orland Park with professionalism and dedication day in and day out.

Even without the global pandemic and the civil unrest, the department saw significant change in 2020 with Chief Timothy J. McCarthy retiring after 26 years of honorable service along with five other employees.

The 2020 Annual Report provides a summary of the evidence, despite the ever evolving challenges that were faced throughout the year, that the men and women of the Orland Park Police Department effectively safeguarded the community. Provided below are just a few noteworthy accomplishments of the Orland Park Police Department in 2020, much

more are highlighted throughout the report.

We are very pleased to report that the categories of index crime (murder, sexual assault, robbery, aggravated assault and battery, burglary, theft, motor vehicle theft and arson) which are reported to the FBI dropped again by 29% from 974 index crimes in 2019 to 691 in 2020 which followed a drop of 6% from 2018 to 2019. This is the fourth straight year that we have seen significant decreases in index crime and it is the LOWEST NUMBER OF INDEX CRIMES IN ORLAND PARK IN 26 YEARS since 1994. Much of the reduction in thefts can be directly contributed to the global pandemic, however, the substantial decline of burglaries, while looting and burning was taking place regionally, is attributable to the hard work and diligence of the Department. The number of reported burglaries in 2020 were the lowest in 26 years. Violent crime also fell in 2020, with no reported homicides or rapes when compared with 2019. The only concern was the increased number of attacks on the officers and household members during this turbulent year of quarantine. Furthermore, our clearance rates on the violent crimes that occurred during the year far surpassed the FBI's calculated National and Midwest Clearance averages. As a result of the outstanding proactive work of the men and women of the Department, the Village of Orland Park was named the Safest City in Illinois (https://www.safety.com/ public/places/safest-cities-in-illinois/) in 2020.

In conclusion, I would like to thank all the members of the Department for a job well done. Secondly, a special thank you to all the citizens that sent letters of appreciation, gift cards and bakery goods to the Department throughout the year. These acts of kindness lifted the spirits of the staff while trying to navigate these unchartered waters. Lastly, thank you to our elected officials for your continuous and steadfast support to ensure that the Orland Park Police Department has the resources to address the public safety needs of our beloved community.

Sincerely,

Joseph P. Mitchell 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 23 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 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 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.

The Orland Park Police Department is pleased to report that both the 2020 reported Index Crimes, as well as the crime rate per 1,000 residents, were *the lowest they have been in the last 26 years*.

New this year is a federal grant-funded mental health Mobile Crisis Response Unit (MCRU). The MCRU

consists of mental health professionals from Trinity
Services who co-respond, in person or virtually, with
Orland Park Police Department Crisis Intervention Team
officers to mental health calls throughout the Village.

2020 also was a challenging year. The International Covid-19 pandemic was responsible for the cancellation of many training classes of officers and also of most community-based initiatives. Despite this fact, the department was able to achieve its 2020 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.



### **ADMINISTRATION**

#### **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 manmade disasters by police and ESDA personnel.

# STRATEGIC GOALS

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.

#### STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: QUALITY OF LIFE

#### GOAL NO. 1

NIMS Compliance: Achieve full compliance with the National Incident Management System (NIMS) certification requirements for FY 2020.

#### **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 December 1, 2020.

#### **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**

The end of 4th quarter FY2020

#### **GOAL NO.2**

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 2020.

#### **OBJECTIVE**

Increase by 10% the number of sworn police officers qualified to carry the department issued rifle carbine in FY 2020.

#### **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**

The end of 4th quarter FY2020

#### **ADMINISTRATION & TECHNICAL SERVICES DIVISION**

#### STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT & SERVICE DELIVERY

#### **DEPARTMENT**

- 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 general 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.

#### **GOAL NO. 1**

Develop a formal TCO training program

#### **OBJECTIVE**

Review current training methods and implement a comprehensive training program based on best practices as outlined by the Association of Public-Safety Communication Officials.

#### **PURPOSE**

Increase TCO efficiency and knowledge through enhanced training consistency and prepare for eventual state mandated TCO certification.

#### **COMPLETION DATE**

Fourth Quarter 2020

### PATROL DIVISION

#### STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: QUALITY OF LIFE

#### **DEPARTMENT**

- PATROL DIVISION PATROL UNIT
- BIKE PATROL 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.

#### **GOAL NO. 1**

To dedicate a part-time police officer to assist code enforcement from the period of the second week of January 2020 until the period ending on the day after Thanksgiving.

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To fill the (3) remaining part time positions to (16) to lessen the impact on patrol operations with the above dedicated personnel movement.

#### **PURPOSE**

To ensure crime free housing inspections are completed which will lessen the service volume for patrol operations.

#### **COMPLETION DATE**

Fourth quarter of FY20

#### **INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION**

#### STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: QUALITY OF LIFE

#### **DEPARTMENT**

- 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
- RETAIL CRIMES SPECIALIST
- 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.

#### GOAL NO. 1

Enhance and develop the capabilities of the Computer/Cellular Phone forensic division within the Orland Park Investigation Division.

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide the current Computer/Cellular Phone forensic division with an additional investigator who is trained and knowledgeable in digital forensics.

#### **PURPOSE**

Properly investigate and assist in the prosecution of cases involving digital evidence. Preserve the integrity of the seized digital evidence. Perform forensic analysis of digital evidence in cases where evidence or information pertaining to the investigation may be stored. Provided knowledge and guidance to all officers pertaining to proper collection and safeguarding of evidence in the electronic form.

#### **COMPLETION DATE**

The end of 4th quarter FY2020

#### **ESDA**

#### STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: QUALITY OF LIFE

#### **DIVISION FUNCTIONS**

The function of ESDA is to coordinate emergency management functions within the Village of Orland Park as are prescribed in and by the State Emergency Operations Plan and such programs, orders, rules and regulations as may be promulgated by the Illinois Emergency Management Agency, and in addition, shall conduct such functions outside the corporate limits as may be required pursuant to any mutual aid agreement with any other political subdivision, municipality or quasi-municipality entered into as provided in "The Illinois Emergency management Agency Act" (20ILCS 3305), as amended.

#### **GOAL NO. 1**

To Increase the overall efficiency and effectiveness of the Village of Orland Park ESDA's emergency management functions.

#### **OBJECTIVE**

Increase efforts to recruit new volunteers for ESDA (on-going)

#### **PURPOSE**

To allow the police department to continue in its primary function uninterrupted by increasing the ranks of ESDA by 10% to handle ancillary duties (i.e. traffic control, road closures and power outages).

#### **OBJECTIVE**

Increase member involvement in training offered by the National Weather Service and other Emergency Management Agencies.

#### **PURPOSE**

The number of ESDA members attending National Weather Service sponsored storm spotter training, table top exercises, and other Emergency Management Agencies will increase by 25% to enhance the level of preparedness for Mother Nature and man made related incidents or disasters.

#### **COMPLETION DATE**

Fourth quarter of FY20

# 2020 STATISTICS

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.

### INDEX CRIME OFFENSES

	2019	2020
AGAINST PERSONS:	26	25
Criminal Homicide	1	0
Forcible Rape (Criminal Sexual Assault)	2	0
Robbery	9	7
Aggravated Assault/ Aggravated Battery	14	18
Human Trafficking - Commercial Sex of Involuntary Servitude	0	0
AGAINST PROPERTY:	948	666
Burglary	35	13
Theft	887	625
Motor Vehicle Theft	26	28
Arson	0	0
CRIME INDEX TOTAL	974	691

# INDEX CRIME OFFENSE ANALYSIS (2016-2020)

The Orland Park Police Department makes most of its comparisons based on averages rather than the examination of year-to-year because crime can fluctuate significantly from 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.

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	5 YEAR AVERAGE
AGAINST PERSONS:	25	35	20	26	25	26
Homicide	0	1	1	1	0	1
Forcible Rape (Criminal Sexual Assault)	2	4	1	2	0	2
Robbery	4	7	5	9	7	6
Aggravated Assault/ Aggravated Battery	19	23	13	14	18	17

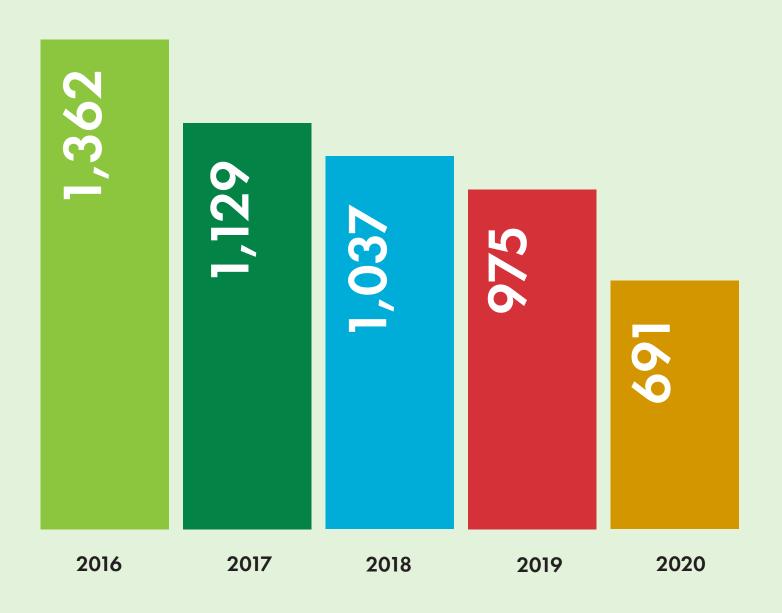
The total number of crimes against person that occurred in Orland Park in 2020 was 3.85% below the 5-year average.



The department experienced an increase in the number of aggravated assaults / aggravated batteries in 2020, but simultaneously had a decrease in the number of homicides, criminal sexual assaults, and robberies.

#### FIVE YEAR WEIGHTED AVERAGE FOR CRIMES

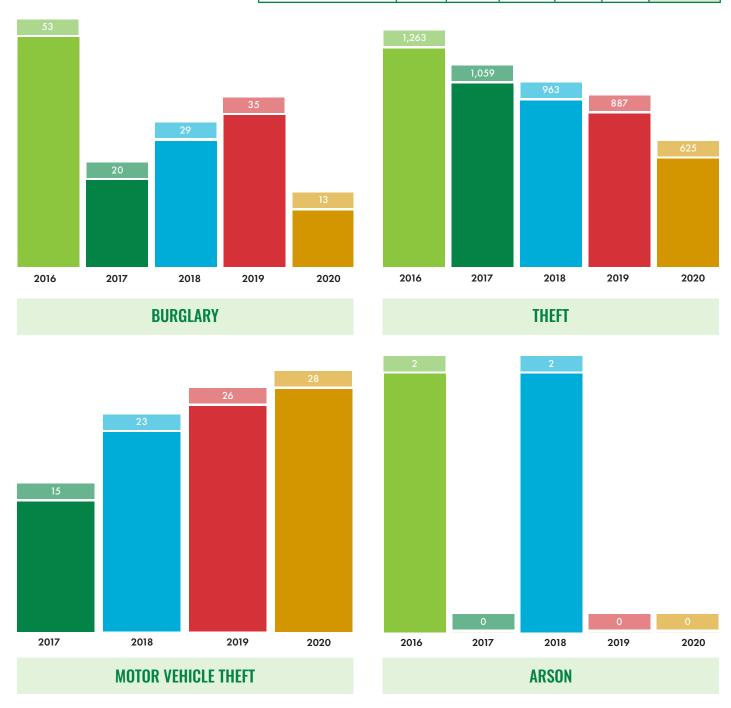
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# INDEX CRIME OFFENSES ANALYSIS (2016-2020)

The department experienced a substantial decrease in the number of thefts in 2020 for the fourth consecutive year. This contributed to a 29% decrease in all property index crimes during 2020 as compared to 2019..

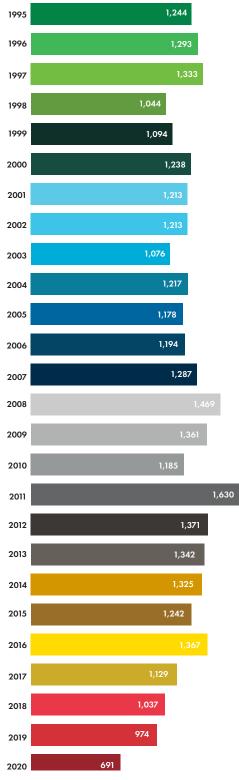
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	5 YEAR AVERAGE
AGAINST PROPERTY	1,337	1,094	1,017	948	666	1012
Burglary	53	20	29	35	13	30
Theft	1,263	1,059	963	887	625	959
Motor Vehicle Theft	19	15	23	26	28	22
Arson	2	0	2	0	0	1



# PERFORMANCE MEASURES

The Orland Park Police Department continues to develop and revise a strategic plan to utilize technology, effective resource allocation, modern equipment, highly trained staff and collaboration with federal, state, county and local law enforcement agencies to prevent and reduce the number of crimes within the Village of Orland Park.

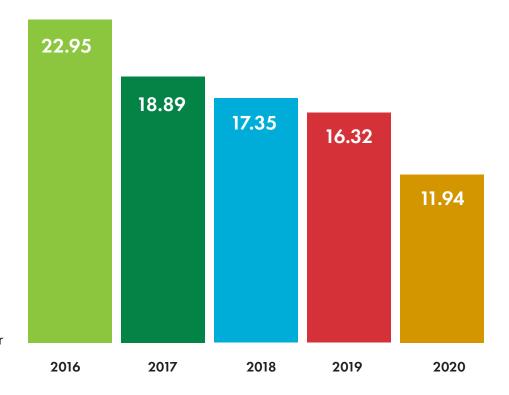
### 25 YEAR REVIEW OF INDEX CRIMES





# CRIME RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION

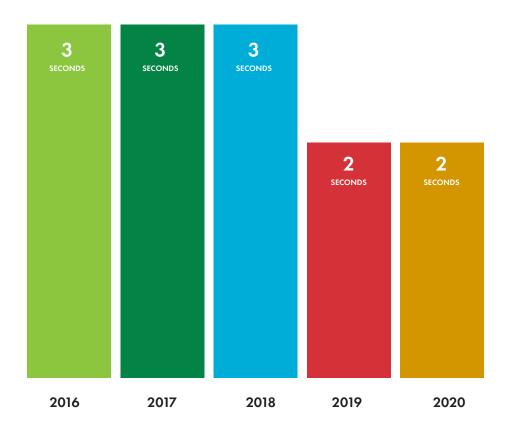
The crime rate indicates the prevalence of crime occurring across a given population. The graph depicts the crime rate based on the reported Crime Index and the projected populations of that given year. The 2020 reported Index Crimes and the crime rate per 1,000 residents is the *lowest in the last 26 years*.





### 911 AVERAGE ANSWER TIME

In 2020, the department answered 20,308 calls from 911, an 8% decrease when compared to 2019 statistics. The average call length was ninety-six seconds (96) seconds.

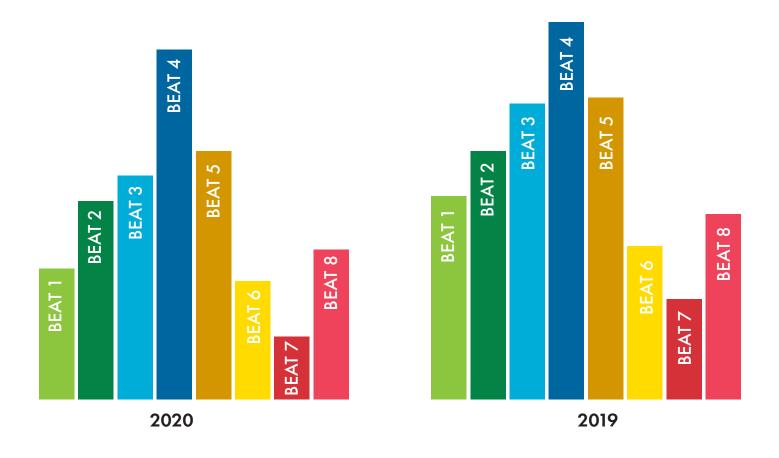


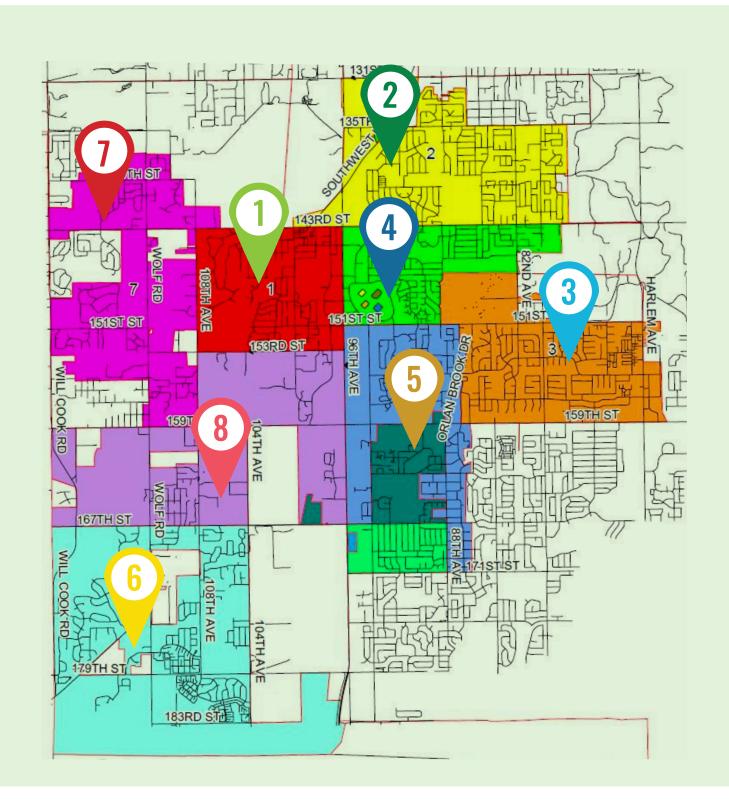


# CRIMINAL OFFENSES BY BEAT

Beat 4, encompassing the Orland Square Mall, continues to be our busiest beat for criminal related offenses while Beat 7, located northwest was the lowest. The number of all reported criminal offenses decreased from 3,140 in 2019 to 2,495 in 2020.

	BEAT 1	BEAT 2	BEAT 3	BEAT 4	BEAT 5	BEAT 6	BEAT 7	BEAT 8	TOTAL
2020	220	334	377	589	418	119	106	252	2495
2019	342	418	498	635	508	258	169	312	3140

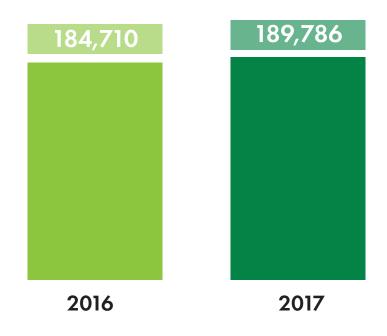




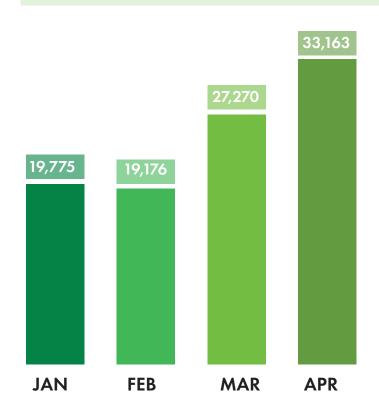
#### **ANNUAL CALLS FOR SERVICE**

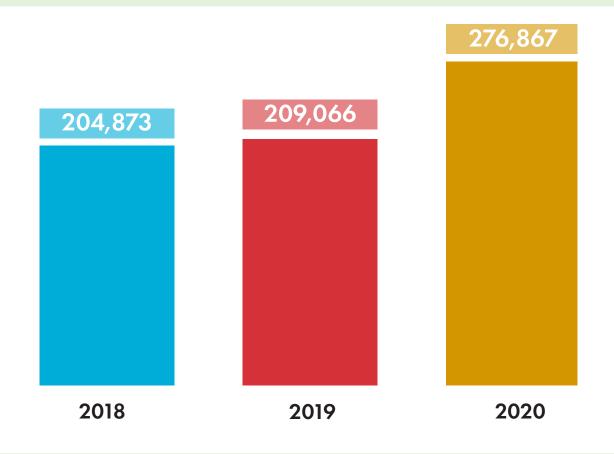
# CALLS FOR SERVICE

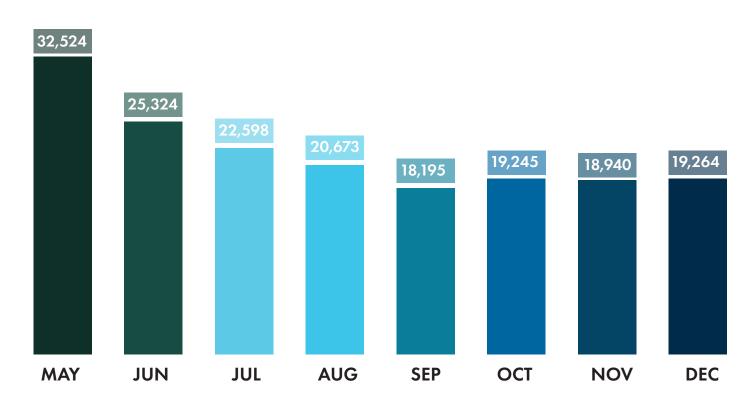
The Orland Park Police Department responded to, or initiated, 32% more calls in 2020 than in 2019 - the most calls for service in its existence. The department responded to or self-initiated an average of 758 calls per day, approximately 32 calls per hour, every day of the year. Tuesdays were the busiest day per week throughout the year with 41,964 calls for service recorded.



#### **MONTHLY CALLS FOR SERVICE**

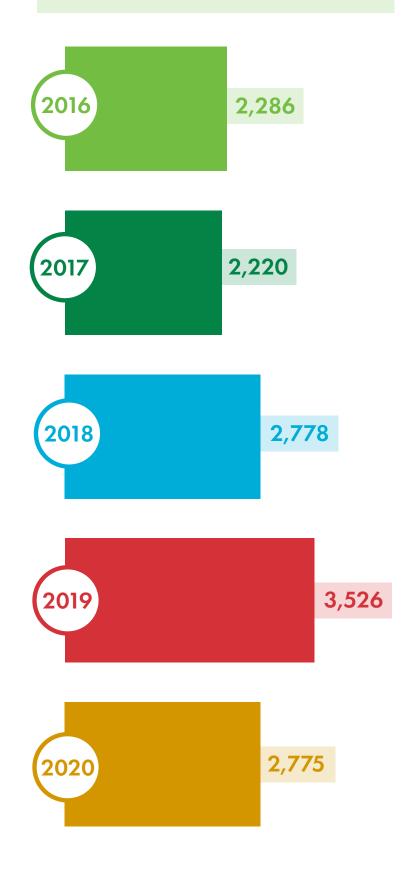






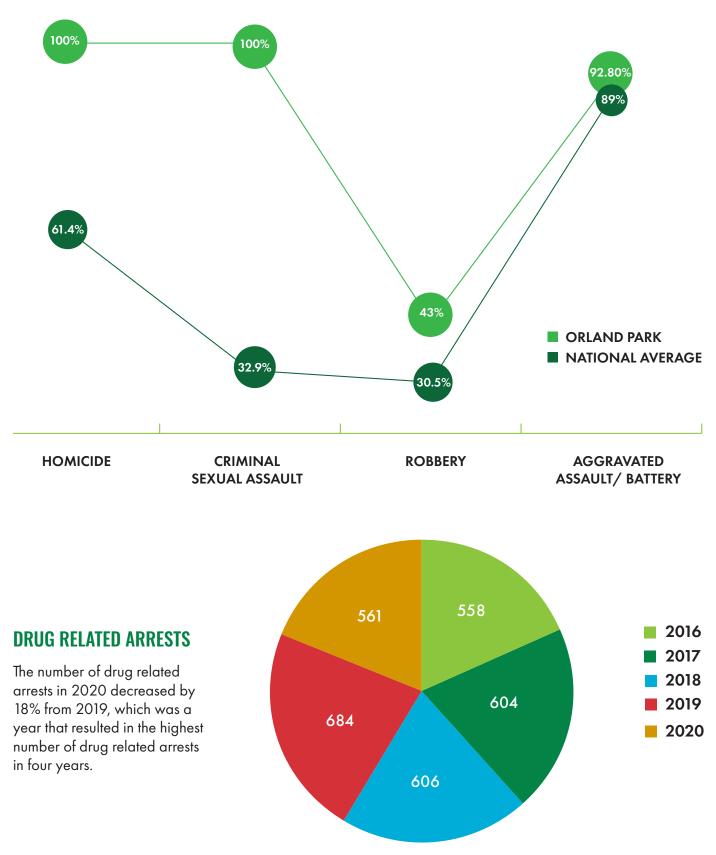
#### **ARREST 5-YEAR SPAN**

# ARREST HISTORY & EXAMINATION



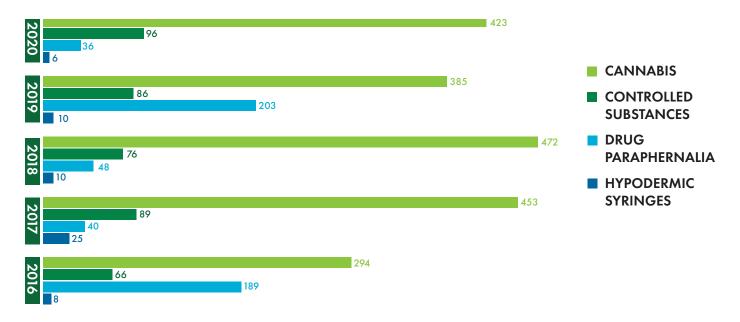
#### PERCENTAGE OF VIOLENT CRIMES CLEARED BY ARREST OR EXCEPTIONAL MEANS

The Orland Park Police Department's clearance rate for all violent crimes categories in 2020 was 76%. This clearance rate exceeds the National clearance rates for all violent crimes categories in 2020, as indicated in the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Uniform Crime Report.



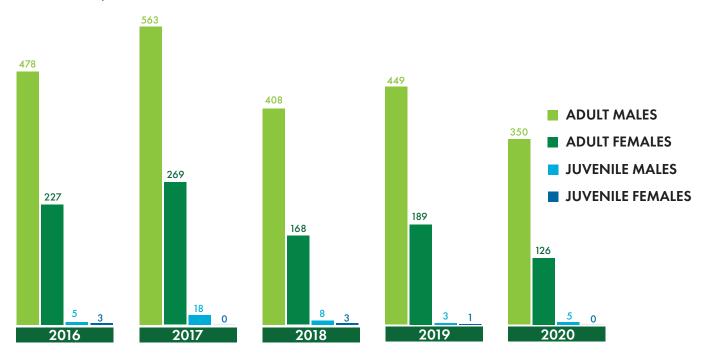
#### DRUG RELATED ARREST - 5 YEAR SPAN

As evidenced below, the number of arrests for unlawful possession of cannabis increased 10% in 2020. The largest change from 2019 was the significant decrease in the number of drug paraphernalia arrests.



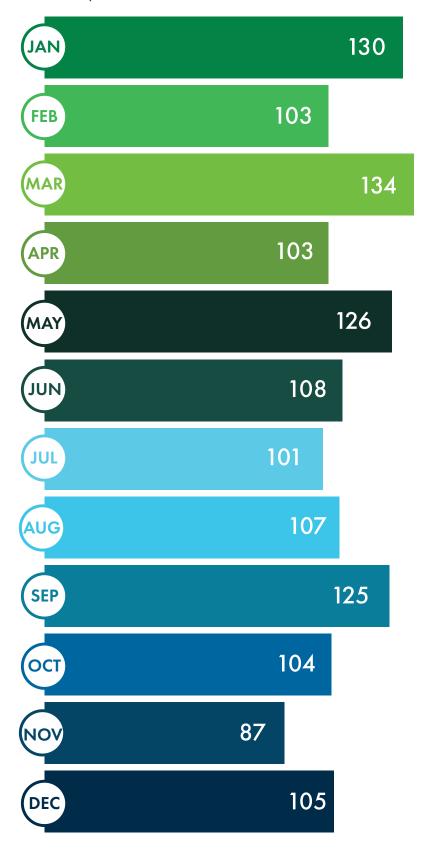
#### HOUSED LOCKUP POPULATION

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, another police department or for bond. In 2020, 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 hours and 9 minutes. The total number of hours prisoners (adult and juvenile) were housed in a cell in lockup was 4,994 hours.



#### NUMBER OF LOCKUP BOOKINGS

The highest concentration of prisoners in lockup was during the first quarter of 2020 (January, February and March) with 367 arrestees booked. In 2020, the detention aides processed 1,463 prisoners, both adult and juvenile, a 5% increase when compared to 2019 statistics.

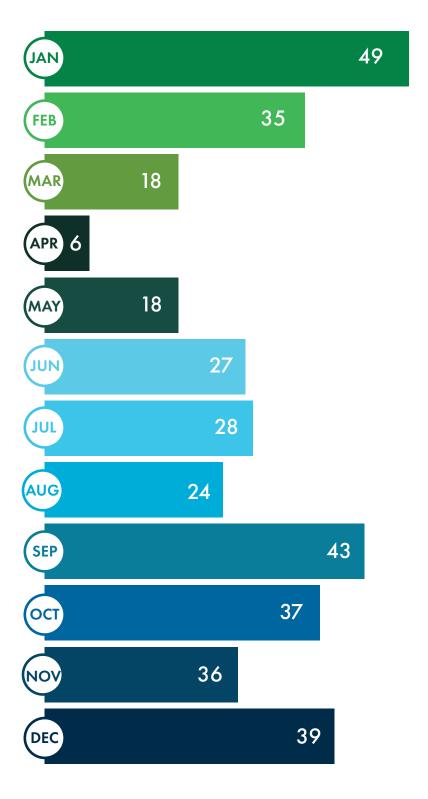


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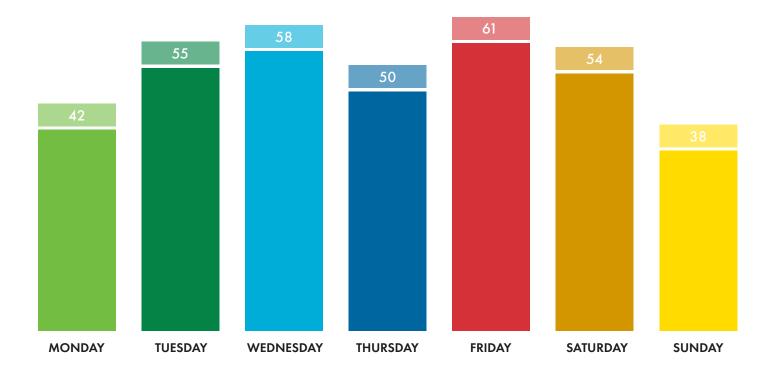
#### **RETAIL THEFT BY MONTH**

Retail thefts continue to be the one of the most prevalent crimes committed in Orland Park. In 2020, the Orland Park Police Department saw the highest concentration of reported retail thefts on Fridays with most retail theft arrests occurring between 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm. January was surprisingly the busiest month for retail theft arrests.

# RETAIL THEFT



#### **RETAIL THEFT BY DAY**

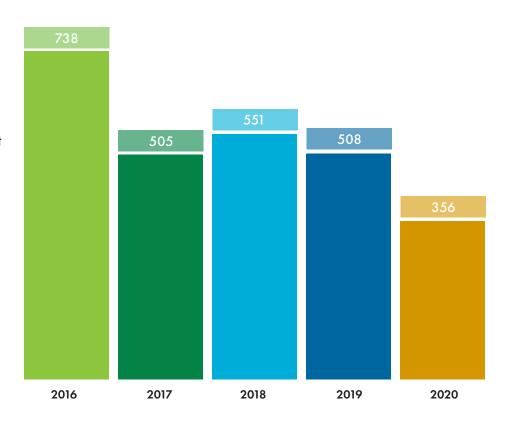


**RETAIL THEFT BY TIME** 

The Orland Park Police Department reported that the highest amount of retail thefts occurred between 3pm - 7pm

#### **RETAIL THEFT - 5 YEAR SPAN**

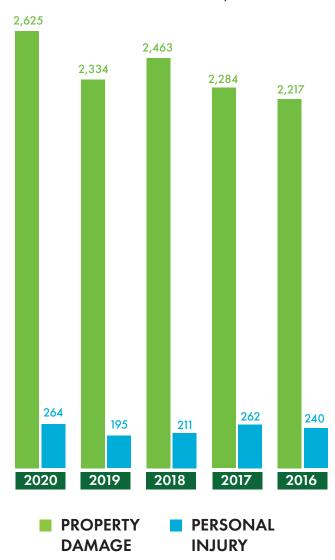
The Orland Park Police Department experienced a 30% decrease in reported retail thefts in 2020 when compared to 2019. This is a direct result of Orland Square Mall and other retail stores within the Village being closed for an extended period of time due to the international Covid-19 pandemic.



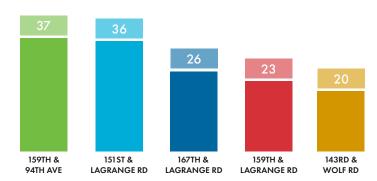
# TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

#### **VEHICLE ACCIDENTS**

In 2020, the Orland Park Police Department investigated 2,883 motor vehicle crashes, an 11% increase from 2019; however the number of personal injury accidents decreased by 2%. The intersection at 159th street and 94th Avenue had the largest number of crashes for the sixth consecutive year.



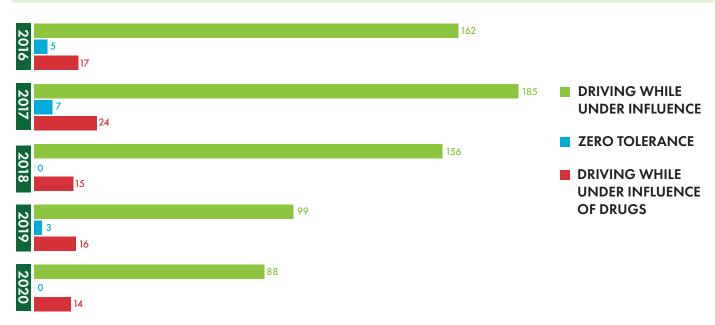
#### INTERSECTION WITH THE MOST ACCIDENTS



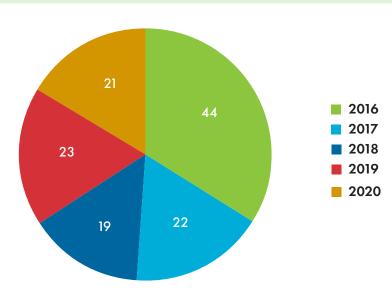
#### **DUI RELATED INCIDENTS**

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	5 YEAR AVERAGE
ZERO TOLERANCE	5	7	0	3	0	4
Driving Under Influence	162	185	156	90	88	148
Driving While Under Influence of Drugs	17	24	15	16	14	18





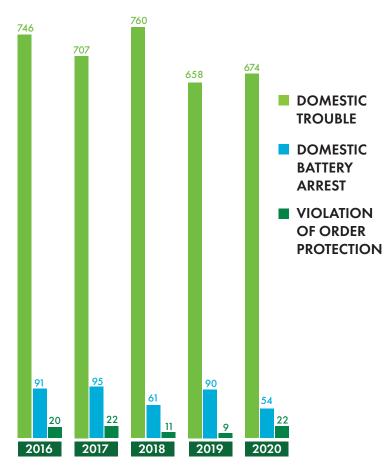
#### **DUI RELATED ACCIDENTS**



# DOMESTIC INCIDENTS

#### **DOMESTIC RELATED CALLS**

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 2020, the Orland Park Police Department responded to 750 domestic related service calls or 2 per day. Although this was only a 1% decrease in the number of calls, when compared to 2019, the number of domestic battery arrests decreased by 40%.



#### **DOMESTIC BATTERY ARRESTS**

JAN	3
FEB	7
MAR	4
APR	5
MAY	8
JUN	8

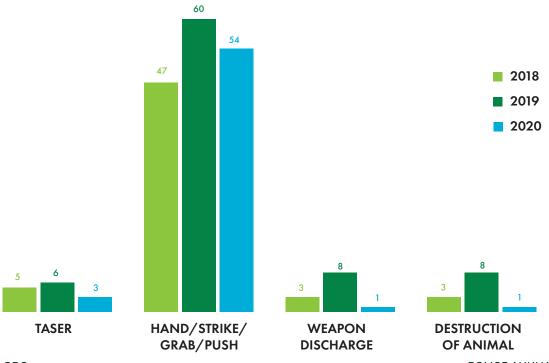
JUL	3
AUG	2
SEP	2
ОСТ	5
NOV	4
DEC	4

#### **USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS - 5 YEAR REVIEW**

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Baton	-	-	-	-	-
Less Lethal	-	-	-	-	-
O.C. Spray	1	-	-	-	-
Taser	4	1	5	6	3
Hand/Strike/Grab/Push	53	48	47	60	54
Use of Deadly Force	-	-	-	-	-
Weapon Discharge*	4	2	3	8	1
Accidental	-	-	-	-	-
Destruction of Animal	4	2	3	8	1
Warning Shots/Prohibited	-	-	-	-	-
Canine Deployment w/ Bite	-	-	-	-	-
Total Arrests	2,286	2,220	2,778	3,526	2,775
*As evidenced above, the discharging of a weapon o	nly occurred	when putting o	down an inju	red and suffer	ing animal.

#### **USE OF FORCE - 3 YEAR SPAN**

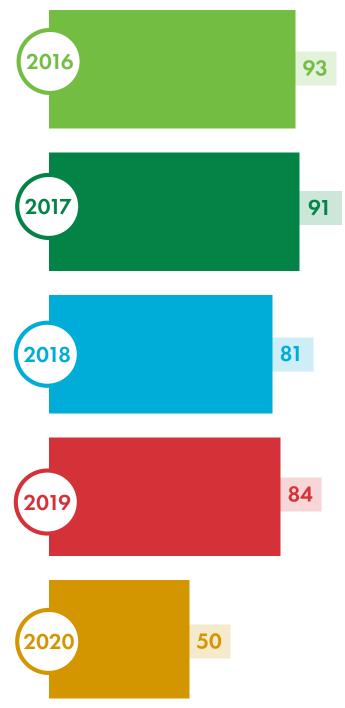
The number of custodial arrests decreased 21% in 2020 from 2019. In 2020, offenders charged with physically resisting an officer's arrest decreased by 5% when compared to 2019 data.



### MENTAL HEALTH

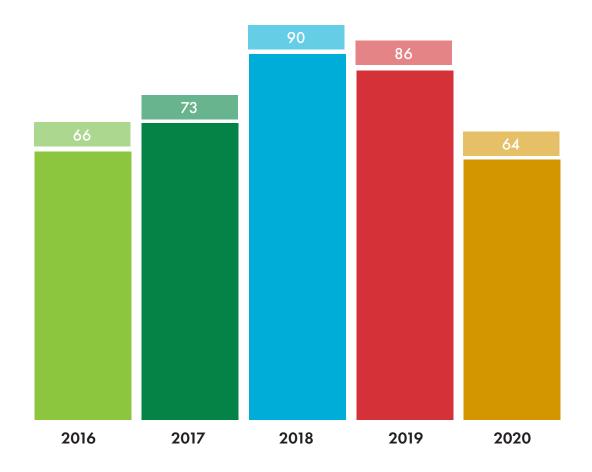
#### **INVOLUNTARY COMMITTALS PERFORMED**

In 2015, the Orland Park Police Department created a twelve (12) member Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) to assist in de-escalating potentially volatile situations where individuals were experiencing a mental health crisis. The OPPD CIT has continued to grow and now consists of thirty (30) state-certified CIT officers and supervisors.



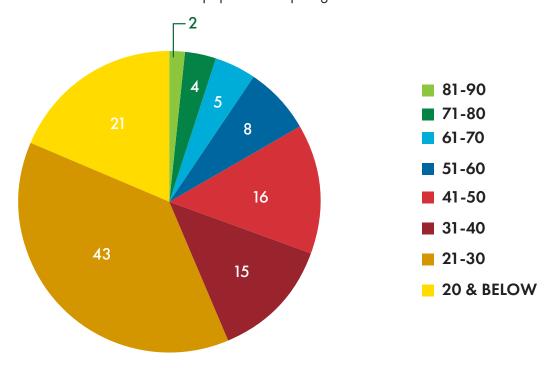
The Crisis Intervention Team has been successful in reducing both the total number of incidents in which subjects are taken for psychiatric evaluation as well as the number of incidents in which they were transported involuntarily.

#### **VOLUNTARY COMMITTALS PERFORMED**



#### **AGE RANGE OF ALL COMMITTALS**

Young adults continue to be the most at risk population requiring mental health intervention in Orland Park.

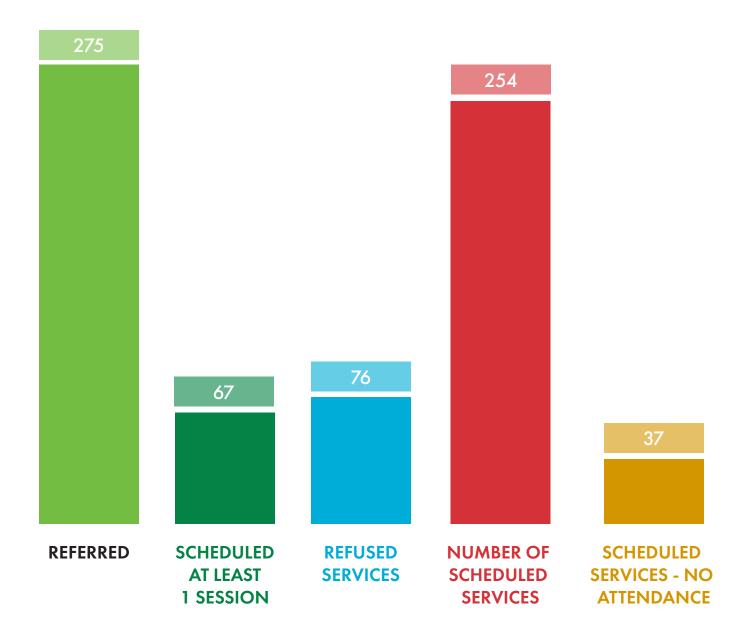


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#### TRINITY SERVICES REFERRALS & TREATMENTS

In 2020, the Orland Park Police Department responded to two hundred thirteen (213) mental health related calls for service. Fifty-seven (57) males and fifty-seven (57) females were transported for a psychiatric evaluation. Of the 114 committals performed, 26% were non-residents and only seven (7) individuals had been committed for a psychiatric evaluation in previous years.

The Village of Orland Park uses Trinity Services to provide counseling services for residents and non-residents who would benefit from their service.



In September of 2019, the Orland Park Police Department was awarded a \$744,039.00 federal grant from the United States Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance.

The three-year grant has allowed the Orland Park Police Department, in partnership with Trinity Services, to develop and implement a Mobile Crisis Response Unit (MCRU). The MCRU is comprised of OPPD Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) police officers and Licensed Mental Health Clinicians from Trinity Services.



**Pictured from L to R:** (Back Row) Lieutenant Troy Siewert, Savannah Stamates, Amanda Kendrick, Amy Citlau, Oscar Yanes, Jen O'Hare, Chief Joseph Mitchell (Front Row) Officer Paul Goewey, Officer Sean Murphy, Officer Kevin Catchings

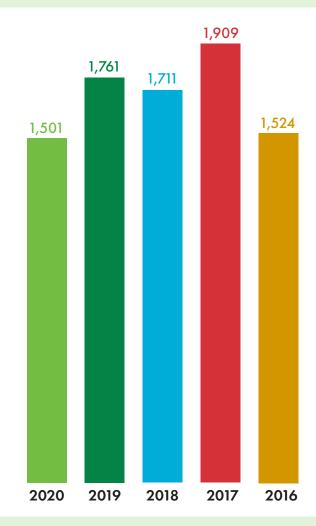
MCRU clinicians co-respond, in person or virtually, with OPPD CIT officers to mental health related calls for service throughout Orland Park twenty-four hours a day, seven days per week.

The MCRU began responding to calls in October, 2020, and already has resulted in a 30% decrease in the number of individuals in crisis who were transported to a hospital emergency room. Individuals were instead connected with treatment providers to assist them with their situation. This decreased the amount of time officers spent on the calls and allowed the officers to resume active patrol of the community more quickly.

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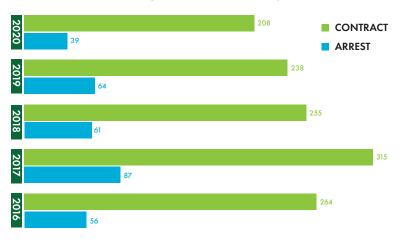
### INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION ACTIVITIES

#### **INVESTIGATIONS CASES ASSIGNED**



#### **JUVENILE INCIDENTS**

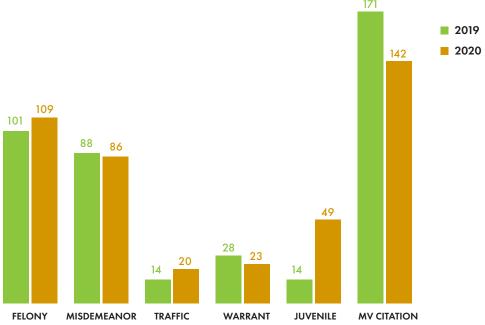
Juvenile related calls for service, resulting in a contact or an arrest, saw a 13% decrease from 2019 and was at the lowest in five years. The D.A.R.E. program reached over 700 students in 2020. This is lower than the number of students reached in 2019 because two schools were unable to participate due to time constraints resulting from the Covid-19 pandemic.



<sup>\*</sup>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.)

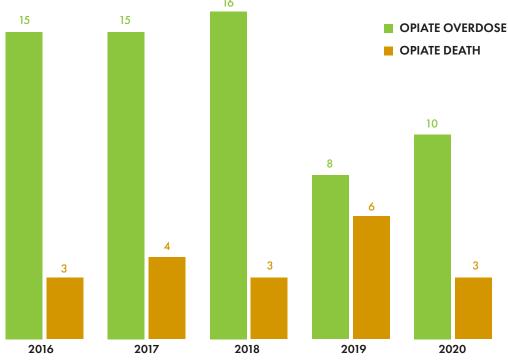
#### TRU ARRESTS

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 proactive measures. The chart below illustrates a breakdown of arrests performed by TRU. In 2020, this highly productive unit seized twenty-one (21) firearms, twenty-four (24) vehicles and over \$37,000 in United States currency. The unit conducted thirty-nine (39) undercover operations, seven (7) search warrants, and assisted other officers and agencies on two hundred twenty-three occasions.



#### **OPIATE CALLS FOR SERVICE**

In 2020, members of the patrol division administered NARCAN to four (4) 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.



## EVIDENCE PROCESSING

#### STREET EVIDENCE TECHNICIANS

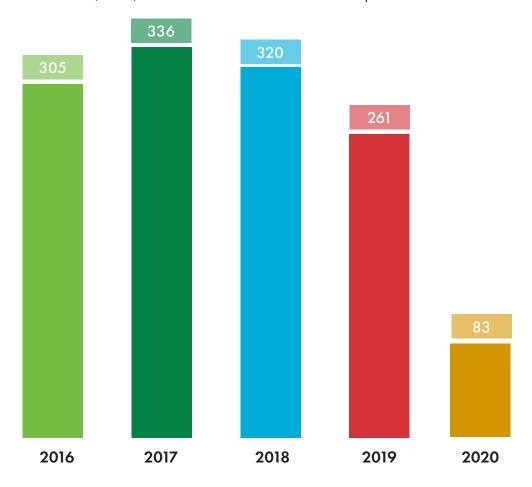
The department has eight highly trained patrol officers that respond to initial crime scenes to collect evidence for all types of crimes. These officers can collect latent fingerprints, trace evidence, ballistic and forensic evidence to help solve crimes and to preserve evidence. Additionally, these officers have cameras and assigned equipment so they can process any scene they're dispatched to and submit their collected evidence to the Illinois State Police Crime Labs.

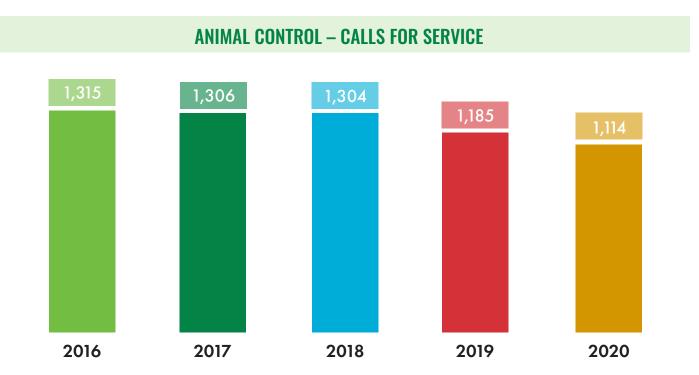
#### **CASE DETECTIVES**

The department has eight highly trained and experienced detectives that oversee and collect evidence for all major crime scenes. These detectives, along with our department's street evidence technicians have several advanced options available to them for processing any crime scene: Submission of collected latent fingerprints to a private lab that can positively identify a suspect typically within 2 to 24 hours; Access to a Reflected Ultraviolet Imaging System (Krimesite Imager) which captures fingerprints from any surface; Access to a CyanoSafe (Superglue) Fuming Chamber that can develop latent fingerprints from most objects. Additionally, access to special particle reagents, alternate light sources, casting materials, specialized powders and DNA collection kits to process any crime scene.

#### **CRIMES SCENES PROCESSED**

The Orland Park Police Department has nine (9) highly skilled and trained patrol officers who respond and process crime scenes for latent, trace, ballistic and forensic evidence to help solve crimes.





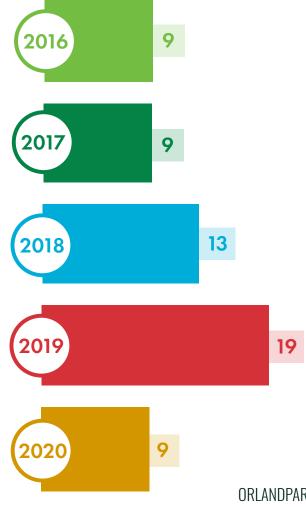
## TASK FORCE OVERVIEW

### SOUTH SUBURBAN MAJOR CRIMES TASK FORCE WEST DIVISION

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 which is divided into an East and West Division and is coordinated by the Illinois State Police and Cook County Sheriff's Department respectively. The task force is made up of 150 investigators from fifty-two (52) South and Southwest suburban communities with a population of over 800,000.

The Orland Park Police Department is a member of the SSMCTF West Division. In 2020, the task force responded to nineteen (19) call outs in the West Division. Orland Park Police Department had a 100% attendance to these call outs.

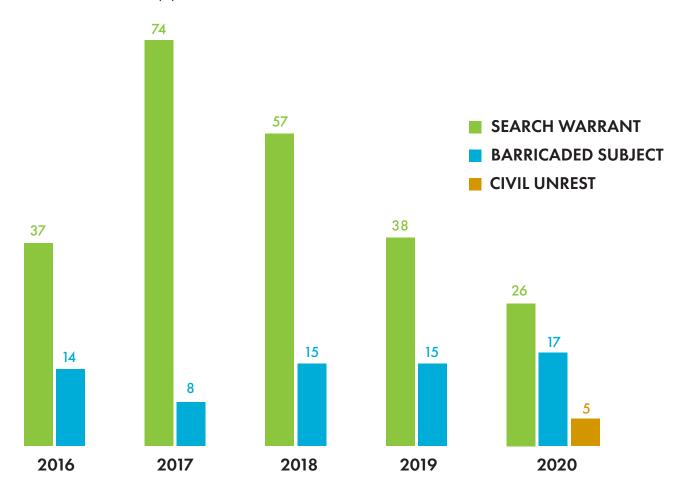


#### SSERT CALL OUTS

The South Suburban Emergency Response Team (SSERT) is a multi-jurisdictional emergency response team comprised of thirty-four (34) 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 (2) full-time sworn officers and two (2) full-time civilian employees assigned to the specialized unit part-time.

In 2020, Orland Park Police Department personnel responded to forty-eight (48) call outs, which included seventeen (17) for emergencies such as hostage or barricaded subjects, twenty-six (26) for the execution of high-risk search warrants and five (5) for civil unrest.



The ILEAS Mobile Field Force (MFF) was created to provide rapid, organized, and disciplined response to civil disorder, crowd control or other tactical situations. The MFF is responsible for assisting with 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 one full-time sworn officer assigned to the specialized unit. In 2020, the Orland Park officer assigned to MMF responded to four (4) call outs.

The Orland Park Police Department has one member assigned to the F.B.I.'s Safe Streets Task Force (SRA-1). In 2020 SRA-1 made fifty-two (52) arrests, executed ninety seven (97) search warrants, recovered sixteen (16) weapons, made twenty eight (28) drug seizures, and recovered seven (7) missing/abducted children.

### CITATIONS ANALYSIS

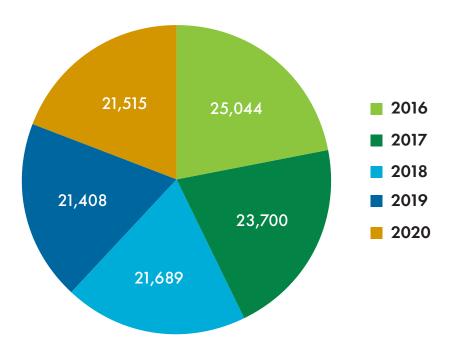
#### **FIVE YEAR CITATION ANAYLSIS**

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 or her particular deficiencies/needs and thus reduce recidivism.

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
IVC Compliance	1,130	1,659	1,536	1,296	6,895
Parking	6,595	3,723	4,229	4,949	2,526
Parking Warning	2,495	2,351	2,160	1,813	1,200
Municipal Violation	1,595	1,939	2,374	1, <i>7</i> 06	1,241
IVC Citation	5,460	<i>5,7</i> 80	4 <i>,7</i> 42	<i>7</i> ,056	906
IVC Warning	7,769	8,248	6,648	4,588	8, <i>7</i> 47
Total Arrests	25,044	23,700	21,689	21,408	21,515

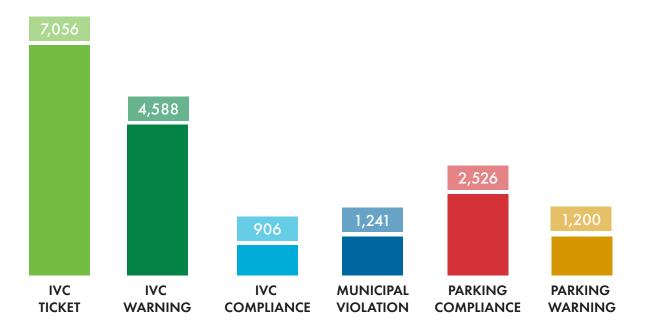
#### **ISSUED CITATIONS - FIVE YEARS**

The number of citations written in 2020 remained consistent with the number of citations written in 2019, with an increase of only one half of one percent (.005).



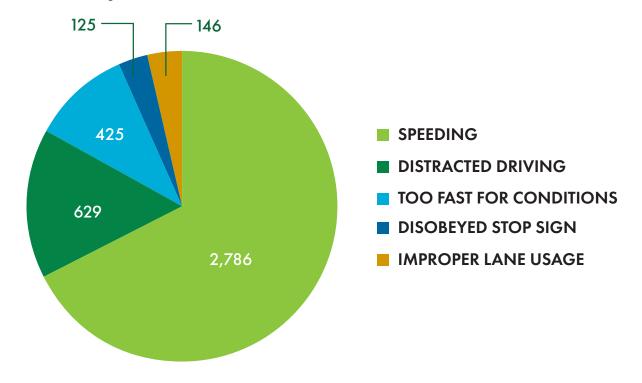
#### **CITATION TYPE ISSUED**

As evidenced in the below graph, Illinois Vehicle Code (IVC) warnings and tickets continue to be the prevailing means to address violations and seek compliance in the village in 2020.



#### **TOP FIVE CITATIONS ISSUED**

The chart below lists the top five officer initiated citations to motorists. Speeding continues to be the leading ticket issued in Orland Park. Distracted driving is another important traffic related issue and citations for that violation were the second leading ticket issued in Orland Park in 2020.

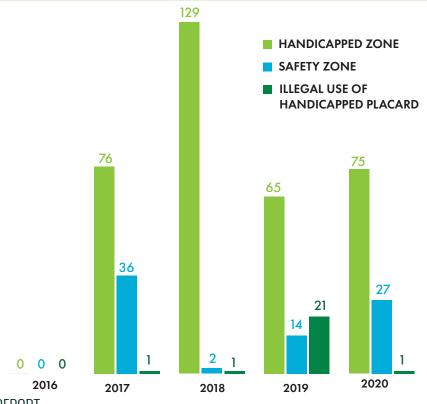


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#### **CITATION ANALYSIS**

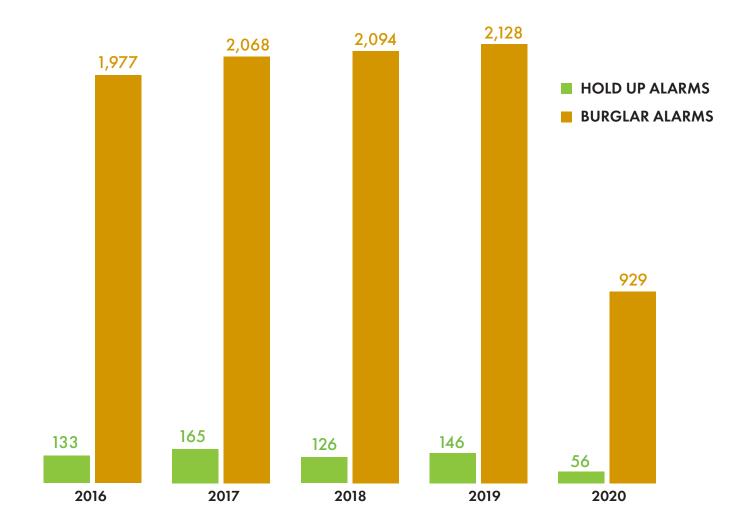
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
HANDICAPPED ZONE	62	<i>7</i> 6	106	65	<i>7</i> 5
Compliance	1	0	1	0	0
Parking	52	56	69	65	<i>7</i> 4
Warning	9	6	36	0	1
SAFETY ZONE	34	36	41	14	27
Compliance	0	1	0	0	0
Parking	34	41	22	14	27
Warning	0	9	19	0	0
ILLEGAL USE OF HANDICAPPED PLACARD	2	1	3	21	1
Compliance	0	0	0	0	0
Parking	2	0	3	11	1
Warning	0	0	0	10	0
TOTAL	98	113	150	100	103

#### HANDICAPPED PARKING CITATIONS



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#### **BURGLAR/ HOLD UP ALARMS**



#### **RED LIGHT CAMERA ENFORCEMENT**

Comparing 2019 to 2020, the department experienced a 7% decrease in the total number of red light citations issued. A new red light camera was installed at the intersection of 159th & 94th Avenue in September 2020 to help increase motorists' compliance with the traffic signal through the issuance of citations. This intersection has been the leading intersection for traffic crashes for several years and the red light camera installation was an effort to mitigate the issue.

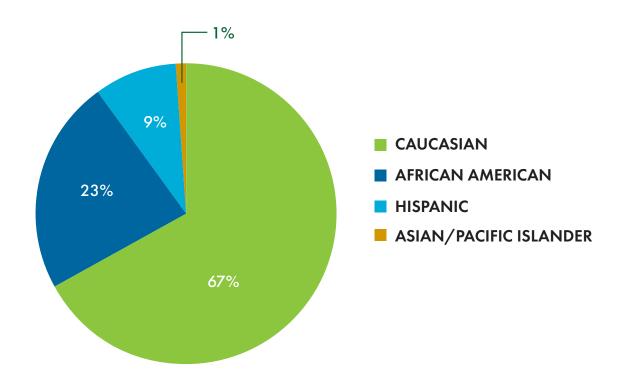
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	TOTAL
151ST ST & HARLEM AVE.	1,485	-	-	902	943	951	4,281
159TH ST. & HARLEM AVE.	2,082	1,579	1,792	1,816	1,074	932	9,275
159TH ST & 94TH AVE.	*	*	*	*	*	90	90

<sup>\*</sup>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 in 2016 and 2017.

# TRAFFIC STOPS

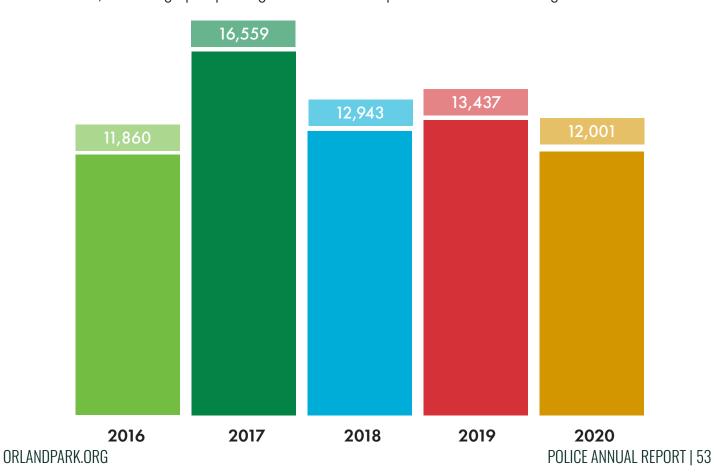


#### **DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILING**



#### **NUMBER OF TRAFFIC STOPS**

In 2020, the demographic profiling data fell within the parameters set for the Village of Orland Park.



### SMALL UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM



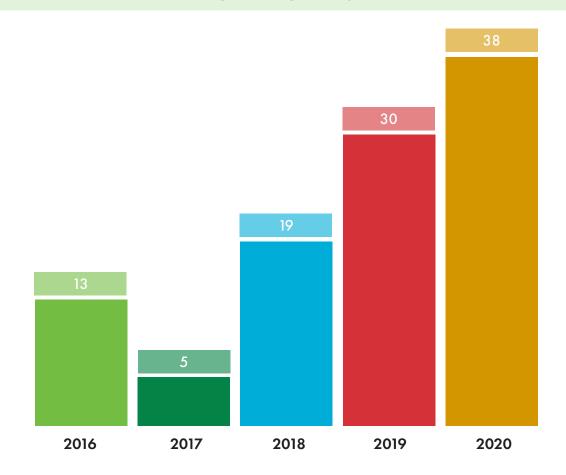
In 2016, The Orland Park Police Department (OPPD) became the first municipal police department in Illinois to receive Federal Aviation Administration (F.A.A.) authorization to operate a small unmanned aircraft system (sUAS) in national airspace for law enforcement operations.

The Department now has fifteen (15) F.A.A. licensed sUAS pilots who work all shifts and are capable of flying the drones at any time, day or night.

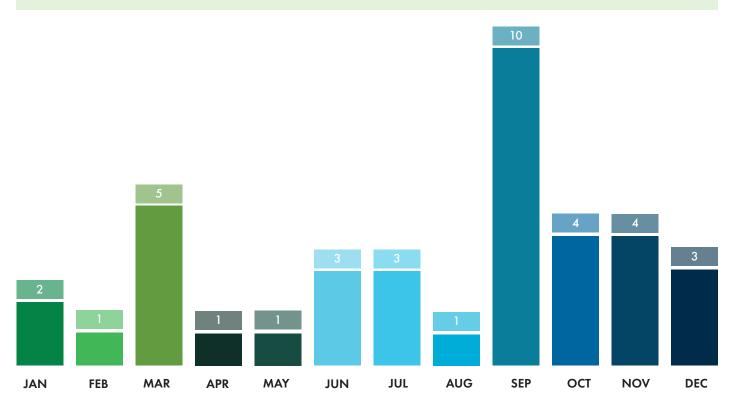
In 2020, these operators gave a virtual presentation to a national audience, about the OPPD sUAS program, at the request of the F.A.A.

The OPPD had (38) drone deployments in 2020 which reflects a twenty-seven (27) percent increase from 2019. In these deployments, OPPD sUAS operators located a suicidal subject, a driver who fled a hit and run vehicle crash, and a missing two year-old child. They also assisted other agencies in locating fleeing suspects and one call in which a subject was armed with an AR-15 rifle in a stolen vehicle.

#### **DRONE DEPLOYMENTS BY YEAR**



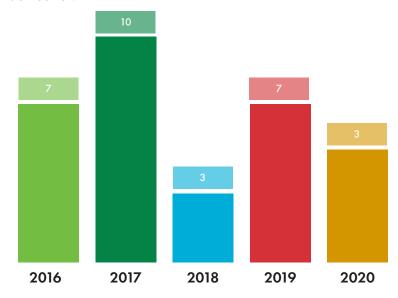
#### **DRONE DEPLOYMENTS BY MONTH**



### CITIZEN COMPLAINTS

#### SUSTAINED CITIZEN COMPLAINTS

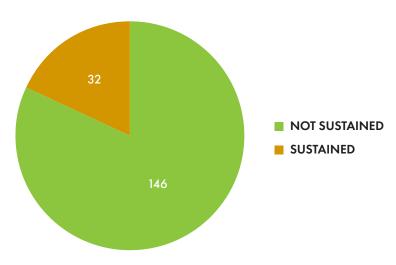
In 2020, the sustained Citizen Complaint rate was 17.8% which is lower than it was in 2019 and which falls within the national standards for sustained complaints against law enforcement. The sustained complaints were a result of either a policy violation or based on the officer's attitude or demeanor.



#### **CITIZEN COMPLAINTS DISPOSITIONS - 5 YEAR SPAN**

As evidenced below in the Citizen Complaints Dispositions, 18% of all complaints against members of the Orland Park Police Department were sustained over the last five years none of which were allegations of racial profiling, criminal misconduct or excessive use of force.

The Orland Park Police Department responded to 276,867 calls for service in 2020 and sustained five (5) citizen complaints. This computes to one sustained complaint for every 55,373 citizen contacts.

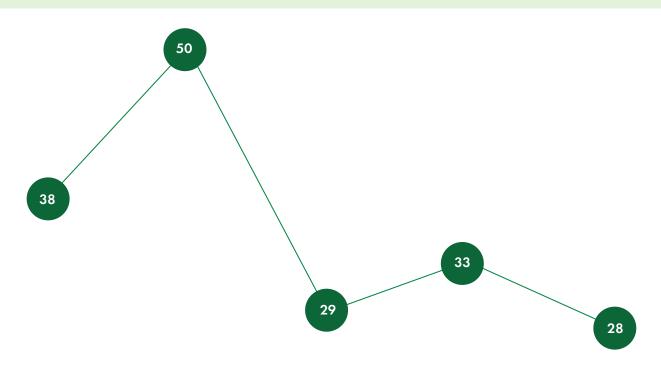


#### **CITIZEN COMPLAINTS - 5 YEAR SPAN**

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	5 YEAR Total	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Demeanor	13	26	15	11	16	81	16
Policy Violation	20	17	6	16	12	<i>7</i> 1	14
Racial Profiling	0	1	1	0	2	4	1
Criminal Misconduct	2	0	2	2	0	6	1
Excessive Use of Force	0	0	2	0	0	2	0
Other	3	6	2	3	2	16	3
Sustained	7	10	3	7	5	32	6
Total Complaints	38	50	29	33	28	1 <i>7</i> 8	36

<sup>\*</sup> The number of complaint categories may be greater than the number of actual complaints because in certain situations, the complainant may have alleged more than one violation.

#### **CITIZEN COMPLAINTS - 5 YEAR SPAN**



2016	2017	2018	2019	2020

#### **OFFICER OF THE YEAR**



**OFFICER JACLYN PRIEDE** 

#### **CIVILIAN OF THE YEAR**



MICHAEL FLANNERY

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**AWARDS &** 

COMMENDATIONS

#### LIFE SAVING AWARD

#### **EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE AWARD**

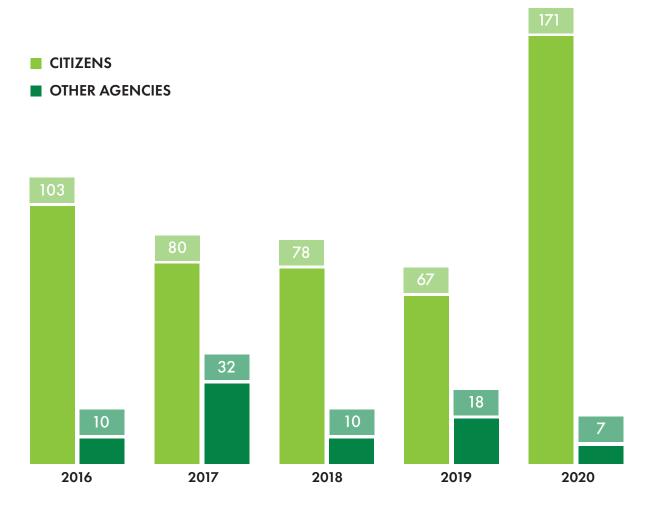
OFFICER DAVID HANSEN, OFFICER KERRY KELLY-VALAN, OFFICER TYLER LOREK, OFFICER CHRISTOPHER PRATL, AND OFFICER CARLA WILSON OFFICER TYLER LOREK, INVESTIGATOR SCOTT PRIETO, AND OFFICER GORDON PRZISLICKI

#### **ALLIANCE AGAINST INTOXICATED MOTORIST AWARD**

OFFICER NICKOLAS EYER, OFFICER DENNIS LEUVER, OFFICER TYLER LOREK, OFFICER TIMOTHY O' CONNELL, OFFICER NATHAN O' CONNOR, AND OFFICER CHRISTOPHER PRATL

#### **LETTERS OF APPRECIATION**

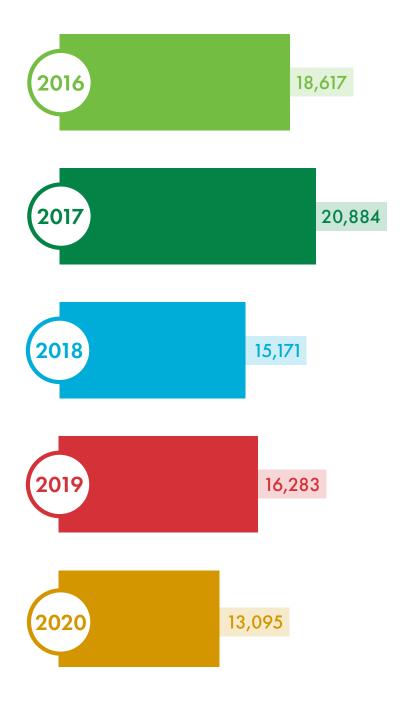
In 2020, the Orland Park Police Department received a record number of letters of appreciation from citizens and from entities in both the public (federal, state and local) and private sectors. The graph below illustrates the number of officers and civilian employees recognized for outstanding performance and dedication to the public.



#### **ANNUAL EMPLOYEE TRAINING HOURS**

The Orland Park Police Department is committed to having a professional and highly trained work force that serves the community effectively and efficiently. Despite the numerous challenges brought on by the international Covid-19 pandemic, the Orland Park Police Department only had a 20% decrease in the number of training hours for all employees in 2020.

# EMPLOYEE TRAINING

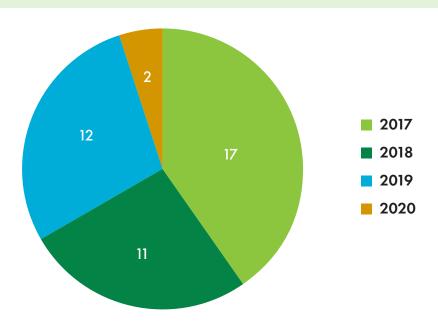


#### FIELD TRAINING PROGRAM

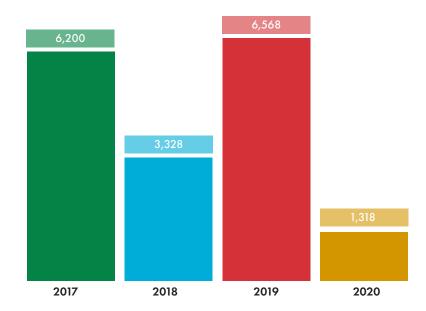
The Orland Park Police Department Field Training and Evaluation Program is the continued selection process that combines field training with objective evaluations to ensure the probationary patrol officer meet the standards of a solo police officer. The information and instruction provided throughout the program is intended to supplement the knowledge the probationary patrol officer obtained during academy training and prepare him or her for the in-field application of that knowledge.

The Orland Park Police Department's Field Training and Evaluation Program consist of one (1) program coordinator, three (3) supervisors and eight (8) field training officers. In 2020, two (2) probationary officers were enrolled in the sixteen (16) week program.

#### NUMBER OF PROBATIONARY OFFICERS



#### TRAINING HOURS OF PROBATIONARY OFFICERS



### CRIME RISK

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 83 (17% 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.

The Orland Square Mall is consistently one of the safest in-door malls in the Chicagoland area.

#### **MAX-6 SCORING METHODOLOGY: SUMMARY**



THIS SITE'S 2020 NATIONAL CAP INDEX SCORE:

83

#### **ORLAND SQUARE MALL**

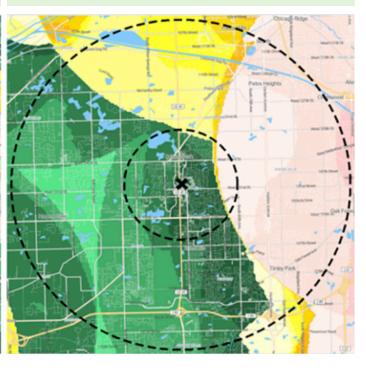
288 ORLAND SQUARE DR., ORLAND PARK, IL 60462

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CRIMECAST Scores are based on a scale from 0 to 2000, with 0 representing the lowest risk and 2000 he highest - 100 is average. A score of 83 is below the national average.

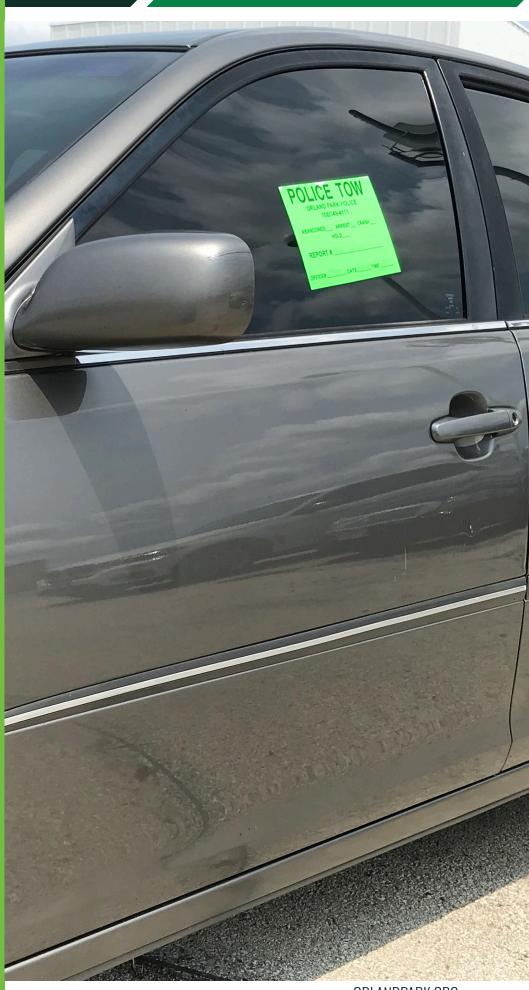
#### **CRIMECAST SITE MAP**

#### **CRIMECAST HEAT MAP**



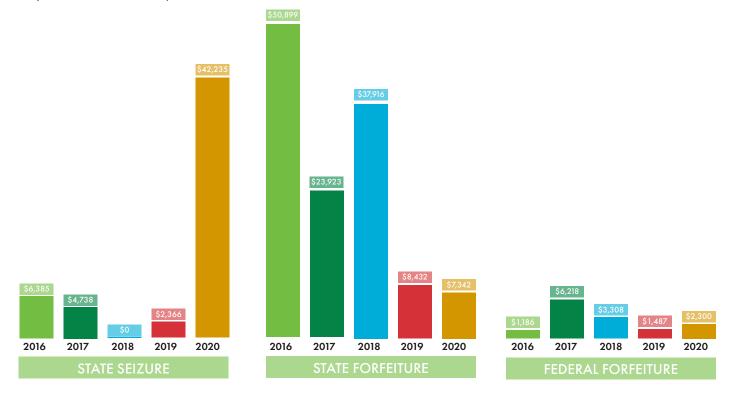
	SCORE		SCORE		SCORE
CAP INDEX	83	CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS	<i>7</i> 1	CAP INDEX SCORE	
Homicide	<i>7</i> 0	Burglary	101	Past –2010	77
Rape	<i>7</i> 8	Larceny	156	Current – 2020	83
Robbery	85	Motor Vehicle Theft	91	Projected – 2025	<i>7</i> 1
Aggravated Assault	<i>7</i> 5	CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY	137		

# VEHICLE & CURRENCY SEIZURES



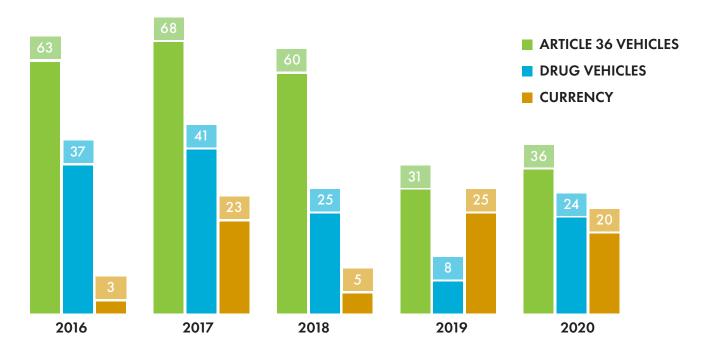
#### **VEHICLE & CURRENCY SEIZURES**

The amount of federal forfeitures increased a dramatic fifty-five percent (55%) in 2020 while the state forfeitures only decreased thirteen percent (13%) from 2019.



#### **STATE SEIZURES**

The amount of state seizures made by the Orland Park Police Department in 2020 was the highest it has been in five years.

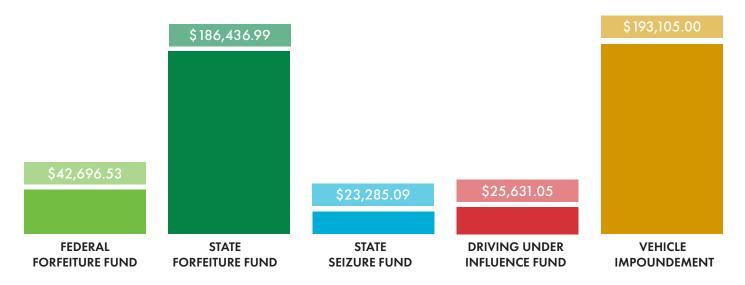


# 2020 FINES & REVENUES

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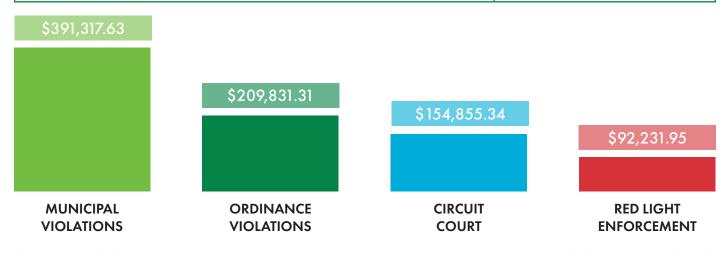
#### **2020 REVENUES**

	AMOUNT
Federal Forfeiture Fund	\$42,696.53
State Forfeiture Fund	\$186,436.99
State Seizure Fund	\$23,285.09
Driving Under Influence Fund	\$25,631.05
Vehicle Impoundement Fund	\$193,105.00



#### **2020 FINES**

	AMOUNT
Municipal Violations	\$391,317.63
Ordinance Violations	\$209,831.31
Circuit Court	\$154,855.34
Red Light Enforcement	\$92,231.95



# SCHOOL SECURITY

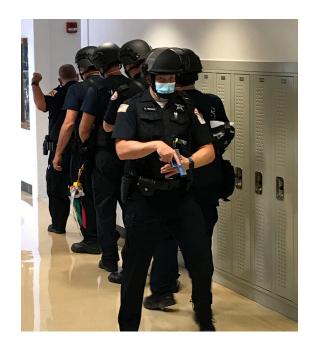
The Orland Park Police Department continues to enjoy a strong partnership, dedicated to school safety, with all of the schools located within the Village of Orland Park. This partnership includes ten schools in District 135, Carl Sandburg High School, Saint Michael School, Kruse Education Center, and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

The department has three (3) dedicated School Resource Officers (SROs) that meet regularly with school officials to share safety-related information.

Despite the ongoing pandemic, the Orland Park Police Department still participated in nine (9) lock down drills at the local schools in 2020.

As part of a continual commitment to school safety, the department held a multi-agency training day with Orland Fire Protection District and Palos Fire Protection District at Carl Sandburg High School in 2020. All three agencies practiced a coordinated Rescue Task Force response to an active shooter situation within the school.

#### **RESCUE TASK FORCE**













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# CRIME FREE RENTAL HOUSING PROGRAM





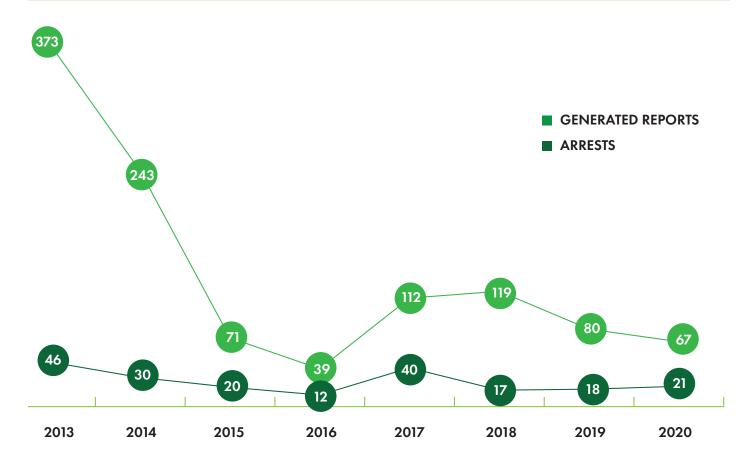
#### CRIME FREE RENTAL HOUSING PROGRAM

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.

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. The anticipated benefits have been realized through an overall reduction of calls for service and arrests occurring on rental properties throughout the Village.

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Registered Properties	961	1,012	1,041	1,061	1,115
Calls For Service	13 <i>7</i>	546	340	264	226
Generated Reports	39	112	119	80	67
Arrests	12	40	17	18	21

#### **CRIME FREE RENTAL HOUSING PROGRAM**



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# **ESDA**EMERGENCY SERVICES & DISASTER AGENCY

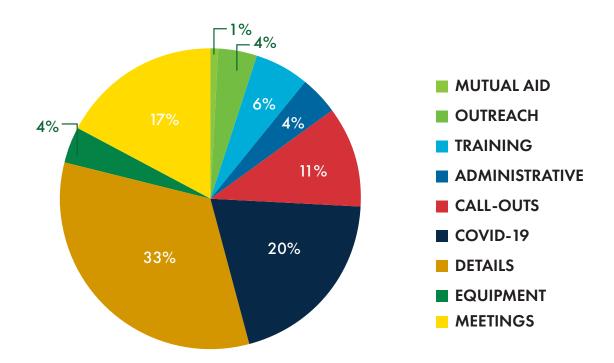




The Orland Park Emergency Services & Disaster Agency is comprised of volunteer officers. ESDA serves the Village of Orland Park and surrounding communities through Mutual Aid support. The organization is deployed for emergency and non-emergency situations. This community-based organization trains all officers in many areas of emergency services and disaster mitigation and relief. Orland Park ESDA members bring their dedication to the organization to serve the community in times of need.

Orland Park ESDA members logged a total of 2,632.75 volunteer hours in 2020 which equates to 73% percent increase when compared to 2019. ESDA members were an invaluable asset in responding to the effects of the Covid-19 pandemic. They volunteered a total of 540.25 hours assisting with pandemic-related incidents. In August, 2020, Orland Park ESDA staff assisted Will County Sheriff's Police in the search for a missing person.

#### **2020 ACTIVITY**



#### **2020 ESDA TRAININGS**

- Counterintelligence Training
- Stop the Bleed Training
- Pipeline Safety Meetings
- National Weather Service Outdoor Event Workshop
- Ground Search and Rescue Training
- National Weather Service Weather Spotter Train the Trainer Training
- National Weather Service Weather Spotter Training
- National Weather Service Weather Watcher Webinar
- American Red Cross CPR/AED Training



# DEA DRUG 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 2020, the Orland Park Police Department collected over 570 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 well over three tons (approximately 7,000 lbs.) of unwanted, unused 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.

#### 2020 NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE BACK DAY







# TEEN CITIZEN'S POLICE ACADEMY

In 2020, the Orland Park Police Department held its Fifth Teen Citizen's Police Academy. Sixteen (16) local teenagers participated in the two day, sixteen hour course. The training concluded with the teens measuring their judgment, timing and accuracy in a Use of Force simulator.







#### **6TH ANNUAL TEEN CITIZEN'S POLICE ACADEMY**











#### **CAR WASH**

## 2020 COMMUNITY OUTREACH











#### **TOYS FOR TOTS DRIVE**







#### **SPECIAL OLYMPICS FUNDRAISERS – BIKE RIDE**













## 2020 NOTEWORTHY INVESTIGATIONS

#### **INVESTIGATION – 1**

#### SUSPECT INDICTED ON FIVE FELONY COUNTS

In September, Orland Park Police responded to a call in reference to an Armed Robbery. Officers learned that as the victim exited the business, he was confronted by two suspects, one of which displayed a firearm. The suspects demanded car keys and searched the victim, stealing cash and a cell phone from his pockets. The suspects were unable to start the victim's vehicle and fled eastbound on 143rd Street in the vehicle they arrived in, which was previously reported stolen. During the initial investigation it was determined that the same suspect and vehicle was involved in an Armed Vehicular Hijacking in New Lenox as well an Armed Vehicular Hijacking in Mokena. The Orland Park Police worked in conjunction with the New Lenox Police, Mokena Police and the ATF. The suspect was located in Gary Indiana and arrested, where they awaited extradition back to Illinois. Investigators from the Orland Park Police Department were granted the following charges through the Grand Jury of Cook County:

CHARGES	
Armed Robbery	Class X Felony
Attempted Vehicular Hijacking	Class 1 Felony
Possession of Stolen Motor Vehicle	Class 2 Felony
Unlawful Use of Weapon by a Felon	Class 3 Felony
Theft	Class 4 Felony

#### **INVESTIGATION - 2**

#### ORLAND PARK RESIDENTAL RUSE BURGLARY ARREST

In April, Orland Park Police responded to a report of a ruse-type burglary that had just occurred. Orland Park Police Officers and Detectives arrived on the scene and met with the elderly victims. We were informed that 3 individuals entered the home under the guise of doing plumbing work on a neighbor's home to gain access to the victim's house. Once the offenders were in the home, they attempted to conceal their intentions by distracting the victim and moving them to different areas of the home. The victim realized their true intent, confronted the offenders and they all fled the scene. Information was gathered which led to the identification of one offender who turned themselves into the Orland Park Police Department.

CHARGES	
Residental Burglary	Class 1 Felony

#### **INVESTIGATION – 3**

## MAN ARRESTED FOR SMASHING INTO SQUAD CARS DURING ESCAPE

In December, the Orland Park Police located a suspect committing car burglaries in the Village. The suspect was wanted by Frankfort Police Department for Burglary and Palos Hill Police Department for Domestic Battery. The Orland Park Police coordinated an effort to take the suspect into custody. The suspect did not comply with officers and crashed his vehicle into two squad cars and one parked vehicle in order to flee the scene. They eluded capture and a warrant was obtained for his arrest. The Orland Park Police Detectives were able to locate the suspect hiding out in an apartment and the suspect was taken into custody.

CHARGES	
Aggravated Assault	Class 4 Felony
2 Counts of Criminal Damage to State Supported Property	Class 3 Felony
Aggravated Fleeing & Eluding	Class 4 Felony
Reckless Driving	Class A Misdemeanor
Leaving the Scene of a Property Damage Accident	Class A Misdemeanor

#### **INVESTIGATION - 4**

## ORLAND PARK COMMERICAL BURGLARY ARREST

In May, Orland Park Police officers observed approximately 12 individuals outside of a jewelry store located in Orland Park. The individuals shattered the glass front door and entered the place of business. As officers approached, the majority of offenders fled in two vehicles and two offenders fled on foot. Orland Park Police officers captured the two offenders, a juvenile and an adult male after a brief foot chase. Officers attempted to locate the vehicles involved, but were unable to locate after they fled the area. Officers and Detectives arrived on scene for investigation and it was determined that after the glass was shattered the offenders entered the business and begin to smash glass cabinets, the offender removed jewelry and other items from in the business. We are unable to provide an exact account of what was taken at this time. This is still an active investigation and we are attempting to identify the other offenders.

CHARGES	
Burglary	Class 2 Felony

# 2020 EMPLOYEE OVERVIEW

#### **2020 PROMOTIONS**

Chief Joseph P. Mitchell Lieutenant Richard Stoettner Sergeant James Grimmett Sergeant George Svetkovich Sergeant Richard Whalen Sergeant William Fitzgibbon Sgt. John Swendsen

#### **2020 NEW EMPLOYEES**

Officer Tyler Lindgren
Officer Ryan Barth
Officer Jason Enguita
Part Time Officer Duane Gordon
Part Time Officer Warren Sekula
Part Time Officer John Creely
Part Time Officer Matthew McKee
Part Time Officer Adnan Saleh
TCO Brian Maro

TCO Amy Goldsmith
Detention Aide Nolan MacMillen
Detention Aide Hayley Oswald
Detention Aide Matthew Chakinis
CSO John Lewis
CSO Malik Shaikh-Ali
CSO Morgan Hill

CSO Luke Medina

CSO Daniel Schane

#### **2020 ESDA NEW EMPLOYEES**

Andrea Turner Ryan Collins Eric Vates

#### **2020 RETIREMENTS**

Chief Timothy J. McCarthy
Sergeant Donald Hartsock
Officer Warren Sekula
Administrative Assistant Cathy VanWagner
Support Services Assistant Manager Maggie Miller
TCO Claudine Dumas-Veard

#### 2020 RETIREMENT – TIMOTHY J. MCCARTHY

#### THE 2020 ORLAND PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT'S ANNUAL REPORT IS DEDICATED TO:



TIMOTHY J. MCCARTHY

ORLAND PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT CHIEF OF POLICE 1994-2020

