Crime in the City of Milwaukee

Milwaukee Fire & Police Commission

Milwaukee Common Council

Milwaukee Police Department

Chief Alfonso Morales

Full Year Part 1 Crime

Offense	2017	2018	2017-2018 % Change
Homicide	119	99	-17%
Rape	446	502	13%
Robbery	2,951	2,319	-21%
Aggravated Assault	6,097	5,792	-5%
Burglary	5,718	4,425	-23%
Auto Theft	5,449	4,660	-14%
Theft	10,559	8,444	-20%
Arson	315	262	-17%
Violent Crime	**9,613**	**8,712**	**-9%**
Property Crime	**22,041**	**17,791**	**-19%**
Total	**31,654**	**26,503**	**-16%**

Homicide data obtained from the OMAP Homicide database and counts victims for the time period of January 1 – December 31, 2017-2018.
Rape and Aggravated Assault data obtained from the OMAP Daily Crime and Service (DCS) database and counts victims. Rape is categorized according to the updated FBI definition (11A, 11B, and 11C).
Robbery, Burglary, Motor Vehicle Theft, Theft, and Arson data obtained from the OMAP DCS database and counts incidents for the time period of January 1 – December 31, 2017-2018.

Year-to-Date Part 1 Crime

Offense	2017	2018	2019	2017-2019 % Change	2018-2019 % Change
Homicide	39	44	30	-23%	-32%
Rape	191	214	192	1%	-10%
Robbery	1,118	894	648	-42%	-28%
Aggravated Assault	2,359	2,399	2,052	-13%	-14%
Burglary	2,249	1,627	1,164	-48%	-28%
Auto Theft	1,991	1,964	1,230	-38%	-37%
Theft	3,951	3,283	2,698	-32%	-18%
Arson	100	81	64	-36%	-21%
Violent Crime	**3,707**	**3,551**	**2,922**	**-21%**	**-18%**
Property Crime	**8,291**	**6,955**	**5,156**	**-38%**	**-26%**
Total	**11,998**	**10,506**	**8,078**	**-33%**	**-23%**

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Homicide & Non-Fatal Shootings

## Homicide and Non-Fatal Shootings (January 01 - May 31, 2017 - 2019)

Homicide

Present Dist	2017 Full Year	2018 Full Year	2017 YTD	2018 YTD	2019 YTD	YTD 17-19 % Change	YTD 18-19 % Change
1	0	0			0		
2	4	10	4	10	6	50%	-40%
3	9	4	9	4	6	-33%	50%
4	10	6	10	6	3	-70%	-50%
5	5	17	5	17	8	60%	-53%
6	1	0	1		1	0%	
7	10	7	10	7	6	-40%	-14%
Grand Total	39	44	39	44	30	-23%	-32%

Non - Fatal Shootings

Present District (group)	2017 Full Year	2018 Full Year	2017 YTD	2018 YTD	2019 YTD	YTD 17-19 % Change	YTD 18-19 % Change
Unknown	1	5	1	5	1	0%	-80%
1	0	0			2		
2	38	24	38	24	14	-63%	-42%
3	34	43	34	43	26	-24%	-40%
4	16	18	16	18	18	13%	0%
5	64	39	64	39	39	-39%	0%
6	6	2	6	2	3	-50%	50%
7	50	50	50	50	29	-42%	-42%
Grand Total	209	181	209	181	132	-37%	-27%

Homicide and NFS Map

Crime
- Homicide
- NFS

Homicide and non-fatal shootings obtained from the OMAP homicide and non-fatal shooting databases and counts victims for the time period of January 1 – May 31, 2017-2019 and January 1 – December 31, 2017 & 2018.
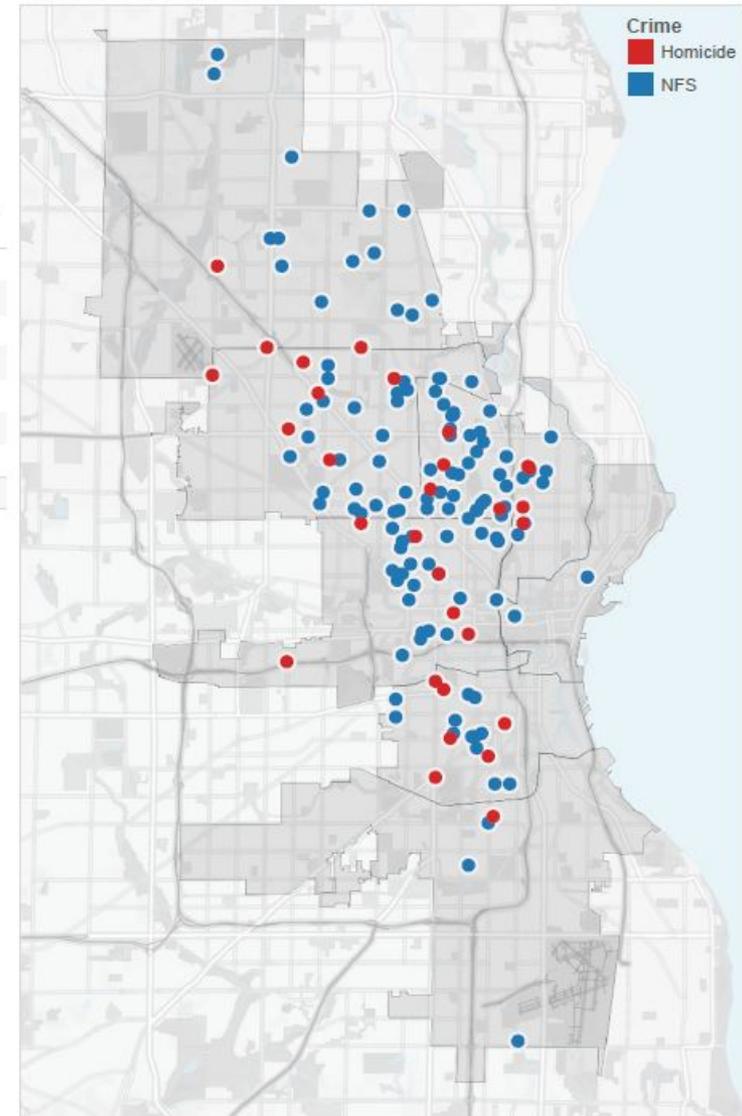
High Frequency Neighborhood Homicide & Non-Fatal Shootings

Neighborhood	HOMICIDE						
	2017 (Full Year)	2018 (Full Year)	2017 (YTD)	2018 (YTD)	2019 (YTD)	2017-19 (YTD) % Change	2018-19 (YTD) % Change
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS	5	5	1	1	0	-100%	-100%
GARDEN HOMES	1	5	1	4	1	0%	-75%
HAMPTON HEIGHTS	1	1	1		1	0%	
HARAMBEE	5	10	1	1	4	300%	300%
HISTORIC MITCHELL STREET	3	4		4	1		-75%
LINCOLN CREEK	1	1			1		
LINCOLN VILLAGE	2	5	1	4	1	0%	-75%
METCALFE PARK	2	1	2		1	-50%	
NORTH DIVISION	4	7		2	1		-50%
OLD NORTH MILWAUKEE	10	1	3		1	-67%	
PARK WEST	4	4	1	1	0	-100%	-100%
SHERMAN PARK	11	2	3	2	0	-100%	-100%
WALKER'S POINT	3	0	1		0	-100%	
WASHINGTON PARK	2	2		1	0		-100%
Neighborhood Total	54	48	15	20	12	-20%	-40%
CITYWIDE TOTAL	119	99	39	44	30	-23%	-32%

Neighborhood	NON-FATAL SHOOTING						
	2017 (Full Year)	2018 (Full Year)	2017 (YTD)	2018 (YTD)	2019 (YTD)	2017-19 (YTD) % Change	2018-19 (YTD) % Change
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS	15	14	8	5	4	-50%	-20%
GARDEN HOMES	14	11	9	4	4	-56%	0%
HAMPTON HEIGHTS	7	18	2	7	3	50%	-57%
HARAMBEE	24	22	9	10	8	-11%	-20%
HISTORIC MITCHELL STREET	13	18	7	5	2	-71%	-60%
LINCOLN CREEK	13	16	5	6	3	-40%	-50%
LINCOLN VILLAGE	17	11	7	4	3	-57%	-25%
METCALFE PARK	15	13	4	3	4	0%	33%
NORTH DIVISION	27	25	15	7	10	-33%	43%
OLD NORTH MILWAUKEE	29	28	8	11	10	25%	-9%
PARK WEST	25	20	6	7	4	-33%	-43%
SHERMAN PARK	35	14	11	8	4	-64%	-50%
WALKER'S POINT	11	14	2	3	0	-100%	-100%
WASHINGTON PARK	4	20	1	7	5	400%	-29%
Neighborhood Total	249	244	94	87	64	-32%	-26%
CITYWIDE TOTAL	558	476	209	181	132	-37%	-27%
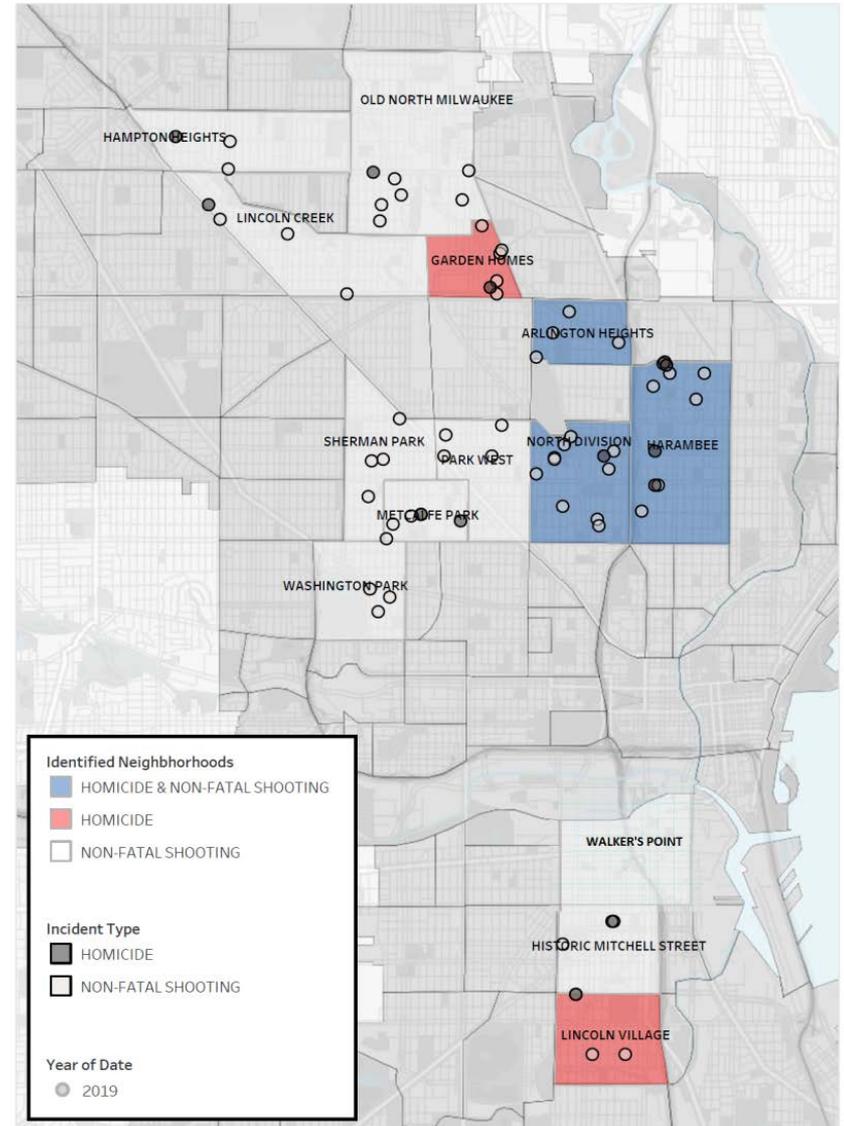
Identified Neighborhoods
- HOMICIDE & NON-FATAL SHOOTING
- HOMICIDE
- NON-FATAL SHOOTING

Incident Type
- HOMICIDE
- NON-FATAL SHOOTING

Year of Date
- 2019

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Non-Fatal Shootings & Carjackings

Full Year: *January 1 – December 31*

Offense	2017	2018	2017-2018 % Change
Non-Fatal Shootings	558	476	-15%
Carjackings	408	382	-6%

Year to Date: *January 1 – May 31*

Offense	YTD 2017	YTD 2018	YTD 2019	2017-2019 % Change	2018-2019 % Change
Non-Fatal Shootings	209	181	132	-37%	-27%
Carjackings	128	149	106	-17%	-29%

Non-Fatal Shooting data obtained from OMAP Non-Fatal Shooting database and counts victims.
Carjacking data obtained from OMAP Carjacking database and counts incidents.

Major Cities Chiefs Association (MCCA) Nationwide Comparison

Offense	2018 (Jan. 1 – Mar. 31)		2019 (Jan. 1 – Mar. 31)		2018-2019 % Change	
	Milwaukee	*Nationwide*	**Milwaukee**	*Nationwide*	**Milwaukee**	*Nationwide*
Homicide	21	*1,391*	18	*1,276*	**-14%**	*-8%*
Rape	135	*8,296*	119	*7,647*	**-12%**	*-8%*
Robbery	557	*31,130*	347	*27,680*	**-38%**	*-11%*
Aggravated Assault	1,357	*53,907*	1,122	*52,535*	**-17%**	*-3%*
Non-Fatal Shooting	94	*3,431*	73	*3,415*	**-22%**	*0%*

Nationwide data is based upon the combination of stated categorical data for all police organizations which submitted data for those categories to the MCCA. Data is for the time period of January 1 – March 31, 2018-2019.

Memorial Day Weekend Crime

Offense	2017	2018	2019
Homicide	3	4	1
Non-Fatal Shootings	15	17	6
Carjacking	0	7	7
Total	**18**	**28**	**14**

Homicide and non-fatal shootings obtained from the OMAP homicide and non-fatal shooting databases and counts victims; carjacking data obtained from the OMAP carjacking database and counts incidents over Memorial Day Weekend. Memorial Day Weekend is defined as Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday for each of the respective years. Due to the relatively low counts, percent changes are not provided.

Gun Recoveries (January 1-May 31, 2018-2019)

Work Location	2018	2019	18-19% Change
District 1	29	19	-34%
District 2	79	64	-19%
District 3	79	98	24%
District 4	77	94	22%
District 5	292	210	-28%
District 6	38	50	32%
District 7	146	191	31%
CIB	344	344	0%
Other**	24	8	-67%
Citywide	1,108	1,078	-3%

Citywide Guns Recovered by Police Activity
■ 2018 ■ 2019

Activity	2018	2019
Incident	554	551
Search Warrant	220	255
Subject Stop	58	23
Traffic Stop	162	156
Other Activities*	114	93
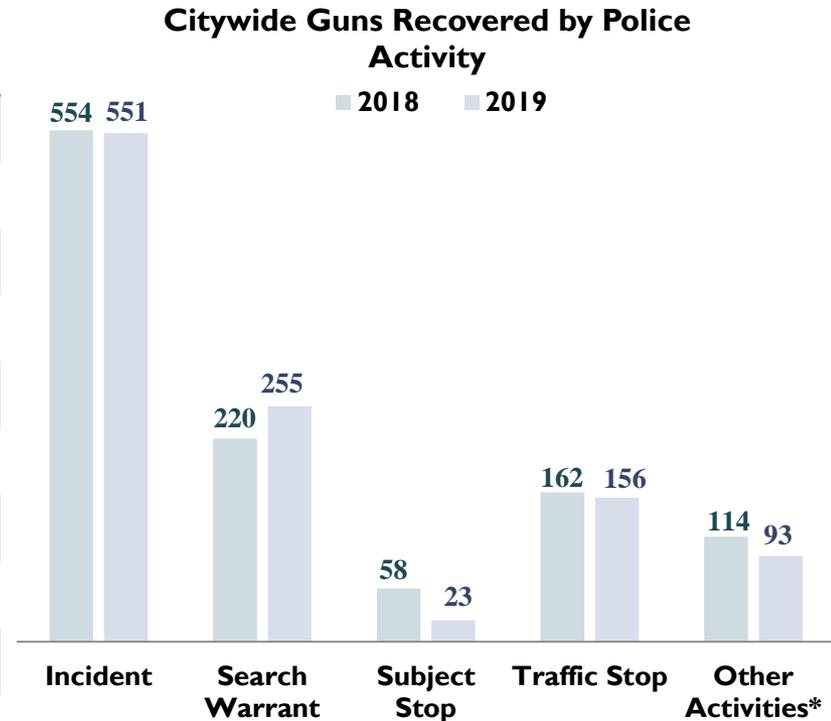
In 2019, 88% (949) guns recovered were evidence guns.
- **16% (179) recovered from traffic and subject stops.**
- **24% (255) recovered from search warrants.**

Gun recovery data was obtained from WinACE and is based on the date prepared for the time period of January 1 – May 31, 2018-2019. Evidence guns exclude guns taken for safekeeping. *Police activity category listed as other activities* includes search (probable cause & consent), turned in, safekeeping and unknown (unknown category cannot be discerned from the narrative). Incident category includes investigations, complaints, accidents and more. Police activities (i.e. traffic stops, search warrants, subject stops, etc.) and location categories (i.e. vehicle, residence, etc.) are obtained from a manual review of the narrative and may contain a margin of error. **Other category of guns recovered by police district locations include Central Booking & Court Administration, Central Investigation, Executive Command Staff, IFC, Marine Ops & Mounted Patrol, Metro, Motorcycle Unit, Narcotics, OCOE, Police Academy, Property Control, Records Management, Sensitive Crimes, Specialty Street Crimes and Tactical Enforcement.

Vehicle Pursuits

In 2018, vehicle pursuits increased 155% from 2017.

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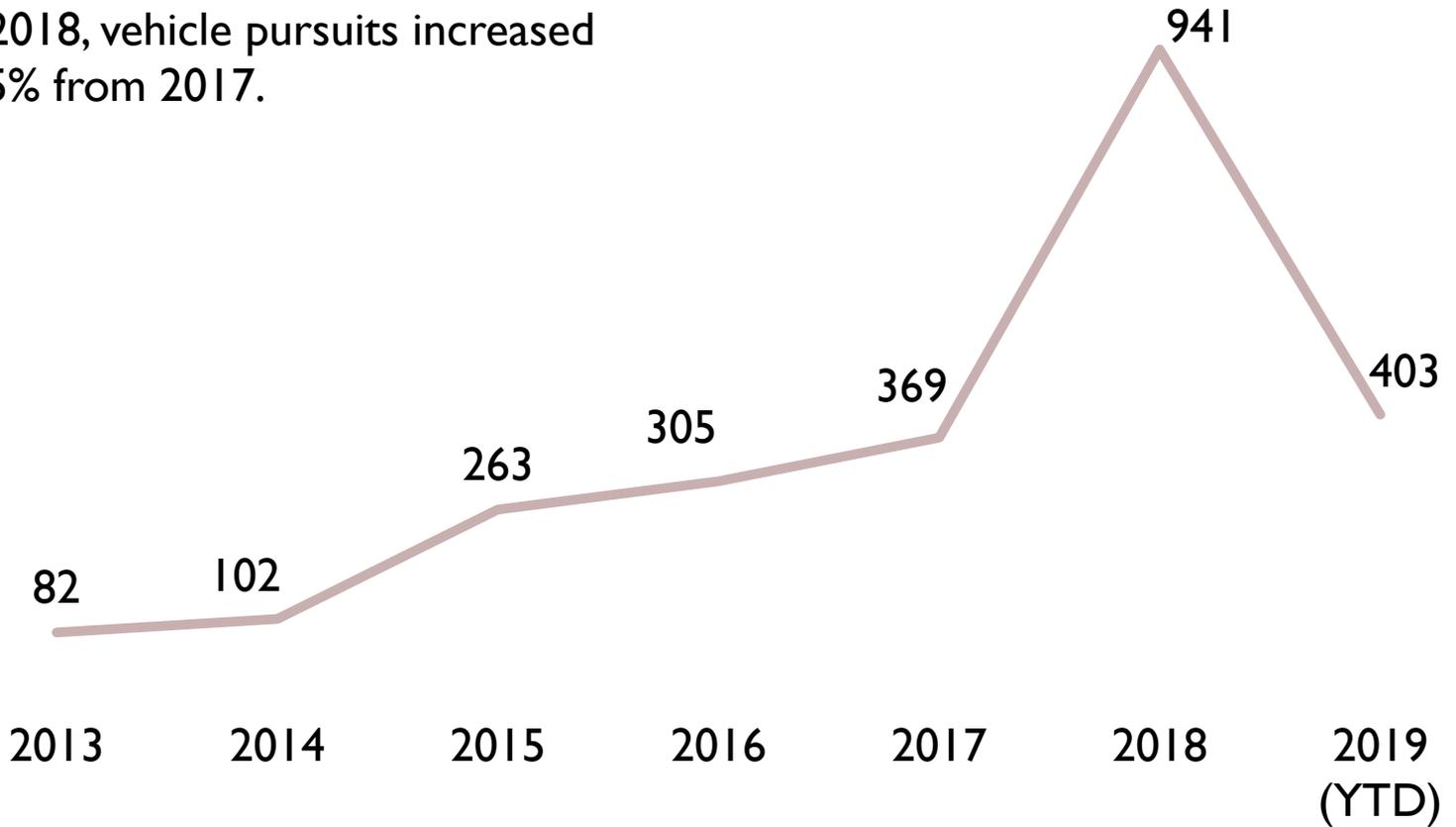
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Summary Arrests for Soliciting and Prostitution

Full Year: *January 1 – December 31*

	2017	2018	2017-2018 % Change
Arrests	252	191	-24%

Year to Date: *January 1 – May 31*

	YTD 2017	YTD 2018	YTD 2019	2017-2019 % Change	2018-2019 % Change
Arrests	34	73	75	121%	3%

Arrests were obtained from the Tiburon corrections management system for arrests prior to May 1, 2018.
Arrests on or after May 1, 2018 were obtained from the JailInform system.
Arrests related to soliciting and prostitution were based off of local ordinance 106-31-7, 106-34.5-1, and 106-35-2 and Wisconsin state statutes 944.30(1), 944.30(2), 944.32, 944.33(1)(a), 944.33(2), 944.34, and 948.08.

2018/2019 Community Engagement

- District 1
  - Community Prosecution Unit expanded to hold nuisance offenders more accountable
  - The Underwater Investigation Unit joined the ALERT Program through the Department of Wisconsin Emergency Management. This program allows for a state-wide response during emergencies

- District 2
  - Police patrol and beats expanded to cover all 17 neighborhoods
  - Special enforcement of prostitution/john, traffic, and NOC related offenses
  - New Community partnerships and Block Watches established

2018/2019 Community Engagement

- District 3
  - "SOUL" Event held in partnership with Sojourner Truth House
  - "Ruck March" Over 3,000 pounds of food were collected
  - DOC "Call In" for high-risk offenders

- District 4
  - Police & Youth Listening Circles participation
  - Landlord/Property owner compact developed and increased foot patrols
  - Permanent assignment and revisions to responsibilities of Domestic Violence Liaison Officers
  - Comprehensive security and management coalition developed

2018/2019 Community Engagement

- District 5
  - New beats established in high frequency neighborhoods
  - Park initiatives created
  - Participation in "Where is the Love" Resource Fair
- District 6
  - Partnership with RING and the Neighbors App
  - Community partnerships and events initiated by working with the BID
- District 7
  - Faith Based Community Partnership established in high impacted neighborhoods
  - Sherman Park foot beat deployment initiative

"The Milwaukee Police Department is committed to cultivating a positive environment where citizens have a safe place to live, work and raise a family."

-Chief Alfonso Morales