

WYOMING DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY



ANNUAL REPORT 2015

JAMES E. CARMODY
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Introduction



Chief James E. Carmody

To Our Citizens;

Over the past year, there has been a growing narrative across the country that has called into question police practices and tactics as they relate to the application of unbiased police service and use of force applications. For the most part, this narrative has indicted all of the 750,000 men and women who go to work every day, pin on a badge and work hard to serve you.

The unfortunate truth is that there has been but a handful of tragic situations that have risen to the attention of the world, and in nearly all of those cases, the officers have been exonerated. Police work is a dangerous and – at times – an unforgiving environment. But those types of events are episodic, and do not reflect the greatest number of public contacts that begin and end positively.

On average, police officers arrest in excess of 12 million people every year. Of those arrests, less than one-tenth of one percent requires **ANY** type of force to facilitate that arrest. When you add to that the millions of traffic contacts, public education events, community outreach events, and then just the daily casual encounters that officers make while engaging in their patrol efforts, you may get a better sense for how all this fits together. And, as I said earlier, tragedies have occurred. But those officers who may have committed an illegal act, and who are found responsible in a court of law, will pay the same price as anyone else who has committed the same illegal act.

We are committed to serving those who live, work and visit the City of Wyoming with the same level of integrity and fairness that they have become accustomed to. That commitment is based upon our dedication to working under 484 professional police standards as prescribed by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). Those standards were formulated from a collection of “best practices,” as identified by four of law enforcement’s most prestigious and respected police organizations: National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Officers (NOBLE), the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), National Sheriffs Association (NSA) and the Police Executive Research Foundation (PERF).

Maintaining compliance with these standards is guaranteed through a transparent assessment that is conducted triennially, and approved by 21 commissioners who represents the private sector, government and the law enforcement community. There are less than 1,100 police agencies from around the country that have been certified through CALEA, out of approximately 18,000. That process defines our level of professional commitment and service capabilities, not the blathering of a handful of individuals who seek to gain political, professional or entertainment capital.

Of further commitment to providing professional public safety service, the Wyoming Department of Public Safety has begun the process of accreditation for its Fire Services Bureau and its Forensic Science Unit. These processes follow the same path as police certification and require the same outside oversight. We anticipate completing both of these processes with the next three years.

So what does this all mean to you? Very simply, we will remain a committed public safety organization, working within the parameters of the best in professional public safety standards, and we will continue to

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provide a transparent and accountable level of service that is unsurpassed in West Michigan. As you peruse the pages of this report, I am certain that you will agree with me.

Thank you for your continued trust and support over this past year, and we look forward to serving you better each and every day.

Sincerely,



Chief JAMES E. CARMODY
Director of Police and Fire Services
Wyoming Department of Public Safety



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SECTION I



WHO WE ARE

Vision, Mission and Value Statements



OUR VISION

We recognize the value of establishing and maintaining community partnerships. From our professional staff and sworn members, to the many citizen and business groups who assist us in the fulfillment of our mission, we remain committed to the further enhancement of these partnerships. We will continually strive to develop the skills of our members, and to efficiently and effectively manage our resources to deliver the highest level of police service to the citizens of Wyoming.

OUR VALUES

HONOR—COURAGE—DUTY—TRUST

OUR MISSION

The **DUTY** of the Wyoming Police Department is to serve the people of our community with dignity, respect, fairness and compassion. We serve with **COURAGE** to protect life and property and maintain law and order. We will uphold the **TRUST** placed in us to safeguard constitutional guarantees and will do so with **HONOR** worthy of those who have served before us.

Year-End Sworn and Civilian Seniority 2015 Annual Summary

COMMAND & SUPERVISORY OFFICERS**CHIEF**

James E. Carmody

CAPTAINS

1. Kim Koster
2. Kip Snyder

LIEUTENANTS

1. Jim Maguffee
2. Kirt Zuiderveen
3. Joe Steffes
4. Tim Pols
5. Mark Easterly

SERGEANTS

1. John McCaw
2. Corey Walendzik
3. Dave Hunt
4. Eric Wiler
5. Brian Look
6. Dan Mahoney
7. Julie Waters
8. Dave Mawby
9. Jeff Bylsma
10. Ross Eagan
11. Robert Aungst
12. Jeremy Walter

SWORN BY SENIORITY

DOORNBOS, Mark
 MAWBY, H. David
 LOPEZ, Jesse
 KAMSTRA, Russell
 MCKINNON, Margaret
 HUDENKO, Brian
 PENA, Paul
 MORALES, Carmen
 WHITCOMB, Jillaine
 WALENDZIK, Corey
 SNYDER, Kip
 RELLINGER, Stephen
 STEFFES, Joseph
 BYLSMA, Jeffrey
 VERHAGE, D.J.
 GRUNEWALD, Eric
 MOORE, Michael
 KOSTER, Kimberly
 MCCAW, John
 BARTONE, Adam
 HUNT, David
 ZUIDERVEEN, Kirt
 MAHONEY, Dan
 CHO, Alvin
 KEEN, Pamela
 MCGINNIS, Shad
 RITTENGER, Scott

HOLMBERG, Devon
 ROOKS, Matthew
 FERGUSON, Dennis
 WALKER, Charles
 CASTER, Jason
 LOOK, Brian
 MAGUFFEE, James
 EASTERLY, Mark
 CAMMENGA, David
 SMIT, Douglas
 VELDMAN, Mitchel
 POLS, Timothy
 DURIAN, Ben
 WILER, Eric
 DEBOER, Christopher
 ROBINSON, Robert
 SILVIS, Ryan
 DUFFY, Gregory
 WALTER, Jeremy
 SWIERCZ, Philip
 AUNGST, Robert
 CLORE, Rachel
 ALLEN, Rory
 CARMODY, James
 STAMAN, Erich
 WATERS, Julie
 SHELLNBARGER, Blair
 EAGAN, Ross
 MEREDITH, Robert
 HOLMBERG, Dwayn
 SUTTON, Sarah
 COOK, Dustin
 VLIETSTRA, Dan
 TOONSTRA, Eric
 GREEN, Kresten
 JACOB, Anthony
 DUIMSTRA, Kelli
 LYNN, Chad
 TOONSTRA, Steve
 PATTERSON, Ryan
 HECKSEL, Ben
 KROSCHER, April
 STEVENS, Anastasia
 PITTMAN, Dennis
 MARKCINI, Jacob
 MURDOCK, Jason
 MCCONAHA-SCHULTZ, Kesha
 WEEMHOFF, Nicholas
 FREEMAN, Aaron
 KOELLER, Andrew
 EBY, Jennifer
 ATKINSON, Lee
 SANDERSON, Daniel
 GRAY, Aaron
 JENKS, Kyle
 HUTCHINS, Antonio
 WELLS, Chad

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL**GENERAL**

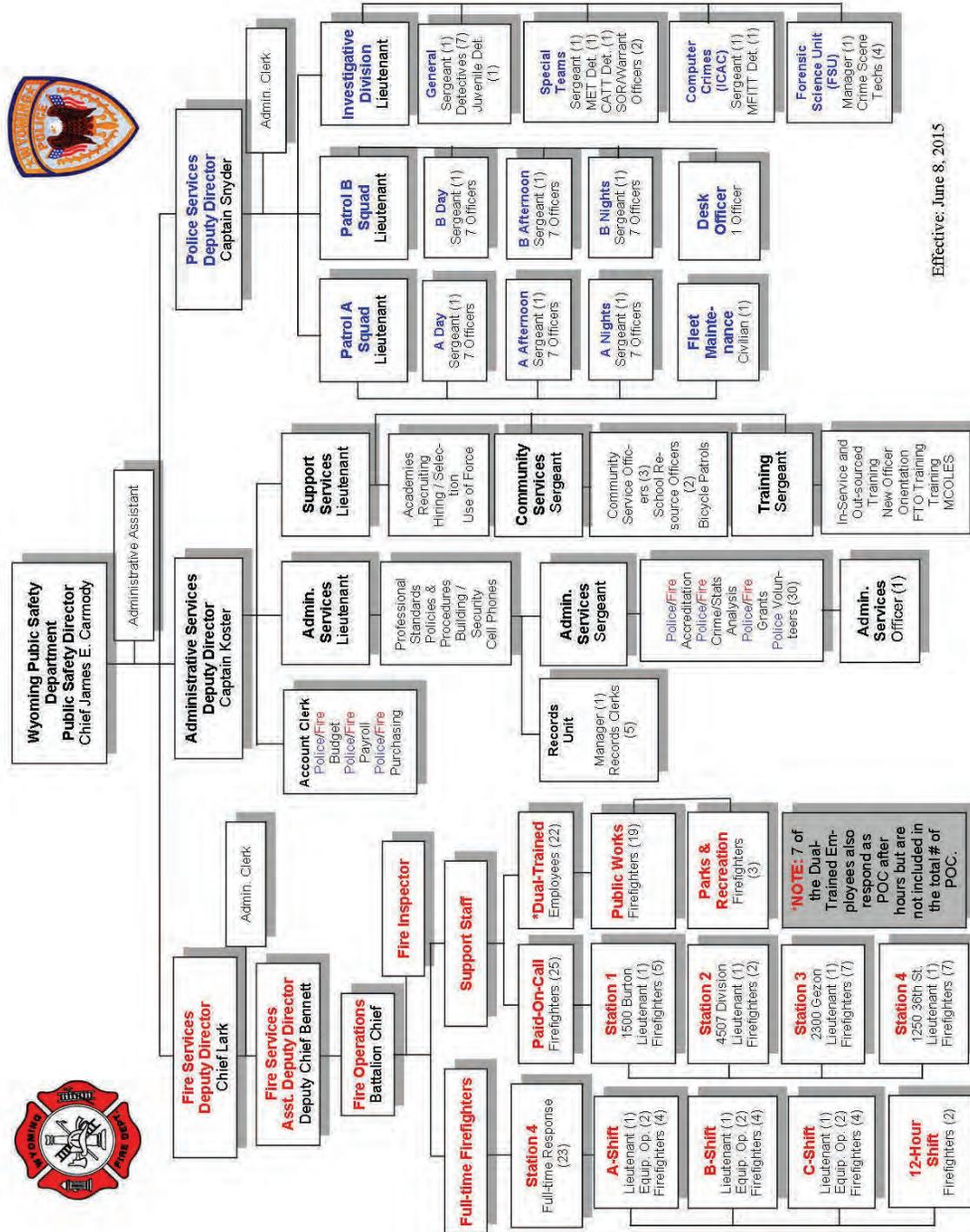
ZAAGMAN, Milton
 ROBINSON, Cynthia
 LOOMIS, Sandra
 PEASE, Julie
 ASIALA, Paula
 BRITTAIN, Wendy
 MASULA, Todd
 GARTHE, Christine
 CARMODY, Julia
 MRAIHI, Christine
 BRIDGEWATER, Shavonne
 PEIFFER, Shelby
 KALINOWSKI, Iris

ADMINISTRATION

SCHALLER, Marcy
 MACICAK, Betsy
 WESSELDYK, Terra

2015 Year-end Staffing Levels 84 Sworn (authorized 86) 16 Civilian

2015 Organizational Chart



Effective: June 8, 2015

Sworn Staffing

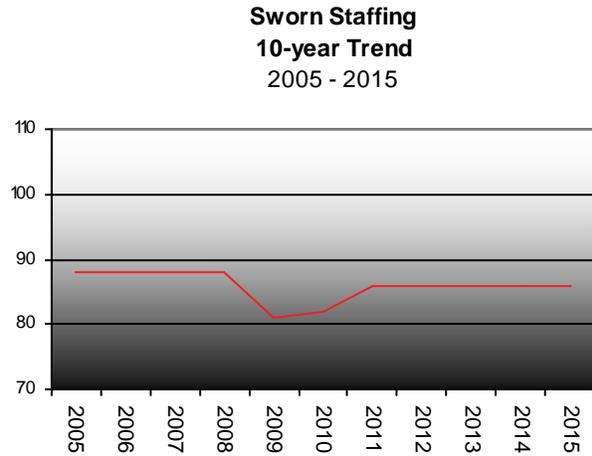
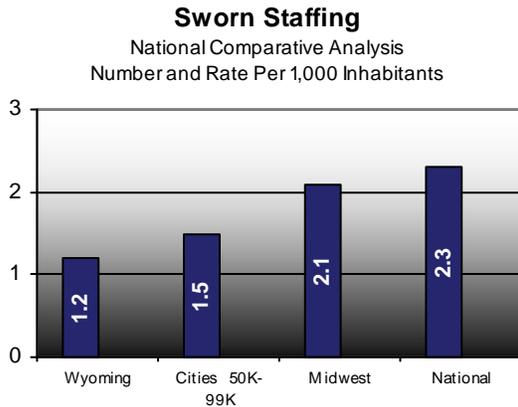
2015 Annual Summary

Staffing Data

Sworn Personnel

In 2015, the Wyoming Department of Public Safety was authorized to maintain 86 sworn police officers. With a population of approximately 72,125, this constitutes a rate of 1.2 sworn officers per 1,000 residents.

Although the most current data is not available, the 2014 national rate of sworn law enforcement officers per 1,000 inhabitants was 2.3. In the Midwest region, the collective rate in 2014 was 2.1 sworn officers per 1,000 inhabitants. For those cities in the Midwest where the size of the population is similar to Wyoming (50,000-999,999), the rate was 1.5.



*Comparisons based upon 2014 figures (2015 not available)

Personnel Changes:

New Hires in 2015:



Lee Atkinson
Patrol Officer



Daniel Sanderson
Patrol Officer



Aaron Gray
Patrol Officer



Kyle Jenks
Patrol Officer



Antonio Hutchins
Patrol Officer



Chad Wells
Patrol Officer

Retirements in 2015:



Scott Gardner
Lieutenant



Scott Beckman
Lieutenant



Kurt Robinson
Sergeant



Frank Hartuniewicz
Patrol Officer

Awards, Commendations, and Internal Investigations

2015 Annual Summary

The Wyoming Department of Public Safety recognizes its members who distinguish themselves by performing service(s) over and above what is normally expected in similar circumstances. The Department has an Awards Board that consists of a broad representation of the department that is tasked with reviewing any requests for awards submitted by personnel of the agency. The award board determines the award(s) to be issued, as well as the manner in which those awards will be presented to the recipients.

Life Saving Award

Ofc. Devon Holmberg
Sgt. Eric Wiler
Ofc. Russ Mazarka (KPD)
Ofc. Nicholas Weemhoff
Ofc. Dennis Pittman
Ofc. Kyle Jenks
Sgt. Corey Walendzik
FF Bryan Butcher
FF Greg Friske
FF Brad Doornbos
EO Scott Vredevoogd
FF Todd Yonkers
FF Michele Kelly
FF Daniel Royce
FF Tom Marsman
FF Brad Deppe
EO Brian Ilbrink
FF Eric Campbell
FF Lance Bowman

Citation of Valor

Ofc. Jill Whitcomb
Ofc. Kellie Duimstra
Ofc. Jesse Lopez
Ofc. Anthony Jacob
Sgt. Dave Hunt
Ofc. Chris DeBoer
Ofc. Mark Doornbos

Police Heart

Ofc. Frank Hartuniewicz

Challenge Coins

Ofc. Lee Atkinson
Ofc. Jennifer Eby
Ofc. Aaron Freeman
Ofc. Andrew Koeller
Ofc. Nicholas Weemhof
FF Brad Deppe
FF Brad Doornbos
FF Michelle Kelly
FF Brandon Travis

Recognition of Service

Sgt. Dan Mahoney
Sgt. Robert Aungst
Wyoming Fire Care Team

Outstanding Administrative Service Award

Officer Devon Holmberg
Firefighter Lacey Koens

Individual Commendation Awards

Ofc. Nicholas Weemhof
Ofc. Ana Stevens
Ofc. Jesse Lopez
Ofc. Keshia McConaha-Schultz
Ofc. April Kroschel

Unit Commendations

Sgt. Julie Waters
Ofc. Pam Keen
Ofc. April Kroschel
Ofc. Matt Rooks
Lt. Ted Westerman
EO Brian Ilbrink
FF Tom Saladino

Chief's Award of Excellence

Betsy Macicak

Civilian of the Year

Julia Carmody

Officer of the Year

Ofc. Frank Hartuniewicz

Firefighter of the Year

EO Martin Schumacher

Awards Board

Lt. James Maguffee
Sgt. Jeff Bylsma
Sgt. Dan Mahoney
Ofc. Carmen Morales
Ofc. Jason Caster
Sandy Loomis



Officer of the Year
Frank Hartuniewicz



Civilian of the Year
Julia Carmody



Firefighter of the Year
EO Martin Schumacher



SECTION II



OUR COMMUNITY

Wyoming at a Glance



Community Profile

The City of Wyoming is hardly your typical city. Rather than spreading out from an original point of settlement, this community grew from the outside in. And today its downtown is a three-and-a-half mile stretch of five-lane 28th Street, one of Michigan’s busiest roadways.

Though commercial establishments are scattered throughout Wyoming today, the greatest concentration is along 28th Street. Wyoming City Hall is there, too-- across the busy street from Rogers Plaza, the first shopping mall in Kent County.

Early in its first year as a city, Wyoming officials sifted through contest entries and selected a motto-- ‘City of Vision and Progress.’ It has proven to be an appropriate choice. The city appears to have had 20/20 vision and continues to make great progress.

Wyoming’s population continues to grow. Today, Wyoming is Michigan’s 16th largest community with west Michigan’s third largest industrial tax base. The City has grown to 74,100 strong with a diverse cultural base, four school districts, a balance of older and modern homes, retail variety and an abundance of parkland. All this takes place in a region that is proud, independent, and growing while still competitive.

Population by Gender	
Gender	Percent
Male	49.3%
Female	50.7%

Population by Race	
Race	Percent
White (Non-Hispanic)	69.7%
Black or African American	4.7%
Asian	2.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native	0.3%
Other	.03%
Two or more races	2.2%
Hispanic or Latino of any race	21%

Largest Employers		
#	Employer	# of Employees
1	Metro Health Hospital	2,383
2	Gordon Food Service	1,669
3	Consumers Energy	1,493
4	United Parcel Service	1,037
5	Michigan Turkey Producers	643
6	Benteler	601
7	Delphi	550
8	Wyoming Public Schools	483
9	Undercar	436
10	Country Fresh	388

For more information, visit www.wyomingmi.gov.

City Council, Leadership & Guiding Principles



Jack A. Poll
Mayor



Sam Bolt
Councilmember-at-Large



Dan Burrill
Councilmember-at-Large



Kent Vanderwood
Councilmember-at-Large



William A. VerHulst
1st Ward Councilmember
Mayor Protem



Richard K. Pastoor
2nd Ward Councilmember



Joanne M. Voorhees
3rd Ward Councilmember



Curtis Holt
City Manger



Heidi Isakson
Deputy City Manager

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Providing Optimum Customer Service

The City will provide a high level of customer service, utilizing a qualified and enthusiastic staff.

High Quality Infrastructure Standards

The City will utilize high quality standards in designing, constructing and maintaining infrastructure.

Community Aesthetics

The City's image will be a pleasant, comfortable and visually stimulating place in which to live, work, and visit.

Stewardship Of Resources

The City will optimally utilize its natural and human resources.

Financial Stability

The City will meet the community's needs for services and facilities using sound financial management.

City Council Meetings

1st & 3rd Mondays of the month
7:00 P.M. at City Hall Council Chambers

Council Work Session

2nd Monday of the month
7:00 P.M. at City Hall Council Chambers

SECTION III



ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES BUREAU

Administrative Services Bureau

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Administrative/Support Services



Capt. Koster Lt. Easterly Lt. Pols M. Schaller Julie Pease



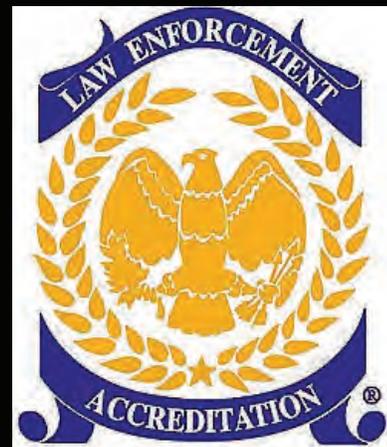
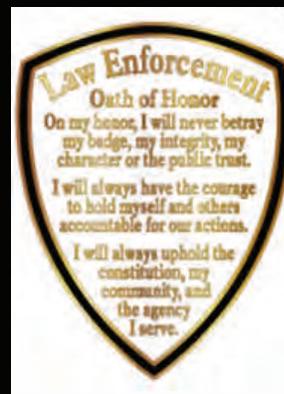
The Administrative Services Bureau is comprised of one Captain, two Lieutenants, three Sergeants, six Officers, one Secretary, one Account Clerk, and 24 retired senior volunteers. The specialized services and the responsibilities of the Bureau include:

Responsibilities:

- Budget
- CALEA
- Personnel
- MCOLES Certification
- Payroll Reporting
- Building & Grounds Services
- Travel & Training
- Policy & Procedures
- Department Technology
- Public Information Office
- Annual Report
- Internal Affairs

Administrative Services Bureau:

- Support Services Division
 - Community Services Unit
 - Training Unit
- Administrative Services Division
 - Accident Investigation Unit
 - Crime Analysis Unit
 - Records Management Unit
 - Retired Senior Volunteer Unit



Staffing Data

Chief: James E. Carmody
Bureau Commander: Capt. Kim Koster
Administration: Lt. Mark Easterly
 Sgt. David Mawby
Support Services: Lt. Tim Pols
 Sgt. Brian Look
 Sgt. Eric Wiler
Administrative Assistant: Marcy Schaller
Account Clerk: Julie Pease

Community Services Unit Annual Summary

Community Services Unit



Sgt. Brian Look is the supervisor of the Community Services Unit (CSU). In addition to working closely with members of our community, this unit is also involved in:

- Our **Neighborhood Watch Program** encourages people in our community to take ownership of the neighborhoods by becoming more aware of their neighbors and report suspicious activity to the police. This program also encourages collaboration among neighbors to actively address community issues and concerns. CSU held the annual city-wide neighborhood watch meeting in February of 2015 at Grand Rapids First church.
- **National Night Out** is a nationwide crime prevention program that encourages people to get out and meet their neighbors. The unit coordinates with other area police agencies and our Neighborhood Watch Groups to arrange public displays of police equipment, neighborhood block parties, parades and other gatherings for the event.
- The **Metro High School Police Academy** was formed in June of 1996 as a cooperative effort between Wyoming, Kentwood and Grandville Police Departments. It now includes the departments of Walker, Rockford, East Grand Rapids, the Kent County Sheriff's Department. Students from over 29 different schools attend. The academy offers the students with 48 hours of instruction based on the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards Basic Police Training Curriculum.
- **Elves and More of West Michigan** is a non-profit organization that aims to bring hope to children ages 3-16 in one neighborhood each year with a free bicycle giveaway. In 2015, the Godfrey-Lee neighborhood in Wyoming was selected to receive this special gift. More than 1,800 new bicycles and helmets were given to the neighborhood children along with treasure bags of toys and needed items. WYDPS was proud to be involved and affiliated with this



2015 Metro High School Academy



2015 Community Resource Night



Make-A-Wish



Elves & More Bike Giveaway



Ofc. Jason Caster
North of 28th St



Ofc. Ben Durian
East of Clyde Park Ave



Ofc. Kelli Duimstra
South of 28th St, West
of Clyde Park Ave

School Liaison Unit Annual Summary

School Resource Activities

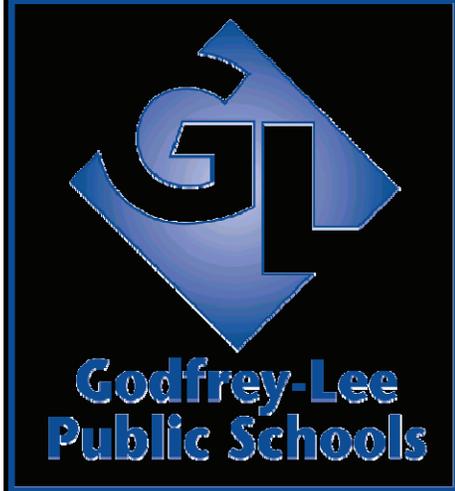


Sgt. Brian Look is the supervisor of the School Resource Officer (SRO) program. The School Resource Officer program is a nationally accepted program involving the placement of a law enforcement officer within the educational environment.

The Wyoming Department of Public Safety has found that this long-standing partnership with the schools is very beneficial to the students and faculty. The mission of the unit is for the School Resource Officer to be a resource for students, parents, teachers and administrative staff regarding law issues. The SRO also serves as a link to other service agencies which provide preventive and counseling services within the school district. Working hand in hand with the principal in each school, the SRO assists with finding solutions to problems affecting school-aged children.

One of the primary goals of the program is to provide a safe learning environment for students and staff. To assist in this goal, this unit:

- Develops relationships with students and staff while participating in the education of students on topics such as: drug and alcohol use, violence prevention, internet and personal safety, etc.
- Conducts site security operations and reviews.
- Works closely with the Patrol Division as they conduct daily school walk-throughs.
- Works closely with the Investigative Division to follow up on or assist in investigations involving students.



Ofc. Mark Linder
Godfrey-Lee



Ofc. Rory Allen
Wyoming Public
Schools



Ofc. Ana Stevens
Kelloggsville Schools



Training Unit

Annual Summary

Training Summary



The Wyoming Department of Public Safety's Training Unit, led by Sgt. Wiler, utilizes many different delivery methods to improve upon our knowledge, skills and abilities. These methods include: Field training, In-service training sessions, West Michigan Criminal Justice Training Consortium classes, Roll Call sessions, and vendor-provided training.



Training Methods

Our Commitment to Training

During the 2015 calendar year, 10,358 hours of training were documented for the 85 sworn officers employed by our agency. Although we are currently at our peak sworn level, there are six officers currently in our Field Training Program in various phases of training. Based on these numbers, 85 sworn personnel averaged 131 hours of training for 2015. Monthly scheduled training for the Tactical Team, K-9 Team, Crisis Negotiator, Honor Guard, and range time are not captured in the final tally of hours. The Wyoming Department of Public Safety prides itself on the quality of training provided to officers.



West Michigan Criminal Justice Training Consortium (WMCJTC)

Our partnership with WMCJTC provides an economic method of training our employees. WMCJTC sponsored courses attended in 2015 included topics such as:

- Legal Update
- Range Officer Training
- Police Precision Driving
- Armorer's School
- Verbal Judo
- Interview & Interrogation
- Critical Incident Stress Management

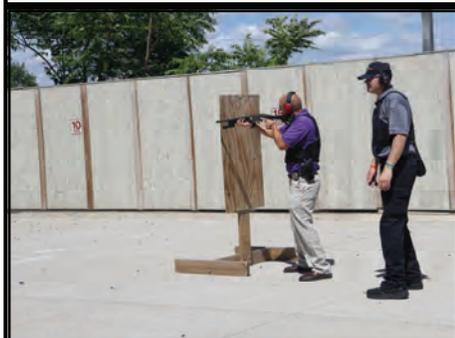
Mandatory and In-Service Training

The training unit delivers the mandatory weapons qualifications, OHSA and CALEA mandated trainings, special unit in-service training and other specialty courses. A training matrix was developed to help insure that all of the mandatory topics are covered. With our own staff instructors, we conducted in-house training on numerous topics in 2015, including:

- Mobile Field Force
- Defensive Tactics
- ICAC Update
- Weapons Qualification
- Scenario-based training
- CPR / First-Aid refresher
- SOR Update
- DNA and Needle Collection
- Taser instruction

In 2015, our training facilities hosted the following groups:

- Kent County Area Chief's of Police
- Cooper Institute
- Metro High School Academy
- New American Academy
- Area Gang Investigators
- Metro Cruise Planning Team
- Metro Honor Guard Group
- MACP
- Retired Senior Volunteer Program
- Cub Scout / Boy Scout Troops
- Explorers
- OHSP
- Kent County Probation Officers
- Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design



Records Management Annual Summary

Records Management



The Records Management Unit is comprised of one Office Manager, Betsy Macicak, and five full-time civilian personnel. The specialized services and responsibilities of the unit includes:

Responsibilities:

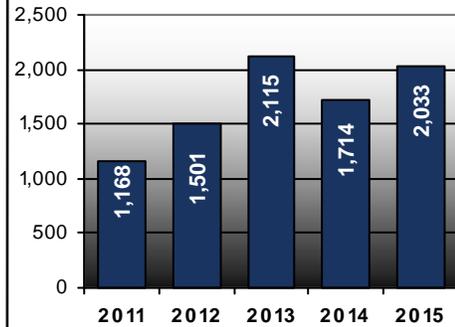
- Case Data Correction & Merging
- Data Entry
- Statistical Requests
- MICR Reporting
- Document Imaging/Storage/Distribution
- Staff Customer Service Window
- Process Requests for Report Copies, Information
- Local Background Checks
- Patrol Payroll
- OWI Cost Recovery
- Alarm Billing

Specialized Services:

- Freedom of Information Act Requests
- Firearms Purchase Permits and Registrations
- Sex Offender Registration

Gun Registrations

License to Purchase
Five Year Trend



Records Stats

	2014	2015
Incidents (CFS)	36,666	34,685
Case Reports	7,337	7,499
Crash Reports	2,348	2,198
SOR+	388	352
FOIA Processed	250	279



Staffing Data

Office Manager:
Betsy Macicak

Office Specialists:
Paula Asiala
Cindy Robinson
Christine Garthe
Shavonne Bridgewater
Kristen Hand



Paula Asiala



Cindy Robinson



Christine Garthe



Shavonne Bridgewater



Kristen Hand

Retired Senior Volunteer Program Annual Summary

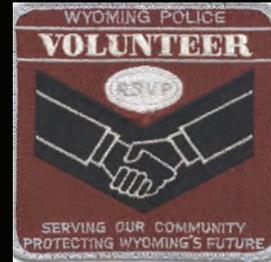
Volunteer Activities

Lt. Mark Easterly is the coordinator of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program, which began 2015 with 24 volunteers performing a variety of services for the Department and the citizens of the City of Wyoming. On average, these volunteers performed almost 358 hours of service a month. Total volunteer hours for the year were 4,301. This equates to an in-kind value of \$99,224 for the City of Wyoming. Their donated hours included:

Criminal Intelligence Unit	Public Relation Activities
Food Bank Deliveries	Area School Service
Pawn Shop Reports	You Are Not Alone Visits
Patrol Services Assistance	Fleet Services Assistance
Administrative Services Assistance	Warrant Audits

Hours Served by TASK

Child Fingerprint Identification	918
Abandoned Bicycles Picked Up	17
Fire Lane Citations Issued	66
Fire Lane Warnings	529
Handicapped Parking Citations Issued	681
Handicapped Parking Warnings Issued	786
Vacation House Checks	843
Vacant House Checks for Inspections	211
City Weed Inspections	549
Parking Violations	54
Scanning Project (in hours)	85

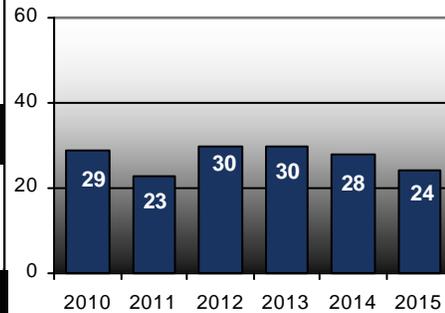


Staffing Data

RSVP Coordinator: Lt. Mark Easterly
Volunteers: 24

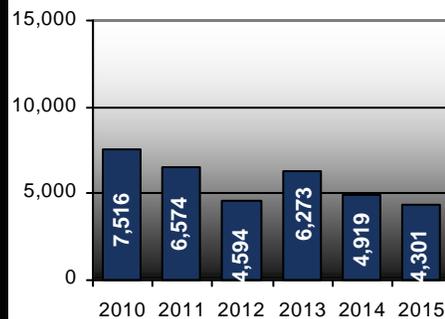
Volunteers

2010 - 2015



Volunteer Hours

2010 - 2015



SECTION IV



POLICE SERVICES

BUREAU

Police Services Bureau Annual Summary

Police Services Bureau



Capt. K. Snyder



Lt. K. Zuiderveen



Lt. J. Steffes



Field Services is comprised of one Captain, two Lieutenants, six Sergeants, forty-four uniformed Officers, and one civilian. The specialized services and the responsibilities of the division include:

Responsibilities:

- Respond to Calls for Service
- School Walk-Thru Program
- Business and Property Checks
- Conduct Initial Investigations
- Traffic Safety and Enforcement
- Enforce Laws and City Ordinances
- Preserve the Peace
- Build Partnerships
- Protect Life and Property
- Crime Prevention
- Community Service

Police Services Bureau:

- Patrol Services Division
 - K-9 Unit
 - Tactical Arrest and Confrontation Team
 - Crisis Negotiation Team
 - Motorcycle Unit
 - Honor Guard
- Investigative Services Division
 - General/Major Cases
 - Forensic Science Unit
 - MET (Metropolitan Enforcement Team)
 - CATT (Combined Auto Theft Team)
 - MFITT (Metro Fraud and Identity Theft Team)
 - ICAC Task Force (Internet Crimes Against Children)
 - FBI WEBCHEX (Child Exploitation Task Force)



Staffing Data

Director:	James E. Carmody	
Bureau Commander:	Capt. Kip Snyder	
Squad Commanders:	Lt. Kirt Zuiderveen Lt. Joe Steffes	
Patrol Supervision:	Sgt. Corey Walendzik Sgt. Dave Hunt Sgt. Jeff Bylsma	Sgt. Rob Aungst Sgt. Ross Eagan Sgt. Jeremy Walter



Patrol Services Division Annual Summary



Lt. K. Zuiderveen



Lt. J. Steffes



The Wyoming Department of Public Safety's Patrol Services Division is comprised of two Squad Commanders, Lt. Zuiderveen and Lt. Steffes. The Squad Commanders each supervise three sergeants who have seven officers on their squads. Officers work ten hour shifts on days, afternoons, or nights.

PATROL INITIATIVES:

Day patrol:

- Officers took part in the "Every School Every Day" initiative, an effort to have a uniformed police presence at every school in our jurisdiction every day school is in session. In this effort, patrol officers conducted approximately 4,711 school safety checks in 2015.

Afternoon patrol:

- Officers went to every business in the city and asked the owner to complete an updated contact person/alarm information sheet. The sheets were turned over to dispatch for entry. 7,386 business contacts were made in 2015.

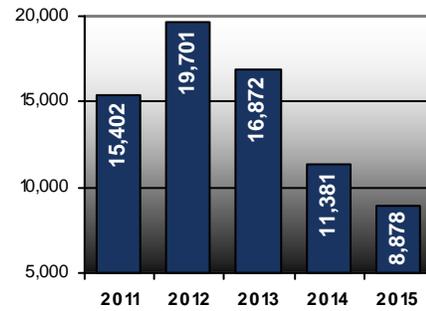
Night patrol:

- Officers conducted property checks of each business in the city. Each business in Wyoming was checked twice in 2015, and a total of 7,265 property checks were conducted.

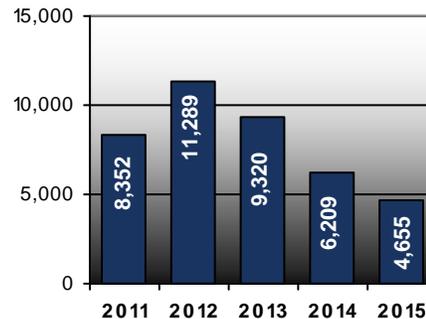
WELLNESS PROGRAM INITIATED:

In 2014, a Wellness Program was initiated for Police personnel in order to encourage employees to maintain a fit and healthy lifestyle. A voluntary Physical Standards Assessment is held in the Spring and the Fall. The program's participation has continued to grow. Forty officers in 2015 participated in one or more of the assessments. Officers continue to use the Fitness Room and other locations nearby, such as the park, for their wellness breaks.

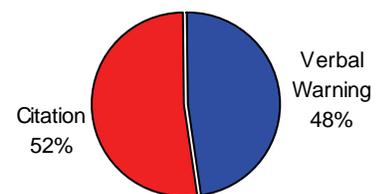
Traffic Stops
Five Year Trend



Traffic Citations Issued
Five Year Trend



Traffic Stops
Citation Issued vs. Verbal Warning



K-9 UNIT Annual Summary

K-9 Unit

The Wyoming Department of Public Safety K9 team consists of four K9/Handler teams assigned to the Patrol Division under the command of Lt. Steffes and Sgt. Aungst. All four K9 teams are trained as dual purpose patrol dogs which involves both the apprehension of suspects and location of contraband and/or evidence. Each K9 team undergoes several weeks of pre-service training conducted in-house in order to meet the certification standards developed through the United States Police Canine Association and National Association of Professional Canine Handlers. Each K9 team is certified annually.

One of the primary goals of the canine unit is to promote positive community relations through demonstrations at schools and various public/community events.



Unit Data

Tracks/Searches:

Tracks	60	Narcotic Sniffs	68
Building Searches	12	Arrests	14
Evidence Searches	11	Public Events	30

Staffing Data

Unit Commander: Sgt. Aungst

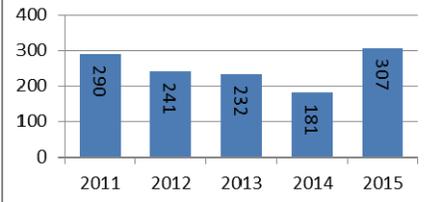
K-9 Teams:

Officer / K-9	Activations
Ofc. Kresten Green / Azar	109
Ofc. Eric Toonstra / Dutch	51
Ofc. Dustin Cook / Jett	97
Ofc. Ryan Patterson / Chase	50

During 2015, two K9 teams were retired after serving their community and department for almost a decade. Officer Robinson's K9 partner, Arras, retired at the age of 11 and is currently living with Officer Robinson and his family. Officer Aungst's K9 partner, Chico, retired after nine years of service and has since passed due to extensive health complications. In October of 2015, with assistance from the Wyoming Animal Hospital, the unit was able to raise enough funds (\$8,500) from the community to purchase training equipment and a K9 replacements.

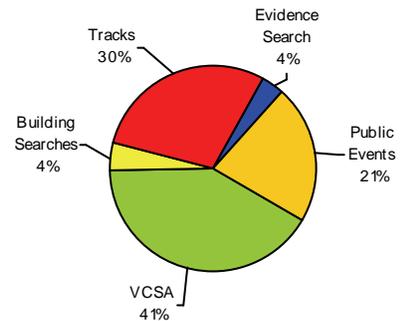
K-9 Activations

2011 - 2015



K9 Activity

By Call Type



Tactical Arrest and Confrontation Team Annual Summary

T.A.C.T. Data

The Tactical Arrest and Confrontation Team (TACT) utilizes the Warrant Service Risk Assessment Matrix which measures the circumstances of an incident in order to determine if they meet the criteria established by the department for the activation of the team. The Matrix is based on facts commonly stated in the affidavit for the warrant, including criminal history of suspect, targeted location, the details learned during the target scout, and any intelligence gained from definitive information gathered during the investigation. Based on the known information, the Tactical Commander/Leader can make a decision whether or not to authorize the warrant service. In 2015, TACT was requested 25 times. Of those requests, 19 met the criteria to activate the team. Thirteen were related to narcotic investigations and the remaining six were related to high risk warrant services.

Calls requiring TACT activation can and do occur at all hours of the day and night. Our personnel are not on "stand-by" but strive to maintain an operational attendance goals of 80%. In 2015, the team obtained an 85% attendance average.

Staffing:

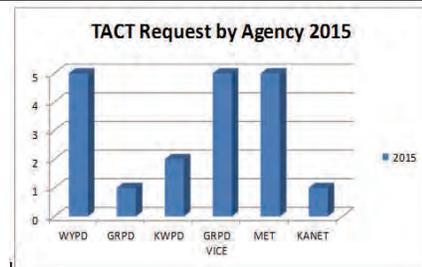
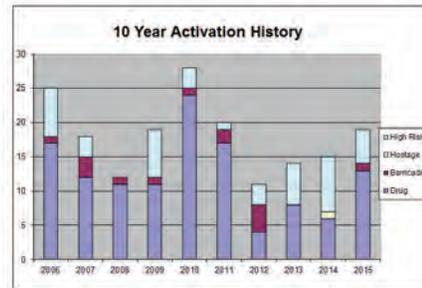
- Officers Hecksel, Jacob, Pittman and Toonstra became official members of the team after serving as "alternates". Ofc. Devon Holmberg resigned from the team after seven years of dedicated service.

Equipment:

- Sgt. Wiler continues to acquire equipment utilizing the Military 1033 program. To date, Sgt. Wiler has acquired nearly \$259,891 worth of equipment costing the City of Wyoming just under \$5,800 in shipping costs. The Humvee was placed into service in October of 2015.

Training:

- The team reached out to other units to explore joint training opportunities: county-wide SRT meeting at GRPD, combined training with WYPD CNT, open field air search with WYPD K9, multi-agency warrant services and the Navy Recruiting Center.
- TACT members facilitated training to members of the department on topics such as: annual gas mask fit testing, use of force, less lethal force options, defensive tactics, in-custody deaths, firearms, building searches and assisting with training newly hired officers.



T.A.C.T. Staffing Data

Commander: Lt. Kirt Zuiderveen
Team Leader: Sgt. Eric Wiler

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|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Ofc. Chris DeBoer | Sgt. Jeremy Walter |
| Ofc. Matt Rooks | Det. Blair Shellenbarger |
| Det. Jesse Lopez | Ofc. Dwayne Holmberg |
| Ofc. Ryan Silvis | Ofc. Dennis Pittman |
| Ofc. Tony Jacob | Ofc. Steve Toonstra |
| Ofc. Ross Eagan | Ofc. Ben Hecksel |

Crisis Negotiations Team Data

Team Leader: Sgt. Tim Pols
Asst. Leader: Sgt. Julie Waters

Ofc. Rory Allen	Det. Rob Meredith
Ofc. Kelli Duimstra	Ofc. Mark Linder
GVPD Sgt. Renee Veldman	

Training:

- CNT members received the following training in 2015: Two combined training exercises with TACT, Active Listener refresher, Dr. LaBerteaux training on emotionally disturbed persons, MI Association of Crisis Negotiators Conference, and National CNT Conference



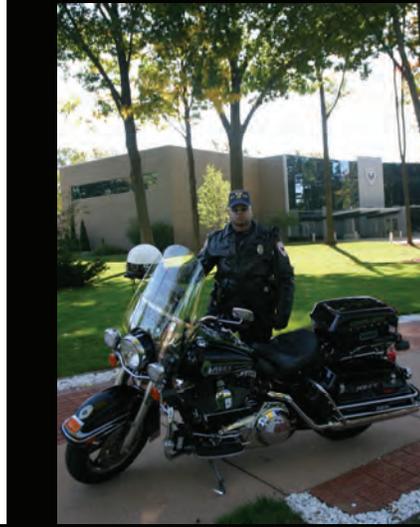
Motorcycle Unit Annual Summary

Motorcycle Unit



The Wyoming Police Motor Unit is made up of 3 Harley Davidson motorcycles and six trained riders who earned their 'motor wings' after two weeks of intensive training through Northwestern University and Harley-Davidson Corp. The unit is staffed as a support unit, by full time sworn police officers who spend most of their work hours in other uniformed assignments.

The crew is led by Sgt. Tim Pols and enjoys having Officer Chuck Walker as our own in-house instructor-trainer. In 2015, the motors were used to control traffic and provide security at public events, as public relations tools at community events, conduct enforcement patrols and provided critical traffic support for motorcades in the region.



Honor Guard Annual Summary

Honor Guard

The Wyoming Police Honor Guard is made up of 15 trained Wyoming Police Officers led by Lt. James Maguffee. Like the motors, this unit is a support unit with all the members spending only a portion of their work time dedicated to this role. The unit represented our City and agency over 30 times in 2015. Events for which they were deployed included police retirement ceremonies, new police hires, the Department's annual awards ceremony, local and regional National Law Enforcement Officer's Memorial (NLEOM) events, Veterans Day observations, and various community events.

We continued our deep involvement in the Kent Metro Honor Guard, a collaborative team of Honor Guards from around metro Grand Rapids. Of the many and varied ways in which this unit supports and represents our agency, the most important occurs when a Michigan police officer falls in the line of duty. In 2015, our personnel represented our agency at services honoring the sacrifice of fallen Michigan State Police Trooper Chad Wolfe.



Investigative Services Division

Annual Summary

Investigative Services Division



The Investigative Services Division Commander is Lt. Jim Maguffee. The unit is comprised of three Sergeants, ten Detectives, two uniformed officers, and one civilian.

The specialized services and the responsibilities of the Investigative Division include:

Responsibilities Include:

- Follow-up Investigation of All Case Types
- Liquor Inspections / Complaints
- Obtain Warrants for Felony, High Misd. Arrests and Search Warrants

Specialized Services:

- Warrant Office
- Combined Auto Theft Team
- Metro Narcotics Enforcement Team
- Kent Area Narcotics Enforcement Team
- Metro Fraud and Identity Theft Team
- U.S. Marshal's Fugitive Team
- FBI Child Exploitation Task Force

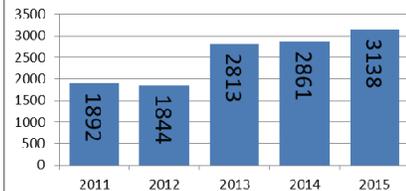
Annual Statistics:

Total cases assigned	3138
Closed by arrest/petition	1200
Warrant in LEIN	177
Open cases	189
Combined with WYPD case(s)	25
Combined with other agency's case(s)	15
Victim refused or no prosecution sought	432
Warrant or petition denied	298
No suspects or leads	379
Police procedures complete	193
Turned over to other agency	26
Petition requested	148
Unfounded	59
Not assigned	1



Sandy Loomis
Secretary

Total Cases Assigned



Drug Enforcement Teams

One Detective is assigned to the Metropolitan Enforcement Team (MET) and another is assigned to the Kent Area Narcotics Team (KANET), which are multi-jurisdictional drug task forces that investigate narcotics traffickers within Kent County.

Combined Auto Theft Team (CATT)

One detective is assigned to the Combined Auto Theft Team, which is comprised of officers from the Wyoming, Kentwood and Grand Rapids Police Departments.

Metro Fraud and Identity Theft Team (MFITT)

One detective is assigned to the Metro Fraud and Identity Theft Team which is comprised of officers from the Wyoming, Kentwood and Grand Rapids Police Departments.

Staffing Data

Detective Bureau Supervision: Sgt. D. Mahoney, Sgt. J. Waters, Sgt. J. McCaw



Sgt. D. Mahoney Sgt. J. McCaw Sgt. J. Waters Det. M. Moore Det. G. Duffy Det. D. VerHage Det. S. Rittenger



Det. P. Swiercz Det. P. Pena Det. R. Meredith Det. B. Robinson Det. D. Ferguson

Warrant Unit



C. Morales



A. Cho

Officers Carmen Morales and Al Cho are assigned to the Warrant Unit.

Warrant Unit Statistics

Arrests	391
Prisoners-booked/processed	804
Prisoner-transported	1,192
Warrants obtained	277
Warrants served	106

Forensic Science Unit

Annual Summary

Forensic Science Unit



The Forensic Science Unit (FSU) is under the direction of unit supervisor Terra Wesseldyk. FSU was very busy during 2015. They hired on a new technician, Shelby Peiffer, and began training her as a dual technician/drug analyst. They have been active in their continuing education and look forward to raising the bar of forensic excellence.

FSU is comprised of one supervisor and four civilian crime scene technicians, all maintaining multiple specialties.

FSU Activities include:

Crime Scene Investigation

- Photography
- Latent Fingerprint
- Accident Investigation
- Trace Evidence Recovery
- Measurements and Sketching
- Bloodstain Pattern Interpretation
- Footwear and Tire Track Impression Recovery

Laboratory Analysis

- Latent Fingerprint Comparison / Analysis
- Drug Analysis
- Forensic Light Source
- Conventional and Chemical Processing
- Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS)

Additional Specialties

- Public Relations
- Prisoner Processing
- Property Management
- Forensic Video Analysis
- Data Master Maintenance
- Computer Composite Facial Reconstruction
- Photographic Documentation of assault Victim Injuries

Staffing Data

Unit Supervisor: Terra Wesseldyk

Crime Scene Technicians:



Wendy Brittain



Todd Masula



Julia Carmody



Shelby Peiffer



Latent Print Unit Activity

Cases received for comparison	166
Latent fingerprints examined	4,735
Cases submitted with suspect ID's	60
Cases with positive print comparisons	125

AFIS Activity

Prints entered into AFIS	167
AFIS hits	101
Hit rate	60%

Unit Activity

Calls for Service	1,297
Crime Scenes	342
Vehicles Processed	128
Property Rec'd/Released/Destroyed	6,285

Unit Accomplishments

In the fall of 2015, Todd Masula identified two suspects in a burglary from fingerprints they left on a coin bottle and watch box. After turning that information over to the Investigative Bureau, the suspects were linked with several more unsolved burglaries and eventually pleaded guilty to home invasion.

Julia Carmody was called to process the scene of a robbery at a local business. After processing the scene, she was able to locate a latent print on a canister handled by the suspect. The suspect was identified from the latent print and convicted of armed robbery.

Wendy Brittain earned her International Association of Identification Photography Certification this year, making her one of less than 100 worldwide to have this distinction.

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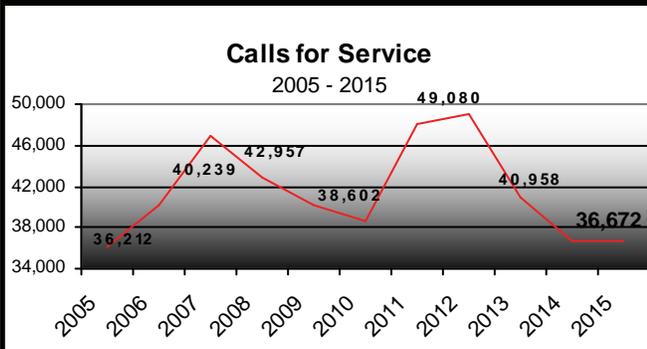


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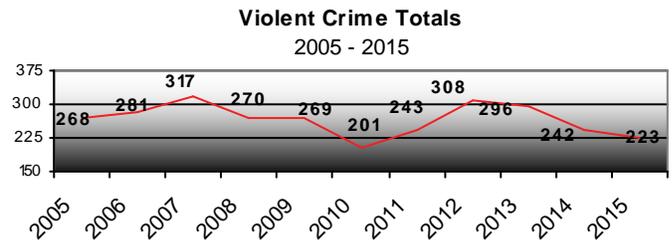


2005-2015 Trend Analysis Executive Summary

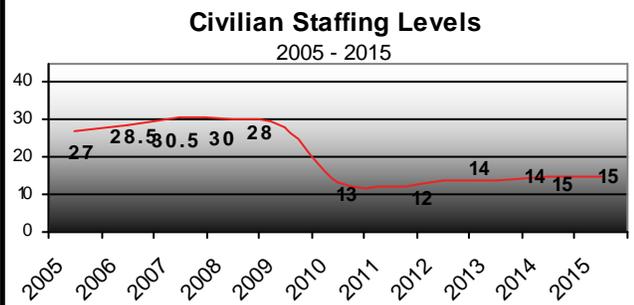
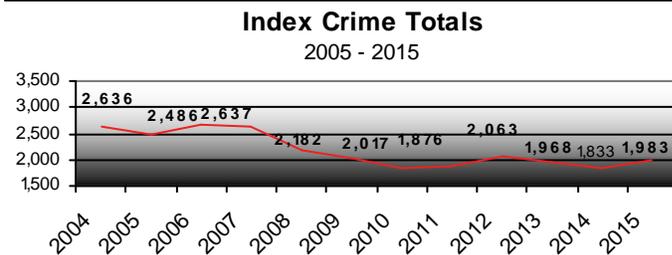
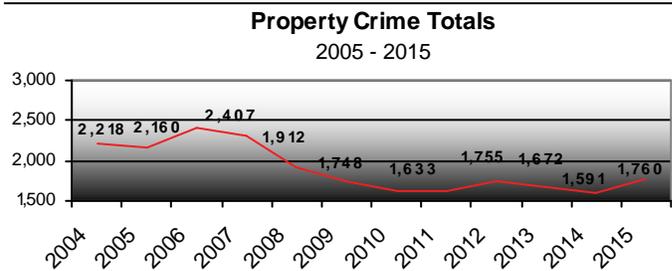
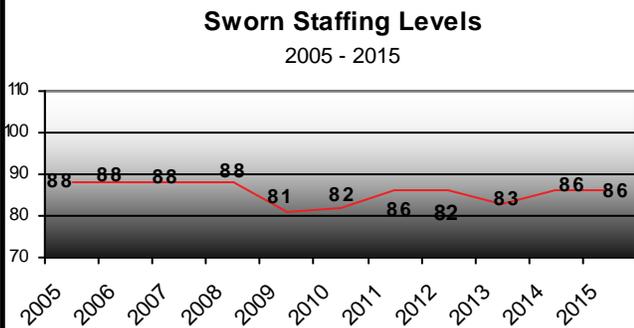
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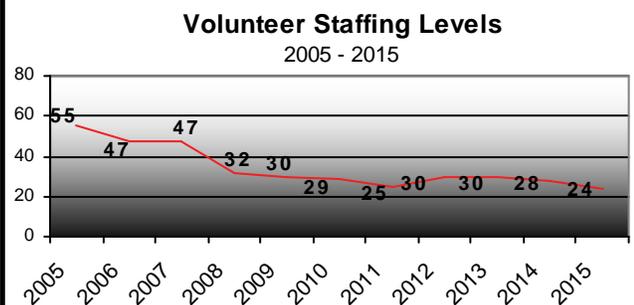
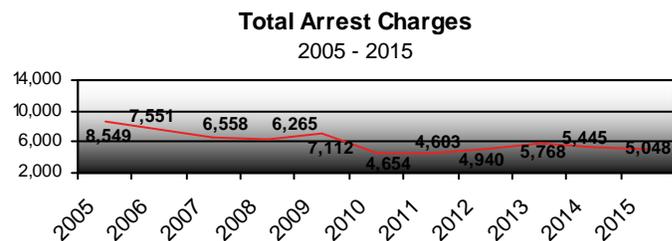
UCR CRIME REPORTING DATA



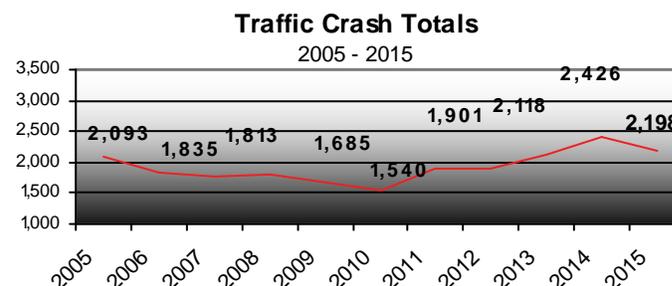
STAFFING



ARREST DATA



TRAFFIC CRASH DATA



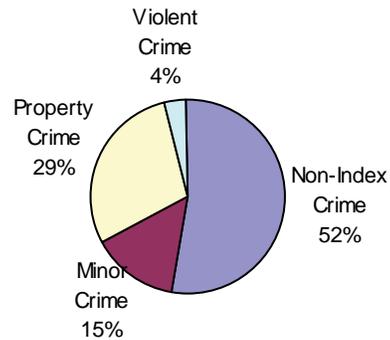
Uniform Crime Index, Total Crime Index Offenses 10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Crime Index Defined

The Crime Index is composed of selected offenses used to gauge fluctuations in the overall volume and rate of crime reported to law enforcement. The offenses included are the violent crimes of murder and non-negligent manslaughter, CSC, robbery, and aggravated assault and the property crimes of burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson.

Violent and Property Crimes

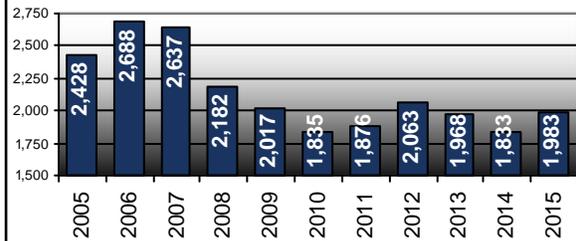
Total Index Crime Reported Offense Distribution



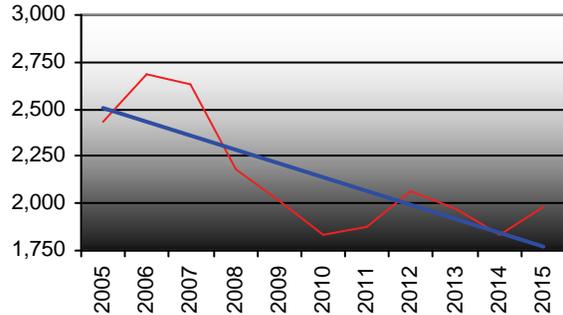
Crime Index Offense Data

- In 2015, 1,983 crime index offenses were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety. This reflects a 8.2 percent increase from 2014. **See Below*
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the City of Wyoming rate for crime index offenses was 2,749.4 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- In 2014, figures released by the FBI showed a .2 percent decrease in violent crime from 2013. Property crimes decreased 4.3 percent which marked 2014 as the 12th straight year that a collective decline in these offenses has occurred.
- Although not available upon publication of this report, preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI indicate an increase in Crime Index Offenses reported nationwide during the first six months of 2015 when compared to the first six months of 2014..*

Crime Index Totals 2005 - 2015



Crime Index Totals Ten Year Trend



Violent Crime

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

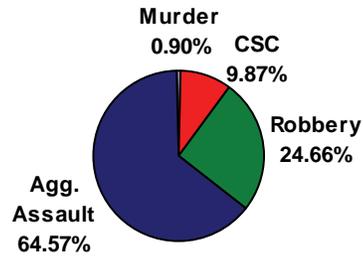
Violent Crime Defined

Violent Crime is composed of four offenses: murder and non-negligent manslaughter, CSC, robbery, and aggravated assault. All violent crimes involve force or threat of force.

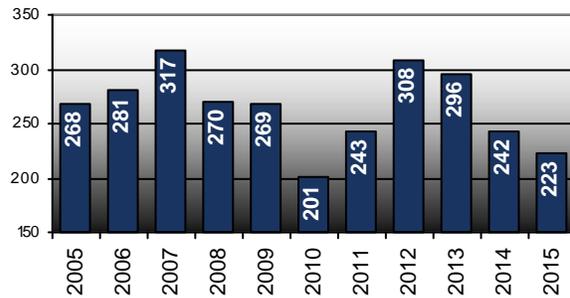
Violent Crime Offense Data

- During 2015, 223 violent crimes were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety. Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted violent crime rate for the City of Wyoming in 2015 was 309.2.6 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average rate for violent crime offenses for cities with a population of 50K to 99K was 335.1 per 100,000 inhabitants. *[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI show a .3 decrease for the same population group during the first six months of 2015.]*
- Geographically, the Midwest violent crime rate in 2014 was 342.2 per 100,000 inhabitants, while U.S. rate was 365.5 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- Assaults that do not involve the use of a firearm, knife or other dangerous weapon and in which the victim did not sustain any serious injuries are reported as Simple Assaults and are not included in violent crime statistics. In 2015, there were 1,015 simple assault cases reported to the Wyoming Police. This represents a 2% increase over 2014.

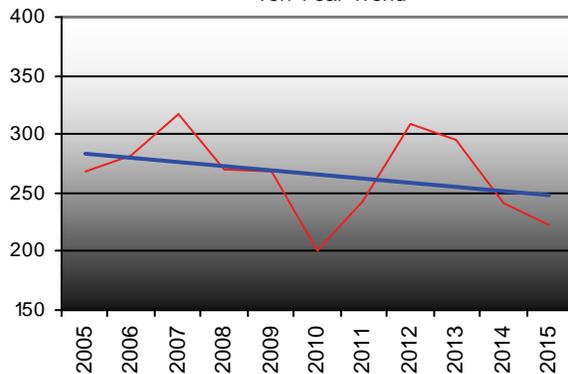
Violent Crime Reported
Offense Distribution



Violent Crime Totals
2005 -2015



Violent Crime Totals
Ten Year Trend



Homicide

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

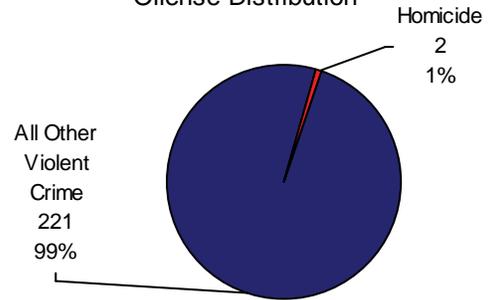
Homicide Defined

Murder and non-negligent manslaughter, as defined in the Uniform Reporting Program, is the willful non-negligent killing of one human being by another.

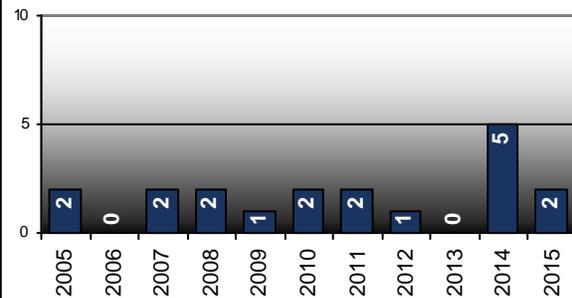
Homicide Offense Data

- During 2015, two offenses of homicide were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted homicide rate for the City of Wyoming was 2.8 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average of homicides for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 3.3.
[Although not available upon publication of this report, preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI indicate a 8.9 percent increase in homicide offenses reported nationwide for the same population group during the first six months of 2015.]
- Geographically, the Midwest homicide rate in 2014 was 4.3 per 100,000 inhabitants. The U.S. homicide rate was 4.5 homicides per 100,000 inhabitants.

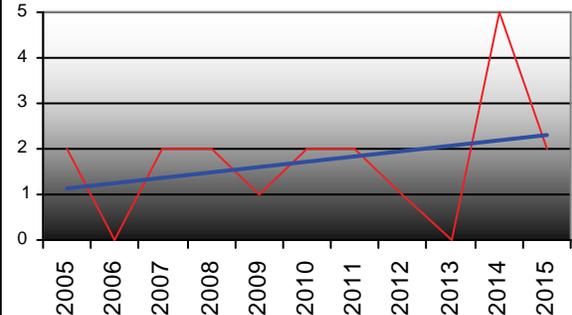
Violent Crime Reported
Offense Distribution



Violent Crime Totals
2005 -2015



Homicide Totals
Ten Year Trend



Criminal Sexual Conduct

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

CSC Defined

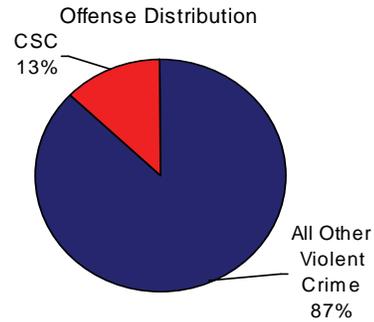
Criminal Sexual Conduct, is defined as the carnal knowledge of a person forcibly and against their will. Assaults or attempts to commit CSC by force or threat of force are also included; however, CSC (without force) and other sex offenses are excluded.

CSC Offense Data

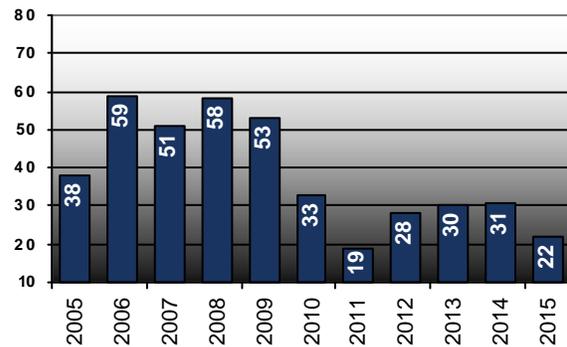
- In 2015, 22 offenses of CSC were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted CSC rate for the City of Wyoming was 30.5 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average of CSC for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 36.6. *[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI for the same population group show a 4.7 percent decrease in CSC offenses during the first six months of 2015.]*
- Geographically, the Midwest CSC rate for 2014 increased to 41.2 per 100,000 inhabitants, while the U.S. CSC rate increased to 36.6 per 100,000 inhabitants.

“In 2015, the number of reported CSC offenses decreased by 29 percent from the total in 2014.”

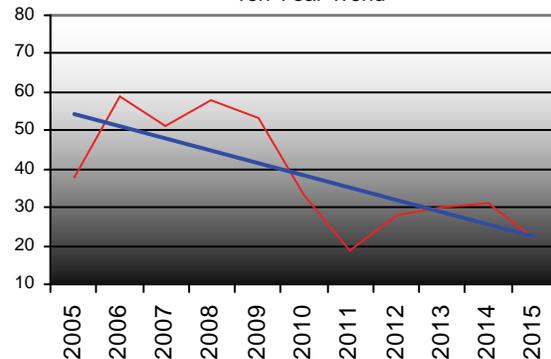
Violent Crime Reported



CSC Totals 2005 - 2015



CSC Totals Ten Year Trend



Robbery

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Robbery Defined

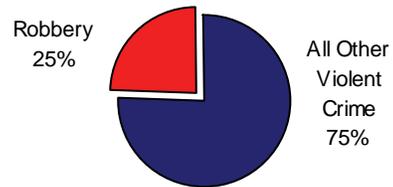
Robbery is the taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear.

Robbery Offense Data

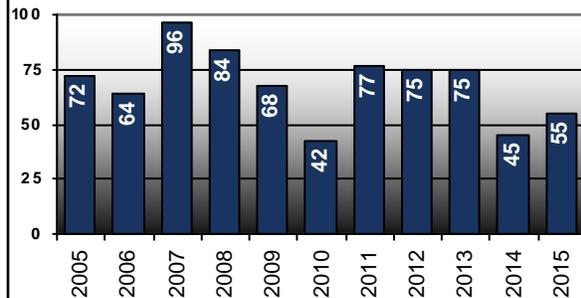
- In 2015, 55 offenses of robbery were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted robbery rate for the City of Wyoming was 76.3 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average of robbery for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 93.7. *[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI for the same population group show a 1.8 percent decrease in robbery offenses during the first six months of 2015.]*
- Geographically, the Midwest robbery rate for 2014 was 90.2 per 100,000 inhabitants, while the U.S. robbery rate was 102.2 per 100,000 inhabitants.

“In 2015, the number of reported robbery offenses increased by 22 percent from the total in 2014.”

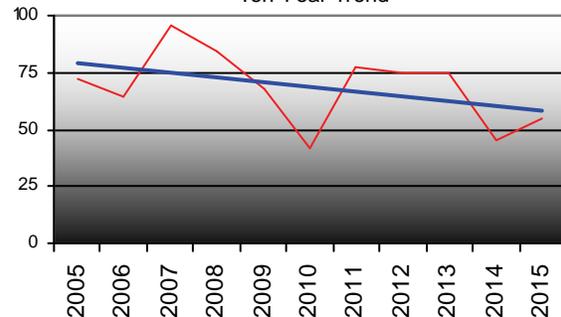
Violent Crime Reported
Offense Distribution



Robbery Totals
2005 - 2015



Robbery Totals
Ten Year Trend



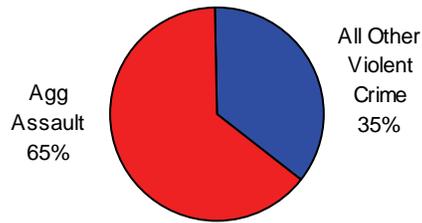
Aggravated Assault

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Aggravated Assault Defined

Aggravated assault is the unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault is usually accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm.

Violent Crime Reported
Offense Distribution

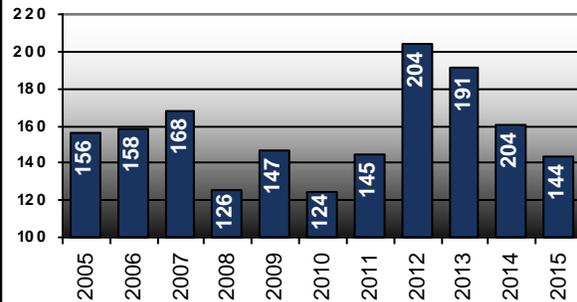


Aggravated Assault Offense Data

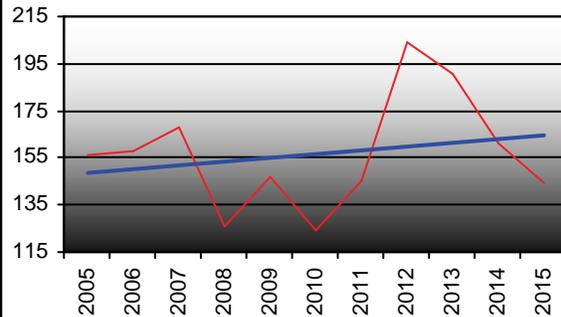
- During 2015, 144 offenses of aggravated assault were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted aggravated assault rate for the City of Wyoming was 199.7 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average of aggravated assaults for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 206.5. *[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI show a .6 percent increase in aggravated assault offenses for the same population group during the first six months of 2015.]*
- Geographically, in 2014, the Midwest aggravated assault rate was 206.4 per 100,000 inhabitants, while the U.S. aggravated assault rate was 232.5 per 100,000 inhabitants.

“In 2015, the number of reported aggravated assaults decreased by 29 percent from the total in 2014.”

Aggravated Assault Totals
2005 -2015



Aggravated Assault Totals
Ten Year Trend



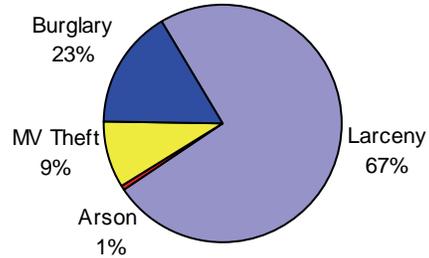
UCR Property Crime Index

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Property Crime Defined

Property Crime includes the offenses of burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft, and arson. The object of the theft-type offenses is the taking of money and property, but there is no force or threat of force against the victims. Arson is included since it involves the destruction of property; its victims maybe subjected to force.

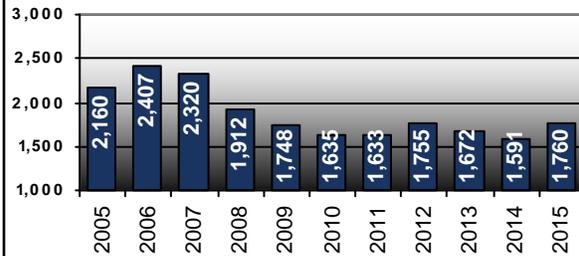
Property Crime Reported
Offense Distribution



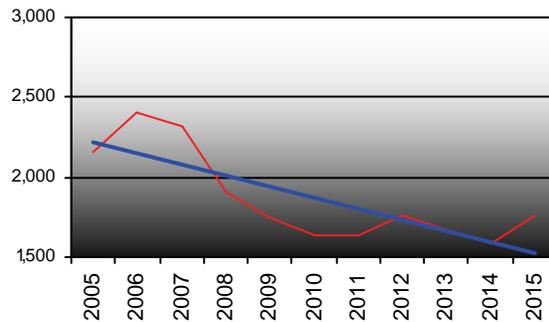
Property Crime Offense Data

- During 2015, 1,760 property crimes were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted property crime rate for the City of Wyoming was 2,440 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average of property crimes for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 2,737.9. *[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI show a 2.7 percent decrease in property crime for the same populations group during the first six months of 2015.]*
- Geographically, in 2014, the Midwest property crime rate was 2,383.3 per 100,000 inhabitants, while the U.S. property crime rate was 2,596.1 per 100,000 inhabitants.

Property Crime Totals
2005 - 2015



Property Crime Totals
Ten Year Trend





Arson

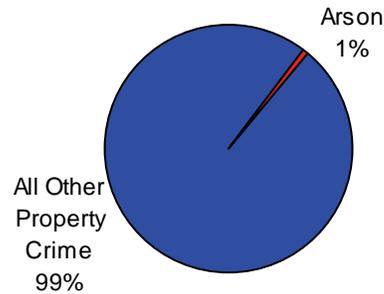
10 Year Trend 2005-2015



Arson Defined

Arson is defined by the Uniform Crime Reporting Program as any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, personal property of another, etc. Only fires determined through investigation to have been willfully or maliciously set are classified as arsons. Fires of suspicious or unknown origins are excluded.

Property Crime Reported
Offense Distribution

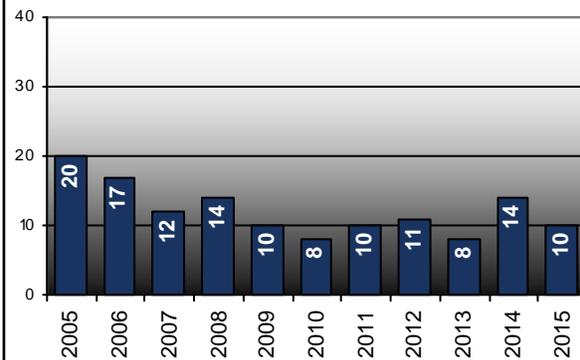


Arson Offense Data

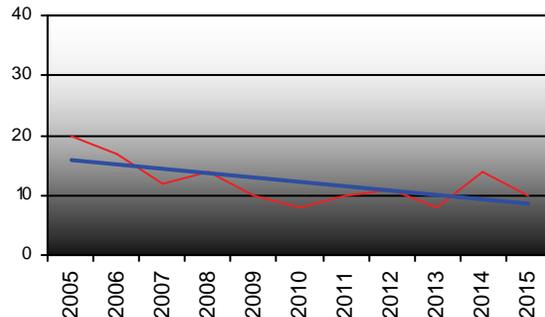
- During 2015, 10 cases of arson were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted arson rate for the City of Wyoming was 13.9 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2013 national average arson rate for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 13.2 per 100,000 inhabitants. *[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI show a decrease of 1.4 percent in arson offenses for the same population group during the first six months of 2015.]*

"In 2015, the number of reported arsons decreased by 4 percent from the 2014 total."

Arson Totals
2005 - 2015



Arson Totals
Ten Year Trend



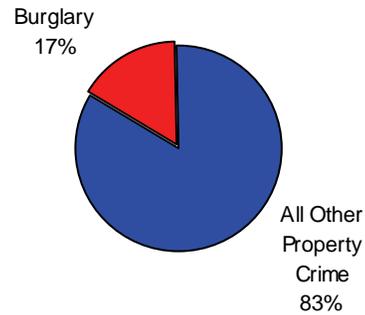
Burglary

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Burglary Defined

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program defines burglary as the unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or theft. The use of force to gain entry is not required to classify an offense of burglary. Burglary for this Program is categorized into three sub-classifications: forcible entry, unlawful entry where no force is used, and attempted forcible entry.

Property Crime Reported Offense Distribution

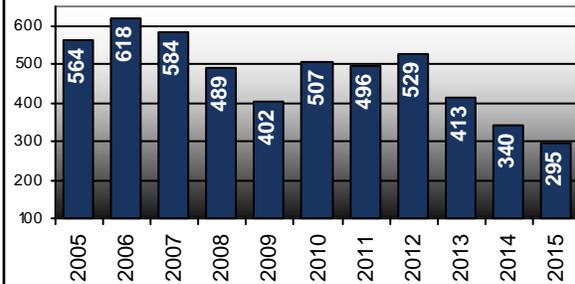


Burglary Offense Data

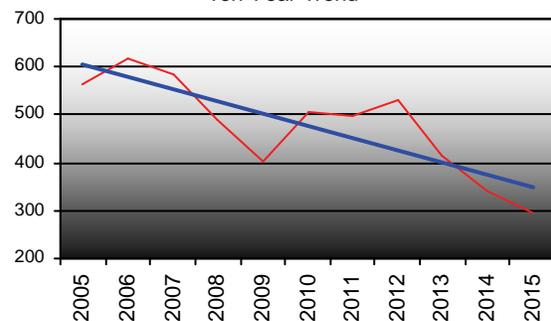
- During 2015, 295 burglaries were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted burglary rate for the City of Wyoming was 409.01 per 100,000.
- The 2014 national average of burglaries for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 515.1.
[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI show a 9.6 percent decrease in burglary offenses for the same population group during the first six months of 2015.]
- Geographically, in 2014, the Midwest burglary crime rate was 488.5 per 100,000 inhabitants, while the U.S. burglary crime rate was 542.5 per 100,000 inhabitants.

"In 2015, the number of reported burglaries decreased 13 percent from the 2014 total."

Burglary Tools 2005 - 2015



Burglary Totals Ten Year Trend



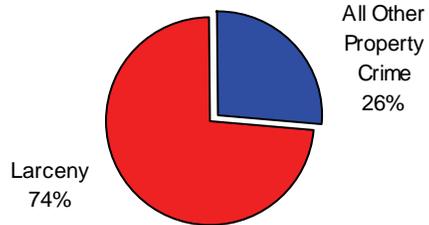
Larceny

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Larceny Defined

The Uniform Crime Report defines Larceny-theft as the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. It includes crimes such as shoplifting, purse-snatching, thefts from motor vehicles, bicycle thefts, etc.

Property Crime Reported
Offense Distribution

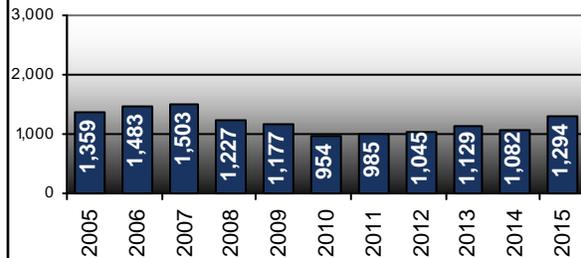


Larceny Offense Data

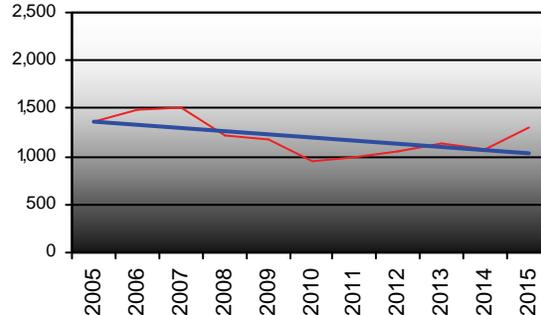
- During 2015, 1,294 larcenies were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted larceny rate for the City of Wyoming was 1,794 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average of larcenies for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 2,005.8.
[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI show a 1.6 percent decrease in larceny offenses for the same population group during the first six months of 2015.]
- Geographically, in 2014, the Midwest larceny rate was 1,713.0 per 100,000 inhabitants, while the U.S. larceny rate was 1,837.3 per 100,000 inhabitants.

"In 2015, the number of reported larcenies increased 20 percent from 2014."

Larceny Totals
2004 - 2014



Larceny Totals
Ten Year Trend



Motor Vehicle Theft

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Motor Vehicle Theft Defined

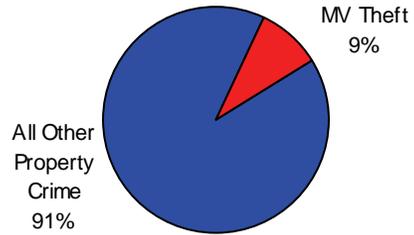
Defined as the theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle, this offense category includes the stealing of automobiles, buses, trucks, snowmobiles, motorcycles, motor scooters, etc. The definition excludes the taking of a motor vehicle for temporary use by those persons having lawful access.

Motor Veh. Theft Offense Data

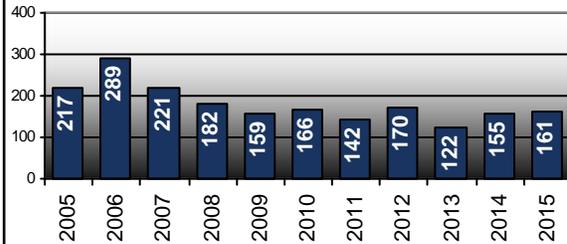
- During 2015, 161 motor vehicle thefts were reported to the Wyoming Department of Public Safety.
- Based upon a population of 72,125, the adjusted motor vehicle theft rate for the City of Wyoming was 223.2 per 100,000 inhabitants.
- The 2014 national average of motor vehicle theft for cities with a population between 50K to 99K was 217.0. *[Preliminary numbers obtained from the FBI show a 5.7 percent decrease in motor vehicle theft offenses for the same population group during the first six months of 2014.]*
- Geographically, in 2014, the Midwest motor vehicle theft rate was 181.8 per 100,000 inhabitants, while the U.S. rate was 216.2 per 100,000 inhabitants.

"In 2015, the number of reported motor vehicle thefts increased 4 percent from 2014 ."

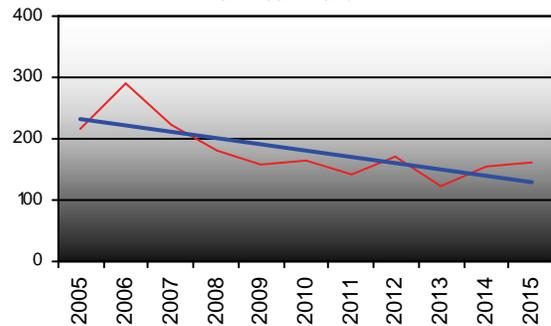
Motor Vehicle Reported
Offense Distribution



Motor Vehicle Theft Totals
2005 - 2015



Motor Vehicle Theft Totals
Ten Year Trend



Non-Index Offense Analysis

2015 Annual Summary

Offense Reported	Definition	2015	2014	% Change
Negligent Manslaughter	Deaths determined by police investigation to be primarily caused by gross negligence (except motor vehicle accidents).	3	0	-
Non-Aggravated Assault	An unlawful physical attack by one person upon another, where no weapon is present and no severe injury occurs.	1,015	998	2%
Forgery & Counterfeiting	The making, altering, uttering, or possessing with intent to defraud, anything false in the semblance of that which is true.	53	36	47%
Fraud	The fraudulent conversion and obtaining money or property by false pretense.	368	288	28%
Embezzlement	The illegal taking, misapplying, or misappropriating of money, or other things of value which have been entrusted to ones care, custody or control.	39	42	-7%
Stolen Property	The buying, receiving, or possessing personal property of another which has been criminally taken.	45	35	29%
Vandalism	The willful or malicious destruction of public or private property.	334	441	-24%
Weapons Offenses	The violation of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sell, purchase, transportation, possession, concealment, or use of firearms, or other deadly weapon.	19	17	12%
Prostitution & Vice	The illegal activities related to engaging in normal or deviate, heterosexual or homosexual acts for profit or gain.	2	4	-50%
Sex Offenses	The illegal acts done for sexual stimulation or gratification, or involving display or exposure of sexual organs. Rape and prostitution not included.	97	102	-5%
Narcotic Laws	The unlawful possession, use, sale, growing, manufacturing, and making of illegal drugs.	590	532	11%
Gambling	Unlawful engaging in playing, operating, and assisting in operating a game of chance for money or some other stake.	0	1	-100%
Offenses Against Family & Children	Any non-violent offenses by a member of a family which threatens the unity of the family, the physical or economic welfare or morals or members of the family.	69	73	-5%
Driving Under the Influence	The driving or operating of any vehicle while under the influence of liquor or drugs.	205	223	-8%
Liquor Laws	Unlawfully acquiring, manufacturing, transporting, or selling intoxicating alcoholic liquor.	95	121	-21%
Disorderly Conduct	Offense which disturbs the peace and tranquility of the community in general.	188	171	10%
Other Minor Offenses	All other criminal activity (including drunkenness, vagrancy, curfew, loitering and runaways.)	867	949	-9%
Total		5,972	5,866	2%

SECTION VI



OFFENDER DATA

Juvenile vs. Adult Arrest Charges Data

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

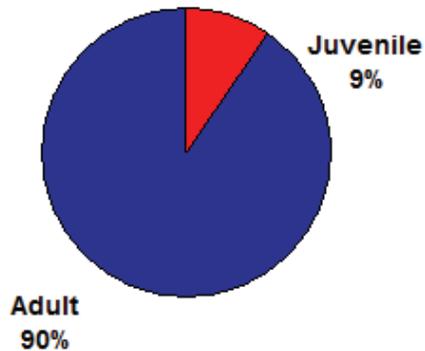
Juvenile & Adult Defined

Under Michigan law, the definition of a juvenile is a person who is under 17 years of age, and an adult is someone who is seventeen years of age and older.

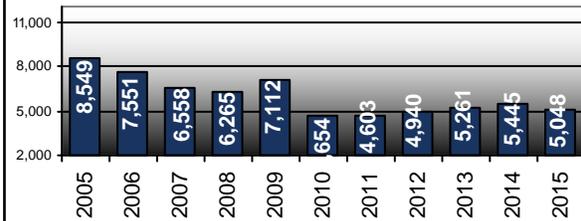
Arrest Charges Data

- In 2015, 490 arrest charges were to juveniles, while 4,558 arrest charges were to adults.
- During 2015, the total juvenile arrest charges increased by two percent, while the adult arrest charges decreased eight percent from 2014 levels.
- The total 2015 juvenile and adult arrest charges decreased by seven percent from the 2014 totals.
- Of those arrest charges, 90 percent were adults and ten percent were juveniles.
- Seventy-two percent of the juvenile arrests were to Wyoming residents, while 28 percent were non-resident.
- Forty-six percent of the adult arrest charges were to Wyoming residents, while 54 percent were non-residents.

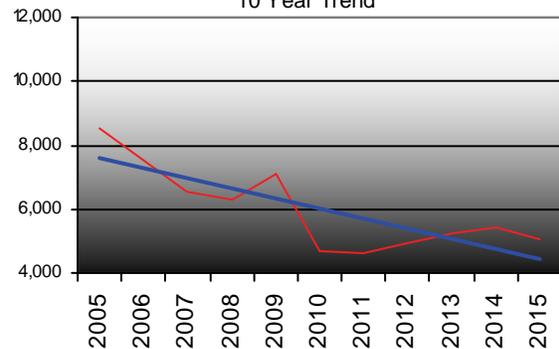
Juvenile vs. Adult
Arrest Charges Distribution



Total Arrest Charges
2004-2014



Total Arrest Charges
10 Year Trend



SECTION VII



TRAFFIC DATA

Traffic Crash Summary

10 Year Trend 2005-2015

Traffic Crash Data

- During 2015, there were 2,198 traffic crashes reported in the City of Wyoming.
- Approximately 80% (1,766) of all crashes were limited to property damage to the motor vehicles, while 20% (432) involved a personal injury.
- In 2015, most crashes occurred during the month of January and November and the least during the month of April.
- In 2015, most crashes occurred on Friday, while the least crashes occurred on Sunday.
- The majority of crashes occurred between 10:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. The least number of crashes occurred between 1:00 A.M. and 6:00 A.M.
- In 2014, there were seven fatalities resulting from a crash within the city limits of Wyoming.
- 5.4 percent of all crashes in Wyoming involved alcohol or drugs in 2015.

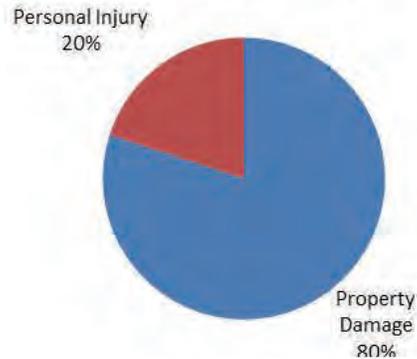
2015 Michigan Traffic Crash Facts

- There were a total of 297,023 crashes in Michigan resulting in 893 fatalities and 54,008 persons injured.
- 303 (34%) of the 893 crash-related fatalities in Michigan involved alcohol.
- 3.2% of Michigan's accidents (9,537) involved a driver who had been drinking.
- According to the Michigan Department of Community Health, approximately three out of five accidental deaths for teenagers and young adults (ages 15-24) are due to motor vehicle crashes.

www.michigantrafficcrashfacts.org

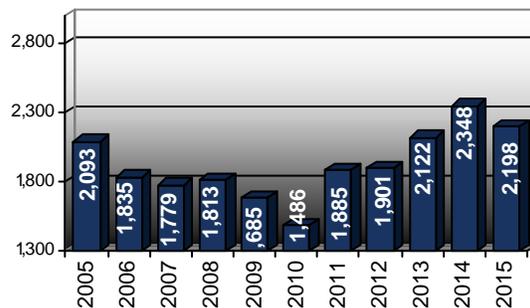
Traffic Crash

Percent Distribution



Total Traffic Accidents

2005 - 2015



Traffic Crash Totals

Ten Year Trend

