

The National Leader in Public Safety Training



MONTHLY UPDATE

July 2024

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CALL FOR SERVICE OVERVIEW

The Department handled 1,378 citizen-generated calls for service.

Officers initiated 930 calls.

Compared to last month:

Citizen-generated calls increased by 87. Officer-initiated calls decreased by 116.

Compared to last July:

Citizen-generated calls increased by 18. Officer-initiated calls increased by 73.

CRIME

PROPERTY CRIME

- Two burglaries were reported this month.
- Two vehicles were reported stolen this month.

SHOTS FIRED/GUN-RELATED CRIME

- There were no reports of a shooting or shots fired call this month.
- No firearms were seized as evidence this month.
- No robberies involving a gun were reported this month.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

- Officers investigated seventeen domestic violence incidents this month.

OTHER NOTABLE EVENTS

INCIDENTS, INVESTIGATIONS, AND ARRESTS

Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Cocaine, Resisting/Obstructing an Officer | 7/5 | An officer, while on routine patrol, observed a vehicle travel straight through an intersection controlled by a stop sign without coming to any sort of stop. The officer conducted a traffic stop on the offending vehicle where the passenger, a 41-year-old female, immediately exited the vehicle not complying with officer's commands and began physically resisting. After the female was detained, the officer observed illegal narcotics in plain view inside the vehicle. During a search of the vehicle, methamphetamine, crack cocaine, marijuana, and multiple crack pipes were located. The female was arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on charges of Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Cocaine, Possession of THC, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Obstructing/Resisting an Officer, 5 counts of Felony Bail Jumping, and 3 counts of Misdemeanor Bail Jumping.

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Second Degree Reckless Endangering Safety | 7/7 | An officer on routine patrol was traveling through a heavily populated residential neighborhood. While traveling through the neighborhood, the officer observed two vehicles traveling at a high rate of speed. The officer was able to observe on his squad radar that one vehicle was traveling at 68 miles per hour in a posted 25 mile per hour zone. Upon viewing this reading, the officer conducted a u-turn in order to initiate a traffic stop on the speeding vehicle. As the officer was conducting the maneuver, he observed one of the vehicles almost strike the rear of a legally parked food truck and as a result, slid across the road sideways to avoid the collision. The dangerous driving behavior of the vehicle occurred near a food truck, which several people were standing around and several more people were outside in the area. As a result of the extremely careless driving behavior, the driver, a 19-year-old male, was arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on a charge of 2nd Degree Recklessly Endangering Safety. The second vehicle involved in the driving incident was also stopped and the driver, a 19-year-old male, was cited for Exceeding Speed Zones (40-44mph) and Automobile Following Too Closely. The skid marks from the sliding vehicle were measured using a hand-held laser and it was determined the vehicle slid approximately 138 feet in distance before stopping.

Battery to Law Enforcement Officer, Resisting/Obstructing, Operating While Intoxicated | 7/20 | While monitoring traffic, an officer observed a vehicle with an expired registration plate. The officer attempted a traffic stop on the vehicle. Upon the vehicle pulling over and coming to a stop, the driver quickly exited the vehicle and ran from the stop location. A foot pursuit ensued and once the officer made contact with the suspect, the suspect began physically resisting and fighting the officer. At one point, the suspect had the officer pinned down to the ground. Backup arrived and gained control of the suspect, ultimately detaining him in handcuffs. The officer suffered a sprained ankle from the confrontation. The suspect, a 46-year-old male, was arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on the charges of Battery to Law Enforcement (felony), Operating While Intoxicated – 5th offense (felony), Prohibited Alcohol Concentration – 5th offense (felony), and Resisting/Obstructing an Officer.

Threats to Law Enforcement Officer, Resisting/Obstructing | 7/28 | Fitchburg officers were dispatched to a fight in progress at a business in the 6200 block of McKee Road. Officers were advised that three males were throwing things and hitting employees of the business. Investigation into the altercation revealed two patrons of the establishment engaged into a physical fight with one another and a member of security at the business. Ultimately, a 43-year-old male was arrested and charged with Criminal Damage to Property, Bail Jumping – Misdemeanor, Bail Jumping – Felony, and two counts of Disorderly Conduct. The other participant in the altercation, a 47-year-old male, was arrested and charged with Disorderly Conduct, Resisting/Obstructing an Officer, and Threat to an Officer (felony).

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NOTABLE CALLS FOR SERVICE				
Case Number	Date	Location	Alder District	Incident Description
24-13274	7/1/2024	2500 Rimrock Rd	3	Burglary, Theft
24-13368	7/2/2024	100 Brown Quail Ct	3	Substantial Battery, Intimidation of a Victim, Resisting/Obstructing an Officer
24-13463	7/3/2024	5700 Clarendon Dr	2	Battery to a Healthcare Worker
24-13560	7/4/2024	Fish Hatchery Rd/Greenway Cross	2	Road Rage: Intentionally Point Firearm at Person, Carrying a Concealed Weapon
24-13584	7/5/2024	E Badger Rd/Rimrock Rd	3	Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Cocaine, Resisting/Obstructing an Officer
24-13587	7/5/2024	2900 Fish Hatchery Rd	2	Second Degree Recklessly Endangering Safety, Battery, Resisting/Obstructing an Officer
24-13729	7/6/2024	2900 King James Way	1	1st Degree Sexual Assault of a Child
24-13741	7/7/2024	2800 Fish Hatchery Rd	2	Possession of Methamphetamine
24-13788	7/7/2024	Post Rd/Leopold Way	2	Second Degree Recklessly Endangering Safety
24-13933	7/10/2024	2500 Pheasant Ridge Trail	3	Second Degree Recklessly Endangering Safety, Possession with Intent to Distribute Narcotics/THC, Resisting/Obstructing an Officer, Eluding
24-14010	7/10/2024	2800 Fish Hatchery Rd	1	Robbery with Use of Force
24-14213	7/12/2024	Fish Hatchery Rd/Greenway Cross	2	Automobile Theft
24-14329	7/15/2024	USH 12/John Nolen Dr	*	Possession of Cocaine
24-14419	7/16/2024	2800 Coho St	2	Substantial Battery, Carrying a Concealed Knife
24-14660	7/19/2024	Turbot Dr/Post Rd	2	Battery to a Law Enforcement Officer, Resisting/Obstructing
24-14734	7/20/2024	Williamsburg Way/Anton Dr	1	Battery to a Law Enforcement Officer, Resisting/Obstructing, Operating while Intoxicated
24-14768	7/20/2024	2900 Fish Hatchery Rd	1	Carrying a Concealed Knife, Resisting/Obstructing an Officer, Theft
24-15122	7/25/2024	4500 Sentinel Pass	1	Armed while Intoxicated

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24-15130	7/25/2024	2300 Chalet Gardens Rd	1	Strangulation and Suffocation: Domestic
24-15190	7/26/2024	2700 S Syene Rd	4	Possession of a Controlled Substance: Fentanyl
24-15299	7/28/2024	6200 McKee Rd	1	Threats to a Law Enforcement Officer, Resisting/Obstructing
24-15422	7/30/2024	2600 Post Rd	2	1st Degree Recklessly Endangering Safety, Substantial Battery
24-15498	7/31/2024	1900 Post Rd	2	2nd Degree Sexual Assault of a Child

Incident descriptions reflect preliminary classifications that may change over the course of the investigation.

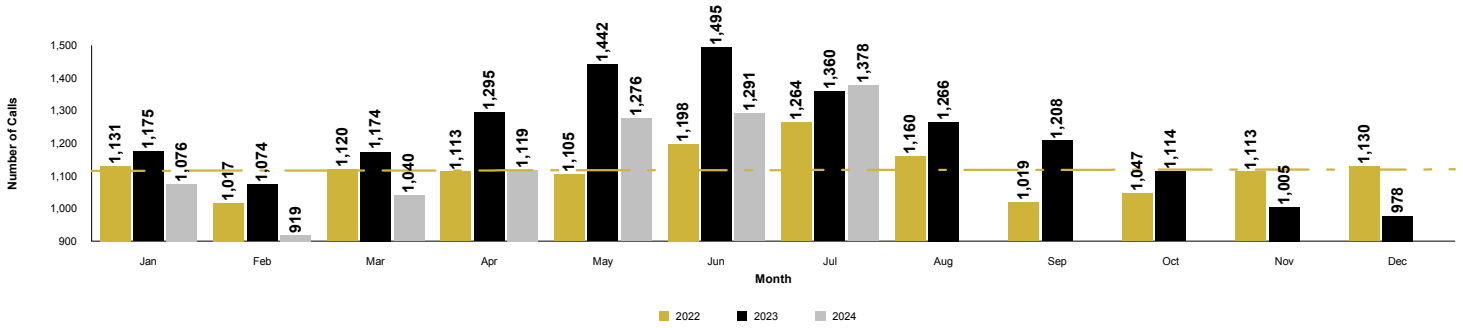


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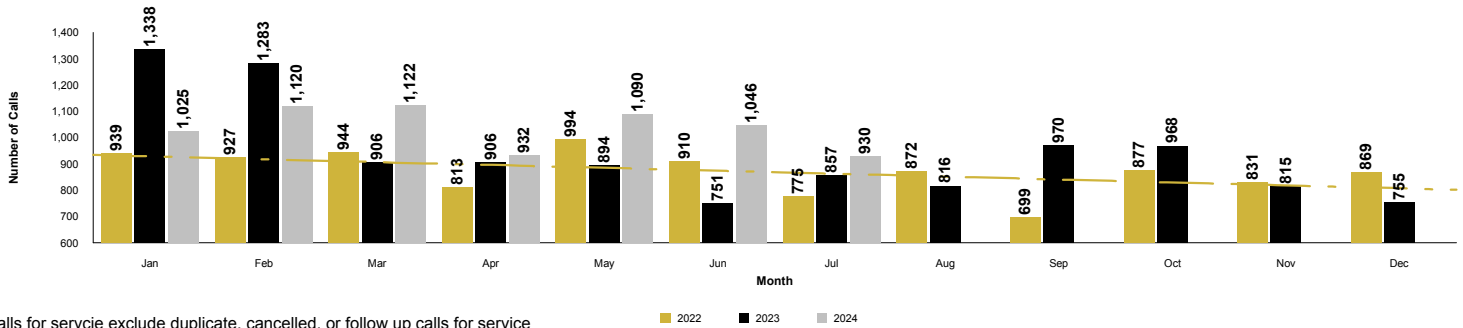
Police Activity
July of 2024



Citizen Generated Calls



Officer Initiated Calls



Calls for service exclude duplicate, cancelled, or follow up calls for service

Noteable Incidents

	2023												2024						
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Abduction/FI	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	0	1	0	2	1	2	0	0	4	1	2	0
Murder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Sexual Assault	1	3	0	4	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	0	3	0	1	0	1	1	3
Aggravated Assault	9	7	4	7	9	5	2	8	4	3	4	5	3	5	2	3	5	5	6
Burglary	8	4	3	5	2	7	8	4	5	1	2	10	5	3	4	2	4	0	2
Theft of Auto	4	1	21	8	9	5	4	11	3	3	4	3	3	4	5	2	2	2	2
Theft from Auto	12	7	5	10	10	6	7	4	3	3	10	5	4	3	2	9	12	6	8

Noteable incidents excludes unfounded incidents. It also aggregates to the highest offense within a single incident.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Theft of Auto	5	1	23	9	9	6	8	11	3	4	4	4	3	4	5	2	3	2	2
Shots Fired	0	2	2	2	4	3	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0
Domestic	15	12	18	16	15	16	16	13	17	8	14	17	19	8	7	21	10	20	17

These 3 categories include a count of all incidents were the related offense occurred whether or not it was the highest offense.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Accidents	68	52	39	51	57	66	51	48	56	50	52	49	70	41	54	38	54	37	39

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Traffic Monitoring	197	118	143	128	118	107	111	111	189	168	110	51	49	105	130	139	151	150	72
Traffic Stop	258	251	212	182	185	149	216	205	246	283	238	196	283	502	501	303	404	373	374