



**MONTHLY UPDATE**  
**October 2025**

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## CALL FOR SERVICE OVERVIEW

The Department handled 1,018 citizen-generated calls for service.

Officers initiated 981 calls.

### Compared to last month:

Citizen-generated calls decreased by 38. Officer-initiated calls decreased by 176.

### Compared to last October:

Citizen-generated calls decreased by 71. Officer-initiated calls decreased by 468.

## CRIME

### PROPERTY CRIME

- Nine burglaries were reported this month.
  - Five of which were attempted burglaries.
- Two vehicles were reported stolen this month.

### SHOTS FIRED/GUN-RELATED CRIME

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

### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

- Officers investigated eight domestic violence incidents this month.

## OTHER NOTABLE EVENTS

### INCIDENTS, INVESTIGATIONS, AND ARRESTS

**2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Reckless Endangering Safety, Battery, Disorderly Conduct | 10/9** | Fitchburg officers were dispatched to a residence in the 2600 block of Pheasant Ridge Trail after a caller reported being attacked by a neighbor with a knife. Officers learned that the incident began when the involved parties' children were engaged in a physical altercation at a nearby park. One of the adults intervened to separate the juveniles, prompting the parent of the other child to confront them. The confrontation between the two adults escalated into a physical fight, during which a knife was produced and swung at the victim. A 37-year-old Fitchburg woman was arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on charges of Second Degree Recklessly Endangering Safety, Battery, and Disorderly Conduct.

**False Imprisonment | 10/11** | Officers received a walk-in complaint regarding a disturbance that occurred at a residence in the 5100 block of Central Park Place. The reporting party stated that her boyfriend restrained her from leaving the residence. She told officers that the boyfriend arrived at her home and blocked a door, preventing her from exiting. During the incident, the

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victim contacted another individual via FaceTime, and the boyfriend left after hearing that person say they were coming over. The suspect, a 19-year-old Madison man, was later arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on a charge of False Imprisonment.

**Strangulation & Suffocation, Bail Jumping, Theft, Disorderly Conduct | 10/20 |** Fitchburg officers were dispatched to a residence in the 5100 block of Anton Drive for a reported disturbance between a boyfriend and girlfriend. The girlfriend told officers that during an argument, her boyfriend took her phone and strangled her with his hand and a pillow. He then left the residence, taking her cell phone with him. A 24-year-old Madison man was later arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on charges of Strangulation and Suffocation, Felony Bail Jumping, Theft, and Disorderly Conduct.

**4th Degree Sexual Assault, Felony Bail Jumping, Child Neglect | 10/23 |** Fitchburg officers were dispatched to the area of Beltline Self Storage for a report of a female who stated she had been sexually assaulted by a known individual while at a nearby bar. During the investigation, officers learned that two children, ages 5 and 1, had been left unattended in a vehicle while the female and the other individual consumed intoxicants at the bar. As a result of the investigation, a 56-year-old Madison man was arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on charges of Fourth-Degree Sexual Assault and Felony Bail Jumping. The 27-year-old female, who is the mother of the children, was also arrested and booked into the Dane County Jail on charges of Child Neglect and an active arrest warrant.

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Case Number	Date	Location	Alder District	Incident Description
FP25-21453	10/3/2025	S Seminole Hwy/Sub-Zero Pkwy	4	OWI
FP25-21486	10/4/2025	2200 Branson Rd	4	OWI, Possession of Cocaine
FP25-21499	10/4/2025	E Cheryl Pkwy/Lacy Rd	3	OWI (3rd), Hit & Run
FP25-21526	10/4/2025	3300 Leopold Way	2	Burglary
FP25-21572	10/5/2025	3300 Leopold Way	2	Battery, Bail Jumping, Disorderly Conduct
FP25-21707	10/7/2025	2700 Norwich St	4	Burglary
FP25-21750	10/8/2025	4500 Jenewein Rd	1	Felon in Possession of Firearm
FP25-21856	10/9/2025	2600 Pheasant Ridge Trl	3	2nd Deg. Reckless Endangering Safety, Battery, Disorderly Conduct
FP25-21936	10/10/2025	2500 Rimrock Rd	3	Theft of Auto
FP25-21960	10/11/2025	2900 Cahill Main	2	OWI
FP25-21964	10/11/2025	800 USH 151	1	OWI
FP25-21999	10/11/2025	5100 Central Park Place	3	False Imprisonment
FP25-22000	10/7/2025	2400 High Ridge Trl	2	1st Deg. Child Sexual Assault
FP25-22016	10/11/2025	2900 Cahill Main	2	OWI
FP25-22025	10/12/2025	2100 High Ridge Trl	2	OWI
FP25-22240	10/15/2025	6100 Nesbitt Rd	4	Battery
FP25-22263	10/15/2025	300 W Beltline Hwy Frontage Rd	3	OWI
FP25-22521	10/19/2025	4600 Thurston Ln	1	Theft from Auto
FP25-22572	10/20/2025	5100 Anton Dr	1	Strangulation & Suffocation, Felony Bail Jumping, Theft, Disorderly Conduct
FP25-22709	10/23/2025	400 W Beltline Hwy Frontage Rd	3	4th Deg. Sexual Assault, Felony Bail Jumping, Child Neglect

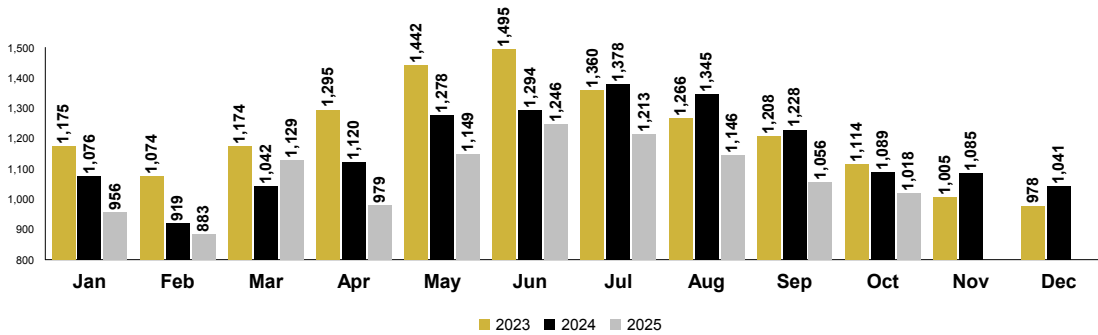
Incident descriptions reflect preliminary classifications that may change over the course of the investigation.

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MONTHLY ACTIVITY October of 2025

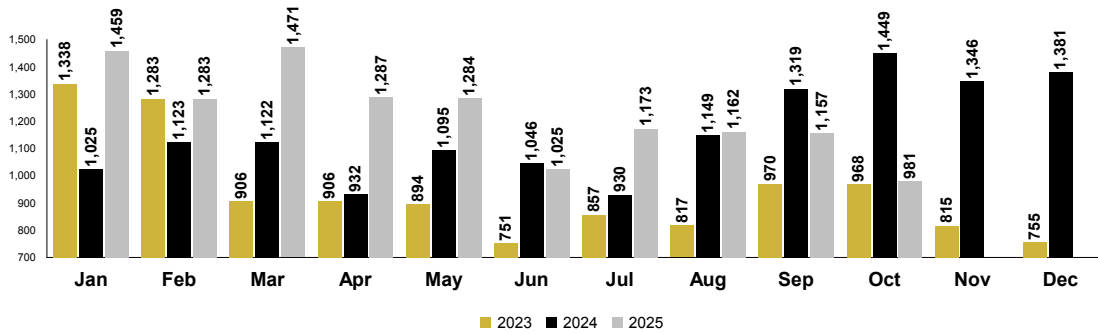


## CITIZEN GENERATED CALLS FOR SERVICE



2024 YTD	2025 YTD	YTD % +/-
11,769	10,775	-8.4%

## OFFICER INITIATED CALLS FOR SERVICE



2024 YTD	2025 YTD	YTD % +/-
11,190	12,282	9.8%

	2024												2025												2024 YTD	2025 YTD	% +/- YTD
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec			
Abduction/FI	2	0	0	4	1	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	13	6	-53.8%	
Murder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100.0%	
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	
Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	6	50.0%	
Sexual Assault	3	0	1	0	1	1	4	0	1	0	2	3	2	2	4	4	0	1	0	1	0	2	11	16	45.5%		
Aggravated Assault	3	5	2	3	5	5	7	3	4	4	5	9	1	2	0	3	4	2	1	3	1	3	41	20	-51.2%		
Burglary	5	3	4	3	4	0	4	4	2	2	5	5	5	1	0	1	1	4	1	1	3	9	31	26	-16.1%		
Theft of Auto	3	4	5	2	2	2	1	2	4	2	8	2	3	0	5	4	3	2	5	2	3	2	27	29	7.4%		
Theft from Auto	4	3	2	9	12	7	9	14	19	0	3	4	1	1	1	2	3	2	3	3	2	1	79	19	-75.9%		
Notable incidents excludes unfounded incidents. It also aggregates to the highest offense within a single incident.																									206	123	-40.3%

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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec			
Theft of Auto	3	4	5	2	2	2	2	4	2	8	2	4	0	5	4	3	2	5	2	3	2	28	30	7.1%			
Shots Fired	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	2	2	1	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	9	4	-55.6%		
Domestic	19	10	7	22	11	20	20	13	25	10	18	11	7	5	10	11	10	15	14	14	15	8	157	109	-30.6%		

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

	2024												2025												2024 YTD	2025 YTD	% +/- YTD
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec			
Traffic Crash	70	41	54	38	54	37	39	51	45	59	52	52	45	55	42	44	51	54	51	38	40	44	488	464	-4.9%		

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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec			
Officer Initiated																											
Traffic Monitoring	49	105	130	139	151	150	72	118	231	213	133	154	223	140	218	142	163	153	149	137	154	111	1,358	1,590	17.1%		
Traffic Stop	283	504	501	303	405	373	374	427	426	600	503	547	590	505	671	613	583	355	439	430	350	345	4,196	4,881	16.3%		