

2022 Annual Statistical Report



LOVELAND POLICE
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Overview



The annual statistical report was created to inform both the Loveland Police Department and the City of Loveland community members about crime and traffic incidents, crashes, and offenses within the city. Among this report you will find an overview of the calls for service received and responded to by the members of the Loveland Police Department during 2022. Arrest and traffic data, population figures, district breakdowns, and other information is included.

Various data sources were utilized to prepare this analysis including the Records Management System (RMS), the Computer Aided Dispatch System (CAD), online resources such as the City of Loveland's 2022 Annual Data & Projections Report, Colorado Crime Stats, CBI NIBRS Reporting, and FBI.gov. It should be noted that the numbers in this report may vary slightly from the LPD monthly data summary or other data queries and reports of a similar nature.

Calls for Service (CFS) encompass a large portion of this report. CFS will encompass citizen-generated calls, while Logged Police CAD Activities log all reports including citizen generated and officer initiated contact. It should be noted that although Community Service Officers (CSOs) are not sworn officers, and do not have arrest powers, they are dispatched to traffic and parking related calls, prisoner transport, and other low-risk calls and provide important support to LPD sworn officers. CSO activity that was citizen generated is included in the numbers found in this analysis.

It should also be noted that this report presents a small portion of the quantitative work the LPD responds to on a daily basis. Numbers will never represent the dedication, courage, strength, compassion, and willingness the members of the Police Department put into their jobs to help keep the City of Loveland a safe place to live and work.

Highlights

In January 2022, a full time Victim's Services Coordinator was hired. By June, there were 6 volunteers added to the team. In February 2023, a full time and a part time Victim Services Specialists were hired, and the goal is to have 15 volunteers on board by the end of 2023. In 2022, the Victim Services Unit provided a 24/7/365 response to victims of crime, victims of circumstance, and unattended deaths or suicides.

- 1,481 Victims/Witnesses were reached
- Crisis Assistance was given to 902 individuals by Officers, Detectives, or Victim Services
- Victim Brochures were given to 993 individuals by Officers, Detectives, or Victim Services
- 1,125 Victims/Witnesses were called by Victim's Services
- 295 Victims/Witnesses were emailed by Victim's Services
- 110 Victims/Witnesses were met in-person by Victim's Services

Members of the Loveland Police Department participated in approximately 95 presentations and community events in 2022 including Community Night Out and the Fishing Derby in the summer, as well as Santa Cops and Cops Fighting Cancer in the winter. LPD members also celebrated USMC Sgt Jack Thurman's 97th birthday with the Veterans Group and were honored by Shield 616 and gifted 3 ballistic plates and vests by the Lions Club of Loveland. Presentations were given at numerous locations such as schools, businesses, churches, other city departments and community groups, and local parks. The age ranged from preschool aged children to senior adults. During these presentations LPD was able to reach an approximate total of 2,582 children and 2,080 adults by providing some variation of safety and prevention information.

The Loveland Police Explorer Post #22 experienced tremendous growth during 2022 with active recruitment done by the School Resource Officers at all middle and high schools. This resulted in doubling the size of the post. The Post is actively engaged in supporting the growth and learning of the cadets by providing opportunities to work alongside police officers.

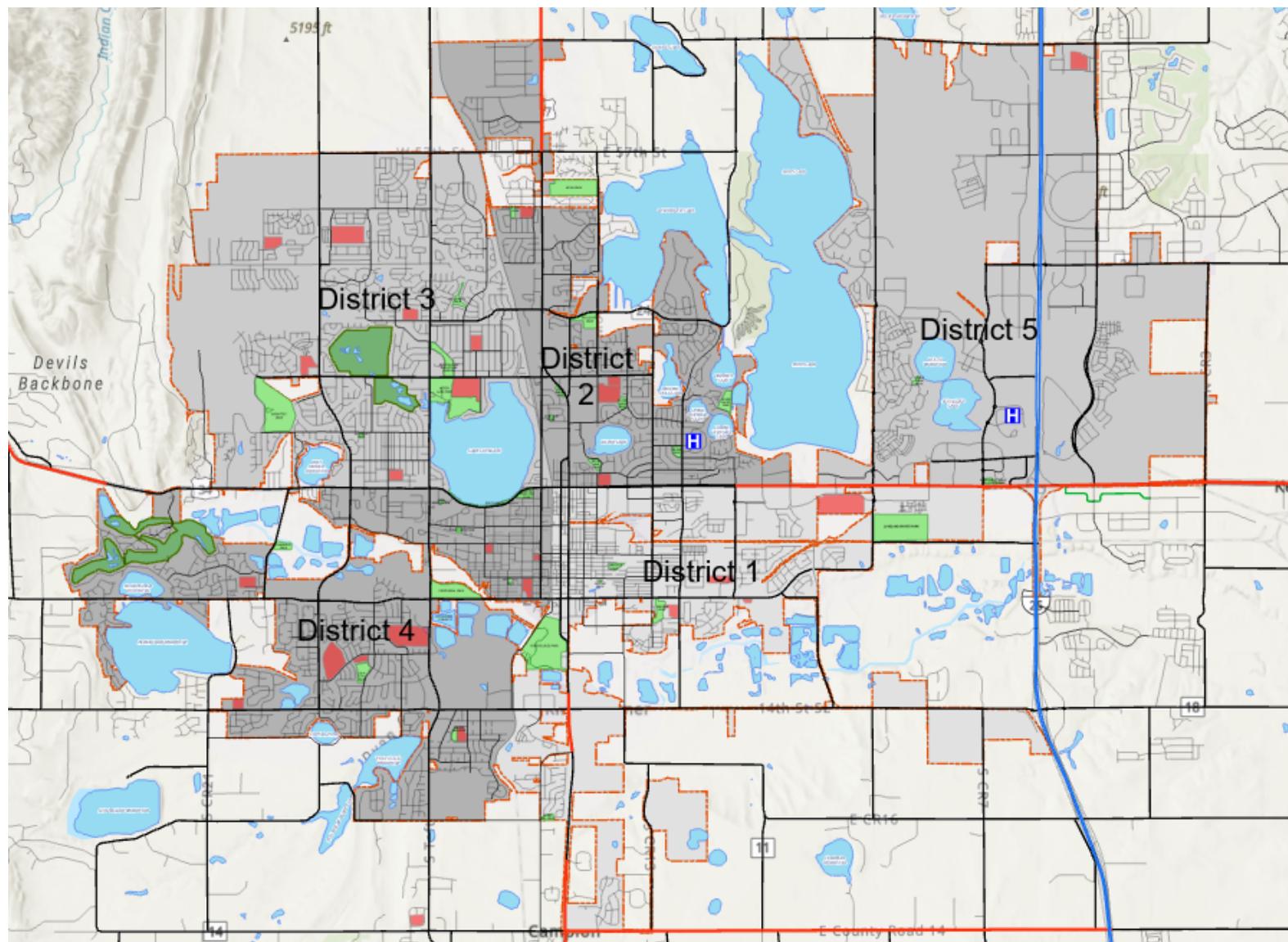
With the desire to keep the community informed, the development and growth of social media platforms was an objective in late 2022. The number of social media followers increased by nearly 2000 between September and December. The goal is to have 25,000 followers by the end of 2023.

Though the swearing in wasn't until January 3rd, 2023, Chief of Police Tim Doran was appointed to the Loveland Police Department in late 2022.



City Districts

The Officers of the Loveland Police Department patrol approximately 35.63 square miles every day, which includes over 430 miles of roads. The city is divided into five Police Districts which are shown on the map below.

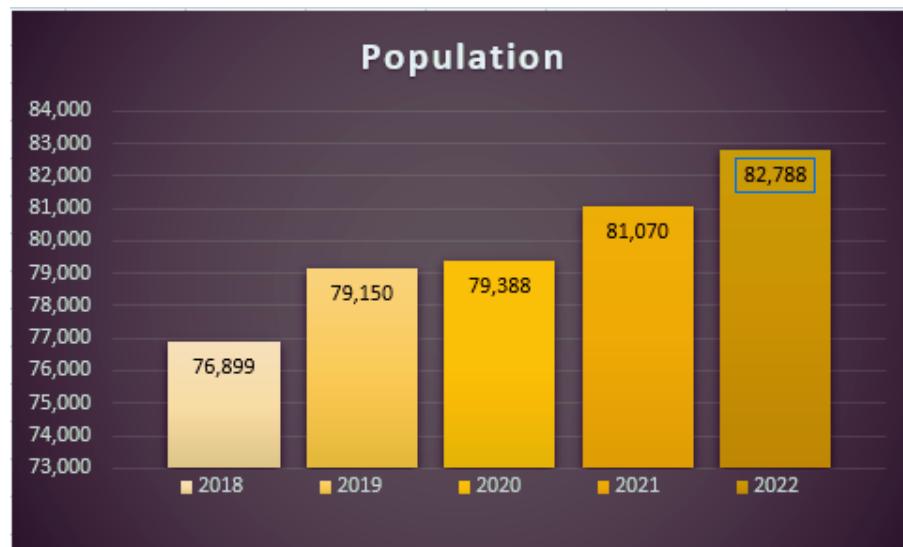


City Population



According to the City of Loveland Annual Data and Projections Report, between 2010 and 2021 the Front Range region saw 95% of the population growth for the entire state. Larimer County landed in the top five counties for fastest-growth rate in the state with a total of 19.7% in ten years.

Over the past five years the total population of Loveland Colorado has increased from 76,899 in 2018 to 82,788 in 2022. This is a total 7.47% increase, with an average annual increase of 1.49%. It is predicted that the population will continue to rise, and in 2023 we can expect the population to sit around 84,542.



Source

City of Loveland. 2022 Annual Data & Projections Report. (2022).

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Calls for Service

The Communications Center dispatches calls for service for Police, Fire and Emergency Medical Service (EMS). This report analyzes only the police activity/calls that were recorded in 2022.

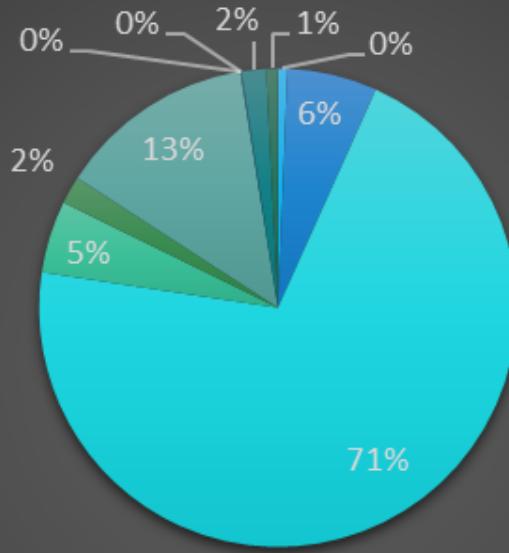
The Loveland Police Department had 83,435 logged police activities in 2022. These logged CAD activities include both citizen-generated Calls for Service (CFS) as well as officer-initiated incidents and follow-ups. The 2022 number is down 10.55% from the 93,261 logged activities in 2021. Citizen-generated Calls for Service (CFS) accounted for 52,559 (63%) of the total logged activities. This is down 1.5% from the 53,340 citizen-generated CFS in 2021.

The total logged activities number also includes the calls that were logged and subsequently handled by Communications without having to have an officer dispatched. In 2022, the Communications staff handled 13,270 (15.9%) of the logged police calls compared to 11,969 (12.3%) in 2019.

The Loveland Police Department prioritizes calls by the nature and urgency of the call type. The following table and graph indicate the frequency and percentage of logged police activity by priority classification based upon all logged activities

Priority Type - Logged Police Activities	Total	%
1 - Emergency	523	0.63%
2 - Urgent	5085	6.09%
3 - Non-Emergency	58943	70.65%
3 - Traffic	4076	4.89%
4 - Lobby/Desk	1558	1.87%
5 - Phone Contact	11136	13.35%
6 - Low Priority	76	0.09%
7 - Non-Priority	1	0.00%
8 - Dispatch	1374	1.65%
9 - Information	663	0.79%
Total	83,435	100%

Call types by priority



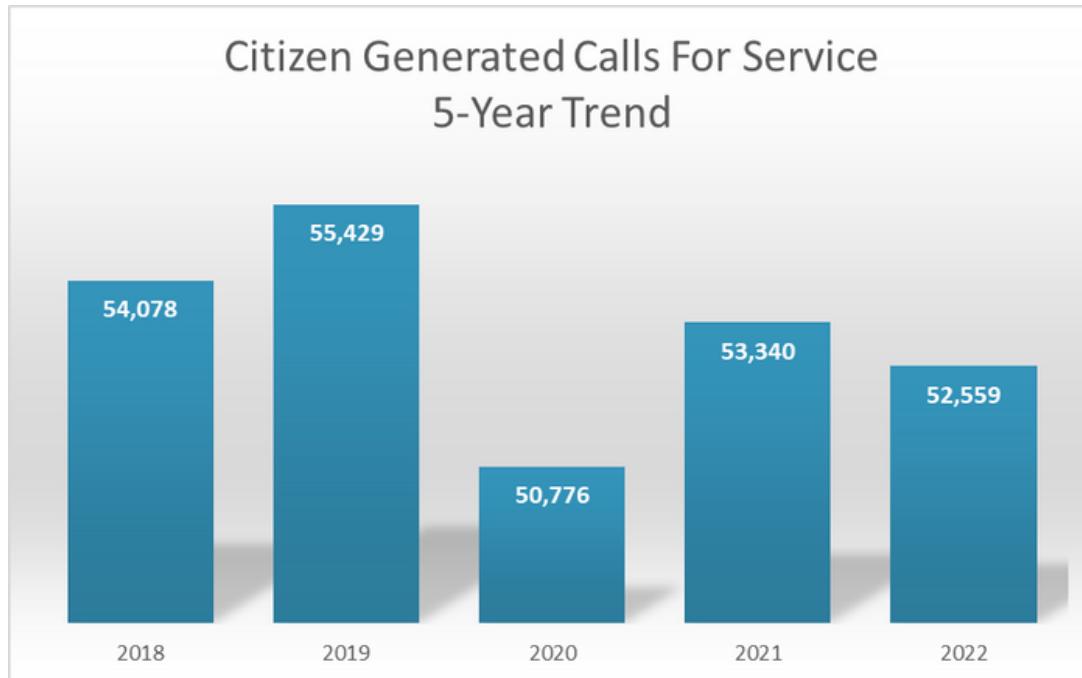
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In 2021 we had seen an increase of both emergency and urgent calls from years previous. In 2022, the number of calls for both decreased.

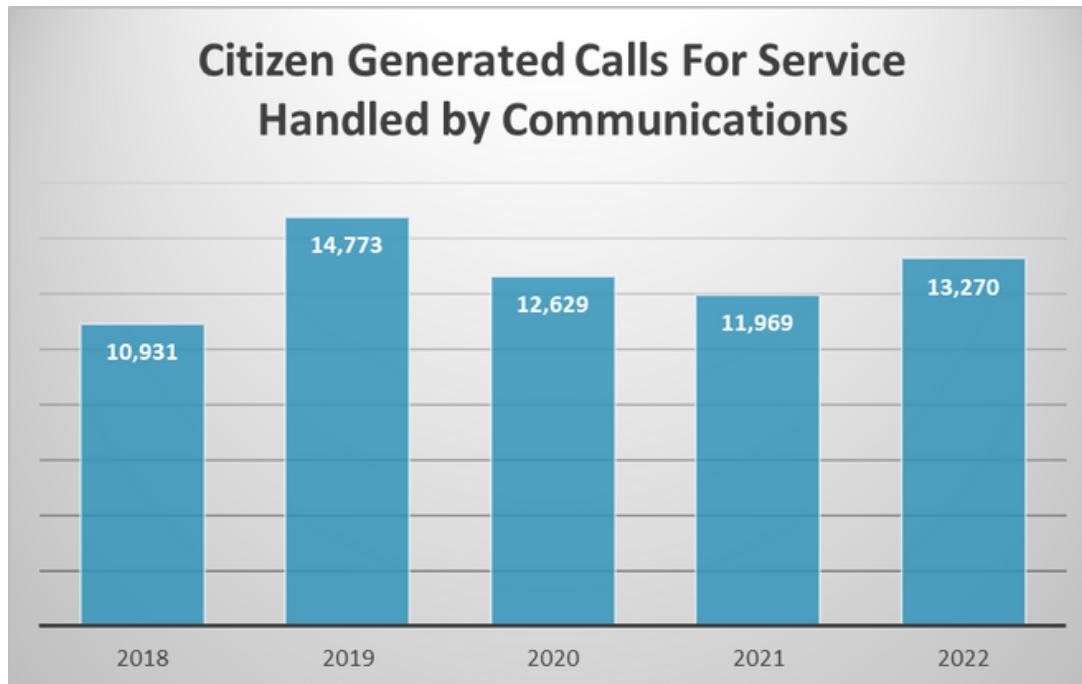
Priority 1, or emergency calls, were down from 596 in 2021 to 523 in 2022. Priority 2, or urgent calls, were also down from 5,398 in 2021 to 5,085 in 2022. Priority 3, or non-emergency calls were down from 61,990 in 2021 to 58,943 in 2022. Non-emergency calls made up 71% of total call volume in 2022.

Citizen-generated Calls for Service

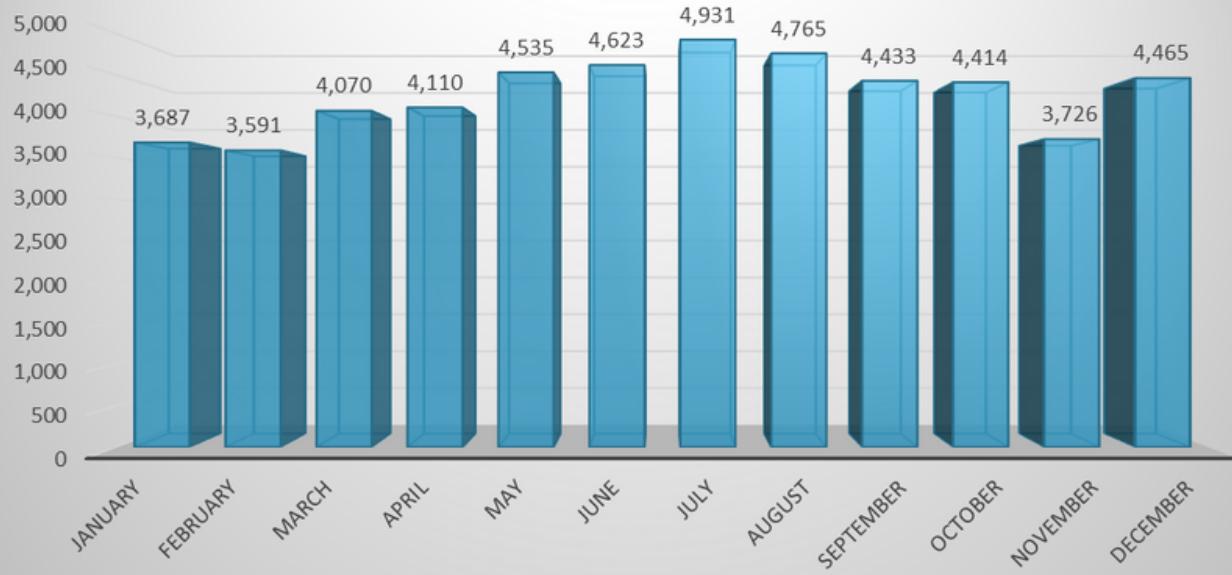
As mentioned above, citizen-generated calls for service (CFS) accounted for 52,559 (63%) of the total logged activities. This is down 1.5% from the 53,340 citizen-generated CFS in 2021.



Of the 52,559 calls, Communications handled 13,270. This means Dispatchers were able to handle the call without it having to be transferred to an Officer.

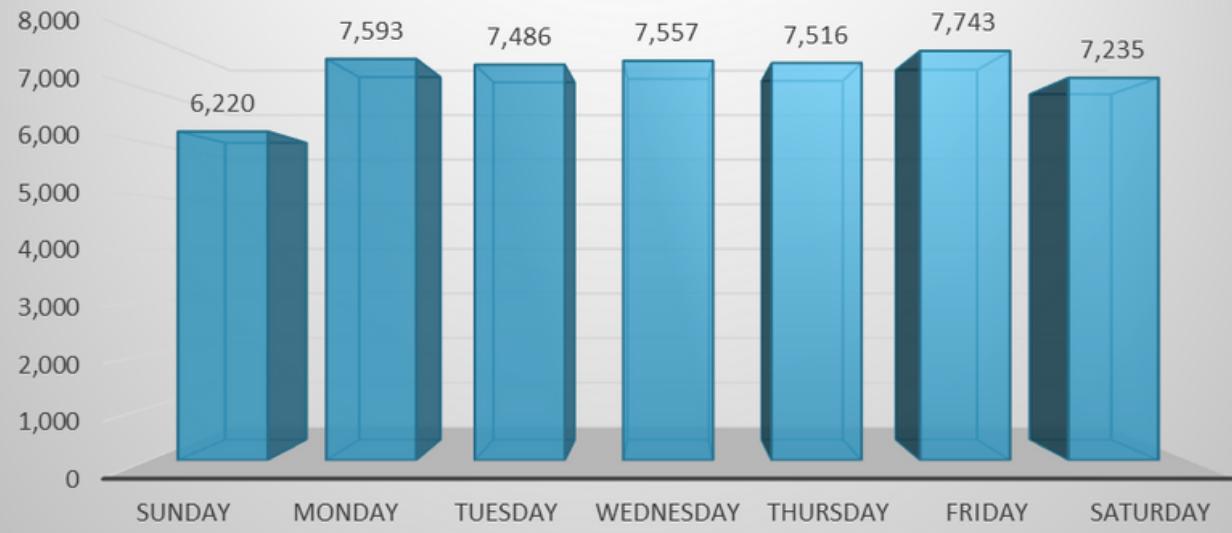


Citizen Generated Calls For Service by Month



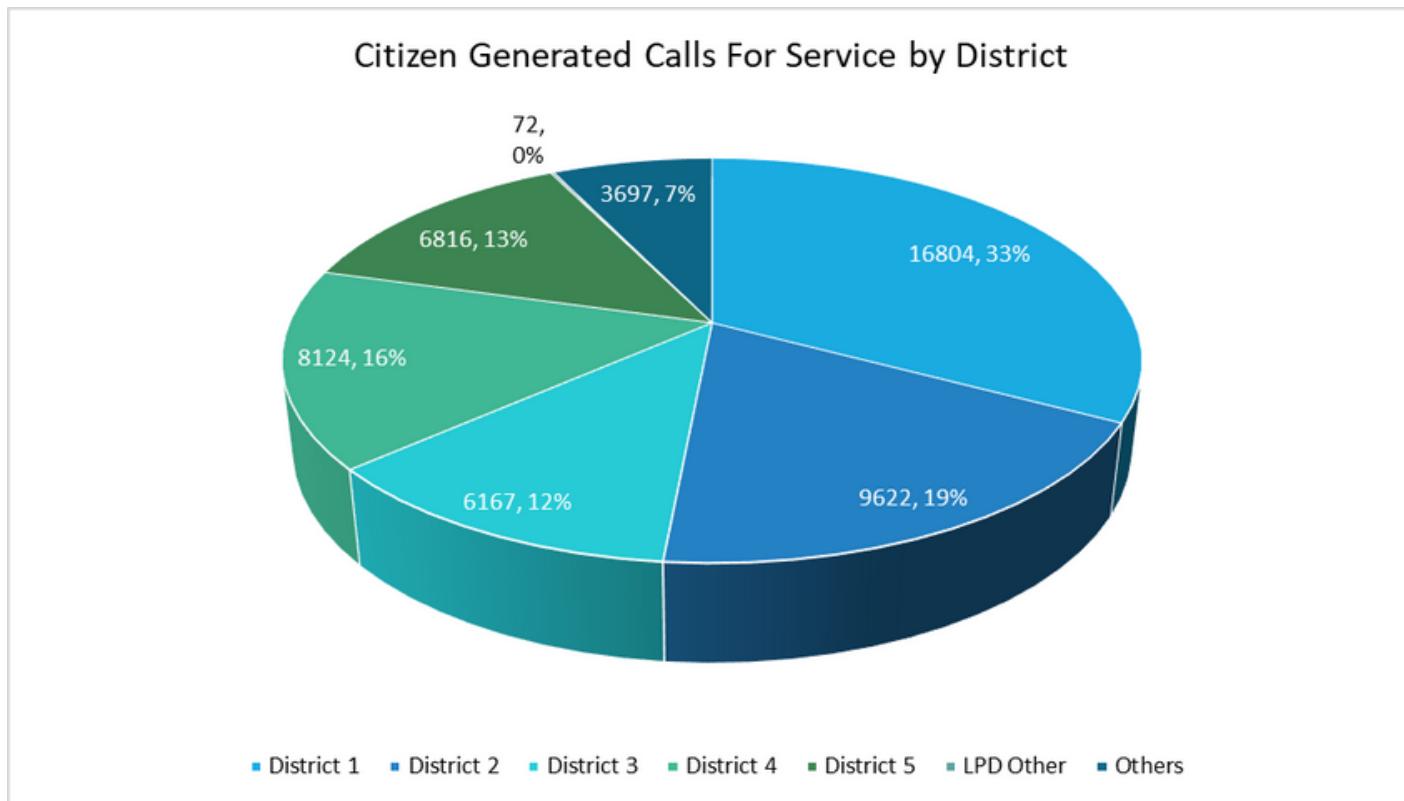
The Loveland Police Department received the most CFS in July at 4,931. The fewest number of calls came in February at 3,591. LPD saw the same trend in 2021 with the highest call volume in July and the lowest in February. On a weekly basis, the number of calls is fairly equal each day, with Friday's being the highest and Sunday's being the lowest. Again, the same trend was seen in 2021.

Citizen Generated Calls For Service by Day of Week



District 1 saw the highest number of calls for service at 16,804, which is 33% of the total citizen generated calls in 2022. It is important to note, the Loveland Police Department is housed in District 1, so many of these calls involved citizens walking into the department to make a report.

District 2 had the second highest call volume at 9,622 which made up 19% of the total citizen generated calls. District 4 had the third highest call volume, followed by District 5 and then District 3. Loveland Police Officers also responded to some calls outside of district jurisdiction which makes up the final two categories.



The top 10 locations for total calls for service are below.

Total Calls For Service - Top 10 Locations		Total
1325 N Denver - Wal-Mart		490
250 W 65th - Wal-Mart		480
137 S Lincoln - Loveland Resource Center		476
860 N Cleveland - Safeway		454
255 E 2nd - The Foundry		421
1725 Rocky Mountain Ave - Target		373
1600 E Eisenhower Blvd - Kum & Go		365
2600 North Lincoln Ave - Food Bank for Larimer County		314
253 E 29th - Orchards Shopping Center		295
1275 Eagle Drive - Thompson Valley Towne Center Shopping Mall		289

The top 15 call types for citizen generated calls for service can be seen below. These call types made up 34,164 of the 52,559 total calls.

Citizen Generated CFS - Top 15 (All Dispositions)	Total
911 Hangup	10195
Assist Citizen	3315
Welfare Check	2869
Suspicious Circumstances	2785
MV Crash	2146
Disturbance	1983
Assist Business	1831
Traffic Related	1825
Alarm Burglar	1803
Civil Issue	1047
Transient	931
Priave Tow/Repo	915
Assist Other Agency	854
Fraud	840
Vehicle Trespass	825

The top 15 call types for citizen generated calls for service that resulted in a case report, also known as an RMS entry are below. These calls for service made up a total 5,950 of the total CFS that resulted in a case report.

Citizen Generated CFS - Top 15 (With RMS Entry/Case Reports)	Total
MV Crash	1656
Vehicle Trespass	646
Shoplifting	484
Theft Cold/In Progress	440
Fraud	394
Warrant Arrest	386
Disturbance	322
Vehicle Theft	267
Property Found	251
Criminal Mischief	249
Burglary Cold	200
Sex Offender Registration	192
Assault	164
Vehicle Recovery	150
Restraining Order Violation	149

Response Times

The total response time is calculated as the interval from the time the dispatcher answered the call to the time the first officer arrived on scene. Priority 1 calls are considered emergency calls, such as "weapons complaints", "robberies", or "injury crashes". Priority 2 calls are considered urgent calls such as "trespass in progress", or "verbal disturbance". Priority 3 calls are considered non-emergency calls such as "cold burglary", "fireworks,", or "cold trespass".

Phone Pickup to 1st Officer Arrive	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Priority 1 Calls	197	186	309	324	316
Average Response Time	06:42	07:42	06:49	06:57	07:29
Priority 2 Calls	3286	3073	2964	3193	3381
Average Response Time	07:38	07:34	07:28	08:02	09:00
Priority 3 Calls	13520	13702	14513	14612	16041
Average Response Time	22:43	22:15	16:06	18:50	22:08

Officer travel time is calculated based on the time the first unit was en-route to the call until the first unit arrived on scene.

1st En-Route to 1st Officer Arrived	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Priority 1 Calls	197	186	309	324	316
Average Response Time	05:09	05:29	05:00	05:12	05:26
Priority 2 Calls	3286	3073	2964	3193	3381
Average Response Time	05:46	05:43	05:29	05:54	06:29
Priority 3 Calls	13520	13702	14513	14612	16041
Average Response Time	09:36	10:14	08:34	09:10	09:53

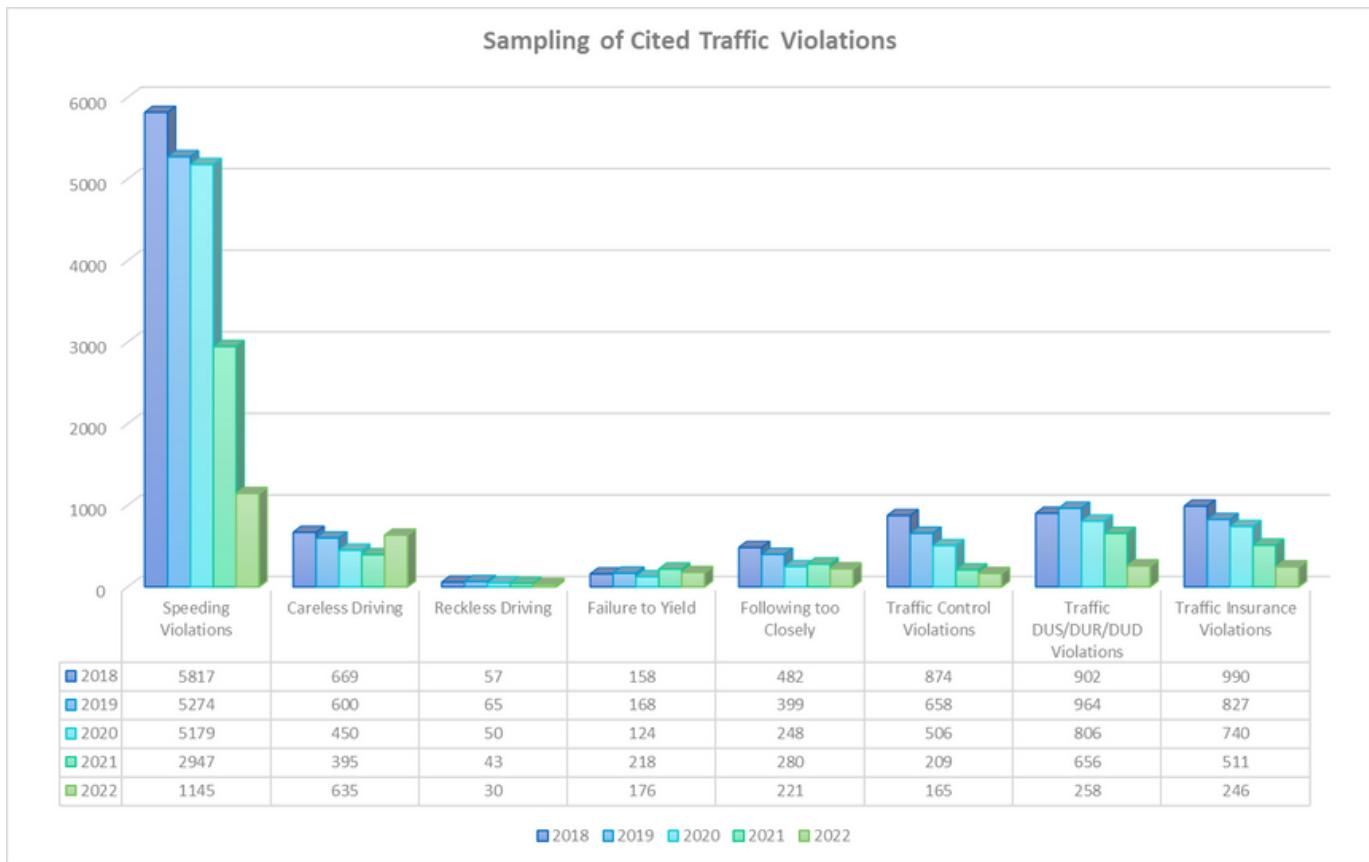
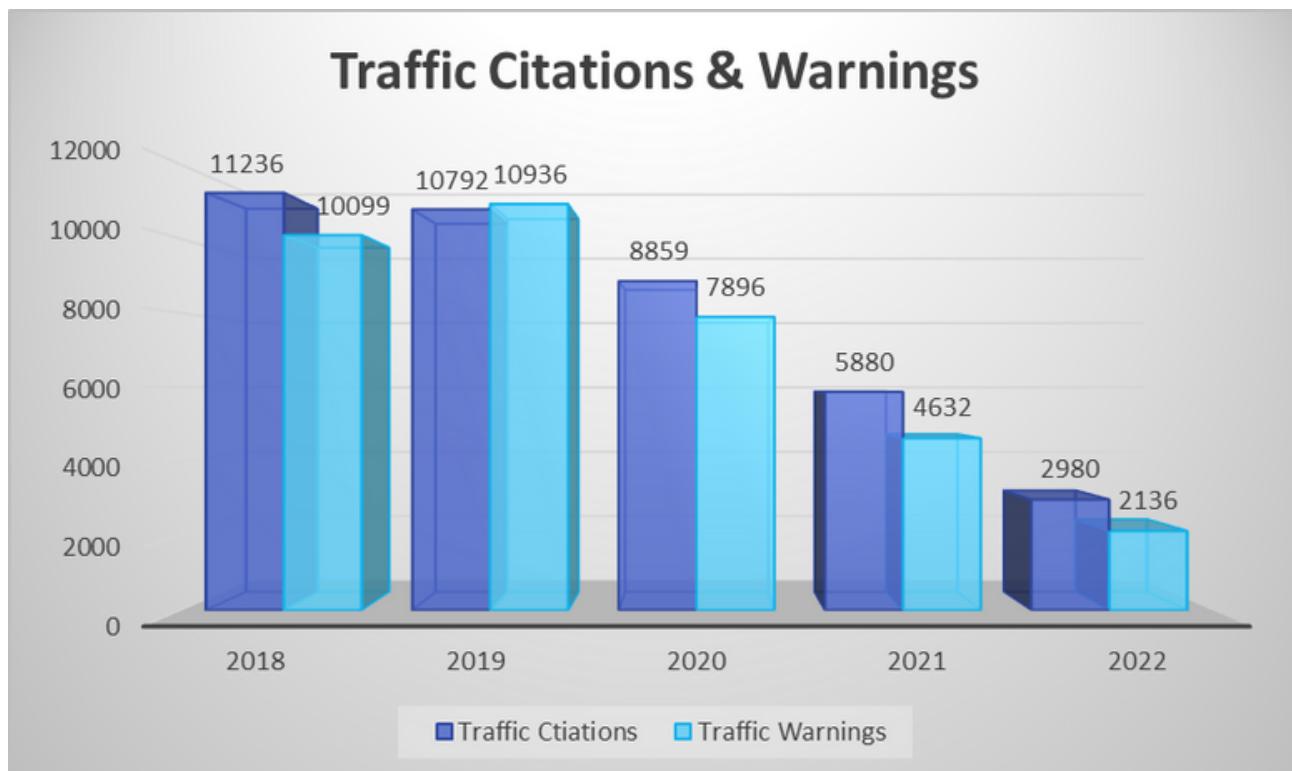
CAD Logged Police Activity

Logged police activities include both citizen-generated calls for service and officer-initiated calls that are excluded from the citizen-generated calls for service numbers. In 2022, there were 83,435 logged police activities. The top 10 logged activity types are below.

Top 10 types of activities	Total	Percentage of Total CFS
911 Hang Up	10152	12%
Extra Patrol	4959	6%
Traffic Stop	4076	5%
Assist Citizen	4014	5%
Suspicious Circumstance	3244	4%
Welfare Check	2975	4%
Abandoned Vehicle	2911	3%
Parking	2837	3%
MV Crash	2330	3%
Assist Business	2158	3%
Disturbance	2085	2%

Traffic Stops

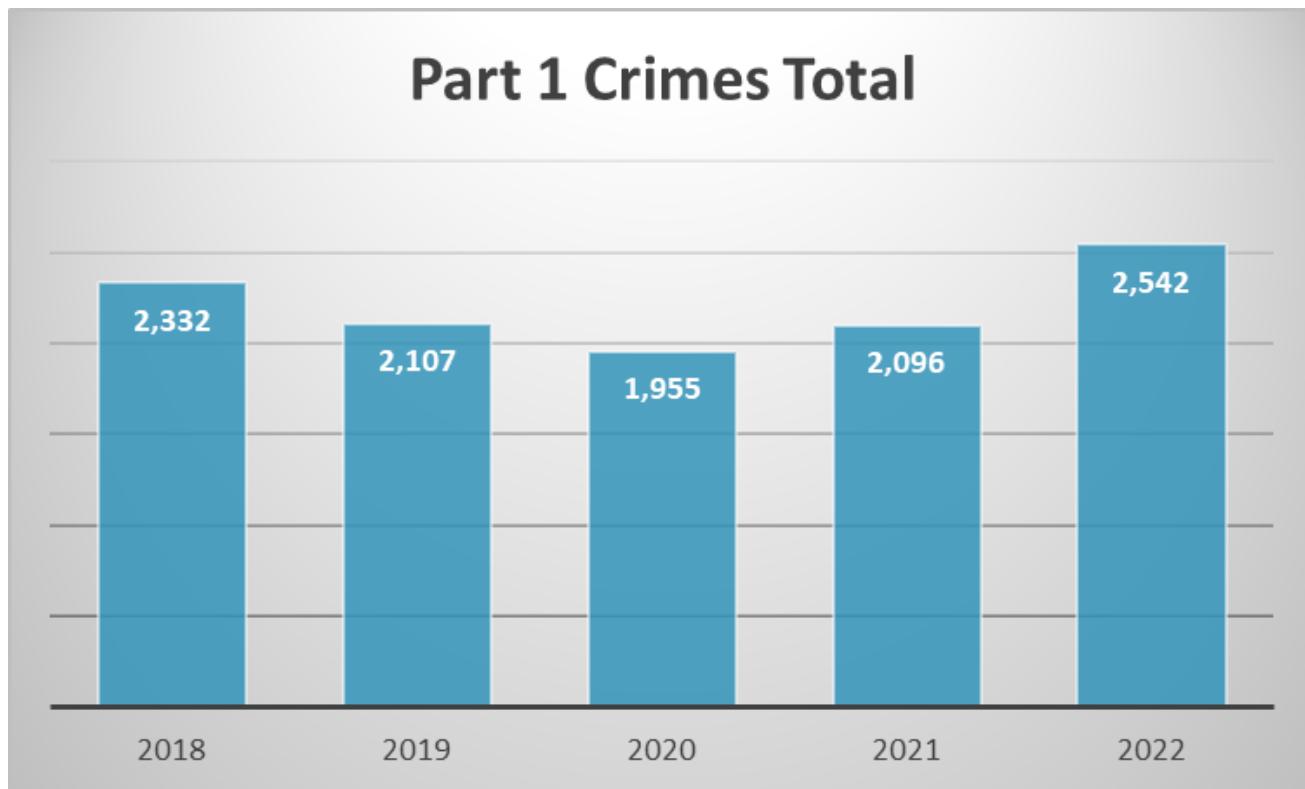
In 2022, Loveland Police Department Officers handed out 2,980 traffic citations and 2,136 traffic warnings.



Part 1 Crimes

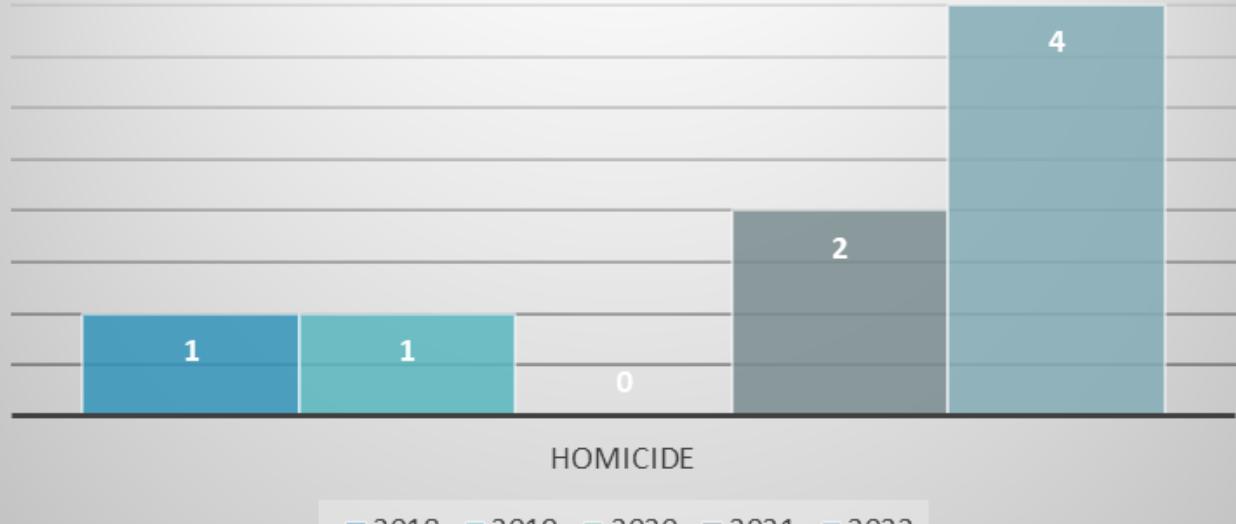
Part 1 crimes are the eight index crimes defined by the FBI's National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS). The eight part 1 crimes are broken down into two categories, violent and property crimes. Violent crimes include homicide, forcible rape offenses, aggravated assault, and robbery. Property crimes include arson, burglary, larceny or theft offenses, and motor vehicle theft.

Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Part 1 Crimes Total	2,332	2,107	1,955	2,096	2,542
Loveland Population	76,899	79,150	79,388	81,070	82,788
Part 1 Crimes per 1,000 Population	30.33	26.62	24.63	25.85	30.7
% Change		-12.2%	-7.5%	5.0%	18.8%

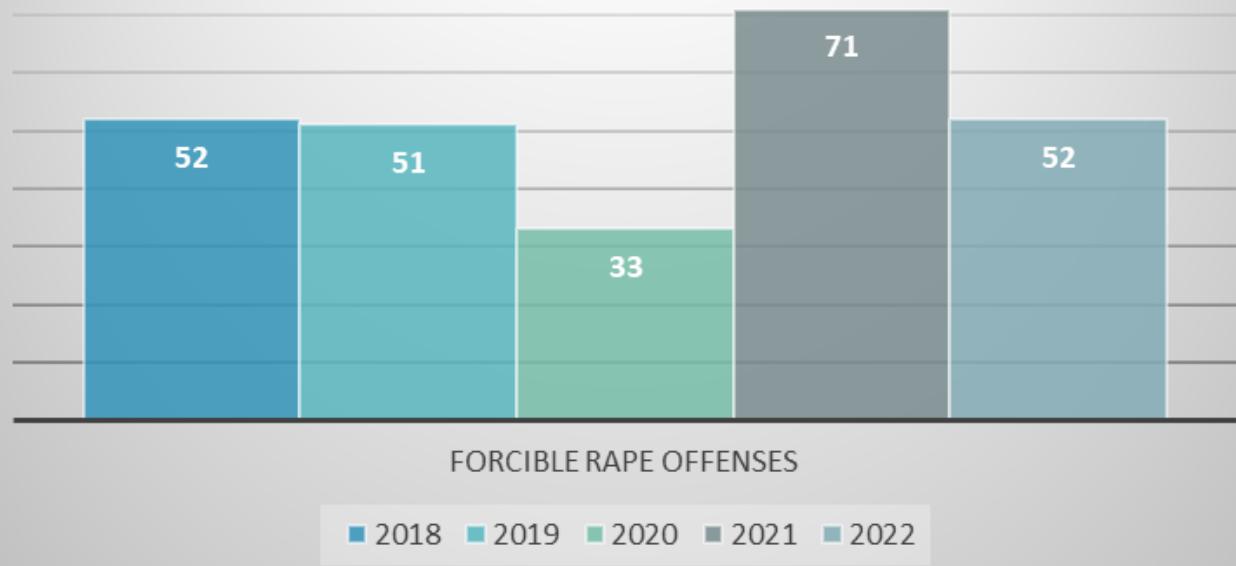


The below pages show the part 1 crimes broken out for the past five years.

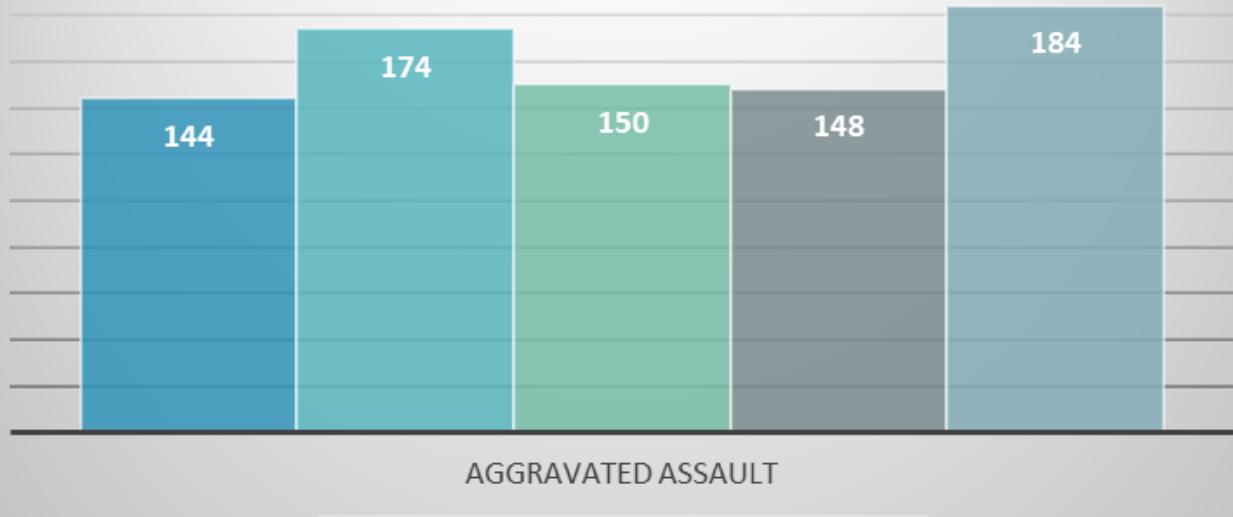
Homicide



Forcible Rape Offenses



Aggravated Assault



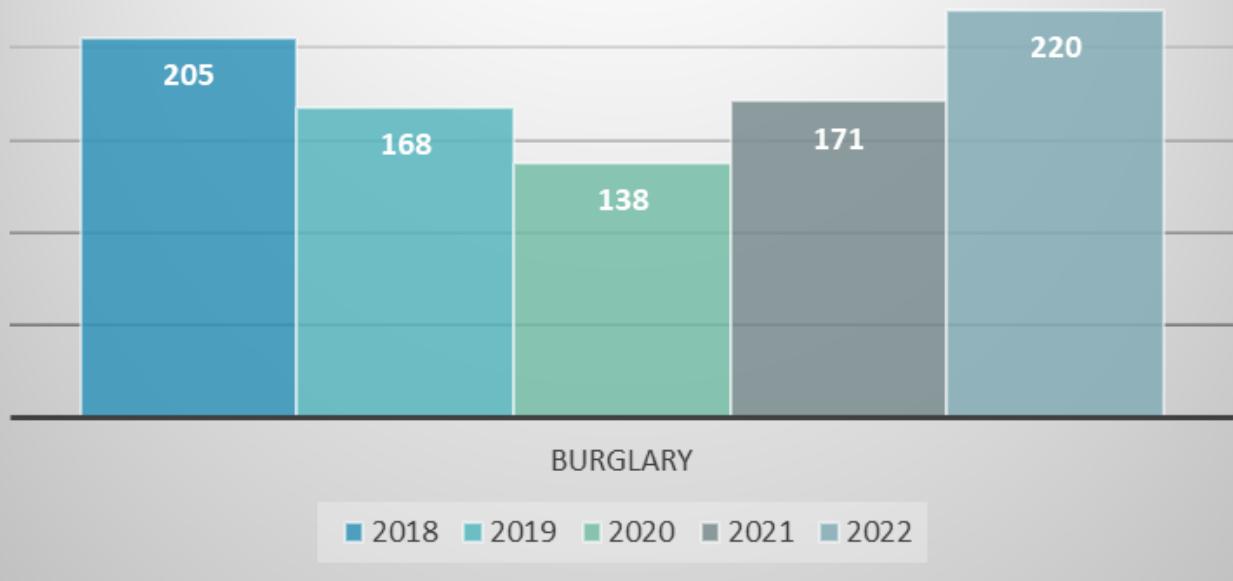
Robbery



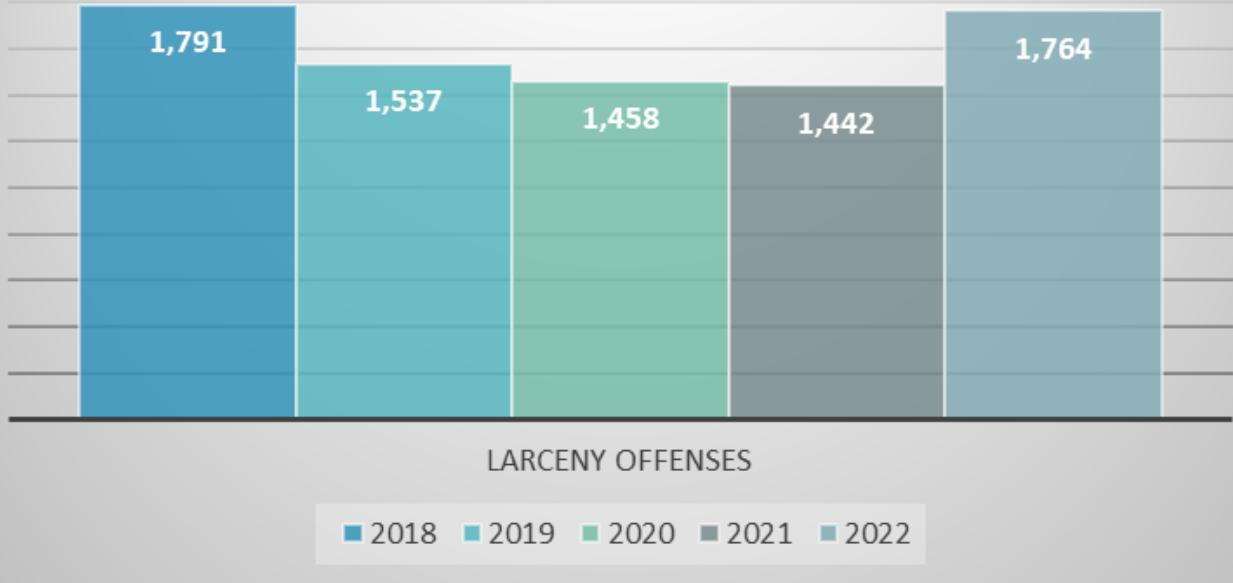
Arson



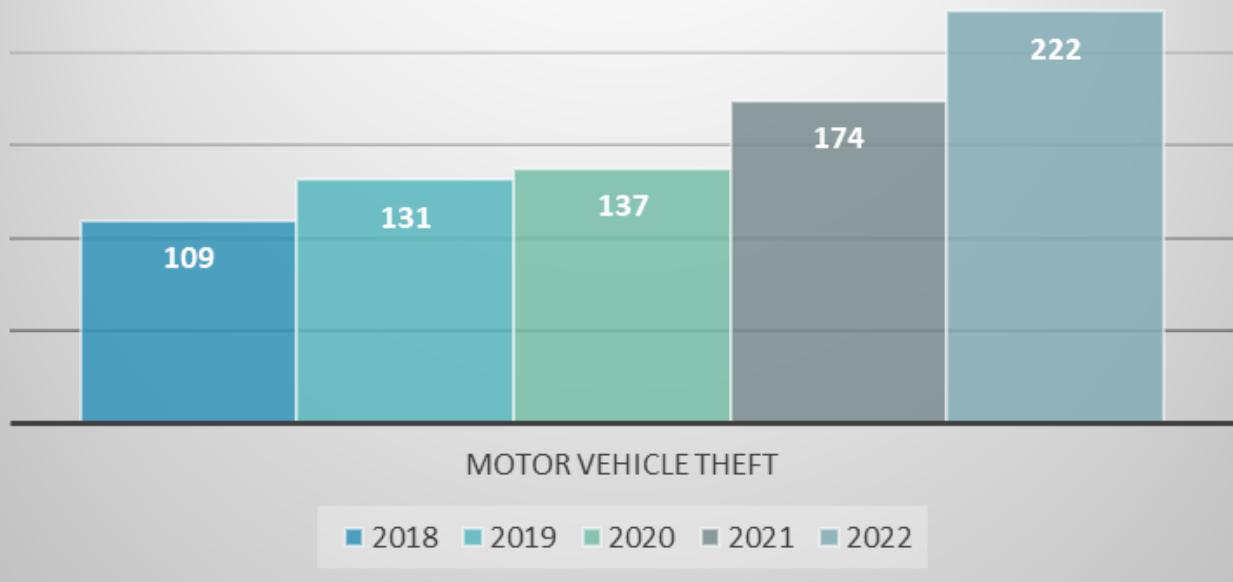
Burglary



Larceny Offenses

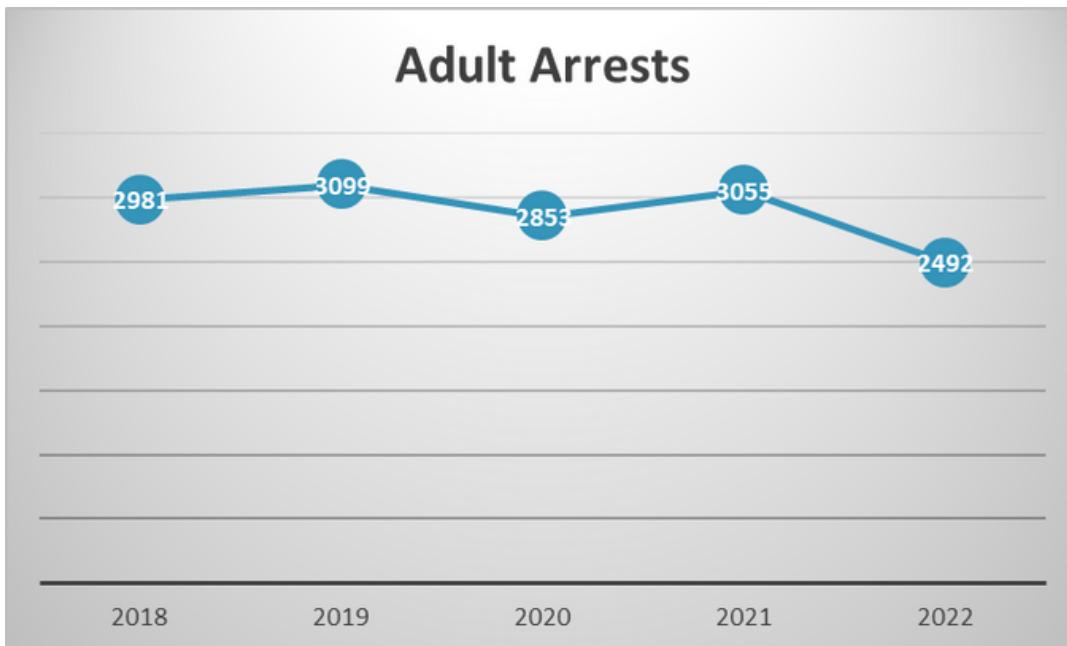


Motor Vehicle Theft

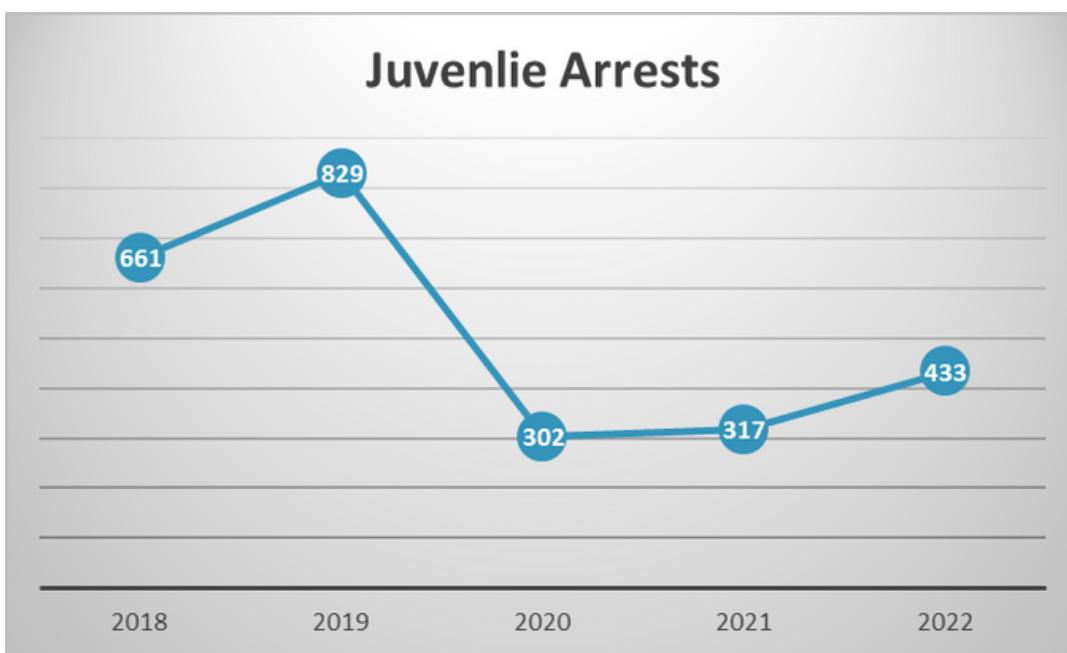


Arrests

In 2022, the Loveland Police department made a total of 2,925 arrests. 2,492 of these were adult arrests, while the remaining 433 were juvenile arrests. Adult arrests decreased 18 percent from 2021, while juvenile arrests increased 37 percent from 2021.



Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Adult Arrests	2981	3099	2853	3055	2492
Percent Increase		4.00%	-7.90%	7.10%	-18%



Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Juvenile Arrests	661	829	302	317	433
Percent Increase		25.40%	-63.60%	4.97%	37%

Motor Vehicle Crashes

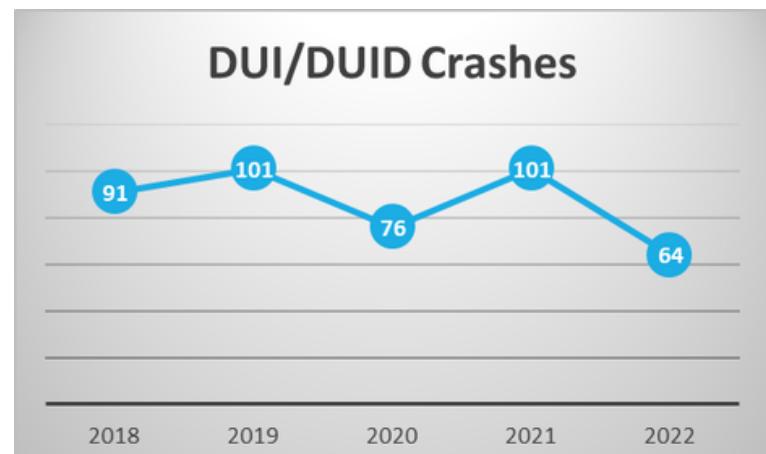
In 2022, there were 1,897 motor vehicle crashes. This is 1 less than the 1,898 in 2021.

Motor Vehicle Crashes		
Year	Number of Crashes	% Change
2018	2203	
2019	2164	-2%
2020	1574	-27%
2021	1898	21%
2022	1897	0%



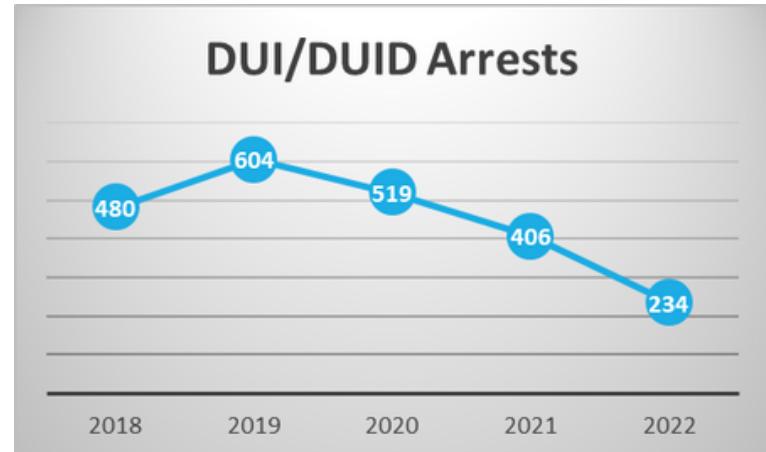
64 crashes were caused by individuals driving under the influence of either alcohol or drugs

DUI/DUID Crashes		
Year	Number of Crashes	% Change
2018	91	
2019	101	11%
2020	76	-25%
2021	101	33%
2022	64	-37%



The LPD made 234 arrests due to individuals who were DUI or DUID

DUI/DUID Arrests		
Year	Number of Arrests	% Change
2018	480	
2019	604	26%
2020	519	-14%
2021	406	-22%
2022	234	-42%



Closing

The annual statistical report was created to inform both the Loveland Police Department and the City of Loveland community members about crime and traffic incidents, crashes, and offenses within the city.

The information in this report comes from many sources and represents the many ways in which our officers work to serve and protect the Loveland community. This information is used to recognize areas of improvement, and help identify how to allocate resources moving forward. The men and women of the department in partnership with the community, work to reduce crime, reduce the fear of crime, solve problems, and enhance safety. We thank the strong partnerships the Loveland Police Department has with the community members, businesses, and organizations who actively support public safety.