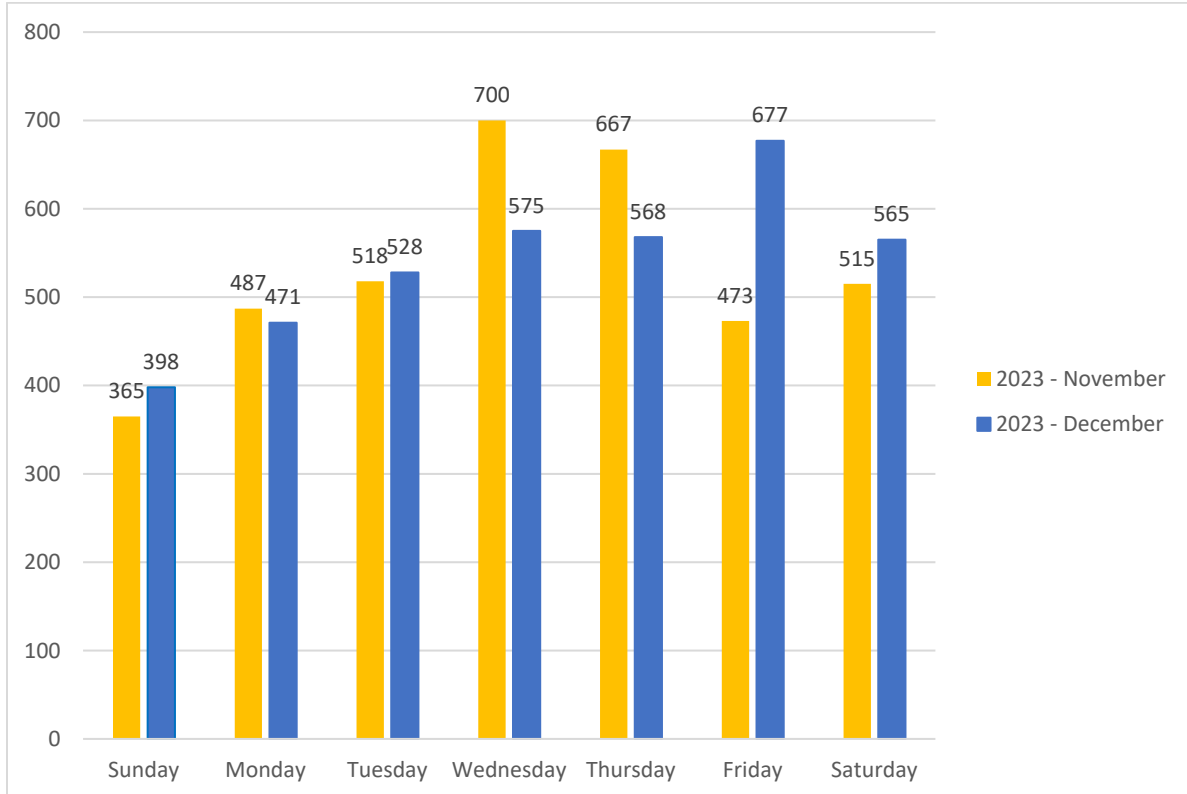


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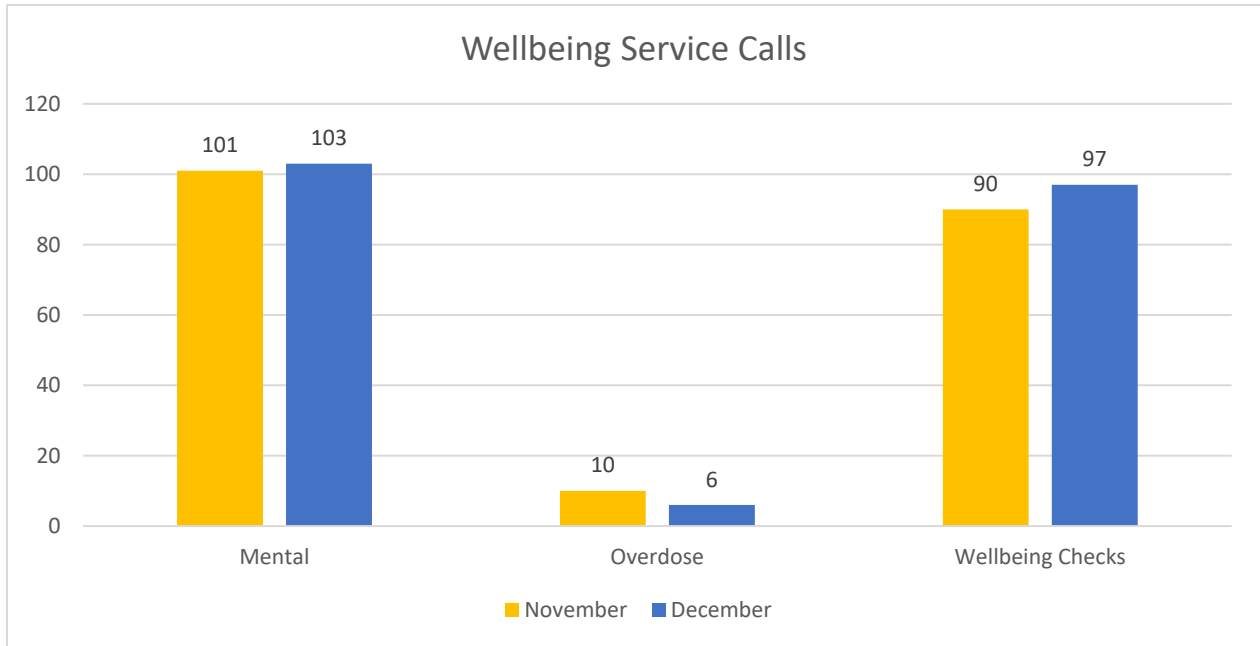


## WKPD Bi-Monthly Report – November/December 2023

**Waukesha Police Crime/Service Statistics:** In the month of November, the City of Waukesha Police Department (WKPD) responded to or initiated a total of 3,725 calls for service. In the month of December, the WKPD responded to or initiated a total of 3,782 calls for service. The total number of calls for service handled by WKPD during the 2023 calendar year was 51,501. The following statistics represent a portion, but not all, of the total calls for service handled by WKPD. **\*\*\*Note: Similar classified calls have been combined to give a simpler and more complete representation of calls for service handled by patrol. The provided data is preliminary and subject to change.**

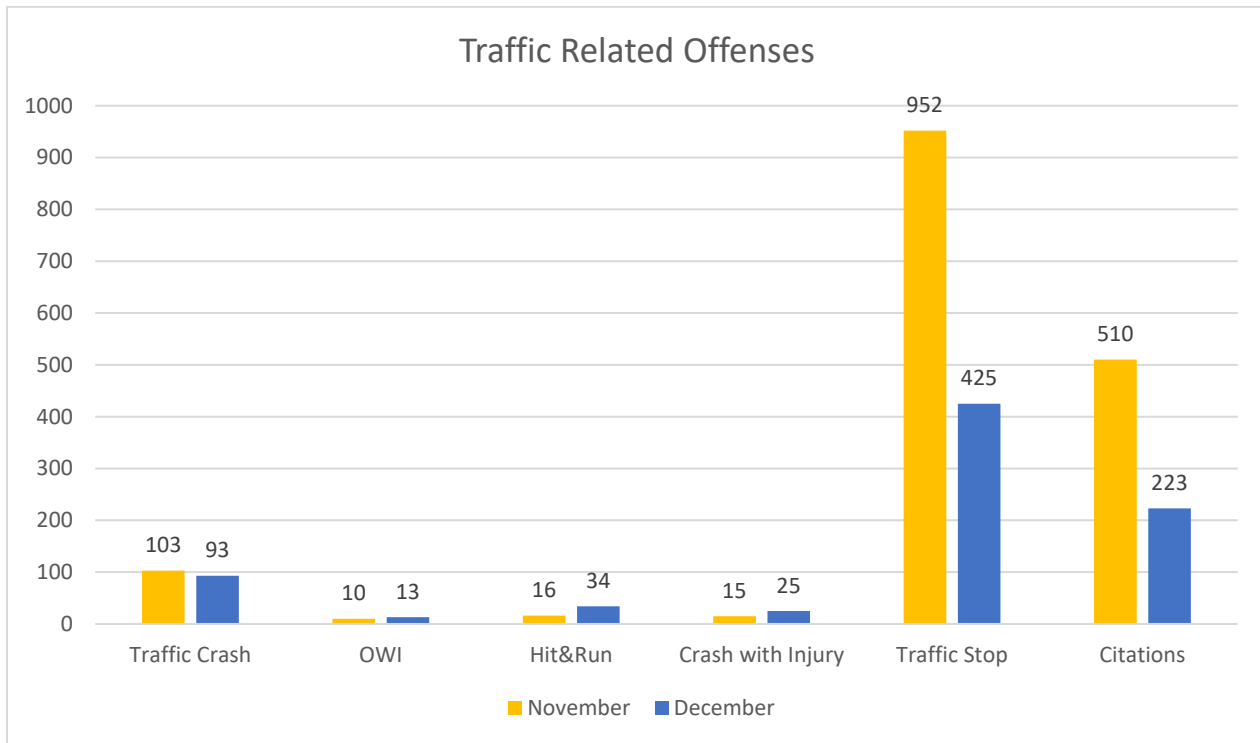


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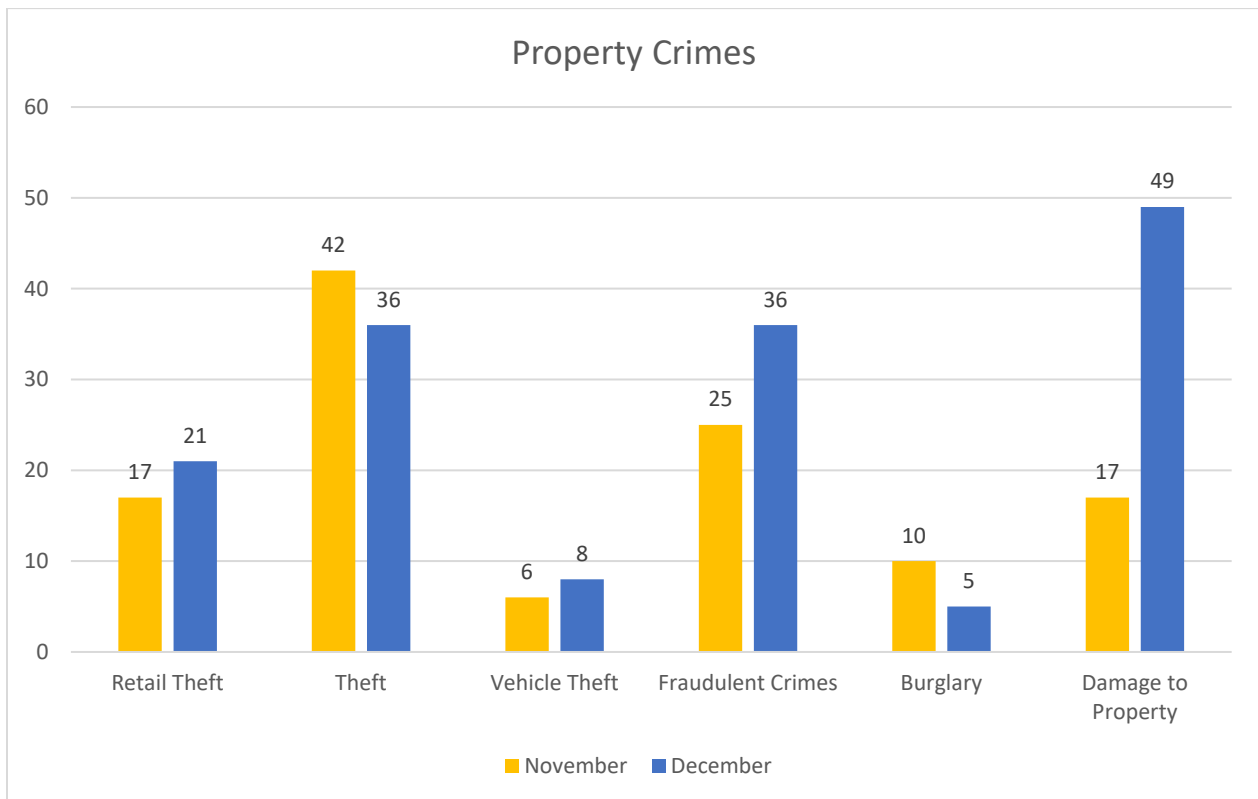
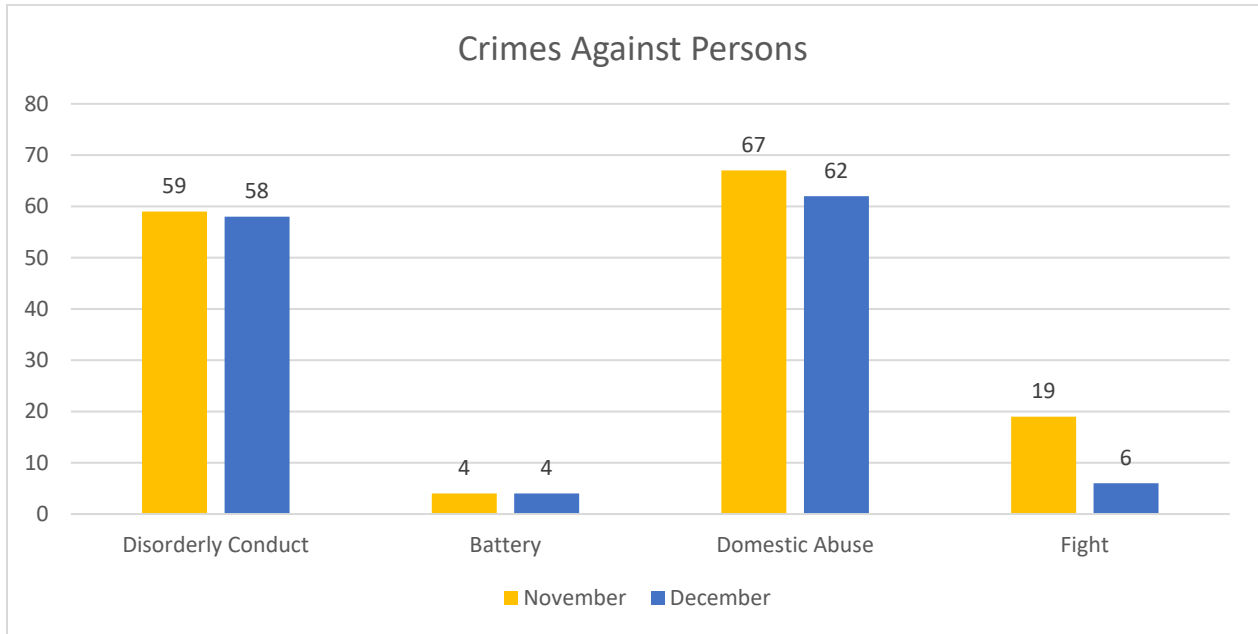
\*\* Mental = Mental Subject & Suicidal CFS codes

\*\*Wellbeing checks = Wellbeing & Mandown CFS codes



\*\*Citations = Traffic & non Traffic citations

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**\*\*Theft = Theft, Bike & Package Theft CFS codes**

**\*\*Vehicle Theft = Vehicle & Vehicle part CFS codes**

**\*\*Fraud= Defraud, ID theft & Fraud CFS codes**

**\*\*Damage to Property = CDTP & Graffiti CFS Codes**

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## Messages from the Department



Our department has recently been notified of individuals posing as Sergeants requiring a fine be paid for missing a summons. This is a scam! As a police department, we do not accept payments for fines over the phone. If you do receive a call like this, hang up and call the non-emergency phone number to verify. WE Energies also does not accept payment utilizing gift cards. Trust your gut! If something feels wrong, it

most likely is! As a reminder, no company accepts payment with gift cards. If payment is given utilizing a credit card, call your credit card company or bank immediately to cancel the payment. If a check is passed, let the police department know immediately and we can help cancel the check!

### 911 Hang Ups

Every month our dispatch center receives hundreds of 911 cell phone hang ups. Often these are from accidental pocket dials or people accidentally pressing/swiping the SOS function. "Well, what should I do if this happens to me?" Great question! Well, if you realized you called 911 stay on the line!! The dispatcher may ask if there is an emergency. If not explain that it was an accidental dial. They will most likely ask for your name to update records and the location to verify their mapping program for 911 calls.

If they call back, answer it and explain the above information. Our dispatch center has limited amount of 911 lines and these can often be taken up by these accidental dials. Please do not hesitate to call 911 in real emergencies!



### Nightly Lock up



It's that time of year in which people are cruising around windows down and feeling the warm breeze. They pull into the driveway while the kids are playing outside and go on with their night forgetting about their vehicles and garage doors. It's also that time of year in which criminals are creeping around your neighborhoods looking for valuables in your car in the middle of the night. Make sure you 9pm check list is completed. Secure your car, light

up the house, and close any open doors/windows. WKPD sees an uptick in entry into autos during the warm summer months. Cameras can be beneficial for these investigations.

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**Crisis Response Unit (CRU):** The City of Waukesha Police Department and Waukesha County Department of Health and Human Services have joined forces and created a Crisis Response Unit. This unit is a co-response team consisting of one Crisis Clinician and one Crisis Intervention trained WKPD patrol officer. The focus is on sustainable, solutions-based community crisis outreach that is both response and prevention focused. Law enforcement is often the first call made to address mental health concerns and a joint response with local Crisis Services was found most effective in these circumstances. CRU may coordinate voluntary transports for mental health treatment, facilitate safety Plans and/or approve Emergency Detentions, such as Chapter 51.15s or 51.45, among other services. The unit operates Mon.- Fri. except major holidays. The WKPD prioritizes CIT training for all patrol officers to better meet the needs of their community. The Crisis Response Unit has found great success in the short time that it has been active. For more information about [CRU](#) visit the police department website.

**Emergency Contact Information Form:** Business owners of the city, we are asking that you complete the [Emergency Contact Information Form](#) to assist with patrol response. Having to track down a business owner or keyholder of a business can take a lengthy amount of time. This allows the police department to have up to date key holder information in case of an emergency or an alarm in an instant. It's a simple form to fill out and email back to the Neighborhood Engagement Unit.



**Waukesha Police Public Safety Cadets:** Do you have a child aged 14-21 or know someone of that age that is interested in law enforcement? Here at WKPD, we seek to

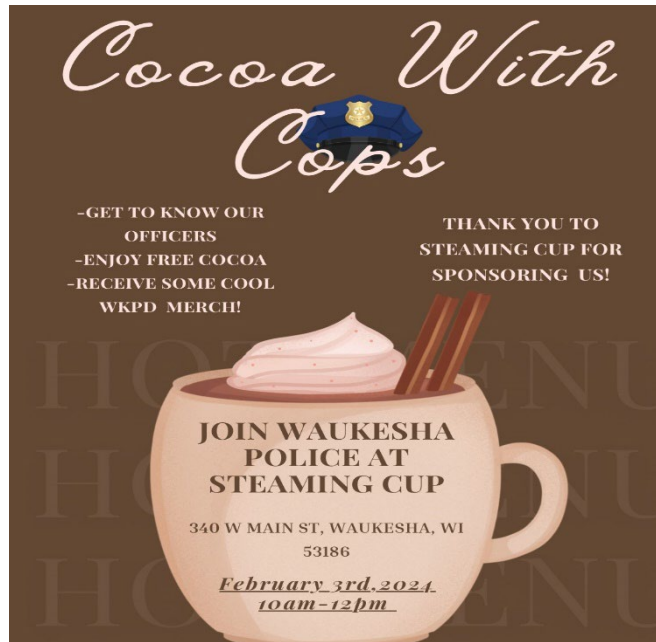


mentor, educate, and positively involve youth in police operations, while promoting service to their community. Cadets will actively participate in training programs, practical experiences, and activities that not only better prepare them for a law enforcement career, but also emphasizes the role of first responders. Zero commitment to start and you are invited to try up to two meetings before completing the program application. Please reach out to Lt. Pergande at [CPergande@waukesha-wi.gov](mailto:CPergande@waukesha-wi.gov) for more information regarding the cadet program.

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## COMMUNITY EVENTS

**Cocoa With Cops:** Come meet Waukesha's finest for a cup of cocoa on Saturday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> between 10am-12pm at the Steaming Cup (340 W. Main St, Waukesha). Get to know the officers and community service officers that serve your community.



**Safety Day in the Park:** The City of Waukesha Police Department and City of Waukesha Fire Department invites you to join in some fun and explore police and fire vehicles all while visiting one of our local parks. We have one more date left and hope you all make it! So far these have been a blast! All dates are weather dependent and will not be rescheduled. Safety Day in the park will return this year! Dates and locations TBD.

**Run With the Cops:** The Waukesha Citizens Police Academy Association, Inc. (WCPAA, Inc) is a group of citizens that volunteer to support the Waukesha Police Department and help raise funds for the department's needs. The WCPAA is holding their 9<sup>th</sup> annual Run with the Cops fun run/walk On Friday, August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

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**WKPD Canine Unit:** The City of Waukesha Canine Unit was established back in 2021. The unit is funded entirely through financial and in-kind donations and not funded with tax dollars. The Unit currently consists of three canines, Arko, Wilco and Ryker. The unit has seen great success with deployments in the few short years. The Canine Unit would like to thank its current sponsors:

- [Pet Supplies Plus](#) of Brookfield
- [Animal Wellness Center](#)-Waukesha
- [K9 Country Club](#)

Donations are always accepted at the police department. If you are looking to be a sponsor for the unit, please reach out to Lt. Daily at, [DDaily@waukesha-wi.gov](mailto:DDaily@waukesha-wi.gov), or Captain Baumann at, [DBaumann@waukesha-wi.gov](mailto:DBaumann@waukesha-wi.gov). Please see the [canine unit](#) page on the police website if looking for more details.



**Canine T-Shirts:** The canine unit has plenty of T-Shirts for sale. Stop into the police department front desk to purchase your canine supporter shirt. All proceeds go back to the canine unit for equipment and vet bills! Thank you for your ongoing support of the unit!



## WAUKESHA POLICE K9 UNIT SUPPORTER T-SHIRTS

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**\*ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE WKPD K9 UNIT**

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**Public Crime Dashboard:** The City of Waukesha has an interactive map which provides data on certain offenses or crimes that occurred within the city. Follow the [link](#) to explore further.

**Emergency Contact Information:** If you own or operate any type of commercial property in the City of Waukesha, please keep us informed to any changes regarding emergency contacts. This can be accomplished by completing our [Emergency Contact Form](#) and returning it to us. Any information provided will remain confidential and not distributed except required by law.

**Community Camera Program:** If you have cameras on your residence or business, please consider completing the online Community Camera Program survey on our website. The ability to access video information is extremely useful investigation tool for the department. Information provided will be for official use only and any information given will remain confidential and not distributed except required by law or court order. Visit [WKPD Camera Program](#) to complete survey.

**Special Needs Form:** The police department wants to provide the best service they can to those with special needs. We have a form that can be filled out on our website that lets officers know likes and dislikes, triggers or sensory issues as well as de-escalation techniques that can be used when coming into contact with citizens who have special needs. Citizens can visit the police website for more information or fill out the [Special Needs Form](#) here.

**WKPD Facebook:** Make sure to follow the department [Facebook](#) for any major safety alerts or other announcements regarding the police department.

**Waukesha Police Department – Response to Resistance Public Dashboard:** For further detailed information regarding officer/public contacts and actions taken please visit the dashboard [here](#).