

# *Wakefield Police Department*

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April 2018 Monthly Report

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## WAKEFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE CHIEF

One Union Street, Wakefield, Massachusetts, 01880



### **April 2018 Highlights**

On April 3rd Officers were dispatched to the area of Walton Street for a report of an intoxicated male party. Upon arrival, Officer Matt Powers was approached by a female who stated that her son was inside a residence and was under the influence of alcohol. As Officer Powers approached the side door he was able to hear multiple voices yelling from inside of a screen porch. In the doorway he encountered the male party in question. He was frothing at the mouth and his pupils were pinpoint, showing obvious signs of drug and alcohol consumption. This individual was yelling and screaming in a belligerent manner. Officer Powers attempted de-escalate the situation as several people were in close proximity. The male party clenched his fists and it was believed that he was going to strike his mother. Officer Powers was unable to utilize less-lethal options due to the congested area with bystanders and was forced to take him to the ground using defensive tactics. The male continued to fight and struggle on the ground for several minutes. Officer David Rando arrived on scene and assisted as the suspect continued to fight. Eventually they were able to apply handcuffs, however he continued to kick officers until they were able to secure his legs with shackles. He was transported to the station where his combative behavior continued. He is facing multiple charges through Malden District Court.

On April 5th Officers Shaun Conway was dispatched to the Lakeside Inn for a report of an individual that had broken into several vehicles. He was able to get a description and soon thereafter he observed a male fitting the description in the area. He approached him along with Officer Kyle Meehan and began an investigation. This continued throughout the morning hours and it was determined that the suspect, a 25 year old out of Middleton, had broken into several vehicles and had stolen several items. Also located were items that were apparently stolen out of surrounding cities and towns as well. He was taken into custody and is being charged with several counts of Larceny and Breaking and Entering.

On April 5th a search warrant was acted upon based on a previous motor vehicle stop by Officer John Whaley. On March 12th he stopped a motor vehicle on Audubon Road and arrested the male operator out of Wakefield for Operating Under the Influence of Drugs. During a routine inventory, three United States Postal Service packages were located in the trunk that were not addressed to the operator/owner. An investigation began in regards to these packages, with both the involved as well as the alleged recipient being uncooperative. Enough evidence was gathered to obtain a search warrant for these packages which resulted in the finding of 250 vials of liquid steroids along with 1,650 steroid pills.

Both male parties are facing charges for Possession with Intent to Distribute Class E Drugs and Conspiracy.

On April 12th Officer Kyle Meehan and Officer Russell Carman were dispatched to Wiley Street for a report of an out of control male party in possession of a hammer. Upon arrival officers were informed that the individual was in the backyard of a residence. Officers responded to the area and observed the male party wearing a baggy sweatshirt. Officers approached and began giving him verbal commands, however he turned away from them and grabbed on to a metal fence. They continued to give him commands and attempted to de-escalate the individual, however he refused and was yelling back at the officers. He then pulled a metal stake out of the ground and held it like a baseball bat in an assaultive posture. At this time Sergeant Mike Ryan arrived on scene and they attempted to gain physical control of the subject. The male party began to fight with officers and continued to resist for several minutes as additional officers arrived to assist. A department issued Taser was deployed and eventually they were able to get him into handcuffs, although he continued to resist and bit Officer Meehan in the leg. Officers were able to secure his legs with leg irons and the male party out of Beverly was eventually taken to the hospital for evaluation. It was also reported that he had threatened a neighbor with the hammer prior to our arrival.

On April 7th Officer Amy Rando and the Wakefield Alliance Against Violence (WAAV) dedicated a bench to those lost to Domestic Violence. This was a moving tribute held on the Upper Common with family members of two of our victims in attendance, along with many others. A big thanks to everyone that helped to organize this very special event.

On April 26th our School Resource Officers offered an online safety night for parents at the Galvin Middle School auditorium. The program, titled "Project Safe Childhood," was in conjunction with the U.S. Attorney's Office and the U.S. Postal Inspection Office. This program is designed for parents to help keep their children smart, safe, and secure online and highlighted areas related to bullying, sexting, and highlighted some of the tactics used by online predators. Our SRO's also hosted another "Radkids" training during April school vacation week for a group of our middle school students.

On April 28th several of our officers volunteered to participate in the "Dodging for Dollars" event at the Civic Center to help raise money for the Boys and Girls Club. This was a great event for everyone involved and we appreciate the time and efforts by our members to help support this program.

Lastly, we mourn the loss of Sergeant Sean Gannon who lost his life doing this incredibly difficult and dangerous job. The challenges that we face grow each and every day, and we collectively have one main goal of making it home safely to our family. May this brave and dedicated police officer rest in peace and never be forgotten.



# Calls for Service



Call Reason:	April '18	March '18	April '17				
				D P W Call	6	35	15
				Drug Offense	1	2	0
911 Abandoned/Hang-up/Accident	14	20	33	Escort / Transport	2	3	3
Abuse - Child- Elder- Disabled	2	0	0	Fire - Auto / Bldg. / Other	9	10	7
Alcohol / Liquor Law Violation	0	1	0	Gas / Light Department Call	1	30	5
Alarm - Fire	5	8	3	Gun Shots	1	0	0
Alarm - Burg / Hold Up / B & E	69	71	67	Harassment/Threats/Phone/A II	8	8	10
Animal Calls	15	8	17	HazMat Incident	1	0	0
Assault	5	4	4	Internal Report	1	0	2
Assist Citizen	13	15	9	Intelligence	2	2	3
Assist Other Agency	20	24	9	K9 Response	7	5	3
Burglary (Building) / B & E	4	1	8	Larceny / Forgery / Fraud	19	11	29
Check On Person / Location	75	85	76	Lockout - House / M V	5	3	2
CIT Response (mental health)	28	36	39	Lost / Found / Safe Keeping	10	14	11
Complaint Against Officer/PD	0	1	0	Medical Aid	147	155	149
CORI / RMV Dissemination Log	1	6	5	Miscellaneous	0	1	2
Child Seat Safety	3	15	12	Missing Person / Runaway	4	2	11
Debris In Street	5	5	3	M / V - Crash	59	58	40
Details Needed	2	1	1	M / V - Abandoned	0	1	2
Detective Investigation	1	2	0	M / V - Crash Police Vehicle	0	0	0
Disturbance	29	24	47	M / V - B & E / Larceny From	2	15	2
Domestic Issue	25	41	23	M / V - Disabled	10	10	11
Directed Patrol	79	76	82	M / V - Repossession	5	4	5
				M / V - Recovered Stolen	1	1	0



# Calls for Service cont...



Call Reason:	April '18	March '18	April '17
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M/V Stop	390	441	448
M / V - Theft	0	0	3
M / V - Theft	0	1	0
M / V - Violation	10	22	11
NEMLEC Callout	3	3	3
Notification	2	2	1
Drug Overdose (Suspected)	3	3	0
Officer Injured	0	1	0
Open Door/Window - Bldg Check	1	2	1
Parking Issue	21	27	26
Police Equipment Problems	6	2	3
Property Inspections	36	60	4
Public Records Request	18	16	7
Prisoner Transport	7	14	6
Railroad Complaint	0	4	1
Recovered Syringe	3	2	2
Request Police Officer	11	10	33
Restraining Order Service	8	11	15
Robbery	0	1	0
Assist Schools	7	10	16
Sex Offenses - ( All )	4	4	3
Shoplifting	0	0	2

Snow Related Complaints	0	4	0
Solicitors	1	3	1
S.O.R. Address Verification	0	7	0
Summons / Warrant Service	17	6	15
Suspicious Activity	24	32	25
Threats	1	7	0
Traffic Services	12	9	17
Trash Dumping	2	3	2
Trespassing	5	7	12
Trespass Tow	1	5	1
Unwanted Person(s)	2	4	4
Vandalism	5	6	4
Void Citation	1	0	4
Warrant of Apprehension	0	1	2
Wires Down	3	48	3
Warrant Service	6	5	3

<b>Totals:</b>	<b>1,306</b>	<b>1,597</b>	<b>1,431</b>
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# Offense Listing- M.G.L.

Massachusetts General Law Violations:



## Offenses:

INDECENT A&B ON PERSON 14 OR OLDER	2
A&B ON +60/DISABLED	1
A&B WITH DANGEROUS WEAPON	2
ASSAULT W/DANGEROUS WEAPON	1
STRANGULATION OR SUFFOCATION	1
ASSAULT	2
A&B	1
A&B ON POLICE OFFICER	2
A&B ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE	1
INDECENT A&B ON PERSON 14 OR OLDER	3
A&B ON +60/DISABLED WITH INJUR	1
A&B ON FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER	4
RESIST ARREST	2
WITNESS, INTIMIDATE	1
THREAT TO COMMIT CRIME	1
B&E BUILDING NIGHTTIME FOR FELONY	1
BREAK INTO DEPOSITORY	2
BREAK INTO DEPOSITORY, ATTEMPT	1
B&E BUILDING DAYTIME FOR FELONY	1
LARCENY FROM BUILDING	1
B&E VEHICLE/BOAT NIGHTTIME FOR FELONY	3
LARCENY OVER \$250	5
LARCENY UNDER \$250	5
CREDIT CARD FRAUD UNDER \$250	1
CREDIT CARD, LARCENY OF	1
CREDIT CARD FRAUD OVER \$250	2
IDENTITY FRAUD	4

## Totals:

VANDALIZE PROPERTY	1
DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY +\$250,	5
DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY -\$250,	2
DRUG, DISTRIBUTE CLASS "D"	1
DRUG, POSSESS TO DISTRIB CLASS	1
DRUG, POSSESS CLASS "A"	2
RAPE OF CHILD	1
FIREARM WITHOUT FID CARD, POSSESS	1
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	2
OUI LIQUOR	3
PROTECTIVE CUSTODY	2
LIQUOR, PERSON UNDER 21 POSSESS	1
ABUSE PREVENTION ORDER, VIOLATE	2
HARASSMENT, CRIMINAL	1
WARRANT ARREST	5
CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE DRUG LAW	1
UNLICENSED OPERATION OF MV	1
LICENSE REVOKED, OP MV WITH, SUBSQ.	1
LICENSE SUSPENDED/REVOKED OP MV WITH	1
REGISTRATION REVOKED, OP MV WITH	1
REGISTRATION SUSPENDED, OP MV WITH	1
LEAVE SCENE OF PROPERTY DAMAGE	3
NEGLIGENT OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLE	1
FALSE NAME TO POLICE OFFICER	1
ACCIDENT REPORT, FAIL FILE	1
UNINSURED MOTOR VEHICLE	2
UNREGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLE	1

**Total Violations of MGL:**

**99**



# Offenses (IBR) By Month



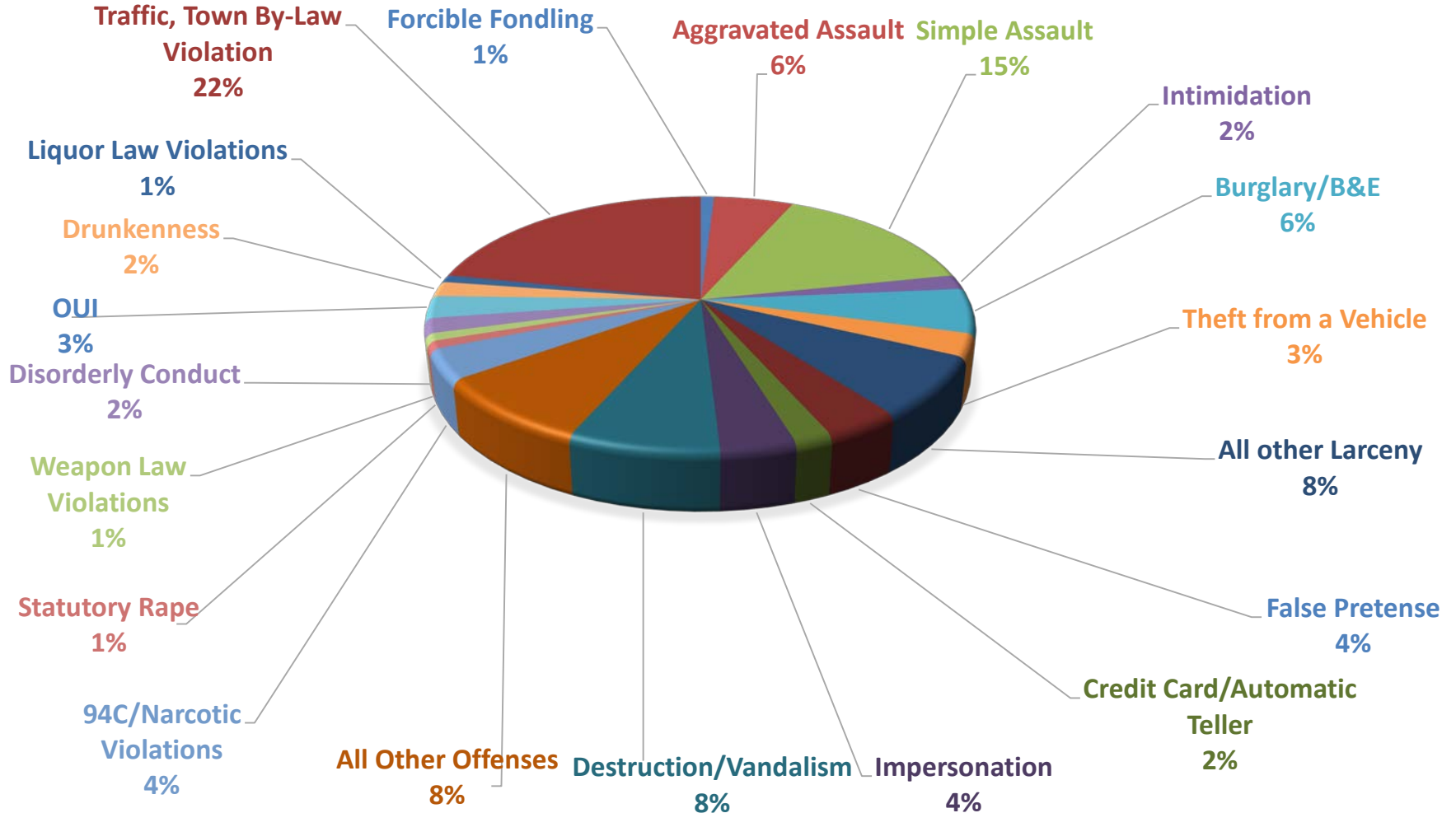
Type of Offense:	Total:
Forcible Fondling	1
Aggravated Assault	6
Simple Assault	16
Intimidation	2
Burglary / Breaking And Enteri	6
Theft From Motor Vehicle	3
All Other Larceny	8
False Pretenses / Swindle / Coerce	4
Credit Card / Automatic Teller	2
Impersonation	4
Destruction / Damage / Vandalize	8
Drug / Narcotic Violations	4
Statutory Rape	1
Weapon Law Violations	1
Disorderly Conduct	2
Driving Under The Influence	3
Drunkenness	2
Liquor Law Violations	1
All Other Offenses	9
Traffic, Town By-Law Offenses	23

<b>Totals:</b>	<b>86</b>
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# Incident Based Reporting

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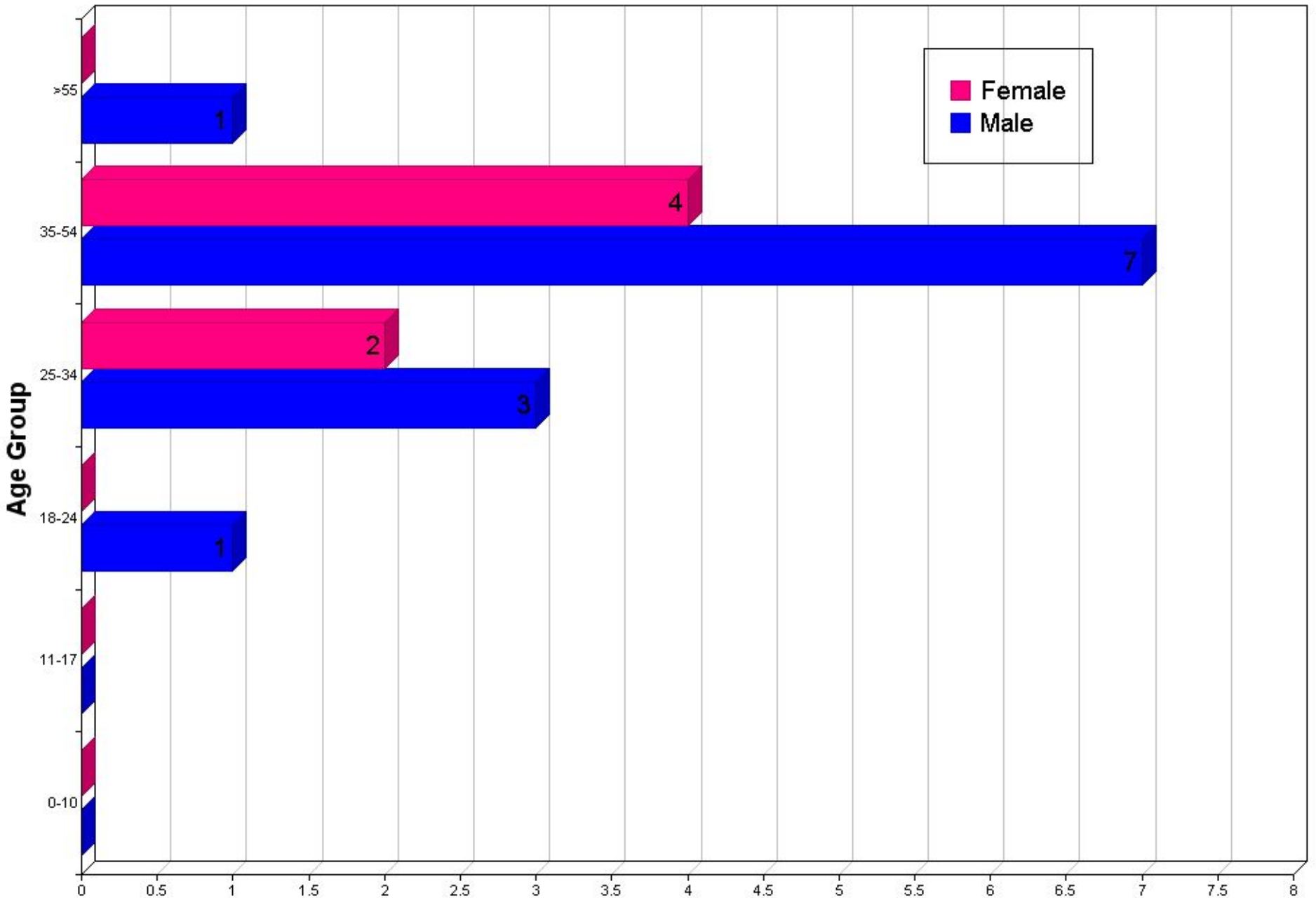
# Arrest Totals



## On View Arrests Based on Incident/Warrant by Race, Sex, and Age:

	00-10	11-17	18-24	25-34	35-54	> 55	TOTALS	Hispanic
Asian								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/Alaskan Native								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian Or Other Pacific Islander								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White								
Female	0	0	0	2	4	0	6	0
Male	0	0	1	3	6	1	11	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>

# Arrests On View & Based on Incident/Warrants By Age / Sex





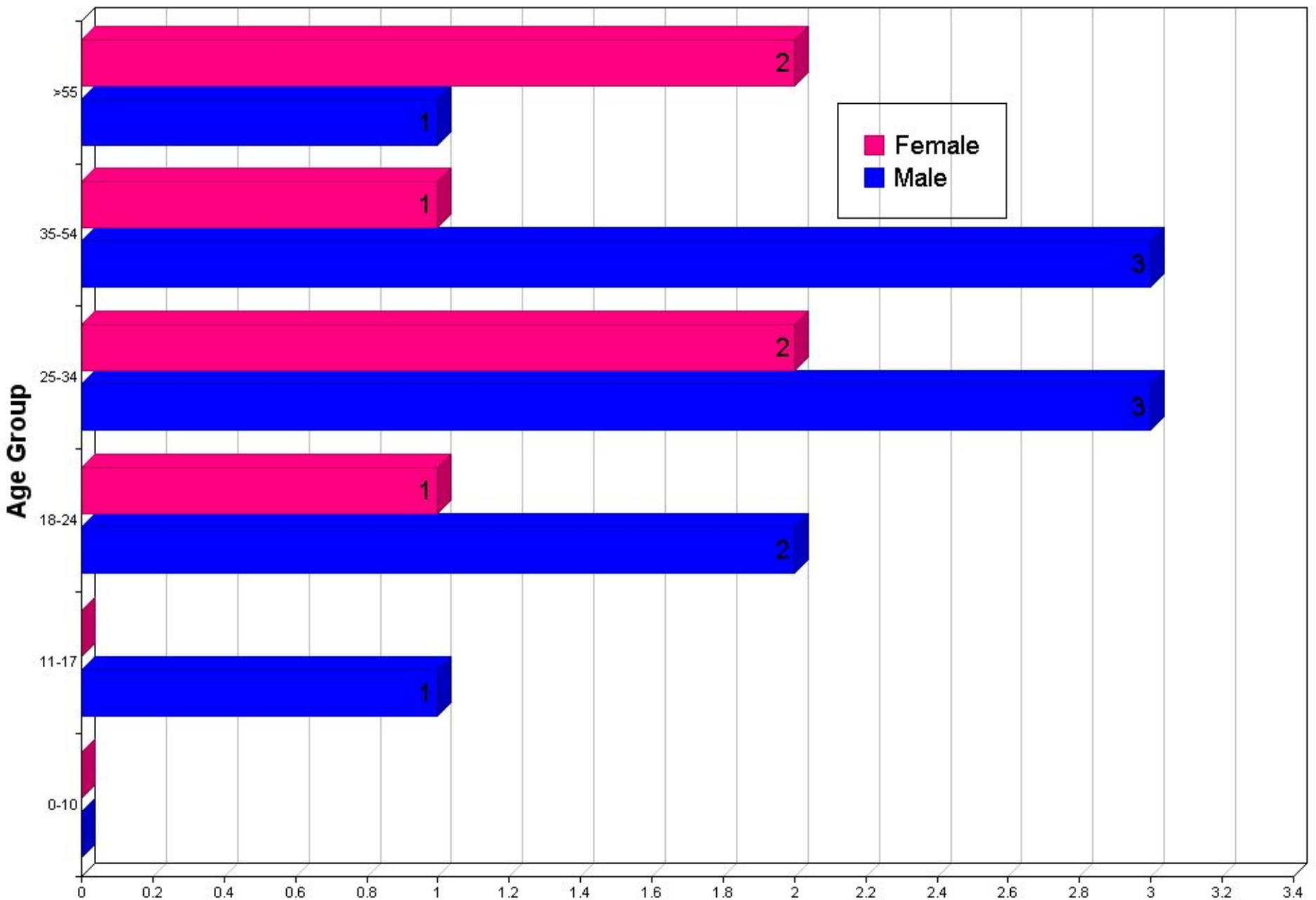
# Summons to Court Totals



## Summons Arrests by Race, Sex, and Age

	00-10	11-17	18-24	25-34	35-54	> 55	TOTALS	Hispanic
Asian								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black								
Female	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0
Male	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/Alaskan Native								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian Or Other Pacific Islander								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White								
Female	0	0	1	1	1	1	4	0
Male	0	1	2	2	3	1	9	3
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4</b>

# Summons Arrests By Age / Sex



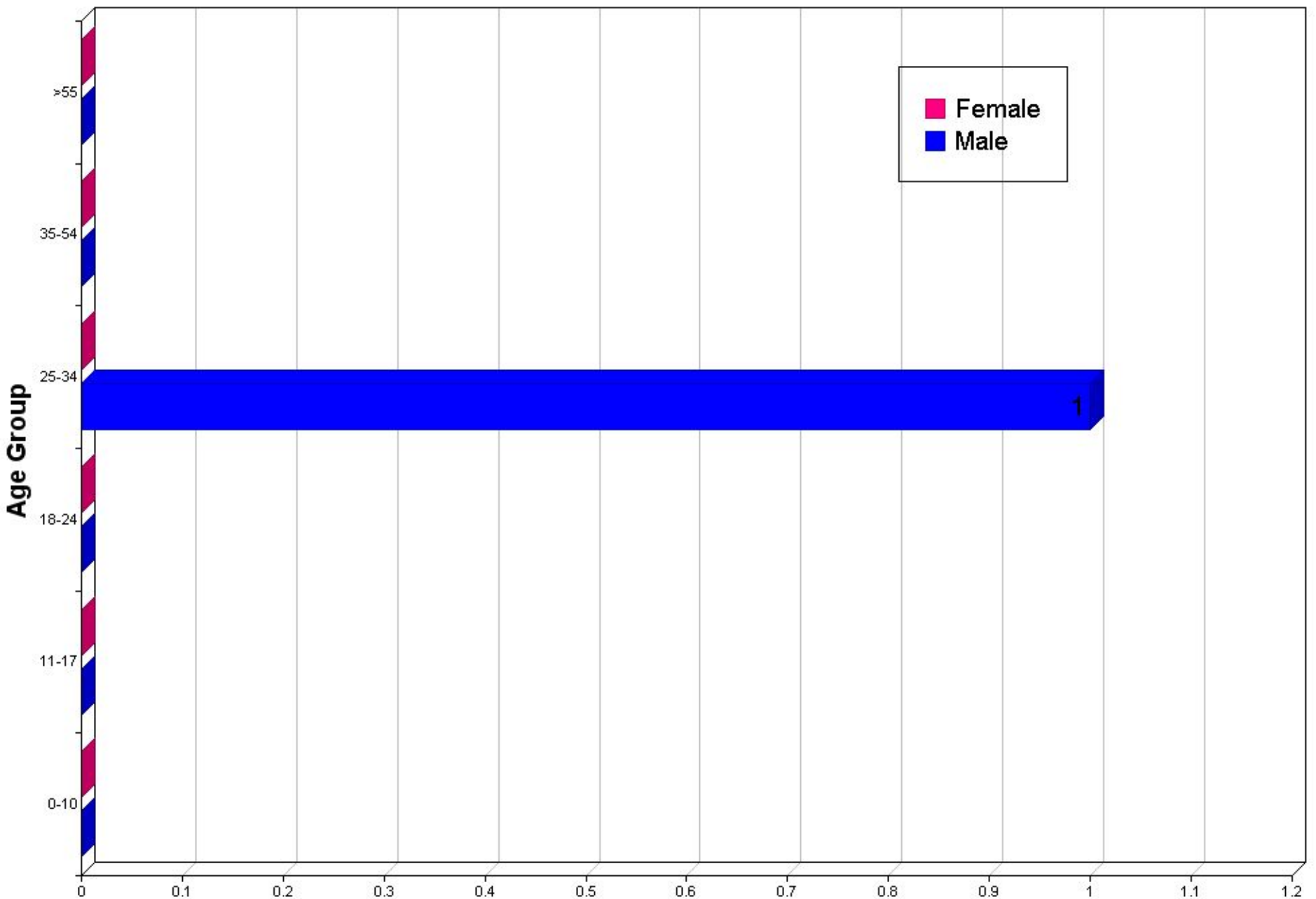


# P.C. Arrests By Race, Sex and Age

## Protective Custody Arrests by Race, Sex, and Age:

	00-10	11-17	18-24	25-34	35-54	> 55	TOTALS	Hispanic
Asian								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian/Alaskan Native								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian Or Other Pacific Islander								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White								
Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	1	0	0	3	0	4	1
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

# Protective Custody Arrests By Age / Sex





# Property Loss Value By Property Type

## Property Loss Value by Property Type:

Alcohol	\$	40.00
Automobiles	\$	8,642.00
Clothes/Furs	\$	300.00
Credit/Debit Cards	\$	103.00
Drugs/Narcotics	\$	59,730.00
Firearms	\$	20.00
Jewelry/Precious Metals	\$	2,420.00
Money	\$	1,390.00
Negotiable Instruments	\$	811.00
Nonnegotiable Instruments	\$	600.00
Purses/Handbags/Wallets	\$	15.00
Recordings-Audio/Visual	\$	6,000.00
Structures-Single Occupancy Dwellings	\$	200.00
Structures-Other Dwellings	\$	200.00
Structures-Other	\$	1,000.00
Tools	\$	310.00
Vehicle Parts/Accessories	\$	13.00
Documents/Personal Or Business	\$	5.00
Identity Documents	\$	90.00
Identity-Intangible	\$	1.00
Portable Electronic Communications	\$	200.00
Other	\$	16,145.00

<b>Total Monetary Loss:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>98,335.00</b>
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# Crash Locations

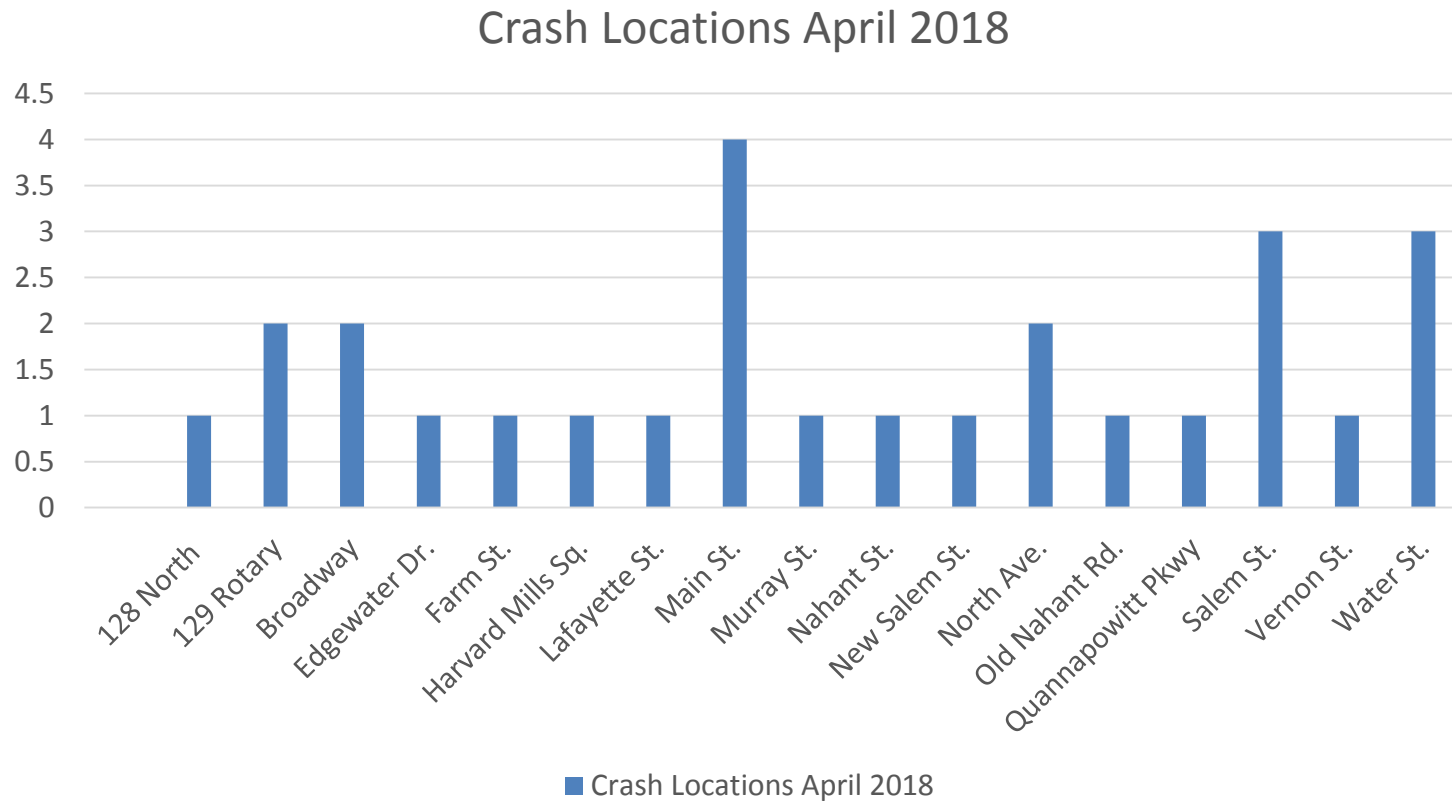


Street / Location:	Injuries	Number of Crashes
128 NORTH HWY	0	1
129 ROTARY	0	2
BROADWAY	1	2
EDGEWATER DR	1	1
FARM ST	0	1
HARVARD MILL SQ	0	1
LAFAYETTE ST	0	1
MAIN ST	0	4
MURRAY ST	0	1
NAHANT ST	4	1
NEW SALEM ST	1	1
NORTH AVE	1	2
OLD NAHANT RD	0	1
QUANNAPOWITT PKWY	1	1
SALEM ST	2	3
VERNON ST	0	1
WATER ST	0	3
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>27</b>



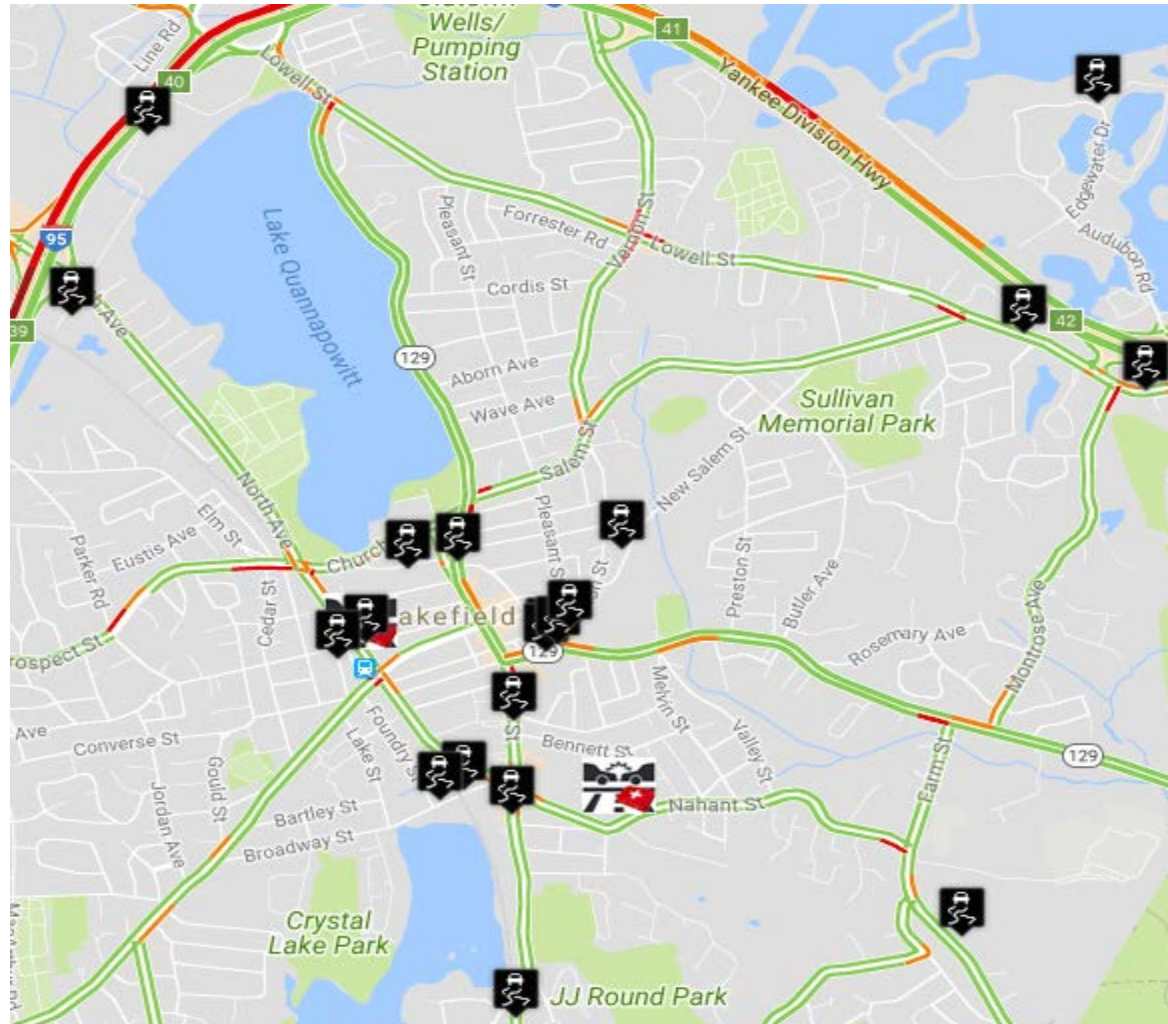


# CRASH LOCATION GRAPH





# CRASH LOCATION MAP





# Motor Vehicle Violations



State law	Civil	Warnings	Arrest	Crim App.	Totals:
138 / 22	0	0	0	1	1
540CMR205	0	1	0	0	1
540CMR2207	0	1	0	0	1
720CMR904 / .	0	1	0	0	1
85 / 10	0	1	0	0	1
89 / 2	0	2	0	0	2
89 / 4A	7	4	2	0	13
89 / 8	0	8	0	0	8
89 / 9	6	39	0	0	45
90 / 10	1	1	0	1	3
90 / 11	0	1	0	0	1
90 / 13	0	2	0	0	2
90 / 13A	2	0	0	1	3
90 / 13B	0	1	0	0	1
90 / 14	1	5	0	0	6
90 / 17	5	35	1	1	42
90 / 18	1	25	0	2	28
90 / 20	2	14	1	0	17
90 / 23	0	1	1	3	5
90 / 24	1	0	3	1	5
90 / 25	0	0	1	0	1
90 / 26A	0	1	0	0	1
90 / 34J	0	1	0	1	2
90 / 6	0	10	0	0	10
90 / 7	2	12	0	0	14
90 / 8	0	1	0	0	1
90 / 9	2	3	0	0	5
90 / 9D	1	6	0		7

<b>Grand Total:</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>227</b>
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# Citation Statistics:



## Citation Type:

Arrest:	4	2.2%
Civil:	21	11.3%
Complaint:	5	2.7%
Warning:	154	82.8%
Void:	2	1.1%

## Method of Measurement:

Speed measured by Radar:	64	34.4%
Speed Not Measured:	120	64.5
Accident Occurred:	7	3.8%

Average speed (charged):	46 MPH
Average speed limit:	30 MPH
Average MPH over speed limit:	17 MPH

**Total Citations Issued: 184**



# Citation Map:

