INDIAN WELLS POLICE DEPARTMENT
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Chad Bianco, Sheriff-Coroner

December 2025

Incidents of Interest

DATE	CRIME	LOCATION	SUMMARY
12/01/2025			No Activity
12/02/2025			No Activity
12/03/2025			No Activity
12/04/2025			No activity
12/05/2025	**23152 C.V.C. – DUI / Traffic Violations**		Indian Wells Traffic Team with assistance from Palm Desert and Rancho Mirage Traffic Teams conducted a DUI Checkpoint at Hwy 111 and Eldorado Dr, in the city of Indian Wells on December 5, 2025. During this operation, 3 people were arrested for DUI, 20 people were cited for being an unlicensed driver, 1 person was cited for having a suspended driver license, 1 person was cited for outstanding warrant, and 10 people were cited for miscellaneous traffic violations. Also, 865 vehicles were contacted, 59 vehicles were subjected to secondary screening, and 6 field sobriety tests were conducted. Multiple files numbers were used.
12/06/2025			No Activity
12/07/2025			No activity
12/08/2025			No activity
12/09/2025			No activity
12/10/2025			No activity
12/11/2025			No activity
12/12/2025	**647 (f) P.C. – Public Intoxication**	Indian Wells	1624 hours – **Public Intoxication Arrest** - Deputy Gamboa responded to a resort in the City of Indian Wells Deputy Gamboa arrested

			a 42-year-old male of Cedar Glen, for being under the influence of alcohol in a public place and was unable to care for himself. The male was arrested for 647(f) PC and booked at JBDC. File #J253460029.
12/13/2025			No activity
12/14/2025	**23152 C.V.C. – DUI** **11395 H&S – Possession of illegal substance with two or more prior convictions.**		0124 Hours – **23152 Arrest** - Deputy Himes conducted a traffic stop in the city of Indian Wells after he observed a driver speeding and swerving on the roadway. Deputy Himes contacted a 40 year old male of La Quinta who exhibited signs and symptoms of being under the influence of alcohol. The male refused all tests and was arrested and booked at JBDC for violations of 23152(a)CVC and 23152(g) CVC. File #J253480004 (FH) 2335 Hours – **11395 HS Arrest** - Deputy Himes conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of in the city of Indian Wells. He contacted a 44 year old male of Indio. Deputy Himes located with a white crystallized substance on the males pants and shirt. The male admitted the substance was methamphetamine. He was found to be in possession of approximately 1.3 grams of methamphetamine. He was placed under arrest and subsequently booked into JBDC for violations of 11395(b)(1) HS and 11377(a) HS. File #J253480023 (FH)
12/15/2025			No activity
12/16/2025	**22810 P.C. -- Unlawful possession of tear gas** **1203.2 – Violation of Probation**	Indian Wells	2243 Hours – Weapon Arrest - Deputy Himes conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Highway 111 and Miles and contacted a 28 year old female of Coachella. Upon contact, she stated she was on felony probation. Deputy Himes conducted probationary search of her vehicle search and located pepper spray in the center console. As

			result of her unlawful possession of the substance, she was deemed in violation of her probationary terms and was booked JBDC for the charges of 22810 PC and 1203.2 PC. File #J253500030
12/17/2025	**23152 C.V.C. – DUI Felony Warrant Arrest**	Indian Wells	1744 hours: DUI /Felony Warrant Arrest – Motor Deputy Davidson and Deputy Trainee Choi were dispatched to a traffic collision at Hwy 111 and Cook St, in the city of Indian Wells. They contacted a 38-year-old male of Los Angeles who displayed objective signs of marijuana intoxication. He refused to participate in SFST's. A McNeely Warrant was authorized and a blood sample was collected. He was taken to EMC for an OK to book and was ultimately booked at JBDC for 23152(f) CVC and a out of county warrant for 29900(a)(1) PC. File #J253510041.
12/18/2025			No activity
12/19/2025			No activity
12/20/2025			No activity
12/21/2025			No activity
12/22/2025	**Misdemeanor Warrant Arrest**	Indian Wells	0100 hours – AWS Arrest - Deputy Himes conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Highway 111 and Plaza La Quinta and made contact with the driver, identified as a 34 year old male, of Indio. The stop was initiated due to the vehicle speeding passed Deputy Himes on a previous stop. A records check revealed the male had two outstanding misdemeanor warrants for 23152(b)CVC. He was arrested and booked into JBDC for his two misdemeanor warrants. File #J253560003
12/23/2025			No Activity
12/24/2025	**11377 (A) H&S / 11364 (A) H&S – Possession of**	Indian Wells	2304 hours – H&S / AWS Arrest – Deputies responded to Fred Waring Drive X El Dorado Drive in the city of Indian Wells regarding a single vehicle

	suspected meth and drug paraphernalia Misdemeanor Arrest Warrants		collision. Upon arrival deputies determined the vehicle in question was not involved in a collision but had run out of gas. Contacted was a 54 yr old male of Coachella. Felix who had a methamphetamine pipe in plain view. A records search revealed he had multiple local misdemeanor warrants. He was also found to be in possession of approx. 2 ounces of methamphetamine. He was arrested and booked into JBDC for 11377(a) H&S, 11364(a) H&S and the misdemeanor warrant (487 PC/148.5 PC). File # J253580017
12/25/2025			No activity
12/26/2025			No activity
12/27/2025	**148 (A) P.C. / 466 P.C. / 11364 (A) H&S – Obstruction of Justice, possession of burglary tools, possession of drug paraphernalia**	Indian Wells	0941 hours - 148 PC, H&S Arrest - Deputy Gamboa conducted a pedestrian check at Rancho Palmeras Drive and Hwy 111. Deputy Gamboa contacted a 32-year-old male of Palm Desert, and noticed his bicycle had been painted over, including the serial number. As Deputy Gamboa questioned the male about where he got his bicycle, the male fled on his bike, riding against traffic on Hwy 111. Deputies Gamboa and Paull located the male and took him into custody, the male was found to be in possession of burglary tools and drug paraphernalia. He was booked at JBDC for 148(a)(1) PC, 466 PC, and 11364 H&S. File #J253610005.
12/28/2025			No activity
12/29/2025			No activity
12/30/2025			No activity
12/31/2025			No activity

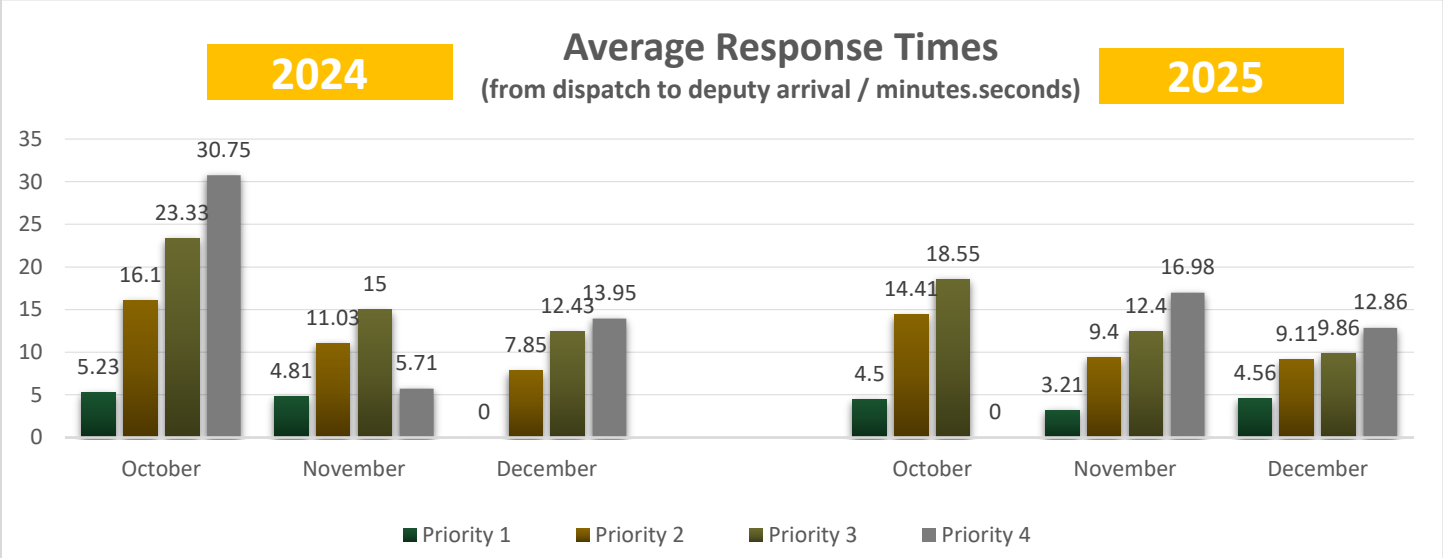
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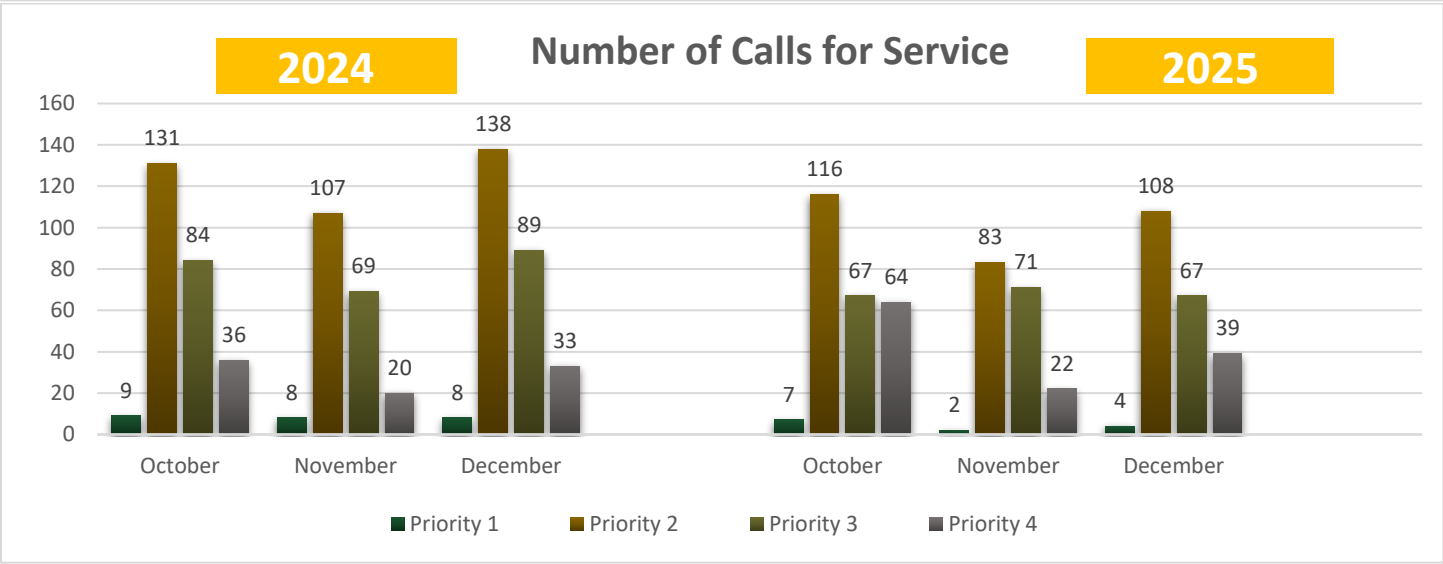
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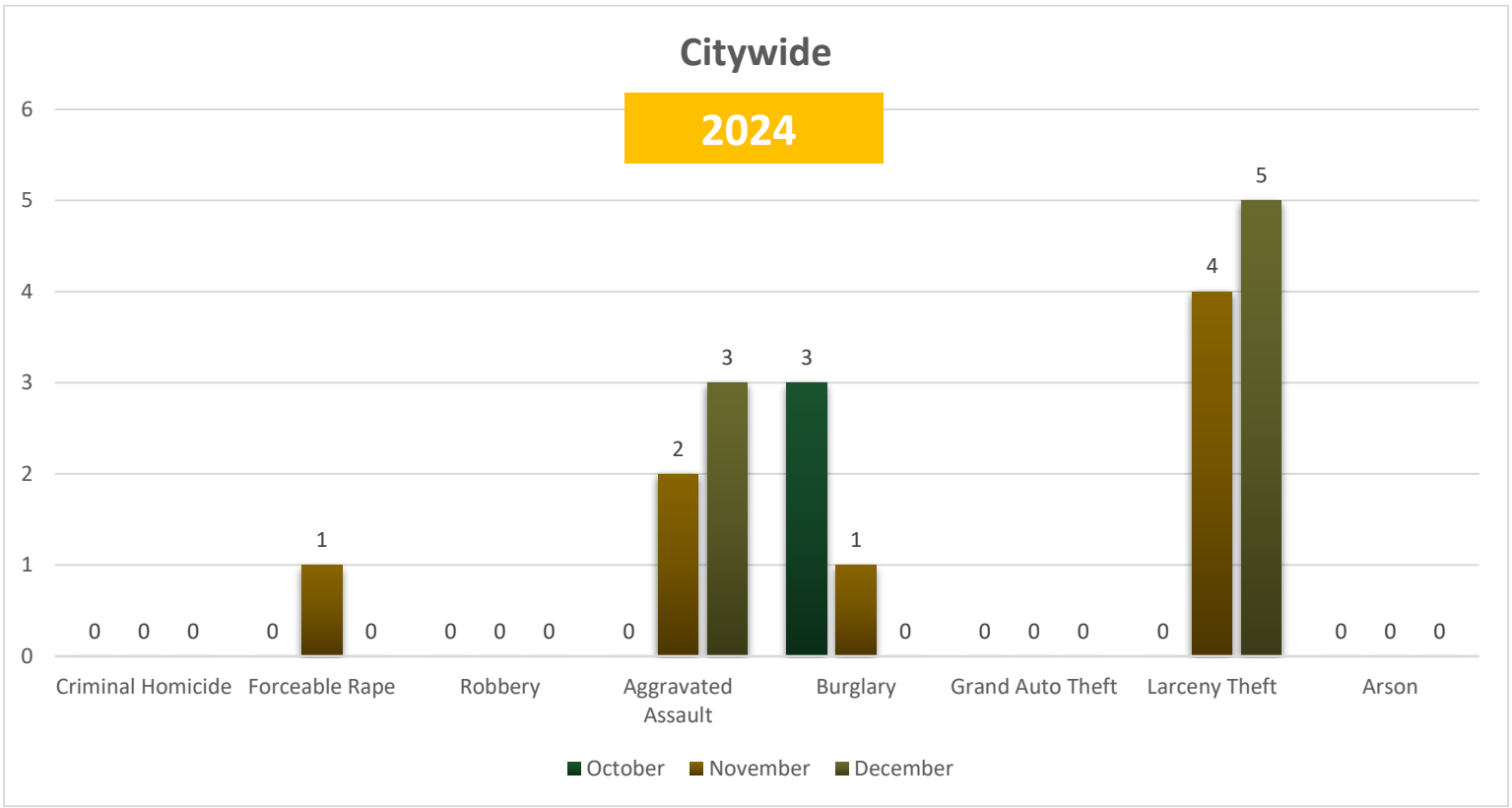
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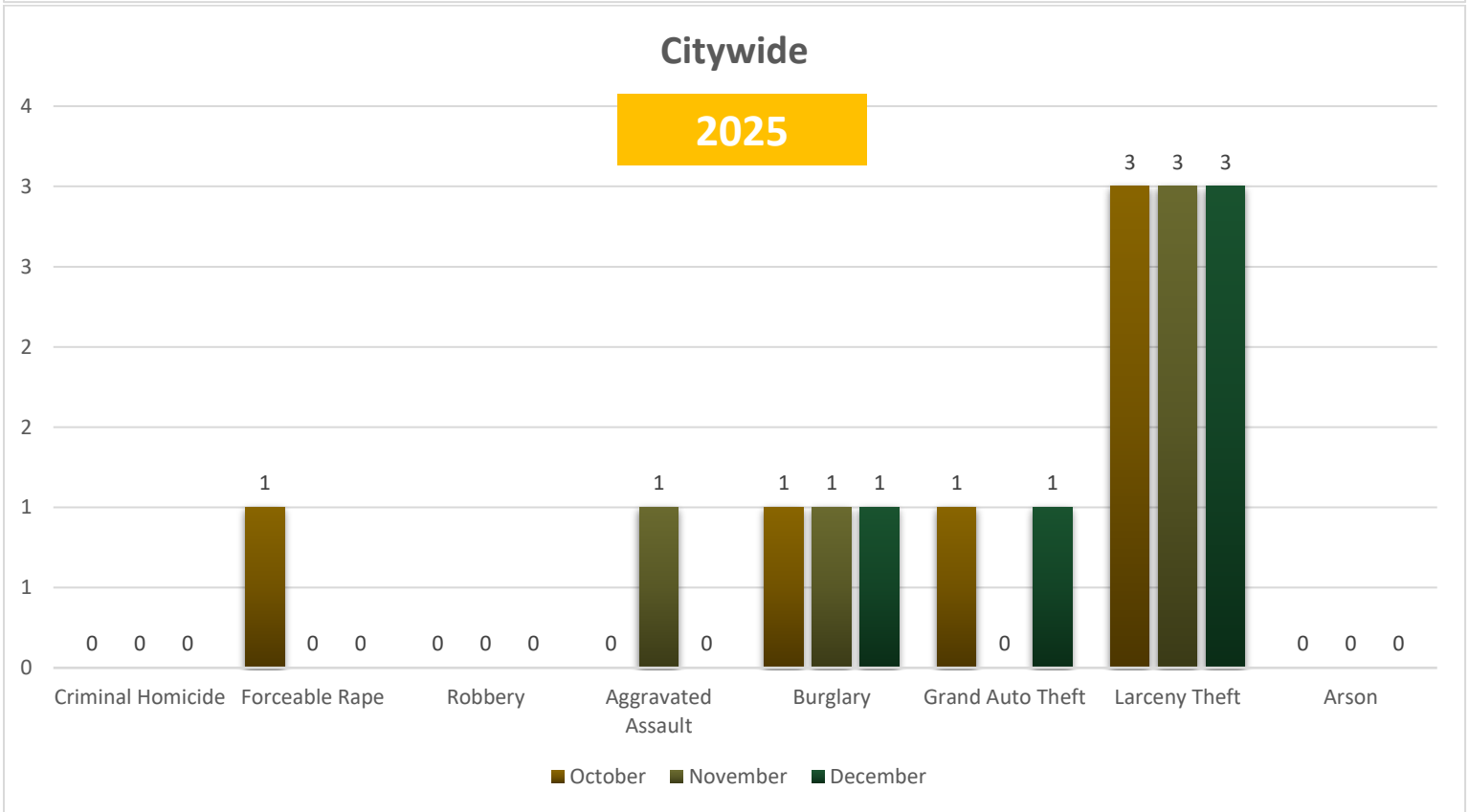




Priority 1 - Involve circumstances that pose a clearly defined threat to human life or property.
Priority 2 - Involve circumstances of an urgent but not life-threatening nature (e.g., minor assaults and batteries)
Priority 3 - Involve circumstances which are neither urgent nor life threatening (e.g., disturbances of the peace)
Priority 4 - Incident occurring in the past or "cold" calls.

Part 1 Crime Data

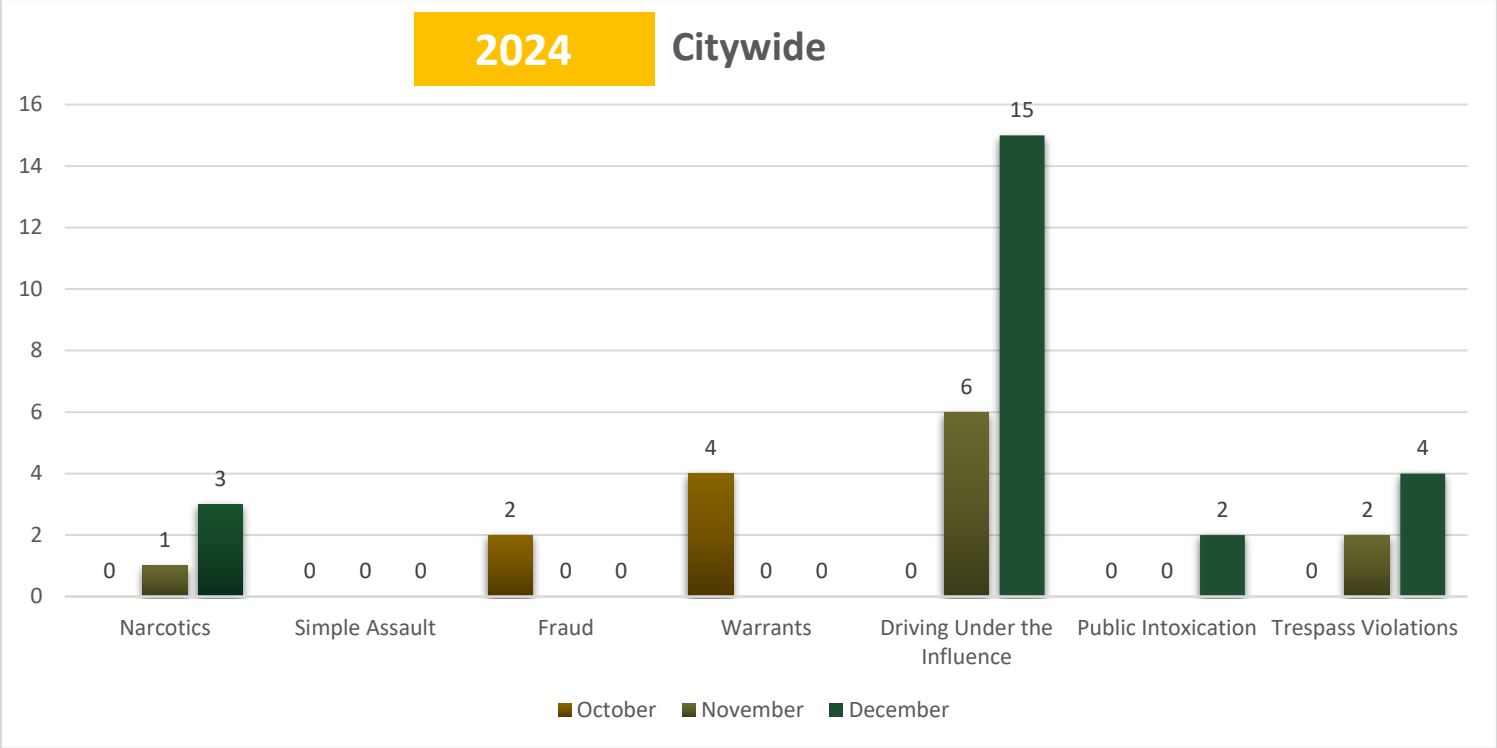


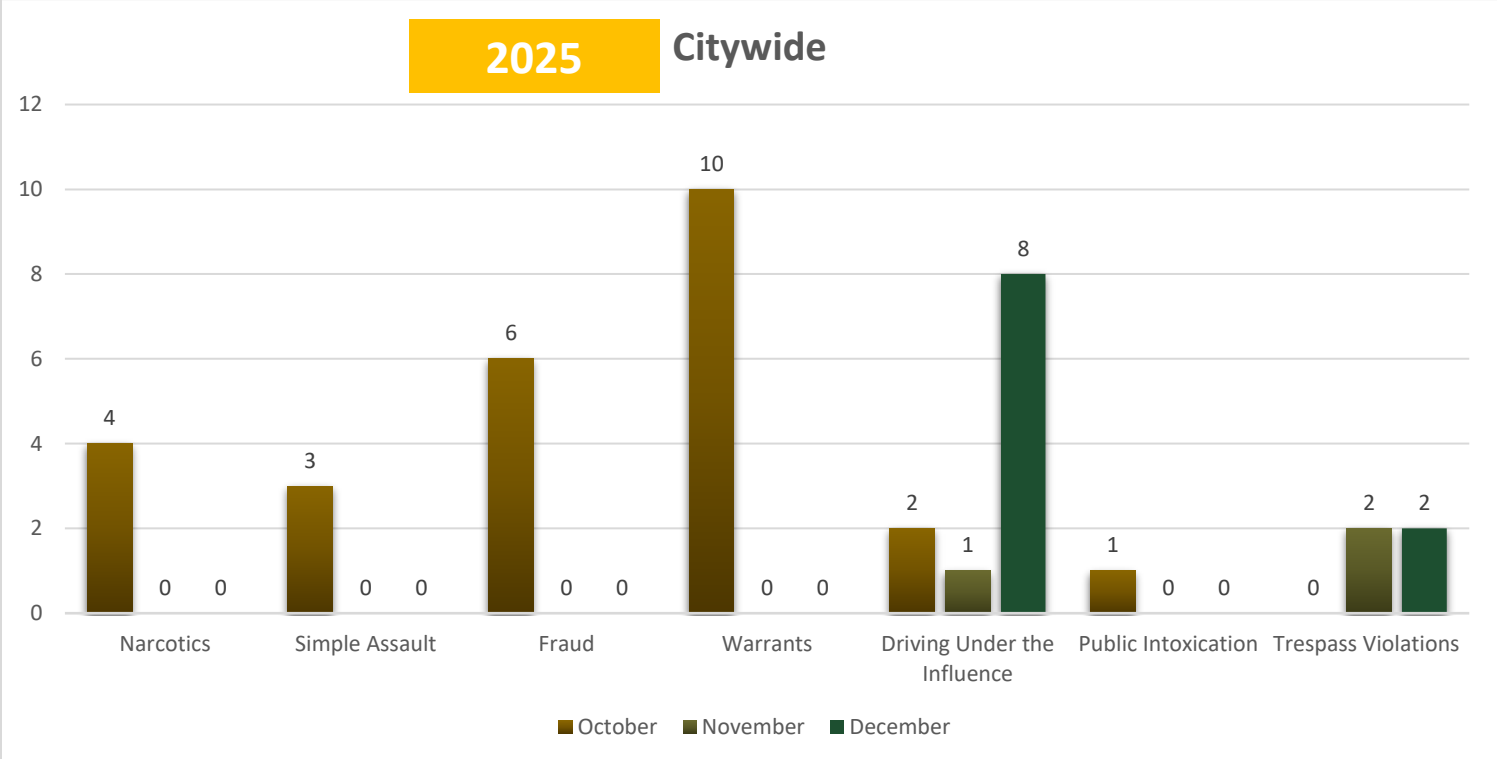


Part 1 Crimes: (as defined by the Federal Bureau of Investigation) Criminal homicide, forceable rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, grand theft, grand auto theft, arson.

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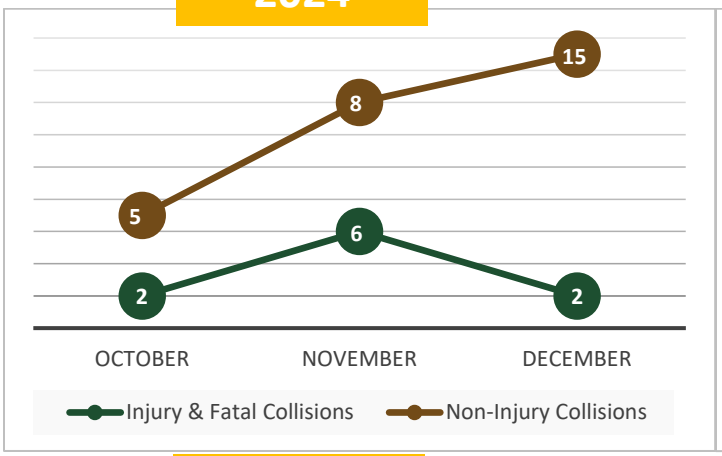


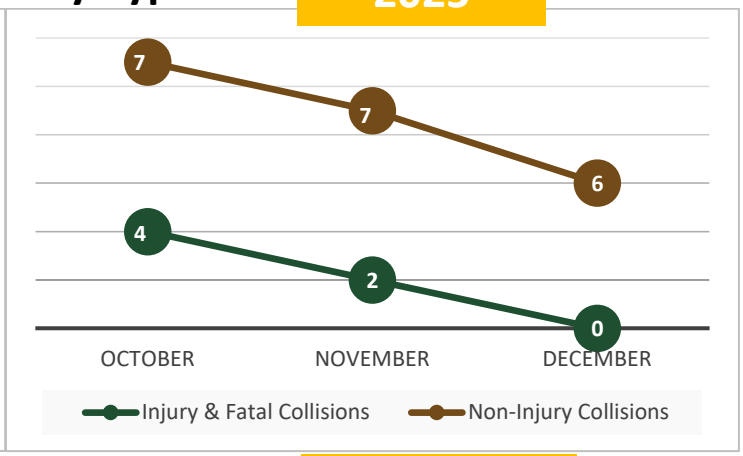


Part 2 Crimes: (as defined by the Federal Bureau of Investigation) Forgery, fraud and insufficient funds checks, sex offences felonies, sex offences misdemeanors, non-aggravated assaults, weapons laws, offence against family, narcotics, liquor laws, drunk/alcohol/drugs, disorderly conduct, vagrancy, gambling, driving under the influence (alcohol and/or drugs), vehicle laws, vandalism, warrants, receiving stolen property, federal offences with or without money, miscellaneous felonies, and miscellaneous misdemeanors.

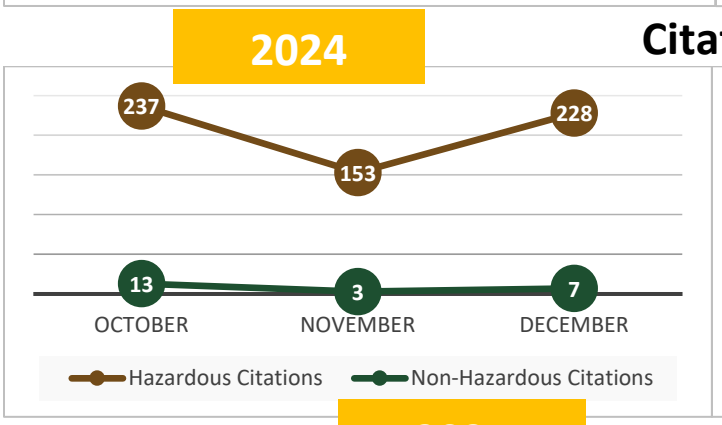
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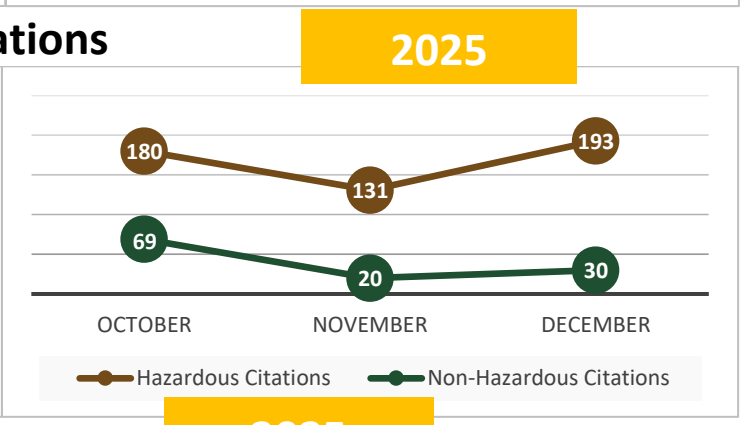
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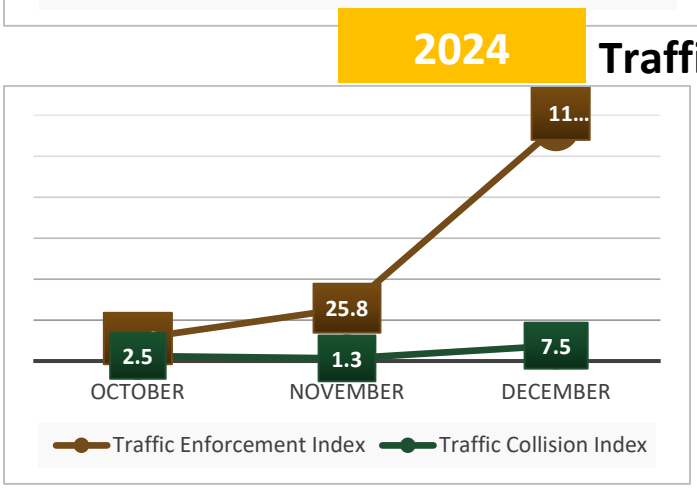


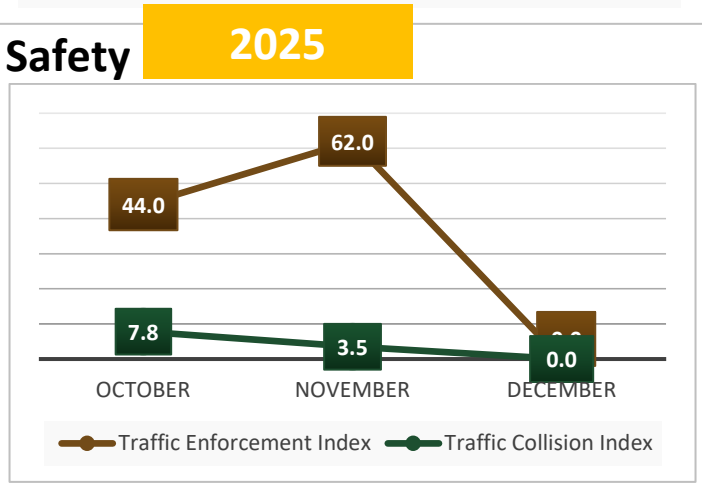
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Traffic Safety





Traffic Safety Definitions and Formulas:

Traffic Enforcement Index - A statistic that reflects the effectiveness of a traffic enforcement program in reducing accidents and is expressed as Hazardous Citations + DUI Arrests / Fatal & Injury Collisions.

Traffic Collision Index - A statistic that measures non-injury collisions over fatal and injury collisions, expressed as Non-Injury Collisions / Fatal & Injury Collisions.