

**DALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT  
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETING  
NOVEMBER 27, 2018**

**SUMMARY OF DATA AND CRIME STATISTICS FOR OCTOBER 2018**

**General**

There were 86 Part 1 crimes reported in October 2018 versus 87 in October of 2017. In October of 2018 burglaries decreased by approximately 72.7% when compared to October of 2017. There were 5 reported aggravated assaults in October 2018. All year to date Part 1 crimes show a decrease except for robbery and larceny. Year to date Part 1 crimes are down 2.09% from 2017.

<b>DALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT CRIME STATISTICS</b>												
	<b>INCIDENTS</b>				<b>CLEARANCES</b>				<b>ARRESTS</b>			
			<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>			<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>			<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>
	<b>10/18</b>	<b>10/17</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>10/18</b>	<b>10/17</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>10/18</b>	<b>10/17</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>YTD</b>
<b>Part I Offenses</b>												
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	1	0	9	15	0	0	6	4	0	0	3	2
Robbery	3	1	27	17	0	5	11	18	0	5	11	17
Aggravated Assault	5	6	47	63	3	7	30	60	2	7	25	55
Burglary	3	11	105	112	0	2	26	38	0	2	21	33
Larceny - Theft	69	65	727	725	31	22	273	256	26	19	219	207
Motor Vehicle Theft	5	3	65	68	1	1	22	32	1	1	13	6
Arson	0	1	3	4	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0
<b>PART I SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>983</b>	<b>1004</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>320</b>

<b>Part 2 Offenses</b>	<b>Total</b>
Controlled Substance Offenses	67
Warrant Served	60
Public Peace Violations	42
Battery/Assault - Non-aggravated	41
Code Violation	38
Traffic Offenses	37
Trespass of Real Property	36
Destruct/Damage/Vandalize Property	33
Forgery/Fraud	29
Obstruction	16

Controlled substance offenses decreased by approximately 11.8% in October 2018 when compared to September 2018. Calls for service increased by nearly 10% when compared to 2017. Citations increased by approximately 45% in October 2018 when compared to October 2017.

	<b>October 2018</b>	<b>October 2017</b>
Calls for Service	3,564	3,241
Traffic Crashes	144	134
Citations	1,101	758

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DALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT CRIME DASHBOARD YTD 2014-2018  
October 2018

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	TREND
Part I Crimes YTD	1190	1173	1107	1004	983	
Homicides	2	1	0	0	0	
Rape	14	19	17	15	9	
Robbery	14	10	19	17	27	
Aggravated Assault	51	52	61	63	47	
<b>Violent Crime Totals</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>83</b>	
Burglary	172	159	159	112	105	
Larceny-Theft	875	876	801	725	727	
Motor Vehicle Theft	56	56	44	68	65	
Arson	6	0	6	4	3	
<b>Property Crime Totals</b>	<b>1109</b>	<b>1091</b>	<b>1010</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>900</b>	
Violent Crime Clearance	72%	76%	70%	86%	57%	
Property Crime Clearance	37%	43%	35%	36%	36%	
Part I Arrests	405	441	336	320	293	
Citations	11,102	9,306	10,826	9,831	11,565	
Calls for Service	39,527	35,035	36,961	33,653	35,275	
Traffic Crashes	1,047	1,108	1,183	1,190	1,170	

## Analysis

In the year to date 2018 there have been 983 Part 1 crimes reported versus 1004 in 2017 which shows an approximate decrease of 2.09%. Robberies have increased by approximately 58% with 10 more robberies than 2017. Reported rapes have decreased by approximately 40% when compared to 2017 YTD numbers.

There have been 83 violent crimes reported 2018 YTD compared to 95 reported violent crimes YTD 2017. That is a decrease of approximately 12.6%. Year to date property crimes have shown a decrease of approximately 1% when compared to October 2017 YTD statistics.

Based on the statistics from the previous 5 years, both violent crime and property crime numbers are on the low end of the normal range and show no significant deviation.

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	INCIDENTS				CLEARANCES				ARRESTS				
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PART I SUBTOTAL	86	87	983	1004	35	38	369	409	29	34	293	320	
Part II Offenses													
Other Assaults - not agg.	36	28	328	372	29	24	224	284	26	22	181	216	
Forgery/Counterfeiting	10	18	96	91	2	5	48	45	2	5	40	42	
Fraud	25	29	257	257	8	18	63	100	7	16	45	87	
Embezzlement	0	1	18	14	0	2	9	14	0	2	7	13	
Stolen Property	3	3	22	19	0	5	12	23	0	5	11	24	
Vandalism	32	36	319	334	5	8	85	86	3	5	74	65	
Weapons Violations	6	4	45	43	5	4	45	44	5	4	44	44	
Commercial Sex	0	4	3	19	0	4	2	19	0	4	2	19	
Other Sex Offenses	11	8	56	59	3	2	35	21	1	2	17	12	
Drug Sales	7	9	101	122	8	15	153	152	8	15	153	150	
Drug Possession	45	37	553	422	52	35	592	447	52	35	590	441	
Gambling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Offenses Against Family/Children	6	2	42	79	6	4	31	44	6	4	30	42	
Liquor Violations	4	7	82	67	1	5	70	52	1	5	70	51	
Drunkenness	6	9	88	75	6	8	87	86	6	8	85	86	
Other Disorderly Conduct	29	16	195	315	18	6	82	153	16	6	70	126	
Curfew Violations	2	1	50	22	1	1	31	8	1	0	29	6	
All Other Offenses	257	257	2818	2502	187	183	2164	1967	184	179	2100	1921	
DUI	7	18	133	132	7	17	123	141	7	17	123	140	
Human Trafficking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PART II SUBTOTAL	486	487	5206	4944	338	346	3856	3686	325	334	3671	3485	
PART I AND II TOTAL	572	574	6189	5948	373	384	4225	4095	354	368	3964	3805	
Crashes			2018	2017	Enforcement						2018	2017	
	10/18	10/17	YTD	YTD					10/18	10/17	YTD	YTD	
Public Roadway	144	134	1,170	1,190					537	437	6,151	5,898	
									564	321	5,414	3,933	
911 Calls	3,564	3,241	35,275	33,653					Totals	1,101	758	11,565	9,831

Row Labels	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Grand Total
Affray		2			1		1	4
All Other Offenses	1		2	4		2		9
Animal Problem		1		1	1		2	5
Assault, Othr Weap							2	2
Assault, Simple			1			2	3	6
Battery	2	3	4	5		1	3	18
Battery of an unborn child						1		1
Child Abuse or Neglect		3						3
Citizen Dispute		1			1		1	3
CODE VIOLATION		8	7	12	5	5	1	38
Conservation-Cruelty to Animal		1						1
Cont Subs, Other					1		1	2
Cont Subs, Possess, Cocaine		1		1			1	3
Cont Subs, Possess, Heroin		1						1
Cont Subs, Possess, Marijuana	2	3	2	5	2	1	4	19
Cont Subs, Possess, Narc Equip	1	7	1	3	1	1	2	16
Cont Subs, Possess, Synthetic		1	1	1				3
Cont Subs, Sale/Mfg, Marijuana				2				2
Cont Subs,Possess,Amphetamine	2	6	3	1	2	2	1	17
Cont Subs,Sale/Mfg,Amphetamine		2	1	1				4
Criminal Damage to Property 1s						1		1
Criminal Mischief		1						1
Curfew or Loitering		1				1		2
Damage - Business Property				1				1
Damage - Government Property						1		1
Damage - Private Property			1	5	2	2	4	14
Damage - Public Property						1		1
Destruct/Damage/Vandalize Prop	1	3	2	5	2		1	14
Disorderly Conduct	1	1	2	2	1	1		8
Drunkenness		2	1	1		1	1	6
DUI Alcohol or Drugs	1		1	1			4	7
Family, Cruel Toward Children				2	1			3
Forgery - Forgery - Other			1					1
Forgery-Counterfeiting-Other	2	2		1	1	1	2	9
Fraud - Other			1					1
Fraud - Prescription			1				1	2

Fraud, Bad/Worthless Checks				1		1		2
Fraud, Credit Card or ATM		3	1		2	1	1	8
Fraud, Impersonation		1						1
Fraud, Wire		1	1		1			3
Fraud/Swindle/Confidence Game		1				1		2
Impersonation							1	1
Juvenile Problem	1		1					2
Juvenile Runaway		1	1					2
Liquor - Other	1						1	2
Liquor - Possess				1			1	2
Littering or Pollution Problem							1	1
Loitering		1	1	1				3
Obstructing, Court Order	1	1						2
Obstructing, False Report	2		2	1			2	7
Obstructing, Other, Justice	1							1
Obstructing, Other, Police	1	1	1	2			1	6
Other Sex Offenses			1					1
Prop Damage, Not Vandalism			1					1
Public Peace, Disturbing Peace	2	2	1	3	4	1	4	17
Public Peace, Harassing Comm	1	3	1	2	7	3		17
Recovered Stolen Prop							1	1
Recovered Stolen Veh	1			1				2
Sex - Child Molestation		1	2			1		4
Sex - Indecent Exposure	2		1					3
Sexual Battery		1			2			3
Simple Battery		3	1		4	2	1	11
Stalking		1	1		1			3
Suicide					1			1
Suspicious Person or Circumst					1			1
Threatening		1						1
Tobacco Problem						1		1
Traffic Accident, Prop Damage			1					1
Traffic Offense	6	1	10	6	4	3	7	37
Trafficking of Controlled subs			1					1
Trespass of Real Prop	3	6	6	6	4	5	6	36
Vagrancy			1	1	1	2		5
Warrant Served	11	14	9	8	8	5	5	60

Weapon - Carrying Concealed				1				1
Weapon - Carrying Prohibited			1					1
Weapon - Other - Possess				1	1			2
Weapons Offense		1	1					2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>487</b>

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Summary of Significant Events for October 2018

During the month of October 2018 there were no identified crime series in the city. There were multiple issues at Planet Fitness where several vehicles were broken into while in the parking lot. There were three robberies reported during this time frame. There were 5 reported aggravated assaults; two have been cleared by arrest, one was cleared due to lack of prosecution, and two are currently active. Three burglaries were reported during this time; two are currently active and one was administratively closed. Five motor vehicle thefts were reported. In three of the incidents the vehicles were left unlocked and the keys were inside the vehicle.

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| 18-006795   | Robbery      | 1009 S Thornton Ave  |
| A Hispanic male subject wearing black pants, a gray hooded sweatshirt, a red ball cap, gloves, and a mask entered the Aborrotos Emanuel store, produced a large knife, and demanded the cash. The owners were able to push the panic button and hide in a storage room. The male broke the glass counter with the knife and pushed the register into the floor before fleeing the store on foot. This case is currently active. |              |                      |
| 18-006887   | Traffic Stop | E Morris and 5th Ave |
| An officer attempted a traffic stop on a motorcycle. The driver was not wearing a helmet. The motorcycle performed an evasive maneuver to avoid the traffic stop and the officer stopped his vehicle and turned around in the opposite direction. The motorcycle continued another two miles out Airport Rd where he crashed. The driver was flown by helicopter to the hospital.   |              |                      |
| 18-006870   | Theft        | 600 N. Glenwood      |
| The complainant reported an entering auto. He was able to catch the suspect in the act. The suspect was arrested and transported to jail.   |              |                      |
| 18-006897   | Burglary     | 1320 E Morris St     |
| The complainant reported leaving during the morning and returning around 1130 hours to find several items missing from her apartment. She advised a male subject and one of his friends had been staying with her. She stated they were both there when she left, however were gone when she returned. She suspects these subjects stole the property from her apartment.   |              |                      |
| 18-006903   | Burglary     | 102 Valley Dr 1C     |
| The management from Walmart called in reference a suspicious black male who attempted to use several credit cards from a purse that he was looking through. After doing this he discarded the purse in the trash. The purse was recovered and contact was made with the owner of the purse. The owner of the purse advised it was an old purse that she no longer uses and was unaware of how the suspect obtained the purse.   |              |                      |
| 18-006922   | Sex Offense  | 927 Selvidge St      |
| It was reported that a white male in a black truck was exposing himself to kids in the area. The truck could not be located. The same truck was observed in 18-006924 (605 Pine St) and had exposed himself about two the three hours earlier. This case is currently under investigation.  |              |                      |

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18-006966

Drugs

200 Bryant Ave

While on patrol two female subjects were observed going through a box of clothing outside of the City of Refuge. Contact was made with the subjects. During the contact consent was gained and drugs or drug related objects were found on both of the females. Both were arrested and charged with the drug charges as well as loitering.

18-007016

Robbery

905 S. Hamilton St

The complainant reported that he had been robbed by two male subjects in the area of the 905 S Hamilton St. He stated that one subject had a knife and they threatened him if he did not give them his money. He stated that they took \$85. It occurred about an hour and half before he called 911.

18-007041

Entering Auto

1524 Echota Pl

The complainant reported an entering auto that occurred at 1524 Echota Place sometime during the evening. A blue backpack containing miscellaneous items was taken.

18-007051

Aggravated Assault

727 Mcghee Place

Officers responded to the above address in reference to a person being shot. Once on scene the victim was found in a bedroom on the floor with a gunshot wound to the stomach. Another lady was holding pressure on the wound. Officers were advised that there had been a disturbance and that the victim had been shot by one of her sons. Both sons involved in the disturbance ran away. Both were later taken into custody. Detectives arrived on scene and conducted the investigation.

18-007049, 18-007052, 18-007053

Entering Auto

1515 W Walnut Ave

Three vehicles were entered by having the windows busted out. Officers were not able to obtain or view the video at the time of the report. One of the victim's credit card was used at a Walmart in the area. These cases are currently active.

18-007077

Aggravated Assault

1424 Burgess Dr

The complainant reported being assaulted, strangled, and chased with a knife by her live in boyfriend. The suspect was gone on arrival and the complainant could not provide any further identifying information on the suspect. This case is currently active.

18-007096

Theft-Automobile

1503 E Walnut Ave

An employee of Enterprise rental reported renting a 2018 black Toyota Camry to a male subject in August. The vehicle was supposed to be returned on September 7th. The reporting officer obtained warrants on the suspect. The suspect was arrested on the warrants and the vehicle was recovered.

18-007133

Entering Auto

715 Sheridan Ave #12

The complainant reported that someone had taken her Dalton Public Schools issued laptop computer from her unlocked vehicle sometime between October 10<sup>th</sup> and October 12<sup>th</sup>. The case is currently active.

18-007164

Aggravated Assault

825 Beirut Pl; 16

Officers responded to a domestic where a subject was threatening his family with a knife. The suspect also threatened to burn down the apartment. Upon arrival the subject was taken to the ground by force and in the process he fractured his leg. He was transported to Hamilton Medical Center to receive treatment while awaiting charges.



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18-007278

Theft-Automobile

1116 Willowdale Rd Nw

Officers responded to the area of the Stay Lodge in reference to a lookout given by an anonymous caller of a stolen white Kia Sedona minivan. Officers located the vehicle as it was attempting to leave the parking lot of the Stay Lodge. A felony traffic stop was conducted and the driver was arrested and transported to WCSO. There was a large amount of methamphetamine along with drug related objects located inside the vehicle. The vehicle was released to its owner.

18-007310

Motor Vehicle Theft

106 W. Park St

The complainant stated that he dropped a black Nissan Morano off at Classy Clean on to have it cleaned. He stated that the owner of the business was not there when he dropped the vehicle off so he put the keys above the sun visor. The complainant later called the owner of the car wash to see if the vehicle was ready. The owner advised she never saw the vehicle. The vehicle was entered into NCIC.

18-007332

18-007333

Entering Auto

1515 W. Walnut Ave

Unknown subjects broke into two vehicles in the parking lot where items were in plain view. One was a bag that belonged to a teacher in the county where the access card the school was in it.

18-007324

Burglary

712 Skylark Pl #205

The complainant reported that someone broke into his apartment when he was in jail and stole several items. This case is currently active.

18-007356

Rape

901 Cascade Dr

The complainant reported being raped by her boyfriend. The rape occurred because he told her if she did not have sex with him he would conjure up ghosts. The complainant advised she was scared so she had sex with him. This case is currently active.

18-007419

Entering Auto

810 Vernon Ave

The complainant reported his vehicle was broken into. He named a person he knew as a suspect. Officers located some of the stolen items at the suspect's parents' home. Once the items were returned to the complainant he declined prosecution.

18-007454

Auto Theft

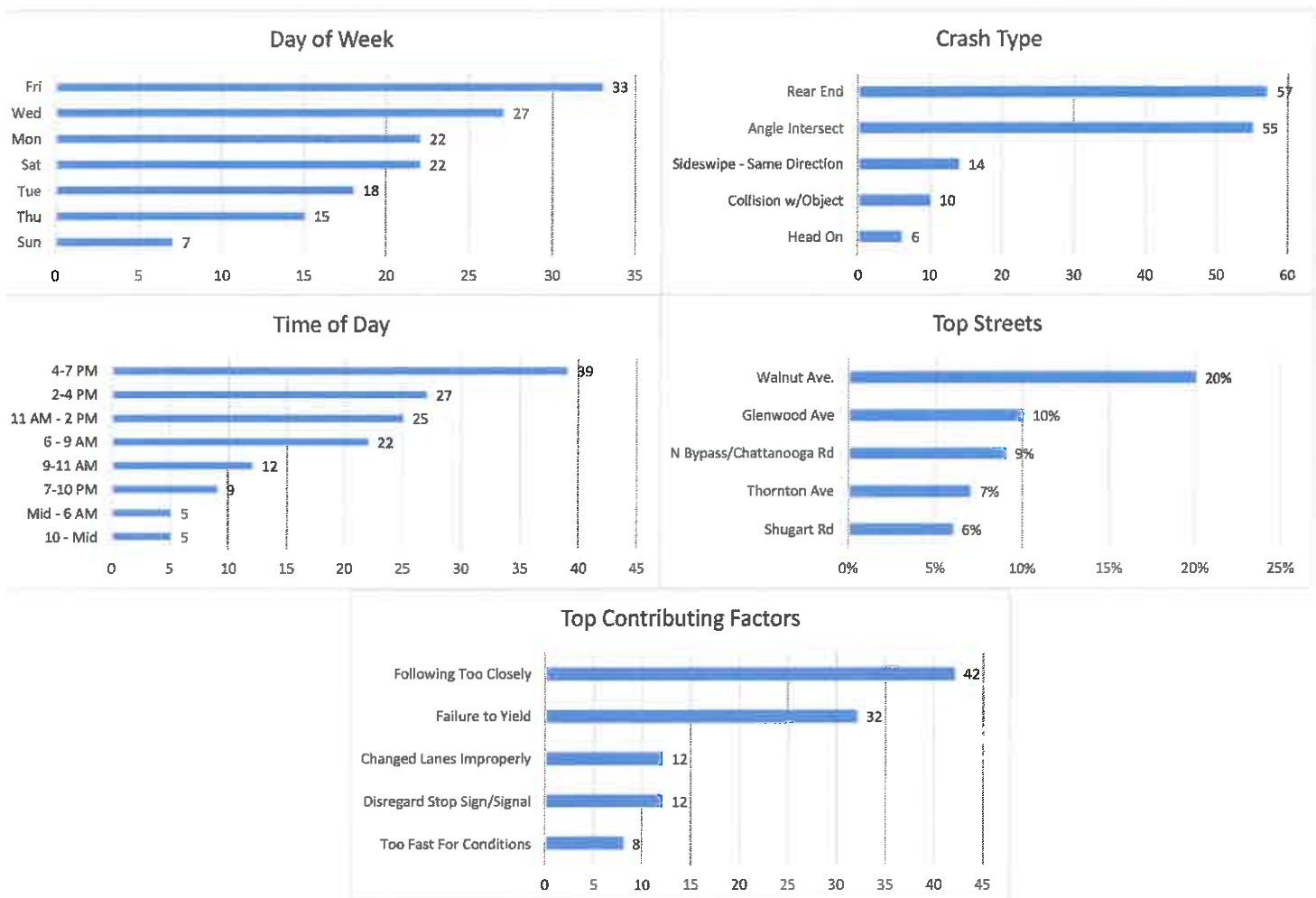
905 Gaston St.

Unknown persons stole the victim's 2001 Toyota Celica. The keys were left inside the complainant's unlocked vehicle. The vehicle was entered into GCIC.

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**October 2018 Crash Statistics**

In October 2018 there were 144 non-private property crashes reported. Total injury crashes and injuries decreased from September 2018. There were no serious injuries reported in October 2018. Rear end and angle crashes were the most prevalent during October 2018. Following too closely continues to be the leading contributing factor in crashes, while Failure to Yield was the top contributing factor for injury crashes at 36%. Walnut Ave and Glenwood Ave were the roadways where the majority of the crashes occurred. In October 2018 approximately 20% of all crashes in the city occurred on Walnut Ave. In October 2018, Chattanooga Rd/Bypass was the roadway with the most injury crashes.



**144 Crashes Reported in October 2018**

- There were 19 more crashes in October 2018 than in September 2018.
  - 25 Crashes reported in which injuries occurred.
  - That is one injury crash for every 5.76 crashes reported.
  - Multiple injuries were reported in 10 crashes.

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- Total Injuries Reported
  - 37 injuries were reported.
  - 0 serious injuries were reported.

Top 5 Streets

- Walnut Avenue
  - 29 Total Crashes
  - 20.14 % of Total Crashes
  - 21.62 % of Injuries Reported (8 Injuries Reported on the Roadway)
- Glenwood Ave
  - 14 Total Crashes
  - 9.72 % of Total Crashes
  - 13.51 % of Injuries Reported (5 Injury Reported on this Roadway)
- N Bypass/Chattanooga Rd
  - 13 Total Crashes
  - 9.03 % of Total Crashes
  - 27.03 % of Injuries Reported (10 Reported Injuries on the Roadway)
- Thornton Ave
  - 10 Total Crashes
  - 6.94 % of Total Crashes
  - 8.11 % of Injuries Reported (3 Reported Injury on the Roadway)
- Shugart Rd
  - 8 Total Crashes
  - 5.56 % of Total Crashes
  - 5.41 % of Injuries Reported (2 Reported Injuries on the Roadway)

Crashes Involving DUI

- 2 Reported Crashes involving DUI

Crashes Involving Speed

- 9 Reported Crashes involving Speed (Includes Too Fast for Conditions)

Crashes Involving Distracted or Inattentive Driver

- 14 Crashes Reported with Distracted or Inattentive Driver

Crashes Involving Drivers Following One Another Too Closely

- 42 Crashes Reported involving Following Too Closely

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Crashes by Type

- Rear End 57 / 39.58%
- Angle Crash 55 / 38.19%
- Sideswipe – Same Direction 14 / 9.72%
- Non-Vehicle 10 / 6.94%
- Head On 6 / 4.17%

Days of the Week

- 22 crashes occurred on Mondays
- 18 crashes occurred on Tuesdays
- 27 crashes occurred on Wednesdays
- 15 crashes occurred on Thursdays
- 33 crashes occurred on Fridays
- 22 crashes occurred on Saturdays
- 7 crashes occurred on Sundays

Time of Day

- 0000- 0559-5
- 0600-0859-22
- 0900-1059-12
- 1100-1359-25
- 1400-1559-27
- 1600-1859-39
- 1900-2159-9
- 2200-2359-5

Top Contributing Factors

- Following Too Closely: 42 (29.17 % of all crashes)
- Failure to Yield: 32 (22.22 % of all crashes)
- Changed Lanes Improperly: 12 (8.33 % of all crashes)
- Disregard Stop Sign/Signal: 12 (8.33 % of all crashes)
- Too Fast for Conditions: 8 (5.56 % of all crashes)

Based on the crash data from September 2018, Selective Enforcement Details were conducted in the following areas in October 2018:

- **Thornton Ave**
- **Glenwood Ave**
- **Walnut Ave**

There were 8 total Enforcement Details conducted in October 2018, resulting in 79 total violations being identified.

Comparing the crash data compiled and the enforcement activities conducted for the month of October 2018, details will be conducted in November 2018 in the following areas:

- **Walnut Ave**
- **Glenwood Ave**
- **N Bypass/Chattanooga Rd**