

**DALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT  
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETING  
JANUARY 22, 2019**

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

**General**

There were 102 Part 1 crimes reported in December 2018 versus 90 in December of 2017. December 2018 had approximately 15.94% more larcenies than the same time in 2017. There were 6 reported aggravated assaults in December 2018. All year to date Part 1 crimes show a decrease except for robbery and motor vehicle thefts. Year to date Part 1 crimes are down 1.43% from 2017.

DALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT CRIME STATISTICS												
Part I Offenses	INCIDENTS				CLEARANCES				ARRESTS			
			2018	2017			2018	2017			2018	2017
	12/18	12/17	YTD	YTD	12/18	12/17	YTD	YTD	12/18	12/17	YTD	YTD
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	1	2	12	18	1	1	6	5	0	1	3	2
Robbery	0	0	29	17	0	1	12	19	0	1	12	18
Aggravated Assault	6	4	58	73	3	4	33	61	3	4	31	63
Burglary	8	11	122	130	1	1	29	40	1	1	24	35
Larceny - Theft	80	69	866	871	40	34	290	308	37	32	269	255
Motor Vehicle Theft	7	4	82	76	0	0	24	32	0	0	15	6
Arson	0	0	3	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
PART I SUBTOTAL	102	90	1172	1189	45	41	395	466	41	39	355	379

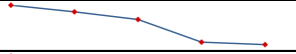
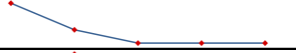
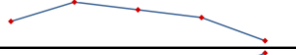
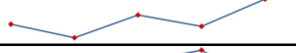
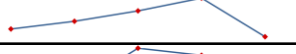
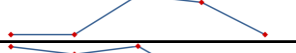

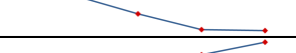
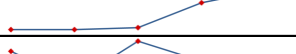


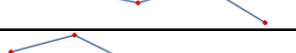
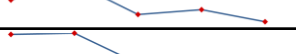
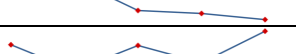
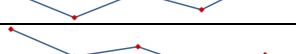
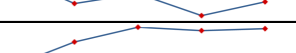
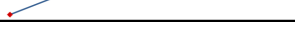
<b>Part 2 Offenses</b>	<b>Total</b>
Controlled Substance Offenses	125
Warrant Served	58
Traffic Offenses	37
Trespass of Real Property	37
Code Violations	34
Battery/Assault - Non-aggravated	29
Public Peace Violations	20
Destruct/Damage/Vandalize Property	18
Forgery/Fraud	18
DUI	15

Controlled substance offenses increased by approximately 66.67% in December 2018 when compared to November 2018. Calls for service increased by 11.12% when compared to 2017. Citations increased by approximately 23.78% in December 2018 when compared to December 2017.

	<b>December 2018</b>	<b>December 2017</b>
Calls for Service	3,547	3,192
Traffic Crashes	127	124
Citations	1,218	984

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DALTON POLICE DEPARTMENT CRIME DASHBOARD YTD 2014-2018  
December 2018

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	TREND
Part I Crimes YTD	1437	1392	1341	1189	1172	
Homicides	3	1	0	0	0	
Rape	17	22	20	18	12	
Robbery	18	12	22	17	29	
Aggravated Assault	61	64	68	73	58	
<b>Violent Crime Totals</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>99</b>	
Burglary	209	192	210	130	122	
Larceny-Theft	1060	1038	949	871	866	
Motor Vehicle Theft	63	63	64	76	82	
Arson	6	0	8	4	3	
<b>Property Crime Totals</b>	<b>1338</b>	<b>1293</b>	<b>1231</b>	<b>1081</b>	<b>1073</b>	
Violent Crime Clearance	72%	75%	65%	79%	52%	
Property Crime Clearance	38%	42%	34%	35%	32%	
Part I Arrests	503	508	391	379	355	
Citations	12,943	11,174	12,885	11,710	13,857	
Calls for Service	45,986	41,809	43,312	39,976	42,078	
Traffic Crashes	1,258	1,368	1,433	1,418	1,427	

## Analysis

In the year to date 2018 there have been 1172 Part 1 crimes reported versus 1189 in 2017 which shows an approximate decrease of 1.43%. Robberies have shown an increase when compared to 2017 numbers. Aggravated assaults have decreased by approximately 20.55% in 2018 when compared to 2017.

There have been 99 violent crimes reported 2018 YTD compared to 108 reported violent crimes YTD 2017. That is a decrease of approximately 8.33%. Year to date property crimes have shown a decrease of approximately .74% when compared to 2017 YTD statistics.

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

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CRIME STATISTICS**

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Part II Offenses												
Other Assaults - not agg.	25	25	391	427	19	14	251	318	18	9	221	241
Forgery/Counterfeiting	4	7	110	109	5	3	51	51	5	3	48	48
Fraud	18	29	291	301	2	3	67	104	2	2	48	90
Embezzlement	0	0	18	14	0	0	9	14	0	0	7	13
Stolen Property	0	1	24	21	0	0	12	23	0	0	11	25
Vandalism	18	35	361	400	4	10	90	106	4	8	81	78
Weapons Violations	2	1	51	49	1	1	50	49	1	1	50	49
Commercial Sex	0	0	3	19	0	0	2	19	0	0	2	19
Other Sex Offenses	7	6	70	73	3	3	39	24	3	3	22	15
Drug Sales	14	5	119	136	15	12	162	177	15	12	177	175
Drug Possession	63	43	670	498	65	40	650	523	65	40	712	515
Gambling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offenses Against Family/Children	7	5	50	86	4	0	35	46	4	0	38	44
Liquor Violations	7	7	93	85	7	7	73	67	7	7	80	66
Drunkenness	10	5	106	90	10	6	95	103	10	6	103	103
Other Disorderly Conduct	23	15	230	351	17	9	86	169	17	9	91	139
Curfew Violations	1	1	55	23	1	0	37	8	0	0	35	6
All Other Offenses	253	229	3323	2970	183	162	2339	2301	179	160	2453	2252
DUI	15	15	154	170	15	14	128	178	15	14	143	177
Human Trafficking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART II SUBTOTAL	467	429	6119	5822	351	284	4176	4280	345	274	4322	4055
PART I AND II TOTAL	569	519	7291	7011	396	325	4571	4746	386	313	4677	4434

<b>Crashes</b>	2018	2017	<b>Enforcement</b>		2018	2017
	12/18	12/17	YTD	YTD	12/18	12/17
Public Roadway	127	124	1,427	1,418	Citations	669
					Warnings	509
911 Calls	3,547	3,192	42,078	39,976	Totals	7,378
						6,907
						4,803
						11,710

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Summary of Significant Events for December 2018

During the month of December 2018 there was an identified crime series in the city. Between December 7, 2018 and December 19, 2018 there were six entering autos on the east side of the city. Four of those incidents occurred on December 19, 2018. There were seven reports of stolen vehicles during the month. There were eight burglaries reported during this time frame. There were six reported aggravated assaults; two have been cleared by arrest and four are currently active.

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18-008684                                      Death Investigation                                      907 Valentine St  
Officers responded to the above location in reference to an intoxicated female falling down the stairs. The female was transported with a laceration to the back of her head. Due to the severity of her head injury she had to be transported to Erlanger. Through further investigation it appeared that she had been in a domestic the day prior and had been arguing with her live-in boyfriend most of the day. The female later passed away from her injuries. This case is currently under investigation.

18-008192                                      Sex Offense                                      1030 Willowdale Rd Nw  
The complainant reported having a conversation with her 3 year old today and thinks he may have been molested while at his father's residence by an older, 9 years old, step-sister. She advised that this would have occurred while at his father's residence over the weekend. She stated that he would not be returning to the father's residence for at least a week and was currently not in any danger. A copy of this report was forwarded to DFACS.

18-008217                                      Aggravated Assault                                      1824 Brady Dr; 2  
A juvenile was arrested for aggravated assault and transported to RYDC after he assaulted his family members with a knife. No persons were hurt at the time of the incident.

18-008227                                      Theft Motor Vehicle                                      101 W. Walnut Ave  
The complainant, an employee of Hertz Rental, reported that a subject rented a 2018 Toyota Sequoya which was supposed to be returned on October 26, 2018. The vehicle has not been returned and Husky wished to report the vehicle as stolen. The vehicle was entered into NCIC as stolen.

18-008229                                      Theft Motor Vehicle                                      101 W. Walnut Ave  
The complainant, an employee of Hertz Rental, reported that a subject rented a 2017 Hyundai Sonata which was supposed to be returned on September 24, 2018. The vehicle has not been returned and Husky wished to report the vehicle as stolen. The vehicle was entered into NCIC as stolen.

18-008305                                      Entering Auto                                      706 Strain St  
The victim's vehicle was entered overnight. She had left the vehicle unlocked and multiple items were taken that were valued at approximately \$300.00

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18-008365 15:21:00

Forgery

1116 Willowdale Rd

The complainant reported several purchases (\$4422.69) made on his BB&T debit card. He explained he had a seizure on December 4<sup>th</sup> and all of the charges were after that date. During investigation three suspects were identified and video surveillance of the suspects using the card was located. The case is currently under investigation.

18-008394 18:25:00

Forgery

506 E Hawthorne St

An employee of Carter Hope advised a resident failed a drug test, which lead them to search his room. During the search they found a large amount of what they felt to be forged checks. CID was contacted and detectives responded. It appears the suspect may be a part of a large scam or money laundering scam. The suspect was interviewed and later charged with 8 counts of 1<sup>st</sup> degree forgery and 10 counts of 2<sup>nd</sup> degree forgery.

18-008414

Burglary

504 Dantzler Ave

The complainant returned home from work and discovered that many of his power and hand tools had been stolen. There were no serial numbers to note, so the items could not be entered into NCIC.

18-008436

Bomb Threat

1015 Abutment Rd

A bomb threat was emailed to several Americhem locations across the United States. The threat didn't indicate which location the bomb was located. Americhem evacuated the building and after waiting for a period of time officers along with management cleared the building and nothing suspicious was located.

18-008459

Burglary

601 W. Tyler St.

The complainant advised that someone broke into his apartment while he and his girlfriend were at the hospital having their baby. A pocket watch, assorted coins, a GoPro Hero, a PlayStation 3 and a pair of shoes were stolen.

18-008485

Entering Auto

2209 Rocky Face Cir

The suspect reported that someone entered his unlocked vehicle and took a backpack, keys and a Microsoft Surface tablet. A search of the area resulted in no suspects.

18-008489

Entering Auto

1212 Broadrick Dr

The complainant reported that a window to her vehicle had been broken out and a black backpack taken. The pack contained Christmas cards. There were no cameras located where the vehicle was parked.

18-008518

Suicidal Subject

712 Skylark Place; 303

A male subject told his girlfriend that he was going to kill himself. Officers arrived on scene and attempted contact with the subject. He came to the door angry and he had a large knife in his hand. Officers backed off and called for assistance. Lt. Woods spoke to the subject and gained compliance with the subject. Once he learned he was going to have to go to the hospital for an evaluation he became agitated again and was Tased by two officers. He was taken to the hospital at the time of this report.

18-008537

Entering Auto

1209 E. Morris St

The complainant, an employee of Industrial Bearing, advised sometime over the last two weeks someone entered and attempted to steal a vehicle from the business. There are no suspects, witnesses or items to note in the report.

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- 18-008546                                      Motor Vehicle Theft                                      1068 Dozier St  
The complainant reported that sometime during the evening hours his Toyota Corolla was stolen out of the driveway. While handling the call the vehicle was involved in a one car wreck on Old Grade. Two subjects were seen fleeing the area. Detectives responded to process the vehicle. Several items were located that came from or are suspected to have come from entering autos which occurred around the same time.
- 18-008557                                      Entering Auto                                      309 Janice St  
Sometime between 2200-0700 two unlocked vehicles were entered and items removed. A wallet containing victim's license was located in the stolen vehicle.
- 18-008549                                      Entering Auto                                      1320 E Morris St  
Between 2200 and 0700 hours the complainant's unlocked vehicle was entered and items removed. There is video of what appears to be a male and female entering this vehicle and another one. The other complainant left the scene due to nothing missing.
- 18-008547                                      Entering Auto                                      214 N Easterling St  
Sometime between 2200-0700 hours the complainant's unlocked vehicle was entered and items removed. This entering auto appears to be related to the other incidents.
- 18-008562                                      Entering Auto                                      105 Pinehill Dr  
The complainant advised his locked vehicle was entered during the overnight hours on 12/19/18. The only items taken were homework papers and an AUX cable. The complainant's mother advised she looked outside at 0215 and observed two males running across the street.
- 18-008564 16:24:00                                      Entering Auto                                      610 W Boundary St  
The complainant reported someone had entered her locked vehicle during the overnight hours on 12/19/18. She said a bank bag containing \$4000 was taken.
- 18-008605                                      Burglary                                      503 Colter Dr; A  
The complainant reported her apartment being broken into during the day. When she returned home from work, she discovered the back door busted open and several items missing. Items missing range from TV's, Blu-ray, Laptops, and iPad.
- 18-008690                                      Burglary                                      610 Morningside Dr  
The complainant reported that sometime overnight while she was sleeping someone entered her residence and took her purse and television. She provided identifying information for the television and it was entered into NCIC as stolen. She stated that all the doors were locked however no locations of forced entry were observed. Detectives responded and collected items to process for evidence.
- 18-008691                                      Burglary                                      402 S. Thornton Ave. #9  
The complainant reported that someone had entered the workshop under his condo and taken several tools. The complainant advised a person he knew as being responsible for the theft of the tools. He suspects the subject due to the subject being the only person who had knowledge of his workshop and that the subject had recently moved in with his grandparents who live in the area. Attempts to make contact with subject were unsuccessful.

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18-008741

Battery

1320 E Morris St

Officers were dispatched to the above address in reference to a subject that had been assaulted by two other male subjects. The victim stated that he saw two subjects looking into vehicles. He told them to stop doing it because they were going to get caught because of the cameras. He stated that the subjects ran off toward Morris St. The victim then took his trash out to the dumpster. When he was returning from there he encountered the same two subjects and was assaulted by them. He had significant facial injuries and was transported by EMS to the hospital. It is believed these same subjects may be responsible for several other incidents in the area.

18-008749

Burglary

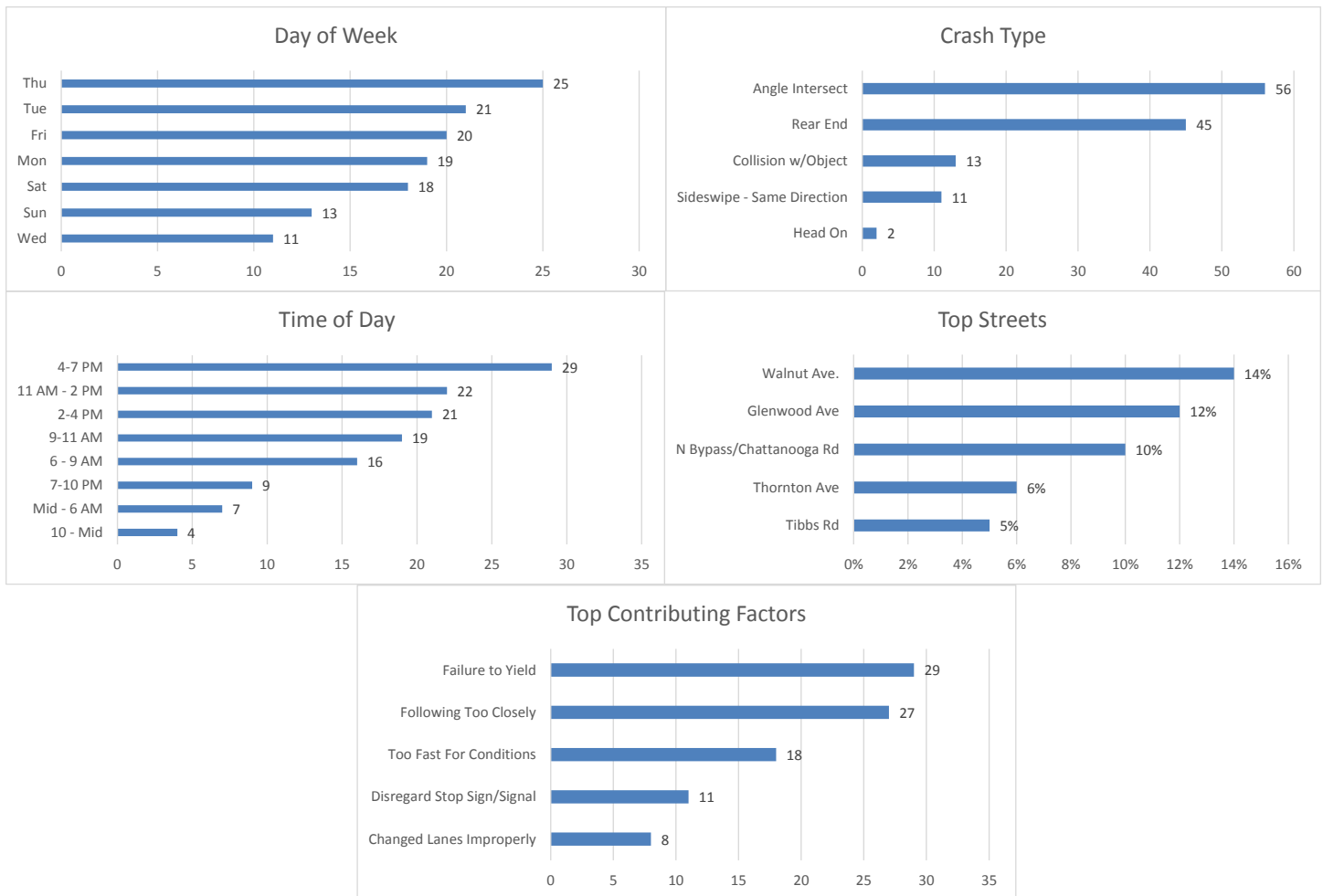
737 Riverbend Rd

The manager of LOA's reported that sometime overnight someone broke into the business and took several containers of beer. He stated that he had mopped the floor just prior to leaving and there were foot prints on the floor. CID responded and processed the scene.

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**December 2018 Crash Statistics**

In December 2018 there were 127 non-private property crashes reported. Injury crashes and injuries increased from November 2018. There was one serious injury reported in December 2018. Rear end and angle crashes were the most prevalent during December 2018. Failure to yield was the leading contributing factor in both injury and non-injury crashes. Walnut Ave and Chattanooga Rd were the roadways where the majority of the crashes occurred. In December 2018 approximately 14% of all crashes in the city occurred on Walnut Ave. In December 2018, Chattanooga Rd/Bypass and Walnut Ave were the roadways with the most injury crashes.



127 Crashes Reported in December 2018

- There were 3 less crashes in December 2018 than in November 2018.
  - 27 Crashes reported in which injuries occurred.
  - That is one injury crash for every 4.70 crashes reported.
  - Multiple injuries were reported in 5 crashes.



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- Total Injuries Reported
  - 39 injuries were reported.
  - 1 serious injury was reported.

Top 5 Streets

- Walnut Avenue
  - 18 Total Crashes
  - 14.17 % of Total Crashes
  - 23.08 % of Injuries Reported (9 Injuries Reported on the Roadway)
- Glenwood Ave
  - 15 Total Crashes
  - 11.81 % of Total Crashes
  - 17.95 % of Injuries Reported (9 Injuries Reported on this Roadway)
- N Bypass/Chattanooga Rd
  - 13 Total Crashes
  - 10.24 % of Total Crashes
  - 23.08 % of Injuries Reported (9 Injuries Reported on this Roadway)
- Thornton Ave
  - 7 Total Crashes
  - 5.51 % of Total Crashes
  - 7.69 % of Injuries Reported (3 Injuries Reported on the Roadway)
- Tibbs Rd
  - 6 Total Crashes
  - 4.72 % of Total Crashes
  - 2.56 % of Injuries Reported (1 Injury Reported on the Roadway)

Crashes Involving DUI

- 4 Reported Crashes involving DUI

Crashes Involving Speed

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

Crashes Involving Distracted or Inattentive Driver

- 9 Crashes Reported with Distracted or Inattentive Driver

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Crashes Involving Drivers Following One Another Too Closely

- 27 Crashes Reported involving Following Too Closely

Crashes by Type

- Angle Crash 56 / 44.09%
- Rear End 45 / 35.43%
- Non-Vehicle 13 / 10.24%
- Sideswipe – Same Direction 11 / 8.66%
- Head On 2 / 1.57%

Days of the Week

- 19 crashes occurred on Mondays
- 21 crashes occurred on Tuesdays
- 11 crashes occurred on Wednesdays
- 25 crashes occurred on Thursdays
- 20 crashes occurred on Fridays
- 18 crashes occurred on Saturdays
- 13 crashes occurred on Sundays

Time of Day

- 0000- 0559-7
- 0600-0859-16
- 0900-1059-19
- 1100-1359-22
- 1400-1559-21
- 1600-1859-29
- 1900-2159-9
- 2200-2359-4

Top Contributing Factors

- Failure to Yield: 29 (22.83 % of all crashes)
- Following Too Closely: 27 (21.26 % of all crashes)
- Too Fast for Conditions: 18 (14.17 % of all crashes)
- Disregard Stop Sign/Signal: 11 (8.66 % of all crashes)
- Changed Lanes Improperly: 8 (6.30 % of all crashes)

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

- **Thornton Ave**
- **M L King Jr Blvd**
- **Walnut Ave**

There were 4 total Enforcement Details conducted in December 2018, resulting in 51 total violations being identified.

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

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