



Dalton Police Department Public Safety Commission Meeting

January 20, 2026

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December 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025



PART 1 CRIMES

December 2025

<u>Total Part 1 Crimes</u>			<u>2024 YTD</u>	<u>2025 YTD</u>	<u>YTD Change</u>
			748	607	-18.85%
<u>Violent Crimes</u>		<u>Current</u>	<u>2024 YTD</u>	<u>2025 YTD</u>	<u>YTD Change</u>
		2	69	66	-4.35%
Homicide		0	0	4	Undefined
Rape		1	18	11	-38.89%
Robbery		0	10	3	-70.00%
Aggravated Assault		1	41	48	17.07%
<u>Property Crimes</u>		<u>Current</u>	<u>2024 YTD</u>	<u>2025 YTD</u>	<u>YTD Change</u>
		38	679	541	-20.32%
Burglary		4	62	36	-41.94%
Larceny-Theft		31	580	483	-16.72%
Motor Vehicle Theft		3	34	21	-38.24%
Arson		0	3	1	-66.67%

There were 40 Part 1 crimes in December 2025. That is a decrease of approximately 32.2% compared to 59 in December 2024. Total Part 1 crimes YTD have decreased by approximately 18.85% when compared to 2024. Total Part 1 crimes for 2025 are approximately 31.77% lower than the 5-year average.

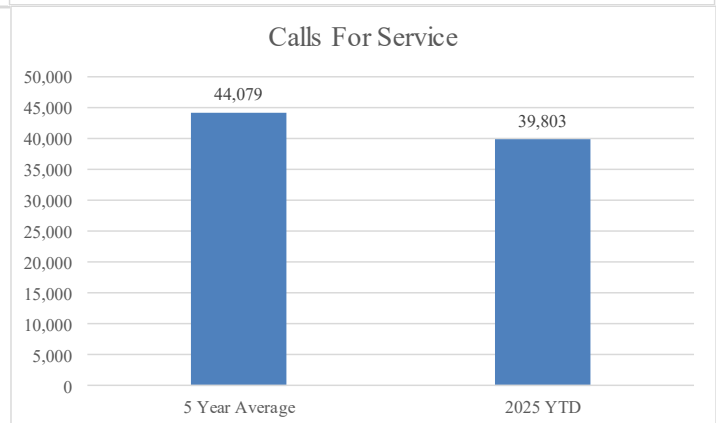
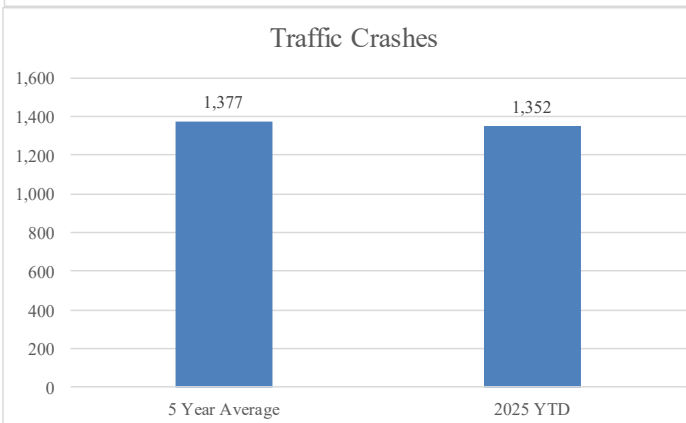
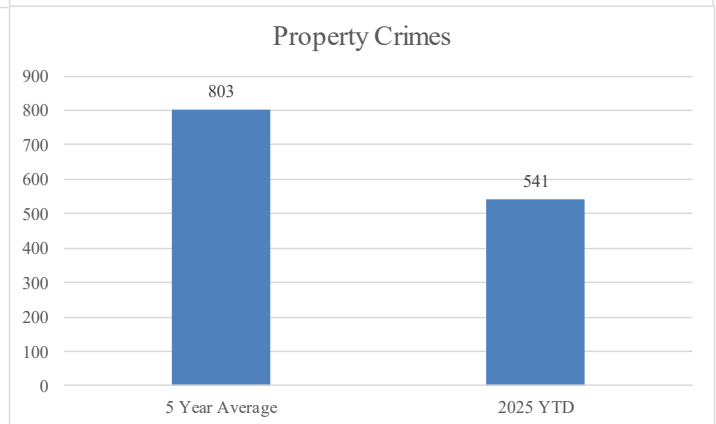
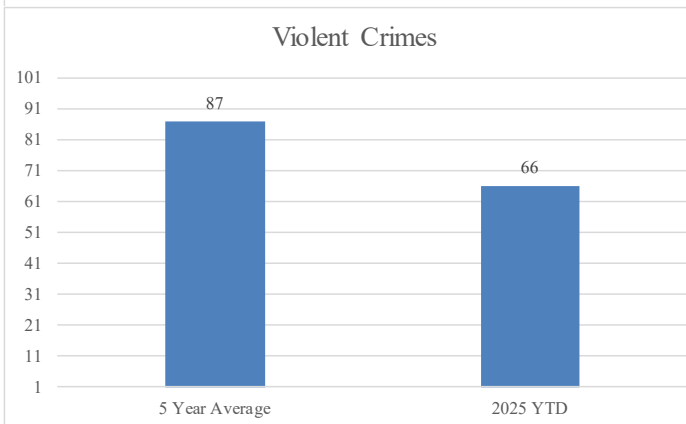
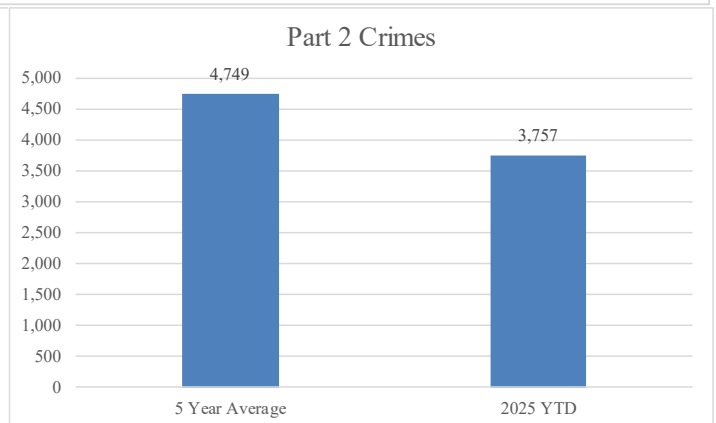
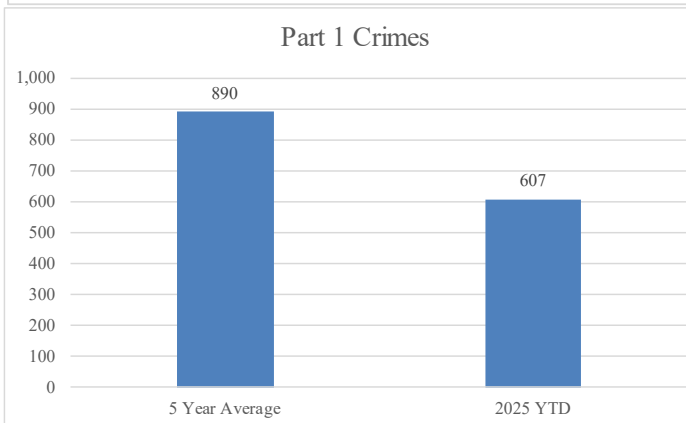
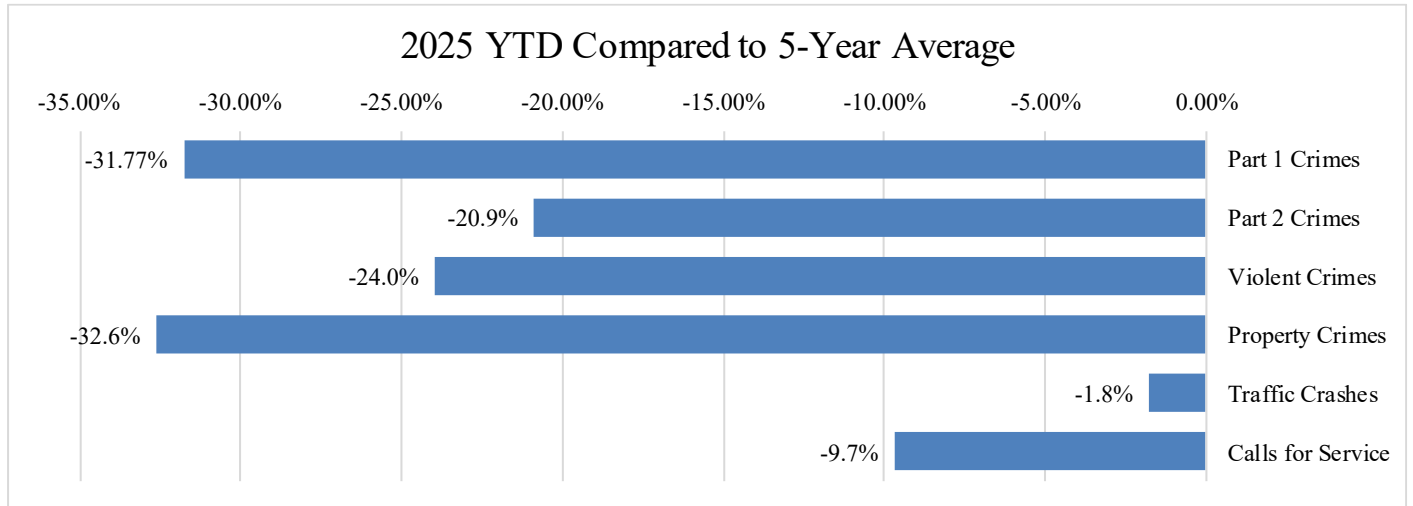
Violent crimes have decreased by approximately 4.35% when compared to 2024. There have been 66 violent crimes YTD 2025 compared to 69 violent crimes in 2024. Homicides and aggravated assaults have increased since last year. The 5-year average for violent crimes is 87 crimes. Current violent crime number are lower than 2024, and are approximately 24.0% lower than the 5-year average.

Property crimes have decreased by 20.32% when compared to 2024. All categories of property crimes have shown a decrease YTD compared to 2024. Current property crime numbers are approximately 32.6% lower than the 5-year average.



FIVE-YEAR AVERAGE

December 2025





CRASH STATISTICS

December 2025

Traffic crashes decreased by approximately 8.3% when compared to November 2025. Year to date crashes have decreased by approximately 6.8%. Rear end collisions were the most frequent crash types. Following too closely was the most frequent contributing factor. Chattanooga Rd had the highest number of crashes and injuries during November.

Total Crashes	Current	Previous	Change	YTD 2025	YTD 2024	Change		
	117	108	8.3%	1352	1451	-6.8%		
Injury Crashes	Total	Complaint	Minor	Serious	Fatality	Multiple		
	15	11	4	0	0	5		
Total Injuries	23							
DUI Crashes	Speed Crashes	Distracted Crashes		Following Too Closely Crashes				
0	5	11		33				
Day of the Week	Total					Time of Day	Total	
Monday	20					0000 - 0559	5	
Tuesday	19					0600 - 0859	11	
Wednesday	25					0900 - 1059	10	
Thursday	15					1100 - 1359	23	
Friday	18					1400 - 1559	24	
Saturday	15					1600 - 1859	28	
Sunday	5					1900 - 2159	12	
						2200 - 2359	4	
Collision Type	Total					Contributing Factors		Total
Rear End	47					Following too Closely		33
Angle	39					Failure to Yield		16
Sideswipe-Same Direction	17					Improper Lane Change		11
Collision with an Object	11					Distracted		11
Head On	3							
Top Streets	Total Crashes		% Total	Injuries		% Injuries		
Chattanooga Rd	22		18.8%	3		13.0%		
Walnut	21		17.9%	2		8.7%		
Glenwood Ave	10		8.5%	1		4.3%		

	Traffic Stops	Warnings	Citations
December 2025	970	744	431
2025 YTD	12146	8795	6076
2024 YTD	11030	6103	6449