

## 2017 - 2018 Crime Trends

### Ward 14 - Somerset



This report examines all founded Criminal Code of Canada offences that were reported to the Ottawa Police over the last 5 years. Offences have been categorized according to the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Survey version 2.2. Violent Crime, also referred to as Crimes Against The Person, involves the use or threat of force to harm another person. Non-Violent Crimes include Crimes Against Property and Other Criminal Code of Canada Offences.

The crime statistics published in this report are accurate on the day that they were produced. Due to ongoing police investigations and internal data quality control efforts, this information is subject to change, including addition, deletion and reclassification of any and all data. Rates and percentages have been rounded.

#### Crime Rate (1)

2017	12,935.9	▲26.1%	Violent Crime	1,681.9	▲9.2%	Non-Violent Crime	11,254.0	▲28.6%
2018	16,306.3			1,835.9			14,470.4	

#### Reported Crime (2)

2017	5,453	▲25.6%	709	▲8.7%	4,744	▲28.1%
2018	6,848		771		6,077	

#### Crime Severity Index (3)

2017	131.5	▲20.1%	139.0	▲13.3%	128.5	▲22.7%
2018	157.9		157.4		157.7	

#### Clearance Rate % (4)

2017	53.4%	▲1.5%	51.8%	▼3.4%	53.7%	▲2.1%
2018	54.9%		48.4%		55.8%	

#### Calls for Service

2017	31,919	▲4.5%	Priority 1	449	▲11.8%	Priority 2	4,121	▼1.8%
2018	33,368			502			4,046	

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- (2) Reported Crime refers to the actual crime reported to the Ottawa Police Service within a calendar year. Unfounded incidents, those deemed through investigation not to have occurred, are excluded.
- (3) The Crime Severity Index is a measure of police-reported crime that reflects the relative seriousness of individual offences and tracks changes in crime severity. Values are estimated and do not represent the official CSI as published by Statistics Canada.
- (4) Clearance Rate (%) is expressed as a percent and is the sum of all Criminal Code of Canada Offences cleared by charge and cleared otherwise, divided by the total number of actual reported incidents.

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#### Key Crime Trends

Offence	2017			2018			5-Year Average (2)	Change % (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %		
Crimes Against The Person	709	1,681.9	51.8%	771	1,835.9	48.4%	647	8.7%
Crimes Against Property	2,515	5,966.2	15.1%	3,131	7,455.5	16.7%	2,508	24.5%
Other Criminal Code Violations	2,229	5,287.8	97.1%	2,946	7,015.0	97.3%	2,094	32.2%
<b>Total CCC offences excl Traffic</b>	<b>5,453</b>	<b>12,935.9</b>	<b>53.4%</b>	<b>6,848</b>	<b>16,306.3</b>	<b>54.9%</b>	<b>5,249</b>	<b>25.6%</b>
Criminal Code Traffic Offences	49	116.2	95.9%	29	69.1	106.9%	48	-40.8%
<b>Total CCC Offences incl Traffic</b>	<b>5,502</b>	<b>13,052.1</b>	<b>53.8%</b>	<b>6,877</b>	<b>16,375.4</b>	<b>55.1%</b>	<b>5,296</b>	<b>25.0%</b>

#### Crimes Against The Person

Offence	2017			2018			5-Year Average (2)	Change % (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %		
Violations Causing Death	1	2.4	200.0%	2	4.8	100.0%	1	100.0%
Attempting The Commission Of A Capital Crime	1	2.4	100.0%	2	4.8	100.0%	1	100.0%
Assaults	370	877.7	54.1%	440	1,047.7	51.1%	350	18.9%
Violations Resulting In The Deprivation Of Freedom	27	64.1	55.6%	7	16.7	85.7%	18	-74.1%
Sexual Violations	80	189.8	41.3%	85	202.4	41.2%	75	6.3%
Commodification Of Sexual Activity	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other Violations Involving Violence Or The Threat Of Violence	230	545.6	50.4%	235	559.6	43.8%	201	2.2%
<i>Utter Threats To Person</i>	94	223.0	44.7%	99	235.7	48.5%	70	5.3%
<i>Robbery</i>	51	121.0	45.1%	64	152.4	37.5%	50	25.5%
<i>Indecent / Harassing Communications</i>	48	113.9	33.3%	50	119.1	24.0%	49	4.2%
<i>Criminal Harassment</i>	28	66.4	92.9%	15	35.7	80.0%	25	-46.4%
<i>Subtotal</i>	221	524.3	48.4%	228	542.9	42.1%	193	3.2%
<b>Total Crimes Against Person</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>1,681.9</b>	<b>51.8%</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>1,835.9</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>8.7%</b>

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- (3) Violations Causing Death includes : Murder 1st Degree, Murder 2nd Degree, Manslaughter, Infanticide, Criminal Negligence Causing Death, Other Related Offences Causing Death.

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#### Crimes Against Property

Offence	2017			2018			5-Year Average (2)	Change % (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %		
Arson	8	19.0	0%	3	7.1	33%	8	-63%
Break and Enter	206	488.7	39%	266	633.4	44%	186	29%
Theft - Motor Vehicle	78	185.0	13%	55	131.0	15%	60	-29%
Theft Over \$5000	29	68.8	14%	71	169.1	17%	34	145%
Theft \$5000 and Under	1,388	3,292.7	10%	1,863	4,436.1	13%	1,504	34%
Possession / Trafficking Stolen Goods	10	23.7	90%	6	14.3	100%	8	-40%
Fraud	441	1,046.2	17%	482	1,147.7	17%	338	9%
Mischief	355	842.2	19%	385	916.8	16%	371	8%
<b>Total Crimes Against Property</b>	<b>2,515</b>	<b>5,966.2</b>	<b>15.1%</b>	<b>3,131</b>	<b>7,455.5</b>	<b>16.7%</b>	<b>2,508</b>	<b>24.5%</b>

#### Other Criminal Code of Canada (CCC) Offences

Offence	2017			2018			5-Year Average (2)	Change % (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %		
Offensive Weapons	19	45.1	79%	26	61.9	88%	18	37%
Gaming and Betting	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Prostitution	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other Criminal Code	2,210	5,242.7	97%	2,920	6,953.0	97%	2,075	32%
<i>Failure to Comply with Order</i>	1,182	2,804.0	99%	1,726	4,109.9	99%	997	46%
<i>Failure to Appear</i>	866	2,054.4	100%	1,014	2,414.5	100%	889	17%
<i>Breach Of Probation</i>	66	156.6	97%	79	188.1	94%	71	20%
<i>Indecent Acts</i>	12	28.5	25%	19	45.2	26%	14	58%
<i>Subtotal</i>	2,126	5,043.4	99%	2,838	6,757.8	99%	1,970	33%
<b>Total Other CCC Offences</b>	<b>2,229</b>	<b>5,287.8</b>	<b>97.1%</b>	<b>2,946</b>	<b>7,015.0</b>	<b>97.3%</b>	<b>2,094</b>	<b>32.2%</b>

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#### Controlled Drug and Substances Act Offences

Offence	2017			2018			5-Year Average (2)	Change % (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %		
Possession	74	175.5	97.3%	54	128.6	101.9%	72	-27.0%
Trafficking	18	42.7	72.2%	11	26.2	100.0%	20	-38.9%
Importation and Exportation	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Production	2	4.7	100.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	1	-100.0%
Other Drug Violations	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Total Drug Offences</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>223.0</b>	<b>92.6%</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>154.8</b>	<b>101.5%</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>-30.9%</b>

#### Criminal Code Traffic Offences

Offence	2017			2018			5-Year Average (2)	Change % (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %	Actual	Rate (1)	Clearance %		
Dangerous Operation	4	9.5	100.0%	1	2.4	100.0%	4	-75.0%
Operation while Impaired/Low Blood Drug Concentration Violations	35	83.0	94.3%	20	47.6	110.0%	32	-42.9%
Failure or Refusal to Comply with Demand	2	4.7	100.0%	5	11.9	100.0%	3	150.0%
Failure to Stop after Accident	3	7.1	100.0%	2	4.8	100.0%	5	-33.3%
Operation while Prohibited	5	11.9	100.0%	1	2.4	100.0%	4	-80.0%
<b>Total Criminal Code Traffic Offences</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>116.2</b>	<b>95.9%</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>106.9%</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>-40.8%</b>

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#### Calls For Service

Priority Level (3)	Response Type	2017		2018		Change % (2)
		Actual	Rate (1)	Actual	Rate (1)	
Priority 1	Mobile	442	1,048.5	500	1,190.6	13.1%
	Alternate	7	16.6	2	4.8	-71.4%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>1,065.1</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>1,195.4</b>	<b>11.8%</b>
Priority 2	Mobile	4,094	9,712.0	4,018	9,567.6	-1.9%
	Alternate	27	64.1	28	66.7	3.7%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>4,121</b>	<b>9,776.1</b>	<b>4,046</b>	<b>9,634.3</b>	<b>-1.8%</b>
Priority 3	Mobile	5,279	12,523.1	5,785	13,775.1	9.6%
	Alternate	16	38.0	17	40.5	6.3%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,295</b>	<b>12,561.1</b>	<b>5,802</b>	<b>13,815.6</b>	<b>9.6%</b>
Priority 4	Mobile	11,859	28,132.6	11,450	27,264.5	-3.4%
	Alternate	1,511	3,584.5	4,239	10,093.8	180.5%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13,370</b>	<b>31,717.0</b>	<b>15,689</b>	<b>37,358.3</b>	<b>17.3%</b>
Priority 5	Mobile	228	540.9	435	1,035.8	90.8%
	Alternate	2	4.7	24	57.1	1100.0%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>545.6</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>1,093.0</b>	<b>99.6%</b>
Priority 6	Mobile	2,897	6,872.4	2,797	6,660.2	-3.5%
	Alternate	5,421	12,860.0	3,688	8,781.8	-32.0%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,318</b>	<b>19,732.4</b>	<b>6,485</b>	<b>15,441.9</b>	<b>-22.0%</b>
Priority 7	Mobile	53	125.7	48	114.3	-9.4%
	Alternate	83	196.9	337	802.5	306.0%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>322.6</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>916.8</b>	<b>183.1%</b>
<b>All Priorities</b>	Total Mobile Response	24,852	58,955.3	25,033	59,608.1	0.7%
	Total Alternative Response	7,067	16,764.7	8,335	19,847.1	17.9%
	<b>Total Calls For Service</b>	<b>31,919</b>	<b>75,720.0</b>	<b>33,368</b>	<b>79,455.2</b>	<b>4.5%</b>

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- (3) Call priority is determined based on the seriousness of the incident, ranging from imminent danger to life (P1) to property pickup (P7). The assignment of priority also considers the safety of police officers and the general public in traveling to the scene of the event.

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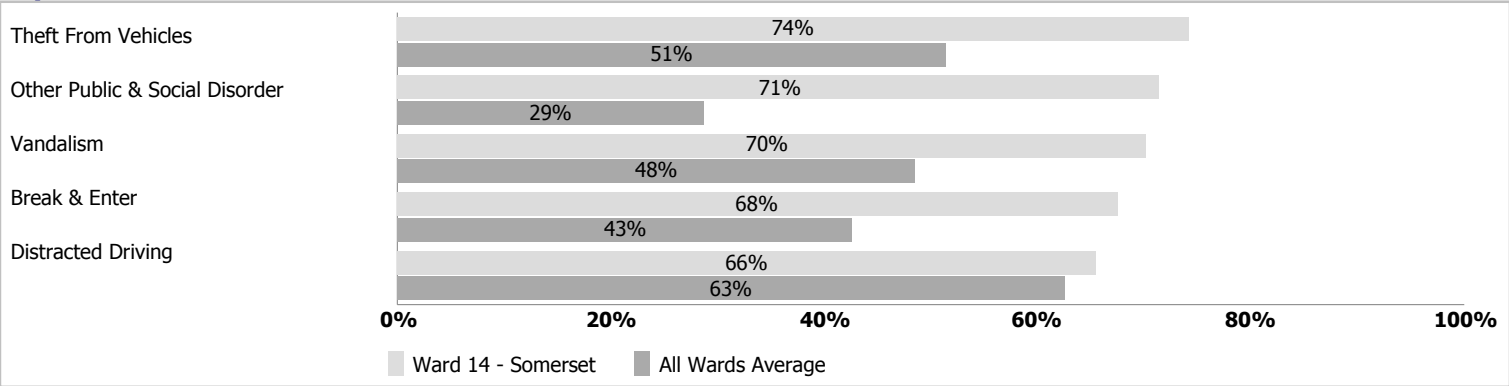


### Selected Public Survey Results (2018)

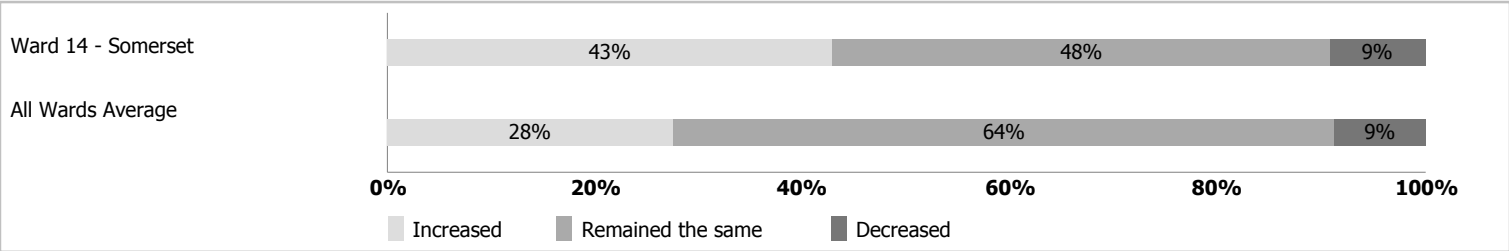
The Ottawa Police Service (OPS) and the Ottawa Police Services Board regularly seeks input on residents' perception of safety and security in their communities, concerns about crime, priorities for the police, and residents' satisfaction with police services. The information collected from the Public Survey assists the OPS to identify priorities, areas for improvement and helps the development of the Business Plan, published every three years.

For more information on the 2018 Public Survey, including citywide results, please refer to the OPS Highlights Report located on [ottawapolice.ca](http://ottawapolice.ca). Please note, the following information represents the opinions and perceptions of respondents by ward and is not based on official crime figures or reports.

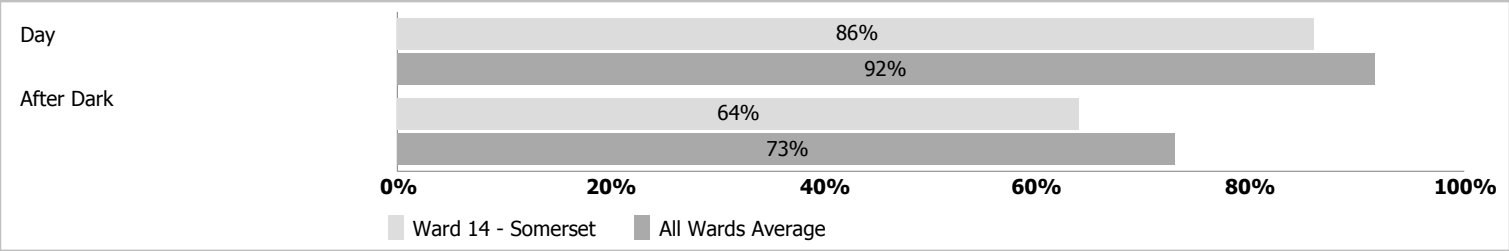
### Top Five Ward Concerns



### Level Of Crime



### Feeling Of Safety In The Neighbourhood



### Satisfaction With The Ottawa Police Services

