

2013 - 2014 Crime Trends

Ward 16 - River



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)

2013	2,890.8	▲4.8%	Violent Crime	617.5	▼11.5%	Non-Violent Crime	2,273.2	▲9.3%
2014	3,030.7			546.5			2,484.1	

Reported Crime (2)

2013	1,409	▲4.7%	Violent Crime	301	▼11.6%	Non-Violent Crime	1,108	▲9.1%
2014	1,475			266			1,209	

Crime Severity Index (3)

2013	41.8	▲7.4%	Violent Crime	53.1	▲16.9%	Non-Violent Crime	37.6	▲2.5%
2014	44.9			62.1			38.5	

Solvency % (4)

2013	31.3%	▼1.3%	Violent Crime	50.5%	▼0.9%	Non-Violent Crime	26.1%	▼0.4%
2014	30.0%			49.6%			25.6%	

Calls for Service

2013	16,114	▼5.7%	Priority 1	238	▼12.2%	Priority 2	1,355	▼7.7%
2014	15,190			209			1,250	

(1) Rate is calculated per 100,000 of population. As provided by the City of Ottawa's Planning and Growth Management Department, the population for 2013 and 2014 was 48,741 and 48,669 respectively.

(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) Solvency (%) 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	2013			2014			5-Year Average (2)	Change% (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Crimes Against The Person	301	617.5	50.5%	266	546.5	49.6%	294	-11.6%
Crimes Against Property	987	2,025.0	18.8%	1,076	2,210.9	20.3%	1,166	9.0%
Other Criminal Code of Canada Offences	121	248.3	85.1%	133	273.3	69.2%	115	9.9%
Total CCC offences excl Traffic	1,409	2,890.8	31.3%	1,475	3,030.7	30.0%	1,575	4.7%
Criminal Code Traffic Offences	101	207.2	34.7%	38	78.1	97.4%	100	-62.4%
Total CCC Offences incl Traffic	1,510	3,098.0	31.5%	1,513	3,108.8	31.7%	1,674	0.2%

Crimes Against The Person

Offence	2013			2014			5-Year Average (2)	Change% (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Homicide (Incidents)	0	0.0	0.0%	1	2.1	100.0%	0	0.0%
Attempted Murder	0	0.0	0.0%	2	4.1	50.0%	1	0.0%
Robbery	38	78.0	23.7%	31	63.7	48.4%	39	-18.4%
Assaults	165	338.5	52.1%	127	260.9	57.5%	153	-23.0%
Sexual Violations	21	43.1	47.6%	32	65.8	59.4%	26	52.4%
Abduction	2	4.1	100.0%	2	4.1	0.0%	5	0.0%
Uttering Threats or Intimidation	23	47.2	82.6%	22	45.2	45.5%	22	-4.3%
Other Offences	52	106.7	50.0%	49	100.7	26.5%	48	-5.8%
Total Crimes Against Person	301	617.5	50.5%	266	546.5	49.6%	294	-11.6%

Crimes Against Property

Offence	2013			2014			5-Year Average (2)	Change% (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Arson	7	14.4	0.0%	10	20.5	20.0%	10	42.9%
Break and Enter	101	207.2	21.8%	87	178.8	19.5%	132	-13.9%
Theft - Motor Vehicle	59	121.0	30.5%	56	115.1	5.4%	57	-5.1%
Theft Over \$5000	4	8.2	50.0%	9	18.5	33.3%	8	125.0%
Theft \$5000 and Under	466	956.1	18.0%	548	1,126.0	24.1%	536	17.6%
Possession of Stolen Goods	10	20.5	90.0%	5	10.3	100.0%	10	-50.0%
Fraud	110	225.7	21.8%	111	228.1	25.2%	120	0.9%
Mischief	230	471.9	11.7%	250	513.7	11.2%	293	8.7%
Total Crimes Against Property	987	2,025.0	18.8%	1,076	2,210.9	20.3%	1,166	9.0%

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Other Criminal Code of Canada (CCC) Offences

Offence	2013			2014			5-Year Average (2)	Change% (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Offensive Weapons	12	24.6	100.0%	13	26.7	76.9%	12	8.3%
Gaming and Betting	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Prostitution	16	32.8	93.8%	9	18.5	100.0%	7	-43.8%
Other Criminal Code Offences	93	190.8	81.7%	111	228.1	65.8%	96	19.4%
Total Other CCC Offences	121	248.3	85.1%	133	273.3	69.2%	115	9.9%

Criminal Code Traffic Offences

Offence	2013			2014			5-Year Average (2)	Change% (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Dangerous Operation of Motor Vehicle	3	6.2	66.7%	5	10.3	80.0%	5	66.7%
Impaired Operation of Vehicle	28	57.4	100.0%	26	53.4	100.0%	35	-7.1%
Failure to Stop or Remain	66	135.4	1.5%	3	6.2	100.0%	56	-95.5%
Driving Motor Vehicle While Prohibited	4	8.2	100.0%	4	8.2	100.0%	4	0.0%
Other Criminal Code Traffic Offences	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total Criminal Code Traffic Offences	101	207.2	34.7%	38	78.1	97.4%	100	-62.4%

Controlled Drug and Substances Act Offences

Offence	2013			2014			5-Year Average (2)	Change% (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Cannabis	37	75.9	102.7%	32	65.8	100.0%	41	-13.5%
Ecstasy (Methylenedioxyamphetamine)	2	4.1	100.0%	1	2.1	100.0%	1	-50.0%
Crystal Meth (Methamphetamine)	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Heroin	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Cocaine	12	24.6	100.0%	11	22.6	90.9%	15	-8.3%
Other Controlled Drugs and Substances	3	6.2	100.0%	4	8.2	100.0%	4	33.3%
Total Drug Offences	54	110.8	101.9%	48	98.6	97.9%	61	-11.1%

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Calls For Service

Priority Level (3)	Response Type	2013		2014		Change% (2)
		Actual	Rate (1)	Actual	Rate (1)	
Priority 1	Mobile	238	488.3	209	429.4	-12.2%
	Alternate	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0%
Priority 2	Mobile	1,355	2,780.0	1,250	2,568.4	-7.7%
	Alternate	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0%
Priority 3	Mobile	1,909	3,916.6	1,939	3,984.1	1.6%
	Alternate	1	2.1	2	4.1	100.0%
Priority 4	Mobile	8,294	17,016.5	7,534	15,480.1	-9.2%
	Alternate	426	874.0	565	1,160.9	32.6%
Priority 5	Mobile	91	186.7	68	139.7	-25.3%
	Alternate	0	0.0	1	2.1	0.0%
Priority 6	Mobile	1,533	3,145.2	1,476	3,032.7	-3.7%
	Alternate	2,205	4,523.9	2,101	4,316.9	-4.7%
Priority 7	Mobile	38	78.0	25	51.4	-34.2%
	Alternate	24	49.2	20	41.1	-16.7%
All Priorities	Total Mobile Response	13,458	27,611.3	12,501	25,685.8	-7.1%
	Total Alternative Response	2,656	5,449.2	2,689	5,525.1	1.2%
	Total Calls For Service	16,114	33,060.5	15,190	31,210.8	-5.7%

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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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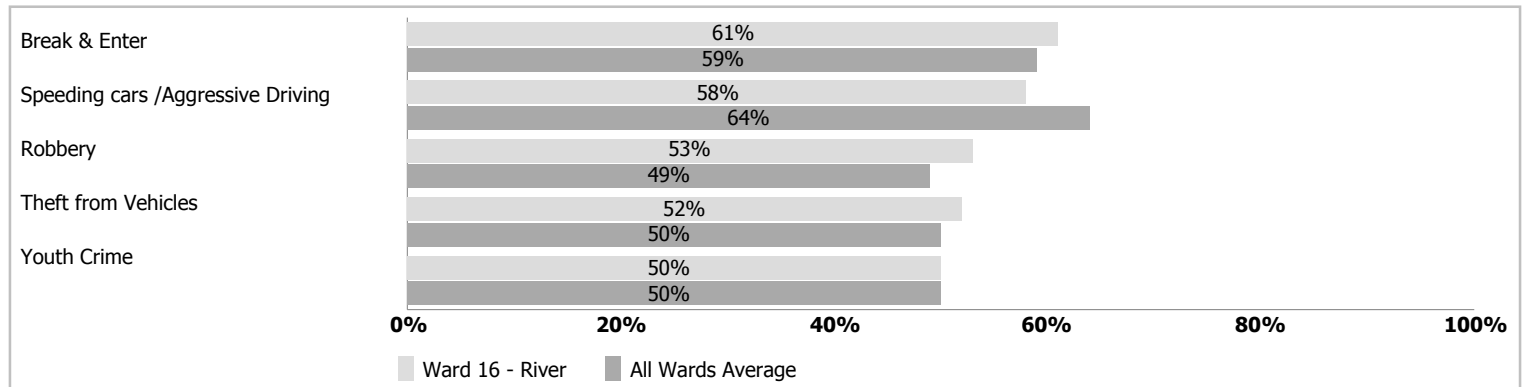


Selected Public Survey Results (2012)

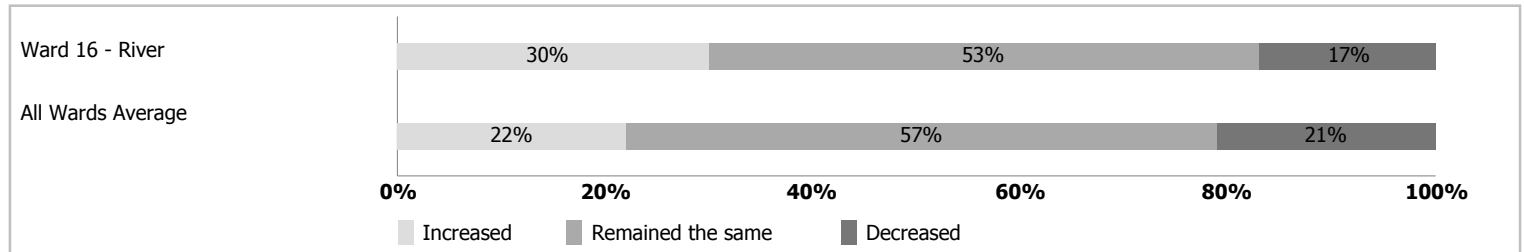
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For more information on the 2012 Public Survey, including citywide results, please refer to the OPS Highlights Report located on ottawapolice.ca. Please note, the following information represents the opinions and perceptions of respondents by ward and is not based on official crime figures or reports.

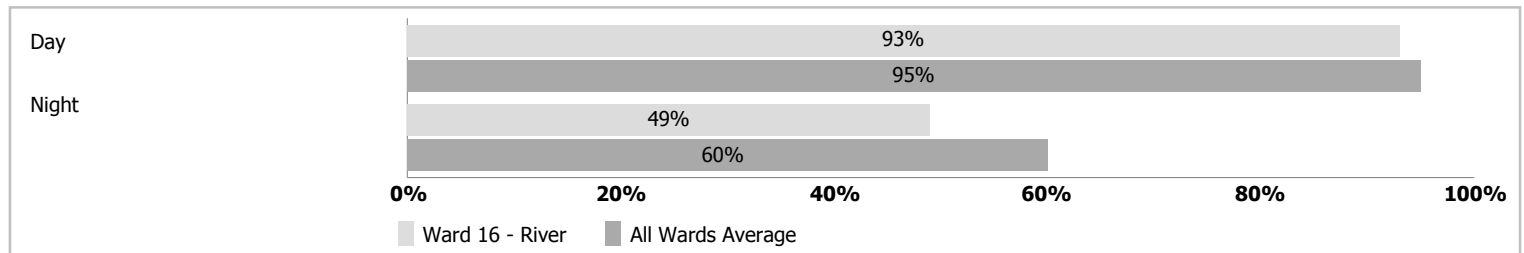
Top Five Ward Concerns



Level Of Crime



Feeling Safe When Walking Alone



Satisfaction With The Ottawa Police Services

