



2008 - 2009 Crime Trends for Ward 14 - Somerset

This report examines all founded Criminal Code of Canada offences that were reported to the Ottawa Police over the last 3-years. Offences have been categorized according to the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Survey version 2.2.

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.

Key Crime Trends

Offence	2008			2009			3-Year Average (2)	%Change (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Crimes Against The Person	517	1,374.3	60.2%	499	1,306.1	61.7%	557.3	-3.5%
Crimes Against Property	2,542	6,757.0	24.4%	2,451	6,415.2	24.1%	2,597.0	-3.6%
Other Criminal Code of Canada Offences	656	1,743.8	84.6%	685	1,792.9	93.1%	683.7	4.4%
Total CCC Offences Excl. Traffic	3,715	9,875.1	40.0%	3,635	9,514.2	42.3%	3,838.0	-2.2%
Criminal Code Traffic Offences	198	526.3	49.5%	190	497.3	45.3%	205.3	-4.0%
Total CCC Offences Incl. Traffic	3,913	10,401.4	40.5%	3,825	10,011.5	42.4%	4,043.3	-2.2%

Crimes Against The Person

Offence	2008			2009			3-Year Average (2)	%Change (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Homicide (Incidents)	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0.3	0.0%
Attempted Murder	1	2.7	100.0%	1	2.6	100.0%	1.3	0.0%
Robbery	71	188.7	39.4%	48	125.6	37.5%	64.0	-32.4%
Assault (Incl. Sexual Assaults)	300	797.4	67.0%	305	798.3	67.2%	329.0	1.7%
Other Sexual Offences	0	0.0	0.0%	3	7.9	66.7%	1.3	0.0%
Abduction	17	45.2	88.2%	14	36.6	78.6%	13.7	-17.6%
Uttering Threats or Intimidation	35	93.0	60.0%	41	107.3	80.5%	47.0	17.1%
Other Offences	93	247.2	48.4%	87	227.7	43.7%	100.7	-6.5%
Crimes Against The Person	517	1,374.3	60.2%	499	1,306.1	61.7%	557.3	-3.5%

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Crimes Against Property

Offence	2008			2009			3-Year Average (2)	%Change (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Break and Enter	287	762.9	32.4%	260	680.5	35.4%	275.3	-9.4%
Theft - Motor Vehicle	79	210.0	2.5%	97	253.9	3.1%	101.7	22.8%
Theft Over \$5000	17	45.2	11.8%	23	60.2	13.0%	17.0	35.3%
Theft \$5000 and Under	1,228	3,264.2	19.1%	1,260	3,297.9	19.0%	1,280.7	2.6%
Possession of Stolen Goods	34	90.4	100.0%	32	83.8	103.1%	34.3	-5.9%
Fraud	261	693.8	32.6%	244	638.6	32.4%	272.0	-6.5%
Mischief	628	1,669.3	27.2%	530	1,387.2	26.6%	606.7	-15.6%
Arson	8	21.3	0.0%	5	13.1	20.0%	9.3	-37.5%
Total Crimes Against Property	2,542	6,757.0	24.4%	2,451	6,415.2	24.1%	2,597.0	-3.6%

Other Criminal Code of Canada (CCC) Offences

Offence	2008			2009			3-Year Average (2)	%Change (2)
	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%	Actual	Rate (1)	Solvency%		
Offensive Weapons	22	58.5	63.6%	13	34.0	76.9%	20.3	-40.9%
Bail Violations	312	829.3	97.8%	311	814.0	100.0%	328.0	-0.3%
Counterfeiting Currency	17	45.2	5.9%	9	23.6	22.2%	13.3	-47.1%
Breach Probation	43	114.3	97.7%	23	60.2	100.0%	39.3	-46.5%
Threats via the Internet	14	37.2	14.3%	13	34.0	38.5%	16.7	-7.1%
Prostitution	48	127.6	100.0%	16	41.9	100.0%	32.0	-66.7%
Other Criminal Code Offences	200	531.6	71.5%	300	785.2	90.3%	234.0	50.0%
Total Other CCC Offences	656	1,743.8	84.6%	685	1,792.9	93.1%	683.7	4.4%

Criminal Code Traffic Offences

Offence	2008			2009			3-Year Average (2)	%Change (2)
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Dangerous Operation of Motor Vehicle	6	15.9	100.0%	6	15.7	100.0%	4.3	0.0%
Impaired Operation of Vehicle	79	210.0	100.0%	68	178.0	100.0%	78.0	-13.9%
Failure to Stop or Remain	109	289.7	7.3%	111	290.5	6.3%	116.7	1.8%
Driving Motor Vehicle While Prohibited	4	10.6	125.0%	5	13.1	100.0%	5.7	25.0%
Other Criminal Code Offences	0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0.7	0.0%
Total Criminal Code Traffic Offences	198	526.3	49.5%	190	497.3	45.3%	205.3	-4.0%

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Drug Offences

Offence	2008			2009			3-Year Average (2)	%Change (2)
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Cannabis	76	202.0	94.7%	67	175.4	97.0%	69.7	-11.8%
Ecstasy (Methylenedioxymphetamine)	1	2.7	100.0%	0	0.0	0.0%	0.3	-100.0%
Crystal Meth (Methamphetamine)	0	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	0.0%
Cocaine	82	218.0	96.3%	49	128.3	91.8%	83.3	-40.2%
Other Controlled Drugs and Substances	7	18.6	100.0%	4	10.5	100.0%	7.0	-42.9%
Total Drug Offences	166	441.3	95.8%	120	314.1	95.0%	160.3	-27.7%

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Calls For Service

Offence	2008	2009	3 Year Average (2)	%Change (2)
Priority 1				
Mobile Response	7,544	7,265	7,526	2.1%
Alternative Response	8	8	7	-15.4%
Total	7,552	7,273	7,533	2.1%
Priority 2				
Mobile Response	17,840	16,844	17,883	-3.4%
Alternative Response	2,530	3,147	2,727	18.1%
Total	20,370	19,991	20,610	0.3%
Priority 3				
Mobile Response	2,855	3,110	2,931	3.9%
Alternative Response	4,508	4,740	4,768	-2.0%
Total	7,363	7,850	7,699	0.1%
Priority 4				
Mobile Response	76	48	67	-11.7%
Alternative Response	125	143	158	-21.0%
Total	201	191	225	-16.9%
All Priorities				
Total Mobile Response	28,315	27,267	28,407	-1.2%
Total Alternative Response	7,172	8,038	7,661	6.1%
Total Calls For Service	35,486	35,305	36,067	0.5%

Priority	Criteria
1	Actual or potential danger for bodily injury or death; an officer requires immediate assistance; crimes in progress or imminent.
2	Crimes not in progress where witnesses are on scene; crimes not in progress where evidence can be collected at the scene; all Break & Enters not in progress; Motor Vehicle Collisions where no injuries and meeting mobile dispatch criteria; all calls of a non-emergency nature where police presence at the scene is necessitated.
3	There is no physical evidence to gather; there is no injury or potential for injury; the suspect is not known and there is little likelihood of apprehension; there is no requirement to protect the scene; there is no witness waiting for police response at the scene; the complainant shows no signs of extraordinary emotion or trauma; the complainant is comfortable with reporting the incident over the phone.
4	Calls for property pickup will be entered as a Priority 4 unless any of the following criteria apply: the property to pickup is a firearm, ammunition or drugs; there is information that the property may be linked or involved in an on-going investigation; the property is of a suspicious nature or may be of evidentiary value; dependant upon the recovered property, the complainant is concerned with their personal safety and is not satisfied with a delayed response.



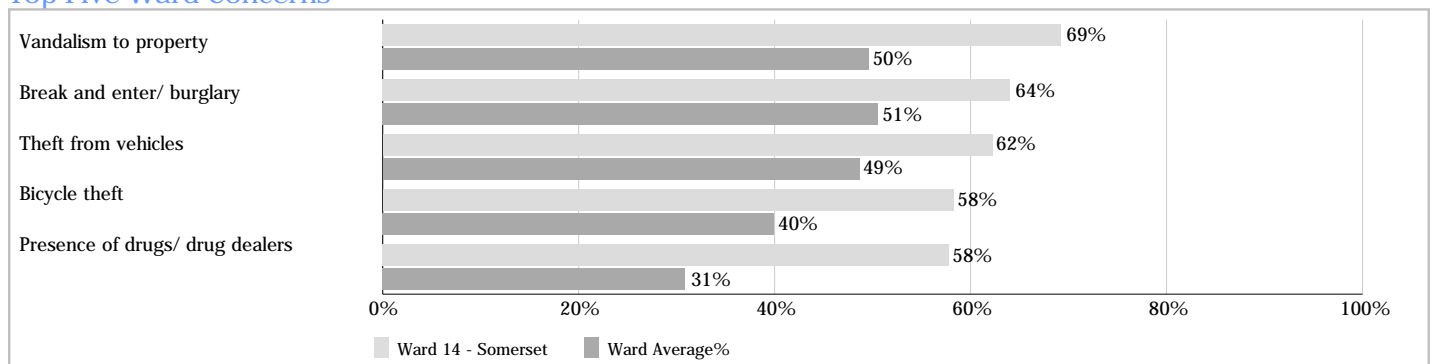
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Selected Public Survey Results (2008)

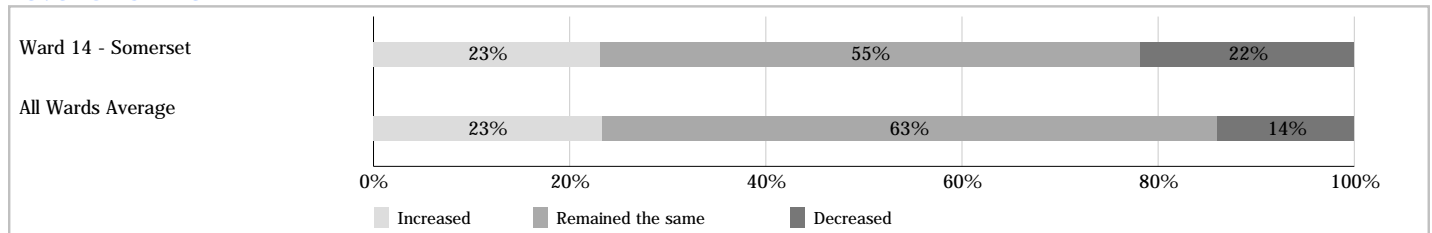
The Ottawa Police Service (OPS) and the Ottawa Police Services Board regularly seeks input on residents' perception of safety and security in their communities, concerns about crime, priorities for the police, and residents' satisfaction with police services. The information collected from the Public Survey assists the OPS to identify priorities, areas for improvement and helps the development of our upcoming 2010-2012 Business Plan.

Introduced in 2008, the survey allows for comparison at the citywide and ward level. For more information on the 2008 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.

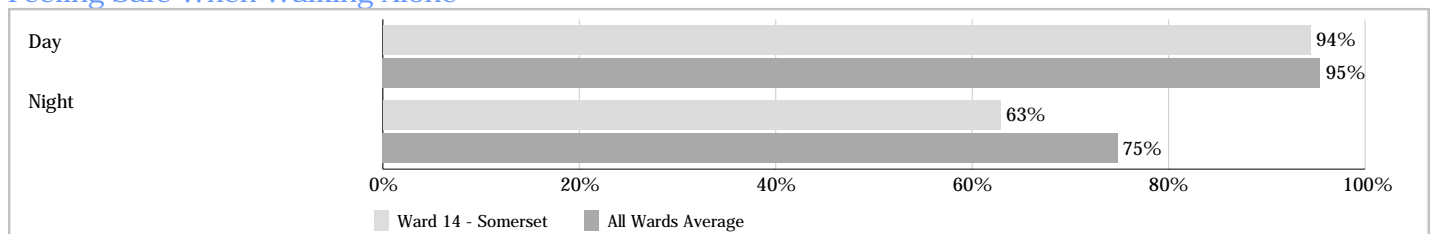
Top Five Ward Concerns



Level Of Crime



Feeling Safe When Walking Alone



Satisfaction With The Ottawa Police Services

