

Hartsville Police Department

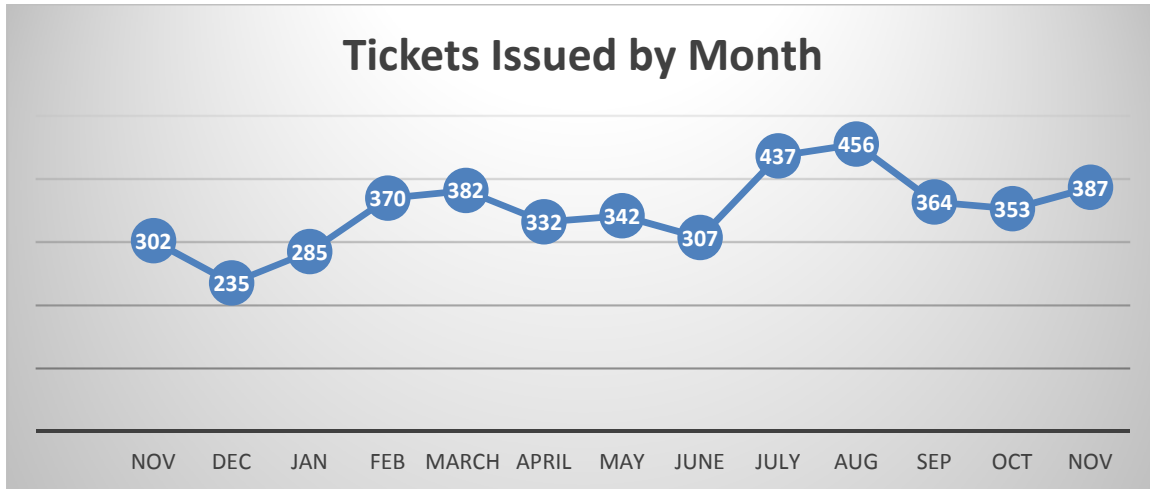


Monthly Report

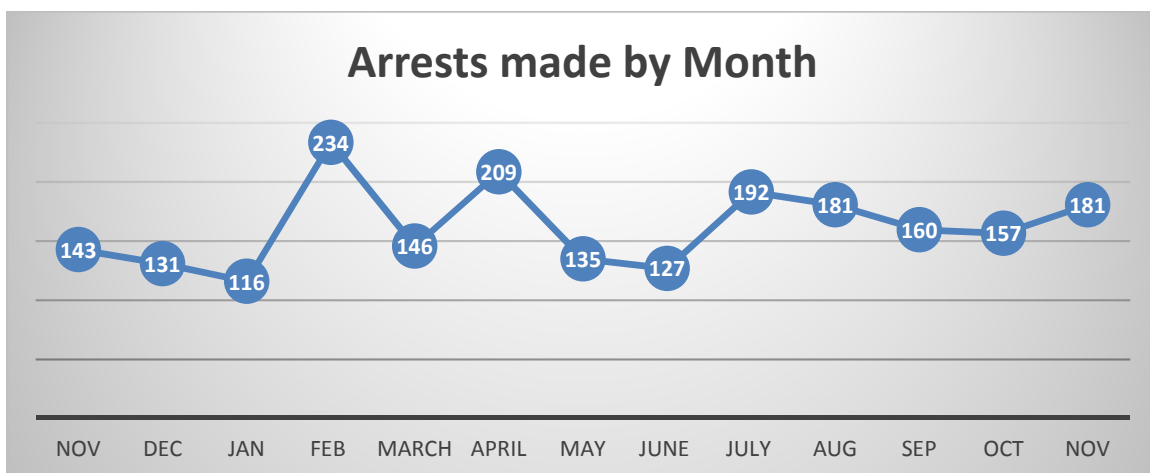
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The Hartsville Police department employs 35 sworn positions, 3 civilians, and 8 crossing guards



Since last December tickets had shown a gradual upward trend overall, despite some peaks. July and August showed a spike in citations, without a major road checkpoint. November continues to show improvement over the previous November, by about 30%, much as October did the month before it. Enforcement of traffic laws due to construction on West Carolina may be helping to increase the numbers.



Arrests on average are around 160 persons per month for the last 4 months. Despite some peaks and drops, for the most parts arrests are pretty stable. August and February had a false spike in arrests; that is attributable to multiple cases on the same individuals. The real number should be closer to the average. In the last four months there has been a decline in arrests, however in Arrests have been spiking and dropping with events and arrests with multiple charges on single persons, however the average remains about 160.

Arrestees and Victims

On average, between 50-65% of arrested persons come from outside the city limits, showing that we serve many more people than our in-town population.

In November, there were 181 arrests, including 26 Juveniles.

Crime Types

Arrests consisted of the following: (Major categories, not inclusive of all arrests):

Shopliftings –	34	(76% from outside city)
Thefts/Burglary –	11	(27% from outside city)
Forgery/Fraud –	6	(100% from outside city)
Drug Offenses –	38	(71% from outside city)
DUI/Drunkenness-	12	(58% from outside city)
Assaults-	6	(83% from outside city)
Weapons	2	(0% from outside city)

Totals for all arrests (including those not listed above)

111 of 181 people arrested (61%) live outside the city limits.