Hartsville Police Department



Monthly Report

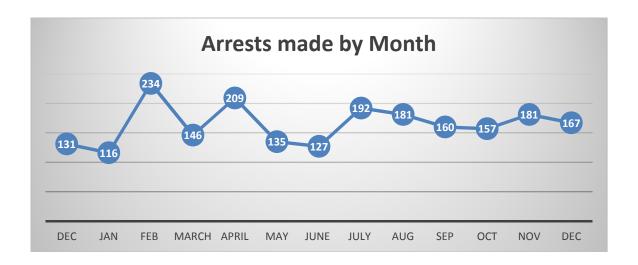
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The Hartsville Police department employs 35 sworn positions, 3 civilians, and 8 crossing guards



Since last December tickets had shown a gradual upward trend overall, despite some peaks. November continued to show improvement over the previous November, by about 30%, much as October did the month before it. December showed an improvement over the previous December by 42 citations, but there was a definite slump in activity.



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. In the last four months there has been a slight decline in arrests. 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 December, there were 167 arrests, including 7 Juveniles.

Crime Types

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

Shopliftings – 34 (65% from outside city)
Thefts/Burglary – 6 (100% from outside city)
Forgery/Fraud – 9 (100% from outside city)
Drug Offenses – 30 (83% from outside city)
DUI/DrunkenessAssaults- 8 (37% from outside city)
Weapons 1 (100% from outside city)

Totals for all arrests (including those not listed above) 117 of 167 people arrested (70%) live outside the city limits.