



Minnetonka Police Department Annual Statistics - 2008

Crime is categorized by level of seriousness and by the elements of the criminal action. The lowest level of crimes are misdemeanors, the next serious are gross misdemeanors, and the most serious crimes are felonies. The Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) process is organized and managed by the U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation. It was established to collect similar crime information from all communities throughout the United States to monitor local, regional and national crime trends. The seven most serious felonies are the crimes of murder, rape, robbery, burglary, theft, arson, and vehicle theft. The FBI calls these crime categories "Part 1" crimes. All other less serious crimes are categorized as "Part 2" crimes. The totals for the Part 1 and Part 2 crimes in Minnetonka are listed below.

In addition to Part 1 and Part 2 UCR crimes, there are summaries for citations and calls for service. Minnetonka hosts its own Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) providing 9-1-1 dispatch services for police, fire and medical emergencies 24 hours a day, seven days a week. There are four categories for calls: Service are mainly ordinance related and the provision of general police services such as vacation house checks, crime prevention and community policing. Criminal calls are response to the Part 1 and Part 2 crimes. Emergency calls are accidents, alarms, and medical related incidents. Traffic calls include DUI enforcement, speed trailer requests, traffic details and police initiated traffic stops.

Family offenses of curfew and runaway incidents are included in the citations portion of this report.

PART I CRIMES (# of incidents)	2008	2007	2006
Assaults	14	25	18
Robbery	5	14	9
Sex Crimes	8	6	4
Motor Vehicle Theft	40	47	45
Theft Other	435	343	363
Shoplifting	239	216	210
Theft from Vehicle	173	221	201
Bike Theft	20	34	24
Arson	3	6	13
Burglaries - Res	126	127	100
Burglaries - Biz	106	77	54
Homicide	0	0	0
Total Part I	1169	1116	1041

PART II CRIMES (# of incidents)	2008	2007	2006
Narcotics (citations)	218	129	179
Assault - Simple	86	126	138
Assault - Domestic	90	82	103
Sex Crimes	17	13	20
Family Offense	6	12	7
Identity Theft	46	44	39
Fraud-Financial Transaction Crimes	93	66	58
Forgery	79	49	49
Damage to Property	325	388	398
Trespass	7	28	22
Disturb	141	299	267
Weapons	6	7	12
Other	238	152	87
Total Part II	1352	1395	1379
Total Part I & II	2521	2511	2420

CITATIONS	2008	2007	2006
Liquor 18 - 21 (consume & possess)	172	325	341
Liquor under 18 (consume)	78	134	181
Juv-Curfew	85	104	96
Juv-Runaway	32	41	37
Juv-Tobacco	37	66	58
Juv-Narcotics	80	99	92
Total Citations	484	769	805

Traffic Citations	2008	2007	2006
Speeding	3810	3314	2657
Parking - Handicap	149	209	66
Parking - Misc.	180	447	119
DWI (Adult)	330	277	343
Careless/Reckless	27	24	39
Seat Belt Violation	266	275	173
Failure to obey sign	30	228	44
DL Violation	343	255	264
No Insurance	1662	913	773
Registration Violations	336	270	267
Other Violations	1653	657	786
Total Traffic Citations	8786	6869	5531

Calls for Service	2008	2007	2006
Service	13309	14788	14666
Criminal Part I and II	3226	3366	3340
Emergency	7402	5858	5870
Traffic	19595	11121	10488
Total Calls for Service	43532	35133	34364