



# News Release

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**Subject:** Crime Statistics for Year 2019 (Overall Crime Down 6.3%)

Today, Mayor Tim Theaker and Chief of Police Keith Porch released calls for service and crime statistics for the twelve months of 2019 which were compiled by the Records Section of the Mansfield Division of Police.

Offenses reported as crime statistics are determined by the FBI Uniform Crime Report Program and are classified as crimes against persons (violent crime) and crimes against property. The offenses of murder (homicide), rape, robbery and assault make up the violent crime category. The offenses of arson, burglary, larceny and auto theft make up the property crime category. Both of these categories are referred to as Part 1 Offenses.

During the twelve months of 2019, officers responded to a total of 2241 overall Part 1 Offense complaints, which represents a 6.3% decrease in overall crime as compared to 2392 offenses during the same period in 2018.

Officers investigated 1297 accidents compared to 1278 last year, a 1.4% increase.

Crime and Traffic statistics by classification are as follows:

<u>YTD 2019</u>	<u>YTD 2018</u>	
2	2	Homicide – 0%
62	76	Rapes – decreased 18.4%
39	57	Robberies – decreased 31.5%
70	87	Assaults – decreased 19.5%
14	20	Arsons – decreased 30.0%
393	452	Burglaries – decreased 13.0%
1575	1615	Larcenies – decreased 2.4%
85	78	Auto Thefts – increased 8.9%

Traffic statistics are as follows:

4	2	Fatalities – increased 100%
340	305	Personal Injuries – increased 11.4%
683	660	Property Damages – increased 3.4%
270	311	Hit-skips – decreased 13.1%
111	82	D.U.I. Arrests – increased 35.3%
3170	3517	Traffic Citations Issued – decreased 9.8%
5819	4862	Parking Tickets – increased 19.6%

**Department of Safety/Division of Police/City of Mansfield**  
**MONTHLY OFFENSES REPORTED TO POLICE**  
**CRIME RATE AND PERCENTAGE CHANGE**  
**DATE: DECEMBER 2019**

<b>PART I OFFENSES</b>	<b>December 2018</b>	<b>December 2019</b>	<b>% Change<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>November 2019</b>	<b>% Change<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2019 To Date</b>	<b>2018 To Date</b>	<b>% Change<sup>1</sup></b>
Arson	1	1	0	1	0	14	20	-30
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	-80
Rape	6	6	0	2	+200	62	76	-18.4
Robbery	5	2	-60	3	-33.3	39	57	-31.5
Assault	12	4	-66.6	2	+100	70	87	-19.5
Burglary	37	33	-10.8	36	-8.3	393	452	-13
Larceny	112	121	+8	105	+15.2	1575	1615	-2.4
Auto Theft	11	7	-36.3	3	+133.3	85	78	+8.9
<b>TOTALS:</b>	184	174	-5.4	152	+14.4	2241	2392	-6.3
Persons Arrested Total	391	352	-9.9	394	-10.6	4797	5140	-6.6
White	259	239	-7.7	254	-5.9	3140	3371	-6.8
Non-White	132	113	-14.4	140	-19.2	1657	1769	-6.3
Adult	359	328	-8.6	354	-7.3	4342	4516	-3.8
Juvenile	32	24	-25	40	-40	455	624	-27

<sup>1</sup>Note: A "\*\*\*" in the % CHANGE columns indicate the percentage calculations cannot be performed.

**City of Mansfield/Division of Police**

<b>Monthly Traffic Rate and Percentage Change</b>				<b>Date: DECEMBER 2019</b>				
<b>TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS</b>	<b>December 2018</b>	<b>December 2019</b>	<b>% Change<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>November 2019</b>	<b>% Change<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2019 To Date</b>	<b>2018 To Date</b>	<b>% Change<sup>1</sup></b>
Fatalities	1	0	-100	0	0	4	2	+100
Personal Injury	23	21	-8.7	19	+10.5	340	305	+11.4
Property Damage	55	69	+25.4	66	+4.5	683	660	+3.4
Hit Skips	32	25	-21.8	24	+4.1	270	311	-13.1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>+3.6</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>1297</b>	<b>1278</b>	<b>+1.4</b>

DUI Arrests	7	10	+42.8	8	+25	111	82	+35.3
Traffic Citations	305	241	-20.9	227	+6.1	3170	3517	-9.8
Parking Tickets	468	500	+6.8	532	-6	5819	4862	+19.6
Miscellaneous Information:								

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