

LOCUST POLICE DEPARTMENT CRIME STATISTICS



APRIL 2024

TOTAL DISPATCHED/ATTENDED/INITIATED LPD EVENTS

NEW IN 2024 – Due to record call volumes and continued city growth, Locust officers are no longer required to complete certain non-criminal incident reports unless requested by an involved party. In order to continue to assess the frequency and types of calls Locust officers are responding to, a log of all dispatched/attended/initiated calls by the Locust Police Department will be logged and reported monthly. A separate listing of incidents/offenses where reports were completed will be listed following the below list.

CATEGORY	MONTHLY TOTAL
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT	
Traffic Stops Conducted	311
GENERAL INVESTIGATION	92
Security Alarm Activations	27
Suspicious Person Calls	14
Investigations/Incident Follow-Ups	12
General Disturbance Calls	8
Well-Being Check Requests	7
Fire Alarm Activations	5
911 Hang-Up Calls	5
Suspicious Vehicle Calls	5
Domestic Disturbances	2
Drug Investigations	2
Suicide Threats	2
Lost Or Found Property Calls	1
Missing Person Calls	1
Overdose Calls	1
Reported Gunshot Calls	0
GENERAL SERVICE	79
Escorts General	27
Calls For Service General	23
Medical Calls	12
Motorist Assists	12
Animal Calls/Complaints	2
Mutual Aid Requests	2
Specific Location Checks	1
Assist DSS	0
Escorts Domestic Related	0
Fire Department Calls	0
Information Only Calls	0
PROPERTY/FINANCIAL CRIME CALLS	27
Larcenies From Businesses	23
Counterfeiting/Fraud Calls	4

Larcenies Related To Residences	0
Larcenies Related To Vehicles	0
TRAFFIC RELATED CALLS	29
Roadway Traffic Crash Calls	10
PVA Traffic Crash Calls	8
Careless/Reckless Driving Reports	6
Hit & Run Report Calls	3
Illegal Parking	2
Minor Traffic Crash With No Report Needed	0
Vehicle Pursuit Activities	0
GENERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT CALLS	17
Court Order Service Calls	6
Damage To Property Calls	5
Intoxication/Impairment Related Calls	2
Trespassing	2
Arrest Warrant/IVC Service Calls	1
Harassment/Threat Calls	1
Juvenile Violation/Related Calls	0
K-9 Use	0
Noise Ordinance Calls	0
Vandalism	0
Weapon Calls	0
PHYSICAL CRIME	1
Assaults	1
Domestic Related Assault Calls	0
SERIOUS OR VIOLENT CRIMES	0
Sex Related Offense Calls	0
TOTAL DISPATCHED/ATTENDED/INITIATED	556
DAILY AVERAGE	18.5

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INCIDENTS/OFFENSES WITH REPORTS REQUIRED

Note – Total incident reports generated number will be lower than number of offenses/incidents listed. This is due to there being multiple offenses within one report on some occasions, particularly in criminal activity calls. NEW IN 2024 – Due to record call volumes and continued city growth, certain non-criminal incident reports that meet specific criteria are no longer required to be completed by Locust officers. As a result, overall incident report and offense type totals will likely be lower than in years past, with several call types that in the past would have generated a report and be present in this list will be greatly reduced in most occasions (i.e. False Alarms, General Medical Calls, Calls For Service etc.). Escorts Provided (General, Business Closing, Child Custody Exchange, Funeral) – 25 Larceny From Business (Misdemeanor, Felony, Concealment) – 22 Vehicle Traffic Violation Incidents (Resulting In Other Charges, Arrests, Vehicle Towed, Etc.) -21Mutual Aid Given (Help Given To Other Agencies) -9Counterfeiting/Fraud (Forgery, Obtain By False Pretense, Identity Theft, Etc.) - 6Assist EMS/Fire Department – 4 Calls For Service (Various Community Service Reasons, Animal Complaints, Etc.) - 4 Drug Offenses (Investigations, Citations, Arrests) -4Investigation Calls (General, 911 Hang-Ups, Suicide Threats, Open Doors, Etc.) – 4 Weapons Offenses (Unlawful Carry Concealed, Possession Firearm By Felon, Etc.) - 4 Damage To Property Calls (Residential, Business, Vehicle, Minor Vehicle Crashes) – 3 Driving While Impaired (Alcohol, Illegal Substances, Provisional, Drive After Consuming, Etc.) – 3 Illegal Activity (All Other) -3Alcohol Charges (All Other) -2Arrest Warrants/Processes Served (Failure To Appear, Subpoenas Etc.) -2Disturbances (General, Domestic) -2Property Calls (Lost, Found) -2Suspicious Activity (Activities, Vehicles, Persons) -2Vehicle Pursuits -2Assaults (Simple, Affray, Domestic, Etc.) -1Juvenile Violations (Juvenile Offenses, Contributing To Delinquency, Etc.) -1K-9 Use (Use Of Department Or Other Jurisdiction K-9) – 1 Larceny From/Of Vehicle (Misdemeanor, Felony, B&E, Motor Vehicle Theft, Etc.) - 1 Missing Persons (Reported, Found) -1Resisting Officer Events – 1 Trespassing $(1^{st}, 2^{nd} \text{ Degree}) - 1$ Alarm Reports (Business, Residential) -0Assist Motorist (Stranded, Keys Locked In Vehicle, Tire, Etc.) -0Breaking & Entering/Larceny Residence Or Person (Attempted, Misdemeanor, Felony, Larceny After B&E) - 0City Ordinance Violation Calls/Investigations -0Death Investigation (Non-Criminal, Unattended Death, Suicide, Etc.) -0

Harassment (Phone Calls, Communicating Threats, Etc.) -0

Murder (Completed/Attempted)/Crime-Involved Death -0Serious Larceny/Crimes From Business, Residence, Person (Common Law, Armed Robbery, Kidnapping Etc.) -0Sex Offenses (Attempted Or Completed Rape, Indecent Liberties, Crimes Against Nature, Etc.) -0Vandalism (Defacement, Arson, Etc.) -0

TOTAL OFFENSES WITH REPORTS REQUIRED – 131 REQUIRED INCIDENT REPORTS GENERATED – 94 AVERAGE DAILY REQUIRED INCIDENT REPORTS GENERATED – 3.1

AREA PATROLS/CHECKS

Business Checks – 2,036 Neighborhood Checks – 605 Special Investigations – 40 Suspicious Persons – 1 Suspicious Vehicles – 1 House Checks – 0

TOTAL AREA/SECURITY CHECKS – 2,683 DAILY AREA/SECURITY CHECKS AVERAGE – 89.4

ARRESTS/OFFENSE CHARGES/COUNTS

Minor Charges -20Misdemeanor Larceny – 10 Forgery/Uttering Check Related Charges - 4 Obtain Property By False Pretense – 4 Driving While Impaired -3Conspiracy/Accessory Charges - 2 Driving While License Revoked – 2 Flee To Elude Arrest – 2 Possession Drug Paraphernalia - 2 Resist, Delay, Obstruct -2Warrant Service -2Assault Inflicting Serious Injury - 1 Communicating Threats – 1 Damage To Property – 1 Motor Vehicle Larceny/Possession - 1 Possession Schedule II - 1Possession Schedule VI - 1 Trespassing -1

TOTAL ARREST CHARGES – 60 DAILY JAIL COMMIT ARREST CHARGES AVERAGE – 2

CITATIONS

Speeding - 23 Expired Registration -22No Operator's License – 20 Driving While License Revoked - 13 Inspection Violations – 8 No Insurance -6Fictitious Registration - 5 Vehicle Equipment Violations - 5 Unsafe Movement/Passing – 4 Careless & Reckless Driving – 3 Driver Seat Belt Violations - 3 Passenger Seat Belt Violations – 3 Stop Sign/Light Violations - 3 Hit & Run -2Lane Violations – 2 Revoked Registration -2Speeding In School Zone – 2 Concealed Weapon Violations - 1 Fail To Reduce Speed – 1 Following Too Close - 1 Misdemeanor Flee To Elude - 1

TOTAL – 131 DAILY CITATION CHARGES ISSUED AVERAGE – 4.4 DOCUMENTED TRAFFIC STOPS WITH WARNINGS ISSUED – 196 SPEEDING WARNINGS ISSUED – 33

TRAFFIC CRASHES

Crashes Reported – 19 Approximated Total Damage - \$42,700 (\$2,247 Total Avg. Per Crash) Injuries Reported – None Reported

<u>Crash Comparison</u> 2021 Through April – 59, 2022 – 60, 2023 – 68, 2024 – 69 Difference – +10 (Since 2021), +9 (Since 2022), +1 (Since 2023)

Street Or Highway - 14

West (10)

- West Main Street At/Near South Central Avenue (Central/Main Intersection) 2 (1 Hit & Run, 1 W/ 3 Vehicles)
- Ray Kennedy Drive/Market Street Intersection 2
- West Main Street At/Near Renee Ford Road 2 (1 Hit & Run)
- Ray Kennedy Drive Near Town Centre Drive
- Meadowcreek Church Road Near Old Hickory Road (Vehicle Vs. Deer)
- West Main Street At/Near Jenkins Street
- West Main Street At/Near Commercial Boulevard

North (2)

- North Central Avenue At/Near Rodney Street (Vehicle Vs. Mailbox)
- North Central Avenue At/Near Quail Run Road (Vehicle Vs. Deer)

East (2)

- NC 24/27 Near Barbee Road
- Coley Store Road Near East Main Street

Public Vehicular Area – 5

West (4)

- 1876 West Main Street -2
- 1004 West Main Street
- 534A Browns Hill Road

North (1)

- 931 North Central Avenue

TOTALS

TOTAL MONTHLY DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES (INCLUDES TOTAL LPD EVENTS, TRAFFIC STOPS, AREA CHECKS) 3,239

MONTHLY DAILY ACTIVITIES AVERAGE 107.9