



Administrator's Report

The city's mission is to deliver exceptional services that sustain and enhance a vibrant, safe and diverse community.

City Administrator's Report October 21, 2024 prepared for City Council. Kindly forward questions, comments, or suggestions for input to mdohoney@a2gov.org, mpraschan@a2gov.org, or shiggins@a2gov.org.

SAFETY NOTES

Safety Update Halloween is just two weeks away! It is a time of great fun. A little bit of safety helps make the night much more enjoyable. Children should wear a watch with their costumes that can be seen in the dark. Trick-or-Treating in groups with friends in familiar neighborhoods can help in case of an emergency. Masks are often the best part of a costume. With that in mind, making sure vision is unobstructed from inside the mask can help prevent slip, trips, and falls. Don't forget to clear any fallen leaves off sidewalks and driveways to reduce the chances of a trick-or-treater slipping on wet leaves.

Also of note, Day Light Savings Time ends on Sunday, November 3, 2024, at 2am. Please remember to set your clocks back before your go to bed on Saturday, November 2.

Lastly, the temperature is starting to drop. It is a good idea to check/change your furnace filter(s) and have a qualified HVAC tech check the furnace for proper operation.

Let the holiday season begin! This is a beautiful time in the Midwest.

Thank you for making A2 Be Safe!

BICENTENNIAL NEWS

Happy Birthday Ann Arbor! Bicentennial (1824-2024). A bicentennial events calendar is available via <https://a2bicentennial.org/events>. Join our year-long celebration to honor Ann Arbor's bicentennial. There are many planned events scheduled to celebrate this historical (2024) milestone, many of which will be fun, educational, unifying and inclusive.



Current Bicentennial Celebration planning progress and opportunities for community involvement are available via www.a2gov.org/a200.

Learn more about more [projects underway and in need of community support](#) — new features to Bicentennial Park (formerly Southeast Area Park); a statue honoring Kathy Kozachenko, the first openly gay person elected to political office (Ann Arbor City Council) in the United States; and restoration of the James L. Crawford Elks Lodge, the fraternal organization founded in 1899 by Black men denied entry into existing fraternal groups.

You can find additional event and bicentennial information at www.a2bicentennial.org. Would you like to collaborate with A2 Bicentennial on your event or do you have an event to add to the calendar? Please email info@a2bicentennial.org.

Sustainability & Innovations Corner. Catch up on the latest from the Ann Arbor Office of Sustainability and Innovations (OSI). For more information, including registration links, visit [OSI online](#).

- **Subscribe to the OSI Newsletter.** If you haven't already, please subscribe to monthly, detailed newsletter highlighting some of the sustainability-related activities unfolding in the community. If you aren't already, please [subscribe at: https://service.govdelivery.com/accounts/MIANNA/subscriber/new?topic_id=MIANNA_146](https://service.govdelivery.com/accounts/MIANNA/subscriber/new?topic_id=MIANNA_146)
- **GET TO KNOW THE SUSTAINABLE ENERGY UTILITY:** The Ann Arbor Sustainable Energy Utility is an opt-in, supplemental municipally-owned energy utility that provides 100% renewable energy from local solar generation and battery storage systems and networked geothermal systems installed at participating homes and businesses in the City. For more information, visit our here: https://www.a2gov.org/departments/sustainability/NewsletterEvents/Documents/07_A2ZERO_Newletter_July2024.pdf
- **Sustainable Lawn Care Learning Session.** Are you a homeowner, lawn care service provider, or property manager interested in learning more about electric lawn care, or sustainable lawn care in general? Join us on October 21st at Cobblestone Farm from 4:00pm to 6:00pm to see electric lawn care equipment in action and get your questions answered! Those interested in attending can [RSVP here](#). You can reach out to Carissa Ebling at cebling@a2gov.org with any questions.
- **Commercial EV Charger Program.** Applications for the City of Ann Arbor's Commercial EV Charger Program are still open. With the goal of increasing the availability of publicly accessible EV chargers, the Commercial EV Charger Program provides an opportunity for commercial and multifamily property owners in Ann Arbor to receive up to four FREE level 2 EV chargers. To learn more about the program and view our application, visit osi.a2gov.org/evchargerprogram.
- **A²ZERO Rebates Still Available:** Thanks to incredible work of our IT department, we are pleased to announce the release of a new dashboard tracking how many home energy rebates have been distributed and are still available. In total, OSI anticipates distributing \$1.9 million in rebates, providing an estimated 1,300 sustainability-related rebates to residents across the city. At least 50% of the rebates will be for income qualified households. Please note that rebates will apply only to projects and purchases completed on or after July 1, 2024. More details, including our new dashboard, are available at osi.a2gov.org/rebates.
- The **A²ZERO Home Energy Advisor program** is now open for all Ann Arbor residents! The wait list has been addressed, and the portal is open. Sign up for your free home assessment, and individualized decarbonization plan for your home. Bring all your questions – upstairs is hot? bills are high? water heater needs replacing soon? Learn more and sign up at <https://a2zerohea.org/>
- **Launch of Commercial EV Charger Program:** OSI is pleased to announce that applications for the City of Ann Arbor's Commercial EV Charger Program are now live! With the goal of increasing the availability of publicly accessible EV chargers, the Commercial EV Charger Program provides an opportunity for commercial and multifamily property owners in Ann Arbor to receive up to four FREE level 2 EV chargers. To learn more about the program and view our application, visit osi.a2gov.org/evchargerprogram.
- **Check out Green Light:** A new series from CTN and OSI that digs into sustainability in Ann Arbor with the residents who are envisioning, creating, and establishing a sustainable and equitable future for our community. Check out our episodes at <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLw6eY79a9rp8VTqYvxRst5C0qs8U7dwXE>



COUNCIL PRIORITIES/INITIATIVES

Police Monthly Report. The September 2024 AAPD Monthly Comparison Report – Monthly Pedestrian Crash Report (PDF) is attached.

Transportation Commission Monthly Report. The October 2024 Transportation Commission Project Report is available via <https://a2gov.legistar.com/LegislationDetail.aspx?ID=6892955&GUID=EA1E7D66-A513-40CA-AAB6-E0E680D6F925>

PREVIEWS

October 21 Council Meeting will feature the following items of interest:

Consent Agenda (6). There are six items on the consent agenda.

Public Hearings (5). Public Hearings are listed under Second Reading.

Ordinances – First Reading (1).

- An Ordinance to Amend Section 9:103 Of Chapter 111 (Fire Prevention) Of Title IX of the Code of the City of Ann Arbor

Ordinances – Second Reading (6).

- A Public Hearing and An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 55 (Unified Development Code), Rezoning of 0.51 Acres from TWP (Township District) to R1B (Single-Family Dwelling District), Loo Property, 444 Huntington Place (CPC Recommendation: Approval - 8 Yeas and 0 Nays) (ORD-24-21)
- A Public Hearing and An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 55 (Unified Development Code), Rezoning of 0.05 Acres from TWP (Township District) to R1B (Single-Family District), Brixmor Property, 110 Algebe Way (CPC Recommendation: Approval - 8 Yeas and 0 Nays) (ORD-24-22)
- A Public Hearing and An Ordinance to Amend Section 1:120A of Chapter 9 (City Seal and Flag) of Title I of City Code
- A Public Hearing and An Ordinance to Add a New Section 9.155.1 of Chapter 112 (Non-Discrimination) of Title IX of the Code of the City of Ann Arbor (ORD-24-24)
- A Public Hearing and An Ordinance to Amend Section 1:17 (Code Violation Citations) of Chapter 1 of Title I and Section 8:458 of Chapter 104 (Energy and Water Benchmarking) of Title VIII (ORD-24-27)
- An Ordinance to Amend Sections 5.18, 5.22, 5.29 and 5.37 of Chapter 55 (Unified Development Code) of Title V of the Code of the City of Ann Arbor (Height Exceptions, Stormwater Reviews, Development Approvals, Finished Grade) CPC Recommendation: Approval (8 yes, 0 no) (ORD-24-20) (postponed from October 7, 2024; public hearing held)

OTHER

Prepare for Nov. 5 General Election. If you still need to register to vote, and if you still need to register to vote in Ann Arbor (residents who've recently moved to the city, students, recently eligible voters, for example), you may do so now, in two different ways:

In person at the Ann Arbor City Clerk's Office, second floor of Larcom City Hall, 301 E. Huron St. The city clerk's office is open 8 a.m.–5 p.m. daily.

Online at the [Michigan Voter Information Center](#).

Registered voters still needing to apply for an absentee ballot can request an absentee ballot online at the [Michigan Voter Information Center](#); by printing out and submitting an application; or in person at the Ann Arbor City Clerk's office. Visit a2gov.org/elections for details.

[Early voting](#) in the General Election will begin nine days before Election Day (on Saturday, Oct. 26) and will continue through Sunday, Nov. 3.

For your complete guide to voting information and resources, visit the Ann Arbor [elections website](#), or reach out to the city clerk's office with any questions at 734.794.6140 or cityclerk@a2gov.org.

Gallup Park Bridge Ribbon Cutting Ceremony Planned for Oct. 24. The new Gallup Park Bridge Ribbon Cutting Ceremony is scheduled for 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 24, weather permitting, at [Gallup Park](#), 3000 Fuller Road. Ceremony parking is available in the Gallup Park Livery lot (3000 Fuller Road) and Furstenberg Nature Area (2626 Fuller Road). A brief program will take place at the new bridge to celebrate completion of construction and recognize the funding and support, as well as the input from community members, which brought the project to fruition.

"A large project, such as the Gallup Bridge project, cannot be accomplished without the support of so many different entities, including outside funders, and community feedback," said Ann Arbor Parks & Recreation Manager Josh Landefeld. "This support and feedback were used to help shape project goals and guide the process, which helped us to refine the final design."

The new [Gallup Park Pedestrian and Vehicle Bridge](#) (.jpg image file) has double the space for pedestrians and cyclists, includes overlook spaces at the center of the bridge and maintains the character and rustic charm of the old structure.

The project received funds from the American Rescue Plan Act, allocation in which the community also had input, as well as from Park Maintenance and Capital Improvements Millage dollars.

Learn more about this project on the [Ann Arbor Park Planning](#) website.

Ann Arbor voters will find the 2025–2044 Park Maintenance and Capital Improvements Millage renewal proposal on the Nov. 5 General Election ballot. If passed, the renewed millage would continue funding park system enhancements, repairs and restoration for the next 20 years. The millage renewal proposal remains for 1.10 mills and does not pose an increase; the rate would remain the same as the millage that is expiring this year. [Visit parks online](#) for answers to frequently asked questions, to learn about projects and activities funded through the current and past millages and much more. Additional questions — or interest in scheduling a parks and recreation informational presentation for your neighborhood or community organization — can be directed to parks@a2gov.org.

Ann Arbor Parks & Recreation Millage to Appear on Nov. 5 General Election Ballot. The 2025–2044 Park Maintenance and Capital Improvements Millage renewal proposal is set to appear on the Nov. 5 General Election ballot, asking Ann Arbor voters to decide whether to continue supporting the Ann Arbor park system. If passed, the renewed millage would continue funding park system enhancements, repairs and restoration for the next 20 years. The millage renewal proposal remains for 1.10 mills and does not pose an increase; the rate would remain the same as the millage that is expiring this year. Visit [parks online](#) for answers to frequently asked questions, to learn about projects and activities funded through the current and past millages and much more. Additional questions — or interest in scheduling a parks and recreation informational presentation for your neighborhood or community organization this summer or fall — can be directed to parks@a2gov.org.

Natural Area Preservation Events. City of Ann Arbor Natural Area Preservation (NAP) works to protect and restore Ann Arbor's natural areas and to foster an environmental ethic within the community. This involves conducting plant and animal inventories, ecological monitoring, and stewardship projects in Ann Arbor's parks. These tasks are performed by both staff and volunteers. NAP also offers environmental education and enrichment activities for K-5 students, seniors and the general public. NAP is sharing events planned for November 2024.

To attend an event, participants are encouraged to preregister using VolunteerHub at <https://cityofannarbor.volunteerhub.com/lp/nap>; registration links to each event in VolunteerHub are also provided with each description.



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TO: Milton Dohoney Jr.
FROM: Ann Arbor Police Department
SUBJECT: Monthly Comparison Report
DATE: October 16, 2024

AAPD Offense Monthly Comparison Report (preliminary and advisory) Part A – September 2024

| Crime Part | Group Description | 09/01/2024 TO 10/01/2024 | 08/01/2024 TO 09/01/2024 | Percent Changed | 09/01/2023 TO 10/01/2023 | Percent Changed | YTD 2024 | YTD 2023 | Percent Changed |
|------------|---|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|----------|----------|--------------------|
| A | AGGRAVATED/FELONIOUS ASSAULT | 27 | 24 | 12.50% | 20 | 35.00% | 191 | 185 | 3.24% |
| A | BURGLARY -ENTRY WITHOUT FORCE (Intent to Commit) | 5 | 6 | -16.67% | 8 | -37.50% | 45 | 45 | 0.00% |
| A | BURGLARY -FORCED ENTRY | 17 | 10 | 70.00% | 18 | -5.56% | 94 | 125 | -24.80% |
| A | DAMAGE TO PROPERTY | 32 | 39 | -17.95% | 61 | -47.54% | 285 | 330 | -13.64% |
| A | EMBEZZLEMENT | 1 | 1 | 0.00% | 1 | 0.00% | 15 | 19 | -21.05% |
| A | EXTORTION | 3 | 1 | 200.00% | 3 | 0.00% | 13 | 18 | -27.78% |
| A | FORGERY/COUNTERFEITING | 3 | 1 | 200.00% | 2 | 50.00% | 27 | 46 | -41.30% |
| A | FRAUD -CREDIT CARD/AUTOMATIC TELLER MACHINE | 7 | 10 | -30.00% | 2 | 250.00% | 86 | 37 | 132.43% |
| A | FRAUD -FALSE PRETENSE/SWINDLE/CONFIDENCE GAME | 31 | 34 | -8.82% | 30 | 3.33% | 216 | 232 | -6.90% |
| A | FRAUD - IDENTITY THEFT | 8 | 8 | 0.00% | 5 | 60.00% | 79 | 115 | -31.30% |
| A | INTIMIDATION/STALKING | 9 | 5 | 80.00% | 19 | -52.63% | 118 | 135 | -12.59% |
| A | KIDNAPPING/ABDUCTION | 2 | 0 | N/C | 0 | N/C | 3 | 2 | 50.00% |
| A | LARCENY -OTHER | 75 | 37 | 102.70% | 52 | 44.23% | 367 | 369 | -0.54% |
| A | LARCENY -POCKETPICKING | 2 | 0 | N/C | 0 | N/C | 10 | 8 | 25.00% |
| A | LARCENY -THEFT FROM BUILDING | 20 | 10 | 100.00% | 18 | 11.11% | 215 | 208 | 3.37% |
| A | LARCENY -THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLE | 26 | 46 | -43.48% | 40 | -35.00% | 388 | 360 | 7.78% |
| A | LARCENY -THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE PARTS/ACCESSORIES | 2 | 1 | 100.00% | 8 | -75.00% | 46 | 115 | -60.00% |
| A | MOTOR VEHICLE, AS STOLEN PROPERTY | 1 | 1 | 0.00% | 0 | N/C | 7 | 2 | 250.00% |
| A | MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT | 6 | 9 | -33.33% | 16 | -62.50% | 83 | 115 | -27.83% |
| A | NARCOTIC EQUIPMENT VIOLATIONS | 2 | 3 | -33.33% | 1 | 100.00% | 7 | 5 | 40.00% |
| A | NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT | 75 | 57 | 31.58% | 70 | 7.14% | 470 | 524 | -10.31% |
| A | OBSCENITY | 12 | 1 | 1,100.00% | 1 | 1,100.00% | 25 | 12 | 108.33% |
| A | RETAIL FRAUD -THEFT | 33 | 46 | -28.26% | 29 | 13.79% | 367 | 260 | 41.15% |
| A | ROBBERY | 2 | 5 | -60.00% | 6 | -66.67% | 20 | 33 | -39.39% |
| A | SEXUAL CONTACT FORCIBLE -CSC 4TH DEGREE | 4 | 1 | 300.00% | 4 | 0.00% | 27 | 36 | -25.00% |
| A | SEXUAL PENETRATION OBJECT -CSC 1ST DEGREE | 1 | 1 | 0.00% | 0 | N/C | 4 | 1 | 300.00% |
| A | SEXUAL PENETRATION ORAL/ANAL -CSC 1ST DEGREE | 1 | 0 | N/C | 0 | N/C | 3 | 3 | 0.00% |
| A | SEXUAL PENETRATION PENIS/VAGINA -CSC 3RD DEGREE | 1 | 2 | -50.00% | 1 | 0.00% | 20 | 7 | 185.71% |
| A | SEXUAL PENETRATION PENIS/VAGINA -CSC 1ST DEGREE | 3 | 0 | N/C | 1 | 200.00% | 19 | 14 | 35.71% |
| A | STOLEN PROPERTY | 2 | 2 | 0.00% | 2 | 0.00% | 12 | 17 | -29.41% |
| A | VIOLATION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ACT | 12 | 6 | 100.00% | 8 | 50.00% | 52 | 71 | -26.76% |
| A | WEAPONS OFFENSE- CONCEALED | 1 | 2 | -50.00% | 3 | -66.67% | 22 | 30 | -26.67% |
| A | WEAPONS OFFENSE -OTHER | 1 | 0 | N/C | 2 | -50.00% | 6 | 10 | -40.00% |

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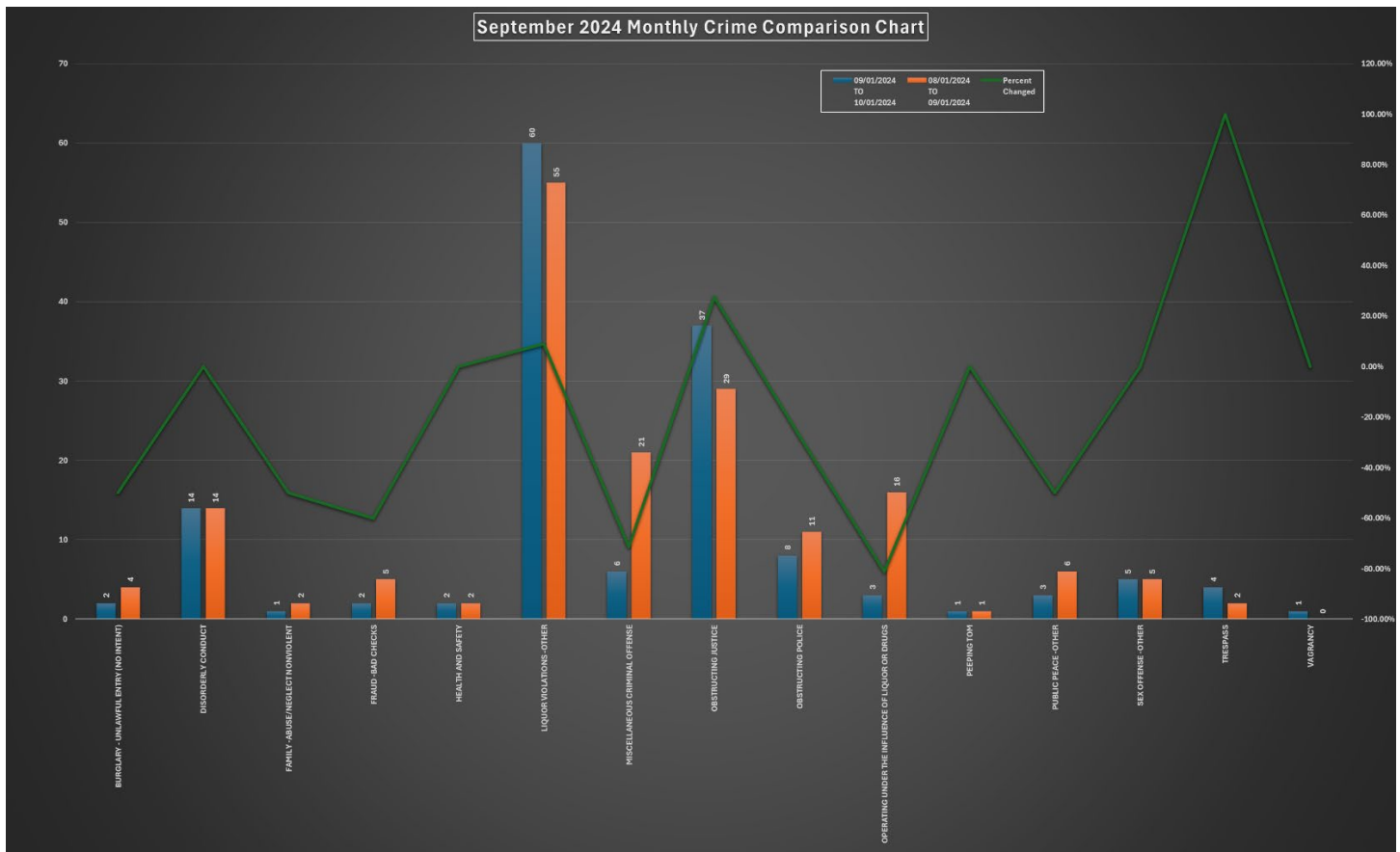
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|------------|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|----------|----------|--------------------|
| B | BURGLARY - UNLAWFUL ENTRY (NO INTENT) | 2 | 4 | -50.00% | 1 | 100.00% | 15 | 16 | -6.25% |
| B | DISORDERLY CONDUCT | 14 | 14 | 0.00% | 13 | 7.69% | 124 | 108 | 14.81% |
| B | FAMILY -ABUSE/NEGLECT NONVIOLENT | 1 | 2 | -50.00% | 3 | -66.67% | 15 | 23 | -34.78% |
| B | FRAUD -BAD CHECKS | 2 | 5 | -60.00% | 2 | 0.00% | 16 | 6 | 166.67% |
| B | HEALTH AND SAFETY | 2 | 2 | 0.00% | 1 | 100.00% | 9 | 4 | 125.00% |
| B | LIQUOR VIOLATIONS -OTHER | 60 | 55 | 9.09% | 212 | -71.70% | 141 | 244 | -42.21% |
| B | MISCELLANEOUS CRIMINAL OFFENSE | 6 | 21 | -71.43% | 19 | -68.42% | 66 | 91 | -27.47% |
| B | OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE | 37 | 29 | 27.59% | 21 | 76.19% | 224 | 191 | 17.28% |
| B | OBSTRUCTING POLICE | 8 | 11 | -27.27% | 12 | -33.33% | 83 | 96 | -13.54% |
| B | OPERATING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF LIQUOR OR DRUGS | 3 | 16 | -81.25% | 11 | -72.73% | 103 | 137 | -24.82% |
| B | PEEPING TOM | 1 | 1 | 0.00% | 1 | 0.00% | 3 | 4 | -25.00% |
| B | PUBLIC PEACE -OTHER | 3 | 6 | -50.00% | 2 | 50.00% | 53 | 30 | 76.67% |
| B | SEX OFFENSE -OTHER | 5 | 5 | 0.00% | 1 | 400.00% | 34 | 13 | 161.54% |
| B | TRESPASS | 4 | 2 | 100.00% | 10 | -60.00% | 43 | 51 | -15.69% |
| B | VAGRANCY | 1 | 0 | N/C | 0 | N/C | 3 | 1 | 200.00% |

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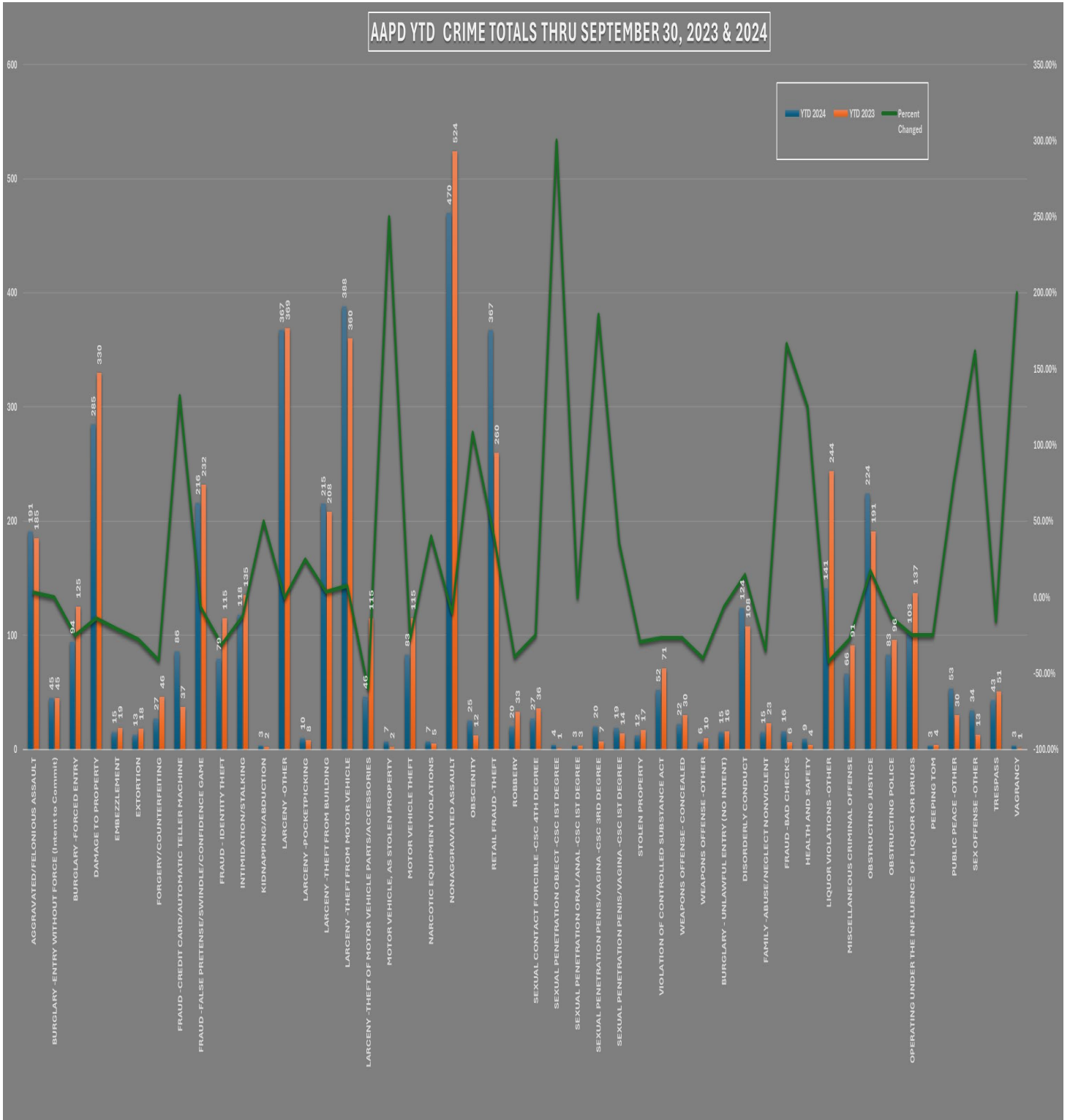




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AAPD Monthly Pedestrian Crash Report – September 2024

| Report # | Location | Date | Time | Vehicle Movement | Pedestrian In Crosswalk | At Fault Party | Pedestrian Injury |
|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| 240041601 | 400 S Maple | 9/6/2024 | 11:54 AM | Turning Left | No | Unknown | B |
| 240042586 | Fuller and Cedar Bend | 9/11/2024 | 8:35 AM | Going Straight | Yes | Unknown | B |
| 240042722 | Plymouth and Broadway | 9/11/2024 | 8:16 PM | Going Straight | No | Pedestrian | B |
| 240042861 | E Huron and N Thayer | 9/12/2024 | 2:16 PM | Going Straight | No | None | B |
| 240043133 | S Main and W Washington | 9/13/2024 | 8:37 PM | Slowing/Stopping on Roadway | No | Motorist | A, C |
| 240046304 | 2641 Plymouth | 9/29/2024 | 8:21 PM | Backing | No | Unknown | N/A |

N/A represents the information was "not available" at the time of the report

AAPD Monthly Bicyclist Crash Report – September 2024

| Report # | Location | Date | Time | Vehicle Movement | Bike Movement | At Fault Party | Bike Injury | Helmet |
|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------|
| 240040850 | N Seventh and Miller | 9/2/2024 | 4:02 PM | Going Straight | Stopped on Roadway | Motorist | B | Yes |
| 240041239 | Packard and Hill | 9/4/2024 | 6:30 PM | Turning Right | Going Straight | Unknown | B | N/A |
| 240041244 | Traverwood and Plymouth | 9/4/2024 | 8:19 PM | Starting Up | Crossing not at Intersection | Motorist | B | Yes |
| 240043744 | Division and Washington | 9/16/2024 | 8:43 PM | Turning Right | Going Straight | Motorist | B | Yes |
| 240044264 | S Division and E Huron | 9/19/2024 | 11:16 AM | Turning Right | Going Straight | Motorist | B | Yes |
| 240045839 | N Fifth and Depot | 9/27/2024 | 2:26 PM | Turning Right | Crossing at Intersection | Motorist | B | No |

N/A represents the information was "not available" at the time of the report

| Injury Legend: |
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| K - Fatal Injury (Any injury which results in death) |
| A - Suspected Serious Injury (Any injury other than fatal which prevents normal activities and generally requires hospitalization) |
| B - Suspected Minor Injury (Any minor injury that is evident to others at the scene) |
| C - Possible Injury (Any possible injury that is reported or claimed) |
| O - No Injury (No indication of injury) |



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