

Willowick Police Department



2009 Annual Report



Willowick Police Department

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2009 Annual Report Chief's Narrative – The Year in Review

For the police department, the year 2009 began with some modest budget cuts in order to deal with the slow economic downturn that was affecting communities across the nation. The cuts were not drastic but did involve some “belt tightening.”

An incident that occurred late in 2008 benefitted a number of City departments including the Police Department. The successful raid and prosecution of the Lucky's Internet Gambling establishment netted a significant amount of contraband. This included a number of plasma TVs, computers and monitors, an identification system, some surveillance monitors and other miscellaneous items. All of the TVs and a number of the computers were given out to the various departments who needed them saving a good deal of money from department budgets. The Police Department began using the ID system to replace department ID cards.

Two employees were recognized as employees of the year for their work and accomplishments in calendar year 2008. They were Officer Jeffrey Pyle, who was instrumental in the Lucky's raid and Dispatcher Lisa Hudson for overall good work and positive attitude.

My attendance at the IACP Conference in Denver was once again an excellent source for seminars and learning about the new trends in law enforcement. The highlight was a session put on by an organization called COPS, Concerns for Police Survivors. It was presented by its director, Ms. Jennifer Thackery, whose police officer husband was killed in the line of duty in 1998. It was moving and allowed us to see in to the lives and heartaches experienced by the family who survive the loss of loved ones killed while on duty. These heroic survivors are an inspiration. They provide help, guidance and support to new families who experience this type of tragedy.

Two high profile cases utilized a great deal of our resources and got the attention of the media. This first crime occurred on June 17 at Shoregate Towers Apartments. A distraught mother, Evelyn Dickson, attempted to murder her adult son by stabbing and then kill herself. Both survived and the case only recently went to the Grand Jury.

The second case happened near the end of the year and was difficult to prosecute from a number of standpoints. Two 13 year old female victims accused a long time soccer coach of sexual battery. Search and arrest warrants were served within 24 hours of our being notified. This case is also pending and was a shock to the community. Det. Bruce LaForge was lead investigator and it was to his credit that it was handled so well.



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In closing, the last days of 2009 proved to be especially difficult as the police department was forced, for the first time in its history, to layoff employees due to more severe budget constraints than we experienced at the beginning of the year. Officer Christopher Olup, Dispatcher Robert Weis, and Part Time Officer Barry Witt were given layoff notices that were effective as of January 1, 2010. They were all good employees and we continue to hope they will be back to work if circumstances allow.

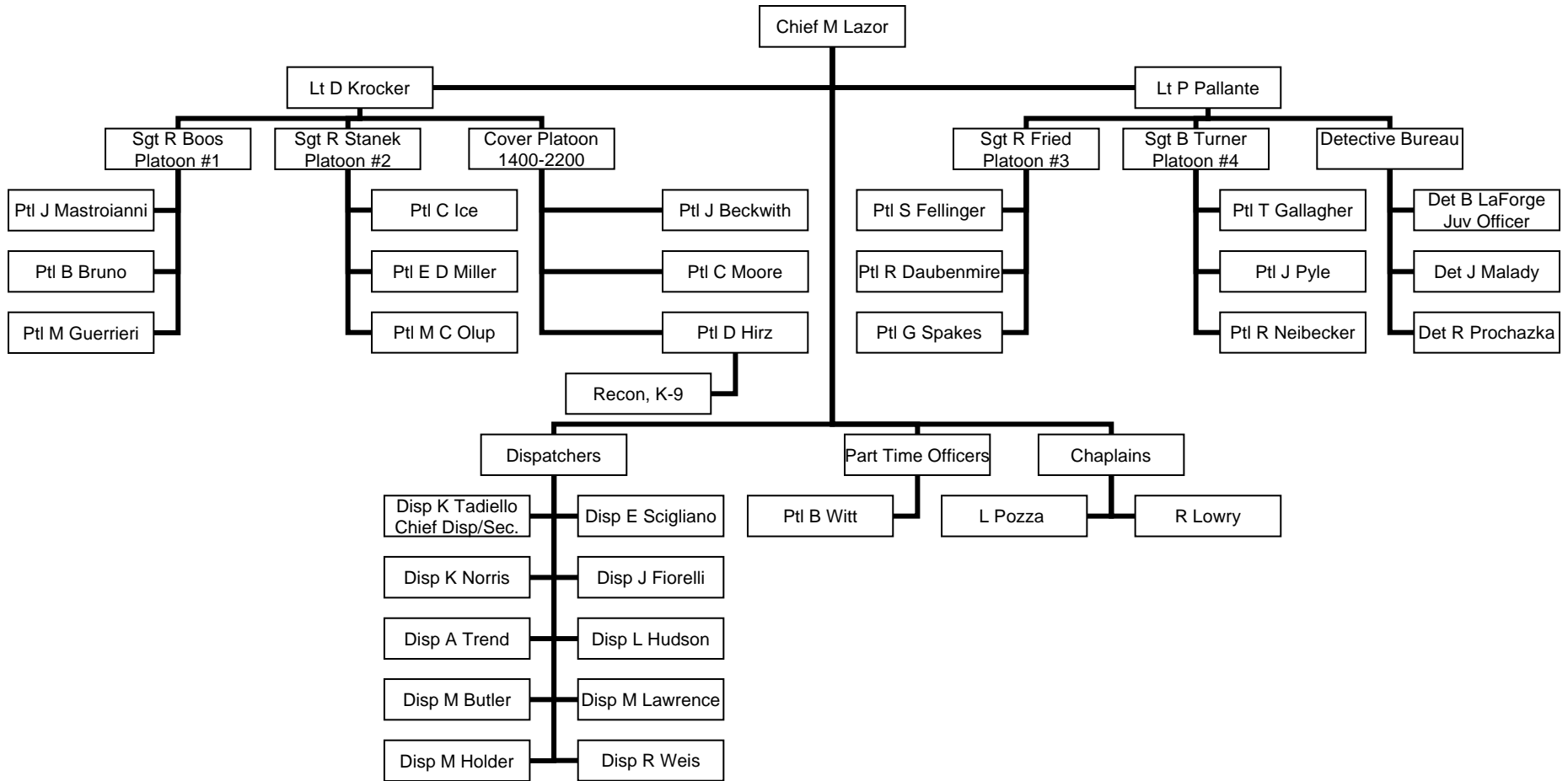
The year 2009 presented us with difficult issues that follow us into 2010 but, as always, we are prepared to follow our mission statement which, in part, says,

“Through a high level of professional service, we shall protect life and property, ensure a safe and secure environment, and work together with the public to serve the needs and protect the rights of all.”

Respectfully submitted,

Michael T. Lazor, Chief of Police
January 12, 2010

Willowick Police Department Organizational Chart



Willowick Police Department

Offense Incident Report

Annual 2009			
Offense Incidents Reported to Police	Year to Date	Previous YTD	Actual Change
Abduction	0	0	0
Alarm/Vehicle Alarm	301	388	-87
Arson	0	0	0
Assault (Simple & Felonious)	24	39	-15
Assist Fire & Rescue	1373	1331	42
Burglary/Attempted Burglary	25	44	-19
Business/Zone Checks	2017	2030	-13
Child Abuse/Neglect/Endangering	6	8	-2
Court	101	87	14
Criminal Damage	67	92	-25
Criminal Mischief	46	38	8
Curfew	4	4	0
Dead Body	15	11	4
Disorderly Conduct	26	15	11
Disturbance (Noise/Unwanted Person)	655	658	-3
Domestics (Violent/Non-Violent)	108	117	-9
Drugs	23	20	3
Drunk/Public Intox.	7	0	7
Escort	304	307	-3
Extortion	0	0	0
Falsification	0	1	-1
Family Offense	12	11	1
Fight	0	0	0
Follow-up Investigations	456	595	-139
Fraud/Forgery	58	86	-28
General Assists	310	357	-47
Harrassment	0	0	0
Homicide	0	0	0
Homicide/Attempt	1	1	0
Kidnapping & Attempts	0	0	0
Liquor	1	1	0
Lockout	513	574	-61
Menacing	7	20	-13

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Offense Incident Report

Offense Incidents Reported to Police	Annual 2009		
	Year to Date	Previous YTD	Actual Change
Missing Persons	22	20	2
Mutual Aid	301	356	-55
Obstructing	1	2	-1
Open Door/Window	101	76	25
Parking Complaint	270	237	33
Patrol Check (Requested)	173	381	-208
Personal Injury	15	18	-3
Phone Harrassment	132	108	24
Possession of Alcohol	2	1	1
Property Damage	18	11	7
Property Lost/Found	189	213	-24
Prowler	6	3	3
Public Relations	38	27	11
Rape	2	0	2
Resisting Arrest	0	0	0
Robbery & Attempts	3	3	0
Runaways	11	20	-9
Sex Offenses	12	7	5
Stolen Property (Receive/Possess)	11	15	-4
Stolen Vehicle & Attempts	13	26	-13
Stolen Vehicle - Recovery	8	18	-10
Stolen Vehicle - Unauthorized Use	8	12	-4
Suicides & Attempts	18	17	1
Suspicion (Persons/Vehicle/Activities)	942	988	-46
Theft	180	214	-34
Trespass	32	30	2
Vandalism	7	12	-5
Video Arraignment	179	163	16
Warrant	279	323	-44
Weapons	3	2	1
Miscellaneous	3305	3592	-287
TOTALS	12741	13730	-989

Willowick Police Department Crime / Incident Summaries

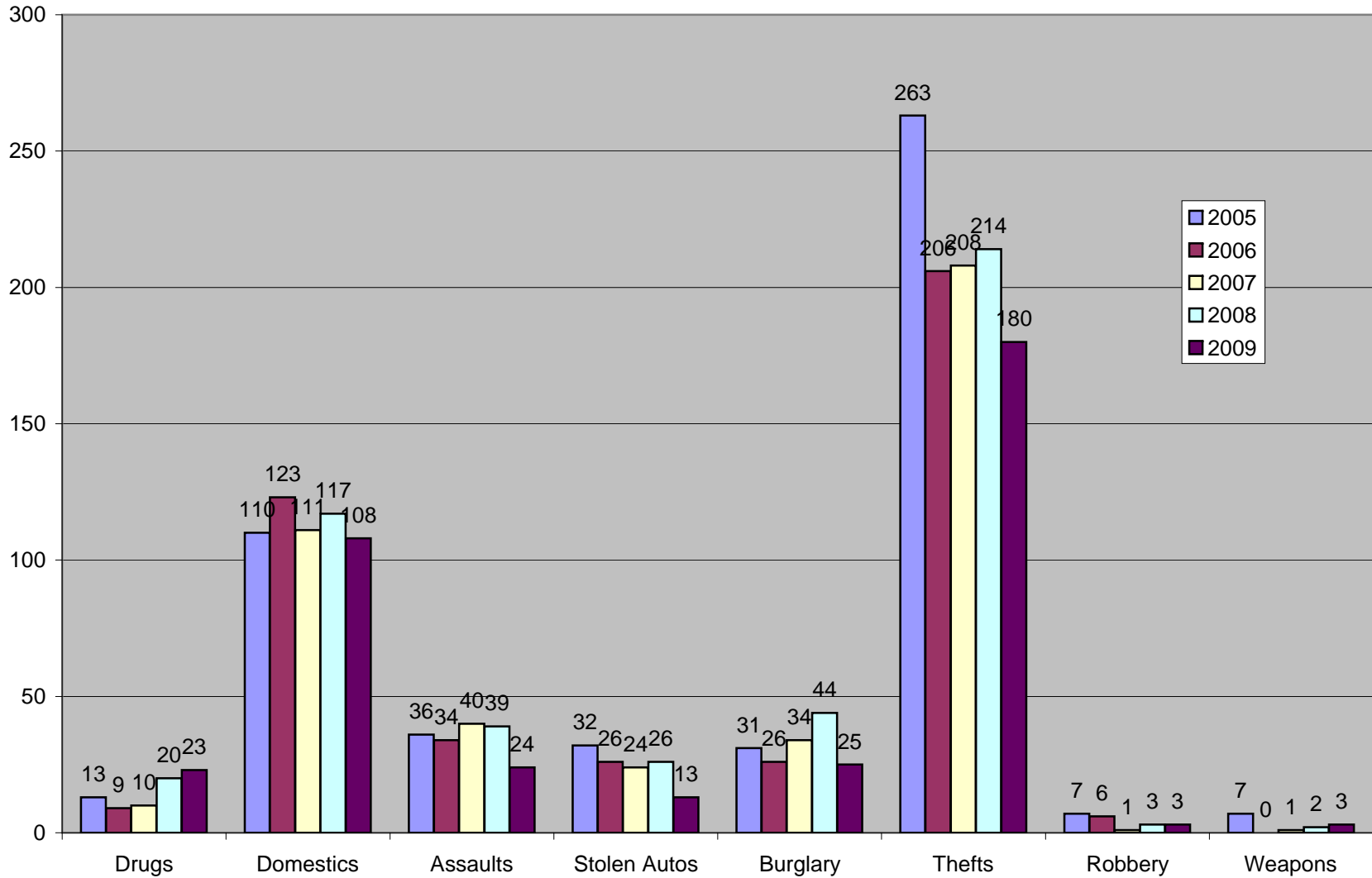
Crime Reports

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Drugs	13	9	10	20	23
Domestics	110	123	111	117	108
Assaults	36	34	40	39	24
Stolen Autos	32	26	24	26	13
Burglary	31	26	34	44	25
Thefts	263	206	208	214	180
Robbery	7	6	1	3	3
Weapons	7	0	1	2	3

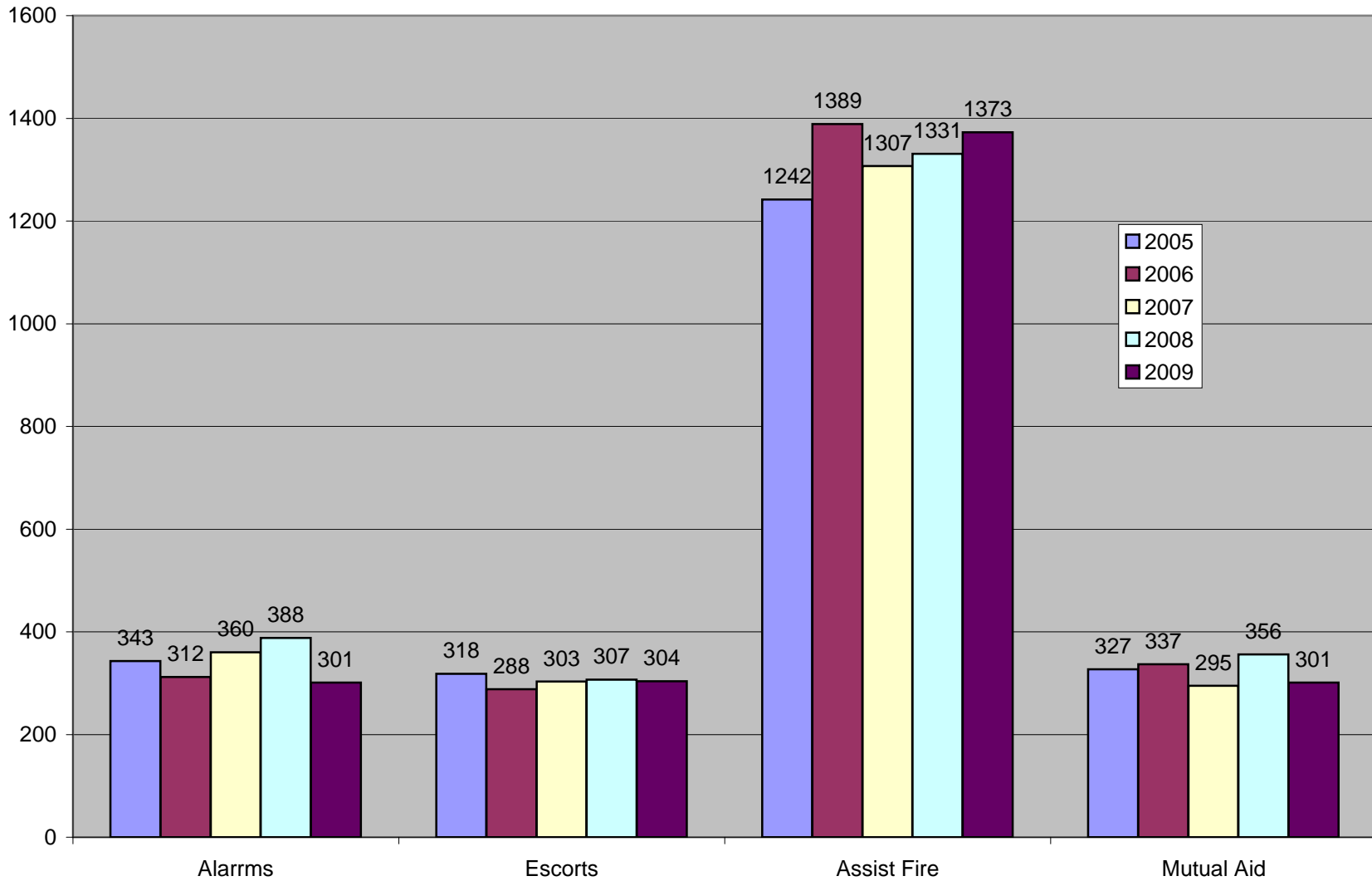
Services Provided

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Alarms	343	312	360	388	301
Escorts	318	288	303	307	304
Assist Fire	1242	1389	1307	1331	1373
Mutual Aid	327	337	295	356	301

Crime Reports 2005 - 2009



Services Provided 2005 - 2009

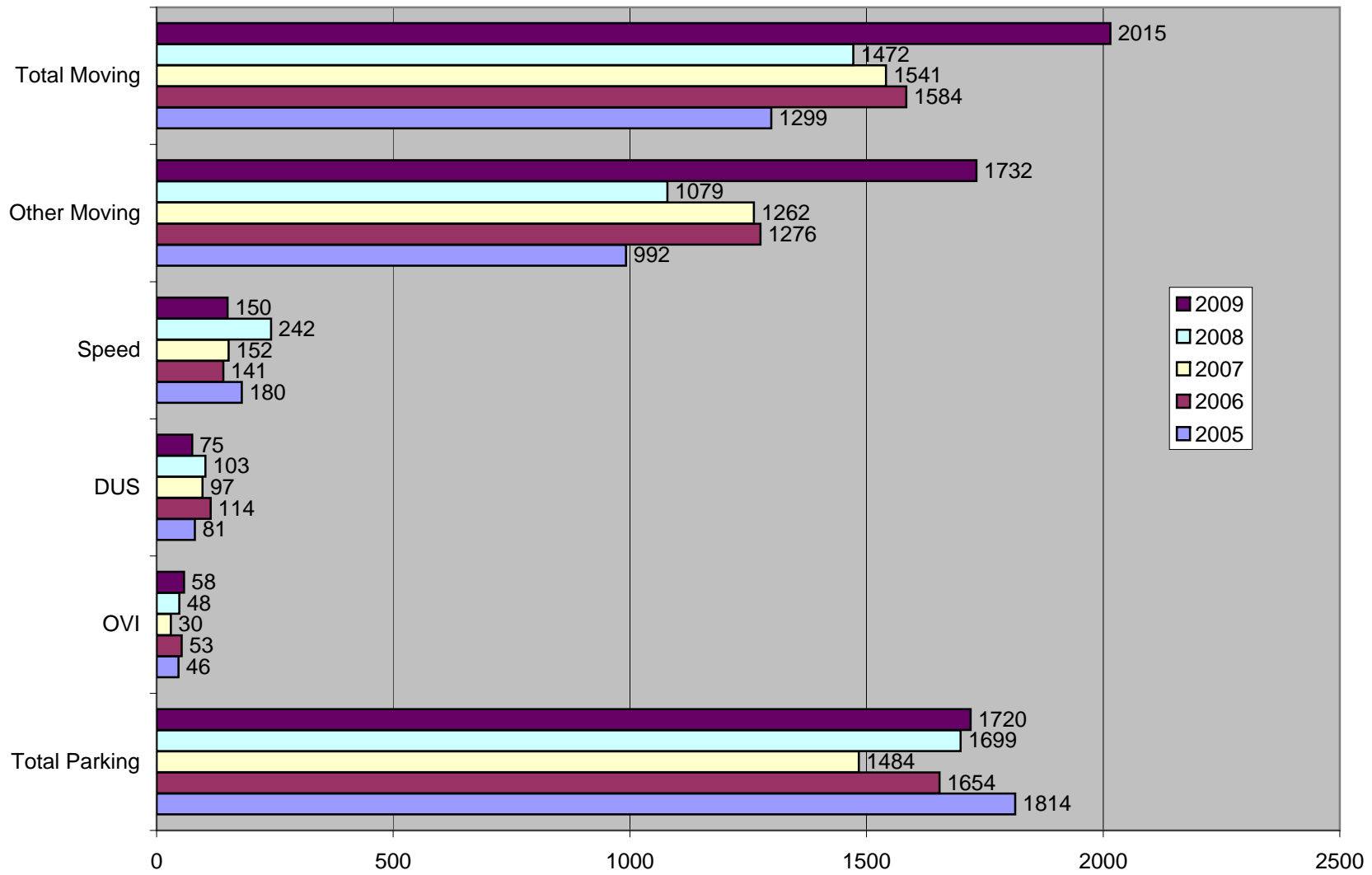


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Citations Issued

Annual 2009						
Officer	Parking YTD	OVI YTD	DUS YTD	Speed YTD	Other YTD	Citations YTD
Lt. D. Krockner	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lt. P. Pallante	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sgt. R. Boos	59	0	0	0	2	2
Sgt. R. Stanek	155	0	1	1	9	11
Sgt. R. Fried	20	0	0	0	5	5
Sgt. B. Turner	44	1	0	0	19	20
Ptl. C. Ice	160	0	5	0	81	86
Ptl. T. Gallagher	111	0	0	9	62	71
Ptl. S. Fellinger	90	0	2	7	53	62
Det. B. LaForge	0	0	0	0	2	2
Ptl. D. Hirz	97	6	9	14	268	297
Det. J. Malady	0	0	0	0	2	2
Ptl. J. Mastroianni	99	0	1	2	46	49
Det. R. Prochazka	7	0	0	0	2	2
Ptl. J. Pyle	68	17	3	15	83	118
Ptl. J. Beckwith	20	5	8	5	77	95
Ptl. C. Moore	1	0	1	2	26	29
Ptl. D. Miller	117	2	7	9	391	409
Ptl. B. Bruno	231	2	4	1	99	106
Ptl. R. Daubenmire	56	10	5	30	98	143
Ptl. G. Spakes	18	3	5	4	102	114
Ptl. M. Guerrieri	97	6	7	16	86	115
Ptl. R. Neibecker	59	4	9	16	96	125
Ptl. C. Olup	211	2	8	19	123	152
Spc. Ptl. B. Witt	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1720	58	75	150	1732	2015

Traffic Citations 2005 - 2009



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Arrests Summary

Arrests 2009

	Adult	Juvenile	Citations	Parking
January	0	0	147	154
February	27	0	172	124
March	20	1	215	232
April	30	2	194	129
May	14	2	141	129
June	12	1	156	118
July	19	0	153	180
August	24	0	184	119
September	18	9	237	139
October	18	3	174	177
November	16	2	127	119
December	23	0	115	100
Totals	221	20	2015	1720

Arrests Other Than Traffic

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Adult	209	156	253	228	221
Juvenile	36	44	40	54	20

Traffic Citations

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total Parking	1814	1654	1484	1699	1720
OVI	46	53	30	48	58
DUS	81	114	97	103	75
Speed	180	141	152	242	150
Other Moving	992	1276	1262	1079	1732
Total Moving	1299	1584	1541	1472	2015

Arrests	This Year	Last Year	Change
Adult	221	228	-7
Juvenile	20	54	-34
Citations	2015	1472	543
Parking	1720	1699	21

Arrests Other Than Traffic 2005 - 2009



Willowick Police Department Motor Vehicle Accident Report

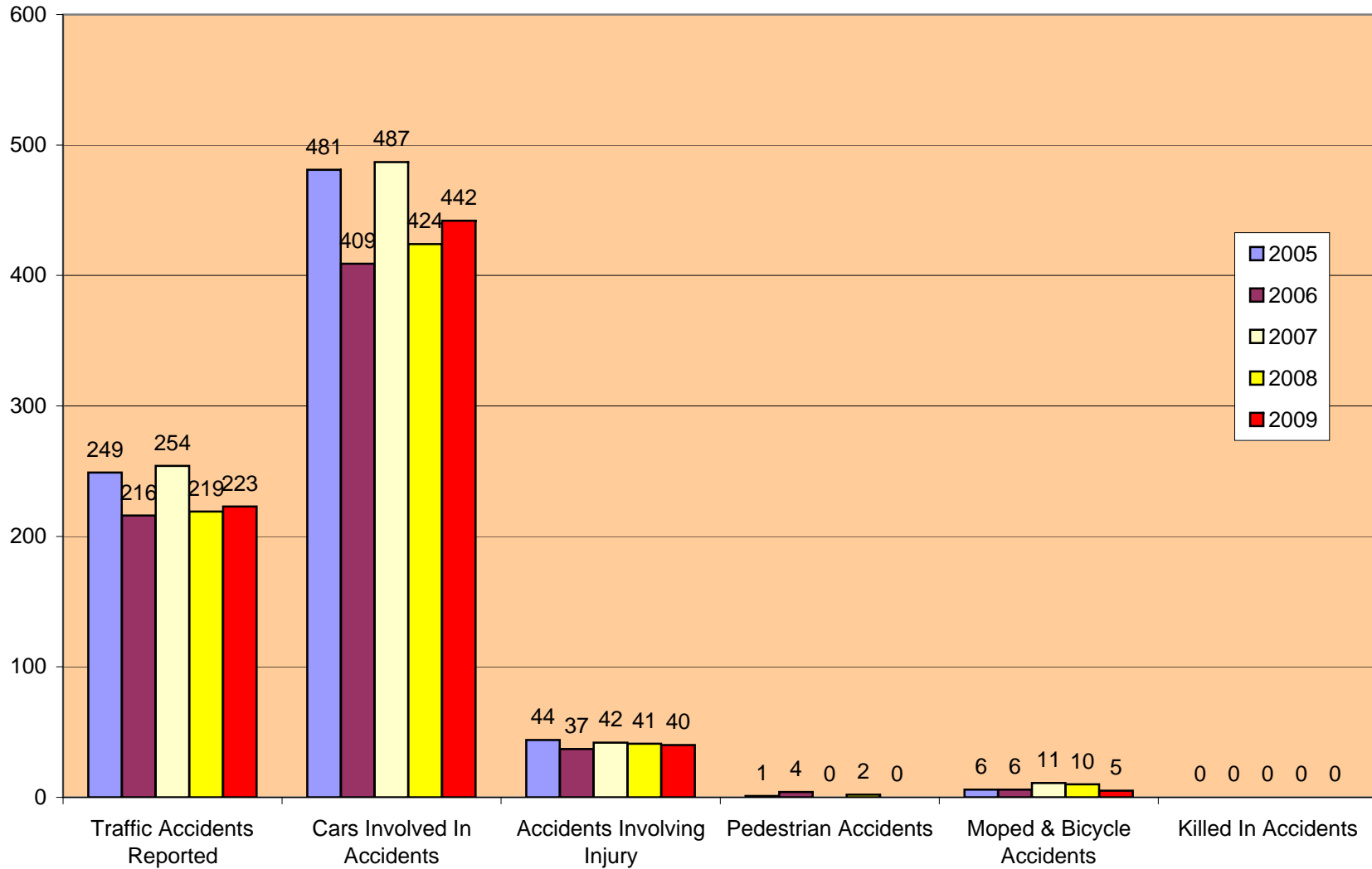
Traffic Accident Summary Annual 2009

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Traffic Accidents Reported	249	216	254	219	223
Cars Involved In Accidents	481	409	487	424	442
Accidents Involving Injury	44	37	42	41	40
Pedestrian Accidents	1	4	0	2	0
Moped & Bicycle Accidents	6	6	11	10	5
Killed In Accidents	0	0	0	0	0

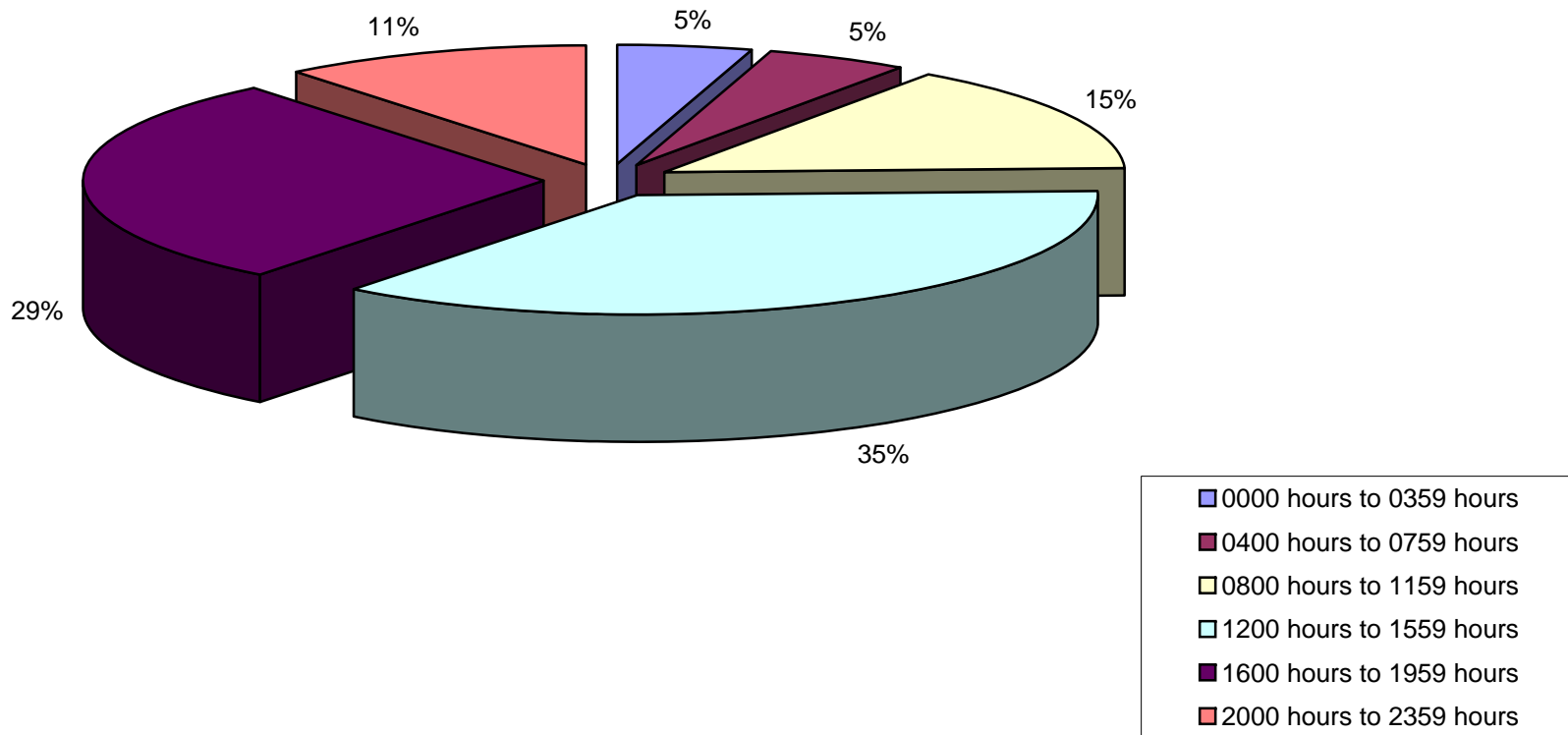
Times of Accidents

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
0000 hours to 0359 hours	12	9	11	6	3
0400 hours to 0759 hours	12	13	15	16	12
0800 hours to 1159 hours	37	41	38	34	43
1200 hours to 1559 hours	90	73	81	79	78
1600 hours to 1959 hours	71	58	83	61	66
2000 hours to 2359 hours	27	24	26	23	21

Traffic Accidents 2005 - 2009



Traffic Accidents By Hour of Day



Willowick Police Department 2009 Jail Statistics

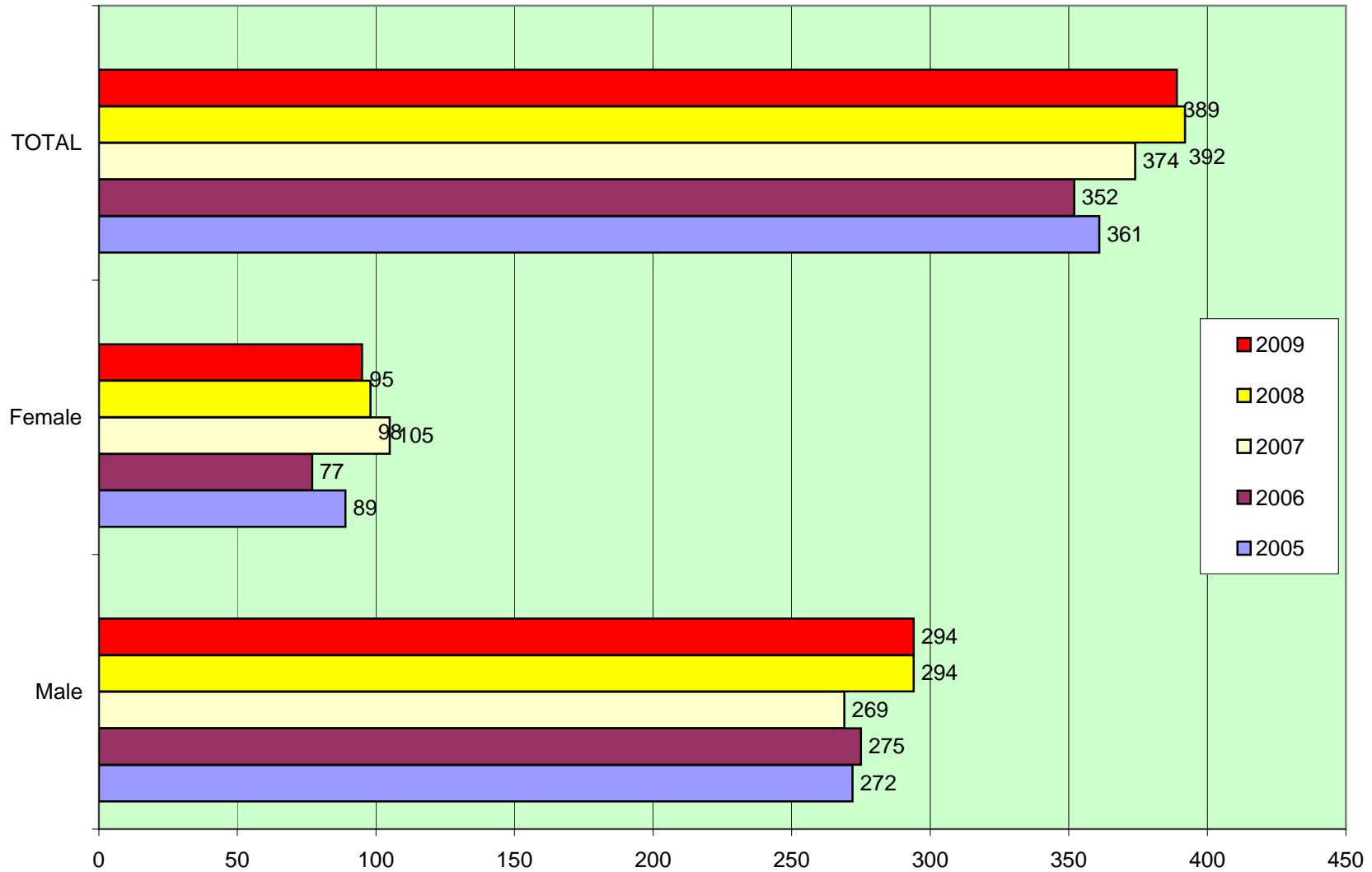
	GENDER			RACE		
	<u>TOTALS</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	<u>Other</u>
January	28	22	6	21	7	
February	31	22	9	20	11	
March	43	32	11	33	10	
April	35	24	11	28	6	
May	29	24	5	24	4	1
June	33	22	11	17	16	1
July	33	24	9	23	10	
August	32	21	11	22	10	
September	41	39	2	33	8	
October	37	28	9	27	10	
November	20	15	5	16	4	
December	27	21	6	19	8	
TOTALS	389	294	95	283	104	2

<u>Ages</u>	<u>Females</u>	<u>Males</u>	<u>Totals</u>
18-19	8	15	23
20-25	25	65	90
26-29	14	24	38
30-35	12	43	55
36-39	13	26	39
40-45	11	42	53
46-49	3	24	27
50-59	8	48	56
60+	1	7	8
TOTALS	95	294	389

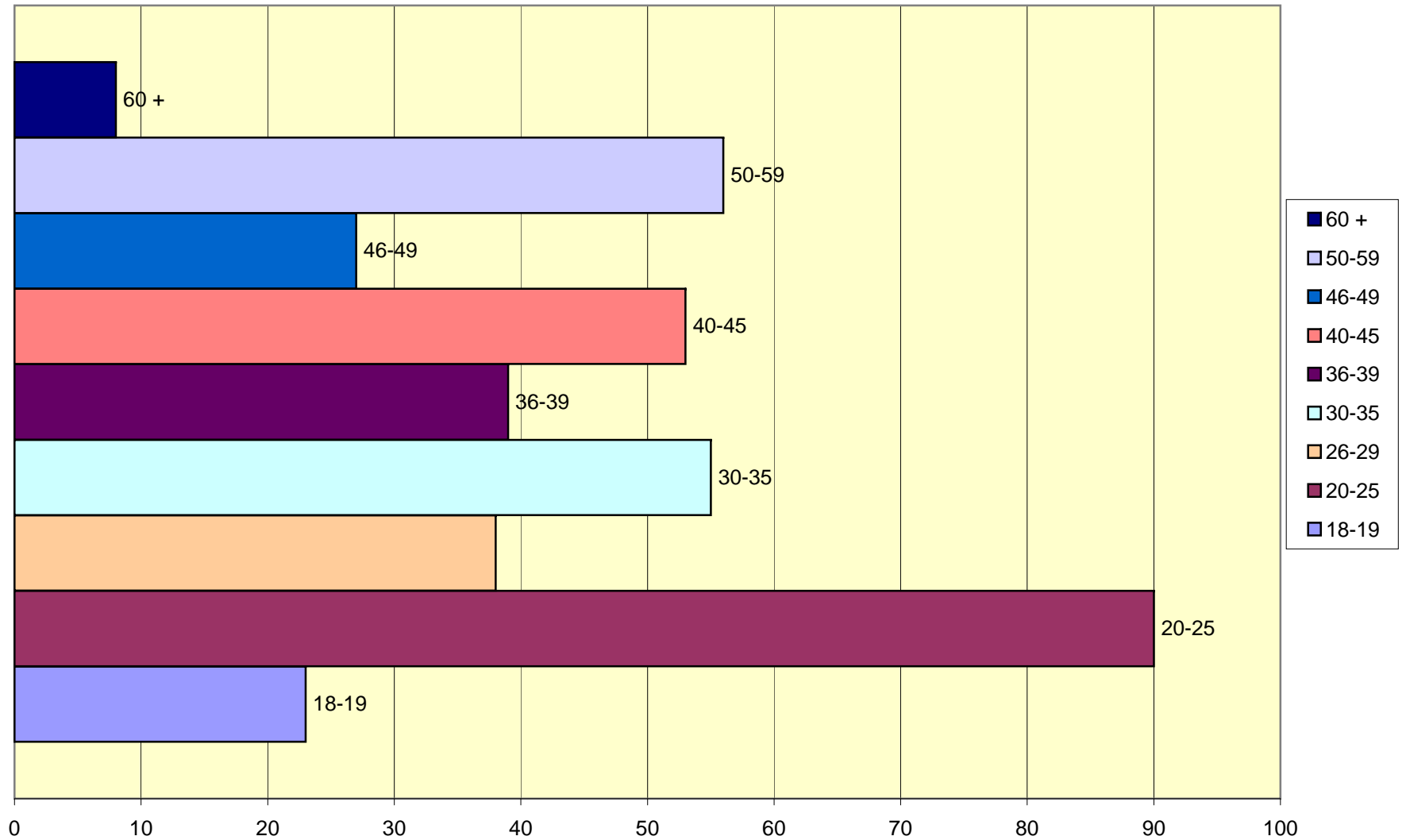
Jail Population Comparison

	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>
Male	272	275	269	294	294
Female	89	77	105	98	95
TOTAL	361	352	374	392	389

Jail Population 2005 - 2009



Jail Population By Age



Willowick Police Department

Extra Duty Hours for 2009

Category	<u>Overtime in Hours</u>		
	Paid	Comp Time	Totals
Patrol Operations	654.5	562.5	1,217.0
Investigations / Follow Ups	140.3	107.0	247.3
Training (including SWAT)	210.0	240.0	450.0
Court Related	252.5	248.0	500.5
Public Relations / DARE	14.0	143.0	157.0
Miscellaneous	141.0	163.0	304.0
TOTALS	1,412.3	1,463.5	2,875.8

Overtime Comparisons

Year	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>
	3,044.5	3,269.0	2,875.8

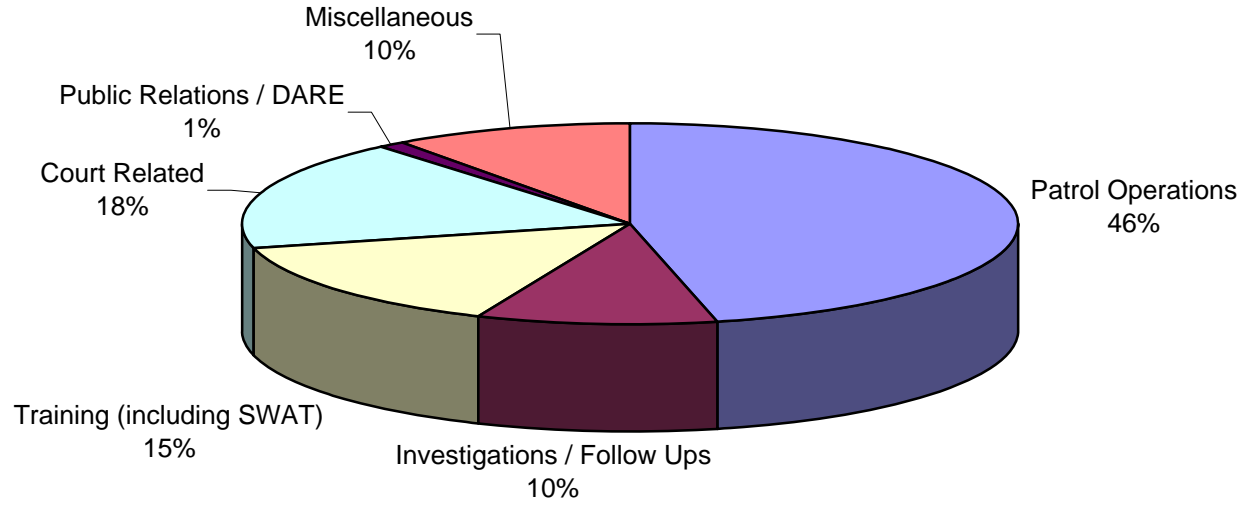
Other Expenses in Hours

REASONS	Paid	Comp Time	TOTALS
Holiday Pay	320.0	340.0	660.0
Comp Time Sell Back	636.0		636.0
Officer in Charge Premium	1,643.5		1,643.5
Part Time Officers	695.0		695.0
Victim Advocates	0.0		0.0

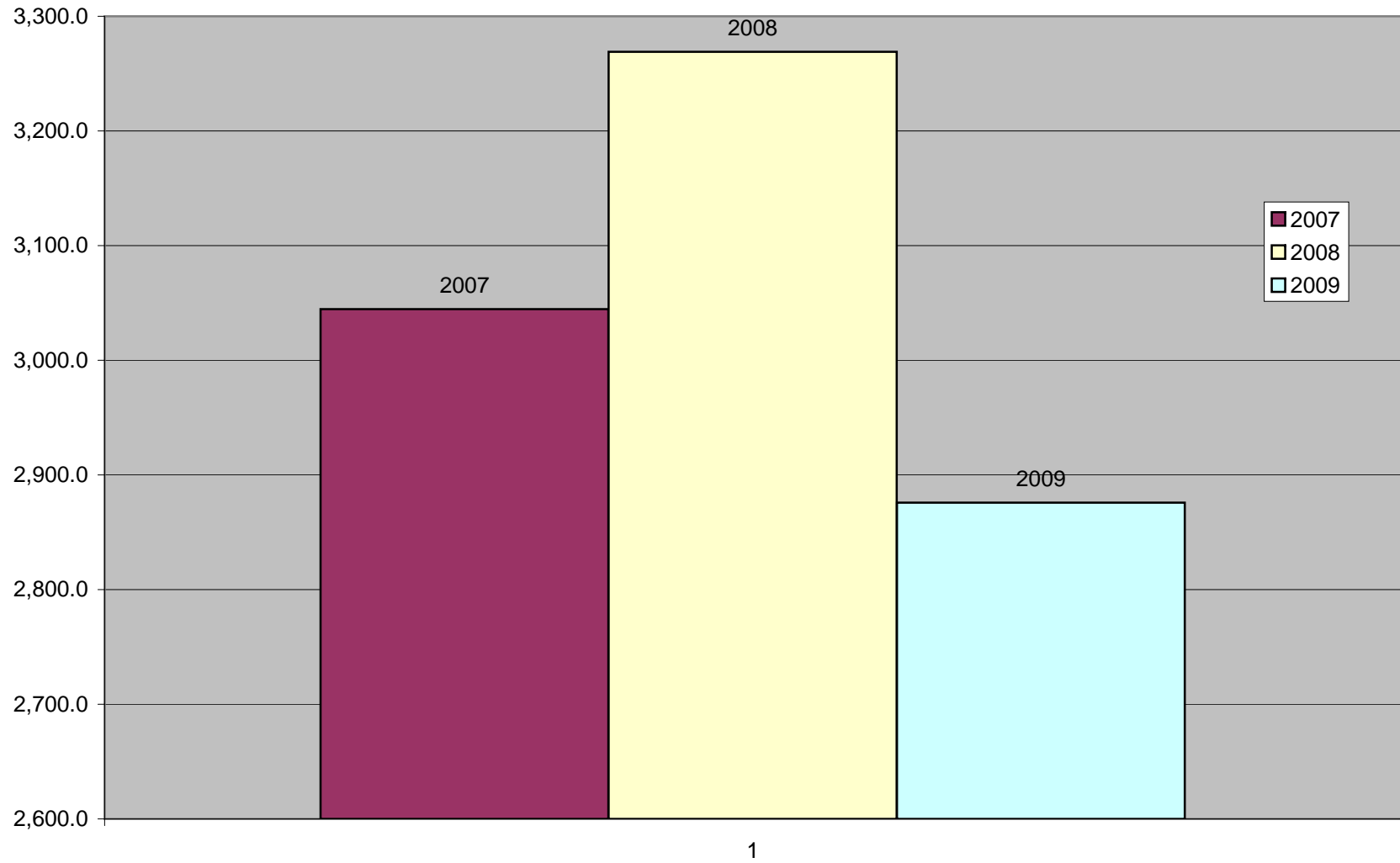
Overtime Expenses Comparisons

CATEGORY	Year	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>
Comp Time Sell Back		544.5	539.0	636.0
Officer in Charge Premium		2,876.5	1,993.5	1,643.5
Part Time Officers		3,480.0	2,914.0	695.0
Victim Advodates		1,404.5	1,011.3	0.0

Overtime Hours 2009



Overtime Comparison Chart In Hours



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Detective Bureau Summary

Annual 2009

<u>Activites</u>	<u>Total Calls</u>	<u>Hours Involved</u>
<u>Arrests</u>		
Felony	15	
Misdemeanors	9	
Complaints & Summons Obtained	50	
Warrants Obtained	35	
Attempted Warrant Service	8	
Warrants Served	25	
<u>Investigations</u>		
Attempt to Locate Suspects	21	0
Bureau Generated Reports	10	8
Supplemental Reports	71	9
Surveillance	3	4
<u>Court</u>		
Arraignments	18	6
Commom Pleas Court	10	68
Extradition Hearings	1	0
Grand Jury Appearances	8	2
Juvenile Court Trials / Hearings	4	0
Preliminary Hearings	20	11
Pretrial Hearings	4	4
Probable Cause Hearings	35	2
Prosecutor Meetings	24	9
Search Warrants Obtained/Executed	3	5
Subpoenas Obtained	3	0
Suppression Hearings	1	0
T.P.O.'S	2	0
Video Arraignments	85	161
<u>Assists</u>		
Assists to Businesses	3	0
Assists to Citizens	12	2
Assists to Other Departments	39	13
Assists to Patrol	86	3
<u>Other Activities</u>		
Background Checks	1	3
Detective Meetings	4	6
Evidence Transports/Dispositions	37	20
Crime Scenes Processed	15	17
Garbage Pulls Processed	0	0
Property Room	53	0
Polygraph Tests / CVSA	9	2
Prisoner Transports	72	35
Schools/Training	25	203
Photo Line-Ups / Videos Copied	45	8
School Visits	32	38
Tobacco Citations / Curfew	3	0
Community/Public Relations	10	28

Respectfully submitted,

Det. John F. Malady

Det. Robert J. Prochazka

Det. Bruce LaForge

Willowick Police Department

1/27/2010

Annual 2009 Mobile Report

<u>Car #</u>	<u>Current Mileage</u>	<u>Previous Mileage</u>	<u>Miles Driven</u>	<u>Gallons Used</u>	<u>Miles Per Gallon</u>
830	46,060	26,881	19,179	1,743	11.0
831	111,017	100,624	10,393	576	18.0
832	74,829	53,745	21,084	1,870	11.3
833	17,727	19,464	1,737	1,619	1.1
834	25,510	20,411	5,099	381	13.4
835	18,051	0	18,051	1,998	9.0
836	16,549	0	16,549	2,134	7.8
837	77,506	69,193	8,313	1,075	7.7
838	101,727	83,937	17,790	1,558	11.4
839	43,125	37,975	5,150	261	19.7
840	34,088	29,422	4,666	385	12.1
TOTALS			128,011	13,600	9.4

835 & 836 placed into service in April & May

Respectfully submitted,

*Kelly Tadiello,
Chief Dispatcher*

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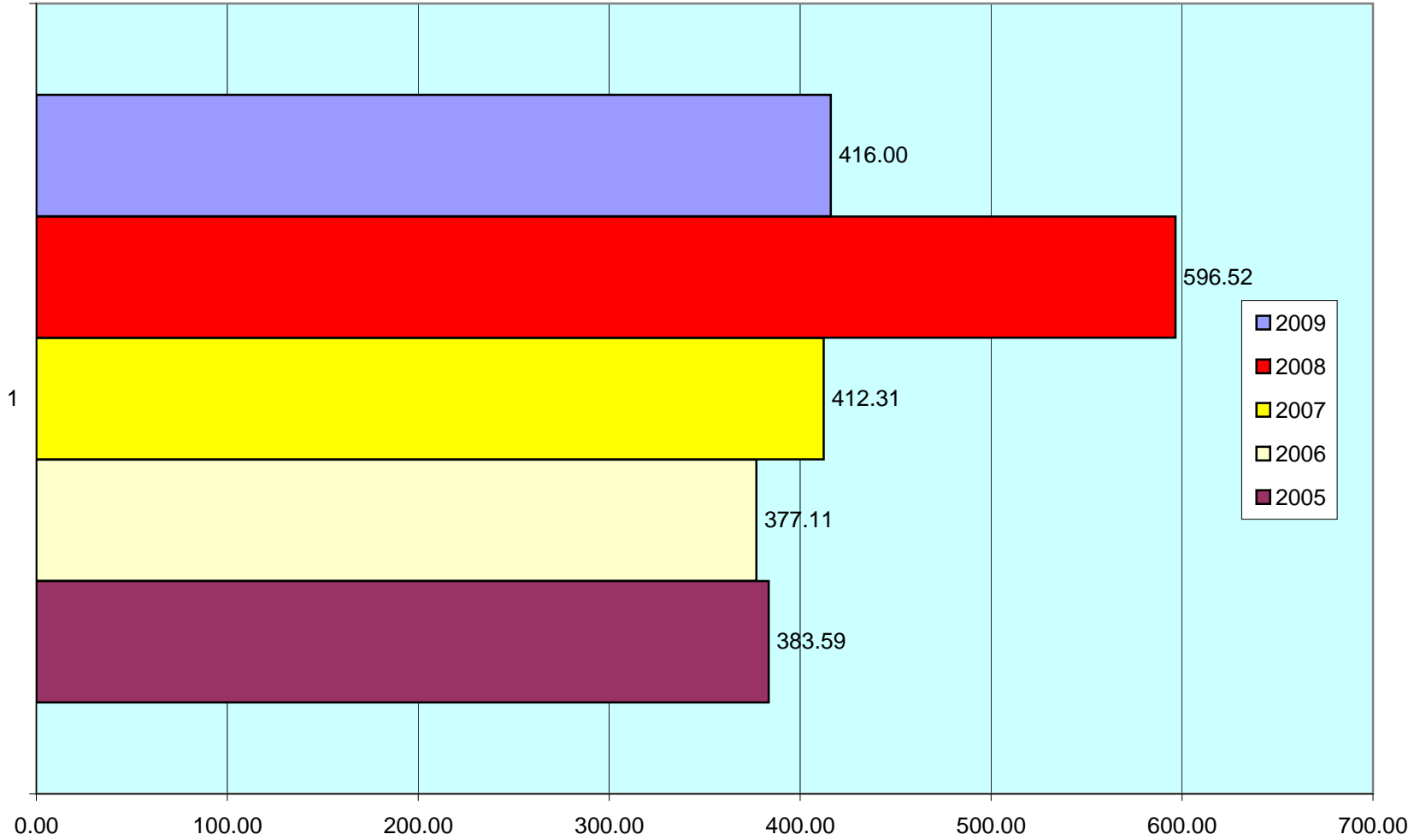
Employee Illness Report

Employee's Name	<u>Annual 2009</u>		<u>Total Days</u>
	<u>Personal</u>	<u>Injury Leave</u>	
	Hours	Hours	
Ptl. John G. Beckwith*	60.00	0.00	5.00
Sgt. Robert C. Boos*	159.00	0.00	13.25
Ptl. Benedetto Bruno*	110.50	0.00	9.21
Disp. Melissa A. Butler	267.25	0.00	33.41
Ptl. Robert T. Daubenmire*	38.00	0.00	3.17
Ptl. Steven V. Fellingner*	48.00	0.00	4.00
Disp. Jeanne L. Fiorelli	72.00	0.00	9.00
Sgt. Russell E. Fried*	56.00	0.00	4.67
Ptl. Timothy M. Gallagher*	109.75	0.00	9.15
Ptl. Mark A. Guerrieri*	56.00	0.00	4.67
Ptl. Daniel J. Hirz*	10.50	0.00	0.88
Disp. Melissa A. Holder	150.25	0.00	18.78
Disp. Lisa M. Hudson	75.50	0.00	9.44
Ptl. Carol J. Ice*	48.00	0.00	4.00
Lt. Donald E. Krockner	226.00	0.00	28.25
Ptl. Bruce D. LaForge	54.00	0.00	6.75
Disp. Michael K. Lawrence	188.25	0.00	23.53
Chief Michael T. Lazor	105.50	0.00	13.19
Det. John F. Malady	96.00	0.00	12.00
Ptl. Jeffrey E. Mastroianni*	67.00	0.00	5.58
Ptl. Dean Miller*	60.00	0.00	5.00
Ptl. Christopher R. Moore*	279.00	416.00	57.92
Ptl. Ryan D. Neibecker*	96.00	0.00	8.00
Disp. Karen G. Norris	146.00	0.00	18.25
Ptl. Christopher M. Olup	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lt. Paul J. Pallante	127.00	0.00	15.88
Det. Robert J. Prochazka	88.75	0.00	11.09
Ptl. Jeffrey T. Pyle*	76.00	0.00	6.33
Disp. Emily A. Scigliano	61.00	0.00	7.63
Ptl. Gregory T. Spakes*	119.50	0.00	9.96
Sgt. Ralph W. Stanek*	76.00	0.00	6.33
Chief Disp. Kelly L. Tadiello	59.25	0.00	7.41
Disp. Angela C. Trend	68.50	0.00	8.56
Sgt. Brian C. Turner*	149.00	0.00	12.42
Disp. Robert L. Weis	92.50	0.00	11.56
	Total Hours	Total Hours	Total Days
	3496.00	416.00	404.24

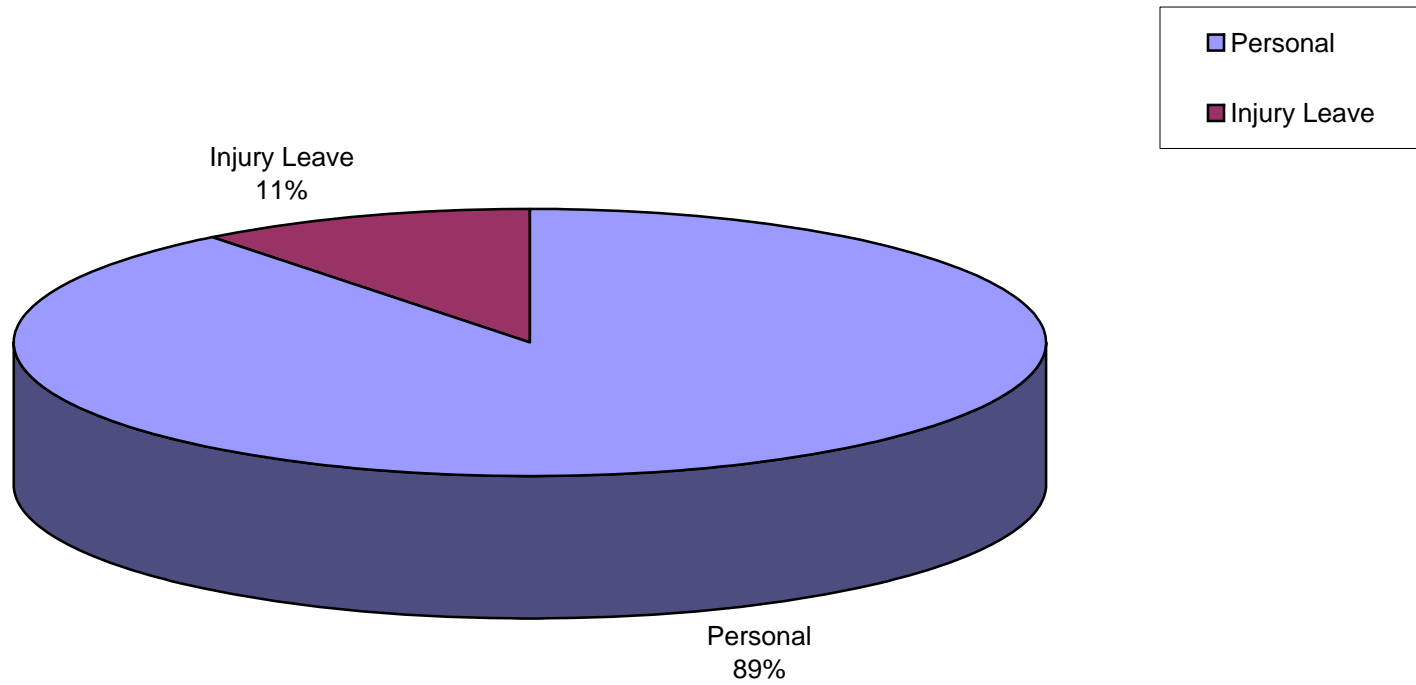
**Days are calculated by a 12 hour day.*

Note: 1st year injury leave has been calculated.

Employee Sick Time (In Days) 2005 - 2009



Department Personal Sick Time Vs Injury Leave



Willowick Police Department
Annual Training Report for 2009

<u>Police Employee</u>	<u>School Attended</u>	<u>Location</u>
Ptl. John Beckwith	ERT Monthly Training Sessions 2009 YTD - 71 hours Defensive Tactics BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification SWAT Training	Various Willowick PD Willowick PD Camp Perry - OCTOBER
Sgt. Robert Boos	Defensive Tactics BAC DataMaster Senior Operator Recertification	Willowick PD Willowick PD
Ptl. Benedetto Bruno	OPOTA Instructor Update Course BLS for Healthcare Providers (CPR & AED) Program Defensive Tactics BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Lakeland CC Lakeland CC Willowick PD Willowick PD
Ptl. Robert Daubenmire	ERT Monthly Training Sessions 2009 YTD - 76 hours Defensive Tactics BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification SWAT Training	Various Willowick PD Willowick PD Camp Perry - OCTOBER
Ptl. Steven Fellingner	ERT Monthly Training Sessions 2009 YTD-66.5 hours Defensive Tactics CVSA II Recertification SWAT Training	Various Willowick PD Mentor PD Camp Perry - OCTOBER
Sgt. Russell Fried	Defensive Tactics BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD Willowick PD
Ptl. Timothy Gallagher	Health & Wellness in Law Enforcement Defensive Tactics BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification Midwest Regional Crisis Negotiators' Conference	Cleve Clinic - Lyndhurst Willowick PD Willowick PD Columbus
Ptl. Mark Guerrieri	Defensive Tactics Street Survival Tactical Driving	Willowick PD Calibre Press - Cleveland OPOTA - London
Ptl. Daniel Hirz	Monthly K-9 Training Totals 2009 YTD - 96 hours Defensive Tactics NAPWDA K-9 Workshop	Various Willowick PD Northbrook, IL
Ptl. Carol Ice	Defensive Tactics BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification Internet Tools for Criminal Investigators	Willowick PD Willowick PD Reynoldsburg PD
Lt. Donald Krockner	Defensive Tactics Records Retention & Destruction Criminal and Personnel Law Update	Willowick PD Fred Pryor - Cleveland Columbus
Det. Bruce LaForge	ERT Monthly Training Sessions 2009 YTD - 76 hours ZISTOS Portable Video System Training	Various Washington DC

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	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
	Pictometry Training	Lake Co Adm
	Adolescents with Challenging Behaviors	Neighboring
	Technical Entry Concepts - Lock Picking	Hollotec - Lakewood PD
	SWAT Training	Camp Perry - OCTOBER
Chief Michael Lazor	Health & Wellness in Law Enforcement	Cleve Clinic - Lyndhurst
	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	Chiefs In Service	Deer Creek (OACP)
	Financial Planning for Senior Law Enforcement Execs	Columbus-Worthington
	OACP Annual Conference	Independence, OH
	IACP 2009 Annual Conference	Denver, CO
Det. John Malady	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	CVSA II Recertification	Mentor PD
Ptl. Jeffrey Mastroianni	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
Ptl. Dean Miller	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
Ptl. Christopher Moore	ERT Monthly Training Sessions 2009 YTD - 32 hours	Various
	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
Ptl. Ryan Neibecker	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	Tactical Driving	OPOTA - London
Ptl. Christopher Olup	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
Lt. Paul Pallante	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
Det. Robert Prochazka	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	CVSA II Recertification	Mentor PD
Ptl. Jeffrey Pyle	ADAP Instructor: Alcohol Detection & Prosecution	OPOTA (London)
	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
	CVSA II Recertification	Mentor PD
	Reid Technique of Interviewing & Interrogation	Cincinnati
	Advanced Reid Technique of Interviewing & Interrogation	Cincinnati
Ptl. Gregory Spakes	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
	Internet Tools for Criminal Investigators	Reynoldsburg PD
Sgt. Ralph Stanek	Defensive Tactics	Willowick PD
	BAC Datamaster Operator Recertification	Willowick PD
	Street Survival	Calibre Press - Cleveland

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	Midwest Regional Crisis Negotiators' Conference	Columbus
Sgt. Brian Turner	Defensive Tactics BAC Datamaster Senior Operator Recertification	Willowick PD Willowick PD
Spc. Barry Witt	Misssing Persons Identity Theft Bridging the Gap Death Notification	OHLEG OHLEG OHLEG OHLEG
Disp. Melissa Holder	Records Retention & Destruction	Fred Pryor - Cleveland
Disp. Michael Lawrence	FBI UCR Update Excel "Beyond the Basics"	Bedford Hts PD Fred Pryor Seminars
Disp. Robert Weis	EMD Recertification	Powerphone - Internet