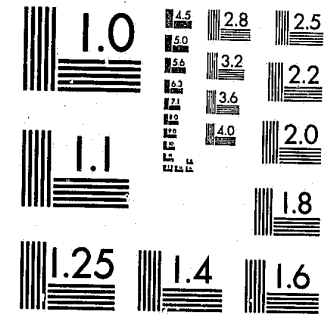


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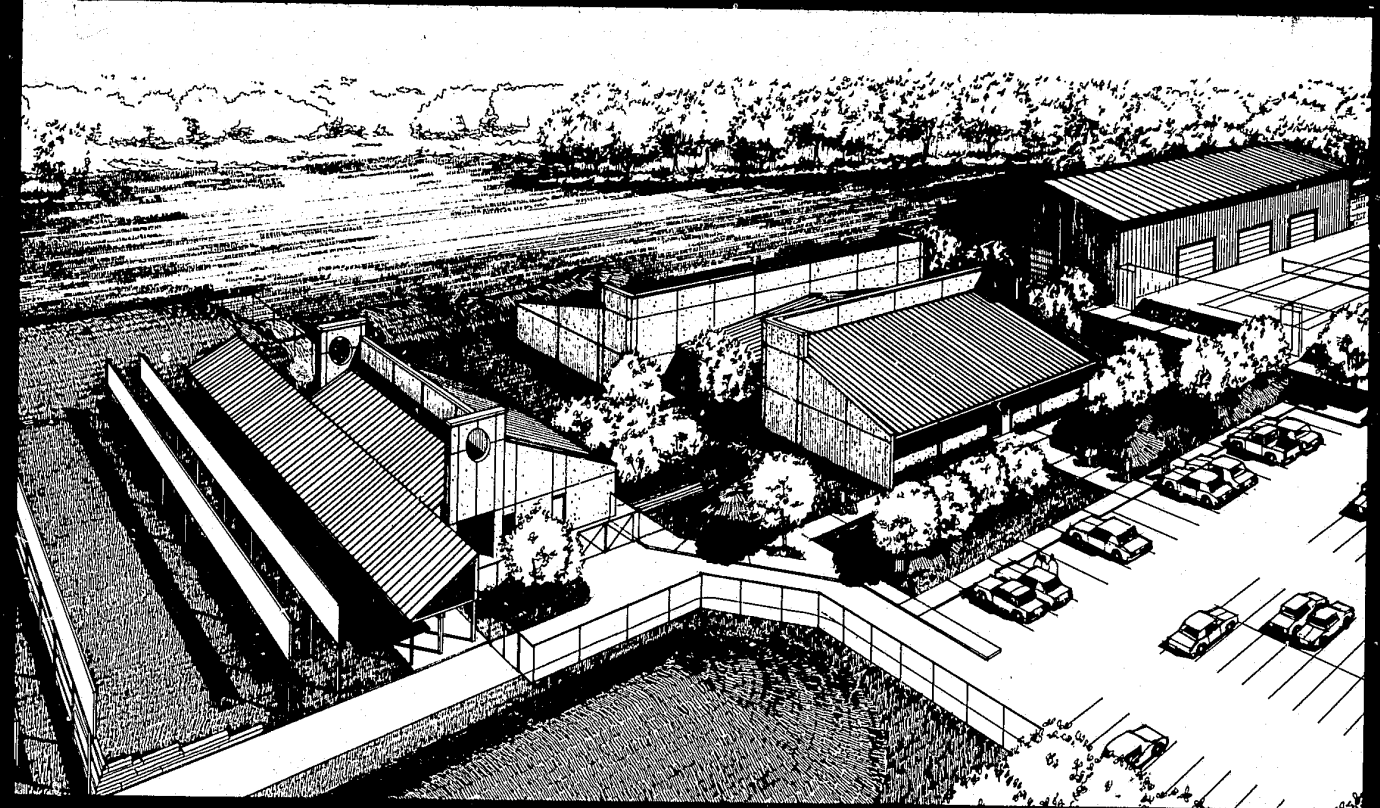
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**Austin Police Department**

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ACQUISITIONS

Mr. Dan H. Davidson  
City Manager  
City Manager's Office  
Municipal Building, Room 100  
Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Mr. Davidson:

The Austin Police Department handled a record number of 27,237 index crimes in 1979. This Annual Statistical Report reflects a total increase of 10% when compared to the 1978 index crimes. Unlike 1978, the increase was in property crimes. Burglary, theft and motor vehicle theft increased 10%, while criminal homicide, rape, robbery and aggravated assaults only increased 1%. Nationally, violent crime was up 10% and property crime up 8%. The total national crime index was up 9%. The clearance rate for Austin was 24% in 1979, slightly lower than the 26% in 1978.

The main reason for the small increase in violent crime in Austin was the 9% decrease in robbery. Nationally, robbery was up 13%. In order to reduce index crime, weekly meetings of the Crime Reduction Committee were instituted. This Committee has representation from all operations of the Department. Utilizing information obtained by Committee members, Crime Analysis and Crime Prevention, officers were strategically located in select areas of the City during time periods when crimes were most likely to occur, particularly robbery. This strategy together with the full implementation of Career Criminal Identification and Prosecution were major factors in the dramatic decrease in robberies in Austin.

In June, 1979 following the retirement of one of our veteran administrators, reorganization of the Department was in order. I did so with the objective of creating a better balance of work and supervision within the Bureaus and Divisions to increase the overall efficiency of the Police Department. This reorganization, with your approval, has accomplished its intended purpose.

In January, 1979 at a General Staff meeting, I outlined ten goals I wanted the department to achieve during the year. With the exception of the pistol range, we were successful in meeting those goals.

We would not have been as successful without your support and the support of the City Council. With the construction of the new Police Academy, the department will get its much needed pistol range. With the construction of the new Police Building, of which you and the Council can be justly proud, a modern facility will become a reality.

I am again looking forward to working with you and the City Council in achieving our mutual goals and objectives for 1979/80.

Sincerely,

Frank Dyson  
Chief of Police

## Organizational Structure

The Chief of Police is appointed by and directly responsible to the City Manager for the efficient operation and conduct of the Austin Police Department.

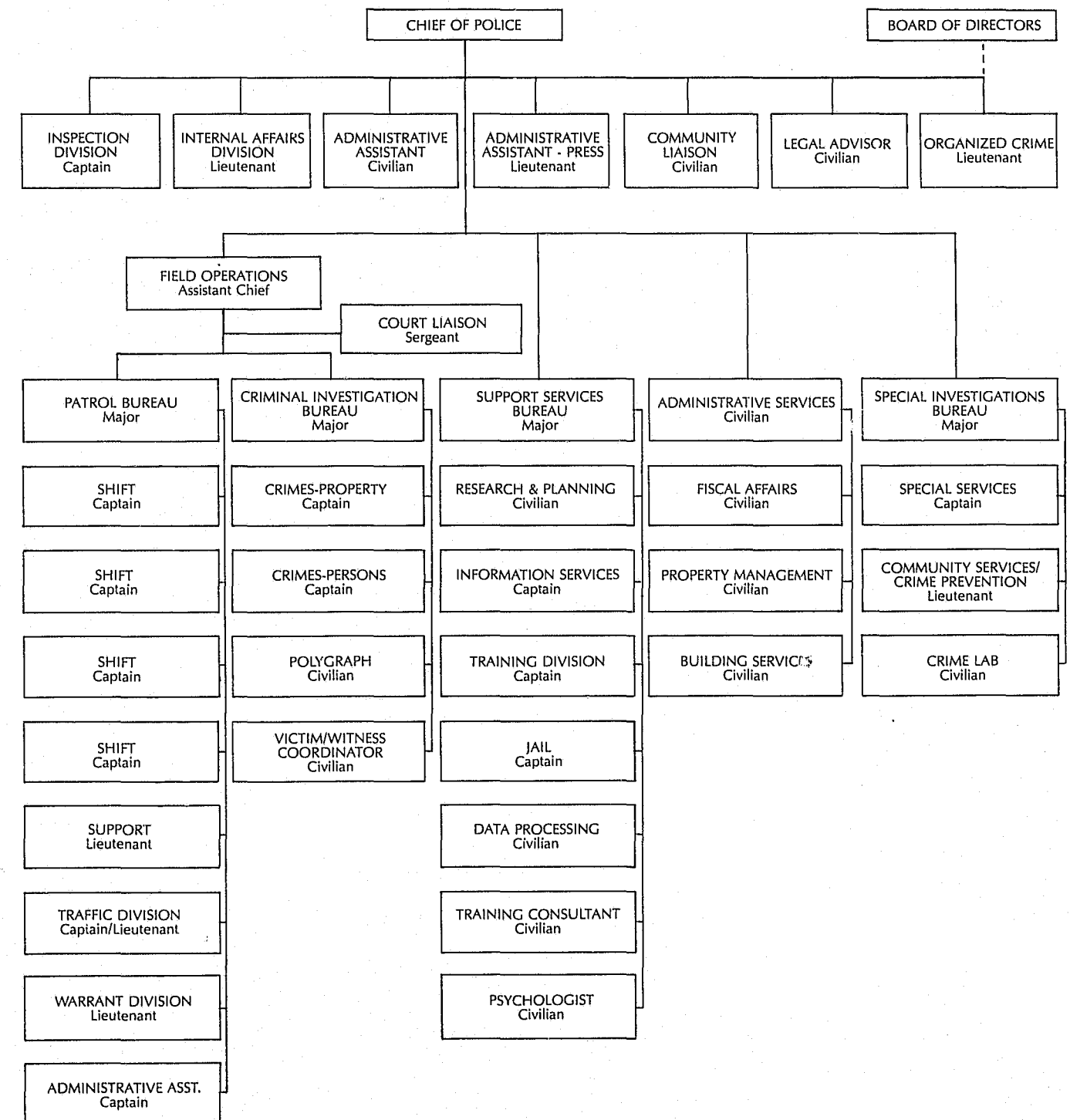
The Assistant Chief of Police is responsible for the operation and conduct of the Austin Police Department in the absence of the Chief.

After the Chief and the Assistant Chief, the line of succession in the Austin Police Department is by rank and seniority in rank beginning with Major.

The Chief has divided the Austin Police Department into five major operations:

- I. Staff Services – The Chief of Police, Assistant Chief, Bureau Commanders, Lieutenant in charge of Internal Affairs, Legal Advisor, Community Liaison, Organized Crime Unit, Press Information Office, Inspections Division, and their respective personnel comprise the Staff Services program within the Austin Police Department. This program is responsible for establishing departmental policy, directing law enforcement activities, suppressing crime, apprehending offenders, recovering property, enforcing State and Federal laws as well as ordinances of the City.
- II. Field Operations – The Assistant Chief of Police is directly responsible for the Field Operations. Under Field Operations is the Court Liaison and two of the department's major Bureaus: the Criminal Investigation Bureau (CIB) and Patrol Bureau commanded by majors.
- III. Support Services Bureau – The Support Services Bureau under command of a major has among its responsibilities the direction of Data Processing Batch Reports and On-Line Development, Research and Planning, Counseling Services, Jail Operations, Training Division, and Information Services that includes Central Records, Communications, and Identification Division.
- IV. Administrative Services – The Administrative Services Division, under a civilian director is responsible for the functions of Administration and Personnel, Fiscal Affairs, Property Management and Building Services.
- V. Special Investigations Bureau – Special Investigations Bureau under the command of a major is responsible for the activities of Narcotics, Special Crimes, Special Missions, Criminal Intelligence, Community Relations, Crime Prevention, Crime Stoppers, and Crime Lab.

## Austin Police Department

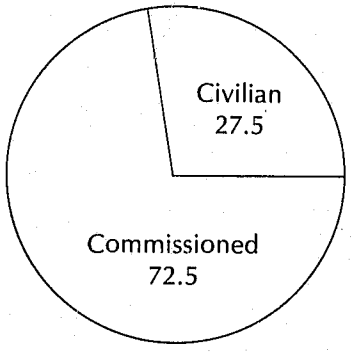


**budget appropriations 1979-1980**

	<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>Percent of Budget</b>		<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>Percent of Budget</b>
STAFF SERVICES	\$ 587,021	3.4	CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION	2,053,543	12.2
Chief's Office			Auto Theft		
Court Coordinator			Burglary		
Internal Affairs			Forgery		
Research & Planning			General Assignments		
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	807,718	4.8	Homicide		
Data Processing			Robbery		
Fiscal Affairs			Theft		
Property Management			SPECIAL SERVICES	1,115,787	6.6
PERSONNEL AND TRAINING	525,870	3.1	Narcotics/Vice		
TECHNICAL SERVICES	458,090	2.7	Special Crimes		
UNIFORM DIVISION	8,480,552	50.3	COMMUNITY SERVICES	657,735	3.9
Patrol Section			JAIL OPERATIONS	606,478	3.6
Traffic Section			INFORMATION SERVICES	1,578,961	9.4
Warrant Section			Central Records		
Team Policing			Communications		
			Identification		

**Resources**

**actual strength**



**sworn personnel changes**

Total Applicants	532
Background Investigations	170
Officers Employed	23
Officers Terminated	
Resigned	20
Retired	8
Deceased	1

**[REDACTED]** 81.3% SALARIES

**[REDACTED]** 16.6% - OPERATING EXPENSES

**[REDACTED]** 2.1% - CAPITAL OUTLAY

81.3% Wages and Salaries	\$ 13,716,924
16.6% Operation and Maintenance	2,921,319
Less External Funds	(120,194)
Operating Total	16,518,049
2.1% Capital Outlay	353,706
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 16,871,755</b>

	Chief	Assistant Chief	Major	Captain	Lieutenant	Senior Sergeant	Sergeant Investigator	Police Officer	Civilian	TOTAL	Percent
Staff Services	1	1		1	2	1	3	4	8	21	3.0
Training Division				1	2	1	3	6	4	17	2.2
Support Services											
Bureau			1				2	1	27	31	4.0
Patrol Bureau			1	6	8	32	8	301	8	364	47.4
Criminal Investigation											
Bureau			1	2	10	9	68		10	100	13.0
Special Investigations											
Bureau			1	1	4	7	12	32	7	64	8.3
Jail Operations				1	5				31	37	4.8
Information Services				1	3	9	5		80	98	12.7
Administrative Services									36	36	4.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Authorized</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>779</b>	



## Crime Clock – 1979

JANUARY - DECEMBER 1979

	Jan-Dec 1979	Average Per Month	Average Per Week	Average Per Day	Jan-Dec 1979 One Committed Every:	Jan-Dec 1978 One Committed Every:
ALL CLASS I	27,237	2,269.75	523.78	74.62	19 Minutes	21 Minutes
MURDER	43	3.5	.82	.12	8 Days 13 Hours	11 Days
RAPE	216	18.0	4.10	.59	1 Day 16 Hours	2 Days
ROBBERY	577	48.1	11.09	1.58	15 Hours 11 Minutes	14 Hours
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	659	54.9	12.67	1.80	13 Hours 20 Minutes	16 Hours
BURGLARY	7,766	647.2	149.34	21.27	1 Hour 8 Minutes	1 Hour 16 Minutes
LARCENY-THEFT	16,390	1,365.8	315.19	44.90	32 Minutes	35 Minutes
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	1,586	132.2	30.50	4.34	5 Hours 35 Minutes	6 Hours 29 Minutes

## Crimes and Arrests

index crime

CATEGORY	OFFENSES			CLEARANCES			
	1978	1979	% Change	1978		1979	
				Total	%	Total	%
Murder	38	43	+13	32	84	37	86
Rape	194	216	+11	170	88	123	57
Robbery	635	577	- 9	362	57	305	53
Aggravated Assault	549	659	+20	506	92	563	85
Burglary	6,886	7,776	+13	1,393	20	1,537	18
Theft	15,079	16,390	+ 9	3,513	23	3,541	22
Auto Theft	1,341	1,586	+18	389	29	465	29
TOTAL	24,722	27,237	+10	6,365	26	6,571	24

part I arrests - 1979

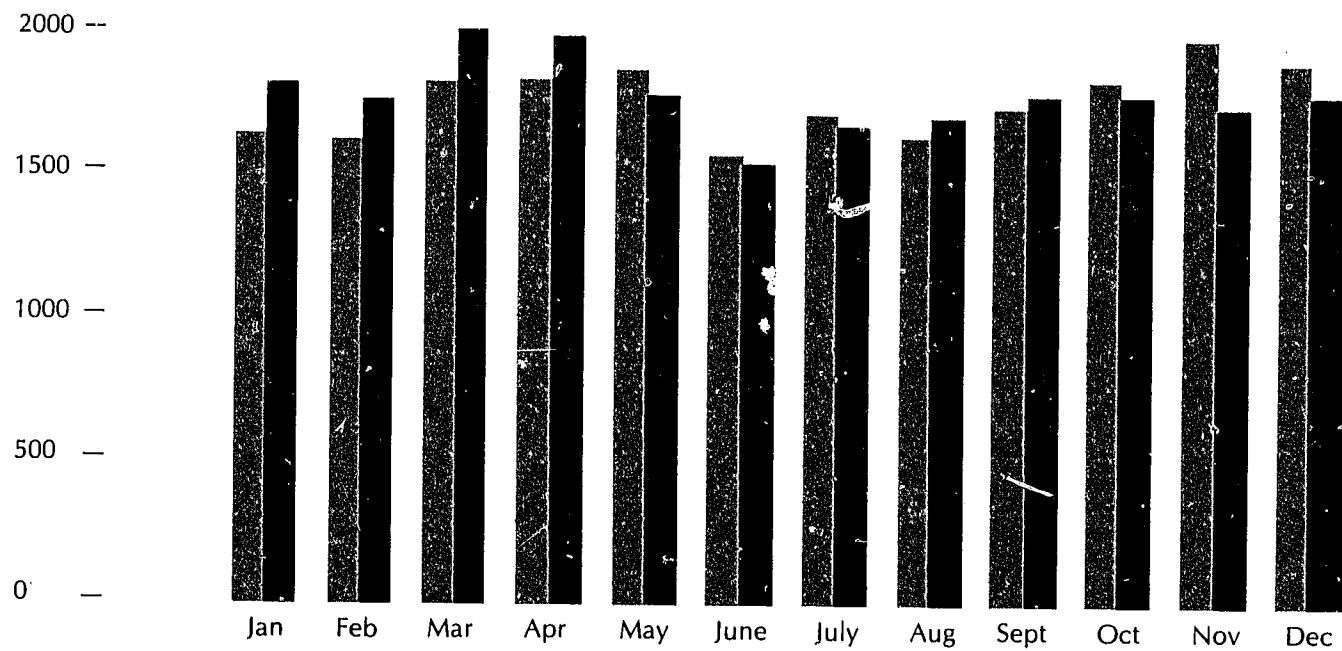
OFFENSE	TOTAL 1978	TOTAL 1979	CHANGE	SEX	AGE											RACE				Cases Filed
					16 and Under	17-23	24-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and Over	TOTAL	White	Black	Latin	
Murder	54	36	-33%	Male	2	9	6	4	2	3	3	2	1	2	34	8	15	13	19	
				Female			2													
Rape	60	83	+38%	Male	8	27	30	6	3	2	2	2	1	1	62	27	33	23	39	
				Female		1									1					
Robbery	181	179	-1%	Male	22	91	33	12	3	3	1			1	166	62	75	42	123	
				Female	4	7	1	1							13					
Aggr. Assault	205	285	+39%	Male	26	107	70	26	9	10	6	4		1	259	82	103	100	108	
				Female	4	3	5	4	4		1	2			26					
Burglary	712	815	+14%	Male	350	275	90	31	10	7	3	1		1	768	317	278	220	698	
				Female	29	11	3	4							47					
Theft	3,145	3,565	+13%	Male	691	812	362	142	82	45	26	24	17	14	1,818	1,932	914	692	27	
				Female	387	484	191	84	60	26	23	30	17	14	1,332					
Auto Theft	247	291	+18%	Male	99	111	24	14	4	1	1		1	1	256	142	74	75	221	
				Female	19	9	5	1			1				35					
Other Assaults	678	700	+3%	Male	88	241	164	44	34	8	7	5	5	1	600	306	189	202	152	
				Female	33	30	21	8	5	1				1	100					
Arson		9		Male	3	3	1	1							9	6	3		6	
				Female																
TOTAL	5,282	5,963	+13%	Male	1,289	1,676	780	280	147	80	49	38	25	18	4,407	2,882	1,684	1,367	30	
				Female	476	545	228	98	73	25	25	32	18	14	1,556					

part II arrests - 1979

OFFENSE	TOTAL 1979	SEX	AGE											RACE				Cases Filed	
			16 and Under	17-23	24-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and Over	TOTAL	White	Black	Latin		Other
Forgery	218	Male	6	51	45	22	4	1	8		1	1			139	82	113	23	99
		Female	7	39	19	7	4		2	1					79				
Fraud	3	Male			1					1					3	1	2		3
		Female																	
Embezzlement	1	Male														1			1
Stolen Property; Buying Receiving, Possession	2	Male	1						1						2	1		1	1
		Female																	
Vandalism	386	Male	69	127	75	20	22	4	6		1			5	329	192	99	95	171
		Female	2	28	10	12	4							1	57				
Weapons; Carrying, Possession, etc.	449	Male	34	147	108	50	28	16	10	14	3			3	413	205	131	112	109
		Female		15	6	10	2		2	1				36					
Prostitution and Commer. Vice	99	Male		15	12	3	1			1				32	53	36	10	47	
		Female		42	19	5	1							67					
Sex Offenses (Except Rape)	71	Male	5	16	14	5	8	2	3	4	4	2	4	67	45	12	14	11	
		Female	1		2		1							4					
Drug Abuse Violations (Total)	1,252	Male	56	500	331	99	41	10	6	6		1	1	1,051	940	144	164	4	
		Female	9	109	59	19	3	1	1					201				4	
Marijuana	715	Male	49	338	180	47	21	2	2	2				641	502	91	119	3	
		Female	4	38	20	11	1							74					
Opium, Cocaine Derivatives	73	Male		17	21	16	3	2		1				60	57	2	14		
		Female		7	2	3	1							9					
Syn. Narc. (Mfg. Narc., e.g. Demerol)	407	Male	6	133	114	34	12	3	4	3		1	1	311	334	41	31	1	
		Female	5	55	30	4		1		1				96					
Other (Dangerous Non-Narc. e.g. Benzedrine)	57	Male	1	12	16	2	5	3						39	47	10			
		Female		9	7	1	1							18					
Gambling - Total	44	Male		6	7		7	1	6	4	1	2	2	36	9	26	9		
		Female		3	2	1		1					1	8				1	
Bookmaking (Horse and Sport Bk.)		Male																	
		Female																	
Nos. & Lottery		Male																	
		Female																	
All Other Gambling	44	Male		6	7		7	1	6	4	1	2	2	36	9	26	9		
		Female		3	2	1		1					1	8					
Offenses Against Family & Children	2	Male												1	1		1	2	
		Female	1											1					
Driving Under the Influence	1,730	Male	16	473	419	193	122	95	79	63	33	22	23	1,538	1,090	165	474	1	
		Female	1	53	66	25	14	11	9	8	4		1	192					
Liquor Laws	104	Male	41	37	3	3	4	2					1	91	60	18	26	51	
		Female	10	1	2									13					
Public Intoxication	5,040	Male	102	1,272	958	495	427	271	269	338	215	137	111	4,595	2,593	637	1,800	10	
		Female	23	138	97	63	35	31	22	14	11	8	3	445					
Disorderly Conduct	592	Male	40	222	112	50	26	8	13	8	5	12	2	498	308	162	121	1	
		Female	10	39	24	3	7	3	3	4	1			94					
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	2,204	Male	208	734	472	212	91	48	39	12	12	14	11	1,854	1,282	533	383	6	
		Female	103	108	74	33	9	8	6	3	2	1	3	350					
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	57	Male	54											54	16	11	30		
		Female	3											3					
Runaways	311	Male	96											96	174	37	99	1	
		Female	215											215					
TOTALS	12,565	Male	728	3,600	2,554	1,154	781	460	440	450	275	193	161	10,799	7,053	2,126	3,362	24	
		Female	385	576	380	178	80	55	44	31	18	9	10	1,766					

# Traffic

## total motor vehicle collisions by month (major - minor)



1978 1979

	1978	1979	Percent Change
Persons Killed	51	65	+27.4
Persons Injured	6,728	6,549	- 2.7
Pedestrians Killed	8	11	+37.5
Pedestrians Injured	166	191	+15.0
Fatal Collisions	43	59	+37.2
Injury Collisions	4,662	4,686	+ .5
Property Damage Collisions	8,846	9,260	+ 4.6
Total Major Collisions	13,551	14,004	+ 3.3
Moving Violation Citations	73,822	106,965	+44.8
Parking Violation Citations	190,719	230,544	+20.8
Warning Violation Citations	30,104	39,270	+30.4

## traffic violations arrests and citations

OFFENSE	1978	1979
Violations Contributing to Collisions	9,397	9,175
Speeding	19,340	35,063
Failure to Yield Right of Way	2,977	2,955
Wrong Way on One Way	567	723
Illegal Overtaking	880	951
Stop Sign	2,502	3,242
Traffic Signal	5,740	6,325
Following Too Closely	79	119
Illegal Turns	4,817	4,410
Other Hazardous	362	400
DWI	1,543	1,859
Illegal Lights	245	376
Illegal Brakes	128	124
Other Non-Hazardous	34,476	50,209
DWLS	153	197
Parking: Police	17,716	21,839
Parking: Parkaidettes	131,509	149,323
Parking: Others	41,494	59,382
Warnings	30,104	39,270
Others	13	12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>294,645</b>	<b>376,779</b>

## contributing circumstances

	1978		1979	
Speeding	19,340	49.8%	35,063	62.5%
Right of Way to Vehicle	2,977	7.7	2,948	5.3
Disregard Stop Sign, Light	2,502	6.4	3,242	5.8
Disregard Stop and Go Signal	5,740	14.8	6,324	11.3
Disregard Flashing Yellow	0	0	0	0
Improper Turn Violations	4,817	12.4	4,411	7.9
Wrong Side Not Passing	147	.4	161	.3
Wrong Way on One Way Road	420	1.1	562	1.0
Following Too Closely	79	.2	119	.2
Overtaking and Passing	880	2.3	940	1.7
No Signal and Wrong Signal	51	.1	52	.1
Improper Start from Parked Position	153	.4	132	.2
Failure to Yield to Pedestrian	9	.0	20	.0
Improper Parking	2	.0	1	.0
Driving under Influence	1,544	4.0	1,849	3.3
Other Violations	159	.4	224	.4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>38,820</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>56,059</b>	<b>100%</b>

**collisions**

Fatal Collisions	58	.3%
P.I. Collisions	4,686	22.3
P.D. Collisions	9,260	44.1
Total Major Collisions	14,004	66.7
Total Minor Collisions	7,003	33.3
<b>Total All Collisions</b>	<b>21,007</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Age of Drivers (male and female)

25-34	7,405	29.7%
20-24	6,393	25.6
35-44	2,689	10.8
45-54	1,734	6.9
18-19	2,231	8.9
55-64	1,239	5.0
Not Stated	1,121	4.5
65-74	738	2.9
17	727	2.9
75 Yrs and Over	314	1.3
16	289	1.2
15 Yrs and Under	80	.3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24,960</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Race and Sex

White Male	10,959	43.8%
White Female	6,428	25.7
Black Male	2,107	8.4
Black Female	956	3.8
Latin Male	2,320	9.3
Latin Female	961	3.8
Other Male	155	.6
Other Female	58	.2
Unknown	1,068	4.3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25,012</b>	<b>99.9%</b>

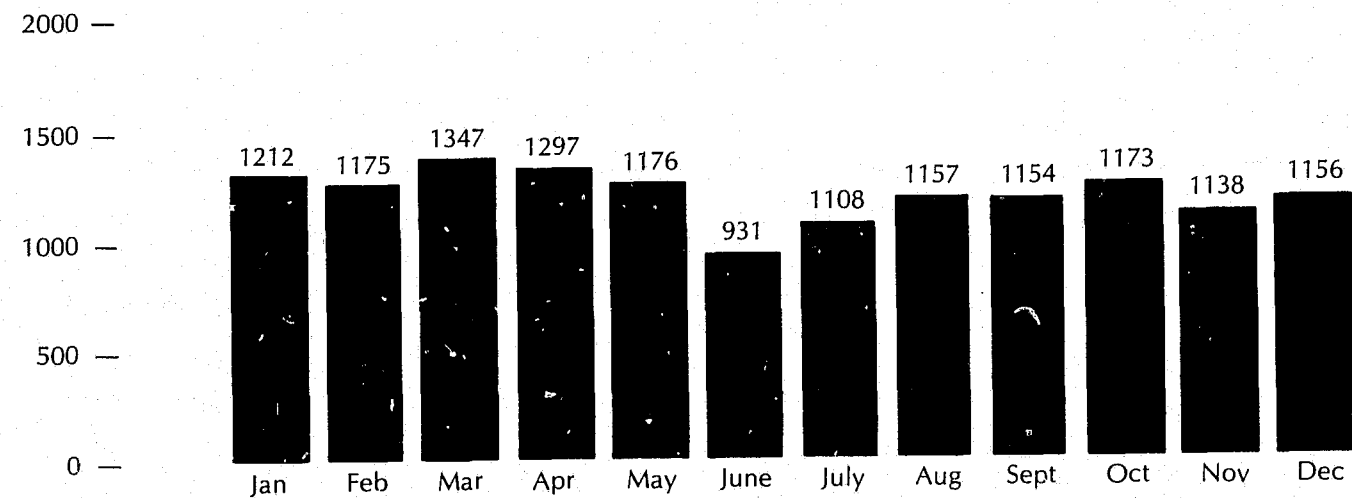
**enforcement (except parking)**

DWI Arrests	1,859	1.3%
Other Hazardous	54,200	37.0
Total Hazardous	56,059	38.3
Non-Hazardous	40,906	34.8
Total Warnings	39,270	26.9
<b>Total Traffic</b>	<b>146,235</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

	18,009	32.1%
	17,451	31.1
	5,701	10.2
	3,065	5.5
	5,934	10.6
	1,760	3.1
	796	1.5
	811	1.5
	1,540	2.7
	299	.5
	576	1.0
	117	.2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>56,059</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

	29,322	52.3%
	13,239	23.6
	4,061	7.2
	1,773	3.2
	5,164	9.2
	1,602	2.9
	505	.9
	149	.3
	244	.4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>56,059</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

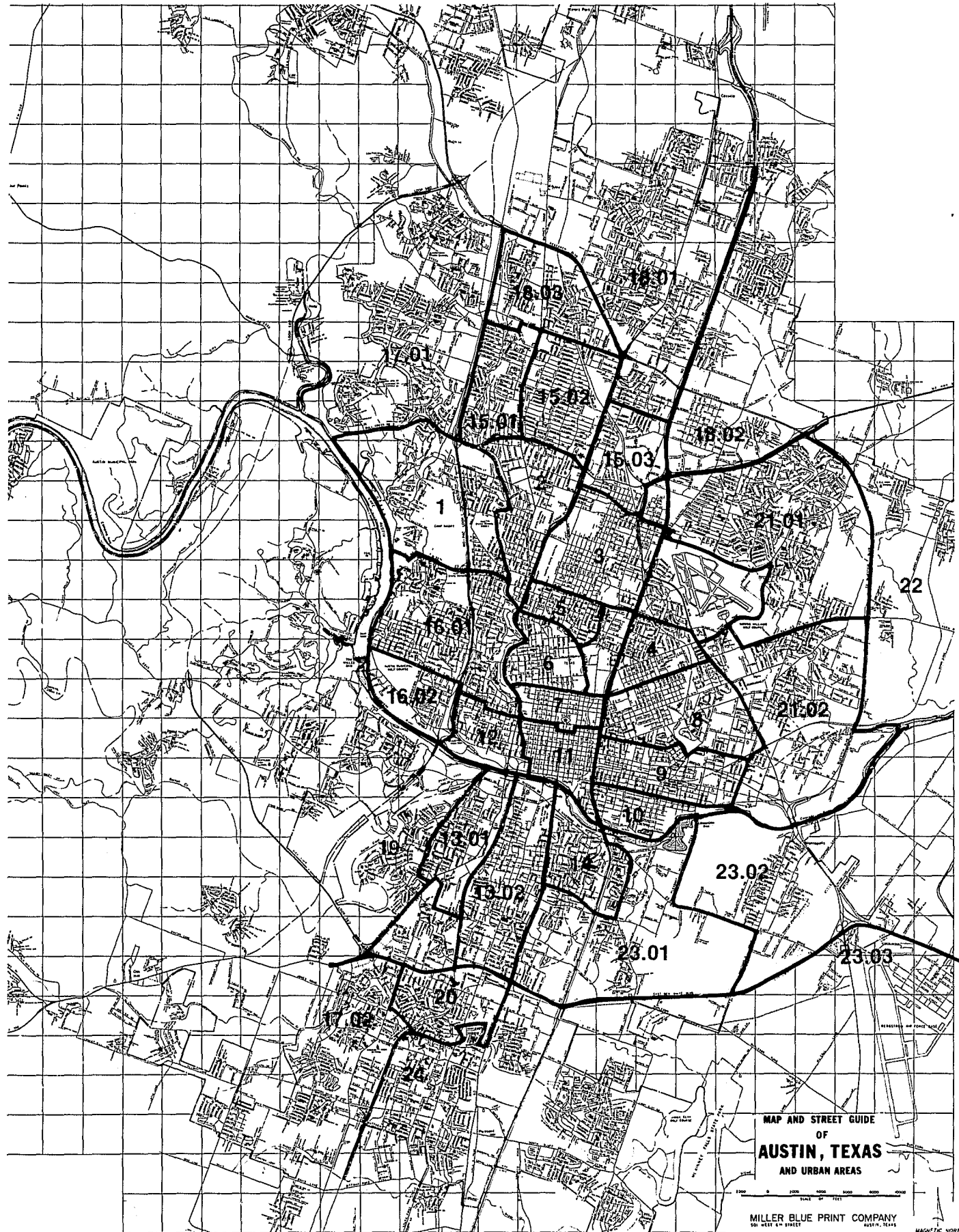
**major collisions by month**



**Departmental Activity by Census Tract**

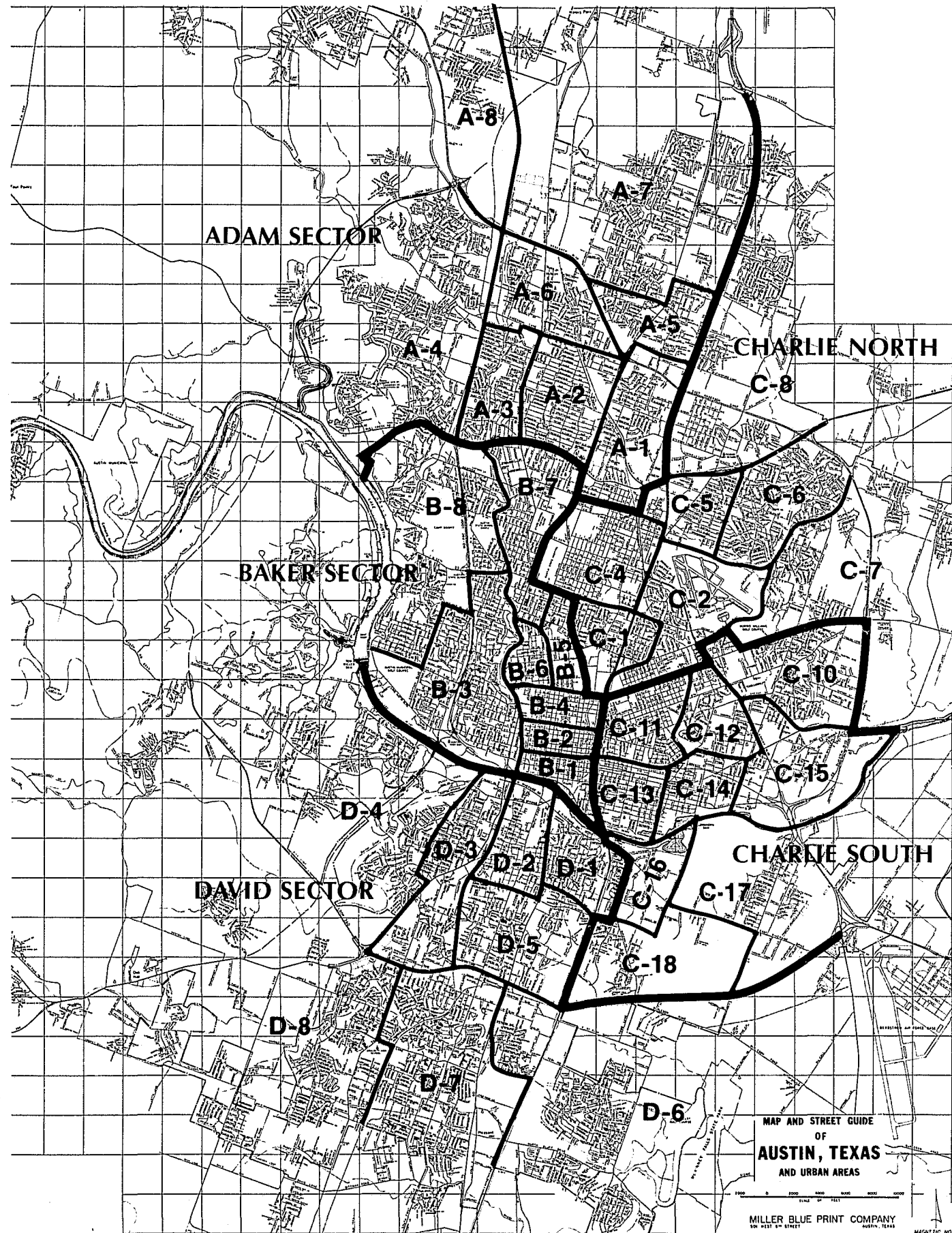
CENSUS TRACT	OFFENSES		CUSTODY ARRESTS		RADIO DISPATCHED CALLS	TRAFFIC CITATIONS	TOTAL	PERCENT
	Part I	Part II	16 & Under	17 & Over				
1	236	253	6	68	1,406	564	2,533	.8
2	1,072	1,076	35	587	5,544	4,144	12,458	3.8
3	1,417	1,210	63	562	5,859	6,615	15,726	4.8
4	923	602	41	343	4,079	3,219	9,207	2.8
5	277	239	4	67	1,344	801	2,732	.8
6	999	1,047	15	751	6,088	6,327	15,227	4.6
7	431	580	18	423	2,816	2,914	7,182	2.2
8	2,236	1,401	211	1,294	8,775	2,992	16,909	5.1
9	1,195	1,229	177	1,094	6,776	4,509	14,980	4.5
10	436	446	113	232	2,719	968	4,914	1.5
11	1,398	2,830	297	2,400	8,335	5,311	20,571	6.2
12	360	349	31	138	1,993	3,048	5,919	1.8
13	1,944	2,073	227	1,305	11,546	8,124	25,219	7.6
14	618	694	36	389	3,820	3,595	9,152	2.8
15	1,942	1,758	321	968	8,711	5,986	19,686	6.0
16	543	622	52	146	3,091	2,579	7,033	2.1
17	2,081	1,862	306	700	9,040	6,926	20,915	6.3
18	4,162	3,255	317	1,559	17,408	12,460	39,161	11.9
19	324	423	19	208	1,719	1,030	3,723	1.1
20	655	692	50	273	3,830	2,152	7,652	2.3
21	2,714	2,478	247	1,019	12,252	6,976	25,686	7.9
22	232	197	14	36	980	146	1,605	.5
23	2,673	2,329	215	1,568	11,839	6,575	25,199	7.6
24	1,530	1,529	113	416	7,692	5,226	16,506	5.0
204	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	*
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>30,398</b>	<b>29,174</b>	<b>2,928</b>	<b>16,546</b>	<b>147,663</b>	<b>103,187</b>	<b>329,896</b>	<b>100%</b>





## Offenses Reported by Sector

OFFENSE	ADAM SECTOR (Northwest) App. Population: 79,200	BAKER SECTOR (Central) App. Population: 54,560	CHARLIE NORTH (Northeast) App. Population: 69,696	CHARLIE SOUTH (Southeast) App. Population: 55,264	DAVID SECTOR (Southwest) App. Population: 93,280
Index Crimes:					
Murder	11	2	6	18	6
Rape	35	39	35	80	45
Robbery	88	99	112	196	102
Agg. Asslt.	68	87	83	317	115
Burglary	1,359	1,246	1,471	2,034	1,748
Theft	3,937	3,021	2,698	3,269	3,763
Auto Theft	406	410	285	348	358
Total Index Crimes:	5,904	4,904	4,690	6,262	6,137
Index Crimes per 1,000 pop.:	74.5	90.0	67.3	113.3	65.8
Non-Indexed Crimes:	6,000	7,628	4,751	6,901	7,405
Non-Indexed Crimes per 1,000 pop.:	75.8	139.8	62.2	124.9	79.4
Total Offenses Reported:	11,904	12,532	9,441	13,163	13,542
Total Offenses per 1,000 pop.:	150.3	229.7	135.4	238.2	145.2



## Offenses Reported by District

### adam sector

DISTRICT NO.	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	TOTAL INDEX	TOTAL NON-INDEX	TOTAL COMBINED
1	2	10	18	16	230	1,016	114	1,406	1,289	2,695
2	0	1	9	7	148	305	34	504	687	1,191
3	1	2	2	4	54	226	23	312	380	692
4	1	9	3	6	180	379	35	613	784	1,397
5	2	6	24	9	175	311	41	568	571	1,139
6	0	4	17	8	142	718	53	942	840	1,782
7	5	3	8	16	314	733	85	1,164	1,035	2,199
8	0	0	7	2	116	249	21	395	414	809
TOTALS:	11	35	88	68	1,359	3,937	406	5,904	6,000	11,904

### baker sector

DISTRICT NO.	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	TOTAL INDEX	TOTAL NON-INDEX	TOTAL COMBINED
1	0	3	29	27	129	572	106	866	1,400	2,266
2	0	10	9	8	73	256	45	401	1,635	2,036
3	0	4	8	6	259	403	63	743	842	1,585
4	0	4	11	10	71	275	28	399	632	1,031
5	0	5	5	1	133	275	41	460	458	918
6	0	9	15	15	160	453	54	706	980	1,686
7	2	3	14	18	288	556	60	941	1,179	2,120
8	0	1	8	2	133	231	13	388	502	890
TOTALS:	2	39	99	87	1,246	3,021	410	4,904	7,628	12,532

**charlie north sector**

DISTRICT NO.	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	TOTAL INDEX	TOTAL NON-INDEX	TOTAL COMBINED
1	2	2	20	6	202	345	32	609	451	1,060
2	1	5	14	17	236	337	61	671	646	1,317
4	0	9	28	10	321	506	53	927	944	1,871
5	0	2	7	4	109	257	23	402	516	918
6	1	4	19	9	162	449	29	673	689	1,362
7	1	9	4	15	206	246	27	508	573	1,081
8	1	4	20	22	235	558	60	900	932	1,832
<b>TOTALS:</b>	6	35	112	83	1,471	2,698	285	4,690	4,751	9,441

**charlie south sector**

DISTRICT NO.	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	TOTAL INDEX	TOTAL NON-INDEX	TOTAL COMBINED
10	1	9	21	42	244	281	24	622	764	1,386
11	7	12	42	72	297	601	45	1,076	898	1,974
12	1	10	33	49	285	475	37	890	834	1,724
13	6	6	42	79	383	439	62	1,017	1,441	2,458
14	0	13	11	14	106	190	19	353	528	881
15	1	8	4	8	137	134	10	302	393	695
16	0	15	22	30	313	781	106	1,267	1,113	2,380
17	2	4	13	21	186	221	33	480	628	1,108
18	0	3	8	2	83	147	12	255	302	557
<b>TOTALS:</b>	18	80	196	317	2,034	3,269	348	6,262	6,901	13,163

**david sector**

DISTRICT NO.	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	TOTAL INDEX	TOTAL NON-INDEX	TOTAL COMBINED
1	1	2	11	11	205	314	45	589	753	1,342
2	1	15	21	28	176	425	44	710	1,097	1,807
3	0	5	11	12	241	506	57	832	910	1,742
4	1	3	1	4	100	175	23	307	447	754
5	1	8	23	20	238	583	56	929	1,208	2,137
6	1	1	10	13	281	404	42	752	836	1,588
7	1	8	20	21	320	624	61	1,055	1,366	2,421
8	0	3	5	6	187	732	30	963	788	1,751
<b>TOTALS:</b>	6	45	102	115	1,748	3,763	358	6,137	7,405	13,542

**Criminal Investigation Division**

**motor vehicle thefts by month**

MONTH	ACTUAL OFFENSES	TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLES RECOVERED	CASES CLEARED BY ARREST
January	119	61	23
February	129	54	15
March	130	76	28
April	133	92	28
May	147	62	29
June	126	48	17
July	139	120	35
August	144	86	31
September	122	43	10
October	122	113	30
November	113	67	18
December	115	78	24
Unknown	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,539</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>288</b>

**theft offenses, by type**

OFFENSE	ACTUAL CASES	CLEARANCES	% CLEARED
Felony Theft	1,089	213	20%
Burglary of Vehicle	2,260	194	9
Theft from Auto	294	17	6
Theft of Auto Parts	2,036	74	4
Theft of Bicycles	1,537	120	8
All Other Thefts	9,174	2,923	32
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,390</b>	<b>3,541</b>	<b>22%</b>

**offenses against persons**

OFFENSE	ARRESTS	CASES FILED
Murder	36	19
Rape	83	39
Robbery	179	123
Aggravated Assault	285	108
Forgery	218	99
Sex Offenses	71	11
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>399</b>

### burglary by month and day, 1979

MONTH	SUN.	MON.	TUE.	WED.	THU.	FRI.	SAT.	TOTAL
January	58	87	78	109	85	104	85	606
February	55	69	92	92	77	80	84	549
March	61	73	76	71	96	115	82	574
April	89	91	88	96	80	114	94	652
May	75	108	129	98	107	107	103	727
June	74	95	78	66	78	133	109	633
July	84	117	100	72	104	106	91	674
August	67	110	79	120	133	167	100	776
September	66	71	97	91	91	133	104	653
October	66	103	111	101	95	105	88	669
November	79	100	79	107	88	113	74	640
December	59	117	74	85	83	105	90	613
TOTAL	833	1,141	1,081	1,108	1,117	1,382	1,104	7,766

### property loss by type and value

TYPE OF PROPERTY	VALUE OF PROPERTY	
	Stolen	Received
Currency, Notes, Etc.	845,386	61,984
Jewelry, Precious Metals	588,031	12,309
Clothing and Furs	115,754	33,928
Locally Stolen		
Motor Vehicles	3,117,274	1,973,355
Office Equipment	65,124	249
Televisions, Radios, Cameras, Etc.	751,029	5,759
Firearms	76,466	\$
Household Goods	270,553	760
Consumable Goods	30,739	24,979
Livestock	8,393	100
Miscellaneous	1,012,480	42,192
TOTAL	\$6,881,229	\$2,155,615

### method of entry

1. Passkey	266
2. Locked Door	0
3. Unlocked Door	478
4. Unlocked Window	528
5. Forced Door	2,220
6. Forced Window	2,479
7. Transom	0
8. Skylight	5
9. Other (Forced)	280
10. Unknown	1,580
11. Jalousie Windows	2
TOTAL	7,766

### burglary by census tract\*

CENSUS TRACT NUMBER	CENSUS TRACT NUMBER
1	83
2	289
3	422
4	330
5	105
6	186
7	68
8	575
9	377
10	105
11	201
12	113
TOTAL	7,757

\*9 Burglaries tract unknown

### polygraph

QUARTER	NUMBER OF TESTS ADMINISTERED
1st	94
2nd	68
3rd	75
4th	61
TOTAL	298

Cases cleared for year: 40

Money and/or property recovered for year: \$1200-\$900 cash and \$300 property

### special services

NARCOTICS	AMOUNT SEIZED	CASES FILED
Marijuana	625.73 pounds	526
Heroin	.17 pounds	12
Cocaine	4.88 pounds	63
Hashish	2.29 pounds	49
Methamphetamine	14.89 pounds	280

VICE	CASES FILED
Prostitution	92
Gambling	20
Liquor Violations	69

### organized crime

Number of felony arrests for narcotics, burglary, theft 171

DRUG SEIZURES	QUANTITY
Marijuana	1,554 lbs.
Heroin	1 1/4 oz.
Cocaine	1 lb., 2 oz., 1 gr.
Methamphetamine	36 lbs., 13 oz., 15 gr.
Hashish	9 oz., 1/2 gr.
LSD	38 hits
Mescaline	8 gr.
Pharmaceutical drugs	15 pills

Value of seized property/recovered property and money: \$1,183,921.34

### special crimes

Search and arrest warrants served:	15
Arrests:	
Felony	3
Misdemeanor	62

### internal affairs

TOTAL COMPLAINTS RECEIVED - 1979	407
IAD Investigated Complaints	111
DISPOSITION:	
Unfounded	12 (10.34%)
Not Sustained	37 (31.89%)
Sustained	45 (38.79%)
Exonerated	17 (14.54%)
Cancelled	5 (4.31%)
ACTION TAKEN:	
Oral Reprimands	13
Official Reprimand	14
Disciplinary Suspension	16
Resignation	4
Indefinite Suspension	2

### research and planning

General Orders Issued	1
General Orders Amended	26
Special Orders Issued	56
Surveys Completed:	
APD - Initiated	2
National	8
Major Research Projects	10
Reports:	
Police Activity Summaries	362
Crime Analysis Bulletins/Reports	390

## identification

Total Persons Fingerprinted	8,502
Total Prisoners Fingerprinted	6,675
Field Trips, Total	1,965
Total Eliminations and Identifications	562
Applicants Reprinted and Processed	123
Prisoners Reprinted and Processed	5,845
Inquiries Checked	359
Latents and/or Suspects Compared	150,600
Transcripts Prepared	11,548
Fingerprint Cards Filed	7,996
Total Index Cards on File, December 31	583,711

## communications

Total Radio Dispatched Calls, 1979	149,230
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## leaving the scene

Total Leaving the Scene Cases:	2,525
Total Cases Inactivated:	1,109
Total Cases Cleared:	1,437

## crime lab

Total number of Narcotic, Drug and Marijuana cases submitted for analysis	1,264
Total number of Narcotic, Drug and Marijuana cases submitted for preliminary analysis to identify compound for purpose of filing charges	978
Total number of Non-drug related cases submitted for analysis	87
Total Breathalyzer Driving While Intoxicated cases Certified by Chemist-Toxicologist	1,147
Total number of Breathalyzer Operators Re-Certified in September, 1979	28

## warrants

Warrants on Hand January 1, 1979	25,779
Warrants Received During 1979	38,111
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>63,890</b>
Warrants Cleared in 1979	44,074
Warrants on Hand December 31, 1979	19,816
Warrants Cleared by Warrant Office	23,385
Warrants Cleared by Patrolman	7,544
Warrants Called for by Court Personnel	1,745
Warrants Returned to Court for Dismissal	11,399

## jail

Total Persons Booked, Age 17 and over, 1979:	15,916
Total Felony Booked:	2,798
Total Misdemeanor Booked:	15,608

## training and personnel

Prospective Cadet Applicants	532
Cadet Exams Given:	167
Passed Written Exam	133
Failed Written Exam	23
Failed Oral Board	45
Physically Disqualified	9
Cadets Accepted into Police Academy	23
Cadets Vacancies Filled	23

## central records

Collision Reports Processed, 1979	25,216
Total Collision Reports on File	50,671
Offense Reports Processed, 1979	63,341
Miscellaneous Incident Reports Processed, 1979	150,257
Total Offense and Miscellaneous Incident Reports Processed, 1979	213,598
Field Observation Cards, 1979	5,295
Vehicles Impounded, 1979	1,556
Collision Offense Request, 1979:	
Victim — approx.	30,500
Insurance — approx.	38,000

## community services

### CRIME PREVENTION & COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Police & Courts Building Tours	228
Total Contacts	1,715
Special Identification Cards Issued	342
Speaking Engagements	858
Total Attendance	24,139
Total Visits to Schools, Recreation Areas	305
Total Contacts	4,287
Crime Prevention Surveys (Business and Residential)	345
Storefront Advisory Council Meetings	10
Vehicle Inspections, Bicycles Registered	101
Other Contacts (Displays, Canvassing, Surveys, Interviews, Referrals)	31,075
Brochure Distribution	140,051
Operation Identification Participants to Date	1,500
Police Buddy, Police Action Project and Other Riders	306

## apd officer profile

Number of officers with 60 college hours or more	105
Number of Associate Degrees	11
Number of Bachelor's Degrees	122
Number of Master's Degrees	3
Number of Basic Certificates	53
Number of Intermediate Certificates	122
Number of Advanced Certificates	252
Average total years of commissioned service	12
Average age of commissioned officers	34

## retirements — 1979

NAME	COMMISSION DATE	DATE OF	
		HIGHEST RANK	DATE RETIRED
James C. Barnett (Lieutenant)	05/07/41	01/05/52	12/28/79
Nathan Darby (Lieutenant)	10/19/40	07/17/53	08/31/79
James T. Estep, Jr. (Sr. Sgt.)	03/21/55	01/01/78	12/26/79
Ernest A. Hanson (Sergeant)	04/19/42	06/02/53	08/31/79
Lowell L. Morgan (Lieutenant)	10/19/48	02/09/60	01/31/79
B. H. Rosen (Major)	05/16/41	12/07/62	06/29/79
Ed. Silvanage (Lieutenant)	04/19/57	06/24/73	09/08/79
George S. West (Sergeant)	08/26/46	02/09/60	12/28/79

## youth services

Disposition of juveniles, excluding neglect and traffic cases:

Handled within Department and Released	1,094
Referred to Juvenile Court/Probation	1,762
Referred to Criminal or Adult Court	10
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,866</b>



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## Austin Police Standards

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The basic goal of police in our society is to protect life and property, and to preserve the peace in a manner consistent with the freedoms secured by the Constitution. To reach this goal, officers of the Austin Police Department will strive to achieve the following performance standards.

Police Officers will perform their duty in strict accordance with the highest principles of a free democratic society.

Police Officers will, by their conduct, appearance and bearing, gain the community's trust and confidence.

Police Officers will treat all people with courtesy and respect for their personal rights.

Police Officers will get to know the citizens they serve and will make every effort to involve them in the fight against crime.

Police Officers will demonstrate a helpful, cooperative attitude not only toward citizens but also toward one another.

Police Officers will, within the scope of their authority, exercise discretion not only impartially but equitably, considering all relevant circumstance before taking any enforcement action.

Police Officers will use alternatives to arrest, such as referral, mediation, and field release citations, whenever possible.

Police Officers will do everything possible to preserve the human dignity of persons taken into custody.

Police Officers will concentrate their enforcement action against those serious crimes which cause citizens the greatest danger and economic loss.

Police Officers will be aware that one of our fundamental purposes is crime prevention and will spend as much of their time as possible in crime prevention activities.

Police Officers will understand the complex social, economic and ethnic relationships that cause people to engage in anti-social or criminal conduct.

Police Officers will be constantly aware that he is not only a part of the community he services, but is accountable to the community for his decisions and their consequences.

Police Officers will know not only the content of the laws they are required to enforce, but also will understand and support those ideals that the laws are designed to accomplish.

Police Officers will constantly work to further their education and increase their professional competence.

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