

# RCMP Mayor and Council 2021 Year-End Review

June 14, 2022



# Airdrie Integrated Rural RCMP

Inspector Lauren Weare

# Crime Reduction

- The Integrated Rural Unit is comprised of both Beiseker & Airdrie Rural members
- The Integrated Rural Unit and the Airdrie Crime Reduction Unit (CRU) have been conducting curfew checks to ensure condition compliance
- Enhanced patrols of "hot spots" and "emerging crime trend" areas
- The Integrated Rural Unit conducts regular patrols of residential and industrial areas within the communities/rural areas while on duty
- Collaboration with Fish and Wildlife to conduct checks during hunting season on poachers.
- CRU Rocky View Enhanced Position: The CRU position allocated to Rocky View County allows rural access to the specialized investigative techniques of the plain clothes unit

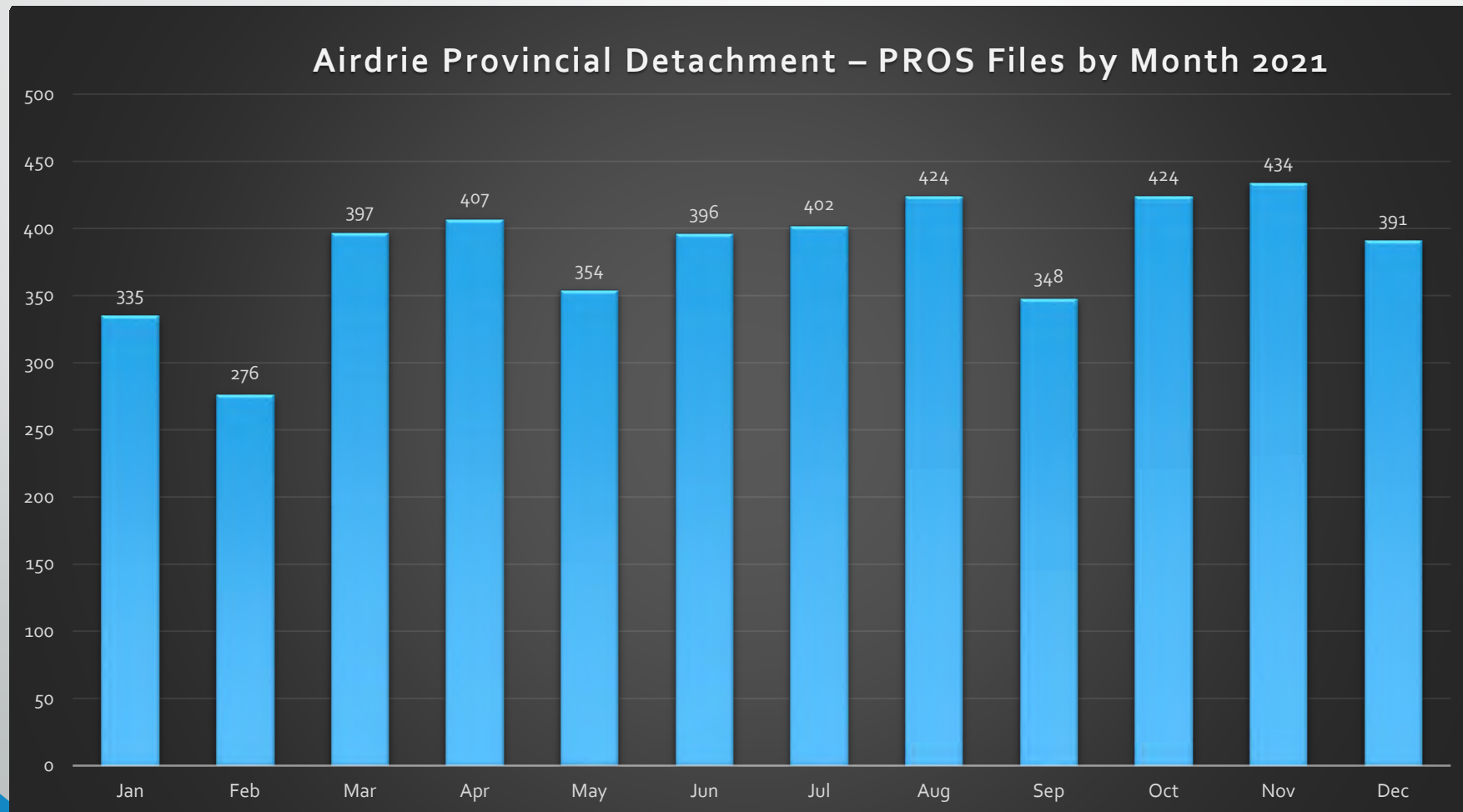
# Community Engagement

- RVC engages when there are events which require our support and or presence, this may include increased resourcing, joint teams with RVC Enforcement Team
- Active engagement with the Alberta Provincial Rural Crime Watch Association with the NCO i/c and Crossfield Enhanced member acting as liaisons to the association
  - This involves presentations and/or impromptu Q&A sessions with the members
- Management team participation in RVC Town Hall meeting establishing open communication with stakeholders
- Management team presented to the Balzac Business Community Association in a Town hall format
- Members engage in foot patrols through the two large malls and the casino enhancing accessibility to the public
- Participated in the Kathryn School Walkathon along with RVC Fire and Peace Officers.
- Beiseker NCO i/c has been actively engaged in the Community Safety and Well-being Committee.

# Road Safety

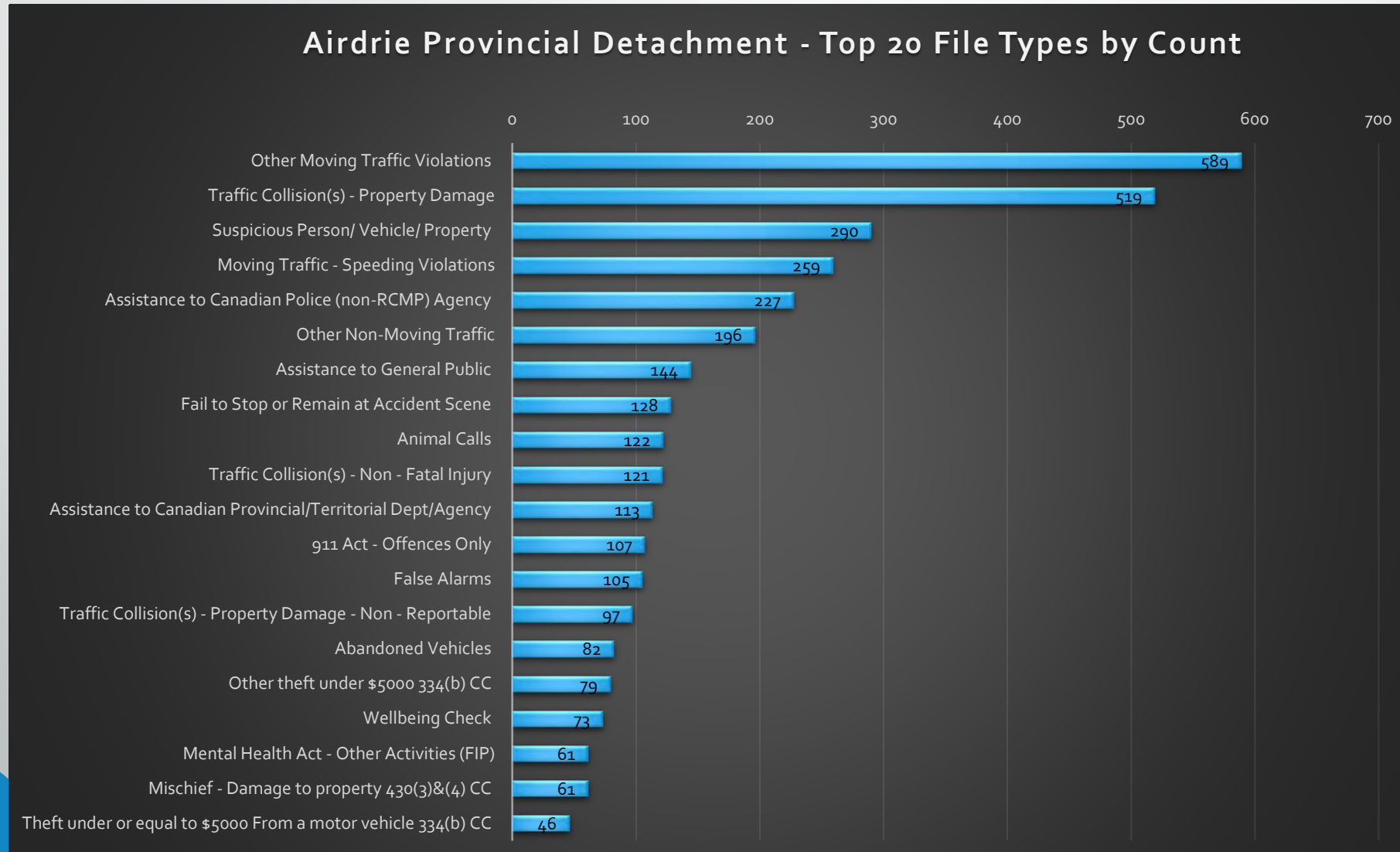
- The Integrated Rural Unit provides an enhanced presence and promotes road safety in many forms
- Joint Operations with Community Peace Officers (CPO), Alberta Sheriffs and Fish and Wildlife officers
- Members identify areas of concern and bring issues to appropriate levels
- In general members spend a great deal of time patrolling County roads and conducting traffic enforcement as the need arises – with our new resources we are much more available for this than ever before

# Calls for Service – By the Numbers





# Calls for Service – Top 20 Occurrence Types by File Count



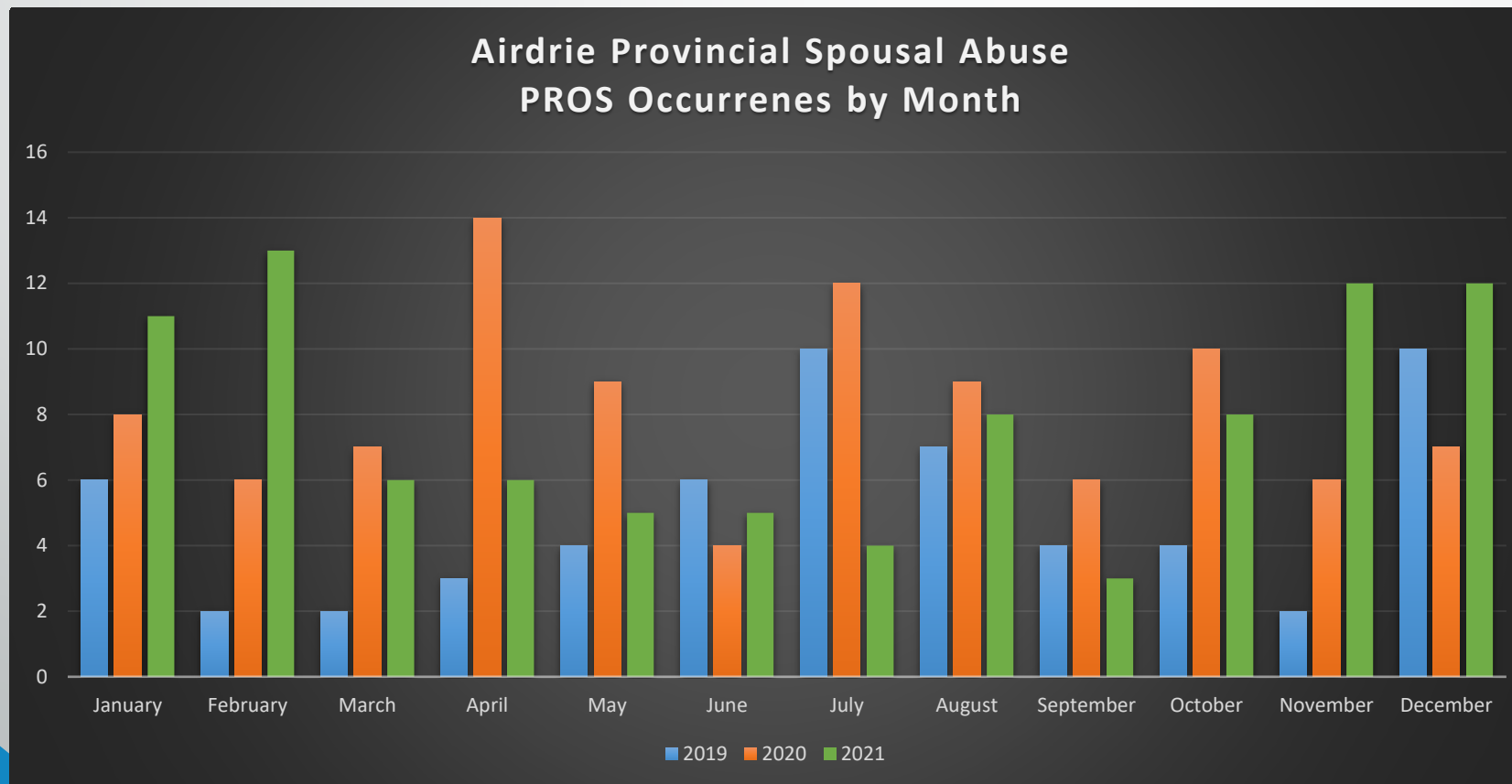
# Airdrie 2021 Crime Gauge





# Domestic Violence Statistics

Airdrie Provincial Detachment Crime Statistics (Actual)\*  
January to December: 2019-2021



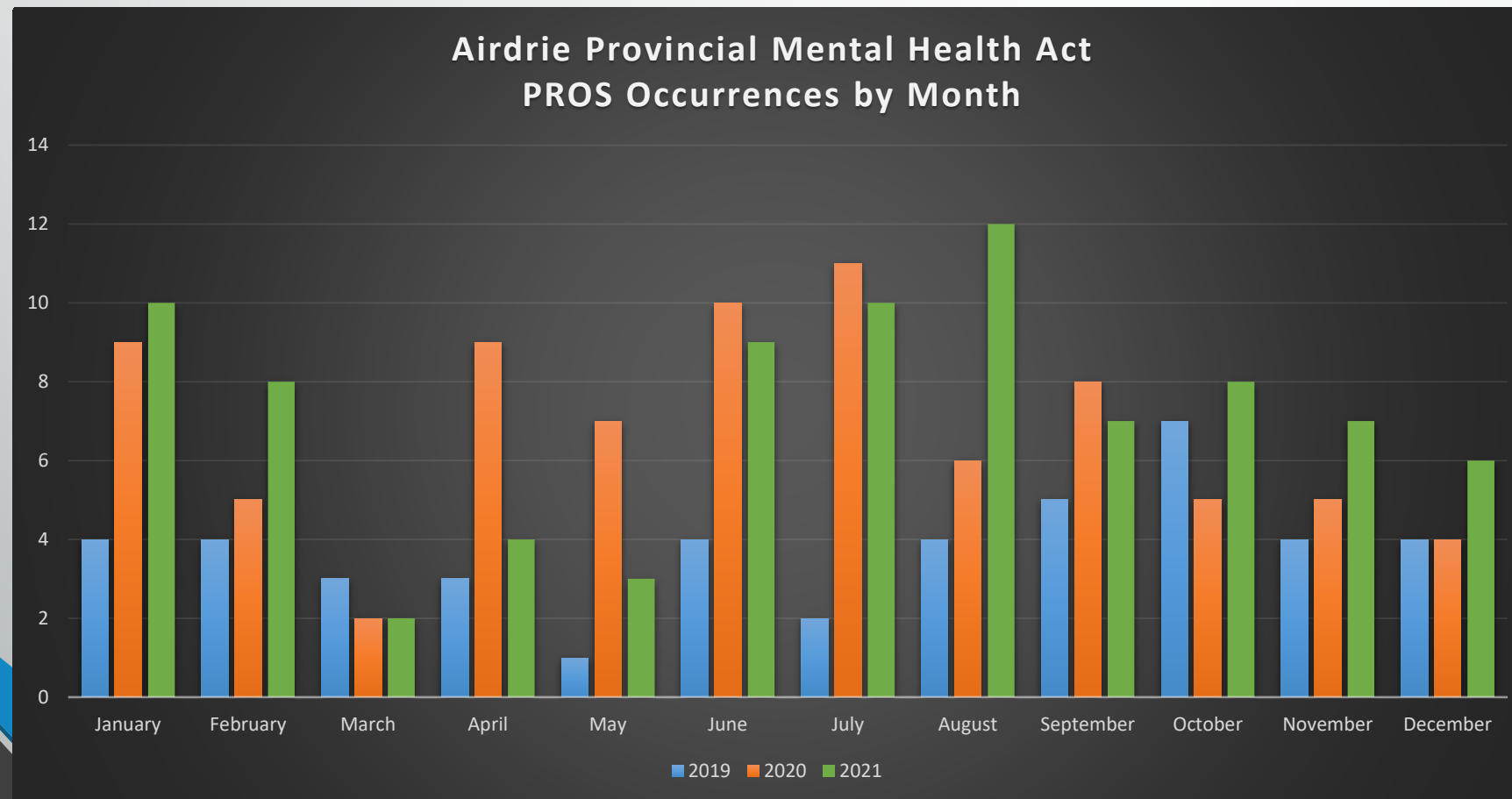
Domestic  
Violence  
occurrences  
increased by 63%  
from 2019 to  
2020.  
2021 shows a 5%  
decrease  
compared 2020.

*\*This includes Crossfield statistics*

# Mental Health Statistics

Airdrie Provincial Detachment Crime Statistics (Actual)\*

January to December: 2019-2021



Mental Health  
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increased by 80%  
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2021 shows a 6%  
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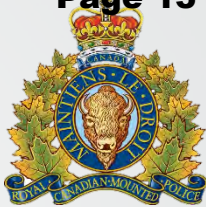
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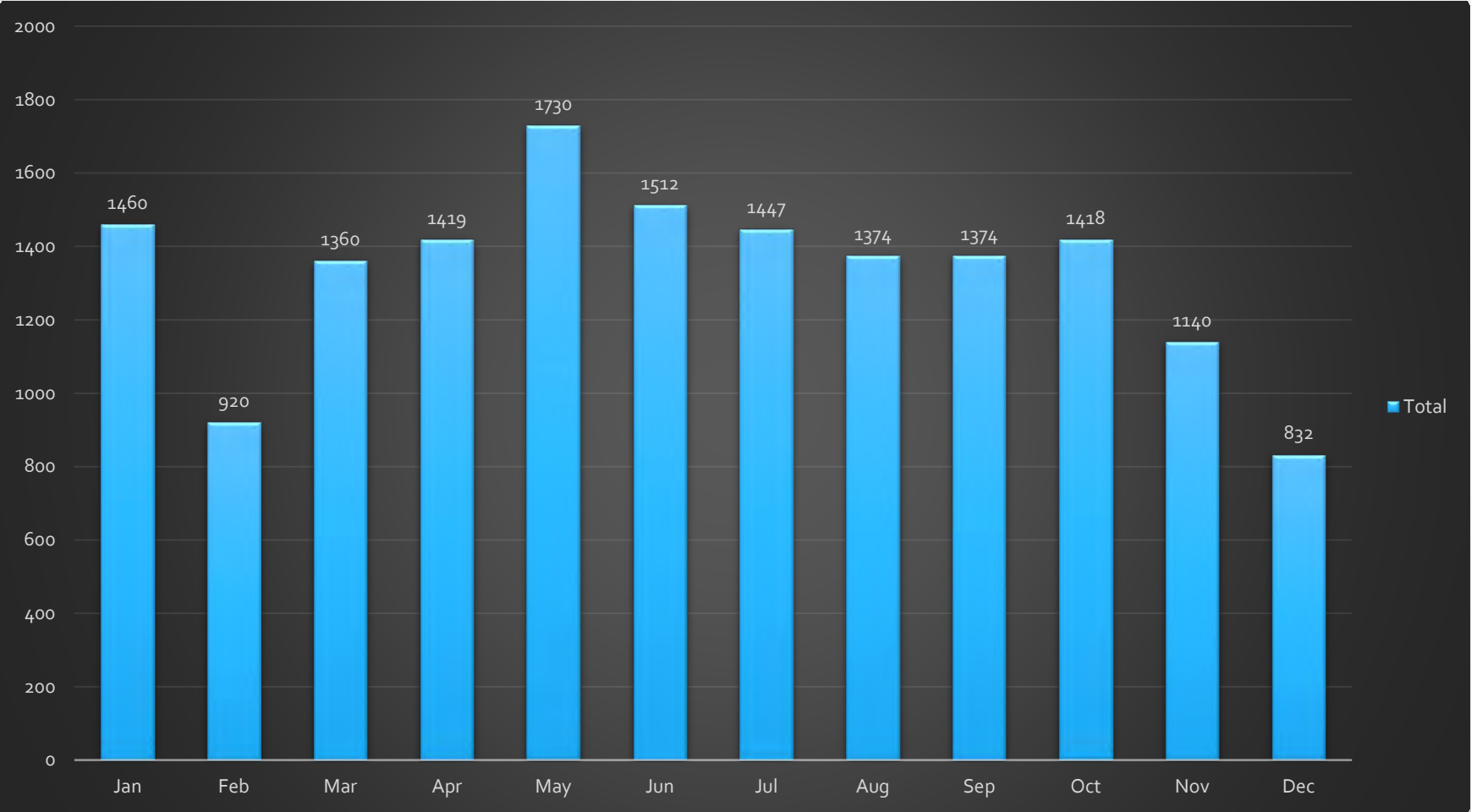
# Cochrane Rural

**Staff Sergeant Chad Fournier**



# 2021 Calls for Service

(Traffic Included)

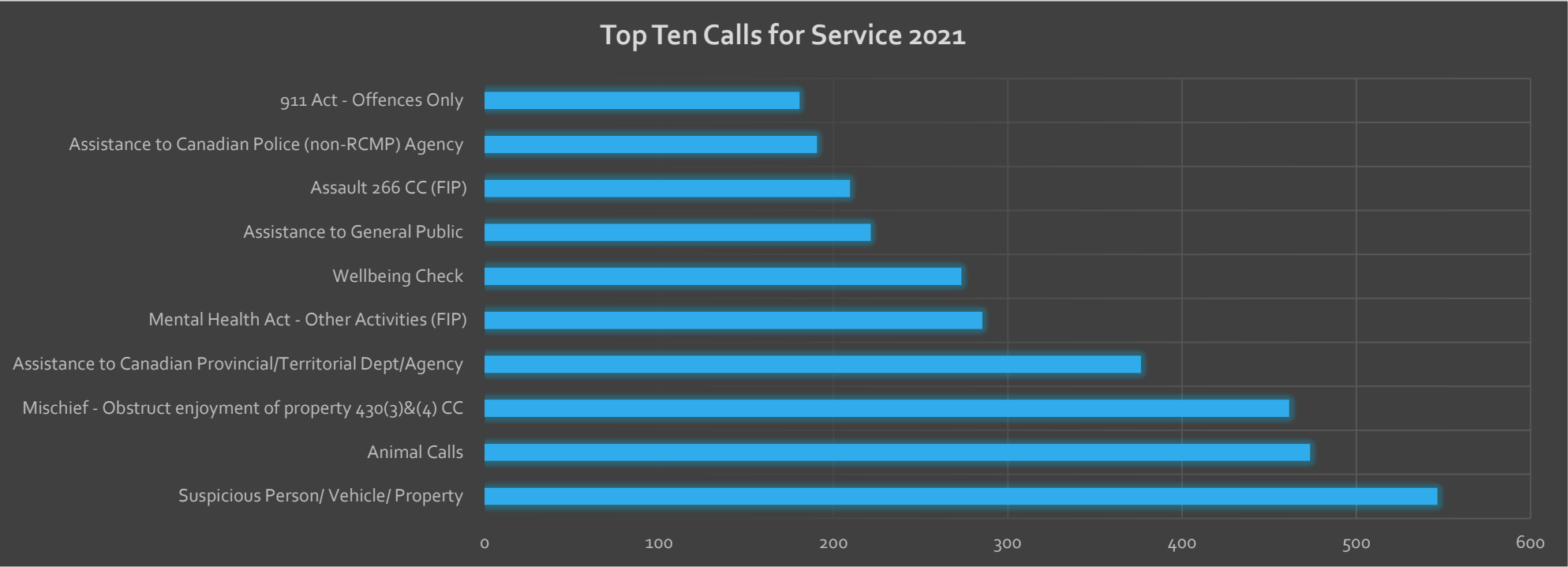




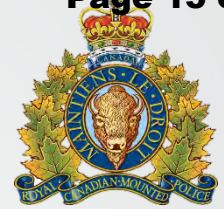
# Calls for Service

## Top 10 Occurrence Types by File Count

### Traffic Offences Excluded





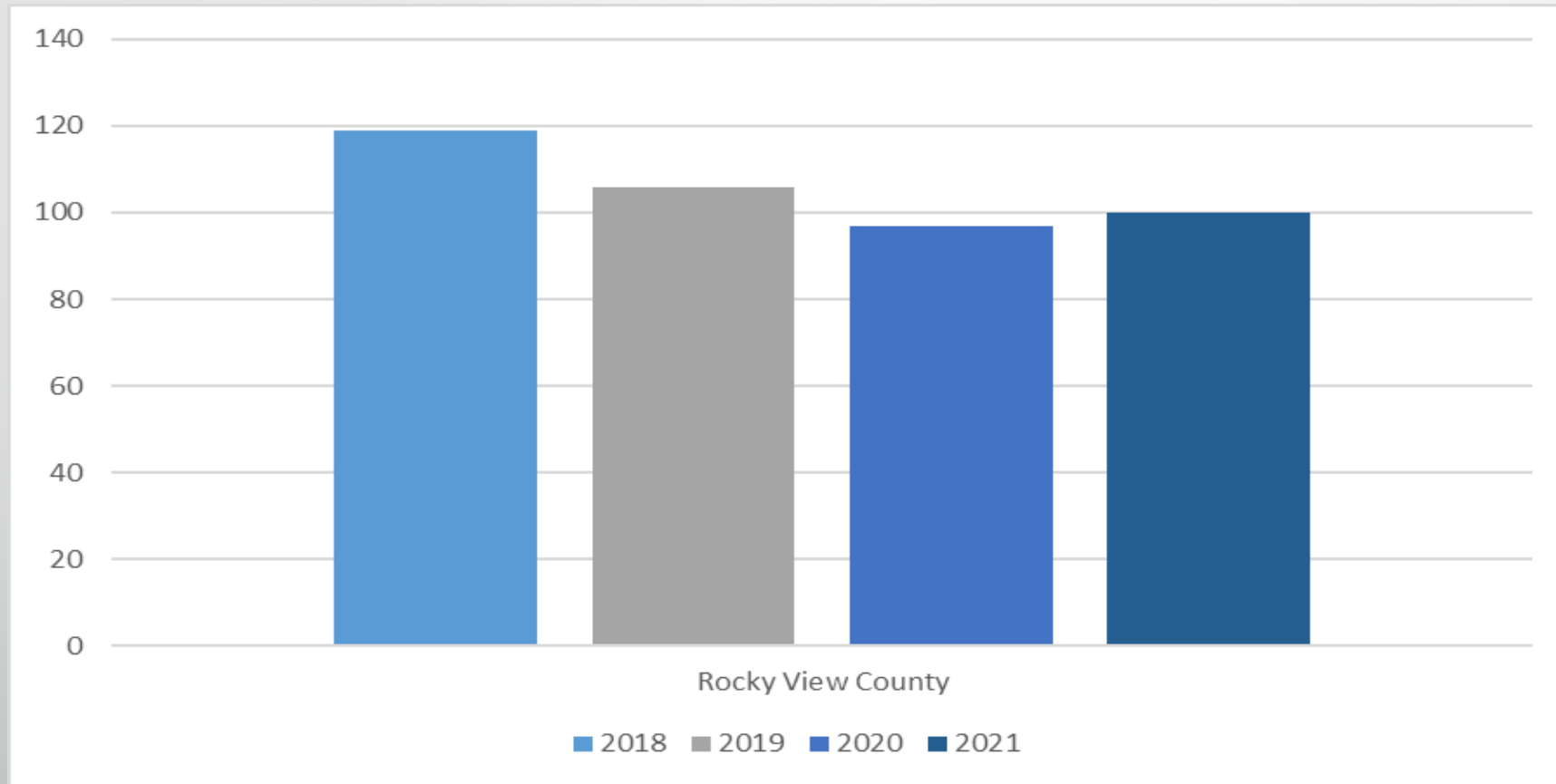


# Persons Crimes

CATEGORY	Trend	2018	2019	2020	2021
Homicides & Offences Related to Death		2	2	0	0
Robbery		7	2	1	4
Sexual Assaults		5	6	5	5
Other Sexual Offences		3	1	4	2
Assault		60	47	51	51
Kidnapping/Hostage/Abduction		0	0	0	0
Extortion		2	1	1	0
Criminal Harassment		19	14	19	13
Uttering Threats		21	33	16	25
<b>TOTAL PERSONS</b>		<b>119</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100</b>



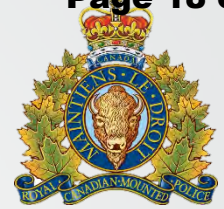
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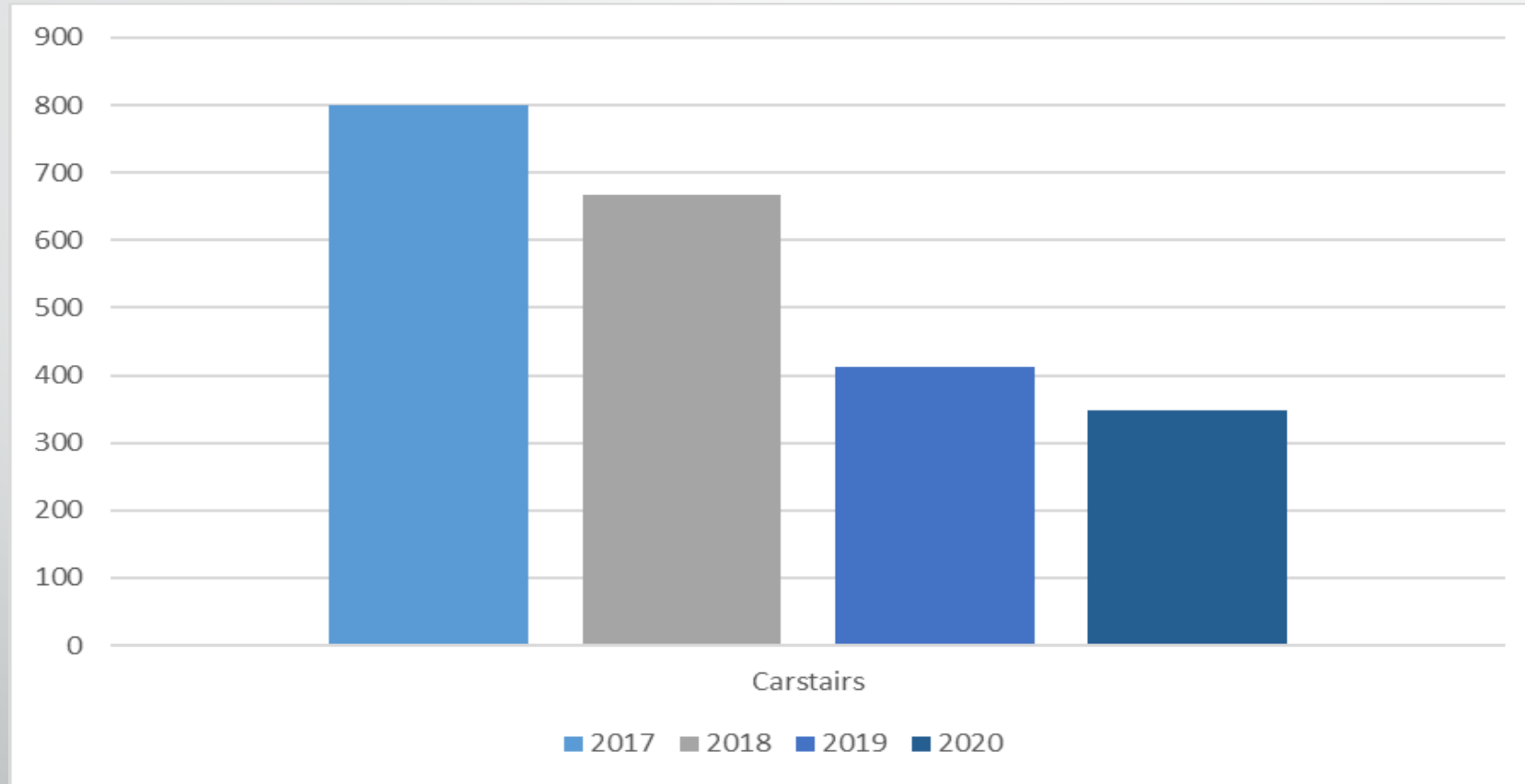


# Property Crimes

CATEGORY	Trend	2018	2019	2020	2021
Break & Enter		121	89	60	36
Theft of Motor Vehicle		77	46	42	23
Theft Over \$5,000		28	19	13	7
Theft Under \$5,000		225	172	100	69
Possn Stn Goods		93	71	39	23
Fraud		86	84	46	105
Arson		6	2	1	0
Mischief - Damage To Property		0	78	66	53
Mischief - Other		163	107	46	32
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY</b>		<b>799</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>348</b>



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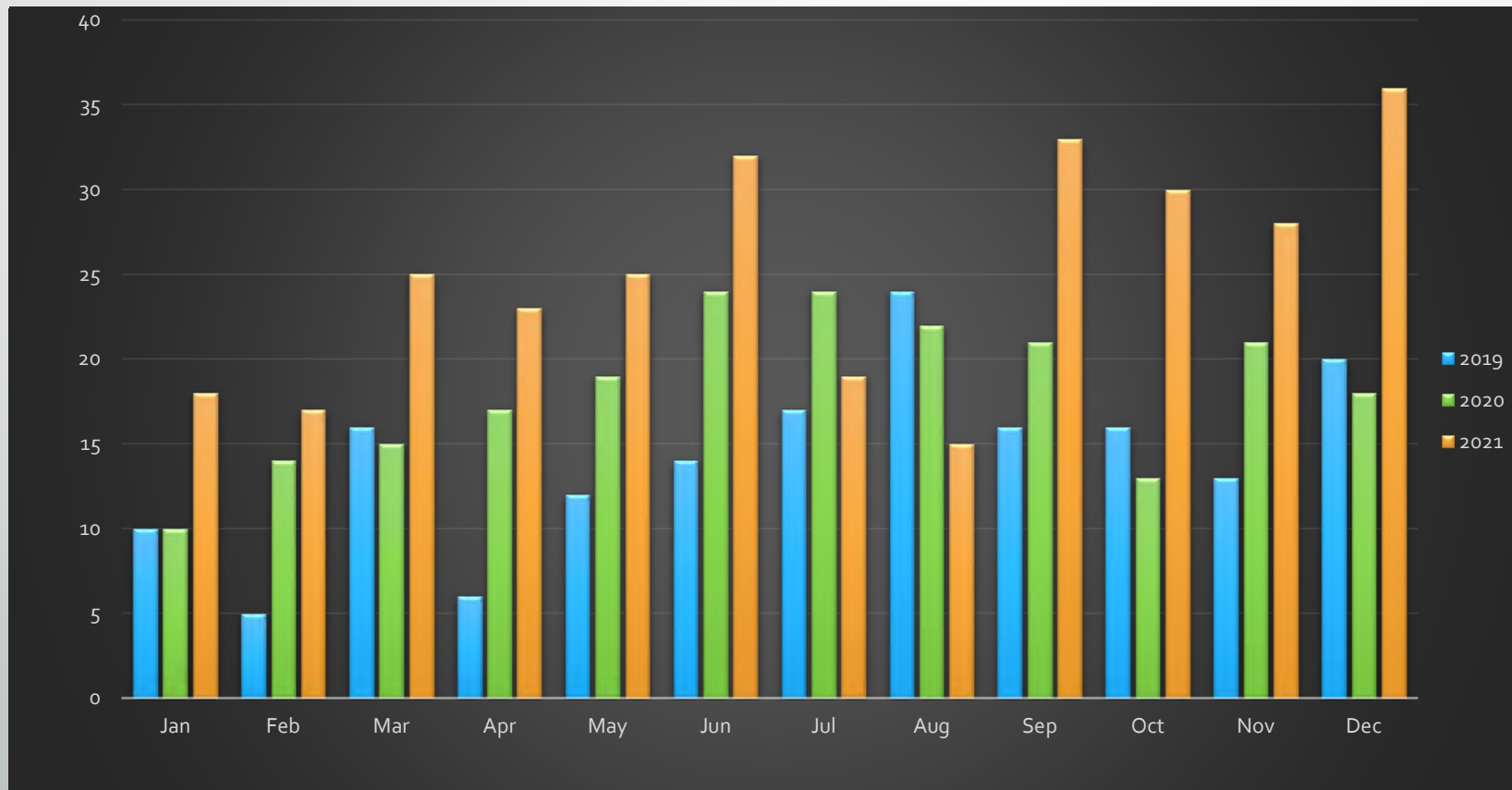
# Common Activities

Common Police Activities	Trend	2018	2019	2020	2021
Mental Health Act		N/A	N/A	74	117
Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Property		N/A	N/A	315	245
Persons Reported Missing		N/A	N/A	26	19



# Domestic Violence Statistics

Monthly occurrences involving domestic violence from 2019-2021



*\*This includes Stoney Nakoda statistics*





# Areas of Concern

Several communities within the rural Cochrane detachment area are experiencing significant growth and expansion, including Springbank, Bearspaw and Harmony.

This is expected to increase crime both due to population growth and because many of the homes being built are high end residences which may attract property offenders.



# Notable Events / Initiatives

- Stoney Nakoda Detachment
- Ironman
- Springbank Airshow
- Bragg Creek Days



# Questions

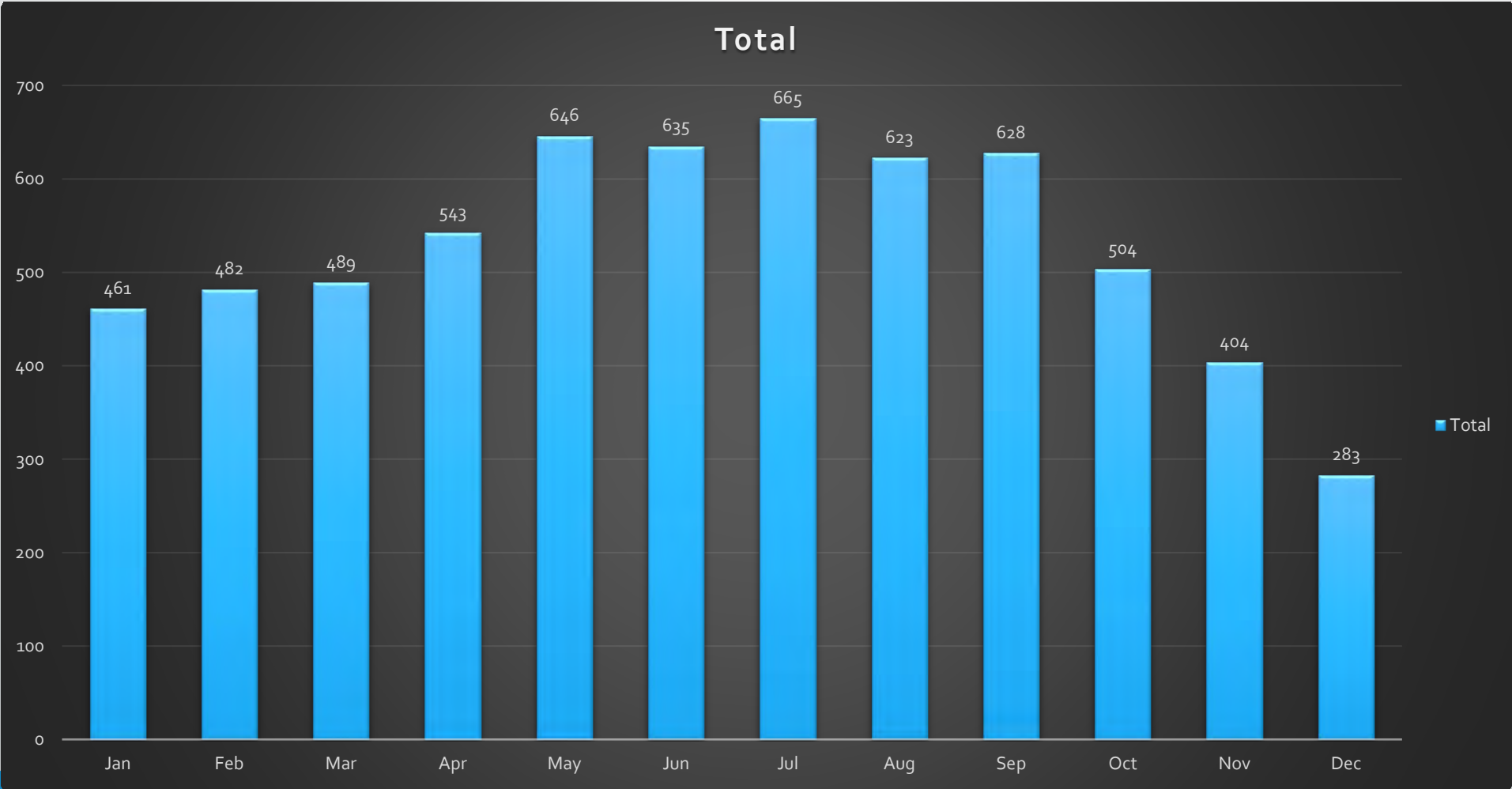


# Strathmore Rural

**Staff Sergeant Mark Wielgosz**

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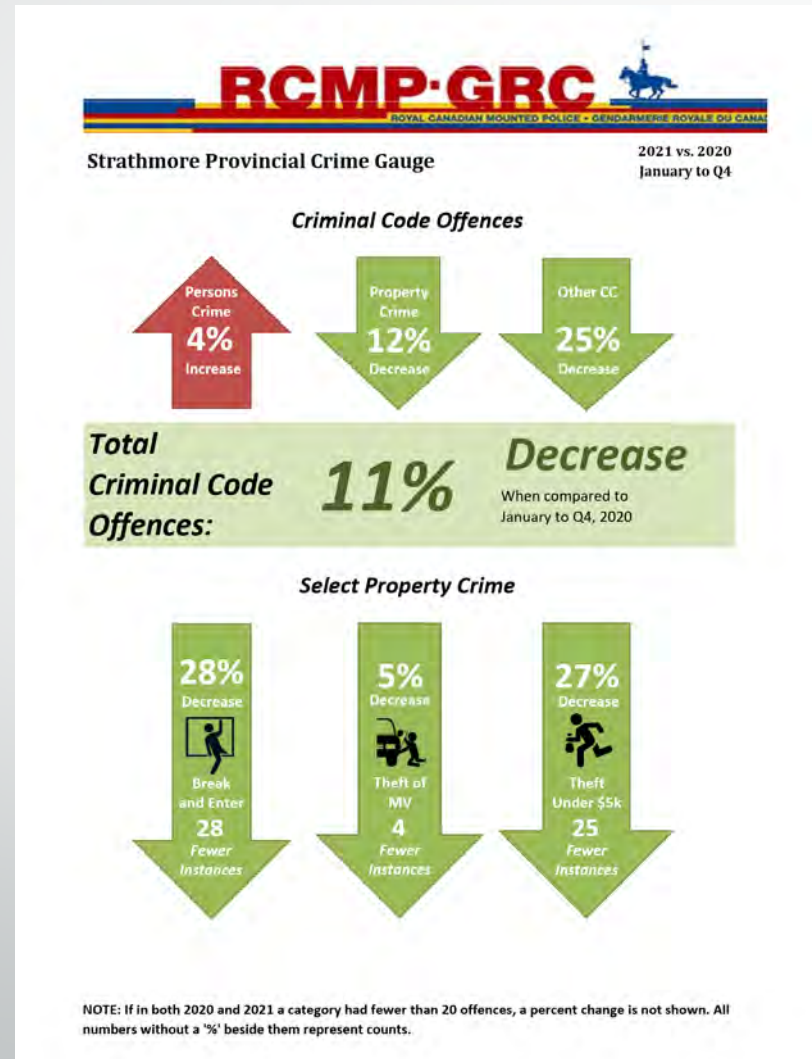
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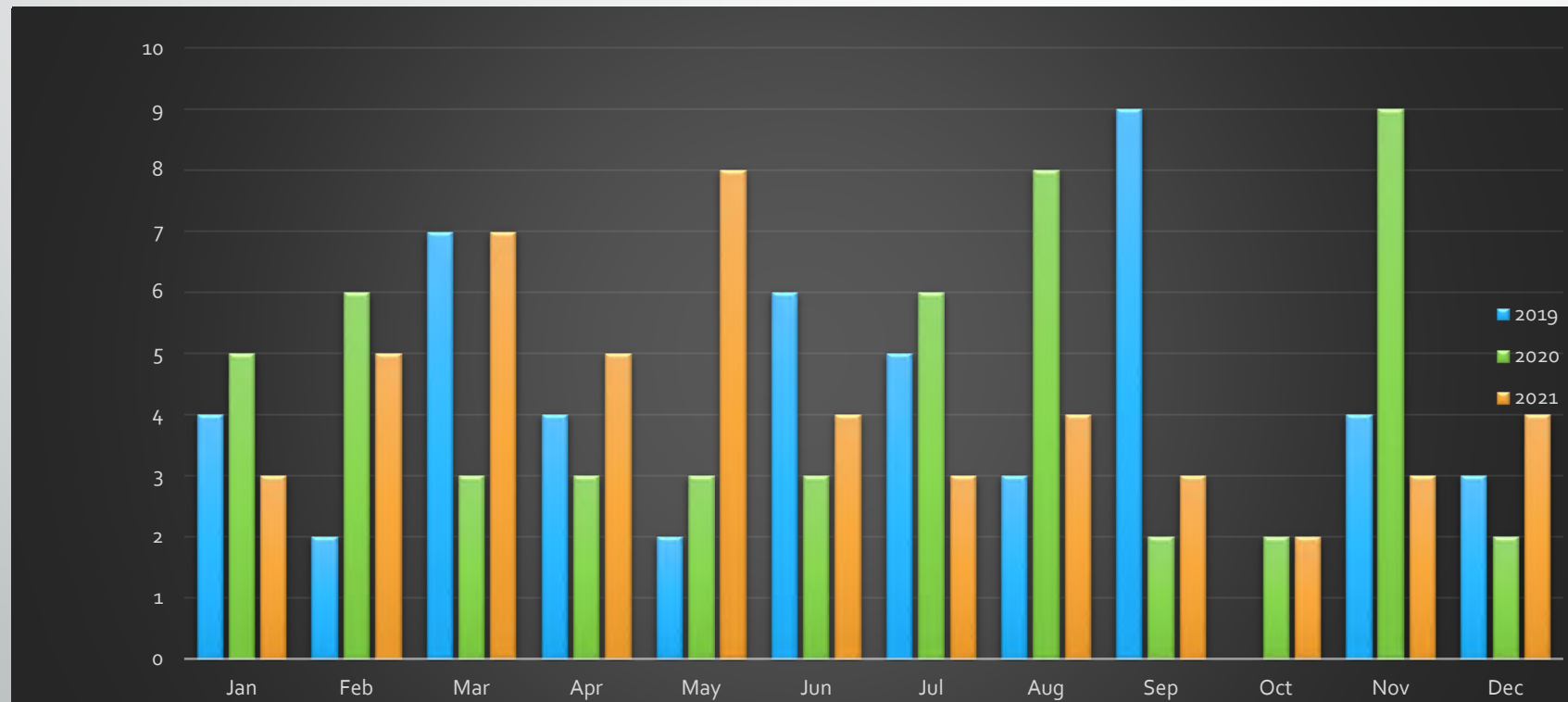


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# Langdon

- In 2021 there were 509 calls for service in Langdon, including traffic offences which comprised 139 of those calls.
- The most common call types were Mental Health Act (29), Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Property (26) and Assistance to Canadian Provincial Agency (17).
- There were a total of 19 assaults, including four assaults with a weapon and two assaults on a police officer.
- There were 12 break and enters, 7 vehicle thefts, and 20 incidents of theft under \$5000

# PRIORITIES

## 1. Reduce Property Crime: Theft of MV, Theft from MV, Break and Enter

- Crime Prevention Programs
- Habitual Offender Management
- Business Outreach

## 2. Road Safety: Reduce Injury and Overall Reportable Collisions

- Detachment Road Safety Operations / Programs
- Enhanced Road Safety Programs
- Joint Force Operations

## 3. Community Engagement

- Furtherance of Tri-partite Agreement with Siksika
- Involvement in Community Engagement and Youth Events
- Town Hall Consultations
- School Visits / Community Liaison Groups

## Areas of Concern

- Wrangler Park
- Highway 22x and Glenmore Trail
- Spillover from Calgary

# Questions

