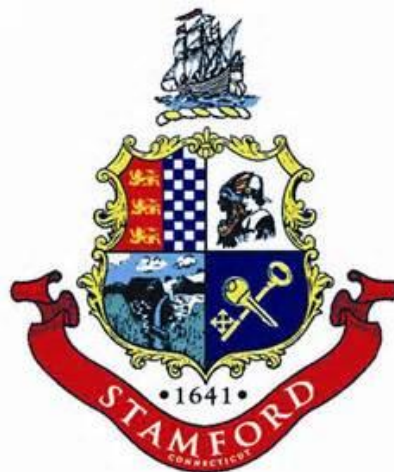


City of Stamford Police Department

FY 2017-18 Budget Presentation





Services Provided

(to citizens / to departments)

Program (s)	Services Provided
3300 - Administration	<i>– Jail, Internal Affairs, Desk Sergeant / Front Desk, Records, Garage, IT, Communications, Central Hiring, Admin.</i>
3301 – Patrol	<i>– Uniform Squads, Marine Division, Special Events</i>
3302- Special Teams	<i>– Special Response Team (SRT), Hostage Negotiation Team (HNT), Bomb Team, K-9 Unit</i>
3303 – Training	<i>– Academy Training, In-Service Training, Recruit Field Training, Advanced Schools</i>
3304 – Investigations	<i>– Crimes Against Persons, Crimes Against Property, Youth Bureau, Student Resource officers (SRO), Special Victims Unit, Narcotics and Organized Crime (NOC), Task Forces (DEA, Homeland Security), Crime Scene Unit, Property Room, Court Liaison</i>
3366 – Animal Control	<i>– Care of Abandoned Animals, Pet Adoptions, Volunteer Programs</i>
3320 – Extra Duty	<i>– Central Hiring, Avalon</i>



2016-17 Highlights

What are the most significant accomplishments made & challenges faced by the department in the last FY?

- Two new K-9's trained, certified and added to the department.
- Islamic Community Outreach Program started through our Homeland Security Unit. Sgt. Stephen Murphy who speaks several languages and has advanced college degrees in Middle Eastern Studies leads the initiative.
- Crime / Gun Stoppers anonymous tip line program started.
- Stamford Boys Leadership Program Started modeled on our already successful Girls Leadership Program.
- Started the Secure Cam project so that local business and homeowners can use their security camera systems to assist officers in investigating and solving crimes.
- Initiated formal "Role-Call" training such as Fire Scene Safety, Door Breaching, etc. in an effort to provide quality training and reduce State mandated training costs.



Department Challenges

Key Program/Department Challenges (exclude staffing level impact)

- Computer crimes, Financial Crimes and Identity Theft investigations are becoming more prevalent. These types of complex investigations are extremely time consuming and manpower intensive.

Budget Scenarios

Any reductions in manpower or operational account lines would make it difficult to maintain the current quality of Police services expected by the Stamford community. Please see the “Highlights” list for this year on the previous page and the extensive list of continuing goals listed on pages 15-24 for examples of the programs provided that the community depends on.



Performance Metrics

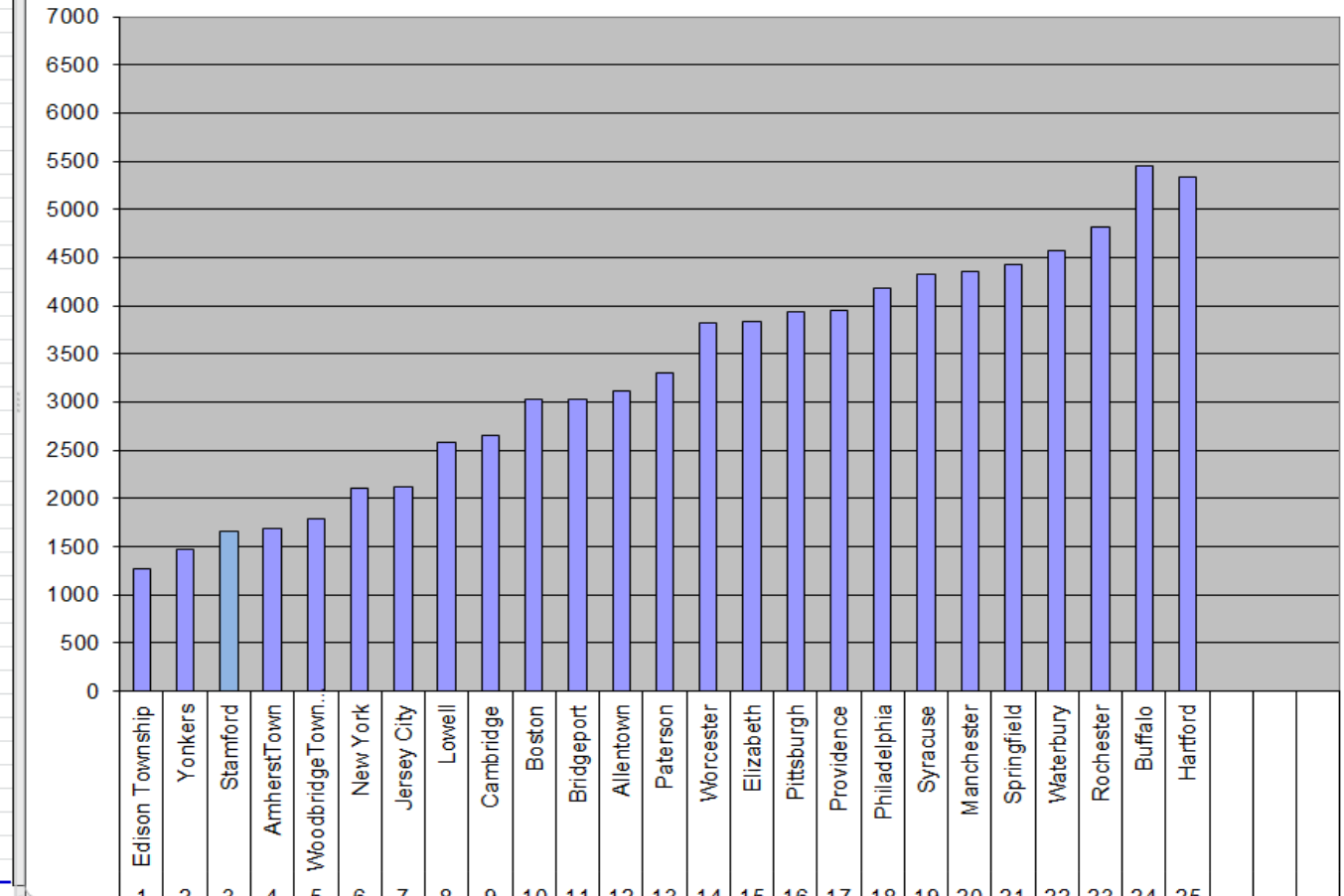
January- December 2015: Northeast Crime Rankings Per 100,000
(Cities with over 100,000 Population)

Stamford is the 3rd safest of the 25 cities in the Northeast Region who reported data to the FBI.

No Data: New Haven, CT & Newark, NJ

Rank	City	State	Rate per 100,000
1	Edison Township	NJ	1275
2	Yonkers	NY	1466
3	Stamford	CT	1661
4	AmherstTown	NY	1690
5	WoodbridgeTownship	NJ	1783
6	New York	NY	2104
7	Jersey City	NJ	2116
8	Lowell	MA	2577
9	Cambridge	MA	2653
10	Boston	MA	3023
11	Bridgeport	CT	3029
12	Allentown	PA	3120
13	Paterson	NJ	3300
14	Worcester	MA	3818
15	Elizabeth	NJ	3840
16	Pittsburgh	PA	3931
17	Providence	RI	3956
18	Philadelphia	PA	4176
19	Syracuse	NY	4325
20	Manchetser	NH	4348
21	Springfield	MA	4427
22	Waterbury	CT	4577
23	Rochester	NY	4814
24	Buffalo	NY	5449
25	Hartford	CT	5531

FBI Northeast Region Crime Rate Rankings



*All data subject to change

All data derived from Crime in the U.S. published by the FBI



Performance Metrics

*Crime Rate Per 100,000: Stamford vs. National & Connecticut Cities 2015

Data is derived from Group II Population (cities between 100,000- 249,999)

<u>Offense</u>	<u>National</u>	<u>Stamford</u>	<u>Bridgeport</u>	<u>Hartford</u>	<u>Waterbury</u>
Total Crime	3740.9	1660.97	3028.72	5530.96	4577.04
Violent Crime	471.0	219.76	671.55	1140.87	428.26
Homicide	6.2	2.31	12.81	25.69	3.66
Rape	45.6	14.65	53.93	35.32	29.34
Robbery	137.8	70.94	297.34	409.46	235.68
Agg. Asst.	281.7	131.86	307.45	670.39	159.56
Property Crime	3269.9	1441.21	2357.17	4390.09	4148.78
Burglary	612.9	154.22	550.86	769.15	478.7
Larceny	2316.6	1163.61	1384.23	2900.77	2928.17
MV Theft	340.3	123.37	422.08	720.17	741.9

*New Haven did not report data to the FBI for calendar year 2015



Performance Metrics

*CRIME RATE PER 100,000 RESIDENTS BY OFFENSE- January- June 2016

<u>OFFENSE</u>	<u>STAM</u>	<u>HART</u>	<u>NH</u>	<u>WATER</u>	<u>**BRIDGE</u>
Homicide	0	8.02	3.83	2.75	
Rape	13.1	22.48	26.83	12.83	
Robbery	41.64	162.17	144.16	100.87	
Agg. Asst.	63.23	299.47	280.66	128.38	
Burglary	93.3	291.44	255.36	328.3	
Larceny	506.62	1325.54	1266.84	1277.46	
MV Theft	56.29	293.85	240.79	276.03	
TOTAL	774.21	1817.69	2218.50	1522.31	
Serious Crime	117.98	492.15	455.51	244.85	
Property Crime	656.22	1325.54	1762.99	1277.46	
Population	129,682	124,553	130,403	109,044	

*Data derived from Preliminary Crime in the US, Jan-June 2016, published by the FBI

**The FBI determined that Bridgeport underreported Property Crime data for 2016, and did not include their data in the preliminary report



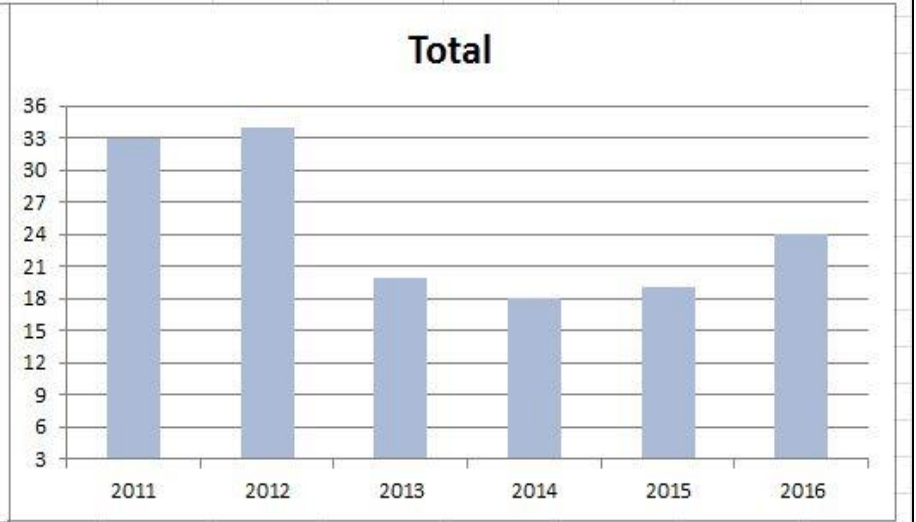
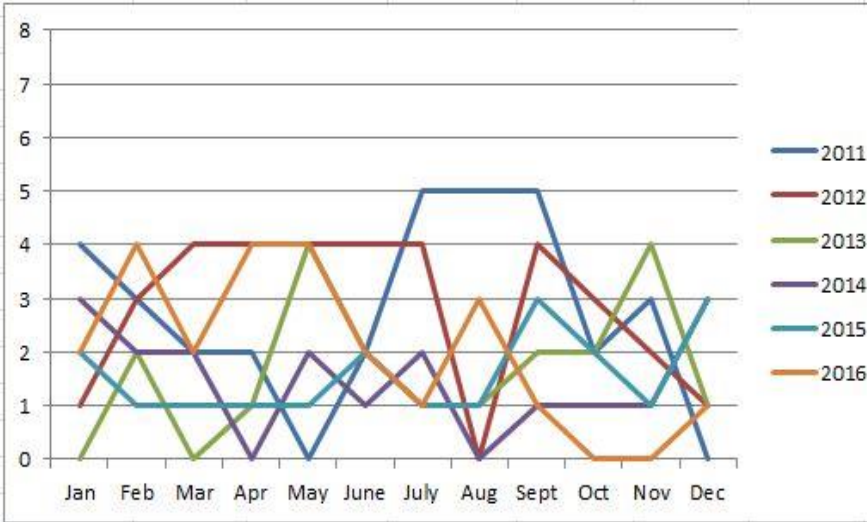
Performance Metrics

STAMFORD: PRELIMINARY MONTHLY PART 1 CRIME OFFENSES													
*Data marked in Red has not been verified by State													
Homicides = <u>19</u> since 2011													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2011	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	6
2012	1	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	5
2013	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
2014	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
2015	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
2016	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2



Performance Metrics

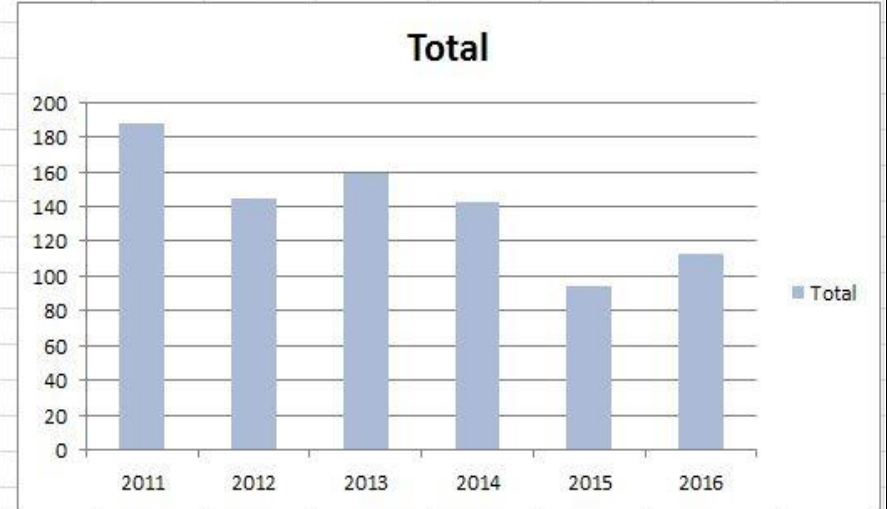
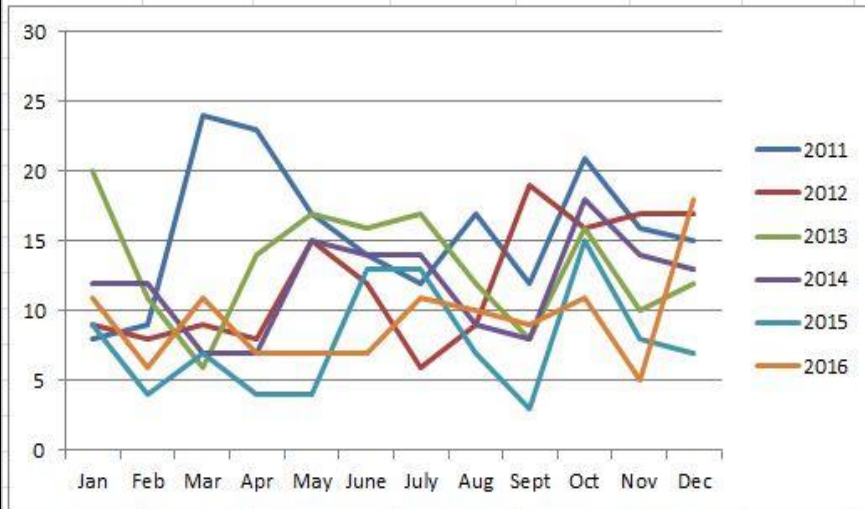
2. Rape =	<u>148</u> since 2011												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	<u>Total</u>
2011	4	3	2	2	0	2	5	5	5	2	3	0	33
2012	1	3	4	4	4	4	4	0	4	3	2	1	34
2013	0	2	0	1	4	2	1	1	2	2	4	1	20
2014	3	2	2	0	2	1	2	0	1	1	1	3	18
2015	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	1	3	19
2016	2	4	2	4	4	2	1	3	1	0	0	1	24





Performance Metrics

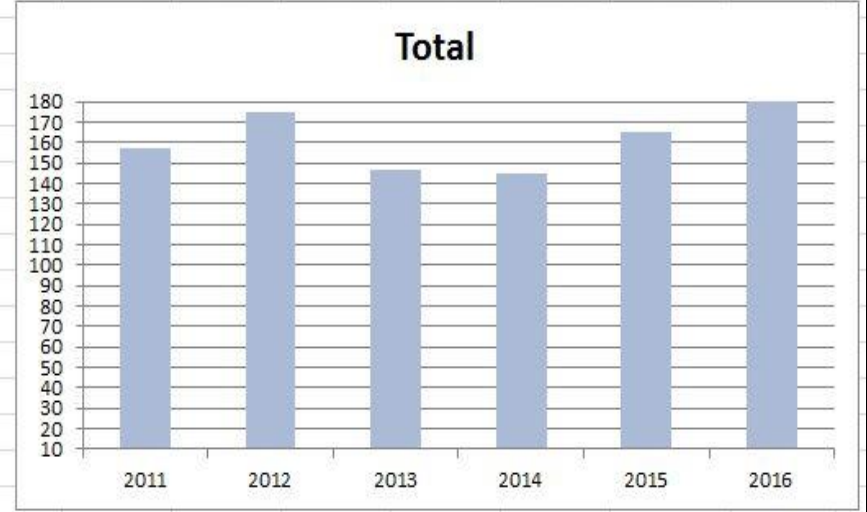
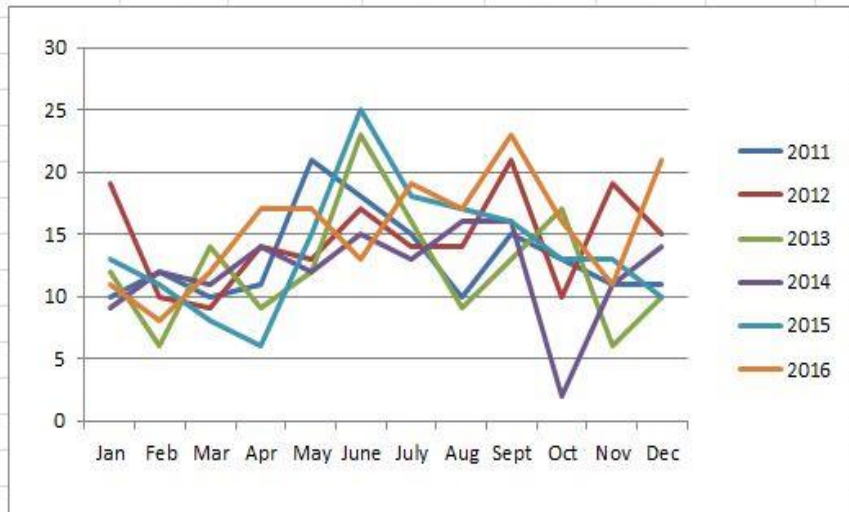
Robbery =													842	2011
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	
2011	8	9	24	23	17	14	12	17	12	21	16	15	188	
2012	9	8	9	8	15	12	6	9	19	16	17	17	145	
2013	20	11	6	14	17	16	17	12	8	16	10	12	159	
2014	12	12	7	7	15	14	14	9	8	18	14	13	143	
2015	9	4	7	4	4	13	13	7	3	15	8	7	94	
2016	11	6	11	7	7	7	11	10	9	11	5	18	113	





Performance Metrics

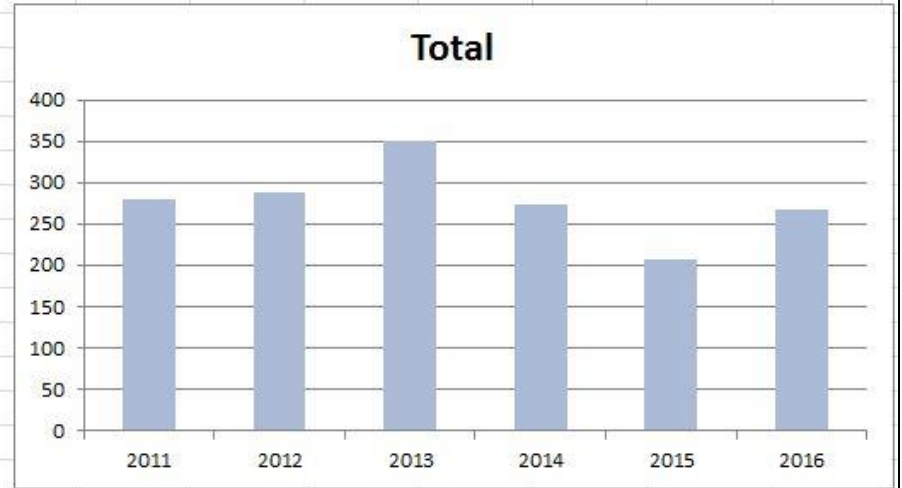
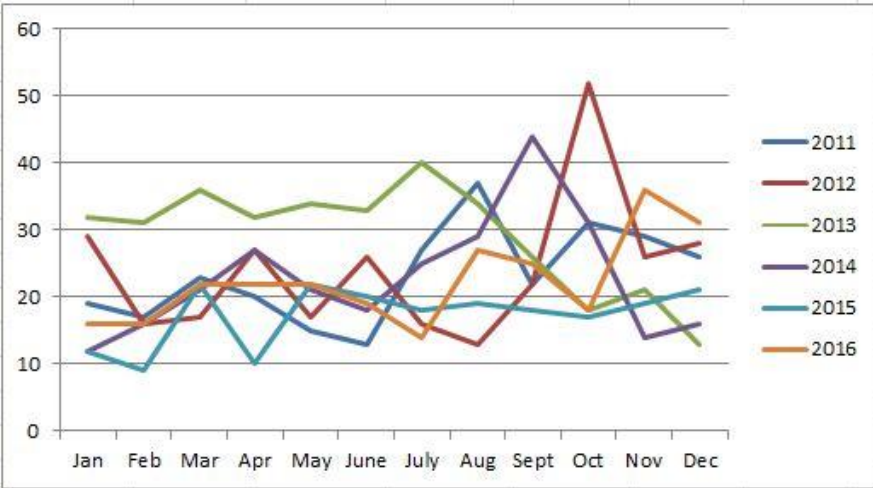
Agg. Assault	974 since 2011												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2011	10	12	10	11	21	18	15	10	15	13	11	11	157
2012	19	10	9	14	13	17	14	14	21	10	19	15	175
2013	12	6	14	9	12	23	16	9	13	17	6	10	147
2014	9	12	11	14	12	15	13	16	16	2	11	14	145
2015	13	11	8	6	15	25	18	17	16	13	13	10	165
2016	11	8	12	17	17	13	19	17	23	16	11	21	185





Performance Metrics

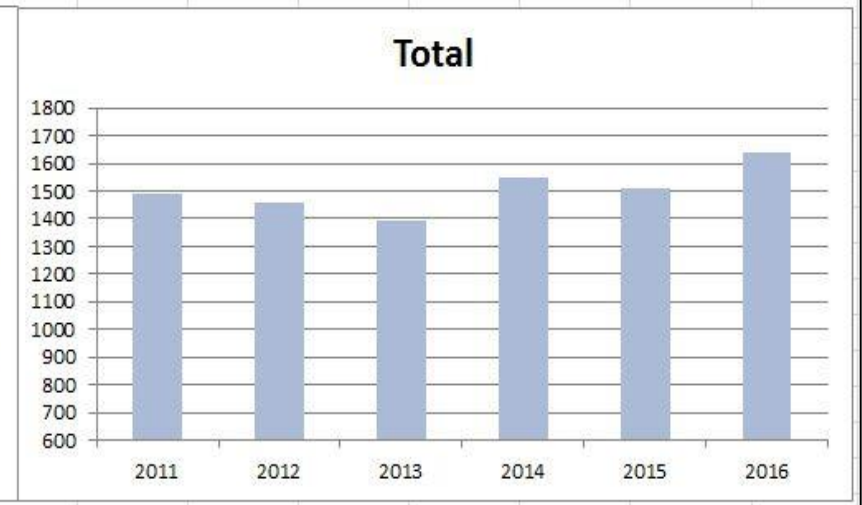
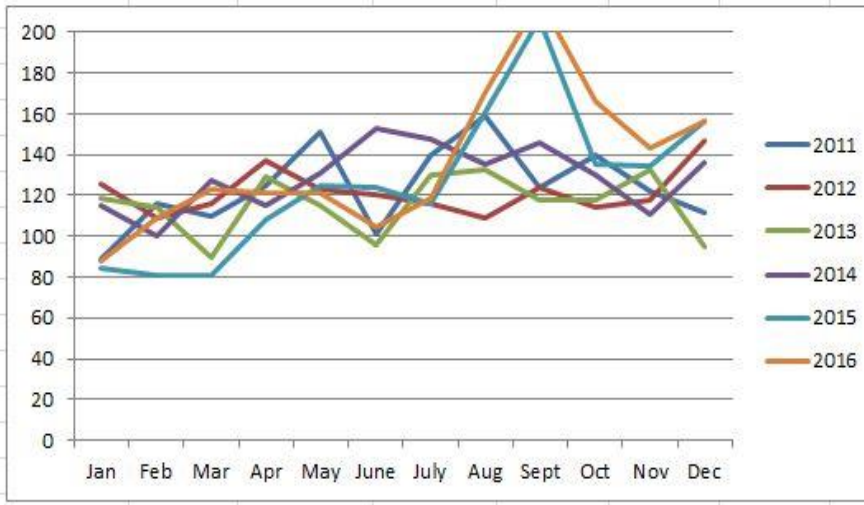
Burglary =	1667 since 2011												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2011	19	17	23	20	15	13	27	37	22	31	29	26	279
2012	29	16	17	27	17	26	16	13	22	52	26	28	289
2013	32	31	36	32	34	33	40	34	26	18	21	13	350
2014	12	16	21	27	21	18	25	29	44	31	14	16	274
2015	12	9	22	10	22	20	18	19	18	17	19	21	207
2016	16	16	22	22	22	19	14	27	25	18	36	31	268





Performance Metrics

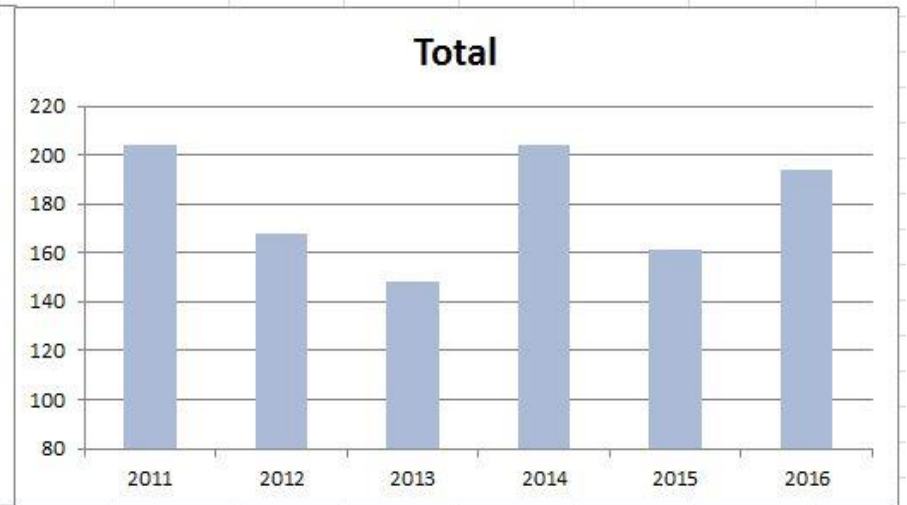
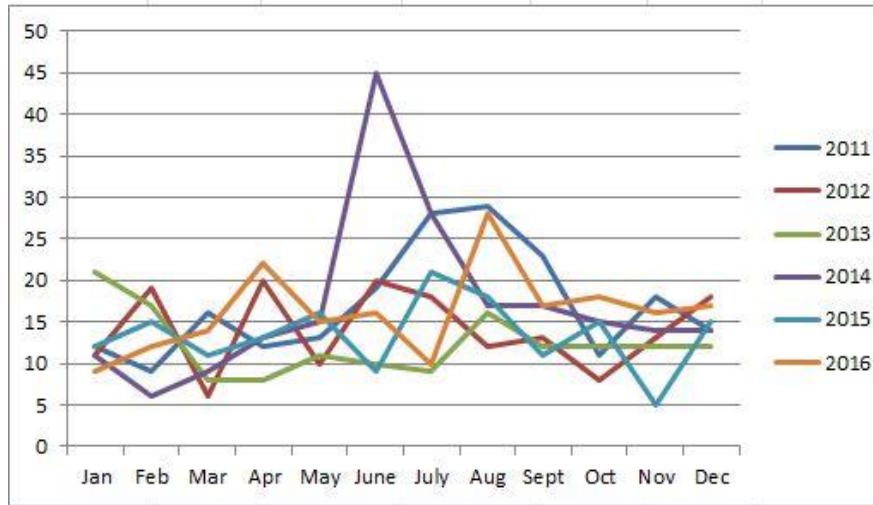
Larceny =	9033 since 2011												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2011	89	116	110	125	151	101	140	159	124	140	122	112	1489
2012	126	109	116	137	123	120	116	109	124	114	118	147	1459
2013	119	114	90	129	115	96	130	133	118	118	133	95	1390
2014	115	100	127	115	131	153	148	135	146	130	111	136	1547
2015	84	81	81	108	125	124	116	161	206	135	134	156	1511
2016	88	109	123	121	121	105	119	170	216	166	143	156	1637





Performance Metrics

MV Theft=	1079 since 2011												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2011	12	9	16	12	13	19	28	29	23	11	18	14	204
2012	11	19	6	20	10	20	18	12	13	8	13	18	168
2013	21	17	8	8	11	10	9	16	12	12	12	12	148
2014	11	6	9	13	15	45	28	17	17	15	14	14	204
2015	12	15	11	13	16	9	21	18	11	15	5	15	161
2016	9	12	14	22	15	16	10	28	17	18	16	17	194





2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- The Stamford Police Department Plans to continue its longstanding tradition of community oriented services, especially those services which target traditionally underserved populations and youth. The following represents a list of these services.
- Juvenile Review Board : Provides alternatives to the criminal justice system for certain offenses when conditions are agreed to by arrestee and guardian and are abided by. Last year the JRB handled 39 cases. The JRB is comprised of 2 YB Sergeants, investigators and 1 civilian.
- (TARIP) Truancy and At Risk Program : This program seeks to keep at risk and chronically truant juveniles from exposure to the criminal justice system by involving these juveniles in intense mentoring, counseling and interventions. In 2016 TARIP handled 30 cases with the single officer involved having to take considerable time off for health reasons. This years number will be much higher.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- **Girls Leadership Program:** This initiative involves 5 veteran female officers who mentor teenage girls who are deemed to be at risk or are borderline at risk candidates. The officers serve as role models and counselors and sessions involve open dialogue about any issues the girls may be experiencing. This program also exposes the girls to practical skills such as ropes courses, culinary arts and educational opportunities. The program worked with 45 girls during the past year.
- **Sexual Assault Response Team:** the SART is part of a multi agency/multi disciplinary approach to determining the best, fairest and least harmful ways to investigate juvenile sexual assaults. The SART also conducts sexual assault cases involving juveniles. This team is comprised of Juvenile Special Investigations officers and Sergeants. In 2016 SART investigated 80 sexual assaults involving juveniles.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- The Mayors Juvenile Justice Reform Program: this program involves several city agencies and focuses on issues such as mitigation of negative connotations of juvenile criminal justice actions, reducing school minimizing school based arrests and other juvenile justice related issues.
- Domestic Violence Home Visit program: Stamford was the first department in the state to employ a regular home visit program to victims of domestic violence incidents. Members of the Special victims Unit went to the homes of 60 DV victims after incidents to make sure offenders have not re-appeared, go over safety plans and check on the welfare of the victim. These visits are one of the cornerstones of our DV program.
- Lethality Assessment Program in conjunction with the Domestic Violence Crisis Center: This program actively assesses every DV incident to explore the possibility that the incident will result in a DV related homicide. Using in house intelligence and investigations with industry best analysis SVU investigators attempt to determine the probability of incident escalation.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- Neighbors Link and St. Josephs Parenting Collaborative for the Hispanic Community: The department has established close working relationships with these two organizations to provide a bridge between law enforcement and members of the city's Hispanic community. Utilizing Spanish speaking officers and members of the Special Victims Unit and Youth Bureau we help alleviate concerns about crime in the community, immigration issues, breaking down barriers between the community and the department, educational opportunities, health and housing issues and other areas not traditionally addressed by law enforcement.
- Hoarding Task Force: Working with other city agencies such as the Health Department and Operations and this unit addresses the law enforcement, health, social and mental health problems encountered by people living in hoarding situations.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- Operation Safe House: working in conjunction with the Fire Department, Health Department, and Social Services officers from the department engage in inspections of housing deemed to be unfit, over crowded or not in compliance with city zoning, health and occupancy laws and regulations.
- Senior Outreach Collaborative: a collaborative between the PD, Health Department, State Social Services and the duBois Center. This group works together to look into issues involving housing, probate, health and mental health issues involving our senior community.
- U.S. Secret Service Financial Crimes Task Force: an investigator from the Property crimes Unit is assigned on a part time basis to work on high level financial crimes with the SS. This partnership allows us to access SS assets, equipment and expertise to solve crimes committed locally. This also allows our participating member to receive high level training that she would not otherwise be entitled to on a no cost basis.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- IRS/Treasury Task Force: an officer from the Property Crimes Unit is assigned on a part time basis to work with the IRS and Treasury Department on high value local cases involving tax fraud, counterfeiting and other related cases. Again, the training offered for the type of work is provided at no cost to the department and in some cases we are given a percentage of funds seized during the take down of targets involved in these cases.
- Connecticut Intelligence Center: 2 officers are assigned as part time members of CTIC. This is a clearinghouse of all law enforcement information and intelligence gathered by all agencies in the state and also an outlet for the sharing of information on a federal basis including terrorism and international crime.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- Fairfield County Jewelry Alliance: officers from the Property Crimes Unit attend briefings and are involved in information sharing from other county police departments regarding jewelry thefts, illegal pawn operations, precious metals transactions and other related crimes.
- Property Crimes investigators give very well received public presentations regarding fraud, white collar crime, avoiding scams and crimes targeting businesses and senior citizens.
- Joint Terrorism Task Force: one Sergeant with extensive anti terrorism experience is assigned on a part time basis to work with the FBI Terrorism Task Force. This TF is primarily involved in the investigation of domestic terror threats and the dissemination of intelligence regarding all terrorism threats and operations inside the US. Currently the JTTF has active cases in all 50 states.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- The Homeland Security detail has initiated several outreach programs with the Muslim community of the city including meetings with mosque leadership, establish Sunday school youth development programs to elevate trust between the community and the department, establish K9 and touch a truck programs for children of all faiths to enjoy together and attendance at Friday prayers. One of our Sergeants in particular has a great deal of knowledge of Muslim culture, faith and institutions and he has volunteered to be a part of this important effort.
- Weapons of Mass Destruction TF: Our EOD Commander is assigned on a part time basis to the WMDTF to investigate all threats and conduct investigations regarding the production, sale, or use of any weapons of mass destruction.
- Both of these task forces allow us access to all of the resources and information gathering and sharing ability of the FBI as well as allow us to participate in cutting edge training that we otherwise would not have.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- Secret Service Electronic Crimes Task force: 2 officers who are trained computer forensic investigators, trained at the National Computer Forensic Institute and equipped by the same group to investigate financial crime, mobile device forensics and investigations, basic computer forensics and advanced computer forensics. This is one of our fastest growing criminal offenses and we are a recognized leader in the field with other agencies seeking out our expertise.
- Technical Investigations Unit of SW CT: collaboration between PD, CSP, States Attorneys office, Homeland Security, Secret Service and several other agencies. This task force works on computer and digital crime and internet child exploitation. The group works out of a lab in Weston and meets every Friday.
- CSP Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force: this is a regional TF comprised of investigators who specialize in investigations involving the production, sale, sharing and ownership of internet pornography involving children. Stamford is looked at as a leader and a driving force in the region because of our early commitment to this program and our continuing support and education of officers in the region.



2017-2018 Goals

What are your department goals and plans for 2017-18?

- Animal Relief Fund: newly formed 501 c (3) charitable endeavor that raises funds to better the quality of life of abandoned, neglected and abused animals. The Stamford Animal Control Unit and 1 police commander are instrumental in the formation and management of this fund.
- Two officers from the NOC Unit are heavily involved as mentors for troubled young men who need a positive male influence in their lives. Like many of our programs this is done on a completely voluntary basis.



Department Changes

Major changes planned for the department

The Police Department is continuing with plans to equip officers with Body Cameras. State arbitration with the Police Union is scheduled to take place in April and we are hopeful that an agreeable resolution is reached. After a pilot program and vendor vetting process is completed we anticipate the initial phase in of the program towards the second half of the fiscal year.