



Fredericton Police Force 2010 Year End Statistical Report

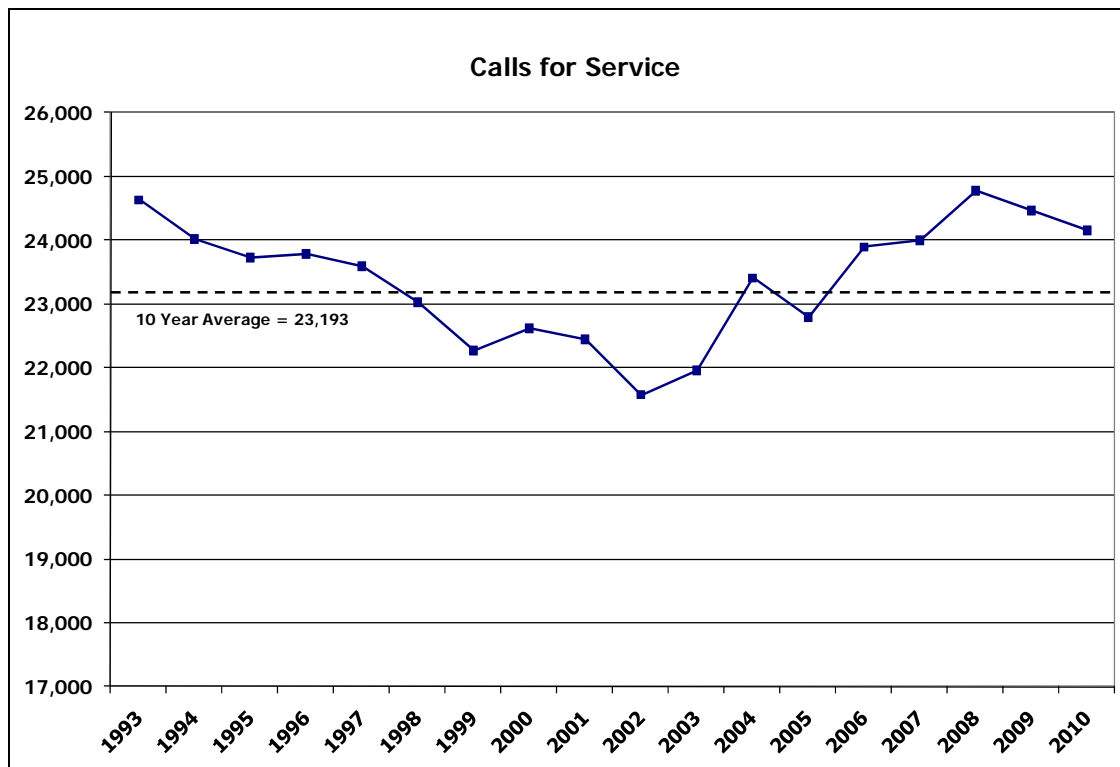
Introduction

This report refers to incidents that occurred during 2010 in the city of Fredericton. The data is compared to the 5 year average as well as the previous year's data.

Notable Trends from 2010

- Total criminal code offences have remained stable illustrating no increase or decrease;
- Crimes against people have increased, due mainly to increases in reported common assaults, sexual assaults, and uttering threats; and
- Crimes against property remained relatively stable, with a notable decrease reported arsons and frauds.

Calls for Service

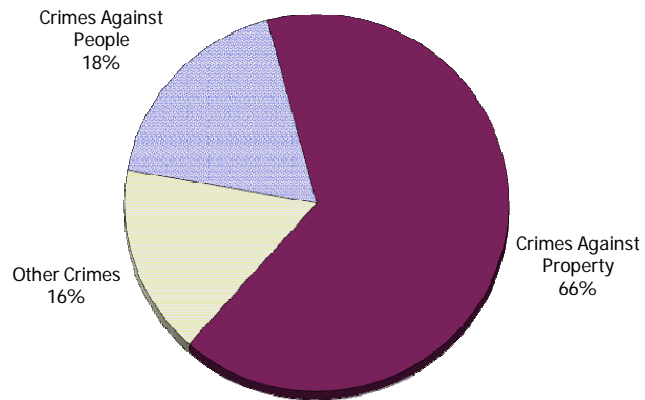


Total calls for service remained stable with a 1% increase in 2010 when compared to the 5-year average, and -1% decrease when compared to the previous year. There were a total of 24,151 calls for service in 2010, plus a total of 4,021 requests for security clearance letters and taxi licences. Total calls for service have increased since 2002.

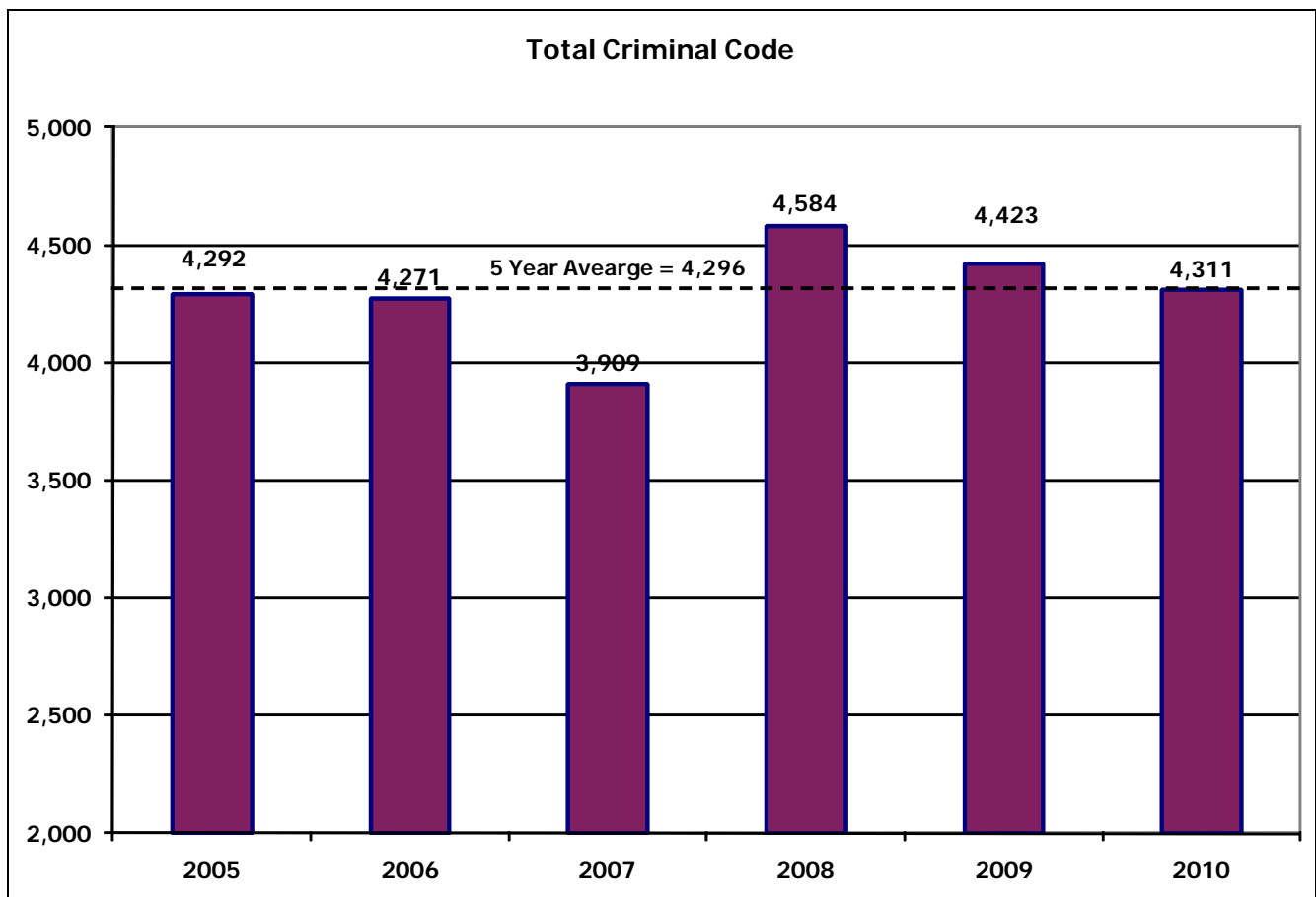
Crime in Fredericton

Total Reported Crime

The majority of crimes reported in Fredericton are **crimes against property**, representing 66% of all criminal code offences. This category includes such crimes as property damage, break & enter, and theft. **Other crimes** include incidents such as breach of probation, failure to attend court, and indecent or harassing phone calls.



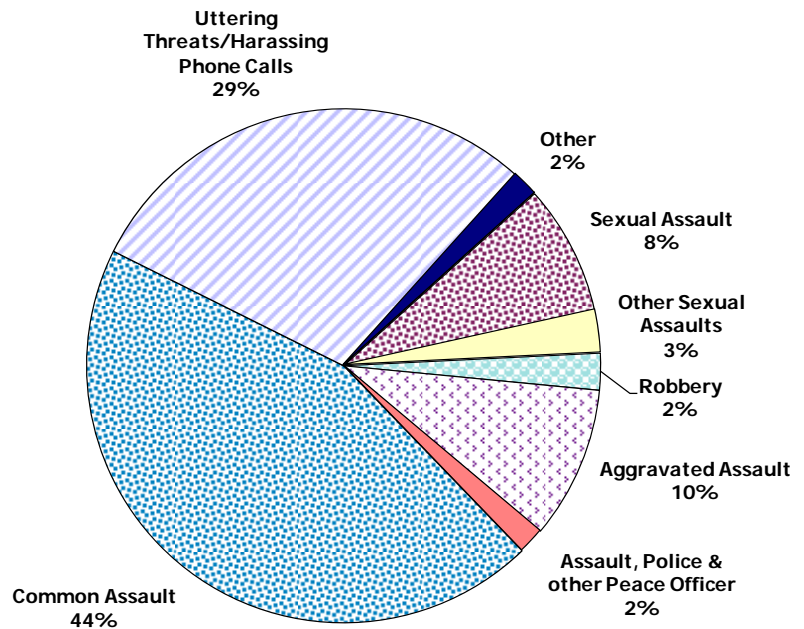
Total criminal code (people, property, and other) occurrences have remained stable, showing no increase or decrease when compared to the 5-year average. There was a 3% decrease when 2010 occurrences were compared to the previous year. This trend is illustrated in the graph below. Each of these crime categories will be discussed separately in this report.



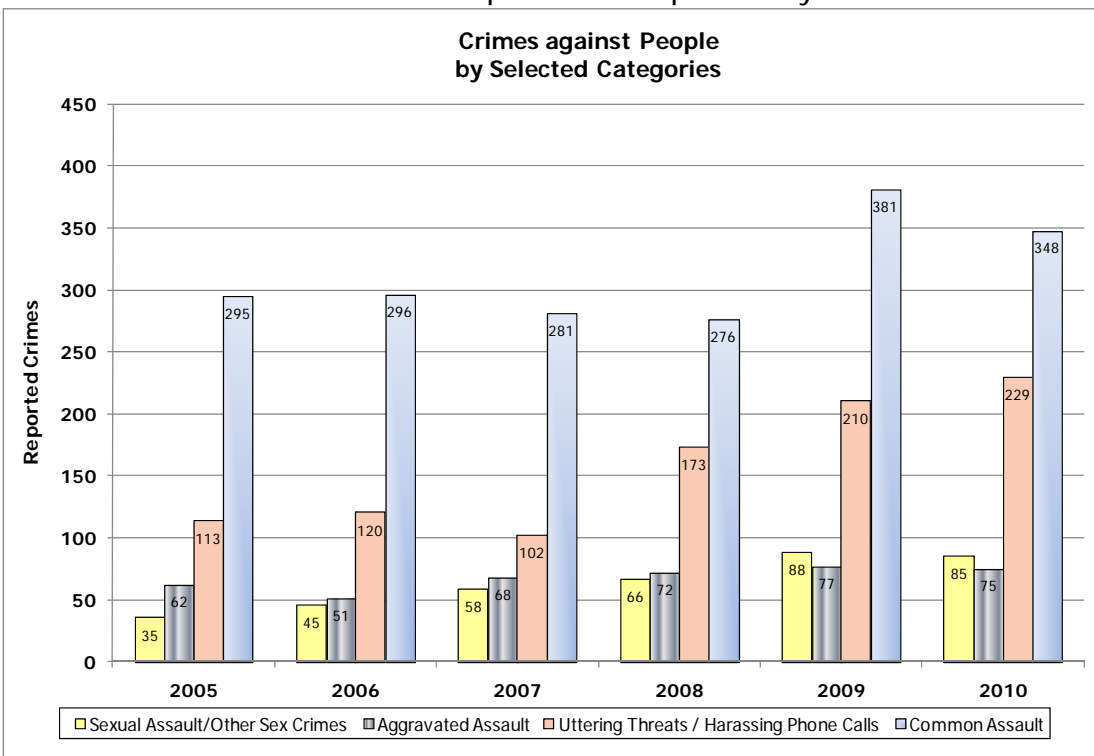
Crimes Against People- Violent Crime

Total crimes against people increased 24% in 2010 when compared to the 5-year average. All crimes against people increased in 2010 with the exception of robberies (-45%). The largest increases were seen in reported sexual assaults and uttering threats. The largest single category of crimes against people was common assault, representing just under half (44%) of the total violent crimes.

Crimes Against People



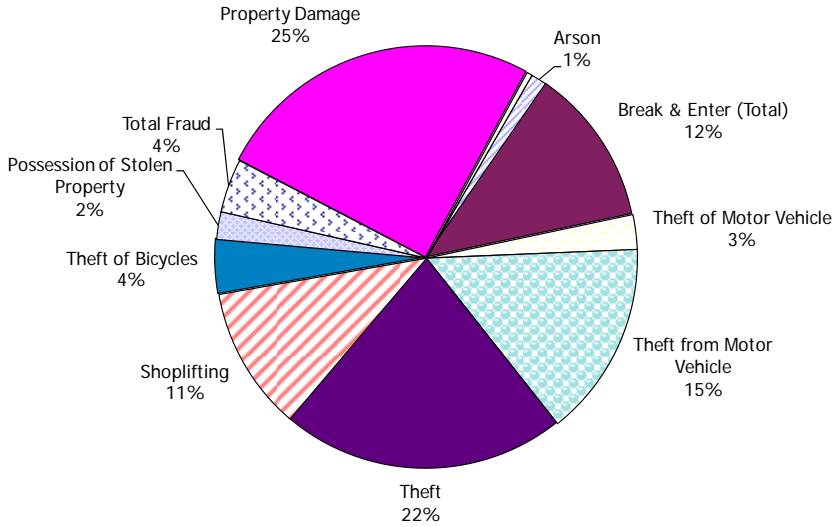
The graph below illustrates selected categories of crimes against people, these reported crimes contributed to the overall increase in crimes against people. **Common assaults** decreased in 2010 when compared to the previous year. This crime category still increased in 2010 when



in 2010 when compared to the 5 year average but the decrease over the previous year can partially be explained by special projects conducted. **Sexual assaults and other sex crimes** decreased slightly in 2010 when compared to the previous year but remain higher than the 5 year average.

Crimes Against Property

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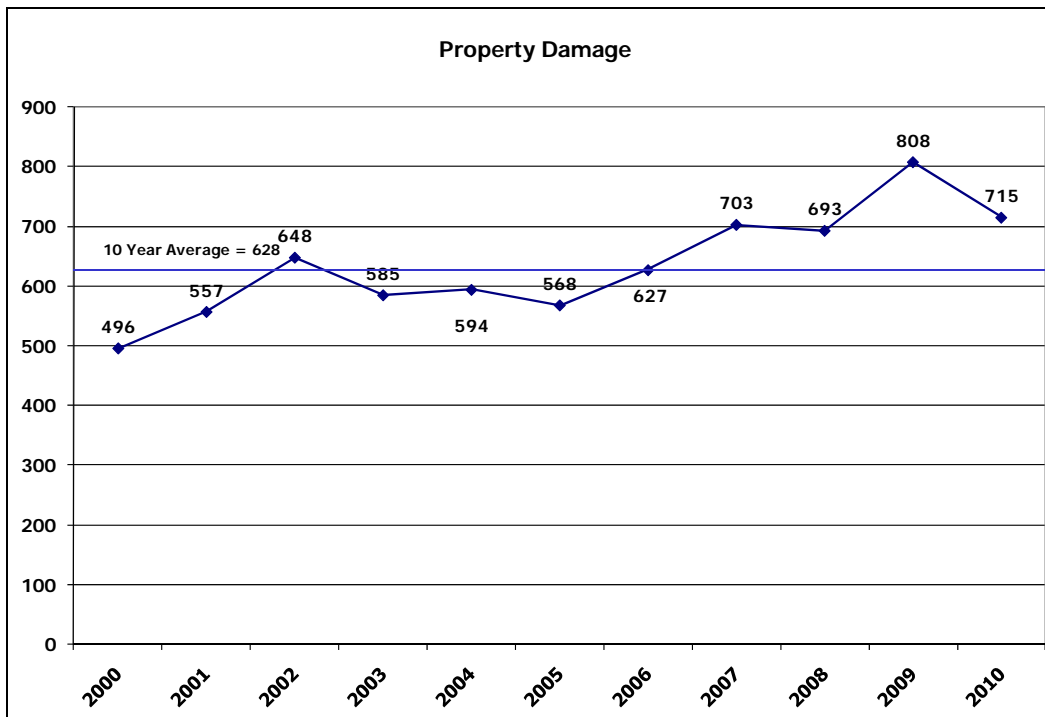


Crimes against property have remained relatively stable in 2010 with decreases of 5% and 6% when compared to the 5 year average and the previous year. The largest categories within this overall group are **property damage** (25%), **theft** (22%) and **theft from motor vehicles** (15%). There were notable increases in **non-residential break & enters** and a notable decrease in **fraud** and **other break & enters**.

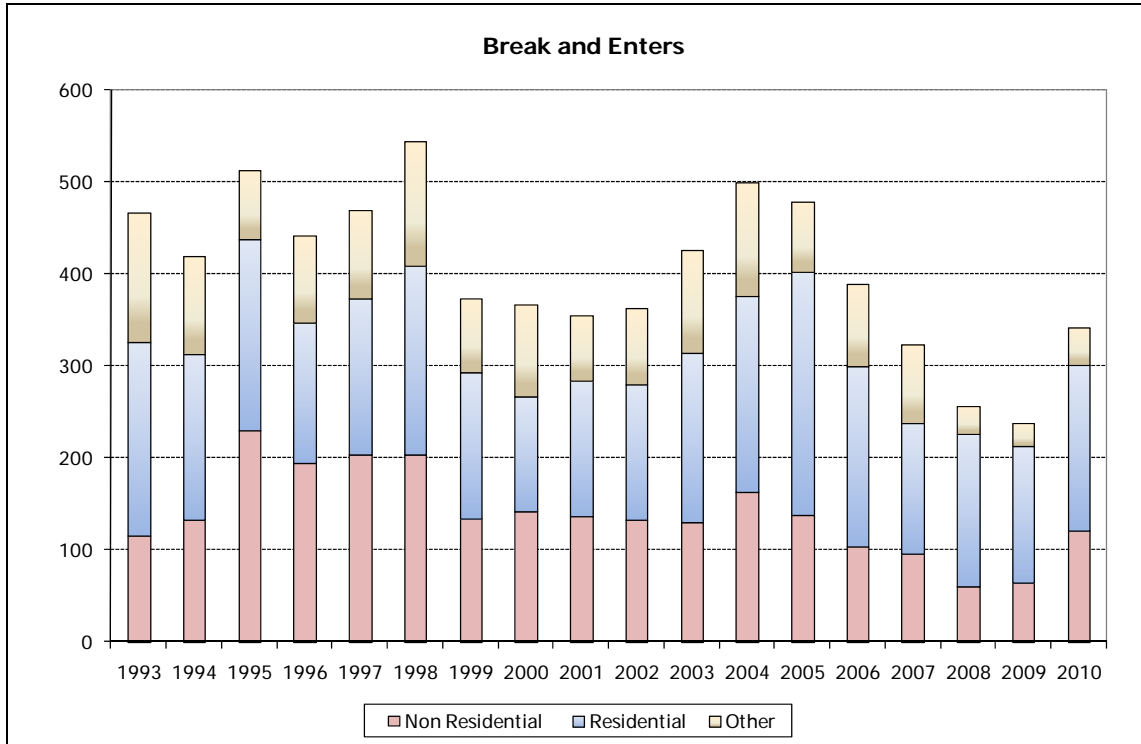
Theft from Motor Vehicle

incidents accounted for 15% of crimes against property. This crime category decreased by 10% when compared to the 5 year average and 9% when 2010 is compared to 2009.

Property damage occurrences decreased 12% when compared to the previous year's data but still remains higher the 5 year average. There has been a notable increasing trend in property damage since 2005.

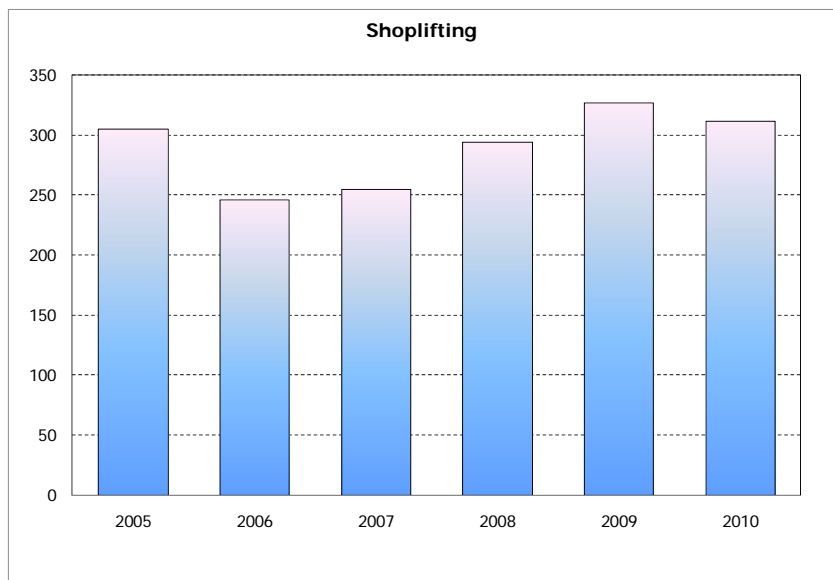


Break & enters accounted for 12% of the total crimes against property. These crimes are categorized as **residential, non-residential** and **other**. **Other break and enters** involve entry into sheds, exterior garages, and outbuildings. Break and enters increased slightly (1%) when compared to the 5 year average. Data from the last 18 years is illustrated on the graph below. The lowest number of break and enters in the previous 16 years was in 2009. There was a notable increase in non-residential break & enters in 2010 when compared to the previous year. This trend was noted early in 2011 by our Neighbourhood Action Team members and our Crime Analyst. These members conducted further analysis, implemented an action plan which resulted in arrests.

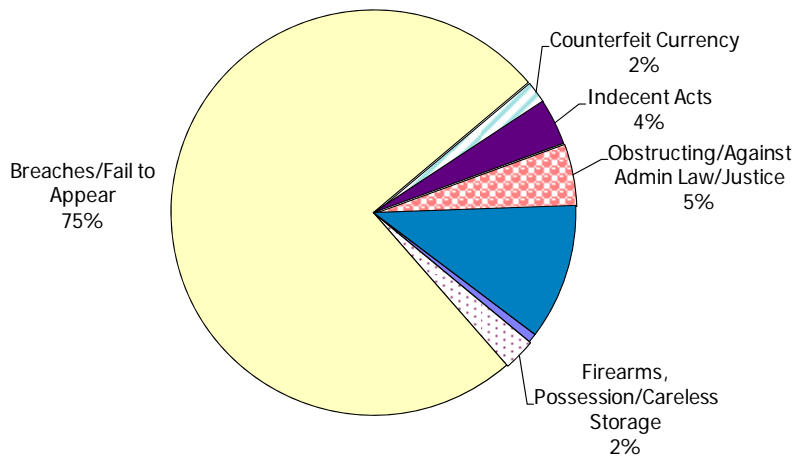


Reported **shoplifting** cases decreased slightly by 5% in 2010 when compared to the previous year but still remains higher than the 5 year average of 285 reported cases. This resulted in a 9% increase in 2010 when compared to the 5 year average. This is illustrated in the graph on the right.

Shoplifting accounted for 11% of total crimes against property.



Other Criminal Code Incidents

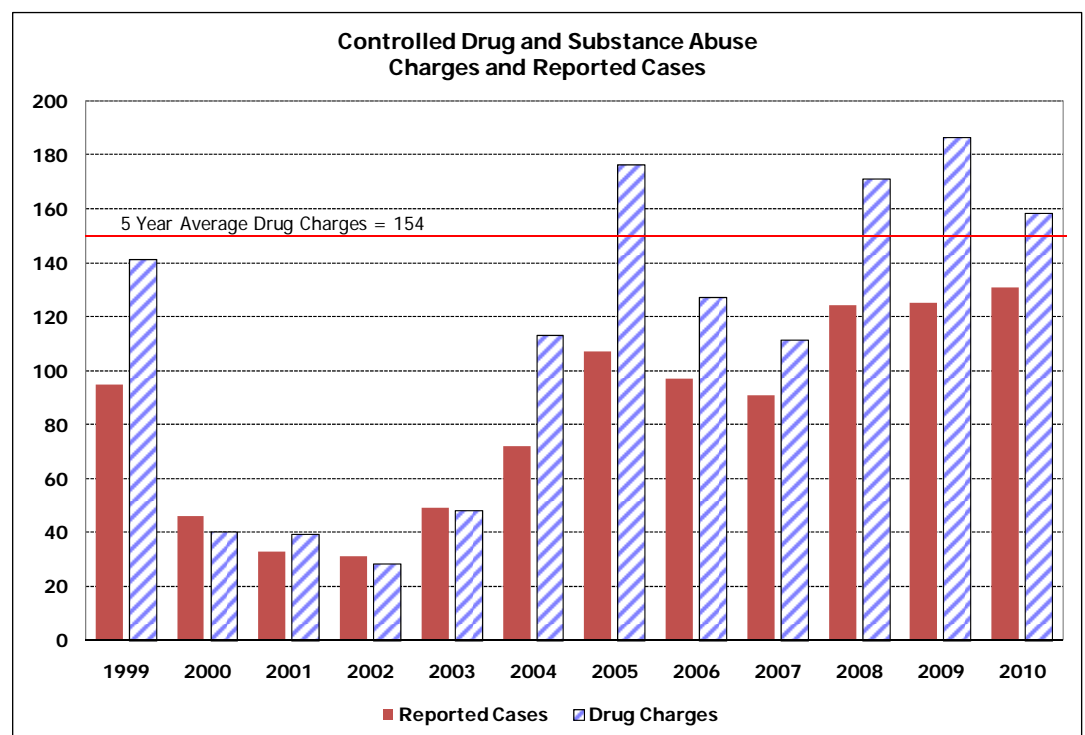


The category of **other crimes** accounts for 16% of the total crimes committed in the City of Fredericton. Other criminal code incidents increased 5% in 2010 when compared to the 5 year average. The largest category is **breach of probation and failure to appear**, representing 75% of the total. This category represents individuals who fail to obey court orders or fail to appear in court. These crimes increased by 19% in 2010 when compared to the 5-year average and 14% when compared to the previous year. These

increases can be attributed to the effectiveness of our redesign Priority and Prolific Offenders Registry in our Crime Reduction Strategy.

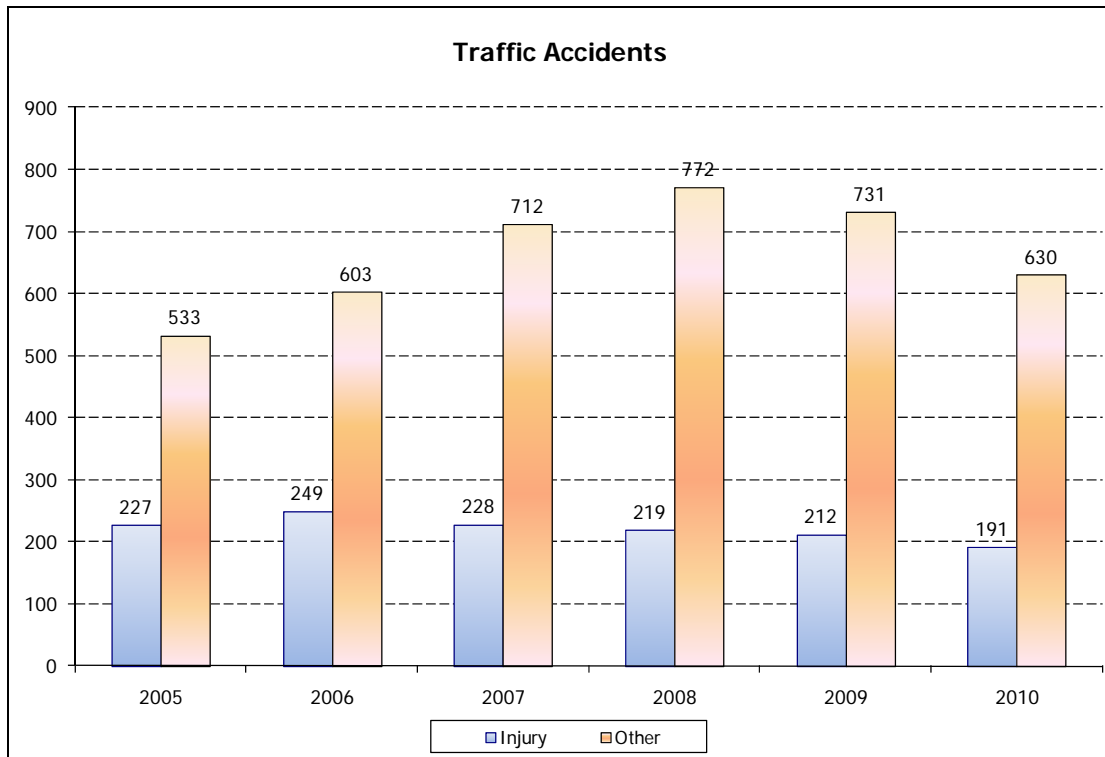
Other Notable Trends

Total **drug** reported occurrences increased 20% in 2010 when compared to the 5 year average. To date there have been 158 charges stemming from 131 drug occurrences. The number of charges will continue to increase as the files are processed through the court system in 2011. Sixty-nine percent (69%) of the drug crimes were the result of possession, trafficking, producing, or importing of marijuana. Other illicit drugs and substances accounted for 25% of the reported occurrences, while the remaining 6% involved cocaine.



Total impaired driving offences decreased 21% in 2010 when compared to the 5-year average and 24% when compared to the previous year. Notably, **refusals** decreased 21% in 2010 when compared to the previous year after an increasing trend throughout 2009.

Motor Vehicle Accidents decreased 9% when compared to the 5-year average while accidents resulting in injury declined 16% in 2010. In 2010, there was one motor vehicle accident resulting in a fatality. Accidents with **injuries** contributed to the overall decrease in motor vehicle accidents with a decrease of 16% when 2010 was compared to the 5 year average. These trends are illustrated in the graph below.



The number of **pedestrian motor vehicle accidents** increased in 2010 when compared to the previous with no accidents resulting in a pedestrian fatality.

| Year | Number of Accidents |
|------|---------------------|
| 2010 | 31 |
| 2009 | 26 |
| 2008 | 26 |
| 2007 | 26 |
| 2006 | 31 |
| 2005 | 23 |
| 2004 | 28 |
| 2003 | 23 |

Summary

The City of Fredericton is experienced a stable crime rate in 2010. Overall, 2010 witnessed a decrease in crimes against property while witnessing an increase in reported violent crimes. These notable trends will be analyzed in detail and monitored throughout the coming year with quarterly and special reports.

Data Attached



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**FREDERICTON POLICE FORCE
OPERATIONAL STATISTICS 2010**

| | <u>2005</u> | <u>2006</u> | <u>2007</u> | <u>2008</u> | <u>2009</u> | <u>AVG/ 5YR</u> | <u>2010</u> | <u>%C 5 Year Average</u> | <u>%C 2010 vs 2009</u> |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| CRIMES AGAINST PEOPLE | 552 | 560 | 582 | 648 | 807 | 630 | 781 | 24% | -3% |
| Murder, Manslaughter, Attempted Murder | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | --- | -100% |
| Sexual Assault | 31 | 35 | 40 | 48 | 59 | 43 | 64 | 49% | 8% |
| Other Sexual Assaults | 4 | 10 | 18 | 18 | 29 | 16 | 21 | 31% | -28% |
| Robbery | 31 | 31 | 51 | 30 | 24 | 33 | 18 | -45% | -25% |
| Aggravated Assault | 62 | 51 | 68 | 72 | 77 | 66 | 75 | 14% | -3% |
| Assault, Police & other Peace Officer | 8 | 9 | 17 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 0% | -7% |
| Common Assault | 295 | 296 | 281 | 276 | 381 | 306 | 348 | 14% | -9% |
| Uttering Threats/Harassing Phone Calls | 113 | 120 | 102 | 173 | 210 | 144 | 229 | 59% | 9% |
| Other | 8 | 8 | 3 | 15 | 11 | 9 | 13 | 44% | --- |
| CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY | 3022 | 3055 | 2747 | 3142 | 2999 | 2993 | 2829 | -5% | -6% |
| Arson | 60 | 60 | 74 | 75 | 63 | 66 | 37 | -44% | -41% |
| Break & Enter (Total) | 478 | 389 | 323 | 260 | 238 | 338 | 341 | 1% | 43% |
| Break & Enter-non res | 138 | 104 | 95 | 60 | 64 | 92 | 121 | 32% | 89% |
| Break & Enter-res | 264 | 195 | 143 | 166 | 148 | 183 | 179 | -2% | 21% |
| Break & Enter-other | 76 | 90 | 85 | 30 | 26 | 61 | 41 | -33% | 58% |
| Theft of Motor Vehicle | 72 | 66 | 66 | 64 | 77 | 69 | 83 | 20% | 8% |
| Theft from Motor Vehicle | 393 | 585 | 309 | 593 | 467 | 469 | 424 | -10% | -9% |
| Theft | 627 | 645 | 583 | 648 | 669 | 634 | 619 | -2% | -7% |
| Shoplifting | 305 | 246 | 255 | 294 | 327 | 285 | 312 | 9% | -5% |
| Theft of Bicycles | 163 | 119 | 125 | 128 | 127 | 132 | 118 | -11% | -7% |
| Possession of Stolen Property | 73 | 69 | 69 | 92 | 43 | 69 | 60 | -13% | 40% |
| Total Fraud | 280 | 242 | 239 | 283 | 173 | 243 | 116 | -52% | -33% |
| Fraud by Cheque | 56 | 50 | 46 | 100 | 23 | 55 | 18 | -67% | -22% |
| Fraud by Credit Card, Computer | 102 | 74 | 75 | 69 | 43 | 73 | 35 | -52% | -19% |
| Fraud by Other Means | 69 | 49 | 61 | 58 | 63 | 60 | 41 | -32% | -35% |
| Forgery, Uttering Forged Documents | 42 | 52 | 34 | 28 | 27 | 37 | 14 | -62% | -48% |
| Other Fraud | 11 | 17 | 19 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 8 | -50% | -53% |
| Property Damage | 568 | 627 | 703 | 693 | 808 | 680 | 715 | 5% | -12% |
| Other Property Crimes | 3 | 7 | 1 | 12 | 7 | 6 | 4 | -33% | --- |

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| OTHER CRIMES | 718 | 656 | 575 | 782 | 617 | 670 | 701 | 5% | 14% |
| Prostitution | 4 | 5 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 0% | 400% |
| Firearms, Possession/Careless Storage | 13 | 14 | 28 | 18 | 25 | 20 | 18 | -10% | -28% |
| Breaches/Fail to Appear | 397 | 401 | 397 | 561 | 463 | 444 | 528 | 19% | 14% |
| Counterfeit Currency | 173 | 103 | 11 | 22 | 11 | 64 | 13 | -80% | 18% |
| Indecent Acts | 29 | 15 | 22 | 15 | 31 | 22 | 26 | 18% | -16% |
| Obstructing/Against Admin Law/Justice | 21 | 28 | 25 | 33 | 27 | 27 | 35 | 30% | 30% |
| Other Crimes | 81 | 90 | 87 | 124 | 59 | 88 | 76 | -14% | 29% |
| TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE | 4,292 | 4,271 | 3,909 | 4,584 | 4,423 | 4,296 | 4,311 | 0% | -3% |
| TOTAL DRUGS | 107 | 97 | 91 | 124 | 125 | 109 | 131 | 20% | 5% |
| Cannabis, Possession | 57 | 44 | 39 | 57 | 75 | 54 | 73 | 35% | -3% |
| Cocaine, Possession | 14 | 16 | 14 | 17 | 10 | 14 | 5 | -64% | -50% |
| Other CADS, Possession | 12 | 21 | 8 | 20 | 20 | 16 | 17 | 6% | -15% |
| Cannabis, Traffic/Import/Produce | 18 | 12 | 16 | 10 | 10 | 13 | 17 | 31% | 70% |
| Cocaine, Traffic/Import/Produce | 3 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0% | 200% |
| Other CDSA, Traffic/Import/Produce | 3 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 9 | 5 | 16 | 220% | 78% |
| TOTAL PROV. STATUTES | 749 | 539 | 590 | 443 | 336 | 531 | 310 | -42% | -8% |
| Liquor Act | 592 | 422 | 453 | 309 | 236 | 402 | 176 | -56% | -25% |
| Liquor Act - Underage | 75 | 56 | 99 | 85 | 74 | 78 | 83 | 6% | 12% |
| Trespassing Act | 82 | 60 | 28 | 37 | 24 | 46 | 45 | -2% | 88% |
| Other | 0 | 1 | 10 | 12 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 20% | 200% |
| TOTAL Traffic CC Offences | 202 | 169 | 200 | 195 | 200 | 193 | 153 | -21% | -24% |
| Refusal | 19 | 18 | 23 | 19 | 28 | 21 | 22 | 5% | -21% |
| Impaired | 178 | 145 | 169 | 171 | 165 | 166 | 127 | -23% | -23% |
| Other | 5 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 4 | -33% | -43% |

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| Motor Vehicle - Prosecution | 2566 | 2503 | 3180 | 2431 | 2,097 | 2,555 | 1,981 | -22% | -6% |
| City Bylaw Warning | 1050 | 1059 | 1928 | 1767 | 1,452 | 1,451 | 1,123 | -23% | -23% |
| Bylaw Prosecution | 1307 | 1023 | 1271 | 1420 | 1,114 | 1,227 | 989 | -19% | -11% |
| Motor Vehicle Warning | 7673 | 5940 | 9188 | 9331 | 9,228 | 8,272 | 7,284 | -12% | -21% |
| 24 Hour Suspension | 394 | 293 | 335 | 262 | 131 | 283 | 117 | -59% | -11% |
| TOTAL ACCIDENTS | 761 | 854 | 961 | 992 | 946 | 903 | 822 | -9% | -13% |
| Injury | 227 | 249 | 228 | 219 | 212 | 227 | 191 | -16% | -10% |
| Fatal | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | -50% | -67% |
| Other | 533 | 603 | 712 | 772 | 731 | 670 | 630 | -6% | -14% |
| Hit and Run - Investigation | --- | 21 | 49 | 92 | 138 | 75 | 119 | --- | -14% |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ALARMS | 1,736 | 1,708 | 1,834 | 1,758 | 1,702 | 1,748 | 1,681 | -4% | -1% |
| Cleared as False Alarms | 1160 | 1100 | 1169 | 1094 | 1065 | 1,118 | 1105 | -1% | 4% |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL COMPLAINTS | 22,790 | 23,894 | 24,004 | 24,780 | 24,459 | 23,985 | 24,151 | 1% | -1% |
| Clearance Letters/Taxi Licences/Admin. | 3825 | 3741 | 3847 | 3751 | 3517 | 3,736 | 4021 | 8% | 14% |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 1144 | 1114 | 1249 | 1289 | 1381 | 1,235 | 1368 | 11% | -1% |
| IPDA | 386 | 384 | 491 | 469 | 432 | 432 | 470 | 9% | 9% |
| Protection | 53 | 82 | 111 | 40 | 106 | 78 | 85 | 9% | -20% |
| Held for another agency | 57 | 45 | 49 | 48 | 78 | 55 | 58 | 5% | -26% |
| Other | 3 | 3 | 15 | 22 | 23 | 13 | 14 | 8% | -39% |
| Arrested | 640 | 305 | 592 | 707 | 742 | 597 | 741 | 24% | 0% |