



CRIME IN FLORIDA



Florida Department of Law Enforcement

Highlands County
January - December 2006

The statistics presented in this release are an indication of crime and criminal activities known to, and reported by, law enforcement agencies for 2006. This report reflects data residing in the UCR database as of 06/06/2007.

Offense Totals

INDEX OFFENSES	2005	2006	Percent Change
Murder	3	2	-33.3
Firearm	2	2	0.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	1	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	0	0	
Other	0	0	
Forcible Sex Offenses	64	30	-53.1
Forcible Rape	31	21	-32.3
Firearm	0	1	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	1	
Hands/Fists/Feet	28	17	-39.3
Other	3	2	-33.3
Forcible Sodomy	4	1	-75.0
Firearm	0	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	3	1	-66.7
Other	1	0	
Forcible Fondling	29	8	-72.4
Firearm	0	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	29	8	-72.4
Other	0	0	
Robbery	66	77	16.7
Firearm	19	34	78.9
Knife/Cutting Instr.	9	3	-66.7
Hands/Fists/Feet	28	33	17.9
Other	10	7	-30.0
Aggravated Assault	297	298	0.3
Firearm	47	53	12.8
Knife/Cutting Instr.	71	61	-14.1
Hands/Fists/Feet	82	97	18.3
Other	97	87	-10.3
Burglary	831	1,157	39.2
Forced Entry	430	562	30.7
No Forced Entry	357	567	58.8
Attempted Entry	44	28	-36.4
Larceny	1,797	1,659	-7.7
Pocket Picking	2	3	50.0
Purse Snatching	7	6	-14.3
Shoplifting	301	262	-13.0
From Motor Vehicle	549	468	-14.8
Motor Vehicle Parts	44	64	45.5
Bicycles	79	73	-7.6
From Building	44	78	77.3
From Coin Oper. Dev.	20	8	-60.0
All Other	751	697	-7.2
Motor Vehicle Theft	158	139	-12.0
TOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	3,216	3,362	4.5

Crime Volume

Total Index	3,362
Total Violent	407
Total Nonviolent	2,955

Property Values

Total Stolen	\$ 5,122,565
Total Recovered	\$ 1,677,957

Arrest Data

Total	5,467
Adult	4,749
Juvenile	718
Male	4,285
Female	1,182

Domestic Violence
by Offense Type

PRIMARY OFFENSE	2005	2006	Percent Change
Murder	0	1	
Manslaughter	0	0	
Forcible Rape	9	6	-33.3
Forcible Sodomy	1	0	
Forcible Fondling	7	0	
Aggravated Assault	87	112	28.7
Aggravated Stalking	0	0	
Simple Assault	460	364	-20.9
Threat/Intimidation	2	11	450.0
Simple Stalking	0	0	
TOTAL	566	494	-12.7

PROPERTY INFORMATION VALUES

TYPE PROPERTY	STOLEN VALUE	RECOVERED VALUE
Currency, Note, Etc.	384,640	76,788
Jewelry, Precious Metals	459,597	203,455
Clothing & Furs	88,630	7,767
Motor Vehicles	1,620,593	978,366
Office Equipment	104,605	9,323
TVs, Radios, Stereos	183,289	11,368
Firearms	37,084	5,899
Household Goods	62,305	1,781
Consumable Goods	12,379	916
Livestock	5,600	400
Miscellaneous	2,163,843	381,894
TOTAL VALUES	5,122,565	1,677,957

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Crime Trends

	Index Total Crimes	% CH	Violent Crime	% CH	Nonviolent Crime	% CH	Population	% CH	Crime Rate	% CH
2002	3,951	19.0	437	27.8	3,514	18.0	89,038	0.9	4,437.4	17.9
2003	3,231	-18.2	398	-8.9	2,833	-19.4	90,393	1.5	3,574.4	-19.4
2004	3,263	1.0	426	7.0	2,837	0.1	92,057	1.8	3,544.5	-0.8
2005	3,216	-1.4	430	0.9	2,786	-1.8	93,456	1.5	3,441.2	-2.9
2006	3,362	4.5	407	-5.3	2,955	6.1	96,672	3.4	3,477.7	1.1

Domestic Violence

by Offense Type to Victim's Relationship to Offender

OFFENSES	Total	RELATIONSHIP VICTIM TO OFFENDER							Arrests
		Spouse	Parent	Child	Sibling	Other Family	Cohabitant	Other	
Murder	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Sex Offenses	6	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Forcible Rape	6	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Forcible Sodomy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	112	35	17	9	16	5	20	10	57
Aggravated Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simple Assault	364	103	53	20	32	11	113	32	233
Threat/Intimidation	11	8	0	0	0	0	3	0	2
Simple Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL OFFENSES	494	149	73	29	48	16	136	43	293

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STRUCTURE	TOTAL INHABITED	TOTAL ABANDONED	ATTEMPTED
Single Occupied Residence	3	0	2
Other Residence	0	0	0
Storage	0	0	0
Industrial/Manufacturing	0	0	0
Commercial	0	2	0
Community/Public	1	0	0
All Other Structures	0	1	0
Motor Vehicles	0	8	0
Other Mobile	0	1	0
Other	1	3	1
TOTALS	5	15	3

VEHICLE RECOVERY	
	Number
Stolen Locally and Recovered Locally	79
Stolen Locally and Recovered By Other Jurisdictions	43
Stolen Other Jurisdictions and Recovered Locally	25