

# Richard L. Swearingen Commissioner



# **2017 Annual Uniform Crime Report**

Index crimes known to law enforcement from Jan. 1 – December 2017

#### **Index Crimes**

- Murder
- Rape
- Robbery
- Aggravated assault
- Burglary
- Larceny
- Motor vehicle theft

The Annual UCR calculates **crime rate** - a calculation based on population; the total number of index crimes reported per 100,000 people, and **crime volume** – the total number of index crimes known to law enforcement.

Florida's **crime rate** dropped 6.0 percent compared to 2016.

#### Florida's crime volume

- Overall crime dropped 4.5 percent (28,640 fewer reported index crimes) compared with 2016.
  - Violent crime fell 3.3 percent (by 2,943)
  - o Property crime fell 4.7 percent (by 25,697)
- Murder is down 4.6 percent
- Forcible sex offenses increased 4.6 percent
- Robbery is down 7.7 percent
- Aggravated assault is down 2.8 percent
- Burglary is down 11.3 percent
- Larceny is down 3.5 percent
- Motor vehicle thefts are down by 0.4 percent
- Florida's domestic violence increased by 1.3 percent

# Arrests

There were 711,831 arrests.

# **Property Values**

- \$1,335,159,149 total stolen
- \$629,090,823 recovered

390 of the state's law enforcement agencies participated in this report representing 99.9 percent of Florida's population.

# UCR Online including county by county breakdowns

http://www.fdle.state.fl.us/FSAC/UCR-Reports

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