



# CRIME IN FLORIDA ABSTRACT

## Columbia County

January - December 2019

Florida Department of  
Law Enforcement

The statistics presented in this release are an indication of crime and criminal activities known to, and reported by, law enforcement agencies for 2019.

### Crime Volume and Rate

MEASURE	2018	2019	Percent Change
<b>Total Index Crime</b>	<b>2,107</b>	<b>2,032</b>	<b>-3.6</b>
Total Violent Crime	335	355	6.0
Total Property Crime	1,772	1,677	-5.4
<b>Total Crime Rate</b>	<b>3,022.0</b>	<b>2,882.6</b>	<b>-4.6</b>
Violent Crime Rate	480.5	503.6	4.8
Property Crime Rate	2,541.6	2,379.0	-6.4

### Arrest Totals

ARREST TYPE	2018	2019	Percent Change
<b>Violent Offense Arrests</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>18.4</b>
Adult	96	111	15.6
Juvenile	2	5	150.0
Male	86	91	5.8
Female	12	25	108.3
<b>Property Offense Arrests</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>10.5</b>
Adult	216	235	8.8
Juvenile	13	18	38.5
Male	150	166	10.7
Female	79	87	10.1
<b>Part II Offense Arrests</b>	<b>2,027</b>	<b>2,013</b>	<b>-0.7</b>
Adult	1,949	1,945	-0.2
Juvenile	78	68	-12.8
Male	1,495	1,501	0.4
Female	532	512	-3.8
<b>TOTAL ARRESTS</b>	<b>2,354</b>	<b>2,382</b>	<b>1.2</b>

### Offense Totals

INDEX OFFENSES	2018	2019	Percent Change
<b>Murder</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-40.0</b>
Firearm	3	2	-33.3
Knife/Cutting Instr.	1	0	-100.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	0	0	
Other	1	1	0.0
<b>Rape</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>-34.4</b>
Firearm	1	0	-100.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	2	0	-100.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	24	17	-29.2
Other	5	4	-20.0
<b>Robbery</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>42.4</b>
Firearm	14	22	57.1
Knife/Cutting Instr.	1	6	500.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	17	14	-17.6
Other	1	5	400.0
<b>Aggravated Assault</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>7.2</b>
Firearm	32	30	-6.3
Knife/Cutting Instr.	27	36	33.3
Hands/Fists/Feet	88	146	65.9
Other	118	72	-39.0
<b>Burglary</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>0.2</b>
Forced Entry	210	187	-11.0
No Forced Entry	274	290	5.8
Attempted Entry	5	13	160.0
<b>Larceny</b>	<b>1,166</b>	<b>1,124</b>	<b>-3.6</b>
Pocket Picking	2	2	0.0
Purse Snatching	2	1	-50.0
Shoplifting	204	261	27.9
From Motor Vehicle	197	138	-29.9
Motor Vehicle Parts	77	80	3.9
Bicycles	39	33	-15.4
From Building	156	122	-21.8
From Coin Oper. Dev.	0	1	
All Other	489	486	-0.6
<b>Motor Vehicle Theft</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>-46.2</b>
<b>TOTAL INDEX OFFENSES</b>	<b>2,107</b>	<b>2,032</b>	<b>-3.6</b>

### Domestic Violence by Offense Type

PRIMARY OFFENSE	2018	2019	Percent Change
Murder	0	1	
Manslaughter	0	0	
Rape	3	1	-66.7
Fondling	3	0	-100.0
Aggravated Assault	81	124	53.1
Aggravated Stalking	0	0	
Simple Assault	272	258	-5.1
Threat/Intimidation	8	10	25.0
Simple Stalking	0	1	
<b>TOTAL OFFENSES</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>7.6</b>

### Property Information Values

PROPERTY TYPE	STOLEN VALUE	RECOVERED VALUE
Currency, Note, Etc.	377,313	3,103
Jewelry, Precious Metals	122,453	1,208
Clothing & Furs	28,034	4,214
Motor Vehicles	2,708,757	1,279,778
Office Equipment	49,367	4,396
TVs, Radios, Stereos	17,626	1,269
Firearms	60,959	6,260
Household Goods	68,331	4,253
Consumable Goods	6,375	839
Livestock	0	0
Miscellaneous	1,266,368	157,525
<b>TOTAL VALUES</b>	<b>4,705,583</b>	<b>1,462,845</b>

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### Crime Trends

Year	Index Total Crimes	% Change	Violent Crime	% Change	Property Crime	% Change	Population	% Change	Crime Rate	% Change
2015	2,486	-0.2	464	20.8	2,022	-4.0	68,163	0.5	3,647.1	-0.7
2016	2,245	-9.7	373	-19.6	1,872	-7.4	68,566	0.6	3,274.2	-10.2
2017	2,312	3.0	376	0.8	1,936	3.4	68,943	0.5	3,353.5	2.4
2018	2,107	-8.9	335	-10.9	1,772	-8.5	69,721	1.1	3,022.0	-9.9
2019	2,032	-3.6	355	6.0	1,677	-5.4	70,492	1.1	2,882.6	-4.6

### Domestic Violence

by Offense Type to Victim's Relationship to Offender

OFFENSES	RELATIONSHIP VICTIM TO OFFENDER								Arrests
	Total	Spouse	Parent	Child	Sibling	Other Family	Cohabitant	Other	
Murder	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Aggravated Assault	124	32	4	4	4	6	46	28	89
Aggravated Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simple Assault	258	52	14	16	16	4	120	36	129
Threat/Intimidation	10	1	2	1	1	0	4	1	7
Simple Stalking	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSES</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>228</b>

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STRUCTURE	TOTAL INHABITED	TOTAL ABANDONED	ATTEMPTED
Single Occupied Residence	1	1	0
Other Residence	0	0	0
Storage	0	0	0
Industrial/Manufacturing	0	0	0
Commercial	0	1	0
Community/Public	0	0	0
All Other Structures	0	0	0
Motor Vehicles	0	0	0
Other Mobile	0	0	0
Other	0	1	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>

VEHICLE RECOVERY	
	Number
Stolen Locally and Recovered Locally	50
Stolen Locally and Recovered by Other Jurisdictions	16
Stolen Other Jurisdictions and Recovered Locally	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>74</b>