



# CRIME IN FLORIDA ABSTRACT

Lee 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>12,929</b>	<b>10,869</b>	<b>-15.9</b>
Total Violent Crime	2,126	1,979	-6.9
Total Property Crime	10,803	8,890	-17.7
<b>Total Crime Rate</b>	<b>1,811.0</b>	<b>1,478.5</b>	<b>-18.4</b>
Violent Crime Rate	297.8	269.2	-9.6
Property Crime Rate	1,513.2	1,209.3	-20.1

## Offense Totals

INDEX OFFENSES	2018	2019	Percent Change
<b>Murder</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>-42.5</b>
Firearm	35	15	-57.1
Knife/Cutting Instr.	2	2	0.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	1	4	300.0
Other	2	2	0.0
<b>Rape</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>-10.9</b>
Firearm	6	2	-66.7
Knife/Cutting Instr.	4	1	-75.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	264	242	-8.3
Other	2	1	-50.0
<b>Robbery</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>-15.0</b>
Firearm	174	161	-7.5
Knife/Cutting Instr.	44	29	-34.1
Hands/Fists/Feet	212	177	-16.5
Other	24	19	-20.8
<b>Aggravated Assault</b>	<b>1,356</b>	<b>1,324</b>	<b>-2.4</b>
Firearm	545	496	-9.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	259	228	-12.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	166	192	15.7
Other	386	408	5.7
<b>Burglary</b>	<b>1,802</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>-25.5</b>
Forced Entry	840	683	-18.7
No Forced Entry	830	600	-27.7
Attempted Entry	132	60	-54.5
<b>Larceny</b>	<b>7,938</b>	<b>6,792</b>	<b>-14.4</b>
Pocket Picking	11	14	27.3
Purse Snatching	10	10	0.0
Shoplifting	1,917	2,024	5.6
From Motor Vehicle	2,508	1,745	-30.4
Motor Vehicle Parts	195	215	10.3
Bicycles	342	319	-6.7
From Building	1,116	952	-14.7
From Coin Oper. Dev.	32	114	256.3
All Other	1,807	1,399	-22.6
<b>Motor Vehicle Theft</b>	<b>1,063</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>-29.0</b>
<b>TOTAL INDEX OFFENSES</b>	<b>12,929</b>	<b>10,869</b>	<b>-15.9</b>

## Arrest Totals

ARREST TYPE	2018	2019	Percent Change
<b>Violent Offense Arrests</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>764</b>	<b>-1.4</b>
Adult	694	662	-4.6
Juvenile	81	102	25.9
Male	607	591	-2.6
Female	168	173	3.0
<b>Property Offense Arrests</b>	<b>2,154</b>	<b>1,892</b>	<b>-12.2</b>
Adult	1,713	1,598	-6.7
Juvenile	441	294	-33.3
Male	1,413	1,183	-16.3
Female	741	709	-4.3
<b>Part II Offense Arrests</b>	<b>19,354</b>	<b>17,780</b>	<b>-8.1</b>
Adult	17,704	16,370	-7.5
Juvenile	1,650	1,410	-14.5
Male	14,595	13,154	-9.9
Female	4,759	4,626	-2.8
<b>TOTAL ARRESTS</b>	<b>22,283</b>	<b>20,436</b>	<b>-8.3</b>

## Domestic Violence by Offense Type

PRIMARY OFFENSE	2018	2019	Percent Change
Murder	3	4	33.3
Manslaughter	0	1	
Rape	71	89	25.4
Fondling	45	50	11.1
Aggravated Assault	395	423	7.1
Aggravated Stalking	1	2	100.0
Simple Assault	2,527	2,260	-10.6
Threat/Intimidation	20	21	5.0
Simple Stalking	3	6	100.0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSES</b>	<b>3,065</b>	<b>2,856</b>	<b>-6.8</b>

## Property Information Values

PROPERTY TYPE	STOLEN VALUE	RECOVERED VALUE
Currency, Note, Etc.	1,642,971	25,881
Jewelry, Precious Metals	2,314,366	161,778
Clothing & Furs	813,129	50,123
Motor Vehicles	10,258,716	7,085,251
Office Equipment	330,430	42,154
TVs, Radios, Stereos	613,339	41,414
Firearms	286,258	46,237
Household Goods	596,584	12,677
Consumable Goods	166,117	28,022
Livestock	0	0
Miscellaneous	5,933,590	1,533,856
<b>TOTAL VALUES</b>	<b>22,955,500</b>	<b>9,027,393</b>

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### Crime Trends

Year	Index Total Crimes	% Change	Violent Crime	% Change	Property Crime	% Change	Population	% Change	Crime Rate	% Change
2015	14,943	-5.2	2,357	6.5	12,586	-7.1	665,845	1.9	2,244.2	-7.0
2016	14,199	-5.0	2,562	8.7	11,637	-7.5	680,539	2.2	2,086.4	-7.0
2017	13,565	-4.5	2,297	-10.3	11,268	-3.2	698,468	2.6	1,942.1	-6.9
2018	12,929	-4.7	2,126	-7.4	10,803	-4.1	713,903	2.2	1,811.0	-6.7
2019	10,869	-15.9	1,979	-6.9	8,890	-17.7	735,148	3.0	1,478.5	-18.4

### 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	4	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Manslaughter	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Rape	89	5	3	30	15	25	10	1	37
Fondling	50	1	4	22	3	13	5	2	12
Aggravated Assault	423	70	46	39	47	31	155	35	303
Aggravated Stalking	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Simple Assault	2,260	508	285	131	156	115	872	193	1,463
Threat/Intimidation	21	4	3	2	1	2	7	2	12
Simple Stalking	6	3	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSES</b>	<b>2,856</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>1,050</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>1,833</b>

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STRUCTURE	TOTAL INHABITED	TOTAL ABANDONED	ATTEMPTED
Single Occupied Residence	7	4	0
Other Residence	2	0	0
Storage	0	0	0
Industrial/Manufacturing	0	0	0
Commercial	1	0	0
Community/Public	1	0	0
All Other Structures	2	0	0
Motor Vehicles	16	1	0
Other Mobile	0	0	0
Other	8	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>

VEHICLE RECOVERY	
	Number
Stolen Locally and Recovered Locally	486
Stolen Locally and Recovered by Other Jurisdictions	179
Stolen Other Jurisdictions and Recovered Locally	188
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>853</b>