



## Racine Police Department



#### **Vision Statement**

Provide an environment in Racine that is free from the fear of crime, where people enjoy a high quality of life, and the community can prosper.

#### **Mission Statement**

Deliver the best community oriented police services to the people of Racine. We will, in partnership with the community:

- Prevent and deter crime.
- Enforce laws.
- Maintain order and safety.
- Solve problems.
- Be visible and accessible.

#### Value Statement

#### We believe that:

- The rights and freedoms guaranteed by the constitution are paramount.
- Cultural diversity is a strength for both the community and our organization.
- Our conduct must demonstrate professionalism and integrity.
- Teamwork and flexibility are essential to meet the changing demands placed upon us.
- Impartiality and fairness are fundamental to the enforcement of law.



David H. Spenner Chief of Police

2004 was a year of reflection and development for the Racine Police Department. The current fiscal circumstances affecting our nation, state, and city have also impacted the police department; however, we proudly stepped up to meet the challenge and were able to persevere.

While budget restraints forced us to reduce our work force from 206 officers to 196 officers, we still maintained the high level of service expected by the citizens of our city, while lowering our number through attrition.

Overtime was examined and systems were established to control overtime spending, allowing us to remain within our overtime budget which had been substantially reduced.

We examined the structure and operation of the police department to determine ways that we could improve the efficiency and performance of the police department and were able to identify several solutions and enhancements that can be made. The enhancements will be examined and implementations made as we progress through 2005.

I am proud of our officers and employees who worked together as a team during this challenging year and were unyielding in their commitment to control crime and solve problems in the city of Racine. Unfortunately, crime did increase slightly during 2004, but through the efforts of every person working at the police department, this increase remained small and we still enjoy a crime rate lower than we have had during the last three decades.

# Command Staff



Alan Baker Deputy Chief Investigations



Thomas Christensen
Deputy Chief
Patrol



Arthel Howell Deputy Chief Support Services



Steven Hurley
Deputy Chief
Professional Standards
and Development

## Shift/Unit Commanders



Carl Pavilonis
Captain
Crimes Against Persons



Kurt Wahlen Lieutenant Crimes Against Property



David Smetana Lieutenant Internal Affairs



Robert Purdy
Lieutenant
Administration



Mark Schulz Lieutenant Technology



Jerry Baldukas Lieutenant Training



Dean Stanton Lieutenant Planning



James Dobbs
Lieutenant
1st Shift Patrol



Raymond Knapp Lieutenant 2nd Shift Patrol



Aldred Days Lieutenant 3rd Shift Patrol



Carlos López Lieutenant Operations

## Gary Becker Mayor of Racine

## David H. Spenner Chief of Tolice



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## Retirements, Appointments and Promotions

## **Retirements**

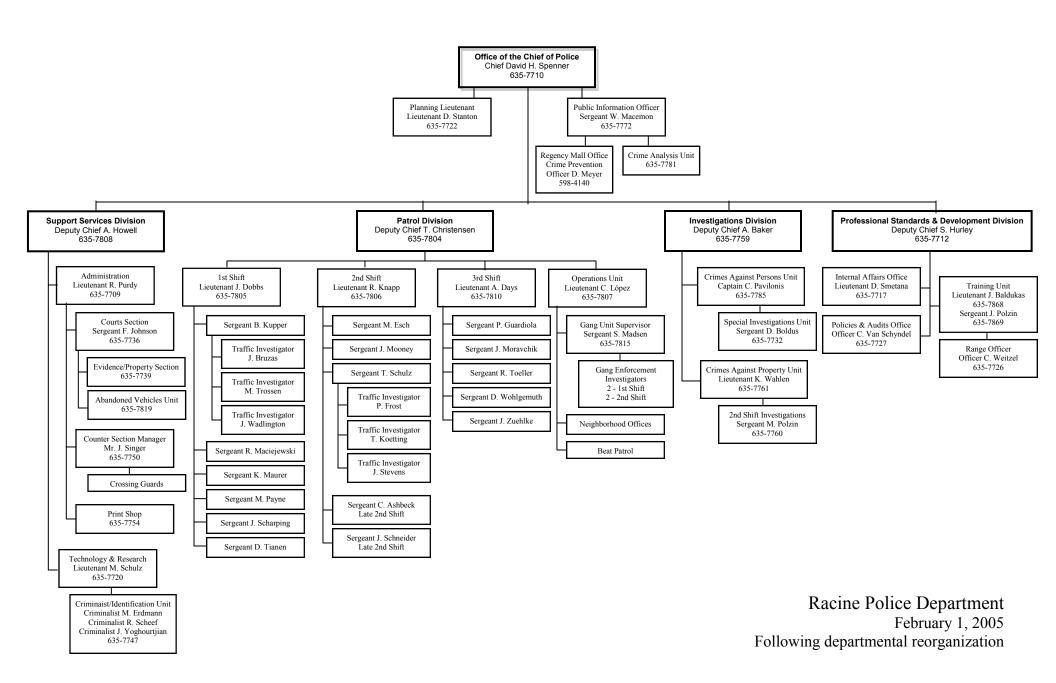
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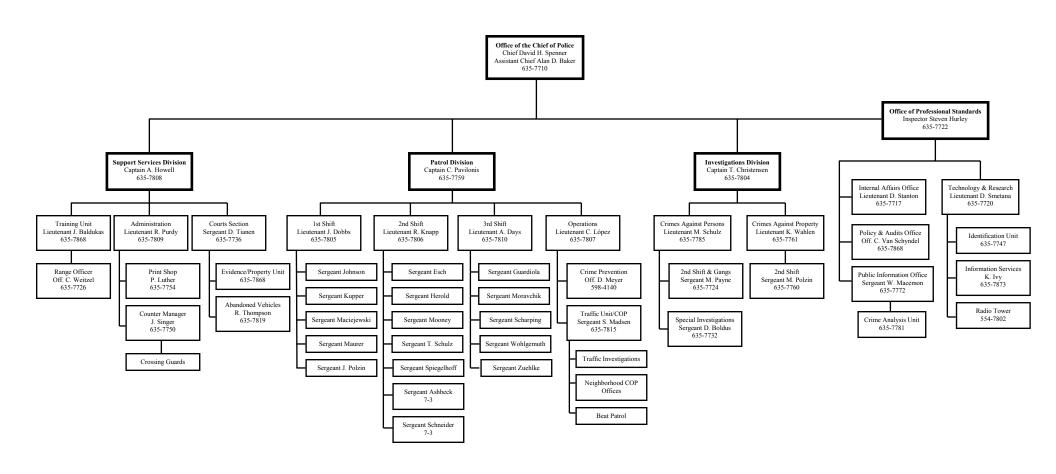
## **Promotions**

Melissa Diener from Patrol Officer to Investigator

Resignations

Thomas Jacobi Marco Rodriguez





Racine Police Department
December 31, 2004
Prior to departmental reorganization

## 2004 Statistical Summary





#### Part 1 Crimes

#### **Violent Crimes**

	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	2004 vs. 2003
Homicide/Manslaughter	5	3	*3	4	4	+ 66.7%
Forcible Rape	20	21	26	20	14	-4.8%
Robbery	228	205	226	340	256	+11.2%
Aggravated Assault	94	87	152	245	238	+ 8.0%
<b>Total Violent Crimes</b>	347	316	407	609	512	+9.8%

#### **Property Crimes**

	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	2004 vs. 2003
Burglary	1,016	836	967	1,174	1,195	+21.5%
Larceny	3,159	3,055	3,027	3,622	3,293	+3.4%
<b>Motor Vehicle Theft</b>	383	399	358	505	587	- 4.0%
Arson	22	33	18	24	24	-33.3%
<b>Total Property Crimes</b>	4,580	4,323	4,370	5,325	5,099	+5.9%
Total Part 1 Crimes	4,927	4,639	4,777	5,934	5,611	+6.2%

Note: Robbery is classified as a crime against property by Uniform Crime Report guidelines; however, the FBI includes Robbery in its index of violent crimes.

<sup>\*</sup> Includes a 2002 incident case that has become a Homicide on 7-14-2003. Complaint #02-46240.



## Part 1 Crime Clearances

#### **Violent Crimes**

	20	004	20	003
	<b>Cases Cleared</b>	Clearance Rate	<b>Cases Cleared</b>	Clearance Rate
Homicide/Manslaughter	5	100%	6	200%
Forcible Rape	19	95%	18	86%
Robbery	83	36%	103	50%
Aggravated Assault	73	78%	83	95%
<b>Total Violent Crimes</b>	180	52%	210	66%

#### **Property Crimes**

	20	004	2003		
	<b>Cases Cleared</b>	Clearance Rate	<b>Cases Cleared</b>	<b>Clearance Rate</b>	
Burglary	99	10%	106	13%	
Larceny	768	24%	763	25%	
Motor Vehicle Theft	136	36%	93	23%	
Arson	4	18%	4	12%	
<b>Total Property Crimes</b>	1,007	22%	966	22%	
Total Part 1 Crimes	1,187	24%	1,176	25%	



## Stolen Property

Type of Property	Value of Property Stolen	Value of Property Recovered
<b>Motor Vehicles</b>	1,374,228	1,208,328
Televisions, Stereos, Etc.	569,290	8,665
Currency, Notes	209,891	8,019
Jewelry, Precious Metals	244,358	13,496
Office Equipment	114,160	3,771
Household Goods	23,538	864
Firearms	42,761	2,105
Clothing and Furs	16,037	1,542
<b>Consumable Goods</b>	10,074	2,055
Livestock	3,730	50
All Other Property	870,981	54,629
Total of all Property	3,479,048	1,303,524



## **Motor Vehicle Crashes**

	2004	2003*	2004 vs. 2003
Fatal Crashes	4	4	N/C
Injury Crashes	795	773	+2.8%
Property Damage Crashes Over \$1000	1,601	1,537	+4.2%
Property Damage Crashes Under \$1000	1,142	1,214	-5.9%
Total Traffic Crashes	3,542	3,528	+0.3%
Crashes Classified as Hit & Run	1,020	1,022	- 0.1%

<sup>\*</sup> An audit of the traffic crash accounting system resulted in some adjustments being made from the 2003 Annual Report.



## **Uniform Traffic Citations (UTC) Issued**

	1 <sup>st</sup> Shift	2 <sup>nd</sup> Shift	Late 2 <sup>nd</sup> Shift	3 <sup>rd</sup> Shift	Totals
Vehicle Registration Violations	270	911	274	443	1,898
<b>Operator License Violations</b>	504	1,258	317	562	2,641
Improper Lane Usage	209	377	54	65	705
Right of Way Violations – Vehicle	254	256	31	20	561
Right of Way Violations - Pedestrian	8	15	6	3	32
Turning/Stopping Violations	148	289	66	153	656
Required Stops Violations	60	210	43	71	384
Restrictions on Stopping/Parking	4	42	23	4	73
Speeding Violations	395	572	315	234	1,516
<b>Reckless Driving Violations</b>	12	19	9	11	51
Oper. Under the Influence (OVWI)	16	57	38	77	188
Accident/Accident Report Viol.	78	107	16	32	233
<b>Equipment Violations</b>	70	346	254	180	850
Radio Amplification Violations	27	36	36	14	113
Seatbelt Violations	125	394	263	157	939
All Other Violations	131	248	62	90	531
Totals – 2004	2,311	5,137	1,807	2,116	11,371
Totals – 2003 *					13,797
2004 vs. 2003 *					-17.6%

<sup>\* 2003</sup> shift totals are not available due to changes in the accounting system for traffic citations.



## Uniform Municipal Court Citations (UMCC) Issued

	2004	2003	2004 vs. 2003
All Alcohol Beverage Violations	282	358	-21.2%
All Other Alcohol Violations	0	13	-100.0%
Entertainment Violations	0	2	-100.0%
Animal License Violations *	65	338	-80.8%
Animal Care/Control Violations *	51	121	-57.9%
Animal Rabies/Vaccination Violations *	28	168	-83.3%
Building Code Violations *	0	206	-100.0%
Business Occup., Profess, License Violations *	1	20	-95.0%
Cemetery Violations	1	1	N/C
Audible Alarm Violations	0	0	N/C
Environment (Nuisance) Violations *	7	54	-87.0%
Environment (Weed Control) Violations *	0	404	-100.0%
Environment (All Other) Violations *	0	0	N/C
Unreasonable Amplification Violations	105	141	-25.5%
Fire Prevention/Protection Violations *	28	28	N/C
Abandoned Refrigerator/Icebox Violations *	1	0	+100.0%
Disorderly Conduct	808	654	+23.5%
Harassing Telephone Calls	6	0	+100.0%
Weapons Violations	21	34	-38.2%
Obstruction of Public Ways	196	201	-2.5%
Trespassing Violations	273	167	+63.5%
Resisting Arrest	121	143	-15.4%
Failure to Aid Law Enforcement	42	7	+500.0%
Obstructing an Officer	2	5	-60.0%
Vandalism Violations	35	35	N/C
Theft	190	180	+5.6%
Possession of Marijuana	25	34	-26.5%
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	**0	4	-100.0%
Gambling Violations	17	32	-46.9%
Prostitution Violations	9	15	-40.0%
Disorderly House Violations	106	88	+20.5%
Littering Violations	23	11	+109.1%
Curfew Violations – Minor	480	409	+17.4%
Curfew Violations – Parent	62	54	+14.8%
Picketing Violations	0	0	N/C
Fraud Violations	3	1	+200.0%
Fireworks Violations	29	65	-55.4%
Skateboard Violations	0	2	-100.0%
Worthless Checks Violations	9	8	+12.5%
911 Non-Emergency Use Violations	36	18	+100.0%
Possession of Tobacco Products by Minor Viol.	390	247	+57.9%
Sale of Tobacco Product to Minor Violations	1	5	-80.0%
Truancy Violations	1,484	843	+76.0%
Park Violations	55	147	-62.6%
Snow on Sidewalk Violations *	0	54	-100.0%
Solid Waste Violations *	11	20	-45.0%
All Other Municipal Ordinance Violations	44	174	-74.7%
Total	5,047	5,511	-8.4%

<sup>\*</sup> denotes violations normally handled by different city departments.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Possession of drug paraphernalia violation now prosecuted criminally under state statute



## Parking Enforcement

#### **Citations Issued by Shift**

	2004	2003	2004 vs. 2003
First Shift 6:00 am – 2:00 pm	1,490	2,266	-34.3%
Second Shift 2:00 pm – 10:00 pm	2,144	2,746	-21.9%
Late Second Shift 7:00 pm – 3:00 am	1,792	668	+ 168.3%
Third Shift 10:00 pm – 6:00 am	23,891	26,681	-10.5%
Total Citations	29,317	32,361	-9.4%
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	2004	2003	2004 vs. 2003
Meter Violations	33	38	-13.2%
Overtime Parking	76	28	+171.4%
No Parking Anytime	684	735	- 6.9%
Loading Zone Violations	38	50	-24.0%
Street Storage	22,918	25,891	-11.5%
Parking Prohibited	809	870	-7.0%
Restricted Parking	302	351	-14.0%
Improper Parking	967	1,219	-20.7%
Winter/Snow Violations	21	0	+100.0%
Abandoned Vehicle	1,069	690	+ 54.9%
Tow-Away Zone	461	524	-12.0%
School Zone Violations	476	386	+23.3%
Other Parking Violations	1,463	1,579	-7.3%
Total Citations Issued	29,317	32,361	-9.4%



## Calls for Service by Squad Area

	#01	#02	#03	#04	#05	#06	#07	#08	#09	#10	#00	Total
Homicide	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	5
Rape	0	0	1	0	1	5	2	5	0	3	4	21
Robbery	27	19	12	27	26	23	19	42	8	22	4	229
Aggravated Assault	3	17	12	10	10	11	10	11	4	2	4	94
Violent Crime Total	30 110	37 131	25 41	38 81	72	39 125	32 89	58 196	12 71	29 102	12 0	1,018
Burglary Larceny/Theft	267	202	143	249	191	450	168	196 547	341	543	71	3,172
Motor Vehicle Theft	33	50	23	34	38	61	40	53	24	35	9	400
Arson	1	3	2	3	0	0	4	3	2	4	Ó	22
Property Crime Total	411	386	209	367	301	636	301	799	438	684	80	4,612
<b>Total Part 1 Crimes</b>	441	423	234	405	338	675	333	857	450	713	92	4,961
Simple Assault	99	158	93	152	122	173	114	198	87	124	47	9,573
Forgery	10	8	3	2	8	11	4	8	8	21	12	95
Fraud	48	47	21	46	37	59	22	70	42	125	84	601
Vandalism	183	172	85	162	179	221	162	331	133	246	14	1,888
Weapons	40	67	50	97	94	94	105	135	22	54	5	763
Sex Offenses Drug Offenses	16 49	<u>38</u> 74	12 25	28 126	14 65	34 85	19 55	34 116	14 19	15 46	13 3	237 663
Gambling	0	6	6	9	7	8	2	6	0	0	0	44
Offense Against Family	17	10	5	10	14	20	17	20	5	28	7	153
Bomb Scare	0	0	0	2	2	4	0	0	2	1	0	11
Investigation	27	18	10	23	20	27	22	27	25	55	213	467
Disorderly Conduct	53	58	30	50	60	158	71	152	43	77	1	753
Trespass	13	38	14	31	16	40	23	53	11	15	0	254
Curfew	24	17	15	35	22	17	19	32	21	23	1	226
Runaway	121	85	22	59	40	61	68	120	80	101	1	758
Accidents	386	254	243	324	236	415	317	656	534	729	29	4,123
Alarms	242 222	135 228	195 61	223	167 137	259 145	104 141	333 283	202 134	438 203	1 13	2,299
Animal Calls Damage or Defective	49	28	23	146 29	37	145 51	22	283 84	134 56	40	31	1,713 450
Disturbances	1,141	1,581	657	1,718	1,201	1,420	1,073	1,785	618	1,232	72	12,498
Fires	87	51	20	52	44	49	51	79	52	79	2	566
Trouble with Kids	204	187	101	165	140	313	248	428	118	203	4	2,111
Injuries	1	5	9	29	9	16	15	14	4	8	17	127
Lost/Found Items	81	43	39	110	50	64	49	139	70	121	123	889
Missing Persons	25	20	9	20	29	34	20	26	31	20	2	236
Open Door/Window	26	17	12	20	18	16	12	40	21	50	0	232
Police Service Requested	495	478	396	918	468	615	439	1,241	594	806	441	6,891
Paper Service Sudden Death	109 13	182 7	98 3	895 9	212 11	208 13	145 6	225 14	76 16	140 12	63 2	2,353 106
Suicide Suicide	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	10	0	0	4
Attempted Suicide	15	<del></del> 7	7	20	9	<u></u>	<u>8</u>	21	<u>-</u> 9	<u>0</u> 16	3	132
Tavern Checks	3	27	2	2	5	4	8	17	1	4	0	73
Suspicious Acts	398	597	306	571	440	507	439	753	388	482	28	4,909
City Ordinance Violation	823	889	828	1,092	711	1,201	647	1,477	567	921	14	9,170
Information	303	355	203	453	311	350	270	578	219	376	255	3,673
Mental Subjects	62	31	23	49	75	37	24	45	80	47	9	482
Abandoned Automobiles	119	173	106	175	161	190	124	194	86	131	1	1,460
Intoxicated Persons	23	55	41	41	33	27	18	38	20	37	1	334
Truancy Worthless Checks	<u>5</u> 1	11 0	<u>4</u> 0	8	27 0	308	39 0	226 0	<u>5</u>	10 13	1 0	<u>644</u> 17
TRO Violations	27	21	6	33	16	16	8	26	15	16	7	191
Traffic Violations	614	953	881	854	1,000	838	662	1,232	1,029	870	51	8,984
Search Warrants	17	11	3	41	20	22	11	41	6	15	6	193
Assist Rescue	34	41	18	45	32	37	28	43	26	51	0	355
Found Children	5	2	2	6	5	5	4	8	2	6	0	45
Crimes Against Officer	2	6	3	8	2	5	1	3	2	2	0	34
Non-Consent to Trespass	16	20	18	29	13	15	21	33	3	8	0	176
Abduction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
False 911	111	110	75 17	136	135	139	93	140	62	119	1	1,121
Recovered Stolen Auto	13 99	29 96	17 39	36 86	25 77	29 86	31	32	7	13	6	238 892
Welfare Check All Other Calls	99 94	<u>96</u> 59	38 43	86 83	77 <b>6</b> 7	86 67	73 26	121 140	91 86	119 85	6 421	1,171
Total Calls – 2004	7,008	7,928	5,115	9,663	6,961	9,205	6,213	12,675	6,196	9,066	2,103	82,133
Total Calls – 2003	7,431	8,503	5,900	9,600	6,953	8,750	6,219	12,229	6,765	8,985	1,944	83,279
2004 vs. 2003 (Percent)	-5.7	-6.7	-13.3	+0.7	+0.2	+5.2	-0.1	+3.6	-8.4	+0.9	+8.2	-1.4
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Totals include unfounded calls



#### **Community Policing Area Crime Totals**



#### Robert Quintanilla COP House 1140 Geneva Street

Squad Area #2 – Grids U & X Squad Area #3 – Grid Q

	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	2004 vs. 2003
Homicide	0	0	0	1	0	N/C
Forcible Rape	1	3	1	1	2	-66.7%
Robbery	7	14	8	20	19	-50.0%
Aggravated Assault	6	4	9	19	30	+50.0%
Total Violent Crimes	14	21	18	41	51	-33.3%
Burglary	34	30	29	40	41	+13.3%
Larceny	62	71	62	46	64	-12.7%
Motor Vehicle Theft	20	28	19	14	19	-28.6%
Arson	1	1	3	1	1	N/C
Total Property Crimes	117	130	113	101	125	-10.0%
Total Part 1 Crimes	131	151	131	142	176	-13.2%
Total Calls for Service	3,036	3,382	3,909	4,067	3,786	-10.2%



## West Sixth Street COP House 1522 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

Squad Area #7 – Grids O & Q

	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	2004 vs. 2003
Homicide	1	0	0	0	0	+100.0%
Forcible Rape	2	2	2	0	1	N/C
Robbery	10	8	12	11	15	+25.0%
Aggravated Assault	4	1	12	18	22	+300.0%
Total Violent Crimes	17	11	26	29	38	+54.5%
Burglary	43	29	42	51	60	+48.3%
Larceny	86	92	93	143	103	-6.5%
Motor Vehicle Theft	31	10	17	27	34	+210.0%
Arson	3	2	3	2	1	+50.0%
Total Property Crimes	163	133	155	223	198	+22.6%
Total Part 1 Crimes	180	144	181	252	236	+25.0%
Total Calls for Service	3,587	3,568	3,757	4,310	4,548	+0.5%



#### **Community Policing Area Crime Totals**



#### Thelma Orr COP House 1009 Davis Place

Squad Area #4 – Grids P, Q, S & T

	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	2004 vs. 2003
Homicide	1	1	0	1	1	N/C
Forcible Rape	0	0	6	4	0	N/C
Robbery	22	15	18	21	22	+46.6%
Aggravated Assault	7	8	18	31	36	-12.5%
Total Violent Crimes	30	24	42	57	59	+25.0%
Burglary	67	80	68	80	86	-16.3%
Larceny	220	198	236	235	201	+11.1%
Motor Vehicle Theft	28	33	13	41	36	-15.2%
Arson	3	3	1	0	1	N/C
Total Property Crimes	318	314	318	356	324	+1.3%
Total Part 1 Crimes	348	338	360	413	383	+3.0%
Total Calls for Service	8,451	8,436	8,514	8,313	7,591	+0.2%



#### Wadewitz COP House 1750 Mead Street

Squad Area #5 – Grid R

	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	2004 vs. 2003
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	N/C
Forcible Rape	0	0	0	1	0	N/C
Robbery	6	4	5	7	5	+50.0%
Aggravated Assault	3	8	4	6	6	-62.5%
Total Violent Crimes	9	12	9	14	11	-25.0%
Burglary	24	16	18	26	26	+50.0%
Larceny	35	29	37	53	50	+20.7%
Motor Vehicle Theft	12	11	11	15	16	+9.1%
Arson	0	1	2	2	2	-100.0%
Total Property Crimes	71	57	68	96	94	+24.6%
Total Part 1 Crimes	80	69	77	110	105	+15.9%
Total Calls for Service	1,926	2,058	2,038	2,372	2,146	-6.4%



## Weed & Seed Program

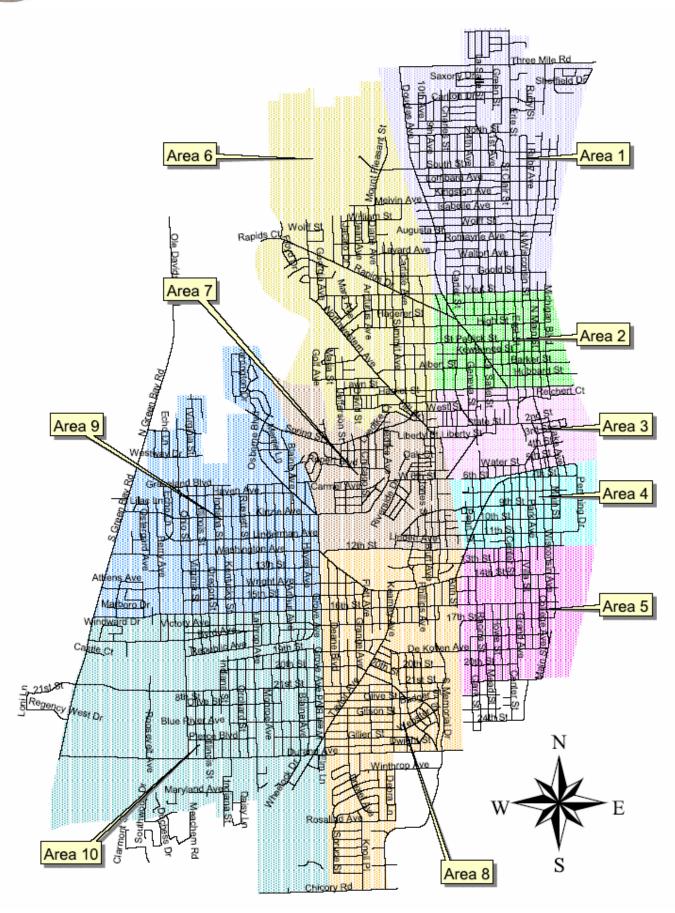


#### **Southside**

Squad Area #4 – Grids Q & T Squad Area #5 – Grids O, P, Q, R, & T Squad Area #8 – Grids O, P, Q, R & T

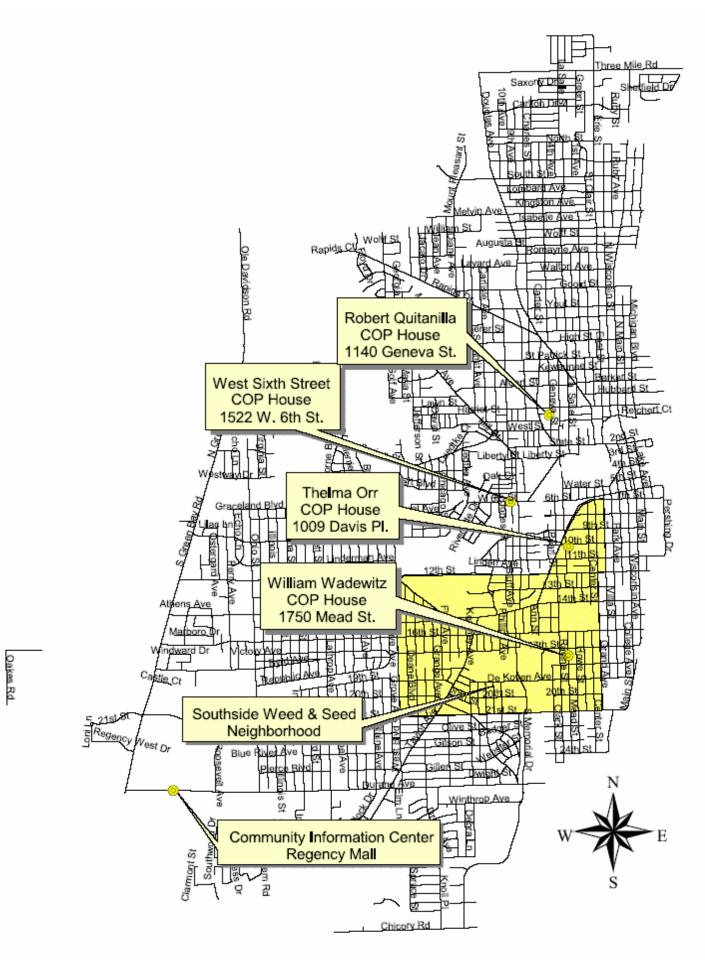
Total Calls for Service	21,522	20,915	21,651	23,018	21,416	+2.9%
Total Part 1 Crimes	1,192	985	1,085	1,391	1,232	+21.0%
<b>Total Property Crimes</b>	1,086	894	979	1,225	1,083	+21.5%
Arson	4	9	5	9	6	-55.6%
Motor Vehicle Theft	98	103	97	153	138	-4.9%
Larceny	732	595	644	764	651	+23.0%
Burglary	252	187	233	299	288	+34.8%
Total violent Crimes	100	71	100	100	147	10.570
Total Violent Crimes	106	91	106	166	149	+16.5%
Aggravated Assault	23	30	41	68	72	-23.3%
Robbery	78	58	58	90	71	+34.5%
Forcible Rape	4	2	7	6	4	+100.0%
Homicide	1	1	0	2	2	N/C
	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	2004 vs. 2003

#### Patrol Areas





#### **Community Oriented Policing Houses**





#### **Racine Police Department**

730 Center Street Racine, Wisconsin 53403

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