



2019 Crime Summary

The South Milwaukee Police Department wants to take a few moments to provide a crime and safety update for our city. Our department reports crime to the state and federal government through the National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS), which provides more detail than the Uniform Crime Reporting System.

We are pleased to report that in 2019 we saw some significant decreases in several categories of crime, including burglary and robbery. We also saw slight decreases in aggravated assault, theft and fraud cases. Unfortunately, one crime category, simple assault, increased substantially in 2019. In 2019 we saw a 28% increase in adult arrests and a 142% increase in juvenile arrests. The majority of the increase involved municipal arrests (citations) for Disorderly Conduct.

We are including several charts and graphs for your review and we are also including a comparison to previous years so you have some context for these crime and safety numbers. As you can see from the graphs, we are trending in the right direction over the past five years. Additional details will be presented in our upcoming annual report.

The men and women of the South Milwaukee Police Department work diligently to keep our community safe and we truly appreciate the assistance we receive from many of you who call us when you see something suspicious. Thank you for your support!

SOUTH MILWAUKEE VIOLENT CRIME 2015-2019

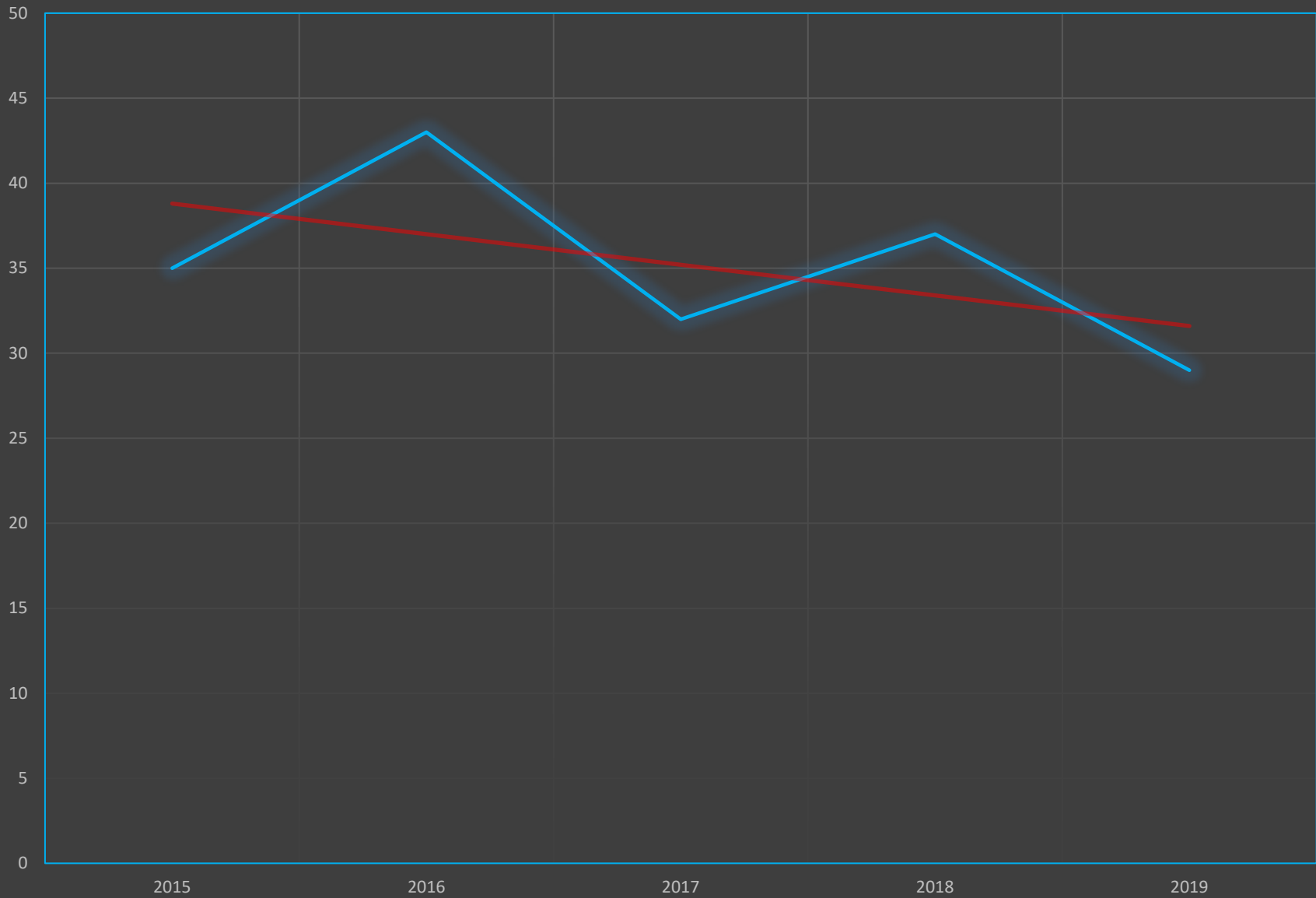
OFFENSE	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Murder	1	0	0	0	1
Rape	2	7	6	5	7
Robbery	17	16	11	9	0
Aggravated Battery	15	20	15	23	21
TOTAL	35	43	32	37	29

SOUTH MILWAUKEE PROPERTY CRIME 2015-2019

OFFENSE	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Burglary	64	79	43	28	22
Theft	370	398	358	316	307
Motor Vehicle Theft	24	27	18	18	17
Arson	4	2	2	1	0
TOTAL	462	506	421	363	346

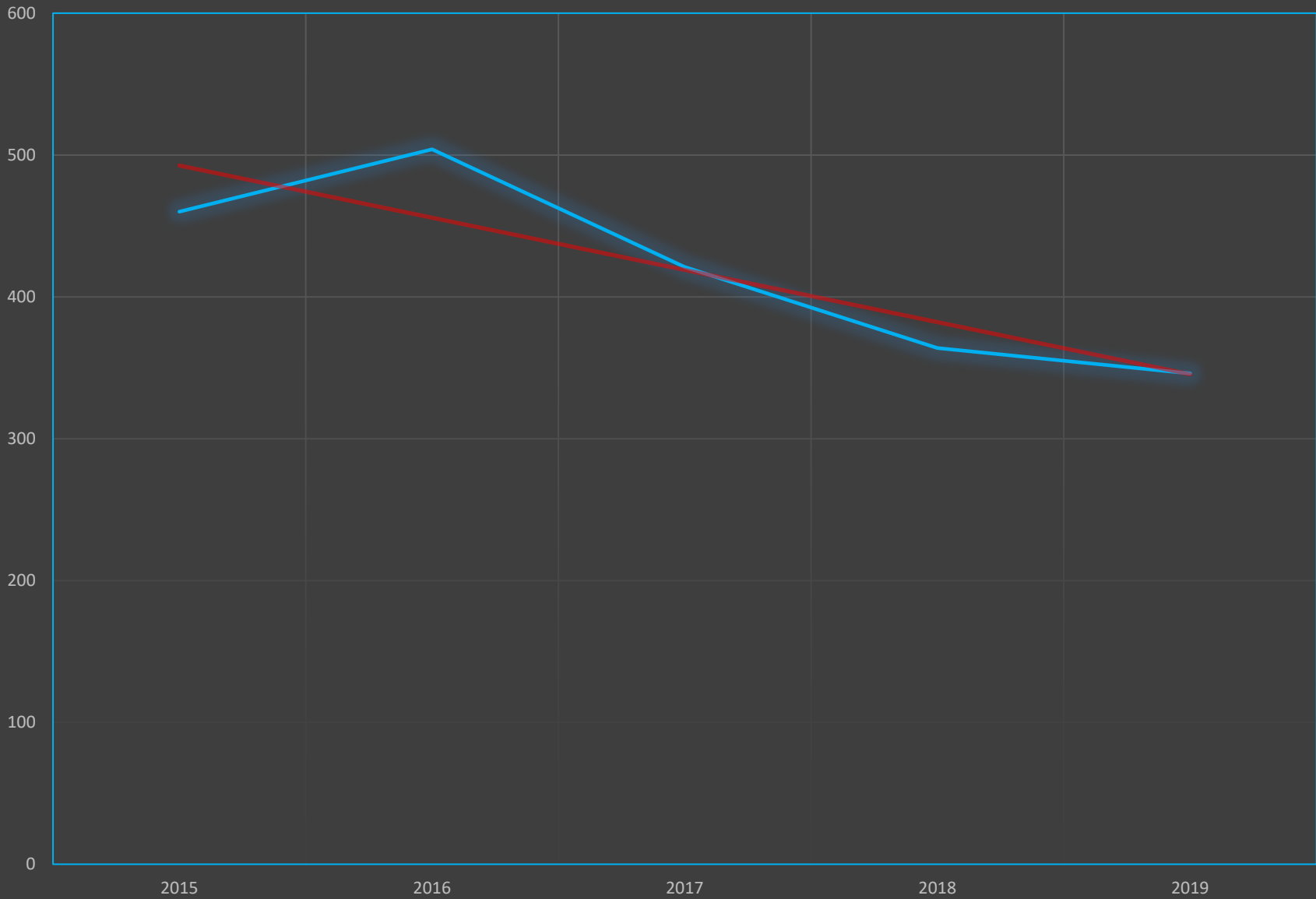
SOUTH MILWAUKEE VIOLENT CRIME FIVE YEAR TRENDS

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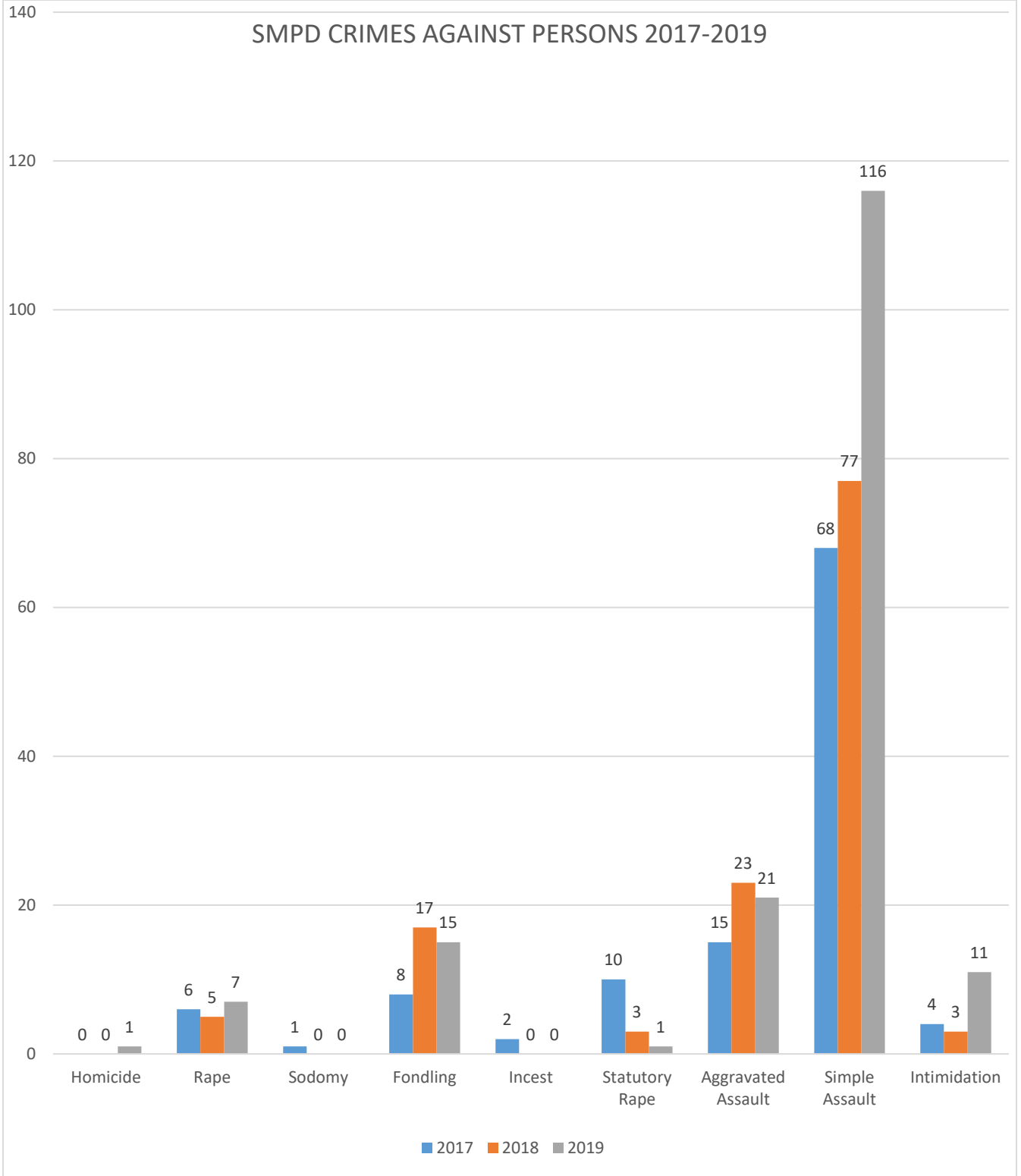


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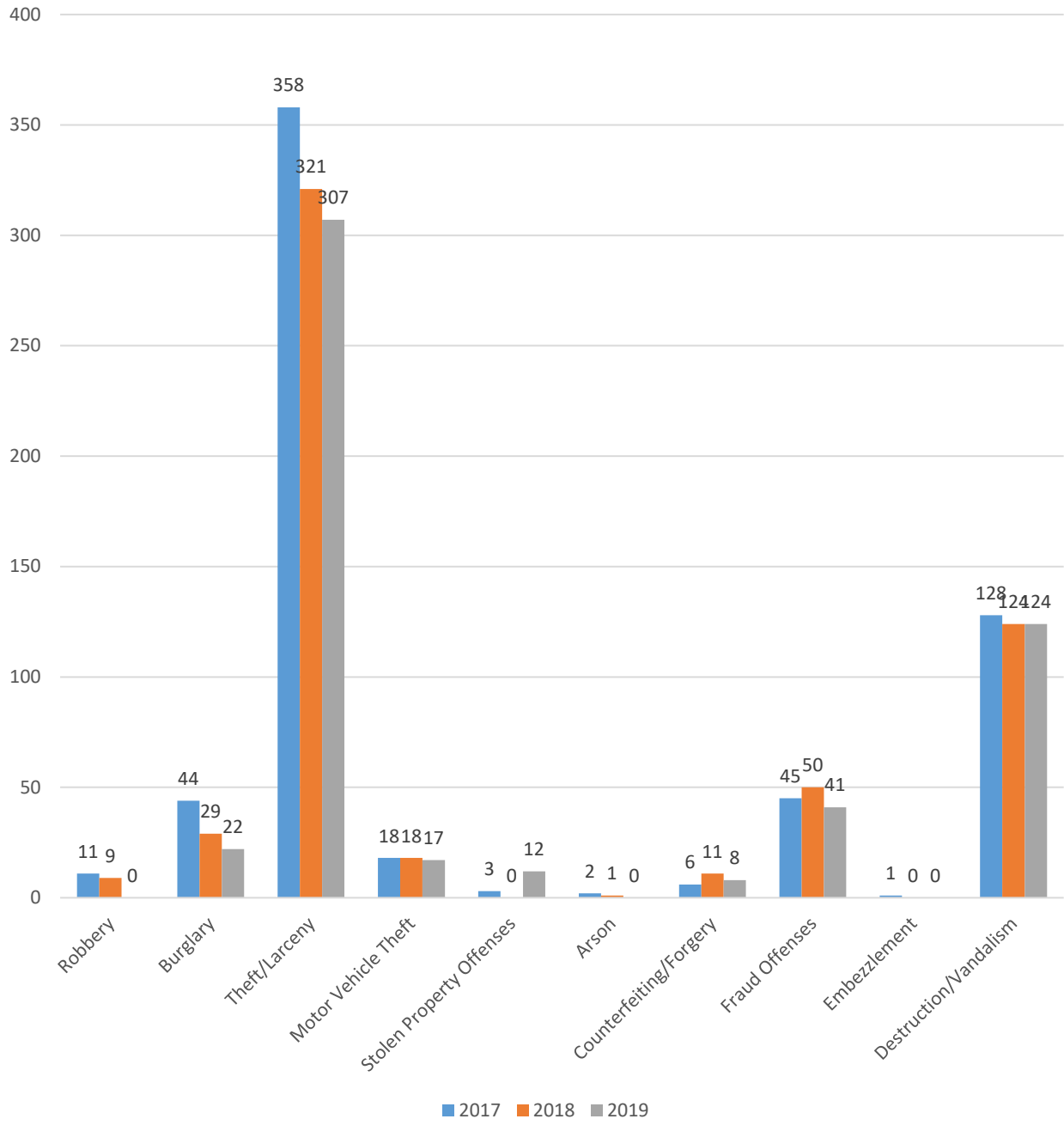
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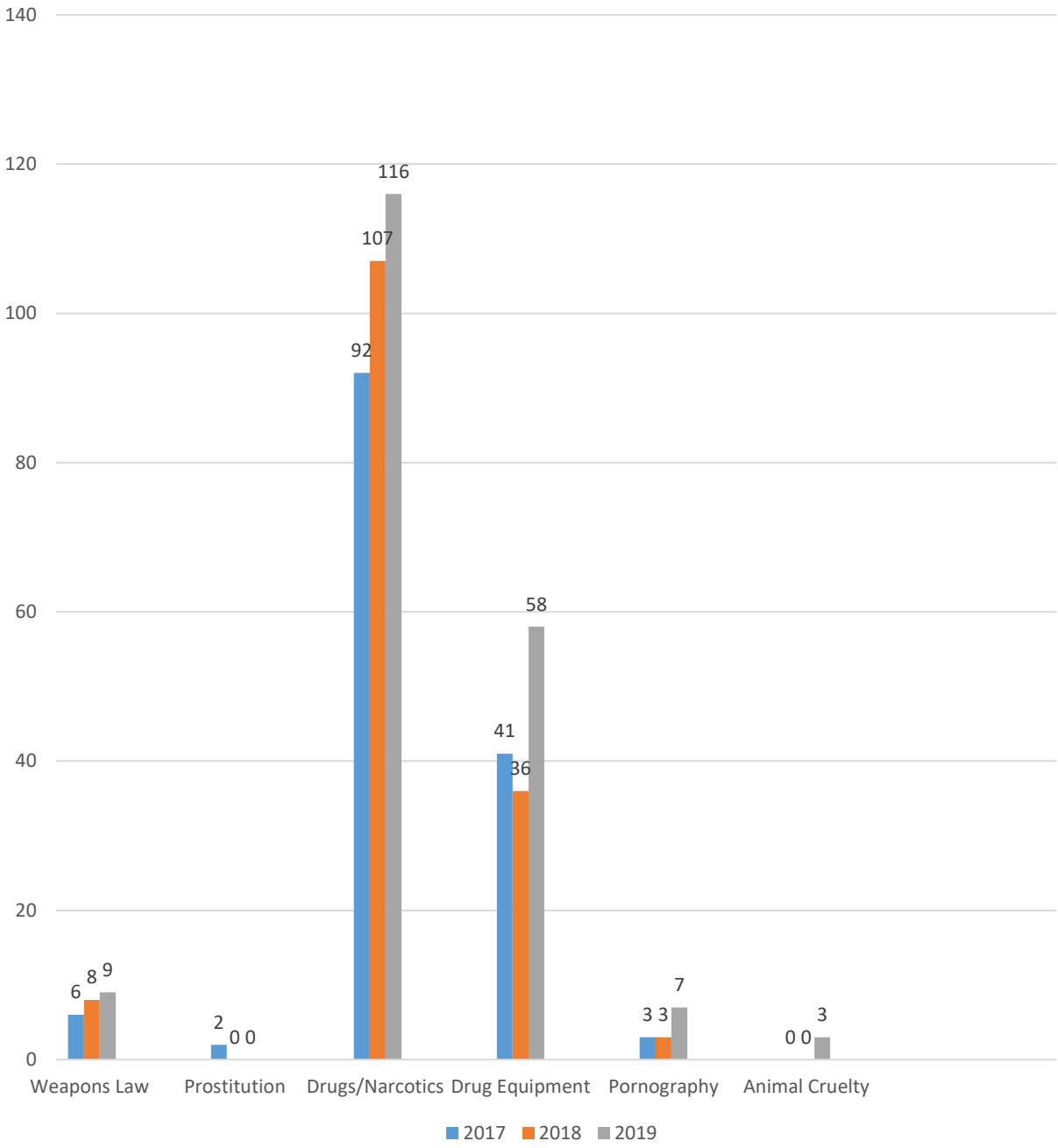
SMPD CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS 2017-2019



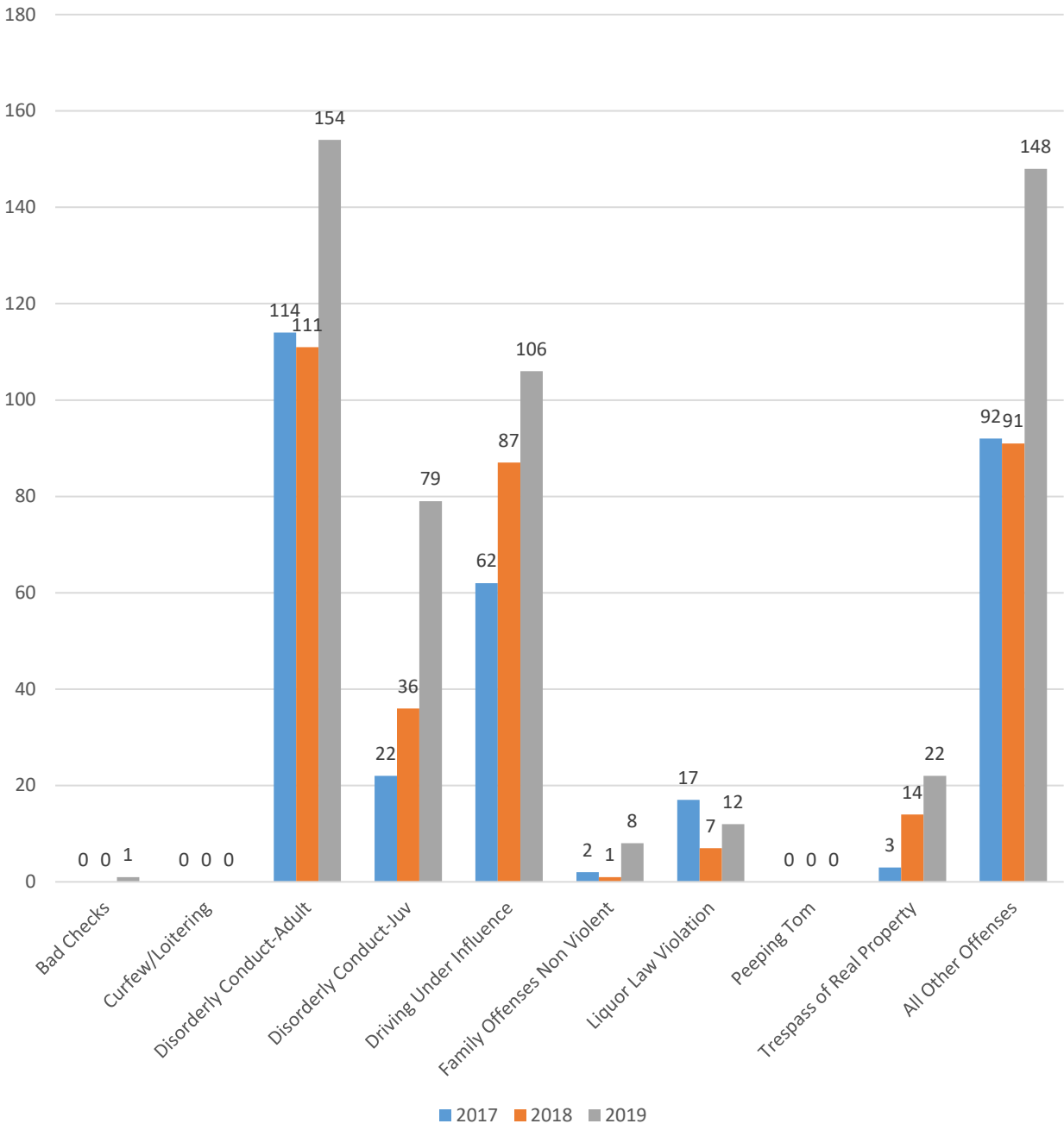
SMPD CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY 2017-2019



SMPD CRIMES AGAINST SOCIETY 2017-2019



SMPD GROUP B CRIME ARRESTS 2017-2019



ADULT AND JUVENILE ARRESTS

