



MONTHLY GIVE SHOOTING ACTIVITY REPORT

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The state Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) provides funding to police departments, district attorney's offices, probation departments and sheriff's offices in 21 counties outside of New York City through its Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) initiative. GIVE funds personnel, overtime, technology, and equipment, and DCJS provides focused training and technical assistance, so participating agencies can address shootings, shooting deaths and firearm-related violent crimes.

There are 28 police departments in those counties that are required to report shooting incidents involving injuries, the number of individuals shot, and the number of individuals killed by gun violence to DCJS. Those agencies are divided into two tiers:

- Tier I police departments focus on reducing the number of shootings and fatalities: Albany, Buffalo, Hempstead, Mount Vernon, Nassau County, Newburgh, Niagara Falls, Poughkeepsie, Rochester, Schenectady, Suffolk County, Syracuse, Troy, Utica, and Yonkers.
- Tier II police departments focus on reducing firearm-related violent crimes (murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault): Amherst, Auburn, Binghamton, Cheektowaga, Elmira, Greece, Ithaca, Jamestown, Kingston, Lackawanna, Middletown, Spring Valley, and Watertown.

This report presents the three shooting data metrics individually and collectively for Tier I police departments, and collectively for Tier II police departments.

Note: *Binghamton, Jamestown, Kingston, Middletown, and Spring Valley have participated in GIVE since it began in 2014. DCJS expanded the initiative in 2023 to include Amherst, Auburn, Cheektowaga, Elmira, Greece, Ithaca, Lackawanna, and Watertown.*

Highlights:

Through September 2024, the 28 police departments collectively reported 476 shooting incidents involving injury, down 26 percent when compared to January – September 2023 (646).

The number of individuals shot through September 2024 (600) decreased 22 percent when compared to January – September 2023 (770).

In the month of September 2024, there were 11 individuals killed by gun violence, compared to 11 in September 2023. Buffalo (3), Binghamton (2), Cheektowaga (1), Jamestown (1), Nassau County (1), Rochester (1), Utica (1), and Yonkers (1) accounted for the 11 shooting-related homicides.

Annual firearm data for GIVE agencies for the 10-year period 2014 through 2023 are available online: <https://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/crimnet/ojsa/stats.htm#gunviolence>

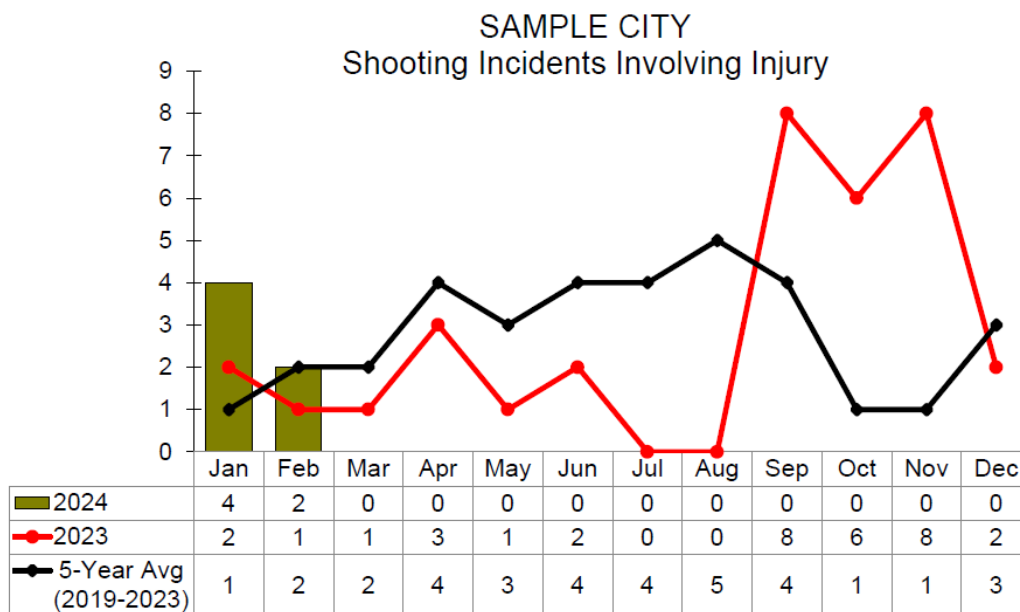
Data Definitions

Shooting Incidents Involving Injury or Death: The number of shooting incidents that resulted in one or more persons injured or killed by a bullet. These data do not include shooting incidents determined to be non-criminal (i.e., accidental discharge or justifiable homicide).

Shooting Victims: The number of individuals shot by a bullet; this total includes the number of individuals who died as a result of being shot by a bullet.

Individuals Killed by Gun Violence: The number of shooting-related homicides.

Interpreting the Data



The graphs and data tables for the sample city present 12 months of data for the previous year (2023), the Five-Year Average (2019-2023) for the months indicated, and monthly data for the current year-to-date (2024). 5-Year Averages are rounded to the nearest whole number in tables. Months beyond the current reporting period will display zeros, as that information is not yet available.

In this example, the 2024 year-to-date reporting period for Sample City is January and February. Since the reporting period for 2024 is limited to those two months, zeros are displayed for the remaining months in the year (March through December). In January 2024, the number of shootings (4) is higher than January 2023 (2), and higher than the five-year average for that month.

Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE)

January - September 2023 vs. 2024

	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change 23 vs. 24
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	646	476	-26%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	770	600	-22%
Individuals Killed by Gun Violence	114	98	-14%

January - September 2023 vs. 2024

GIVE Jurisdiction	Shooting Incidents			Shooting Victims			Individuals Killed by Firearm		
	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	Change From 2023	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	Change From 2023	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	Change From 2023
Rochester City PD	202	126	-76	238	160	-78	35	24	-11
Buffalo City PD	111	101	-10	129	127	-2	22	22	0
Syracuse City PD	73	52	-21	91	60	-31	10	9	-1
Albany City PD	38	45	+7	48	56	+8	10	6	-4
Suffolk County PD	36	21	-15	39	27	-12	9	5	-4
Niagara Falls City PD	20	12	-8	24	18	-6	6	1	-5
Poughkeepsie City PD	11	12	+1	12	16	+4	1	2	+1
Mount Vernon City PD	13	11	-2	15	13	-2	2	2	0
Newburgh City PD	11	11	0	13	17	+4	1	2	+1
Troy City PD	21	11	-10	26	13	-13	2	0	-2
Utica City PD	23	11	-12	26	13	-13	3	5	+2
Hempstead City PD	12	8	-4	18	9	-9	1	0	-1
Nassau County PD	10	8	-2	20	16	-4	2	5	+3
Yonkers City PD	16	8	-8	17	9	-8	2	4	+2
Schenectady City PD	13	7	-6	13	8	-5	1	1	0
GIVE Tier I Total	610	444	-166	729	562	-167	107	88	-19
GIVE Tier II Total*	36	32	-4	41	38	-3	7	10	+3
GIVE Total	646	476	-170	770	600	-170	114	98	-16

*GIVE Tier II Total shows the three data metrics reported for the following police departments: Amherst, Auburn, Binghamton, Cheektowaga, Elmira, Greece, Ithaca, Jamestown, Kingston, Lackawanna, Middletown, Spring Valley, and Watertown.

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Sources: GIVE Weekly Shooting Activity Report Forms (July 2023 - present)
GIVE Monthly Shooting Activity Report Forms (through June 2023)

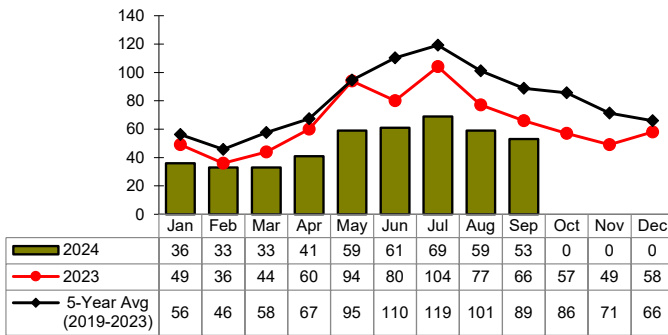
Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Tier I Total

January - September 2023 vs. 2024

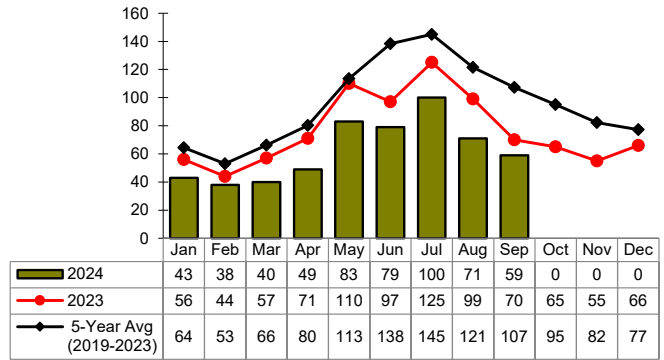
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
				23 vs. 24	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2024
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	741	610	444	-27%	-40%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	889	729	562	-23%	-37%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	137	107	88	-18%	-36%

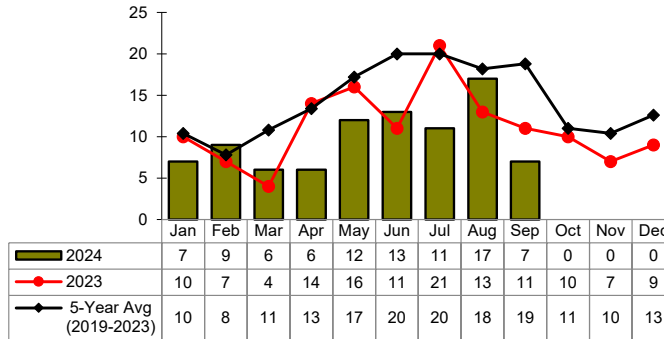
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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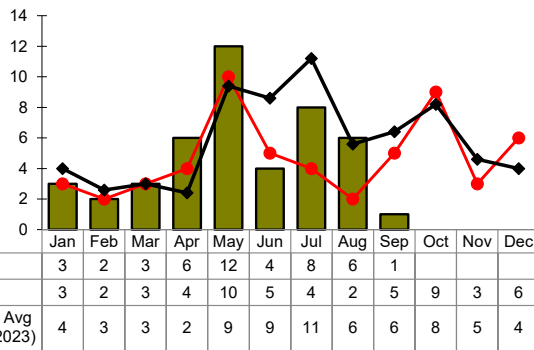
Albany City PD

January - September 2023 vs. 2024

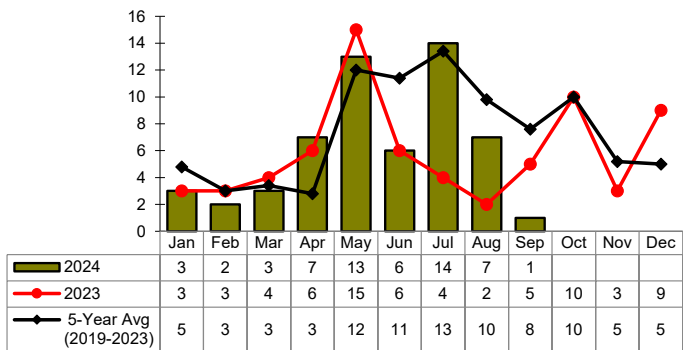
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	53	38	45	18%	-15%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	68	48	56	17%	-18%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	9	10	6		

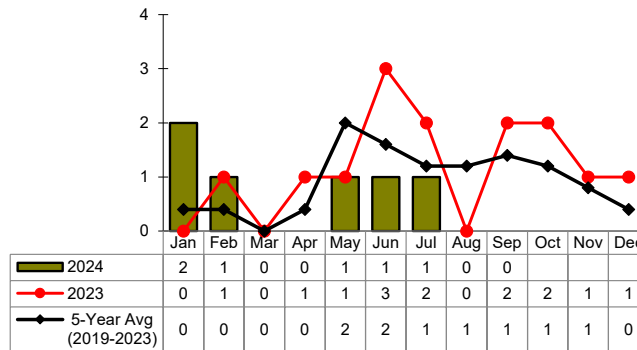
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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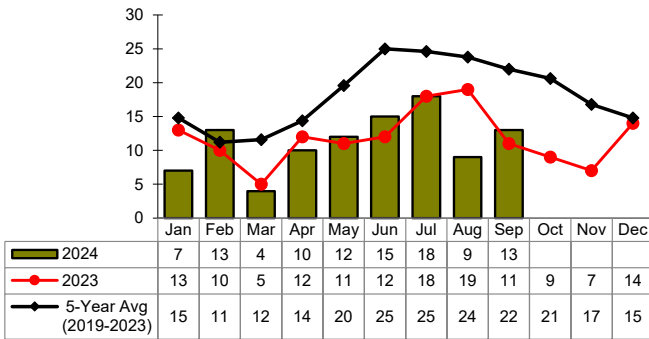
Buffalo City PD

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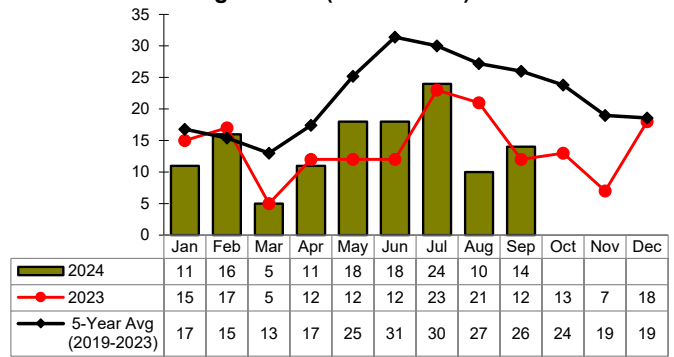
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	167	111	101	-9%	-40%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	202	129	127	-2%	-37%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	37	22	22	0%	-41%

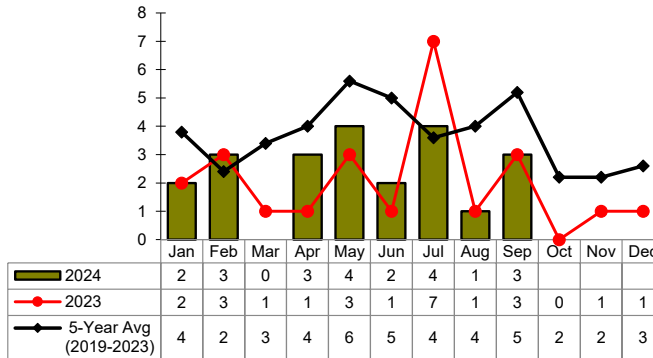
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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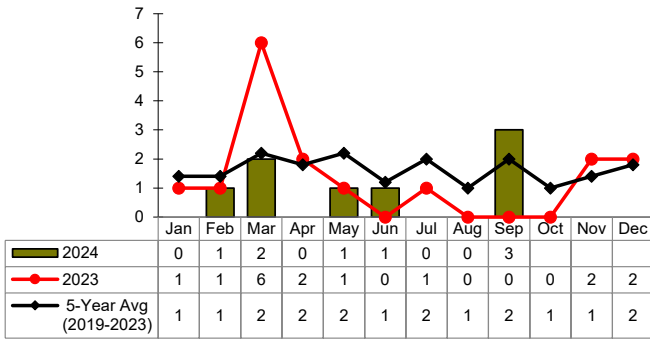
Hempstead Village PD

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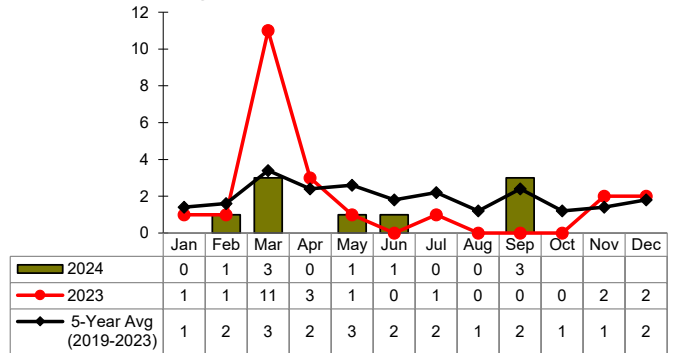
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	15	12	8		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	19	18	9		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	1	0		

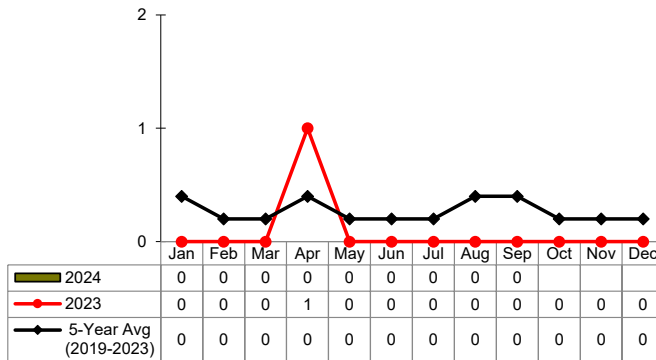
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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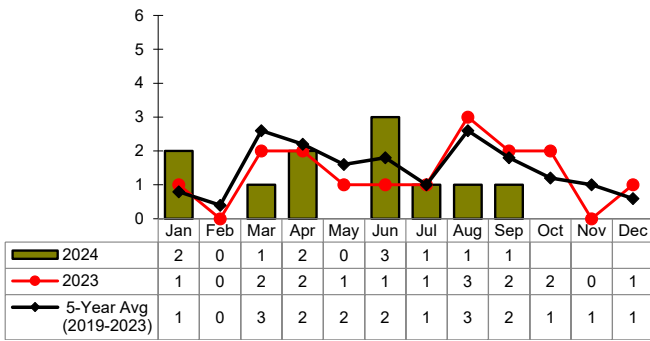
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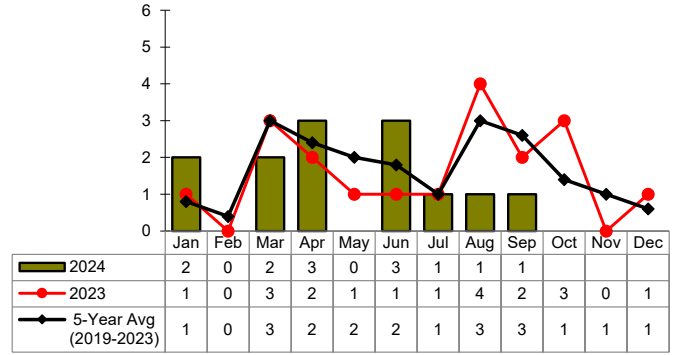
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	15	13	11	-15%	-27%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	17	15	13	-13%	-24%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	2	2		

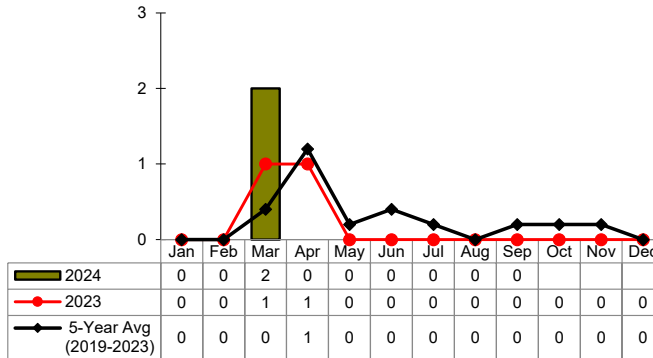
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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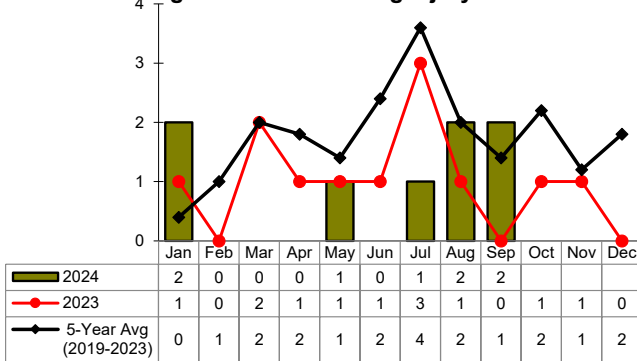
Nassau County PD

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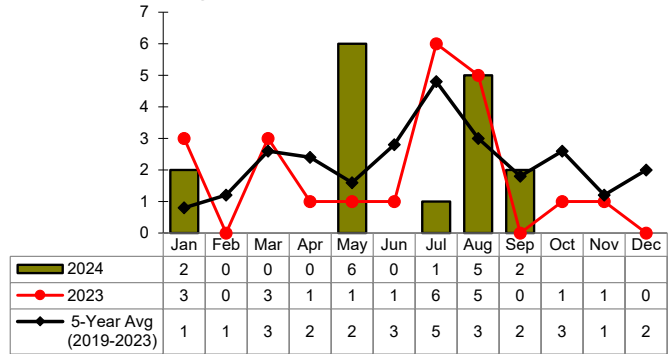
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	16	10	8		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	21	20	16	-20%	-24%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	4	2	5		

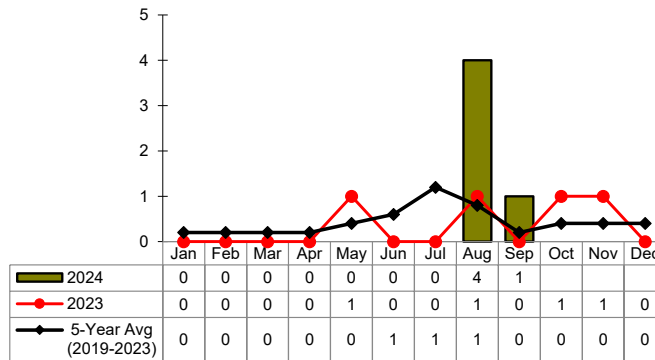
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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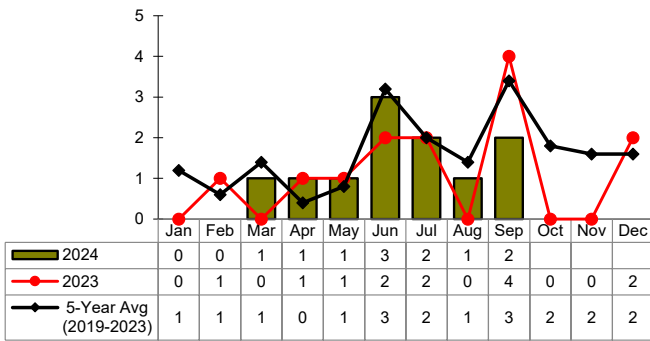
Newburgh City PD

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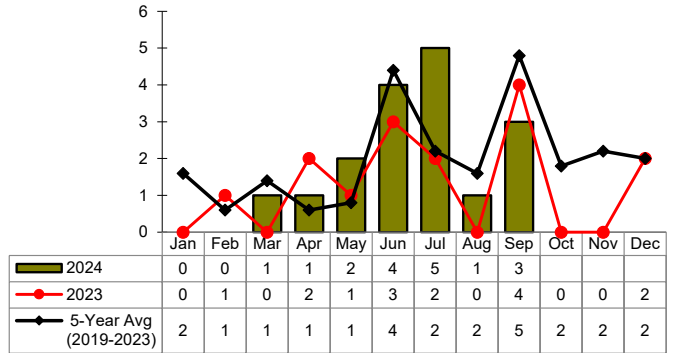
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	14	11	11	0%	-21%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	18	13	17	31%	-6%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	2	1	2		

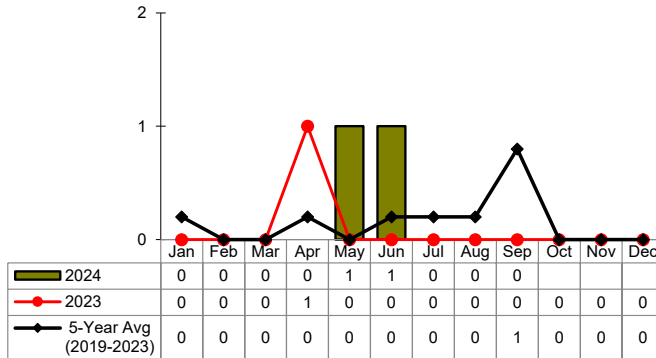
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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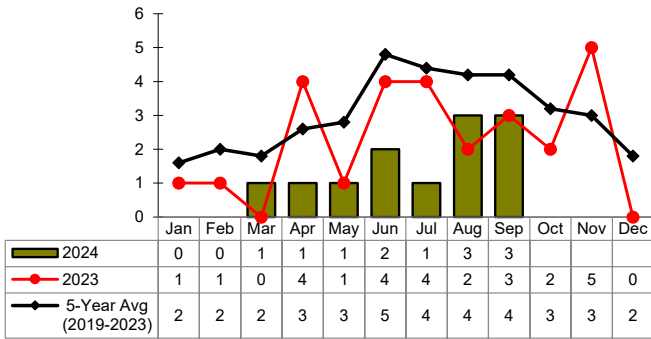
Niagara Falls City PD

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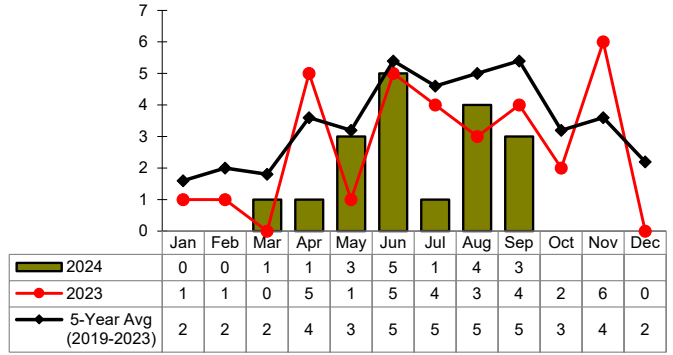
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	28	20	12	-40%	-57%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	33	24	18	-25%	-45%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	6	6	1		

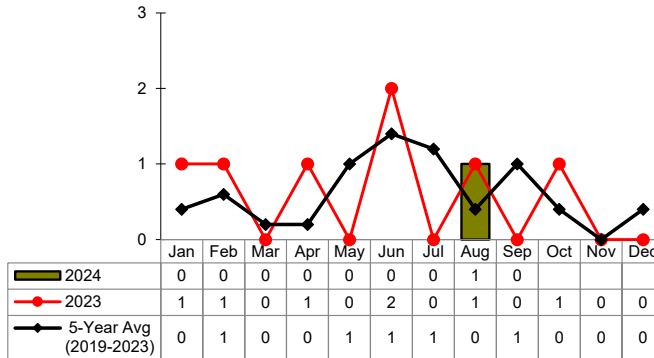
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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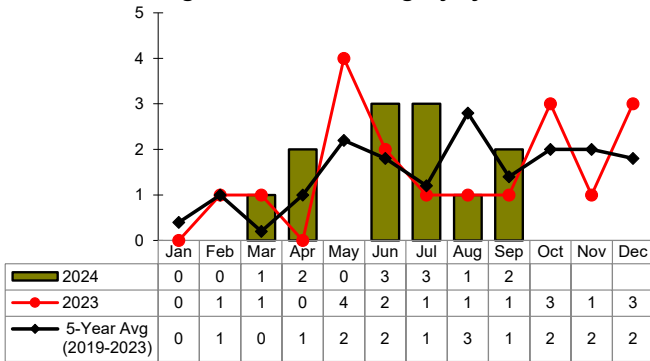
Poughkeepsie City PD

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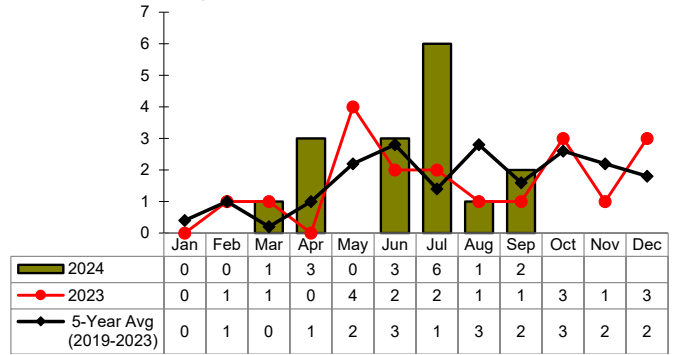
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	12	11	12	9%	0%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	13	12	16	33%	23%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	2	1	2		

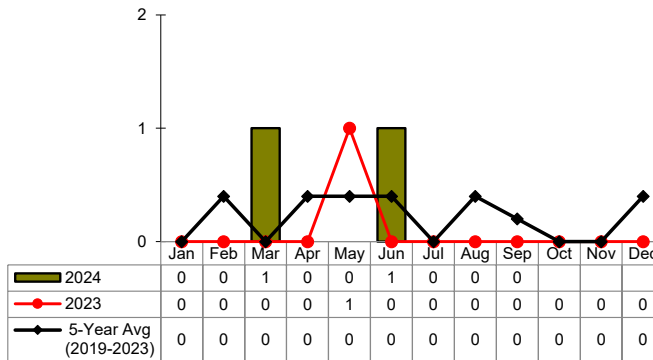
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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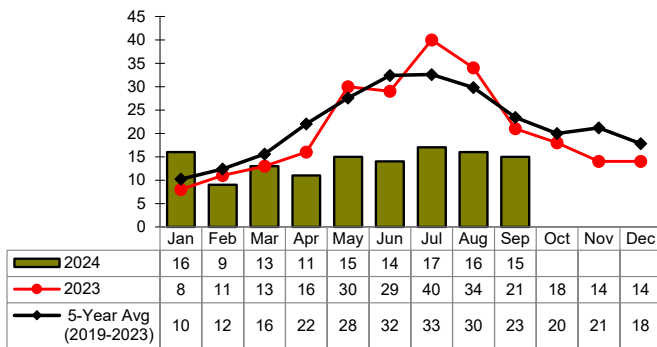
Rochester City PD

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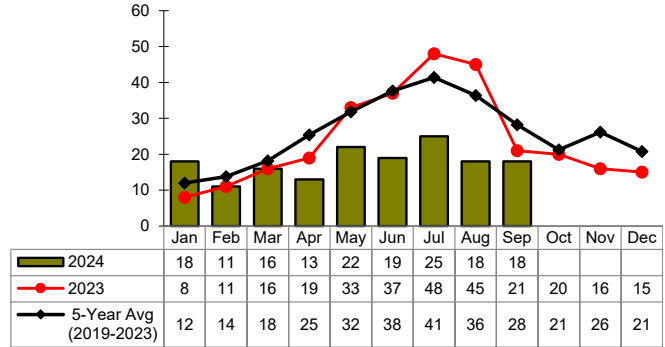
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	206	202	126	-38%	-39%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	245	238	160	-33%	-35%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	35	35	24	-31%	-31%

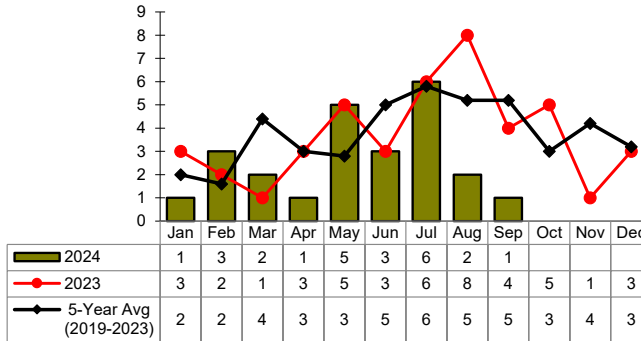
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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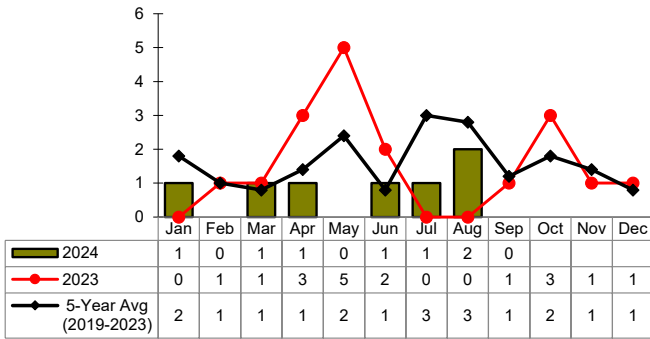
Schenectady City PD

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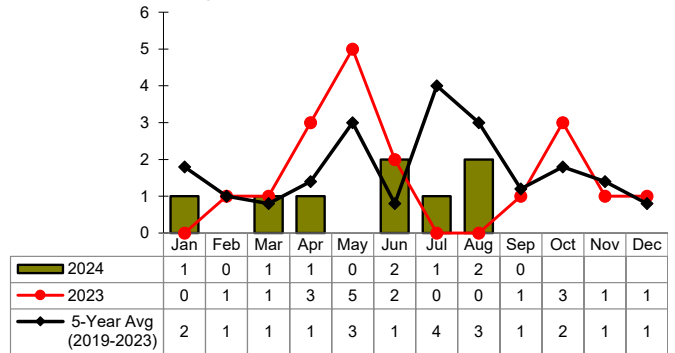
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	17	13	8		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	2	1	1		

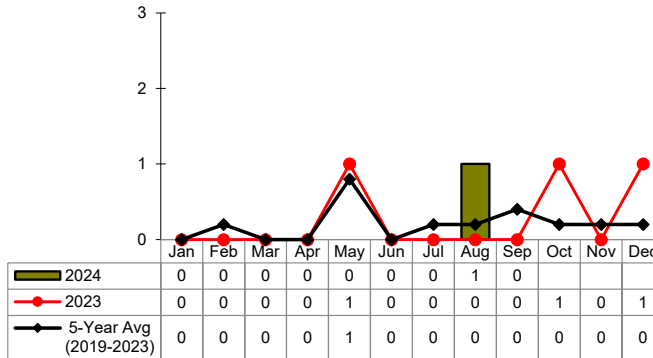
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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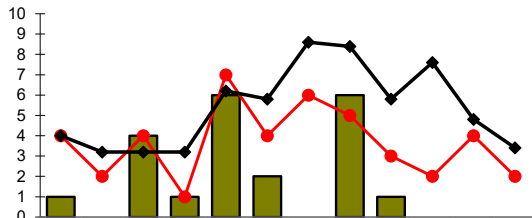
Suffolk County PD

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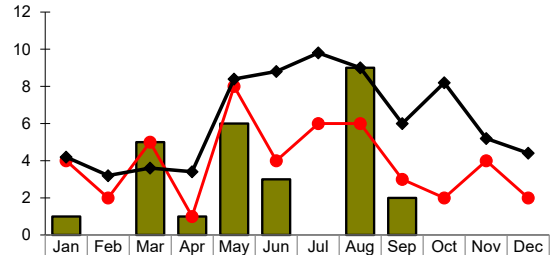
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	48	36	21	-42%	-56%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	56	39	27	-31%	-52%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	12	9	5		

Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



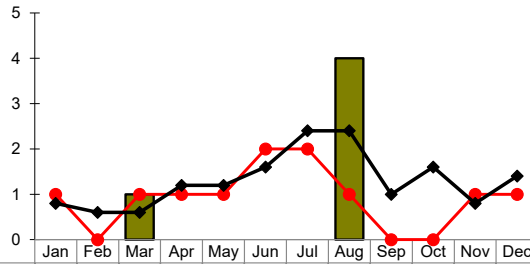
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2024	1	0	4	1	6	2	0	6	1			
2023	4	2	4	1	7	4	6	5	3	2	4	2
5-Year Avg (2019-2023)	4	3	3	3	6	6	9	8	6	8	5	3

Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2024	1	0	5	1	6	3	0	9	2			
2023	4	2	5	1	8	4	6	6	3	2	4	2
5-Year Avg (2019-2023)	4	3	4	3	8	9	10	9	6	8	5	4

Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2024	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0			
2023	1	0	1	1	1	2	2	1	0	0	1	1
5-Year Avg (2019-2023)	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	1	1

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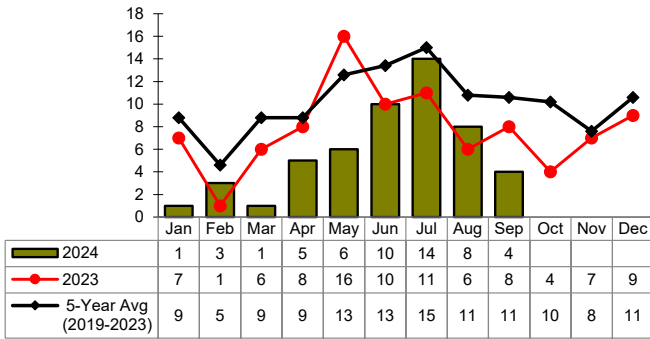
Syracuse City PD

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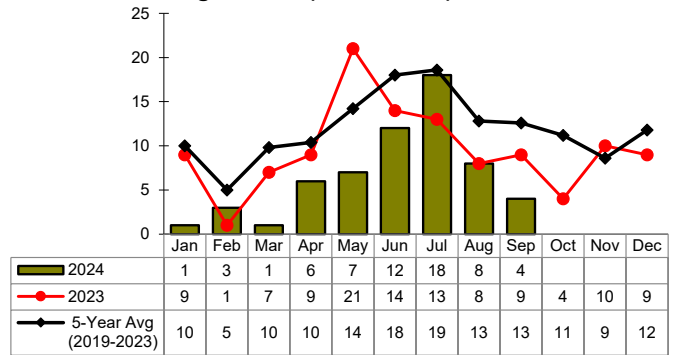
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	93	73	52	-29%	-44%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	111	91	60	-34%	-46%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	14	10	9		

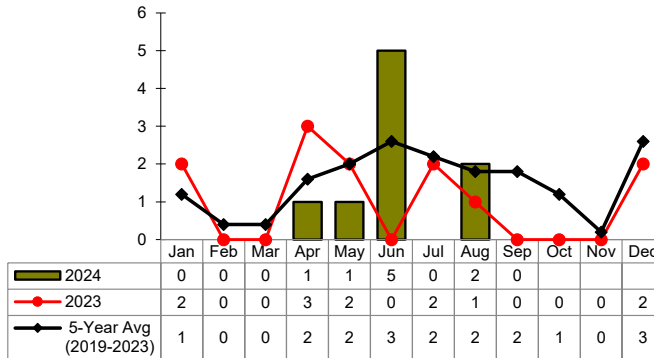
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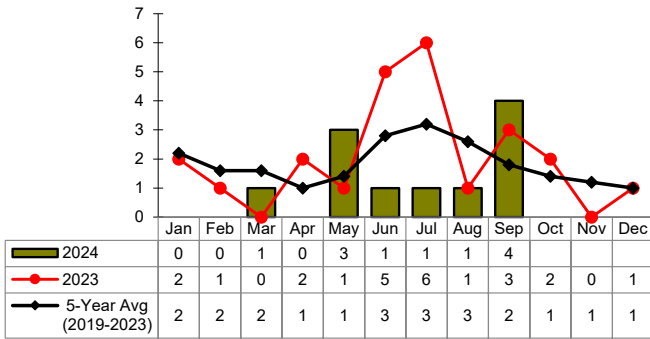
Troy City PD

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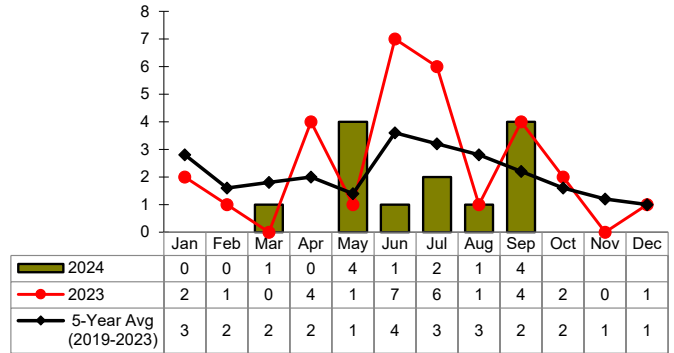
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	18	21	11	-48%	-39%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	21	26	13	-50%	-38%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	2	0		

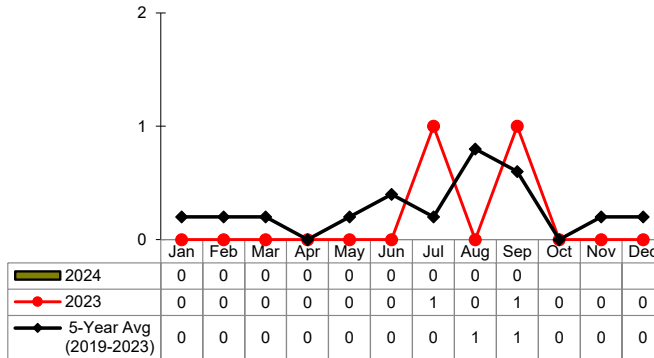
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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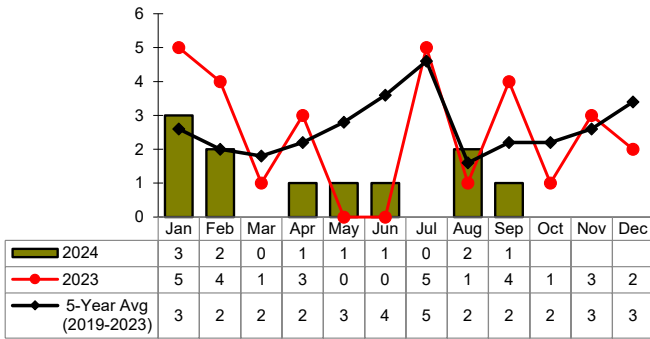
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January - September 2023 vs. 2024

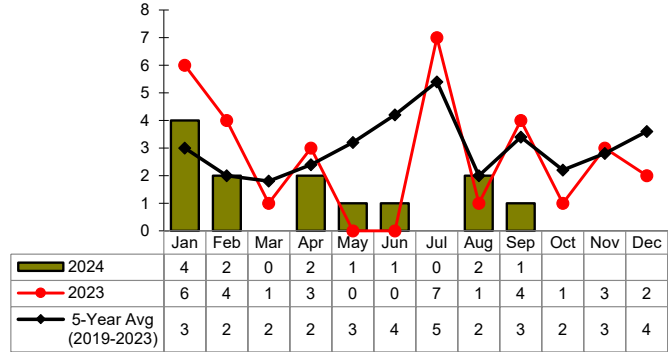
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
				23 vs. 24	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2024
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	23	23	11	-52%	-52%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	27	26	13	-50%	-52%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	3	5		

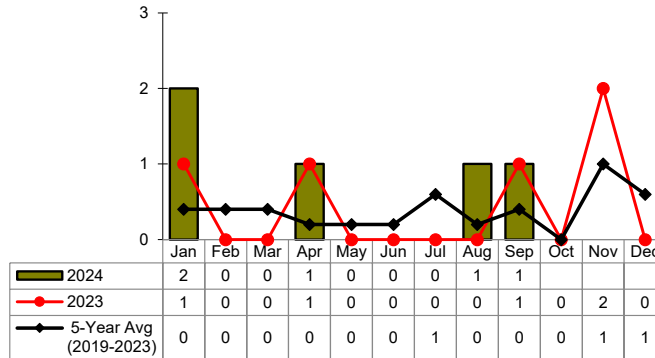
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



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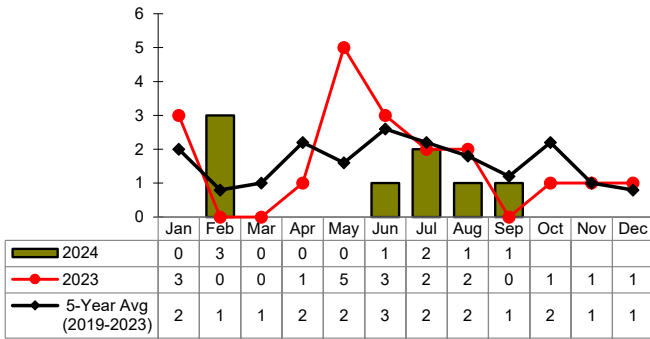
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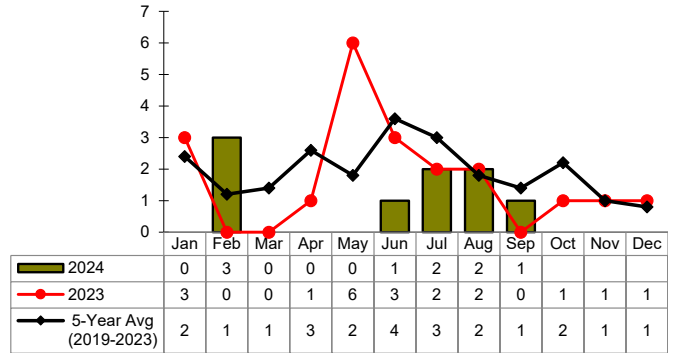
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				23 vs. 24	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2024
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	15	16	8		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	19	17	9		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	2	4		

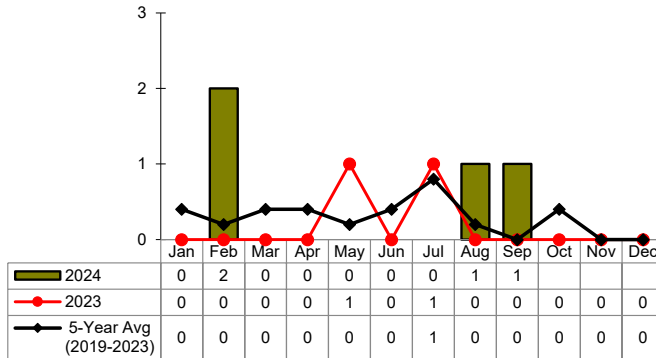
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) - Tier II Agencies

January - September 2023 vs. 2024

	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change 23 vs. 24
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	36	32	-11%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	41	38	-7%
Individuals Killed by Gun Violence	7	10	

January - September 2023 vs. 2024

GIVE Jurisdiction	Shooting Incidents			Shooting Victims			Individuals Killed by Firearm		
	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	Change From 2023	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	Change From 2023	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	Change From 2023
Binghamton City PD	11	8	-3	13	9	-4	1	3	+2
Jamestown City PD	3	8	+5	3	10	+7	1	4	+3
Greece Town PD	2	4	+2	2	5	+3	0	0	0
Elmira City PD	6	3	-3	6	4	-2	3	2	-1
Middletown City PD	1	2	+1	1	3	+2	0	0	0
Spring Valley Village PD	2	2	0	3	2	-1	0	0	0
Amherst Town PD	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Cheektowaga Town PD	3	1	-2	3	1	-2	1	1	0
Ithaca City PD	4	1	-3	5	1	-4	0	0	0
Lackawanna Town PD	0	1	+1	0	1	+1	0	0	0
Watertown City PD	1	1	0	2	1	-1	0	0	0
Auburn City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kingston City PD	2	0	-2	2	0	-2	1	0	-1
GIVE Tier II Total	36	32	-4	41	38	-3	7	10	+3

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Sources: GIVE Weekly Shooting Activity Report Forms (January 2021 - present)

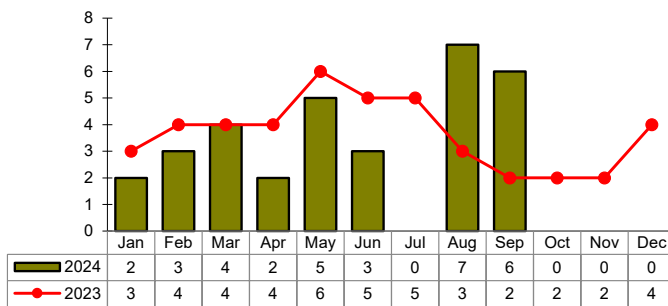
Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Tier II Total

January - September 2023 vs. 2024

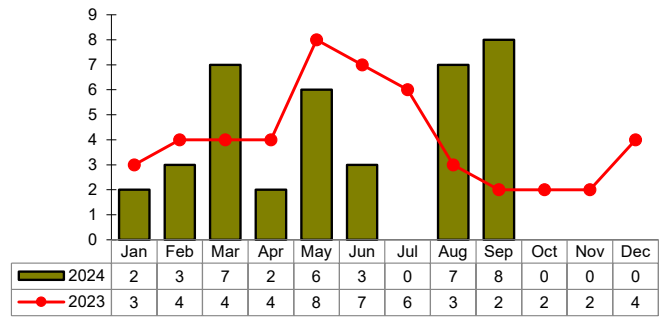
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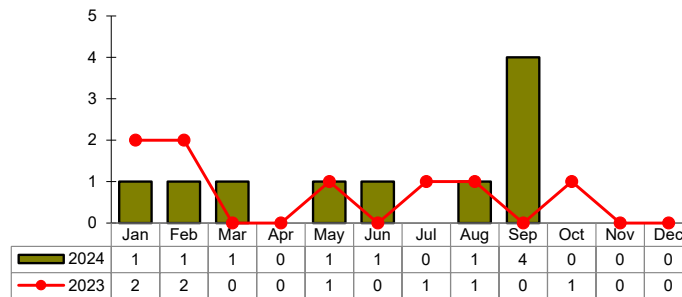
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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