

Wright County Court Services

# 2011 Annual Report



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# Wright County

Wright County covers more than 716 square miles, with much of the area classified as agricultural (approximately 69%). The county government operates on a budget of \$99,818,418 (2011). Wright County is one of the eighty-seven counties in Minnesota and there are five seated commissioners: Rose Thelen, Dick Mattson, Patrick Sawatzke, Jack Russek, and Elmer Eichelberg.

## *Tenth Judicial District*

Wright County is in the Tenth Judicial District, along with Anoka, Chisago, Isanti, Kanabec, Pine, Sherburne, and Washington counties. There are forty-five judges in the district, making it the second largest of Minnesota's ten judicial districts. Wright County is the third largest bench in the district with the Honorable Judges Stephen M. Halsey, Jonathan N. Jasper, Kathleen A. Mottl, Michelle A. Davis, Geoffrey Tenney, and Catherine McPherson, presiding

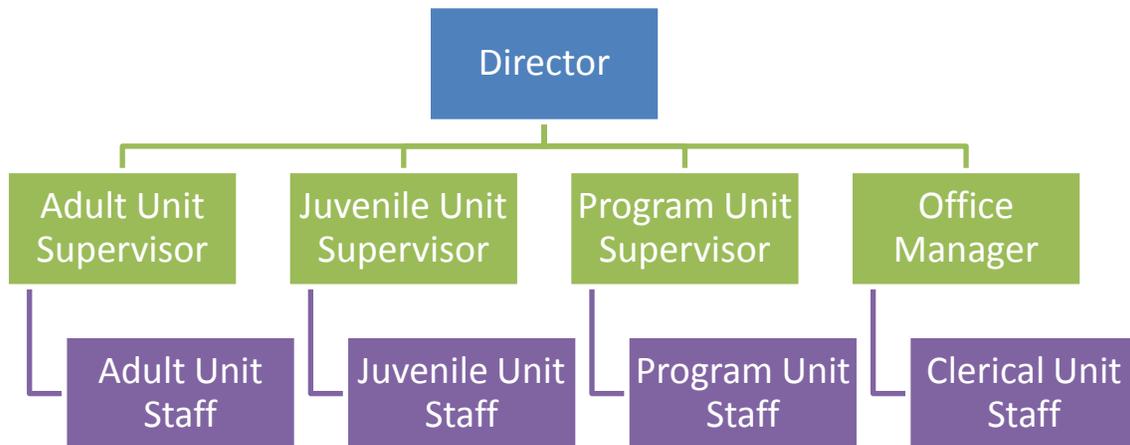
Currently, the Chief Judge of the Tenth Judicial District is the Honorable John C. Hoffman, Washington County. The Tenth Judicial District Administrator is Mike Moriarity, assisted by Deputy Administrator Nancy McCabe.

## *The mission statement reflects the following beliefs:*

That society has a right to be protected from individuals who cause harm to others. When public safety is not compromised, the interests of most offenders are best served through Evidence Based and Restorative practices. The person should leave the criminal justice system in a positive manner, and as a more productive citizen.



# Organizational Structure



**Adult Unit** – Supervises adult offenders convicted of gross misdemeanor- and misdemeanor-level offenses, as well as felony-level DWIs, and felony-level charges that are reduced to gross misdemeanors or misdemeanors.

**Juvvenile Unit** – Supervises juveniles, ages 10 to 21, who have been adjudicated delinquent or received a stay of adjudication for any offense.

**Program Unit** – Supervises low-risk adult and juvenile offenders and all levels of pre-trial conditional release offenders, as well as provides educational and community service programs.

**Clerical Unit** – Provides support services to all units and the Director.

# Adult Unit

The adult unit supervises adult offenders convicted of Misdemeanor and Gross Misdemeanor offenses. Additionally, the unit supervises all felony DWI offenders. Probation agents are assigned to specific communities for the supervision of offenders. Their duties include conducting pre-sentence investigations, drug/alcohol testing, preparing and submitting probation violations. Agents work closely with a number of community partners that include prosecutors, law enforcement, human services, schools, local businesses, and mental health and drug/alcohol treatment providers.

Staff	Title – Major Responsibility
Tom Feddema	Adult Unit Supervisor
Darnell Brethorst	Career Agent - Annandale, Clearwater, Cokato, Maple Lake, South Haven
Ryan Busch	Senior Agent – Buffalo
Ben Ehlinger	Senior Agent - Intensive Supervision Program (ISP)
Justine Hancuch*	Senior Agent – Intensive Supervision Program (ISP)
Neal Huemoeller	Senior Agent – Monticello
Chris Jahnke	Career Agent - Albertville, St Michael, Otsego, Hanover, Rockford
Sherry Schliesing	Career Agent - Delano, Howard Lake, Montrose, Waverly
Tammi Solarz	Senior Agent - Intensive Supervision Program (ISP)
Janelle Webb*	Senior Agent - Out of County

\*Staffing change in 2011

There were 2,584 adult offenders supervised in 2011 and 41% of those were non-Wright County offenders. The graphs located in the Statistical Overview section of this report, starting on page 18, outline the following in more detail:

- Number of offenders supervised by community;
- Number of male and female offenders opened in 2011; and
- Number of offenses supervised in 2011 by offense level.

## *Intensive Supervision Program*

Wright County Court Services' ISP program has supervised 264 total clients since the inception of the program in 2001. As of 2011, the ISP program has had only 19 repeat offenders (13.89% recidivism rate). Of the 264 clients supervised on ISP, 25 were females (9.5%) and 239 were males (90.5%)

During the period of January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011, a total of 63 ISP clients were supervised. Of the clients supervised during 2011, a total of 8 clients were monitored through the ISP monthly group supervision, 20 clients were on monitored supervision, and 35 cases were supervised on a traditional caseload. A total of 11 ISP program cases were successfully closed from ISP probation in 2011.

In 2011, the ISP program added 28 new qualifying cases (minimum 4 DWIs within lifetime). Fifteen ISP cases were supervised as courtesy supervision from a non-Wright County sentence.

Of the 63 ISP clients, a total of 69 cases were supervised. There were 28 cases that were felony level convictions and 41 were gross misdemeanor level convictions. More ISP statistics can be found on page 22.

In 2011, the ISP program submitted 24 probation violations, administered 9 Apprehension and Detention Orders, and submitted 4 technical violations through the Wright County District Court. As of December 31, 2011, zero ISP clients had an active warrant.



## ***2011 Jail Treatment Program***

The Wright County New Beginnings Jail Treatment Program was implemented at the Wright County Jail on June 1, 2010. The program was the result of a planning process initiated by Wright County Court Services and involved representatives from the Court, defense bar, Department of Corrections, county jail, prosecution, and New Beginnings Treatment Facility.

The New Beginnings Jail Treatment Program is considered an intensive outpatient program consisting of two phases. Phase I is the in-jail phase of the program that includes three hours of treatment Monday through Friday. Phase II is a twelve-week aftercare program where offenders meet an hour each week for group sessions.

Three offenders were referred to their home county for Chemical Dependency Aftercare. Six offenders were referred to Halfway House Programming at various facilities. The graphs on pages 24 and 25 reflect the number of offenders that were admitted to the program in 2011 and the success rate of the 12-week aftercare phase.

## ***Evidence Based Practices Within Adult Supervision***

In 2008, Wright County Court Services implemented the LSIR (Level of Services Inventory) risk/needs assessment to assess and determine the appropriate level of supervision for offenses based on several factors. Based on the LSIR, the offender is supervised on their risk/need not just on offense or conditions placed upon them by the court. Traditional supervision of adult caseload numbers has remained fairly consistent over the last 5 years. We have noticed a slight shift in caseloads based on this assessment and other outside factors (economy). In addition to the LSIR, agents have also been trained in motivational interviewing and effective management. This has resulted in great benefits to the Courts and the offenders we supervise. Because of this, the time, effort, supervision, and resources that are put into each case we supervise has grown substantially. In 2011, we implemented formalized case plans for all offenders placed on traditional supervision. These case plans are designed to assist the offenders with high risk areas in their lives to hopefully help them remain out of the criminal justice system and live more productive lives.

Please refer to pages 23 and 24 for the number of Adult Assessments, Standard Violations, and Sanction Conferences completed in 2011.

# *Wright County Coordinated Community Response Domestic Violence*

Wright County Coordinated Community Response to Domestic Violence is an effort in the criminal justice system to effectively deal with domestic violence within the county. A core group of representatives from Probation, County Attorney, Wright County Sheriff's Office, Buffalo Police Department, Annandale Police Department, and a Wright County Commissioner have been working together to improve accountability for offenders and increase victim safety since mid 2009.

One of the major needs identified was a domestic violence batterer's group for the Court to refer offenders that meet the requirements of Statute 518B.02. Wright County Court Services, the Minnesota Department of Corrections, the Wright County Attorney's Office, the Wright County Sheriff's Office, Rivers of Hope, County Commissioner Thelen, and the Central MN Mental Health Center (CMMHC) have worked together to establish a 24-week domestic violence program in Wright County. Representatives from the offices listed above meet monthly to discuss and review program data in an effort to find ways to improve the overall program.

The Batterers' Intervention Program curriculum is based on the Duluth model. Two facilitators from CMMHC and the MN Department of Corrections are trained in the model. An additional therapist from CMMHC and an agent from Court Services have also been trained and started facilitating groups in the fall of 2011. The program's first group started on October 9, 2010, with new orientation sessions following every six weeks. A second group was added on March 1, 2011, due to the number of participants. Neal Huemoeller, Agent from Wright County Court Services, is a trained facilitator for one of these groups.

Court Services had 169 new adult and 19 new juvenile domestic related offenses that were supervised in 2011. The graphs on pages 25 and 26 reflect more statistics.



# Juvenile Unit

The Juvenile Unit provides supervision for juvenile offenders placed on probation for all levels of offenses. Caseloads are assigned to Juvenile Agents by the school district the youth attends. We use the Youth Level of Service (YLS) risk/needs assessment tool to establish the level of supervision (high, medium, or low). Medium-risk and high-risk youth work with their Juvenile Agent to develop a Case Plan that identifies goals to enhance positive change. Low-risk offenders are supervised by the Program Unit.

<b>Staff</b>	<b>Title – Major Responsibility</b>
B. Abe Abrahamson	Juvenile Unit Supervisor
Joe Backes	Career Agent - Annandale, Clearwater, Maple Lake, South Haven, Cokato
Jake Bohnsack*	Senior Agent - Intensive Supervision Program (ISP)
Carter Diers	Career Agent - Albertville, Otsego, Rogers, St. Michael
Nathan Miller	Career Agent - Monticello
Brian Stoll	Senior Agent - Buffalo, Hanover, Montrose, Rockford, Delano
Janelle Webb*/Melissa Holthaus	Senior Agent - Buffalo, Hanover, Montrose, Howard Lake

\*Staffing change in 2011

It was a very rewarding year for the Juvenile Unit in 2011. Juvenile Agents focus on public safety, promote change and hold young offenders accountable. In addition, our Juvenile and Program Units initiated and facilitated a TruThought Program. Youth are court ordered to attend this cognitive behavioral program to identify their thinking errors and learn other methods of problem solving. Juvenile Staff were very involved in Safe Schools, our networking initiative that is present in all ten school districts serving Wright County youth. Juvenile Agents frequently led educational/restorative workshops at wRight Choice, an alternative to suspension program located in the lower level of the Wright County Government Center. This program is a joint effort among many school districts and Court Services. Several staff were busy educating schools, students, and parents on topics, such as appropriate use of social networking, over-the-counter drug abuse, and collateral consequences.

There were 864 juvenile offenders supervised in 2011 and 19% of those were offenders that live in the Buffalo area. The graphs located in the Statistical Overview section of this report, starting on page 27, outline the following in more detail:

- Number of offenders supervised by community;
- Number of male and female offenders opened in 2011; and
- Number of offenses supervised in 2011 by offense level.

Juvenile Probation Officers have a variety of assessment tools available to identify risk and needs of juvenile offenders. The Youth Level of Service (YLS) helps staff apply the appropriate supervision level for juvenile offenders. We are mandated to provide mental health screening for most delinquent juveniles, which helps to identify juveniles who need further mental health testing. Finally, probation agents provide the Court with written reports to provide judges additional information prior to disposition. Please refer to page 30 to see the breakdown of assessments completed in 2011.

## ***Juvenile Unit Intensive Supervision Program (ISP)***

In 2011, we changed the name of our Juvenile Intensive Aftercare Program to Juvenile Intensive Supervision Program to accurately reflect the juvenile offenders we serve. We continue to provide additional support through the ISP Program to high-risk young offenders leaving long-term out-of-home placement through this initiative. Additionally, we identified high-risk youth who remain in the community who would benefit from this program. Using community resources, frequent face-to-face contact, electronic monitoring, and random drug screens, we continue to support young offenders involved in ISP to enhance their opportunity to succeed in their homes, communities, and schools. In 2011, we had five youth complete the ISP Program successfully (80%). Only one youth re-offended. Since the inception of the ISP Program, in 2001, we have observed the following:

- 79% successfully completed ISP with no need for long-term placement
- 72% of the youth involved in ISP have not committed another delinquent offense
- 107 juveniles have successfully completed the ISP Program since 2001

## ***Juvenile Placements***

Despite efforts to work with juveniles in their communities, at times a juvenile offender may need to be placed out of their home. Wright County Court Services is fortunate to have many fine programs to refer juveniles to. Through our Juvenile Screening Team we review potential out-of-home cases and discuss best options to meet an offender's needs.

Wright County Court Services is part of a ten-member joint power agreement and own three beds at East Central Regional Juvenile Center (ECRJC), aka Lino Lakes. All placement statistics can be found in the Statistical Overview of the report, starting on page 31.

# Program Unit

The Program unit supervises a wide range of juvenile and adult offenders pre- and post-sentence; adult and juvenile group and administration supervision; offers education opportunities for adults and juveniles; early intervention programs such as diversions and payables; and monitors conditional release cases.

Staff	Area of Responsibility
Margaret Munson	Supervisor
Karen Determan	Career Agent – Community Conferencing/Victim Offender Mediation, Teen Court, Diversions, Community Service Site Coordinator
Janet Gholson	Career Agent – Probation Information Center Agent: adult and juvenile monitored/group/administrative probation, community services
Amy Hertzog	Master Agent – Pre-trial Program: supervision pre-trial adult offenders, color code program, electronic monitoring program/GPS
Alex Hirman	Case Aide – Adult and Juvenile Programs, Juvenile Work Crew, Bail Studies, Juvenile Payable Program, Records Management
Ross Jahnke	Case Aide – Adult and Juvenile Programs, Juvenile Work Crew, Bail Studies, Juvenile Payable Program, Records Management
Pat LaVine	Senior Agent – Probation Information Center Agent: adult and juvenile monitored/group/administrative probation, community services
Tessa MacDonald	Senior Agent – Pre-trial Program: supervision pre-trial adult offenders, electronic monitoring program, color code program/GPS
Michelle Nelson	Agent – Probation Information Center Agent: adult and juvenile monitored/group/administrative probation, community services

All staff share the responsibility of programming offered by Court Services: Shoplifting Class, TruThought, Adolescent Chemical Education, Awareness Panel for Impaired Drivers, and a new adult program called Choices.

## New to Program Unit in 2011

- Adult Diversions
- Expansion of Domestic Violence GPS Monitoring
- Changes to Behavioral Cognitive Curriculum (TruThought)
- Expansion of Bail Studies
  - Our office conducted twice as many bail evaluations in 2011 than in 2010.
- Development of Adult Choices Program
  - This is an adult early intervention program to explain and map the criminal justice system.

## *Programs*

- ∞ Adult Home Detention Electronic Alcohol Monitoring
  - As shown on the Adult Offenders Home Detention graph, located on page 34, there were 186 offenders on home detention in 2011.
- ∞ Juvenile Electronic Monitoring
  - As you will see on page 35, there were 31 juvenile offenders that participated on the juvenile electronic monitoring program.
- ∞ Adult Diversions
- ∞ Juvenile Diversions
- ∞ Teen Court
- ∞ Community Conferencing
- ∞ Juvenile Payable Program
- ∞ Juvenile Restitution Program
- ∞ Adult Community Service
- ∞ Juvenile Work Crew
- ∞ Choices
- ∞ Awareness Panel for Impaired Drivers
- ∞ Shoplifting Class
- ∞ Adolescent Chemical Education
- ∞ TruThought



## *Bail Evaluations*

Wright County Court Services completes Pre-Trial Bail Evaluations on in-custody defendants who have been charged with an offense that is considered a misdemeanor, gross misdemeanor, or felony level “crime of Violence” in Minnesota. Wright County Court Services also completes bail evaluations on Controlled Substances charges.

Bail evaluations are written reports for the Court that describe information about the defendant. The reports details their address, phone number, employment, criminal history, and other information that the Court might want to know about the defendant or current situation.

The Program Unit Agents follow procedures below:

1. Gather offender criminal history.
2. Review police reports.
3. Check Jail Booking logs for more information.
4. Meet with the client to get accurate and current information.
5. Speak to Victims.
6. Complete DVSI (Domestic Violence Screening Instrument) on Domestic Assault and person offenses.
7. Make recommendations for the Court.
8. Complete a report with current information.
9. Submit the report to the court.

Bail Evaluations help the court determine if the defendant will be released on their own recognizance, until their future court date, or if the Court will set a bail amount and the defendant will have to post bail in order to be released from custody.

The graphs on pages 33 and 34 show the number of bail evaluations from the last five years and number of bail evaluations in 2011 sorted by offense.

## *Pre-Trial Supervision*

The Court will order offenders to a variety of pre-trial supervision programs:

- Random chemical testing
- Pre-Trial supervision
- Pre-Trial electronic alcohol monitoring
  - The number of adult offenders placed on pre-trial electronic alcohol monitoring in 2011 has declined since 2010. You can see statistics from the last 5 years on the graph titled Pre-Trial Electronic Alcohol Monitoring, located on page 33.
- Global Positioning Supervision (GPS)
- House Arrest

We expanded the supervision of pre-trial adult sex offenders in 2011. Program Agents supervised 12 pre-trial criminal sexual conduct cases. Supervision involves completing home studies, weekly meetings, and following up on any conditions that were ordered.

## ***Random Chemical Testing***

Many offenders, adult and juvenile, are ordered no use or possession of alcohol or controlled substances and to submit to random testing. Court Services developed a random chemical testing program over eight years ago to address the Court's need.

In 2011, there were 279 adult offenders supervised on the conditional release chemical testing program. There were 1328 urine tests collected on pre-trial offenders. Also, sentenced adults and juveniles can be placed on the program. In 2011, there were 780 samples collected from supervised individuals. A grand total of 2108 urine samples were collected by Staff.

Pre-Trial agents also conduct preliminary breath tests (PBTs) for alcohol as designated by the Court. In 2011, there were 976 PBTs administered.

## ***Adult Offender Global Positioning Program***

The Global Positioning Program (GPS) is still one of the most innovative programs in Minnesota used to provide additional supervision to pre- and post-sentence supervision of high-risk domestic assault, harassment, and stalking offenders. This device has the ability to locate and track a person's exact location 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. It assists in assuring safety for victims and helps to hold the offender accountable. Victims report they feel safer while offenders are on the program. One victim stated, "Thank you so much. Because he is on the GPS Program, I actually sleep at night and do not have to worry he is going to be in my house."

On page 36 you will find a two-year chart reflecting the GPS numbers.

## ***Adult Diversions***

This is a new program that started July 1, 2011, within Court Services that works in conjunction with the Wright County Attorney's Office and the City of Buffalo Prosecutor. It gives an opportunity for first-time adult offenders to admit their offense, receive an educational consequence, and keep the offense off their criminal record. This program assists in reducing collateral consequences for individuals and reduces the number of cases the Court has to address.

As shown in the pie graph on page 36, over half of the diversions were completed successfully.

## *Choices (New!!)*

Choices is an adult early intervention program, which started August of 2011. It is a program to explain and map the criminal justice system. It is to show first-time offenders the collateral consequences that may occur if they continue to make poor choices. This program is done in collaboration with the Wright County Sheriff's Department and the Wright County Attorney's Office. In 2011, twenty-five individuals completed this program.

There are multiple other programs that Court Services offers. The statistical data for those programs can be found starting on page 39. Those programs include the Awareness Panel for Impaired Drivers, the Youth Shoplifting Program, and the Adolescent Chemical Education Program.

## *Adult Community Service Work*

There were 313 adult offenders that completed 8988 hours of community service work.

- 6528 hours for ordered condition
- 1519 hours in lieu of Court Services' fees
- 941 hours in lieu of fine

## *Juvenile Community Service Work*

There were a total of 598 juveniles who completed community service work. A total of 5215 of community service work hours were completed.

- 260 juveniles on work crew (2978 hours)
  - o The chart showing the breakdown by location can be found on page 41.
- 338 juveniles worked in the community (2237 hours)

**In 2011, the total value of community service work completed by adults and juveniles was \$142,030.**

## *Juvenile Diversion Programs*

This diversion program allows juvenile offenders the option to divert from Court, and upon successful completion of probation conditions, have their cases dismissed. In 2011, 69 females and 97 males participated in this program. Please refer to page 37 to see more information on this program.

## *Teen Court*

Teen Court is a peer court diversion program that allows volunteer students from Wright County a chance to be involved in the criminal justice system in a positive way, and have a positive impact on their peers. Teen Court holds the offender accountable for their

actions, allows peers to determine the sentence, not the system, and gives the juvenile offender a chance to keep the offense off of their record. There were 82 youth jurors that participated and 1 adult parent volunteer. We also held two new juror trainings. Please refer to page 37 for the graph reflecting the number of Teen Court participants from the last 5 years.

## ***Community Conferencing***

Community Conferencing involves a face-to-face meeting between the victim, offender, affected community member, and/or parties in conflict, facilitated by a trained facilitator. Community conferencing allows parties a chance to tell their story and discuss the impact the behavior has had on them, and work together to repair any harm, as well as provide an opportunity for the parties to gain a sense of closure, healing, and regain a sense of security. The graph on page 38 shows a side-by-side comparison of the number of conferences, offenders, and victims.

## ***Juvenile Payables***

Curfew, Tobacco, and ATV offenses are referred by the Wright County Attorney's Office to allow youth to pay a fee rather than go to Court. The money is placed in a fund that can be used by juvenile offenders to meet their restitution obligation through community service. There were 310 juveniles that participated in this program. The breakdown by offenses is located in a graph on page 38. The three-year statistics are on page 39.

## ***Juvenile Restitution Program***

In late 2010, the Juvenile Payables Program was developed to allow certain juvenile offenders to pay a fee and that fee was placed into the "Juvenile Restitution Program." Juvenile offenders are allowed to complete community service on the Wright County Juvenile Work Crew and earn \$10/hr towards restitution which is paid directly to victims. In 2011, fifteen juveniles participated in the program completing 300 community service hours equally \$3,000 of restitution paid to victims.

## ***TruThought***

In 2011, the cognitive behavior program started using a curriculum called TruThought. TruThought is a corrective thinking process. WCCS uses this curriculum through a program that helps youth identify thinking barriers and explore responsible thinking. Two of our staff have been trained to educate Court Services' staff about this curriculum. We were able to start the program in 2011. Thirteen youth completed the program.

# Clerical Unit

The Clerical Unit provides support to the probation units. Clerical staff are often the first contact defendants have with the department. Clerical staff: field phone calls; assign offenders to agents; set up new cases; and record and analyze demographic, statistical, probation, and financial data. Administrative functions facilitated for the department include repairs, purchasing, billing, fee collections, phones, computer systems, office design, supplies, budgeting, filing, and records management.

Clerical Unit Staff	Title/Major Responsibility
Nancy Tallman	Clerical Supervisor, Confidential Administrative Secretary to Director
Carol Barnaal	Senior Clerk II - Program Unit Secretary and Financial
Sarah Denzer	Senior Clerk II - Adult Unit Secretary
Lisa Diederich*	Senior Clerk II – Secretary/Adult Unit Secretary, Receptionist, Financial
Sandi Kile	Senior Clerk II - Program Unit Secretary and Financial
Jessie Moe	Senior Clerk II - Juvenile Unit Secretary
Barb Peterson*	Senior Clerk II - Adult Unit Secretary
Michelle Pramann	Senior Clerk II - Receptionist and Juvenile Unit Secretary

\*Staffing change in 2011

## *2011 Clerical Unit Accomplishments/Happenings*

- Compiled and submitted eight quarterly reports and three annual reports to maintain/obtain state grant money for the department.
- Collected, recorded, and distributed \$514,384.86 in probation, program, and detention fees.
- Investigated and followed up on twenty expungement requests—twice as many as last year.
- Performed 215 Human Service record checks (foster home, day care, etc).
- Implemented electronic county-to-county transfer of cases via CSTS.
- Continued expansion of the use of Ad Hoc reports in CSTS.

- ❑ Changed processes in preparation for paperless transition. Police Reports are now being linked into CSTS along with the treatment reports, court orders, and emails. Many documents are being signed electronically.
- ❑ Participated in expansion of payable cases for juveniles.
- ❑ All unit staff participated in various capacities on county or user group committees.



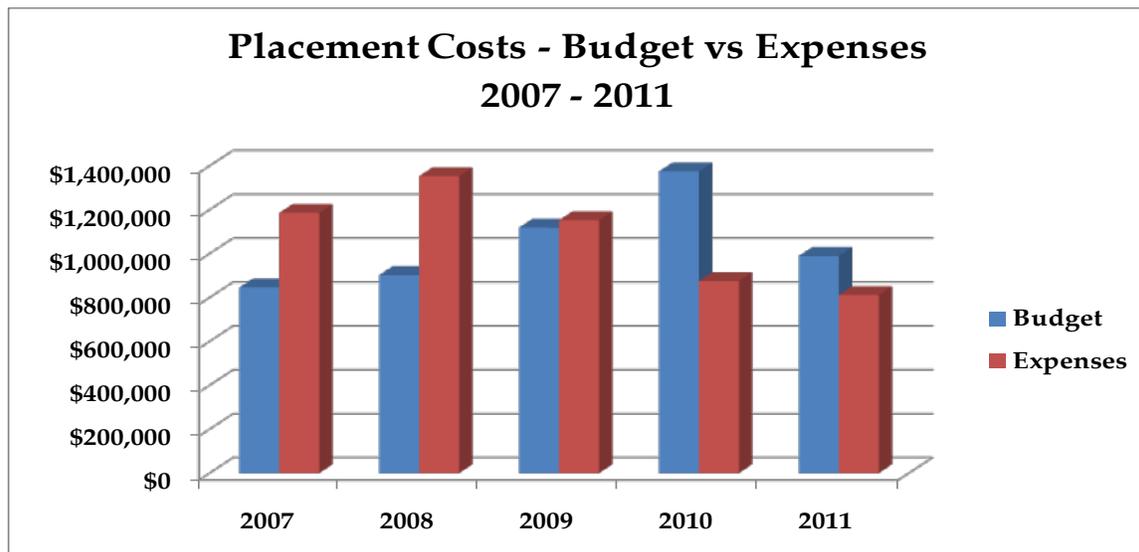
# Statistical Overview

## *COURT SERVICES' FINANCIAL FACTS*

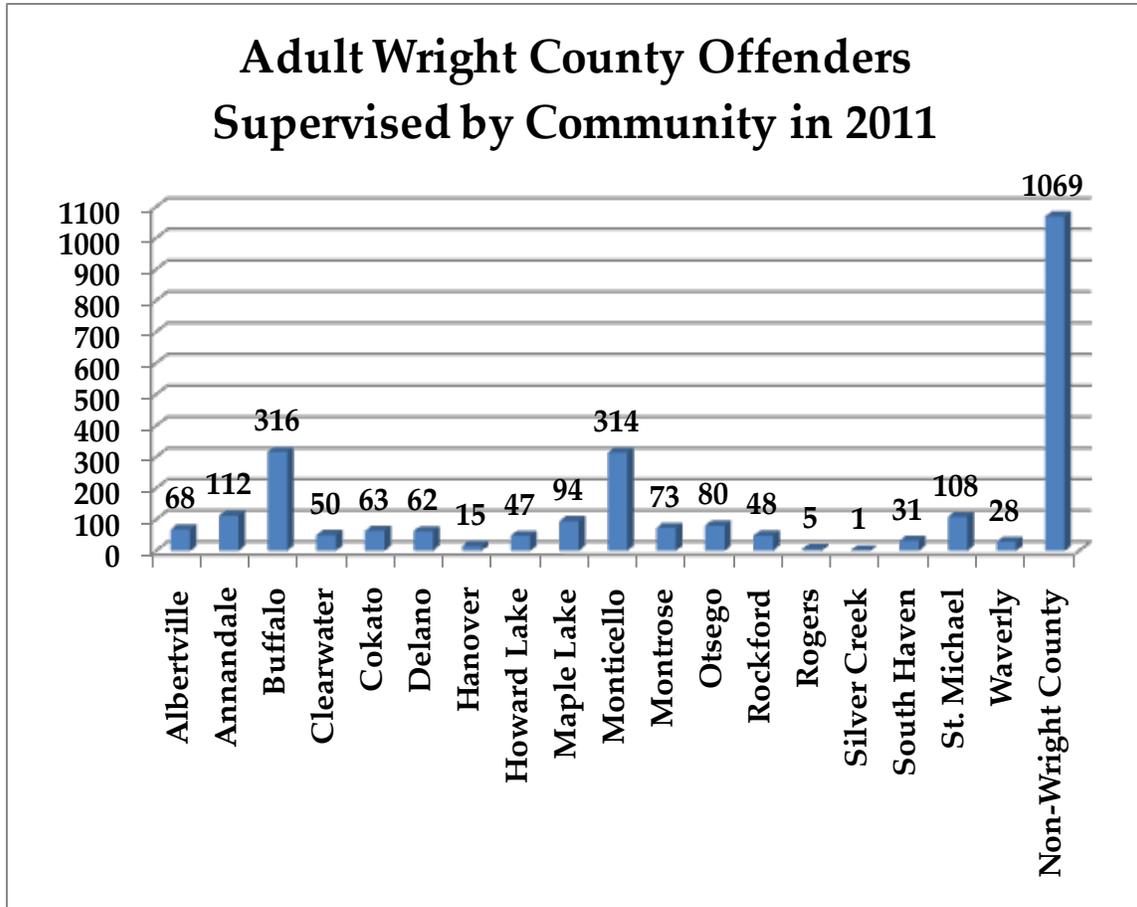
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
<i>Revenue</i>					
Budget	\$1,157,280	\$1,234,549	\$1,330,849	\$1,426,906	\$1,411,129
Actual	1,318,245	1,300,650	1,309,002	1,332,008	1,400,670
<i>Expenditures</i>					
Budget	2,689,424	2,956,526	3,070,270	3,108,418	3,251,434
Actual	2,619,622	2,948,076	3,034,021	2,989,875	3,158,754
<i>Net</i>					
Budget	1,532,144	1,721,977	1,739,421	1,681,512	1,859,305
Actual	1,301,377	1,647,426	1,725,019	1,657,867	1,758,084
<i>Savings</i>	\$ 230,767	\$74,551	\$14,402	\$23,645	\$92,221

The Juvenile Probation Unit has stayed under budget the past two years as it relates to our out-of-home placement budget. We have used more electronic monitoring options and community resources to meet the needs of juvenile offenders. In addition, placement costs have been lower since 2007.

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
<b><i>Budget</i></b>	\$846,500	\$903,000	\$1,119,000	\$1,375,000	\$990,000
<b><i>Expenses</i></b>	\$1,186,423	\$1,353,717	\$1,152,511	\$875,268	\$811,721



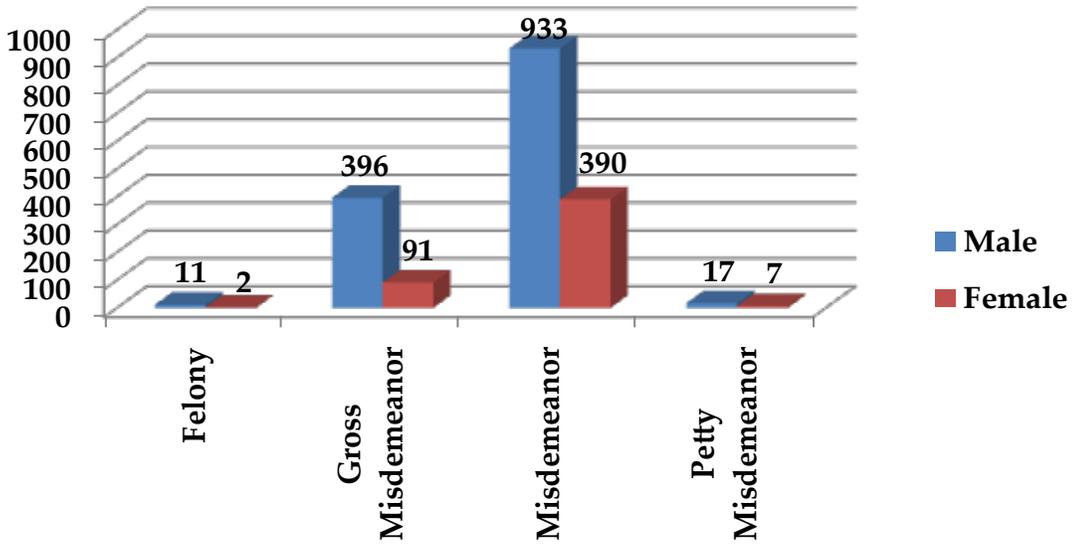
# ADULT UNIT BY THE NUMBERS



Buffalo, Monticello, St. Michael, and Otsego, our four most populated areas, accounted for over half of the adult offenders supervised in 2011 that resided in Wright County.

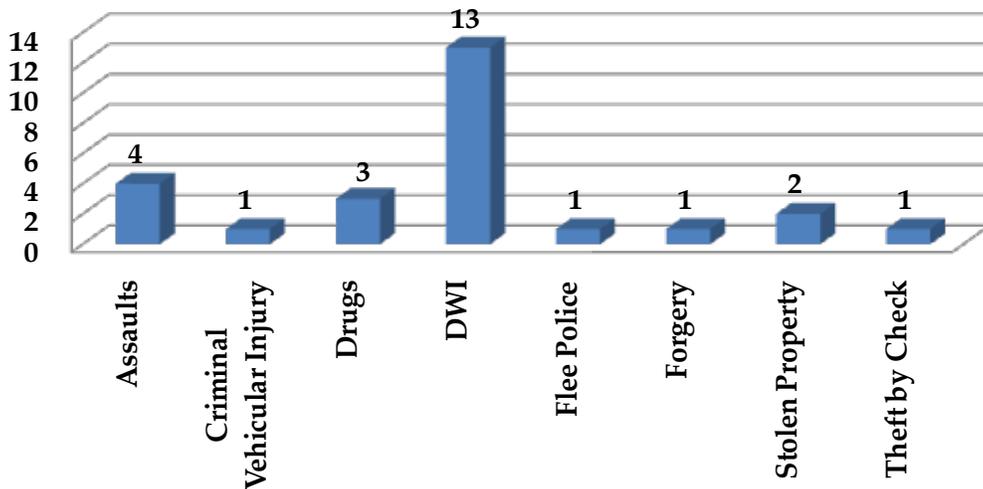


## Adult Offenders Opened in 2011 by Male and Female



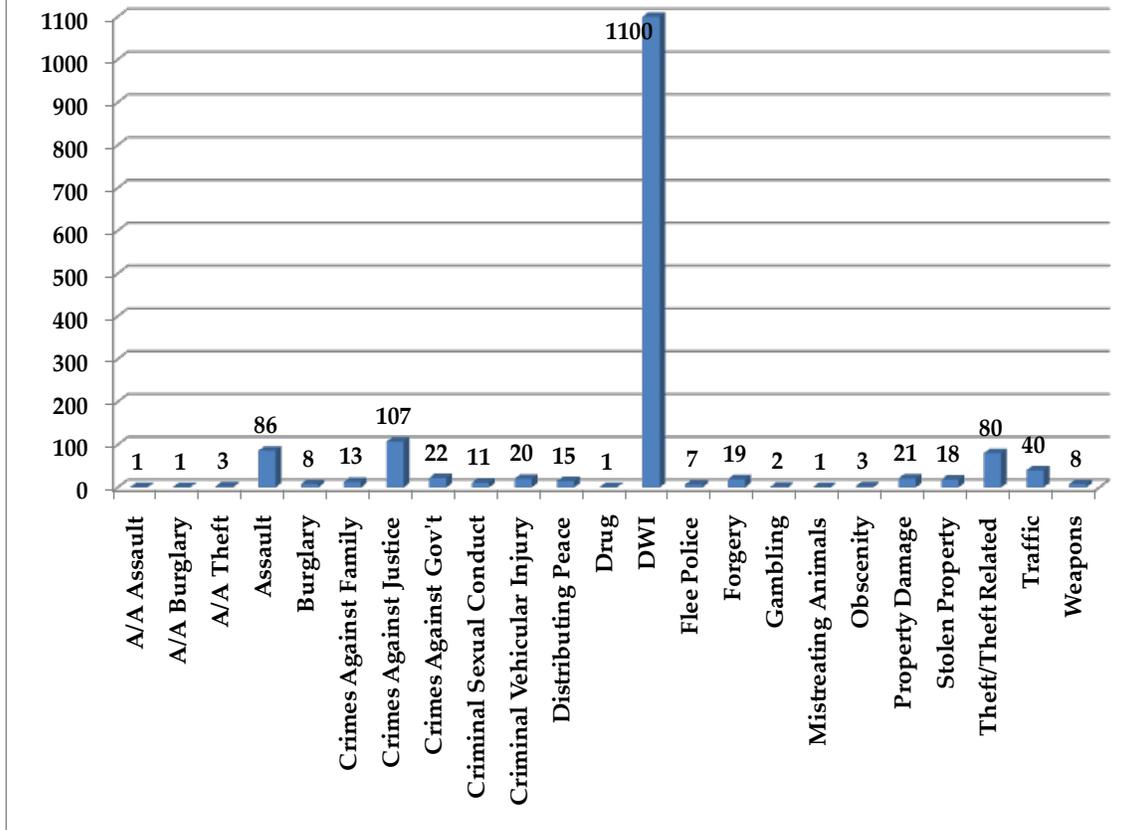
There were a total of 1,357 male offenders and 490 female offenders supervised by Wright County Court Services in 2011.

## Adult Felony Offenses Supervised in 2011



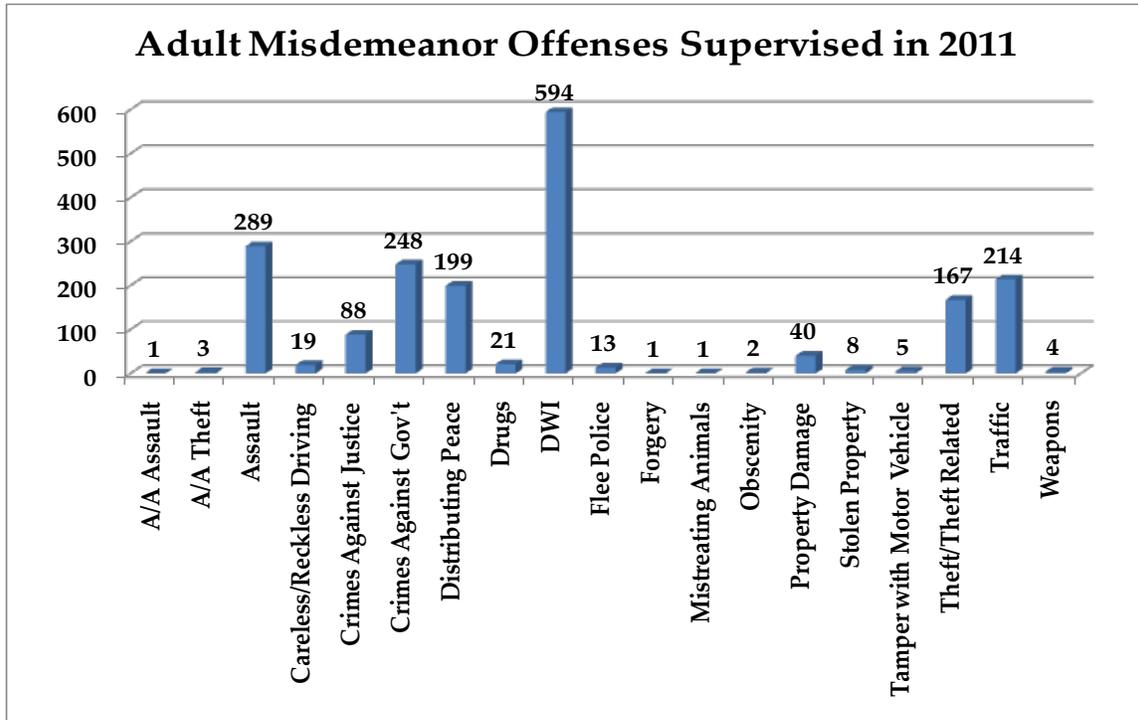
There were a total of 26 total felony offenses supervised by Wright County Court Services in 2011 with 13 felony DWI offenses being supervised through our Intensive Multiple DWI Program.

## Adult Gross Misdemeanor Offenses Supervised in 2011

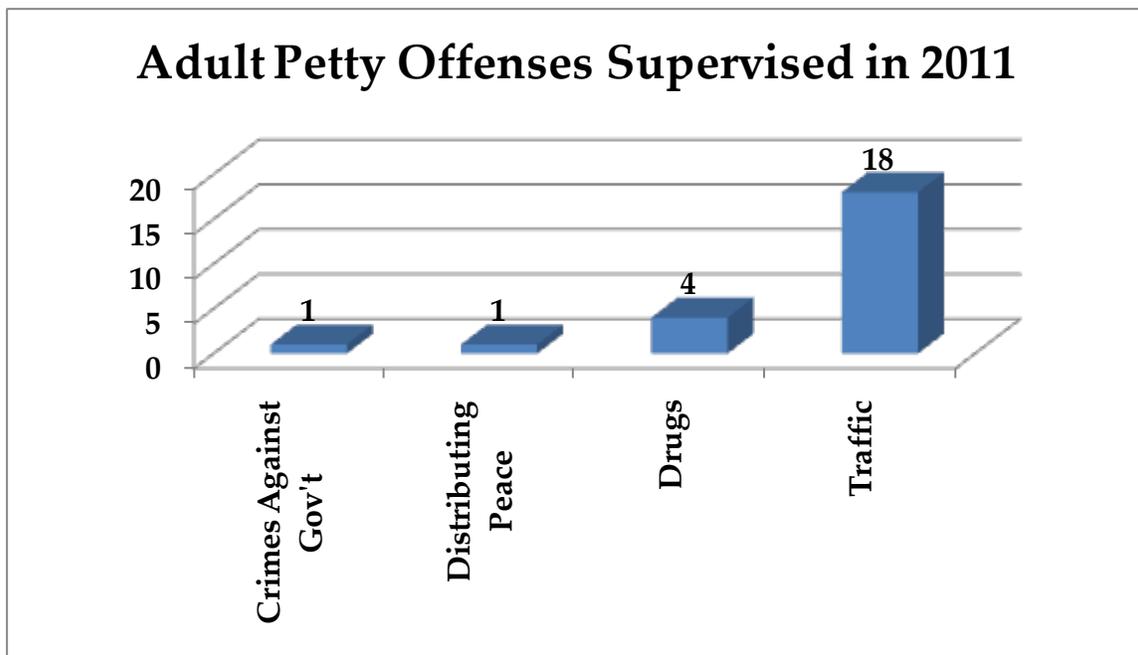


There were a total of 1,587 gross misdemeanor offenses supervised by Wright County Court Services in 2011 with driving while intoxicated, crimes against justice, assaults and theft related charges being the most prevalent.





There was a total of 1,917 misdemeanor offenses supervised by Wright County Court Services in 2011 with driving while intoxicated, assaults, crimes against justice, miscellaneous traffic related charges being the most prevalent.



There were a total of 24 petty misdemeanor offenses supervised by Wright County Court Services in 2011 with miscellaneous traffic being the majority of the offenses.

<b>New ISP Cases Supervised in 2011</b>		
<i>Wright County</i>	<i>Courtesy</i>	<i>Total</i>
22	6	28

<b>Total ISP Offenses and Offenders by Number</b>	
<i>Offenses</i>	69
<i>Offenders</i>	63

<b>ISP Offenders by Male and Female</b>	
<i>Male</i>	57
<i>Female</i>	6

<b>Non-Wright County ISP by Number</b>	
<i>Clients</i>	15
<i>Cases</i>	17

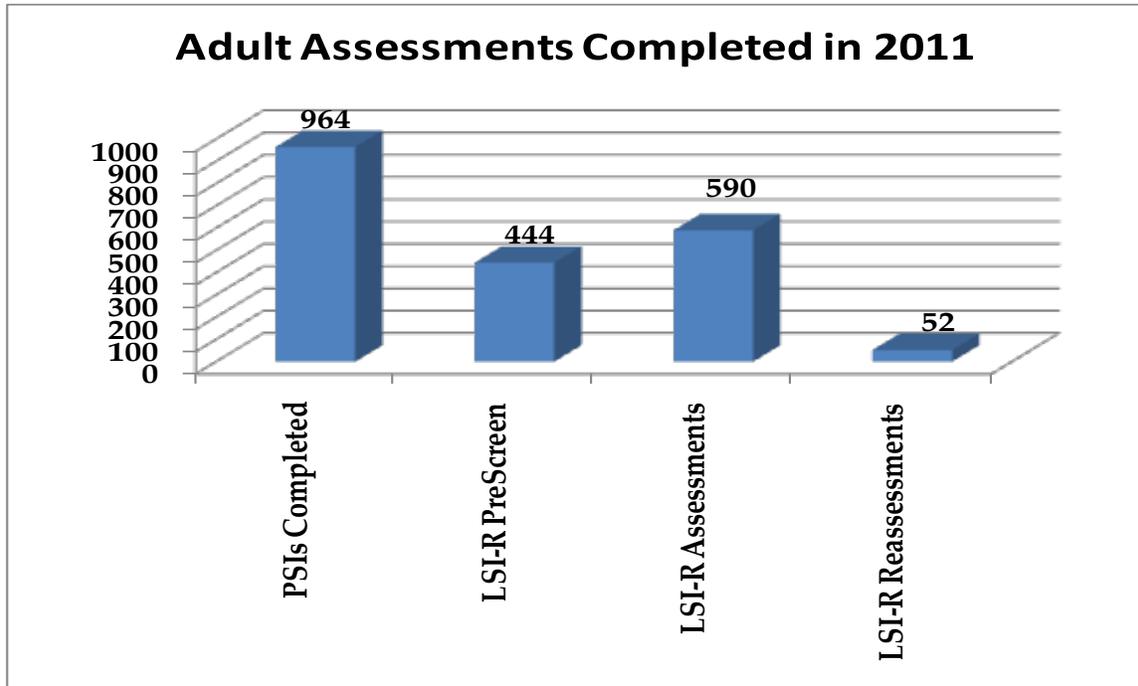
<b>ISP Clients and Cases by Offense Levels</b>		
	<i>Felony</i>	<i>GMD</i>
<i>Clients</i>	27	39
<i>Cases</i>	28	41

\*\*3 offenders appear on both Felony and GMD levels

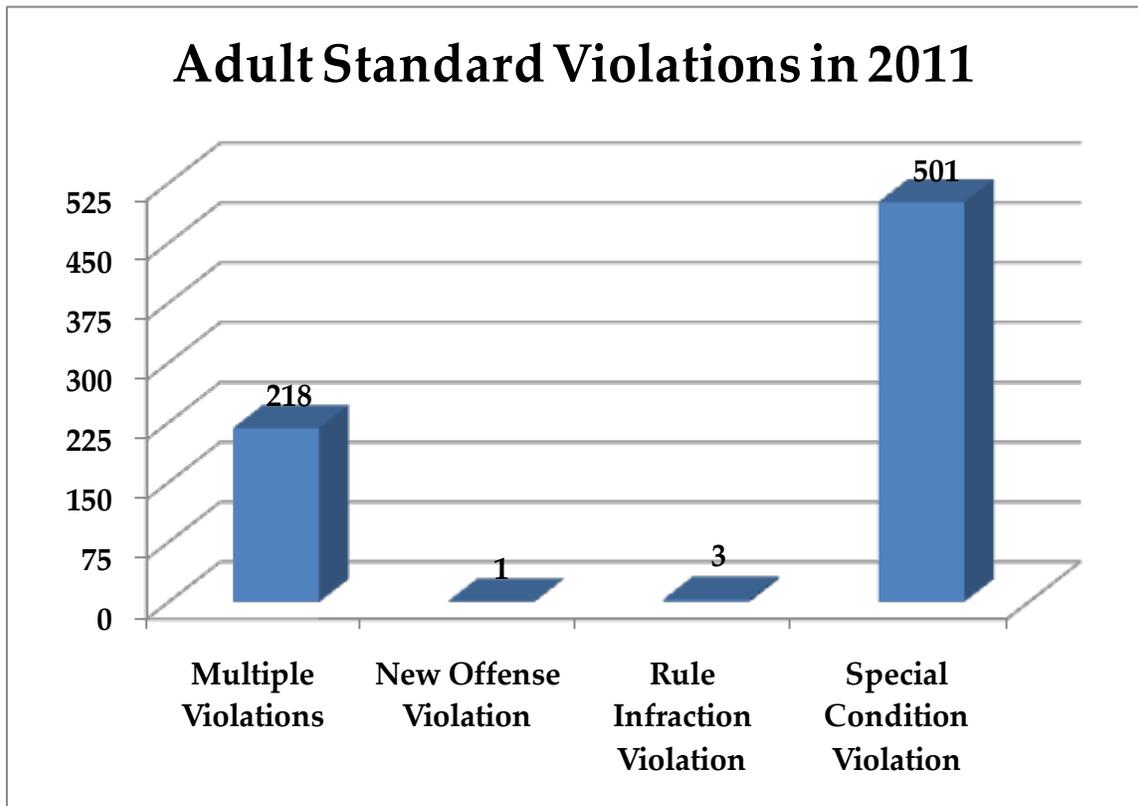
<b>ISP Cases and Clients Supervision Break-down</b>				
	<i>Monitored</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Traditional</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Clients</i>	20	8	35	63
<i>Cases</i>	22	9	38	69

<b>ISP Technical Violations, Violations, and A&amp;Ds</b>		
<i>Technical Violations</i>	<i>Violations</i>	<i>A&amp;Ds</i>
4	24	9

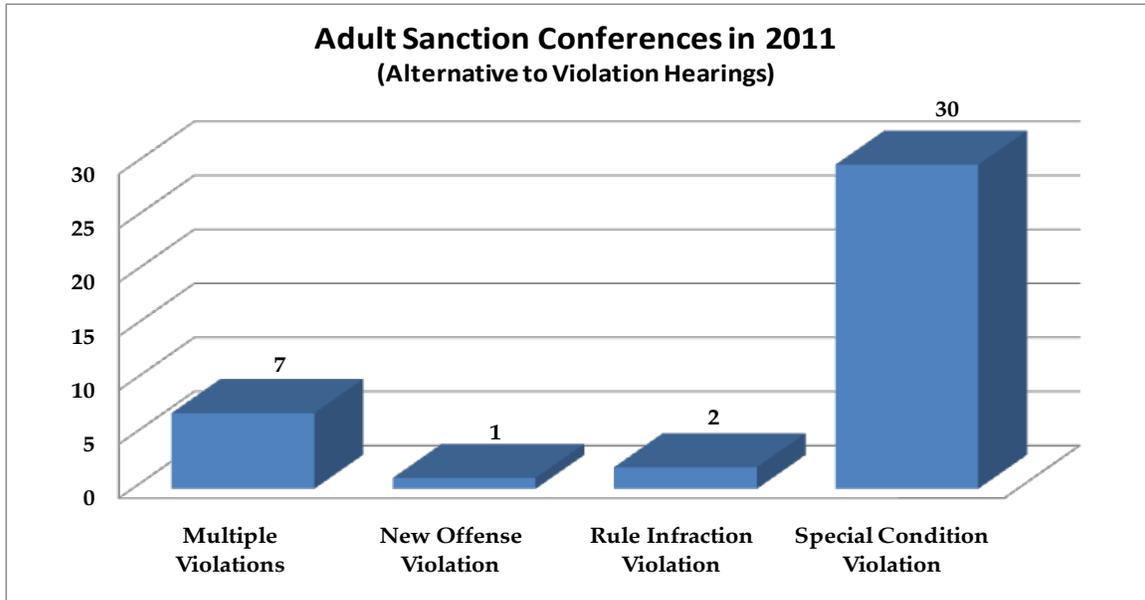
<b>ISP Cases Discharged in 2011</b>	
<i>Closure Type</i>	<i>Number</i>
Successful	11
Other	7



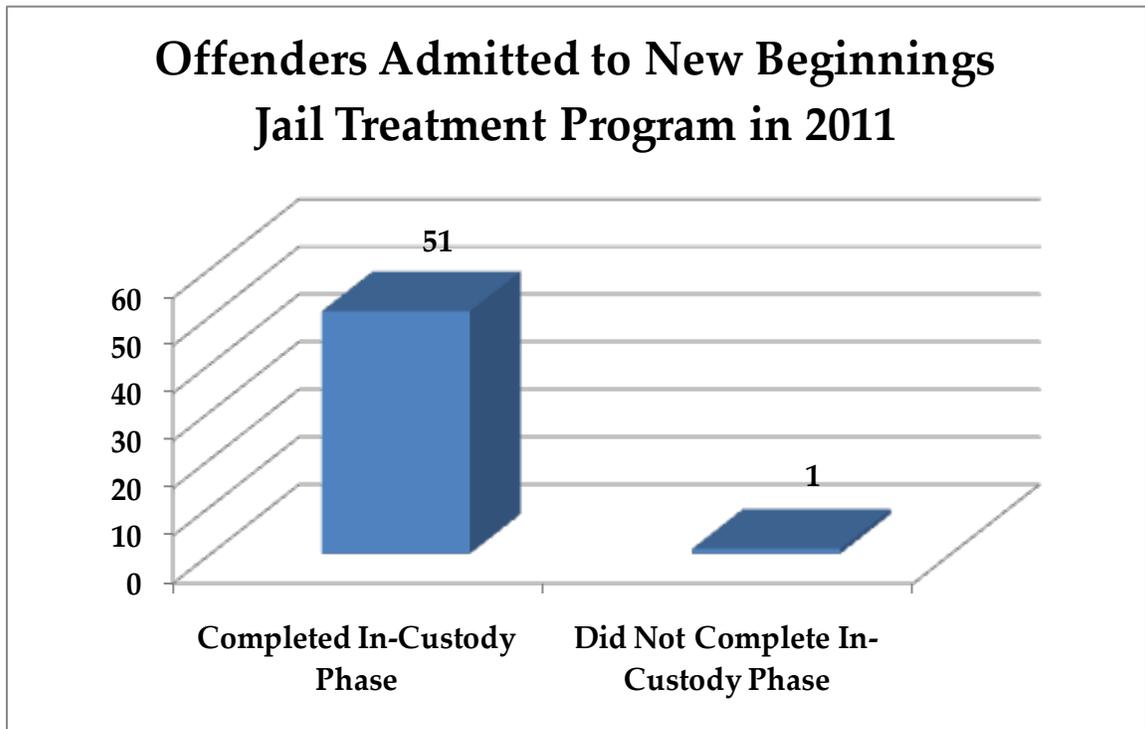
There were 964 presentence investigations and 1,086 Level of Services Inventory (LSIR) risk/needs assessments completed in 2011.



There were 549 offenders that were violated in 2011 and several of them had multiple violations.

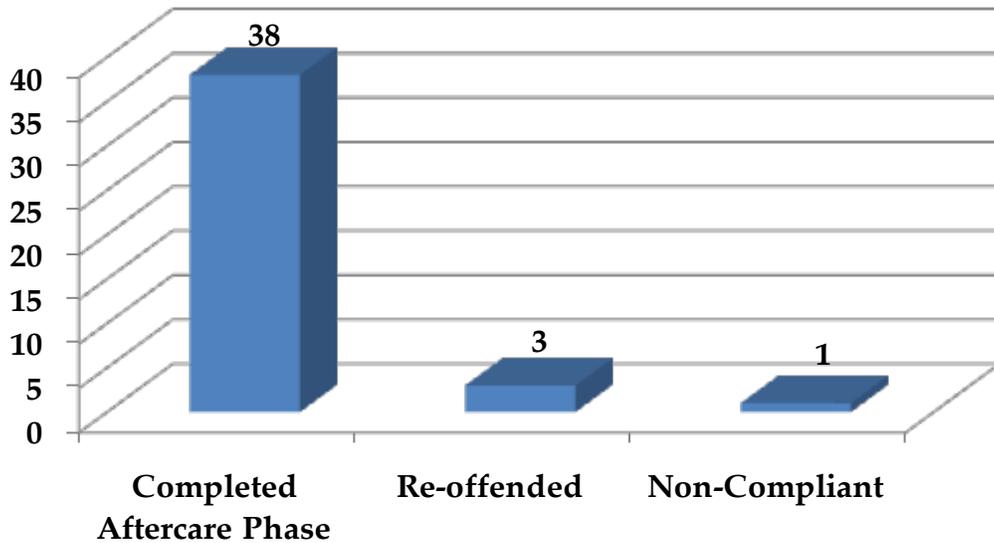


In, 2011, Wright County Court Services completed 40 adult sanctions conferences.  
(M.S. 244.196)



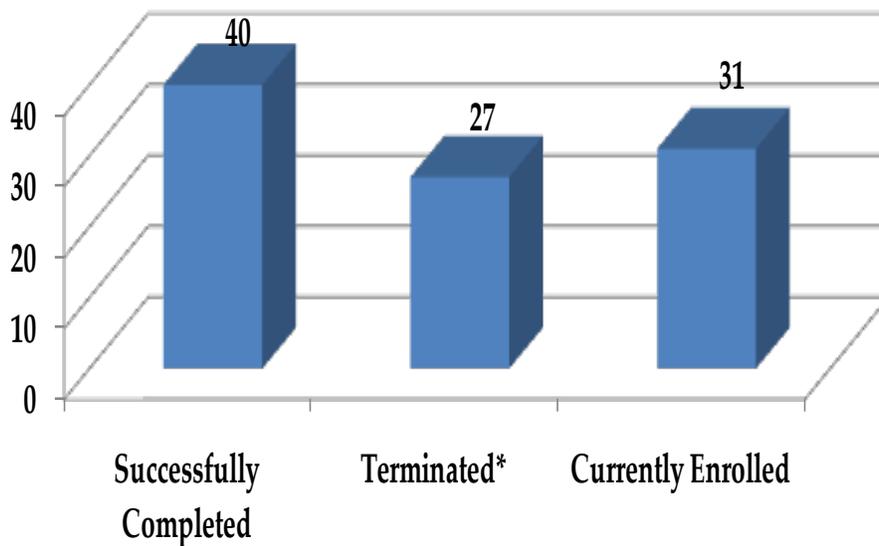
A total of fifty-two offenders were admitted to the New Beginnings Jail Treatment Program in Buffalo in 2011.

### Success Rate of 12-Week Aftercare Phase at the Jail in 2011



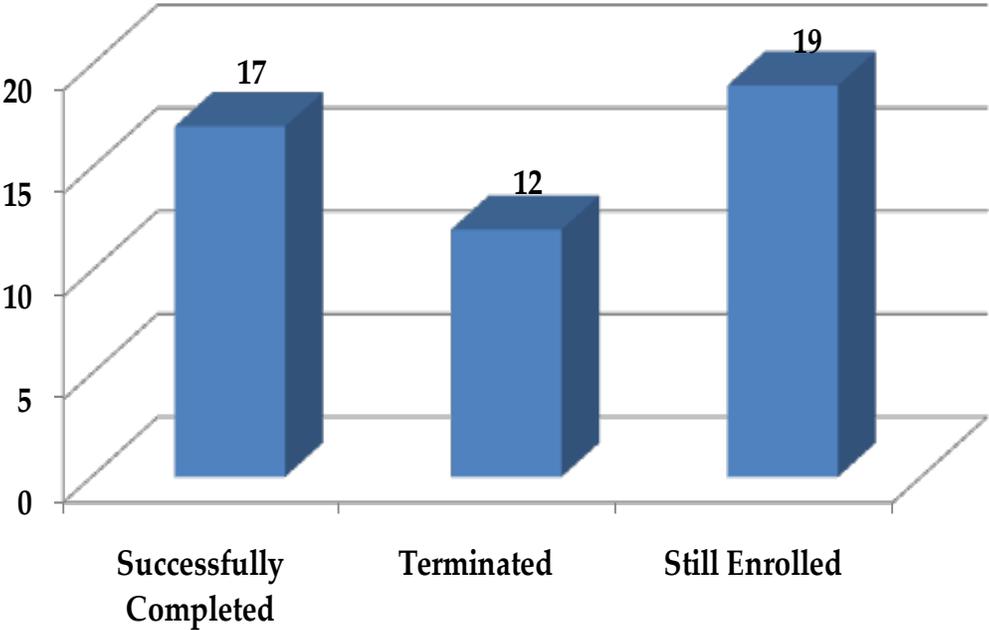
Forty-two offenders were referred to the 12-week aftercare phase at the jail.

### Batterer's Intervention Program 2-Year Statistics



Ninety-three individuals started the program. \*Five of these individuals were re-referred and are currently enrolled. There is also overlay from 2010.

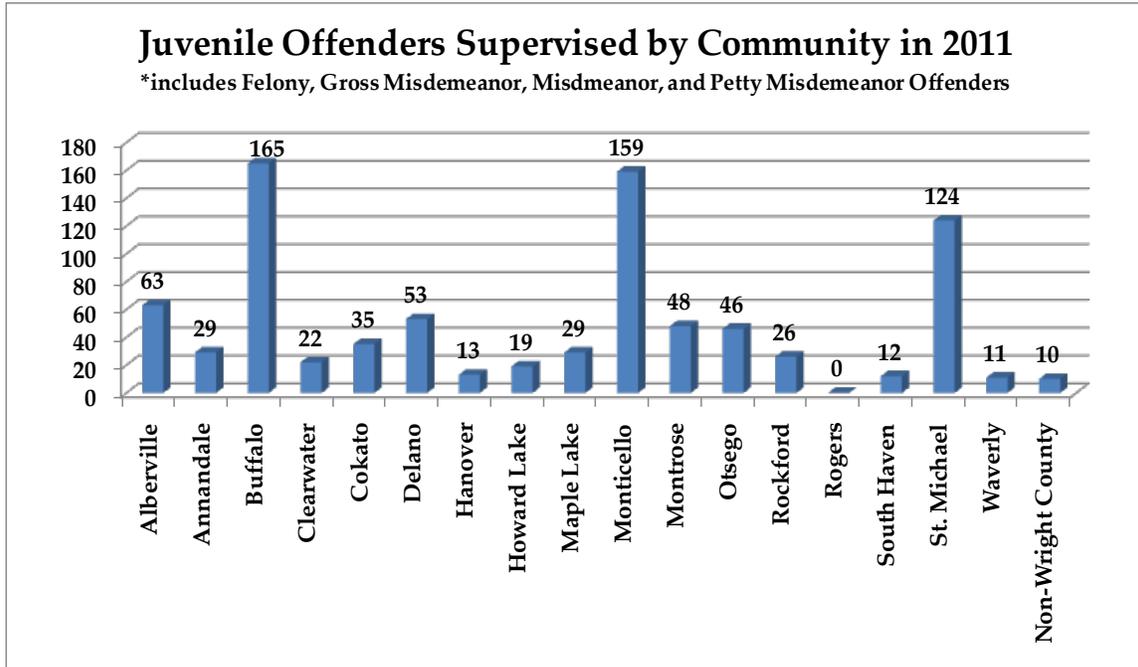
### Batterer's Intervention Program 2011 Statistics



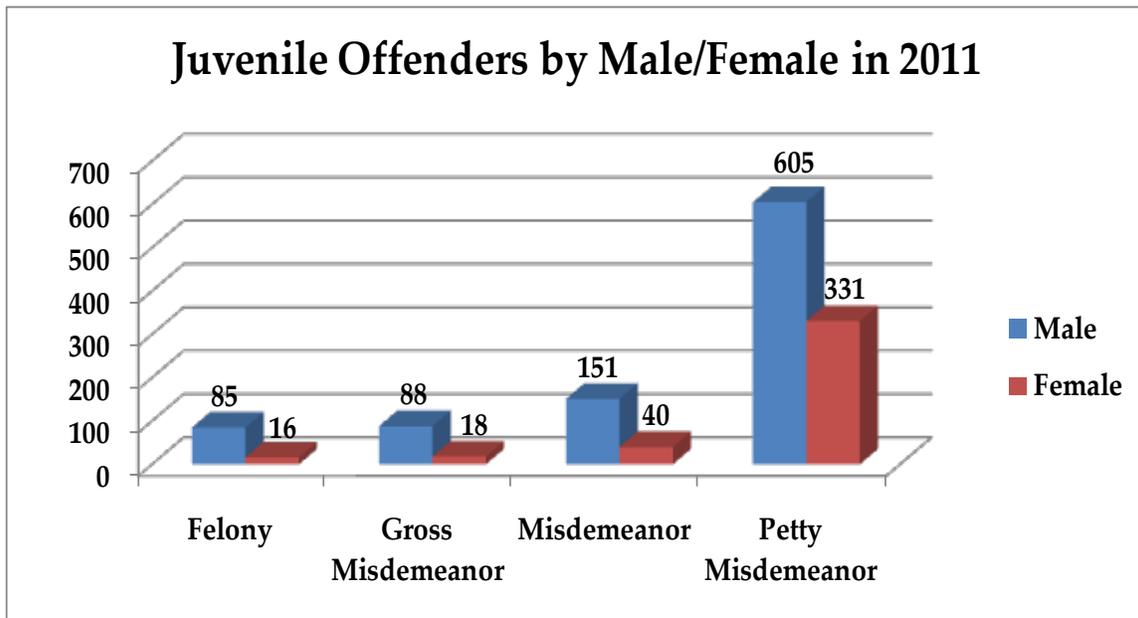
A total of forty-eight clients had started the program throughout the 2011 calendar year.



# JUVENILE UNIT BY THE NUMBERS

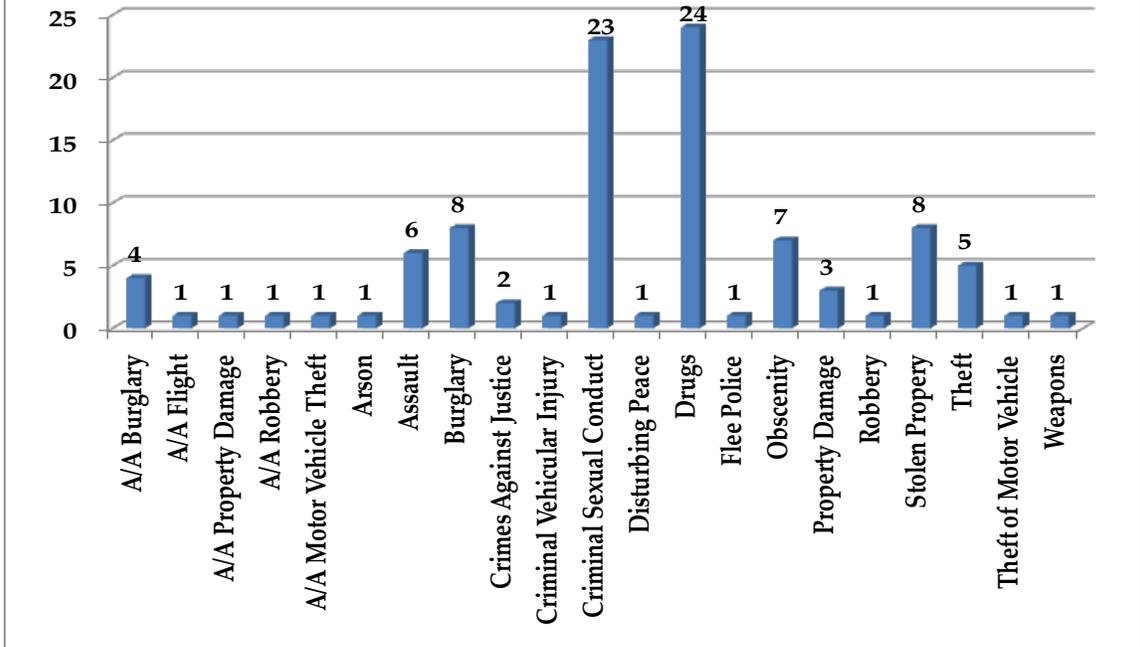


In 2011, three of the four most populated cities had the highest number of juvenile offenders supervised (St. Michael, Buffalo, and Monticello). As expected, the eastern section of the county has the highest volume of juvenile offenders who end up on probation.



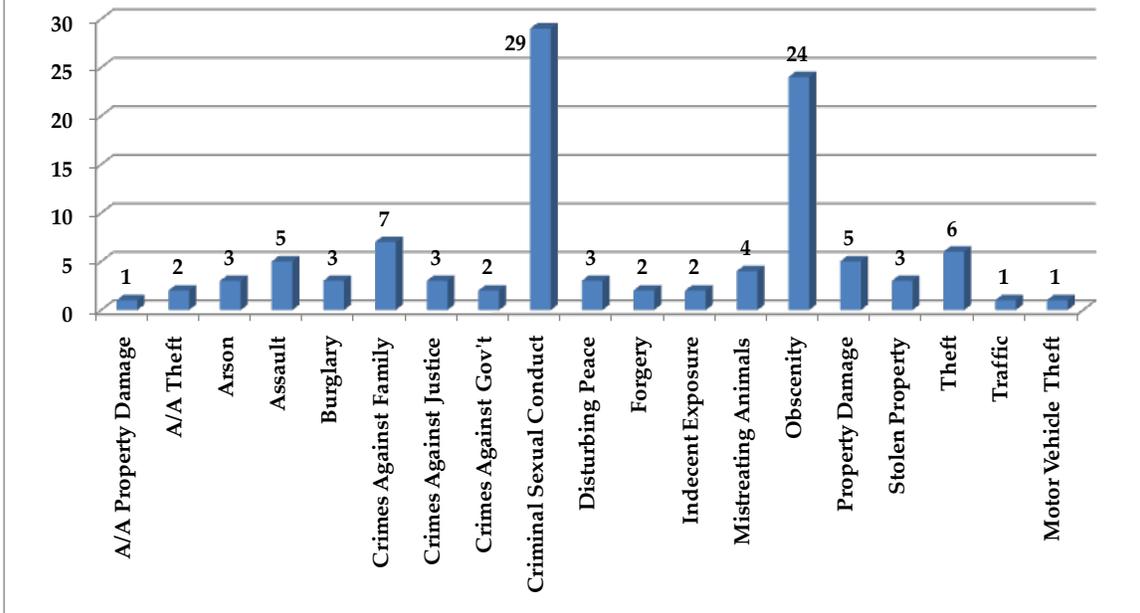
Male offenders continue to outnumber female offenders nearly 4:1, which is consistent across the state.

### Juvenile Felony Offenses Supervised in 2011

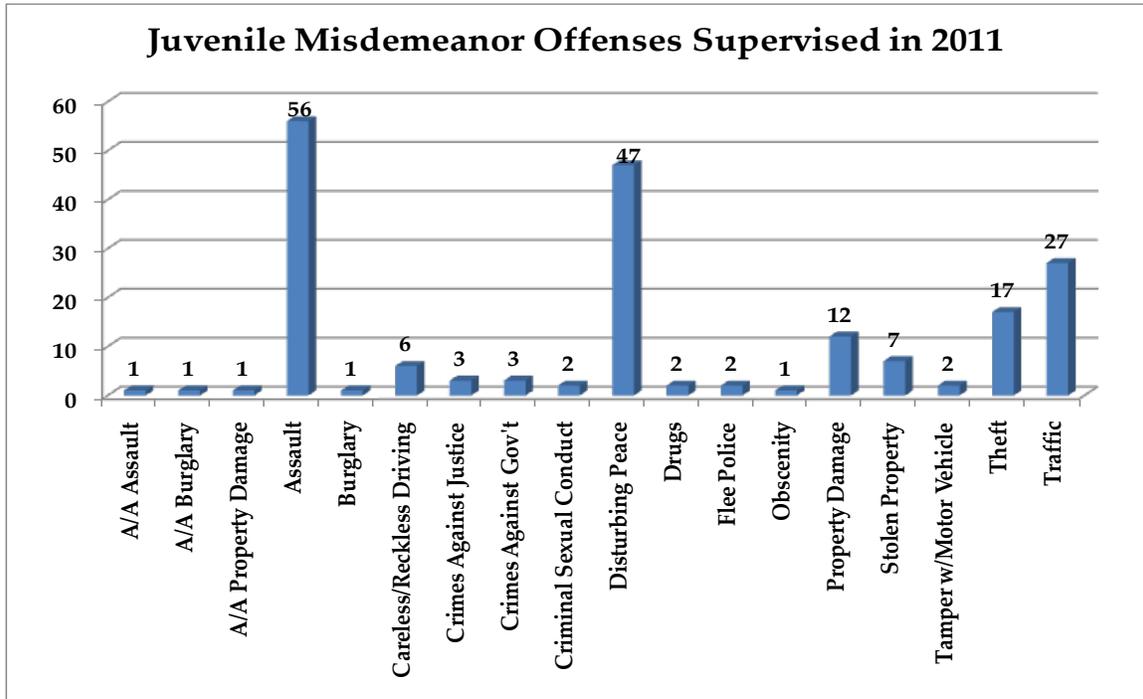


There were a total of 101 juvenile felony offenses supervised in 2011. Above is a breakdown of the various felony offenses supervised by our Juvenile Probation Unit.

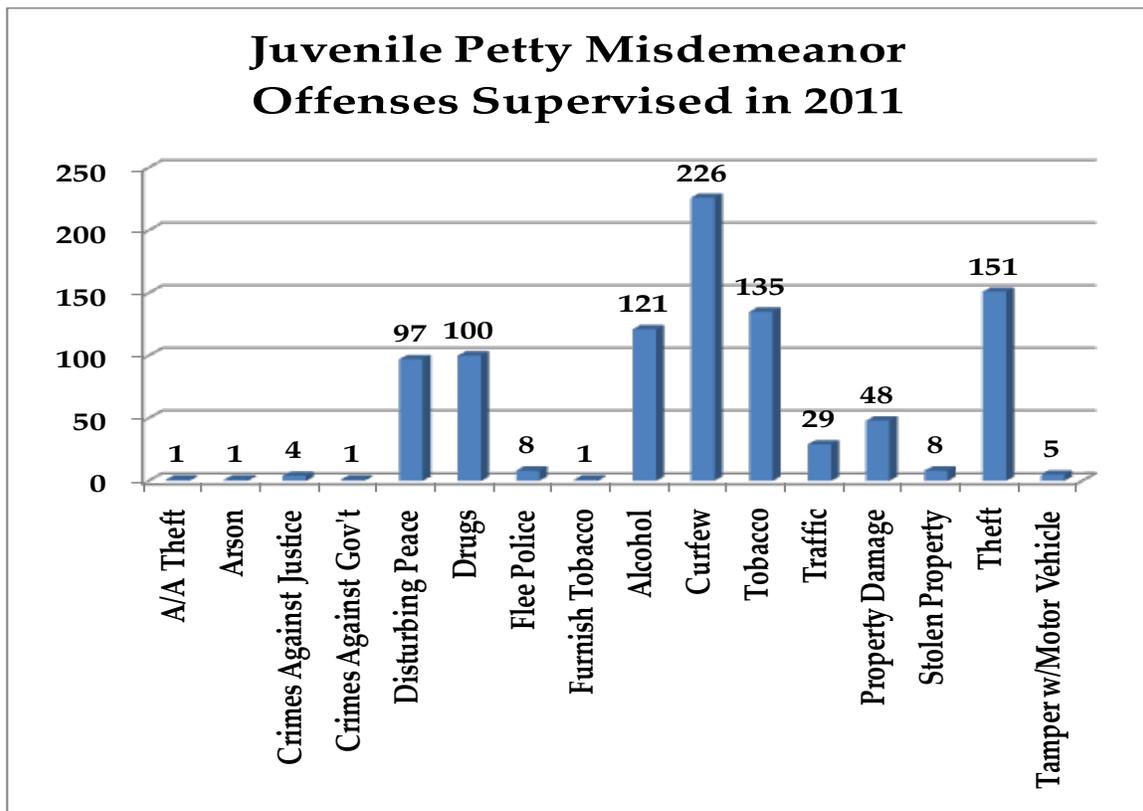
### Juvenile Gross Misdemeanor Offenses Supervised in 2011



There were a total of 106 juvenile gross misdemeanor offenses supervised in 2011.

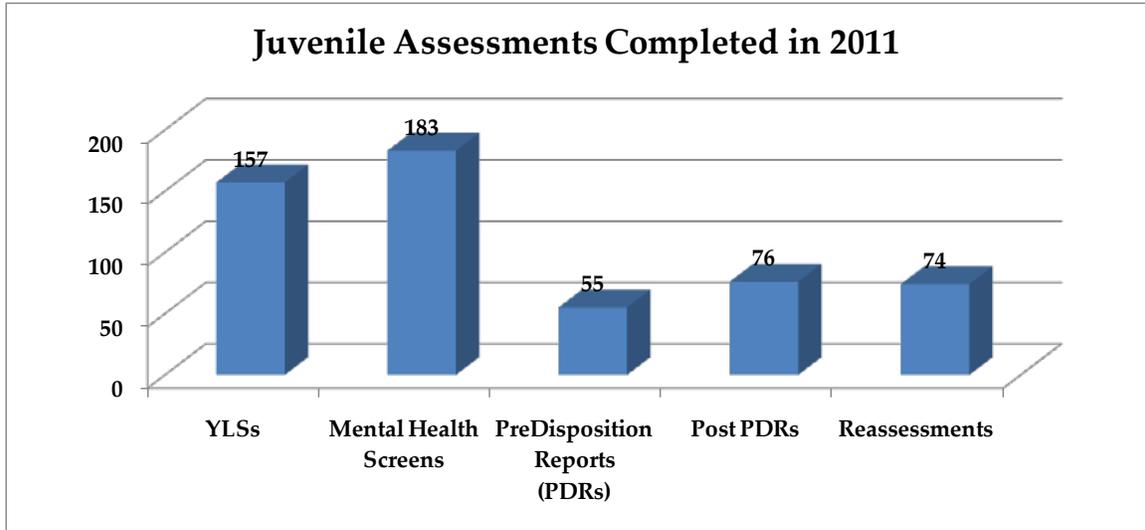


There were a total of 191 juvenile misdemeanor offenses supervised in 2011.

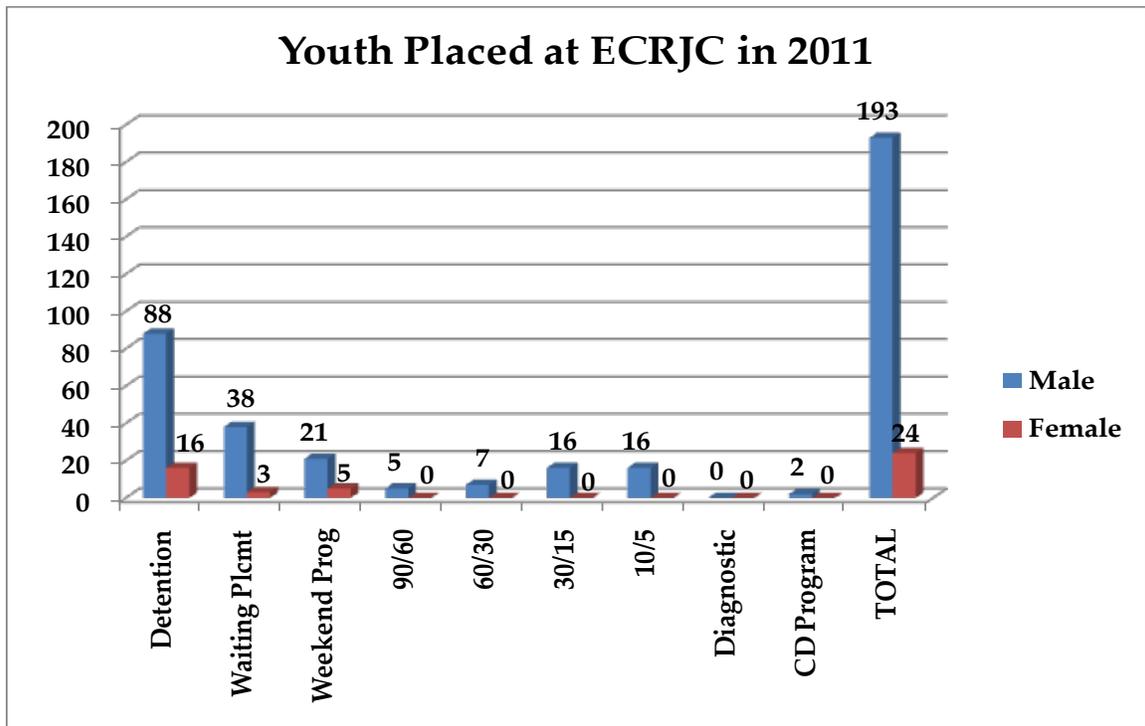


There were a total of 936 juvenile petty misdemeanor offenses supervised in 2011 (includes our Diversion Program, Payable Program, and Petty Offenders). This often represents the old “status offenses” which are now labeled Juvenile Petty Offenders

(JPOs). These offenses are higher in number than the other above graphs from year to year than misdemeanor, gross misdemeanor, and felony offenses. Most juveniles supervised on this caseload do not reoffend or commit delinquent acts.

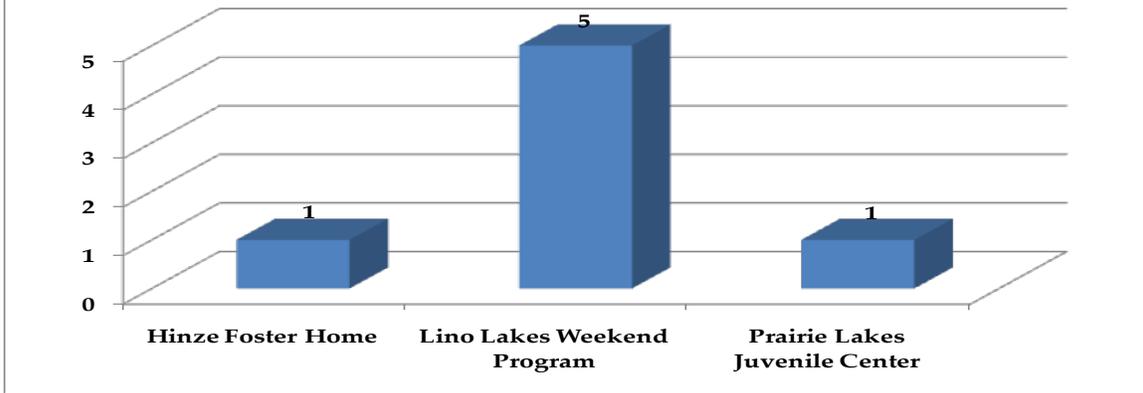


As reflected in the graph, Mental Health Screens and YLSs are completed twice as often as the other assessments.

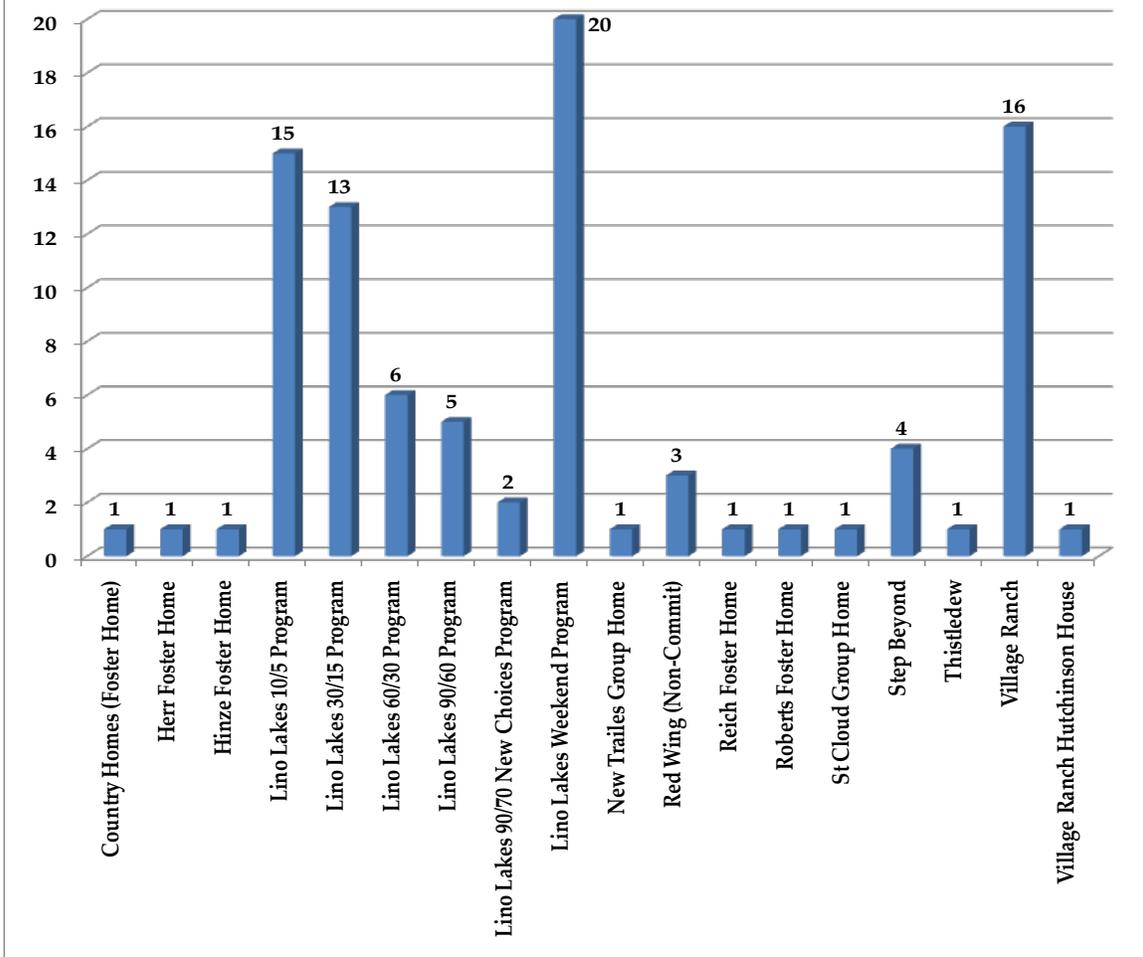


ECRJJC not only offers a detention program, they have several program options to meet the needs of juvenile offenders. The above graph describes how WCCS used the facility in 2011.

### Female Juvenile Correctional Placements in 2011

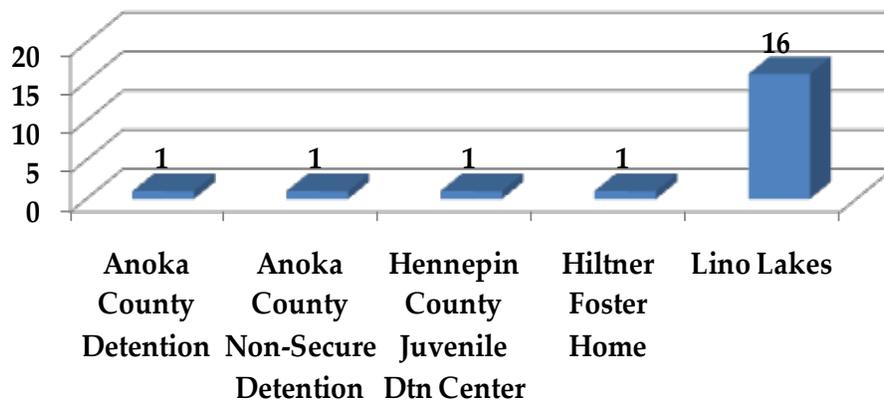


### Male Juvenile Correctional Placements in 2011

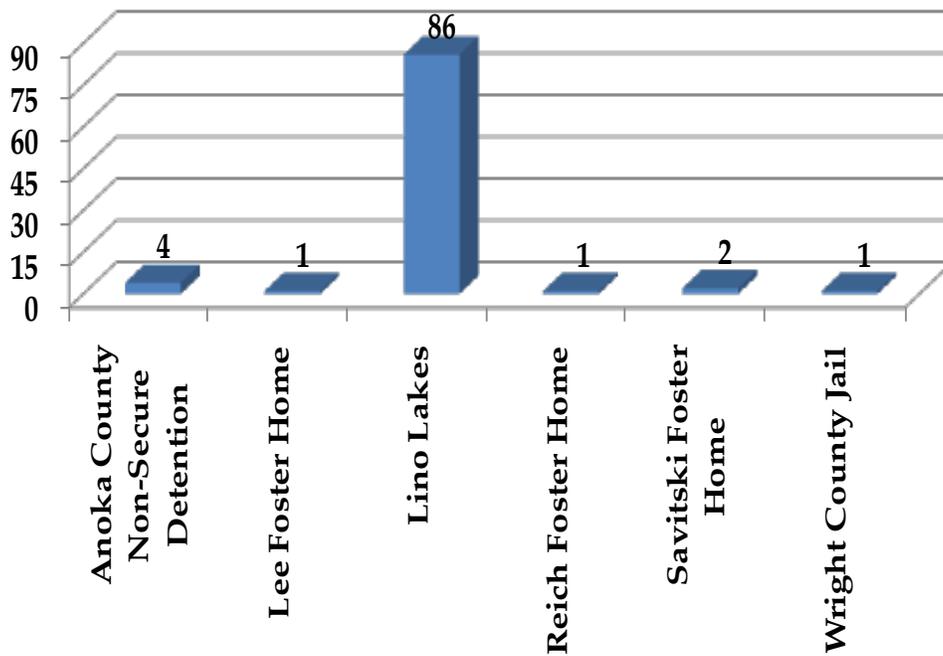


These two graphs indicate the number of female and male juveniles that were placed in correctional placements in 2011.

### Female Juvenile Detention Placements in 2011

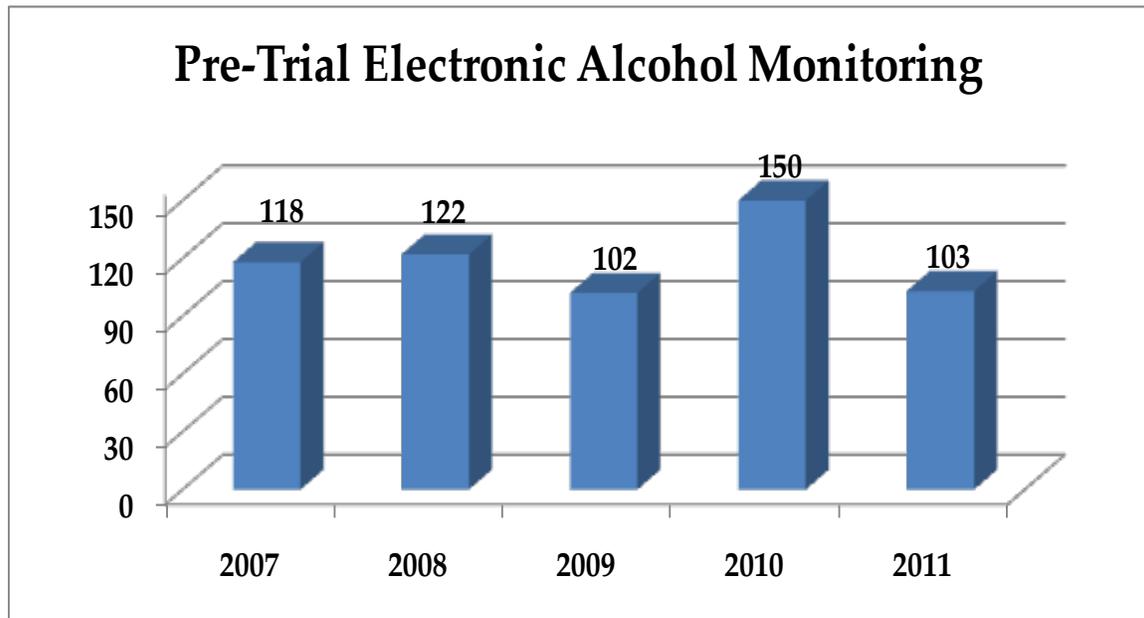


### Male Juvenile Detention Placements in 2011

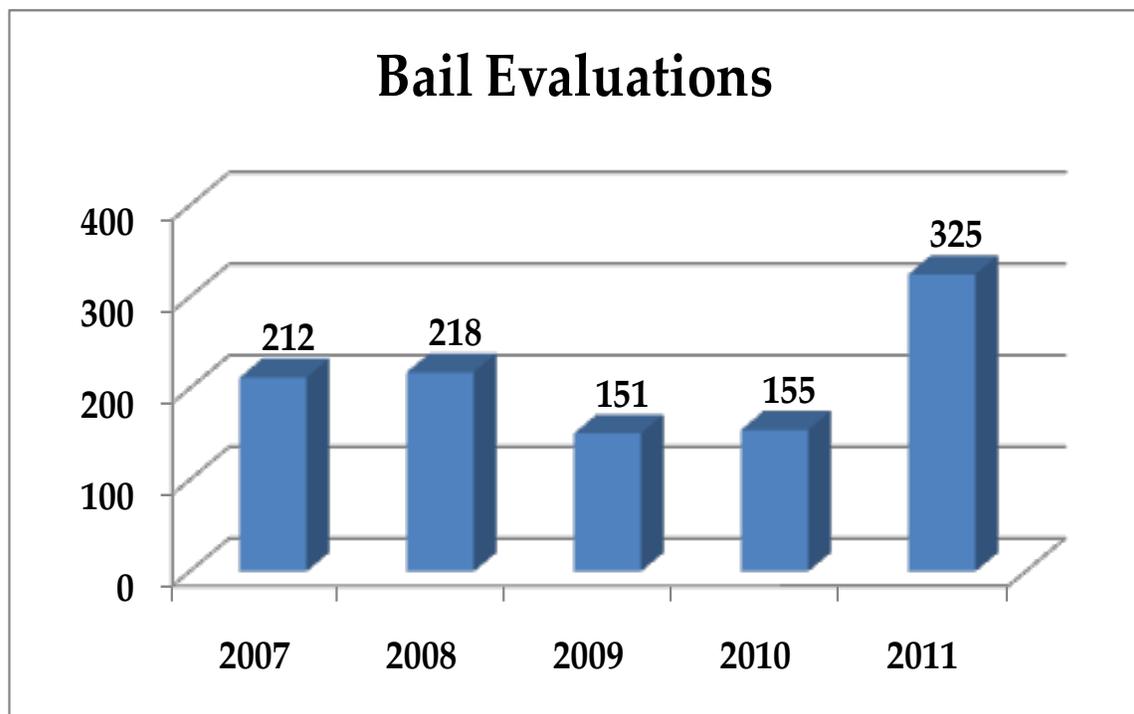


These two graphs reflect our detention placements for 2011.

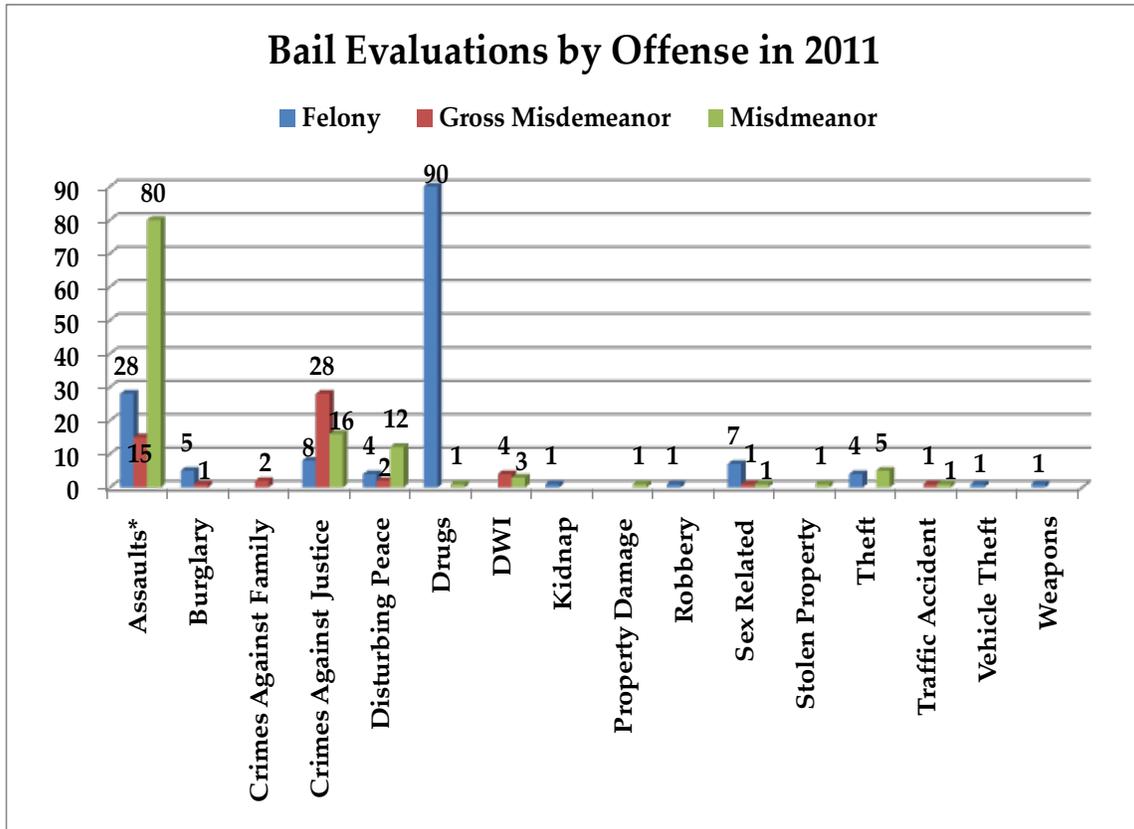
## ***PROGRAM UNIT BY THE NUMBERS***



There were 103 adult offenders placed on pre-trial electronic alcohol monitoring, serving a total of 5,644 days.

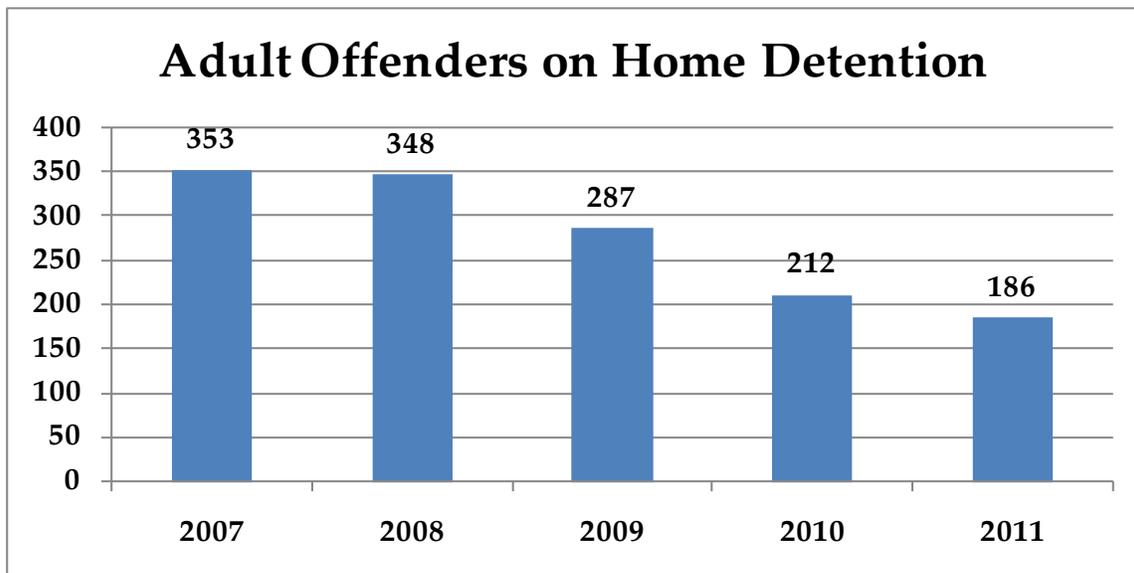


The Program Unit completes bail evaluations for the Court on offenses as defined by Minnesota Statute 629.74 Sec 15.

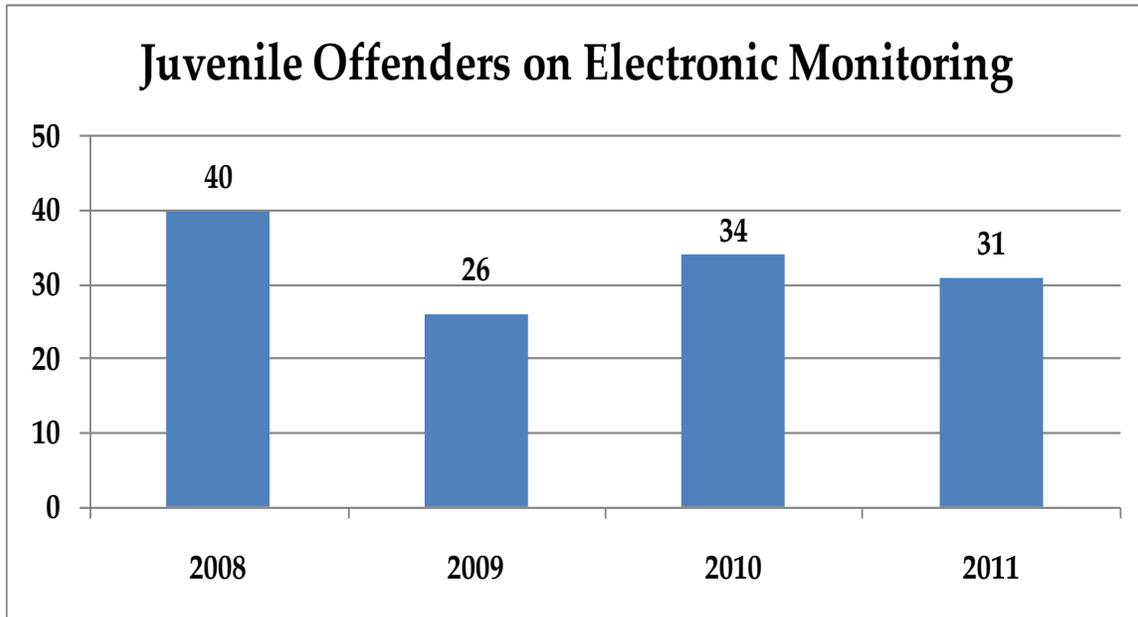


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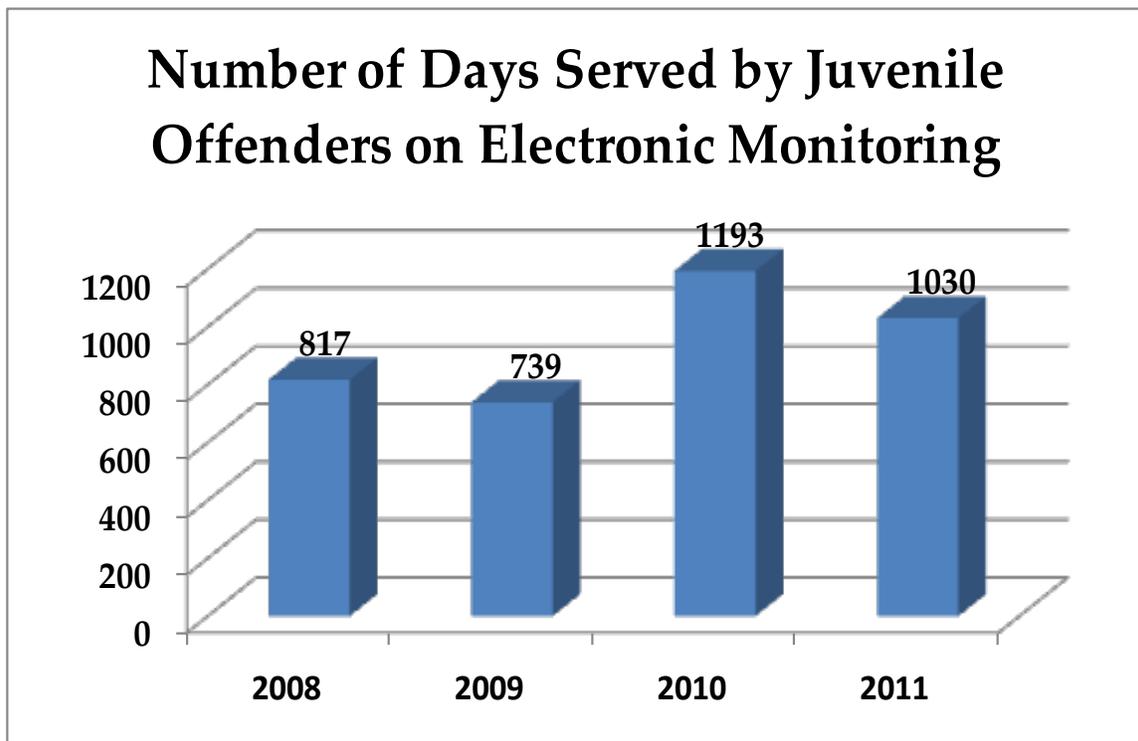
There were a total of 150 felony, 54 gross misdemeanor, and 121 misdemeanor bail evaluations completed in 2011.



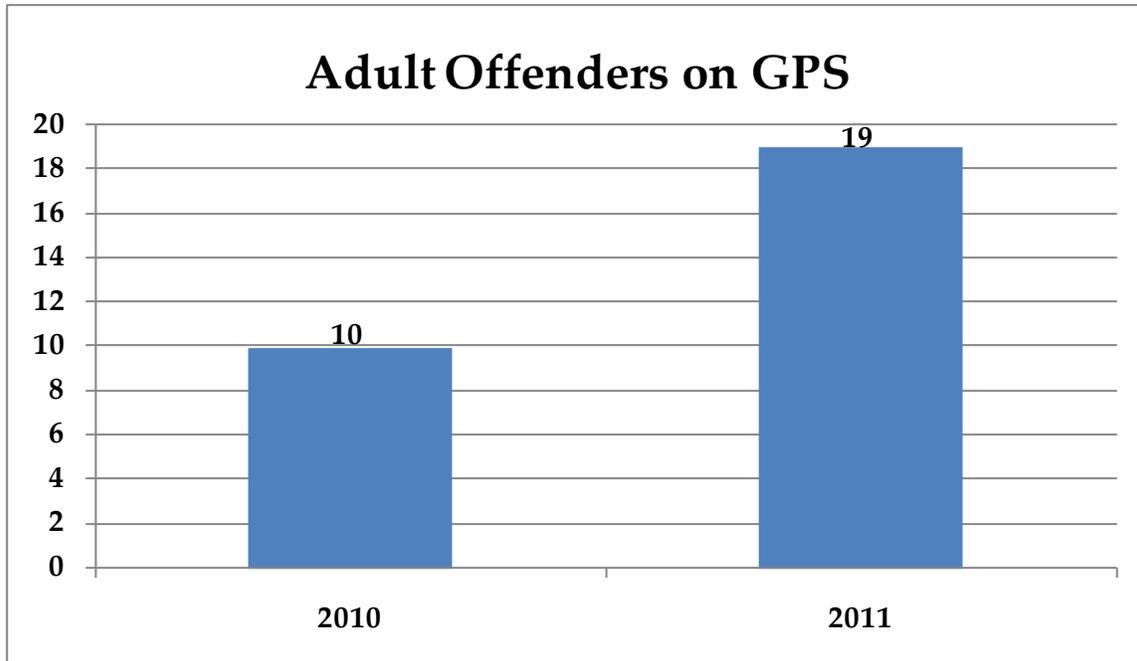
In 2011, a total of 5768 days were served on home detention and \$145,000 was collected to offset costs of the program.



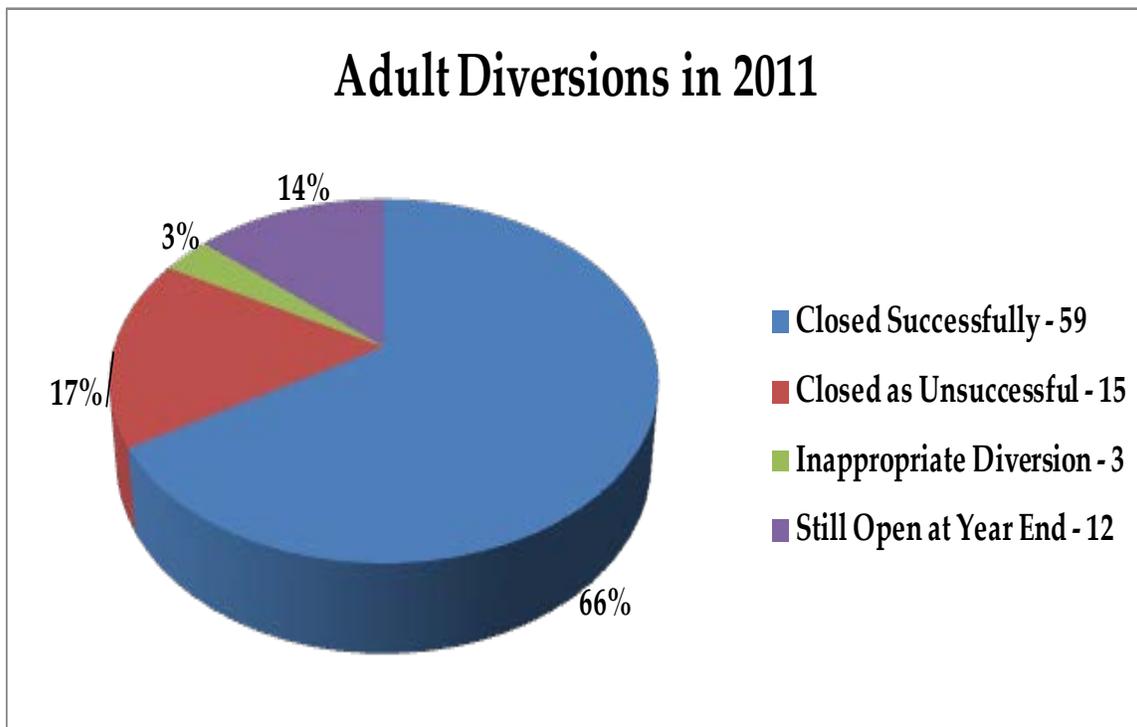
In 2011, there were 31 youth offenders that participated on the juvenile electronic monitoring program. Juveniles served 1030 days on the program. The average juvenile was on the program 33 days.



This is an alternative to out-of-home placement; savings of \$206,000.

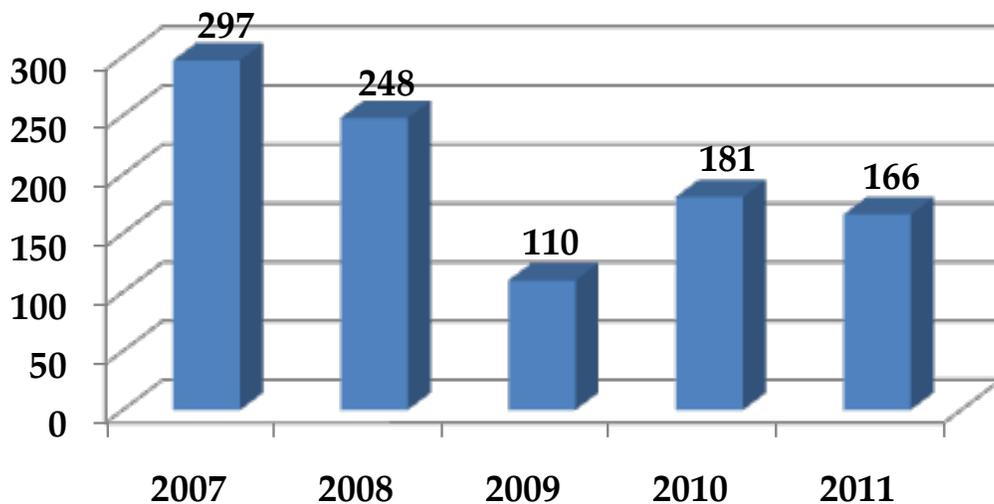


This was the first full year of the GPS Program. There were 19 offenders that were placed on the program for a total of 860 days.



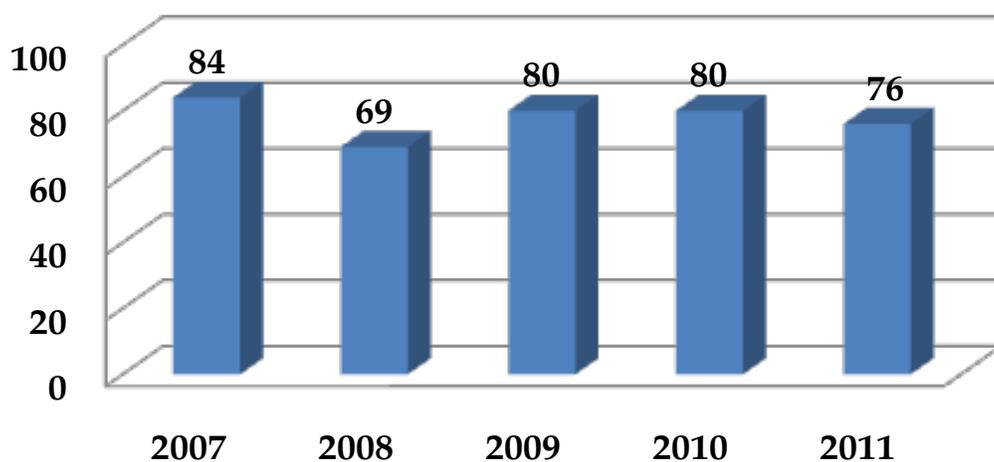
In 2011, a total of 89 offenders were referred to the Adult Diversion Program.

## Juvenile Diversions



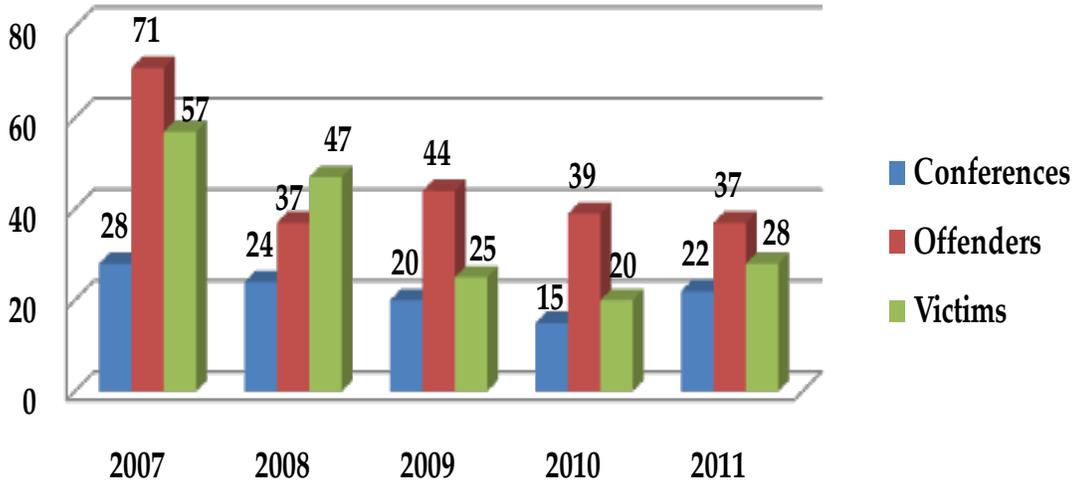
There were a total of 166 new **juvenile diversion** cases opened in 2011. During 2011, 144 diversions were closed successfully (80% success rate) and 37 diversions were closed unsuccessful (20% returned rate). \*\*Closed successful and unsuccessful numbers do not equal 166 as there is an overlap from year to year.

## Teen Court



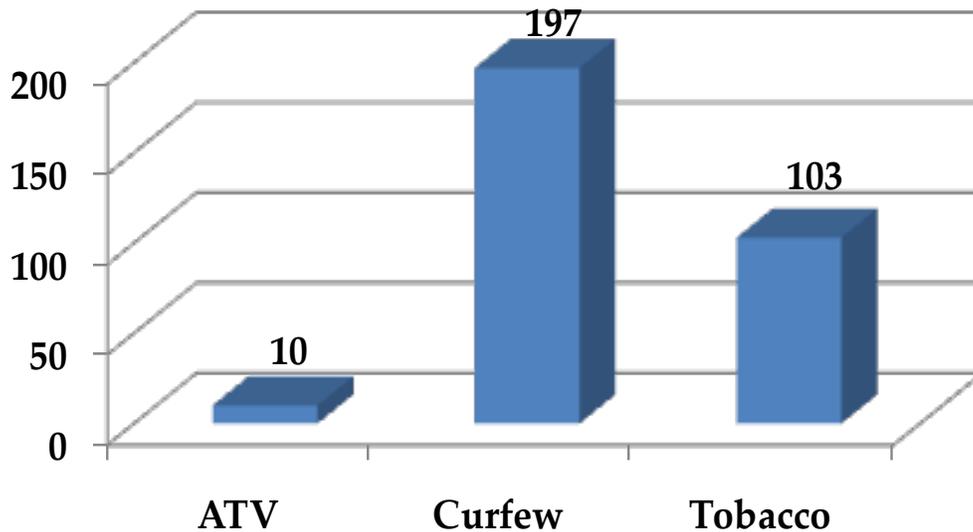
In 2011, there were 76 youth offenders that participated in Teen Court.

## Adult and Juvenile Community Conferences



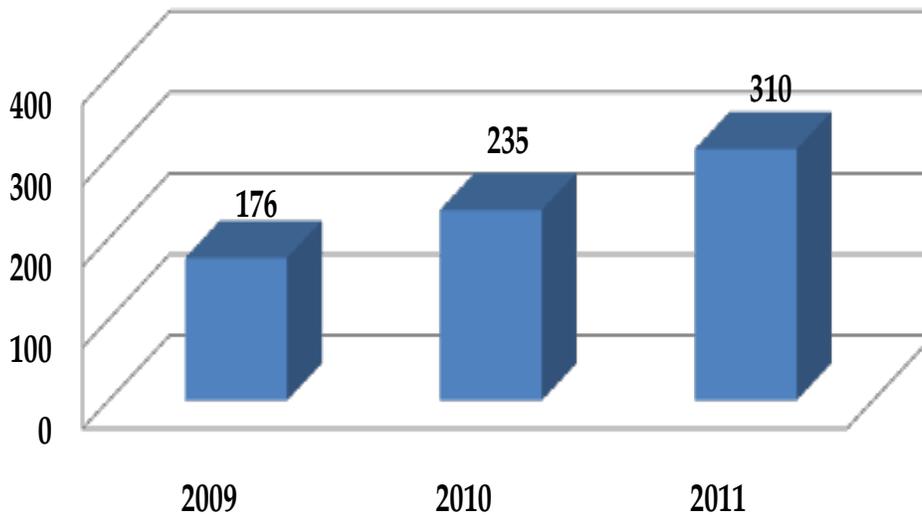
There were a total of five adult offenders and seventeen juvenile offenders that completed community conferences in 2011.

## Diversion Payables Opened in 2011



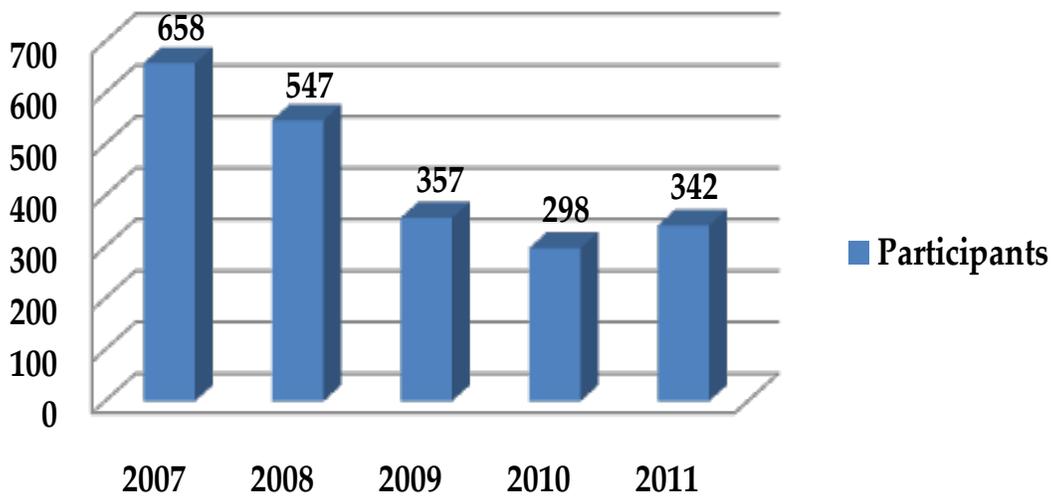
As you can see from the above graph, the Curfew and Tobacco offenses far out weigh the ATV offenses.

## Juvenile Payables Numbers from 2009 to 2011



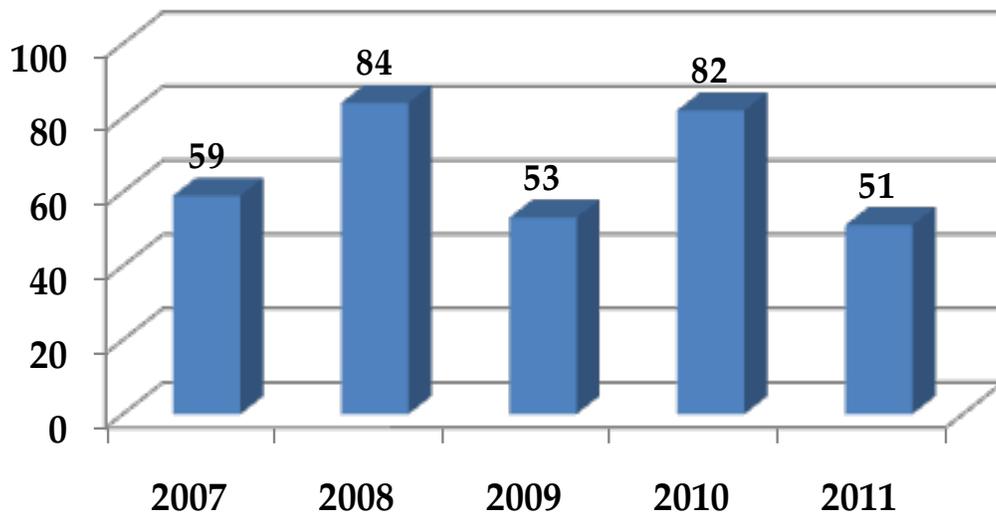
Over three years, 720 juveniles participated in the payable program. This has reduced the amount of cases needing to go to Court.

## Awareness Panel for Impaired Drivers



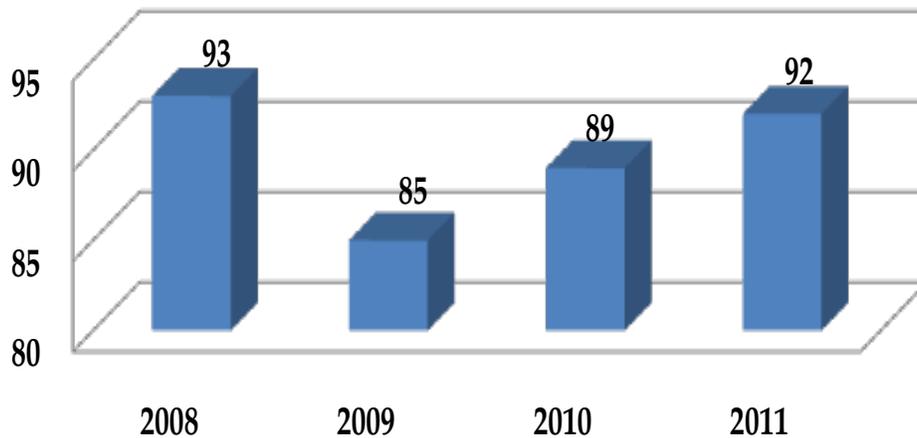
A total of eleven sessions were held in 2011.

## Youth Shoplifting Program



In 2011, 51 youth participated in the youth shoplifting program.

## Adolescent Chemical Education Program (ACE)



In 2011, 92 youth participated in the Adolescent Chemical Education Program. There is a parent component to this program as well.

<b>Juvenile Work Crew Statistics</b>						
<i>Community</i>	<i># of hours in 2008</i>	<i># of hours in 2009</i>	<i># of hours in 2010</i>	<i># of hours in 2011</i>	<i>Value at \$10/hour in 2011</i>	<i>Sites</i> <i>* = sites used in 2011</i>
Annandale Maple Lake	538	564	580	368.5	\$3,685	Annandale Community Center*, Annandale Community Education*, Friendship Ventures*, Schroeder Park, Pioneer Park, City of Maple Lake, Annandale Schools*, Annandale Community Education, City of Annandale, Camp Friendship*
Buffalo Montrose	1,462	1,059	742	739.5	\$7,395	Buffalo Civic Center*, Wright County Court Services*, Wright County Public Works, FareShare*, City of Buffalo*, Zion Lutheran Church in Buffalo, Buffalo Schools, City of Montrose*, Buffalo Community Center*
Cokato	363	192	75	106	\$1,060	City of Cokato*, Dassel-Cokato Schools*
Delano Rockford	38	264	246	374.5	\$3,745	Delano Schools*, Rockford Schools*, Rockford Community Center*
Howard Lake Waverly/Winsted	188	168	143.5	120	\$1,200	City of Howard Lake*, HL-W-W Schools*
Monticello	615	547	529.5	478	\$4,780	City of Monticello*, Monticello Community Center, Monticello Ice Arena*, Monticello Rod & Gun Club, Monticello Schools*
St. Michael Albertville	555	492	466	600	\$6,000	City of Albertville*, STMA Schools*
Other Locations	N/A	N/A	N/A	191.5	\$1,915	Timber Bay*, Parks Department*, Miscellaneous Other Locations*
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,759</b>	<b>3,286</b>	<b>2782</b>	<b>2978</b>	<b>\$29,780</b>	

(8988 adult hours + 5215 juvenile hours = 14,203 at \$10/hr = \$142,030)