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Yearly Report  
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Crime Analysis Report  
Entire Year of 2022



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SUBJECT: Crime Analysis Report, Entire Year of 2022

In 2022, the Oak Creek Police Department responded to 26,401 calls for service. This is a 4% decrease compared to the previous year of 2021. 5,996 incidents came from the East Side, 11,459 were from the West Side, and 7,735 were from the City Center.

This yearly report will look at the following calls for service: PDO, Burglaries, Theft, Theft from Vehicle, and Vehicle Theft.

**Property Damage MV Accident (PDO)**

There were 960 reports of PDO during 2022. This is a 1% increase compared to the previous year of 2021. The top five contributing factors for crashes are listed from greatest to least: Following too Close (147), Failure to Yield (103), Inattentive Driving (89), Failure to Control Vehicle (74), and Unsafe Lane Change (49)

There were 4 fatal accidents during 2022. This is a 33% increase compared to the previous year of 2021. Maps were produced to examine where there was a high density per area. In addition, each of the areas were split to show the time of day and day of week of when car crashes were more prominent. Area 2 and 3 were split into two to show north and south of Puetz Rd, and Area 4 was split to show North and South of Forest Hill. The purpose of this, was to dive deeper into areas where hotspots may go unseen, and to examine the areas through a lens where car accidents happen more frequently.

(Reference Page 7-11 for graphic representation)

**Burglary**

There were 23 Burglaries during 2022. This is a 23% decrease compared to the previous year of 2021.

Of the 23 burglaries, 11 were residential, and 12 were commercial areas. Residential burglaries saw a 7% decrease, and commercial burglary saw a 35% decrease compared to 2021. There were 4 forced entries and 7 non-forced entries into residential areas. The main entrance into homes was by unlocked/opened windows and doors.

(Reference Page 12-14 for graphic representation)



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#### **Theft**

There were 656 thefts during 2022. This is a 22% increase compared to the previous year of 2021. 105 happened on the East Side, 222 happened on the West Side, 326 happened in the City Center. The East Side saw a 16% decrease, the West Side saw a 4% increase, and the City Center saw a 16% increase compared to the previous year of 2021.

(Reference Page 15-18 for graphic representation)

#### **Theft from Vehicle**

There were 155 thefts from vehicles during 2022. This is a 16% increase compared to the previous year of 2021. 26 happened on the East Side, 95 happened on the West Side, and 34 in the City Center. The East Side saw a 21% decrease. The West Side saw a 58% increase, and the City Center saw a 12% decrease compared to 2021. 56% of thefts occurred in a commercial area and 44% of thefts occurred in a residential area.

In 2022, 61% of the vehicles entered without consent happened because the vehicle was unlocked/opened. 31% of the locked vehicles were opened forcefully, and 8% were unknown. In addition, there were 55 theft of catalytic converter, and 15 theft of license plates in 2022.

Catalytic converter theft increased by approx. 20% compared to 2021. Catalytic converter thefts in Oak Creek occurred between the times of 2300-0000 and 0100-0300 hours.

(Reference Page 19-20 for graphic representation)

#### **Vehicle Theft**

There were 83 reports of Vehicle Thefts during 2022. This is a 33% increase compared to 2021. 9 happened on the East Side, 59 happened on the West Side, and 15 happened in the City Center. The East Side didn't see a change in thefts compared to 2021. The West Side saw a 43% increase, and the City Center saw a 25% decrease compared to 2021.

Of the 83 vehicle thefts, 33 happened in a residential area, and 33 happened in a commercial area. In addition, 5 rental trucks were not returned and classified as a theft, and 6 were accidentally misplaced. 15 of the vehicle thefts were taken by someone the victim knew and 52 were unknown. 28% of vehicles taken were because the owner left the key inside the vehicle. 38% of all vehicle thefts were non-forced entry, 54% were forced entry, and 8% were unknown.

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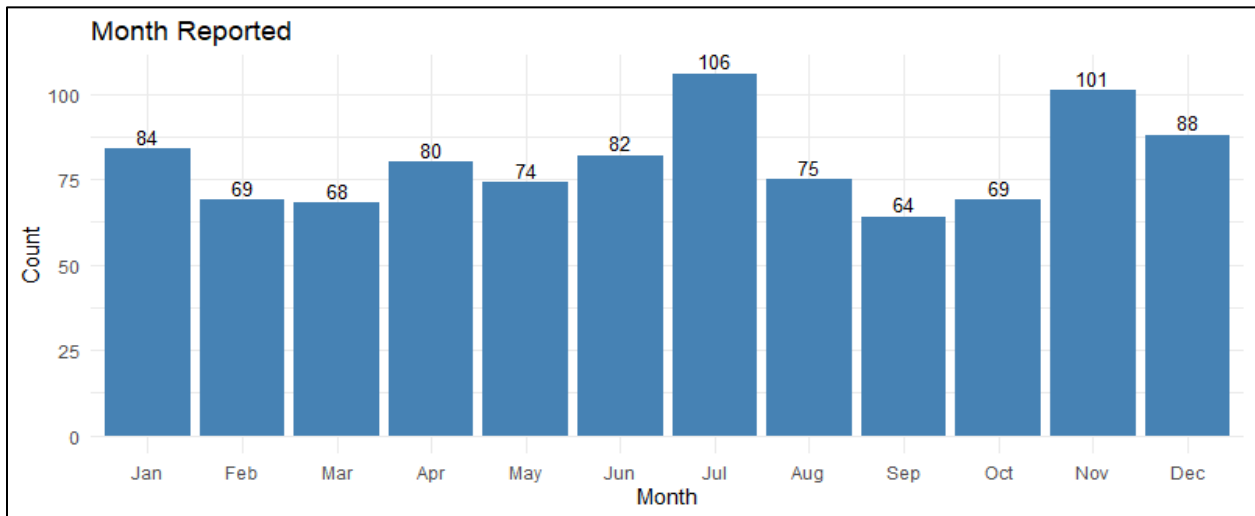
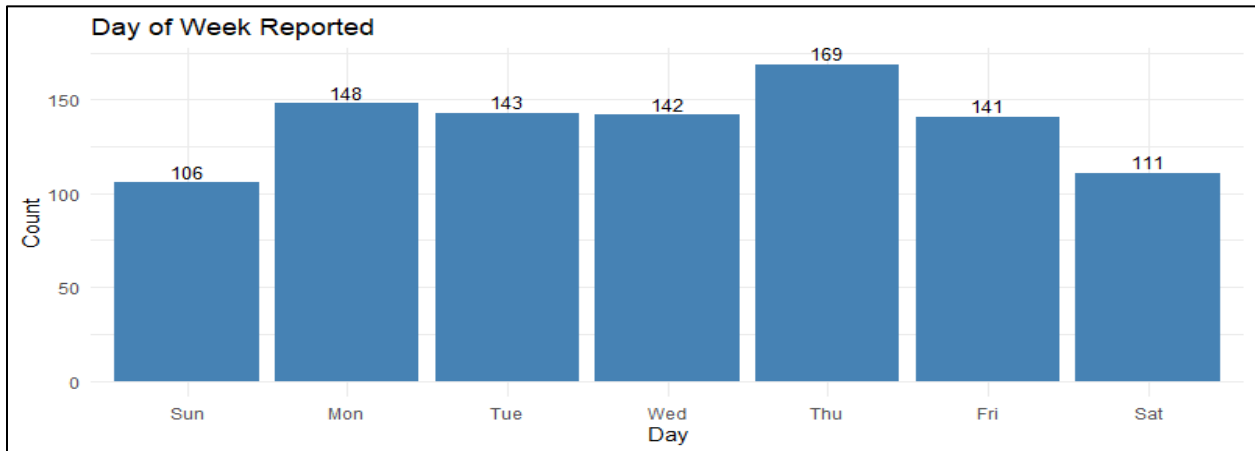
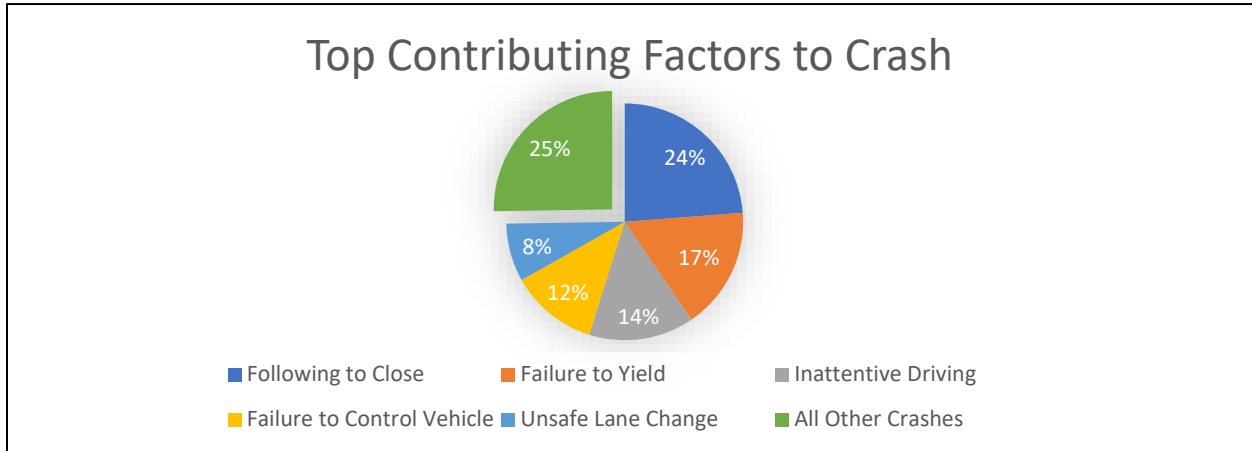
Group A Offenses	2019	2020	2021	2022	Previous Year Change
Homicide	0	1	2	1	-50%
Sex Assault	33	25	29	27	-6%
Aggravated Assault	20	25	27	26	-3%
Simple Assault	143	141	131	146	+11%
Intimidation	52	32	33	36	+9%
Robbery	5	12	15	5	-66%
Burglary	77	71	34	22	-35%
Shoplifting	413	389	331	404	+22%
Theft from Vehicle	115	75	55	68	+23%
Vehicle Theft	39	64	69	91	+31%
Arson	2	2	0	0	--
All Other Thefts	177	191	178	194	+8%
Fraud	172	163	124	230	+85%
Prostitution	35	47	74	39	-47%
Human Trafficking	0	0	1	0	--
Drug Violation	576	586	566	365	-35%
Criminal Damage to Property	162	134	122	135	+10%
Weapons Violation	30	34	45	54	+20%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2051</b>	<b>1992</b>	<b>1836</b>	<b>1843</b>	<b>+0.4%</b>

Group B Offenses	2019	2020	2021	2022	Previous Year Change
Disorderly Conduct	250	402	369	446	+26%
Driving under the Influence	161	146	160	112	-30%
Domestic Violence	110	106	113	156	+38%
Liquor Law Violation	28	24	12	10	-16%
Motor Vehicle Accident	1256	855	1052	1058	+0.6%
Suspicious Activity	1372	1400	1272	1196	-5%
Trespass	27	35	18	19	+5%
Traffic Stop	5995	4763	5462	4256	-22%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9203</b>	<b>7734</b>	<b>8458</b>	<b>7253</b>	<b>-14%</b>



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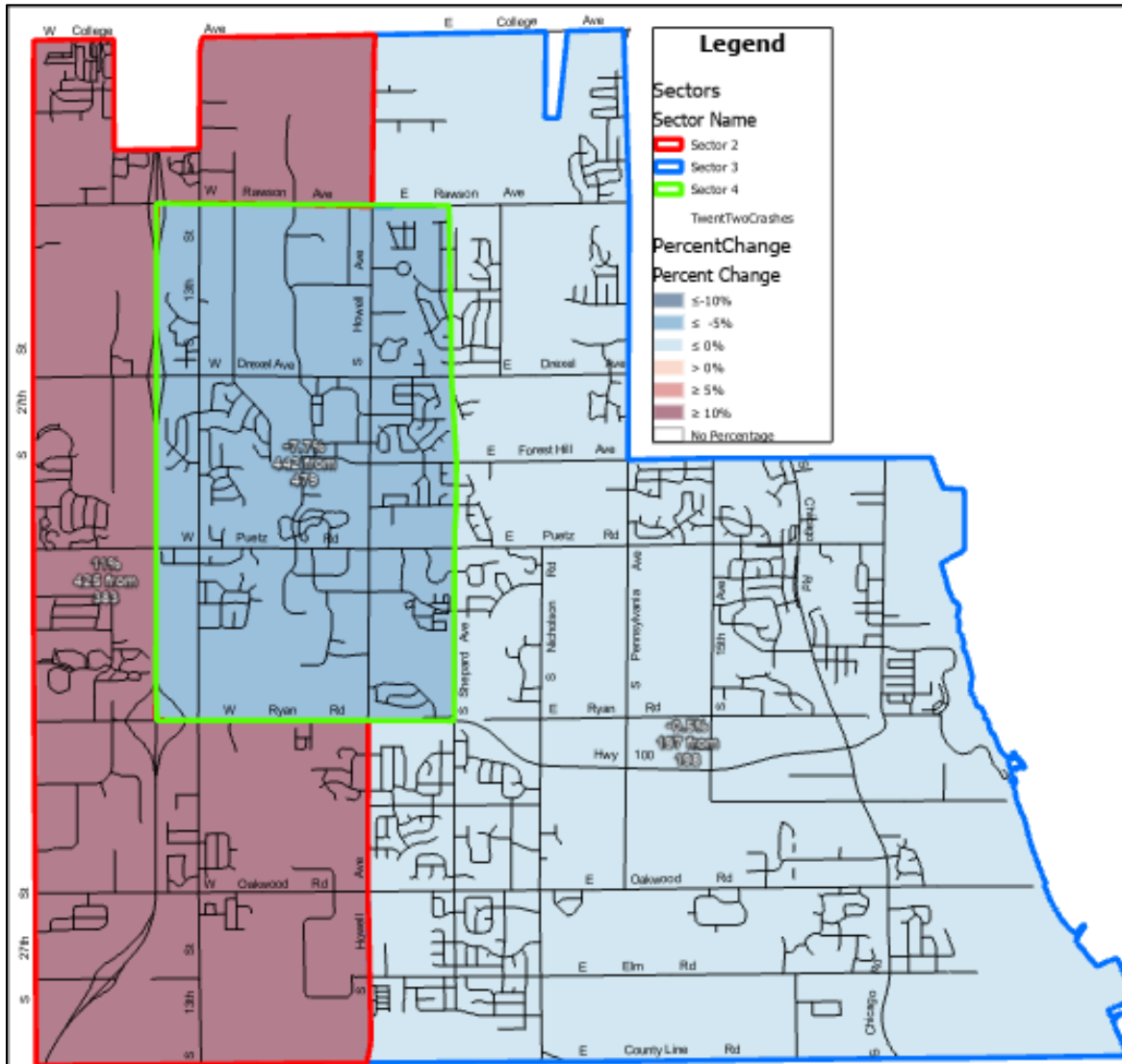
## Property Damage MV (PDO) Accident





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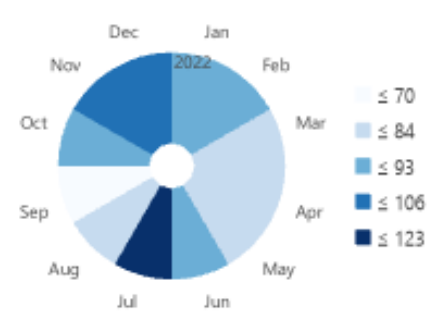
PDO | Comparison 2021 & 2022



Change in PDO & PI: 2022 (Two Week Interval)



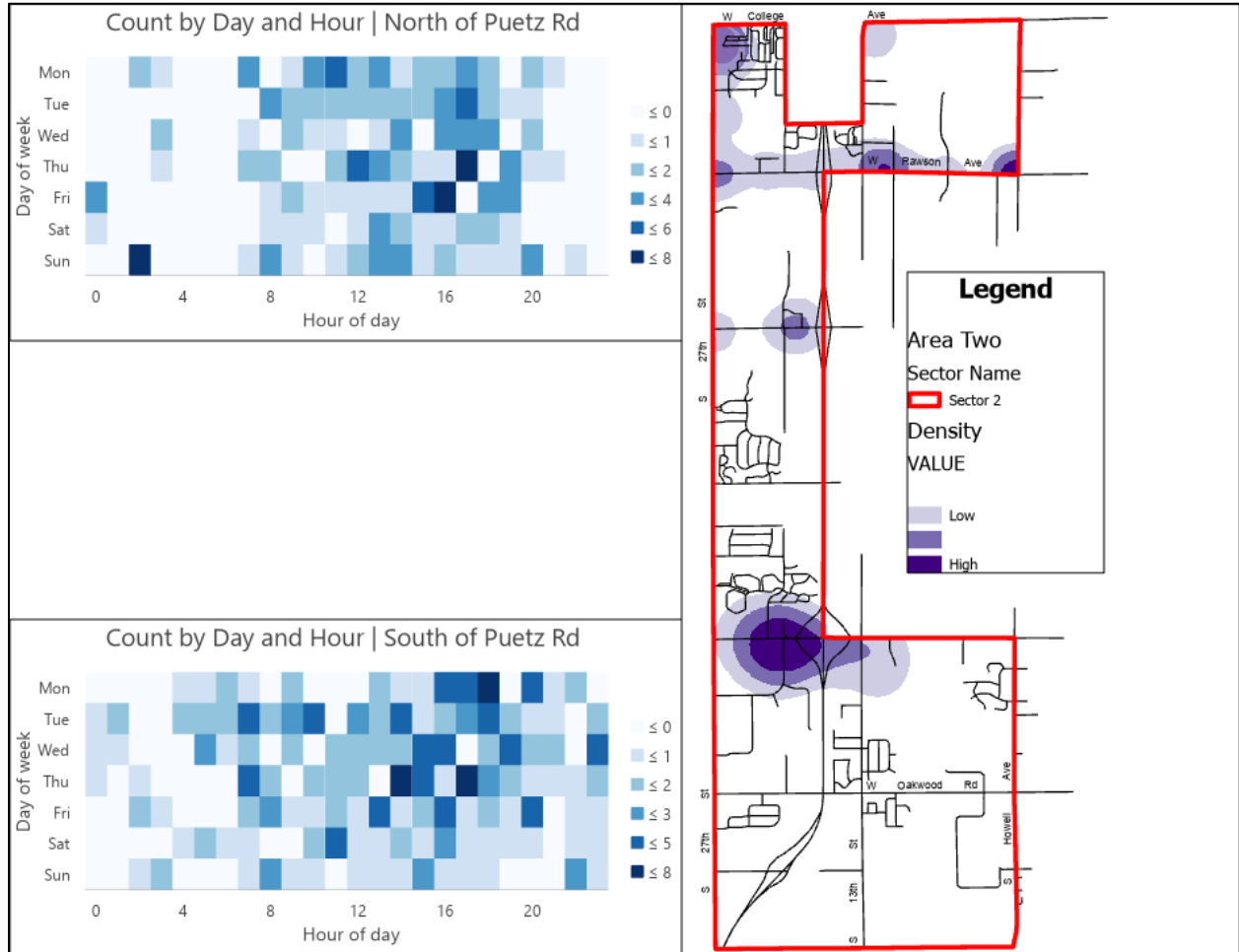
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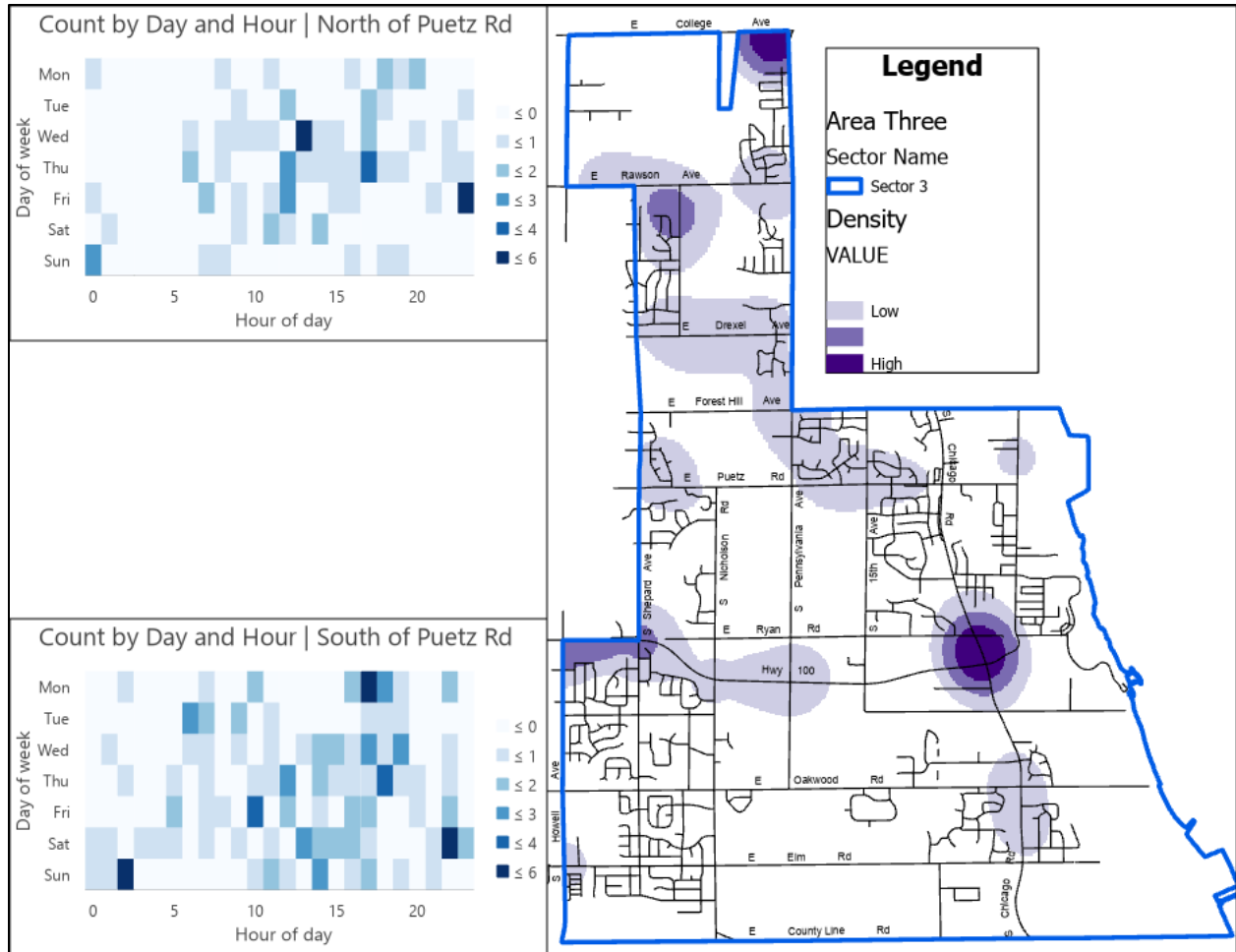






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Car Crash Hotspot Analysis by Area:  
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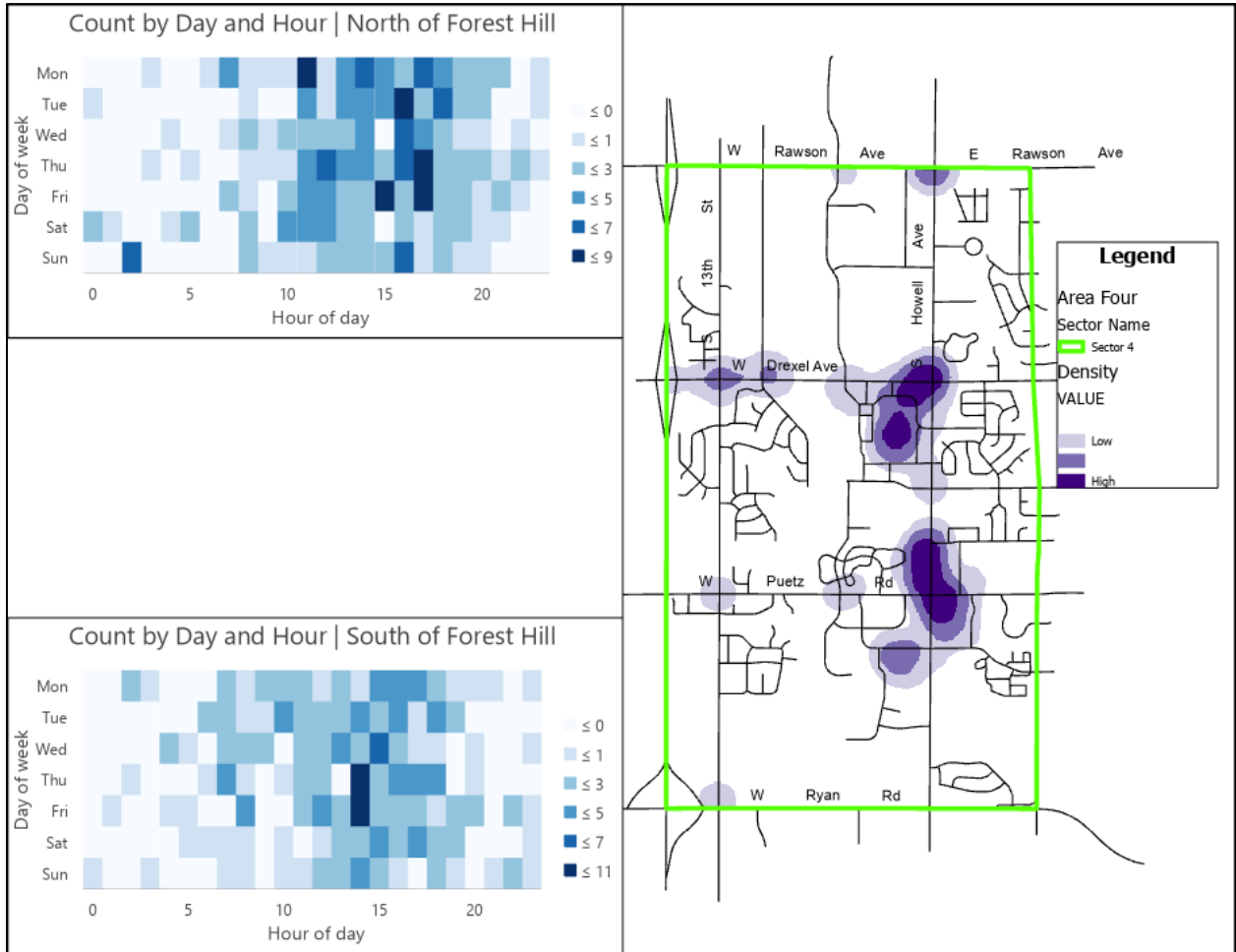




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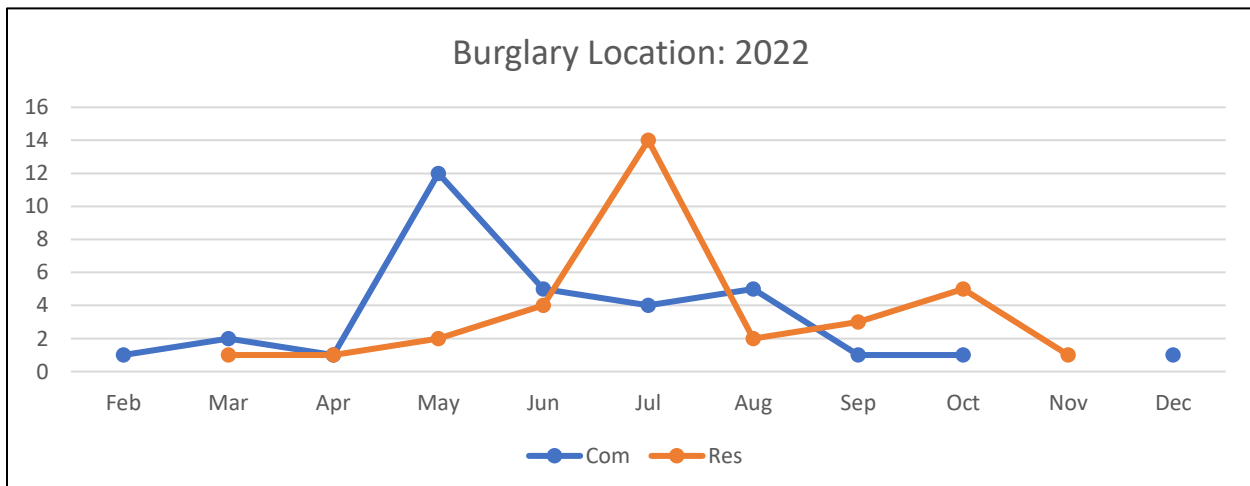
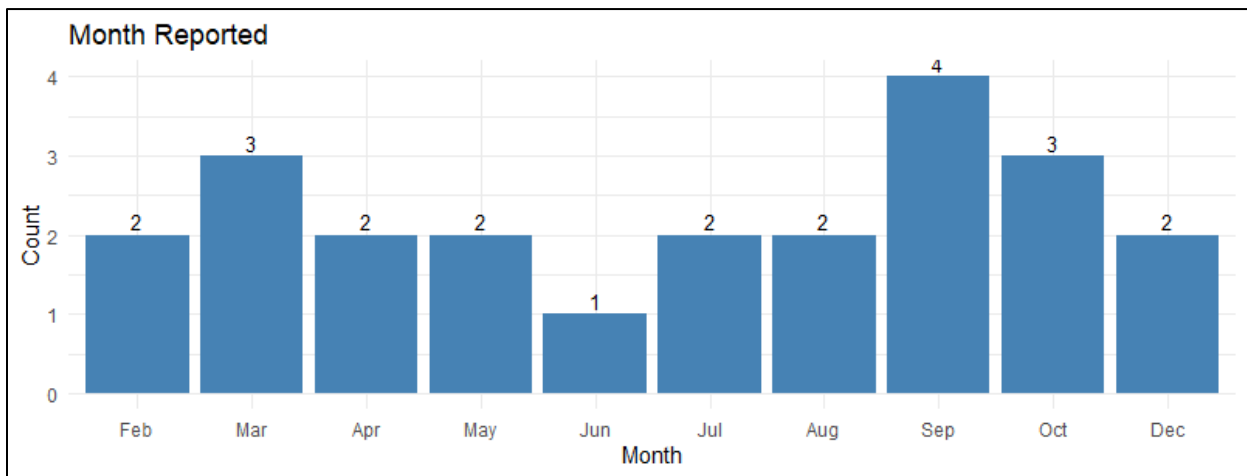
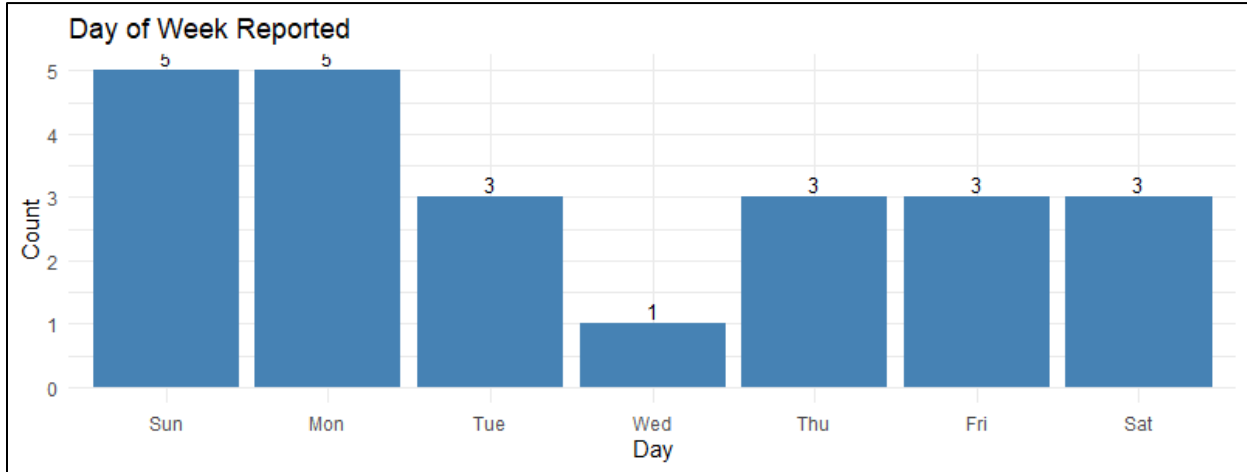
#### Area 4





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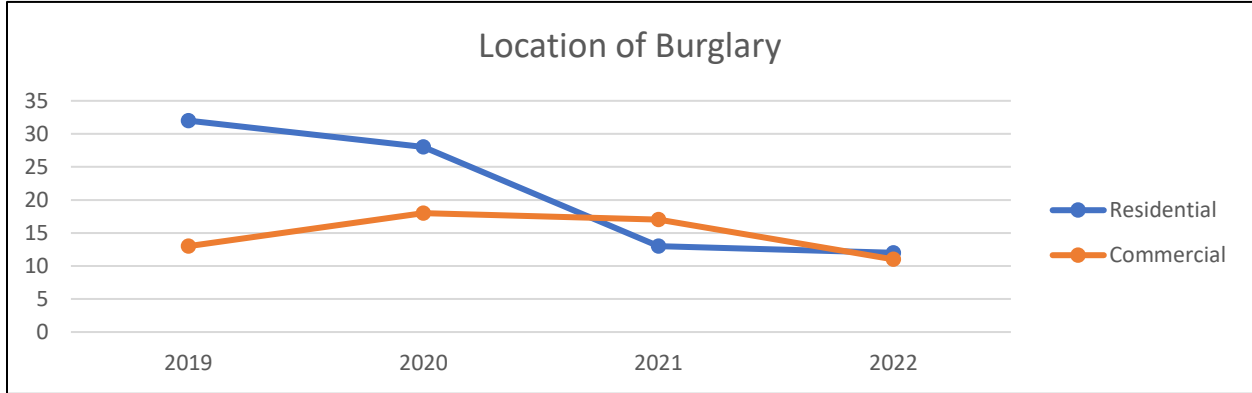
## Burglary



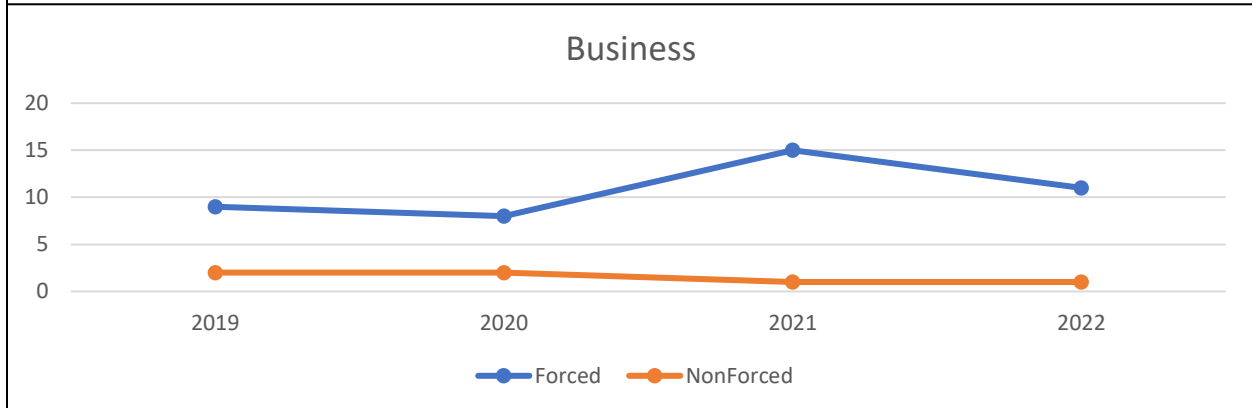
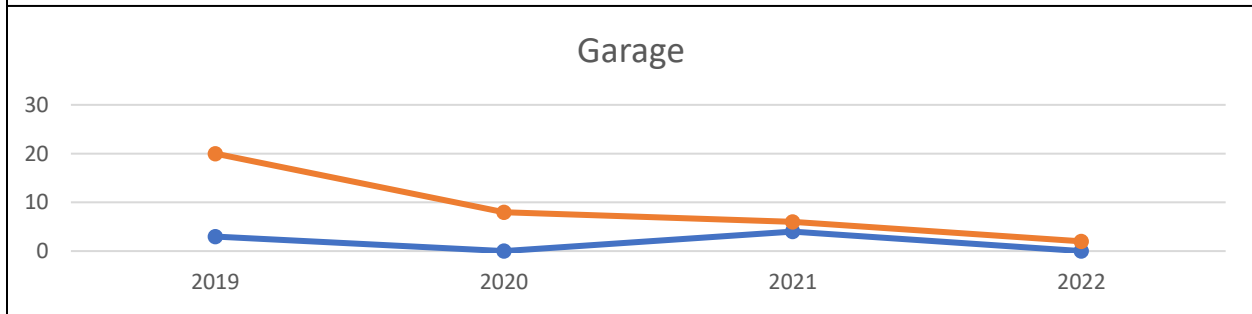
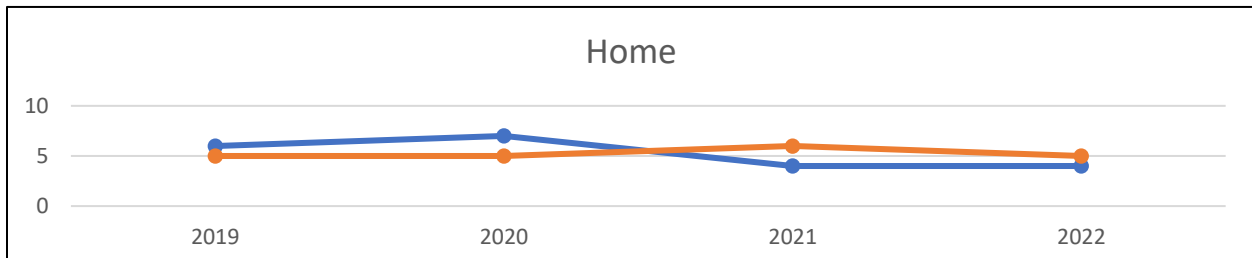


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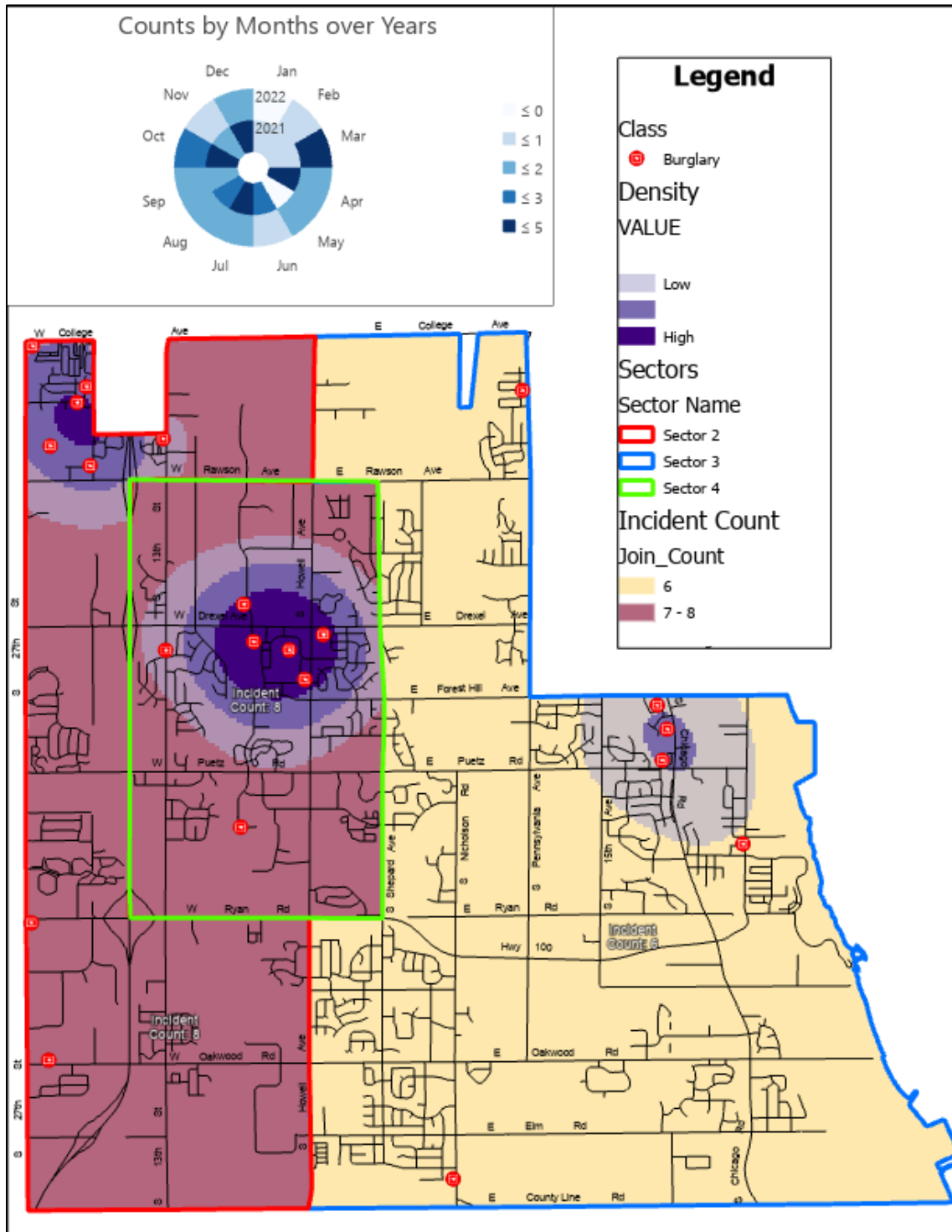
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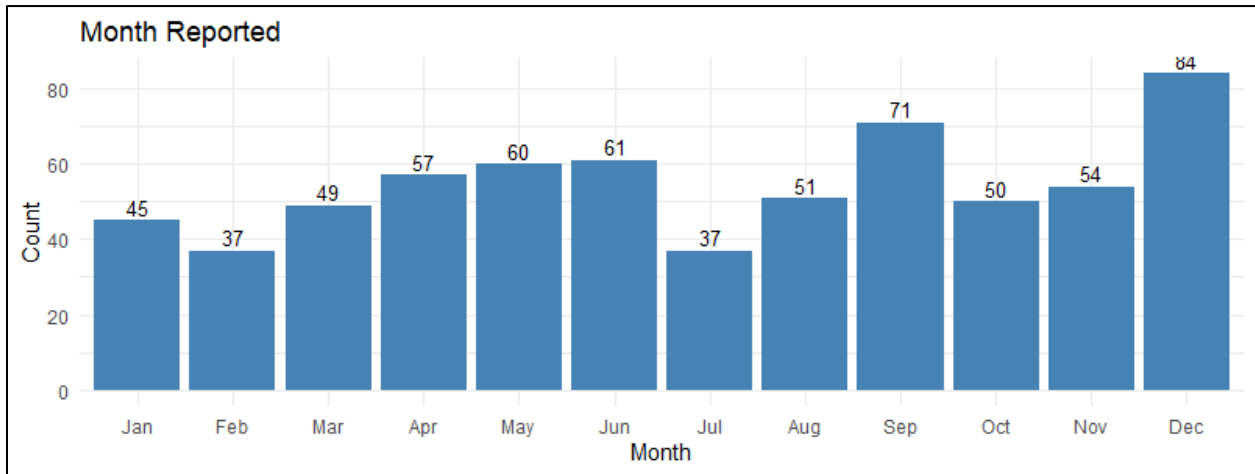
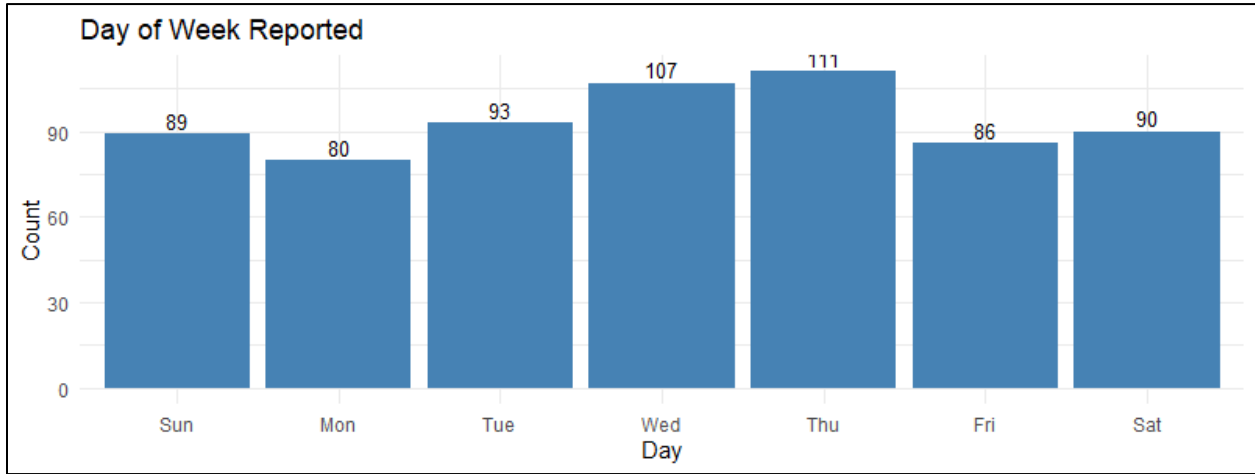
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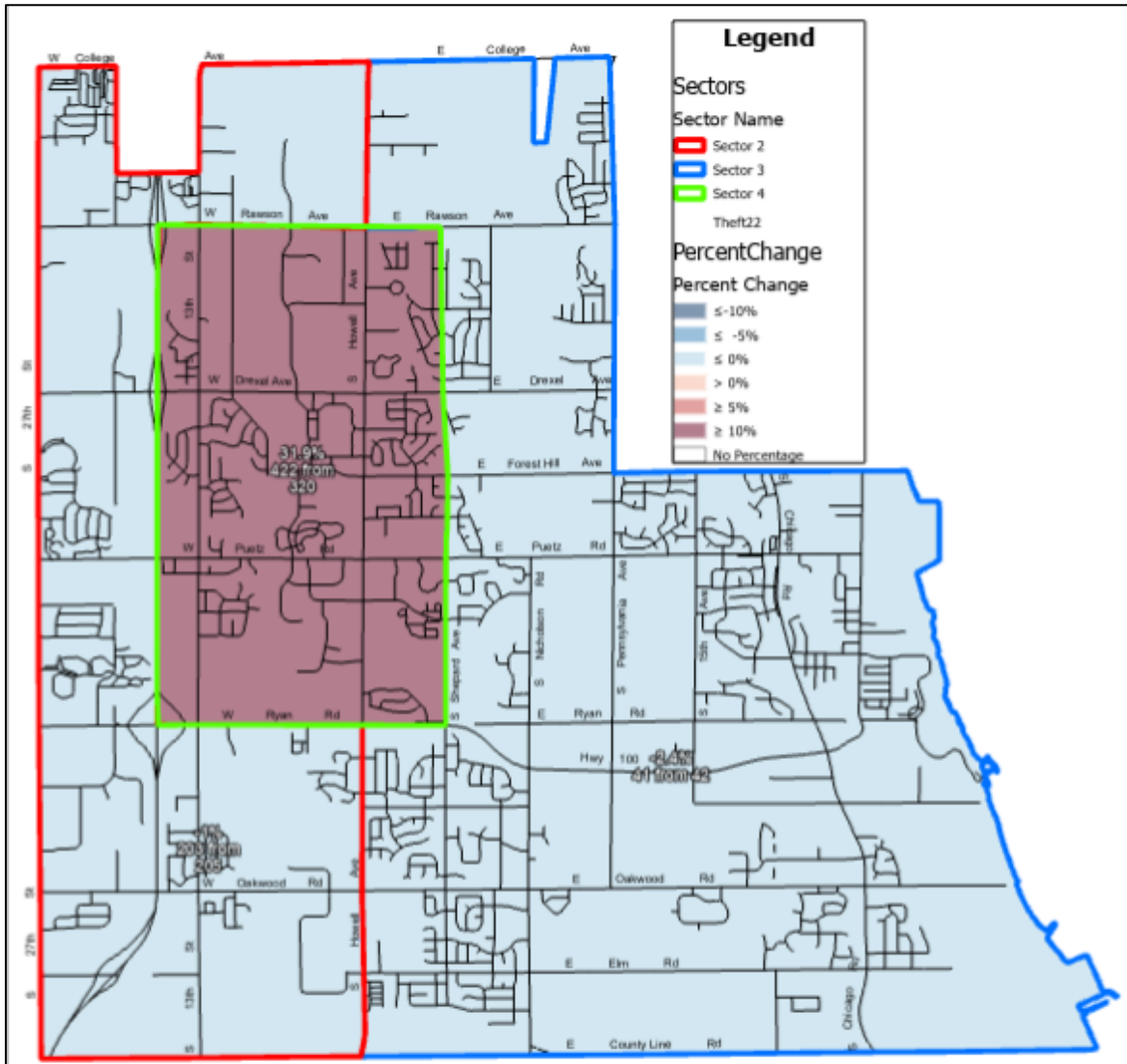
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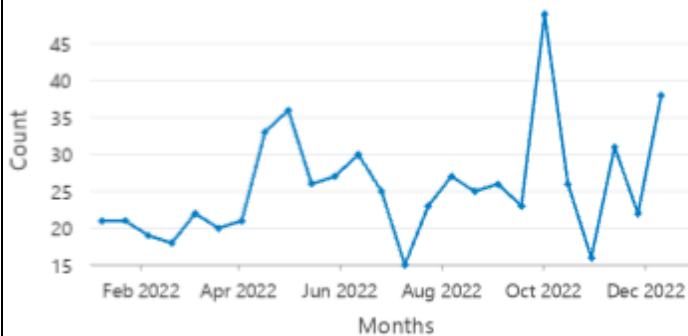


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Theft | Comparison 2021 & 2022



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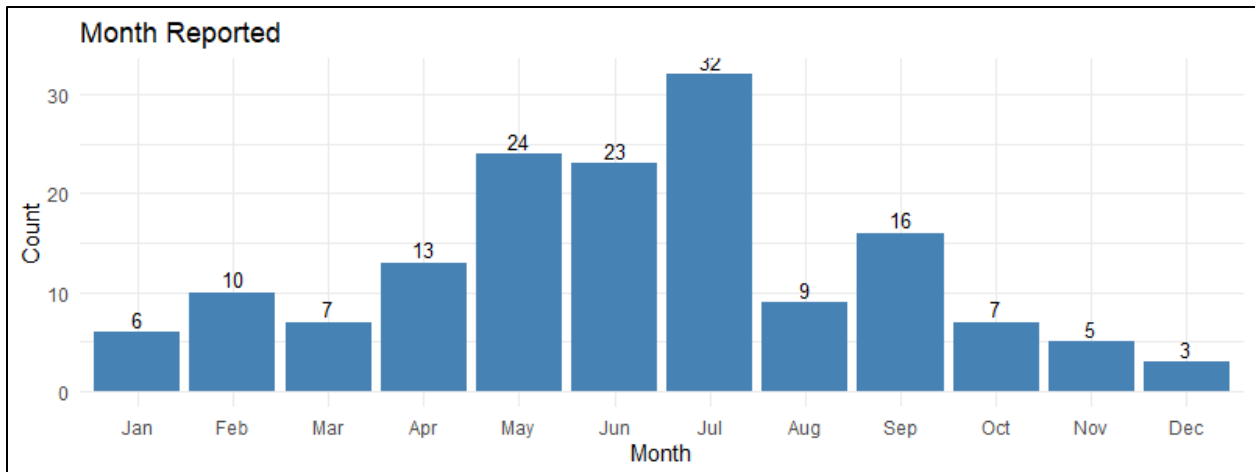
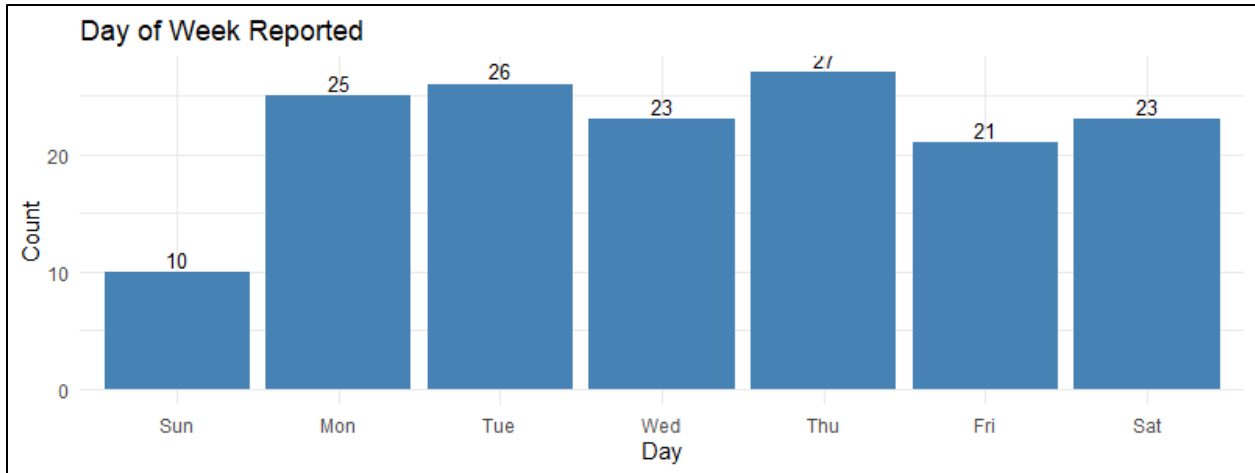
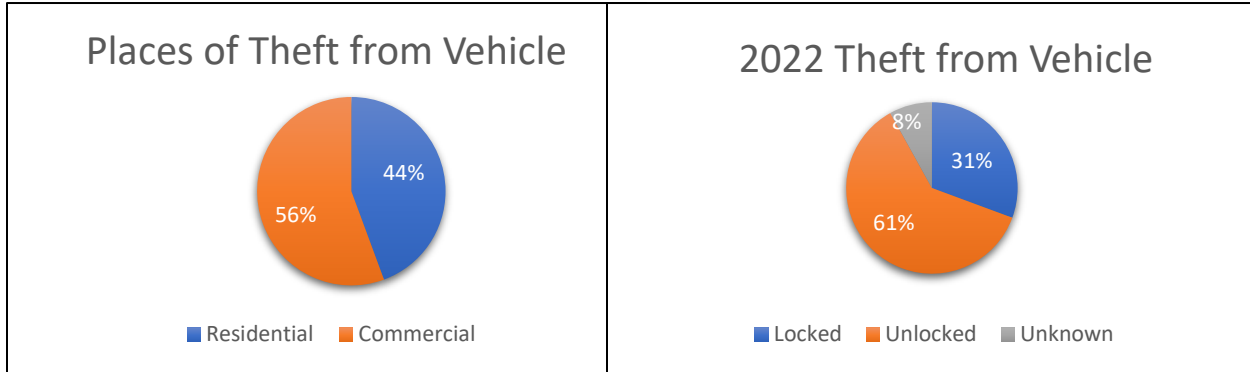
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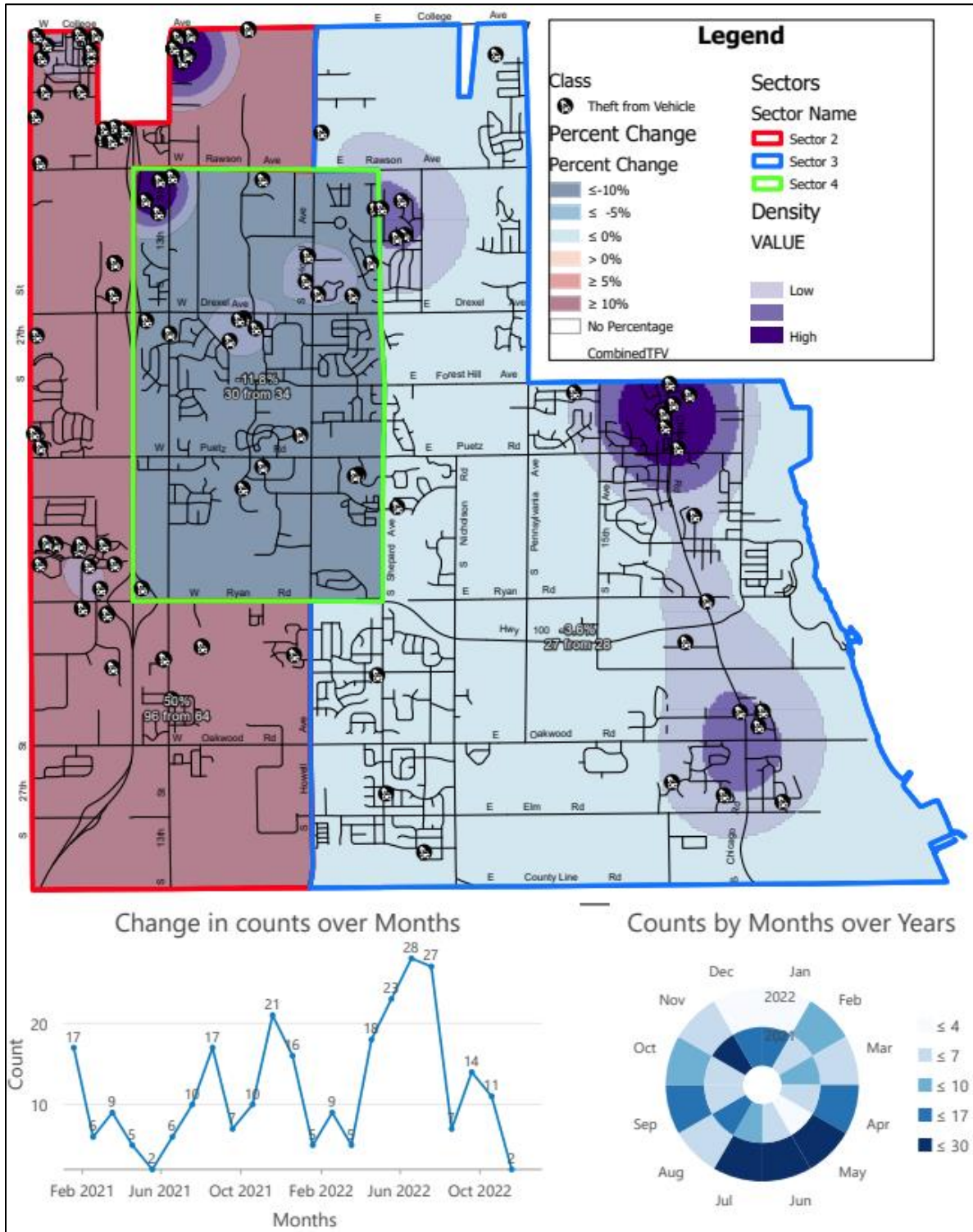






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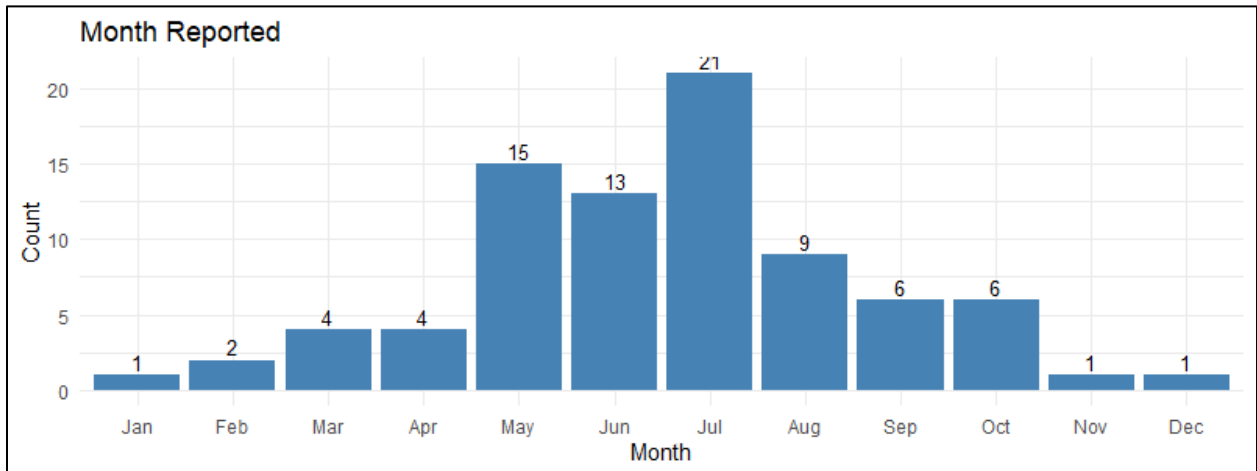
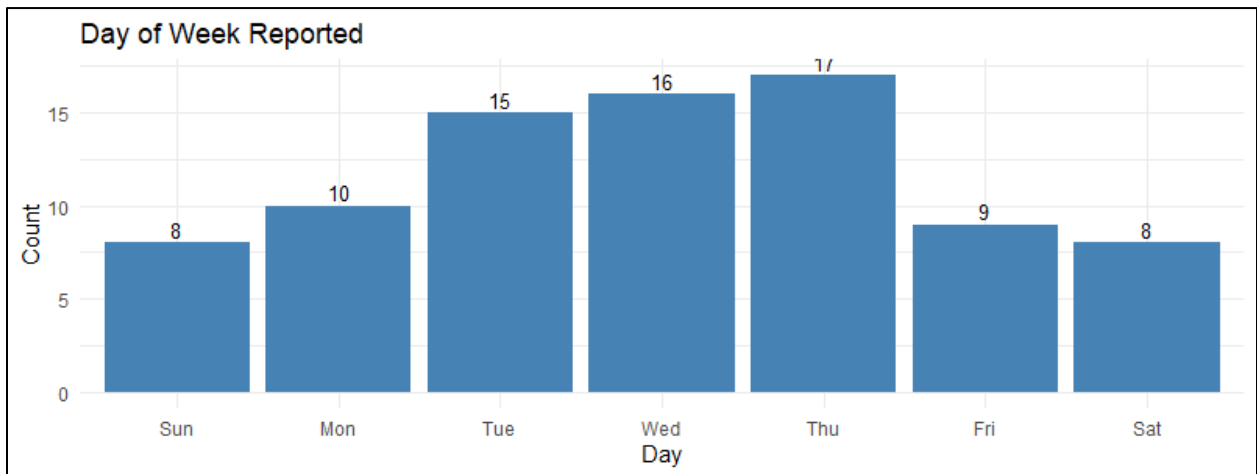
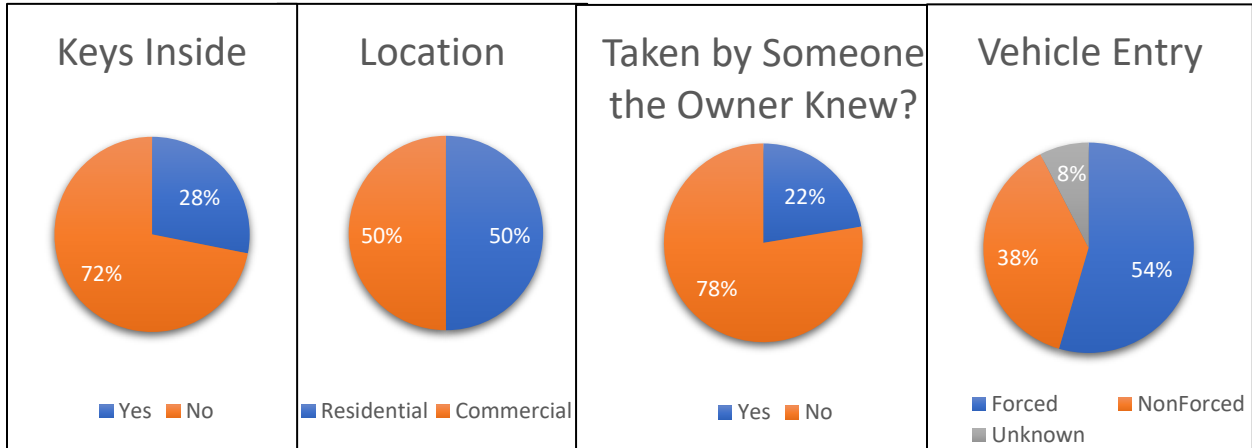
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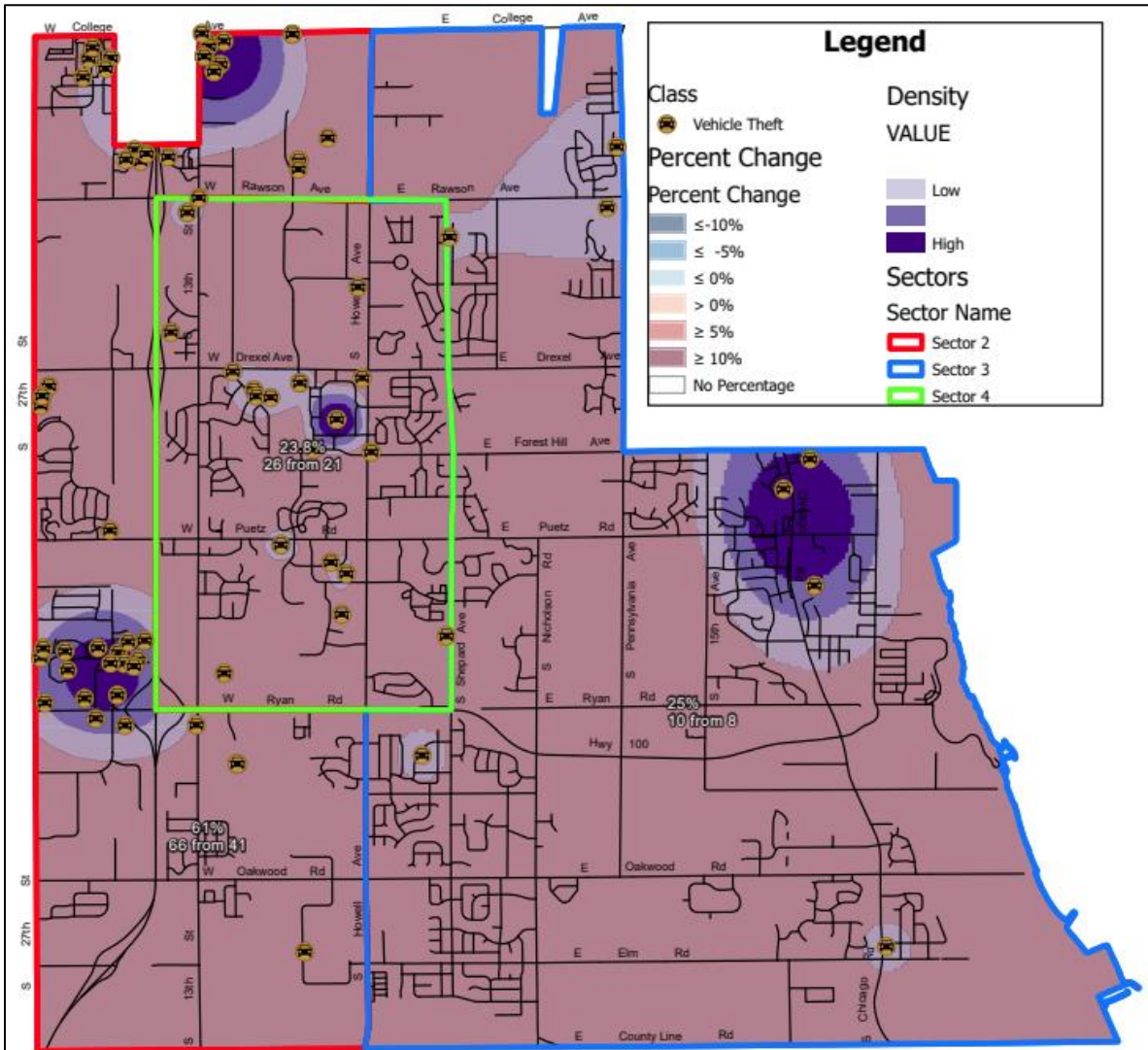
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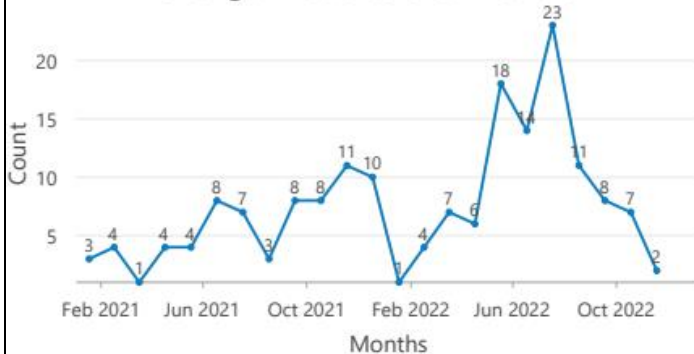


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Change in counts over Months



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