

# MONTHLY GIVE SHOOTING ACTIVITY REPORT Issue Date: February 10, 2025

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 January 2025, the 28 police departments collectively reported 35 shooting incidents involving injury, down 8 percent when compared to January 2024 (38).

The number of individuals shot through January 2025 (38) decreased 16 percent when compared to January 2024 (45).

In the month of January 2025, there were 10 individuals killed by gun violence, compared to 8 in January 2024. Buffalo (4), Rochester (3), Albany (1), Binghamton (1) and Yonkers (1) accounted for the 10 shooting-related homicides.

Annual firearm data for GIVE agencies is available using our interactive GIVE Shooting Activity Dashboard: <a href="https://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/crimnet/ojsa/stats.htm#gunviolence">https://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/crimnet/ojsa/stats.htm#gunviolence</a>

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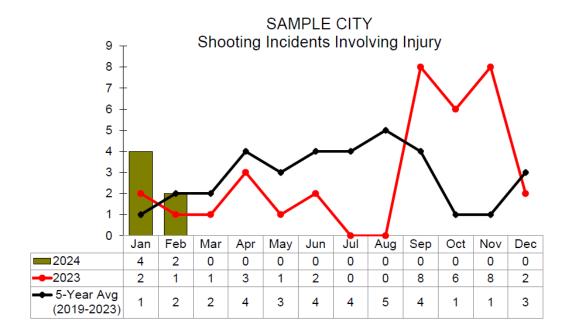
#### **Data Definitions**

**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 2024 vs. 2025

	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	% Change 24 vs. 25
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	38	35	-8%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	45	38	-16%
Individuals Killed by Gun Violence	8	10	

January 2024 vs. 2025

	Sh	ooting Inc	idents	Shooting Victims			Individu	als Killed	by Firearm
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GIVE Jurisdiction	YTD	YTD	From 2024	YTD	YTD	From 2024	YTD	YTD	From 2024
Rochester City PD	16	12	-4	18	13	-5	1	3	+2
Buffalo City PD	7	11	+4	11	13	+2	2	4	+2
Hempstead City PD	0	2	+2	0	2	+2	0	0	0
Syracuse City PD	1	2	+1	1	2	+1	0	0	0
Albany City PD	3	1	-2	3	1	-2	2	1	-1
Poughkeepsie City PD	0	1	+1	0	1	+1	0	0	0
Schenectady City PD	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Troy City PD	0	1	+1	0	1	+1	0	0	0
Utica City PD	3	1	-2	4	1	-3	2	0	-2
Yonkers City PD	0	1	+1	0	1	+1	0	1	+1
Mount Vernon City PD	2	0	-2	2	0	-2	0	0	0
Nassau County PD	2	0	-2	2	0	-2	0	0	0
Newburgh City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niagara Falls City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suffolk County PD	1	0	-1	1	0	-1	0	0	0
GIVE Tier I Total	36	33	-3	43	36	-7	7	9	+2
GIVE Tier II Total*	2	2	0	2	2	0	1	1	0
GIVE Total	38	35	-3	45	38	-7	8	10	+2

<sup>\*</sup>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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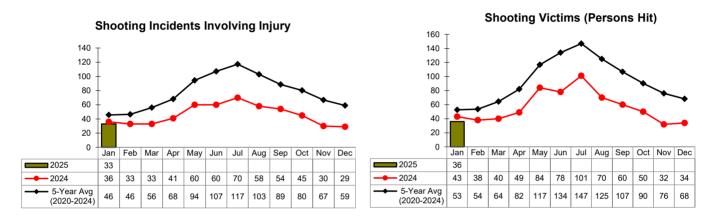
Sources: GIVE Weekly Shooting Activity Report Forms (July 2023 - present)
GIVE Monthly Shooting Activity Report Forms (through June 2023)

# Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Tier I Total

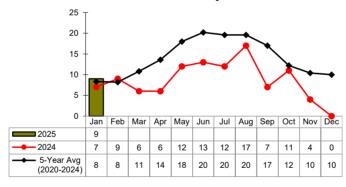
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Data reported as of 02/04/2025

				% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	46	36	33	-8%	-28%	
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	53	43	36	-16%	-32%	
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	8	7	9			



#### Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



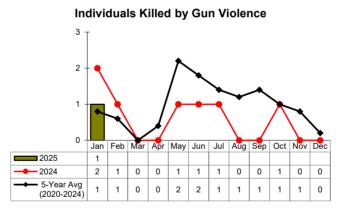
### **Albany City PD**

#### January 2024 vs. 2025

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	•			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	4	3	1			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	5	3	1			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	1	2	1			

#### **Shooting Incidents Involving Injury Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)** Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec <del>-</del> 2024 5-Year Avg (2020-2024) • 5-Year Avg (2020-2024)

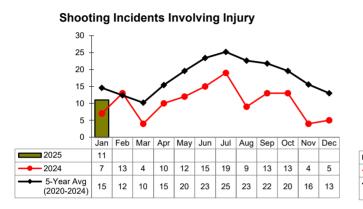


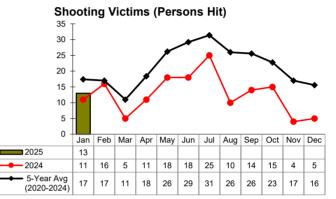
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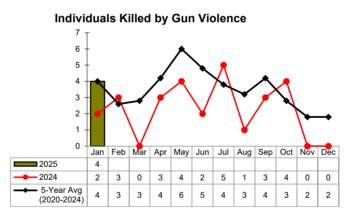
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	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	15	7	11		-27%	
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	17	11	13	18%	-24%	
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	4	2	4			





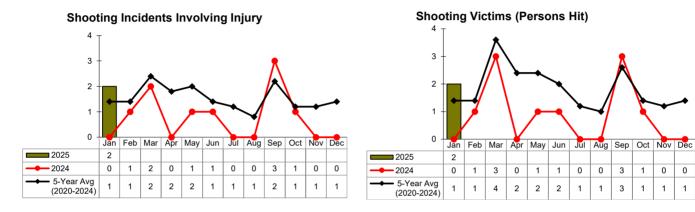


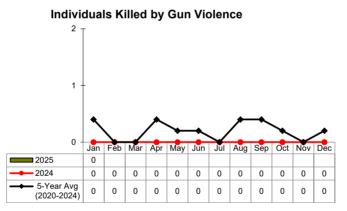
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#### January 2024 vs. 2025

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	•			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	1	0	2			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	1	0	2			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0			





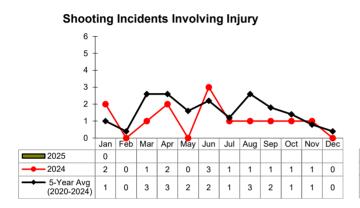
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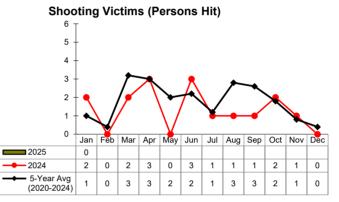
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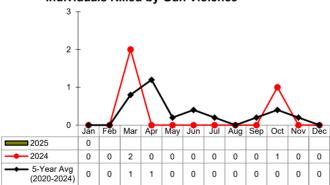
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	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	1	2	0		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	1	2	0		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0		





#### Individuals Killed by Gun Violence

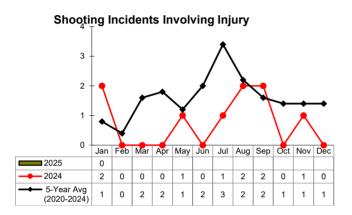


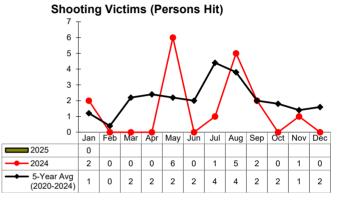
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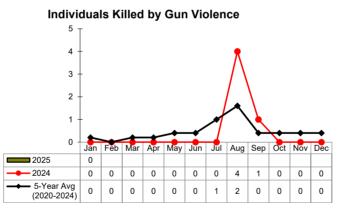
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Data reported as of 02/04/2025

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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	1	2	0		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	1	2	0		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0		





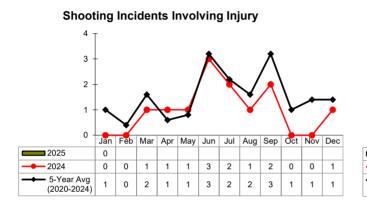


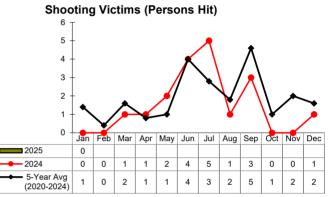
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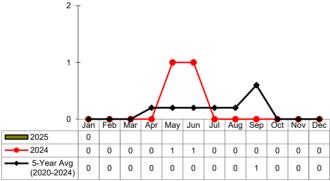
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	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	1	0	0			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	1	0	0			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0			





### Individuals Killed by Gun Violence $^2\ \top$

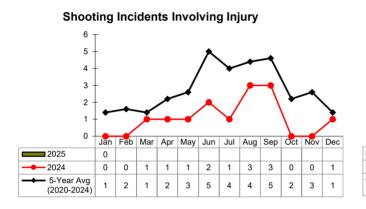


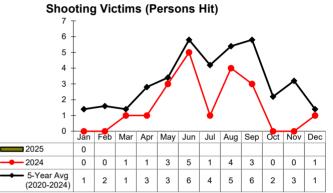
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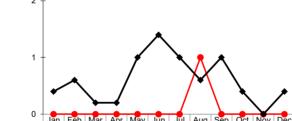
### January 2024 vs. 2025

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	•			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	1	0	0			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	1	0	0			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0			







#### Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Oct Nov <del>-</del> 2024 5-Year Avg (2020-2024)

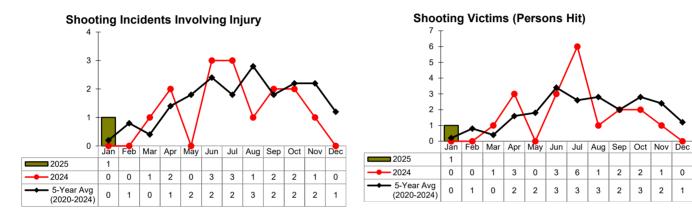
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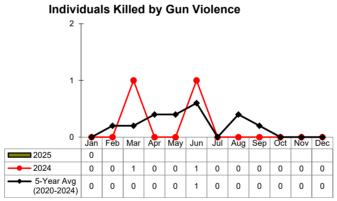
## Poughkeepsie City PD

### January 2024 vs. 2025

Data reported as of 02/04/2025

	•			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	0	0	1			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	0	0	1			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0			





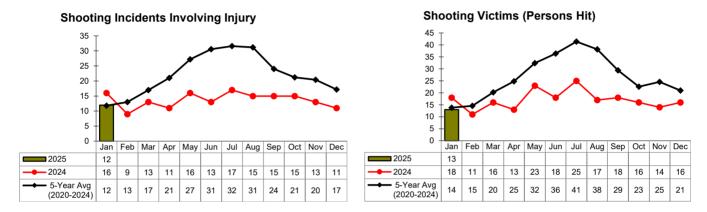
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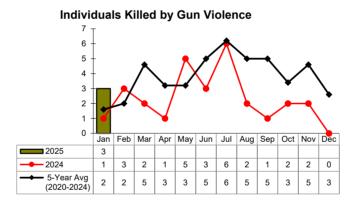
### **Rochester City PD**

#### January 2024 vs. 2025

Data reported as of 02/04/2025

	·			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	12	16	12	-25%	0%	
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	14	18	13	-28%	-7%	
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	2	1	3			



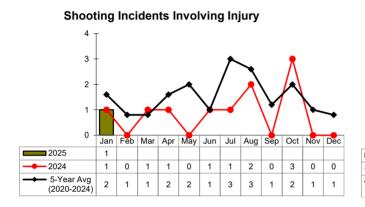


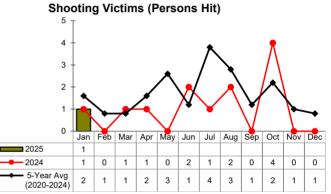
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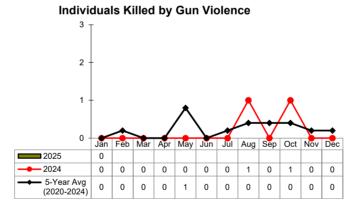
#### January 2024 vs. 2025

Data reported as of 02/04/2025

	•			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	2	1	1			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	2	1	1			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0			





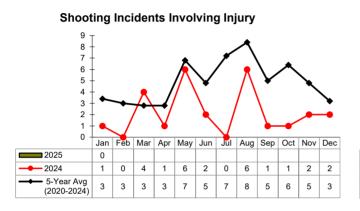


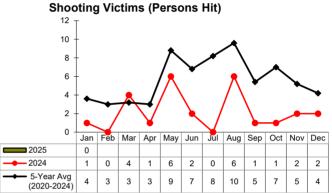
## **Suffolk County PD**

#### January 2024 vs. 2025

Data reported as of 02/04/2025

				% Cha	ange
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	3	1	0		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	4	1	0		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	1	0	0		





#### Individuals Killed by Gun Violence Oct Nov Dec Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug <del>-</del> 2024 5-Year Avg (2020-2024)

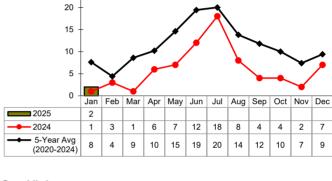
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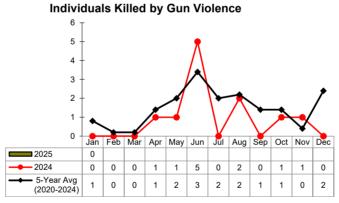
#### January 2024 vs. 2025

Data reported as of 02/04/2025

	•			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	7	1	2			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	8	1	2			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	1	0	0			





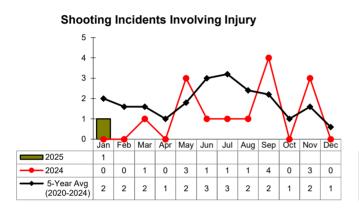


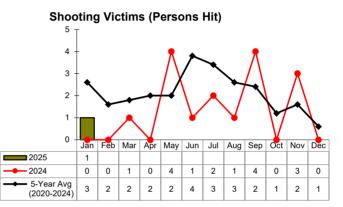
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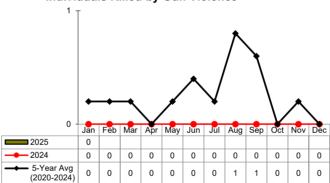
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				% Cha	ange
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	2	0	1		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	3	0	1		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	0		





#### Individuals Killed by Gun Violence

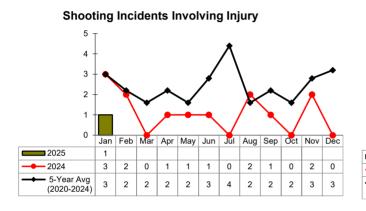


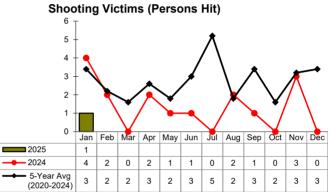
## **Utica City PD**

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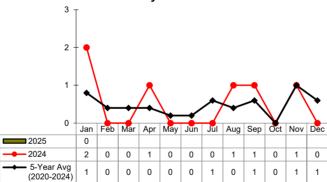
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	•			% Change		
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025	
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	3	3	1			
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	3	4	1			
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	1	2	0			





#### Individuals Killed by Gun Violence

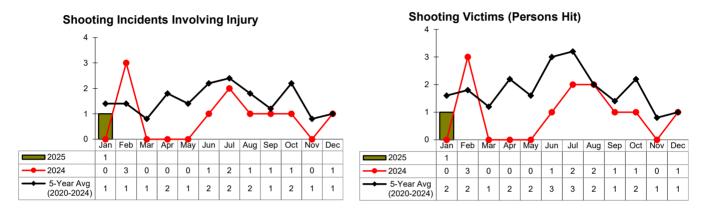


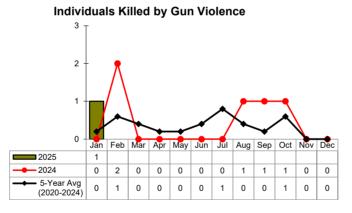
## **Yonkers City PD**

#### January 2024 vs. 2025

Data reported as of 02/04/2025

				% Cha	ange
	5-Year Average YTD (2020-2024)	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	24 vs. 25	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2025
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	1	0	1		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	2	0	1		
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	0	0	1		





### **Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) - Tier II Agencies**

January 2024 vs. 2025

	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	% Change 24 vs. 25
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	2	2	
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	2	2	
Individuals Killed by Gun Violence	1	1	

January 2024 vs. 2025

	Sh	Shooting Incidents Shoo			nooting Vi	ctims	Individuals Killed by Fire		by Firearm
GIVE Jurisdiction	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	Change From 2024	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	Change From 2024	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	Change From 2024
Binghamton City PD	1	2	+1	1	2	+1	0	1	+1
Jamestown City PD	1	0	-1	1	0	-1	1	0	-1
Greece Town PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elmira City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spring Valley Village PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amherst Town PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cheektowaga Town PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Middletown City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ithaca City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lackawanna Town PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Watertown City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Auburn City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kingston City PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GIVE Tier II Total	2	2	0	2	2	0	1	1	0

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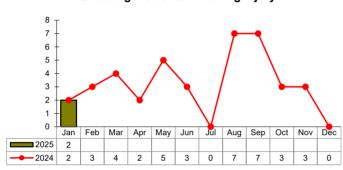
# Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Tier II Total

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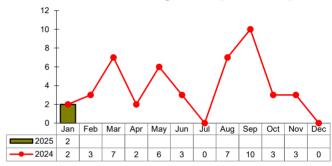
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		-	% Change
	2024 YTD	2025 YTD	2024 vs. 2025
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	2	2	
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	2	2	
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	1	1	

#### **Shooting Incidents Involving Injury**



#### **Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)**



#### Individuals Killed by Gun Violence

