



## **MONTHLY GIVE SHOOTING ACTIVITY REPORT**

### **Issue Date: November 13, 2024**

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 October 2024, the 28 police departments collectively reported 525 shooting incidents involving injury, down 26 percent when compared to January – October 2023 (705).**

**The number of individuals shot through October 2024 (654) decreased 22 percent when compared to January – October 2023 (837).**

**In the month of October 2024, there were 12 individuals killed by gun violence, compared to 11 in October 2023. Buffalo (4), Rochester (2), Albany (1), Cheektowaga (1), Mount Vernon (1), Schenectady (1), Syracuse (1), and Yonkers (1) accounted for the 12 shooting-related homicides.**

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

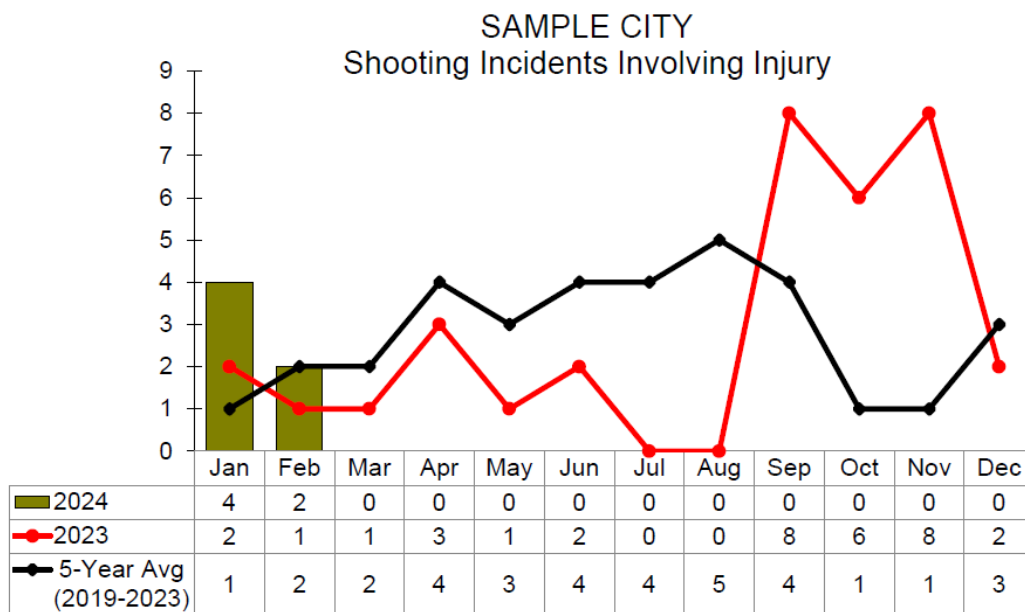
## Data Definitions

**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 - October 2023 vs. 2024

	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change 23 vs. 24
<b>Shooting Incidents Involving Injury</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>-26%</b>
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	837	654	-22%
Individuals Killed by Gun Violence	125	110	-12%

January - October 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	220	141	-79	258	176	-82	40	26	-14
Buffalo City PD	120	114	-6	142	142	0	22	26	+4
Syracuse City PD	77	56	-21	95	64	-31	10	10	0
Albany City PD	47	50	+3	58	61	+3	12	7	-5
Suffolk County PD	38	22	-16	41	28	-13	9	5	-4
Poughkeepsie City PD	14	14	0	15	18	+3	1	2	+1
Mount Vernon City PD	15	12	-3	18	15	-3	2	3	+1
Niagara Falls City PD	22	12	-10	26	18	-8	7	1	-6
Newburgh City PD	11	11	0	13	17	+4	1	2	+1
Troy City PD	23	11	-12	28	13	-15	2	0	-2
Utica City PD	24	11	-13	27	13	-14	3	5	+2
Schenectady City PD	16	10	-6	16	12	-4	2	2	0
Hempstead City PD	12	9	-3	18	10	-8	1	0	-1
Yonkers City PD	17	9	-8	18	10	-8	2	5	+3
Nassau County PD	11	8	-3	21	16	-5	3	5	+2
<b>GIVE Tier I Total</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>-177</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>-181</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>-18</b>
<b>GIVE Tier II Total*</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>+3</b>
<b>GIVE Total</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>-180</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>-183</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>-15</b>

\*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)

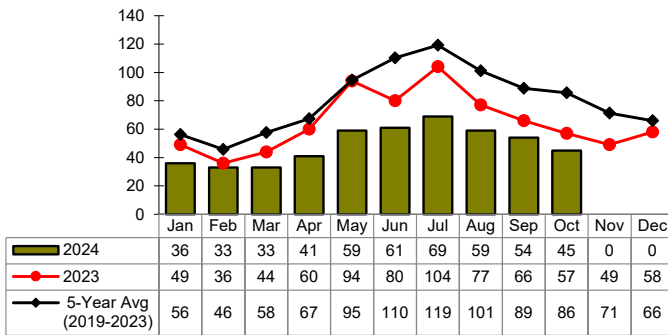
# Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Tier I Total

January - October 2023 vs. 2024

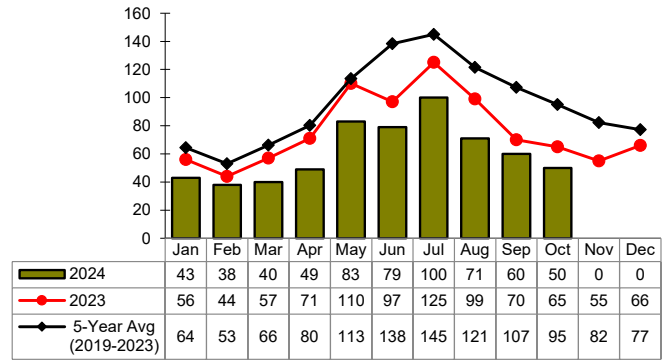
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
				23 vs. 24	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2024
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	827	667	490	-27%	-41%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	984	794	613	-23%	-38%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	148	117	99	-15%	-33%

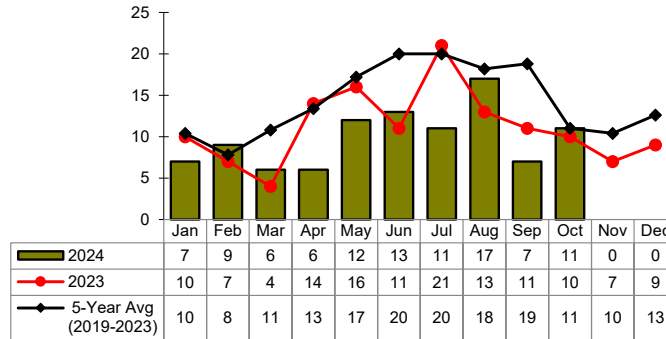
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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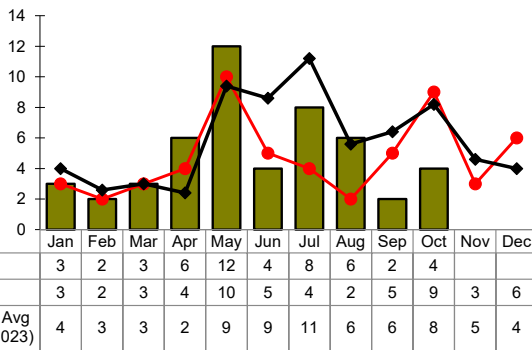
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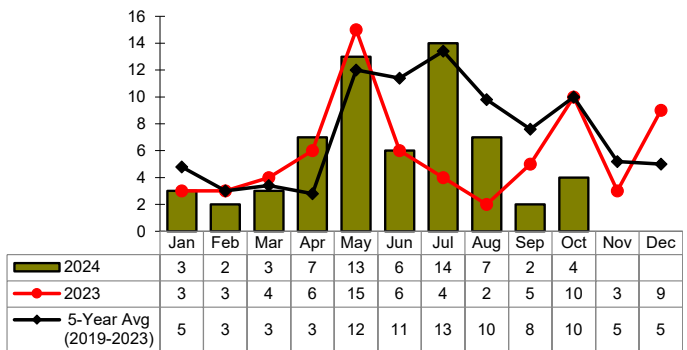
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	61	47	50	6%	-18%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	78	58	61	5%	-22%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	10	12	7		

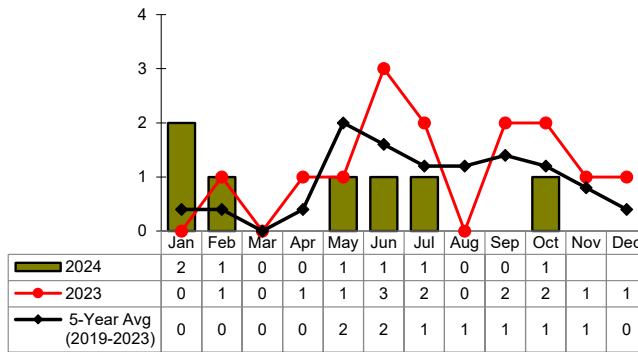
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



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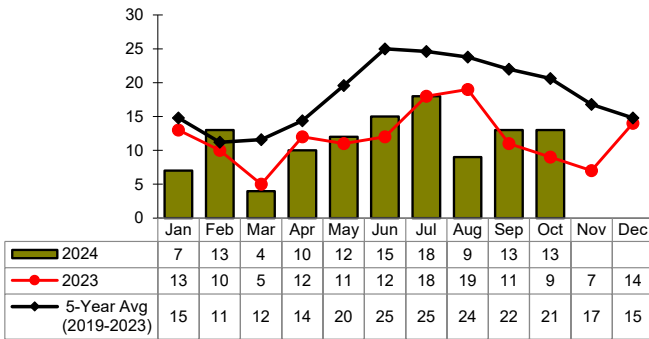
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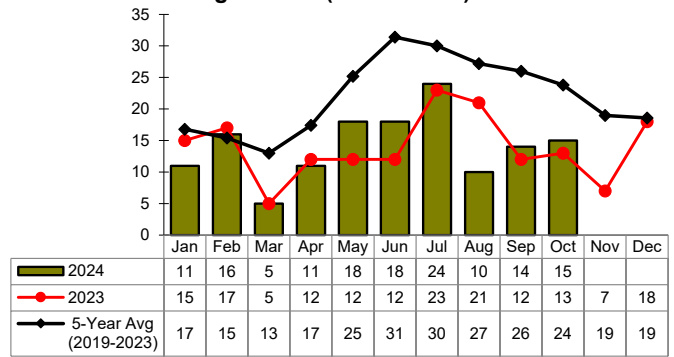
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	188	120	114	-5%	-39%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	226	142	142	0%	-37%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	39	22	26	18%	-33%

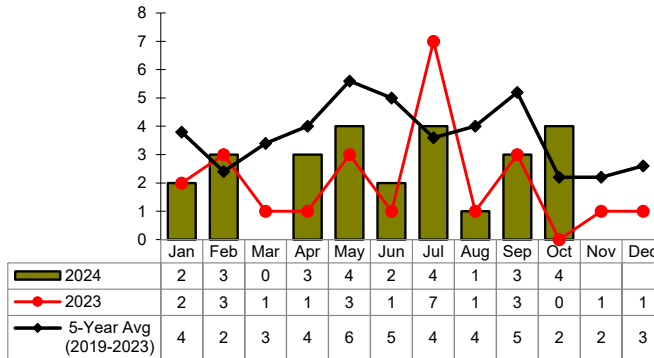
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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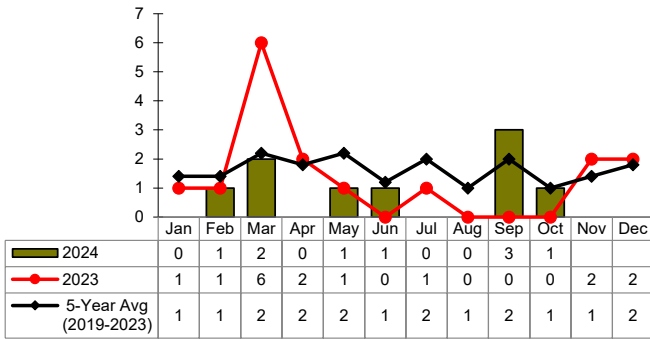
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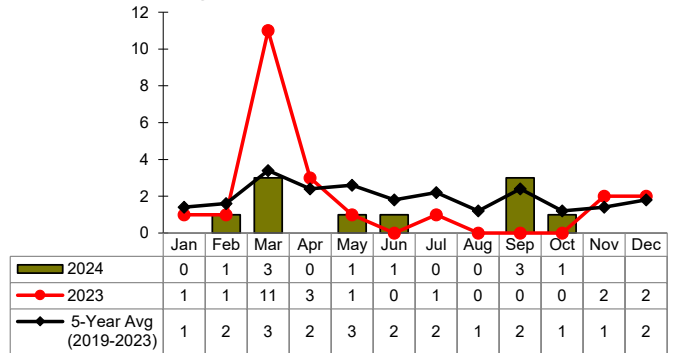
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	16	12	9		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	20	18	10	-44%	-50%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	1	0		

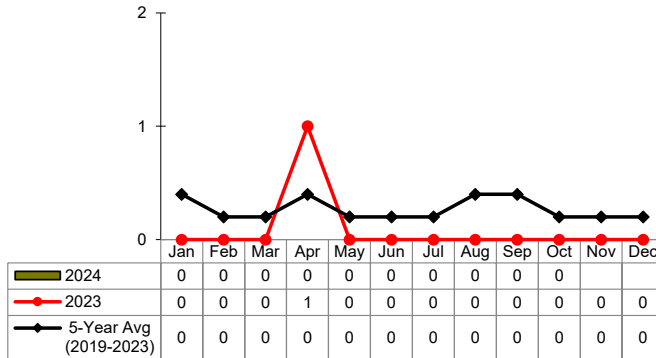
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



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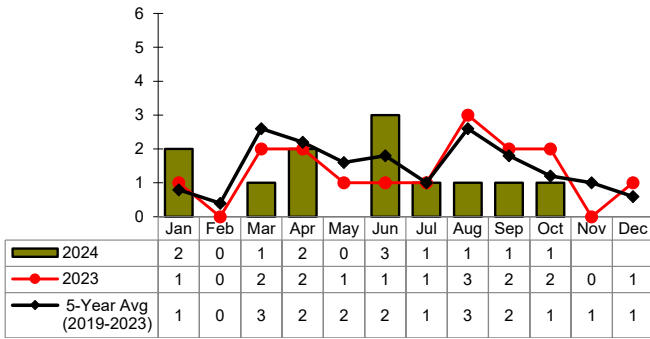
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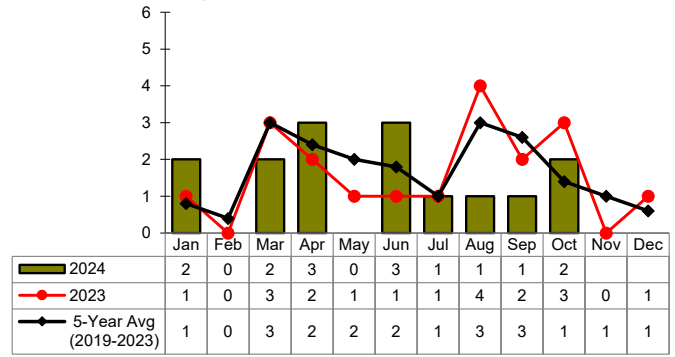
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	16	15	12	-20%	-25%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	18	18	15	-17%	-17%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	2	3		

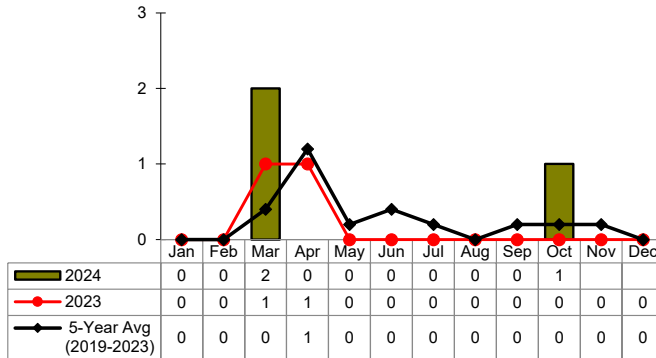
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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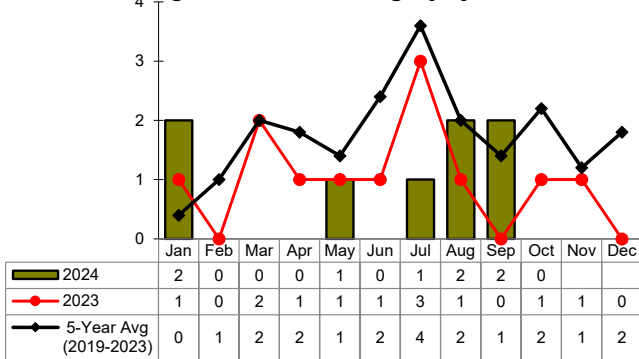
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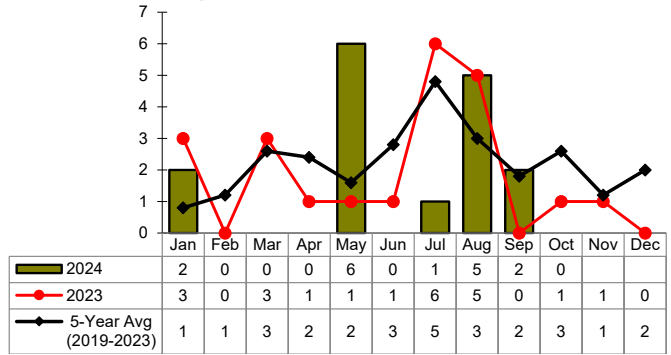
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	18	11	8		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	24	21	16	-24%	-33%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	4	3	5		

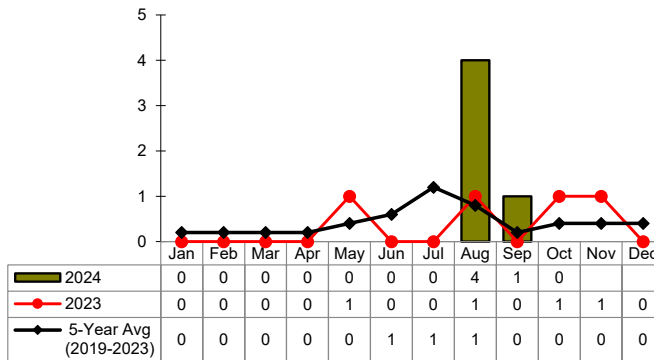
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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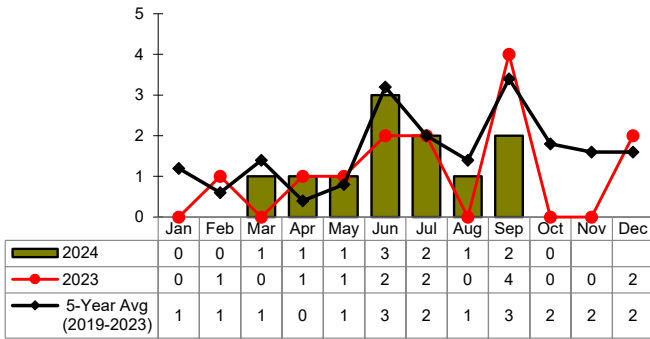
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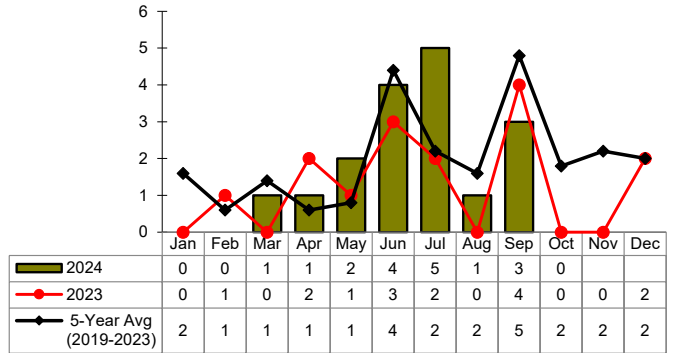
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	16	11	11	0%	-31%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	20	13	17	31%	-15%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	2	1	2		

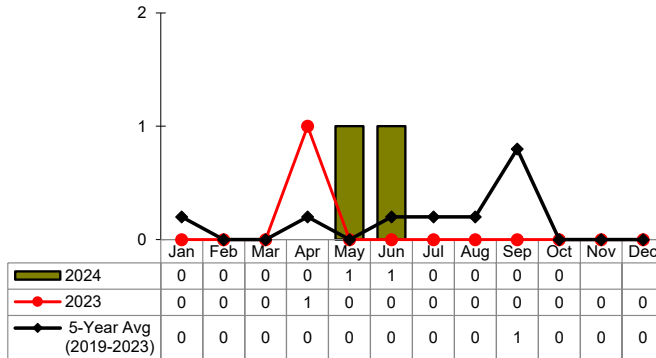
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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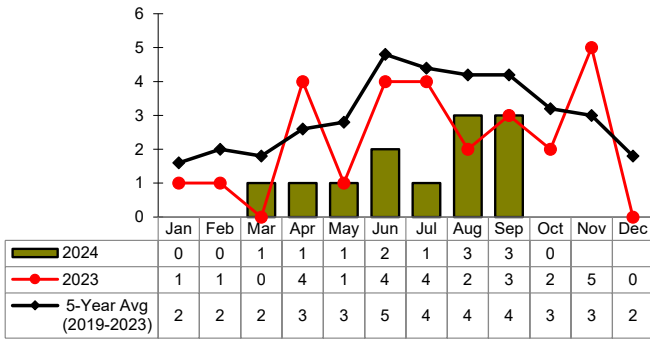
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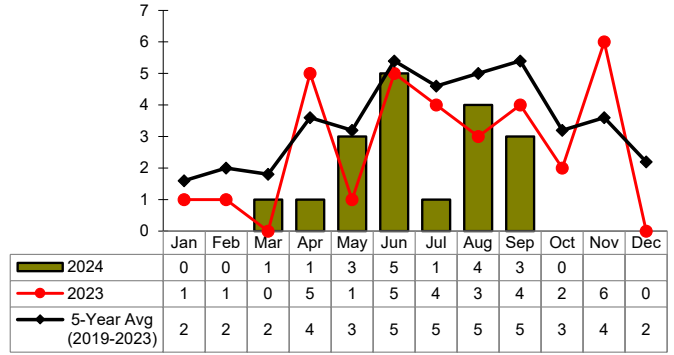
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	32	22	12	-45%	-63%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	36	26	18	-31%	-50%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	7	7	1		

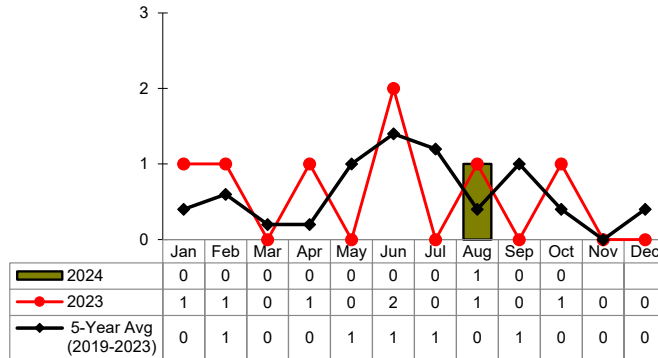
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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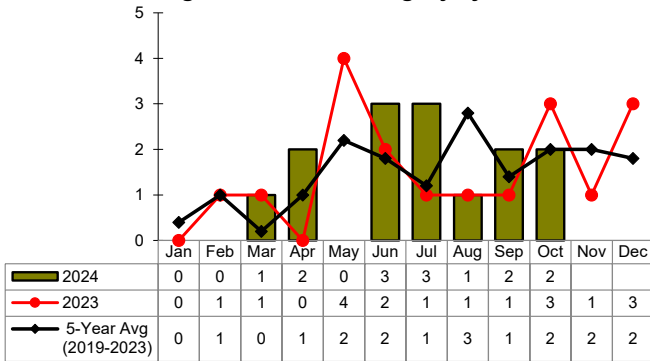
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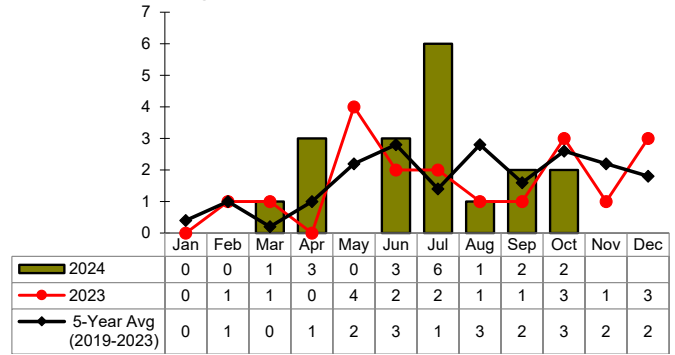
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	14	14	14	0%	0%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	16	15	18	20%	13%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	2	1	2		

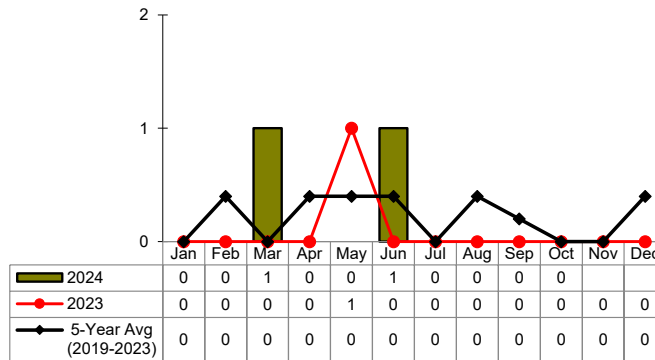
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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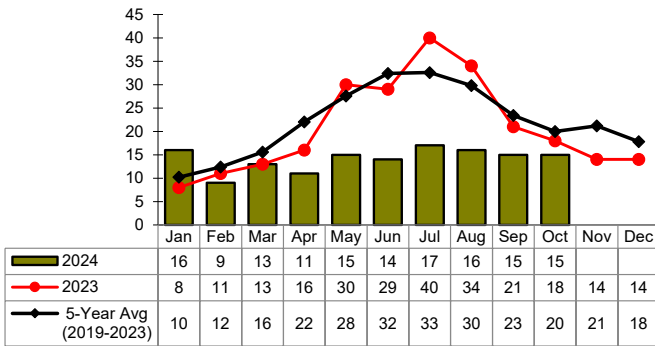
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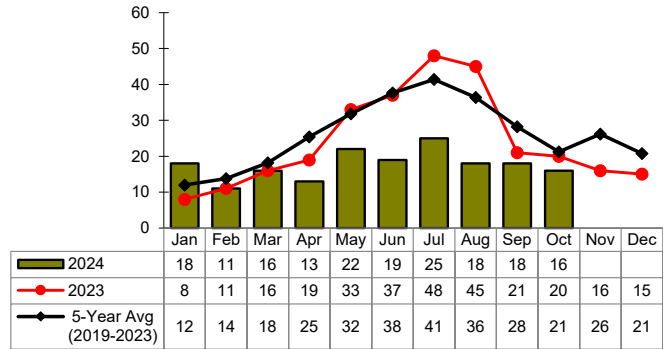
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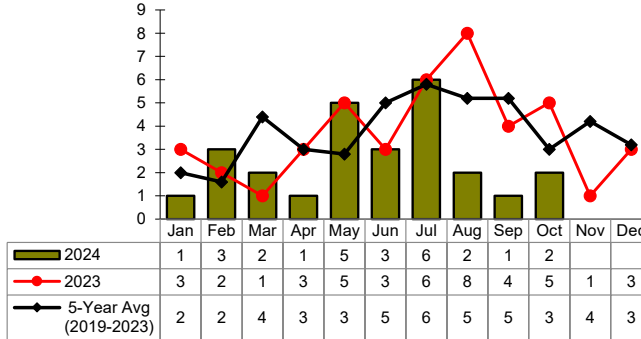
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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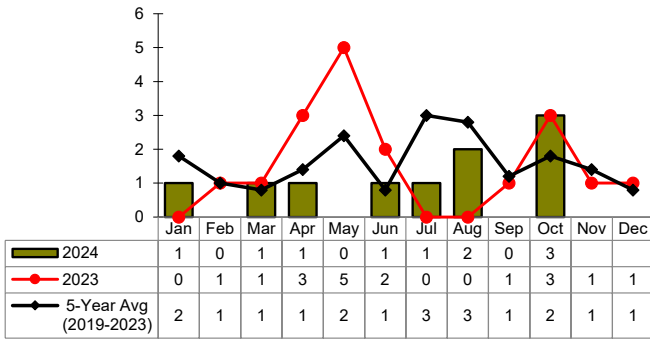
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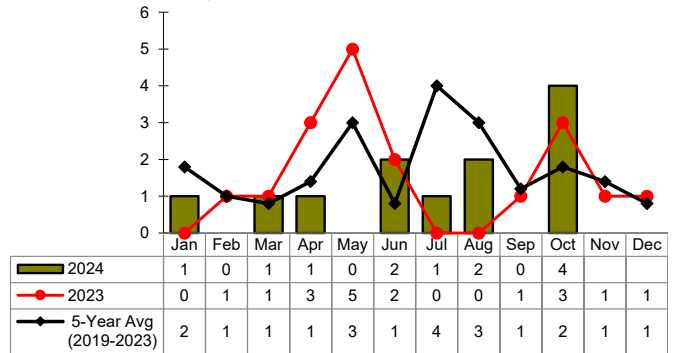
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Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	2	2	2		

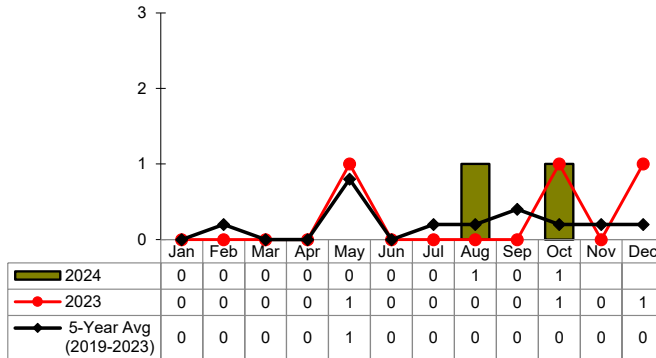
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Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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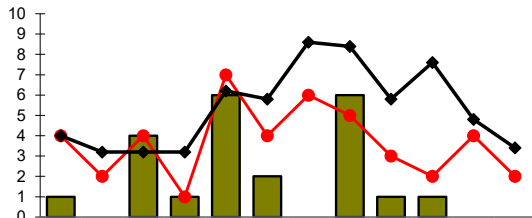
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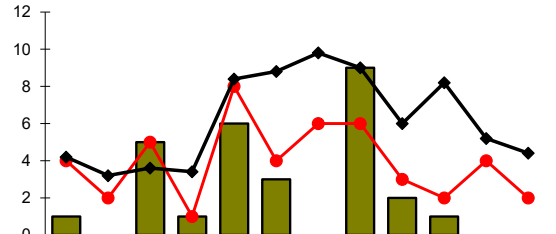
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	56	38	22	-42%	-61%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	65	41	28	-32%	-57%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	13	9	5		

Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



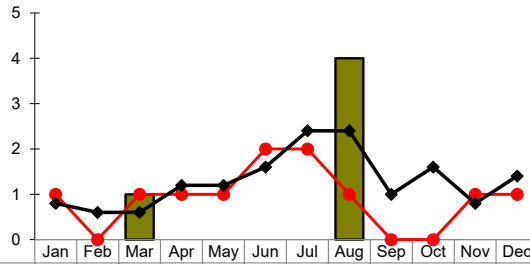
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2024	1	0	4	1	6	2	0	6	1	1		
2023	4	2	4	1	7	4	6	5	3	2	4	2
5-Year Avg (2019-2023)	4	3	3	3	6	6	9	8	6	8	5	3

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	1		
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	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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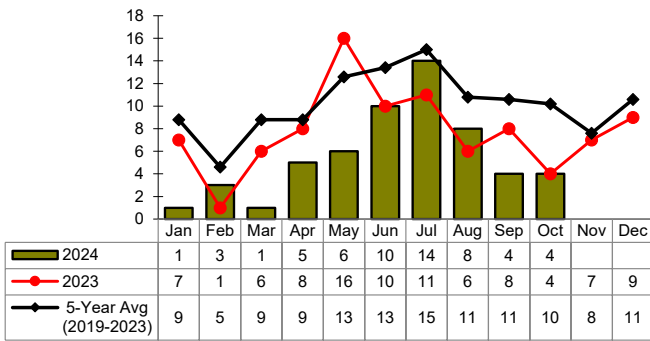
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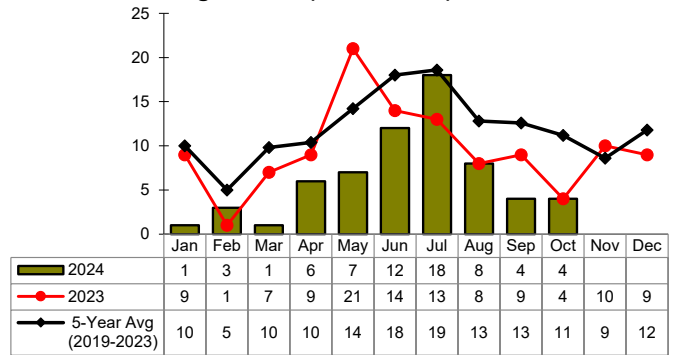
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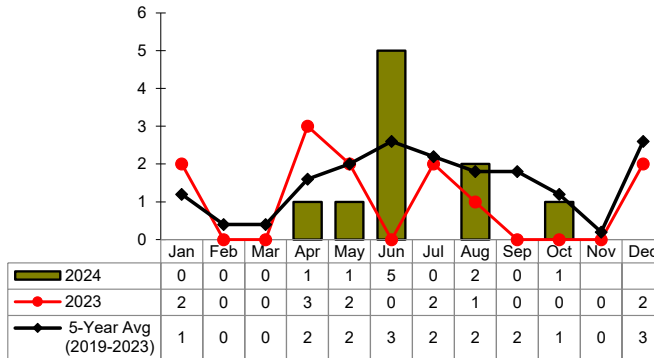
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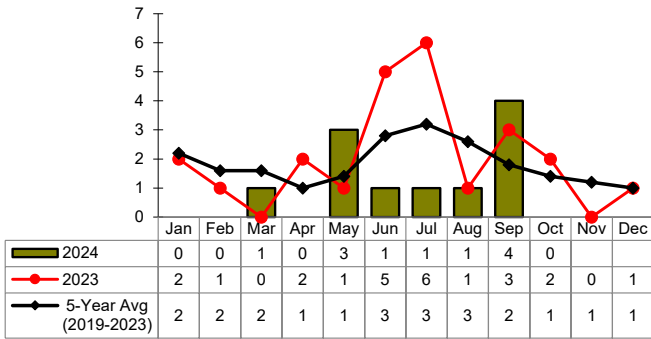
# Troy City PD

## January - October 2023 vs. 2024

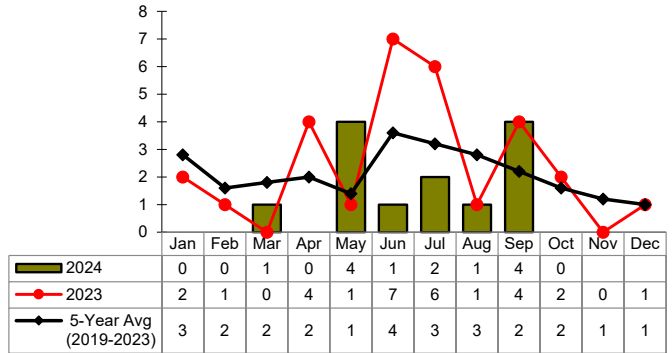
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
				23 vs. 24	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2024
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	20	23	11	-52%	-45%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	23	28	13	-54%	-43%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	2	0		

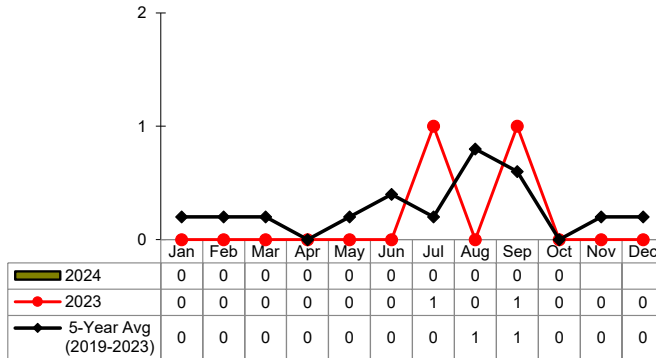
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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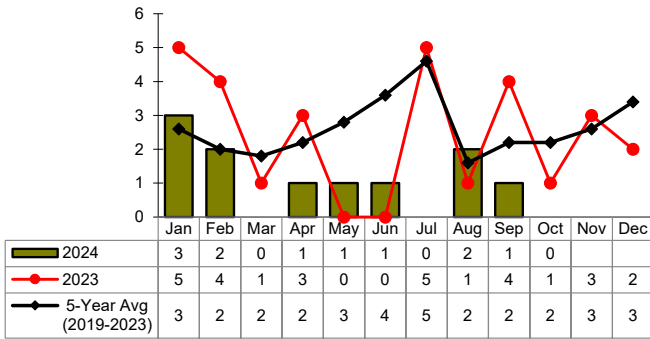
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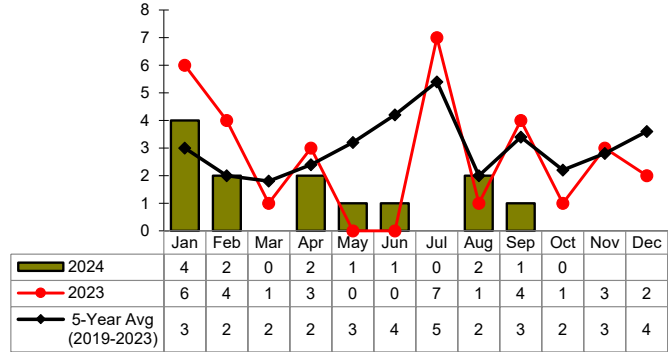
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
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Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	26	24	11	-54%	-58%
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	30	27	13	-52%	-57%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	3	5		

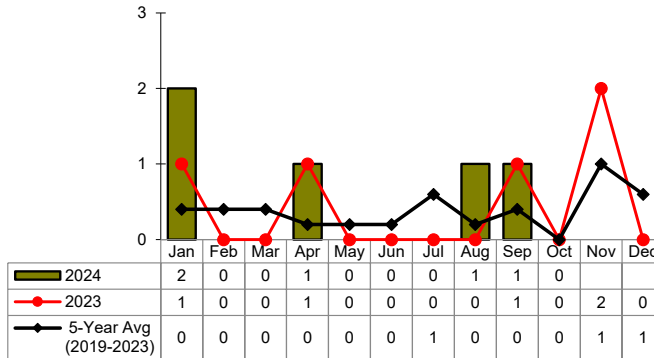
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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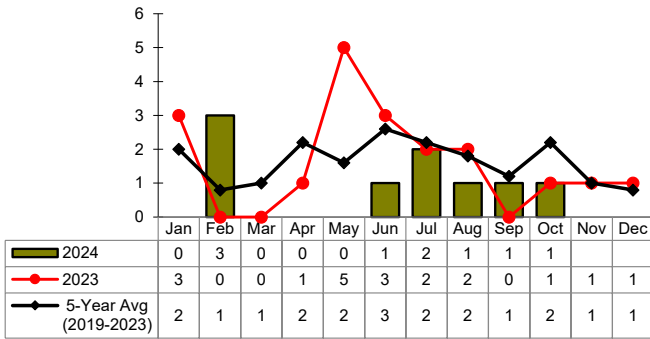
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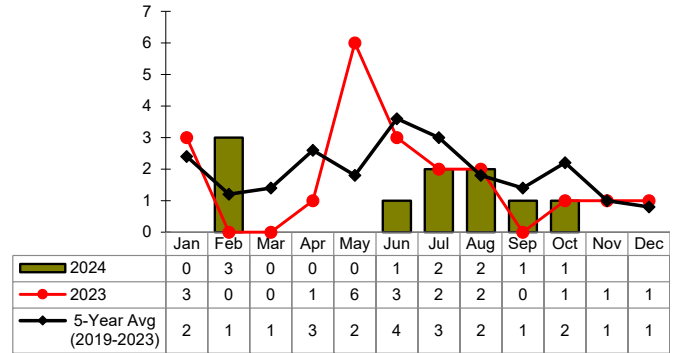
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	5-Year Average YTD (2019-2023)	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change	
				23 vs. 24	5-Yr. Avg vs. 2024
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury	18	17	9		
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	21	18	10	-44%	-52%
Individuals Killed By Gun Violence	3	2	5		

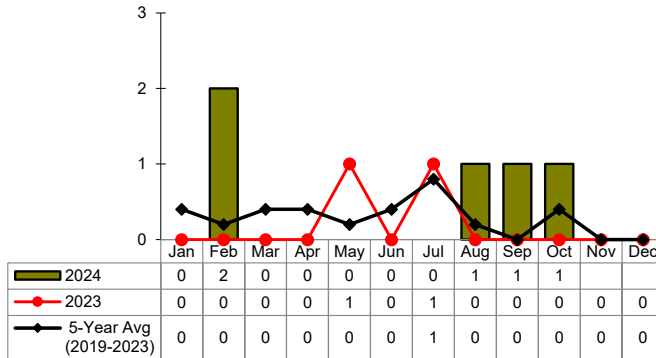
Shooting Incidents Involving Injury



Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)



Individuals Killed by Gun Violence



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

January - October 2023 vs. 2024

	2023 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change 23 vs. 24
<b>Shooting Incidents Involving Injury</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>-8%</b>
Shooting Victims (Persons Hit)	43	41	-5%
Individuals Killed by Gun Violence	8	11	

January - October 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	9	-2	13	10	-3	1	3	+2
Jamestown City PD	4	8	+4	4	10	+6	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
Spring Valley Village PD	2	3	+1	3	3	0	0	0	0
Cheektowaga Town PD	3	2	-1	3	2	-1	1	2	+1
Middletown City PD	1	2	+1	1	3	+2	0	0	0
Amherst Town PD	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Ithaca City PD	5	1	-4	6	1	-5	1	0	-1
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
<b>GIVE Tier II Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>+3</b>

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

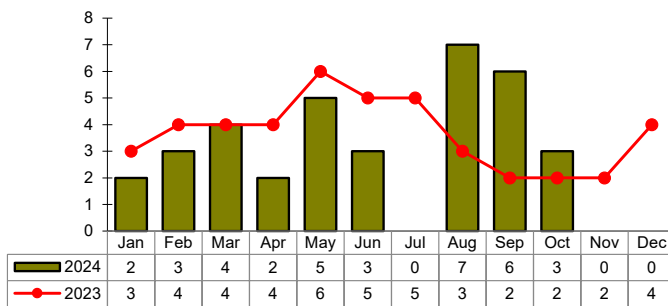
# Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Tier II Total

January - October 2023 vs. 2024

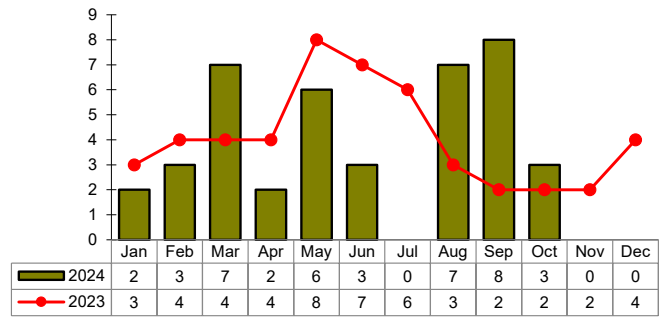
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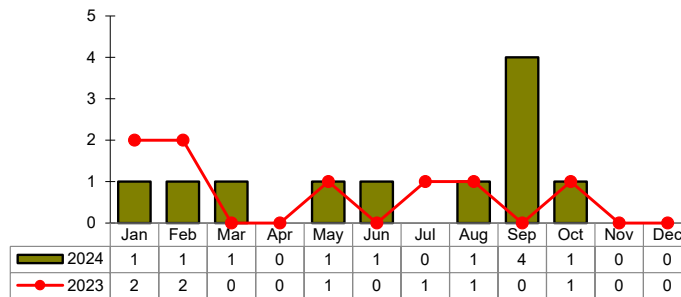
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