
PORTAGE COUNTY COMMON PLEAS COURT

PROBATE/JUVENILE DIVISION

2020 ANNUAL REPORT

**THE HONORABLE PATRICIA J. SMITH
COMMON PLEAS COURT JUDGE
PROBATE/JUVENILE DIVISION**

TO: VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS/AGENCIES

FROM: PATRICIA J. SMITH, JUDGE
COMMON PLEAS COURT
PROBATE/JUVENILE DIVISION

DATE: March 23, 2020

SUBJECT: 2020 ANNUAL REPORT

Following please find a copy of the Portage County Court of Common Pleas, Probate/Juvenile Division's 2020 Annual Report.

Should you have any questions regarding this Report, please feel free to contact me.

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In compliance with Section 2151.18 of the Ohio Revised Code, we hereby submit our Annual Report for the Portage County Court of Common Pleas, Probate/Juvenile Division for the year 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert W. Berger,
Common Please Court Judge
Probate/Juvenile Division
Portage County, Ohio
End of Term: 2/9/2021

Patricia J. Smith,
Common Please Court Judge
Probate/Juvenile Division
Portage County, Ohio
Date of Office: 2/9/2021

330-297-0881 Juvenile Court
330-297-3870 Probate Court

**2020 PORTAGE COUNTY PROBATE COURT
STATISTICS**

PORTAGE COUNTY PROBATE COURT
ROBERT W. BERGER, JUDGE (1-1-2020 THRU 12-31-2020)

2020 ANNUAL REPORT

ESTATES:

<u>Full</u>	Pending end of 2019	684
<u>Administration</u>	Opened during 2020	377
	Closed during 2020	385
	Pending end of 2020	676
<u>Ancillary</u>	Pending end of 2019	6
<u>Estate</u>	Opened during 2020	3
	Closed during 2020	7
	Pending end of 2020	2
<u>Exemplified</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
<u>Estates</u>	Opened during 2020	3
	Closed during 2020	3
	Pending end of 2020	0
<u>Probate Will</u>	Pending end of 2019	9
<u>And/Or Tax Only</u>	Opened during 2020	8
	Closed during 2020	14
	Pending end of 2020	3
<u>Release from</u>	Pending end of 2019	50
<u>Administration</u>	Opened during 2020	80
	Closed during 2020	92
	Pending end of 2020	38
<u>Summary Release</u>	Pending end of 2019	15
	Opened during 2020	51
	Closed during 2020	58
	Pending end of 2020	8

GUARDIANSHIPS:

<u>Incompetent</u>	Pending end of 2019	389
<u>Person Only</u>	Opened during 2020	29
	Closed during 2020	23
	Pending end of 2020	395

<u>Incompetent</u>	Pending end of 2019	5
<u>Estate Only</u>	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	5
<u>Incompetent</u>	Pending end of 2019	123
<u>Full (Person and Estate)</u>	Opened during 2020	14
	Closed during 2020	13
	Pending end of 2020	124
<u>Minor</u>	Pending end of 2019	3
<u>Person Only</u>	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	3
<u>Minor</u>	Pending end of 2019	46
<u>Estate Only</u>	Opened during 2020	2
	Closed during 2020	13
	Pending end of 2020	35
<u>Minor</u>	Pending end of 2019	3
<u>Full (Person and Estate)</u>	Opened during 2020	1
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	4
<u>Conservatorships</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	0
<u>Civil Protective Services</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	0

TRUSTS:

<u>Testamentary</u>	Pending end of 2019	47
<u>Trusts</u>	Opened during 2020	5
	Closed during 2020	4
	Pending end of 2020	48

<u>Intervivos</u>	Pending end of 2019	2
<u>Trust</u>	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	2

<u>Wrongful Death</u>	Pending end of 2019	15
<u>Trust</u>	Opened during 2020	3
	Closed during 2020	1
	Pending end of 2020	17

CIVIL ACTIONS:

<u>Concealment</u>	Pending end of 2019	4
<u>Of Assets</u>	Opened during 2020	3
	Closed during 2020	4
	Pending end of 2020	3

<u>Guardian's Complaint</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
<u>To Sell Real Estate</u>	Opened during 2020	1
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	1

<u>Petition for</u>	Pending end of 2019	4
<u>Declaratory Judgment</u>	Opened during 2020	5
	Closed during 2020	3
	Pending end of 2020	6

<u>Will Contest:</u>	Pending end of 2019	1
	Opened during 2020	3
	Closed during 2020	1
	Pending end of 2020	3

<u>Petition to</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
<u>Determine Heirship</u>	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	0

<u>Petition for Sale</u>	Pending end of 2019	6
<u>Of Real Estate</u>	Opened during 2020	1
	Closed during 2020	5
	Pending end of 2020	2

<u>Will</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
<u>Construction</u>	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	0
<u>Other Contested</u>	Pending end of 2019	4
<u>Civil Actions</u>	Opened during 2020	10
	Closed during 2020	3
	Pending end 2020	11
<u>ADOPTIONS:</u>		
<u>Agency</u>	Pending end of 2019	2
	Opened during 2020	13
	Closed during 2020	14
	Pending end of 2020	1
<u>Private/Foreign</u>	Pending end of 2019	1
	Opened during 2020	6
	Closed during 2020	1
	Pending end of 2020	6
<u>Step Parent</u>	Pending end of 2019	5
	Opened during 2020	12
	Closed during 2020	14
	Pending end of 2020	3
<u>Foreign (Refinalization)</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	0
<u>Adult</u>	Pending end of 2019	1
	Opened during 2020	6
	Closed during 2020	5
	Pending end of 2020	2
<u>Foreign Birth</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
<u>Certificate Only</u>	Opened during 2020	1
	Closed during 2020	1
	Pending end of 2020	0

<u>Release of Identifying Information</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	0

MENTALS:

<u>Mental Illness</u>	Pending end of 2019	2
	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	1
	Pending end of 2020	1

<u>Mental Retardation</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
	Opened during 2020	0
	Closed during 2020	0
	Pending end of 2020	0

MINOR SETTLEMENTS:

<u>Minor Settlement</u>	Pending end of 2019	10
	Opened during 2020	9
	Closed during 2020	13
	Pending end of 2020	6

<u>Minor Estate</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
	Opened during 2020	3
	Closed during 2020	1
	Pending end of 2020	2

WRONGFUL DEATH:

<u>Wrongful Death</u>	Pending end of 2019	79
	Opened during 2020	11
	Closed during 2020	14
	Pending end of 2020	76

NAME CHANGES:

<u>Adult</u>	Pending end of 2019	17
	Opened during 2020	78
	Closed during 2020	82
	Pending end of 2020	13

<u>Minor</u>	Pending end of 2019	6
	Opened during 2020	23
	Closed during 2020	26
	Pending end of 2020	3

CORRECTION/REGISTRATION OF BIRTH:

<u>Correction of</u>	Pending end of 2019	1
<u>Birth Record</u>	Opened during 2020	3
	Closed during 2020	4
	Pending end of 2020	0
<u>Registration of</u>	Pending end of 2019	0
<u>Birth Record</u>	Opened during 2020	1
	Closed during 2020	1
	Pending end of 2020	0

MARRIAGE LICENSE:

<u>Marriage License Issued in 2020</u>	681
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This report was prepared and submitted by: Cathy Strobe
February 19, 2021

2020 PORTAGE COUNTY PROBATE COURT
FISCAL ACCOUNTING

- \$ 60,736.63

2020 PROBATE ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING

AVAILABLE ARE THIS COURT'S MONTHLY
ACCOUNT REPORTS AND THIS COURT'S BANK
ACTUAL LISTING REPORTS VERIFYING DEPOSITS
AND DISBURSEMENTS

12/31/20 BANK BALANCE AS IS VERIFIED ON THIS COURT'S BANK STATEMENT	-	\$66,863.27
LESS OUTSTANDING 2020 CHECKS (INCLUDES END OF MONTH DECEMBER 2020 CHECKS)	-	6,126.64
BALANCE	-	<u>\$60,736.63</u>

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2020 DISBURSEMENTS

\$187,176.83

CLERK FEES	-	\$ 96,310.43
GUARDIANSHIP INVESTIGATION	-	2,400.00
ADOPTION INVESTIGATION	-	1,800.00
ADOPTION BIRTH CERTIFICATE	-	666.50
INDIGENT GUARDIANSHIP	-	16,620.00
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	-	11,577.00
LEGAL AID	-	14,118.00
COMPUTER RESEARCH	-	4,230.00
COMPUTERIZATION FEE	-	14,060.00
PUTATIVE FATHER REG. FUND	-	780.00
IT FUND	-	11,900.00
CONDUCT OF BUSINESS	-	681.00
PORTAGE COUNTY LEGAL NEWS	-	11,951.00
UNCLAIMED FUNDS	-	82.90

TOTAL 2020 DISBURSEMENTS	-	<u>\$187,176.83</u>
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2020 PROBATE ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS MADE TO
PORTAGE COUNTY - **\$159,661.33**

(REFLECTS CLERK FEES, INVESTIGATION
FEES, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FEES,
COMPUTER RESEARCH FEES, CONDUCT OF
BUSINESS FEES, INDIGENT GUARDIANSHIP
FEES, IT FUND AND UNCLAIMED FUNDS
COMPUTERIZATION FEES)

(COMPUTER RESEARCH, COMPUTERIZATION
FEES, CONDUCT OF BUSINESS, INDIGENT
GUARDIANSHIP FEES AND IT FEES ARE TO BE
MAINTAINED IN SEPARATE FUNDS FOR THIS
COURT'S USE ONLY)

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS MADE TO
THE STATE OF OHIO - **\$ 15,564.50**

(REFLECTS FEES FOR ADOPTION
BIRTH CERTIFICATES, LEGAL AID,
AND PUTATIVE FATHER REG. FEES)

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS MADE TO THE
PORTAGE COUNTY LEGAL NEWS - **\$ 11,951.00**

(REFLECTS PUBLISHING COSTS AND
NEW CASE FILINGS)

TOTAL 2020 DISBURSEMENTS: **\$187,176.83**

January 28, 2021

**2020 PORTAGE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
STATISTICS**

<u>CASE TYPE</u>	<u>DELINQUENCY</u>		<u>UNRULY</u>		<u>TRAFFIC</u>	
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
NEW CASES FILED	202	268	14	47	367	553
TRANSFERRED IN/ REACTIVATED CASES	<u>87</u>	<u>115</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>225</u>	<u>260</u>
TOTAL	289	383	20	59	592	813

	<u>DEP./ABUSED & NEGLECTED</u>		<u>PERMANENT CUSTODY</u>	
NEW CASES FILED	216	323	21	12
TRANSFERRED IN/ REACTIVATED CASES	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	216	323	21	12

	<u>CUSTODY & VISITATION</u>		<u>PARENTAGE</u>		<u>SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT</u>	
NEW CASES FILED	142	105	10	9	66	95
TRANSFERRED IN/ REACTIVATED CASES	<u>164</u>	<u>190</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>161</u>
TOTAL	306	295	12	13	165	256

	<u>ADULT</u>		<u>OTHER</u>	
NEW CASES FILED	5	29	53	41
TRANSFERRED IN/ REACTIVATED CASES	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	8	33	53	41

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
TOTAL NEW CASES	1096	1482
TOTAL TRANS./REACT.	<u>586</u>	<u>746</u>
TOTAL	1682	2228

DELINQUENT CHARGES

<u>OFFENSES</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>OFFENSES</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
AGGRAVATED MURDER	0	0	AGG. ROBBERY OFFENDER ARMED	1	8
FELONIOUS ASSAULT DEADLY WEAPON USED	0	1	COMPLICITY TO ROBBERY	2	1
COMPLICITY TO ASSAULT	0	0	ROBBERY	1	7
ASSAULT	31	33	AGG. BURGLARY	1	1
ATTEMPTED ASSAULT	0	0	COMPLICITY TO AGG BURGLARY	0	1
FELONIOUS ASSAULT	7	2	BURGLARY	4	8
AGGRAVATED MENACING	15	10	COMPLICITY TO BURGLARY	0	2
MENACING	3	7	BREAKING & ENTERING	2	7
KIDNAPPING	1	7	AGG. TRESPASSING	1	1
ILLEGAL USE OF A MINOR IN NUDITY ORIENTED MAT.	12	0	CRIMINAL TRESPASS	13	14
			SAFE cracking	0	0
SEXUAL BATTERY	1	1	THEFT	17	44
ATTEMPTED GSI	1	0	COMPLICITY TO THEFT	1	0
GSI	1	1	COUNTERFEITING	0	1
SEXUAL IMPOSITION	1	3	UNAUTH USE OF PROPERTY	0	1
VOYEURISM	1	0	UNAUTH USE OF M/V	4	2
PANDERING OBSCENITY	5	0	MISUSE OF CREDIT CARD	0	0
PANDERING SEX. ORIENTED MATTER INVOLV. A MINOR	13	0	FORGERY	0	0
ATTEMPTED ARSON	1	0	RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY	7	17
ARSON	0	0	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	19	25
DISRUPTING PUB. SERVICE	1	0	AGGRAVATED RIOT	1	0
VANDALISM	11	2			
COMPLICITY TO CRIM DAM	0	2			
CRIMINAL DAMAG/ENDANG.	10	12			
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	1	5			

<u>OFFENSES</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>OFFENSES</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
TELECOMM. HARASSMENT	1	5	POSS. OF CRIMINAL TOOLS	0	0
INDUCING PANIC	2	2	TRAFFICKING IN DRUGS	0	1
MAKING FALSE ALARMS	0	1	TRAFFICKING IN MARIJUANA	0	1
TAMPERING WITH EVIDENCE	1	1	ILLEGAL ASSEMBLY/POSS OF CHEM. FOR MANUF OF DRUG	0	0
CONTRIBUTING TO UNRULY OR DELINQ. (JUV)	9	1	POSS. OF MARIJUANA	2	19
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	51	51	DRUG ABUSE	0	0
VIOL. OF PROTECT. ORDER	0	1	POSSESSION OF DRUGS	9	10
FALSIFICATION	2	1	POSSESSING DRUG ABUSE INSTRUMENTS	0	0
OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE	3	1	POSS. OF DRUG PARA.	4	17
OBST. OFFICIAL BUSINESS	11	10	PROHIBITIONS	16	11
FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ORDER/SIGNAL	2	2	UNRULY OFFENSES FILED W/DELINQUENT OFFENSE	20	16
HARASSMENT BY INMATE	3	0			
RESISTING ARREST	6	9			
ESCAPE	1	1			
USING WEAPONS WHILE INTOXICATED	2	0			
CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPON	2	0			
IMPROPER HANDLING OF A FIREARM IN A M/V	1	2			
FAILURE TO DISCLOSE ONE'S PERSONAL INFORMATION	1	0			
			TOTAL CHARGES	339	398
			TOTAL CASES	289	383

NOTICE OF ALLEGED PROBATION/DISPOSITION VIOLATIONS

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
EXTEND THE CHILD'S PROBATION	0	0
IMPOSE THE CHILD'S PREV. SUSPENDED PERIOD OF DETENTION	2	0
REVIEW AND/OR MODIFY THE COURT'S PREV. DISP. ORDER	0	2
REVOKE THE COURT'S PREV. ORDER OF HOUSE ARREST & DETAIN	0	2
REVOKE THE CHILD'S PROBATION	48	58
PAROLE VIOLATIONS	0	0
DISPOSITION VIOLATIONS	<u>12</u>	<u>19</u>
TOTAL	62	81

ADULT CHARGES FILED

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
CONTRIBUTING TO THE UNRULINESS/DELINQUENCY OF A MINOR	2	9
FAILING TO SEND CHILD TO SCHOOL	<u>6</u>	<u>20</u>
TOTAL	8	29

UNRULY CHARGES

<u>OFFENSE</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
CURFEW	0	6
RUNAWAY	0	0
TOBACCO VIOL.	0	0
TRUANCY	7	17
UNRULY	<u>13</u>	<u>24</u>
TOTAL	20	47

WARRANTS

	<u>ISSUED</u>	<u>SERVED</u>
ADULT	4	3
CIVIL	55	36
DELINQ./UNRULY	55	45
TRAFFIC	<u>12</u>	<u>6</u>
TOTAL	126	90

TRAFFIC CHARGES

<u>OFFENSE</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>OFFENSE</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
TAG/STICKER VIOLATION	2	4	DRIVING USING ELECTRONIC WIRELESS COMMUNICATION	1	1
HANDICAP PARKING PROHIBITED	1	0	ASSURED CLEAR DISTANCE	47	69
LICENSE REQ. ON PERSON	1	0	APPROACHING STATIONARY PUBLIC SAFETY VEHICLE	3	2
OWNER REQ. TO FILE APPLIC.	1	1	SPEED	41	89
OPERATORS PERMIT W/O A LICENSED DRIVER	1	0	SPEED FOR CONDITIONS	9	5
DRIV. UNDER SUSP/FRA	1	2	SPEED ZONE REDUCED	61	90
DRIV. UNDER SUSPENSION	2	8	SPEED ZONE 55 MPH	37	45
NO OPERATORS LICENSE	25	22	SPEED ZONE 65 MPH	9	12
ALL OCCUPANTS SECURE	1	0	SPEED ZONE 70 MPH/EXCESS OF 70 MPH	28	34
PROB.LICENSE/EXCESSIVE PASSENGERS	3	5	LANES OF TRAVEL	3	3
DISOBEYING TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE/SIGNS	4	7	DRIVING IN MARKED LANES	10	8
SIGNAL LIGHTS	7	9	FOLLOWING TO CLOSE	1	5
OVI-BREATH .02-.08	0	1	STARTING & BACKING	2	3
UNDERAGE OVI	0	1	TURN & STOP SIGNS	3	4
D.U.I.	1	5	FTY @ INTERSECTIONS	3	5
O.V.U.A.C.	0	0	TURNS AT INTERSECTIONS	2	1
RECKLESS OPERATION	5	11	FTY TURNING LEFT	10	14
RECKLESS OPERATION PRIVATE PROPERTY	1	4	HAZARDOUS PASSING ZONES	1	1
FAILURE TO CONTROL	32	46			

TRAFFIC CHARGES

<u>OFFENSE</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>			
FTY @ STOP & YIELD SIGNS	22	31			
FTY FROM PRIVATE DRIVE	7	13			
RIDING BICYCLES, MOTORCYCLES	1	0			
BICYCLE SIGNAL DEVICES	1	0			
SCHOOL BUS VIOLATION	1	4			
DISTRACTED DRIVING	6	7			
UNSAFE VEHICLE	2	2			
LIGHTED LIGHTS REQUIRED	1	3			
PARKING PROHIBITIONS	1	0			
TAIL & LICENSE LIGHTS	0	2			
NO BRAKE LIGHTS	0	0			
TINTED WINDOWS	2	0			
FOCUS & AIM OF HEADLIGHTS	0	0			
WINDSHIELD & WIPERS	0	0			
FAILURE TO DIM LIGHTS	0	0			
MUFFLERS & EXHAUST	0	1			
SEATBELT	17	35			
HIT, SKIP LEAVING THE SCENE	1	3			
HIT SKIP ON PRIVATE PROPERTY	1	0			
				<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
			PORTAGE COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT FILINGS		
			AURORA	31	42
			BRIMFIELD	12	23
			GARRETTSVILLE	4	8
			HIRAM	3	4
			KENT	49	76
			KENT STATE UNIVERSITY	0	1
			MOGADORE	6	2
			MANTUA	0	8
			NORTHEAST OHIO MED UNV	0	0
			ODNR	0	0
			OSP POST 67	217	299
			OSP 91	10	23
			PCSO	9	26
			RAVENNA	13	16
			STREETSBORO	30	64
			WINDHAM	9	0
			TOTAL PORTAGE COUNTY	393	592
			FILINGS TRANSFERRED FROM OTHER COUNTIES	29	31
				<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
			TOTAL TRAFFIC CHARGES	422	623
			TOTAL TRAFFIC CASES	592	813

DEPENDENT, NEGLECTED & ABUSED CHARGES

<u>DEPENDENCY</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES - EMERGENT	124	186
DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES - NON-EMERGENT	92	137
PRIVATE ATTORNEY FILING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	216	323

NEGLECT

DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES - EMERGENT	114	166
DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES - NON -EMERGENT	90	136
PRIVATE ATTORNEY FILING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	204	302

ABUSED

DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES - EMERGENT	112	153
DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES - NON- EMERGENT	91	131
PRIVATE ATTORNEY FILING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	203	284

<u>MOTION FOR PERMANENT CUSTODY/SURRENDER</u>	21	12
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ALL OTHER CASES

ABORTION COMPLAINT	0	0
POWER OF ATTORNEY	34	35
NOTICE OF ADOPTION AGREEMENT	9	4
PETITION FOR CIVIL PROTECTION ORDER	0	0
CARETAKER AUTHORIZATION FORM	<u>10</u>	<u>2</u>
TOTAL	53	41

PATERNITY

PATERNITY COMPLAINT - PRIVATE COUNSEL FILINGS	6	3
PATERNITY COMPLAINT - CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FILINGS	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>
TOTAL	10	9

CUSTODY AND VISITATION

<u>NEW CASES FILED</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
MOTION FOR SHARED PARENTING	1	2
COMPLAINT FOR CUSTODY	116	87
COMPLAINT FOR CUSTODY AND CHILD SUPPORT	5	1
COMPLAINT TO ESTABLISH VISITATION	20	15
COMPLAINT FOR CHILD SUPPORT	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL	142	105

TRANSFERRED/REACTIVATED CASES & MOTIONS

COMPLAINT FOR CUSTODY (TRANSFER IN)	0	0
MOTION FOR CHANGE OF CUSTODY	33	62
MOTION FOR CONTEMPT	23	23
MOTION FOR CUSTODY	54	52
MOTION TO MODIFY VISITATION	16	13
MOTION TO MODIFY SHARED PARENTING	8	11
MOTION FOR SHARED PARENTING	1	4
MOTION FOR VISITATION	9	14
MOTION TO TERMINATE VISITATION	0	6
CMPLT FOR CUSTODY & SUPPORT	4	1
MOTION TO SUSPEND VISITATION	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
TOTAL	148	187

SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT OR MODIFICATION**NEW CASES FILED**

COMPLAINT FOR CHILD SUPPORT	3	1
COMPLAINT FOR CHILD SUPPORT/ADOPTION OF ADMIN. ORDERS	54	76
MOTION TO MODIFY CHILD SUPPORT	0	1
MOTION TO TERMINATE CHILD SUPPORT	0	2
REVIEW/OBJECTION TO ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER	<u>9</u>	<u>15</u>
TOTAL	66	95

TRANSFERRED/REACTIVATED CASES & MOTIONS

MOTION FOR CHILD SUPPORT	1	8
MOTION FOR CONTEMPT	0	9
MOTION TO DETERMINE ARREARAGES AND CONTEMPT	61	100
MOTION TO IMPOSE SUSPENDED SENTENCE/CONTEMPT	3	4
MOTION TO MODIFY CHILD SUPPORT	10	20
MOTION TO TERMINATE CHILD SUPPORT	3	8
NOTICE OF REVISED AMOUNT OF CHILD SUPPORT	0	0
REVIEW/OBJECTION TO ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER	4	5
MOTION TO ADOPT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDERS	<u>18</u>	<u>7</u>
TOTAL	100	161

DISPOSITION STATISTICS***DELINQUENCY CASES***

BINDOVER	1
COMMUNITY SERVICE	3
COSTS	4
DISMISSED	92
DYS	1
DYS SUSPENDED	10
NO DISPOSITION ORDERED	4
PROBATION	1
TRAINING/TREATMENT/EVAL.	63
TRAINING/TREATMENT/EVAL/SUSP	92
TRANSFER TO ANOTHER COUNTY	20
WARRANT	21
ELECTRONIC MONITORING	1
OTHER DISPOSITIONS	0
TOTAL	314

UNRULY CASES*

COMMUNITY SERVICE	3
COSTS	5
COSTS SUSPENDED	1
DISMISSED	10
PROBATION	2
WARRANT	4
TRANSFER TO ANOTHER COUNTY	0
TOTAL	25

TRAFFIC CASES*

ADMIT	130
ADMIT/AMENDED CHARGE	8
ADMIT - WAIVER CITATION	109
DISMISSED	200
STAYED	146
NO CONTEST	0
TRANSFER TO ANOTHER COUNTY	3
NO DISPOSITION	1
WARRANT	12
TOTAL	609

OTHER CASES

DISMISSED	0
NO DISPOSITION	53
COMPLAINT GRANTED	0
TOTAL	53

DEP./NEG./ABUSED CASES*

DISMISSED	28
LEGAL CUSTODY	3
LEGAL CUST. PROT. SUPERV.	0
PROTECTIVE SUPERVISION	78
TEMP. CUSTODY/PCDJFS	127
TEMP. CUSTODY/PCDJFS WITH	0
ORDER OF PROTECTIVE SUPERV	
TOTAL	236

PERMANENT CUSTODY

PERMANENT CUSTODY GRANTED	22
DISMISSED	1
LEGAL CUSTODY	1
TOTAL	24

ADULT CASES*

DISMISSED	4
NO DISPOSITION	0
COMMUNITY SERVICE	2
COSTS	3
COSTS SUSPENDED	0
GUILTY	0
JAIL SUSPENDED	0
WARRANT	4
TOTAL	13

**CUSTODY & VISIT./PATERNITY/
SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT**

ADMIT	5
COMPLAINT DENIED	0
COMPLAINT GRANTED	115
NOT AVAILABLE	0
TRANSFER TO ANOTHER COUNTY	2
DISMISSED COMPLAINT/MOTION	83
MODIFICATION GRANTED	0
MOTION DENIED	14
MOTION GRANTED	96
MOTION OVERRULED	0
MOT TO WITHDRAW MOT GRANTED	16
NO DISPOSITION ORDERED	0
SHARED PARENTING	21
STAYED	94
WARRANT	29
CONSOLIDATED	0
OTHER DISPOSITIONS	39
TOTAL	514

*DISPOSITIONS ABOVE REPRESENT THE PRINCIPLE DISPOSITION ORDERED. A CASE CAN HAVE MORE THAN ONE DISPOSITION.

2020 PORTAGE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
CHILDREN FIRST PARENTING CLASS

Children First Parenting Class

Goals & Description

Up to 20 persons per session at Juvenile Court – Mandatory for all unmarried parents seeking legal custody and/or visitation

GOAL: To provide a non-adversarial environment for unmarried parents to consider the affect, needs and ways to resolve parenting and visitation issues.

To identify the needs of children and have parents think about the best interest of their children first. To have unmarried parents learn to communicate and trust each other.

- Develop parental love and support of their children within their present circumstances.
- Develop family relations.
- Eliminate or reduce the need for Court involvement to solve problems.
- Allow child maximum contact with both parents.
- Allow the child maximum opportunity to develop self esteem to avoid alienation, poor or impulsive choices, drugs and alcohol and Juvenile Court involvement.

BENEFIT: Support and develop a well rounded productive young adult, limit Court involvement, and save taxpayers the expense of addictions and/or Court involvement.

Children First Parenting Class

Portage County Juvenile Court

Each participant will receive a folder that will include:

- a. Study Sheet
- b. Communication & Parenting Skills Information Sheet & Golden Rules for Children
- c. Mediation Checklist
- d. Court's Standard Order of Visitation
- e. Proposed Parenting Agreement w/Options
- f. Child Support Referral Sheet
- g. Mediation Screening Form
- h. Evaluation Form

The program consists of 11 monthly sessions. The program will be given every month except NO sessions will be scheduled in December. The first session will be the second Tuesday of each month. The second session will be the third Tuesday of each month.

FIRST NIGHT:

Security:	Sheriff and Bailiff
Court Administrator:	Provide staff support and supervision
(1) Assignment Commissioner (2) Clerks:	Registration
Judicial Officer:	Welcome
Judge:	Tape about Court & Program (20 Mins.)
Judicial Officer:	Introduce Presenters (2 Mins.)
Presenters:	Lecture of Educational Phase (2 Hours)

Andrea Stidham Warner, Ph. D. RN, Assistant Professor Kent State University College of Nursing

Catherine S. Schoenewald, Ph.D., RN, CNP, CEN, Assistant Professor Cleveland State University School of Nursing

Participants Dismissed with Homework

SECOND NIGHT:

CSEA:	Any parent not paying child support (1 Hour before Session)
Security:	Sheriff and Bailiff
Court Administrator:	Provide staff support, organizational support and supervision
Judicial Officer:	Summarize purpose of Children First and explain logistics of mediation that night.
Mediation:	4 Mediators (20-25 Mins. per case)
Assignment Commissioner:	Set hearings, agreements that can't be reached and send summary of mediations where party has attorney.
Deputy Clerks (2)	

All participants attend mediation session with mediator.

Participants are dismissed after mediation session and evaluation form completed

If parties are in agreement and have no attorney – Court hearing is held and participants have no further Court hearing.

Deliver Certificates of Completion to participants.

Note: Evaluation forms are collected for informational purposes only and are returned by participants unsigned and not identified by any markings for confidentiality.

2020 PORTAGE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
FISCAL ACCOUNTING

**ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING FOR
THE PORTAGE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2020**

REVENUE:

OPEN ITEMS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2019	-	\$ 20,821.79
RECEIPTS COLLECTED IN YEAR 2020	-	130,892.71
TOTAL 2020 REVENUE	-	<u>\$151,714.50</u>

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DISBURSEMENTS:

JANUARY 2020 THROUGH DECEMBER 2020
DISBURSEMENTS (VERIFIED BY END OF YEAR
ACTUAL LISTING REPORTS-ACTUAL DISBURSEMENTS
TO COUNTY/STATE/OTHER \$70,593.02)

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS FOR 2020	-	<u>\$117,600.32</u>
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TOTAL REVENUE COLLECTED INCLUDING
MONIES PREVIOUSLY ON DEPOSIT LESS
DISBURSEMENTS AND MONIES
PRESENTLY ON DEPOSIT

-	<u>\$ 34,114.18</u>
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OPEN ITEMS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020
(VERIFIED BY BANK STATEMENT
AND OPEN ITEMS COMPUTER REPORT)

-	<u>\$ 34,114.18</u>
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ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING
JUVENILE COURT 2020

12/31/20 ENDING BANK BALANCE (VERIFIED ON THIS COURT'S 12/2020 BANK STATEMENT)	-	\$38,833.04
LESS OUTSTANDING CHECKS	-	\$ 4,718.86
BALANCE FOR YEAR 2020	-	<u>\$34,114.18</u>

AVAILABLE ARE THIS COURT'S MONTHLY ACTUAL LISTING REPORTS
AND THIS COURT'S BANK TRANSACTION LISTING REPORTS VERIFYING
DEPOSITS AND REFUNDS.

2020 DISBURSEMENTS TOTALING

REHABILITATIVE SUPPORT	-	\$ 1,982.58
COURT COSTS	-	20,031.63
COUNTY FINES	-	5,027.42
REPARATION/VICTIM CRIME	-	4,357.00
SEATBELT FINES	-	400.00
OHIO STATE PATROL FINES	-	1,650.00
CLERK FEES	-	423.85
COMPUTER RESEARCH	-	1,959.00
COMPUTERIZATION FEE	-	6,519.94
BRIMFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT	-	80.00
INDIGENT APPLICATION FEES	-	739.43
LAW LIBRARY	-	80.00
PORTAGE COUNTY LEGAL NEWS	-	915.00
DRUG LAW ENFORCEMENT FUND	-	1,189.89
INDIGENT DRIVER'S ALCOHOL FUND	-	526.50
INDIGENT DEFENSE SUPPORT FUND	-	10,898.50
JUSTICE PROGRAM SERVICE	-	38.61
RETURN OF BONDS	-	1,500.00
UNCLAIMED FUNDS	-	531.94
LEGAL AID	-	1,466.49
CONVENIENCE FEE	-	346.92
JUVENILE COURT IT FUND	-	4,631.80
JUVENILE COURT PROJECTS	-	5,296.52

TOTAL 2020 DISBURSEMENTS - \$70,593.02

ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING
JUVENILE COURT 2020

2020 DISBURSEMENTS
MADE TO PORTAGE COUNTY:

\$ 1,982.58	Detention Support Fees
20,031.63	Court Costs
5,027.42	County Fines
423.85	Clerk Fees
1,959.00	Computer Research
6,519.94	Computerization Fees
531.94	Unclaimed Funds
346.92	Convenience Fee
4,631.80	IT Fund/Juvenile Court Fund
5,296.52	CT Projects/Juvenile Court Fund

TOTAL: \$ 46,751.60

2020 DISBURSEMENTS MADE
TO THE STATE OF OHIO:

\$ 4,357.00	Reparation/Victim Crime
400.00	Seatbelt Fees
1,650.00	OSP Fines
38.61	Justice Program Services
1,189.89	Drug Law Enforcement Fund
526.50	Indigent Alcohol Driver's Fund
10,898.50	Indigent Defense Support fund
1,466.49	Legal Aid

TOTAL: \$20,526.99

OTHER 2020 DISBURSEMENTS:

\$ 915.00	Portage County Legal News for Publication costs
80.00	Portage County Law Library
739.43	Indigent Application Fee
1,500.00	Return of Bonds

TOTAL: \$3,234.43

2020 DISBURSEMENTS TO POLICE AGENCIES:

\$ 80.00	Brimfield Police Department
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TOTAL: \$80.00

TOTAL 2020 DISBURSEMENTS: \$ 70,593.02

January 25, 2021

**2020 PORTAGE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH REHABILITATION
STATISTICAL DATA**

PORTAGE COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
JUVENILE DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH REHABILITATION

2020 ANNUAL REPORT

DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH REHABILITATION

STATISTICAL DATA

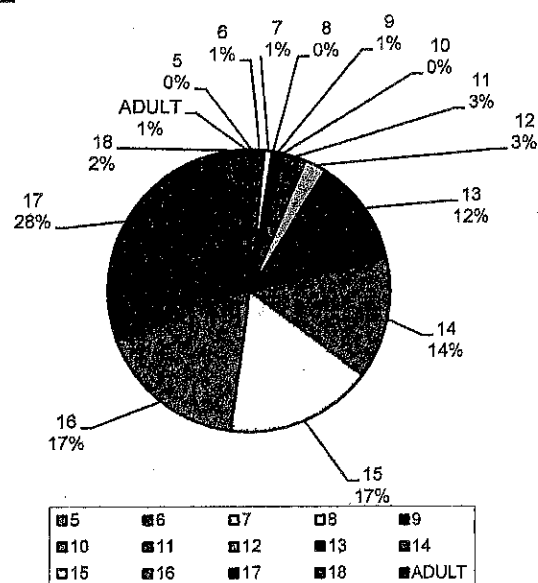
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CLASSIFICATION BY COMPLAINTS RECEIVED

1. Classification by Age
2. Classification by Gender
3. Classification by Offense Level
4. Classification by Race
5. Classification by Action Taken
6. Classification by Referral Source
 - A. Law Enforcement Departments
 - B. Department of Youth Rehabilitation
 - C. Out of County Departments
 - D. Portage County Schools
7. Classification by Offense

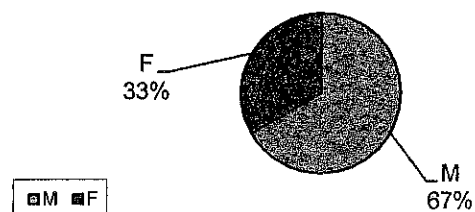
AGE	TOTAL	PERCENT
5	2	0.36%
6	7	1.25%
7	5	0.89%
8	1	0.18%
9	5	0.89%
10	2	0.36%
11	14	2.49%
12	14	2.49%
13	70	12.46%
14	78	13.88%
15	95	16.90%
16	96	17.08%
17	158	28.11%
18	11	1.96%
ADULT	4	0.71%
TOTAL	562	100.00%

AGE



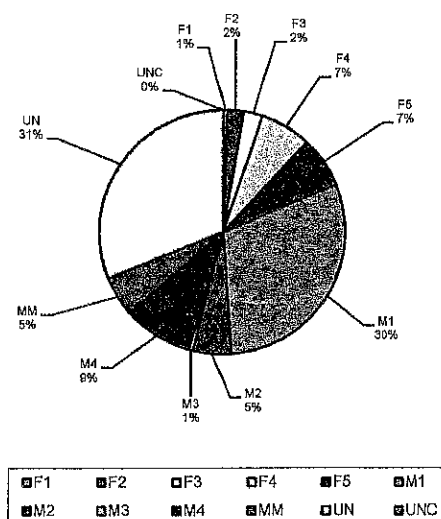
GENDER	TOTAL	PERCENT
M	375	66.73%
F	187	33.27%
TOTAL	562	100.00%

GENDER



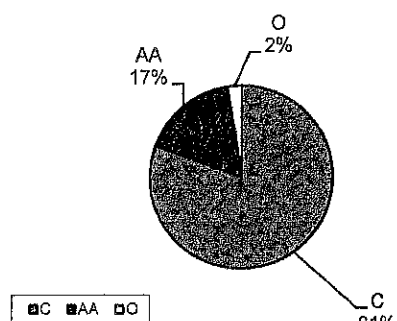
OFFENSE LEVEL	TOTAL	PERCENT
F1	3	0.53%
F2	12	2.14%
F3	14	2.49%
F4	38	6.76%
F5	38	6.76%
M1	170	30.25%
M2	28	4.98%
M3	3	0.53%
M4	51	9.07%
MM	30	5.34%
UN	175	31.14%
UNC	0	0.00%
TOTAL	562	100.00%

OFFENSE LEVEL



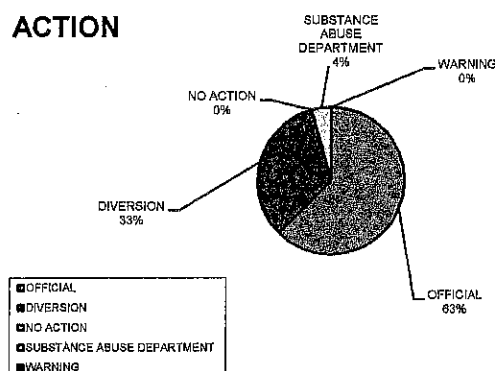
RACE	TOTAL	PERCENT
C	453	80.60%
AA	95	16.90%
O	14	2.49%
TOTAL	562	100.00%

RACE



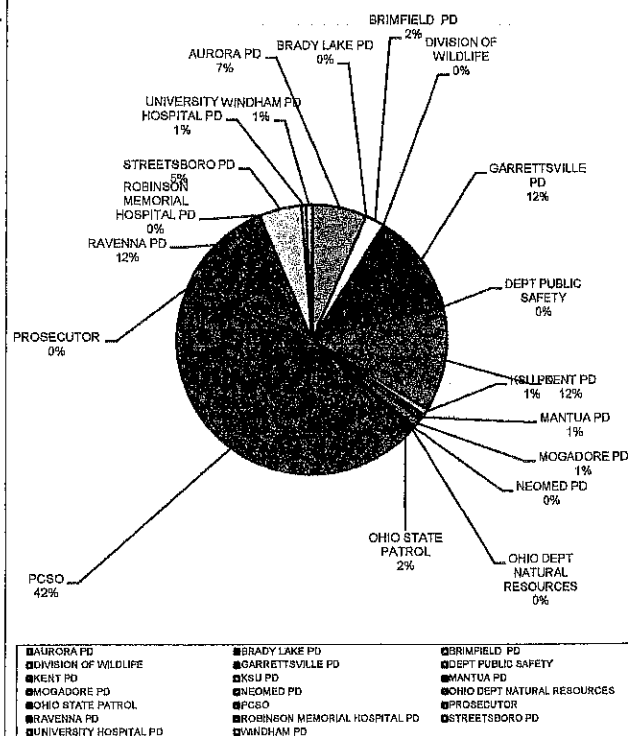
ACTION	TOTAL	PERCENT
OFFICIAL	351	62.46%
DIVERSION	187	33.27%
NO ACTION	0	0.00%
SUBSTANCE ABUSE DEPARTMENT	24	4.27%
WARNING	0	0.00%
TOTAL	562	100.00%

ACTION



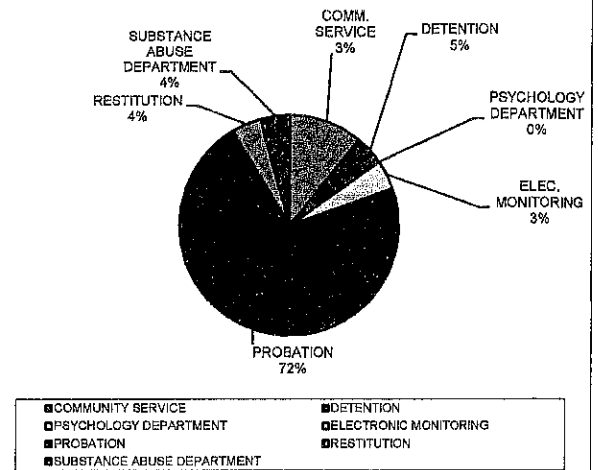
LAW ENFORCEMENT REFERRALS	TOTAL	PERCENT
AURORA PD	26	6.58%
BRADY LAKE PD	0	0.00%
BRIMFIELD PD	9	2.28%
DIVISION OF WILDLIFE	0	0.00%
GARRETTSVILLE PD	48	12.15%
DEPT PUBLIC SAFETY	1	0.25%
KENT PD	49	12.41%
KSU PD	3	0.76%
MANTUA PD	3	0.76%
MOGADORE PD	4	1.01%
NEOMED PD	1	0.25%
OHIO DEPT NATURAL RESOURCES	1	0.25%
OHIO STATE PATROL	9	2.28%
PCSO	167	42.28%
PROSECUTOR	0	0.00%
RAVENNA PD	49	12.41%
ROBINSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PD	0	0.00%
STREETSBORO PD	20	5.06%
UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL PD	2	0.51%
WINDHAM PD	3	0.76%
TOTAL	395	100.00%

LAW ENFORCEMENT REFERRALS



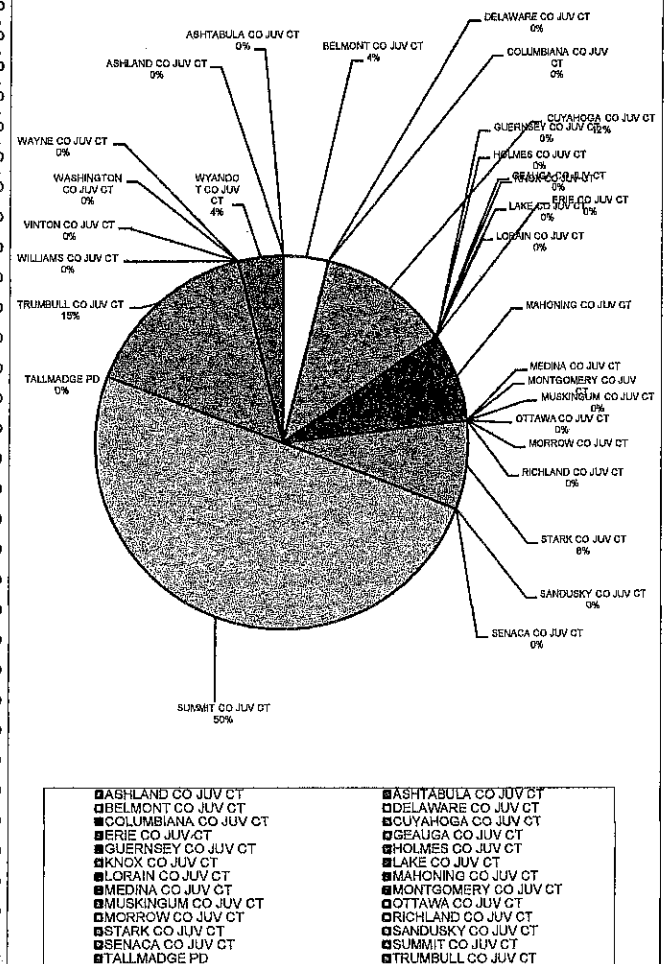
COURT REFERRALS	TOTAL	PERCENT
COMMUNITY SERVICE	5	10.87%
DETENTION	2	4.35%
PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT	0	0.00%
ELECTRONIC MONITORING	2	4.35%
PROBATION	33	71.74%
RESTITUTION	2	4.35%
SUBSTANCE ABUSE DEPARTMENT	2	4.35%
TOTAL	46	100.00%

COURT REFERRALS



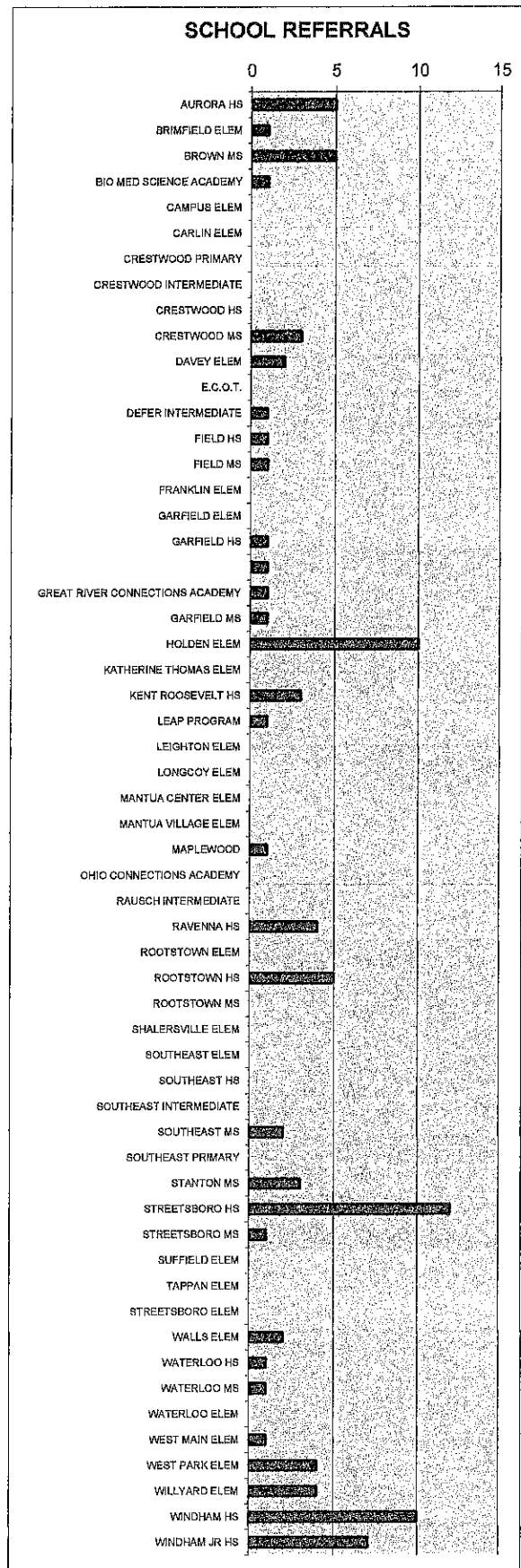
OUT OF COUNTY REFERRALS	TOTAL	PERCENT
ASHLAND CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
ASHTABULA CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
BELMONT CO JUV CT	1	3.85%
DELAWARE CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
COLUMBIANA CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
CUYAHOGA CO JUV CT	3	11.54%
ERIE CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
GEAUGA CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
GUERNSEY CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
HOLMES CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
KNOX CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
LAKE CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
LORAIN CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
MAHONING CO JUV CT	2	7.69%
MEDINA CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
MONTGOMERY CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
MUSKINGUM CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
OTTAWA CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
MORROW CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
RICHLAND CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
STARK CO JUV CT	2	7.69%
SANDUSKY CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
SENACA CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
SUMMIT CO JUV CT	13	50.00%
TALLMADGE PD	0	0.00%
TRUMBULL CO JUV CT	4	15.38%
WILLIAMS CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
VINTON CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
WASHINGTON CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
WAYNE CO JUV CT	0	0.00%
WYANDOT CO JUV CT	1	3.85%
TOTAL	26	100.00%

OUT OF COUNTY REFERRALS



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SCHOOL REFERRALS	TOTAL	PERCENT
AURORA HS	5	5.26%
BRIMFIELD ELEM	1	1.05%
BROWN MS	5	5.26%
BIO MED SCIENCE ACADEMY	1	1.05%
CAMPUS ELEM	0	0.00%
CARLIN ELEM	0	0.00%
CRESTWOOD PRIMARY	0	0.00%
CRESTWOOD INTERMEDIATE	0	0.00%
CRESTWOOD HS	0	0.00%
CRESTWOOD MS	3	3.16%
DAVEY ELEM	2	2.11%
E.C.O.T.	0	0.00%
DEFER INTERMEDIATE	1	1.05%
FIELD HS	1	1.05%
FIELD MS	1	1.05%
FRANKLIN ELEM	0	0.00%
GARFIELD ELEM	0	0.00%
GARFIELD HS	1	1.05%
GREAT RIVER CONNECTIONS ACADEMY	1	1.05%
GARFIELD MS	1	1.05%
HOLDEN ELEM	10	10.53%
KATHERINE THOMAS ELEM	0	0.00%
KENT ROOSEVELT HS	3	3.16%
LEAP PROGRAM	1	1.05%
LEIGHTON ELEM	0	0.00%
LONGCOY ELEM	0	0.00%
MANTUA CENTER ELEM	0	0.00%
MANTUA VILLAGE ELEM	0	0.00%
MAPLEWOOD	1	1.05%
OHIO CONNECTIONS ACADEMY	0	0.00%
RAUSCH INTERMEDIATE	0	0.00%
RAVENNA HS	4	4.21%
ROOTSTOWN ELEM	0	0.00%
ROOTSTOWN HS	5	5.26%
ROOTSTOWN MS	0	0.00%
SHALERSVILLE ELEM	0	0.00%
SOUTHEAST ELEM	0	0.00%
SOUTHEAST HS	0	0.00%
SOUTHEAST INTERMEDIATE	0	0.00%
SOUTHEAST MS	2	2.11%
SOUTHEAST PRIMARY	0	0.00%
STANTON MS	3	3.16%
STREETSBORO HS	12	12.63%
STREETSBORO MS	1	1.05%
SUFFIELD ELEM	0	0.00%
TAPPAN ELEM	0	0.00%
STREETSBORO ELEM	0	0.00%
WALLS ELEM	2	2.11%
WATERLOO HS	1	1.05%
WATERLOO MS	1	1.05%
WATERLOO ELEM	0	0.00%
WEST MAIN ELEM	1	1.05%
WEST PARK ELEM	4	4.21%
WILLYARD ELEM	4	4.21%
WINDHAM HS	10	10.53%
WINDHAM JR HS	7	7.37%
TOTAL	95	101.05%



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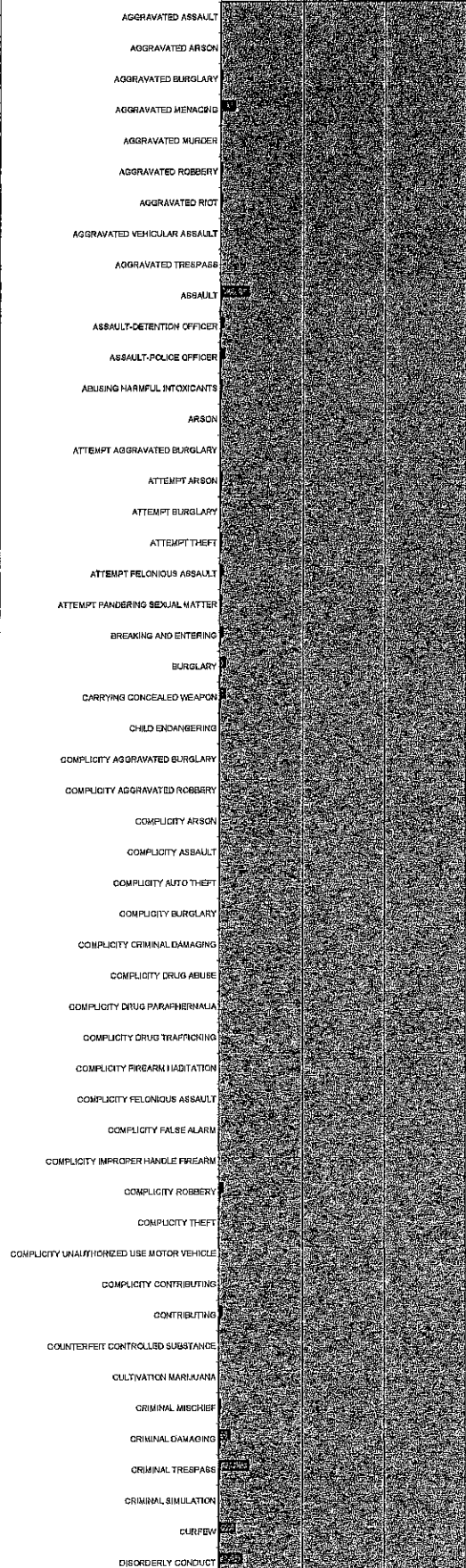
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TOTAL PERCENT

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0.00%
AGGRAVATED ARSON	0	0.00%
AGGRAVATED BURGLARY	1	0.18%
AGGRAVATED MENACING	12	2.14%
AGGRAVATED MURDER	0	0.00%
AGGRAVATED ROBBERY	1	0.18%
AGGRAVATED RIOT	1	0.18%
AGGRAVATED VEHICULAR ASSAULT	0	0.00%
AGGRAVATED TRESPASS	0	0.00%
ASSAULT	25	4.45%
ASSAULT-DETENTION OFFICER	2	0.36%
ASSAULT-POLICE OFFICER	3	0.53%
ABUSING HARMFUL INTOXICANTS	1	0.18%
ARSON	0	0.00%
ATTEMPT AGGRAVATED BURGLARY	0	0.00%
ATTEMPT ARSON	1	0.18%
ATTEMPT BURGLARY	0	0.00%
ATTEMPT THEFT	1	0.18%
ATTEMPT FELONIOUS ASSAULT	2	0.36%
ATTEMPT PANDERING SEXUAL MATTER	1	0.18%
BREAKING AND ENTERING	2	0.36%
BURGLARY	4	0.71%
CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPON	4	0.71%
CHILD ENDANGERING	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY AGGRAVATED BURGLARY	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY AGGRAVATED ROBBERY	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY ARSON	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY ASSAULT	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY AUTO THEFT	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY BURGLARY	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY CRIMINAL DAMAGING	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY DRUG ABUSE	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY DRUG PARAPHERNALIA	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY DRUG TRAFFICKING	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY FIREARM HABITATION	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY FELONIOUS ASSAULT	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY FALSE ALARM	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY IMPROPER HANDLE FIREARM	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY ROBBERY	3	0.53%
COMPLICITY THEFT	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY UNAUTHORIZED USE MOTOR VEHICLE	0	0.00%
COMPLICITY CONTRIBUTING	0	0.00%
CONTRIBUTING	2	0.36%
COUNTERFEIT CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	0	0.00%
CULTIVATION MARIJUANA	0	0.00%
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	1	0.18%
CRIMINAL DAMAGING	9	1.60%
CRIMINAL TRESPASS	26	4.63%
CRIMINAL SIMULATION	0	0.00%
CURFEW	14	2.49%
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	20	3.56%

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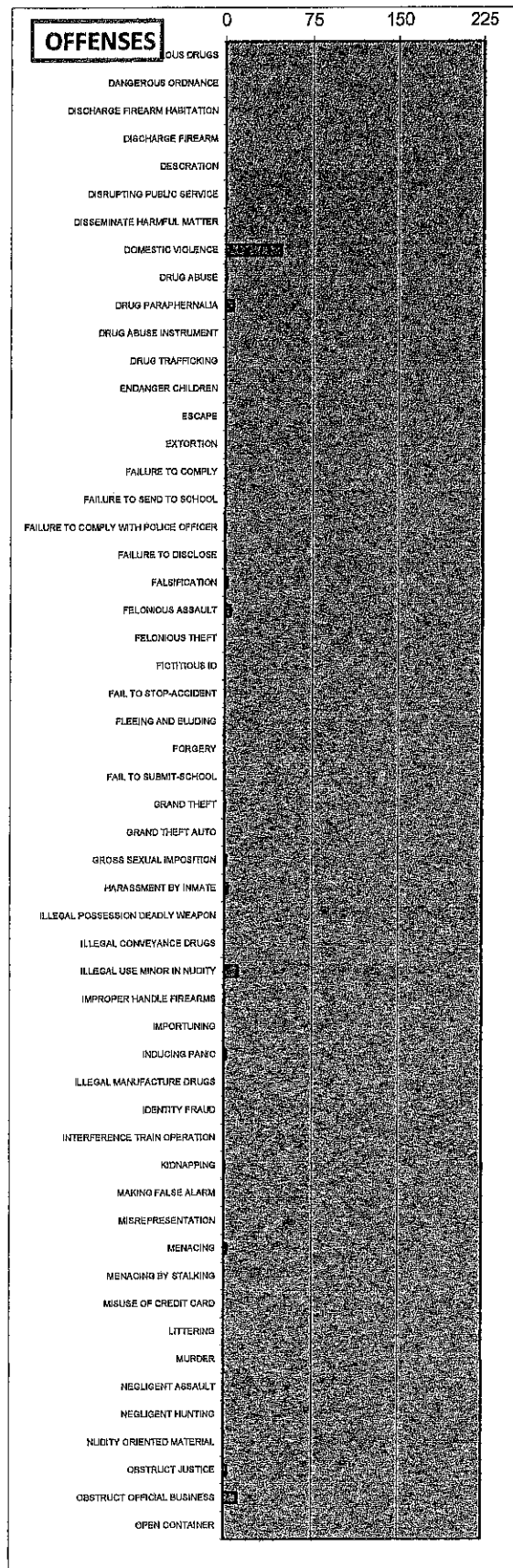
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PERCENT

DANGEROUS DRUGS	0	0.00%
DANGEROUS ORDNANCE	0	0.00%
DISCHARGE FIREARM HABITATION	0	0.00%
DISCHARGE FIREARM	0	0.00%
DESCRATION	0	0.00%
DISRUPTING PUBLIC SERVICE	1	0.18%
DISSEMINATE HARMFUL MATTER	0	0.00%
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	48	8.54%
DRUG ABUSE	1	0.18%
DRUG PARAPHERNALIA	7	1.25%
DRUG ABUSE INSTRUMENT	0	0.00%
DRUG TRAFFICKING	0	0.00%
ENDANGER CHILDREN	0	0.00%
ESCAPE	1	0.18%
EXTORTION	0	0.00%
FAILURE TO COMPLY	1	0.18%
FAILURE TO SEND TO SCHOOL	1	0.18%
FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH POLICE OFFICER	1	0.18%
FAILURE TO DISCLOSE	1	0.18%
FALSIFICATION	2	0.36%
FELONIOUS ASSAULT	5	0.89%
FELONIOUS THEFT	0	0.00%
FICTITIOUS ID	0	0.00%
FAIL TO STOP-ACCIDENT	0	0.00%
FLEEING AND ELUDING	0	0.00%
FORGERY	0	0.00%
FAIL TO SUBMIT-SCHOOL	0	0.00%
GRAND THEFT	1	0.18%
GRAND THEFT AUTO	0	0.00%
GROSS SEXUAL IMPOSITION	2	0.36%
HARASSMENT BY INMATE	3	0.53%
ILLEGAL POSSESSION DEADLY WEAPON	0	0.00%
ILLEGAL CONVEYANCE DRUGS	0	0.00%
ILLEGAL USE MINOR IN NUDITY	12	2.14%
IMPROPER HANDLE FIREARMS	1	0.18%
IMPORTUNING	0	0.00%
INDUCING PANIC	2	0.36%
ILLEGAL MANUFACTURE DRUGS	0	0.00%
IDENTITY FRAUD	0	0.00%
INTERFERENCE TRAIN OPERATION	0	0.00%
KIDNAPPING	1	0.18%
MAKING FALSE ALARM	0	0.00%
MISREPRESENTATION	0	0.00%
MENACING	3	0.53%
MENACING BY STALKING	0	0.00%
MISUSE OF CREDIT CARD	0	0.00%
LITTERING	0	0.00%
MURDER	0	0.00%
NEGLIGENT ASSAULT	0	0.00%
NEGLIGENT HUNTING	0	0.00%
NUDITY ORIENTED MATERIAL	0	0.00%
OBSTRUCT JUSTICE	3	0.53%
OBSTRUCT OFFICIAL BUSINESS	12	2.14%
OPEN CONTAINER	0	0.00%

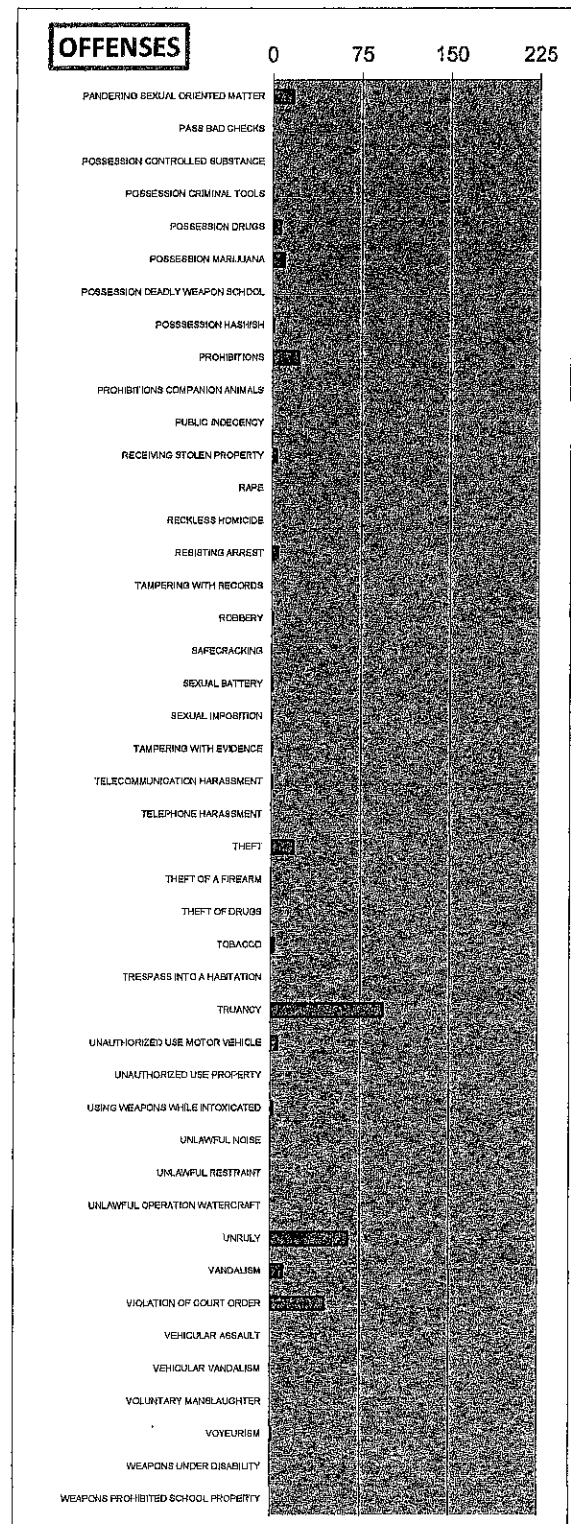


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PERCENT

PANDERING SEXUAL ORIENTED MATTER	17	3.02%
PASS BAD CHECKS	0	0.00%
POSSESSION CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE	0	0.00%
POSSESSION CRIMINAL TOOLS	0	0.00%
POSSESSION DRUGS	7	1.25%
POSSESSION MARIJUANA	10	1.78%
POSSESSION DEADLY WEAPON SCHOOL	0	0.00%
POSSESSION HASHISH	1	0.18%
PROHIBITIONS	22	3.91%
PROHIBITIONS COMPANION ANIMALS	0	0.00%
PUBLIC INDECENCY	0	0.00%
RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY	4	0.71%
RAPE	0	0.00%
RECKLESS HOMICIDE	0	0.00%
RESISTING ARREST	5	0.89%
TAMPERING WITH RECORDS	0	0.00%
ROBBERY	1	0.18%
SAFE CRACKING	0	0.00%
SEXUAL BATTERY	1	0.18%
SEXUAL IMPOSITION	1	0.18%
TAMPERING WITH EVIDENCE	1	0.18%
TELECOMMUNICATION HARASSMENT	1	0.18%
TELEPHONE HARASSMENT	0	0.00%
THEFT	19	3.38%
THEFT OF A FIREARM	0	0.00%
THEFT OF DRUGS	0	0.00%
TOBACCO	3	0.53%
TRESPASS INTO A HABITATION	0	0.00%
TRUANCY	94	16.73%
UNAUTHORIZED USE MOTOR VEHICLE	6	1.07%
UNAUTHORIZED USE PROPERTY	0	0.00%
USING WEAPONS WHILE INTOXICATED	2	0.36%
UNLAWFUL NOISE	0	0.00%
UNLAWFUL RESTRAINT	0	0.00%
UNLAWFUL OPERATION WATERCRAFT	0	0.00%
UNRULY	65	11.57%
VANDALISM	11	1.96%
VIOLATION OF COURT ORDER	45	8.01%
VEHICULAR ASSAULT	0	0.00%
VEHICULAR VANDALISM	0	0.00%
VOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER	0	0.00%
VOYEURISM	1	0.18%
WEAPONS UNDER DISABILITY	0	0.00%
WEAPONS PROHIBITED SCHOOL PROPERTY	0	0.00%
TOTAL	562	100.00%



COMMUNITY CONTROL REIMBURSEMENT FOR VARIOUS SERVICES AND SANCTIONS

Pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code 2152.20 (A)(4)(d), the Court established a fee schedule for the following: Regular Probation, Intensive Probation, Community Service, Drug/Alcohol Assessment, Electronic Monitoring, and Restitution.

Following is a breakdown of the fees collected by the Department of Youth Rehabilitation in Calendar Year 2020.

Regular Probation	\$4,902.50
Intensive Probation	\$1,000.00
Community Service	\$1,775.00
Drug/Alcohol Assessments	\$1,080.00
Electronic Monitoring	\$1,235.00
Restitution	\$489.46
Total	\$10,481.96

DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH REHABILITATION

DEPARTMENT STATISTICAL DATA

2020

1. Diversion Services
2. Community Service
3. Restitution
4. Psychological and Substance Abuse Services
5. Electronic Monitoring
6. House Arrest
7. Probation Services
8. CBI-SA
9. Girls Circle Program
10. Canteens

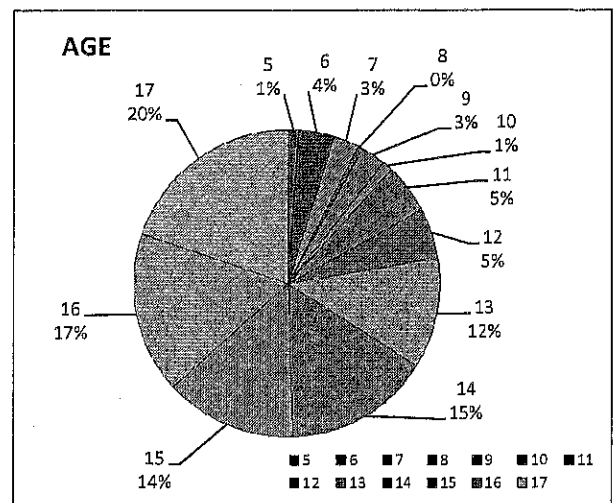
DIVERSION SERVICES PROGRAM

The Department of Diversion Services provides the Court with an alternative, informal sanction in the non-judicial processing of unruly, minor delinquencies and/or school referrals, while at the same time holding youth accountable for their actions. Youths in the program are frequently referred to community resources to address their individual needs.

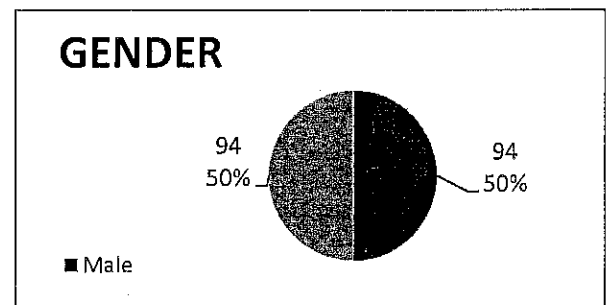
The Diversion Services Department utilizes community service as part of its informal sanction. In 2020, 54 youth participated in community service as part of their Diversion requirements. The youth participated in food drives that collected 1,470 non-perishable items donated to a number of non-profitable organizations.

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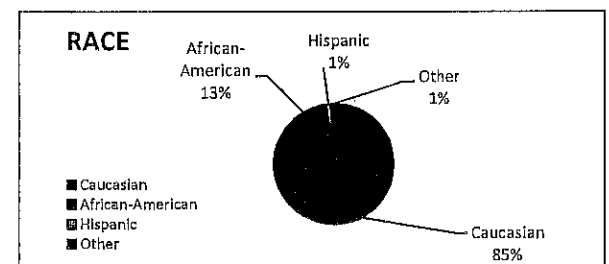
AGE	TOTAL PERCENT	
5	2	1.06%
6	7	3.72%
7	5	2.66%
8	1	0.53%
9	5	2.66%
10	2	1.06%
11	10	5.32%
12	10	5.32%
13	22	11.70%
14	29	15.43%
15	26	13.83%
16	32	17.02%
17	37	19.68%
TOTAL	188	100%



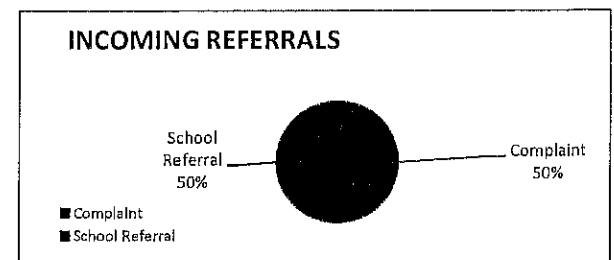
GENDER	TOTAL PERCENT	
Male	94	50.00%
Female	94	50.00%
TOTAL	188	100%



RACE	TOTAL PERCENT	
Caucasian	160	85.11%
African-American	24	12.77%
Hispanic	2	1.06%
Other	2	1.06%
TOTAL	188	100%



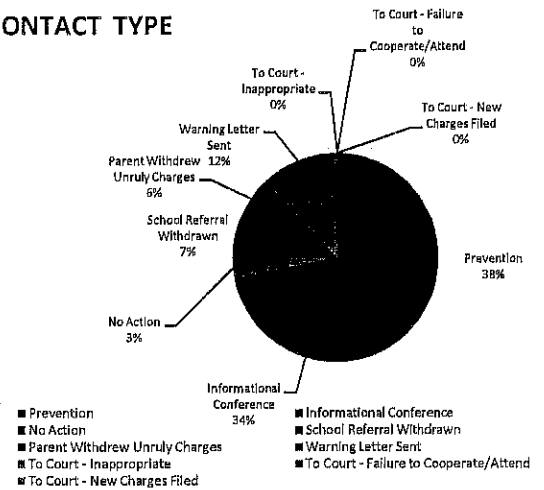
INCOMING REFERRALS	TOTAL PERCENT	
Complaint	94	50.00%
School Referral	94	50.00%
TOTAL	188	100%



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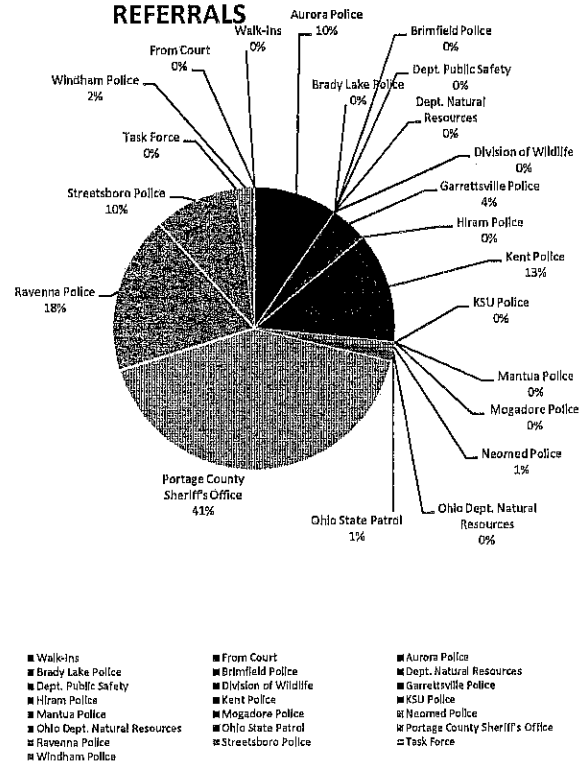
CONTACT TYPE	TOTAL PERCENT	
Prevention	71	37.77%
Informational Conference	64	34.04%
No Action	6	3.19%
School Referral Withdrawn	12	6.38%
Parent Withdrew Unruly Charges	12	6.38%
Warning Letter Sent	23	12.23%
To Court - Inappropriate	0	0.00%
To Court - Failure to Cooperate/Attend	0	1.00%
To Court - New Charges Filed	0	0.00%
TOTAL	188	100%

CONTACT TYPE



PORTAGE COUNTY AGENCY REFERRALS	TOTAL PERCENT	
Walk-Ins	0	0.00%
From Court	0	0.00%
Aurora Police	9	9.57%
Brady Lake Police	0	0.00%
Brimfield Police	0	0.00%
Dept. Natural Resources	0	0.00%
Dept. Public Safety	0	0.00%
Division of Wildlife	0	0.00%
Garrettsville Police	4	4.26%
Hiram Police	0	0.00%
Kent Police	12	12.77%
KSU Police	0	0.00%
Mantua Police	0	0.00%
Mogadore Police	0	0.00%
Neomed Police	1	1.00%
Ohio Dept. Natural Resources	0	0.00%
Ohio State Patrol	1	1.06%
Portage County Sheriff's Office	39	41.49%
Ravenna Police	17	18.09%
Streetsboro Police	9	9.57%
Task Force	0	0.00%
Windham Police	2	2.13%
TOTAL	94	100%

PORTAGE COUNTY AGENCY REFERRALS

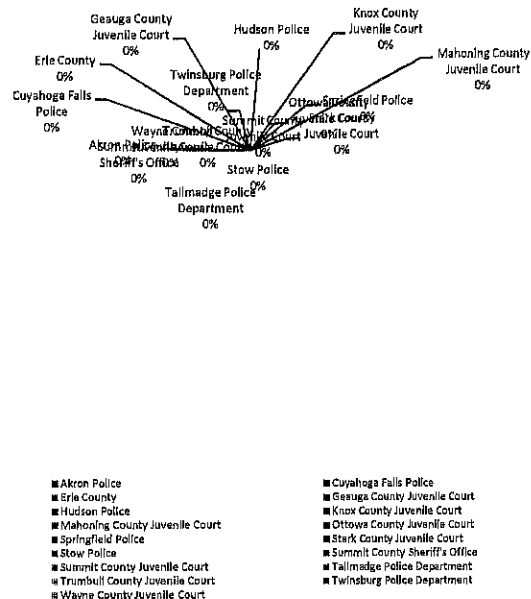


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OUT OF COUNTY REFERRALS	TOTAL	PERCENT
Akron Police	0	0.00%
Cuyahoga Falls Police	0	0.00%
Erie County	0	0.00%
Geauga County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%
Hudson Police	0	0.00%
Knox County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%
Mahoning County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%
Ottawa County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%
Springfield Police	0	0.00%
Stark County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%
Stow Police	0	0.00%
Summit County Sheriff's Office	0	0.00%
Summit County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%
Tallmadge Police Department	0	0.00%
Trumbull County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%
Twinsburg Police Department	0	0.00%
Wayne County Juvenile Court	0	0.00%

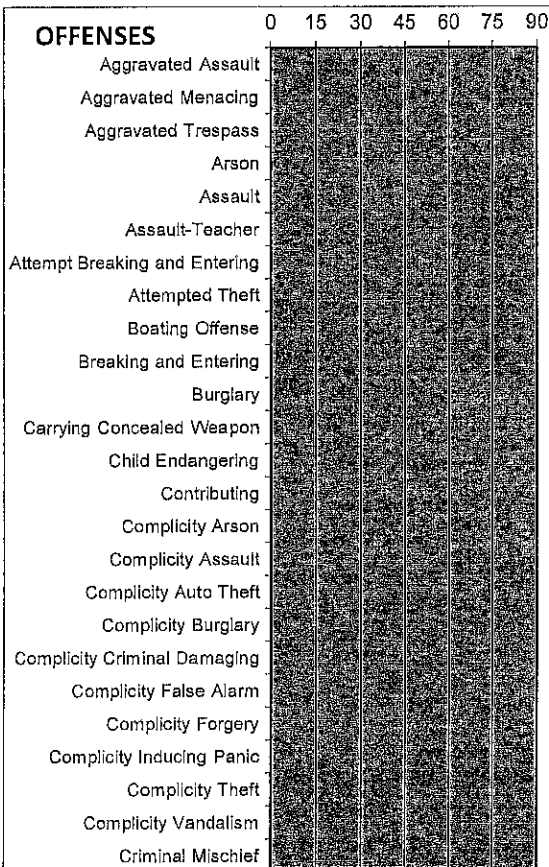
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OUT OF COUNTY REFERRALS



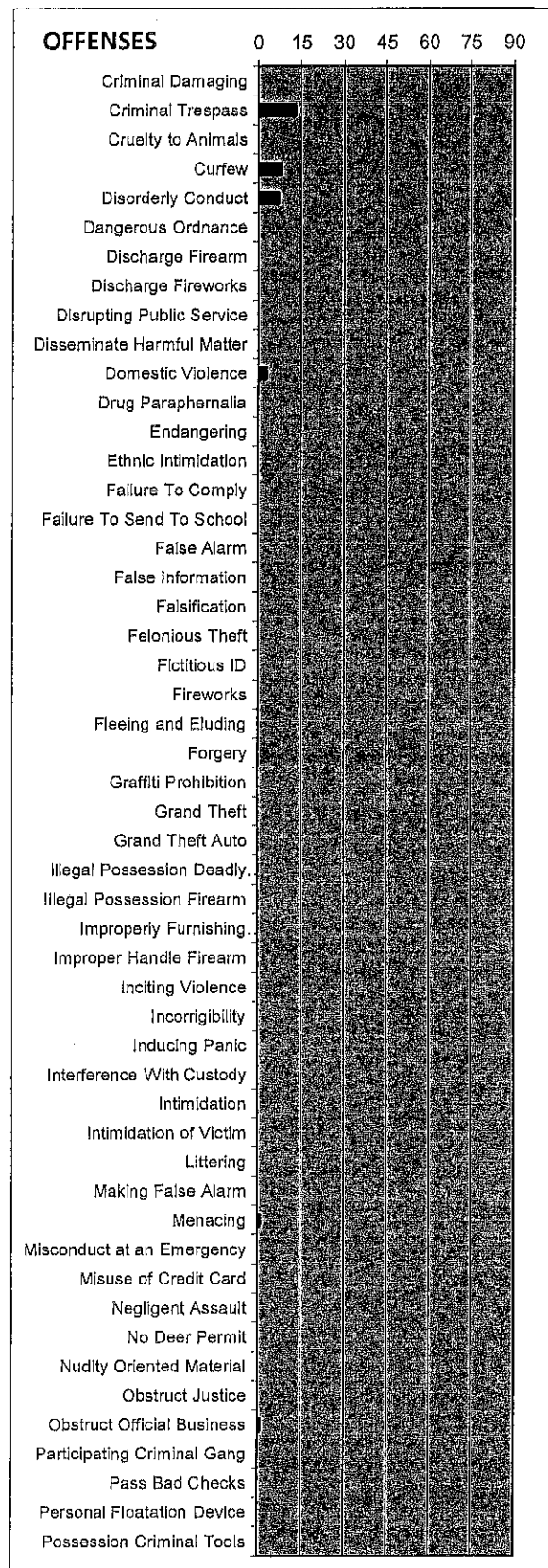
OFFENSE - TOTAL COUNT COMPLAINTS	TOTAL	PERCENT
Aggravated Assault	0	0.00%
Aggravated Menacing	0	0.00%
Aggravated Trespass	0	0.00%
Arson	0	0.00%
Assault	0	0.00%
Assault-Teacher	0	0.00%
Attempt Breaking and Entering	0	0.00%
Attempted Theft	0	0.00%
Boating Offense	0	0.00%
Breaking and Entering	0	0.00%
Burglary	0	0.00%
Carrying Concealed Weapon	0	0.00%
Child Endangering	0	0.00%
Contributing	0	0.00%
Complicity Arson	0	0.00%
Complicity Assault	0	0.00%
Complicity Auto Theft	0	0.00%
Complicity Burglary	0	0.00%
Complicity Criminal Damaging	0	0.00%
Complicity False Alarm	0	0.00%
Complicity Forgery	0	0.00%
Complicity Inducing Panic	0	0.00%
Complicity Theft	0	0.00%
Complicity Vandalism	0	0.00%
Criminal Mischief	0	0.00%

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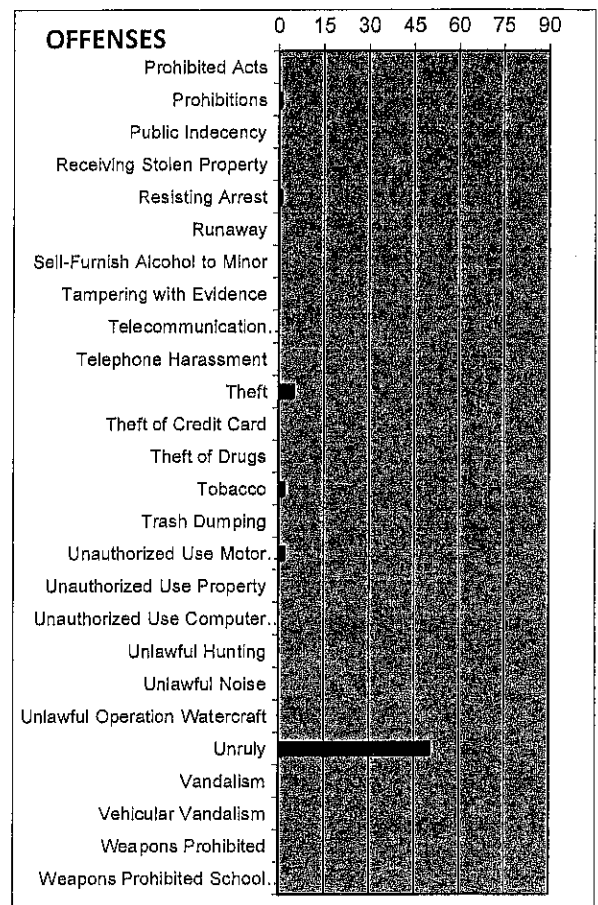
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OFFENSE - TOTAL COUNT COMPLAINTS	TOTAL	PERCENT
Criminal Damaging	0	0.00%
Criminal Trespass	13	13.83%
Cruelty to Animals	0	0.00%
Curfew	8	8.51%
Disorderly Conduct	7	7.45%
Dangerous Ordnance	0	0.00%
Discharge Firearm	0	0.00%
Discharge Fireworks	0	0.00%
Disrupting Public Service	0	0.00%
Disseminate Harmful Matter	0	0.00%
Domestic Violence	3	3.19%
Drug Paraphernalia	0	0.00%
Endangering	0	0.00%
Ethnic Intimidation	0	0.00%
Failure To Comply	0	0.00%
Failure To Send To School	0	0.00%
False Alarm	0	0.00%
False Information	0	0.00%
Falsification	0	0.00%
Felonious Theft	0	0.00%
Fictitious ID	0	0.00%
Fireworks	0	0.00%
Fleeing and Eluding	0	0.00%
Forgery	0	0.00%
Graffiti Prohibition	0	0.00%
Grand Theft	0	0.00%
Grand Theft Auto	0	0.00%
Illegal Possession Deadly Weapon	0	0.00%
Illegal Possession Firearm	0	0.00%
Improperly Furnishing Firearms	0	0.00%
Improper Handle Firearm	0	0.00%
Inciting Violence	0	0.00%
Incorrigibility	0	0.00%
Inducing Panic	0	0.00%
Interference With Custody	0	0.00%
Intimidation	0	0.00%
Intimidation of Victim	0	0.00%
Littering	0	0.00%
Making False Alarm	0	0.00%
Menacing	1	1.06%
Misconduct at an Emergency	0	0.00%
Misuse of Credit Card	0	0.00%
Negligent Assault	0	0.00%
No Deer Permit	0	0.00%
Nudity Oriented Material	0	0.00%
Obstruct Justice	0	0.00%
Obstruct Official Business	1	1.06%
Participating Criminal Gang	0	0.00%
Pass Bad Checks	0	0.00%
Personal Floatation Device	0	0.00%
Possession Criminal Tools	0	0.00%



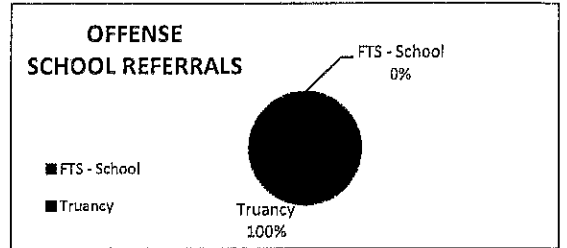
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OFFENSE - TOTAL COUNT COMPLAINTS	TOTAL	PERCENT
Prohibited Acts	0	0.00%
Prohibitions	1	1.06%
Public Indecency	0	0.00%
Receiving Stolen Property	0	0.00%
Resisting Arrest	1	1.06%
Runaway	0	0.00%
Sell-Furnish Alcohol to Minor	0	0.00%
Tampering with Evidence	0	0.00%
Telecommunication Harassment	0	0.00%
Telephone Harassment	0	0.00%
Theft	5	5.32%
Theft of Credit Card	0	0.00%
Theft of Drugs	0	0.00%
Tobacco	2	2.13%
Trash Dumping	0	0.00%
Unauthorized Use Motor Vehicle	2	2.13%
Unauthorized Use Property	0	0.00%
Unauthorized Use Computer Property	0	0.00%
Unlawful Hunting	0	0.00%
Unlawful Noise	0	0.00%
Unlawful Operation Watercraft	0	0.00%
Unruly	50	53.19%
Vandalism	0	0.00%
Vehicular Vandalism	0	0.00%
Weapons Prohibited	0	0.00%
Weapons Prohibited School Property	0	0.00%
TOTAL	94	100%

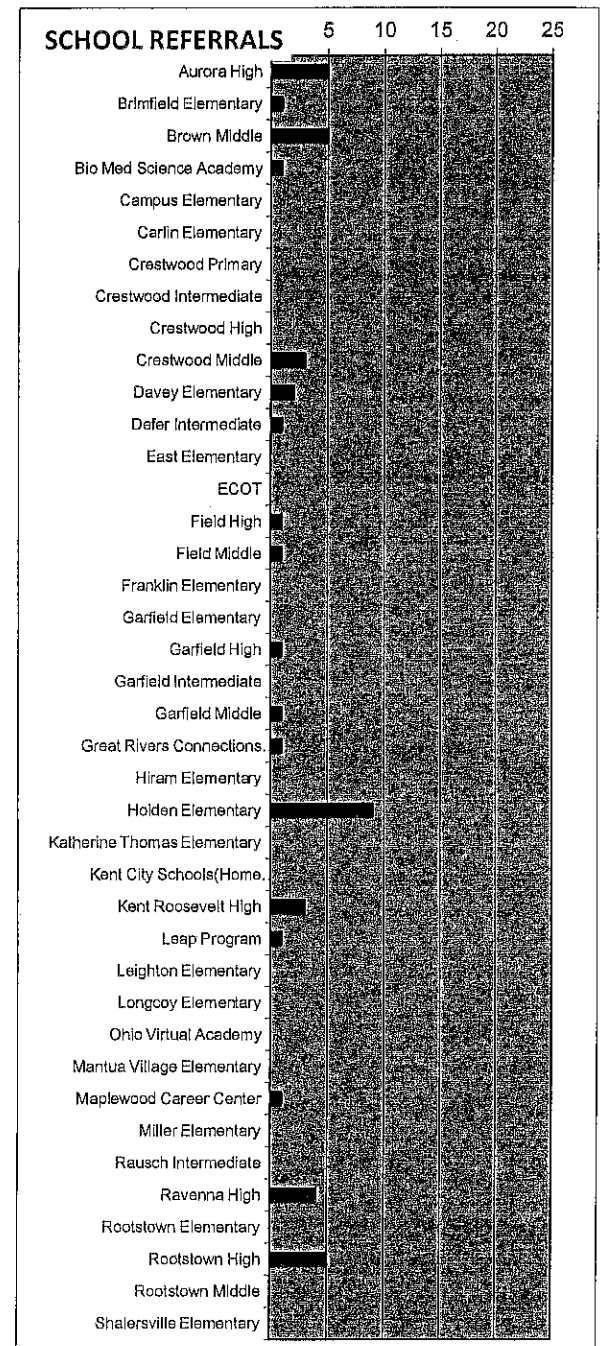


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OFFENSE - SCHOOL REFERRALS	TOTAL PERCENT	
FTS - School	0	0.00%
Truancy	94	100.00%
TOTAL	94	100%



SCHOOL REFERRALS	TOTAL PERCENT	
Aurora High	5	5.32%
Brimfield Elementary	1	1.06%
Brown Middle	5	5.32%
Bio Med Science Academy	1	1.06%
Campus Elementary	0	0.00%
Carlin Elementary	0	0.00%
Crestwood Primary	0	0.00%
Crestwood Intermediate	0	0.00%
Crestwood High	0	0.00%
Crestwood Middle	3	3.19%
Davey Elementary	2	2.13%
Defer Intermediate	1	1.06%
East Elementary	0	0.00%
ECOT	0	0.00%
Field High	1	1.06%
Field Middle	1	1.06%
Franklin Elementary	0	0.00%
Garfield Elementary	0	0.00%
Garfield High	1	1.06%
Garfield Intermediate	0	0.00%
Garfield Middle	1	1.06%
Great Rivers Connections Academy	1	1.06%
Hiram Elementary	0	0.00%
Holden Elementary	9	9.57%
Katherine Thomas Elementary	0	0.00%
Kent City Schools(Home Schooled)	0	0.00%
Kent Roosevelt High	3	3.19%
Leap Program	1	1.06%
Leighton Elementary	0	0.00%
Longcoy Elementary	0	0.00%
Ohio Virtual Academy	0	0.00%
Mantua Village Elementary	0	0.00%
Maplewood Career Center	1	1.06%
Miller Elementary	0	0.00%
Rausch Intermediate	0	0.00%
Ravenna High	4	4.26%
Rootstown Elementary	0	0.00%
Rootstown High	5	5.32%
Rootstown Middle	0	0.00%
Shalersville Elementary	0	0.00%



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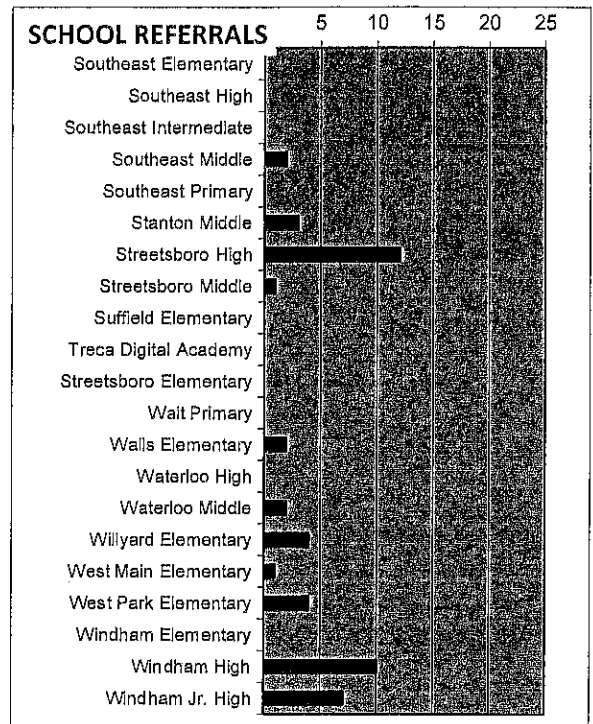
SCHOOL REFERRALS

TOTAL PERCENT

Southeast Elementary	0	0.00%
Southeast High	0	0.00%
Southeast Intermediate	0	0.00%
Southeast Middle	2	2.13%
Southeast Primary	0	0.00%
Stanton Middle	3	3.19%
Streetsboro High	12	12.77%
Streetsboro Middle	1	1.06%
Suffield Elementary	0	0.00%
Treca Digital Academy	0	0.00%
Streetsboro Elementary	0	0.00%
Wait Primary	0	0.00%
Walls Elementary	2	2.13%
Waterloo High	0	0.00%
Waterloo Middle	2	2.13%
Willyard Elementary	4	4.26%
West Main Elementary	1	1.06%
West Park Elementary	4	4.26%
Windham Elementary	0	0.00%
Windham High	10	10.64%
Windham Jr. High	7	7.45%

TOTAL	94	100%
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SCHOOL REFERRALS



COMMUNITY SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Community Service

The Community Service Program provides the judiciary a dispositional alternative for adjudicated youth.

Program participants are placed with various non-profit agencies to perform 20 to 80 hours of Community Service. Youth are monitored by on-site supervisors and the Community Service Coordinator. The Community Service Coordinator conducts on-site, telephone, and home contacts to monitor the youth.

Number of youth carried over from (2019).... 27

Number of youth ordered to program..... 91

Number of youth that completed program..... 73

Community Service Program

The Community Service Program statistics from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 are as follows:

		Percentage
Total Youth Placed in Program	79	74.52%
Carry Overs from Previous Year	27	25.47%
Total Youth in Program	106	100%
Male	53	67.08%
Female	26	32.91%
Non-Minority	60	75.94%
Minority	19	24.05%

Age of Program Participants

Age	Total	Percentage
11	0	0%
12	1	1.26%
13	8	10.12%
14	13	16.45%
15	17	21.51%
16	17	21.51%
17	17	21.51%
18	6	7.59%
19	0	0%

A total of 1,473 contacts were made with the 106 youth in the Community Service Program. A total of 1,617 hours were completed by the youth in the Community Service Program.

Restitution Department

The Restitution Program provides for the financial reimbursement to victims of delinquent acts. Once the Court makes an order of restitution, the child and their parent/guardian sign a payment contract and must make monthly payments to their victims(s).

Restitution Program

The Restitution Program statistics from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 are as follows:

		Percentage
Total Youth Placed in Program	3	11.11%
Carry Overs from Previous Years	24	88.88%
Total Youth in Program	27	100%
Male	3	100%
Female	0	0%
Non-Minority	2	66.66%
Minority	1	33.33%
The following statistics include carry over cases		
Successfully Completed Program	2	7.4%
Uncompleted at time of Report	25	92.59%%
Unsuccessfully Completed Program	0	0%

Age of Program Participants

Age	Total	Percentage
11	0	0%
12	0	0%
13	0	0%
14	1	33.33%
15	2	66.66%
16	0	0%
17	0	0%
18	0	0%
19	0	0%

A total of 296 contacts were made with the 27 youth in the Restitution Program.

Total Restitution Ordered: \$698.00
Total Restitution Collected: \$5,411.00

Psychological and Substance Abuse Services

PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES MISSION STATEMENT

The role of Psychological and Substance Abuse Services is to provide the Portage County Court and Portage/Geauga Juvenile Detention Center professional clinical and assessment services as a part of the overall rehabilitative effort. To assist in rendering appropriate dispositions that take into consideration the individual needs, characteristics and circumstances of the children in question, the Court orders evaluations to aid in generating case recommendations. It is hoped that by earlier identification of potentially serious offenders, the community can be more effectively protected, while at the same time, by more clearly delineating issues to be addressed as part of a rehabilitative program, more children can be effectively served resulting in less recidivism.

GENERAL SERVICE DESCRIPTION

Psychological and Substance Abuse Services staff conduct evaluations for the Court to assist in generating recommendations for case dispositions. Additional services provided include diagnostic assessments, substance abuse assessments, mental health screening, short term counseling with detained children, consultative services, treatment planning and referral, psychological screening of applicants for employment, and conducting in-service training programs.

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENTS 2020

In 2020, twenty seven (27) children were referred to Psychological Services for evaluation. The assessment process includes parent and child interviews, psychological testing and preparation of a written report. Reports will vary in nature depending on the reason(s) for conducting the assessment and the issues that need to be addressed. The following represents the types of psychological evaluations conducted in 2020.

<i>Type of Evaluation</i>	<i>Total</i>
Department of Youth Services Evaluations	4
Department of Youth Services Evaluation and Sexual Offender Risk Assessments	1
Psychological Evaluation	1
Psychological Evaluation and Sexual Offender Risk Assessments	2
Psychological Screening Reports	16
Recommendation for Disposition Reports	2
Serious Youthful Offender Evaluations	1
Total Reports	27

All children admitted to the Portage/Geauga Detention Center are also screened at the point of intake by Detention Center staff in an effort to identify high risk residents. In addition to direct inquiry into areas related to risk to self and/or others, each child completes a structured questionnaire designed to obtain specific information regarding potential areas of risk. Subsequent to the child's intake and admission all residents (with the exception of weekenders and those released immediately following a preliminary hearing) are interviewed by a qualified mental health professional and a mental status examination is completed. Residents held in detention on a post adjudicatory status are also administered an academic achievement test and often an objective psychodiagnostic personality inventory to further assess for various areas of potential concern, psychological disturbance and/or other rehabilitative needs. Psychological Services staff review all intake and/or assessment materials generated on each resident as part of a coordinated effort to appropriately respond to resident needs/concerns during their period of detention. In 2020, intake reports and assessment materials were reviewed on one hundred and one (101) new or repeat admissions to the Portage/Geauga Detention Center.

Psychological Services staff are also available to Detention Center staff and residents upon request to provide direct clinical counseling, assessment, and consultative services. In 2020,

in addition to reviewing resident intake and assessment materials, Psychological Services staff provided on forty six (46) separate occasions direct clinical counseling/crisis and assessment services on an as needed basis to detention center residents. The following table provides statistics regarding child assessments and general clinical services provided to residents during 2020.

CLINICAL COUNSELING AND ASSESSMENT SERVICES	RESIDENT INTAKE AND ASSESSMENT REPORT REVIEWS	TOTAL
46	101	147

TREATMENT PLANNING, COORDINATION AND REFERRAL TO LOCAL COUNSELING AGENCIES

In addition to Psychological Services' primary role of conducting assessments and providing clinical counseling and consultative services to the Courts and Detention Center, it frequently acts in a coordinating capacity with other involved agencies. In keeping with the Juvenile Court's goal of minimizing a child's involvement in the legal system, efforts are directed toward providing for the child's rehabilitative needs by utilizing services offered by local child care agencies. Psychological Services staff participate in regularly scheduled in-house staff meetings for case planning, as well as attend bi-monthly and monthly clinical team meetings to assist in formulating rehabilitative service plans with other involved agencies.

When specific recommendations for treatment are made a part of a case disposition or terms of a child's probation, Psychological Services often assists in initiating the referral process, monitoring and/or tracking progress in treatment, and maintaining appropriate contact with local service providers. The following represents the number of children referred for out-patient treatment services monitored and/or tracked by Psychological Services.

New Referrals for 2020	113
Carryovers from 2019.....	95
TOTAL	208

RESIDENTIAL PLACEMENTS AND IN-PATIENT FACILITIES UTILIZED IN 2020

When Court involved children exhibit more serious treatment needs it is sometimes necessary to secure their placement in intensive residential or in-patient treatment programs. The following table provides information regarding the number of children so served and the facilities utilized.

	NEW REFERRALS IN 2020	CARRYOVERS FROM 2019
ABRAXAS	3	2
CINCINNATI HOSPITAL HILL COLLEGE	1	0
FOX RUN	2	0
INDEPENDENCE	0	1
MOHICAN YOUNG STAR ACADEMY	2	0
OHIO GUIDESTONE	1	0
POMEGRANATE	1	0
REDEMPTION HOUSE	3	0
SAFELY HOME	1	0
VILLAGE NETWORK	3	4
YOUTH INTENSIVE	3	5
SUBTOTALS	20	12
TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN REFERRED AND/OR MONITORED		
32		

These numbers only reflect those children involved with or referred to Psychological Services for assessment and/or treatment planning/monitoring/tracking who have had official involvement with the Court, as well as children on probation placed in therapeutic foster care under the auspices of the Portage County Department of Job and Family Services.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE ASSESSMENTS 2020

The Court's Substance Abuse Services processed (64) referrals for chemical dependency assessments during 2020. A total of two (2) youths were subsequently referred immediately following assessment for inpatient/residential chemical dependency treatment.

There were an additional thirty-seven (37) referrals for individual chemical dependency counseling services. There were two (2) youths referred to substance abuse insight programs.

The following table is a break down, based on referral source, of the total number of assessments conducted, followed by the treatment recommendations generated for the different levels of care, and finally some biographical information regarding the juvenile's assessed.

2020

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2020

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Race													
White	6	5	3	2	1	6	3	3	12	1	3	2	47
Black		1				2			1	2		1	7
Hispanic												1	1
Asian													
Bi-Racial- Other	3	2				1	1		1		1		9
TOTAL	9	8	3	2	1	9	4	3	14	3	4	4	64
Gender													
Male	6	4	2	2	1	5	3	1	9	2	3	4	42
Female	3	4	1			4	1	2	5	1	1		22
TOTAL	9	8	3	2	1	9	4	3	14	3	4	4	64

**Treatment was refused.*

ELECTRONIC MONITORING

ALTERNATIVE TO DETENTION

The Alternative to Detention Program provides a dispositional alternative to secure detention for youth adjudicated of Misdemeanor or Felony level offenses. The program also serves as an alternative to youth being detained prior to adjudication.

Program participants are constantly monitored via electronic, telephone and personal contacts. Youth are permitted to leave their home only for educational, medical, occupational and spiritual purposes.

Number of Youth Ordered to Program.....	18
Number of Youth Successfully Completed.....	18
Number of Youth Unsuccessfully Completed.....	1
Number of Youth Carried Over Into 2020.....	3
Other.....	0

ALTERNATIVE TO DETENTION PROGRAM

The Alternative to Detention statistics from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 are as follows:

		PERCENTAGE
TOTAL YOUTH PLACED IN PROGRAM	18	100.00%
MALE	15	83.33%
FEMALE	3	16.67%
CAUCASIAN	7	38.89%
AFRICAN-AMERICAN	9	50.00%
HISPANIC	0	0.00%
BI-RACIAL	2	11.11%
SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED PROGRAM	18	100.00%
UNCOMPLETED AT TIME OF REPORT	2	11.11%
UNSUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED PROGRAM	1	5.56%
OTHER*	0	0.00%

* Removed from program for reasons not related to behavior.

Age of Program Participants

<u>AGE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
12	0	0.00%
13	0	0.00%
14	1	5.56%
15	4	22.22%
16	4	22.22%
17	8	44.44%
18	1	5.56%

Average age of youth placed into the program was 16.22 years. Total of 113 contacts were made with the 18 youth placed in the Alternative to Detention Program.

HOUSE ARREST

The House Arrest program is designed to monitor youth placed on house arrest through a court order. Youth may be ordered into the program pre-adjudicatory, pre-disposition, or as a disposition.

Program participants are monitored through home and school contacts made by the House Arrest Officer and a Probation Officer. Contacts are generally made during evening and weekend hours. Youth are permitted to leave their home with a parent or guardian or for educational, medical, occupational and spiritual purposes.

Number of Youth Ordered to Program.....	20
Number of Youth Successfully Complete.....	27
Number of Youth Unsuccessfully Completed.....	1
Number of Youth Carried Over Into 2020.....	12
Number of Pre-Adjudicatory Youth.....	15
Number of Pre-Disposition Youth.....	4
Number of Disposition Youth.....	1

HOUSE ARREST

The Alternative to Detention statistics from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 are as follows:

		PERCENTAGE
TOTAL YOUTH PLACED IN PROGRAM	20	100.00%
MALE	14	76.74%
FEMALE	6	23.26%
CAUCASIAN	12	62.79%
AFRICAN-AMERICAN	2	20.93%
HISPANIC	1	0.00%
BI-RACIAL	5	16.28%
SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED PROGRAM	27	65.12%
UNCOMPLETED AT TIME OF REPORT	4	27.91%
UNSUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED PROGRAM	1	6.98%
OTHER*	0	0.00%

* Removed from program for reasons not related to behavior.

Age of Program Participants

<u>AGE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
10	0	0.00%
11	0	0.00%
12	0	0.00%
13	3	15.00%
14	0	00.00%
15	7	35.00%
16	3	15.00%
17	5	25.00%
18	2	10.00 %

Average age of youth placed into the program was 15.65 years. Total of 93 contacts were made with the 20 youth placed in the House Arrest Program.

Department of Probation Services

The Department of Probation Services consists of two divisions: Intensive Probation and Regular Probation. Officers are responsible for supervising youth and enforcing probation terms, as well as assisting with rehabilitation. This consists of office, school, and home community-based contacts by Officers. Both divisions assist youth in meeting treatment needs through the coordination and monitoring of case planning.

The Department of Probation Services utilizes the Ohio Youth Assessment System risk assessment tool to develop formal written case plans. These plans discuss the short- and long-term goals of probation, promoting ways for the youth to meet those goals by using strengths and identifying barriers. Officers solicit input from the youth and parents/guardians in order to complete a signed and agreed upon plan.

Probation staff is trained in Effective Practices in Community Supervision (EPICS). Additional targeted interventions are incorporated using Brief Intervention Tools (BITS) directed by Carey Guides. These successful Evidence Based Programs (EBP) are designed to reduce recidivism by addressing delinquent behaviors via the risk, need and responsivity principles of medium to high-risk offenders.

The Probation Department has two trained and certified Officers that implement Cognitive Behavior Intervention for Substance Abuse (CBI-SA) programming. This program was developed by the University of Cincinnati and designed for substance abusing moderate to high-risk youth. It uses a cognitive behavioral approach done in a group setting by teaching participants how to identify, avoid, and manage triggers. The program targets adolescent's using behaviors by way of identifying thoughts, feelings and actions that directly impact their illicit substance use. The two Officers, along with a Court employed licensed chemical dependency counselor, who is also certified in CBI-SA, facilitate the program on a weekly basis for thirty-nine weeks.

The Department of Probation Services conducted six (6) Ohio Department of Youth Services Evaluations and twelve (12) Pre-Dispositional Investigations for the Judiciary. Two youths (2) were committed to the Ohio Department of Youth Services in the calendar year. Three (3) adolescents were sent to a Community Correctional Facility.

Of all youths on Probation at the end of 2020: Ninety-seven percent (97%) were enrolled in school, graduated, obtained a General Equivalency Diploma, or were participating in an alternative educational program. Additionally, eighty-three percent (83%) were referred, involved or completed mental health and/or substance abuse services during 2020.

The global COVID pandemic resulted in many challenges of community-based supervision for the year 2020. The probation department responded by increased, daily contacts with all probationers by way of phone and technological tools. Higher risk youths were prioritized for face-to-face contacts with probation. By the end of 2020, the Probation Department had made over 17,000 contacts while monitoring youths during the pandemic.

Intensive Probation 2020

The Intensive Probation Department is the highest level of supervision for an offender. Probation Officers provide a highly structured system of supervision ranging from four (4) contacts per week to a minimum of one (1) contact per week. Youth in this program are typically felony or chronic offenders at risk of being committed to the Ohio Department of Youth Services.

New Cases Received	17
Release from Probation	12
End of Year Caseload	29

New Cases Received	17	100%
Releases	12	100%
Admission Unruly	0	0%
Admission Misdemeanor	1	6%
Admission Felony	16	94%
Males	14	82.4%
Females	3	17.6%
Caucasian	13	76.5%
African American	4	23.5%
Pre-Disp. Investigations	5	
Dept. of Youth Sev. Evals	3	

Contacts – 2020

Home	55
School	53
Office	189
Other/Phone	4542
Total	4839

Regular Probation 2020

The Regular Probation Department is responsible for supervising any youth ordered by the Court. Probation terms and case plans are implemented which the youth are required to follow. Youth in this program meet weekly with Probation Officers for the first month of supervision. Staff has the discretion of gradually stepping down the level of supervision dependant upon a child's behavior and progress. Youth in this program have been adjudicated on felony, misdemeanor and unruly offenses.

New Cases Received	80
Release from Probation	61
End of Year Caseload	59

New Cases Received	80	100%
Releases	61	100%
Admission Unruly	1	1.25%
Admission Misdemeanor	76	95%
Admission Felony	3	3.75%
Males	52	65%
Females	28	35%
Caucasian	60	75%
African American	20	25%
Pre-Disp. Investigations	7	
Dept. of Youth Sev. Evals	3	

Contacts – 2020

Home	216
School	209
Office	443
Other/Phone	11547
Total	12415

CBI-SA

Cognitive Behavior Intervention for Substance Abuse (CBI-SA) is an evidence based program developed by the University of Cincinnati Corrections Institute designed for youth that have been identified as moderate to high risk in the area of substance abuse. CBI-SA is divided into six (6) modules which consist of Motivational Engagement, Cognitive Restructuring, Emotional Regulation, Social Skills, Problem Solving and Relapse Prevention. Sessions are held each Wednesday at Portage County Juvenile Court for thirty-nine (39) weeks. Each session is 1 ½ hours in length. CBI-SA is conducted in a group setting facilitated by Certified Juvenile Court Staff. Youth will spend a significant amount of time learning and practicing new methods of handling high risk situations related to substance abuse. Groups will focus on exploring individual triggers and how they contribute to participants' substance abuse. Further, the program will teach ways to identify, avoid and manage such triggers as well as associated urges to use.

The global COVID-19 pandemic impacted the ability to provide in-person group services during the year 2020. Initial referrals of CBI-SA at the onset of 2020, were suspended in March due to State restrictions placed upon the gathering of groups. By the end of 2020, new referrals were accepted resulting in a female CBI-SA group slated to begin mid-January 2021.

GIRLS CIRCLE PROGRAM

The Court has a gender specific program model for females in the department. The girls are identified by Court Officers for participation in the group. The Girls Circle Model consists of eight (8) structured weeks of groups designed to foster self-esteem, helps girls maintain a connection with peers and adult women in the community, work on self-doubt, and allow for self-expression through verbal sharing in group and participating in creative activities.

In 2020, seven (7) girls participated in the group and completed the necessary requirements.

JUVENILE TRAFFIC OFFENDER DIVERSION PROGRAM

CARTEENS

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(Caution and Responsibility and Teens)

The Court, in conjunction with the Ohio State University Extension Office of Portage County and the Ohio State Patrol Office Post 67, instituted a juvenile traffic diversion program for youth with waivable and in some cases non-waivable traffic offenses upon the consent of the judicial officer.

The Carteens Program is conducted once a month for a 2 to 3 hour class. The teen driver and one parent are required to attend. The youth's traffic violation is stayed until the completion of the Diversion Program. The traffic citation will be dismissed if the youth successfully completes the Diversion Program, have no further traffic violations for six (6) months and pay court costs.

The parents of the teen driver benefit from the program by having the citation dismissed, thus, saving potential increases in the teen driver's insurance rates; and by having no points assessed to the teen driver.

The Carteen Safety Program's goals include reducing a number of repeat juvenile traffic offenders, decreasing the number of teen traffic offenders and increasing teen awareness of traffic/vehicular safety.

2020 STATISTICAL DATA

94 teen traffic offenders were referred to the program. 75 completed the program requirements at the conclusion of 2020. 47 referrals scheduled into the program in 2021. 0 youth failed to attend the program.