

2023 HENRICO POLICE CRIME STATISTICS APPLICATION OF FORCE

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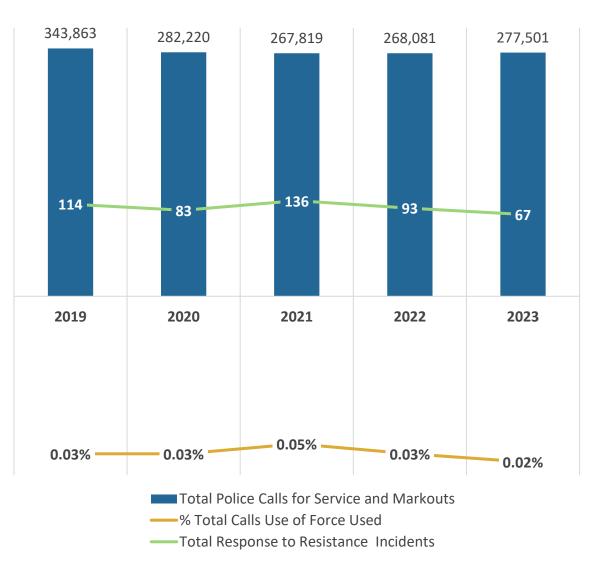
There were twenty-six (26) less responses to resistance during 2023 than the previous year, a 27.96% decrease, despite responding to 9,200 more service calls. The prior three-year average is 104 responses to resistance. There was a 35.6% reduction in responses from this average during 2023.

The Henrico County Police Division experienced a repeated and significant decrease in the number of response to resistance incidents in 2023 from the prior two years. Officers' responses to resistance were less than half of the 2021 quantity.





TOTAL AND PERCENT OF APPLICATION OF FORCE INCIDENTS COMPARED TO TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE AND POLICE MARK OUTS PER CALENDAR YEAR, 2019-2023



Call for Service: Request for police services Mark Out: Police-initiated activity/service

TIME OF DAY RESISTANCE INCIDENTS OCCUR, 2019-2023

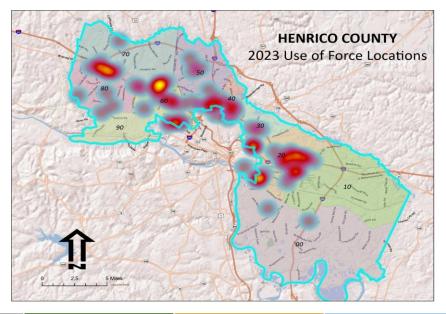


TIME OF YEAR RESISTANCE INCIDENTS OCCUR, 2019-2023





In 2023, **Patrol West Station** accounted for 35.23% of response to resistance incidents, **Patrol Central** for 22.73%, and **Patrol South** responded to 26.14% of the incidents.



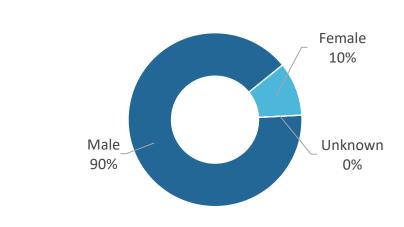
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Location/Police Sections Involved	% Total Incidents				
Patrol West	33.91%	31.13%	45.99%	38.69%	35.23%
Patrol Central	29.57%	20.48%	23.21%	27.74%	22.73%
Patrol South	26.07%	38.55%	21.10%	21.17%	26.14%
Canine	-	-	-	-	-
School Services Unit	6.96%	3.61%	1.27%	2.19%	4.55%
Emergency Response Team	-	-	-	-	-
Special Operations Group	1.74%	4.82%	2.11%	8.03%	11.36%
Office of the Chief	0.87%	-	-	-	-
Community Policing	.87%	-	1.27%	-	-
Criminal Investigations Section	-	-	2.11%	2.19%	-
Off Duty	0.00%	2.41%	2.95%	-	-

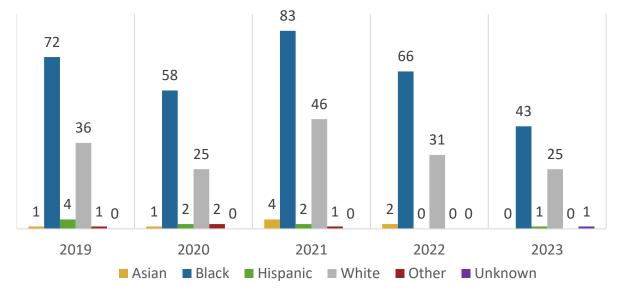


RACE/ETHNICITY OF SUBJECTS PER CALENDAR YEAR, 2019-2023

In 2023, the subjects involved in use of force incidents ranged from age 14 to 63 years old, with an average age of 32 years old.

GENDER OF TOTAL USE OF FORCE SUBJECTS, 2023





	20	19	20	20	20	21	20	22	20	23
Race/Ethnicity	Instances	% Total Incidents								
Asian	1	1%	1	1.12%	4	2.90%	2	2.02%	0	0%
Black	72	63%	58	65.17%	83	61.03%	66	66.67%	43	61.4%
Hispanic	4	4%	2	2.25%	2	1.99%	-	0%	1	1.4%
White	36	32%	25	29.21%	46	33.82%	31	31.31%	25	35.7%
Other	1	1%	2	2.25%	1	.74%	-	0%	-	0%
Unknown	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	1	1.4%

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APPLICATIONS OF FORCE APPLIED IN ALL USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS, 2019-2023

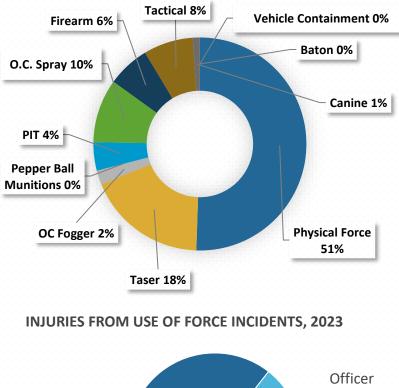
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Force Applied	Applications of Force	Applications of Force	Applications of Force	Applications of Force	Applications of Force
Physical Force	121	92	194	106	47
Taser	23	12	19	15	17
O.C. Fogger	6	11	-	1	2
Pepper Ball Munitions	-	11	-	-	-
PIT	7	11	6	-	4
O.C. Spray	-	13	2	16	9
Firearm	1	1	2	6	6
Tactical	-	-	3	2	7
Canine	1	-	1	-	1
Baton	1	-	1	-	-
Vehicle Containments with intentional contact*	-	-	-	5	-
TOTAL	160	151	228	151	93

*Due to multiple Division policy changes, vehicle containments with intentional contact is now included in application of force data.

An incident and/or individual may necessitate multiple applications of force. PIT: Vehicular Precision Immobilization Technique

Source: Professional Standards, Quality Assurance Use of Force Analysis

USE OF FORCE APPLIED BY TYPE, 2023



Suspect Injuries 71.43%

Injuries are defined for reporting purposes as pain/soreness, bruising/swelling, abrasions/lacerations, exposure to chemical agents or Taser barbs, fractures, stabbing/ gunshot/puncture wounds or other injuries not experienced prior to the encounter. Police Division policy strictly dictates appropriate medical intervention for injured persons, including for perceived minor injuries.

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REASONS FOR RESISTANCE, 2021-2023

	20	2021		22	2023	
Subject's Reason for Resistance	# of Incidents	% of Incidents	# of Incidents	% of Incidents	# of Incidents	% of Incidents
Wanted	16	11.76%	17	17%	16	22.54%
No reason given	26	19.12%	30	30%	21	29.58%
Mental Health Crisis	28	20.59%	9	9%	14	19.72%
Intoxicated/Drug	45	33.09%	29	29%	10	14.08%
Scared	6	4.41%	6	6%	1	1.41%
Other	15	11.03%	9	9%	9	12.68%

REASONS FOR APPLICATION OF FORCE, 2021-2023

OR AFFLICATION OF FORCE, 2021-2025	2021	2022	2023	
Citizen Action/ Officer's Reason for Force	% of Incidents	% of Incidents	% of Incidents	
Passive	6.45%	6.62%	6.36%	
Active	28.11%	40.44%	53.64%	
Assaultive	12.44%	38.24%	28.18%	
Life Threatening / Serious Bodily Injury	2.76%	9.56%	8.18%	
Other	9.22%	5.15%	3.64%	

Source: Professional Standards, Quality Assurance Use of Force Analysis