

MEMORANDUM

Milpitas Police Department



DATE: February 22, 2022
TO: Mayor and Councilmembers
THROUGH: Steve McHarris, City Manager
FROM: Jared Hernandez, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: 2021 Crime Data – Unhoused Population

This Information Memorandum is in response to a request made by Mayor Tran. Below please find Crime Statistics for “Persons Crimes” (Homicide, Robbery, Rape, Assault with a Deadly Weapon, Aggravated Assault, and Simple Assault) and “Property Crimes” (Residential Burglary, Commercial Burglary, Petty Theft, Grand Theft, Auto Theft, and Arson) involving the unhoused population for Calendar Year 2021. It’s important to note that this data does not include any crimes that went unreported.

Transient Related Crime Data

The below data set reflects all person crimes and property crimes where the suspect was listed transient and was arrested or cited. Persons are deemed to be transient based on their own characterization of their living situation. In some cases, a suspect was identified but no arrest or citation occurred. These cases are reflected in the italicized text below each table. In some cases, we found there were more than one person involved in an arrest or citation.

In the tables below, for each type of crime, staff included a row titled “All Cases.” This row reflects all arrests and citations to include Transient and Non-Transient offenders. Staff also included a row titled “Transient.” This row reflects the number of arrests and citations where the person arrested identified themselves as a transient.

Person Crimes

| | Arrests | Citations | Total Cases |
|------------------|---------|-----------|-------------|
| All Cases | 278 | 54 | 332 |
| Transient | 55 | 2 | 57 |

**There were 40 cases where the suspect was identified as a Transient, but no arrest or citation occurred*

Property Crimes

| | Arrests | Citations | Total Cases |
|------------------|---------|-----------|-------------|
| All Cases | 129 | 75 | 204 |
| Transient | 38 | 10 | 48 |

**There were 30 cases where the suspect was identified as a Transient, but no arrest or citation occurred*