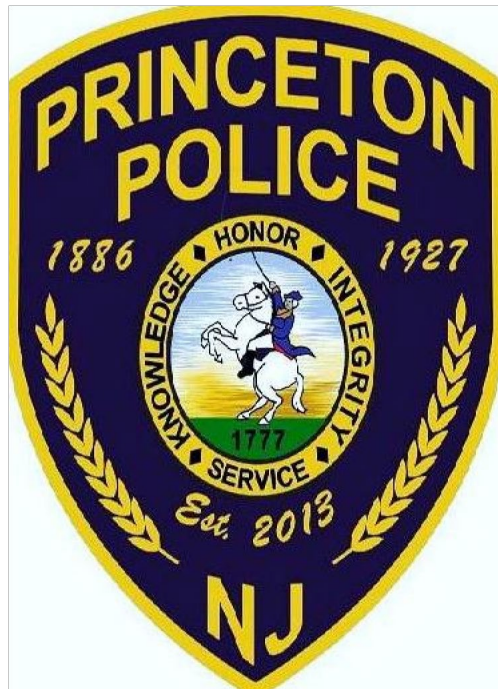


**PRINCETON POLICE
DEPARTMENT
CHIEF'S MONTHLY REPORT**



**APRIL
2026**

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Community Relations Bureau Monthly Report (CRB)

April 2026

Activities to Note:

- ❖ CRB attended a meeting with the Princeton High School administration to discuss engagement opportunities for the Princeton Police Department to interact with staff and students.
- ❖ CRB joined Human Services in assisting the Arm In Arm organization with packaging food for the community at Nassau Presbyterian Church.
- ❖ CRB is excited to announce that applications are now open for the 2026 Youth Police Academy! Although the event was not held last year, we are looking forward to bringing it back better than ever this year.

PRINCETON POLICE DEPARTMENT

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YOUTH POLICE ACADEMY 2026

APPLICATIONS OPEN!

REQUIREMENTS	LOCATION	TIME
OPEN TO PRINCETON STUDENTS ENTERING 6 TH , 7 TH , OR 8 TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER	1 VALLEY ROAD, PRINCETON, NJ 08540	8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

LIMITED TO 20 STUDENTS

JULY 13TH THROUGH JULY 17TH, 2026

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CRIME SCENE

SCAN TO APPLY

- ❖ CRB assisted with a Drop-Off Safety Collaboration Initiative alongside the staff and students at Community Park School.
- ❖ CRB officers partnered with Lululemon Run Club and hosted Coffee with a Cop at Sakrid. This collaboration reflects the value of strong partnerships between local businesses and public safety agencies.



- ❖ CRB, Cpl. Lattin and K-9 Ellie met with the children at the Stone Hill Learning Center to read to them and teach them about policing and public safety.
- ❖ CRB met with Resistencia en accion to help plan for the International Workers Day Parade on May 1st.
- ❖ CRB led the recruitment process which began with its first phase of the application process, the Physical Fitness test during the month of April.

- ❖ The Princeton Police Department, Princeton Health Department, and Princeton Human Services joined together and collaborated at the @princetonfarmersmarket. This was a great opportunity for the public and community stakeholders to connect with their public servants in an informal setting.



- ❖ CRB spearheaded the implementation of e-bike patrols as part of its community policing and public safety efforts. Residents will begin to see officers on bicycles throughout town, particularly in high-traffic and pedestrian areas.



- ❖ CRB organized the 2026 Citizens Police Academy, which kicked off in April. Week 1 began with an orientation led by Chief Solovay, welcoming the Class of 2026 and giving participants an inside look at the department, its mission, and the work ahead over the next eight weeks.



- ❖ CRB hosted National Take our Children to Work Day. The children had an opportunity to meet many officers, take a police station tour and learn some of the basics of public safety.



Princeton Police Department
Detective Bureau
Monthly Report – April 2026

Cases Assigned This Month	Running Open Investigations	Cases Closed This Month
20	24	10

Juvenile Report

Juvenile Petition	Station House Adjustment	Curb Side Warnings
0	0	2

Background Investigations

Solicitor	Firearms	PFARS	Dispatch	Megan’s Law Registrations	Ride Along
2	7	0	0	0	2

Comparison

- April 2026: 20 cases assigned
- YTD 2026: 147 cases assigned
- April 2025: 43 cases assigned
- YTD: 2025: 189 cases assigned

Firearms

- April 2026: 7
- Total YTD 2026: 42
- Permit to Carry April 2026: 1
- Permit to Carry YTD 2026: 4
- April 2025: 9
- Total YTD 2025: 36
- Permit to Carry April 2025: 3
- Permit to Carry YTD 2025: 5

ARRESTS

	<u>Jan</u>	<u>Feb</u>	<u>Mar</u>	<u>Apr</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>Jun</u>	<u>Jul</u>	<u>Aug</u>	<u>Sep</u>	<u>Oct</u>	<u>Nov</u>	<u>Dec</u>	<u>YTD</u>
<u>2026</u>	13	13	8	12									46
<u>2025</u>	12	11	10	11	14	11	20	11	15	24	14	13	166
<u>2024</u>	15	14	14	12	11	15	11	15	14	13	14	12	160
<u>2023</u>	11	11	16	16	13	15	17	17	8	8	9	9	150
<u>2022</u>	16	7	19	9	17	15	11	12	10	15	11	10	152
<u>2021</u>	5	9	4	4	4	6	8	11	11	11	17	10	100

POLICE CALLS FOR SERVICE

	<u>Jan</u>	<u>Feb</u>	<u>Mar</u>	<u>Apr</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>Jun</u>	<u>Jul</u>	<u>Aug</u>	<u>Sep</u>	<u>Oct</u>	<u>Nov</u>	<u>Dec</u>	<u>YTD</u>
<u>2026</u>	3,957	3,787	3,996	4,182									15,922
<u>2025</u>	2,971	3,135	3,116	3,688	3,401	3,311	3,285	3,130	3,302	3,182	3,114	3,228	38,863
<u>2024</u>	3,410	3,153	3,355	3,986	4,310	3,785	3,413	3,385	3,349	3,438	2,945	2,777	41,306
<u>2023</u>	3,116	2,989	3,011	2,925	3,335	2,897	2,617	2,737	2,899	2,969	2,700	2,655	34,850
<u>2022</u>	2,696	2,709	3,029	3,069	3,197	3,186	2,710	2,612	2,999	3,399	2,914	2,768	35,288
<u>2021</u>	1,772	1,760	2,193	2,301	2,582	2,569	2,658	2,865	3,048	3,133	2,770	2,494	30,145

APRIL OFFENSES

	<u>April 2021</u>	<u>April 2022</u>	<u>April 2023</u>	<u>April 2024</u>	<u>April 2025</u>	<u>April 2026</u>	<u>YTD 2026</u>
Assault/Aggravated	0	1	0	2	0	3	4
Assault/Simple	4	1	1	2	1	6	26
Burglary	2	1	3	3	1	0	2
Burglary to Vehicle	10	2	1	2	0	0	2
Criminal Mischief	5	3	8	5	5	5	18
CDS Possession – Marijuana	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
CDS Possession – Heroin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUI	1	3	5	3	4	1	10
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sexual Assault	1	1	1	0	2	0	3
Theft	8	11	22	20	10	10	43
TOTAL	31	23	42	37	23	26	109

APRIL NON-CRIMINAL INCIDENTS

<u>NON-CRIMINAL INCIDENTS</u>	<u>April 2021</u>	<u>April 2022</u>	<u>April 2023</u>	<u>April 2024</u>	<u>April 2025</u>	<u>April 2026</u>	<u>YTD 2026</u>
Alarms Auto	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Alarms Burglar	1	1	0	1	0	0	1
Alarms Commercial Burglar	16	24	18	28	17	13	68
Alarms Commercial Fire	19	18	33	19	31	30	122
Alarms Fire	4	1	4	2	2	1	9
Alarms Medical	14	7	8	8	11	20	63
Alarms Other	4	4	2	3	2	9	26
Alarms Panic	8	8	2	3	3	5	13
Alarms Residential Burglar	41	38	43	40	34	35	131
Alarms Residential Fire	14	15	15	11	24	15	66
Animal Complaints	24	17	11	23	22	16	54
Emotionally Disturbed Person	7	21	13	10	20	1	48
Fire (Other) Gas, Odor of Smoke	10	9	14	24	16	13	49
Fire Commercial	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Fire Dwelling	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Fire Vehicle	0	0	1	2	0	1	1
Firearms Applicant	8	8	7	4	6	9	42
Foot Patrol	84	86	64	81	137	68	260
Medical Call	156	147	182	198	209	204	779
Missing Person	0	3	3	2	2	3	9
Motor Vehicle Stop	90	680	429	552	649	813	2937
MVC Involving Injury	7	6	9	9	9	7	30
MVC No Injury	41	38	55	59	44	41	186
MVC No Report	6	10	6	4	6	12	37
MVC With Bicycle	0	0	2	2	1	4	6
MVC With Deer	1	0	1	2	0	3	9
MVC With Pedestrian	21	3	1	3	0	0	1
Noise Complaint	122	20	30	16	12	20	70
School Crossing	21	102	114	14	25	35	80
School Detail	0	4	15	112	27	44	247
Urinating in Public	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Non-Criminal – TOTAL	722	1,270	1,083	1,232	1,311	1,424	5,353

APRIL SUMMONSES

<u>SUMMONS TYPE</u>	<u>April 2021</u>	<u>April 2022</u>	<u>April 2023</u>	<u>April 2024</u>	<u>April 2025</u>	<u>April 2026</u>	<u>YTD 2026</u>
All Other (ordinances/moving)	22	74	82	137	120	101	475
Careless Driving	21	34	22	29	28	31	136
Cell Phone	1	48	7	8	26	3	7
Driving While Intoxicated	1	3	6	3	4	1	11
Driving While Suspended	0	12	9	10	24	5	48
Failure to Exhibit Documents	1	6	8	10	3	10	34
Failure to Inspect	1	9	9	16	19	20	56
Failure to Wear Seatbelt	1	9	1	3	7	3	7
Failure to Yield to Pedestrian in Crosswalk	4	19	6	3	2	1	15
Maintenance of Lamps	0	2	3	11	3	6	29
Speeding	14	58	46	57	35	95	286
Uninsured Motorist	0	7	1	8	5	3	14
Unlicensed Driver	2	8	4	7	7	6	26
Unregistered Vehicle	3	26	27	48	63	62	211
Total Summonses	71	315	231	350	346	347	1355

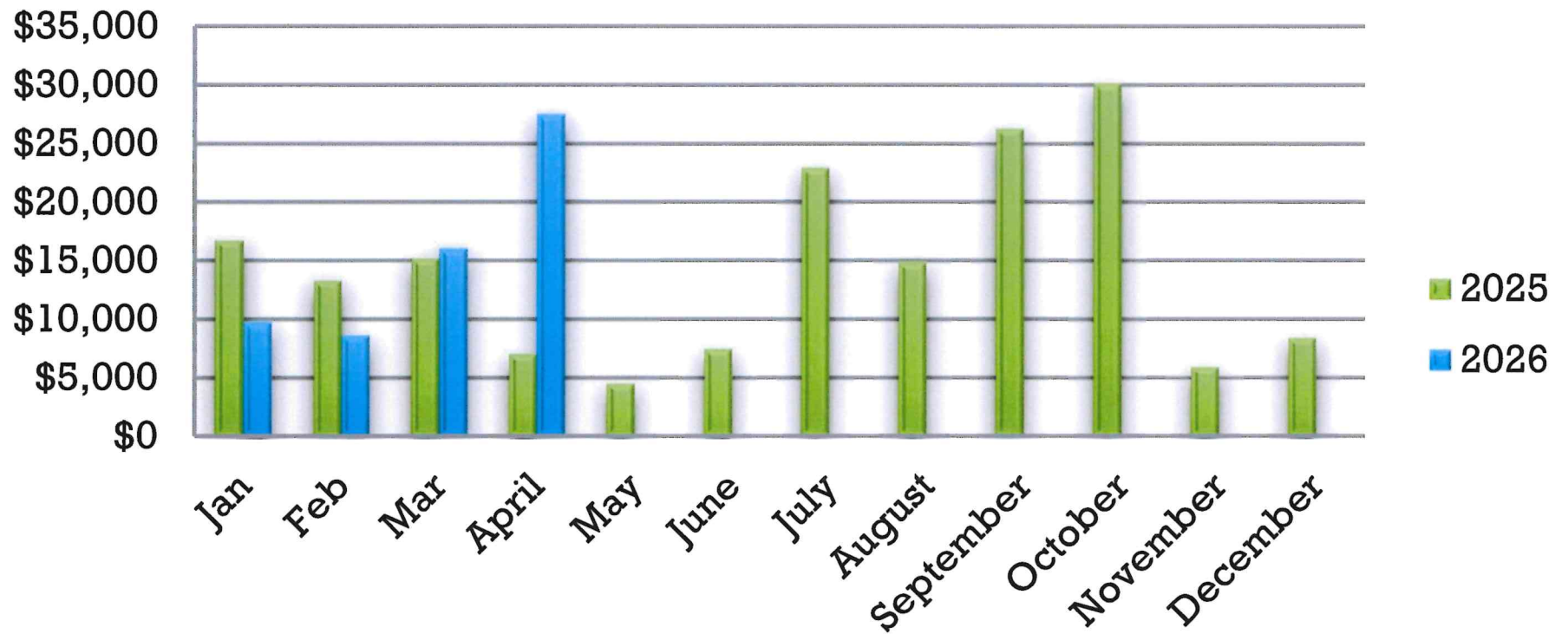
APRIL PARKING VIOLATIONS

<u>PARKING ORDINANCE</u>	<u>April 2021</u>	<u>April 2022</u>	<u>April 2023</u>	<u>April 2024</u>	<u>April 2025</u>	<u>April 2026</u>	<u>YTD 2026</u>
Bus Zone	0	2	0	2	0	0	0
Loading Zone	59	56	75	13	84	87	357
Parking Within Designated Parking Stalls	11	11	19	14	42	21	135
No Parking Zones/Anytime	11	63	57	43	129	108	301
Park Between 2AM & 6AM 1hr Limit	0	0	0	144	4	142	438
Parking Limit 2 hrs. Between 8AM & 6PM	0	17	40	11	22	53	241
Park Between 2AM & 6AM in Municipal Yard	0	0	0	0	26	0	0
Meters	875	1752	1501	547	1832	1147	4391
Meter Feeding	0	3	9	7	0	1	1
Parking in Handicap Space	0	0	5	1	1	2	9
All Others	30	65	115	70	173	124	427
Total - Parking Violations	986	1969	1821	852	2313	1685	6300

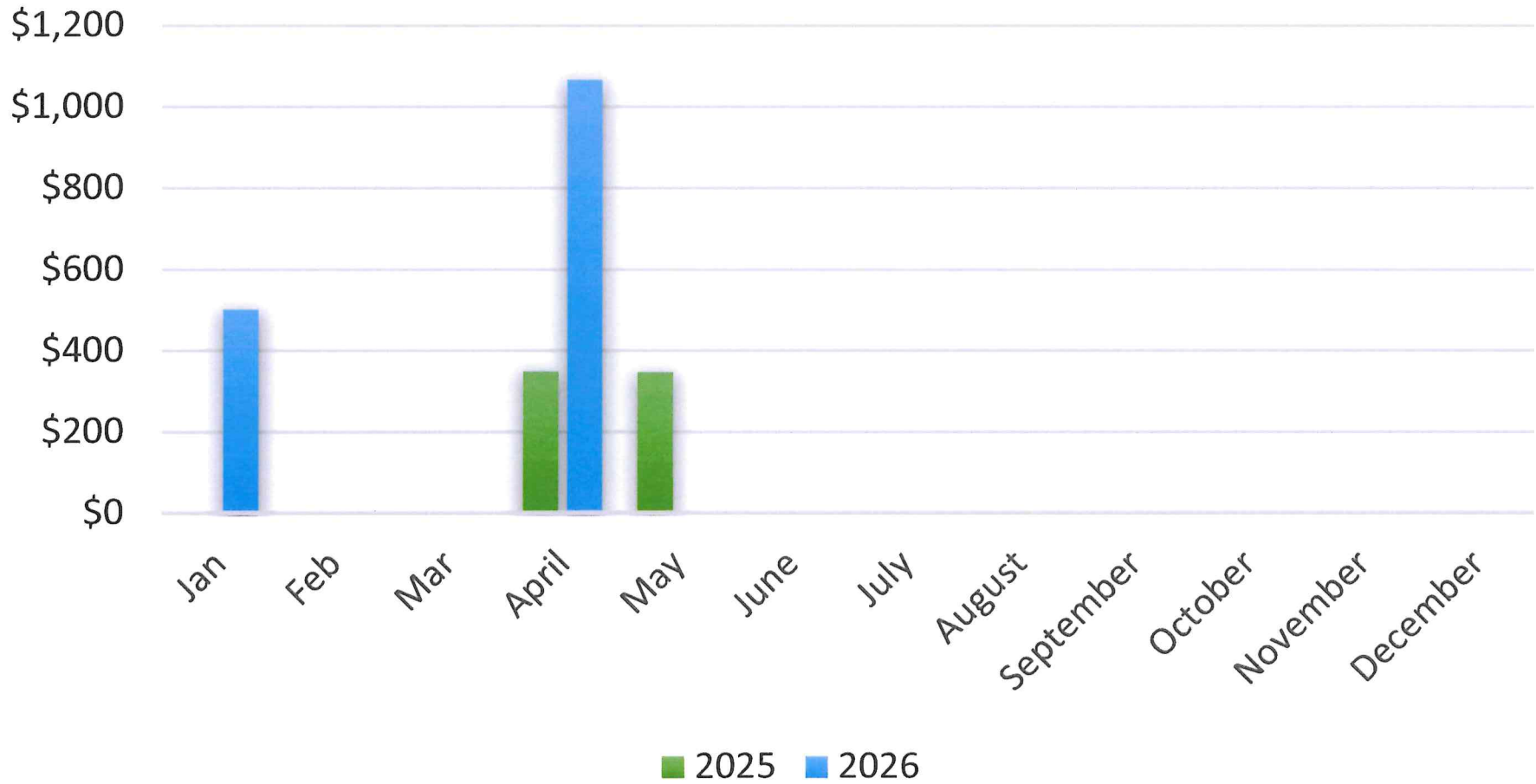
APRIL ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS

<u>ORDINANCE VIOLATION</u>	<u>April 2021</u>	<u>April 2022</u>	<u>April 2023</u>	<u>April 2024</u>	<u>April 2025</u>	<u>April 2026</u>	<u>YTD 2026</u>
Bicycles/Skateboards Prohibited	0	0	1	0	0	2	2
Consumption of Alcohol in Park	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction After Hours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dog Without a Leash	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
False Alarm – 2nd Offense	3	3	0	0	1	0	0
False Alarm – 3rd Offense	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
False Alarm – 4th Offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Failure to Register Alarm	0	9	0	2	0	0	1
Failure to Remove Snow	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Idling Vehicle	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
In Park After Hours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Left Turn Prohibited	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Littering	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Noise Complaint	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
No U-turn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Open Container	0	0	0	1	4	0	2
Other	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Overweight Vehicle	1	3	5	2	0	0	1
Urinating in Public	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
TOTAL	4	17	8	6	6	2	15

Patrol Overtime



Detective Overtime





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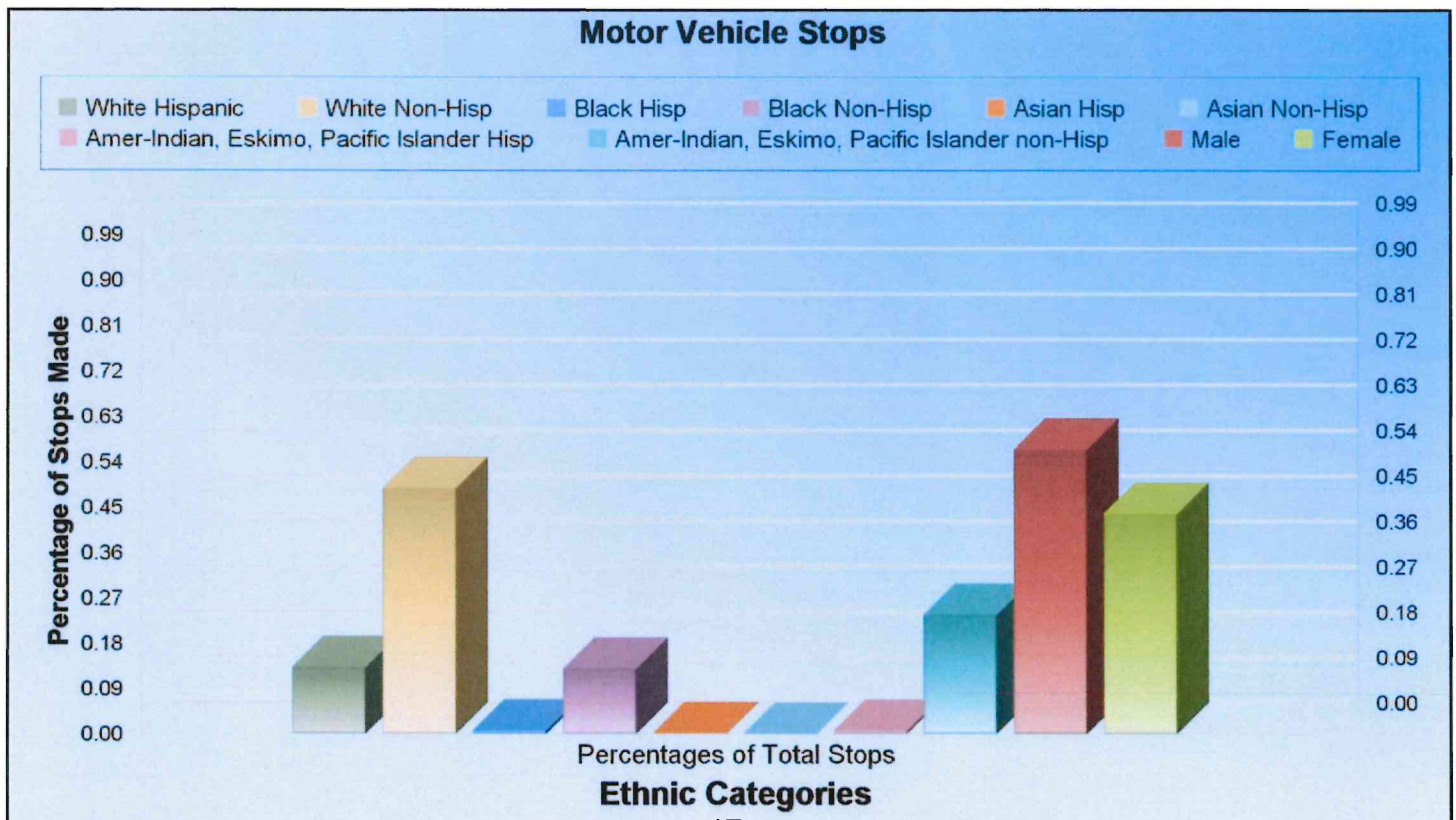
Gender & Ethnicity Report - MV Stops

Total MV Stops: 813

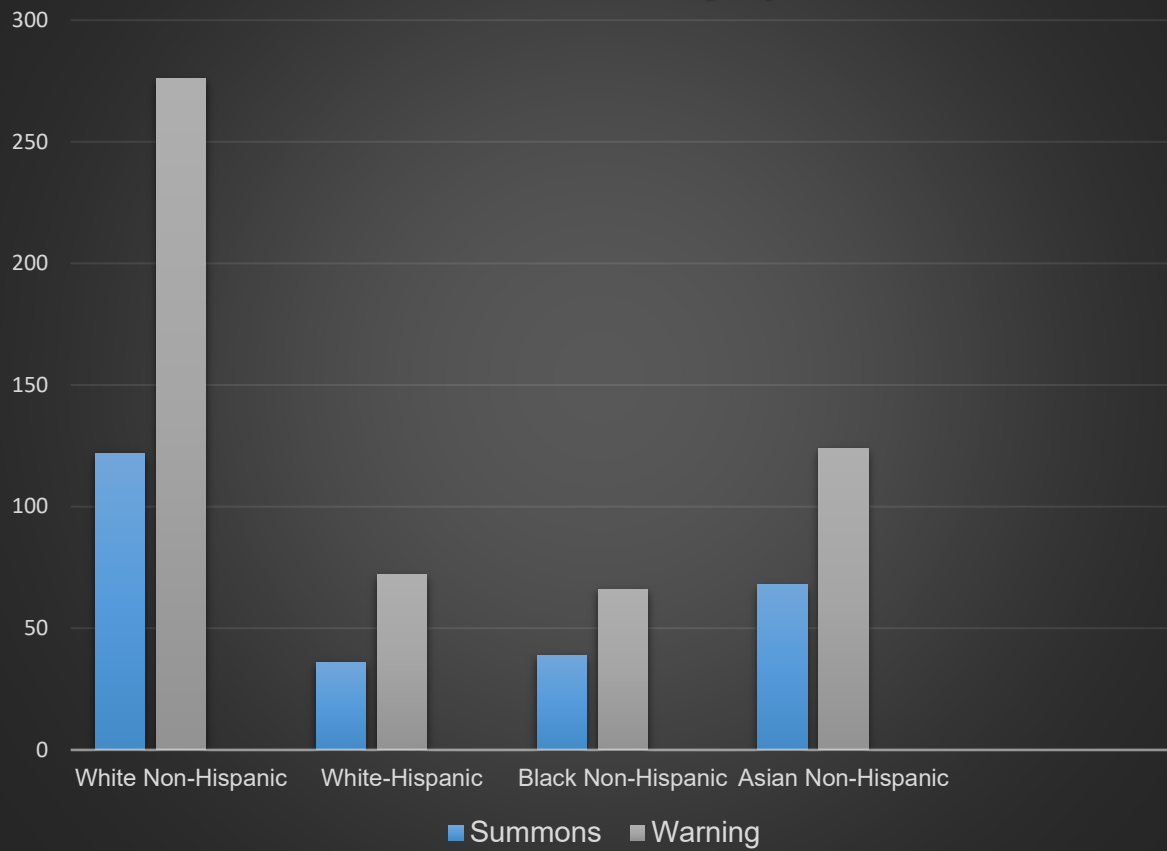


Gender / Ethnic breakdown shown in percentages of overall number of MV Stops

Race Code	Total #	Percentage
White Hisp.	108	13.28%
White Non Hisp.	397	48.83%
Black Hisp.	5	0.62%
Black Non-Hisp.	105	12.92%
Native Amer/Eskimo Hisp.	1	0.12%
Native Amer/Eskimo Non-Hisp.	0	0.00%
Asian Hisp.	5	0.62%
Asian Non-Hisp	192	23.62%
Male	458	56.33%
Female	355	43.67%



APRIL 2026 Summons vs. Warning by Race



Native American or Eskimo – a person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Americas and maintaining cultural identification through tribal affiliations or community recognition.

Asian or Pacific Islander – a person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian subcontinent or the Pacific Islands.

Black – a person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa

White – a person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or Middle East

**PRINCETON POLICE DEPARTMENT
APRIL YEAR-TO-DATE (2021 to 2026) MVC REPORT**

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2026</u>		<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2026</u>
<u>VEHICLES INVOLVED</u>	284	329	435	394	414	386	<u>ROAD CONDITIONS</u>						
							Dry:	136	149	195	167	187	167
<u>INJURIES INVOLVED</u>	28	23	44	30	35	33	Wet:	14	23	39	36	20	13
							Snow:	14	4	0	11	14	27
<u>CRASHES WITH INJURIES</u>	24	20	33	26	32	30	Ice:	1	8	1	4	3	7
							Other:	0	1	0	0	0	2
<u>PROPERTY DAMAGE CRASHES</u>	25	19	33	15	21	18	<u>TOTAL:</u>	165	185	235	218	224	216
							<u>CRASHES INVOLVING DEER</u>	10	8	7	8	6	9
							<u>SUMMONS ISSUED</u>	118	153	169	196	196	180
<u>DAYLIGHT/DARKNESS</u>							<u>CRASHES INVOLVING PEDESTRIANS</u>						
Daylight:	135	135	186	177	173	180	Injury:	7	5	2	6	7	1
Darkness:	30	50	49	41	51	36	Non-Injury:	0	0	1	0	0	0
Unknown:	0	0	0	0	0	0	Fatal:	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>TOTAL:</u>	165	185	235	218	224	216	Other:	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>NUMBER OF CRASHES BY DAY</u>							<u>CRASHES INVOLVING BICYCLISTS</u>						
Unknown:	0	0	0	0	0	0	Injury:	0	2	4	2	3	5
Monday:	21	19	31	26	35	26	Non-Injury:	0	0	0	2	0	0
Tuesday:	36	27	45	36	40	27	Fatal:	0	0	0	0	0	1
Wednesday:	18	34	35	38	29	33	Other:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thursday:	16	32	46	42	35	27	<u>CRASHES INVOLVING MOTORCYCLES</u>						
Friday:	29	37	46	37	48	32	Injury:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saturday:	28	26	12	22	28	36	Non-Injury:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sunday:	17	10	20	17	9	35	Fatal:	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>TOTAL:</u>	165	185	235	218	224	216	Other:	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>TIMES OF DAY</u>							<u>FATAL ACCIDENTS</u>	0	0	0	0	1	1
0001 - 0100:	0	1	1	4	0	3	<u>PRIVATE PROPERTY LOCATIONS</u>	21	27	13	9	21	23
0101 - 0200:	3	1	0	1	1	2	<u>WEATHER CONDITIONS</u>						
0201 - 0300:	0	3	1	1	1	2	Other:	38	2	0	2	1	0
0301 - 0400:	0	0	0	1	0	0	Snow:	13	10	2	13	14	26
0401 - 0500:	0	0	0	1	1	0	Rain:	5	12	27	21	11	9
0501 - 0600:	0	1	3	3	1	2	Clear:	109	161	206	182	198	181
0601 - 0700:	1	3	5	3	2	5	<u>TOTAL:</u>	165	185	235	218	224	216
0701 - 0800:	10	13	12	10	9	13							
0801 - 0900:	6	8	19	20	15	21							
0901 - 1000:	9	8	14	15	12	16							
1001 - 1100:	11	11	9	16	9	10							
1101 - 1200:	14	11	13	10	12	11							
1201 - 1300:	14	12	17	14	25	19							
1301 - 1400:	18	12	13	17	18	13							
1401 - 1500:	15	8	18	15	11	17							
1501 - 1600:	14	27	23	24	19	19							
1601 - 1700:	12	13	23	15	20	13							
1701 - 1800:	14	15	25	16	26	11							
1801 - 1900:	10	10	8	7	17	10							
1901 - 2000:	6	12	12	9	11	9							
2001 - 2100:	3	7	6	6	6	8							
2101 - 2200:	1	3	5	5	4	7							
2201 - 2300:	3	4	5	4	3	2							
2301 - 2400:	1	2	3	1	1	3							
Unknown:	0	0	0	0	0	0							
<u>TOTAL:</u>	165	185	235	218	224	216							

USE OF FORCE

2026

	<u>Jan</u>	<u>Feb</u>	<u>Mar</u>	<u>Apr</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>Jun</u>	<u>Jul</u>	<u>Aug</u>	<u>Sep</u>	<u>Oct</u>	<u>Nov</u>	<u>Dec</u>	<u>Total</u>
Total Number of Use of Force Incidents	0	0	0	0									0
Persons against whom force was used	0	0	0	0									0
Total Number Officer use of Physical Force	0	0	0	0									0
Total Number Officer use of Mechanical Force	0	0	0	0									0
Total Officer Show of Force	2	0	0	0									2
Total Officer use of Deadly Force	0	0	0	0									0

January	26-03182 (SOF)
February	-
March	-
April	-
May	
June	
July	
August	
September	
October	
November	
December	

(These totals do not reflect the NJSP NIBRS criteria, totals are Princeton Police policy totals only.)