

Community Safety Report Card

Violent Crime Reduction Initiative



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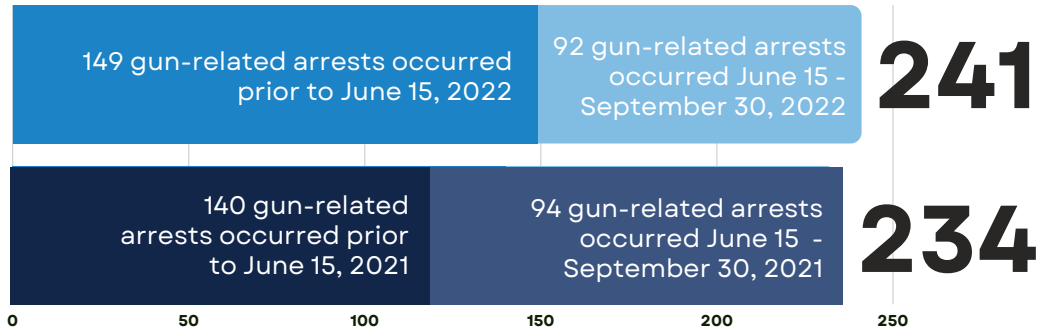
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OVERVIEW

The City of Racine experienced 241 gun-related arrests by the end of September 2022, slightly more than the same time in 2021.

GUN ARRESTS

Gun-related arrests increased by 7 or 3% since the same time last year in the City of Racine.



GUN CRIME

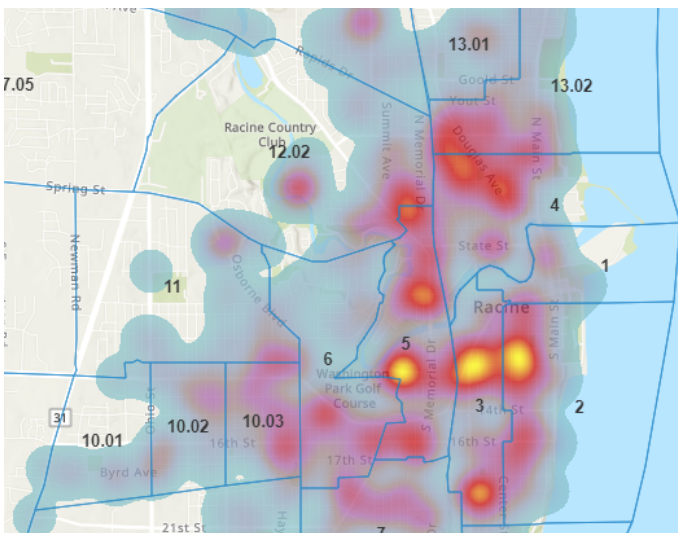
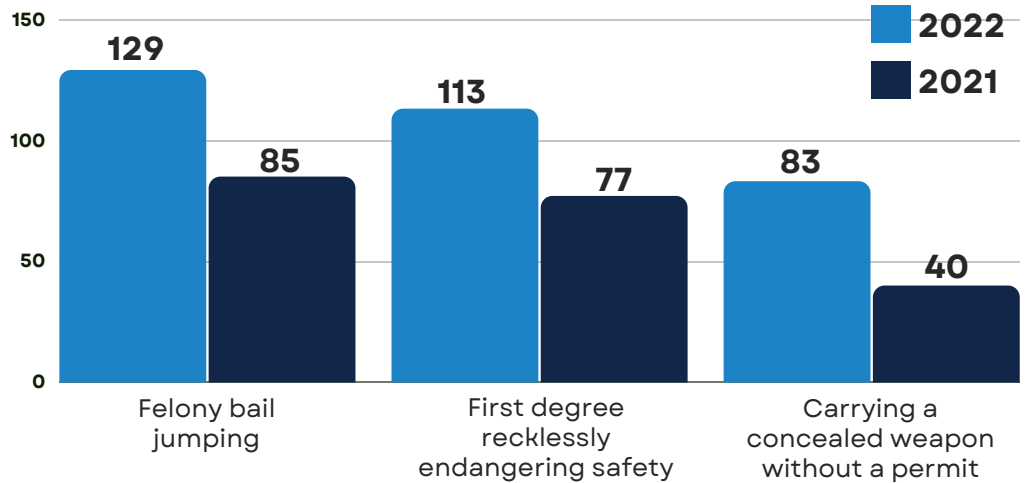
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72 PERSONS STRUCK

128 PROPERTIES DAMAGED

GUN ARRESTS BY CRIME

Below are the most common gun-related charges through the end of September 2022 compared to the same time last year.



Reported shots fired, City of Racine census tracts January 1 to September 30, 2022

247

SHOTS FIRED INCIDENTS

Substantiated incidents of shots fired (casings collected) out of 800+ unique incidents of calls for shots fired in the City of Racine by the end of September 2022.

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COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The City of Racine and Racine County are making ongoing investments to better engage residents and communities around violent gun crime.

Voices of Black Mothers United

Shares the experiences of victims of gun violence to heal and strengthen communities.

Safe and Sound

Unites youth, residents, and law enforcement through community outreach.

COP Houses

Engage residents and improve quality of life in communities to reduce crime.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

The City of Racine Police Department and Racine County Sheriff's Office collaboratively recovered **56 guns** in 2022.

COMMUNITY PROGRAMMING

The following highlights current efforts to guide and mentor, provide real-world work experience to, and divert youth from juvenile justice.

CREDIBLE MESSENGERS

Credible Messengers are neighborhood leaders with relevant life experience who help young people transform behaviors around violence. Additionally, school-based community connectors serve as bridges to services for students.

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Court Advocacy and Support

Attend court hearings, connect participants to resources, and provide crisis assistance.

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Crisis Intervention

Mediate parent/child conflicts to avoid law enforcement contact.

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Interactive Journaling

Provide strategies to change, act on, and maintain positive behavior.

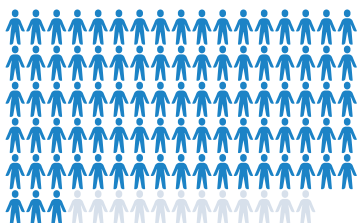
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Positive Youth Development

Serve as a positive role model to help youth avoid adult corrections.

SUMMER YOUTH JOBS

88% Success Rate



At-risk youth participants in 2022

Racine County provided paid employment to 100+ youth across 30+ work sites during summer 2022. Youth received transportation and work supplies, learned directly from a mentor, and gained real-world work experience.

DIVERSION

159 Youth arrested and referred

74 Diversions

Interventions
73

The following highlights youth diverted from incarceration through end of September 2022.