

DECEMBER 2020 PROPERTY CRIME STATISTICS

| TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES - 6 PROPERTY CRIME TYPES RESIDENTIAL / CONVEYANCE / BUSINESS | TIME OF OCCURRENCE | | | TYPE OF ENTRY | | |
|---|--------------------|-------|-----|---------------|----------|-----|
| | DAY | NIGHT | UNK | FORCED | NO FORCE | UNK |
| RESIDENTIAL TOTAL: 0 Includes Single family homes, Apartments, Mobile Homes, Carport, Storage Sheds | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CONVEYANCE TOTAL- 4 Includes All Vehicles, Boats, and Trailers | 25% | 75% | 0 | 0 | 100% | 0 |
| BUSINESS TOTAL: 2 Includes Businesses, Churches, Storage Facilities, and Schools | 50% | 0 | 50% | 50% | 0 | 50% |

| PROPERTY CRIMES 2014-2020 | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 | 2014 |
| JAN | 16 | 10 | 18 | 27 | 16 | 21 | 31 |
| FEB | 14 | 19 | 11 | 15 | 15 | 24 | 21 |
| MAR | 16 | 8 | 35 | 15 | 22 | 29 | 42 |
| APR | 7 | 9 | 20 | 16 | 47 | 33 | 47 |
| MAY | 4 | 12 | 24 | 16 | 42 | 26 | 25 |
| JUNE | 13 | 11 | 7 | 24 | 33 | 21 | 29 |
| JULY | 9 | 20 | 26 | 20 | 21 | 17 | 22 |
| AUG | 16 | 21 | 24 | 39 | 24 | 18 | 36 |
| SEPT | 11 | 24 | 28 | 19 | 23 | 23 | 34 |
| OCT | 12 | 29 | 32 | 19 | 26 | 27 | 40 |
| NOV | 11 | 33 | 34 | 15 | 23 | 33 | 25 |
| DEC | 6 | 13 | 30 | 17 | 17 | 37 | 25 |
| TOTAL | 135 | 209 | 289 | 242 | 309 | 309 | 377 |

Distribution of Property Crimes By Beat A - F for Dec. 2020 (see Beat Map on page 8)

| BEAT | TOTAL | % |
|------|-------|-----|
| A | 0 | 0 |
| B | 0 | 0 |
| C | 0 | 0 |
| D | 2 | 33% |
| E | 2 | 33% |
| F | 2 | 33% |

** Burglaries this month were down 54% from last December, and the total burglaries from 2020 is down 35% from 2019*

Does Neighborhood Watch Work? YES!

YES! Neighborhood Watch is one of the oldest and most effective crime prevention programs in the country. The program brings citizens and communities together, with law enforcement to deter crime and make communities safer.

For more information on how to start a Crime Watch Group in your neighborhood, contact: **Crime Prevention Practitioner and CST Coordinator Lyn Bryan** at 863.534.5034 or email at lbryan.pd@cityofbartow.net.

2020 YEAR-END PROPERTY CRIME STATISTICS

| PROPERTY CRIME TYPE | 2020 | 2019 | % CHANGE | SUMMARY |
|---|------|------|--------------|--|
| BUSINEESS: Businesses, Schools, Churches | 27 | 24 | +12% | 85% of the cases, force was used to enter the business |
| CONVEYANCE: Includes Vehicles, Trailers, Boats, Truck beds | 59 | 98 | - 40% | 85% of vehicles were left unlocked. 58% occurred at night. |
| RESIDENCE/STRUCTURE: Homes, Apartments, Storage Sheds | 49 | 87 | - 44% | 57% of homes were locked, and most occurred during daylight hours while owners were not home and/or working. |

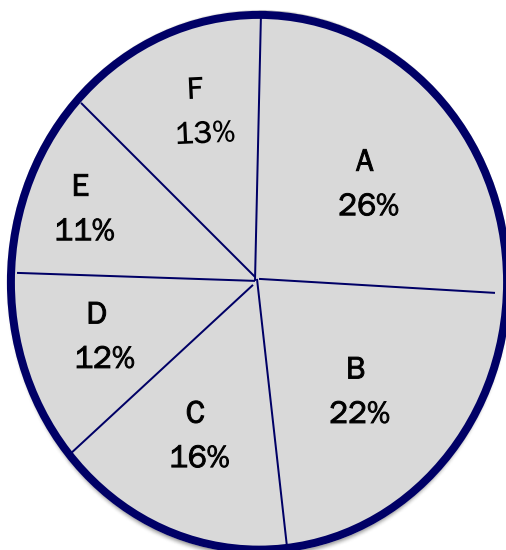
| PROPERTY CRIME TOTALS COMPARISON | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|------------|
| YEAR | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 |
| TOTAL | 135 | 209 | 289 | 242 |
| % Change | -35% | -28% | + 19% | |

- ♦ **Burglaries to a Conveyance dropped 40% from last year, and Burglaries to a Residence dropped 44%**
- ♦ **Beat "A" had the highest occurrence of property crimes at 26%.**
(See page 8 of this Activity Report for a map of the six beats defined.)
- ♦ **Most burglaries are crimes of opportunity and involve very little planning on the part of the thief. Reducing the risk of break-ins is simply a matter of making your home or vehicle less attractive to criminals.**
- ♦ **The number one crime prevention tip - LOCK UP!**

PROPERTY CRIMES REDUCED, GREAT JOB PATROL!

In Nov. 2018, we began a social media campaign called the #9PMROUTINE. The 9PM post each night serves as a reminder to citizens, to DO THE #9PMROUTINE each evening at 9:00 PM. This includes:

- ★ *Turning on outside porch lights.*
- ★ *Close and lock garage door, and the door from the garage into the house.*
- ★ *Remove valuables from your car, boat, and truck bed such as wallets, handbags, keys, and especially firearms.*
- ★ *Secure outside items such lawn equipment, toys, and bicycles.*



| 2020 PROPERTY CRIMES BY BEAT/ZONE | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|---------|
| BEAT | TOTAL | PERCENT |
| 25A | 35 | 26% |
| 26B | 30 | 22% |
| 26C | 21 | 16% |
| 26D | 16 | 12% |
| 26E | 15 | 11% |
| 26F | 18 | 13% |