



**Customer Services, Operations, and Safety Committee**

**Board Information Item III-B**

**October 22, 2009**

# **Metro Police Crime Statistics and Significant Facts**

Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority  
**Board Action/Information Summary**

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**TITLE:**

Metro's Transit Police Crime Statistics and Significant Facts

**PURPOSE:**

To provide the Committee the monthly crime statistics report.

**DESCRIPTION:**

Information contains significant highlights, types of Part 1 crimes and quantity per calendar year from 2004 through August 2009. The top ten stations in each jurisdiction experiencing crime in 2008 are identified along with quantity of crimes.

**FUNDING IMPACT:**

None

**RECOMMENDATION:**

None



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# Attempt Abduction Arrest



- Location- Huntington North Parking Garage
- Arrested- Jose Efrain Bentez Cruz 34 years of age
- Resident of Alexandria, Virginia
- Arrested by MTPD Patrol and the Criminal Investigation Division on September 5, 2009

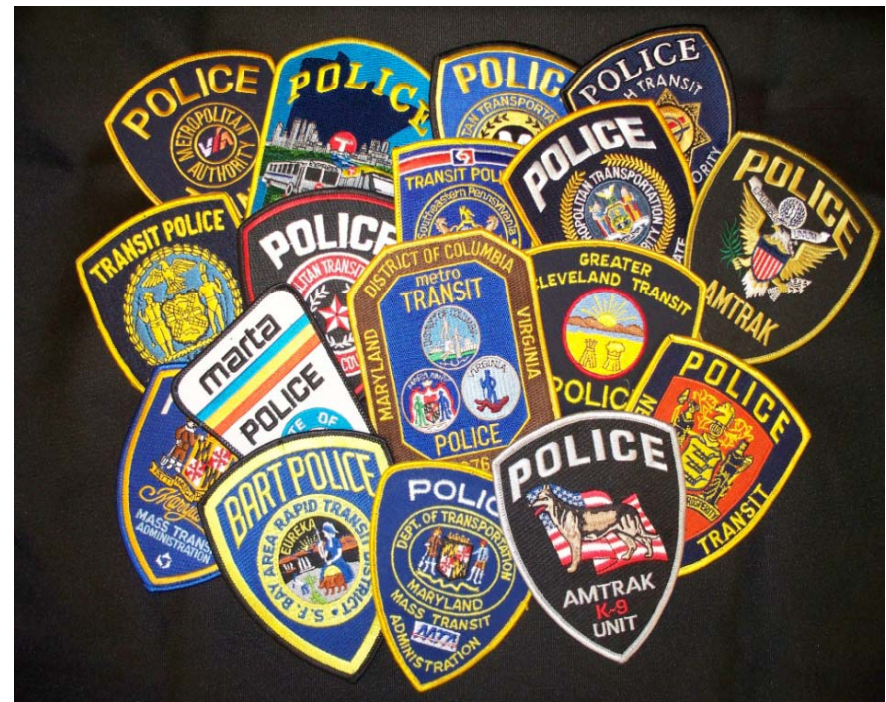


## Charges

- I. Abduction By Force
- II. Stalking
- III. Assault & Battery

# Partnerships

- Participated in the Northeast Corridor's Operation ALERTS (Allied Law Enforcement for Rail and Transit Security) on September 9, 2009
- Worked with Montgomery County Police Department on September 10 & 11 conducting high visibility patrols at all Montgomery County rail stations





- September 23-25, 2009, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
- Performed crowd control and venue security
- Costs associated with this deployment were funded by the Pittsburgh Police Department



## T-3 Motion Vehicle

- MTPD has purchased three vehicles that will be tested and evaluated for patrol purposes
- They are being used to patrol large parking facilities, rail yards and bus divisions
- Deployment began October 1<sup>st</sup> to coincide with Crime Prevention Month



# Bus Operator Assaults

(January – August )

**Bus operator assault are down 28%**

- In 2009, there have been 47 Bus Operator assaults compared to 65 during the same time last year
- H.I.T.E. (High Intensity Targeted Enforcement) continues at bus stops and along bus routes

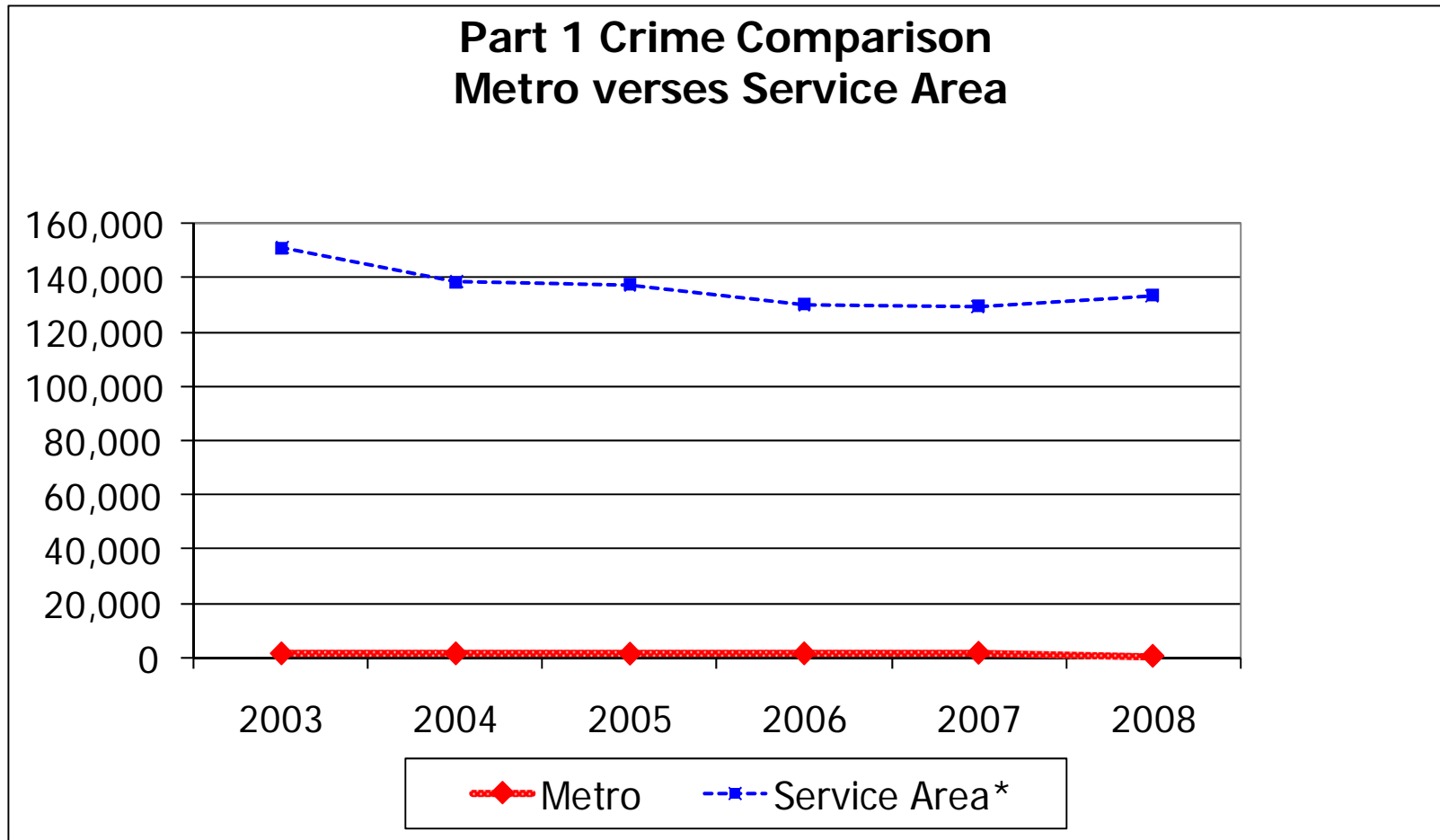




## Significant Facts

- The probability of being a victim of a Part I crime in the Metro system is 3.83 per million riders.
- In 2009, the MTPD has received 39,341 calls for service, made 1,321 arrests, issued 4,451 criminal/civil citations and wrote 3,473 fare evasion citations.

# Part 1 Crime Comparisons

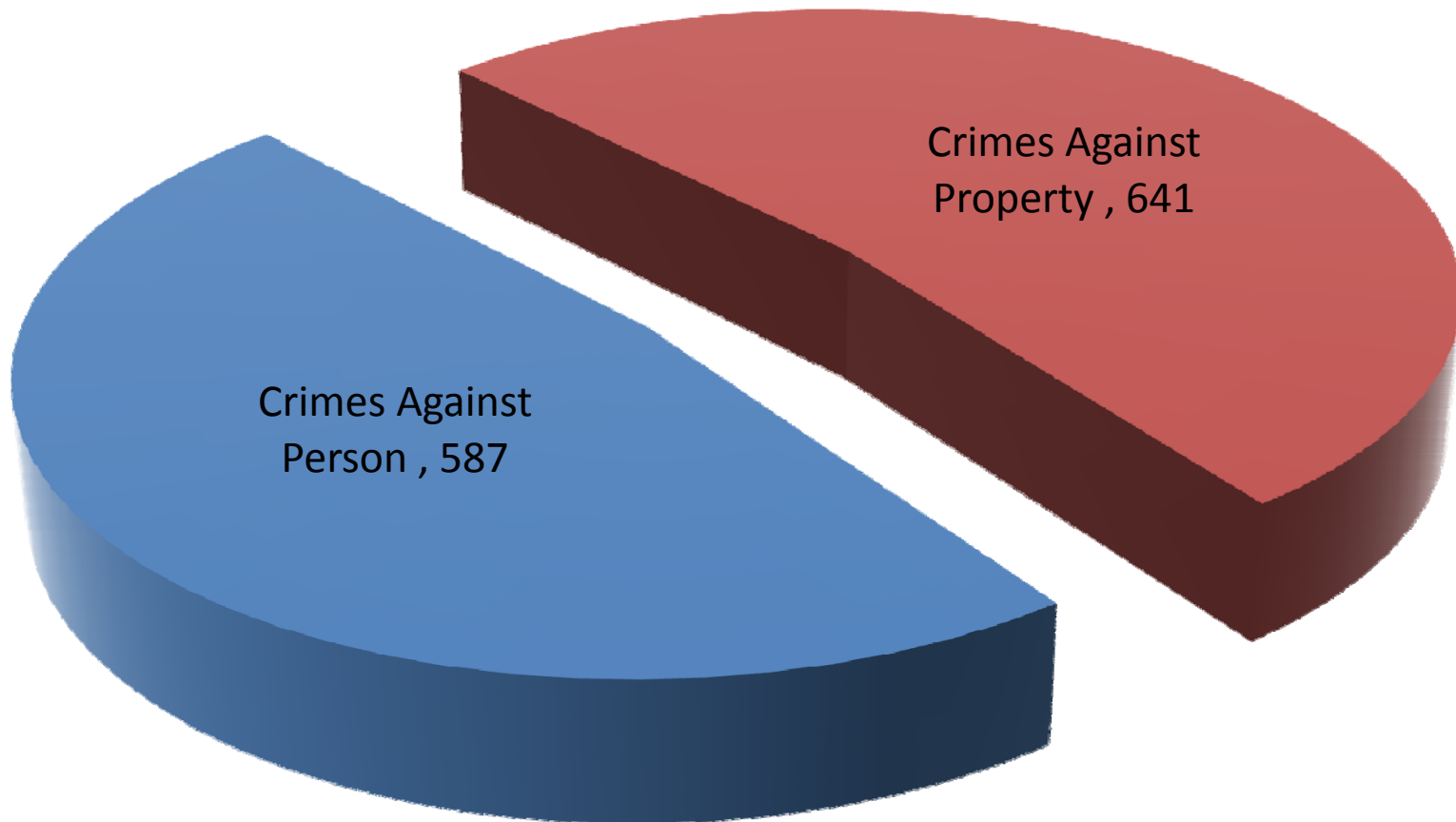


\* Service area includes the District of Columbia, Prince George's County, Montgomery County, City of Alexandria, Arlington County and Fairfax County.

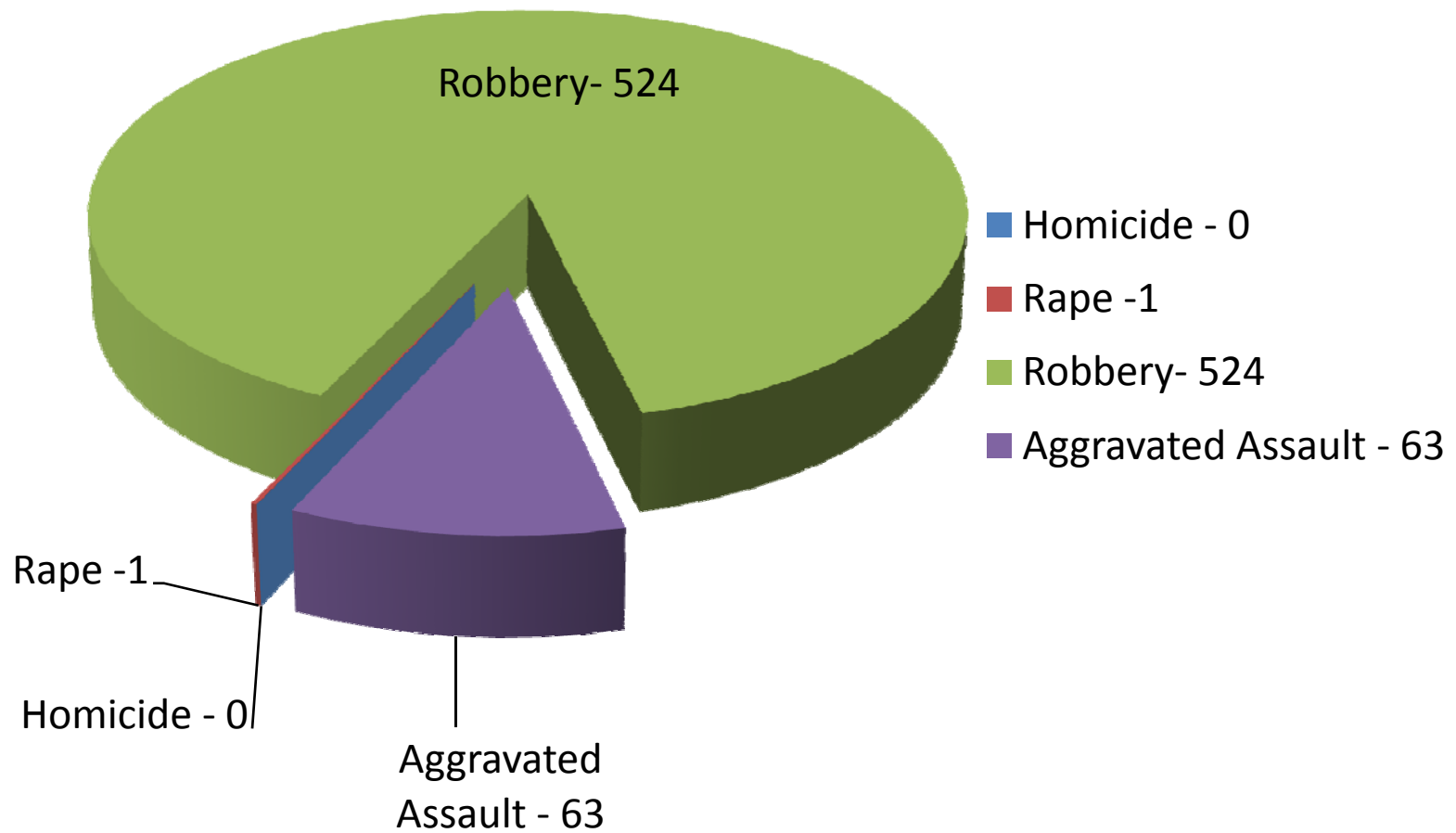
# Appendix A - Statistical Information



# Metro Transit Police Crime Comparison January – August

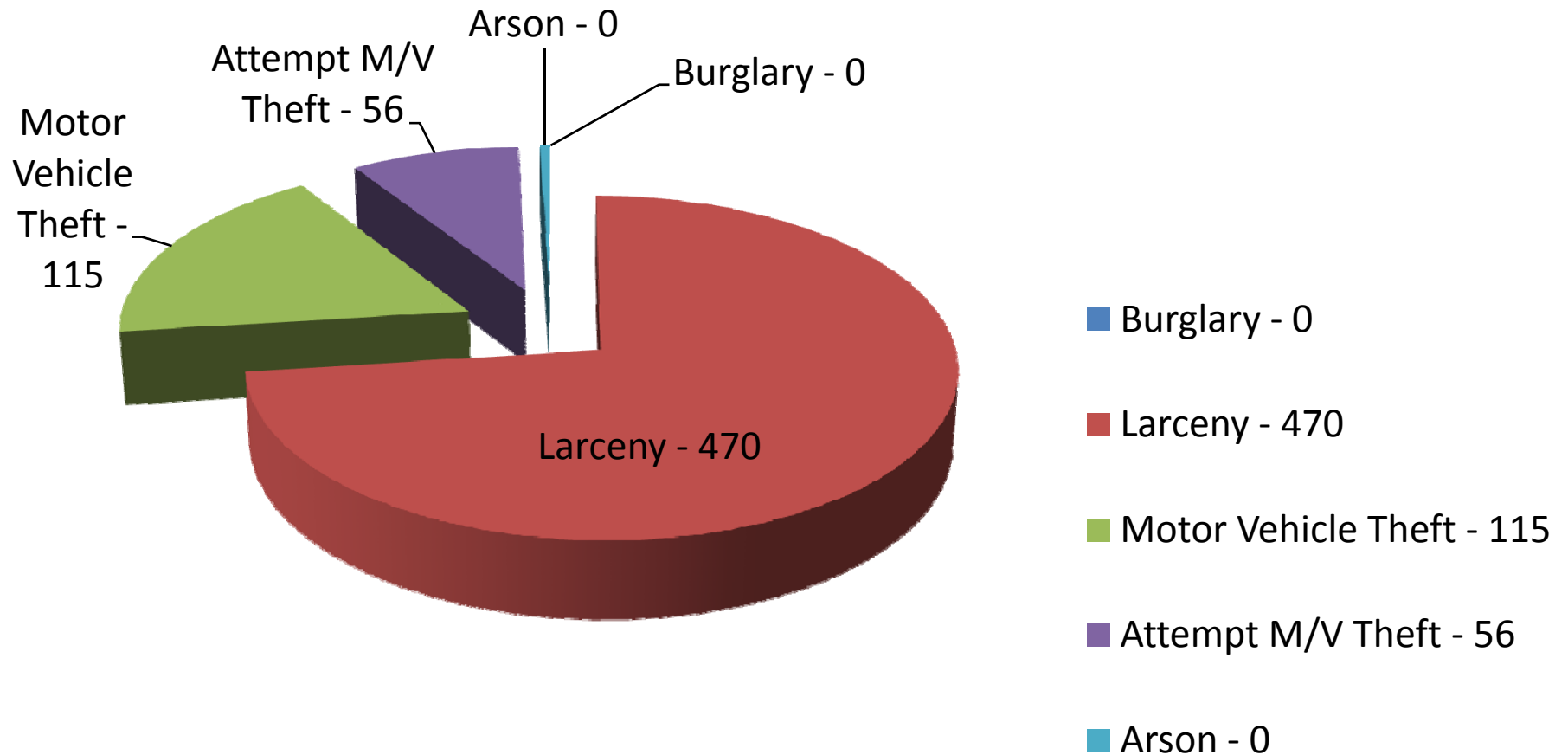


# January – August, Crimes Against Person





# January – August, Crimes Against Property





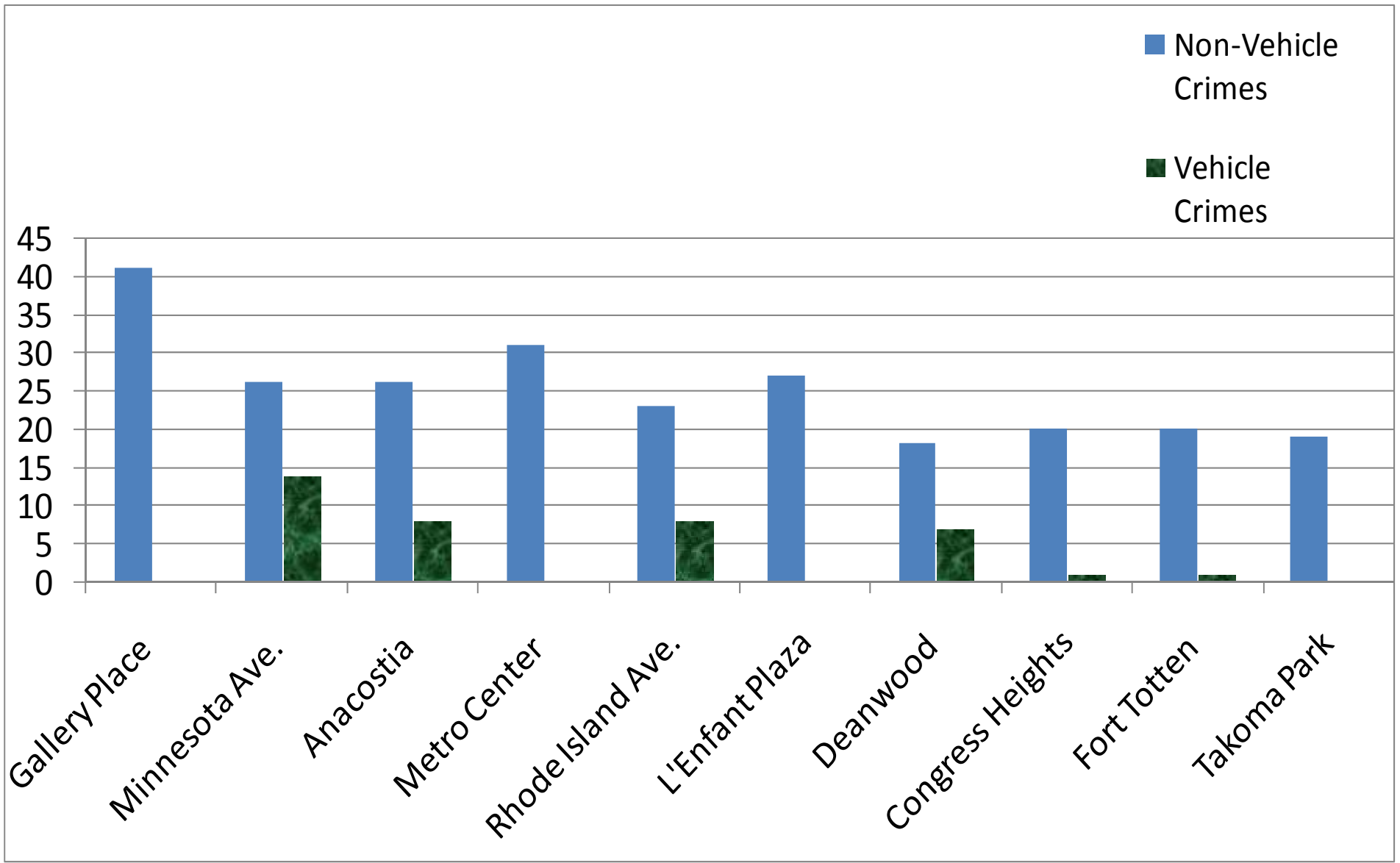
# Metro Transit Police Crime Report

## January – August

Part I Crime	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Aggravated Assault	59	75	76	64	63
Burglary	1	1	5	2	0
Homicide	0	0	1	0	0
Larceny	336	359	467	548	470
Motor Vehicle Theft	92	80	100	131	115
Rape	0	2	1	0	1
Robbery	188	230	271	370	524
<b>Total</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>1,115</b>	<b>1,173</b>

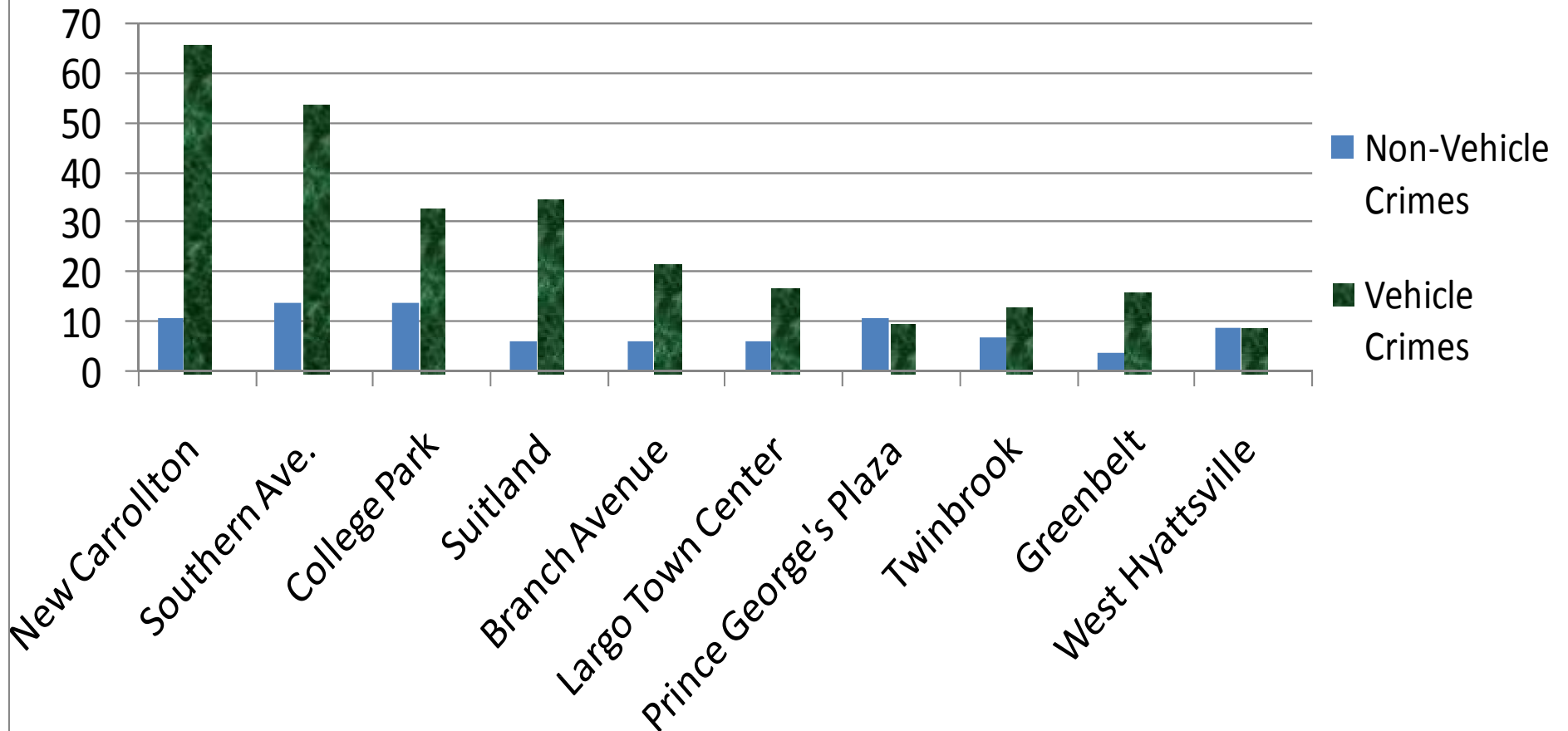


# 2009 YTD Top Ten District of Columbia Metrorail Stations Ranked by Part 1 Crime





# 2009 YTD Top Ten Maryland Metrorail Stations Ranked by Part 1 Crime





# 2009 YTD Top Ten Virginia Metrorail Stations Ranked by Part 1 Crime

