

## 2023 ANNUAL REPORT

# Sauk Centre Police Department

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### Values

**Honesty:** We tell the truth to others and ourselves.

**Integrity:** We hold ourselves accountable to do the right thing.

**Respect:** We treat people with compassion, courtesy, fairness and professionalism.

**Fairness:** We Practice tolerance and empathy and create an atmosphere of inclusion within our department and community.

**Team Work:** We are proud to be representatives of the Sauk Centre Police Department, our profession and our community.

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## POLICE DEPARTMENT STAFF

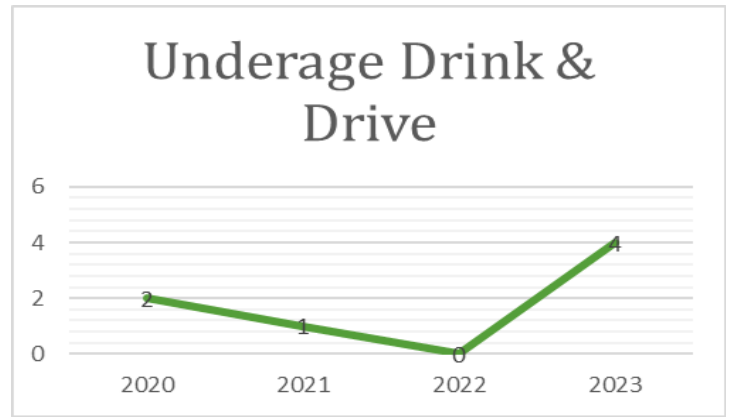
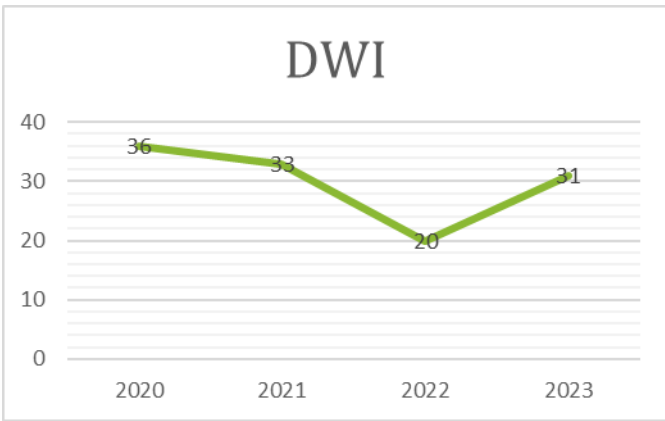
Bryon Friedrichs	Chief of Police	36 years
Dan Moldenhauer	Patrol Officer	26 years
Joe Jensen	Sergeant	17 years
Dusty Von Wahlde	Investigator	16 years
Melissa Kleinschmidt	Admin Assistant	16 years
Dean Jungles	Patrol Officer	15 years
Matt Moorman	PT-Patrol Officer	12 years
Mark Grinstead	Patrol Officer	3 years
Preston Oetterer	Patrol Officer	2 years
Austin Kowski	Patrol Officer	6 months
Lateshia Harden	Patrol Officer	3 months
Sonny	Patrol K9	9 years



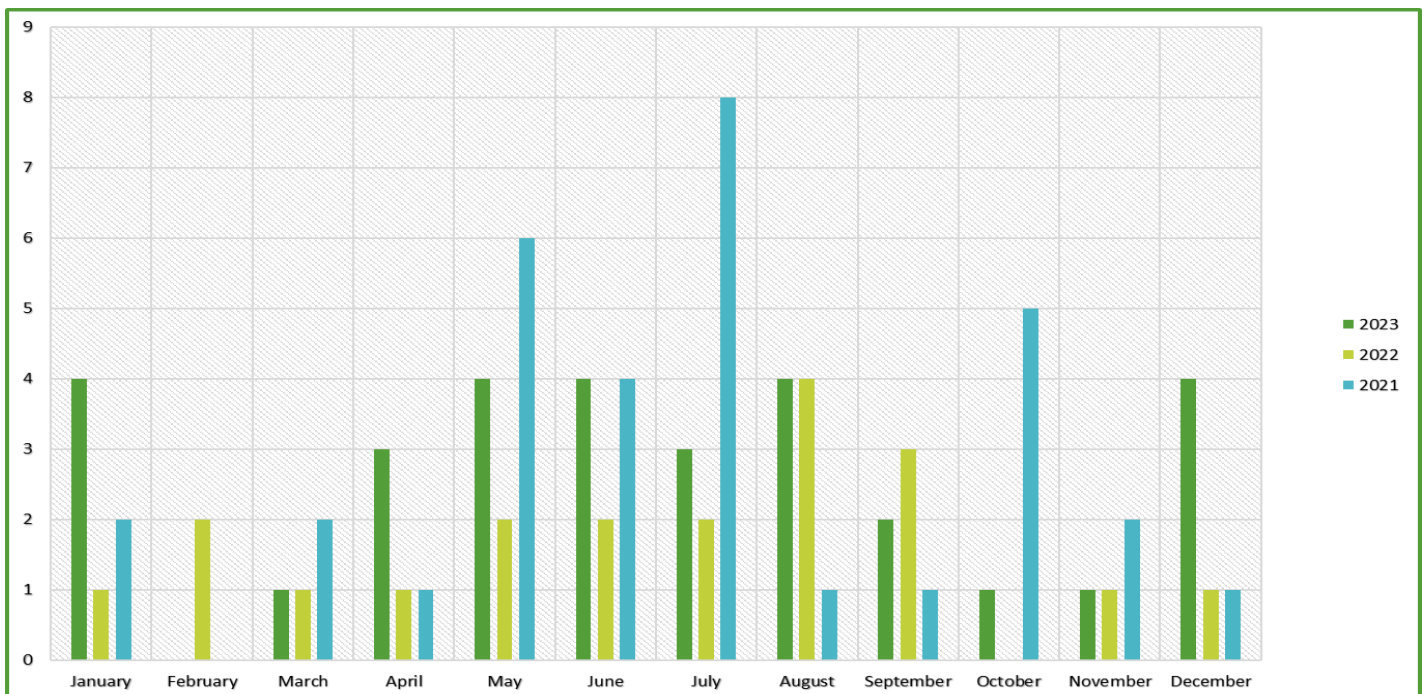
# Driving Under the Influence

In 2023 the Sauk Centre Police Department made 31 DWI arrests which is up significantly from 20 in 2022. 1 of the 31 DWIs were for being under the influence of a controlled substance. DWIs breakdown as follows; 11-4th degree, 12-3rd degree, 8-2nd degree and 0-1st degree DWIs.

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
<b>January</b>	4	1	2
<b>February</b>	0	2	0
<b>March</b>	1	1	2
<b>April</b>	3	1	1
<b>May</b>	4	2	6
<b>June</b>	4	2	4
<b>July</b>	3	2	8
<b>August</b>	4	4	1
<b>September</b>	2	3	1
<b>October</b>	1	0	5
<b>November</b>	1	1	2
<b>December</b>	4	1	1
<b>Totals</b>	31	20	33

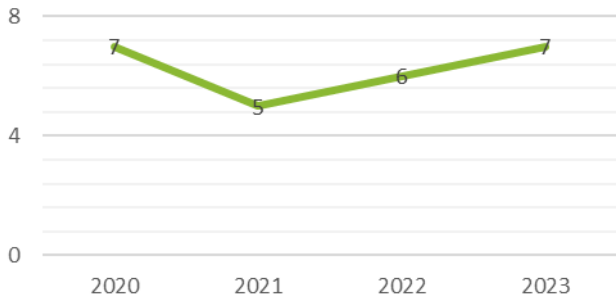


## Monthly Breakdown of DWIs

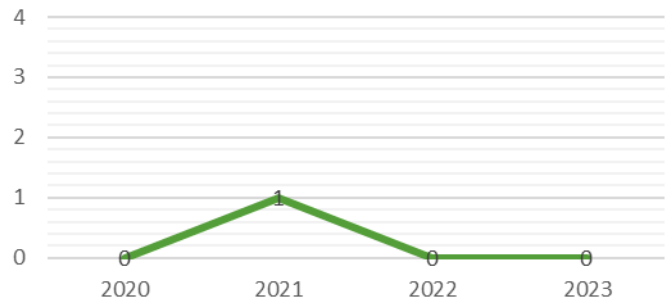


# Reportable Crime Statistics

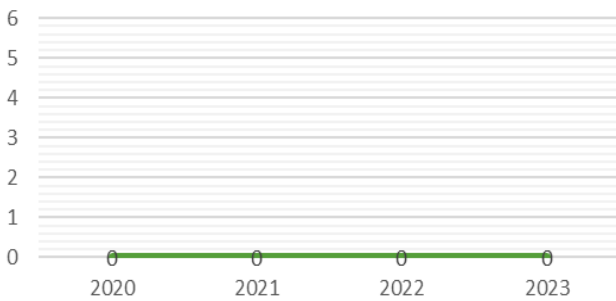
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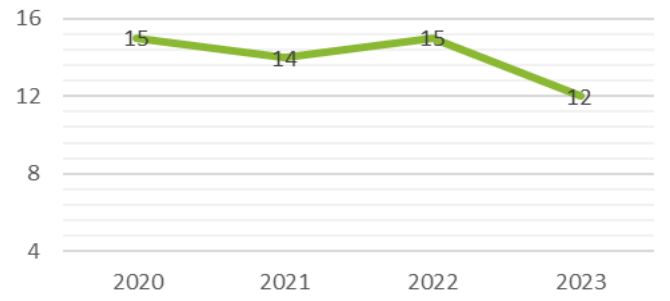
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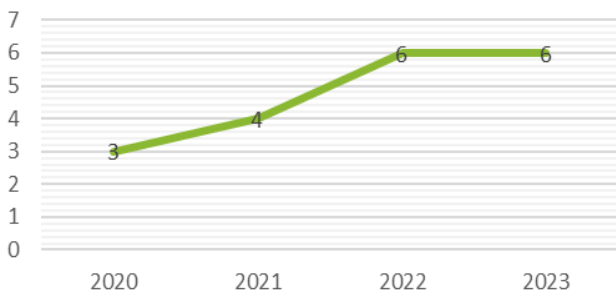
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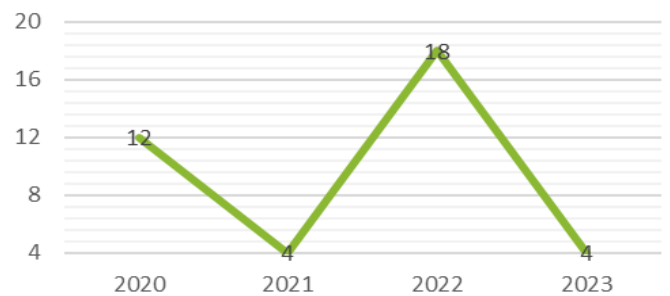
## Domestic Assault



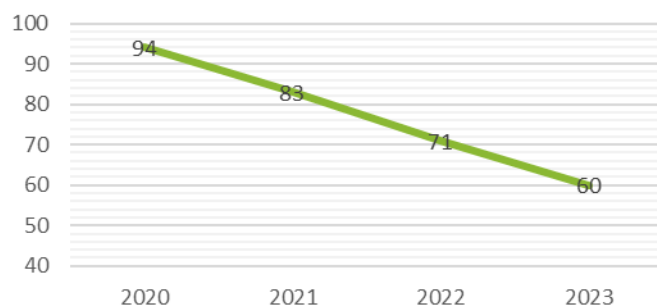
## Sexual Assault



## Burglary

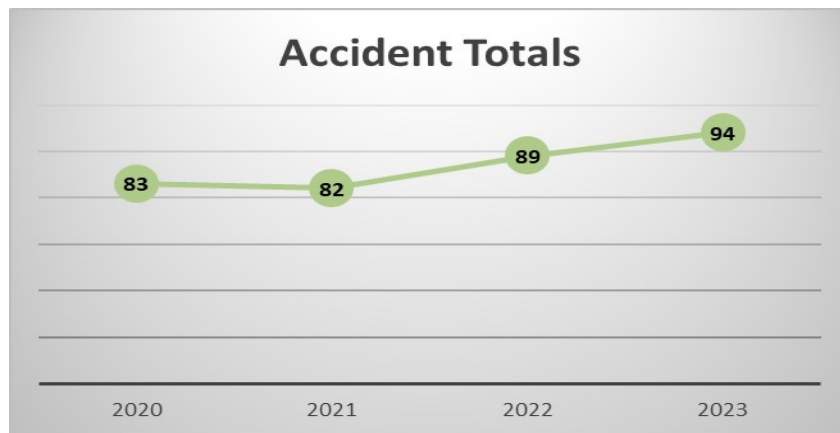


## Theft



## Traffic Violations

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
Driving after suspension	57	26	25	25	30
DAC/DAC-IPS	21	11	11	15	14
Driving after revocation	95	60	46	79	56
No proof Ins	76	27	22	27	38
No MN DL	280	128	42	35	61
Seatbelt	22	9	6	3	2
Speeding	230	209	215	152	181
Use of Wireless Device	55	28	33	47	2
Verbal Warnings	2,786	1,757	1,976	1,916	2,424



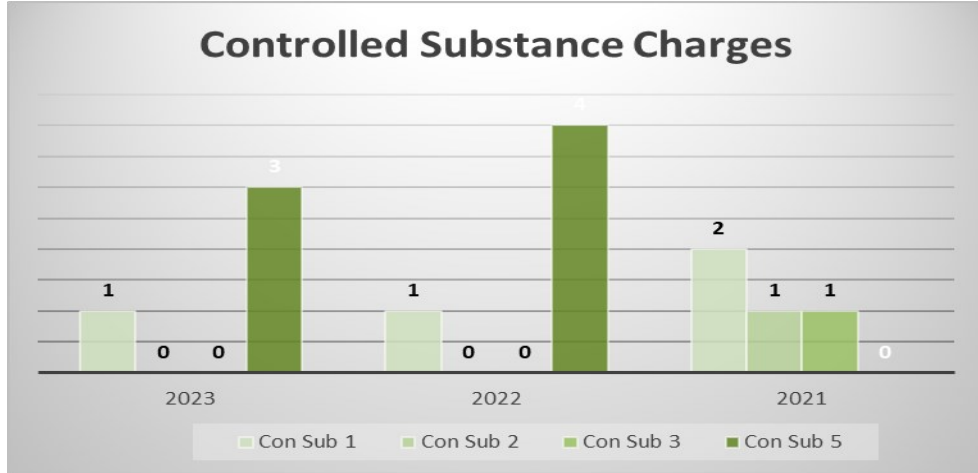
## Assists for other Agencies

<b>Agency Assists</b>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
MN State Patrol	100	124	110	85
Stearns County	146	159	140	128
Melrose PD	63	50	81	93
Todd County	20	34	23	18
K-9	26	47	19	10

## Warrants

<b>Warrants</b>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Misdemeanor	9	7	14	6
Gross Misdemeanor	5	6	3	4
Felony	16	8	4	10
A& D Orders	2	1	4	4
Warrant Attempts	13	11	7	8

# Drug Statistics



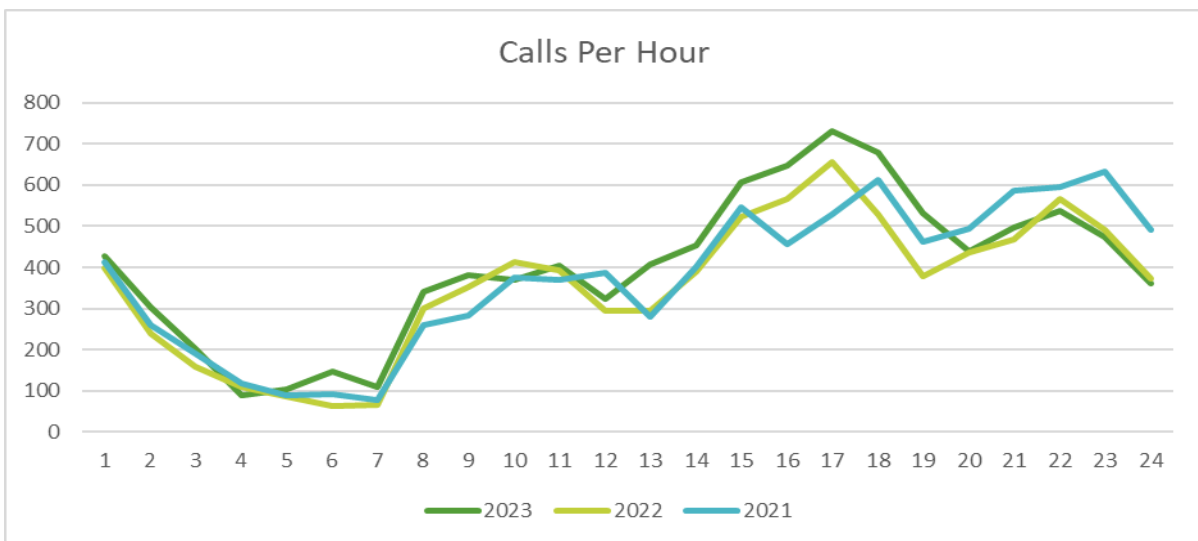
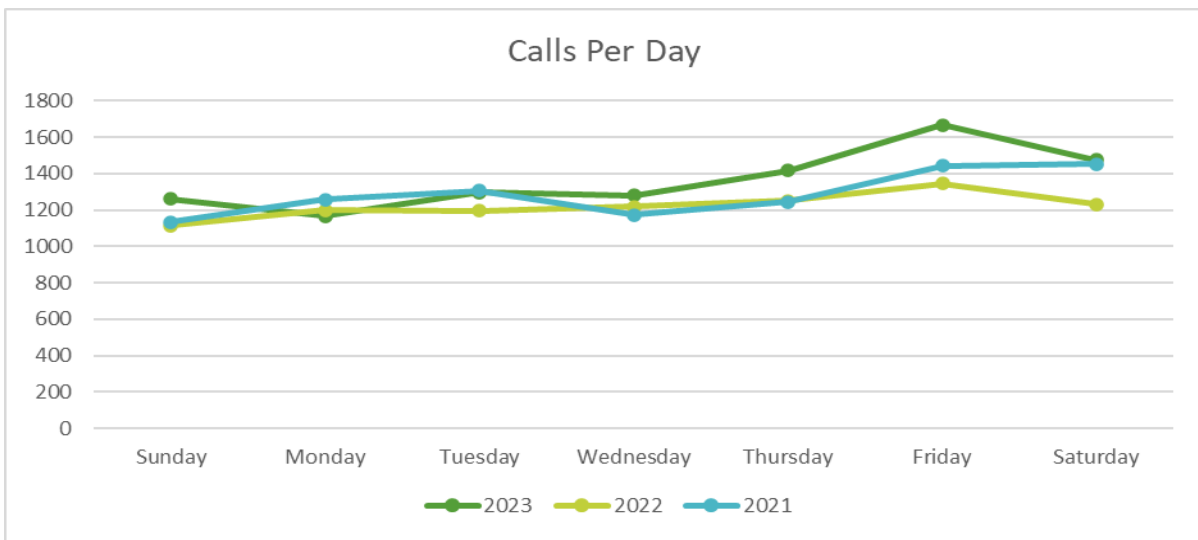
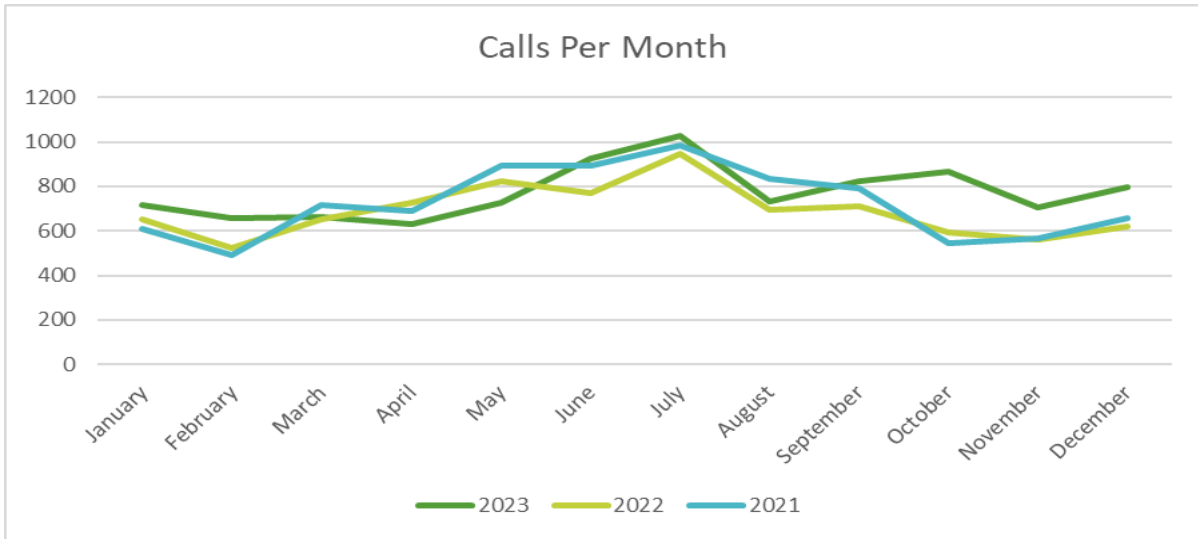
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# Miscellaneous Calls for Service and Proactive Contacts

	2023	2022	2021		2023	2022	2021
911 Hang Up	9	13	12	Minor consumption	8	6	5
Administrative Citation	183	72	38	Matter of Information	153	263	273
Alarm calls	166	125	110	Medical Call	297	260	233
Animal Complaints	30	18	14	Motorist Assist	58	74	66
Application for gun permit	30	34	50	Neighbor Dispute	19	7	3
Assist Business	81	91	243	Noise Violations	44	11	32
ATV Complaints	9	2	7	Obstructing Legal Process	1	2	5
Bar Checks	24	53	44	Open Bottle	3	2	4
Behavioral Health Issue	35	101	43	Open Door/Window	45	35	49
Burning Complaints	7	5	1	Paper Service	15	10	16
Child Custody Dispute	58	24	26	Parking Complaints	87	85	104
Citizen Contacts	205	188	329	Personal Assist	173	242	254
Civil Matter	30	31	29	Property Damage	16	9	21
DANCO Violations	7	5	2	Property Found	47	43	59
Disorderly Conduct	20	13	8	Records Request	41	30	16
Dog Complaints	58	55	78	Road Hazard	44	42	54
Door Checks	180	450	557	School Bus Stop Arm Viol	9	8	7
Driving Complaints	54	49	70	School Patrol/Contact	448	395	332
Detox Admittance	2	0	0	Special Detail	98	101	146
Fights	4	4	7	Stalled Vehicle	24	19	8
Fingerprints	30	48	59	Suicide Threat	17	25	15
Fleeing Police Officer	5	3	2	Suspicious Activity	109	103	106
Extra/Foot/Park Patrol	780	980	1155	Suspicious Person	28	39	41
Forgery/Fraud	14	10	8	Suspicious Phone Calls	4	5	8
Gas No Pay	46	65	51	Suspicious Vehicle	111	80	91
Harassment	38	53	26	Transport/Escort	24	29	35
Hit & Run	16	30	15	Threats Complaints	20	10	17
Illegal Dumping	2	8	7	Trespass	6	5	7
Inattentive Driving	0	4	4	Unwanted Person	40	40	45
Intoxicated Person	27	24	36	Verbal Dispute	73	43	33
Juvenile Curfew Violation	1	2	6	Weapons Charges/Comp	0	5	0
Juvenile Problem	115	42	64	Welfare Check	113	147	135
Lift Assist	44	NA	NA	Total ICRs	9,273	8,279	8,678
Lost Property	10	12	17	Total Offenses	10,264	8,759	8,809

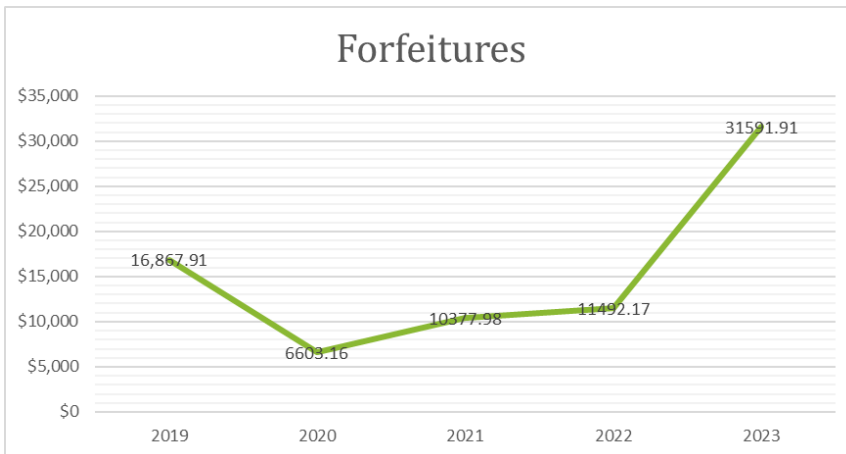
# Sauk Centre PD Calls for Service



# Training

In 2023 a total of 380 hours were spent on training. The cost of this training was \$3,131 which consisted of \$12,901.06 in salaries, \$0 in meals, \$408,06 in transportation and \$1,158.29 in lodging. Our Officers also train on the P.A.T.O.L. Courses which is an on-line training program where each officer does at least one hour a month which includes a lot of the mandatory training that is required by Minnesota POST Board. We pay \$720 per year for this online training.

# Forfeitures



The Sauk Centre Police Department retained \$31,591.91 in forfeitures during 2023, which was an increase from \$11,492.17 last year. These funds came from cash in a drug arrest and one vehicle in a drug arrest and one motorcycle in a DWI arrest.

# Budget

In 2023 the Police Department was awarded a budget of \$1,350,145 for expenditures. The Police Administration and the Police Patrol ended under budget by \$34,163 and \$31,963, respectively. The Emergency Service Siren also ended under budget by \$1,666. The Police Forfeiture Fund ended over budget by \$11,456.

In total, expenditures were under budget by \$56,336 and the Revenues came in higher than what was budgeted by \$63,857.

**\*\*Budget numbers are an estimate until the audit is completed in March\*\***