

Types of Force Used By Officers

From July 1st through September 30th of 2020, Madison Police Officers responded to 33,598 calls for service. In that time, there were 55 citizen contacts in which officers used recordable force* during their encounter. This means that in the 3rd quarter, MPD officers used recordable force 0.16% of the time when engaging with our citizens. Each of these force incidents documented by officers was reviewed for compliance with MPD standard operating procedures. [Note: use of force applications occurring during the riots/unrest on August 24-25 are reflected separately and

Description	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	
Calls for Service	32218	30605	33598		96421	
Citizen Contacts Where Force Was Used	80	51	55	0	186	
% of CFS Where Force Was Used	0.25%	0.17%	0.16%	#DIV/0!	0.19%	

*Please refer to MPDs SOP on use of force data collection for the definition of recordable force and distinction between reportable and recordable use of force:
<http://www.cityofmadison.com/police/documents/sop/UseOfForceData.pdf>

Force	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
Decentralization/Takedown (e.g. officer pushing or pulling a subject to the ground)	59	44	38		141	51.3%
Active Counter Measures (e.g. officer striking a subject with hand, forearm, foot or knee)	19	13	6		38	13.8%
Taser Deployment	9	9	18		36	13.1%
Hobble Restraints (a belt system which restricts a subject's ability to kick at officers, squad windows, etc)	13	10	11		34	12.4%
OC (i.e. Pepper) Spray Deployment	12	3	5		20	7.3%
Baton Strike	0	0	0		0	0.0%
K9 Bite	0	1	0		1	0.4%
Firearm Discharged Toward Suspect	0	0	0		0	0.0%
Impact Munition (firearm delivered projectile launched at a lower than normal velocity)	3	0	2		5	1.8%
Specialty (SWAT/SET)	0	0	0		0	0.0%
Total	115	80	80	0	275	100.0%
Firearm Discharged to Put Down a Sick or Suffering Animal	12	11	18		41	

District*	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
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West	11	8	4		23	12.4%
Midtown	13	3	11		27	14.5%
South	5	4	2		11	5.9%
Central	23	15	14		52	28.0%
North	14	9	10		33	17.7%
East	12	12	13		37	19.9%
Out of County	0	0	0		0	0.0%
Within County - Assist Agency	2	0	1		3	1.6%
Total	80	51	55	0	186	100.0%

Time of Day/Patrol Shift	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
1st Detail (7am-3pm)	13	7	14		34	18.3%
3rd Detail (3pm-11pm)	29	22	23		74	39.8%
5th Detail (11pm-7am)	38	22	18		78	41.9%
Total	80	51	55	0	186	100.0%

For 2020, MPD is comprised of 70% male officers as compared to 30% female officers. MPD employed about 2.5 times the number of women than the national average of 12%. The MPD officers who used force, broken down quarterly, were:

Officer*- Sex	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
Male	91	60	61		212	88.3%
Female	9	11	8		28	11.7%
Total	100	71	69	0	240	100.0%

MPD is comprised of men and women who represent many different racial groups and is generally reflective of the general Madison population. For 2020, MPD employed 80% Caucasian officers and 20% minority officers. MPD officers who used force, broken down by quarter, were:

Officer*- Race	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
Asian	1	0	0		1	0.4%
African-American	10	13	6		29	12.1%
Hispanic	9	7	6		22	9.2%
Native American	0	1	0		1	0.4%
Other	0	0	0		0	0.0%
Caucasian	80	50	57		187	77.9%
Total	100	71	69	0	240	100.0%

Citizen- Sex	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
Male	59	36	46		141	75.8%
Female	21	15	9		45	24.2%
Unknown	0	0	0		0	0.0%
Total	80	51	55	0	186	100.0%

Citizen- Race	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
Asian	0	2	0		2	1.1%
African-American	35	28	27		90	48.6%
Hispanic	14	3	4		21	11.4%
Native American	1	1	0		2	1.1%
Other	0	0	0		0	0.0%

Caucasian	29	17	23		69	37.3%
Unknown	0	0	1		1	0.5%
Total	79	51	55	0	185	100.0%

Other Influencing Factors	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
Alcohol	33	12	19		64	39.8%
Drugs	8	9	9		26	16.1%
Alcohol/Drugs Combined	18	11	8		37	23.0%
Other	13	10	11		34	21.1%
Total	72	42	47	0	161	100.0%

Broken down quarterly, the following officers used force against the following citizens, broken out by race. These numbers can reflect calls for service in which more than one officer used force against one citizen during a single incident, or a single officer used more than one type of force against a citizen during the same incident.

Officer to Citizen Demographics

		Citizen Race	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	%
Officer Race	Caucasian	Asian	0	4	0		4	2.1%
		African-American	32	27	30		89	47.6%
		Hispanic	18	4	2		24	12.8%
		Native American	1	2	0		3	1.6%
		Other	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		Caucasian	29	13	24		66	35.3%
		Unknown	0	0	1		1	0.5%
		Total	80	50	57	0	187	100.0%
	Hispanic	Asian	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		African-American	6	4	4		14	45.2%
		Hispanic	0	0	1		1	3.2%
		Native American	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		Other	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		Caucasian	3	3	1		7	22.6%
		Unknown	9	0	0		9	29.0%
	Total	18	7	6	0	31	100.0%	
	African-American	Asian	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		African-American	7	8	4		19	65.5%
		Hispanic	0	0	1		1	3.4%
		Native American	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		Other	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		Caucasian	3	5	1		9	31.0%
		Unknown	0	0	0		0	0.0%
	Total	10	13	6	0	29	100.0%	
	Native American	Asian	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		African-American	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		Hispanic	0	0	0		0	0.0%
		Native American	0	0	0		0	0.0%
Other		0	0	0		0	0.0%	
Caucasian		0	1	0		1	100.0%	
Unknown		0	0	0		0	0.0%	
Total	0	1	0	0	1	100.0%		
Other	Asian	0	0	0		0	0.0%	
	African-American	1	0	0		1	100.0%	
	Hispanic	0	0	0		0	0.0%	

Asian	Native American	0	0	0	0	0.0%
	Other	0	0	0	0	0.0%
	Caucasian	0	0	0	0	0.0%
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0.0%
	Total	1	0	0	0	1
Other	Asian	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
	African-American	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
	Hispanic	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
	Native American	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
	Other	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
	Caucasian	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	#DIV/0!
	Total	0	0	0	0	0

For further information regarding the Madison Police Department's Standard Operating
[Use of Force Non-Deadly](#)
[Use of Deadly Force](#)
[Use of Force Documentation](#)

Due to the dynamic nature of data, this information is a snapshot in time as of the creation of this report. The processing of additional records and corrections will be reflected in updates to existing and future sections of this report. Data generated on: 10/06/2020

Riots & Unrest

Over the course of 2020, Madison has experienced several nights of significant civil unrest. This resulted in violence, property damage, looting, and arson. Law enforcement agencies from across the State were required to assist, as was the Wisconsin National Guard. Rocks, bottles, signs, and other projectiles were thrown at officers (resulting in multiple injuries). Officers utilized chemical agents and other tools/techniques to address this behavior. Use of force information for these events is being reported separately to clearly distinguish force used during these events. Quarter two unrest refers to the May 30 - June 1 time period; quarter three refers to August 24-25.

Force	Q2	Q3	Total
Decentralization/Takedown	7	4	11
Active Counter Measures	1	1	2
Taser Deployment	0	0	0
Hobble Restraints	0	0	0
OC (i.e. Pepper) Spray Deployment	96	8	104
Baton (push/shove)	56	0	56
K9 Bite	0	0	0
Firearm Discharged Toward Suspect	0	0	0
Impact Munition	20	3	23
Specialty	135	24	159
Total	315	40	355