



2020 Crime Summary

The South Milwaukee Police Department wants to take a few moments to provide a crime and safety update for our city. Our department reports crime to the state and federal government through the National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS), which provides more detail than the Uniform Crime Reporting System.

We are pleased to report that in 2020 we saw some significant decreases in several categories of crime, including aggravated assault, simple assault, burglary and theft. Unfortunately, we experienced a slight increase in robberies and weapons law violations during the year. Overall, crime decreased by 20% from the previous year total.

We are including several charts and graphs for your review and we are also including a comparison to previous years so you have some context for these crime and safety numbers. As you can see from the graphs, we are trending in the right direction over the past five years. Additional details will be presented in our upcoming annual report.

The men and women of the South Milwaukee Police Department work diligently to keep our community safe and we truly appreciate the assistance we receive from many of you who call us when you see something suspicious. Thank you for your support!

SOUTH MILWAUKEE VIOLENT CRIME 2016-2020

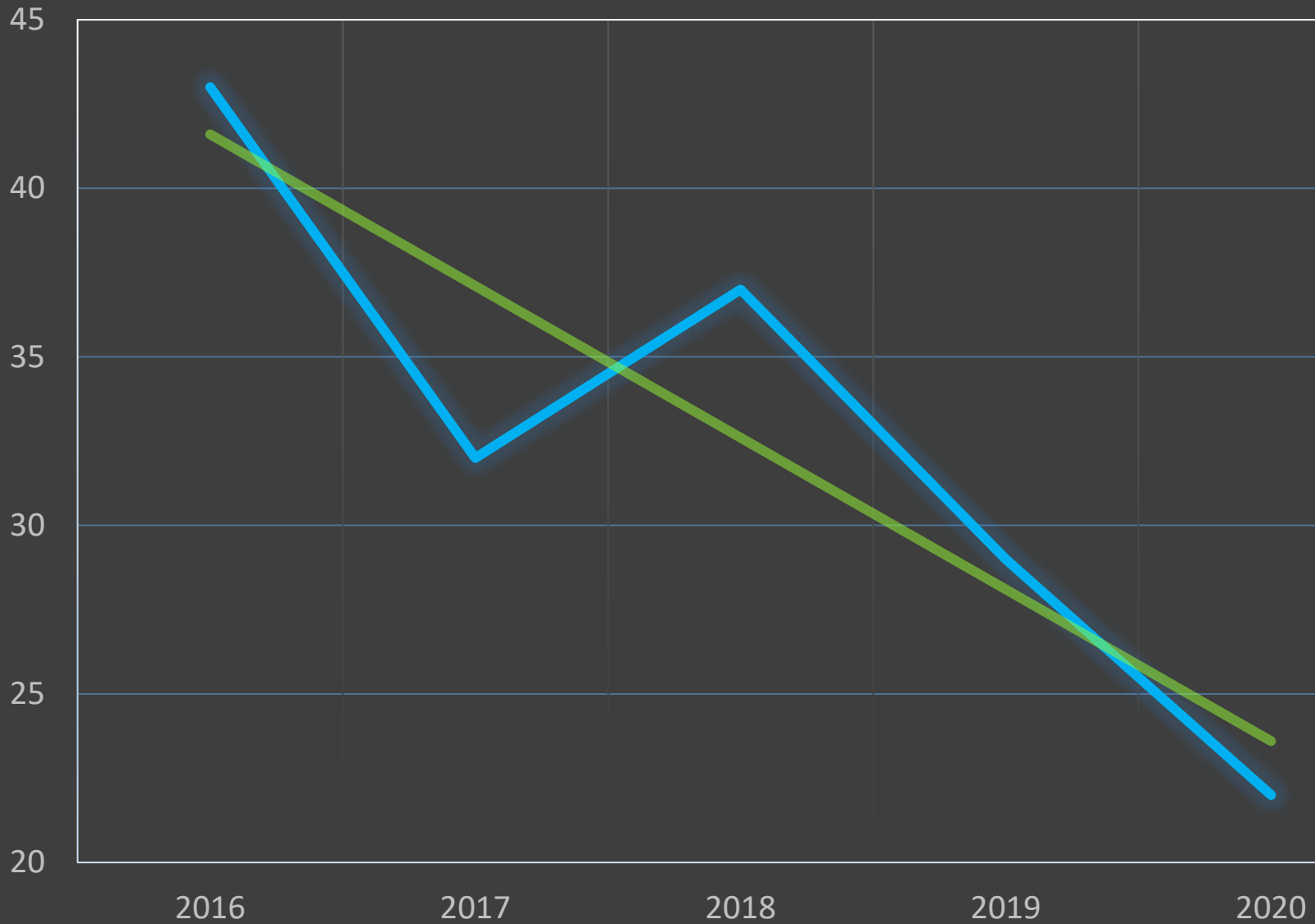
OFFENSE	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Murder	0	0	0	1	1
Rape	7	6	5	7	4
Robbery	16	11	9	0	4
Aggravated Battery	20	15	23	21	13
TOTAL	43	32	37	29	22

SOUTH MILWAUKEE PROPERTY CRIME 2016-2020

OFFENSE	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Burglary	79	43	28	22	13
Theft	398	358	316	307	261
Motor Vehicle Theft	27	18	18	17	14
Arson	2	2	1	0	0
TOTAL	506	421	363	346	288

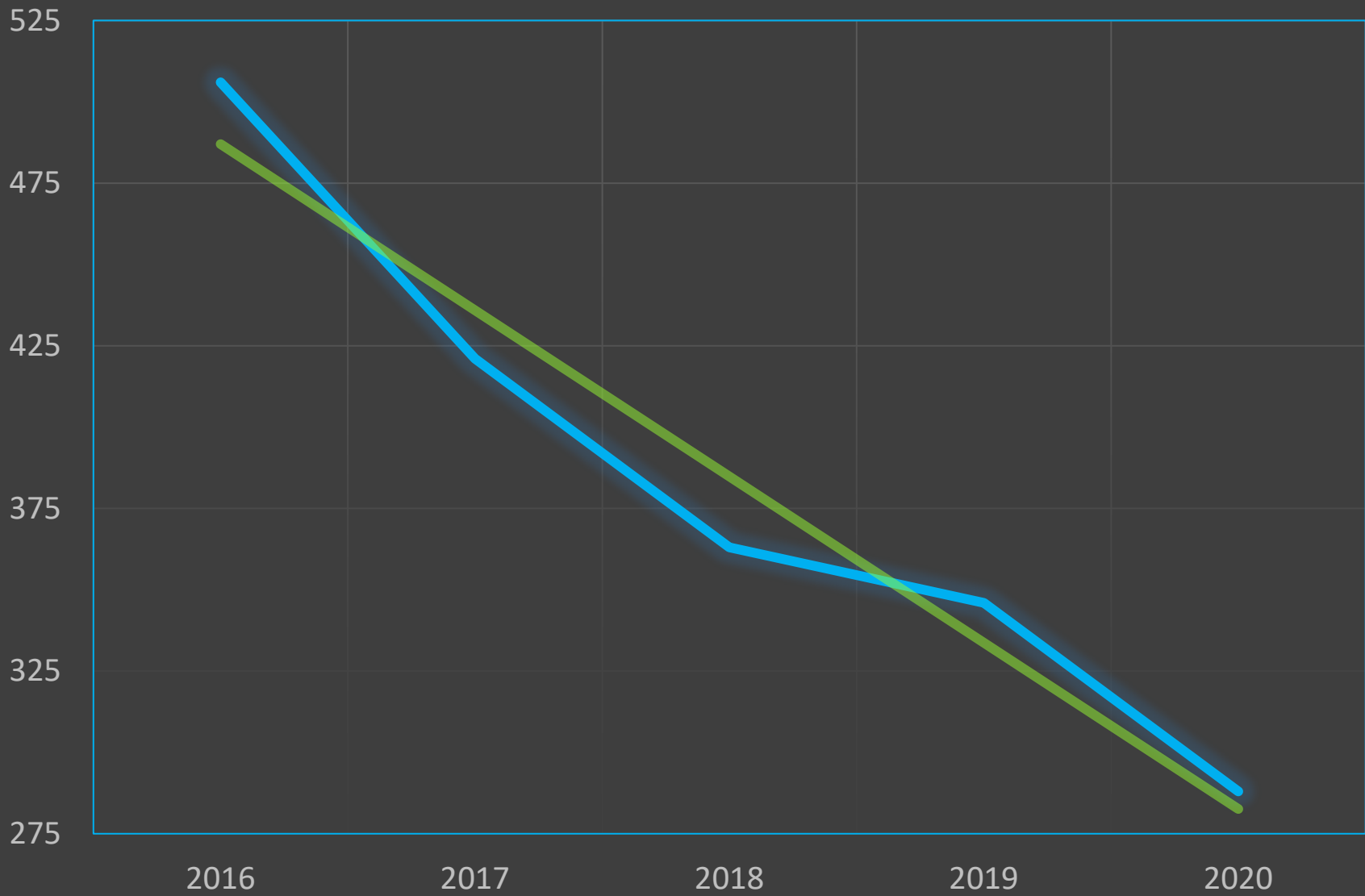
SOUTH MILWAUKEE VIOLENT CRIME FIVE YEAR TRENDS

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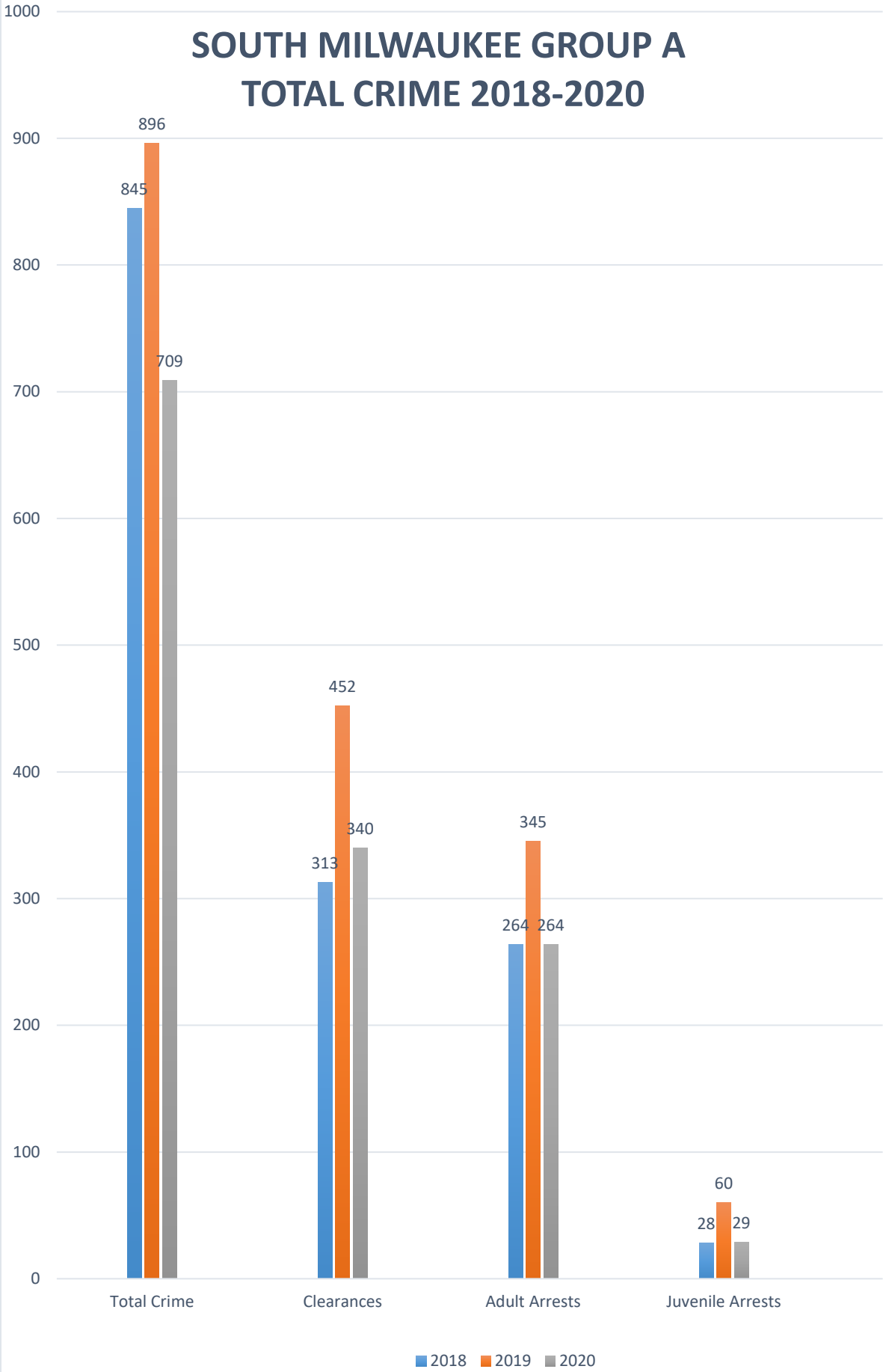


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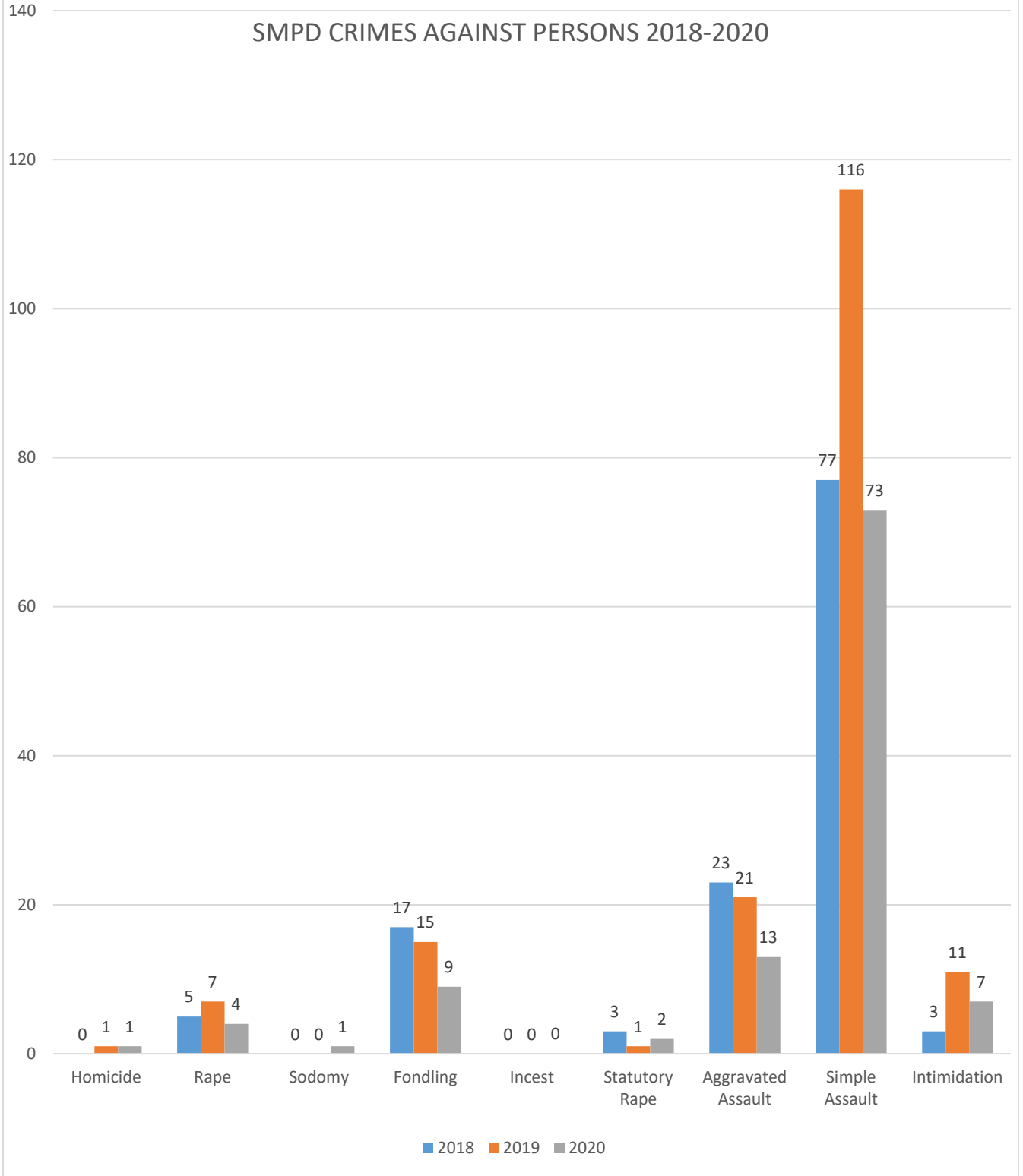
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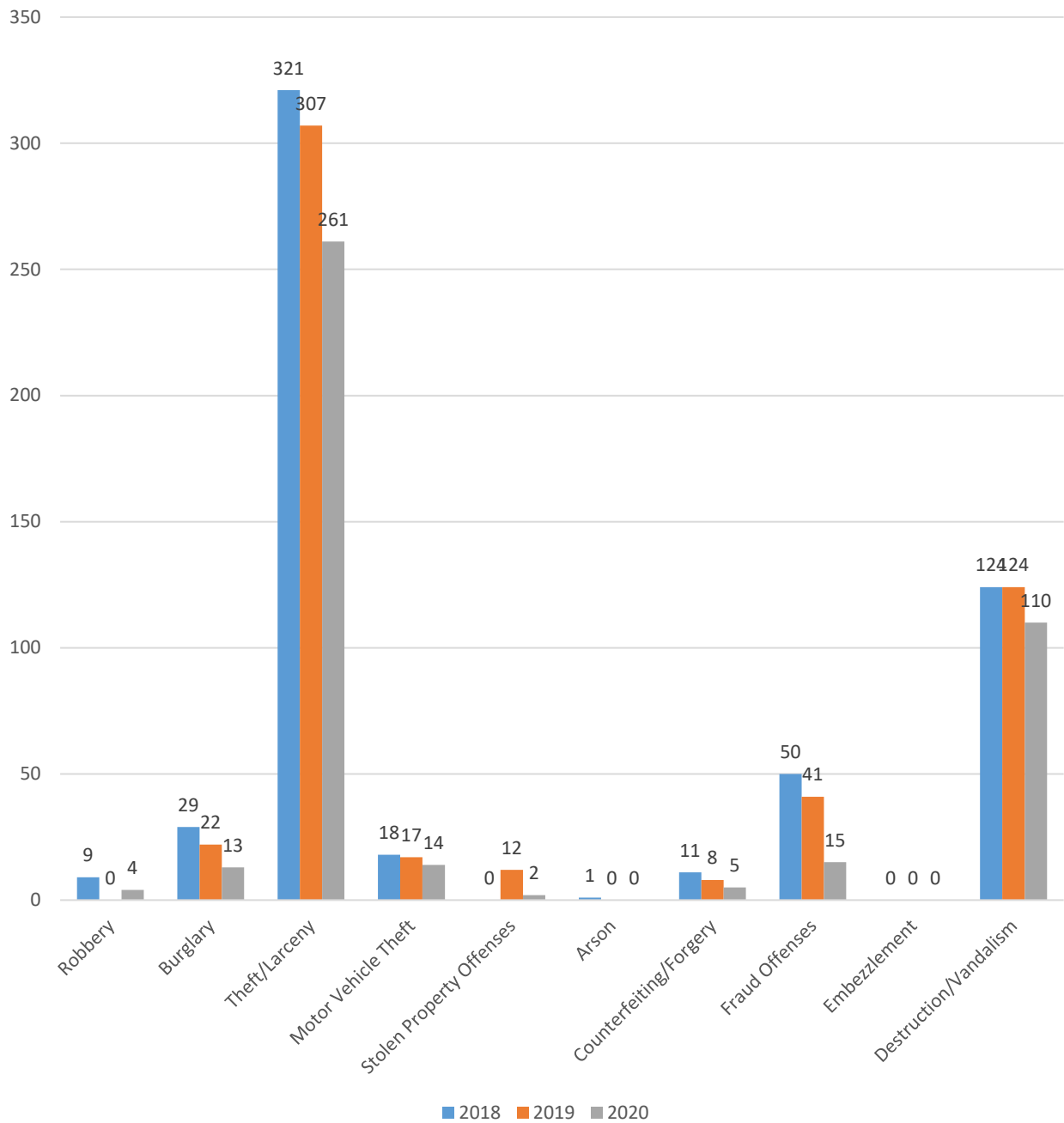
SOUTH MILWAUKEE GROUP A TOTAL CRIME 2018-2020



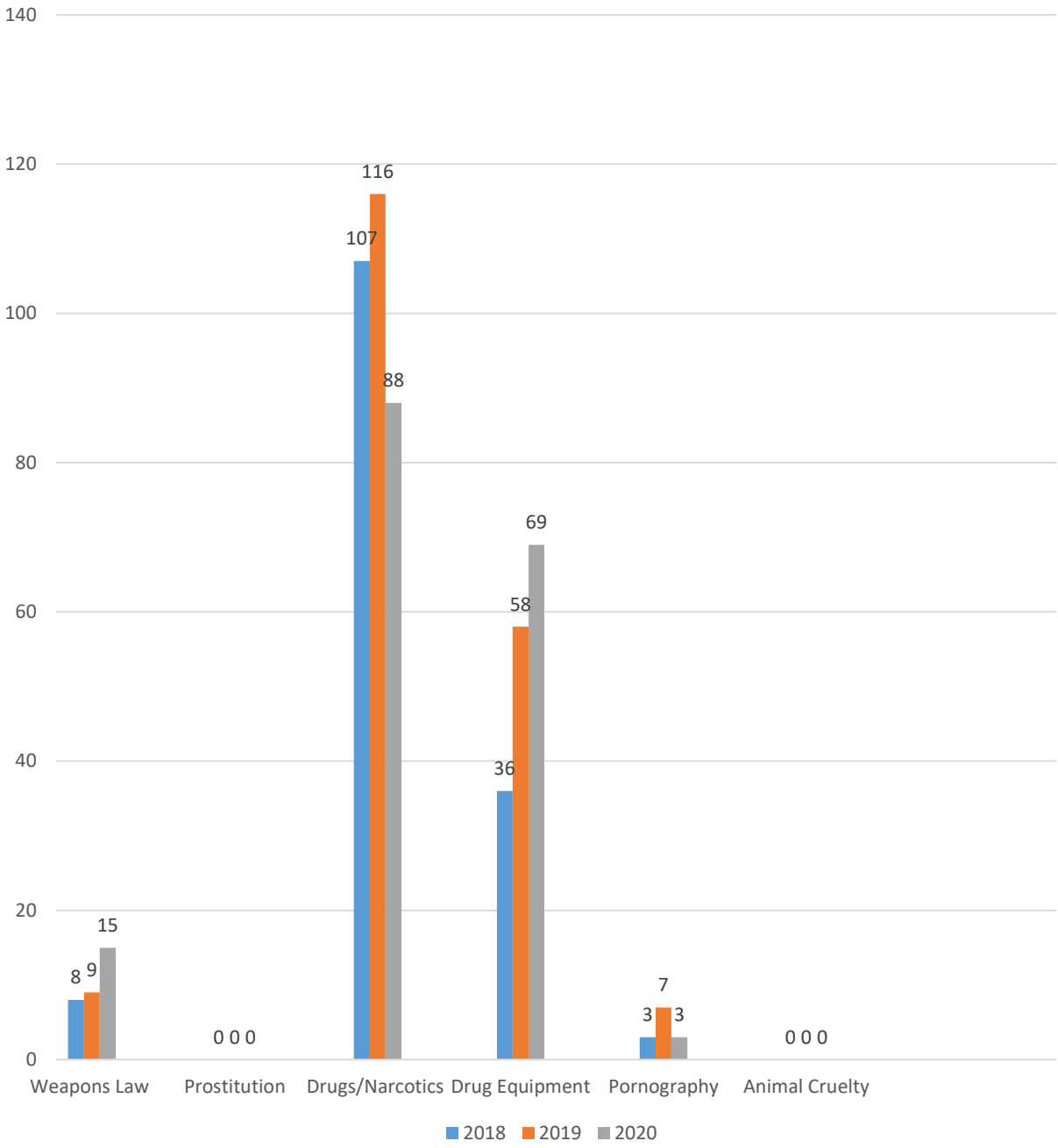
SMPD CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS 2018-2020



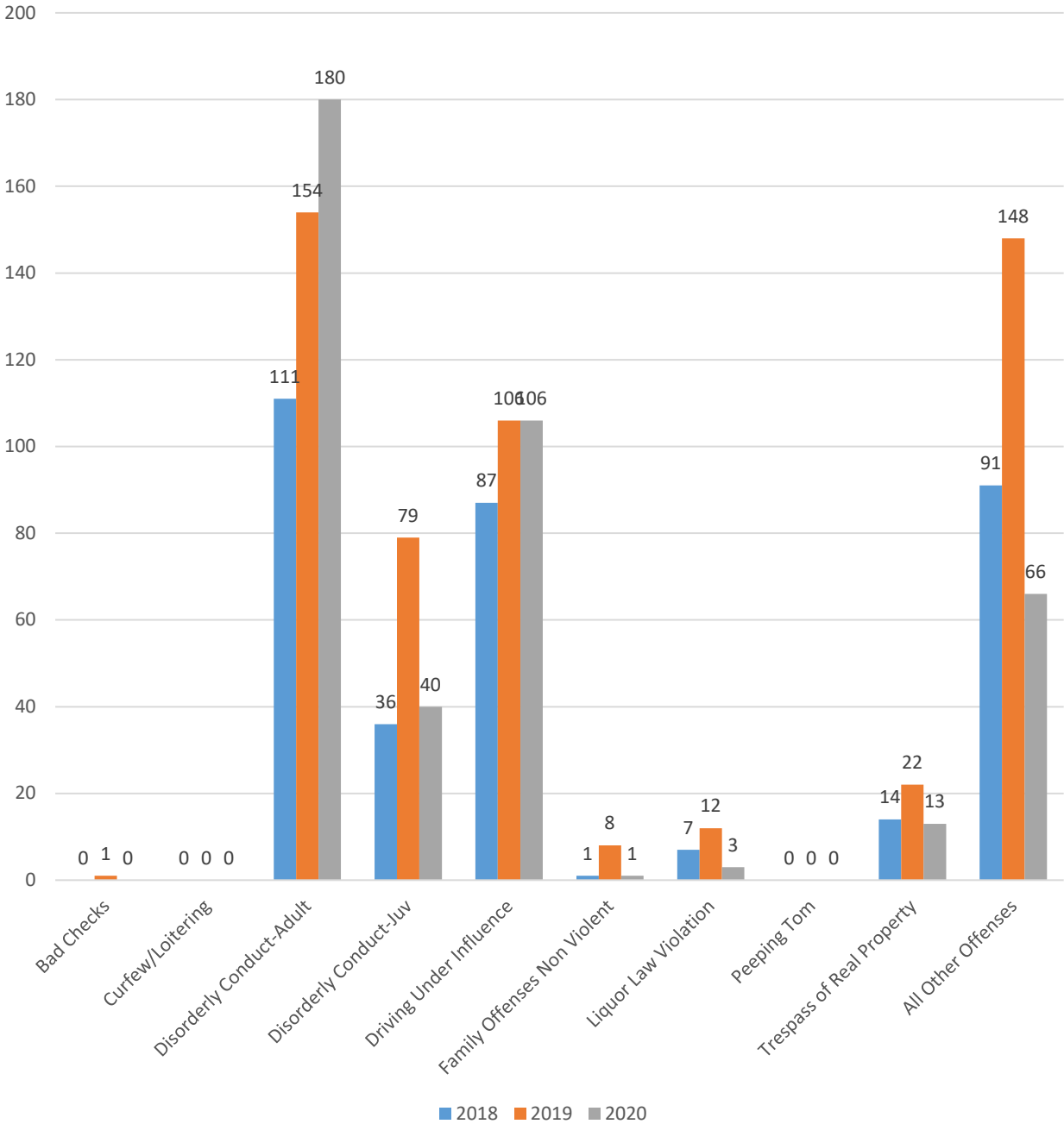
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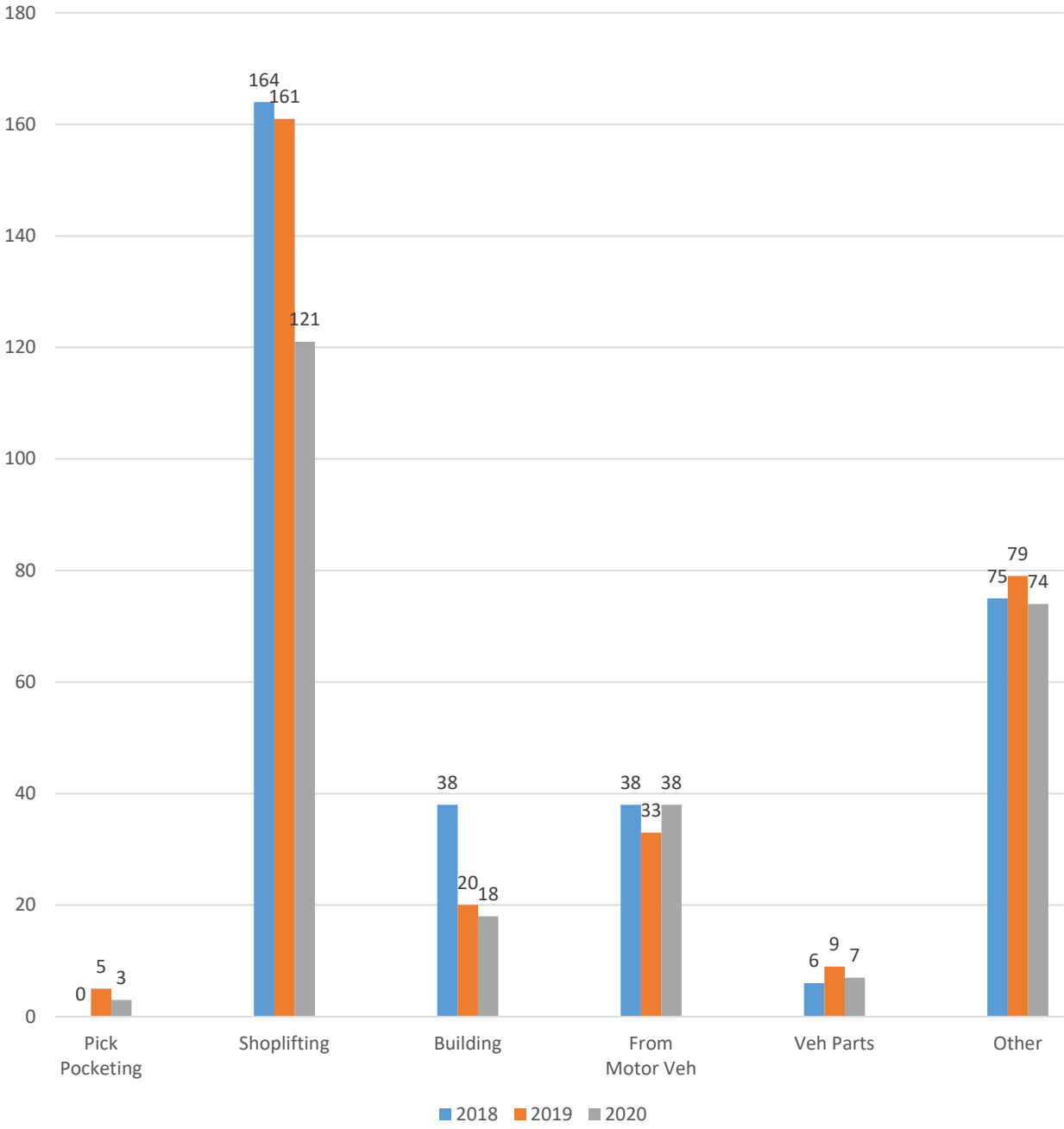
SMPD CRIMES AGAINST SOCIETY 2018-2020



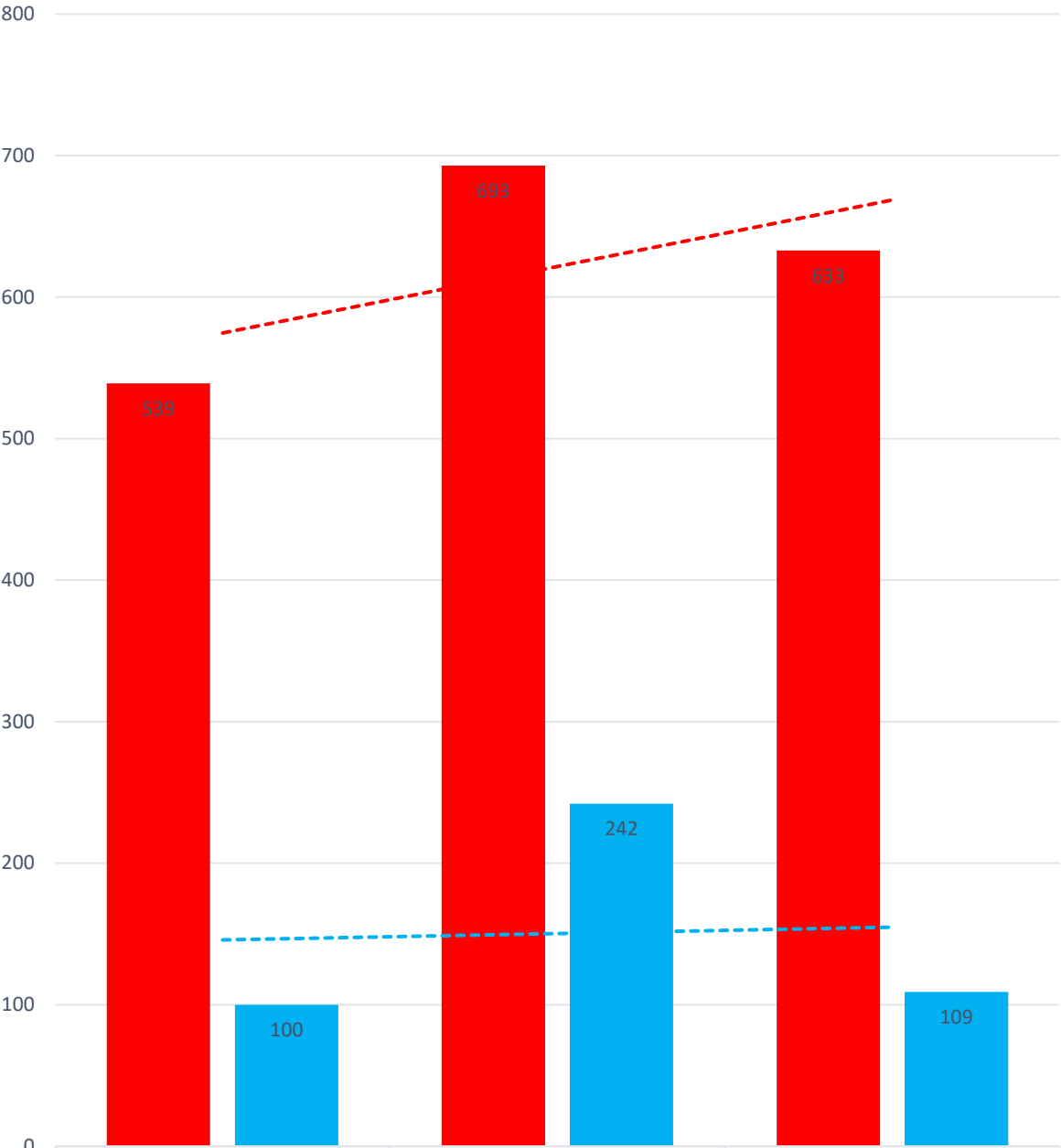
SMPD GROUP B CRIME ARRESTS 2018-2020



SMPD THEFTS 2018-2020



ADULT AND JUVENILE ARRESTS 2018-2020



	2018	2019	2020
Adult	539	693	633
Juvenile	100	242	109