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# **Bittersweet Elysian Fields Greystone**

## **Neighborhood Watch Meeting**



## **Neighbor Volunteers**

Working together towards strengthening and securing our community



## **Communication**

Open discussion between residents and law enforcement



## **Crime Prevention**

Homeland Security at the local level to deter, delay, and detect crime

# **Neighborhood Watch**

WHAT'S YOUR ROLE?



## **Not a Supplemental Patrol Force**

No permissions to act on the behalf of the police department to enforce the laws

## **No Citizen Patrols**

No permissions to act as police to conduct patrols in your neighborhood

## **No Protection To Act On Your Own**

Report suspicious activity to police

# **Neighborhood Watch**

WHAT IT'S NOT

## How You Can Report Activity

Contact the Crime Prevention Detective

Detective Gaylor

Contact your NW Officer

Officer Snyder

Contact 847-599-7000  
Non-emergency

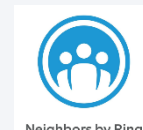
Contact 9-1-1  
in an emergency

## How Information Is Given To Residents

### NextDoor/Neighbors App

Website / phone app allows neighbors to discuss suspicious activity

Police send alerts or announcements to residents



### Facebook

Updates from the police department, crime prevention tips, press releases, and upcoming events are posted regularly



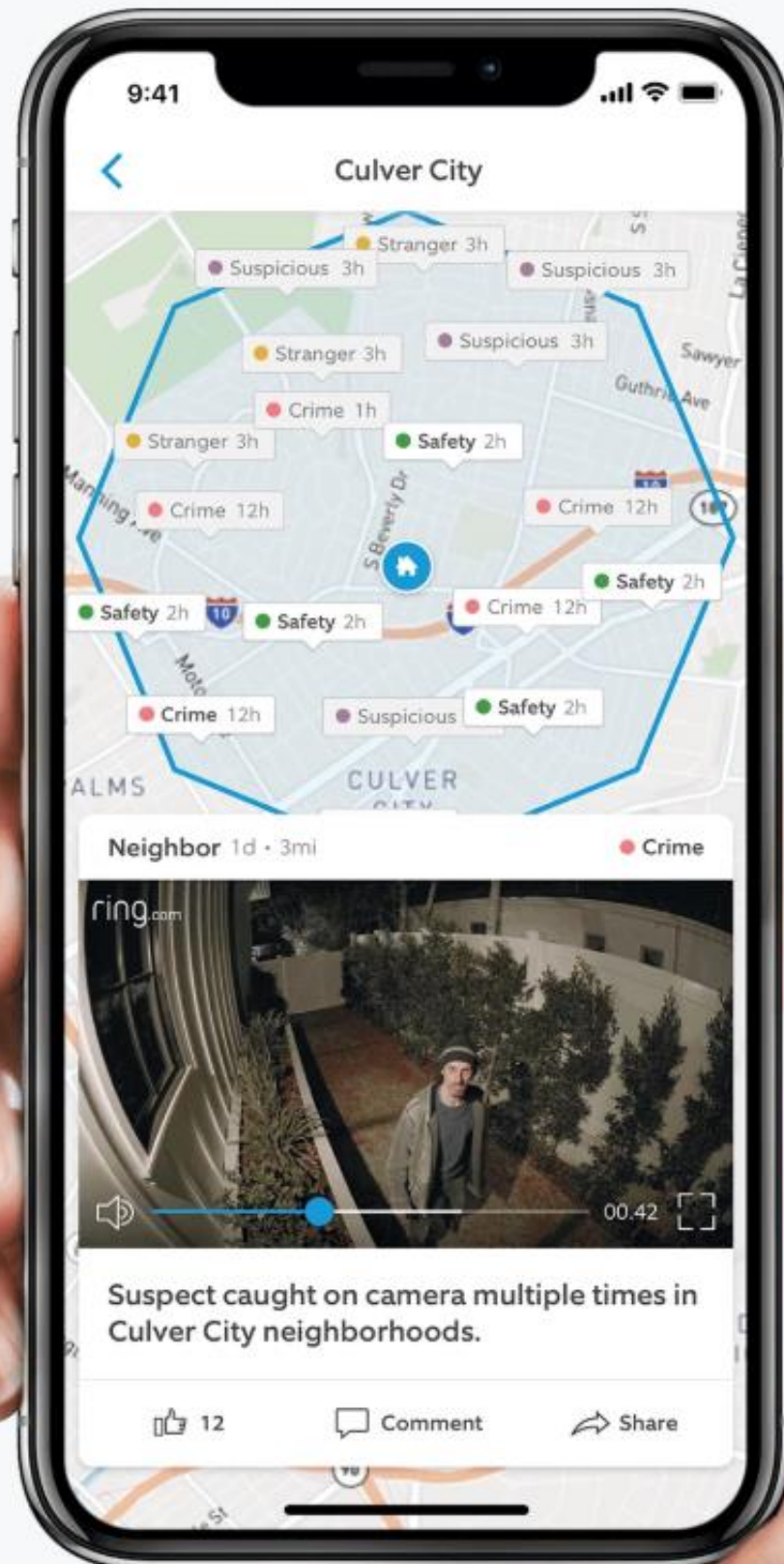


Neighbors by Ring

# Neighbors App by Ring

## CRIME PREVENTION EVOLVES WITH TECHNOLOGY

- Communication app for crime and safety only
- Free for all users
- Do NOT need to own a Ring device
- Sends you alerts based on a radius around your home
- Share alerts, photos and videos with neighbors
- Gurnee Police can send notifications about recent crime
- Gurnee Police CANNOT watch “live-stream” videos
- You can share videos with Gurnee Police for investigation



## Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

Gathered to generate reliable statistical information about crime in our nation

Information collected by the FBI from over 18,000 cities made up of:

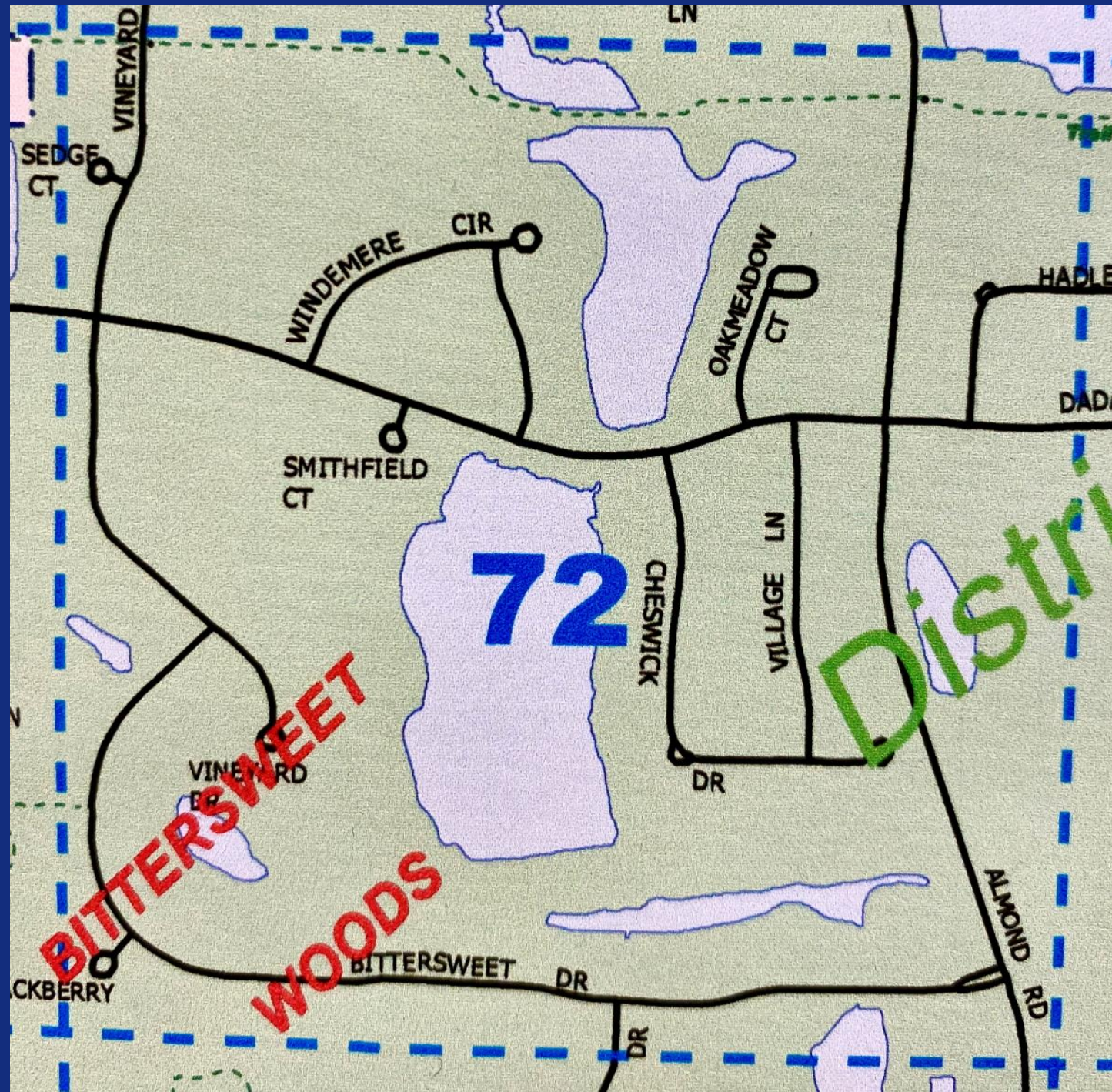
- Federal agencies
- Universities / Colleges
- State Troopers
- County Sheriffs
- Local Police

Information collected provides guidance for crime prevention measures and strategy

# Why Do Crime Statistics Matter?







# Bittersweet



<b>Bittersweet</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>Average</b>
<b>Calls for Service</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>1,802</b>	<b>467</b>
Auto/Vehicle Burglary	0	0	8	1	0	9	2
Criminal Damage	0	2	0	0	0	2	0
Criminal Defacement	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Domestic Battery/Dispute	2	4	9	2	0	15	3
Fireworks Complaints	0	1	0	1	0	2	0
Misch. Conduct	3	2	2	0	0	4	1
Reckless Driving	3	3	0	1	3	7	2
Residential Burglary	2	0	0	1	1	2	1
Suspicious Persons/Autos	16	13	29	20	16	78	19
Theft	1	1	8	0	1	10	2
Traffic Crashes	7	9	9	10	18	46	11
Traffic Related	294	212	190	196	298	896	238
IUCR cases	11	17	28	8	10	63	15
<b>Beat 72 IUCR %</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>2%</b>		<b>3%</b>
<b>Village-wide</b>							
Village-wide calls	71,800	67,219	63,701	71,241	73,880		69,568
Village-wide IUCR	3,531	3,391	3,175	2,914	2,718		3,146
<b>Village-wide</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>5%</b>		<b>5%</b>



## Bittersweet Crimes Reported to FBI

<b>Case Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Crime Description</b>
190006954	1/25/2019	10XX VILLAGE LN	IDENTITY THEFT
190026088	4/1/2019	ALMOND RD / DADA DR	SUSPEND,REVOKE LICENSE
190034137	4/29/2019	73XX BITTERSWEET DR	FRAUD
190038576	5/14/2019	DADA DR / ALMOND RD	JUVENILE CASE
190041650	5/23/2019	75XX BITTERSWEET DR	FRAUD
190043401	5/29/2019	DADA DR / CHESWICK DR	NO DRIVERS LICENSE
190064218	7/28/2019	ALMOND RD / BITTERSWEET DR	OBSTRUCTING IDENTIFICATION
190094767	11/7/2019	12XX VINEYARD DR	THEFT \$500 AND UNDER
190096413	11/13/2019	ALMOND RD / BITTERSWEET DR	CRIM DMG TO PROPERTY
190103418	12/11/2019	11XX OAKMEADOW CT	RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY



# Elysian Fields



<b>Elysian Fields</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>Average</b>
<b>Calls for Service</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>1,020</b>	<b>849</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>4,331</b>	<b>866</b>
Auto/Vehicle Burglary	1	5	6	6	0	18	4
Criminal Damage	4	3	4	3	3	17	3
Criminal Defacement	1	1	0	0	0	2	0
Domestic Battery/Dispute	6	8	8	6	3	31	6
Fireworks Complaints	3	0	4	4	0	11	2
Misch. Conduct	4	5	13	6	6	34	7
Reckless Driving	2	2	4	3	2	13	3
Residential Burglary	1	0	5	2	0	8	2
Suspicious Persons/Autos	44	50	62	48	40	244	49
Theft	4	6	5	1	3	19	4
Traffic Crashes	49	51	38	41	36	215	43
Traffic Related	77	92	82	52	68	371	74
IUCR cases	37	31	49	31	21	169	34
<b>Beat 58 IUCR %</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>3%</b>		<b>4%</b>
<b>Village-wide</b>							
Village-wide calls	71,800	67,219	63,701	71,241	73,880	347,841	69,568
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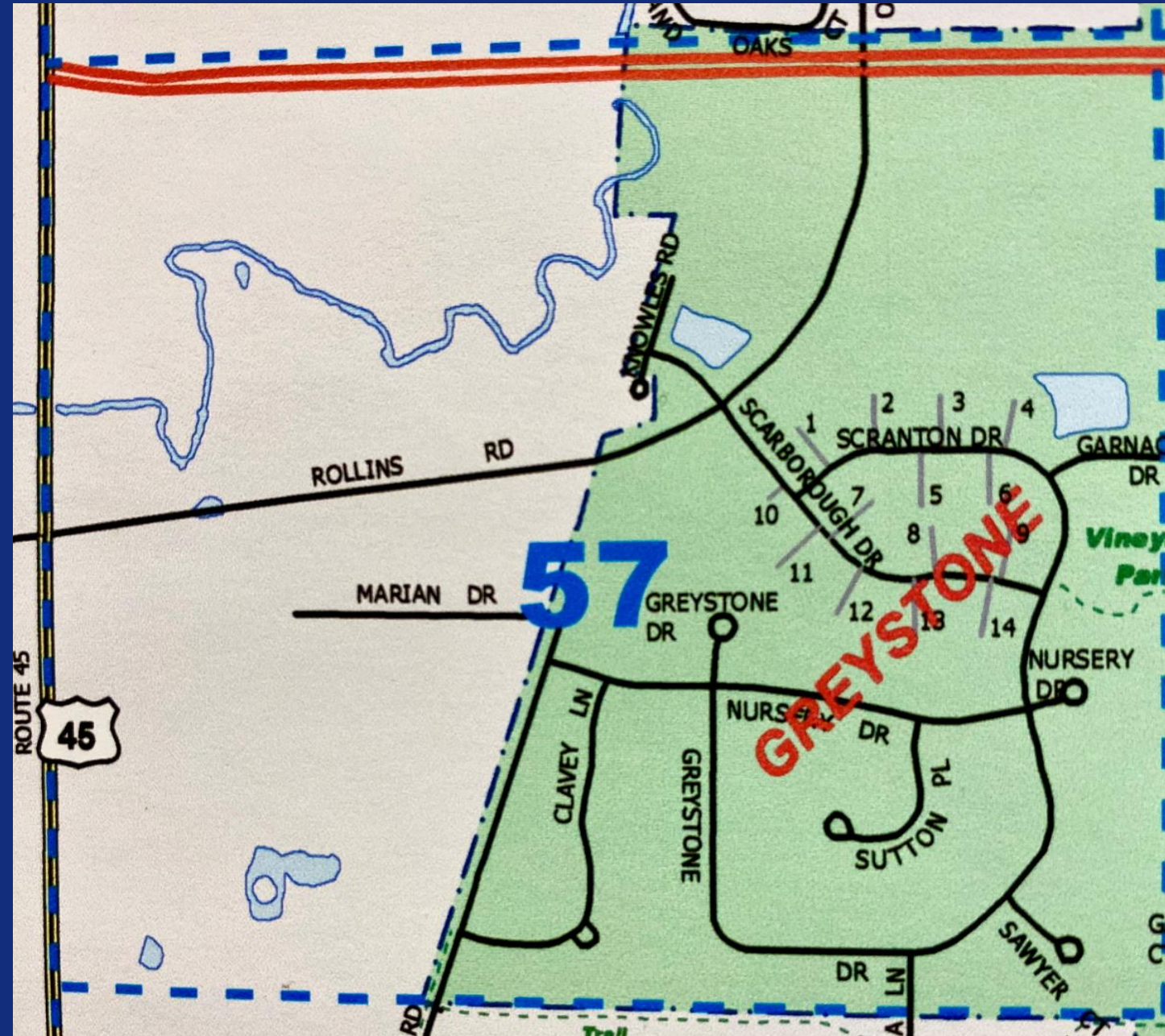


## Elysian Fields Crimes Reported to FBI

<b>Case Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Crime Description</b>
190000676	1/3/2019	75XX ROUTE 132	DISORDERLY CONDUCT
190014605	2/21/2019	72XX ROUTE 132	CRIM DMG TO PROPERTY
190014989	2/22/2019	76XX MENDOCINO DR	JUVENILE CASE
190020788	3/14/2019	72XX ROUTE 132	DECEPTIVE PRACTICE
190034092	4/29/2019	75XX ROUTE 132	FRAUD
190041114	5/22/2019	72XX ROUTE 132	FRAUD
190043767	5/30/2019	17XX NAPA DR	DISORDERLY CONDUCT
190050622	6/19/2019	15XX ALMADEN LN	FRAUD
190054481	7/1/2019	72XX ROUTE 132	CRM TRESPASS TO VEHICLE
190059473	7/14/2019	74XX TIMSBURY CT	THEFT \$500 AND UNDER

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190059584	7/15/2019	75XX KORBEL DR	THEFT \$500 AND UNDER
190072486	8/22/2019	72XX ROUTE 132	MTR VEH THEFT
190075693	9/2/2019	ROUTE 132 / VINEYARD DR	IN STATE WARRANT
190080740	9/19/2019	75XX ROUTE 132	FRAUD
190088133	10/15/2019	75XX KORBEL DR	DECEPTIVE PRACTICE
190088539	10/16/2019	15XX VINEYARD DR	JUVENILE CASE
190093548	11/3/2019	ROUTE 132 / VINEYARD DR	POSSESSION CANNABIS OVER 10G
190094610	11/6/2019	76XX MERLOT CT	JUVENILE CASE
190095133	11/8/2019	13XX ALMADEN LN	MTR VEH THEFT
190099811	11/27/2019	75XX ROUTE 132	FRAUD
190102676	12/8/2019	15XX WOODBURY CIR	CRIM DMG TO PROPERTY



# Greystone

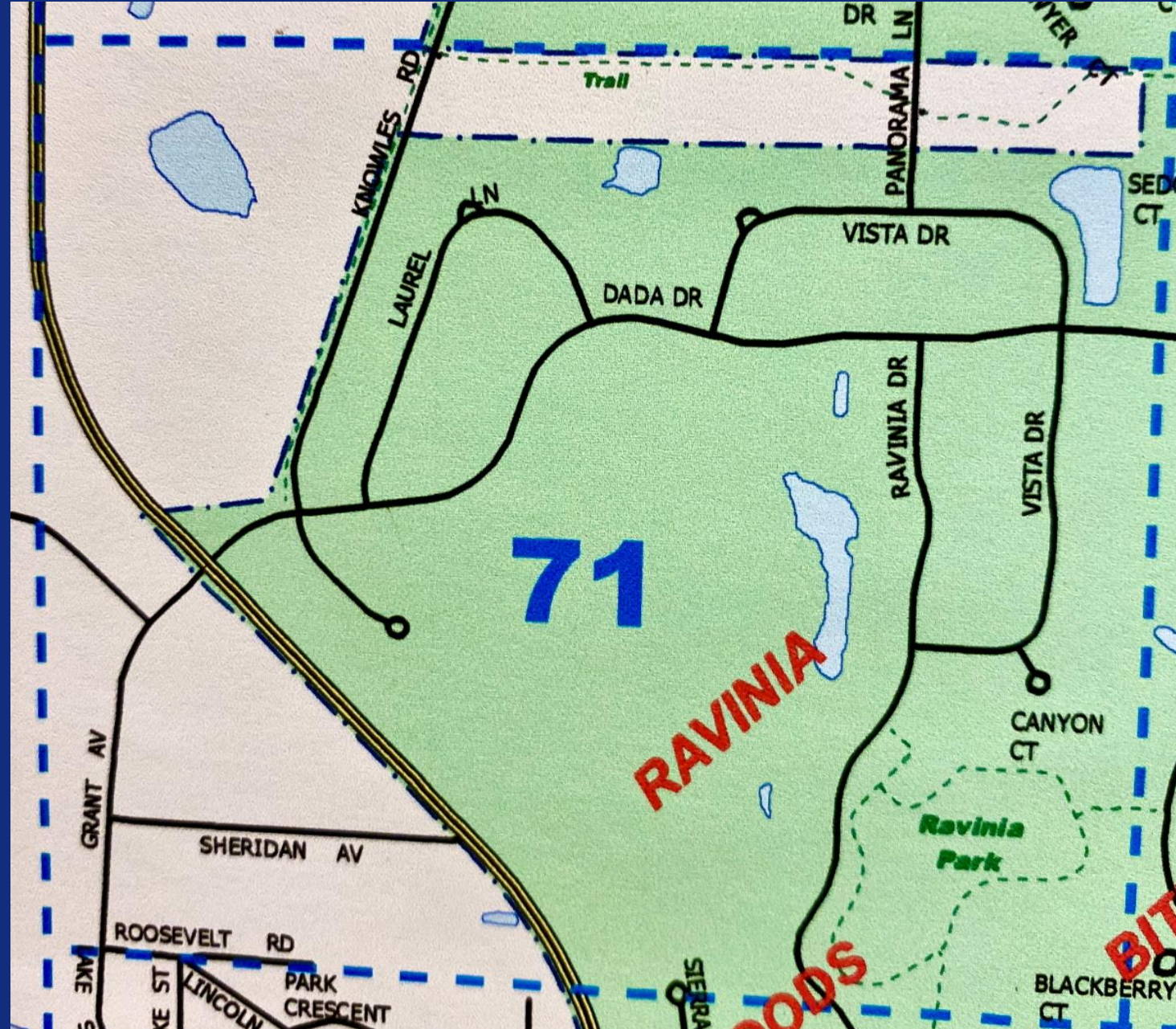




<b>Greystone Area</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>Average</b>
<b>Calls for Service</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>1,969</b>	<b>394</b>
Auto/Vehicle Burglary	2	0	1	5	0	8	2
Criminal Damage	1	0	1	0	1	3	1
Criminal Defacement	1	1	0	0	0	2	0
Domestic Battery/Dispute	5	4	6	11	8	34	7
Fireworks Complaints	2	1	1	2	3	9	2
Misch. Conduct	4	0	0	2	1	7	1
Reckless Driving	3	5	5	3	6	22	4
Residential Burglary	0	0	0	3	0	3	1
Suspicious Persons/Autos	19	16	22	13	15	85	17
Theft	1	2	3	4	2	12	2
Traffic Crashes	66	46	61	48	52	273	55
Traffic Related	47	39	32	32	77	227	45
IUCR cases	18	21	18	22	11	90	18
<b>Beat 57 IUCR %</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>3%</b>		<b>6%</b>
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190020070	3/11/2019	14XX GREYSTONE DR	CRIM DMG TO PROPERTY
190031791	4/21/2019	15XX SAPPHIRE CT	JUVENILE CASE
190033357	4/26/2019	15XX GREYSTONE DR	HARRASSMENT BY ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION
190042367	6/4/2019	15XX GREYSTONE DR	JUVENILE CASE
190052216	6/24/2019	14XX SASHAY CT	THEFT OVER \$500
190054822	7/2/2019	14XX CLAVEY LN	IDENTITY THEFT
190056100	7/5/2019	15XX GREYSTONE DR	FRAUD
190088473	10/16/2019	15XX SAUGANASH CT	FRAUD
190094644	11/6/2019	15XX SAUGANASH CT	JUVENILE CASE
190102481	12/7/2019	13XX CLAVEY LN	IDENTITY THEFT
190105770	12/19/2019	NURSERY DR / SCRANTON DR	THEFT \$500 AND UNDER



# Ravinia



<b>Ravinia</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>Average</b>
<b>Calls for Service</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>1,235</b>	<b>247</b>
Auto/Vehicle Burglary	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Criminal Damage	3	1	2	2	1	9	2
Criminal Defacement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Domestic Battery/Dispute	4	1	1	4	2	12	2
Fireworks Complaints	3	5	0	0	1	9	2
Misch. Conduct	2	3	1	0	0	6	1
Reckless Driving	3	0	0	0	1	4	1
Residential Burglary	1	0	0	2	1	4	1
Suspicious Persons/Autos	16	11	23	18	18	86	17
Theft	1	5	3	0	4	13	3
Traffic Crashes	15	8	11	17	14	65	13
Traffic Related	62	35	28	28	32	185	37
IUCR cases	8	12	12	10	12	54	11
<b>Beat 71 IUCR %</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>4%</b>		<b>5%</b>
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## Ravinia Crimes Reported to FBI

<b>Case Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Crime Description</b>
190010017	2/5/2019	11XX VINEYARD DR	THEFT OVER \$500
190011835	2/11/2019	11XX LAUREL LN	BATTERY
190016167	2/26/2019	76XX CANYON CT	RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY
190027733	4/7/2019	10XX VISTA DR	JUVENILE CASE
190032170	4/22/2019	10XX VISTA DR	JUVENILE CASE
190046205	6/6/2019	9XX RAVINIA DR	THEFT \$500 AND UNDER
190052222	6/24/2019	12XX VISTA DR	FRAUD
190059935	7/16/2019	11XX VISTA DR	CREDIT CARD FRAUD
190069109	8/12/2019	11XX RAVINIA DR	FRAUD
190071161	8/18/2019	11XX VISTA DR	THEFT \$500 AND UNDER
190084910	10/4/2019	12XX VISTA DR	THEFT \$500 AND UNDER
190105120	12/17/2019	10XX RAVINIA DR	FRAUD

PERCENTAGE OF GURNEE CRIMES  
COMMITTED IN YOUR AREA

**3%**

**Your crime rate has  
DECREASED  
from 4% last year**



# Questions?

OPEN DISCUSSION



# Common Questions From Residents

- Distracted Driving
- Aggressive Driving
- Phone Scams

## Manual Distractions

Taking your hands off of the wheel to change stations, looking at the navigation system, or manipulating the temperature

## Visual Distractions

Looking at an accident scene, glancing at a text message, or focusing on children or pets inside the vehicle

## Cognitive Distractions

Daydreaming, contemplating a problem at work or home, or making a mental "to-do" list for the weekend

# What are the types of distracted driving?





# HOW CAN YOU AVOID DISTRACTED DRIVING?

## Electronics

Don't look at your phone while driving. Put your cellphone on "Do Not Disturb While Driving"

## Family Members

Secure children and pets before driving. If they need attention, pull over to the side of the road

## Passengers

Conversations with passengers should be light in topic. Reserve serious discussions for another time

## Eating

Life is busy. Schedule meal times either before or after driving, not while driving





# CURRENT ILLINOIS LAW

## What to know before you drive distracted

### ■ NEW LAW AS OF JULY 1, 2019

Drivers caught texting while driving will receive a moving violation.  
With 3 or more moving citations (speeding, texting, etc.) your license may be suspended.

### ■ HAND-HELD DEVICES PROHIBITED

All drivers must be hands free while in a moving vehicle.  
Hands-free devices are only allowed for drivers 19 years or older.

### ■ ELECTRONIC DEVICES ALLOWED

In an emergency situation  
When you are pulled over on the side of the road  
When your vehicle is in park



# What police are doing about it?



## Additional Patrols

Officers know the dangers associated with driving distracted. Citations are being issued when violations are witnessed.

Several annual grants are dedicated to distracted driving - April is distracted driving month.

## Education

We are spreading the word about the risks of distracted driving and making drivers aware of their driving habits.

We need your help! Educate your family and friends about the dangers of driving distracted.

# Aggressive Driving

Operation of a motor vehicle in a manner that endangers or is likely to endanger others or property.

## Examples

Yelling or  
throwing objects

Slamming on the breaks  
in front of a tailgater

Passing on the shoulder

Repeatedly  
honking/flashing lights

Cutting off another vehicle

Speeding / Tailgating



## **DON'T ENGAGE THE DRIVER**

Do not retaliate. Engaging the driver may escalate the situation

## **GET OUT OF THE WAY**

When safe to do so, move out of the way and allow the driver to pass. Set an example of a safe driver

## **DON'T UNDERESTIMATE THEIR POTENTIAL**

Aggressive drivers often try to engage and intimidate other drivers. Do not make eye contact. Continue to drive safely to your destination.

# Avoiding Aggressive Drivers

RULES YOU CAN APPLY TO  
YOUR OWN ENCOUNTERS

Contact police if you fear you are in danger



# TIPS TO AVOID A SPAM CALL



The screenshot shows the top of the Federal Trade Commission's National Do Not Call Registry website. At the top left is the FTC logo with the text "FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION PROTECTING AMERICA'S CONSUMERS". To the right are links for "Back to ftc.gov" and "Español". Below this is a navigation bar with "More Information", "Privacy & Security", and "Home". The main heading is "National Do Not Call Registry" with a house and phone icon and a link for "En Español". Three main action buttons are displayed: "Report Unwanted Calls" (green), "Verify Your Registration" (blue), and "Register Your Phone" (orange). At the bottom, a text box states: "The National Do Not Call Registry gives you a choice about whether to receive telemarketing calls".

## DO NOT ANSWER THE PHONE

Disregard numbers you do not know  
If It's important, they will leave a message

## DO NOT MAKE PAYMENT OVER THE PHONE

Callers will attempt to scare you into giving money  
Never provide personal information

## NATIONAL DO NOT CALL REGISTRY

Registering your phone number is free  
Federal Trade Commission Website:

[donotcall.gov](https://www.donotcall.gov)

# HOW CELLPHONE COMPANIES ARE HELPING YOU

## T-MOBILE

Automatically filters spam calls for subscribers. Spam calls do not come through to the cellphone user. But, it cannot stop all spam calls.

## SPRINT & VERIZON

Offers an "Opt-In" version of spam filtering. Subscribers must download an app to avoid receiving spam calls.

In the App Store:

- Sprint's App - Sprint Call Screener
- Verizon's App - Verizon Call Filter

## AT&T

Fraud Blocker was automatically added for subscribers.



**Each provider offers a fee based version with more options. These are available in the App Store.**



# Things to remember about spam calls

## Spoofting

Although a phone number will appear on the caller ID, it's likely the number is fake.

## Don't Answer

If you don't recognize the number DON'T ANSWER!

If it is an important call, they will leave a message.

## Government Calls

Calls directly from the police or other government agencies will not ask for money over the phone.

## Skeptical?

Tell the caller you will call them back. Hang up and call a known working number for the organization.



# Questions?

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