



Agenda
Public Safety Committee Regular Meeting
April 9, 2026 | 6:00 PM

Stanwood-Camano School District
Administration Building Board Room
26920 Pioneer Highway
Stanwood, WA 98292

This meeting will be conducted in person at the Stanwood-Camano School District, Administration Building Board Room, 26920 Pioneer Highway, Stanwood, WA 98292
<https://www.stanwoodwa.org>.

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Police**
 - a. General Police Update
 - b. Flock Camera Update
 - c. Compstat Report - March 2026
- 3. Fire**
 - a. General Fire Update
- 4. Adjourn**

Stanwood Police Department CompStat Report



City of Stanwood Police Chief Glenn DeWitt

Prepared by: Snohomish County Sheriff Office Crime Analysis Unit and Stanwood Police Department

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COMPSTAT REPORT



What is CompStat?

CompStat stands for 'Computer Statistics' dealing specifically with crime. It is found to be an effective way to accurately track crime and use the information to deploy officers to address it in timely manner. It is a performance management system that is used to reduce crime and achieve other police department goals. It emphasizes information-sharing, responsibility and accountability and improving effectiveness.

What is the benefit to the community?

CompStat allows us to track crime problems and allocate resources to the areas that are being affected. By being able to focus our efforts on areas being impacted, we are able to make apprehensions and drive down crime in Stanwood.

How is data collected?

Crime Analysts access a variety of systems to collect and analyze law enforcement data. Data collection begins at the 911 call center (SNO911) and carries over into law enforcement records management systems (LERMS). Much of the information presented in this report is also reported to state and federal agencies annually.

What data will you see in this report?

What occurred within the city limits of Stanwood and calls responded to by the Stanwood Police outside the city.

This is a true representation of all police activity occurring in the City of Stanwood, you will see these calls listed as "In the STW Beat". On occasion, Stanwood Police officers will be called outside the city to assist other agencies. We also have deputies who live outside of the city so on occasion they will make a traffic stop or respond to a nearby call while commuting to work. You will see these call listed as "Answered by STW ORI"

Incident data:

This represents what police were called to and includes self-initiated activity. Multiple 911 calls for the same incident are presented as a single incident.

Case data:

An incident becomes a case when the deputy determines reporting protocol is met. A case is often generated based on a specific crime, traffic collisions, arrest or the need to document specific actions or information.

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POLICE STAFFING



The City of Stanwood contracts for law enforcement services through the Snohomish County Sheriff's Office. The contract is identified as a "stand alone" contract, which allows the City of Stanwood to maintain its own police identity to include policies and procedures that meet unique small city needs. All uniforms and vehicles are identified as Stanwood Police and we provide services to the city population of approximately 8,405.

DIVISIONS:

CHIEF OF POLICE: Has the rank of Lieutenant with the Sheriff's Office. Oversees all aspects of the Police Department daily operations. The Chief works with city staff to ensure community needs are met.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERGEANT: Administers the day-to-day administrative functions of the Police Department and oversees the day shift deputies, School Resource Officer and Detective. Steps in as the Chief of Police when the chief is absent.

NIGHT SERGEANT: Oversees the swing shift and night shift deputies.

PATROL DIVISION: Responds to crimes in progress, traffic collisions, missing persons, and other emergency and non-emergency calls for service.

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER: Utilizes the concept of educator, informal counselor, and law enforcer; working to bridge the gap and build relationships between law enforcement and youth.

DETECTIVE: Works in conjunction with patrol and the resources of the Snohomish County Sheriff's Office to investigate a broad range of felony- and misdemeanor-level crimes that occurred in the City of Stanwood.

	ASSIGNED	VACANCIES	PERCENTAGE
Chief	1	0	100%
Sergeant	2	0	100%
Deputy	5	1	83.5%
School Resource Officer <small>No longer a PD employee - SCSO contract</small>	1	0	100%
Detective	1	0	100%

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RECORDS UNIT



Records Summary: Job duties include, but are not limited to, the following;

- Provide administrative support for all members of the Stanwood Police Department.
- Assist the Chief of Police with police budget tracking and review.
- Verify and code all incoming invoices for the Police Department.
- Ordering of supplies for the department, and special events.
- Subject matter expert for the Law Enforcement Records Management System (LERMS) used by Stanwood Police Department.
- Manage all Stanwood Police Department documents and records.
- Review all electronic case file entries and information for accuracy.
- Scan paper records into electronic case files.
- Forward criminal arrest referrals to the Prosecuting Attorney's Office.
- Enter trespass notices, gun alerts, and other safety alerts into the agency's electronic records management system.
- Route Child Protective Services & Adult Protective Service referrals.
- Maintain department case file and document archives per Washington State records retention/destruction schedules.
- Responsible for federal reporting of crime statistics to the National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS).
- Run monthly case audits and records validations.
- Enter court orders, missing persons, vehicle impounds, lost or stolen property, stolen vehicles, etc. into Washington Crime Information Center and National Crime Information Center (WACIC/NCIC).
- Provide second checks for all entries made into Washington Crime Information Center and National Crime Information Center (WACIC/NCIC).
- Conduct background checks for concealed pistol license and pistol transfers applications.
- Provide fingerprint services for concealed pistol license applicants and citizen fingerprints.
- Review and fulfill public records requests within the guidelines of the Public Records Act.
- Create/update/maintain all process, procedure, and training manuals for the position.
- Serve as Stanwood Police Department's Terminal Agency Coordinator for the Washington State Patrol ACCESS program.
- Assists with walk-in and telephone customers, averaging 8,000 yearly contacts.
- Route calls to 911 and non-emergency dispatch.
- Respond to requests for service and answer general questions.
- Manage key & key fob assignments for City of Stanwood employees.

	2026	2025	2024	2023	Year to Date
Public Records Requests	46	41	47	46	113
Concealed Pistol License Issued	48	31	28	47	174
Fingerprinting & Approx Time	18 4.5 hrs	21 5.25hrs	0 0.0 hrs	26 6.5 hrs	65 16.25 hrs

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Message from the Chief



As we conclude the month of March, I would like to provide a brief overview of notable events and activities involving the Police Department.

Community Engagement

I had the opportunity to meet and speak in front of the Stanwood Rotary where I talked about some of my priorities. One of the attendees provided me with a brief history lesson about the City of Stanwood. I also had the opportunity to read to a few classes at Cedarhome Elementary School. The kids were all great and asked some thoughtful questions. It was a really positive interaction.

Parade

This month included the 2nd annual St. Patrick's Day festivities, highlighted by the "Shortest St. Patrick's Day Parade" sponsored by KISW. The event drew a strong turnout, created a positive community atmosphere, and proceeded safely thanks to coordinated efforts between event organizers, city public works employees, and our officers assigned to parade detail. The highlight was the mayor presenting the Daly Migs Show with a key to the city. Thankfully there were no drunk horses or other notable debauchery!

Police Call of Note

On Sunday March 22nd, deputies responded to an assault incident at the city library involving a report of lewd and unlawful behavior directed toward a female patron. Deputies arrived within minutes, located the suspect, and after a lengthy foot pursuit where he tried to steal a car, he was placed under arrest. As of this writing, he remains in custody on \$1,000 bail. The case has been accepted by the prosecutor's office and is moving forward through the appropriate legal channels.

Flock Cameras

On March 30th, the governor signed HB6002 regarding ALPR cameras. We are working together with the city and legal counsel to get the cameras turned back on.

On a lighter note, it's baseball season again. The M's hit four home runs in the first game of the season. Luke Railey is the third player in Mariner team history to hit a home run in the first three games of the season.

GO MARINERS!

Chief DeWitt

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Detective Report



Stanwood Case 2026-1547 Theft

On 03-06-2026 Arlington Police Detective Phillips contacted Deputy Kargopoltsev regarding a theft that occurred at the CVS Pharmacy in Arlington. Cosmetics valued at over \$1,000.00 were stolen by subjects believed to be part of a Romanian Organized Crime group. Detective Phillips provided information suggesting the same group had visited the CVS Pharmacy in Stanwood.

Deputy Kargopoltsev contacted the manager at the CVS in Stanwood CVS and learned cosmetics valued at over \$3,000.00 had been stolen from the store on 02-20-2026. Deputy Kargopoltsev documented the unreported theft and collected video from the store. The female suspects in the Stanwood case are believed to be the same as in the Arlington case.



We are currently working with a Crime Analyst from the Kent Police Department in attempt to positively identify the suspects based on video images.

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Stanwood Camano School District SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER



Mamma Mia!



An incredible performance of the hit musical "Mamma Mia!" was put on by Stanwood High School in March. Drama teacher Carrie James and dozens of students put in a lot of time and effort to make it all happen. Sold out shows and rave reviews were the norm for this amazing production. Congrats to all that made this great.



Cops Reading!

Members of the Stanwood Police Department were invited to Cedarhome Elementary to read to their students. On March 23rd Stanwood Police Chief dropped in to read to several classes. On March 25th Deputy Sarah Standish made an appearance and had a great time reading. School Resource Officer Deputy McCurry stopped in on March 27th and read to three 4th grade classes.

After School Issues

Area community businesses have expressed concerns with the Stanwood Camano School District and the Stanwood Police Department regarding unruly juvenile students flooding the Haggen, McDonalds, and YMCA areas after school. Reports of disruptive behavior, belligerent juveniles, and shoplifting have come in from businesses and community members. Stanwood Police and the Stanwood Camano School district are working together to come up with some communication to send out to school families to make them aware of the behavior issues. We ask the parents / guardians to help out by making sure their children are using our businesses and community areas properly, and behaving in a socially accepted manner. Community members have reported that they refuse to shop the local businesses during these hours due to the unacceptable juvenile behavior. About 100-120 high school students cross SR 532 daily to walk to town.

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The following pages cover incidents data. This is also known as calls for service.

If 30 people call because there's a wreck in front of Haggen's, it counts here once.





TOTAL INCIDENTS - inside Stanwood city limits

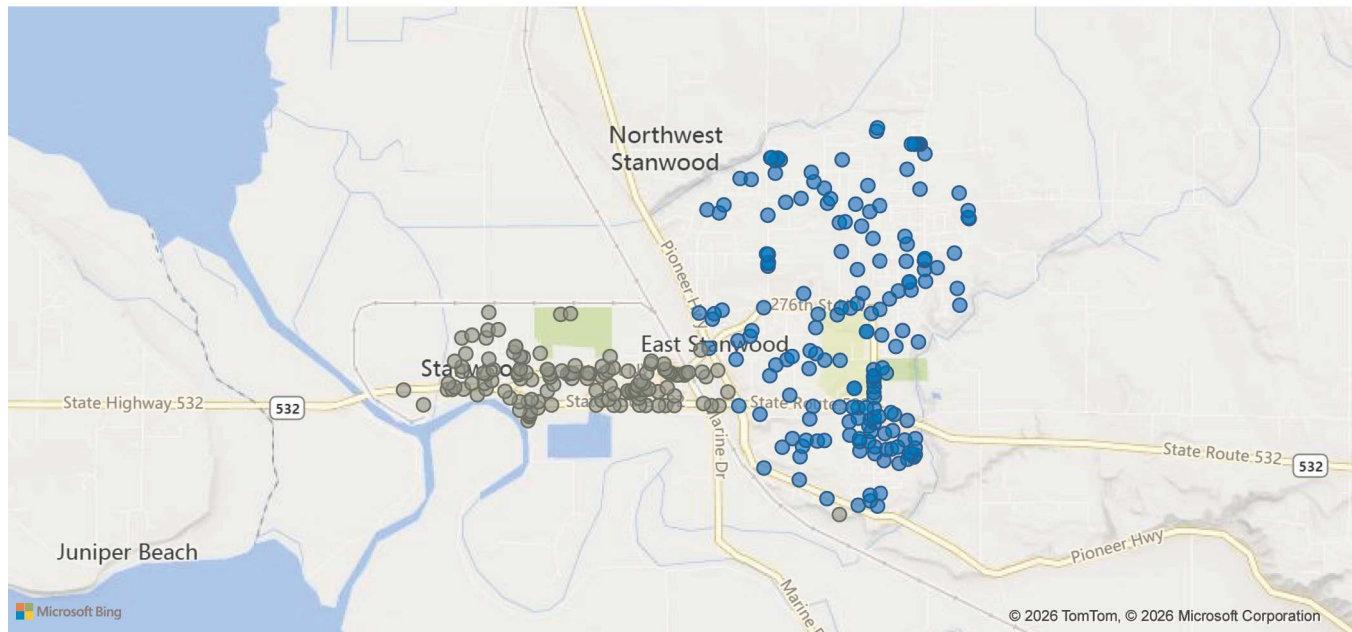
Total Incident Counts, Past 6 Full Months by Origination Type

Call Origination	2025			2026		
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
	7	4	3	2	4	4
911 call	414	299	404	316	326	322
ASAP	6	14	11	8	8	21
Total	920	615	694	656	668	739

IncidentType	2025			2026		
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Abandoned Vehicle	6	9	7	5	2	3
Abuse of Person		3				2
AID					3	
Alarm	24	25	30	19	18	31
Animal	8	5	22	5	19	10
BHC	23	7	5	16	20	13
Collision	23	17	17	20	15	21
CPS		3	4	4	3	5
Death					2	2
DUI	12	12	6	12	6	2
EVICT		4	2			
Nuisance	7	16	8	12	7	5
SAR		1				
Suicide	4		1	3	5	4
Traffic	95	52	47	83	116	78
Welfare Check	20	13	8	10	17	10
Total	222	167	157	188	233	186

All incidents Past 1 Month - excludes victim privacy concerning incidents

Beat ● STWE ● STWW

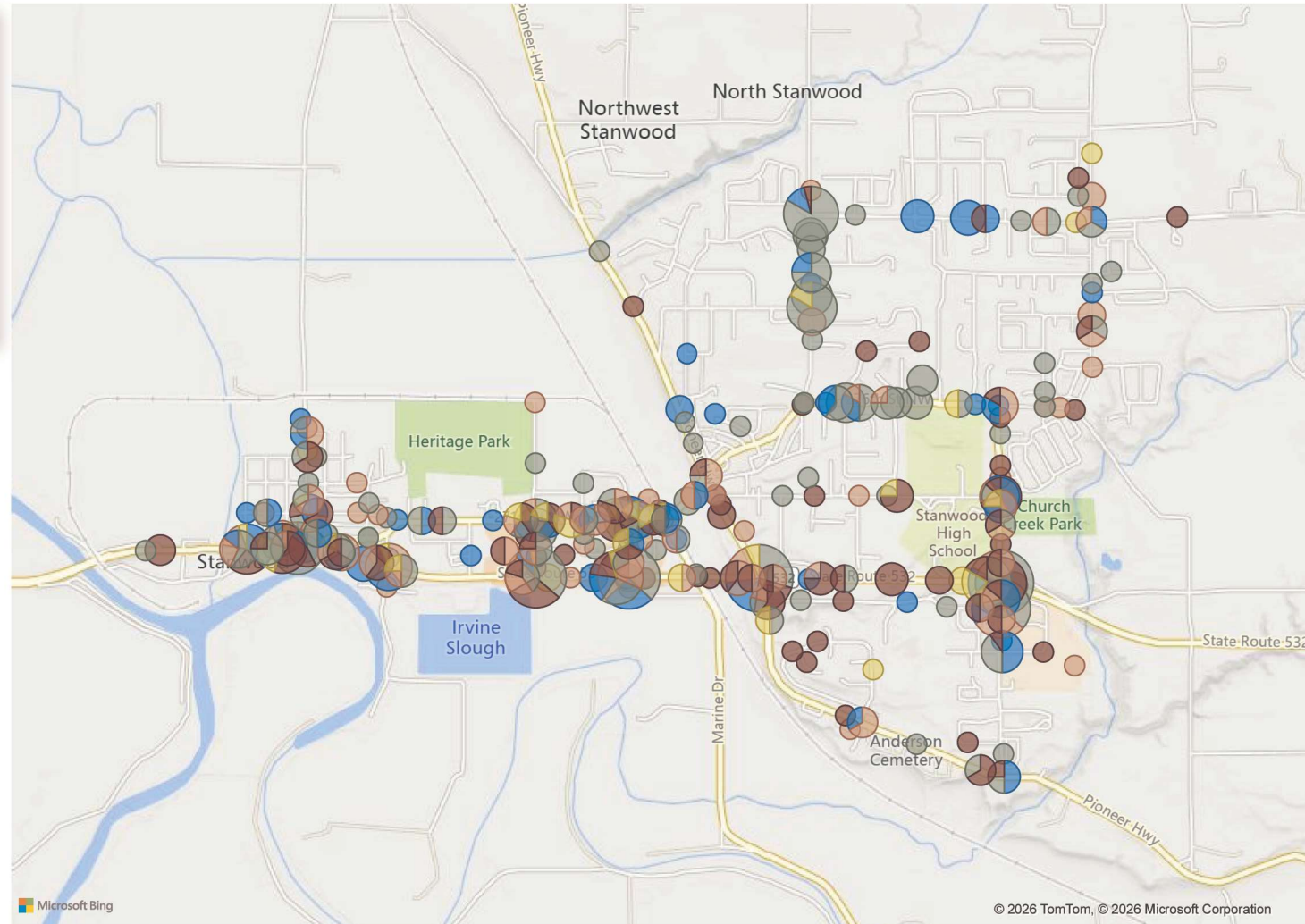




Tickets Written

Total Tickets	
Year	# of Tickets
2026	58
2025	192
2024	171
2023	314
2022	144
Total	879

Year ● 2022 ● 2023 ● 2024 ● 2025 ● 2026



Total Violations					
Charge Month	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Jan	6	19	22	23	26
Feb	11	39	16	27	29
Mar	14	27	13	25	21
Apr	4	18	24	18	
May	11	24	26	37	
Jun	25	34	21	12	
Jul	29	9	21	11	
Aug	30	37	11	27	
Sep	36	38	27	25	
Oct	11	112	28	20	
Nov	15	27	17	14	
Dec	23	29	27	13	
Total	215	413	253	252	76

The following pages cover case data.

The key difference between cases and incidents data is a Deputy has determined something did transpire that justifies writing a case report.

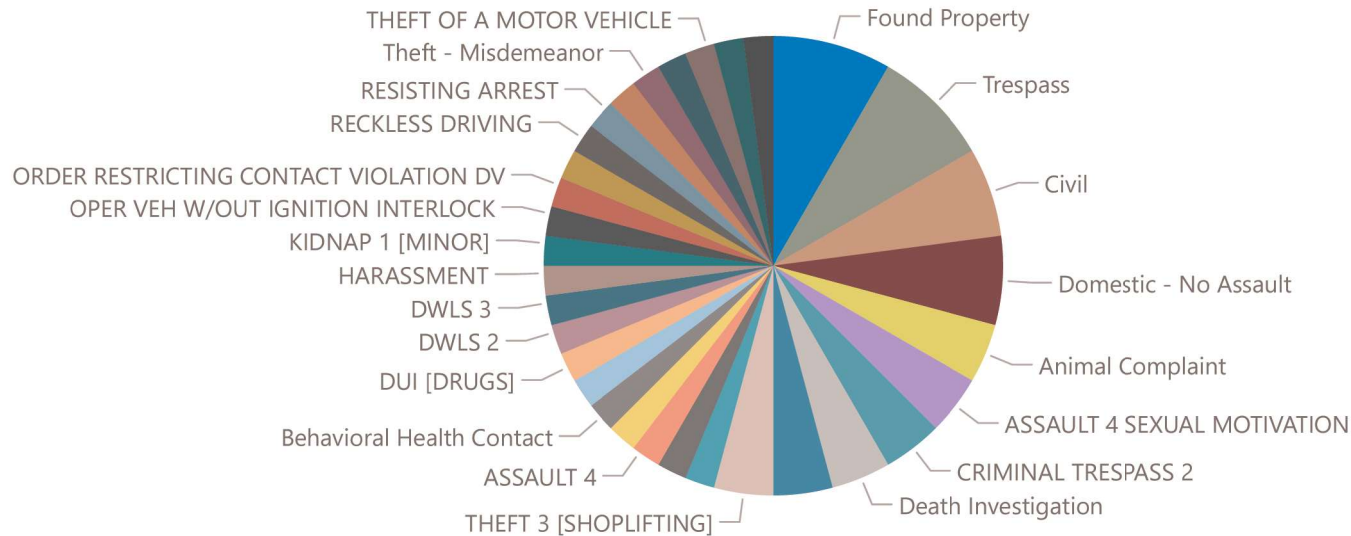




TOTAL CASES inside of City Boundaries

Total Cases Written													
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2026	41	47	45										133
2025	62	50	82	52	58	49	62	55	47	54	47	51	668
2024	47	52	64	59	58	63	62	64	59	66	67	55	715
2023	64	53	68	54	68	41	62	58	59	75	60	53	714

Previous calendar month, what charges are contained in cases we wrote?



Domestic Related Charges

Domestic Violence cases are not limited just to assault. This chart includes any cases where the statute differentiates between having a domestic relationship component to the crime versus a different statute if the victim and offender are not known to one another.



Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<input type="checkbox"/> 2026													
Domestic - No Assault	6	5	3										14
Crime with a DV Component		2	2										4
<input type="checkbox"/> 2025													
RECKLESS ENDANGERMENT DV										1			1
Domestic - No Assault	6	6	4	4	4	2	2	6	5	6	6	8	59
Crime with a DV Component	2	4	4	2	2	4	5	1	3	4	3	2	36
ASSAULT 2 DV [PUB OFF-STRONGARM]						1							1
<input type="checkbox"/> 2024													
Domestic - No Assault	5	3	4	3	4	5	6	3	3	4	5	3	47
Crime with a DV Component	3	3	2	1	2	2	3	10	3	3	5	4	41
<input type="checkbox"/> 2023													
Domestic - No Assault	3	7	6	2	2	2	6	8	5	3	6		50
Crime with a DV Component		2	2	6	5		3	4	3	2	2	2	31

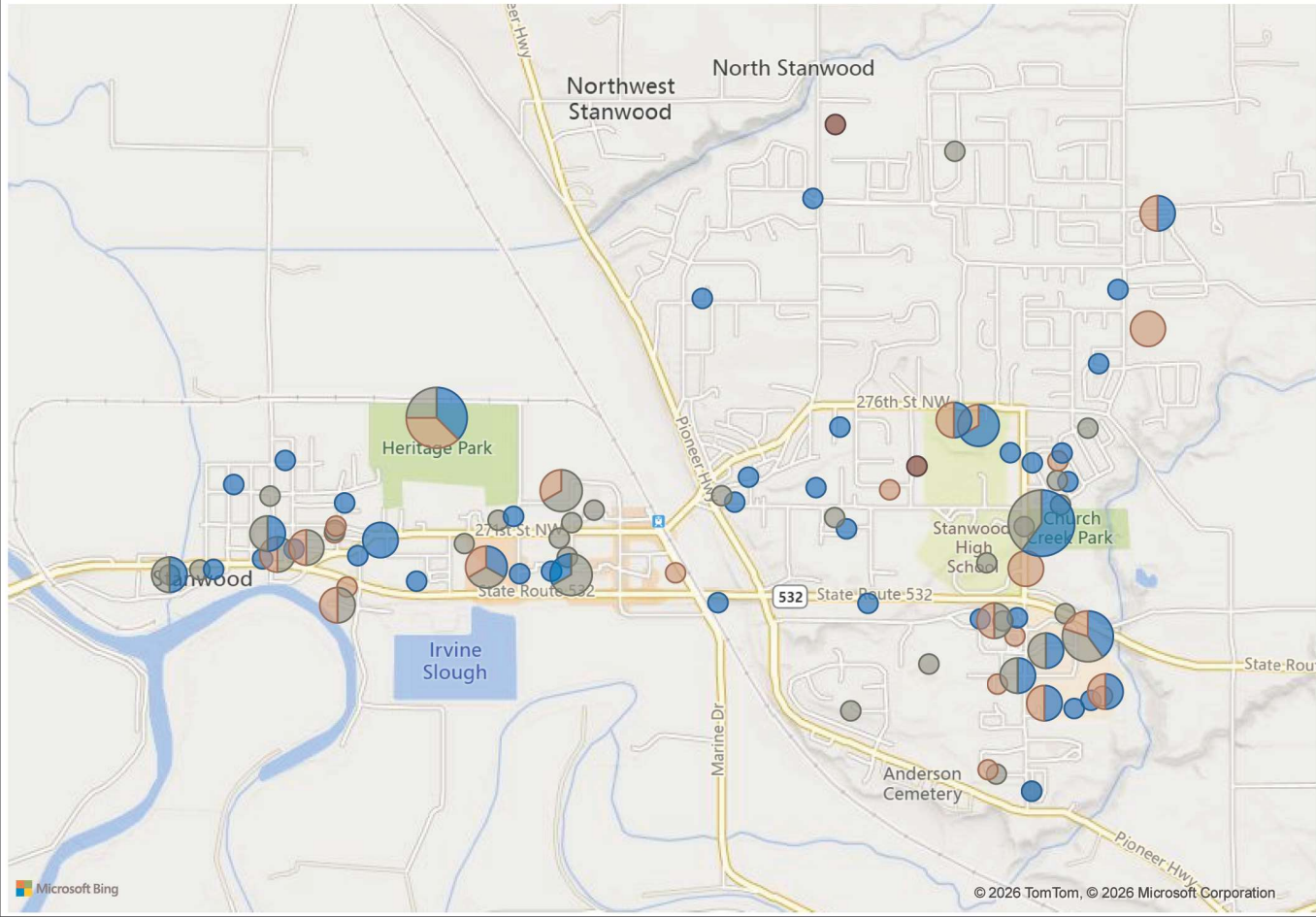


Malicious Mischief CASES excluding any with a DV component

Reported Month	2023	2024	2025	2026
Jan	9	2	3	1
Feb		2	1	1
Mar	7	3	1	
Apr	2	5	4	
May	5	1	1	
Jun	4		4	
Jul	4	6	1	
Aug	2	5	3	
Sep	3	6	2	
Oct	12	7	3	
Nov	7	3	2	
Dec	1	5	5	
Total	56	45	30	2

Count of CaseNumber by Year, Lat and Lon

Year ● 2023 ● 2024 ● 2025 ● 2026

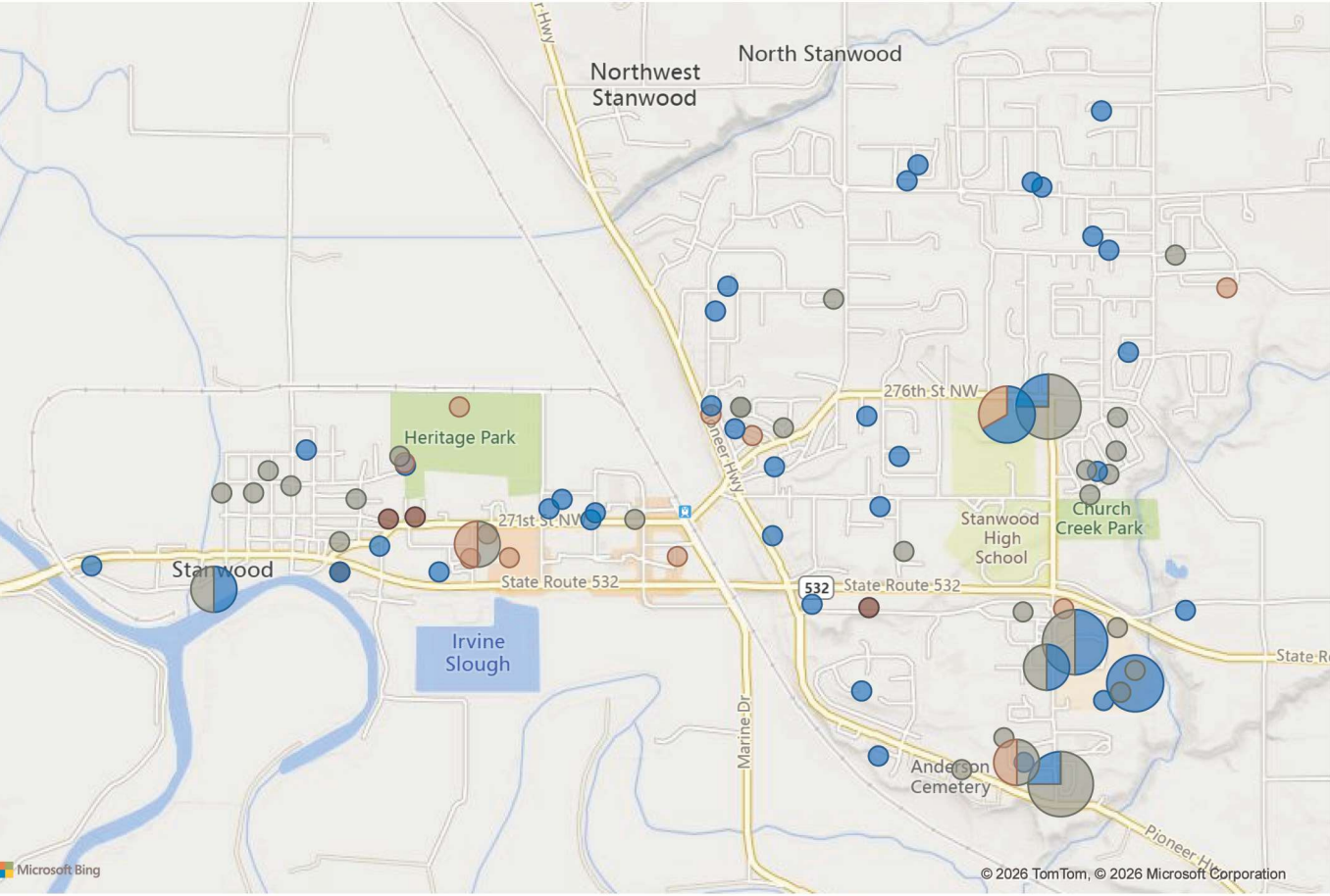




Auto Theft & Vehicle Prowl CASES

Count of CaseNumber by Year, Lat and Lon

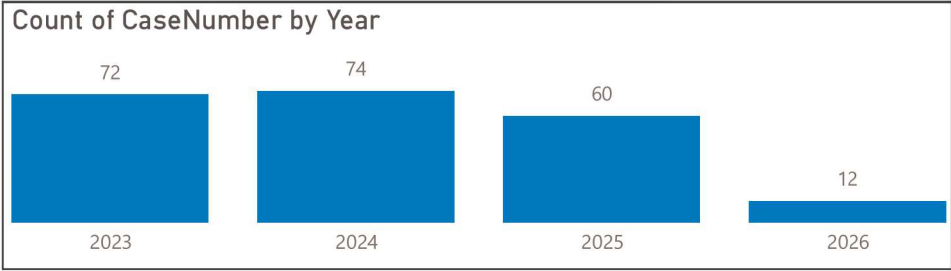
Year ● 2023 ● 2024 ● 2025 ● 2026



Auto Thefts & Vehicle Prowls	2023	2024	2025	2026
<input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Prowl	21	12	3	
Jan		1		
Feb	1	4		
Mar	3	1		
Apr	1	2		
May	6		1	
Jun	1	2	1	
Jul	3		1	
Oct	5	1		
Nov	1			
Dec		1		
<input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Theft	26	27	11	4
Jan	1		3	1
Feb	3	1		2
Mar	1	1		1
Apr	2		3	
May	1			
Jun	1	2	1	
Jul		1	2	
Aug		3		
Sep	2	6		
Oct	6	3	1	
Nov	8	4		
Dec	1	6	1	
Total	46	37	13	4

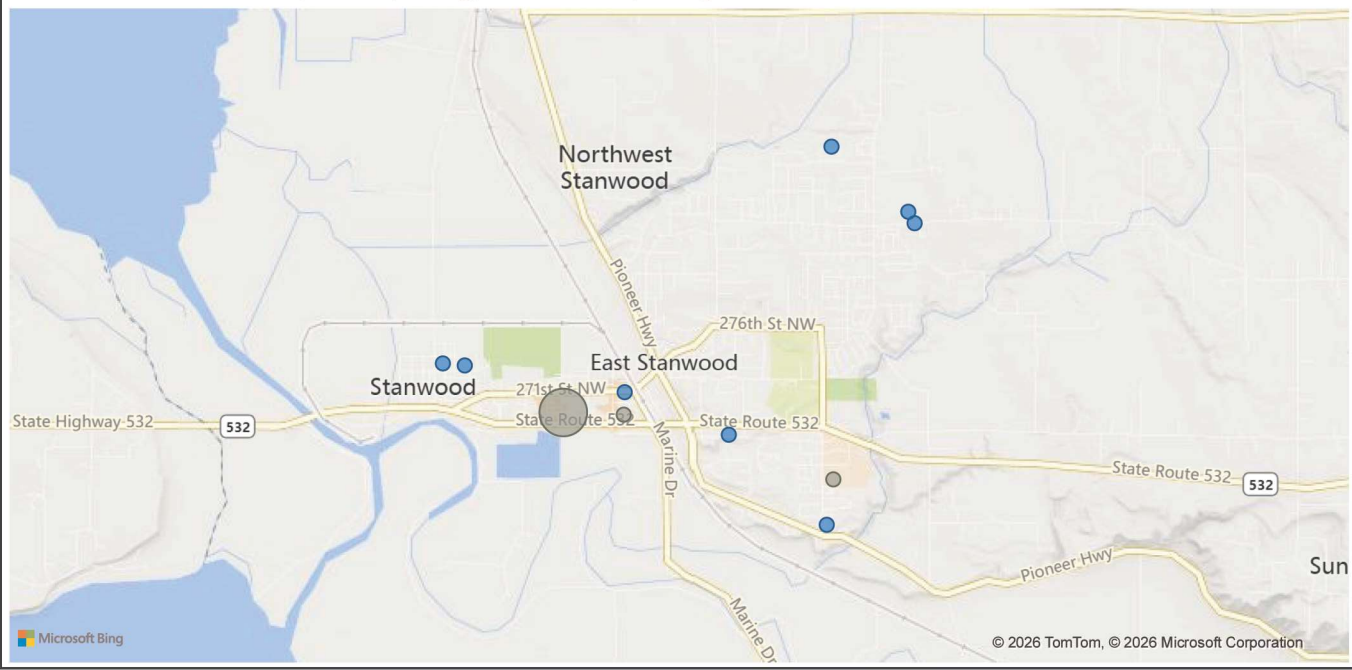


Theft CASES



Cases this Calendar Year

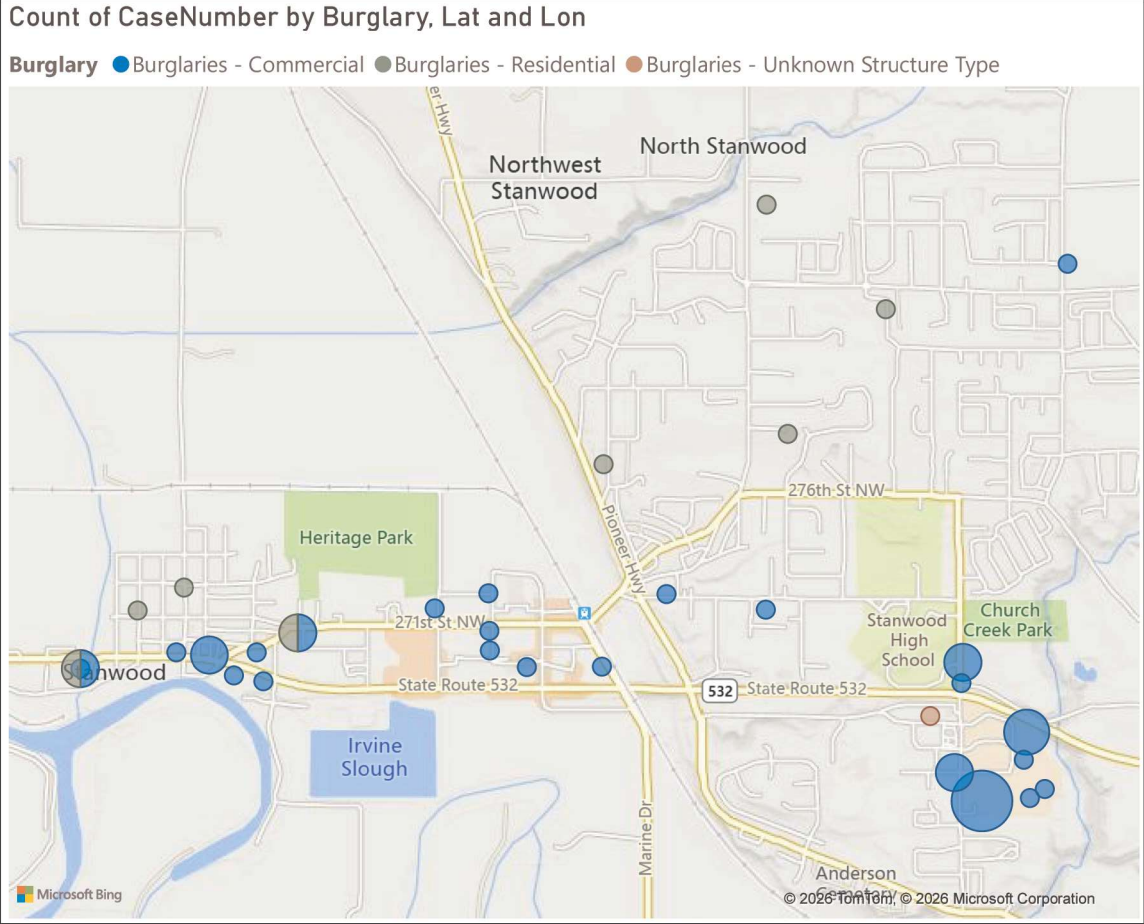
Thefts ● Theft 1, 2, & 3 (not shoplifting) ● Theft: Shoplifting & ORT



Thefts	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total
Thrift: Shoplifting & ORT	11	10	15	4	40
Jan	1	2	2	1	6
Feb	3		1		4
Mar	1		3	3	7
Apr		2	1		3
May		2	1		3
Jul			2		2
Aug			2		2
Sep	1	1			2
Oct	3	1			4
Dec	2	2	3		7
Thrift 1, 2, & 3 (not shoplifting)	61	64	45	8	178
Jan	9	5	7	2	23
Feb	4	7	3	4	18
Mar	6	8	3	2	19
Apr	7	6	1		14
May	8	2	3		13
Jun	5	2	6		13
Jul	5	9	2		16
Aug	1	7	3		11
Sep	5	8	6		19
Oct	4	2	3		9
Nov	4	5	5		14
Dec	2	2	2		6
Total	72	74	60	12	218



Burglary CASES



Burglary	2023	2024	2025	2026
Burglaries - Commercial	17	5	13	
Jan	2			
Feb	3	2	2	
Mar			1	
Apr	2		1	
May	2			
Jun	2		3	
Jul	2	1	1	
Sep			2	
Oct	1	1		
Nov	3	1	1	
Dec				2
Burglaries - Residential	1	4	2	1
Jan			1	
Feb		1		1
Apr		1		
May		1		
Jul	1			
Aug		1	1	
Burglaries - Unknown Structure Type			1	
Oct			1	
Total	18	9	16	1