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Police Services Board Monthly Report Overview



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Detachment Focus and Priorities

The Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) continues to have a clear path forward with the implementation of the 2023-2025 Strategic Plan. As an extension of, and building upon, the 2020-2022 Strategic Plan, we remain focused on and committed to our three strategic priorities, specifically our people, our work, and our communities. The plan will continue to guide our organization's priorities, strategies, initiatives and the requirements expected with the enactment of the regulations associated to the new Community Safety and Policing Act (CSPA).

Through assessment, analysis and consultation, the following areas of focus were identified for the next three years (2023 – 2025) in Essex County:

Crime:

- Address & prevent violent crime.
- Address & prevent property crime.
- Address & prevent illicit drug use and distribution.
- Enhance police response through engagement and education to community members experiencing a mental health crisis.

Traffic:

- A focus on education and enforcement, to change high-risk driving behaviours, including aggressive driving, impaired driving, distracted driving and the non-use of seatbelts.
- A focus on the causal factors of motor vehicle collision on our roadways, waterways and trails.
- To continue to prioritize marine education and enforcement on local waterways.

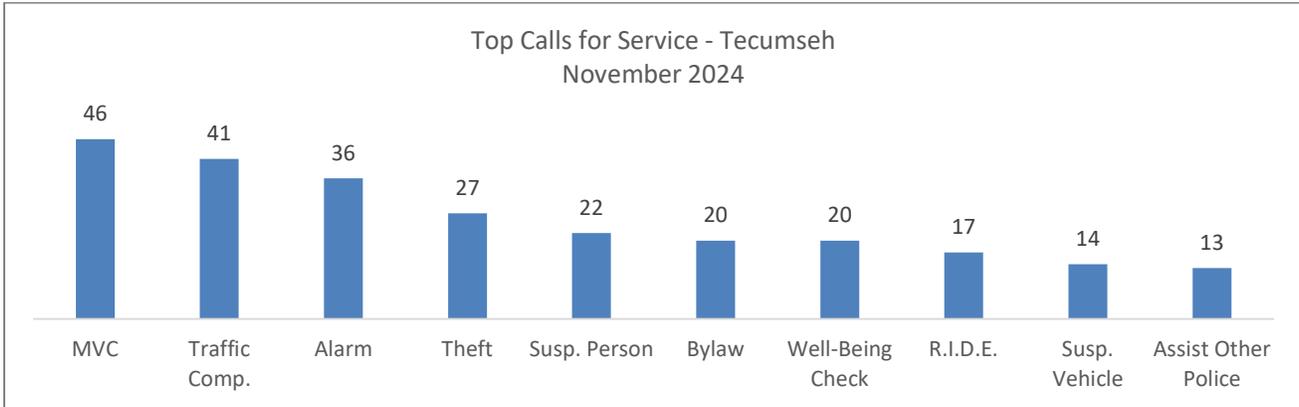
Other Policing Priorities:

- Continue to support the Community Safety and Well-Being Plan for Windsor-Essex.
- Foster the relationship between the OPP and the Caldwell First Nation as the community builds their first businesses and community homes.

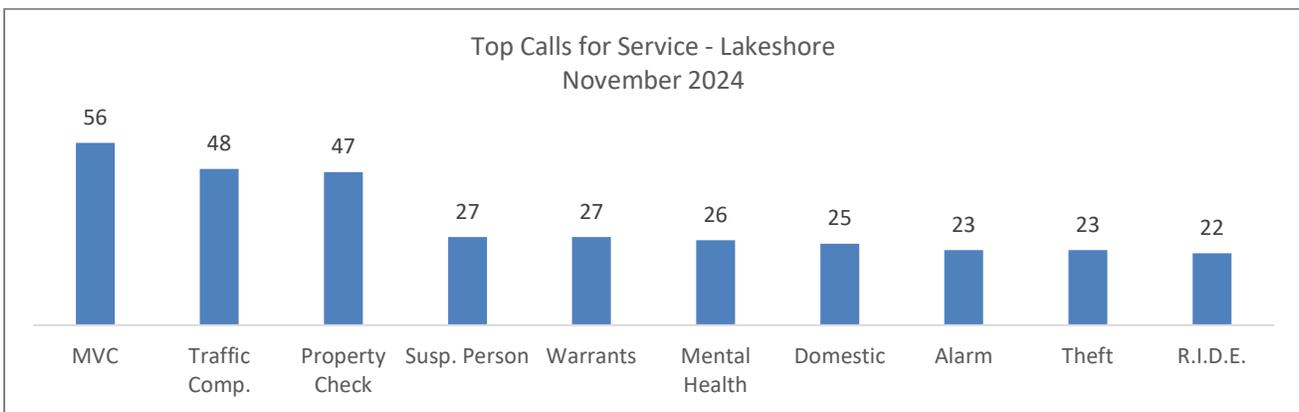


Top Calls for Service ¹

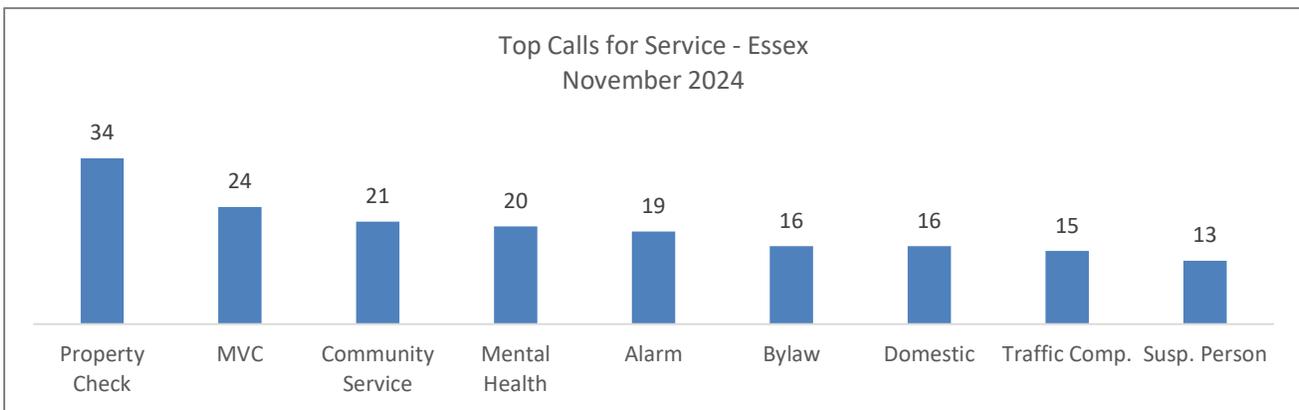
Tecumseh



Lakeshore



Essex

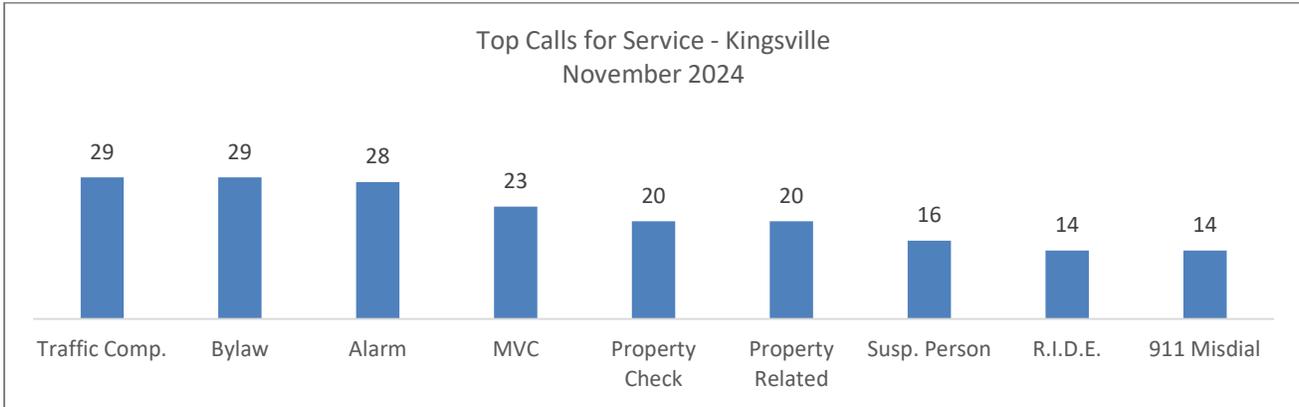


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Top Calls for Service²

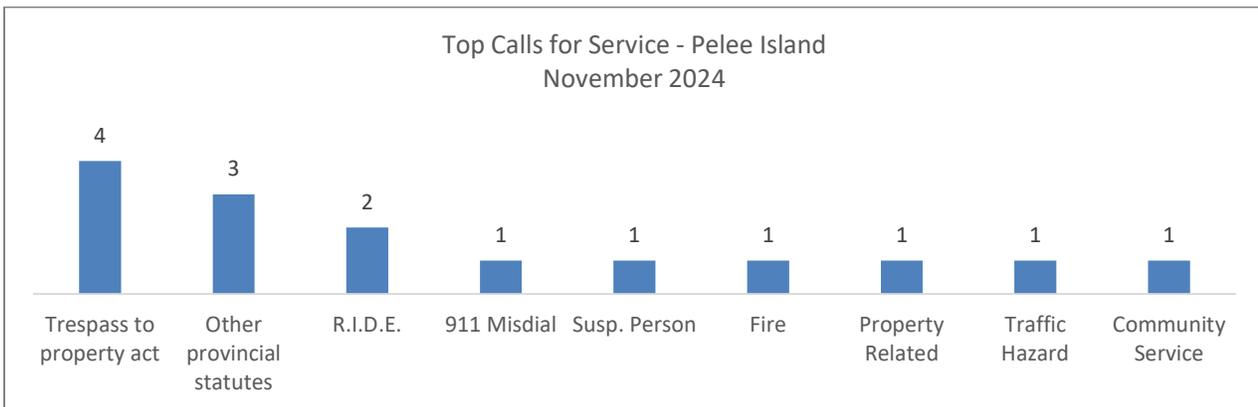
Kingsville



Leamington



Pelee Island



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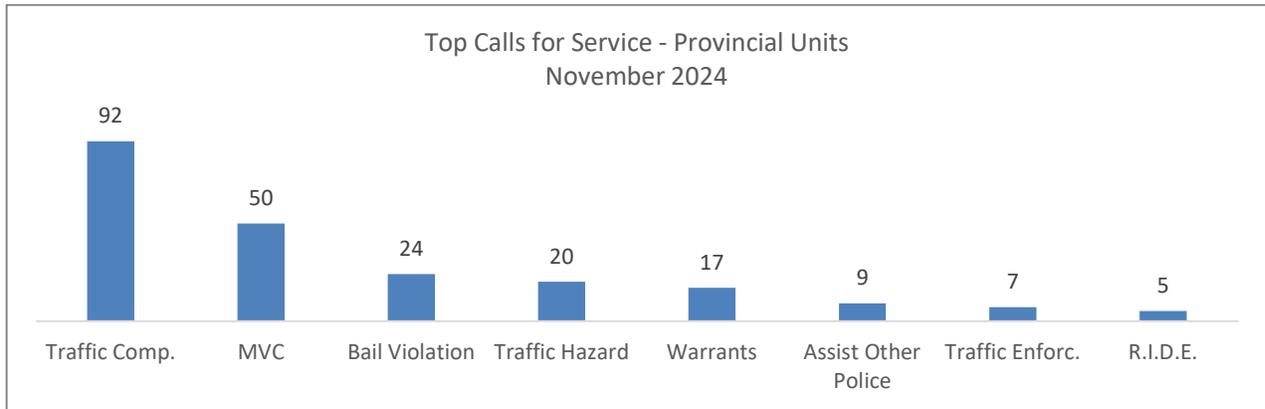


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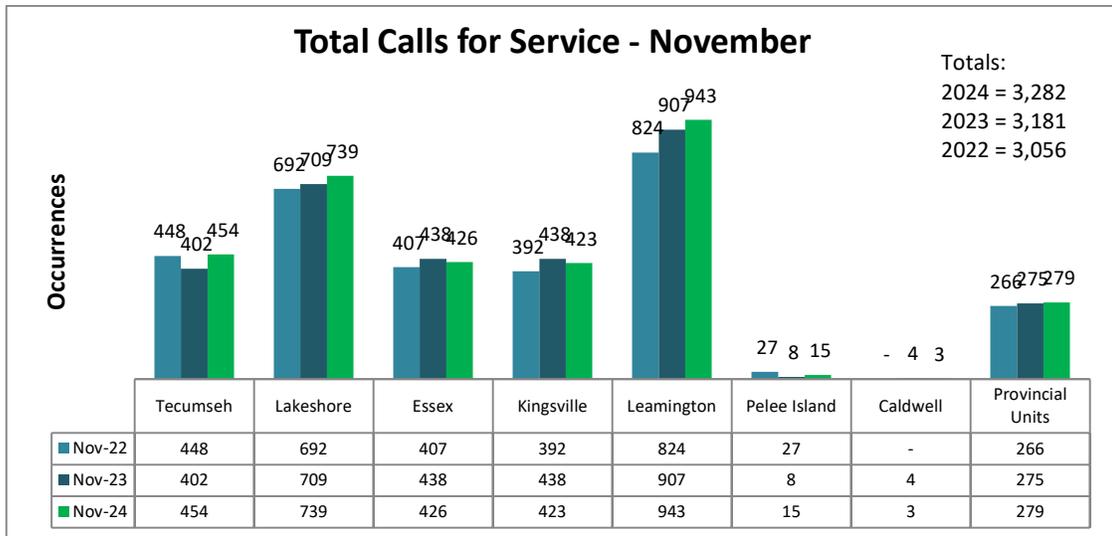
Caldwell First Nation

- There were two traffic complaints and one mental health act occurrences.

Provincial Units



Calls for Service⁴



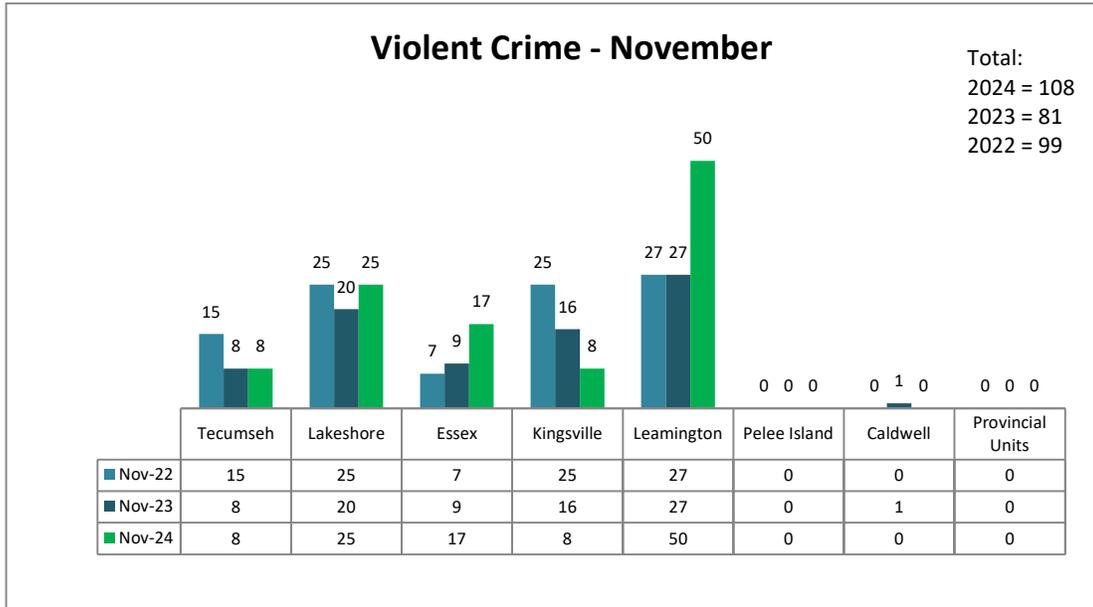
- An **3.2% increase** in Calls for Service in November 2024 compared to November 2023.
- Year-to-date, a **6.6% increase** in Calls for Service in 2024 (**51,866**) compared to 2023 (**48,644**).

³ Data Derived from Niche 30DEC2024 Occurrence Type by Duty Icon.

⁴ Data Derived from Niche RMS 30DEC2024 by Duty Icon 6E*.

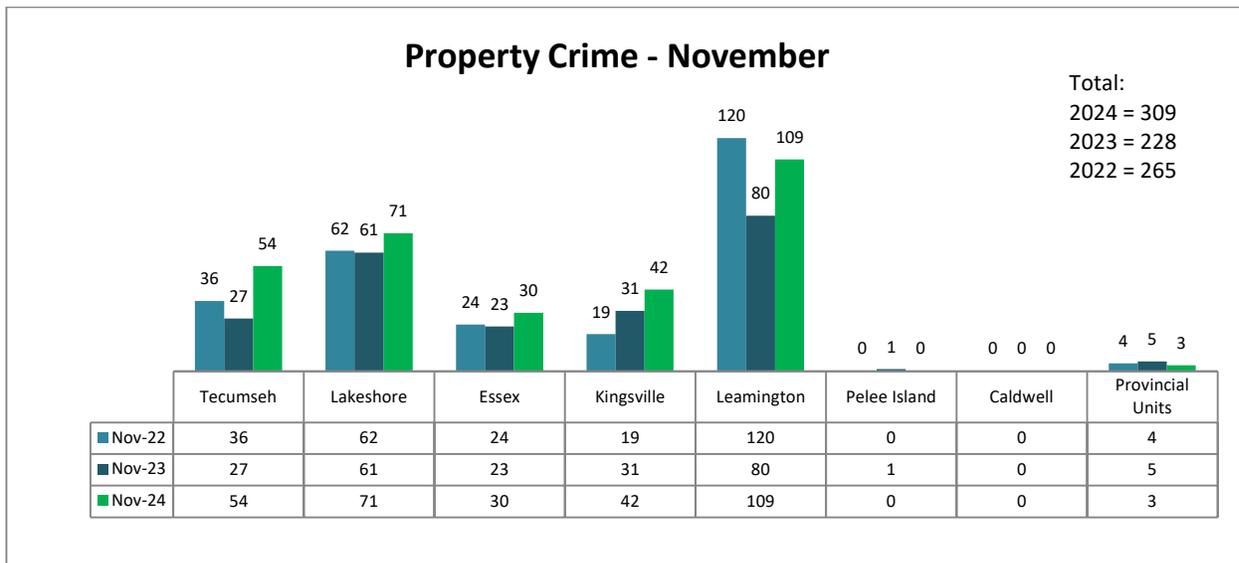


Violent Crime⁵



- A **33.3% increase** in Violent Crime in November 2024 compared to November 2023. **Clearance Rate in 2024 = 84.69%**.

Property Crime⁶



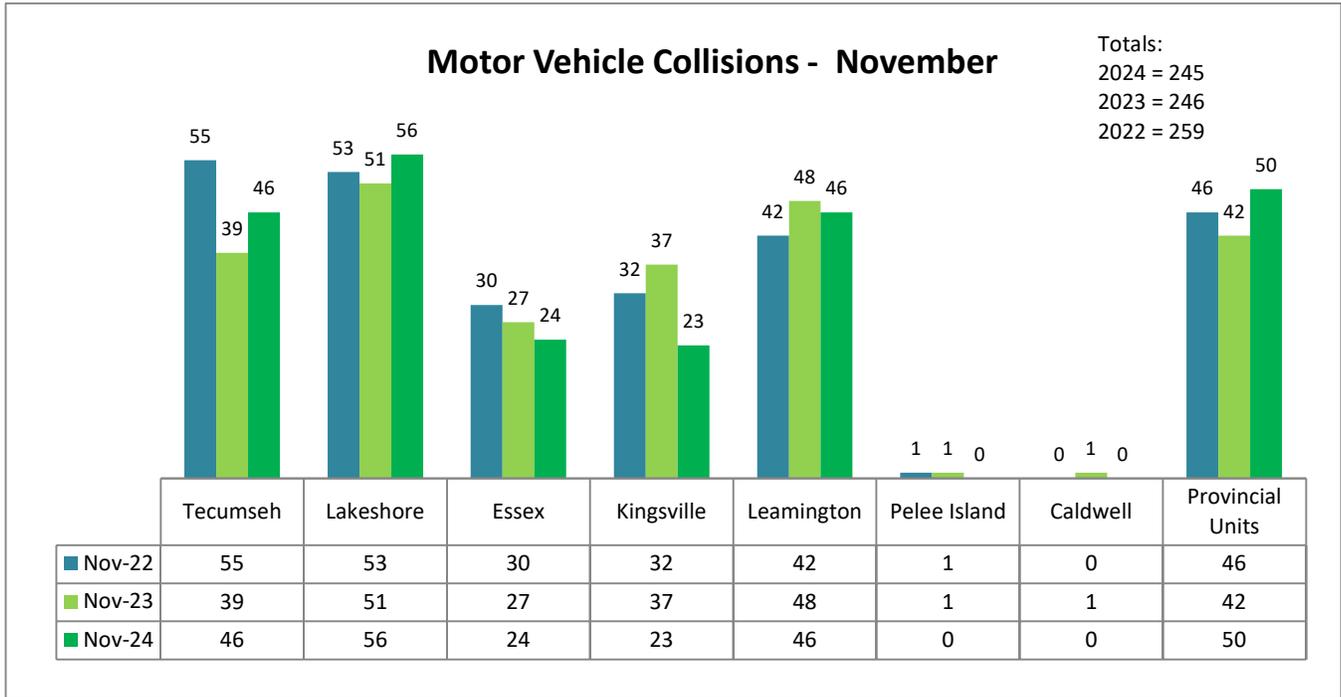
- A **35.5% increase** in Property Crime in November 2024 compared to November 2023. **Clearance Rate in 2024 = 23%**.

⁵ Data Derived from the BI Cube RMS 30DEC2024 Violent Crime.

⁶ Data Derived from the BI Cube RMS 30DEC2024 Property Crime.



Motor Vehicle Collisions⁷



- A **0.4% decrease** in MVCs in November 2024 compared to November 2023.
- **94 collisions** were diverted to the Collision Reporting Centre in November 2024.
- Year-to-date, a **3.25% increase** in MVCs in 2024 (**2,602**) compared to 2023 (**2,520**).

MVC Fatalities⁸

Year	Details	Annual Data (Entire Year)
2021		9 collisions
2022		10 collisions
2023		6 collisions
2024		8 collisions

⁷ Data Derived from the RMS 30DEC2024 Occurrence Type MVC.

⁸ Data Derived from eCRS 30DEC2024 Fatal Injury.

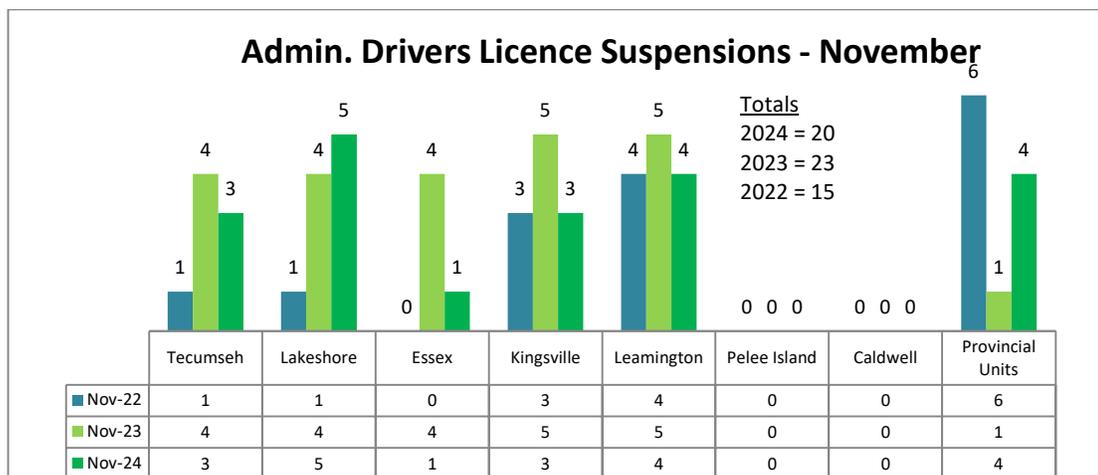
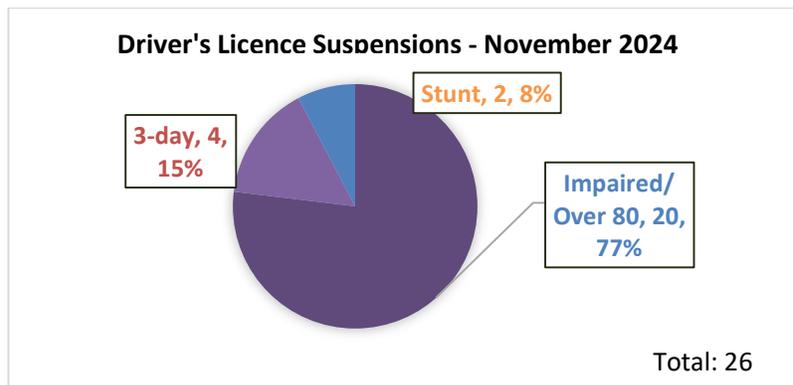


Impaired & Exceed Offences⁹

Contract Location	Nov-22	Nov-23	Nov-24
Tecumseh	1	4	3
Lakeshore	1	2	4
Essex	0	2	0
Kingsville	3	1	0
Leamington	4	7	6
Pelee Island	0	0	0
Caldwell	0	0	0
Provincial Units	2	2	4
Total	11	18	17

- A **5.5% decrease** in Impaired/Over 80 offences in November 2024 compared to November 2023.
- Year-to-date, an **4.2% increase** in Impaired/Exceed Offences in 2024 (**198**) compared to 2023 (**190**).

Administrative Drivers Licence Suspensions (ADLS)¹⁰



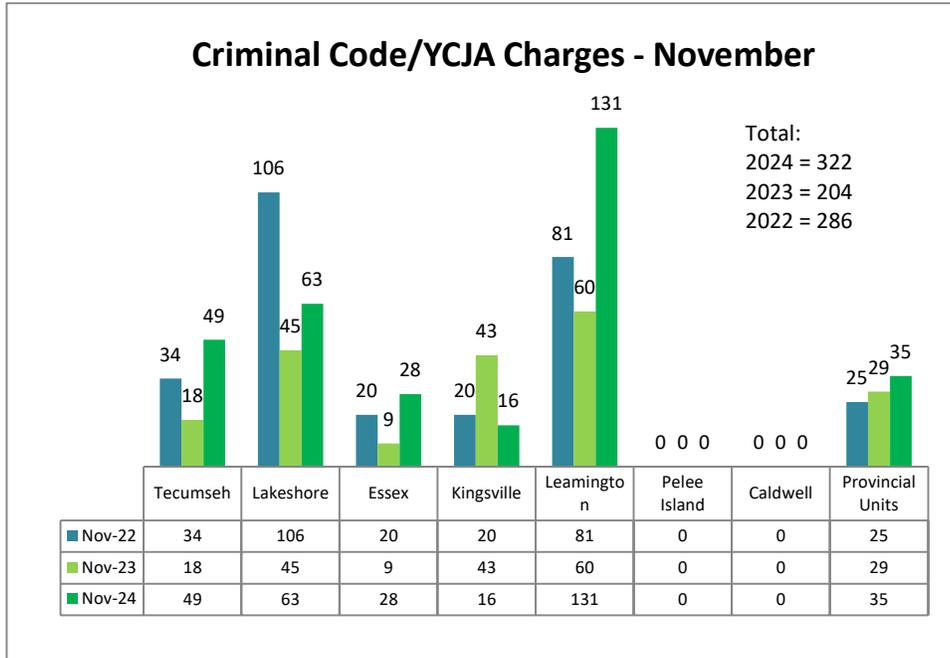
- An **13% decrease** in ADLS suspensions in November 2024 compared to November 2023.
- Year-to-date, a **10.6% decrease** in ADLS suspensions in 2024 (**236**) compared to 2023 (**264**).

⁹ Data Derived from the RMS 30DEC2024 Alcohol (UCR 9210, 9220, 9230).

¹⁰ Data Derived from Niche RMS 30DEC2024 Suspensions (UCR 8881.001, 002, 004, 006, 0011) - 3/7/30-day warn range, 7-day Stunt.



Criminal Code Charges¹¹



- A **57.8% increase** in Criminal Code charges in November 2024 compared to November 2023.

Drug Offences¹²

	Nov-23			Nov-24		
	Cannabis Control Act (Provincial)	CDSA	Cannabis Act (Federal)	Cannabis Control Act (Provincial)	CDSA	Cannabis Act (Federal)
Lakeshore	1	0	0	2	0	0
Kingsville	0	1	0	0	0	0
Leamington	0	4	0	1	4	0
Tecumseh	0	1	0	0	0	0
Essex	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prov. Units	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	6	0	3	4	0
Grand Total	10			7		

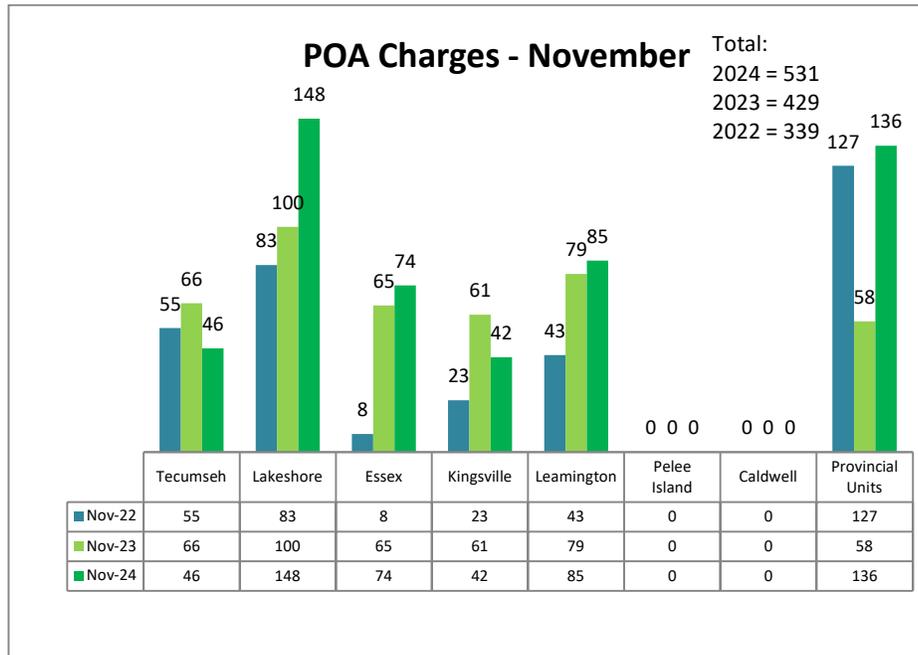
- A **30% decrease** in Drug Offences in November 2024 compared to November 2023.

¹¹ Data Derived from Niche – Saved Search – Charge by Date 30DEC2024.

¹² Data Derived from Niche – Saved Search Drug Offences 30DEC2024.

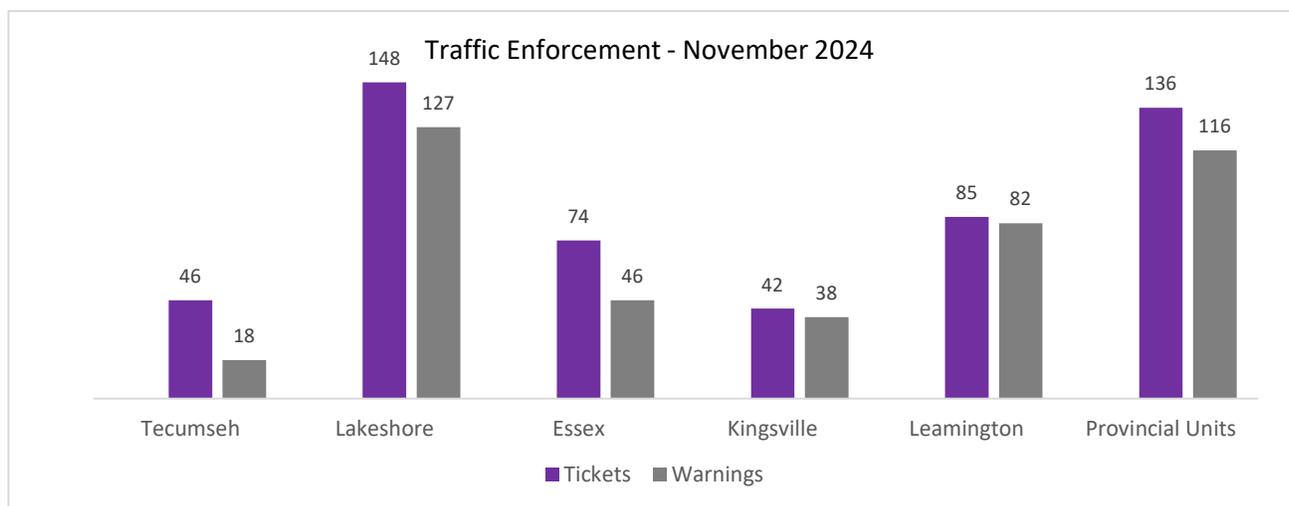


Provincial Offences¹³



- A **23.7% increase** in Provincial Offences in November 2024 compared to November 2023.
- An average of **17.7 tickets/day** in November 2024 compared to **14.3 tickets/day** in November 2023.

Traffic Enforcement¹⁴

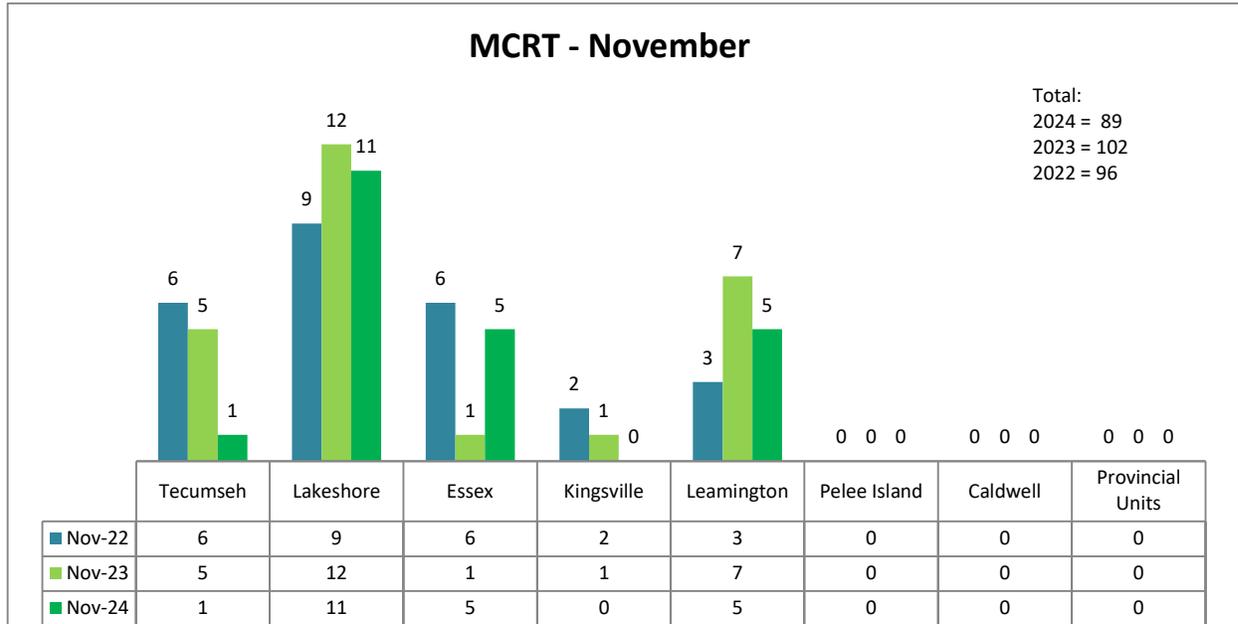


¹³ Data Derived from Niche RMS and Historical Local Records 30DEC2024.

¹⁴ Data Derived from Business Intelligence – CAD data 30DEC2024.

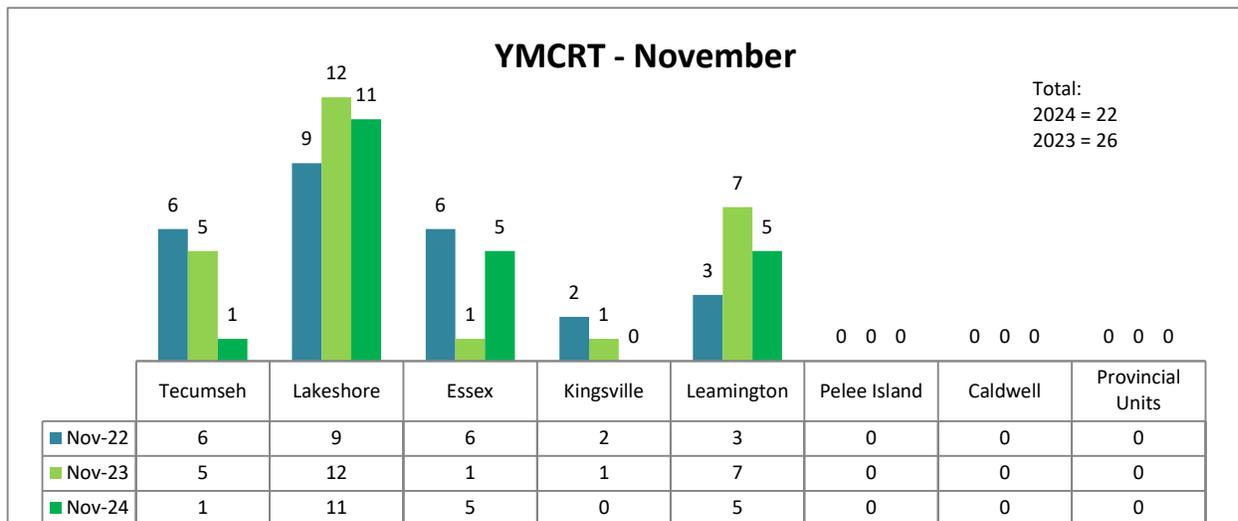


MCRT Calls for Service¹⁵



- A **12.7% decrease** in MCRT calls in November 2024 compared to November 2023.
- Year-to-date, a **15% decrease** in MCRT calls in 2024 (**1,091**) compared to 2023 (**1,284**).

YMCRT Calls for Service¹⁶



- A **15.4% decrease** in YMCRT calls in November 2024 compared to November 2023.
- Year-to-date, a **1.8% decrease** in YMCRT calls in 2024 (**314**) compared to 2023 (**320**).

¹⁵ Data Derived from Niche 30DEC2024 Officer/Unit: 6E00MCRT.

¹⁶ Data Derived from Niche 30DEC2024 Officer/Unit 6E00YMCRT.



911 Misdia/Hang-up¹⁷

	Tecumseh	Lakeshore	Essex	Kingsville	Leamington	Provincial Unit	TOTAL
November	4	6	6	14	20	0	51

- A **17.7% decrease** in 911 Misdia calls in November 2024 (**51**) compared to November 2023 (**62**).
- Pelee Island had 1 911 Misdia and Caldwell zero 911 misdials.

False Alarm¹⁸

	Tecumseh	Lakeshore	Essex	Kingsville	Leamington	Provincial Unit	TOTAL
November	36	23	19	28	45	0	151

- A **4% increase** in False Alarms in November 2024 (**151**) compared to November 2023 (**145**).
- Pelee Island and Caldwell had zero false alarms.

R.I.D.E.¹⁹

	Tecumseh	Lakeshore	Essex	Kingsville	Leamington	Provincial Unit	TOTAL
November	17	22	6	14	16	5	82

- **2 R.I.D.E** completed on Pelee Island and zero on Caldwell.

Foot Patrol Hours²⁰

	Tecumseh	Lakeshore	Essex	Kingsville	Leamington	Provincial Unit	TOTAL
November	73.5	69.25	46.25	52	33	0	274

Auxiliary Service Hours²¹

	Tecumseh	Lakeshore	Essex	Kingsville	Leamington	Provincial Unit	TOTAL
November	0	7	13	39	5	165	229

¹⁷ Data Derived from Niche RMS by Occurrence Type 30DEC2024.

¹⁸ Data Derived from Niche RMS by Occurrence Type 30DEC2024.

¹⁹ Data Derived from Niche RMS Occurrence Type 30DEC2024.

²⁰ Data Derived from DAR 30DEC2024.

²¹ Data Derived from DAR 30DEC2024.



Notable Investigations – Essex County OPP

1. In early November 2024, there were a series of break and enters into several bunkhouses throughout the Leamington area. The suspects targeted wallets along with their contents and electronics. The suspects then used debit and credit cards throughout Essex County to make purchases.

On the 25th of November 2024, OPP officers located a stolen Volkswagen Beetle with two occupants in a parking lot in Leamington. Officers were able to box in the stolen vehicle using two unmarked OPP vehicles and the two occupants were arrested. Officers conducted a search of the stolen vehicle and located multiple items linking the two suspects to the bunkhouse break and enters. As a result, two individuals were arrested and charged with multiple Criminal Offences, including: Possession of Property Obtained by Crime Over, Break and Enter, Possess Identity Document, Disguise with Intent, etc. There is an outstanding arrest warrant for a third suspect.

2. On the 27th of November 2024, members from the Essex County OPP Community Street Crime Unit began an investigation into cocaine trafficking in Leamington. Officers applied for three search warrants in relation to the investigation for two vehicles and one residence. As a result of the search warrants, multiple items were seized including: a sawed-off shot gun, shotgun rounds, fentanyl, etc. Four individuals were arrested and charged with multiple Criminal Offences, including: Possession of a Restricted or Prohibited Firearm without a License, Careless Storage of a Firearm, etc.

