Shooting Incidents

A shooting incident is recorded any time police find evidence that a gun was fired. This includes incidents where shell casings are discovered or injuries or property damage are reported.

	2020	2021	2022	2023	Percent Change from 2022
January	5	15	13	11	-15%
February	9	8	10	5	-50%
March	11	20	11	1	-91%
April	11	30	16	4	-75%
May	20	34	9		-100%
June	23	28	8		-100%
July	24	21	13		-100%
August	17	23	13		-100%
September	22	23	10		-100%
October	20	25	11		-100%
November	16	13	10		-100%
December	11	19	5		-100%
Total:	189	259	129	21	-84%
Percent Change from Previous Year:		37%	-50%	-84%	

Shooting Incidents with Property Damage

A shooting incident with property damage is recorded any time police find evidence that a gun was fired and a building, vehicle, or other property were struck.

	2020	2021	2022	2023	Percent Change from 2022
January	3	8	6	6	0%
February	6	2	4	4	0%
March	6	11	7	1	-86%
April	4	16	9	1	-89%
May	8	21	6		-100%
June	15	14	4		-100%
July	17	13	8		-100%
August	13	17	8		-100%
September	11	10	5		-100%
October	13	10	6		-100%
November	13	9	7		-100%
December	10	11	3		-100%
Total:	119	142	73	12	-84%
Percent Change from Previous Year:		19%	-49%	-84%	

Number of Individuals Struck by Gunfire

An individual struck by gunfire is recorded any time police receive a report of a person being wounded by gunfire. This includes individuals transported to area hospitals for medical assistance who later indicate that the incident occurred in Champaign.

	2020	2021	2022	2023	Percent Change from 2022
January	1	2	2	4	100%
February	2	2	4	1	-75%
March	0	0	1	0	-100%
April	4	5	4	2	-50%
May	3	10	3		-100%
June	10	14	4		-100%
July	7	11	9		-100%
August	11	11	7		-100%
September	4	3	9		-100%
October	6	8	6		-100%
November	5	2	3		-100%
December	4	9	2		-100%
Total:	57	77	54	7	-87%
Percent Change from Previous Year:		35%	-30%	-87%	

Number of Homicide Victims by Gunfire

A homicide victim by gunfire is recorded any time police receive a report of a person being wounded by gunfire and dying. This includes individuals transported to area hospitals for medical assistance who later succumb to their injuries.

	2020	2021	2022	2023	Percent Change from 2022
January	0	0	0	1	0%
February	1	0	0	0	0%
March	0	0	1	0	-100%
April	0	1	0	0	0%
May	1	1	0		0%
June	0	4	1		-100%
July	1	3	2		-100%
August	2	1	1		-100%
September	0	1	0		0%
October	1	4	1		-100%
November	3	0	1		-100%
December	1	1	0		0%
Total:	10	16*	7**	1	0%
Percent Change from Previous Year:		60%	-56%	-86%	

*Note: In 2021, there were 17 total homicide victims; 16 were by gunfire.