

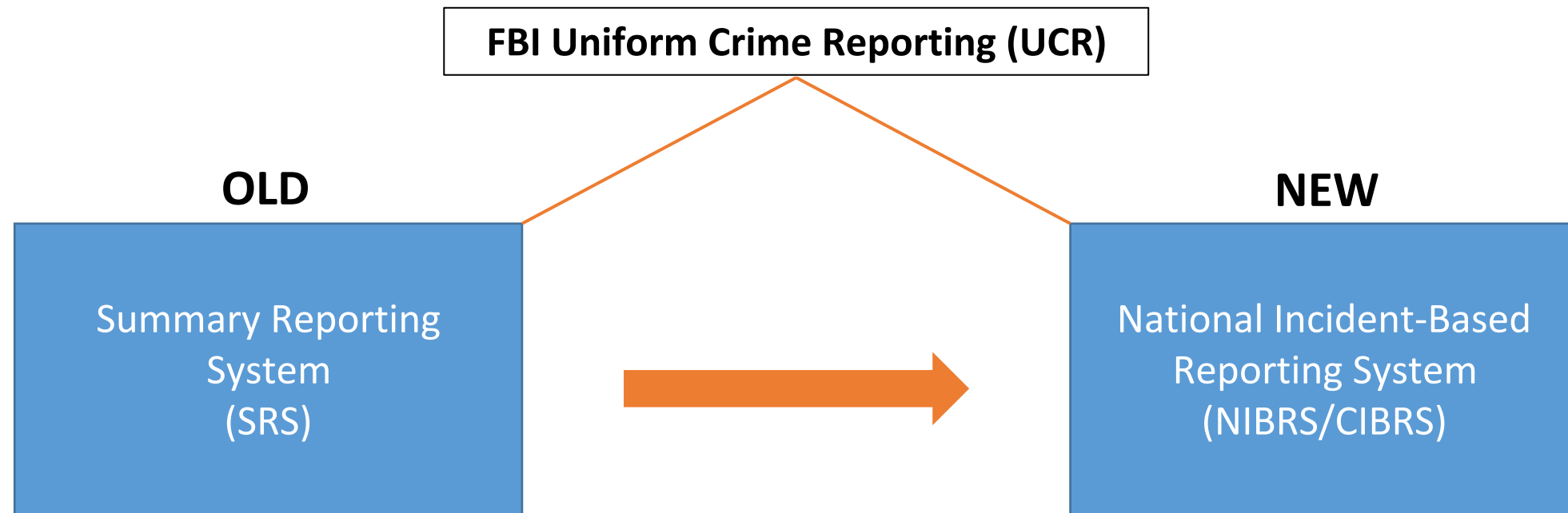
San Diego Police Department

2023 Annual Crime Review

City Council – Item # XXX



NIBRS Transition



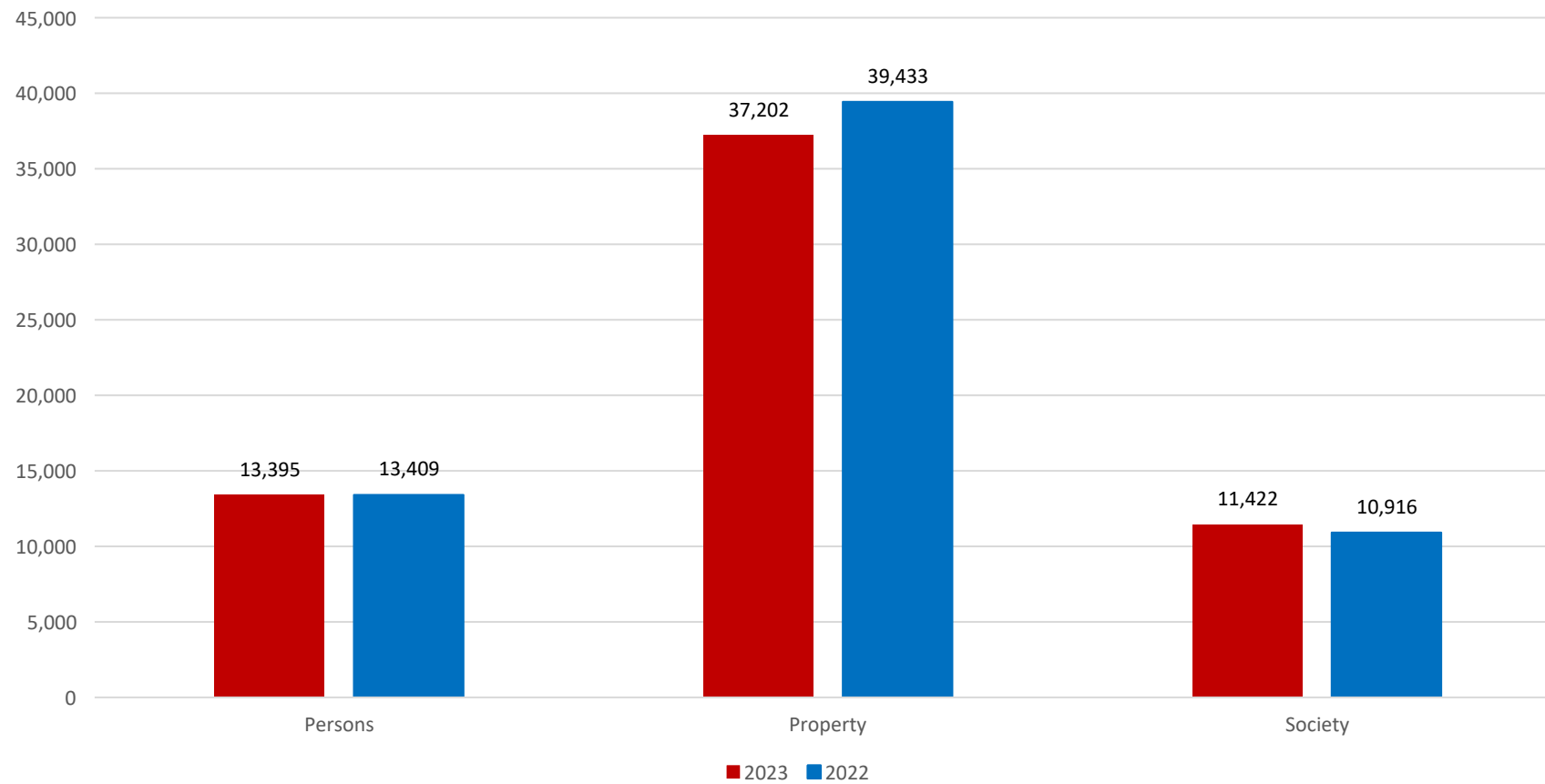
- Static Statistics
- Monthly Reporting
- Based on Report Date
- 7 Crime Categories
 - Classified as either Violent or Property

- Dynamic Statistics
- Daily Reporting
- Based on Incident Date
- 52 Crime Categories
 - Classified as either Persons, Property, or Society



Crime Overview

Overall Crime by Category





NIBRS Crimes By Category - Persons

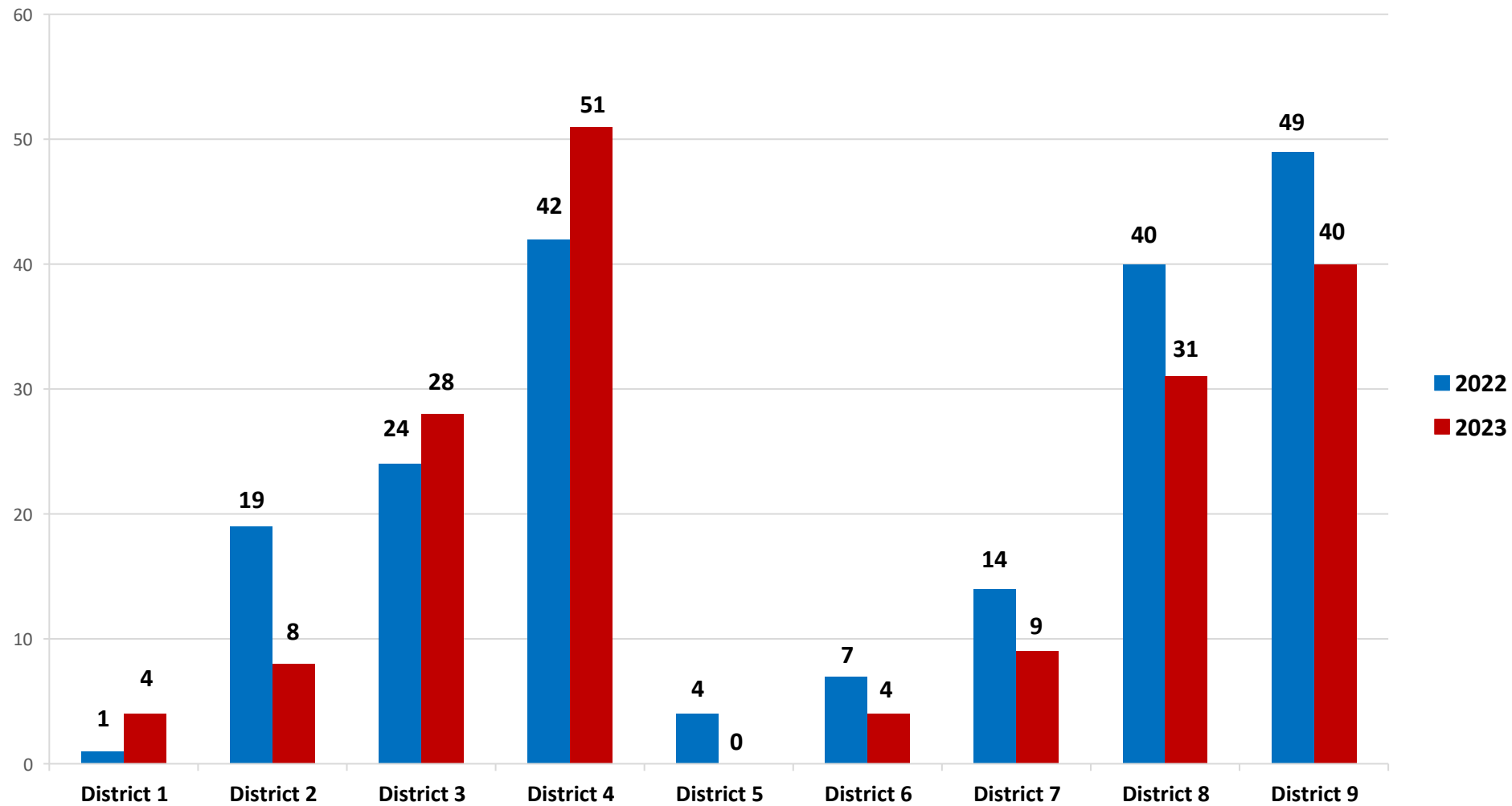
Crimes Against Persons	Jan-Dec 2022	Jan-Dec 2023	% Change	% Cleared by Arrest in 2023
Homicide	62	56	-9.7%	N/A
*Murder	52	45	-13.5%	84.4%
Kidnapping	213	215	0.9%	49.8%
Sexual Assault	868	727	-16.2%	14.4%
Aggravated Assault	4252	4490	5.6%	44.2%
Simple Assault	7210	6979	-3.2%	44.8%
Intimidation	791	912	15.3%	40.2%
Other Sex Offenses	13	16	23.1%	5.9%
Total	13,409	13,395	-0.1%	45.6%

Note: Based on FBI National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS) guidelines.

*Murder counts/clearances are provided by the SDPD Homicide Unit. Murder counts are accounted for in the overall Homicide category and therefore are not separately counted for the Crimes Against Persons total.



Non-Fatal Shootings by Council District 2022 vs 2023





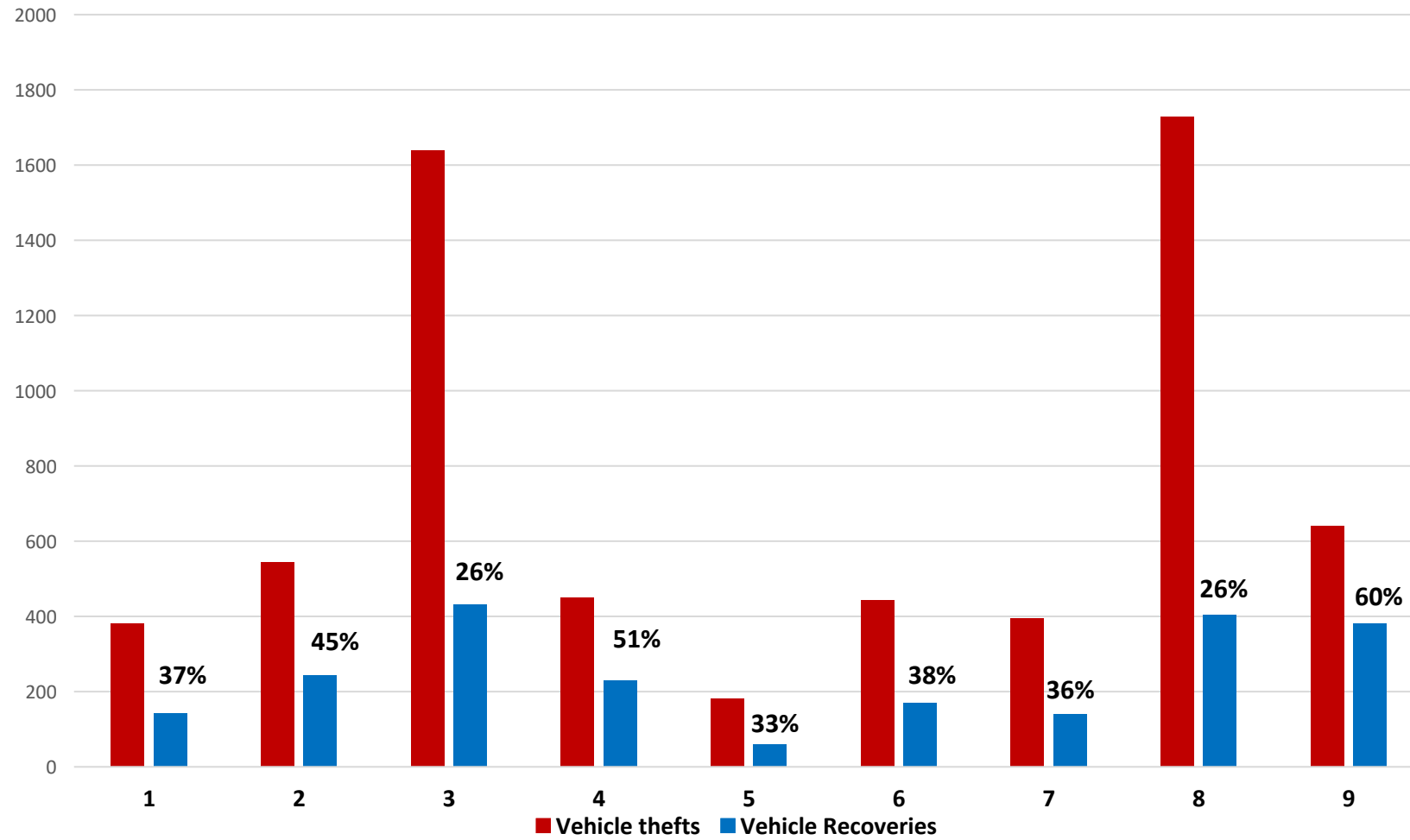
NIBRS Crimes By Category - Property

Crimes Against Property	Jan-Dec 2022	Jan-Dec 2023	% Change	% Cleared by Arrest in 2023
Robbery	1,282	1,199	-6.5%	36.4%
Arson	183	144	-21.3%	41.1%
Burglary	3,353	2,816	-16.0%	12.8%
Larceny	9,799	10,309	5.2%	13.3%
Car Prowl	5,776	5,378	-6.9%	1.6%
Vehicle Theft	6,442	6,658	3.4%	5.4%
Stolen Property Offenses	992	873	-12.0%	64.2%
Vandalism	7,236	6,811	-6.0%	16.2%
Fraud / Counterfeiting	4,370	3,014	-31.0%	23.3%
Total	39,433	37,202	-5.7%	11.3%

Based on FBI National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS) guidelines



Stolen Vehicles vs Recoveries by Council District - 2023



(%) Indicates comparison of vehicles recovered stolen from each district



NIBRS Crimes By Category - Society

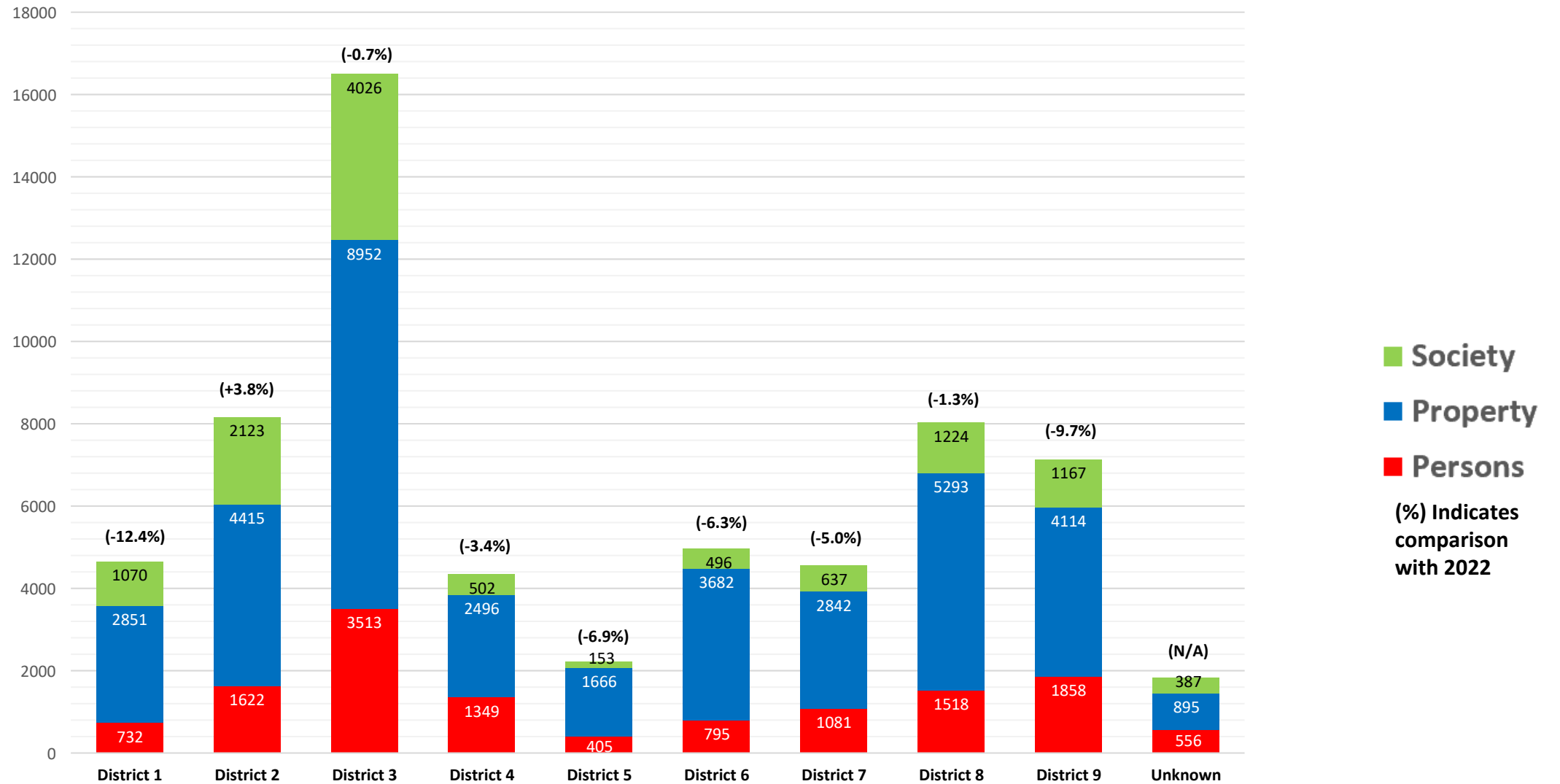
Crimes Against Society	Jan-Dec 2022	Jan-Dec 2023	% Change	% Cleared by Arrest in 2023
Narcotic Violations	5,317	5,839	9.8%	98.8%
Pornography/Obscene Material	14	12	-14.3%	25.0%
Gambling	5	7	40.0%	85.7%
Prostitution	112	80	-28.6%	100.0%
Weapon Law Violations	1,104	981	-11.1%	93.9%
Animal Cruelty	4	24	500.0%	38.0%
Curfew/Loitering/Vagrancy	181	200	10.5%	100.0%
Disorderly Conduct	80	741	*N/A	100.0%
Alcohol Violations	4,099	3,538	-13.7%	100.0%
Total	10,916	11,422	4.60%	98.8%

Based on FBI National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS) guidelines

*Additional code section added to Disorderly Conduct category in September 2023, therefore the comparison with 2022 is not available.

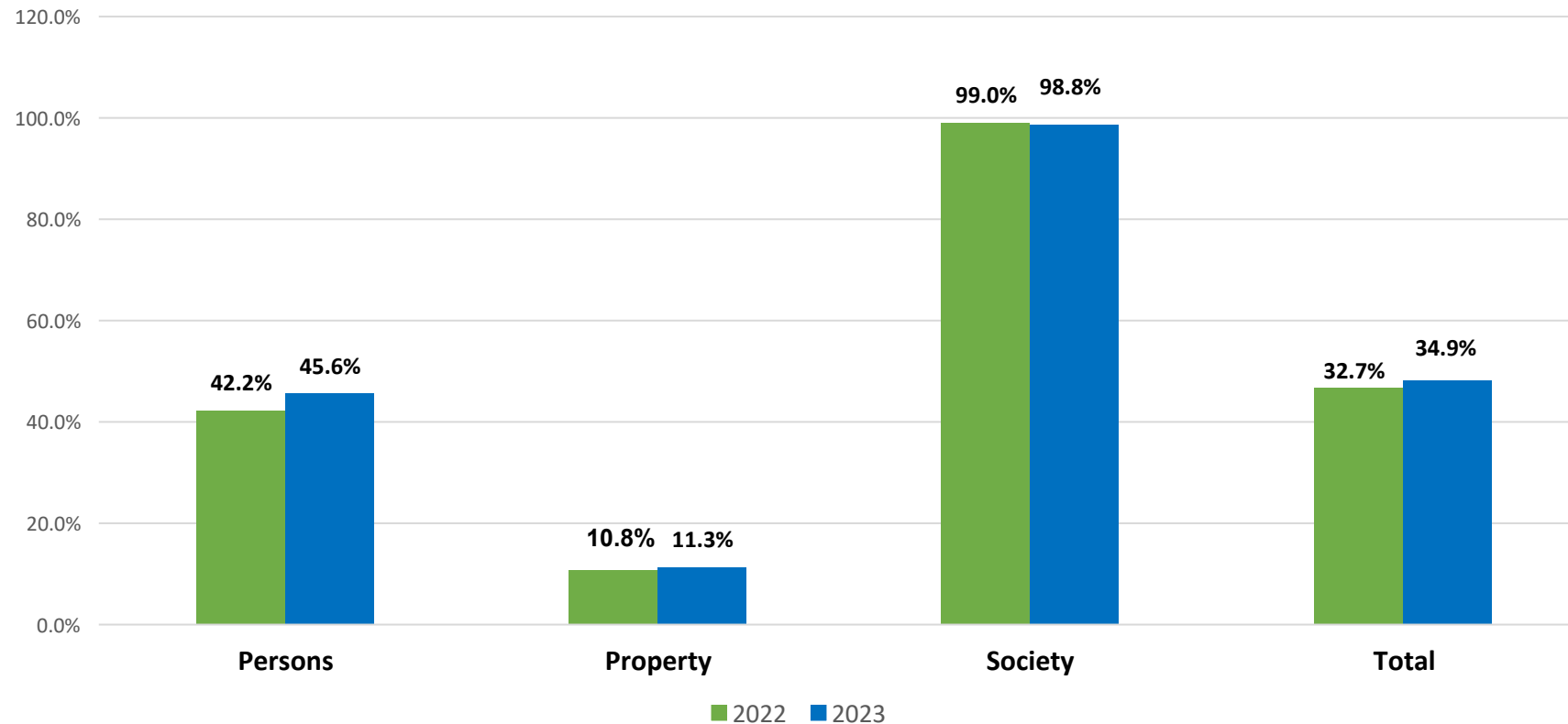


Crime Categories by Council District - 2023





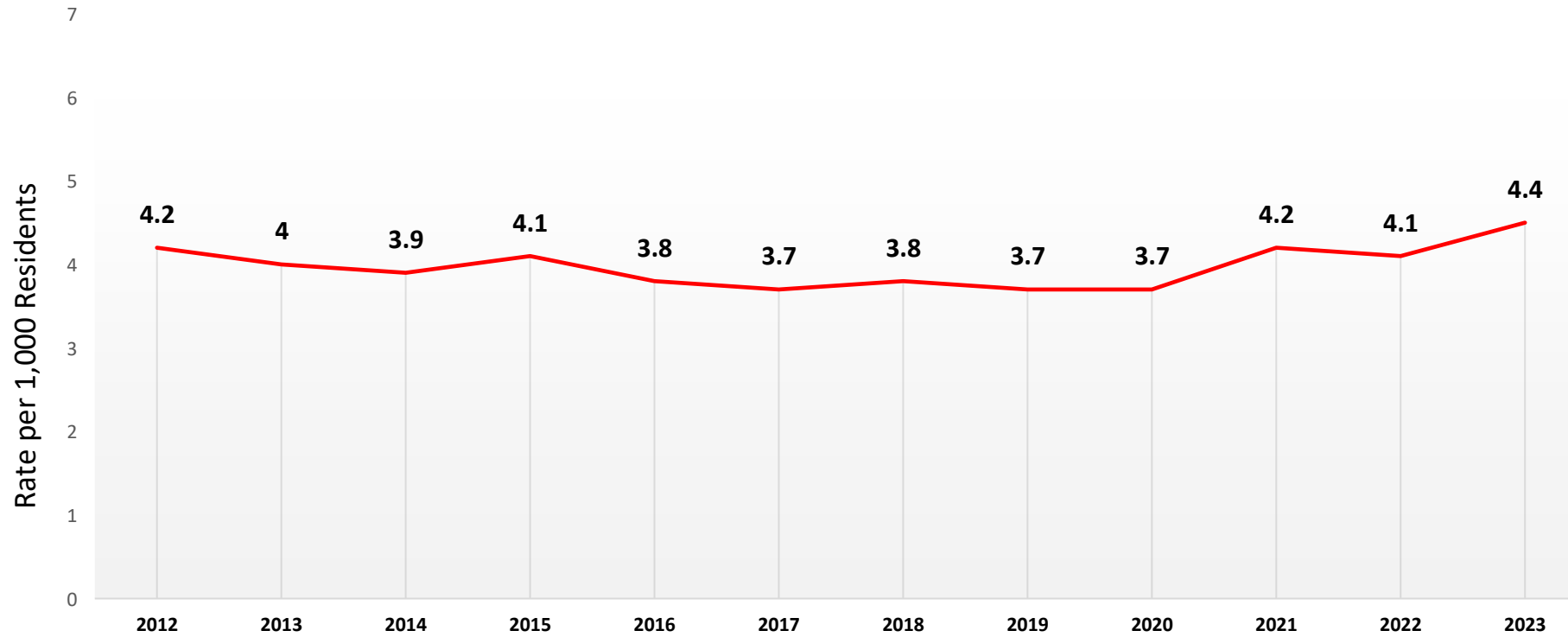
Crime Clearances – NIBRS Category



- Overall crime clearance rates remained relatively similar in 2023 compared to 2022.
- In 2023, 45.6% of crimes against persons and 11.3% of crimes against property were cleared.
- 34.9% of all NIBRS crimes against persons, property, and society were cleared in 2023.



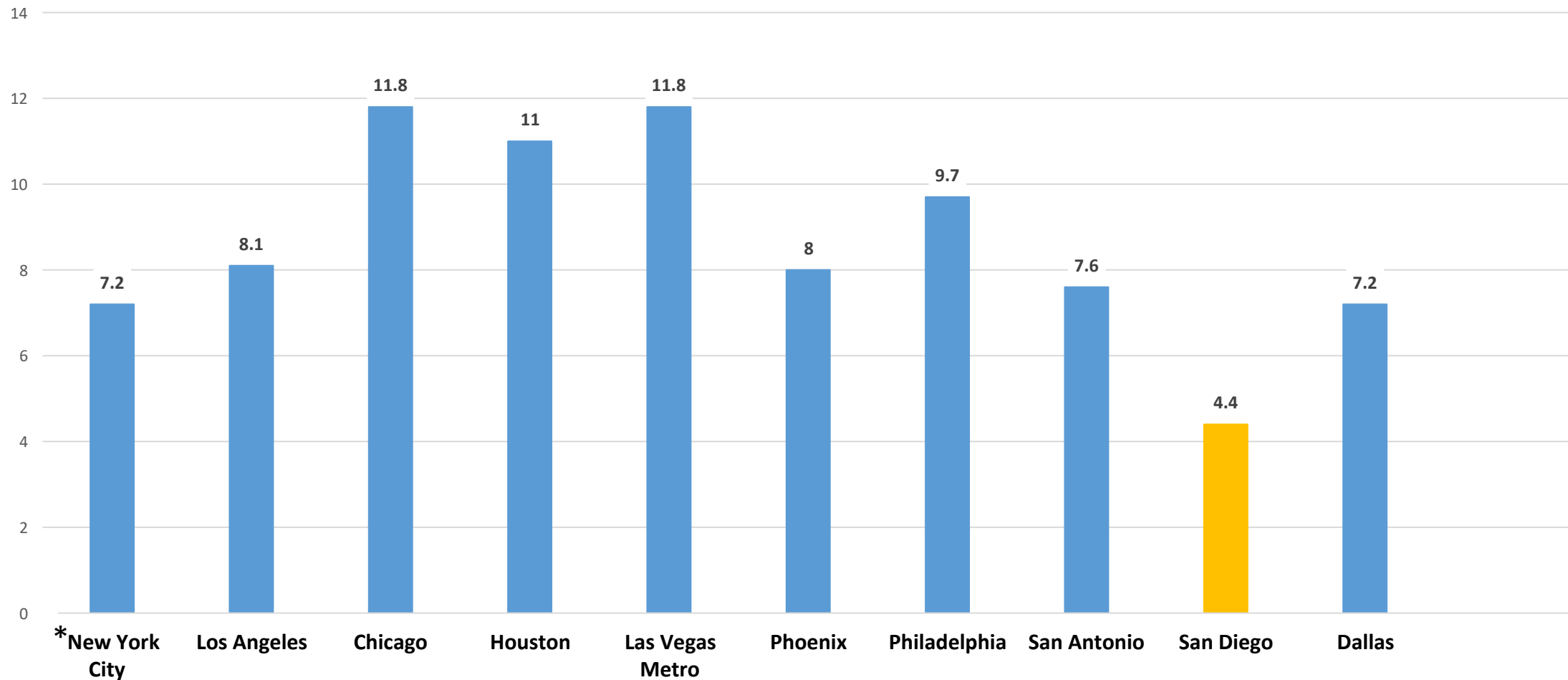
Violent Crime Rate Comparison



Sources:
Based on FBI Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) guidelines
Population data –FBI Crime Data Explorer (2022)



Major Cities – Violent Crime Rate Per 1,000 Residents



Sources:

Population data – FBI Crime Data Explorer most recently available (2022).

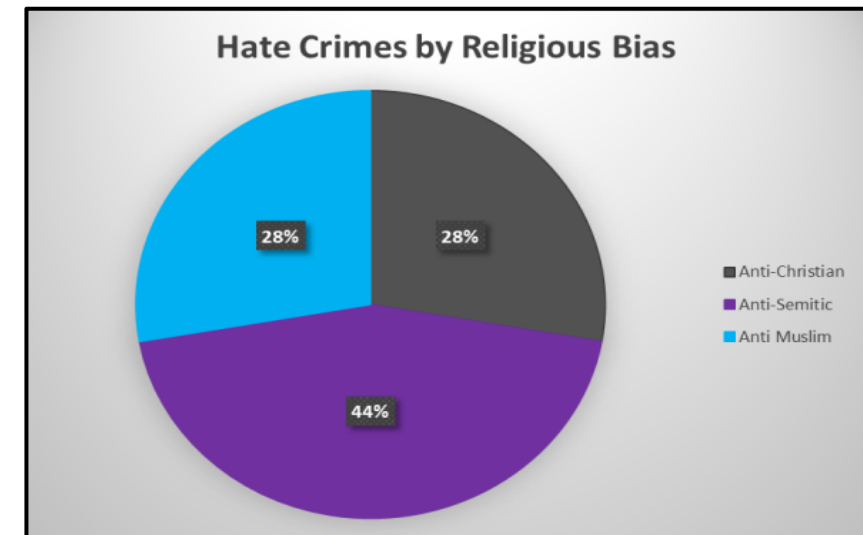
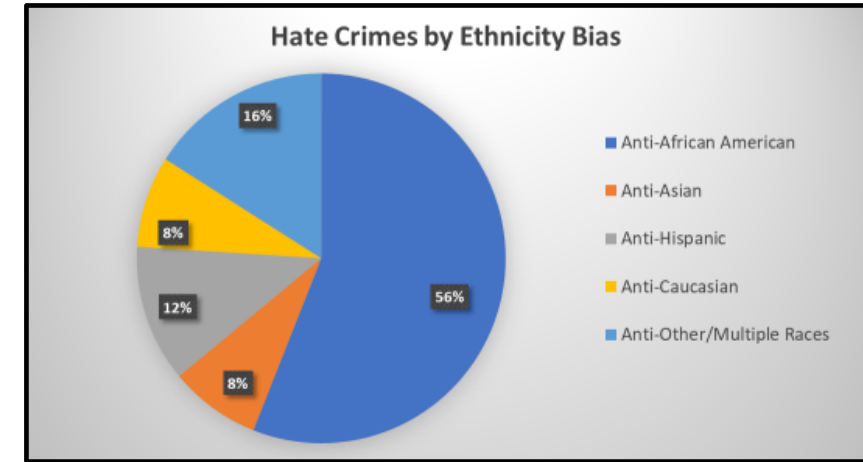
Violent Crimes – Major Cities Chiefs Association (MCCA) Survey (2023).

*New York City most recent crime data from MCCA Survey (2022)



Hate Crimes 2023

San Diego Reported Hate Crimes January to December				
Hate Crimes	2022	% of Total	2023	% of Total
Ethnicity	20	53%	25	38%
Sexual Orientation	4	11%	21	32%
Religion	4	11%	18	27%
Gender	5	13%	2	3%
Disability	0	0%	0	0%
Multiple	5	13%	0	0%
				% Change
Total Hate Crimes	38		66	73.7%





Domestic Violence

- Overall DV crime cases have decreased by 3.1% compared to 2022.
 - DV cases involving firearms decreased by 3.2%
 - DV cases involving knives/cutting instruments increased by 15.9%

San Diego Domestic Violence January - December 2023			
Crime Cases	2022	2023	% Change
Firearms	62	60	-3.20%
Knife/Cutting Instrument	113	131	15.90%
Other Weapon	140	144	2.80%
Personal Weapon (hands, etc.)	3639	3634	-0.01%
No Weapon Used	881	716	-18.70%
Total	4,835	4,685	-3.10%



Gang Statistics

San Diego Crimes Committed by Gang Members January to December			
Crime Type	2022	2023	% Change
All Crimes:			
Homicide	6	5	-17%
Attempt Homicide	7	6	-14%
Assault	122	105	-14%
Robbery	32	32	0%
Auto Theft	52	47	-10%
Total	219	195	-12%
Assaults & Attempt Homicides:			
Shooting	63	52	-17%
Stabbing	14	12	-14%
Other	52	40	-23%
Total	129	104	-19%
Drive-By shootings	14	9	-36%
Arrests of Gang Members	371	328	-11%
Documented Gang Members	1,755	1,398	-20%
Documented Gang Sets	59	55	-7%

Note: Gang statistics provided by the SDPD Special Operations Unit (SOU).



Conclusion

- NIBRS has provided a more comprehensive perspective of crime in our city.
- Overall crime in 2023 decreased compared to 2022.
- San Diego continues to be one of the safest large cities in the United States.