

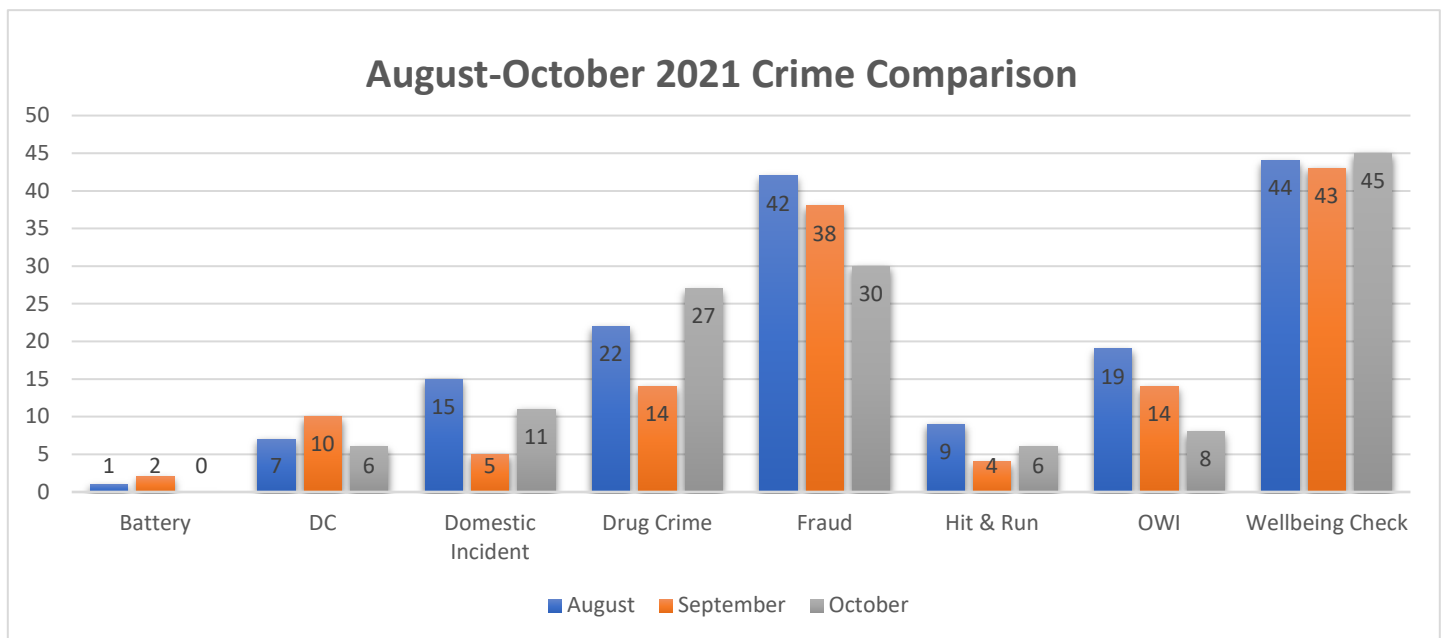


# New Berlin Police Department

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## NBPD Monthly Update – November 2021

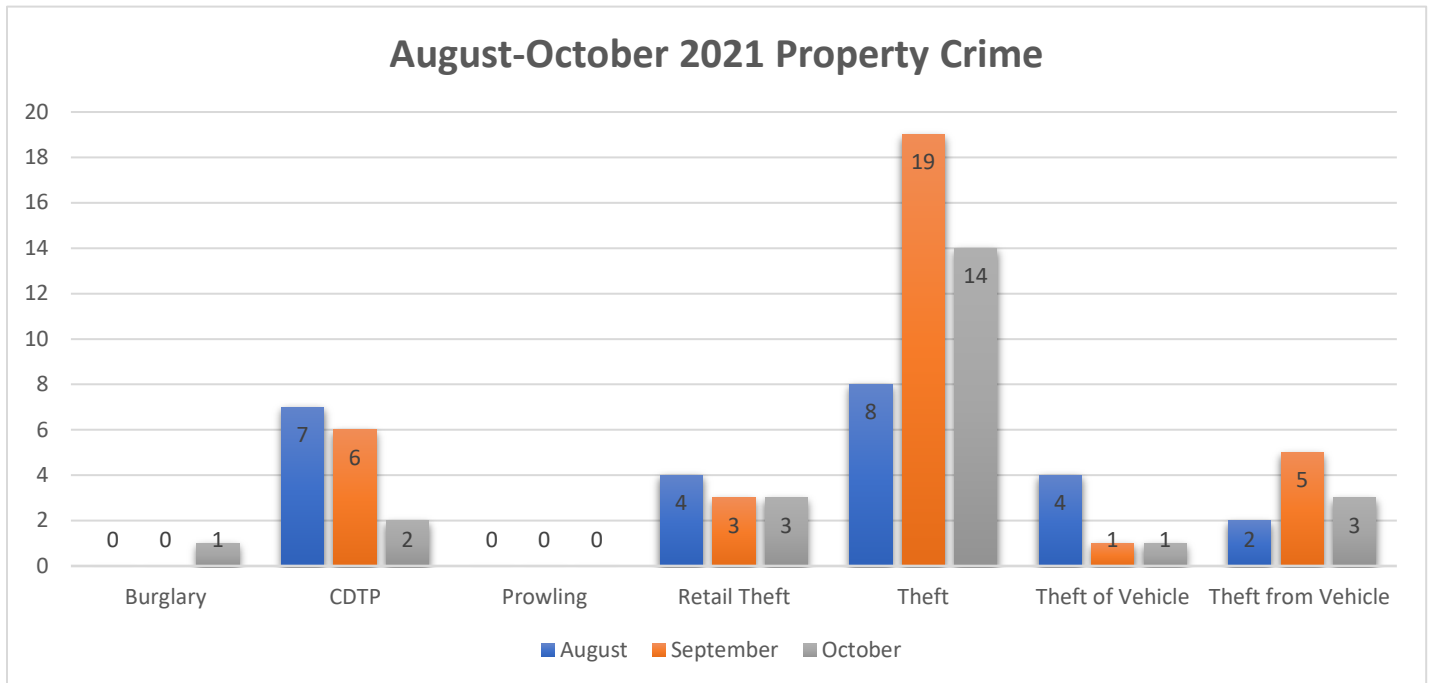
**NEW BERLIN POLICE CRIME STATISTICS: August - October 2021:** The below graph represents primary categories during this reporting period in which our patrol division allocated resources. The majority of the OWI's & Drug Crimes are a result of proactive officer activity, usually stemming from a traffic stop. The remainder of the graphed categories in which we become involved, is a result of a victim, witness or a concerned citizen requesting our assistance with that respective incident.



**HOLIDAY SCAMS:** Experts are projecting that the upcoming holiday season will bring an increase in ecommerce over last season. This will allow scammers more of an opportunity to prey on consumers. In order to reduce your opportunity of being victimized, follow this link for tips to help protect yourself from online shopping scams and to keep your personal finances personal this holiday season: [CLICK HERE](#)

**WELLBEING CHECKS:** Wellbeing checks continue to be the top category in which we allocate resources. The majority of the wellbeing checks in which we responded involved people experiencing a crisis related to their mental health. Typically, the holiday season often brings stress & depression, which can ruin your holidays and hurt your health. Being realistic, planning ahead and seeking support can help ward off stress and depression. For tips to prevent holiday stress and depression, follow this link to an article published by the Mayo Clinic: [CLICK HERE](#)

**PROPERTY CRIMES:** The below chart compares property crime statistics from August – October 2021.



**TIPS TO AVOID PACKAGE THEFT:** Along with increase of ecommerce this 2021 holiday season, there is greater opportunity for offenders to intercept your delivery prior to you removing it from your front porch. Please follow this tips to avoid package theft:

- Network with Neighbors
- Have Packages Delivered to Work
- Leave Specific Drop-off Instructions
- Use a Smart Lock
- Install Security Cameras
- Get a P.O. Box at Your Local Post Office
- Use Lockers
- Set Up Notifications to Track Your Packages
- Require a Signature on Delivery
- Insure Your Packages

**NEW BERLIN VEHICLE THEFTS:** 2021 has brought an increase of vehicle thefts in the Milwaukee metro area, specifically certain Kia and Hyundai vehicle models appear to be targeted more than other vehicle makes. This is in part due to the ability for thieves to compromise the limited protections on ignition systems of certain models from these two manufacturers. New Berlin has been an **exception** to this trend. In 2020, 16 vehicles were reported stolen to the New Berlin PD. During the reporting period of January – October 2021, seven vehicles & 1 trailer have been reported stolen in New Berlin. This equates to less than one vehicle being reported stolen per month in 2021. If this trend continues, New Berlin should recognize a decrease of reported vehicle thefts in 2021, when compared to 2020. The following chart compiles data pertaining to all reported vehicle thefts in New Berlin occurring between January - October of 2021. Please note the following bullet points extrapolated from the chart:

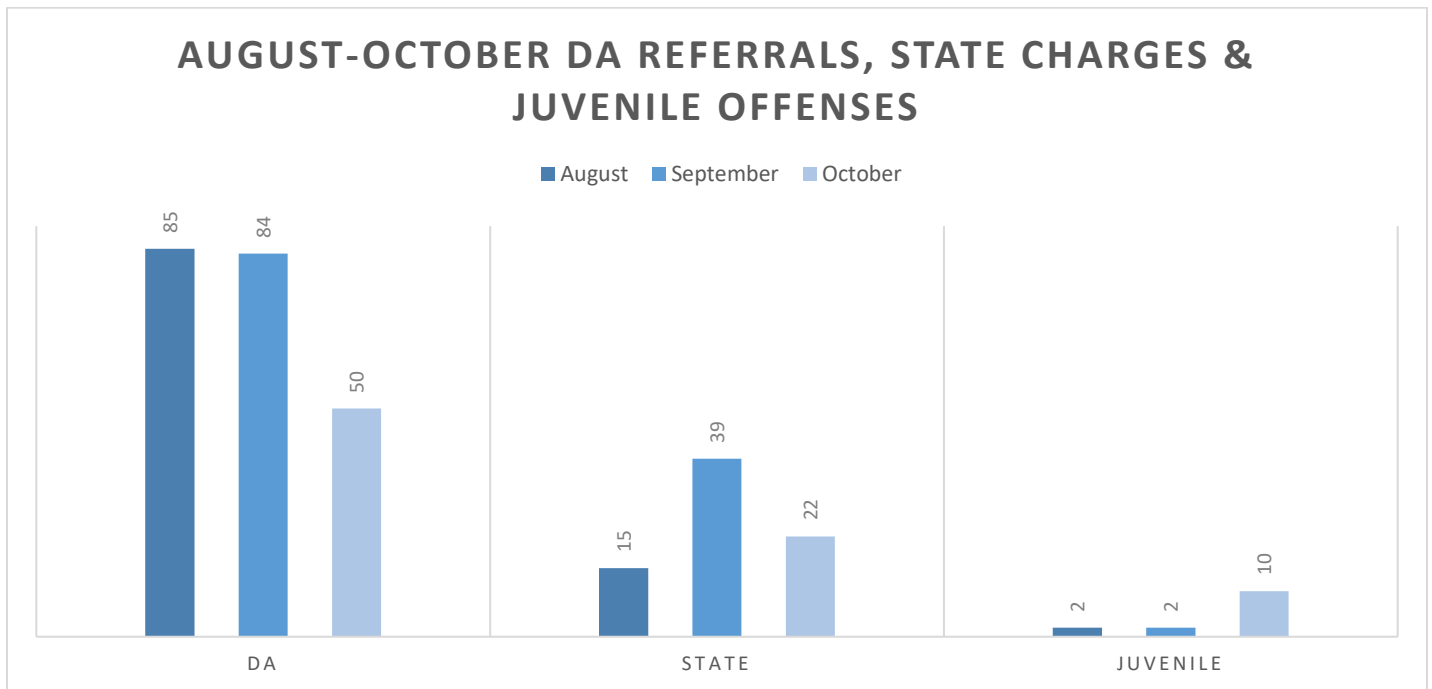
- Six of the seven stolen vehicles were **unlocked** and taken **with keys**.
- The majority of those vehicles were stolen during hours of darkness, after 10:00 PM.
- One of the seven vehicles were stolen from the victim's workplace; six were taken from residences.

- Only one of the stolen vehicles was forcibly entered and taken without keys.
- Four of the seven vehicles reported stolen were Kia & Hyundai brands; however, only one of these four was forcibly entered and taken without keys.

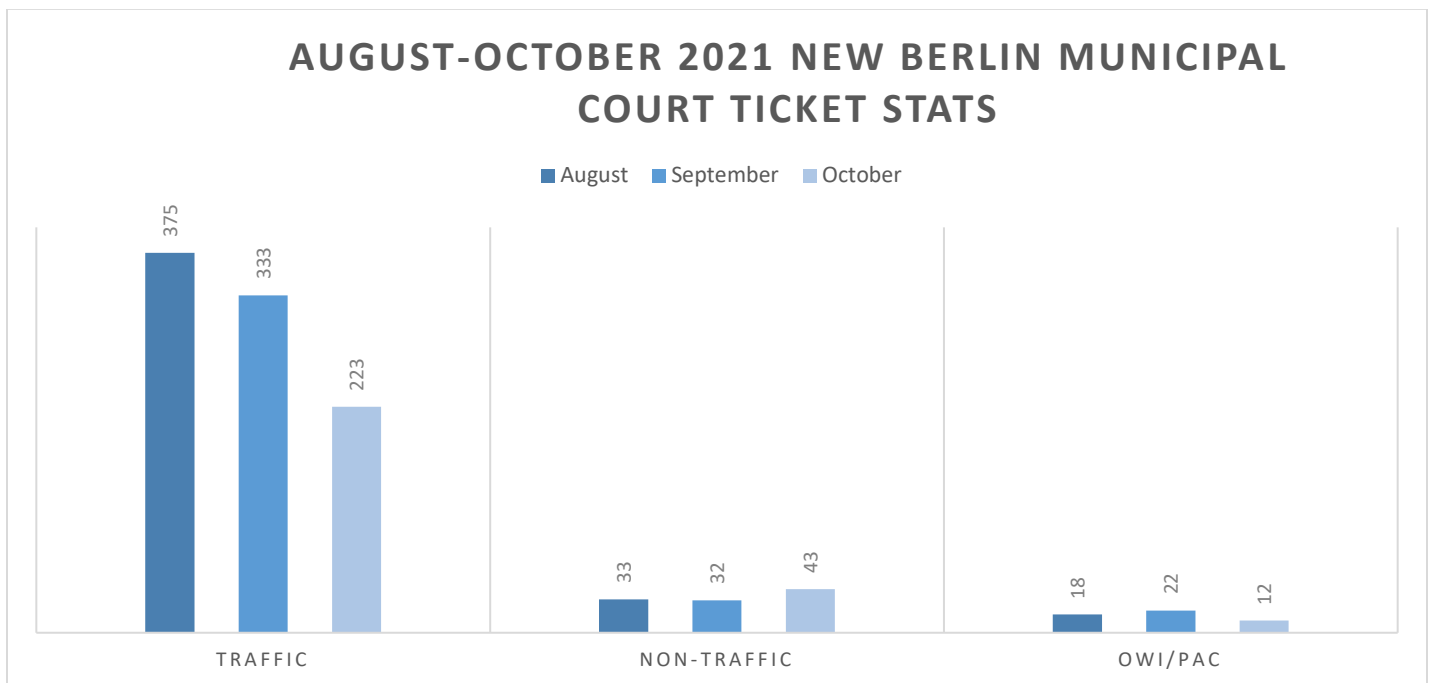
**Bottom line:** Please lock your vehicles and remove vehicle keys and anything else of value from your parked vehicle. If you park your vehicle outside overnight, please remove garage door openers from your vehicle and/or deactivate the remote functionality on your remote system base when remote garage entry is not needed. Please also attempt to park your vehicle in a well-lit area that is readily observable; thus, further deterring criminal activity.

Case #	Theft Date	Color	Year	Make	Model	Taken With Keys	Left Unlocked	Location Stolen	Photos
E21007713	04/16/2021	Gray	2016	Hyundai	Sonata	Yes	Yes	15800 blk W Armour Drive	
E21008795	05/01/2021	Black	2007	Hyundai	Santa Fe	Yes	Yes	16200 blk W Heatherly Drive	
E21014799	07/14/2021	Purple	2010	Honda	Pilot	Yes	Yes	4300 blk S Longview Drive	
E21014809	07/14/2021	Black	2018	Hyundai	Santa Fe	Yes	Yes	4100 blk Regal Manor Court	
E21015392	07/21/2021	Black	2018	Honda	Fit	Yes	Yes	14600 blk W Hickory Hills Drive	
E21018643	08/30/2021	Silver	2018	Kia	Sportage	No	No	15000 blk W Cleveland Avenue	
E21019237	09/02/2021	Black	1999	Chevrolet	S-10	Yes	Yes	2100 blk S Springdale Road	
E21023063	10/29/2021	Silver	2013	Interstate Manufacturing Inc		No	No	2300 blk S 170 <sup>th</sup> Street	

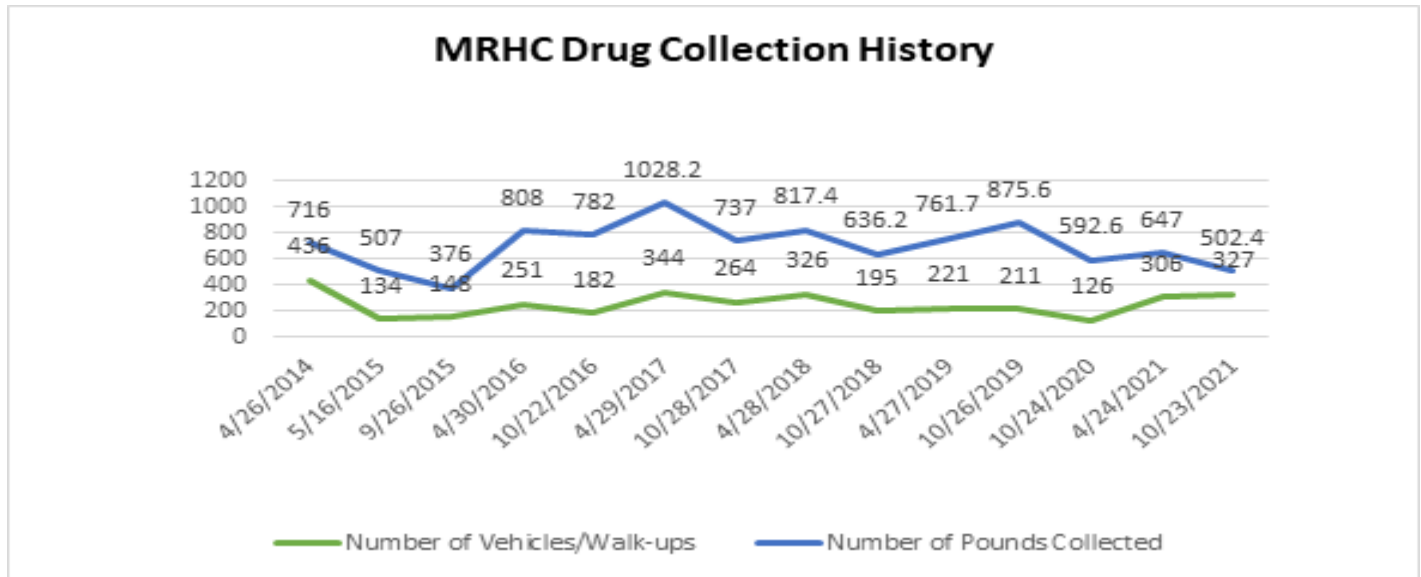
**REFERRALS FOR CRIMINAL PROSECUTION:** In October of 2021, the New Berlin PD referred 60 charges involving adult & Juvenile offenders to the Waukesha County District Attorney's Office for case review, reference misdemeanor or felony prosecution. Additionally, 22 state traffic citations were issued.



**REFERRALS FOR MUNICIPAL PROSECUTION:** In October of 2021, the New Berlin PD issued a total of 278 municipal citations for non-criminal prosecution in New Berlin Municipal Court. 233 citations were traffic related, 43 citations were non-traffic related & 12 citations were OWI/PAC related.



**FALL DRUG TAKE BACK EVENT RESULTS:** New Berlin PD, in collaboration with Froedtert Hospital, participated in the National Drug Take Back Day on 10/23/2021, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM. We were able to collect a total of 502.4 pounds of unused medications from 327 vehicles, representing 375 households. The below chart depicts the history of this event since 2014.



**NBPD COMMUNITY PROGRAMS:** It is our mission to offer numerous programs that allow us to form relationships with citizens, neighborhoods, businesses and city services in order to provide us the opportunity to come together as a community and prevent crime. Please follow this link to access our electronic community program booklet for program descriptions: [NBPD Community Program Booklet](#)

**NEW BERLIN POLICE CRIME STATISTICS PUBLIC DASHBOARD:** Please remember to access the New Berlin Police Crime Statistics Public Dashboard to stay informed. The NBPD public dashboard is an interactive map which captures both incidents and arrests occurring within the City of New Berlin. Although we attempt to publish the data on the dashboard on a **DAILY BASIS**, there may be occasions when this process may be delayed. Direct access to the dashboard can be obtained by following this link: [PUBLIC DASHBOARD ACCESS](#) For first-time visitors, please take time to review the tutorial to enhance your dashboard viewing experience: [PUBLIC DASHBOARD TUTORIAL](#) You may also navigate to the dashboard via the City’s website at [www.nbpolicy.org](http://www.nbpolicy.org).

***In November 2021, we will be adding a new feature to the public dashboard titled, “Bulletin Board”. We will use this feature to post information pertaining to community events, lost & found items to include pets, and crime alerts. This feature also allows for the posting of pictures, flyers or other documents relevant to the posting.***

**EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION:** If you own, operate or manage any type of commercial property in the City of New Berlin, please keep us informed as those whom you have designated as your emergency contact(s) change. This can be accomplished by completing our Emergency Contact Form and returning it to us. You can obtain the form via our Department’s homepage or by following this link: [Emergency Contact/Key holder Form](#)

**COMMUNITY CAMERA PROGRAM:** If you have cameras on your residence or business, please consider completing the online Community Camera Program survey on our website. The ability to access video information is an extremely useful investigatory tool for our department. Information provided to our

department from your camera system will be for official use only. Your information will remain confidential and will not be distributed except as required by law or court order. Please visit: [New Berlin Police Website](#)

**NEW BERLIN MUNICIPAL COURT WANTED LIST:** Please follow the below link to view the list of individuals who have writs of commitment or warrants with the City of New Berlin. This list is updated the first week of each month. New Berlin residents are highlighted in yellow: [CLICK HERE TO VIEW WANTED LIST](#)

**NB POLICE FACEBOOK** – We send out updated information regarding events, incidents & activity through our Facebook page – follow our department on Facebook: [NBPD ON FACEBOOK](#)

**ADMINISTRATIVE MESSAGE:** *If you no longer wish to receive this monthly update, please notify me and I'll remove you from the distribution list: [fus@nbpolice.org](mailto:fus@nbpolice.org)*