Uniform Crime Reporting Program (UCR)

Nationwide, cooperative statistical effort of nearly 18,000 law enforcement agencies.

**Part 1 Crimes:** Generally considered more serious and are divided into Property Crimes and Violent Crimes and further subdivided into eight subcategories.

**Part 2 Crimes:** Contains 19 subcategories of crimes and are considered less serious than Part 1 crimes.
2018 Part 1 Crimes

784 Total Part 1 Crimes (57 more than 2017)

8% Increase

Violent Crimes: 27 additional crimes 2018 vs. 2017
67% Increase

Property Crimes: 30 additional crimes 2018 vs. 2017
4% Increase
Violent Crime

1. Homicide: Total = 0 (1 less crime 2018 vs. 2017) -100%

2. Rape: Total = 11 (7 additional crimes 2018 vs. 2017) +175%

3. Robbery: Total = 22 (1 additional crime 2018 vs. 2017) +5%

4. Aggravated Assaults: Total = 34 (20 additional crimes 2018 vs. 2017) +143%
Rape

• In 9 out of 11 cases (81%) the offender was known to the victim (dating, acquaintance, or family relation)

• Over 60% of the cases involved victims and suspects who were not El Segundo residents (these primarily are alleged “date rapes” that occurred within one of our hotels)

• In 3 of the cases, arrests were made. In 7 cases the offender is known and the investigation is continuing. In 1 case the offender is not known and the investigation is continuing

• There is no connection between any of these cases

• 5 crimes were reported in December 2018
Robbery
California Penal Code §211

Robbery is the felonious taking of personal property in the possession of another, from his person or immediate presence, and against his will, accomplished by means of force or fear.

• There was no significant difference between 2018 and 2017.
• In 8 of the 22 cases (36%), arrests were made
• 3 involved a firearm (all firearms cases resulted in arrest)
• 13 (59%) were either shoplift or domestic disturbance that escalated when force or threatened force was used
Aggravated Assaults

• Primarily Domestic Relationship (Suspect/Victim known to each other) - 23 cases (68%)
• 34% of victims are El Segundo residents
• 36% of victims visiting at local hotel
• Remaining victims were visiting and/or working in El Segundo
Property Crime

1. Burglary: Total = 202 (19 additional crimes 2017 vs. 2018) +10%
2. Larceny (Theft): Total = 448 (20 additional crimes 2017 vs. 2018) +6%
3. *Arson: Total = 3 (3 additional crimes 2017 vs. 2018) +300%
4. Motor Vehicle Theft: Total = 64 (17 less crimes 2017 vs. 2018) -17%
Burglary

• 89.5% of the Burglary increase were Commercial Burglaries (Total = 116)
  • 51 (44% of total Commercial Burglaries) occurred at the Public Storage located at 1910 Hughes Way. 7 (6% of total Commercial Burglaries) occurred at the Extra Space Storage located at 1017 E. El Segundo Blvd. Combined, the 58 burglaries accounted for 29% of our total (residential/commercial) Burglaries in 2018.

• Residential Burglaries remained relatively unchanged with an increase of 2 (Total = 86)
  • 83 (96.5%) involved thefts from carports or residences under construction
  • 3 involved residences being lived in (unoccupied at time of crime)
Larceny

- Shoplifting increased +90% (37 additional crimes in 2018)
  - Organized “booster crews” account for majority
- Bicycle thefts increased +100% (9 additional crimes in 2018)
- Theft from vehicles decreased -16% (32 less crimes in 2018)
Arson

• 3 reported, however, after further review 2 of these crimes do not meet the definition of Arson and will be reclassified
• 1 actual Arson involved a transient attempting (unsuccessfully) to start a fire in a vacant business
2018 Part 2 Crimes

In 2018, the City of El Segundo had 666 reported Part 2 crimes. This represents an increase of 11 crimes over the total number for 2017. There are 19 subcategories of crime within the category of Part 2 crimes.

- **DUI:**
  - Total = 114 (41 additional crimes 2018 vs. 2017)
  - +56%
  - **DUI Traffic Accidents increased by 5 for a total of 22 (29% Increase)**

- **Vandalism:**
  - Total = 105 (34 additional crimes 2018 vs. 2017)
  - +48%

- **Fraud/Forgery/Counterfeit**
  - Total = 139 (50 less crimes 2018 vs. 2017)
  - -26%
Victim

• Crime Prevention
  • Most vehicle burglaries involving items left in plain site
  • Many of larcenies were unlocked vehicles
  • Majority of residential burglaries involved items left unsecured in carports/open garages

• 39 Community Outreach Crime Prevention Efforts in 2018
• ESPD Re-Organization – Community Engagement Division
Offender

Part 1 Violent Crime Case Clearance Comparison

- Rape
- Robbery
- Agg Assault
Part 1 Property Crime Case Clearance Comparison

- Burglary
- Larceny
- Motor Vehicle Theft

El Segundo vs National
Offender

• 34,693 Calls for Service  -02%

• 1,046 Arrests  -13%
  • Cite and Release Offenses  -23%
  • Bookings  -03%

• 2,244 Citations  +37%

• 10,932 Parking Citations  +17%
Offender

Automated License Plate Readers (ALPR)

• Delays (now resolved) caused by City of Los Angeles
  • Phase 1 (Phase 2-3 pending City Council approval) complete by summer 2019
• In process of implementing program
  • Scope of program increased due to requirements from City of Los Angeles
• Presentation at February 19th City Council meeting to expand footprint to include commercial areas east of PCH and vehicle mounted units
Place

- Crime Analyst
  - Recommendation to City Council at February 19th City Council meeting to create full-time position
- 6,484 Security Checks
- Crime Prevention
  - Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED)
    - Working with consultant, who is national expert
Place

Community Lead Officer Program
(Primary responsibilities include homeless outreach and addressing Part 1 crimes)

• 45 Directed Patrols
  • Bait bike deployment
  • Bait car deployment
  • Burglary surveillance
  • Prostitution/Human Trafficking (part-time members of FBI human trafficking task force)
  • ABC decoy operations
  • Directed traffic enforcement
Moving Forward

• Continue great work of 2018
  • Naloxone deployment
• Implement Phase 1 of ALPR and request approval of Phase 2-3
• Request full-time Crime Analyst
• New patrol-centered, community and crime focused, organizational structure
  • Position assigned to Regional Auto Theft team
  • Future position assigned to LA IMPACT (Part 1 crime team enhanced capabilities)
  • Expansion of Community Lead Officer Team
  • Expansion of Traffic Division
  • Currently Officers liaison with South Bay Gang Task Force (collateral)
• Dedicated Community Engagement Division
• Continued recruitment efforts to bolster ranks and fill key positions
  • Marketing plan go live date April 1, 2019. Presentation of plan to Council at March 19th City Council meeting
Recruitment

• 842 Applications/31 entered background investigation after testing process
• 6 police officers hired (2 failed academy) in 2018
  • 1 assigned to Patrol
  • 1 assigned to Field Training
  • 2 attending Police Academy
• 2 hired in 2019 and starting Police Academy this week
• 3 retirements/resignations in 2018, netting an increase of 1 sworn position at year end (3 with 2019 hiring factored in)
• Additionally:
  • 6 Cadets hired
  • 2 Police Assistants hired
  • Open PSO recruitment
  • Open Property Officer recruitment
Summary of Specific Trends

• Burglary
  • Evening directed patrols
  • Bait bike/car deployment
  • Target hardening at Public Storage in addition to surveillance based on temporal analysis (2 instances involving arrests)
  • Collaboration with LA IMPACT and surrounding cities

• Robbery/Shoplifting
  • Directed patrols of The Point and The Plaza for visual deterrence
  • Continued work with South Bay Gang Task Force
  • CLO surveillance of key locations (successful apprehension based on Crime Analyst prediction on January 28, 2019)
Comparison to Local Cities
(2017 UCR Data)

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Questions?
December 2018
(Actual numbers compared to monthly average)

Residential Burglaries (6)  ↓
**(5) Involved Garages/Carports

Commercial Burglaries (17)  ↑

Vehicle Burglaries (23)  ↑

Auto Thefts (7)  ↑
December 2018
(Actual numbers compared to monthly average)

Vandalism – Tagging (10)

Rapes (5)

Aggravated Assaults (3)

Robberies (2)