



Lincoln Police Department

# Monthly Report

April 2020

## Report Summary

Social distancing is a critical practice that is essential to help prevent COVID-19 from spreading. The best way to practice social distancing is to avoid public places and to maintain a distance of at least six feet between you and others. In addition, practice frequent handwashing and cleaning of commonly-touched surfaces. If you are sick or have symptoms such as cough, fever and shortness of breath, call your medical provider. If you would like information regarding COVID-19, you can check out the Centers for Disease Control website at [WWW.CDC.GOV](http://WWW.CDC.GOV) or IDPH at [WWW.DPH.ILLIOIS.GOV](http://WWW.DPH.ILLIOIS.GOV). In addition, you can contact LCDPH at 217-735-2317 or log onto their website at [WWW.LCDPH.ORG](http://WWW.LCDPH.ORG).

Lincoln Police responded to 676 incidents for the month and 67 case reports were written for the month. Officers responded to 26 vehicle crashes. Patrol officers wrote 39 citations and 44 warnings for the month, along with 1 City Ordinance Citation.

Of the 30 arrests for the month, officers arrested several for driving while suspended/revoked, retail theft, driving under the influence and criminal trespass. Detectives continued investigations on 11 cases including participating in CIEG task force operations.

The K9 unit had 4 deployments for the month of April. Out of those deployments, Officer Sullivan and ACE indicated on one deployment. The item indicated on was drug related.

DARE has been able to provide children with bicycles. Graue Chevrolet has decided to refurbish old bicycles and donate them to children of the community. Officer Fruge is helping out in the distribution aspect.

Due to the current Shelter in Place Order, that the Governor enacted on March 13<sup>th</sup>, our two SRO officers are not able to work in the schools at the moment. They have been patrolling the streets to help their fellow officers with the influx of calls of service.

Respectfully submitted,  
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### Get Notified!

Sign-up to Nixle community notifications by texting 62656 to 888777 or visit [lincoln.il.gov](http://lincoln.il.gov) for more information.

### Crime Maps

Help us fight crime by signing up to be alerted of crimes near you at: <https://crimereports.com>

## Fines

Fines collected, by the Logan County Circuit Clerk, for Lincoln during the month of April were \$1976.39.

For the month of April, there were \$50.00 in fines collected for Parking Tickets.

## Vehicle Crashes

There were 26 crashes the Lincoln Police Department responded to for the month of April.

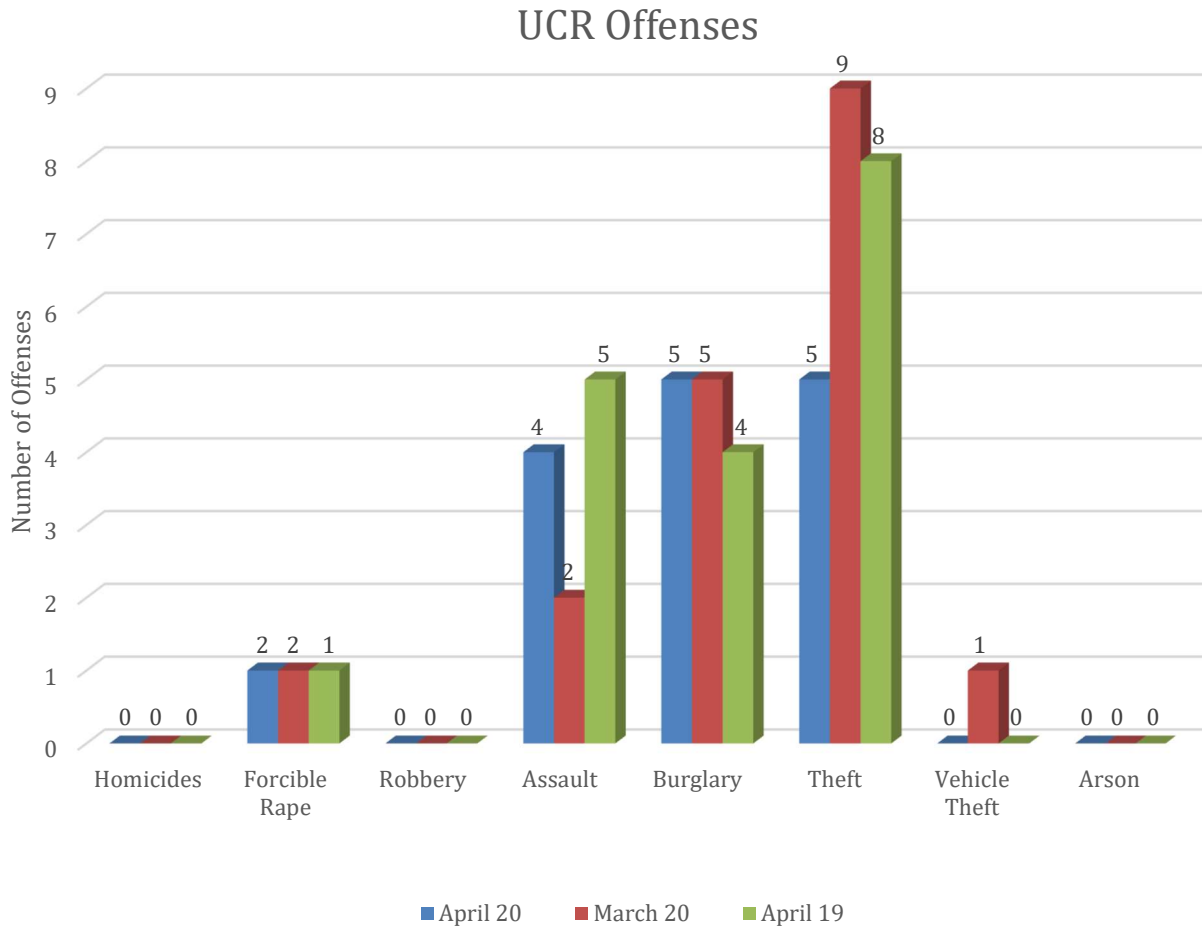
April 2020 Accidents by Manner of Collision					
Type	Total Collisions	Total Fatal Collisions	Total Injury Collisions	Total Property Damage	Number Injured
Angle	4	0	1	3	2
Fixed Object	3	0	0	3	0
Parked Motor Vehicle	7	0	0	7	0
Animal	2	0	0	2	0
Rear End	4	0	0	4	0
Rear to Side	2	0	0	2	0
Turning	4	0	2	2	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>5</b>

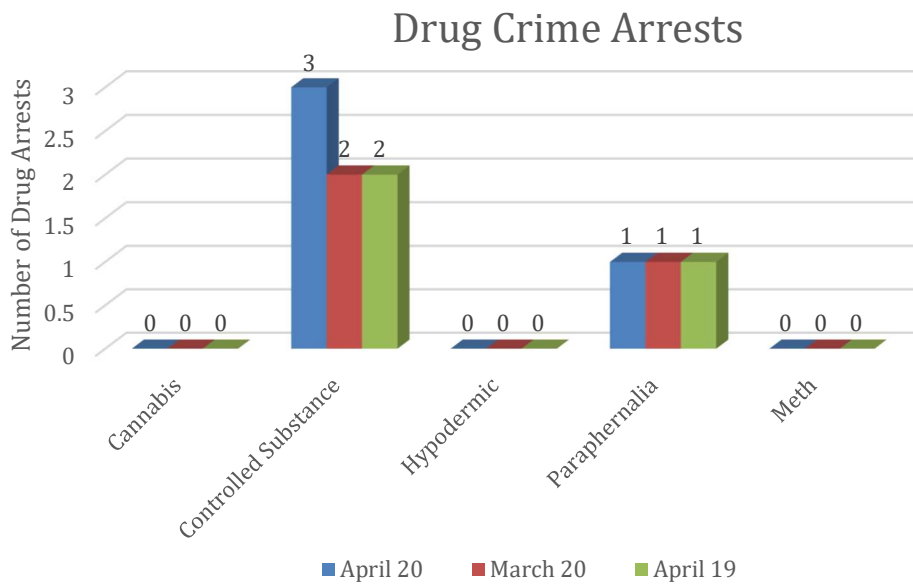
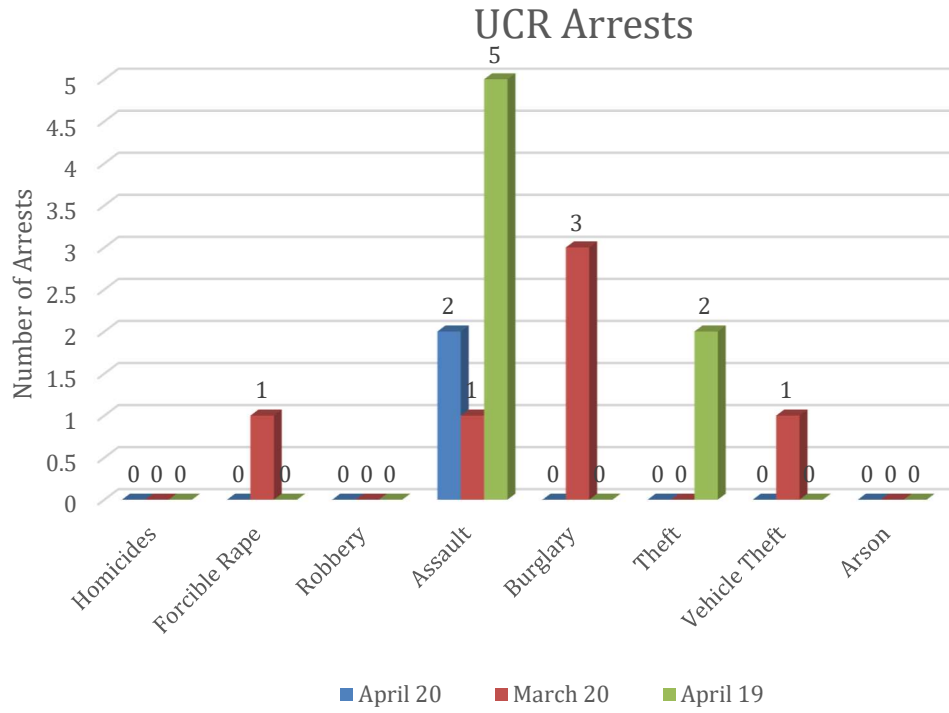
# MONTHLY STATISTICS

## Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

UCR is the reporting system that the State of Illinois uses. These statistics are sent to the FBI to be included in the Federal UCR statistics. These statistics include the most major crimes. Although the State of Illinois has many offenses some are grouped together for these stats, for instance battery is included in assaults.

### UCR Report for April 2020





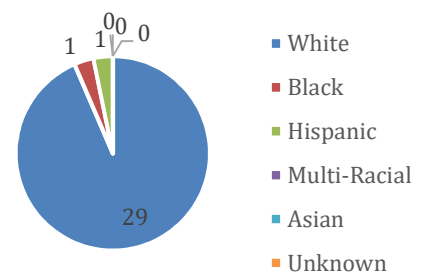
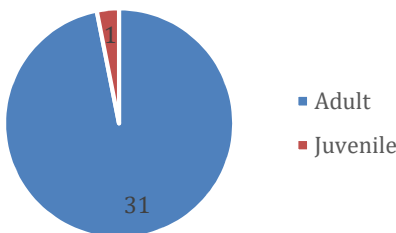
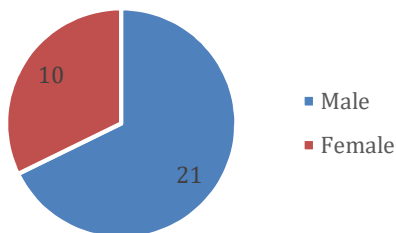
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### Top 10 Reported Offenses

Description	Amount
Domestic Battery	5
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	5
Theft - Under \$500	5
Burglary - Residential	4
Criminal Damage to Property <\$300	4
Disorderly Conduct - All Others	4
Runaway Juvenile: Under 18 Years Old	4
Aggravated Domestic Battery	2
Burglary	2
Criminal Trespass to Property - Enters After Notice	2

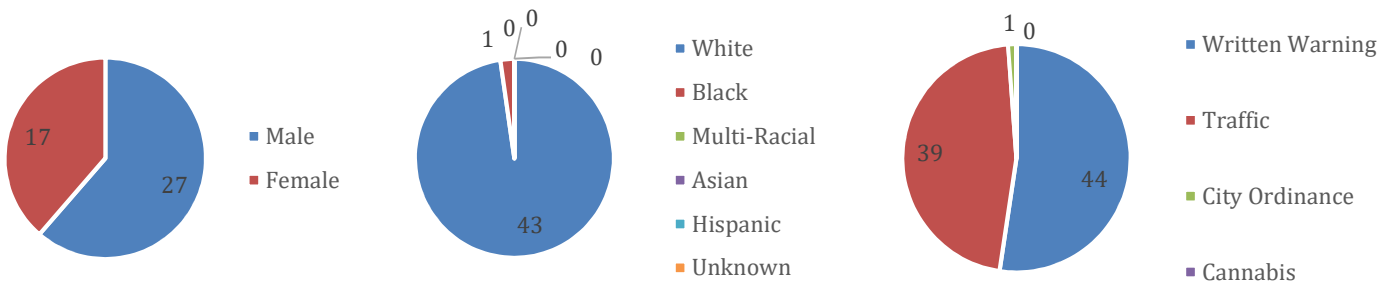
### Top Arrest Charges

Description	Amount
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	5
Retail Theft Over \$300	4
Criminal Trespass to Property - Enters After Notice	2
Driving Under the Influence - BAC .08 or more	2
Driving Under the Influence - Alcohol	2
No Valid DL	2
Obstructing a Peace Officer	2
Unlawful Possession of a Controlled Substance	2
Violation Order of Protection	2
Warrant In-State	2
Forgery	1
Failure to Give Information After Striking Unattended Vehicle or Other Property	1



## Top 12 Citations Issued

Description of Offense	Amount
Fail to Reduce Speed/Accident to Avoid Accident	8
Operating Uninsured Motor Vehicle	7
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	6
Driving Under the Influence - BAC .08 or more	2
Driving Under the Influence - Alcohol	2
Failed to Yield - Turning Left	2
Muffler-Loud, Excessive Noise, No Muffler	2
No Valid DL	2
Speeding	2
Failed to Yield - Stop or Yield Intersection	1
Improper Lane Usage -One Way Street Street, Wrong Side, Violated Median	1
Improper Lane Usage	1



## DIVISION REPORTS

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### Criminal Investigations

The detectives of the Criminal Investigation Division of the Lincoln Police Department conducted further investigation on 11 active criminal investigations in the month of April. The types of investigations are listed but due to the sensitivity of those investigations, specific information is not available to for release.

- (5) Investigations were narcotics related.
- (1) Investigations involved sexual offenses.
- (4) Investigations involved crimes against persons.
- (1) Investigations were property related.
- (2) Search warrants were executed to further the above investigations.
- Two officers of the Criminal Investigations Division continued to participate in a multi-jurisdictional drug task force, conducting joint investigations with other local, state, and federal agencies.

### DARE/Community Policing

DARE sent out its 2020 fundraising letters to the supporters in the community. Thank you to all who support the DARE Program and are able to donate in this time of uncertainty. Officer Christy Fruge was contacted by Chris Graue, from Graue Chevrolet, in reference to his service department repairing bicycles to give back to children in the community. Since his service department is running at a slower pace, due to Covid-19 restrictions, they decided they would like to do something to help their community. The mechanics are repairing, replacing parts and painting bicycles that have been donated by people, due to the bicycles being old and/or needing repair. Graue then contacts Officer Fruge to distribute the bicycles to children in the community, with guidance from local teachers and school resource officers.

## Lincoln K9

Officer Sullivan and K9 Ace had 4 deployments for the month of April. The deployments resulted in 2 buildings being searched, with only 1 indication. The indication was drug related. The drug seized was cannabis.

## School Resource for LCHS

On March 13<sup>th</sup>, Governor Pritzker ordered the schools to shutter their facilities to help prevent the spread of the Coronavirus. Officer Butterfield was able to obtain a Grant, from the Eaton Corporation, for \$5000. The money was to purchase 150 Stop the Bleed Kits that were provided to teachers. Stop the Bleed kits are a way to equip bystanders and initial first responders with the essential medical gear needed to take immediate action in life threatening emergencies. These lifesaving modular aid components are designed for individuals or groups in public buildings and populated public areas to administer immediate bleeding control at the point of wounding.

## School Resource for District #27

On March 13<sup>th</sup>, Governor Pritzker ordered the schools to shutter their facilities to help prevent the spread of the Coronavirus.