



Lincoln Police Department

# Monthly Report

April 2021

## Report Summary

Social distancing and wearing a mask are critical practices that are 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 do not touch your eyes, nose or mouth. If you need to get tested or are wanting to get the vaccine, please go to the Logan County Health Department's website for testing and/or vaccination sites and times.

Lincoln Police responded to 806 incidents for the month and 110 case reports were written for the month. Officers responded to 23 vehicle crashes. Patrol officers wrote 67 citations and 56 warnings for the month along with 1 City Ordinance Citation.

Of the 43 arrests for the month, officers arrested several for, driving with suspended/revoked drivers license (misdemeanor and felony), domestic battery, DUI's and warrants. Of the 43 arrest, there were 2 incidents were the officers had to use force to gain control of the offender. Detectives continued investigations on 20 cases including participating in CIEG task force operations.

The K9 unit is very beneficial to the Lincoln Police Department and the community. The K9 unit devoted a lot of time to training this month.

DARE was able to help a variety of students from different school this past month.

The goals of well-founded SRO programs include providing safe learning environments in our community's schools, providing valuable resources to school staff members, fostering positive relationships with youth, developing strategies to resolve problems affecting youth and protecting all students, so that they can reach their fullest potentials.

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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 \$5,822.31.

For the month of April, there was \$0.00 in fines collected for Parking Tickets.

## Vehicle Crashes

There were 23 crashes the Lincoln Police Department responded to for the month of April.

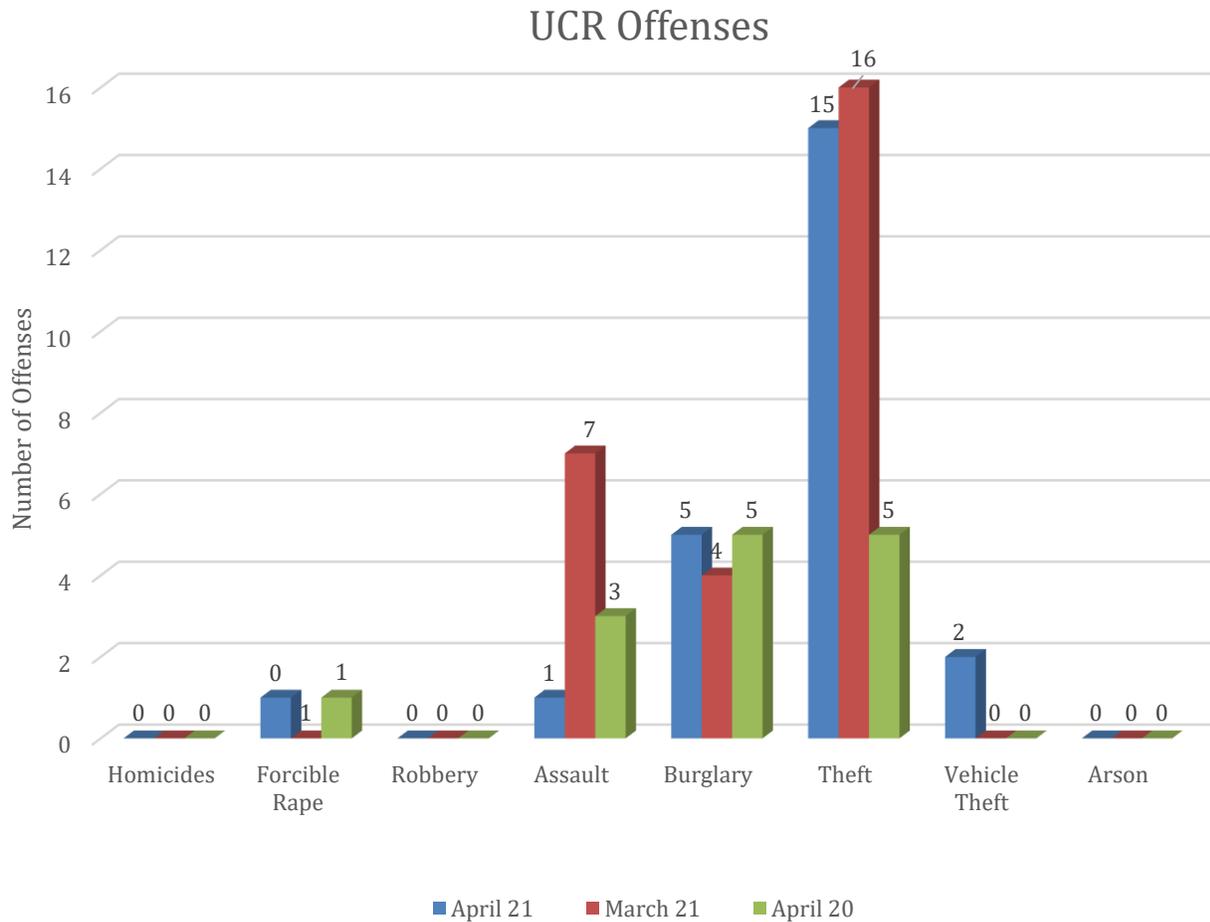
April 2021 Accidents by Manner of Collision					
Type	Total Collisions	Total Fatal Collisions	Total Injury Collisions	Total Property Damage	Number Injured
Angle	4	0	0	4	0
Animal	1	0	0	1	0
Other Non-Collision	1	0	0	1	0
Parked Motor Vehicle	6	0	1	5	1
Rear End	3	0	0	3	0
Rear to Front	2			2	
Sideswipe Same Direction	1	0	0	1	0
Turning	4	0	1	3	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2</b>

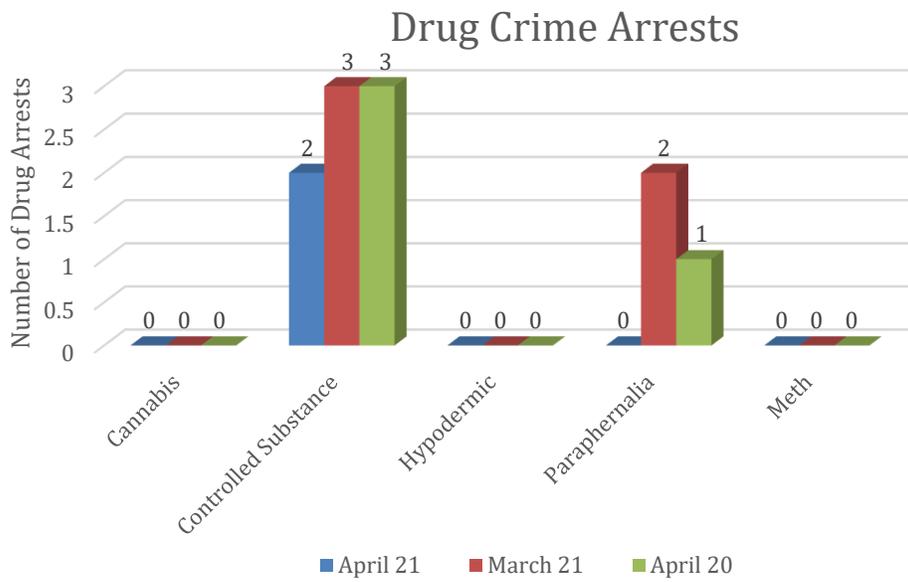
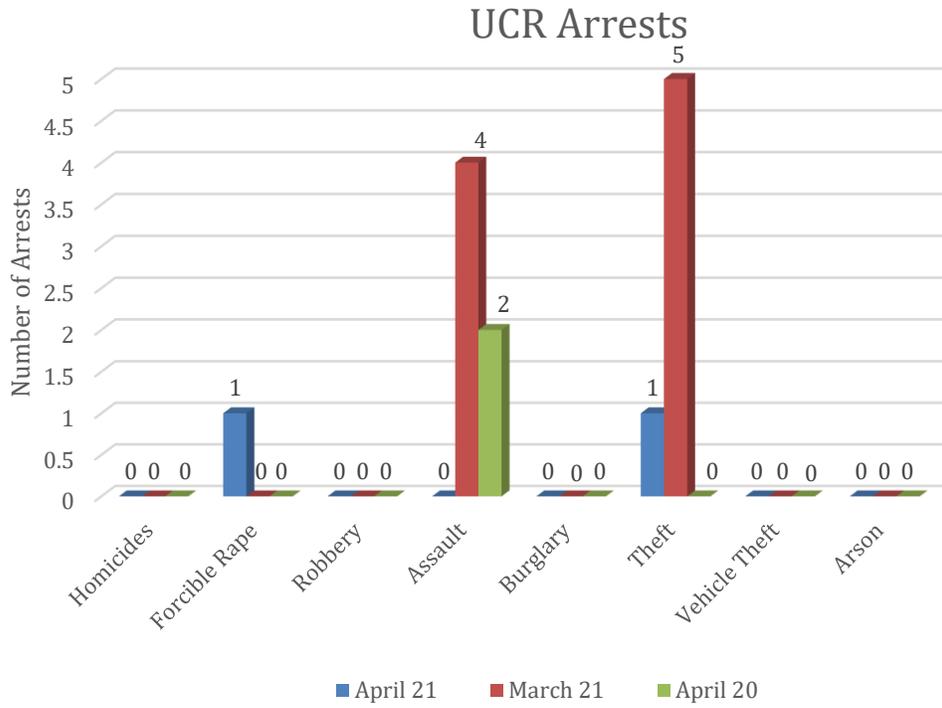
# MONTHLY STATISTICS

## 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 2021





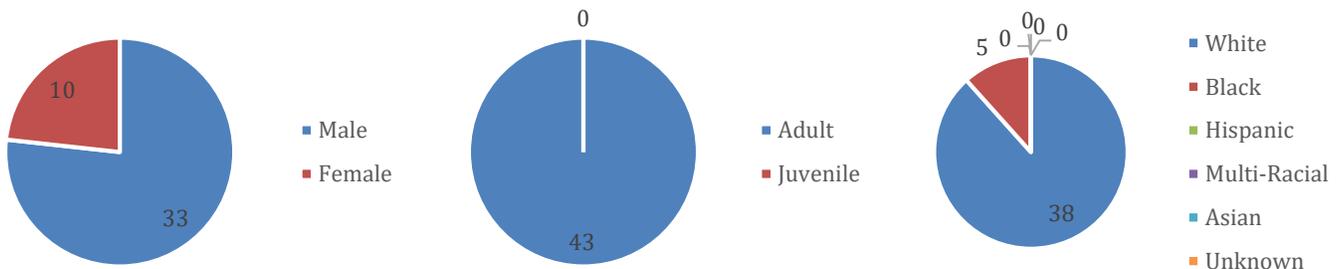
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### Top 10 Reported Offenses

Description	Amount
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	16
Theft - Under \$500	9
Warrant In-State	8
Criminal Damage to Property <\$300	6
Criminal Damage to Vehicle	5
Domestic Battery	5
Domestic Battery / Bodily Harm	4
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Felony)	4
Unlawful Visitation Interference	4
Violation Order of Protection	4

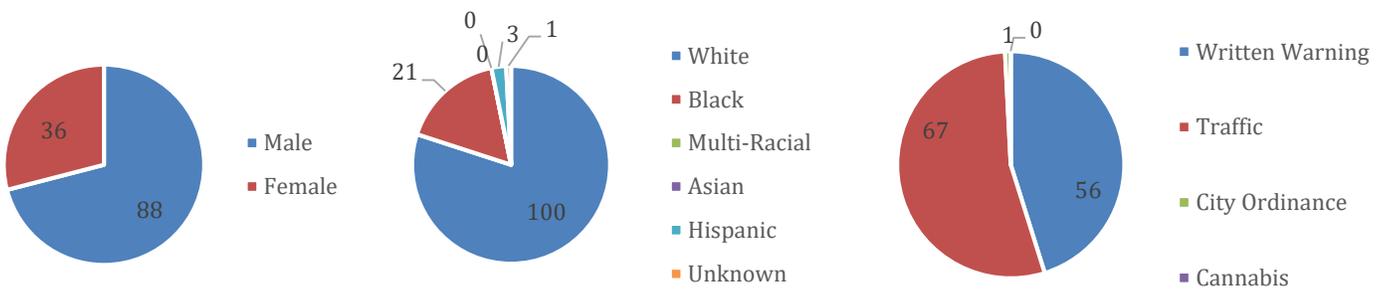
### Top Arrest Charges

Description	Amount
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	15
Warrant In-State	9
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Felony)	3
Driving Under the Influence - Alcohol	3
Domestic Battery / Bodily Harm - Prior Convictions	2
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Domestic Battery	2
No Valid DL	2
Violation Order of Protection	2
License: Suspended/Revoked 2nd DUI	1
Improper Use of Registration	1
Driving Under the Influence - Drugs or Combination of Drugs	1



## Top 12 Citations Issued

Description of Offense	Amount
Operating Uninsured Motor Vehicle	20
Speeding	18
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Misdemeanor)	15
Improper Lane Usage	11
Operate A Vehicle With Expired Registration 1st and 2nd Offense	6
Fail to Reduce Speed/Accident to Avoid Accident	3
Driving With Suspended/Revoked Drivers License (Felony)	3
Failure to Signal When Required/Improper Signal	3
Improper Lighting - One Headlamp	3
Driving Under the Influence - Alcohol	2
Expiration of Registration	2
Driving Without Lights When Required	2



## DIVISION REPORTS

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### Criminal Investigations

The detectives of the Criminal Investigation Division of the Lincoln Police Department conducted further investigation on 20 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.

- (11) Investigations involved sexual offenses.
- (2) Investigations involved crimes against persons.
- (4) Investigations were property related.
- (2) Investigations were narcotics related.
- Investigators executed 1 search warrant.
- 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

Officer Christy Fruge started the fundraising process for the annual DARE Golf Outing, that will be held on June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at the Lincoln Elks Golf Course. DARE was able to help the WLB boosters and the Mt. Pulaski Trap/Skeet team. DARE was able to help multiple students from different schools this past month.

## Lincoln K9

Officer Sullivan and K9 Ace devoted a lot of time to training this month. K9 Ace worked on his agility, evidence searching skills and tracking skills. He also trained on his detection exercises with multiple different types of environments.

## School Resource for LCHS and District #27

Our School Resource Officers are always putting forth the positive attitudes that the kids are needing in these uncertain times. Always remember that the SRO's are there for your students if they need that ear to listen to them or just have questions they need answered.

The goals of well-founded SRO programs include providing safe learning environments in our community's schools, providing valuable resources to school staff members, fostering positive relationships with youth, developing strategies to resolve problems affecting youth and protecting all students, so that they can reach their fullest potentials. The three main roles of school resource officers are: educator (i.e. guest lecturer), informal counselor/mentor, and law enforcement officer.

Officer Butterfield reported that the incidents he responded to in April were fighting, parking issues, harassment/bullying and general misconduct that result in parental contacts. Officer Butterfield also attended criminal justice reform training this past month. He participated in CED Lockdown Drill. He sat in on the Lincoln Christian University table top and he attended a meeting at St. John's church for SRP.

Officer Fruge reported that the kids, at district #27, are getting excited about summer break. The most common incidents that Officer Fruge responded to were social/emotional issues, general counseling issues and truancy issues.