



Sawyer County

Agenda

Public Safety Committee Meeting
Thursday, April 6, 2023 @ 9:00 AM
Assembly Room/Virtual Meeting

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1. CALL TO ORDER

- a. To view or participate in the **virtual meeting** from a computer, iPad, or Android device please go to <https://zoom.us/j/97074807611>. You can also use the dial in at 1-312-626-6799 with the Webinar ID: 970 7480 7611. Use *9 to Raise/lower hand and *6 to Unmute/mute. If additional assistance is needed please contact the County Clerk's Office at 715-634-4866 prior to the meeting. If you are on a computer, click the "Raise Hand" button and wait to be recognized. If you are on a telephone, dial *9 and wait to be recognized.

2. ROLL CALL

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS LAW

5. MEETING AGENDA

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS

- a. At this time, members of the public will be given the opportunity to address the Committee. Please adhere to the following when addressing the Committee:
 - Comments will be limited to 3 minutes or less per individual.
 - Comments should be directed to the Committee as a whole and not directed to individual Committee members.
 - The Committee cannot respond to your comments during this time.
 - Please sign in and fill out a public comment sheet if you wish to speak on an item.

7. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

- a. [3.2.23 Public Safety Minutes DRAFT](#)

	8. CIRCUIT COURT
	a. Judge's Report b. Courthouse Remodel Update
	9. CLERK OF COURT'S OFFICE REPORTS
7	a. 2023 APR - CoC Public Safety Report
	10. SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT REPORT
8 - 10	a. Communication Center Report SWSO Patrol Report Mar 2023 Summary b. Patrol Report
11 - 12	c. Jail Report March 2023 d. Communication Systems Specialist Report
13 - 16	e. Code Enforcement Specialist SWAC Report
	11. EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
17 - 23	a. 1) April 6 Public Safety 2) April 2023 Public Safety Emergency Management
	12. CHILD SUPPORT DEPARTMENT REPORT
24	a. April 2023 Child Support Agency Report b. Child Support MOU (discussion and possible action)
	13. EMERGENCY SERVICES
25	a. Ambulance Report Public Safety b. Town of Edgewater Request (discussion and possible action)
26 - 34	c. Ambulance Billing Ambulance Billing Analysis January 2019-2022 d. Medical Examiner Report

14. CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL UPDATE

15. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

16. CORRESPONDENCE, REPORTS FROM CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

17. ADJOURNMENT

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Mission Statement: Provide leadership for Sawyer County by coordinating with the Public Safety and Justice Departments for the County, which provide for the safety of the citizens and guests of Sawyer County; monitoring outcomes, reviewing, and recommending to the County Board policies related to the public safety initiatives of the County.

**Minutes of the March 2nd meeting of the Sawyer County
Public Safety Committee
Of the Sawyer County Board of Supervisors
Assembly Room; Sawyer County**



Voting Committee Members Present:

- ☒ Chair: Ron Buckholtz
- ☒ Vice Chair: Marc Helwig
- ☒ Ed Peters
- ☐ Jason Weaver
- ☒ Marshal Savitski - virtual

Others Present:

Lynn Fitch
Marge Kelsey
Nicole Ripczinski
Andy Albarado - virtual

John Froemel
Doug Mrotek
Brandon Blicharz
John Kruk

Call to Order – Chair Ron Buckholtz called the meeting to order at 9:00 am. Roll Call taken. Quorum was met.

Certification of Compliance with the open meeting law was met.

Meeting Agenda – Mr. Froemel requested to go first on the agenda.

Public Comment –

Minutes from the previous meeting dated: February 2, 2023

Motion to approve made by: Mr. Peters

Second by: Mr. Helwig

Motion carried without negative vote.

Circuit Court --

Judge's Report -

Courthouse Remodel Update – Mr. Albarado advised that the HVAC unit and electrical panel have both arrived. The start of the switch over will begin the first week of April.

Clerk of Court's Office Reports -

A written report was provided.

Sheriff's Department Report --

Communication Center Report – Two new employees were hired and two resigned to pursue other employment. The two new dispatchers are doing well but the department is still short-handed. They continue to receive applications for dispatchers and have several people shadowing the position. They are using a 911 skills test to help reduce turnover rates. Call numbers were reported.

Patrol Report – A written report was provided. Sheriff Mrotek reviewed the highlights of the report including having ten crashes including one fatality. Birkie went well with the larger number of skiers. One conditional job offer is out for a road deputy.

Jail Report – A written report was provided, and Sheriff Mrotek reviewed the statistics provided. We have one individual on electronic monitoring, and they are tracking employment status of inmates. At this time 82% are unemployment; they are working with JusticePoint on programs to reduce unemployment. They have made an offer to replace the court security deputy to fill the vacancy. They are receiving applications for jail staff and are hopeful in filling some of the positions.

Joint Powers Agreements – The annual Joint Powers Agreements were presented for renewal. Sheriff Mrotek advised this is a statutory agreement that needs to be renewed. A motion was made by Mr. Helwig; second by Mr. Peters to approve the Joint Powers Agreements with the towns. Motion carried without negative vote.

Communication Systems Specialist Report – Mr. Kruk reported that a patch between our two systems is being installed. Some audio coming out of dispatch had issues so the patch has been adjusted, and they are cleaning up the audio between the two systems. The part that they are waiting for may improve communication, as well. We are attempting to expand our tower coverage this month in the south.

Code Enforcement – A written report was provided. Mr. Blicharz said there has been an increase in at large dog complaints. The rabies vaccine clinic dates and locations have been finalized, and they are being posted on FB and elsewhere as he expands the social media presence.

Emergency Management --

Medical Examiner – A written report was provided. Ms. Ripczinski has submitted the initial WDF grant to help with highway cleanup. Dates for the upcoming Active Shooter Large Scale exercise in August and March. The Sheriff recognized Ms. Ripczinski for her excellent work in the new position.

Child Support Department Report --

A written report was provided.

Child Support MOU – Mr. Albarado advised the final copy is not yet ready, and final language changes should be ready for the April meeting.

Resolution in Support of Increased County Child Support Funding – A resolution supporting increased county child support funding was presented for consideration asking the legislators to approve the increased funding request. A motion was made by Mr. Helwig to approve the resolution and forward to the County Board; second by Mr. Peters. Motion carried without negative vote.

Emergency Services --

Ambulance Report – A written report was provided. Mr. Froemel advised they are scheduling a CPR class in the high school as well as setting up EMS classes at area schools. He has good interest with individuals who may be interested in taking transfers, including area nurses. There were two CPR incidents on the Birkie Korte, and one of our EMT staff had an accident and is in the hospital.

Ambulance Billing – The reports were not available for this meeting. We are at the 30% mark in recoveries at this time, and they continue to work with the previous company. Industry standard for recovery is 30-40%.

Medical Examiner Report --

Town of Edgewater Request – Mr. Albarado advised that the Edgewater Town Chair contacted him about exiting the County ambulance service because they contract with another party (Birchwood). Because we are a county-wide service and case law has objected to this practice, this is not possible at this point in time. More investigation needs to be done on this request.

Criminal Justice Coordinating Council Update -

CJCC Bylaws Amendments – A copy of the current CJCC bylaws was presented for consideration. Mr. Albarado advised the CJCC committee authorized the ability to set up sub-committees and had changes in membership. These changes will increase membership from 14 to 16 (items L and M of Article V; Structure) and voting members to 15. Formal board approval will be sought since the CJCC committee already approved at their committee level.

CJCC Appointments – Julia Lyons will likely be appointed.

Overdose Strategy and Opioid Funding – Public Health has developed a plan and have started a funding strategy. It will be brought to County Board for review.

Meeting Date/Time – The next meeting of the Public Safety Committee will be Thursday, April 6 at 9:00 am in the Assembly Room.

Meeting adjourned at 9:54 am

Minutes recorded by Lynn Fitch, County Clerk

DRAFT

CLERK OF COURT
Marjorie Kelsey



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CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT
10610 Main Street, Suite #74 - Hayward, WI 54843

Clerk of Court's Report for April 2023 Public Safety Committee:

Jury trials currently scheduled for April:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Judge</u>	<u># of Days</u>
4/14/2023	2636	1
4/17/2023	2636	5
4/17/2023	2636	2
4/26/2023	2636	1
4/26/2023	2636	1
4/27/2023	2929	2

New Cases filed from 02-22-2023 to 03-28-2023

(NOTE: This does not include any juvenile or Probate cases)

31 Felony (CF)
18 Misdemeanor (CM)
9 Criminal Traffic (CT)
112 Traffic & Forfeiture citations (TR & FO)
31 Civil, Small Claims, Family & Paternity (CV, SC, FA, PA)

REVENUE collected through SDC (State Debt Collection) and TRIP/DOR (Tax Intercept):

02-22-2023 to 03-28-2023= \$ 51,380.39

Wage Income Assignment receipted: 02-22-2023 to 03-28-2023= \$1456.28

Respectfully submitted by,

Marge Kelsey
Clerk of Court

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SAWYER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

DOUGLAS D. MROTEK - SHERIFF

JOSEPH E. SAJDERA - CHIEF DEPUTY

March 28, 2023

Patrol Total CAD Calls Report- Attached.

- Patrol calls volume increased from last month's report for March' 23 to **812**, the three-month trend shows: Dec' 22 was 913, Jan' 23 was 681, while for Feb' 23 was 633. This month was a near equal from March' 22, which was 815 calls for service.
- For March 2023, Sawyer County Deputies in this period have issued **45** Citations for traffic offenses, **3** written warning and **14** Non-Traffic Citations. Per Community Maps there have been **17** Total Crashes, **5** with Personal Injury, and **0** Fatalities in our County for this time period.

In comparison:	<u>Jan 2023</u>	<u>Feb 2023</u>	and	<u>March 2022</u>
UTC Citations:	28	36		41
Written Warnings:	5	3		9
NTC Citations:	25	20		34

Total Crashes:	12	9		13
Personal Injury:	4	2		2
Fatalities:	0	0		0

Total Crashes to date:	63	Crashes	20	Personal Injury	1	Fatalities
Total Crashes from 2022:	343	Crashes	96	Personal Injury	5	Fatalities
Total Crashes from 2021:	308	Crashes	94	Personal Injury	2	Fatalities

- We have received three of our four new squads for the 2023 rotation. 2 are entering service, 1 is being upfitted and 1 is yet to be delivered.
- We are turning our attention to providing inservice training in the coming months on leadership and hosting a WI DOJ Missing Persons and Vulnerable Adults training at the SWSO on April 17th. This is one of many being placed across the state.
- We are so pleased to announce that Paige Woller, has been hired as a part time deputy and has begun her training. She is graduating this Spring from NWTC in Rice Lake and will be attending the fall 720 LE Academy. In the interim she is getting her orientation training and Spillman RMS training and will be starting Patrol FTO training upon graduation from Academy.

Respectfully Submitted,
Lt. Gregory G. Ripczinski,
Patrol Administrator

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Sawyer County Sheriff's Office

Total CAD Calls Received, by Nature of Call

<u>Nature of Call</u>	<u>Total Calls Received</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
911 HANGUP	96	11.82
ACCIDENT DEER VS CAR	22	2.71
ACCIDENT FATAL	1	0.12
ACCIDENT INJURY	8	0.99
ACCIDENT PROPERTY DAMAGE ONLY	19	2.34
ALARM	12	1.48
ANIMAL	41	5.05
ASSIST OTHER AGENCY	6	0.74
ASSIST CITIZEN	29	3.57
ASSIST MOTORIST	5	0.62
BOND VIOLATION	4	0.49
BUILDING/AREA CHECK	6	0.74
BURGLARY	3	0.37
CARBON MONOXIDE	2	0.25
CHILD CUSTODY	1	0.12
CIVIL MATTER	2	0.25
CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY	2	0.25
DEATH INVESTIGATION	1	0.12
DISABLED VEHICLE	48	5.91
DISTURBANCE	20	2.46
DNR COMPLAINT	2	0.25
DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE	6	0.74
DRIVING COMPLAINT	15	1.85
DRUG COMPLAINT	10	1.23
EMS REQUEST	25	3.08
Extra Patrol Request	4	0.49
FIGHT	2	0.25
FIRE REQUEST	4	0.49
FOUND ITEM	1	0.12
FRAUD	9	1.11
GUNSHOT COMPLAINT	1	0.12
HARASSMENT	3	0.37
HIT AND RUN	2	0.25
INTOXICATED DRIVER	1	0.12
INTOXICATED PERSON	2	0.25
JAIL COMPLAINT	25	3.08
JUV RUNAWAY	3	0.37
JUVENILE ISSUE	6	0.74
KEEP PEACE	1	0.12
LITTERING	2	0.25
LOST ITEM	1	0.12
MENTAL HEALTH	6	0.74

<u>Nature of Call</u>	<u>Total Calls Received</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
MISCELLANEOUS	1	0.12
MISSING ADULT	5	0.62
MISSING JUVENILE	3	0.37
NOISE COMPLAINT	7	0.86
OWI ARREST	1	0.12
PAPER SERVICE ATTEMPT	46	5.67
PARKING COMPLAINT	6	0.74
PERSON WITH GUN	1	0.12
PORNOGRAPHY	2	0.25
PROBATION VIOLATION	1	0.12
ROAD HAZARD	5	0.62
SEX OFFENSE	1	0.12
SEXUAL ASSAULT	2	0.25
SIGN REPAIR	1	0.12
SUICIDALPERSON	8	0.99
SUSPICIOUS PERSON, CIRCUMSTANC	13	1.60
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	8	0.99
test	2	0.25
THEFT	7	0.86
THEFT OF VEHICLE	2	0.25
THREAT	4	0.49
TRAFFIC PURSUIT	3	0.37
TRAFFIC STOP	121	14.90
TRANSPORT	8	0.99
TRESPASS	3	0.37
TRUANCY	6	0.74
TRAFFIC STOP SNOWMOBILE	3	0.37
UNWANTED SUBJECT	7	0.86
VANDALISM	2	0.25
VEHICLE RUNOFF	21	2.59
WANTED PERSON	11	1.35
WARRANT CHECK	1	0.12
WELFARE CHECK	41	5.05
Total reported: 812		

Report Includes:

All dates between `09:00:01 02/23/23` and `10:00:00 03/28/23`, All nature of incidents, All cities, All types, All priorities,
All agencies matching `SWSO`



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March 2023 Jail Report

	<u>March</u>	<u>2023</u>
Average Daily Population Total:	70	71.5
Females:	14.5	16.9
Males:	55.5	54.6
Average Probation incarceration:	11 (15.7%)	
Average Pre-Sentence incarceration:	46.5 (66.4%)	
Average Sentenced incarceration:	12.5 (17.9%)	

Currently on Electronic Monitoring: **1**
Currently being housed in Barron Co: **15**

Total Population (Day of Report): **74**

Employed at time of arrest: **13**
Unemployed at time of arrest: **61**
Inmate unemployment rate: **82.4%**

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SAWYER COUNTY JAIL

Daily Population Report

Date: 03/28/23
Prepared By: MARSHALL #395

PRISONER LOCATION

Location	Sawyer	Boarders	Total Inmates	
Secure Wing	33	0	33	
Huber Wing	25	0	25	#REF!
Total in Facility	58	0	58	
Hospital	0	0	0	
Other Jails	15	0	15	
Monitor	1	0	1	
Total Adults	74	0	74	
Juvenile Detention	0		0	
Total Assigned	74	0	74	

REASON FOR INCARCERATION

Status	Code	Total Inmates	NOTES
BAC Over .04%	BAC	0	ELECTRONIC MONITOR:, MATTHEW
Cash Bond	CB	38	BELL
Hold for Other County	OC	0	BARRON COUNTY: RENAE GORDON,
New Arrestee Awaiting Court	AC	4	MARY ANN HAMMOND, KAYLA DECORA,
Pending Revocation	REV	0	NICOLETTE TREPANIA, SHARI
P&P Hold Only	HOL	12	CHAMPION, CORINNE PAAPE, MELISSA
Sentenced Inmate	SEN	12	BURCHFIELD, TYLER TREPANIA,
Sitting off Pay or Stay Warrants	WAR	0	SAMANTHA SMITH, SIMONE STEVENS,
Writ for Court	WRI	0	KRISTINE DOUCETTE, DEIRDRE
Drug Court Hold	DC	0	BELISLE, JESSE GROVER, BUGG
LCO Court Hold	LCO	0	RACHEL, ALYSSA LITTLEWIND
90 Day Payable Hold	90D	0	WORKING HUBERS:
Convicted Awaiting Sentencing	CAS	8	
Caseworker Hold (Juv)	CWH	0	
Temporary Physical Custody (Juv)	TPC	0	
TOTAL		74	

GENDER

	In County	Out of County	Monitor	Total
Male	58	0	1	59
Female	0	15	0	15
TOTAL	58	15	1	74



HUMANE OFFICER / CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER
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SAWYER COUNTY ANIMAL CONTROL AND CODE ENFORCEMENT REPORT

Animal Control

- Rabies Vaccine Clinic was held near the end of March in a partnership with Leading Edge Vet.
 - Exact numbers were not available at the time of this report, a follow-up of the clinic performance will be included with next month's report.
 - Preliminary results show that we just about hit the metrics that Leading Edge ordered vaccines and chips with, estimated that 170~ dogs and cats received a vaccination and almost all 50 microchips were administered. Nearly 140~ dog licenses were sold.
 - The experience from this will help to establish a routine going forward and allow us more time to prepare and advertise.
- Feb. had a lowered amount of dogs admitted into the shelter. Huskies have been the most common this year.
- License revenues will begin to wind down into April as late fees begin, however revenue was still up slightly from last February.
 - The main contribution for Feb 23 vs Feb 22 would likely be the increase in pricing, \$8 to \$10.
 - A higher jump in license revenue is expected from March due to the vaccine clinic.
 - Dr. Abby's Vet Clinic requested licenses to sell. They now have some on hand.
 - Trying to get more businesses on board to sell licenses is a focus I'm adding. Getting local vets and possibly the Humane Society would likely get us a boost.
- Almost all permitted businesses have now paid their renewal fee.

Zoning and Public Health

- Nothing of note to mention, work with both departments continues uninterrupted.

Sawyer County Animal Control Revenue Report

2023

	Licenses Issued	License Revenue	Impound Fees	Permit Fees	Donations	Totals
January	699	\$7,350.00	\$40.00	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$7,540.00
February	284	\$3,020.00	\$200.00	\$250.00	\$49.00	\$3,519.00
March						\$0.00
April						\$0.00
May						\$0.00
June						\$0.00
July						\$0.00
August						\$0.00
September						\$0.00
October						\$0.00
November						\$0.00
December						\$0.00
TOTALS	983	\$10,370.00	\$240.00	\$400.00	\$49.00	\$11,059.00

Animal Control Calls Received

DATE	Found Dog	At Large	Noise Complaint	Abuse	Vicious	Bite	Other
1-Feb				1			
2-Feb							
3-Feb							
4-Feb							1
5-Feb	1						
6-Feb							
7-Feb							
8-Feb							
9-Feb							1
10-Feb							
11-Feb							
12-Feb						1	
13-Feb							
14-Feb		1					1
15-Feb							
16-Feb							
17-Feb							
18-Feb	1	1					
19-Feb							
20-Feb	1						
21-Feb							
22-Feb							
23-Feb							
24-Feb							
25-Feb							
26-Feb							
27-Feb		1					
28-Feb							1
TOTALS	3	3	0	1	0	1	4

Sawyer County Dog Shelter Report

January - June

	January	February	March	April	May	June
Total Dogs Admitted to Pound	4	5				
Dogs Released to Owners	4	3				
Dogs Released to NHS	0	2				
Dog Bite Quarantines or Vicious Dogs Handled	1	0				

Sawyer County Dog Shelter Report

July - December

	July	August	September	October	November	December
Total Dogs Admitted to Pound						
Dogs Released to Owners						
Dogs Released to NHS						
Dog Bite Cases and Vicious Dogs Handled						



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Communications Center Report
Public Safety Committee
April 6, 2023

- The communications center is still facing a deficit in staffing; as of 3-28-23 the communications center has four full-time vacancies. Three background checks were completed and scheduling of interviews will occur in the near future.
- Several part-time staff have picked up a lot of hours, and one part-time employee will be finishing up training in the next few weeks with another trainee starting the week of April 9, 2023.
- Joint Power Agreements have been sent out, a majority of them have been returned. However, still waiting on a few to be returned.
- Looking into ESINet/NextGen 911 Capabilities
- National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week April 9 - 15

Calls for Service (CAD)

March 2023 – 1207 (As of
3/28/23) March 2022 – 1457

Total Number of Calls (YTD)

3818

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Sawyer County Sheriff's Office

Total CAD Calls Received, by Nature of Call

<u>Nature of Call</u>	<u>Total Calls Received</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
911 HANGUP	99	8.20
ACCIDENT DEER VS CAR	21	1.74
ACCIDENT INJURY	3	0.25
ACCIDENT PROPERTY DAMAGE ONLY	24	1.99
ALARM	16	1.33
ANIMAL	61	5.05
ASSIST OTHER AGENCY	8	0.66
ASSIST CITIZEN	28	2.32
ASSIST MOTORIST	6	0.50
BATTERY	1	0.08
BOND VIOLATION	6	0.50
BUILDING/AREA CHECK	9	0.75
BURGLARY	4	0.33
CARBON MONOXIDE	8	0.66
CHILD CUSTODY	1	0.08
CIVIL MATTER	5	0.41
CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY	3	0.25
DEATH INVESTIGATION	1	0.08
DISABLED VEHICLE	47	3.89
DISTURBANCE	26	2.15
DNR COMPLAINT	2	0.17
DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE	5	0.41
DRIVING COMPLAINT	21	1.74
DRUG COMPLAINT	17	1.41
EMS REQUEST	133	11.02
EMS TRANSFER ALS	2	0.17
EMS TRANSFER BLS	8	0.66
Extra Patrol Request	4	0.33
FIGHT	2	0.17
FIRE ALARM	2	0.17
FIRE REQUEST	10	0.83
FOUND ITEM	1	0.08
FRAUD	11	0.91
HARASSMENT	7	0.58
HIT AND RUN	2	0.17
Information Call	91	7.54
INTOXICATED PERSON	2	0.17
JAIL COMPLAINT	21	1.74
JUV ALCOHOL	1	0.08
JUV RUNAWAY	2	0.17
JUVENILE ISSUE	12	0.99
KEEP PEACE	5	0.41

<u>Nature of Call</u>	<u>Total Calls Received</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
LITTERING	3	0.25
LOST ITEM	1	0.08
MENTAL HEALTH	9	0.75
MISSING ADULT	6	0.50
MISSING JUVENILE	2	0.17
NOISE COMPLAINT	4	0.33
OWI ARREST	2	0.17
PAPER SERVICE ATTEMPT	46	3.81
PARKING COMPLAINT	11	0.91
PERSON WITH GUN	1	0.08
PORNOGRAPHY	2	0.17
POWERLINE ISSUE	1	0.08
PROBATION VIOLATION	3	0.25
ROAD HAZARD	4	0.33
SEXUAL ASSAULT	6	0.50
SUICIDALPERSON	9	0.75
SUSPICIOUS PERSON,	21	1.74
CIRCUMSTANC		
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	7	0.58
test	1	0.08
THEFT	13	1.08
THEFT OF VEHICLE	3	0.25
THEFT RETAIL	2	0.17
THREAT	8	0.66
TRAFFIC PURSUIT	3	0.25
TRAFFIC STOP	170	14.08
TRANSPORT	7	0.58
TRESPASS	3	0.25
TRUANCY	20	1.66
TRAFFIC STOP ATV	2	0.17
TRAFFIC STOP SNOWMOBILE	2	0.17
UNWANTED SUBJECT	9	0.75
VANDALISM	2	0.17
VEHICLE RUNOFF	16	1.33
WANTED PERSON	13	1.08
WARRANT CHECK	1	0.08
WELFARE CHECK	56	4.64

Total reported: 1207

Report Includes:

All dates greater than `00:00:00 03/01/23`, All nature of incidents, All cities, All types, All priorities, All agencies



SAWYER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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Emergency Management Report
Public Safety Committee
April 6, 2023

- Request for extension in the WDF Grant was approved until August 31, 2023.
 - Work with the Hwy Department on clean up and debris removal costs continues.
- Updates to the Sawyer County Emergency Operations Plan have been taking place in conjunction with Public Health.
 - Requests for review of Annexes will be sent out to various departments for their review in the next week or two.
- Will be requesting updated EOP's from the Townships as well as flood plans as we enter into flood season.
- Outlook on flood season:
 - Across Northeast Minnesota and Northwest Wisconsin spring flooding potential is **above normal**.
 - If you have experienced flooding in the past, you will likely experience some problems this spring.
 - Positives: There is little to no frost depth.
 - Colder nights are helping; however, the snowpack/liquid equivalent is near record high along with above normal soil moisture and winter precipitation.
 - How to prepare:
 - Shovel around your house clearing 3-4 feet
 - Check that your sump pumps are working properly, consider a back-up.
 - Move valuables and hazardous material to higher locations
 - Clear snow from storm drains
 - Clear snow and ice from your gutters, downspouts and over entrances.

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Spring Flood Outlook Update

March 23, 2023

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Potential for Spring Flooding across Northeast Minnesota and Northwest Wisconsin

Key Messages

- The spring flooding potential across the Northland is **above normal**
- **Increased risk for Moderate to potentially Major Flooding on the Mississippi River at Aitkin, Fort Ripley.**
- Increased risk of minor flooding for the Bad River and the St. Louis River.
- **If you have experienced spring snowmelt flooding problems in the past, you will likely experience problems this spring!**



Next Scheduled Briefing

- By April 7

Threat	Impact to Potential Spring Flooding	Link to Image(s)
High river levels	Some above normal streamflow <i>(minimal rivers that are open/not affected by ice)</i>	USGS WaterWatch MN WI
High soil moisture	Above normal	CPC Soil Moisture
Winter Precipitation	Above normal	Climate Prediction Center 6 to 10 Day 8 - 14 Day
Snowpack/ Liquid Equivalent	Extreme, Near Record High	Snow Analysis Snow Depth Ranking
Rate of Snowmelt	To Be Determined	24, 48, & 72 hr Snowmelt
Frost Depth	Little to None	Frost Depth Map
Spring Precipitation	Leaning Slightly Above Normal	Point Forecast (7 Days) Precip Outlook (Long Term)



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Variables Affecting Snow Melt

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Factors to keep in mind in the coming month(s)

- **Nighttime low temperatures** 🏙️
 - Once lows stay above freezing, melt rate will increase.
- **Wind speeds** 🌬️
 - Faster wind speeds = faster melt
- **Dewpoints** 💧
 - Higher dew point = faster melt
- **Sunshine** ☀️
- **Precipitation on snow** ☁️
 - Rain on ripe snowpack can lead to rapid snow melt
- **Frost Depth** 🧊
 - More frozen ground = more direct runoff into rivers/lakes

FLOOD SCIENCE Snowmelt Processes



Snow Distribution

The path that weather systems take is the most important factor in determining snowpack, but terrain and vegetation also influence how snow accumulates on the ground.



Snowpack Characteristics

The temperature and the amount of water (snow water equivalent) in the snowpack are important to the melting process. Before rapid melting can occur, the snowpack as a whole needs to be warmed to 32°F.



Snow Energy Exchanges

Incoming solar radiation, emitted longwave radiation, turbulent transfer of heat, ground conduction, and heat transferred during rainfall are all important factors in heating or cooling the snowpack.



Weather Factors

Strong winds and high dew point temperatures aid in melting by limiting the effects of evaporative cooling and allow the layer directly above the snowpack to remain warm due to turbulent mixing. Rain falling on a snowpack can accelerate the melt process, as



Where the Water Goes

Once rapid melting begins, the water will either infiltrate into the soil, run off into streams and other bodies of water, pool in place and potentially refreeze as ice, or a combination. Ice jam flooding can occur if the river channel has excessive ice cover.

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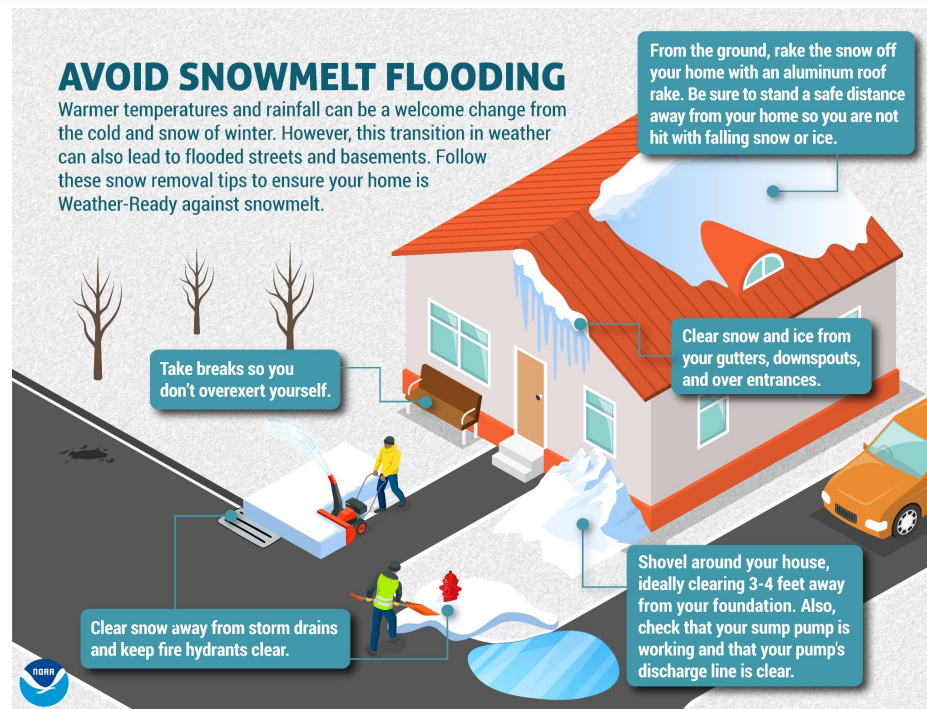
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Prepare for Flooding Now

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- **Shovel around your house**, ideally clearing 3-4 feet away from your foundation.
- **Check that your sump pump is working** and that your pump's discharge line is clear. (consider getting a sump pump if you do not have one)
- Move valuables and hazardous materials stored in basements upstairs or to higher locations.
- **Clear snow away from storm drains** and keep fire hydrants clear.
- Clear snow and ice from your gutters, downspouts, and over entrances.



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APRIL 2023 PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY

February 2023 Performance Measures Info provided by State:

1125 open cases

Court Orders:

02/2023 – 89.51%
01/2023 – 90.43%

Paternity Establishment:

02/2023 – 95.46%
01/2023 – 92.87%

Current Support Collection:

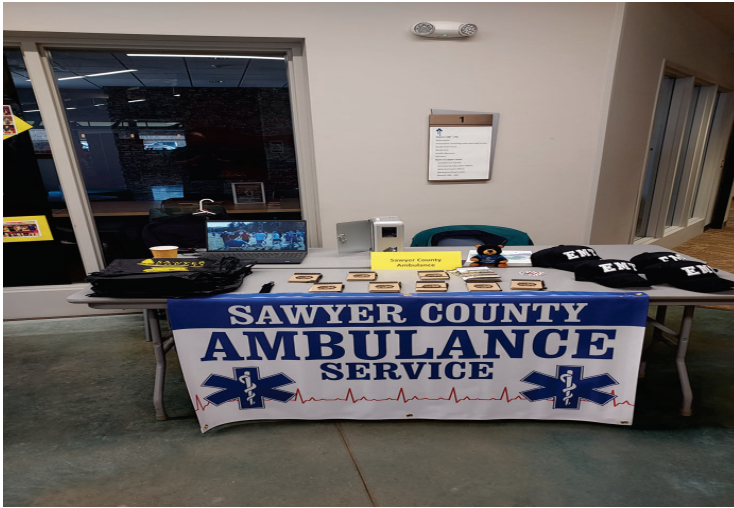
02/2023 – 70.38%
01/2023 – 70.25%

Arrears Collection:

02/2023 – 49.78%
01/2023 – 46.59%

Total February Current Support Due: \$618,988.31
Total February Current Support Collected: \$435,624.44

The State has approved the 2023 Cooperative Agreement between child support and clerk of court.



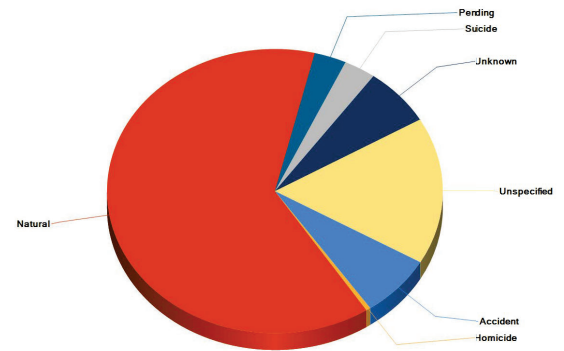
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Medical Examiner: Been Busy with maintaing records as well as death investigations. Also we have selected 3 new staff member's to assist in helping with Medical Examiner duties as of right now we are getting them trained up and shadowing during investigations before they are allowed on there own.

Accident (16 cases, 7.0%)	Natural (143 cases, 63.0%)	Suicide (7 cases, 3.1%)	Unspecified (38 cases, 16.7%)
Homicide (1 cases, 0.4%)	Pending (7 cases, 3.1%)	Unknown (15 cases, 6.6%)	



Emergency Services Update: Working on recruiting for EMS personnel. March 26 Jim Onarhaim and myself set up a booth at the Northwood Tech EMS/Fire conference where we met with a few good possible candidates. Our New Ambulance is complete and is now in service which is a great help as we retire our older ambulances. In house training has been a huge success and we look forward to continue to maintain skills and cohesiveness within our ranks.

Narcan Kit's are in an going to be placed into AED boxes in the Court House. Before implementing them I will be offering training by ambulance staff and myself.

Total Runs To Date: 462 Total
Runs in March to Date: 135

Ambulance Billing Analysis

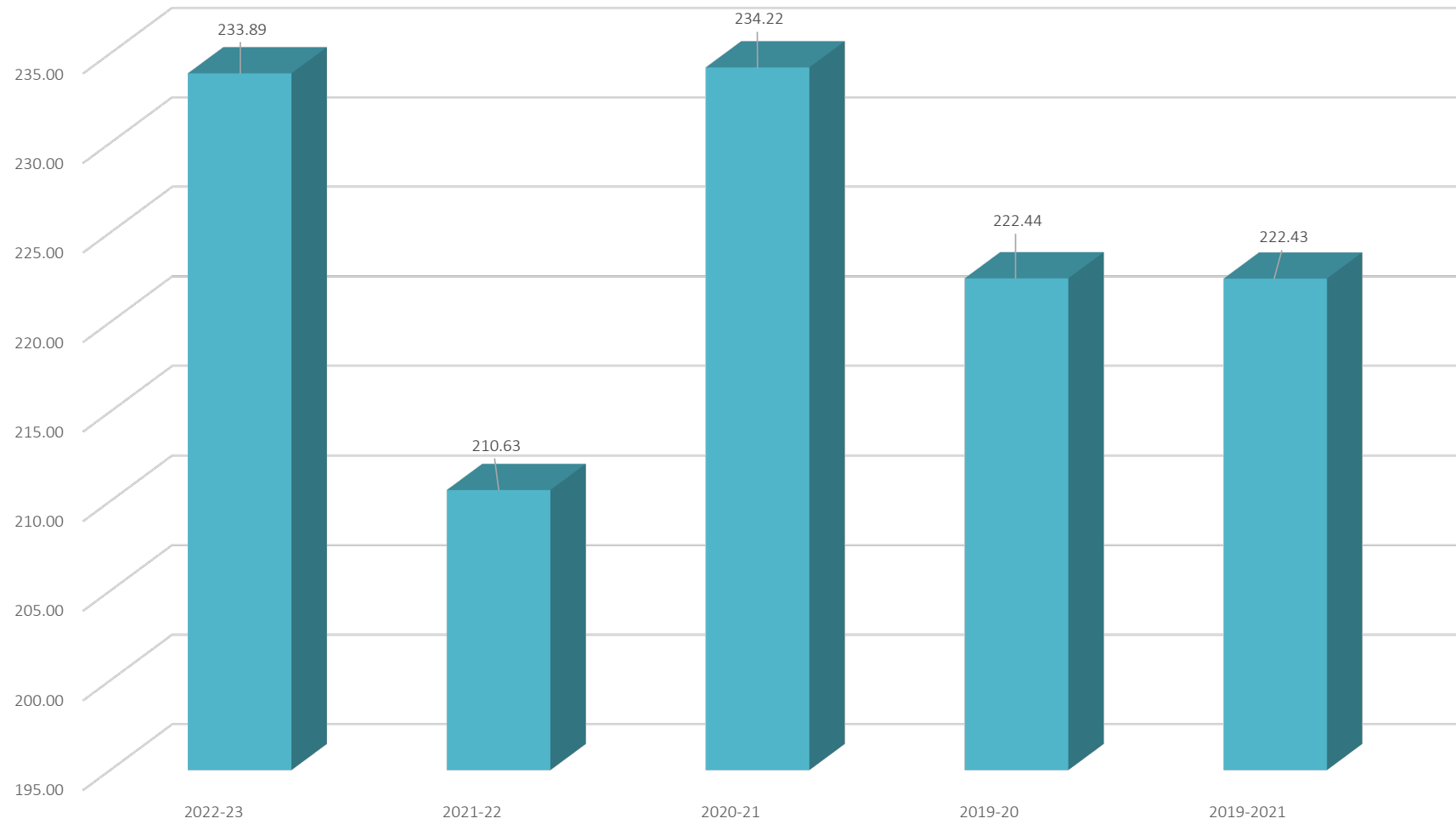
May-January 2019-2023

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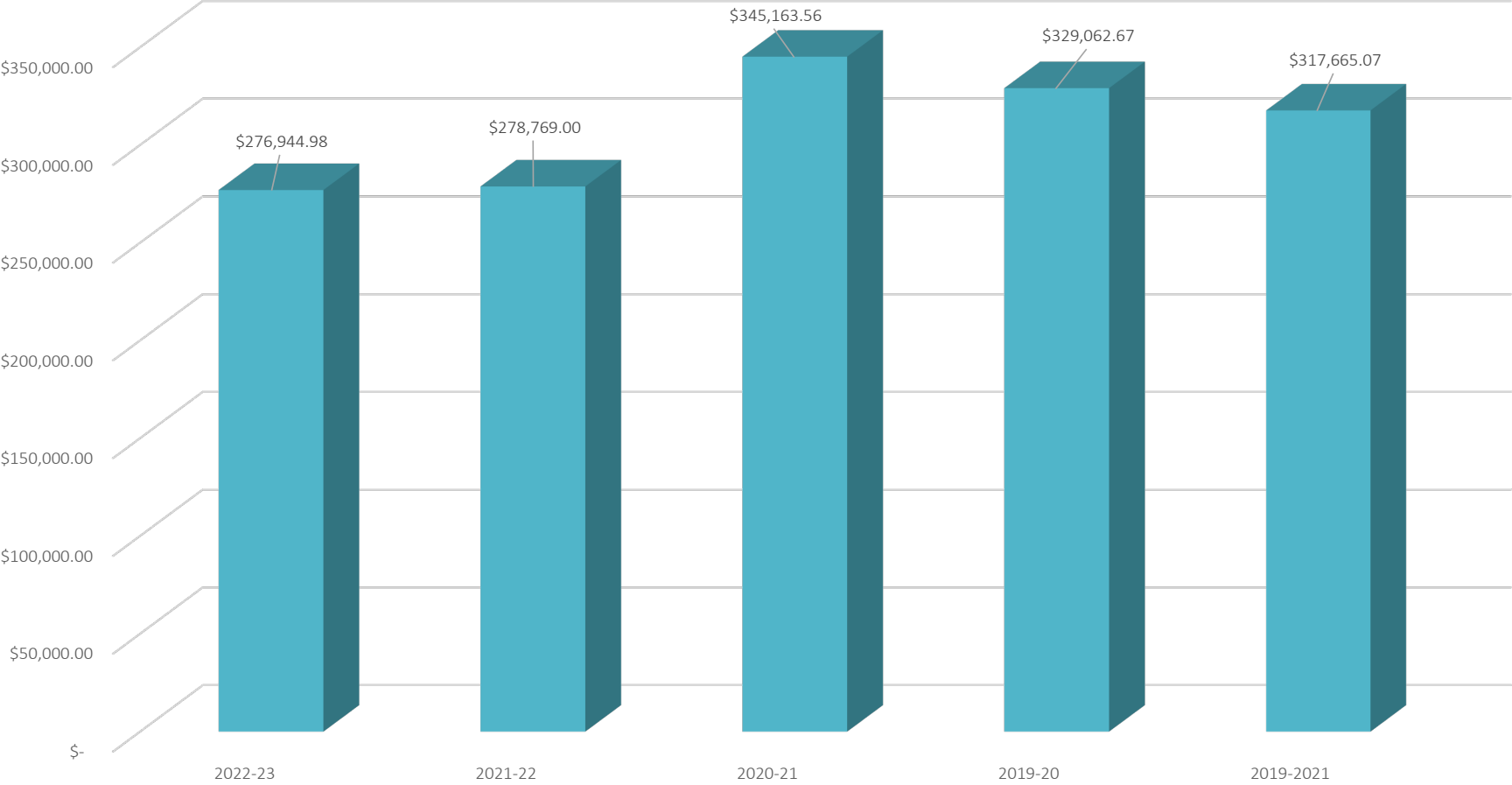
- Years compared – 2019-2023.
- Months compared – May-January - These are the months in which we have comparable data for 2022. Disclaimer – While we will be adding a month of data each report, we won't have data for January-April of 2022.
- I also computed the three-year (2019-2021) average.
- I looked at number of calls, amount billed, amount collected, percent collected, amount billed per call, and amount collected per call.
- I've added an aging schedule to the data.

Ambulance Billing Aging Report									
Month	Year	Count	Current	31 to 60	61 to 90	91 to 120	121 to 180	Over 180	Total
January	2023	463	\$ 161,595.85	\$ 123,275.95	\$ 88,366.88	\$ 47,917.85	\$ 58,405.60	\$ 29,416.39	\$ 509,441.52
December	2022	433	\$ 145,871.45	\$ 208,780.22	\$ 75,279.96	\$ 48,964.04	\$ 77,974.90	\$ 18,643.29	\$ 575,946.86
November	2022	375	\$ 50,403.65	\$ 133,749.05	\$ 74,945.16	\$ 75,029.20	\$ 73,296.35	\$ 22,312.89	\$ 430,111.30
October	2022	394	\$ 61,986.51	\$ 137,739.71	\$ 88,970.52	\$ 80,679.03	\$ 56,106.05	\$ 18,856.50	\$ 444,732.32
September	2022	428	\$ 151,939.89	\$ 161,431.41	\$ 101,613.84	\$ 44,401.50	\$ 42,952.95	\$ 16,449.50	\$ 519,217.09
August	2022	430	\$ 149,425.39	\$ 200,663.03	\$ 71,737.30	\$ 62,418.50	\$ 45,111.80	\$ 21,260.40	\$ 551,046.42
July	2022	471	\$ 175,769.52	\$ 143,993.06	\$ 81,113.61	\$ 50,403.60	\$ 64,547.30	\$ 29,981.10	\$ 546,279.19
June	2022	476	\$ 192,101.04	\$ 154,624.11	\$ 60,434.80	\$ 43,021.00	\$ 96,466.10	\$ -	\$ 547,123.05
May	2022	456	\$ 113,385.82	\$ 128,641.40	\$ 103,937.70	\$ 124,112.80	\$ 76,868.20	\$ -	\$ 547,401.92
Average		436	\$ 133,608.79	\$ 154,766.44	\$ 82,933.31	\$ 64,105.28	\$ 65,747.69	\$ 17,435.56	\$ 519,033.30

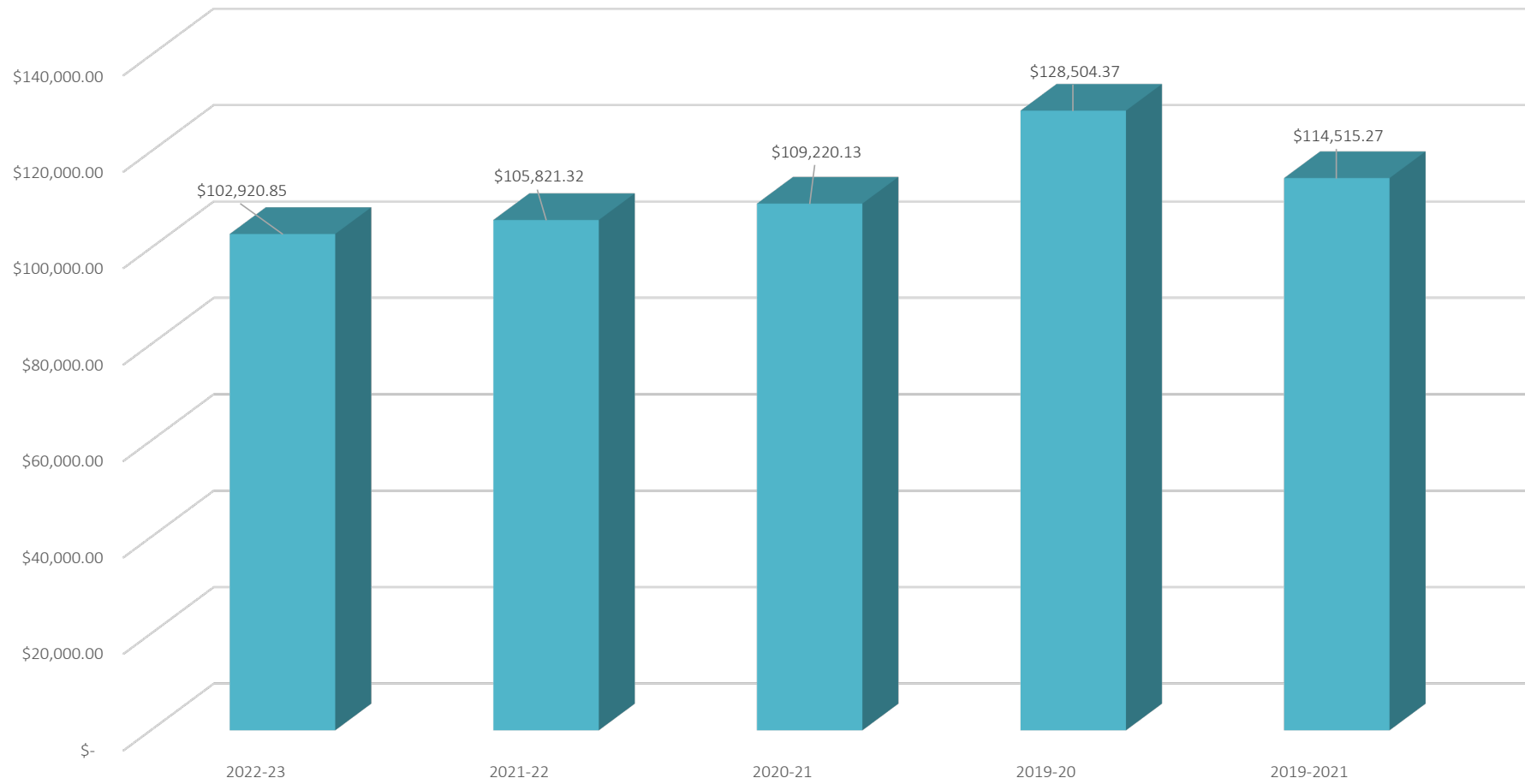
Average Calls per Month per Year
May-January



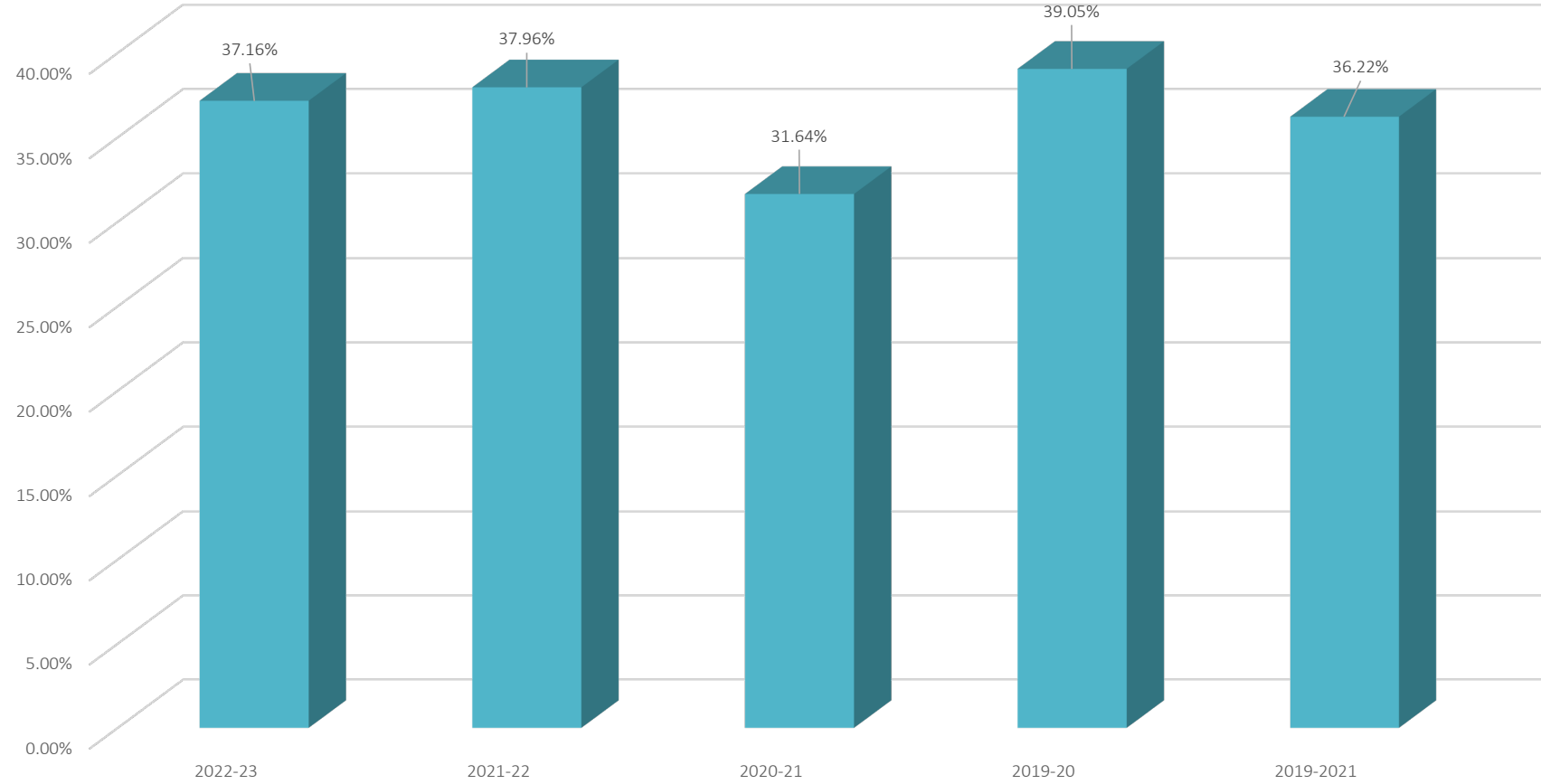
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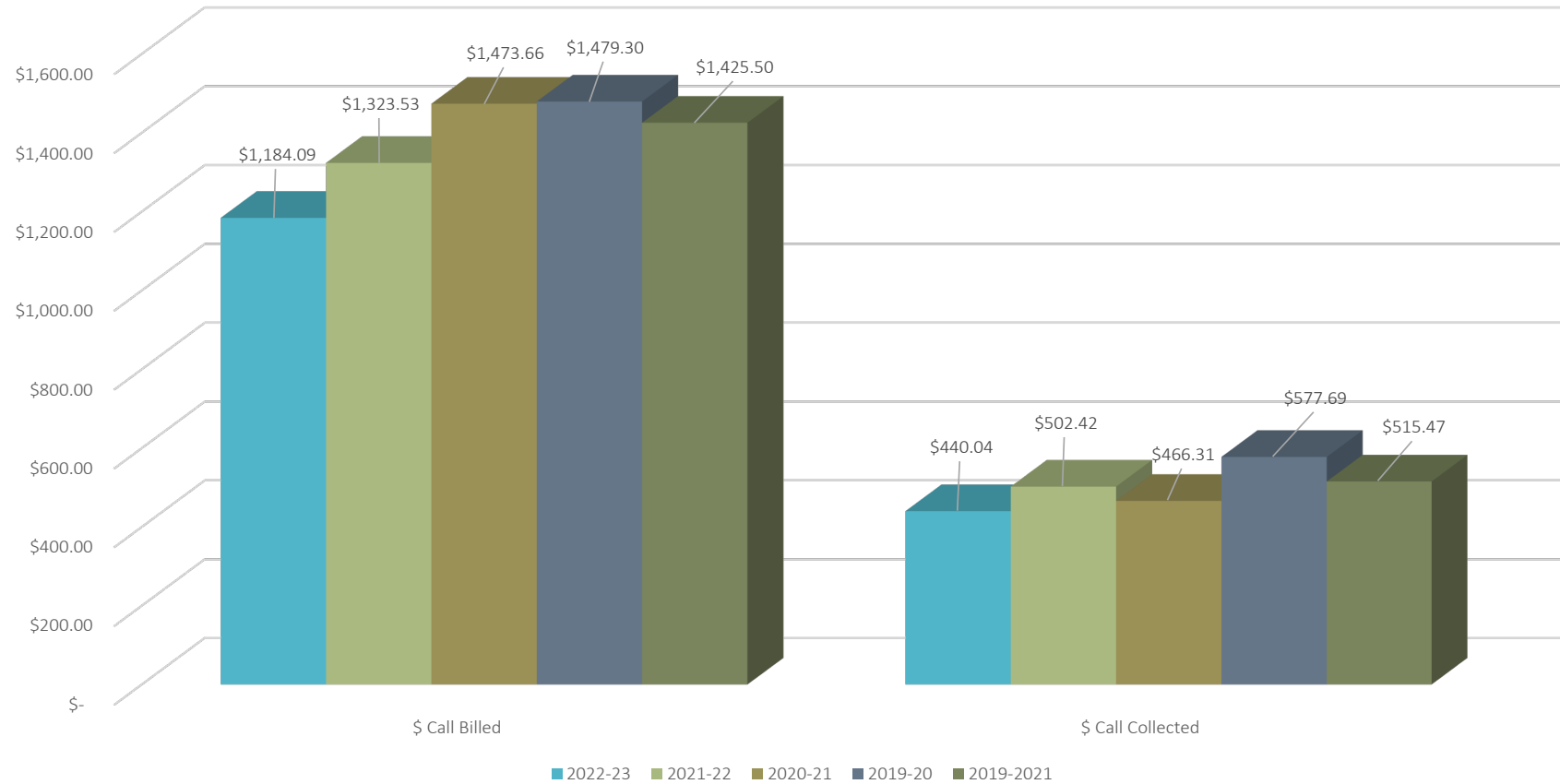
Average Collected per Month per Year
May-January



Percent Collected per Month per Year
May-January



Dollars Billed and Collected per Call
May-January



2022 Ambulance Service Net Income Thru December 31, 2022		
Account Description	2022 Amended Budget	2022 Actual Amount
REVENUE		
General Property Taxes	\$ 1,170,581.00	\$ 1,170,581.00
St. Aid/Em. Amb. Assistance	\$ 26,050.00	\$ 148,996.53
Ambulance Fees	\$ 1,496,953.00	\$ 1,027,850.47
Ambulance Fees Outstanding	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 15,797.62
Ambulance Fees Refunds	\$ -	\$ (11,430.72)
Ambulance Fees Washburn County Billings	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 57,423.31
Ambulance Fees- Other	\$ -	\$ 1,500.00
Misc. General Revenue	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 10,032.00
REVENUE TOTALS	\$ 2,749,584.00	\$ 2,420,750.21
EXPENSE		
Personal Services Totals	\$ 2,083,015.00	\$ 1,760,278.91
Contractual Services Totals	\$ 183,690.00	\$ 151,338.00
Supplies and Expense Totals	\$ 196,980.00	\$ 188,278.54
Fixed Charges Totals	\$ 270,099.00	\$ 263,099.00
Ambulance - Hayward Totals	\$ 2,733,784.00	\$ 2,362,994.45
Contractual Services Totals	\$ 13,800.00	\$ 11,051.75
Supplies and Expense Totals	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,074.48
Ambulance - Ojibwa Totals	\$ 15,800.00	\$ 12,126.23
EXPENSE TOTALS	\$ 2,749,584.00	\$ 2,375,120.68
Net Grand Totals	\$ -	\$ 45,629.53