

***PROPERTY CRIMES***

Property crimes include burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft, and arson. These crimes do not involve the threat of violence, but entail property taken from one by another, or the destruction of property by arson.

Property crimes showed a decrease during 2009, falling by 587 reported offenses. The 2009 total of 31,872 represents a 1.8% decrease from the 2008 figure of 32,459.

Law enforcement agencies cleared 9,380 property crimes during 2009 for a 29.4% clearance rate. Property crimes represent 95.4% of all reported index crimes and account for a crime rate of 24.18 offenses per 1,000.

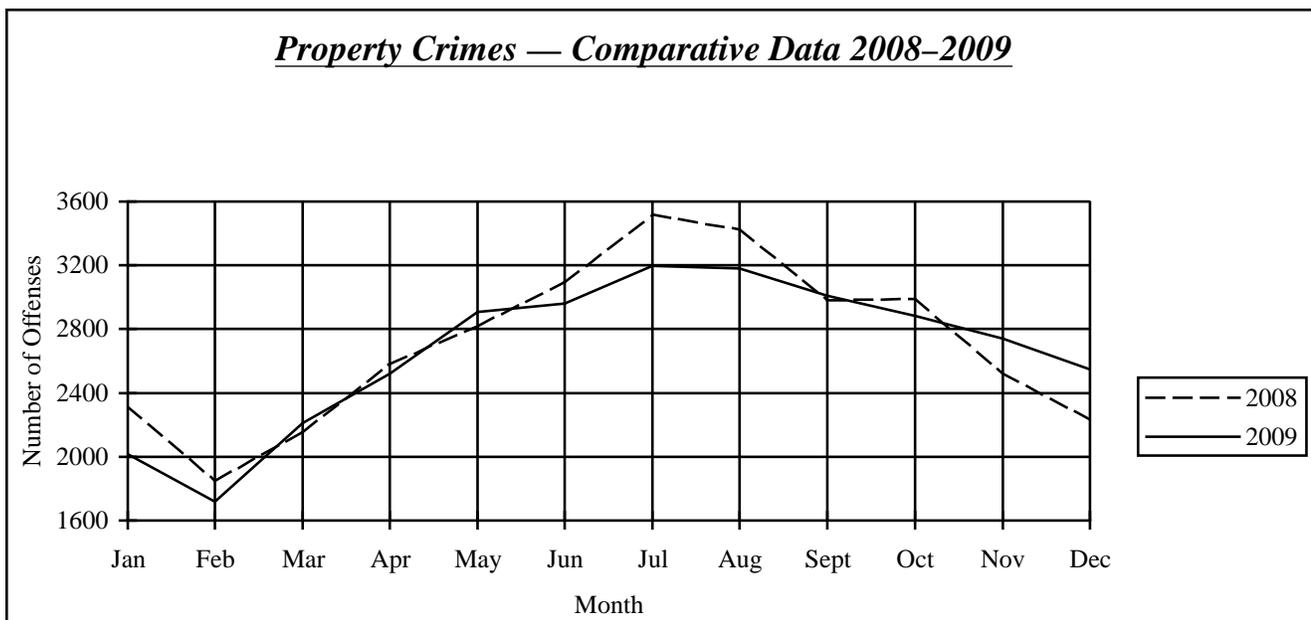
**Crime Clock**



***Number of Offenses — Comparative Data 2008–2009***

	Burglary	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft	Arson	Totals
<b>2008</b>	6,516	24,582	1,173	188	32,459
<b>2009</b>	6,711	23,900	1,018	243	31,872
<b>Number Change</b>	195	-682	-155	55	-587
<b>Percent Change</b>	3.0%	-2.8%	-13.2%	29.3%	-1.8%

***Property Crimes — Comparative Data 2008–2009***



**Property Crime by County**

(State Property Crime Rate: 24.18)

