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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/014511/G

I write in connection with your request for information dated 01/04/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

I've been instructed to produce a Crime Impact Statement as part of a planning application for a proposed residential development off Stanley Road/Grove Lane, Cheadle Hulme, which I believe lies in the Heald Green community policing area.

Can I please ask you to provide the crime types and numbers of recorded crimes between January 1st 2022 and January 1st 2025 in the Heald Green community policing area or the policing beats which covers the above location? Would it also be possible to break the data down so each year is shown separately please?

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information and I can confirm the information requested is held by GMP.

Caveats:

In July 2019, GMP implemented one of the largest IT infrastructure changes in UK policing. The systems are in continual development and the data provided for this request is what the systems currently hold.

This data contains crimes classified under crime tree level 4 with a community name of 'Heald Green', with a created date between '01 January 2022' and '01 January 2025', excluding cancelled crimes and crimes classified as fraud. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules. Details regarding fraud crime can be obtained by contacting the NFIB.

Due to some low results, some data has been replaced with X as by providing all this information split by each offence would significantly increase the likelihood of identifying the individual(s) concerned,

and as such the exemption under S40(2) – Personal Information, would be engaged and result in information being refused. By replacing the data this way, it can be provided in its entirety.

Crime Latest Classification: Crime Tree Level Four	2022	2023	2024	2025
All other theft offences	163	149	119	0
Bicycle theft	26	34	9	0
Business and community burglary	16	24	14	0
Criminal damage and arson offences	120	144	106	0
Homicide	X	0	0	0
Miscellaneous crimes against society	37	46	56	0
Other sexual offences	42	37	38	0
Possession of drugs	16	18	10	0
Possession of weapon offences	18	21	18	0
Public order offences	194	210	175	X
Rape	17	15	25	0
Residential burglary	148	112	81	X
Robbery of business property	6	10	X	0
Robbery of personal property	18	16	10	0
Shoplifting	143	330	313	0
Stalking and harassment	229	254	252	0
Theft from the person	X	6	X	0
Trafficking of drugs	6	14	8	0
Vehicle offences	125	131	85	0
Violence with injury	146	126	125	0
Violence without injury	243	286	244	0
Unknown	0	X	0	0