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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/26/017421/M

I write in connection with your request for information dated 10/08/2026, 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 on land off [REDACTED] Oldham, Greater Manchester, and I believe the site lies within the Crompton neighbourhood policing area.

Can I please ask you to provide the crime types and numbers of recorded crimes between July 1st 2023 and June 30th 2026 for the Crompton neighbourhood policing area? Would it also be possible to break the data down, so each year is shown separately please, i.e. 1/7/23 to 30/6/24, 1/7/24 to 30/6/25, and 1/7/25 to 30/6/26?

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information. 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 with a created date between 01/07/2023 and 30/06/2026 within the Crompton Oldham neighbourhood area, excluding cancelled crimes and crimes classified as non-counting 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.

We are aware of various system issues affecting committed at locations for new and migrated crimes (see below for details). These issues mean that data for a specific location may include crimes that did not happen in that location and/or exclude crimes that did.

- Some crimes do not have a beat code, which means that they cannot be mapped to other geographies e.g. districts.
- Some crimes have an incorrect beat code, which means that they are mapped to the wrong geographies.

Crime Latest Classification : Crime Tree Level Four	1st Jul 23 to 30th Jun 24	1st Jul 24 to 30th Jun 25	1st Jul 25 to 30th Jun 26
All other theft offences	31	40	34
Bicycle theft	X	X	X
Business and community burglary	5	X	X
Criminal damage and arson offences	54	43	59
Death or serious injury caused by unlawful driving	0	0	X
Miscellaneous crimes against society	18	24	22
Other sexual offences	13	25	17
Possession of drugs	8	7	18
Possession of weapon offences	5	9	15
Public order offences	76	57	48
Rape	6	14	11
Residential burglary	21	24	29
Robbery of business property	0	0	X
Robbery of personal property	X	X	X
Shoplifting	X	0	X
Stalking and harassment	160	146	125
Trafficking of drugs	9	7	12
Vehicle offences	37	57	36
Violence with injury	62	39	60
Violence without injury	118	105	129

Any count that has value less than 5 has been mark 'X'. They have been exempted from disclosure under **Section 40(2) Personal Information** – this information constitutes personal data of an identifiable living individual, and to disclose this information would breach the principles of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Data Protection Act 2018. Personal data is defined by Section 1 of the Data Protection Act 2018 and means data that relates to an individual who can be identified directly or indirectly from that data.