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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/016986/O

I write in connection with your request for information dated 03/06/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Please could you tell me the number of accidents involving police cars and pedestrians for the following years: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026.

If possible, please include the rate of the accidents that were fatal and differentiate the data by marked and unmarked police vehicles.

Result of Searches

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

CAVEATS

Data is not available prior to April 2021 because the collision recording system was introduced in GMP in 2021 and nothing prior to this date is available.

Marked / unmarked police vehicle is not recorded in the collision recording system.

The figures do not indicate fault or that the police vehicle hit the pedestrian, 'police vehicle involved' only means at some point a police vehicle was involved in the collision, i.e a pursuit that ended in the vehicle being pursued hitting a pedestrian. We can't extract from the system which collisions involved the police vehicle hitting the pedestrian.

1. Slight	31
2. Less Serious	11
3. Moderately Serious	3
5. Very Serious	3
6. Fatal	2