

# Impaired Driving in Ottawa

Source: Ottawa Police Service

## 2009 Data:

- Total Charges: 700 (Persons Charged with Impaired Over .08 as per RMS General Occurrences)
- Males Charged: 585 of 700 (84%)
- Females Charged: 115 of 700 (16%)
- 18 to 24 Year Group:
  - Total Charges: 192 of 700 (27.4% of all persons charged are between 18 and 24 years old)
  - Males between 18-24 Charged: 164 of 192 (85% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are males)
  - Females between 18-24 Charged: 32 of 192 (15% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are females)

## 2010 Data:

- Total Charges: 725 (Persons Charged with Impaired Over .08 as per RMS General Occurrences)
- Males Charged: 582 of 725 (80.2%)
- Females Charged: 143 of 725 (19.8%)
- 18 to 24 Year Group:
  - Total Charges: 179 of 725 (25% of all persons charged are between 18 and 24 years old)
  - Males between 18-24 Charged: 147 of 179 (82% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are males)
  - Females between 18-24 Charged: 32 of 179 (18% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are females)

## 2011 Data:

- Total Charges: 611 (Persons Charged with Impaired Over .08 as per RMS General Occurrences)
- Males Charged: 504 of 611 (82.5%)
- Females Charged: 107 of 611 (17.5%)
- 18 to 24 Year Group:
  - Total Charges: 154 of 611 (25.2% of all persons charged are between 18 and 24 years old)
  - Males between 18-24 Charged: 124 of 154 (80.5% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are males)
  - Females between 18-24 Charged: 30 of 154 (19.5% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are females)

## 2012 Data:

- Total Charges: 652 (Persons Charged with Impaired Over .08 as per RMS General Occurrences)
- Males Charged: 522 of 652 (80.1%)
- Females Charged: 130 of 652 (19.9%)
- 18 to 24 Year Group:
  - Total Charges: 168 of 652 (25.8% of all persons charged are between 18 and 24 years old)
  - Males between 18-24 Charged: 136 of 168 (81% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are males)
  - Females between 18-24 Charged: 32 of 168 (19% of persons between 18 and 24 years old charged are females)

## Key Notes:

- > Based on 2009-2012 data, there were 2,688 charges issued. Males were issued a total of 2,193 charges for a percentage of 81.6% of all charges.
- > Based on 2009-2012 data, 693 charges were issued for persons between the ages of 18 and 24

years old for a percentage of 25.8% of all charges.

> Based on 2009-2012 data, of the 693 charges issued to persons between the ages of 18 and 24 years old, charges issued to males in that age group were 571 for a percentage of 82.4% of all charges issued in that age group.

> Based on 2009-2012 data, the 571 charges issued to males between 18-24 years old account for 21.2% of all charges issued for Impaired Over. 08 from 2009 to 2012.