# CRIME DATA 2019 AND 2020 BREAK AND ENTER AND AUTO THEFT UPDATED TO FEBRUARY 29, 2020

# **Background information regarding Safety Committee:**

In April of 2019, the Upper Avenue Community Association (UACA) and the South Armour Heights Residents' Association (SAHRA), formed a joint Safety Committee. This was in response to residents' concerns about break and enters and safety overall in our community. Our two residents' associations comprise approximately 90% of the City of Toronto "Bedford Park-Nortown Neighbourhood".

Since forming the Committee, we have done considerable crime analysis of our area with data provided by the Toronto Police Service (TPS). Data for the 5 major crime categories tracked by TPS were analysed and it was evident that our two main issues are "break and enter" and "auto theft". This provided our areas of focus moving forward.

Once a year (April) TPS provides a major file upload of the previous year of city wide crime data. It can be analysed at a "neighbourhood" level - i.e. Bedford Park-Nortown. We do a complete data analysis of the five major crime categories once a year. We will adjust our focus as required based on the data. These data have allowed us to understand the history of crime in our area over the past 5 years.

In addition to the annual data file, we are able to manually pull current year data. One of our Committee goals is to provide current information to residents so they are kept informed on safety in our community. Each month we will be placing data on the UACA and SAHRA websites for break and enter and auto theft incidents. This data is a manual extraction from the TPS website and as much as we strive for 100% accuracy, we are human. We will however, do a complete data validation annually as a cross check.

Each member of our Safety Committee is a member of the 32 Division Community Police Liaison Committee. This Committee meets monthly at 32 Division and allows us to take any concerns our residents have to them for discussion. We also use this meeting to comment on our crime data with the objective of seeing changing trends as they occur. TPS also understands that we are tracking the data. An additional benefit is that we have also built a good rapport with Management at 32 Division as well as developing contacts.

### **COMMENTS ON CRIME DATA**

- In 2019, Break and enter incidents had a positive improvement trend compared to 2018 and the previous 4 years. When you review the 2019 data, you will see that we have an opportunity for increased vigilance in the summer months. Our plan is to continue to promote the Neighbourhood Watch program over the next couple of months with the hope of increasing our resident involvement by the summer. Please note: The 2019 data does not have December incidents as the data was deleted from the TPS website before we had a chance to enter it. The absence of December data does not alter the positive trend. We will have an opportunity to update the data in April when full City Wide 2019 data are available.
- 2 Toronto Police at 32 Division have been actively working on break and enter crime. Some actions include:
  - \* Working with other Regions (example York Region) on larger scale organized groups committing crime across multiple regions.
  - \* Analysing crime data and creating intelligence led patrols and projects to address key areas of issue.
  - \* Increasing uniform and plainclothes patrols in some targeted areas.

These actions resulted in significant information being gathered and arrests being made.

3 Auto Theft continues to be a challenge although the number of cars stolen is down from 2018. Theft has become very sophisticated with newer and newer technology. If you can park your car in the garage, it is recommended by TPS.

### **DATA EXPLANATION**

Heading Title What is included in data

<u>Disclaimer</u> All data in this document are manually pulled from the Toronto Police Service website.

We strive for 100% accuracy but recognize that there may be a few errors.

All data are cross checked each April with a large data file from TPS.

Geographic Area of data Wilson to Lawrence/Bathurst to Avenue Road

401 South to Brooke/Avenue east to Yonge Blvd.

The next page provides a Sub-area Streets map provides a map of our area.

To allow residents to see a snapshot of crime closer to their home, we divided our catchment area into "sub areas".

**Crime data included**Break and Enter and auto theft are the two main issues we have in our area (Bedford Park Nortown). This was

validated by reviewing historic crime data for our area.

We manually pull those 2 crime categories and then review all 5 major crime indicators each April.

**Break and Enter Data** Includes all break and enter occuring in our catchment area.

"Sum of Total Even Count" includes all break and enters in our area including commercial and apartment buildings.

"Sum of Residential Count" is break and enters for single family homes. (no commercial and apartment buildings)

**Auto Theft** All autos stolen in area

## **SUB-AREA STREETS**



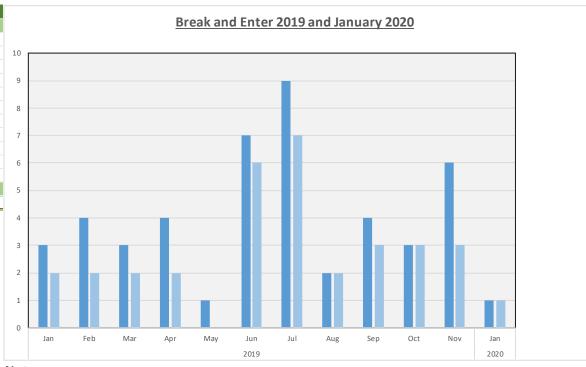
UACA				
Sub-Area 1	Wilson S to Brooke; Bathurst E to Clyde		Sub-Area 2	Wilson S to Brooke; Clyde E to Avenue
Sub-Area 3	Brooke S to Brookdale; Bathurst E to Ledbury		Sub-Area 4	Brooke S to Brookdale; Ledbury E to Avenue
Sub-Area 5	Brookdale S to Lawrence; Bathurst E to Ledbury		Sub-Area 6	Brookdale S to Lawrence; Ledbury E to Avenue

	SAHRA
Sub-Area North	401 S to Wilson; Avenue E to Yonge Blvd
Sub-Area SW	Wilson S to Brooke (both sides); Avenue E to Esgore
Sub-Area SE	Wilson S to Brooke (both sides); Esgore E to Yonge Blvd

Estimated Houses:					
Sub-area	Houses	Sub-area	Houses	Sub-area	Houses
1	567	2	385	N	151
3	487	4	421	SE	282
5	373	6	481	SW	400

CRIME	Break and Enter

	Sum of Total Event Count	Sum of Residential Count
2019		32
Jan	3	2
Feb	4	2
Mar	3	2
Apr	4	2
May	1	0
Jun	7	6
Jul	9	7
Aug	2	2
Sep	4	3
Oct	3	3
Nov	6	3
2020		
Jan	1	1
Grand Total	47	33
Total 2019 Minus	46	
Commercial B&E Homes	14	28
only	32	
Total 2020 Jan Feb-20		

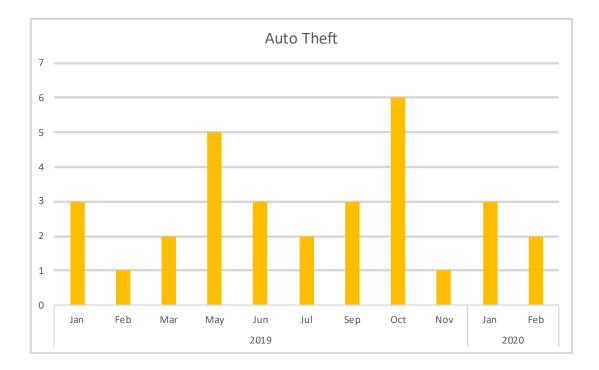


### Notes:

Dark blue bar is total count and includes commercial on Avenue Road and apartments Lighter blue bar only includes Residential events (excludes Commercial and Apartment B&E's)

Row Labels	Sum of Total Event Count
2019	26
Jan	3
Feb	1
Mar	2
May	5
Jun	3
Jul	2
Sep	3
Oct	6
Nov	1
2020	
Jan	3
Feb	2
<b>Grand Total</b>	31

Total 2019	26
Jan-20	3
Feb-20	2



Occurrence Year	2019
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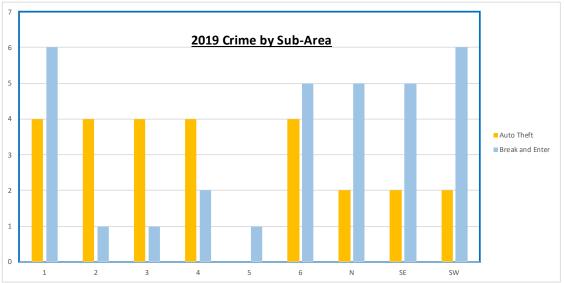
Sum of Residential Count Row Labels	Column Labels Auto Theft	Break and Enter	Grand Total
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
N			
SE			
SW	2	6	8
Grand Total	26	32	58

### Notes:

Break and enter data in this chart excludes commercial on Avenue Road

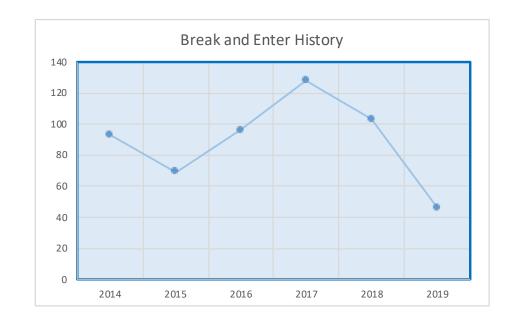
Total Break and Enter:

2019	46
(commercial/apts)	14
B&E Homes only	32
Auto	26

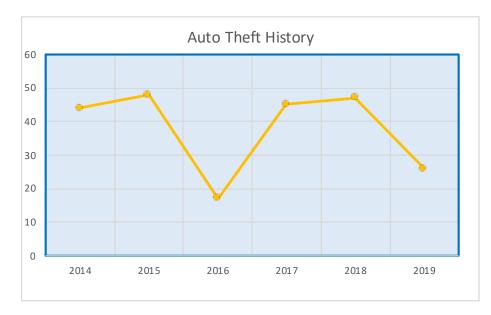


# **HISTORIC DATA**

History:	<u>Year</u>	<u>B&amp;E</u>
	2014	93
	2015	69
	2016	96
	2017	128
	2018	103
	2019	46



<u>Year</u>	Auto Theft
2014	44
2015	48
2016	17
2017	45
2018	47
2019	26



RAW DATA

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CRIME Auto Theft	2	Total Event Count 1	Residential Count 1	Occurrence Year 2020	OCCURRENCE DATE 02-02	TYPE House	Closest Intersection Joicey and Clyde	TPS ID# 31926
Auto Theft	N	1	1	2020	02-24	Outside	Cricket Club Area	389639
Auto Theft	4	1	1	2020	01-03	Outside	Ave. Rd and St. Germain	15650
Auto Theft	5	1	1	2020	01-05	House	Brookdale (S) and Barse	28623
Auto Theft	1	1	1	2020	01-01	Outside	Carmichael and Falkirk	41334
Break and Enter		1	1	2020	01-01	House	Ridley and Elm	153639
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	11-24	House	Carmichael and Clyde	2269284
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	11-23	House	Esgore and Hedon	2265154
Auto Theft	N	1	1	2019	11-17	Outside	Wilson and Belgrave	2221785
Break and Enter		1	0	2019	11-13	Commercial	Avenue and Brooke	2197734
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	11-08	House	Saunders and Hedon	2162886
Break and Enter		1	0	2019	11-07	Commercial	Avenue and Douglas	2151987
Break and Enter		1	0	2019	11-01	APT	Avenue and Wilson	2130942
Auto Theft	. 6	1	1	2019	10-30	House	Dunblaine and Falkirk	2201841
Break and Enter			-	2019	10-25	House	Cranbrooke and Grey	2064465
Auto Theft Auto Theft	6 2	1	1	2019 2019	10-21 10-18	House House	Glengarry and Grey	2030267 2016953
Auto Theft	4		1	2019	10-18	House	Haddington and Clyde	2016953
Auto Theft	2	1	1	2019	10-18	Outside	Deloraine and Ledbury Wilson and AHCC	2017205
		1	1	2019 2019	10-18 10-11	Outside		1976617
Break and Enter			1				McGillivray and Falkirk	
Break and Enter	6 2	1	1	2019 2019	10-10	House	Cranbrooke and Ave Rd	1957645
Auto Theft Break and Enter		1	1	2019	10-10 09-25	House Home	Joicy and Clyde Brooke and Esgore	1962724 1847956
Break and Enter	3 3	1	0	2019	09-25	Commercial	Brooke and Falkirk	1851524
Auto Theft	6	1	1	2019	09-18	Outside	Avenue and Bedford Prk	1796052
Auto Theft	1	1	1	2019	09-18	Home	Allard and Joicey	1755151
Break and Enter	4	1	1	2019	09-05	Home	Grey and Deloraine	1705500
Auto Theft	4	1	1	2019	09-05	Home	Deloraine and Grey	1705500
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	09-01	Home	Elm and Ridley	1670208
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	08-03	Home	Belgrave and Wilson	1467185
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	08-03	Other	McGillivray and Falkirk	1640531
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	07-27	Home	Ridley and Esgore	1505969
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	07-20	Home	Grey and Fairlawn	1365856
Break and Enter	4	1	0	2019	07-14	Commercial	Avenue and Brooke	1322542
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	07-14	House	Cranbrooke and Grey	1316336
Auto Theft	SW	1	1	2019	07-13	House	Ridley and Esgore	1319212
Break and Enter	. 4	1	0	2019	07-12	Commercial	Avenue and Brooke	1302082
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	07-07	House	Apsley and Yonge Blvd	1262730
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	07-07	House	Harley and Ridley	1268530
Auto Theft	1	1	1	2019	07-05	House	Dunblaine and Falkirk	1257212
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	07-05	House	Belgrave and Delhi	1271903
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	07-01	House	Elm and Ridlev	1219237
Auto Theft	3	1	1	2019	06-26	House	Ledbury and Fairlawn	1191848
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	06-22	House	Esgore and Saunders	1167642
Auto Theft	3	1	1	2019	06-21	House	Falkirk and Melrose	1149626
Break and Enter	1	1	1	2019	06-21	House	Allard and McGillivray	1159543
Break and Enter	SE	1	1	2019	06-15	House	Felbrigg and Yonge Blvd.	1109195
Break and Enter	1	1	1	2019	06-15	House	Allard and McGillivray	1109647
Auto Theft	4	1	1	2019	06-14	House	Grey and Fairlawn	1099322
Break and Enter	1	1	1	2019	06-13	Home	Kelso and Bannockburn	1096713
Break and Enter	6	1	0	2019	06-11	Commercial	Glengarry and Avenue Rd	1075116
Break and Enter	5	1	1	2019	06-07	Home	Douglas and Ledbury	1052954
Break and Enter	2	1	0	2019	05-17	Commercial	Avenue and Haddington	897204
Auto Theft	SE	1	1	2019	05-08	Home	Brooke and Esgore	838699
Auto Theft	6	1	1	2019	05-05	Home	Brookedale S and Avenue Rd	817931
Auto Theft	6	1	1	2019	05-01	Home	Grey and Glengarry	784271
Auto Theft	2	1	1	2019	05-01	Home	Kelso and Haddington	789926
Auto Theft	1	1	1	2019	05-01	Home	Bannockburn and Falkirk	790630
Break and Enter		1	0	2019	04-23	Commercial	Wilson and Ridley	727761
Break and Enter	SE	1	1	2019	04-06	Home	Felbrigg and Joicey	622271
Break and Enter		1	0	2019	04-06	Commercial	Brooke and Avenue Rd	624892
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	04-05	Home	Falkirk and McGillvray	613263
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	03-27	Home	Brooke and Joicey	552652
Break and Enter	2	1	0	2019	03-25	Apartment	Allard and Burncrest	541389
Auto Theft	SE	1	1	2019	03-21	Home	Yonge Blvd and Brooke	517320
Auto Theft	3	1	1	2019	03-21	Home	Clyde and Brooke	517789
Break and Enter	3	1	1	2019	03-08	Home	Fairlawn and Falkirk	430635
Auto Theft	4	1	1	2019	02-27	Home	Grey and Melrose	372457
Break and Enter		1	0	2019	02-22	Apartment		339142
Break and Enter	4	1	0	2019	02-18	Commercial	Deloraine and Avenue Rd	308842
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	02-16	Home	Sandringham and Yonge Blvd.	301374
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	02-12	Home	Avenue and Edgecombe	341472
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	01-26			64923
Break and Enter		1	0	2019	01-19	Commercial	Brooke and Ave	114624
Auto theft	N	1	1	2019	01-18	Home	Belgrave and Delhi	115892
Auto Theft	SW	1	1	2019	01-17	Home	Esgore and Brooke	108512
Break and Enter		1	1	2019	01-04	Home	Bedford Pk and Grey	23332
Auto Theft	3	1	1	2019	01-01	Home	Falkirk and Melrose	6665

Total 72 58

