




# LAW ENFORCEMENT CLAIMS AWARENESS REVIEW



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# 25

Total Claims

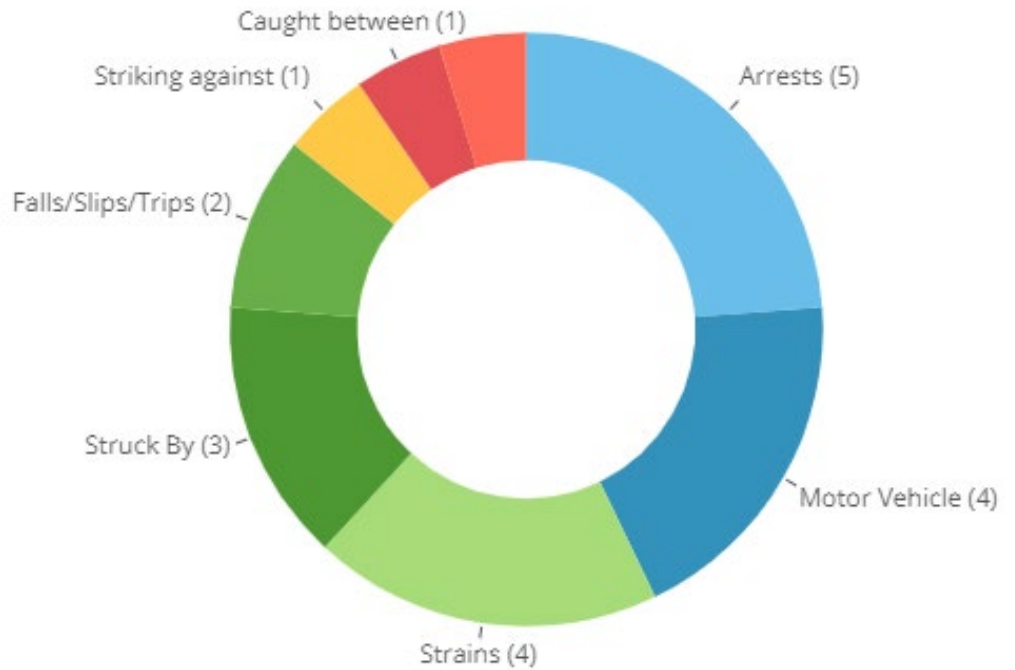
## AUGUST 2024

### LAW ENFORCEMENT WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS

- 8/1/2024** Bite by aggressive K-9 to L hand.
- 8/2/2024** The employee was making an arrest. During the struggle he rolled his left ankle and experienced pain and swelling to the left ankle.
- 8/2/2024** Overextended L knee while retrieving a tire from the trunk.
- 8/7/2024** L shoulder pain doing physical fitness test.
- 8/9/2024** In training, went around the car and put L hand through a piece of broken glass. Laceration to L hand
- 8/11/2024** MVA - Neck pain and headache.
- 8/13/2024** Running and experienced chest pains and shortness of breath.
- 8/13/2024** MVA - rear-ended vehicle, front airbags deployed burning both hands.
- 8/13/2024** Rear-ended by a vehicle at a traffic light. Injury to neck with headache.
- 8/13/2024** Responding to a call going through an intersection and t-boned another vehicle. Airbag rash on both arms, sprain, and contusion to L hand and fx to R foot.
- 8/15/2024** Arrest altercation injury to R hand, pain to R knuckles.
- 8/15/2024** Foot pursuit, tripped and landed on R elbow on concrete. Scrapes to L knee.
- 8/19/2024** Arrest altercation, bruised R bicep and injured L shoulder.
- 8/19/2024** A combative subject was picked up and carried to the vehicle. The officer noticed blood on both hands and an open wound on the wrist. Possible bodily fluid exposure.
- 8/20/2024** Making an arrest, searched vehicle and somehow was exposed to narcotics.
- 8/21/2024** Walking, tripped over a rug and fell, landing on R side with pain in R side of ribs.
- 8/22/2024** On investigation taking pictures of vehicle, stepped and felt middle back pain.
- 8/23/2024** Opening car door to remove a subject from a vehicle when they drove off. Injured R hand.
- 8/23/2024** Jumping in PT, landed and twisted L ankle.

*The above descriptions are a sample of claims from the month. Not all claims are included.*

Arrests	5	23.8%
Motor Vehicle	4	19.0%
Strains	4	19.0%
Struck By	3	14.3%
Falls/Slips/Trips	2	9.52%
Striking against	1	4.76%
Caught between	1	4.76%
Cuts	1	4.76%



Year	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	TOTAL
Arrests	46	68	70	69	87	16	356
Strains	38	55	55	66	65	10	289
Struck By	50	52	57	53	66	8	286
Falls/Slips/Trips	30	52	38	32	27	6	185
Misc.	58	51	33	43	42	5	232
Motor Vehicle	25	28	26	24	27	4	134
Cuts	20	23	13	13	11	2	82
Striking against	16	8	5	8	10	2	49
Exposure	11	15	12	14	13	1	66
Caught between	3	5	1	2	4	1	16
Burn	0	1	2	2	1	1	7
Covid-19	59	52	28	1	0	0	140
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1,842</b>



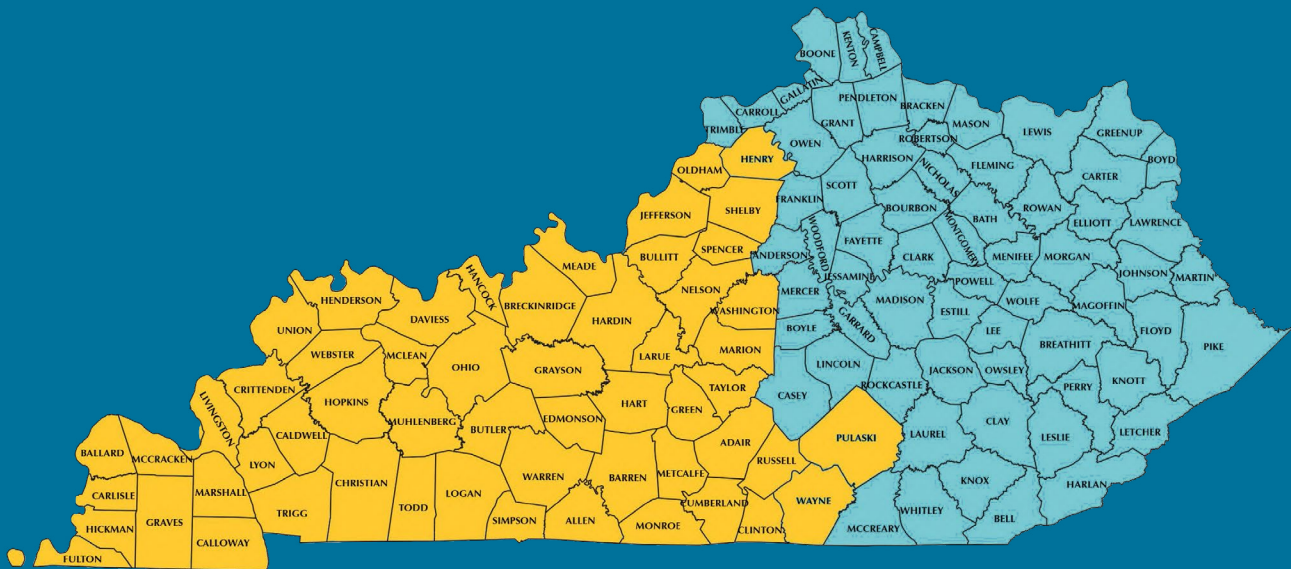
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WE CAN GET  
BELOW 100**

**REMEMBER WEAR YOUR VEST,  
WEAR YOUR SEATBELT,  
& SLOW DOWN!**



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