

Question on Notice
No. 208
Asked on 19 January 2020

MR M BOOTHMAN ASKED MINISTER FOR POLICE AND MINISTER FOR CORRECTIVE SERVICES (HON M RYAN)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister provide the types of criminal offences and the number of such offences committed in the Gold Coast Region for 2015 to 2019 in table format (reported separately by suburb and year)?

ANSWER:

There are more than 1,000 police officers based on the Gold Coast, working day-in-day-out to keep the community safe. Since being elected, this Government has delivered 44 extra police to the Gold Coast District.

With over 1,000 police officers on the Gold Coast and more to come, this Government is backing community safety.

For example, in Coomera we have delivered an extra 14 police officers to help address changes within the community, largely driven by population growth. Further, 6 extra police officers have been deployed to Nerang this financial year.

Police on the Gold Coast are also better trained and better equipped than ever before, with 597 QLiTE devices for frontline Police, 366 new X26P model Tasers, 129 vehicles, 5 vessels and 658 body worn video cameras, with more on the way as part of our plan to equip every uniformed first responder police officer with a body worn video camera.

This government has also delivered a state of the art \$11.5 million police hub at Arundel and has announced a new police facility in Pimpama.

Our record 2019-20 Police Budget shows that our government backs our police 100% in what they do best – and that's to keep communities safe.

I am advised by the Queensland Police Service (QPS) that analysis of reported crime is one of the tools used by police to keep track of trends in the community, allowing police to respond swiftly where they're needed and when they're needed.

The QPS has provided the following table in response to the Member's question—

Number of reported offences by suburb, Gold Coast District, 1 January 2015 to 31 December 2019 ^(1,2,3)

Suburb	Offence	Number				
		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
ADVANCETOWN	Offences Against the Person	2	2	3	5	3
	Offences Against Property	31	28	19	27	26
	Other Offences	24	23	8	17	12
ALBERTON	Offences Against the Person	1	3	4	2	4
	Offences Against Property	20	22	29	24	26
	Other Offences	10	3	19	8	10
ARUNDEL	Offences Against the Person	38	50	67	87	65
	Offences Against Property	340	419	418	504	581
	Other Offences	247	277	259	246	333
ASHMORE	Offences Against the Person	29	65	72	82	70
	Offences Against Property	535	653	716	566	703
	Other Offences	310	267	288	253	290
AUSTINVILLE	Offences Against the Person	4	2	5	1	1
	Offences Against Property	5	11	9	5	14
	Other Offences	2	4	5	-	8
BENOWA	Offences Against the Person	35	41	43	32	53
	Offences Against Property	209	290	313	352	322
	Other Offences	91	100	120	105	163
BIGGERA WATERS	Offences Against the Person	34	62	73	82	100
	Offences Against Property	513	723	688	795	722
	Other Offences	285	332	301	307	323
BILINGA	Offences Against the Person	11	20	15	7	16
	Offences Against Property	185	233	245	295	320
	Other Offences	77	89	64	70	59

BONOGIN	Offences Against the Person	5	2	11	12	10
	Offences Against Property	36	68	67	65	35
	Other Offences	21	28	36	31	48
BROADBEACH	Offences Against the Person	117	141	178	144	141
	Offences Against Property	831	1,003	921	963	936
	Other Offences	1,528	1,266	1,260	1,242	977
BROADBEACH WATERS	Offences Against the Person	34	68	54	60	60
	Offences Against Property	608	919	977	1,136	1,282
	Other Offences	388	353	300	310	307
BUNDALL	Offences Against the Person	16	28	22	26	32
	Offences Against Property	330	373	280	392	389
	Other Offences	256	174	159	155	200
BURLEIGH HEADS	Offences Against the Person	44	59	78	90	113
	Offences Against Property	701	846	708	870	883
	Other Offences	618	521	508	481	707
BURLEIGH WATERS	Offences Against the Person	37	69	67	89	59
	Offences Against Property	487	641	542	666	769
	Other Offences	306	275	294	291	287
CARRARA	Offences Against the Person	30	79	61	63	103
	Offences Against Property	315	500	476	626	606
	Other Offences	402	361	288	272	275
CLAGIRABA	Offences Against the Person	1	-	2	1	-
	Offences Against Property	9	6	12	6	6
	Other Offences	8	4	12	8	13
CLEAR ISLAND WATERS	Offences Against the Person	4	16	4	11	11
	Offences Against Property	58	82	64	96	105
	Other Offences	49	57	56	32	34
COOLANGATTA	Offences Against the Person	84	89	86	90	100
	Offences Against Property	431	525	459	453	527
	Other Offences	615	611	581	619	534
COOMBABAH	Offences Against the Person	23	46	63	50	63
	Offences Against Property	160	162	163	202	243
	Other Offences	130	185	126	118	135
COOMERA	Offences Against the Person	55	106	99	157	213
	Offences Against Property	860	883	690	996	1,219
	Other Offences	693	685	658	798	974
CURRUMBIN	Offences Against the Person	7	31	16	8	13
	Offences Against Property	110	151	121	95	107
	Other Offences	84	83	96	80	75
CURRUMBIN VALLEY	Offences Against the Person	9	6	10	6	4
	Offences Against Property	35	58	44	56	52
	Other Offences	28	16	17	26	23

CURRUMBIN WATERS	Offences Against the Person	36	31	34	44	38
	Offences Against Property	158	286	203	205	199
	Other Offences	207	185	120	172	152
ELANORA	Offences Against the Person	18	46	52	57	47
	Offences Against Property	337	427	400	548	424
	Other Offences	176	220	179	143	200
GAVEN	Offences Against the Person	6	16	9	5	7
	Offences Against Property	29	38	33	30	45
	Other Offences	70	92	61	96	79
GILBERTON	Offences Against the Person	-	-	2	-	-
	Offences Against Property	2	10	8	4	4
	Other Offences	2	2	-	1	-
GILSTON	Offences Against the Person	6	4	10	14	9
	Offences Against Property	34	73	75	67	67
	Other Offences	10	26	28	34	27
GUANABA	Offences Against the Person	-	4	3	1	5
	Offences Against Property	20	7	19	8	13
	Other Offences	2	5	24	16	18
HELENSVALE	Offences Against the Person	77	89	124	152	184
	Offences Against Property	1,041	1,166	1,307	1,337	1,485
	Other Offences	593	690	848	840	798
HIGHLAND PARK	Offences Against the Person	20	39	32	26	35
	Offences Against Property	161	204	210	303	223
	Other Offences	177	168	118	104	127
HOLLYWELL	Offences Against the Person	5	16	21	8	14
	Offences Against Property	58	80	58	46	82
	Other Offences	56	35	45	39	45
HOPE ISLAND	Offences Against the Person	29	51	36	56	66
	Offences Against Property	223	312	313	371	410
	Other Offences	152	171	215	163	299
JACOBS WELL	Offences Against the Person	7	4	9	56	12
	Offences Against Property	35	48	53	86	81
	Other Offences	31	35	51	35	44
KINGSHOLME	Offences Against the Person	-	-	1	-	5
	Offences Against Property	14	14	20	22	21
	Other Offences	14	5	14	3	6
LABRADOR	Offences Against the Person	112	175	180	194	221
	Offences Against Property	1,073	1,310	976	1,180	1,329
	Other Offences	965	917	823	830	951
LOWER BEECHMONT	Offences Against the Person	1	3	3	5	2
	Offences Against Property	5	25	13	16	12
	Other Offences	18	6	17	10	13

LUSCOMBE	Offences Against the Person	-	2	6	1	1
	Offences Against Property	8	7	10	6	17
	Other Offences	4	4	3	7	2
MAIN BEACH	Offences Against the Person	27	50	42	45	44
	Offences Against Property	311	365	261	303	394
	Other Offences	342	317	256	263	230
MAUDSLAND	Offences Against the Person	8	8	20	19	21
	Offences Against Property	70	104	101	157	97
	Other Offences	54	46	71	70	75
MERMAID BEACH	Offences Against the Person	41	46	63	38	42
	Offences Against Property	390	541	501	477	369
	Other Offences	358	304	332	239	237
MERMAID WATERS	Offences Against the Person	44	61	72	60	66
	Offences Against Property	368	469	438	560	501
	Other Offences	433	329	378	404	324
MERRIMAC	Offences Against the Person	21	29	37	25	30
	Offences Against Property	158	199	174	187	155
	Other Offences	170	155	137	106	104
MIAMI	Offences Against the Person	34	81	57	69	59
	Offences Against Property	455	768	513	600	702
	Other Offences	579	517	483	407	420
MOLENDINAR	Offences Against the Person	24	52	48	76	38
	Offences Against Property	433	519	483	671	513
	Other Offences	302	270	320	313	170
MOUNT NATHAN	Offences Against the Person	7	6	4	5	3
	Offences Against Property	24	26	12	32	30
	Other Offences	20	31	9	44	13
MUDGEERABA	Offences Against the Person	70	87	85	70	73
	Offences Against Property	303	440	386	416	321
	Other Offences	358	384	282	309	283
NATURAL BRIDGE	Offences Against the Person	3	2	2	2	1
	Offences Against Property	15	8	7	9	9
	Other Offences	4	16	2	-	1
NERANG	Offences Against the Person	113	168	176	171	182
	Offences Against Property	1,221	1,259	1,231	1,531	1,279
	Other Offences	1,113	1,163	999	1,019	1,094
NERANWOOD	Offences Against the Person	-	-	-	-	-
	Offences Against Property	-	-	4	3	4
	Other Offences	-	-	1	-	-
NORWELL	Offences Against the Person	2	1	-	1	-
	Offences Against Property	14	27	18	15	20
	Other Offences	11	15	13	13	9

NUMINBAH VALLEY	Offences Against the Person	-	-	1	4	2
	Offences Against Property	1	12	14	10	7
	Other Offences	10	19	16	21	27
ORMEAU	Offences Against the Person	41	68	49	85	100
	Offences Against Property	399	569	642	564	658
	Other Offences	307	336	255	293	382
ORMEAU HILLS	Offences Against the Person	5	6	6	12	15
	Offences Against Property	56	88	78	73	91
	Other Offences	27	31	24	19	96
OXENFORD	Offences Against the Person	28	76	54	52	84
	Offences Against Property	518	553	662	672	655
	Other Offences	316	344	326	328	356
PACIFIC PINES	Offences Against the Person	45	71	77	63	98
	Offences Against Property	353	425	374	508	522
	Other Offences	235	258	204	280	296
PALM BEACH	Offences Against the Person	72	120	110	106	126
	Offences Against Property	575	682	607	733	725
	Other Offences	800	699	435	444	394
PARADISE POINT	Offences Against the Person	10	34	27	33	31
	Offences Against Property	127	164	190	225	219
	Other Offences	120	106	126	148	208
PARKWOOD	Offences Against the Person	29	49	41	32	48
	Offences Against Property	329	483	384	476	499
	Other Offences	177	360	167	138	151
PIMPAMA	Offences Against the Person	28	73	122	176	200
	Offences Against Property	306	535	634	947	872
	Other Offences	233	359	460	591	762
REEDY CREEK	Offences Against the Person	7	25	25	16	34
	Offences Against Property	140	254	221	260	136
	Other Offences	60	60	68	57	56
ROBINA	Offences Against the Person	70	113	153	145	154
	Offences Against Property	1,095	1,342	1,316	1,463	1,495
	Other Offences	507	482	520	630	506
RUNAWAY BAY	Offences Against the Person	22	52	60	65	62
	Offences Against Property	447	483	449	509	580
	Other Offences	187	242	161	151	202
SOUTH STRADBROKE	Offences Against the Person	5	4	5	3	4
	Offences Against Property	13	10	9	16	10
	Other Offences	4	9	37	14	5
SOUTHERN MORETON BAY ISLANDS	Offences Against the Person	-	-	-	-	1
	Offences Against Property	1	2	-	3	1
	Other Offences	-	2	1	1	3

SOUTHPORT	Offences Against the Person	266	469	493	506	568
	Offences Against Property	2,835	3,343	3,052	3,581	3,985
	Other Offences	2,514	2,730	2,375	2,495	2,756
SPRINGBROOK	Offences Against the Person	3	5	3	7	4
	Offences Against Property	27	207	24	38	48
	Other Offences	3	19	12	1	12
STAPYLTON	Offences Against the Person	11	6	7	10	20
	Offences Against Property	397	434	463	500	427
	Other Offences	115	84	73	85	90
STEIGLITZ	Offences Against the Person	3	2	5	6	5
	Offences Against Property	45	24	21	28	22
	Other Offences	11	15	23	5	5
SURFERS PARADISE	Offences Against the Person	420	551	548	582	652
	Offences Against Property	2,936	3,587	2,700	3,327	3,293
	Other Offences	5,268	5,017	3,395	3,500	3,213
TALLAI	Offences Against the Person	10	15	14	16	23
	Offences Against Property	44	79	73	66	73
	Other Offences	66	82	96	85	63
TALLEBUDGERA	Offences Against the Person	3	11	5	9	33
	Offences Against Property	48	95	84	58	47
	Other Offences	32	62	50	63	28
TALLEBUDGERA VALLEY	Offences Against the Person	3	4	4	8	3
	Offences Against Property	18	19	25	24	13
	Other Offences	10	16	3	9	14
TUGUN	Offences Against the Person	26	36	43	32	43
	Offences Against Property	206	253	271	353	299
	Other Offences	158	136	116	167	156
UPPER COOMERA	Offences Against the Person	94	163	210	175	192
	Offences Against Property	958	1,021	1,311	1,234	1,325
	Other Offences	673	708	674	523	599
VARSITY LAKES	Offences Against the Person	53	103	96	90	93
	Offences Against Property	424	513	461	548	576
	Other Offences	381	401	311	341	374
WILLOW VALE	Offences Against the Person	-	2	12	10	23
	Offences Against Property	27	55	61	62	62
	Other Offences	18	22	26	32	73
WONGAWALLAN	Offences Against the Person	4	6	3	13	4
	Offences Against Property	25	33	19	34	23
	Other Offences	26	34	12	20	15
WOONGOOLBA	Offences Against the Person	1	1	-	-	2
	Offences Against Property	18	20	21	10	14
	Other Offences	15	6	16	9	15

WORONGARY	Offences Against the Person	19	31	32	25	37
	Offences Against Property	124	169	199	248	187
	Other Offences	137	142	140	144	177
YATALA	Offences Against the Person	10	6	10	11	12
	Offences Against Property	136	154	168	211	216
	Other Offences	86	92	58	75	72
Gold Coast District (other)	Offences Against the Person	14	11	12	13	12
	Offences Against Property	272	380	256	177	183
	Other Offences	10	9	17	31	4

Notes:

1. This data is preliminary and may be subject to change.
2. Data produced for suburbs are subject to inconsistencies and should be treated as an estimate only.
3. Gold Coast District (other) refers to an address occurring within Gold Coast District but due to data quality, cannot be attributed to a particular suburb.