**Freedom of Information - Humberside Fire and Rescue Service**

**2024/25 073 – Arson Statistics for the Last 10 Years**

**The request is:**

I would like to request the following information:

1. How many times has your force been called out to deal with arson to a VEHICLE in 2024 (up until the 31st September), and every year since 2014. Please can yearly figures be broken down by month.
2. How many times has your force been called out to deal with arson to a HOUSE in 2024 (up until the 31st September), and every year since 2014. Please can yearly figures be broken down by month.
3. How many times has your force been called out to deal with arson to a BUSINESS in 2024 (up until the 31st September), and every year since 2014. Please can yearly figures be broken down by month.
4. How many people have died from cases of arson in 2024 (up until the 31st September), and every year since 2014. Please can yearly figures be broken down by month.

**The response is:**

1. Please see the table below.

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| **Road Vehicle** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Count of Incidents** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Year** | **Jan** | **Feb** | **Mar** | **Apr** | **May** | **Jun** | **Jul** | **Aug** | **Sep** | **Oct** | **Nov** | **Dec** | **Grand Total** |
| 2014 | 12 | 17 | 10 | 17 | 24 | 14 | 24 | 14 | 16 | 19 | 26 | 13 | 206 |
| 2015 | 12 | 12 | 21 | 15 | 20 | 16 | 17 | 20 | 30 | 36 | 28 | 20 | 247 |
| 2016 | 28 | 30 | 26 | 25 | 19 | 24 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 41 | 31 | 37 | 354 |
| 2017 | 31 | 20 | 24 | 42 | 30 | 27 | 28 | 33 | 36 | 27 | 19 | 29 | 346 |
| 2018 | 24 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 25 | 27 | 30 | 22 | 34 | 26 | 22 | 23 | 288 |
| 2019 | 25 | 32 | 19 | 23 | 30 | 20 | 27 | 21 | 20 | 25 | 14 | 22 | 278 |
| 2020 | 28 | 22 | 33 | 13 | 10 | 17 | 11 | 21 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 8 | 219 |
| 2021 | 14 | 16 | 15 | 23 | 19 | 18 | 10 | 30 | 36 | 32 | 19 | 26 | 258 |
| 2022 | 21 | 16 | 22 | 23 | 18 | 16 | 28 | 25 | 26 | 23 | 24 | 11 | 253 |
| 2023 | 14 | 26 | 33 | 19 | 22 | 16 | 15 | 10 | 26 | 10 | 18 | 12 | 221 |
| 2024 | 21 | 15 | 16 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 20 | 20 |  |  |  | 154 |

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| **Dwelling** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Count of Incidents** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Year** | **Jan** | **Feb** | **Mar** | **Apr** | **May** | **Jun** | **Jul** | **Aug** | **Sep** | **Oct** | **Nov** | **Dec** | **Grand Total** |
| 2014 | 11 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 8 | 7 | 77 |
| 2015 | 10 | 2 | 12 | 11 | 16 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 17 | 9 | 12 | 7 | 124 |
| 2016 | 2 | 6 | 10 | 12 | 16 | 7 | 11 | 21 | 10 | 21 | 14 | 15 | 145 |
| 2017 | 10 | 7 | 17 | 12 | 12 | 20 | 15 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 8 | 8 | 151 |
| 2018 | 9 | 14 | 10 | 6 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 9 | 5 | 15 | 6 | 7 | 114 |
| 2019 | 6 | 9 | 14 | 13 | 16 | 13 | 8 | 4 | 7 | 6 | 10 | 6 | 112 |
| 2020 | 8 | 4 | 10 | 18 | 4 | 10 | 11 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 10 | 6 | 99 |
| 2021 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 64 |
| 2022 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 56 |
| 2023 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 77 |
| 2024 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 11 |  |  |  | 51 |
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| **Commercial** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Count of Incidents** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Year** | **Jan** | **Feb** | **Mar** | **Apr** | **May** | **Jun** | **Jul** | **Aug** | **Sep** | **Oct** | **Nov** | **Dec** | **Grand Total** |
| 2014 | 12 | 5 | 11 | 20 | 14 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 8 | 14 | 6 | 142 |
| 2015 | 5 | 10 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 12 | 17 | 10 | 15 | 12 | 8 | 148 |
| 2016 | 10 | 11 | 17 | 17 | 24 | 19 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 9 | 14 | 188 |
| 2017 | 14 | 12 | 26 | 35 | 24 | 13 | 25 | 14 | 7 | 17 | 8 | 11 | 206 |
| 2018 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 17 | 19 | 26 | 23 | 25 | 16 | 19 | 22 | 9 | 212 |
| 2019 | 21 | 11 | 14 | 18 | 29 | 26 | 26 | 19 | 8 | 12 | 6 | 12 | 202 |
| 2020 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 12 | 13 | 9 | 13 | 15 | 13 | 9 | 126 |
| 2021 | 5 | 5 | 11 | 22 | 15 | 4 | 9 | 11 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 118 |
| 2022 | 4 | 9 | 8 | 21 | 22 | 13 | 22 | 15 | 16 | 10 | 14 | 4 | 158 |
| 2023 | 8 | 13 | 12 | 17 | 16 | 18 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 13 | 12 | 6 | 149 |

1. Please see the table below.

**Fatalities**

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| **Incident Count** | **Month** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Year** | **Jan** | **Mar** | **Jun** | **Sep** | **Nov** | **Grand Total** |
| 2014 |  |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |
| 2015 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |
| 2016 |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |
| 2017 | 1 |  |  | 1 |  | 2 |
| 2020 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 2 |
| 2023 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 | 2 |
| 2024 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  | 2 |
| **Grand Total** | **4** | **3** | **1** | **2** | **1** | **11** |

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