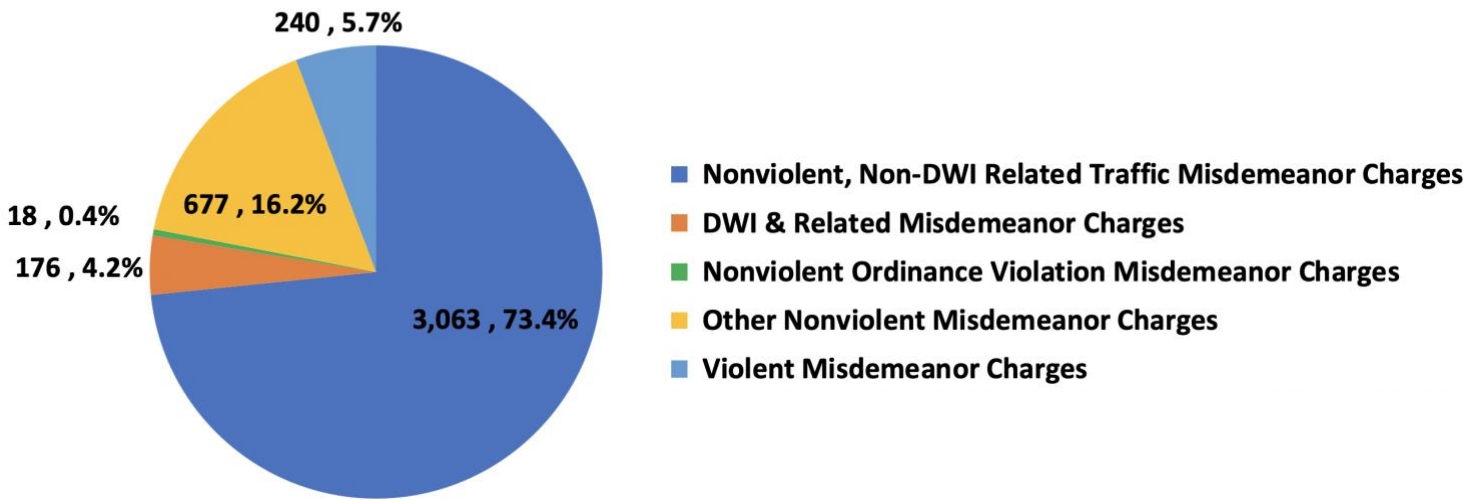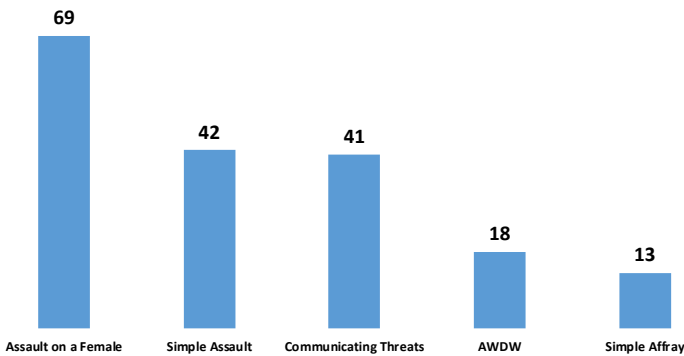73.4% of Martin County misdemeanor charges were for nonviolent and non-DWI related traffic offenses, **16.2%** were for other nonviolent offenses, **4.2%** were for DWI and related offenses, **5.7%** were for violent offenses, and **.4%** were for nonviolent ordinance violations.
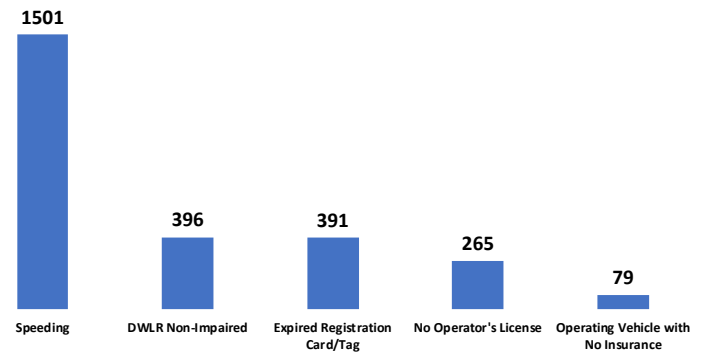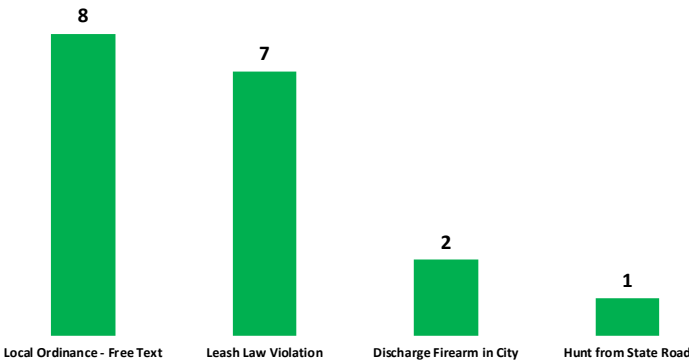
2019 Charged Misdemeanors

Pie chart data:
- 240 , 5.7%
- 18 , 0.4%
- 677 , 16.2%
- 176 , 4.2%
- 3,063 , 73.4%

Legend:
- ■ Nonviolent, Non-DWI Related Traffic Misdemeanor Charges
- ■ DWI & Related Misdemeanor Charges
- ■ Nonviolent Ordinance Violation Misdemeanor Charges
- ■ Other Nonviolent Misdemeanor Charges
- ■ Violent Misdemeanor Charges

Most Commonly Charged Violent Misdemeanors

Assault on a Female	Simple Assault	Communicating Threats	AWDW	Simple Affray
69	42	41	18	13

Most Commonly Charged Non-DWI Related Traffic Misdemeanors

Speeding	DWLR Non-Impaired	Expired Registration Card/Tag	No Operator's License	Operating Vehicle with No Insurance
1501	396	391	265	79

Most Commonly Charged Ordinance Violations

Local Ordinance - Free Text	Leash Law Violation	Discharge Firearm in City	Hunt from State Road
8	7	2	1

Most Commonly Charged Other Nonviolent Misdemeanors

Misdemeanor Larceny	Possession of Marijuana Up to 1/2 Oz.	Resisting Public Officer	Second Degree Trespass	Injury to Personal Property
146	58	58	44	36

For statewide charging statistics, see https://cjil.sog.unc.edu/files/2020/06/Violent-Non-Violent-Charging-Data-6.25.2020.pdf

2019 Violent Misdemeanor Charges Per 100,000 Population Among Noncore Counties

County	Value
Yancey	581
Caswell	709
Hyde	803
Polk	815
Greene	890
Duplin	902
Warren	904
Mitchell	980
Chowan	998
Avery	1,005
Alleghany	1,057
Martin	1,059
Montgomery	1,067
Ashe	1,077
Washington	1,096
Bladen	1,100
Bertie	1,204
Macon	1,307
Clay	1,320
Cherokee	1,349
Sampson	1,394
Columbus	1,400
Hertford	1,429
Swain	1,453
Anson	2,046
Graham	2,074

2018 - 2019 Change in Percentage Violent Misdemeanor Charges Among Noncore Counties

County	Value
Graham	2.9%
Alleghany	1.5%
Ashe	1.5%
Hertford	1.3%
Hyde	1.3%
Greene	1.0%
Swain	0.9%
Washington	0.9%
Cherokee	0.7%
Montgomery	0.6%
Mitchell	0.6%
Bertie	0.5%
Sampson	0.4%
Anson	0.2%
Polk	0.1%
Martin	-0.1%
Yancey	-0.3%
Bladen	-0.4%
Duplin	-0.5%
Columbus	-0.6%
Avery	-0.6%
Clay	-0.8%
Macon	-0.9%
Warren	-1.2%
Chowan	-1.8%
Caswell	-3.1%
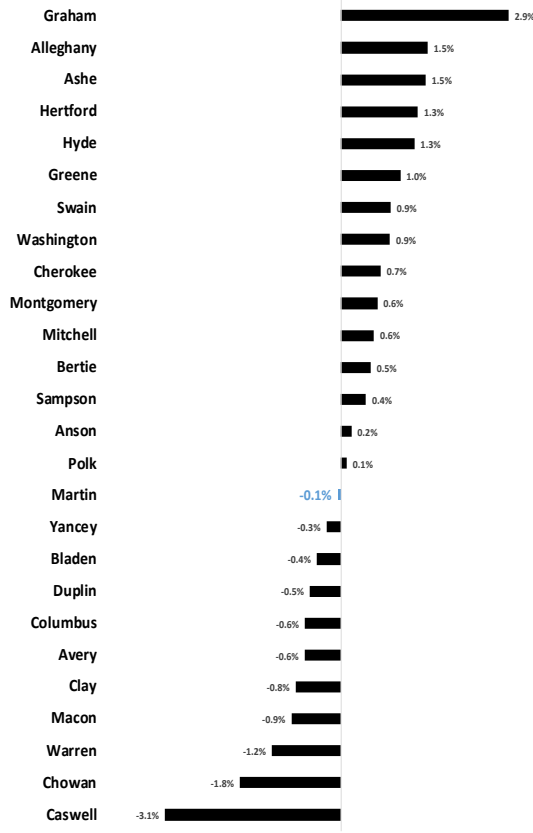
Among noncore counties[1], Martin County had the 12th lowest number of violent misdemeanor charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **1,059**. Between 2018 and 2019, 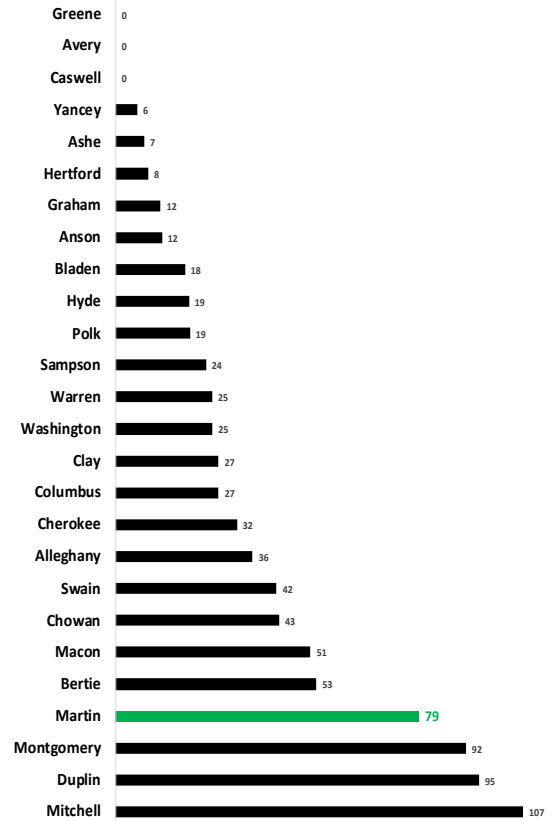Martin County had the 11th largest decrease in violent misdemeanor charges among noncore counties at **.1** percentage points.
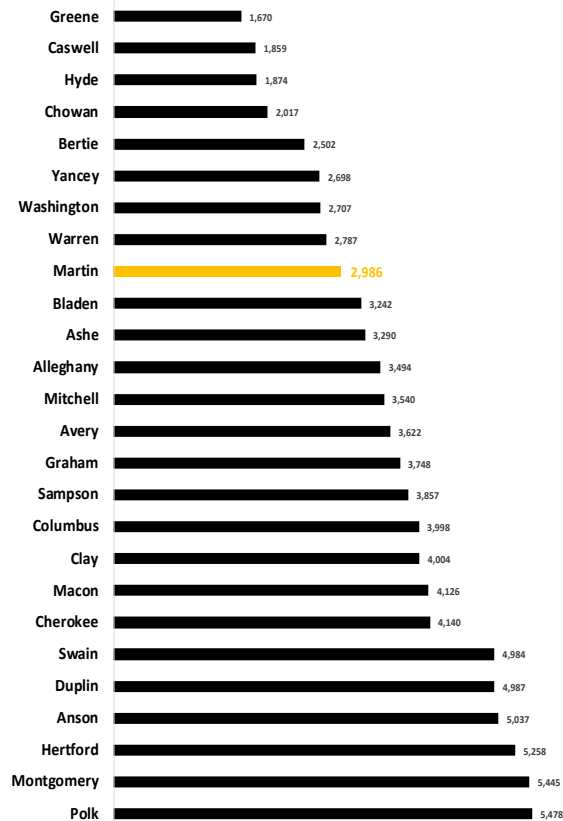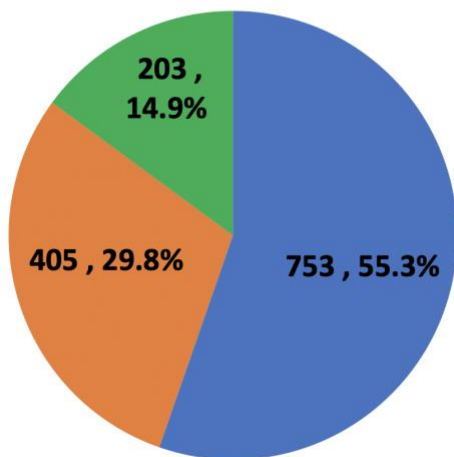
Among noncore counties[1], Martin County had the ninth lowest number of other nonviolent misdemeanor charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **2,986**. Martin County had the fourth highest number of ordinance violation charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **79**.

2019 Other Nonviolent Misdemeanor Charges Per 100,000 Population Among Noncore Counties

County	Value
Greene	1,670
Caswell	1,859
Hyde	1,874
Chowan	2,017
Bertie	2,502
Yancey	2,698
Washington	2,707
Warren	2,787
Martin	2,986
Bladen	3,242
Ashe	3,290
Alleghany	3,494
Mitchell	3,540
Avery	3,622
Graham	3,748
Sampson	3,857
Columbus	3,998
Clay	4,004
Macon	4,126
Cherokee	4,140
Swain	4,984
Duplin	4,987
Anson	5,037
Hertford	5,258
Montgomery	5,445
Polk	5,478

2019 Ordinance Violation Charges Per 100,000 Population Among Noncore Counties

County	Value
Greene	0
Avery	0
Caswell	0
Yancey	6
Ashe	7
Hertford	8
Graham	12
Anson	12
Bladen	18
Hyde	19
Polk	19
Sampson	24
Warren	25
Washington	25
Clay	27
Columbus	27
Cherokee	32
Alleghany	36
Swain	42
Chowan	43
Macon	51
Bertie	53
Martin	79
Montgomery	92
Duplin	95
Mitchell	107

[1] Noncore counties are nonmetropolitan counties that do not qualify as micropolitan according to the Office of Management and Budget.

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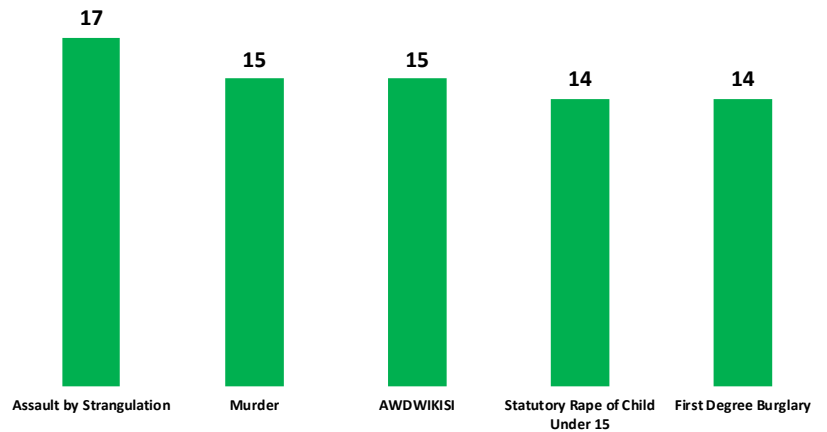Criminal Justice Innovation Lab

14.9% of Martin County felony charges were for violent felonies, **29.8%** were for nonviolent drug felonies, and **55.3%** were for other nonviolent felonies.
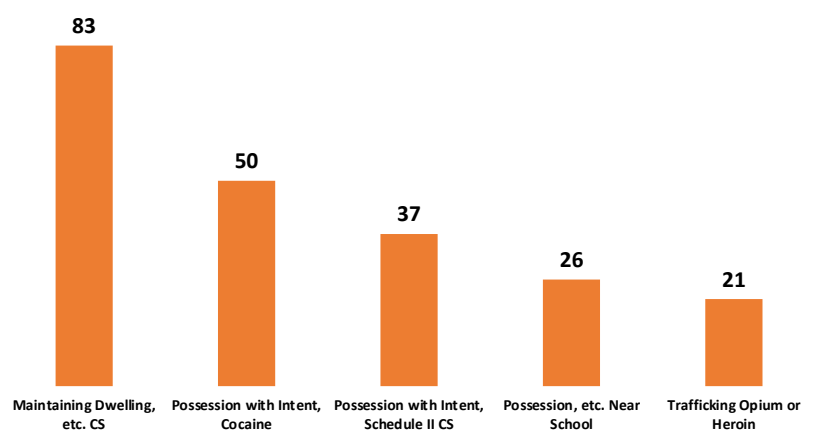
2019 Charged Felonies

- 203, 14.9%
- 405, 29.8%
- 753, 55.3%

- ■ **Nonviolent Felonies, Other**
- ■ **Nonviolent Drug Felonies**
- ■ **Violent Felonies**

Most Commonly Charged Violent Felonies

Assault by Strangulation	Murder	AWDWIKISI	Statutory Rape of Child Under 15	First Degree Burglary
17	15	15	14	14

Most Commonly Charged Drug Felonies

Maintaining Dwelling, etc. CS	Possession with Intent, Cocaine	Possession with Intent, Schedule II CS	Possession, etc. Near School	Trafficking Opium or Heroin
83	50	37	26	21

Most Commonly Charged Other Nonviolent Felonies

Obtaining Property by False Pretenses	Identity Theft	Larceny of a Firearm	Breaking or Entering	Breaking or Entering a Motor Vehicle
194	51	44	36	32

Among noncore counties[1], Martin County had the third highest number of violent felony charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **895**. Between 2018 and 2019, Martin County had the 10th largest increase in violent felony charges among noncore counties at **.7** percentage points.

2019 Violent Felony Charges Per 100,000 Population Among Noncore Counties

County	Value
Yancey	145
Ashe	184
Polk	209
Macon	247
Mitchell	287
Chowan	292
Cherokee	296
Bladen	301
Avery	303
Bertie	352
Caswell	383
Alleghany	394
Clay	395
Hyde	516
Swain	541
Montgomery	557
Duplin	567
Greene	590
Anson	619
Columbus	620
Graham	636
Warren	727
Sampson	824
Martin	895
Hertford	968
Washington	1,248

2018 - 2019 Change in Percentage Violent Felony Charges Among Noncore Counties

County	Value
Washington	12.5%
Hyde	6.4%
Hertford	6.0%
Yancey	2.5%
Columbus	2.4%
Mitchell	2.3%
Greene	1.6%
Sampson	1.3%
Warren	1.1%
Martin	0.7%
Swain	0.4%
Duplin	-0.4%
Polk	-0.5%
Avery	-2.2%
Alleghany	-2.3%
Cherokee	-3.1%
Bladen	-4.1%
Ashe	-4.1%
Montgomery	-4.3%
Macon	-4.5%
Clay	-4.5%
Anson	-6.0%
Chowan	-6.1%
Bertie	-6.5%
Caswell	-10.7%
Graham	-11.7%

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