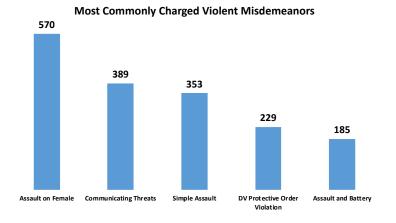
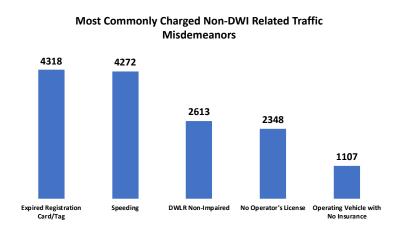


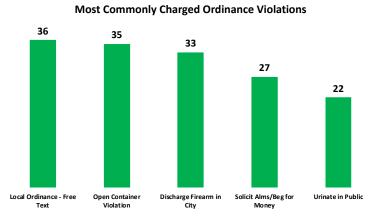
55.5% of New Hanover County misdemeanor charges were for nonviolent and non-DWI related traffic offenses, 29.5% were for other nonviolent offenses, 7.2% were for DWI and related offenses, 7.2% were for violent offenses, and .6% were for nonviolent ordinance violations.

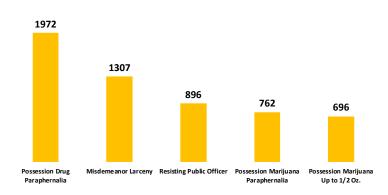
## **2019 Charged Misdemeanors**



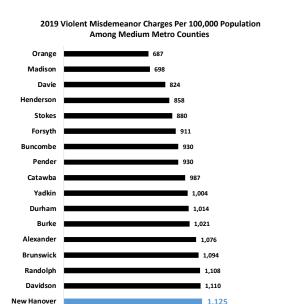








**Most Commonly Charged Other Nonviolent Misdemeanors** 

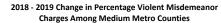


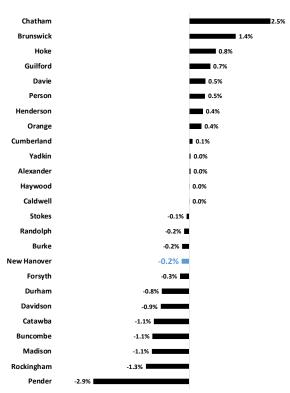
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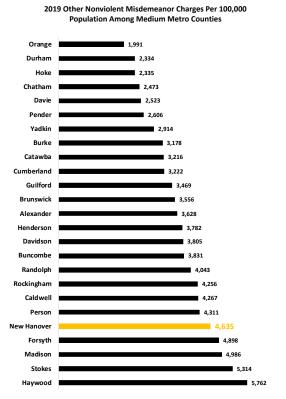
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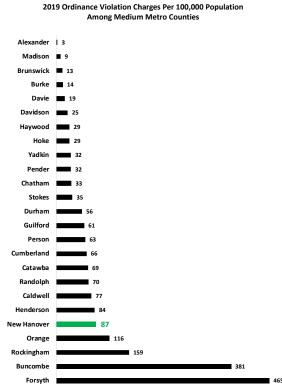




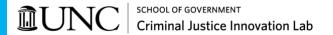
Among medium metro counties<sup>1</sup>, **New Hanover County** had the ninth highest number of violent misdemeanor charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **1,125**. Between 2018 and 2019, New Hanover County had the ninth largest decrease in violent misdemeanor charges among medium metro counties at .2 percentage points.

Among medium metro counties<sup>1</sup>, **New Hanover County** had the fifth highest number of other nonviolent misdemeanor charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at 4,635. New Hanover County had the fifth highest number of ordinance violation charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **87**.

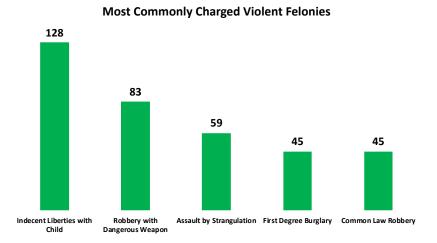




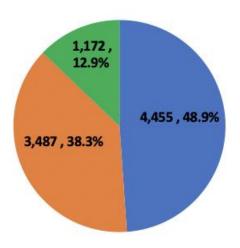
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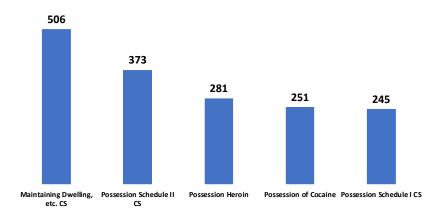
12.9% of New Hanover County felony charges were for violent felonies, 48.9% were for nonviolent drug felonies, and 38.3% were for other nonviolent felonies.



## 2019 Charged Felonies

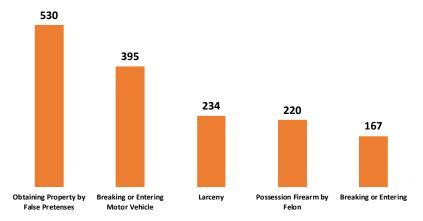


## **Most Commonly Charged Drug Felonies**



- Nonviolent Drug Felonies
- Nonviolent Felonies, Other
- Violent Felonies

## **Most Commonly Charged Other Nonviolent Felonies**



Among medium metro counties<sup>1</sup>, New Hanover County had the 10<sup>th</sup> highest number of violent felony charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **505**. Between 2018 and 2019, New Hanover County had the sixth largest decrease in violent felony charges among medium metro counties at **3.0** percentage points.



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