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Benchmark #65 **Graffiti**
Calls which provide the location of individual 'tags' are placed to the Portland Police Bureau's Graffiti Hotline. The City then contracts with the Youth Employment Institute (YEI) to clean the sites of graffiti. Data for this benchmark are collected and reported by the YEI. Since the graffiti removal program has been implemented, YEI's staff and crew (and funding) has tripled, which may explain the large increase. *Note:* This is a different data source since this Benchmark was first reported so the figures on the Benchmark page may not match the historical numbers.

Benchmark #84 **Neighborhood Safety**
Data for this benchmark are derived from the annual Citizen Survey conducted by the Portland Audit Services Division. The survey has been conducted by the City of Portland Auditor since 1991, and jointly with the Multnomah County Auditor since 1994. Starting in 2000, the County stopped participating. All trend data on benchmark pages have been changed to show City numbers only. Historic counts and analysis showing both the City and County, however, have been retained in the *Further Analysis of Benchmarks* pages.

Benchmark #85 **Crimes Motivated by Prejudice**
Data for this Benchmark come from The Law Enforcement Data System (LEDS). LEDS has been reporting on bias crimes only since 1994, so historical data is not possible to report.

Benchmark #87 **Reported Incidents of Crime**
All data is derived from the Law Enforcement Data System (LEDS).

Benchmark #88 **Arrests**
All data is derived from the Law Enforcement Data System (LEDS).
Rates were calculated by the Progress Board based on the 1990 Census, and estimates for subsequent years by PSU's Center for Population Research.

Benchmark #90 **Firearm Injuries and Fatalities**
Firearm fatality rates for Oregon are published annually by the Oregon Department of Human Services, Health Services in its annual reports on Mortality (See Table 6-3).
There is no comprehensive reporting system which captures all firearm related injuries at the State and County levels. The Oregon Health Services's Trauma Program's Trauma Registry maintains the most complete statistics on all firearm-related injuries which are treated in trauma system hospitals. National data on firearm deaths are available on the Internet through the Centers for Disease Control .

Benchmark #91 **Crime Victims**
Data for this benchmark are derived from the annual Citizen Survey conducted by the Portland Audit Services Division. The survey has been conducted by the City of Portland Auditor since 1991, and jointly with the Multnomah County Auditor since 1994. Starting in 2000, the County stopped participating. All trend data on benchmark pages have been changed to show City numbers only. Historic counts and analysis showing both the City and County, however, have been retained in the *Further Analysis of Benchmarks* pages.

Benchmark #95 **Emergency Preparedness**
Data for this benchmark are derived from the annual Citizen Survey conducted by the Portland Audit Services Division. The survey has been conducted by the City of Portland Auditor since 1991, and jointly with the Multnomah County Auditor since 1994. Starting in 2000, the County stopped participating. All trend data on benchmark pages have been changed to show City numbers only. Historic counts and analysis showing both the City and County, however, have been retained in the *Further Analysis of Benchmarks* pages.

Benchmark #105 **Matrix Releases**
Information for this benchmark is from the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office, Planning and Research Unit.
Note : This Benchmark has been discontinued.

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