Richmond Quick Facts
All Recorded Crime

Current Figures refer to the period April 2023-March 2024

Level of Crime	12489 Total crimes / 60.6 per 1000 Residents
Peer Comparison	One of the Lowest rates per 1000 in London 1st Lowest Volume of related Offences in Inner London
Annual Change	Increase of 258 offences/ 2.2% from 2022-2023

VOLT Analysis

Victim	Largest Ethnic group is White with 38%. Largest age group is from the 40-44 Age Group with 11% Largest Victim Gender Group is Male with 53% The largest age group of Male Victims are from the 35-39 Age Group at 11%. 32% of those Males 35-39 -year-old victims were White.
Offender	18-24 Age Group largest offenders 10.7 % White is 39% Male 67%
Location	TW1 – 8.6% TW9 – 7.9% TW10 – 6.9% TW12 – 6.4% TW11 – 5.6%
Time	7.3% of offences took place at 14:00 which is the highest peak. The highest average is from 12:00 to 16:00

COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP Richmond upon Thames

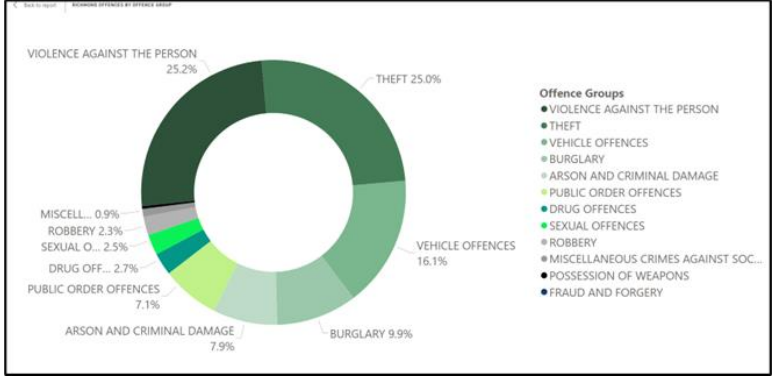LONDON BOROUGH OF RICHMOND UPON THAMES

General Trends

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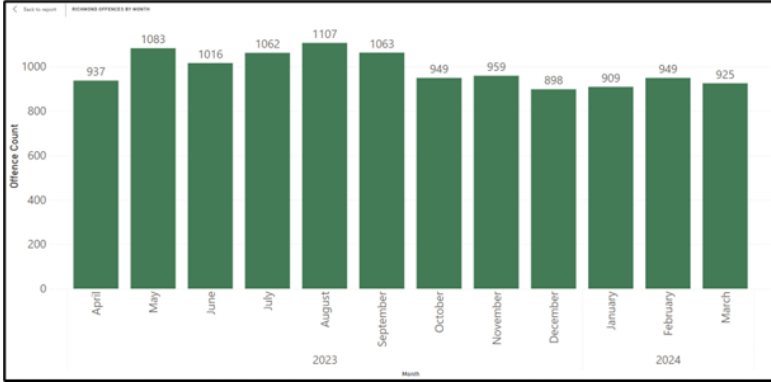
Proactive problem solving plans and local policing initiatives continue to support crime reduction activities with partners and communities.

Breakdown of Crime Types

The top 3 offences in this period are Violence against the person, Theft and Vehicle Offenses, accounting for 66.3 of offenses.

VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON 25.2%
THEFT 25.0%
VEHICLE OFFENCES 16.1%
BURGLARY 9.9%
ARSON AND CRIMINAL DAMAGE 7.9%
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES 7.1%
DRUG OFF... 2.7%
SEXUAL O... 2.5%
ROBBERY 2.3%
MISCELL... 0.9%

Offence Groups
- VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON
- THEFT
- VEHICLE OFFENCES
- BURGLARY
- ARSON AND CRIMINAL DAMAGE
- PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES
- DRUG OFFENCES
- SEXUAL OFFENCES
- ROBBERY
- MISCELLANEOUS CRIMES AGAINST SOC...
- POSSESSION OF WEAPONS
- FRAUD AND FORGERY

Seasonality

There is no evidence of significant increases or decreases across this period, the average offence rate is 988 for all recorded crimes.

There is a slight increase in May 1083 and the summer month of August 1107, then decline in September 1063 offences. In line with seasonal trends, improved weather.
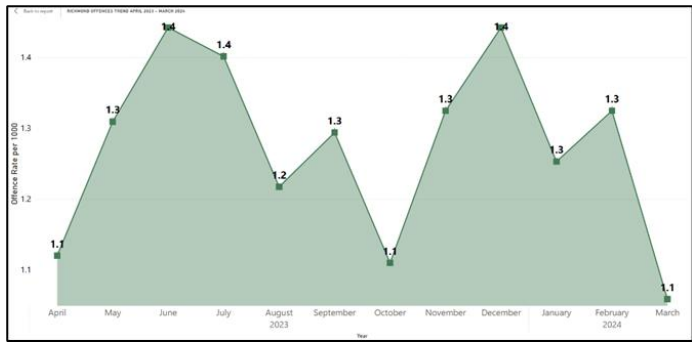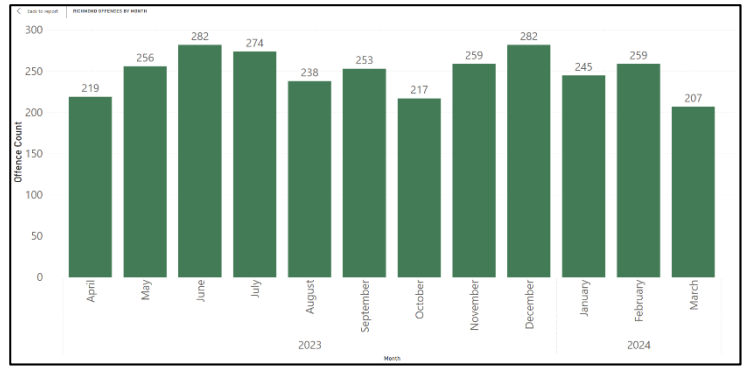
Hotspots:

Top 5 Wards:

1) South Richmond
2) Twickenham Riverside
3) Barnes
4) Kew
5) Mortlake & Barnes Common

Combined these Wards account for 36% of all Offences
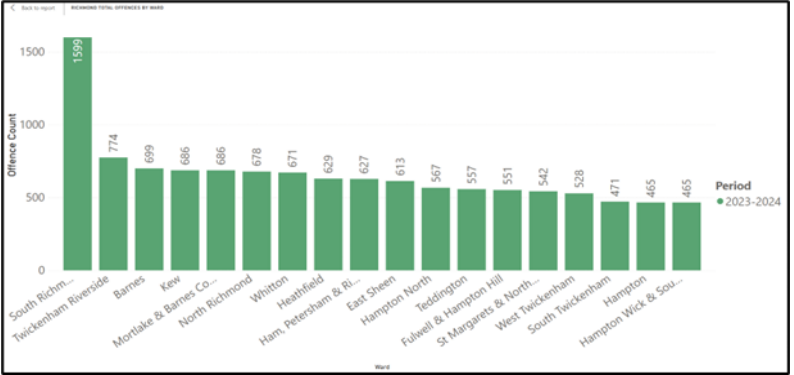
Richmond Quick Facts
Violence Against the Person
Current Figures refer to the period April 2023- March 2024

Level of Crime	3170 Total crimes / 15.3 per 1000 Residents
Peer Comparison	Lowest Volume of related offences in London, Lowest rate per 1000 in London
Annual Change	Increase of 36 offences/ 1.2% from 2022-2023

VOLT Analysis

Victim	Largest Ethnic group is White with 53%. Largest victim age group is the 18-24 Age Group with 12% of the total Largest Victim Gender Group is Female with 52% of the total The largest age group of Female Victims are from the 18-24 Age Group at 13%. 44% of those Female 18-24 -year-old victims were White
Offender	The18-24 Age Group had the largest offenders making up 10.5 % of the total. White is 37% Male 62%
Location	TW1 – 8.3% TW12 – 7.9% TW9 – 7.7% TW11 – 6.9% TW10 – 6.7%
Time	7.5% of offences took place at 14:00 which is the highest peak. the highest average is from 19:00 to 22:00

Breakdown of Crime Types

The top offence in this period is Violence Without Injury, accounting for 68.8 of offenses.

Hotspots:

Top 5 Wards:

1) South Richmond
2) Twickenham Riverside
3) Heathfield
4) Hampton North
5) Whitton

Combined these Wards account for 36% of all Offences.
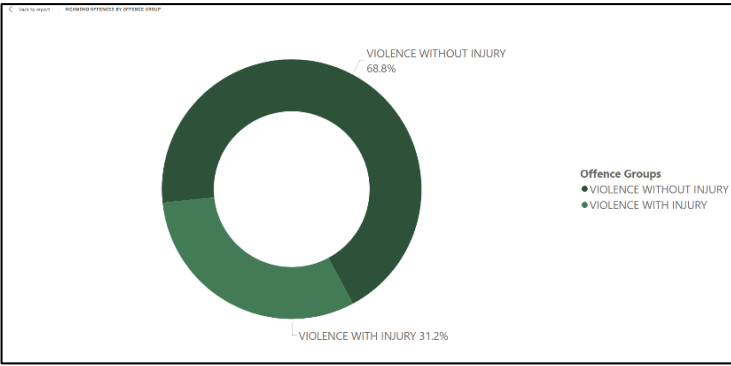
General Trends

During this period there is a significant decline from July 2023 to the lowest recorded overall crime in October 2023. This further highlights the low level of Violence against the Person in the borough. However, Peaks in June and December could be linked to seasonal spikes

Local policing initiatives continue to support crime reduction activities with partners and communities.
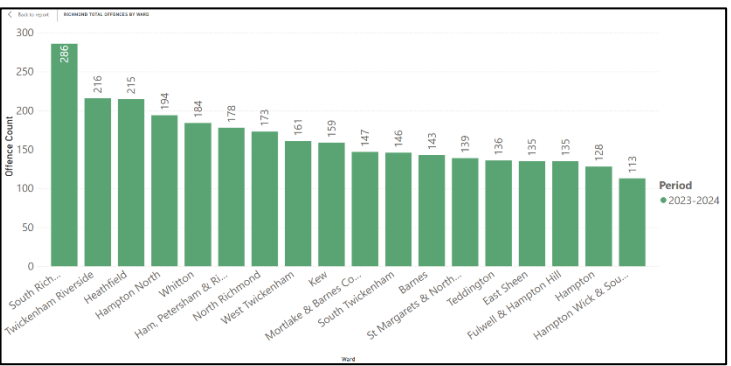

Seasonality

There is evidence of seasonal increases and decreases across this period, the average offence rate is 249 for all Violence against the person recorded crimes.

There is an increase in June 282, higher in the summer months then the next highest period in December 282 offences. In line with seasonal trends, improved weather and accessing winter festivities. Another possibility is increased social periods during this time.
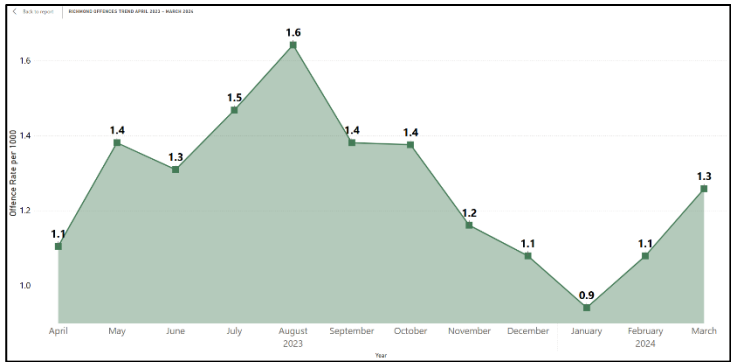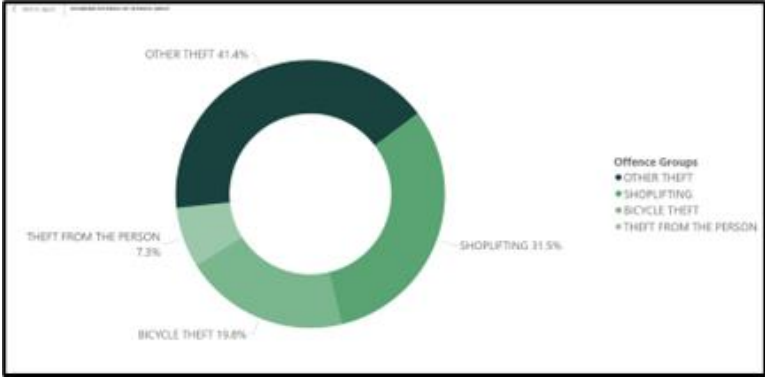
Richmond Quick Facts
Theft

Current Figures refer to the period April 2023- March 2024

Level of Crime	3040 Total crimes / 15.3 per 1000 Residents
Peer Comparison	2nd Lowest Volume of related offences in London, 4th Lowest rate per 1000 in London
Annual Change	Increase of 220 offences/ 8% from 2022-2023

VOLT Analysis

Victim	Largest Ethnic group is White with 26%. Largest victim age group is the 18-24 Age Group with 12% Largest Victim Gender Group is Male with 54% The largest age group of Male Victims are from the 18-24 Age Group at 13%. 20% of those Male 18-24 -year-old victims were White
Offender	30-34 Age Group largest offenders 10.5 % White is 45% Male 67%
Location	TW1 – 11.3% TW9 – 9.8% TW10 – 7.8% TW2 – 7.1% TW11 – 6.3%
Time	8.0% of offences took place at 15:00 which is the highest peak. the highest average is from 13:00 to 19:00

Breakdown of Crime Types

The top 2 offences in this period are other Theft and Shoplifting, accounting for 72.9% of offenses. The next largest offence is Bicycle Theft 19.8%.

Hotspots:

Top 5 Wards:

1) South Richmond
2) Whitton
3) Twickenham Riverside
4) Teddington
5) Kew

Combined these Wards account for 49% of all

General Trends

During this period there is a significant decline from August 2023 to the lowest recorded Theft in January 2024. This further highlights the low level of crime in the borough.
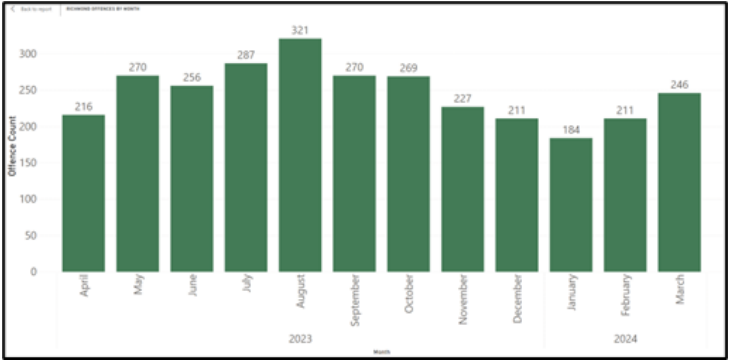
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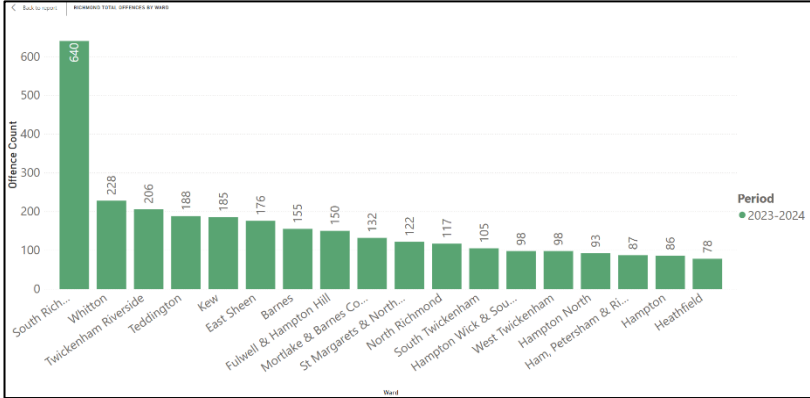

Seasonality

There is evidence of seasonal increases and decreases across this period, the average offence rate is 247 for all Theft recorded crimes.

The highest period of recorded offences is August 321, higher in the summer months then declining to the lowest period in January 184 offences. Seasonal trends, improved summer weather and decreasing with the declining weather approaching the winter months.

Richmond Quick Facts Vehicle Offences	
Current Figures refer to the period April 2023- March 2024	
Level of Crime	1913 Total crimes / 9.8 per 1000 Residents
Peer Comparison	4th Lowest Volume of related offences in London, 9th Lowest rate per 1000 in London
Annual Change	Decrease of -177 offences -8.5% from 2022-2023

| VOLT Analysis (Victim Offender Location Time)	
Victim	Largest Ethnic group is White with 16%. Largest victim age group is the 45-49 Age Group with 14% Largest Victim gender Group is Male with 69% The next largest age group of Male Victims are from the 40-44 Age Group at 13%. 10% of those Male 40-44 -year-old victims, were White .
Offender	18-24 Age Group - largest offenders 7.9% White is 32% Male 82%
Location	TW10 – 7.7% TW9 – 7.6% TW12 – 6.6% TW1 – 5.8% TW2 – 4.6%
Time	7.5% of offences took place at 08:00 which is the highest peak. the highest average is from 07:00 to 10:00
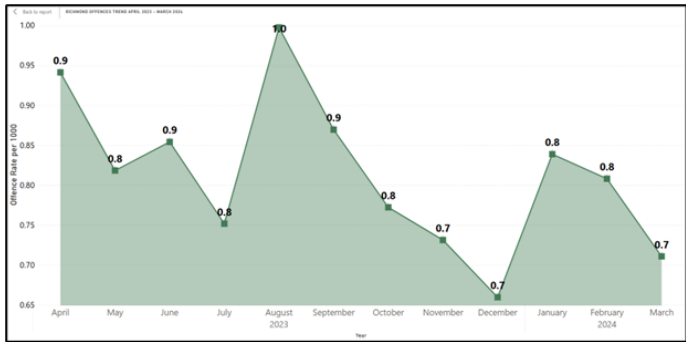
Breakdown of Crime Types

The top 2 offences in this period are Theft from a Vehicle, Theft or unauthorised taking of a motor vehicle, accounting for 85.6% of offenses.

Interfering with a motor vehicle accounts for 14% of the remaining offences.

Hotspots:

Top 5 Wards:
1) South Richmond
2) Barnes
3) North Richmond
4) Mortlake & Barnes Common
5) Kew

Combined these Wards account for 43% of all Offences.

General Trends

During this period there is a significant decline from August 2023 to the lowest recorded Vehicle crime in December 2023. This further highlights the low level of crime in the borough.

Continued local policing initiatives support crime reduction activities with partners and communities with Community Safety awareness campaigns.
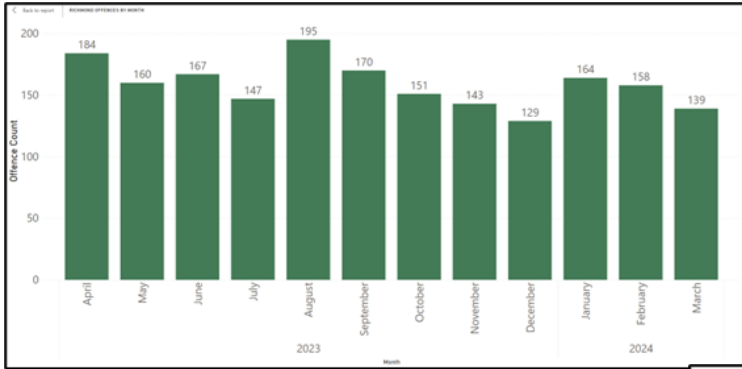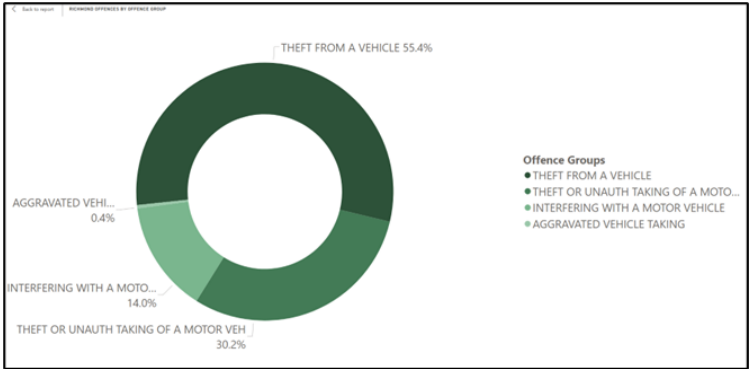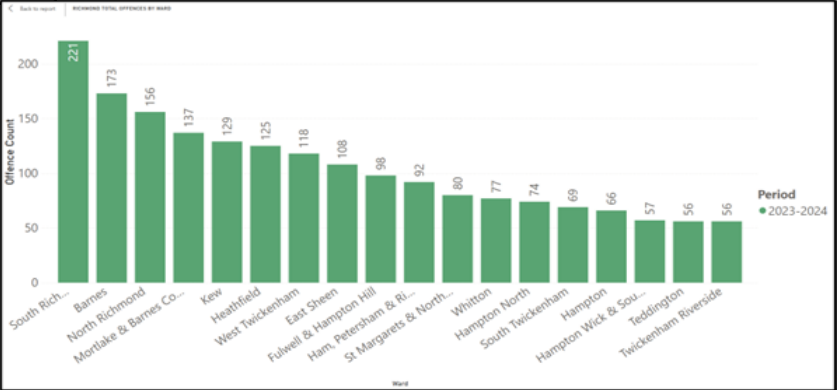

Seasonality

There is evidence of seasonal increases and decreases across this period, the average offence rate is 159 for all recorded Vehicle offenses.

The highest period of recorded offences is August 195, then declining to the lowest period in December 129 offences. Some Seasonal trends, improved summer weather and decreasing with the declining weather approaching the winter months.
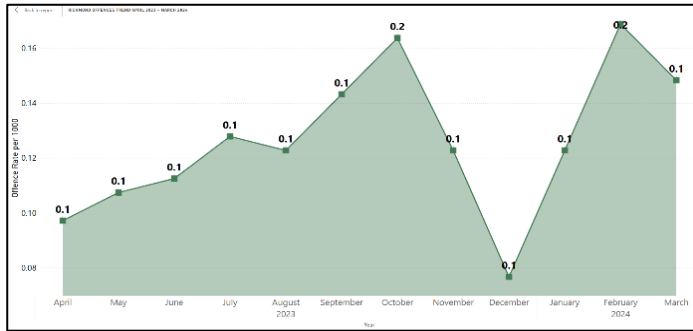
Richmond Quick Facts Sexual Offences	
Current Figures refer to the period April 2023- March 2024	
Level of Crime	322 Total crimes / 1.5 per 1000 Residents
Peer Comparison	Lowest Volume of related offences in London, 2nd Lowest rate per 1000 in London
Annual Change	Increase of 9 offences/ 3.1% from 2022-2023

VOLT Analysis	
Victim	Largest Ethnic group is White with 58%. Largest group is from the 18-24 Age Group with 17% Largest Victim gender Group is Female with 81% The largest age group of Female Victims are from the 18-24 Age Group with 19%. 54% of those Female 18–24-year-old victims were White
Offender	Largest Age Group of Offenders 18-24 years old 14%. 37% of Offenders White 90% Male
Location	Specific Location Data withheld
Time	Reporting Peak Times are from 14:00 – 17:00 although highest reported amount were at 10:00.

Breakdown of Crime Types

The top offence in this period is Other Sexual offences, accounting for 67.9% of offenses.

Top 5 Wards:

1) Twickenham Riverside
2) South Richmond
3) Ham, Petersham & Richmond Riverside
4) Heathfield
5) Hampton Wick & South Teddington

Combined these Wards account for 43% of Theft Offences.
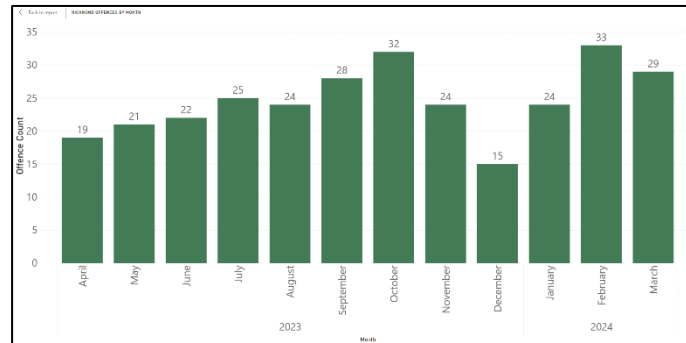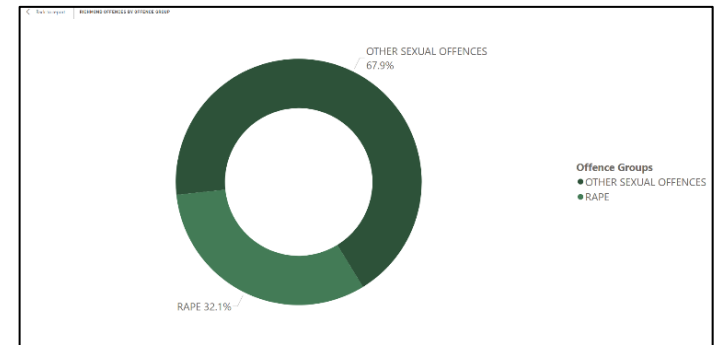
General Trends

During this period there is a significant decline from October 2023 to the lowest recorded overall crime in December 2023. The lowest recorded Sexual offences across this period.

Following a previous period of increases before October 2023, proactive awareness raising and targeted work with our police and partners have seen the reductions.
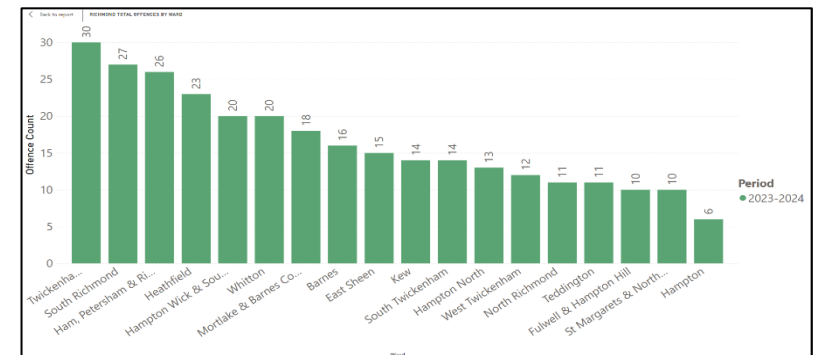

Seasonality

There is evidence of gradual seasonal increases and a significant decrease across this period, the average offence rate is 24 for recorded Sexual offences.

The highest period of recorded offences is February 2024, following an increasing trend up into the summer months then declining to the lowest period in December 15 offences. Seasonal trends, improved summer weather seeing an increase and decreasing with the declining weather approaching the winter months.
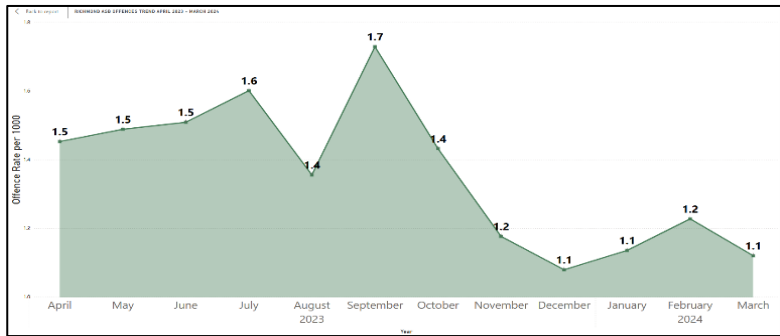
| Richmond Quick Facts Anti-Social Behaviour	
Current Figures refer to the period April 2023- March 2024	
Level of Crime	3188 Total crimes / 16.31 per 1000 Residents
Peer Comparison	2nd lowest volume of ASB in London, 3rd Lowest rate ASB per 1000 in London
Annual Change	N/A First Year of Data Collection

General Trends

During this period there is a significant decline from September 2023 to the lowest recorded overall crime in December 2023. The lowest recorded ASB across this period.

Proactive area based Community Safety problem solving plans, raising and targeted work through the Community MARAC with our police and partners have supported the reductions.

Seasonality

There is minimal evidence of seasonal increases and decreases across this period, the average offence rate is 265 for all recorded ASB offenses.

The highest recorded offences were in September 338, with the lowest period being in December 211. Possible seasonal trends aligned with, improved spring and summer weather. With lower periods of ASB across the winter period.
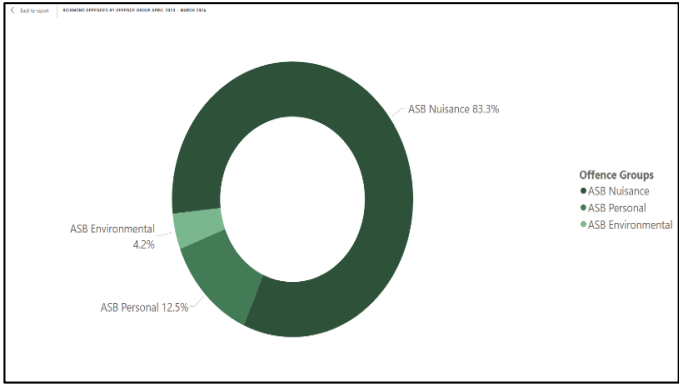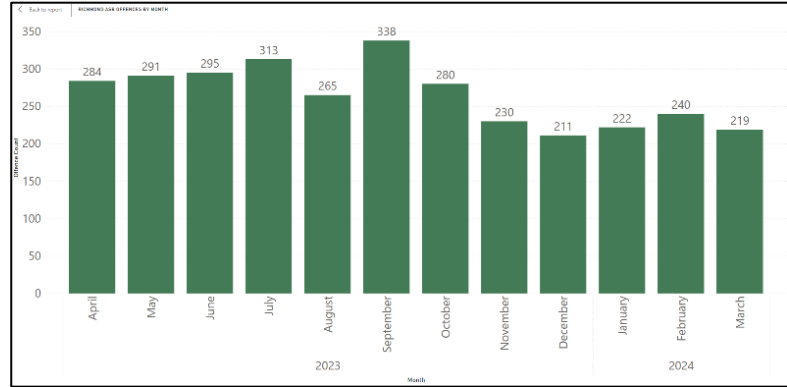
Breakdown of Crime Types

The top offence in this period is ASB Nuisance, accounting for 83.3% of offenses.

Top 5 Wards:

1) South Richmond
2) Twickenham Riverside
3) Barnes
4) Ham, Petersham & Richmond Riverside
5) Hampton North

Combined these Wards account for 37% of all Offences.