

Virginia Resident Traffic Stop Report: Colonial Heights Police Department

Stops Dated January 01, 2024 to December 31, 2024

	Total	White	Black-African American	Hispanic (any race)	Asian-Other Pacific Islander	American Indian or Alaska Native
Population Demographics						
Number Age 15+ in CY2023 Jurisdiction Population	13,167	9,362	2,298	931	513	63
Percent Age 15+ in CY2023 Jurisdiction Population	100.00%	71.10%	17.45%	7.07%	3.90%	0.48%
Virginia Resident Drivers Stopped						
Number of Virginia Resident Drivers Age 15+ Stopped	3,969	1,302	2,377	256	28	6
Percent of Virginia Resident Drivers Age 15+ Stopped	100.00%	32.80%	59.89%	6.45%	0.71%	0.15%
Disparity Index		0.5	3.4	0.9	0.2	0.3
Reason for Stop - Virginia Resident Drivers						
Number Stopped for Traffic Violation	3,103	1,029	1,843	201	25	5
Percent Stopped for Traffic Violation	100.00%	33.16%	59.39%	6.48%	0.81%	0.16%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1
Number Stopped for Equipment Violation	808	252	500	52	3	1
Percent Stopped for Equipment Violation	100.00%	31.19%	61.88%	6.44%	0.37%	0.12%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.8
Number Stopped for Terry Stop	17	7	9	1	0	0
Percent Stopped for Terry Stop	100.00%	41.18%	52.94%	5.88%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		1.3	0.9	0.9	~	~
Number Stopped for Other Reason	41	14	25	2	0	0
Percent Stopped for Other Reason	100.00%	34.15%	60.98%	4.88%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.0	0.8	~	~
Outcome of Stop- Virginia Resident Drivers						
Number of Stops with Warning Issued	1,583	466	987	115	11	4
Percent of Stops with Warning Issued	100.00%	29.44%	62.35%	7.26%	0.69%	0.25%
Disparity Index		0.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.7
Number of Stops with Citation/Summons issued	1,810	609	1,080	104	16	1
Percent of Stops with Citation/Summons issued	100.00%	33.65%	59.67%	5.75%	0.88%	0.06%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.0	0.9	1.3	0.4
Number of Stops with Driver Arrested	82	24	52	6	0	0
Percent of Stops with Driver Arrested	100.00%	29.27%	63.41%	7.32%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		0.9	1.1	1.1	~	~
Number of Stops with No Enforcement Action	494	203	258	31	1	1
Percent of Stops with No Enforcement Action	100.00%	41.09%	52.23%	6.28%	0.20%	0.20%
Disparity Index		1.3	0.9	1.0	0.3	1.3
Additional Details of Stop - Virginia Resident Drivers						
Number of Stops with Driver or Vehicle Search	56	18	34	4	0	0
Percent of Stops with Driver or Vehicle Search	100.00%	32.14%	60.71%	7.14%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		1.0	1.0	1.1	~	~
Number of Stops with Office Force Against Subject	8	0	7	1	0	0
Percent of Stops with Office Force Against Subject	100.00%	0.00%	87.50%	12.50%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		~	1.5	1.9	~	~
Number of Stops with Subject Force Against Officer	6	1	5	0	0	0
Percent of Stops with Subject Force Against Officer	100.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Disparity Index		0.5	1.4	~	~	~

Data sources:

Community Policing Data Collection, Virginia Department of State Police, February 2025

Vintage 2023 postcensal estimates of the resident population of the United States (July 1, 2024), by year, county, binned age,

race, Hispanic origin, and sex. Available from: <https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/popest/datasets/2020-2023/counties/asrh/cc-est2023-alldata-51.csv> as of March 15, 2025.

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Search can involve driver, vehicle, or both.

The disparity index for small numbers of stops and small populations should be interpreted with caution because of the small numbers involved.