

BEDFORD MUNICIPAL COURT

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Presiding Judge

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Clerk of Court

To the Bedford City Council Members, Cuyahoga County Executive, Office of the County Council, and the Mayors, Trustees, City Council Members, Police Chiefs of the Cities of Bedford, Bedford Heights, Bentleyville, Chagrin Falls, Chagrin Falls Township, Glenwillow, Highland Hills, Moreland Hills, North Randall, Oakwood, Orange, Solon, Warrensville Heights, Woodmere, and the Cleveland Metropolitan Parks and the Post Commanders of the Ohio State Patrol:

Greetings:

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 1901.14(A)(4) of the Revised Code of Ohio, submitted herein is the Annual Report of the Bedford Municipal Court for the year ending December 31, 2014. The contents of this report are based upon data assembled and tabulated by Thomas E. Day, Jr., Clerk of Court/Court Administrator and the Court Staff.

The Court's jurisdiction serves the cities/villages of: Bedford, Bedford Heights, Bentleyville, Chagrin Falls, Chagrin Falls Township, Cleveland Metropolitan Parks, Glenwillow, Highland Hills, Moreland Hills, North Randall, Oakwood, Orange, Solon, Warrensville Heights and Woodmere. Bedford Municipal Court is comprised of two elected Judges and the Court's support staff.

A comparison of this report to the 2013 report will reflect that 2014 saw a 3% increase in traffic/criminal division filings. The civil division handled an increase in cases tallying a significant 27%. We are pleased to note however, that forcible entry cases (evictions) were down 6%.

All of these increased demands were met while the Court again, through the efforts of its staff, successfully maintained its focus on fiscal responsibility to the citizens of the Court's jurisdiction as revenue again exceeded expenses.

**SERVING: BEDFORD * BEDFORD HEIGHTS * BENTLEYVILLE * CHAGRIN FALLS* CHAGRIN FALLS
TWP * GLENWILLOW * HIGHLAND HILLS * MORELAND HILLS * NORTH RANDALL * OAKWOOD *
ORANGE * SOLON * WARRENSVILLE HEIGHTS * WOODMERE**

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The Court's Probation Department continues to excel under the leadership of Rhys Tucker the Court's Chief Probation Officer. The probation staff continued to participate in training and education to ensure proper skill levels of our officers and to comply with the Supreme Court of Ohio requirements. Chris Woo has taken a position in another sector of law enforcement and his efforts during his tenure with Our Court were well appreciated. His absence prompted a restructuring of the Probation Department. On December 18, 2014, we hired Margery Slatkovsky as Deputy Probation Clerk. Margery is a retired Cleveland Police Sergeant with 16 years of law enforcement experience. She is a recent graduate of Cuyahoga Community College where she earned an associate degree in Criminal Justice and a certificate in Paralegal Studies. With the addition of Margery, the Probation Department has continued to provide quality service to the public.

The Court continues to strengthen its role in assisting victims of crimes of violence. The Bedford Municipal Court's Domestic Violence Victims Program originated in the year 2000 in an effort to reach out to and assist adult female victims of domestic violence. The program established the position of a Domestic Violence Court Liaison located at the Court to help victims understand the complex legal system, accompany them to Court hearings, aid them in obtaining any necessary services outside of the Court, and to act as a liaison between the victim and the prosecutor. Over the years the program has been expanded to include domestic violence training for law enforcement officers from police departments within the Court's jurisdiction. The most recent development has been to broaden the scope of individuals eligible for services. The program now offers assistance to men and women 14 years of age and older who are victims of sexual assault, domestic violence or dating violence crimes.

Microsoft, as you are probably aware, discontinued the support of Windows XP. In response, 2014 saw the Court work to replace any technology that employed PC's running the Windows XP operating system. This included the courtroom audio recording systems, the overhead announcement boards outside of the courtrooms as well as a number of miscellaneous devices.

At this time, I wish to take a moment to thank the Court's Administrative team along with our entire staff for another year of hard work and dedication. Once again they have met the everyday challenges in our workplace environment successfully.

Special thanks to our Volunteer Court Liaisons, who donate their time and in doing so contribute greatly to the success of the Court. Additionally thank you to those citizens who have served as jurors. Your participation is crucial to the operation of the Court.

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As always, thank you to the Mayors, Law Departments, Police Chiefs, Officers and Staff of the fourteen communities that make up the Bedford Municipal Court's jurisdiction. In particular I wish to thank City of Bedford Mayor Stan Koci, Bedford City Council and staff of the City of Bedford who have provided us with the support needed to continue to serve the public in the manner entrusted to this Court.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian J. Melling". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "B".

**Brian J. Melling
Presiding /Administrative Judge**

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Judge Brian J. Melling and Clerk of Court Thomas E. Day, Jr. would like to recognize members of the Bedford Municipal Court Jurisdiction. It has been Our pleasure to work with you in a spirit of cooperation and look forward to our continued work together.

City of Bedford

Mayor Stan Koci
City Manager Mike Mallis
Prosecutor John Montello
Police Chief Kris Nietert

City of Bedford Heights

Mayor Fletcher Berger
Prosecutor Deborah Turner
Police Chief Michael Marotta

Village of Bentleyville

Mayor Leonard Spremulli
Prosecutor Ann Oakar
Police Chief Gabriel Barone, Jr.

Village of Chagrin Falls

Mayor Thomas Brick
Prosecutor Thomas Hanculak
Police Chief James Brosius

Chagrin Falls Township

Service provided by the
Village of Chagrin Falls

Cleveland Metropolitan Parks

Prosecutor Anne Eisenhower
Police Chief Daniel Veloski

Village of Glenwillow

Mayor Mark Cegelka
Prosecutor Ross Cirincione
Police Chief Michael Megyesi

Village of Highland Hills

Mayor Robert Nash
Prosecutor Donald Williams
Police Chief Antonio Stitt

Village of Moreland Hills

Mayor Susan Renda
Prosecutor Santo Incorvaia
Police Chief Kevin Wyant

Village of North Randall

Mayor David Smith
Prosecutor Leonard Spremulli
Police Chief Ronald Mosley

Village of Oakwood

Mayor Gary Gottschalk
Prosecutor Stephen Klonowski
Police Chief Mark Garratt

Village of Orange

Mayor Kathy Urdang Mulcahy
Prosecutor Blair Melling
Police Chief Chris Kostura

City of Solon

Mayor Susan Drucker
Prosecutor Lon Stolarsky
Police Chief Christopher Vland

City of Warrensville Heights

Mayor Bradley Sellers
Prosecutor Tracy Martin Peebles
Police Chief Wesley Haynes

Village of Woodmere

Mayor Charles Smith
Prosecutor Lon Stolarsky
Police Chief Sheila Mason

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Bedford Municipal Court & Clerk's Office Staff

Melling, Brian J.	Administrative Judge
Jacob III, Harry J.**	Judge
Day, Jr., Thomas E.	Clerk of Courts/Court Administrator
Freda, Joy M.	Acting Judge/Magistrate
Rutsky, Bruce S.	Acting Judge
Abens, Matthew B.*	Magistrate
Cirincione, Ross S.	Magistrate
Downey, Brian P.	Magistrate
Glickman, Robert T.	Magistrate
Greenberg, Barbara	Magistrate
Papa, Nicholas A.	Magistrate
Pidala, Sherry A.	Magistrate
Turner, Deborah M.*	Magistrate
Pfundstein, Joseph A.	Staff Attorney
Pidala, Candice L.	Domestic Violence Liaison
Garmone, John	Chief Deputy Clerk
Dulaney, Bobbie	IT Administrator
Collier, Leanne	Deputy Court Administrator
DeLuca, Dorine	Deputy Clerk/Judicial Assistant
Smolen, Karen	Deputy Clerk/Judicial Assistant
Bailey, Antrina	Deputy Clerk
Byard, Dyan	Deputy Clerk/Part-Time
Carter, Priscilla	Deputy Clerk
Gresham, Karen	Deputy Clerk
Jaklitch, Florence	Deputy Clerk
MacKenzie, Barbara	Deputy Clerk/Bookkeeper
Milakovich, Madelaine	Deputy Clerk
Mosley, Antoinette	Deputy Clerk
Perhacs, Kimberly	Deputy Clerk/Part-Time
Perl, Lisa	Deputy Clerk/Part-Time
Prusha, Kari	Deputy Clerk
Silbaugh, Heather	Deputy Clerk
Suydam, Roberta	Deputy Clerk/Part-Time
Witowski, Gloria	Deputy Clerk
Young, Shirley	Deputy Clerk/Part-Time

* Resigned ** Retired † Deceased

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Bedford Municipal Court & Clerk's Office Staff Continued

Probation Department

Tucker, Rhys	Chief Probation Officer
Woo, Christopher*	Probation Officer
Slatkovsky, Margery	Deputy Clerk/Probation Clerk
Meuti, Gina	Deputy Clerk/Record Retention

Bailiff Department

DeFabio, Jamey	Chief Bailiff
Pinto, Joseph	Bailiff
Fischer, Jason	Deputy Bailiff/Part-Time
Gilliam, John	Deputy Bailiff/Part-Time
Kelly, Douglas J.	Deputy Bailiff/Part-Time
Kozar, Bryan	Deputy Bailiff
Masetta, Audra	Deputy Bailiff/Part-Time
Smith, Michael	Deputy Bailiff/Part-Time
Sullivan, James	Deputy Bailiff

Interns

Cherry, Diamond	Deputy Clerk/Part-Time Intern
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Volunteer Court Liaison

Cummins, Russell	Pallat, Robert
Matz, Judy	Reed, Peggy
McAninch, Beverly	Samp, Marcia

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HISTORY OF THE BEDFORD MUNICIPAL COURT

The Ohio Legislature established the Bedford Municipal Police Court, commencing January 1, 1932, at the same time as the City began to operate under the City Manager form of government. (At that time, similar municipal police courts were in existence in East Cleveland and Cleveland Heights).

Ralph W. Bell was elected as the first Judge of the Court, and by subsequent re-elections, for four-year terms, served from January 1, 1932 until September 1943. In September 1943, Judge Bell resigned to enter service in the Army of the United States.

L.R. Landfear was appointed by the Governor of Ohio in October 1943 to fill the un-expired term, and was elected in November 1943 to a full term, commencing January 1, 1944.

Upon the return of Ralph W. Bell from overseas duty in 1946, Mr. Landfear resigned as Judge and Governor Tom Herbert appointed Ralph W. Bell in December 1946. He continued as Judge until December 1957.

The legislature created a new Bedford Municipal Court, having both criminal and civil jurisdiction, effective as of January 1958, and the Police Court was abolished.

Because of the increased jurisdiction over territory and subject matter of the Court, the position of Judge became one requiring the full time attendance of the occupant. Desiring to continue his private practice of law, Judge Bell decided not to seek election again.

Vincent Arnold was elected and served for the six-year term from January 1, 1958, until December 31, 1963. Judge Joseph A. Zingales, who was elected in November 1963 for the full six-year term commencing January 1, 1964, succeeded him. He was subsequently re-elected to an additional five six-year terms and served the Bedford Municipal Court as Presiding Judge for a total of thirty-six years. Due to age limitations imposed by the State legislature, Judge Joseph A. Zingales was required to retire as of December 31, 1999. Judge Zingales passed away on June 22, 2010.

Because of the increased volume of work for the Chief Justice of Ohio's Supreme Court, C. William O'Neil created a second temporary Judgeship in the Bedford Municipal Court effective March 1, 1974. Rodney H. Reed was appointed by the Chief Justice to fill that role. Effective August 19, 1975, the State legislature formally created a permanent second Judgeship and on November 4, 1975, Rodney H. Reed was elected to a four-year term commencing on January 1, 1976. He subsequently was elected and re-elected to six-year terms until his untimely death on February 17, 1992.

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On May 18, 1992, Governor George Voinovich appointed Peter J. Junkin to fill the vacancy created by the death of Judge Reed until the voters of the district could elect a Judge to fill the balance of the un-expired term. Judge Junkin who was raised in the jurisdiction and was a graduate of Bedford High School served as Magistrate and Acting Judge of the Court from 1982 through 1992.

Thereafter, Peter J. Junkin was elected on November 2, 1993, to complete the un-expired four-year term of the late Rodney H. Reed, and was subsequently re-elected to two additional terms. His current six-year term began on January 1, 2004 until December 2009. In the year 2000, Judge Junkin was elected Presiding Judge of the Court and served in that position until leaving office on December 31, 2009.

Judge Brian J. Melling, a former Law Director for the City of Bedford, was elected to his first six-year term in November 1999, which commenced on January 1, 2000. Judge Melling was also raised in the jurisdiction and was a graduate of Bedford High School and also had prior service as an Acting Judge of the Court from 1992 through 1999. Judge Melling was subsequently re-elected two additional terms. His current six-year term began January 1, 2012 until December 2017.

In April 2003, the Bedford Municipal Court left it's location at 65 Columbus Road and relocated to the new complex at 165 Center Road, Bedford, Ohio. The new courthouse, part of the Bedford Municipal Complex, was built in accordance with the standards suggested by the Supreme Court of Ohio. The construction met both the immediate and foreseeable space needs for the Court.

Elected in November 2009 by the voters of the fourteen communities comprising the Bedford Municipal Court, Judge Harry J. Jacob III took office on January 1, 2010. Judge Jacob had been in private practice for over 28 years, as well as serving on the Solon Civil Service Commission for over 20 years. He retired from his position as Judge on October 8, 2014.

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CIVIL AND SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION

Number of Cases Filed in 2014:

Compliants	3,879
Forcible Entry & Detainer	2,023
Replevin	34
Cognovit Note	0
Transfer of Judgment	23
Limited Driving Privileges	156
Total:	6,115

Partial Breakdown of Other Filings:

Application for Default	1,397
Bankruptcy	428
Execution of Levy	1
Attachment in Aid of Execution	2,028
Examination Bedford Judge	87
Writ of Execution	4
Writ of Restitution	1,322
Certificate of Judgment for Lien	617
Certificate of Judgment for Transfer	21
Motions	3,345
Amended Complaints	166
Counterclaims	38
Cross-Complaints/Third Party Complaints	2
Request for Alias Service	3,485
Satisfaction/Release of Garnishment	1,274
Total:	14,215

SMALL CLAIM DIVISION

Small Claim Cases

Cases Pending as of 2013	356
Cases Filed in 2014	1,330
Cases Re-activated in 2014	3
Cases Transferred to Civil Docket in 2014	98
Cases Disposed of in 2014	1,431
Cases Pending as of 12/31/2014	356

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CIVIL AND SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION - Continued

Matters Heard in 2014

Dismissed	1,475
Judgment for Plaintiff	136
Judgment for Defendant	3
Settled and Dismissed	68
Satisfied	610
Forcible Entry & Detainer	1,326
Limited Driving Privileges	106
Bankruptcy	467
Replevin	32
Cognovit Note	0
Default	1,972
Certified to Common Pleas	11
Motions	4,790
Citations to Show Cause	28
Purged of Contempt	3
Stipulation for Leave to Plead	8
Jury Trials Held	0
Wedding Performed	42

Breakdown of Civil Cases by Municipalities:

Bedford	1,045
Bedford Heights	1,028
Bentleyville	1
Chagrin Falls	96
Glenwillow	11
Highland Hills	23
Moreland Hills	22
North Randall	68
Oakwood	119
Orange Village	46
Solon	361
Warrensville Heights	1,888
Woodmere	101
Other	1,442

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CIVIL AND SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION - Continued

Receipts: Civil and Small Claims

Clerk and Bailiff Fees (Court Costs)	\$	669,305.95
State Reparation		133,442.80
Deposit for Jury		1,830.00
Appraisers		160.00
Security for Costs		26,097.99
Judgments		1,489,814.15
Miscellaneous		10,152.99
Clerk of Court Computer Fund		17,664.00
Court Computer Fund		5,889.00
Legal Resource Fund		5,888.00
Special Program Fund		35,334.00
Total Receipts	\$	2,395,578.88

Disbursements: Civil and Small Claims

City of Bedford - Clerk and Bailiff	\$	669,305.95
State Reparation		133,442.80
Refunds, Transfers, Court of Appeals, Security		96,306.95
Judgments		1,405,223.17
Appraisers		0.00
Legal Resource Fund		5,888.00
Clerk of Court Computer Fund		17,664.00
Court Computer Fund		5,889.00
Special Programs Fund		35,334.00
Unclaimed Funds		1,783.99
Total Disbursements	\$	2,370,837.86

Receipts: Landlord-Tenant

Rent Deposits	\$	45,611.00
Total Receipts	\$	45,611.00

Disbursements: Landlord-Tenant

City of Bedford - Costs	\$	450.21
Landlord-Tenant		55,206.31
Total Disbursements	\$	55,656.52

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CIVIL AND SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION - Continued

TRUSTEESHIP DIVISION

Pending as of 12/31/2013	4
Accounts Filed in 2014	3
Bankruptcy	0
Terminated for Non-Payment	2
Terminated at Trustee's Request	0
Accounts Paid in Full	2
Pending as of 12/31/2014	3

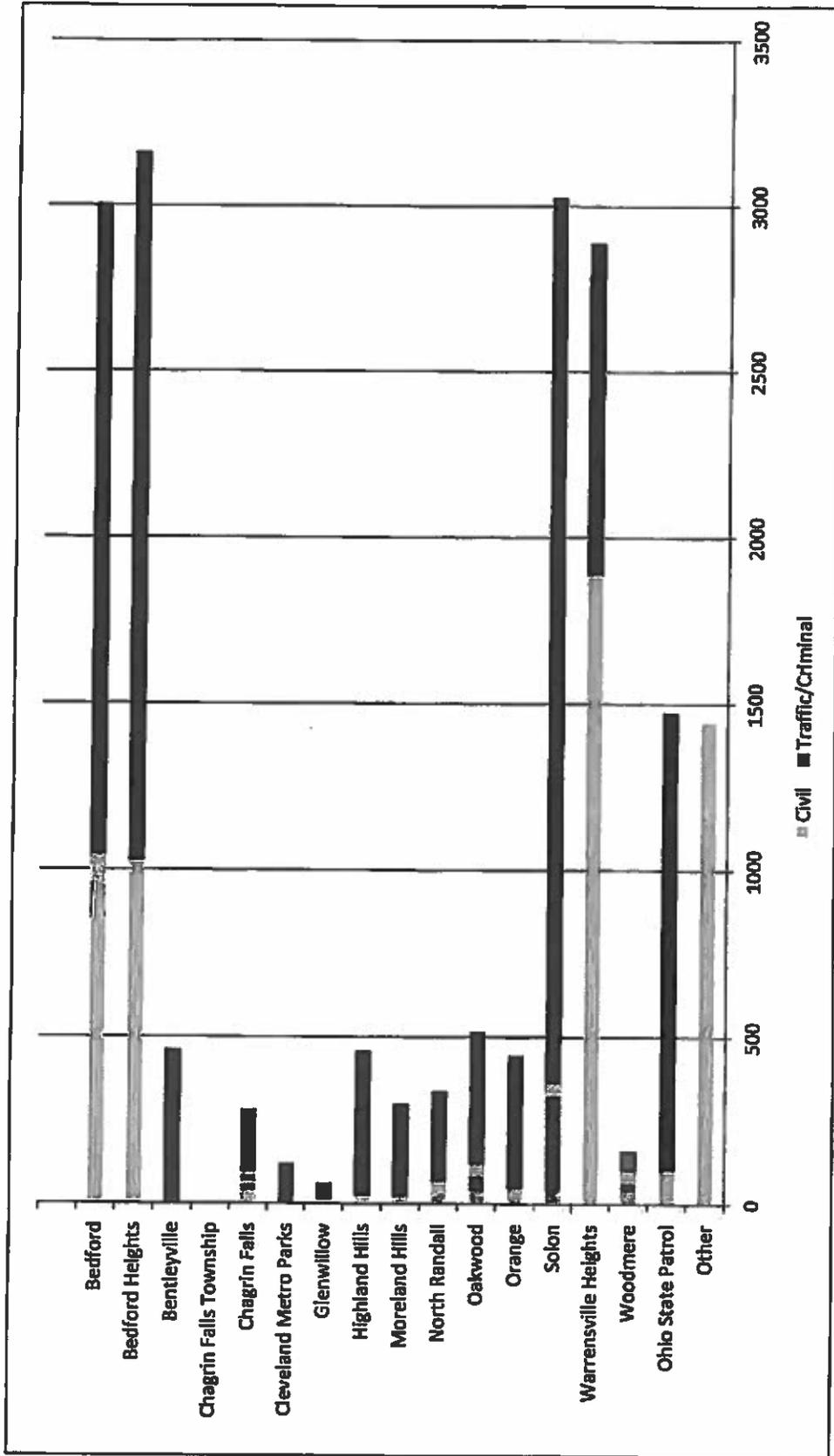
Receipts:

Debtor Filing Fees	\$	7,728.82
Filing Fees		30.00
Total Receipts	\$	7,758.82

Disbursements:

City of Bedford - Clerk and Bailiff	\$	194.96
Credit Payments		6,004.25
Refunds		1,559.61
Total Disbursements	\$	7,758.82

BEDFORD MUNICIPAL COURT NEW CASE FILINGS FOR YEAR 2014 BY MUNICIPALITY

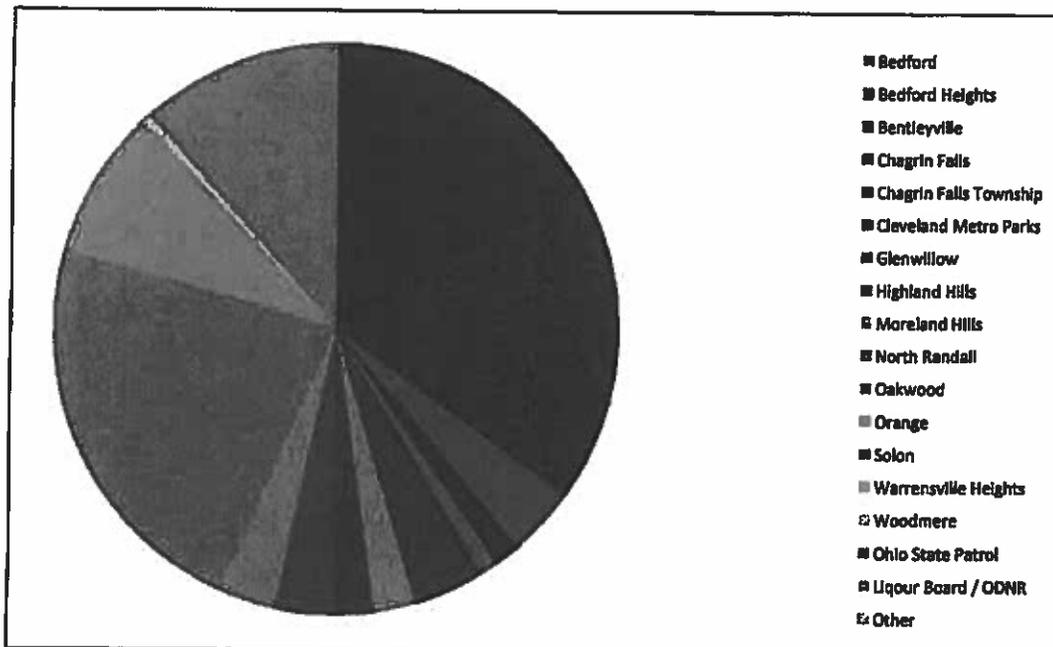


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TRAFFIC / CRIMINAL DIVISION - Continued

Total Traffic / Criminal New Case Filings By Municipality

	Criminal - CRA Felonies	Criminal - CRB Misdemeanors	Traffic - TRC OVI/BAC	Traffic TRD	Total Traffic/Criminal Cases
Bedford	59	598	57	1,245	1,959
Bedford Heights	49	260	29	1,793	2,131
Bentleyville	3	35	7	414	459
Chagrin Falls	8	54	22	101	185
Chagrin Falls Township	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland Metro Parks	1	15	0	103	119
Glenwillow	0	7	5	37	49
Highland Hills	3	90	31	308	432
Moreland Hills	7	43	14	211	275
North Randall	16	124	6	122	268
Oakwood	16	108	47	223	394
Orange	5	35	9	347	396
Solon	82	635	134	1,813	2,664
Warrensville Heights	86	339	19	556	1,000
Woodmere	4	15	0	38	57
Ohio State Patrol	0	20	33	1,318	1,371
Liquor Board / ODNR	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total By Case Type	339	2,378	413	8,629	11,759



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TRAFFIC/CRIMINAL DIVISION - Continued

Domestic Violence

Bedford	36
Bedford Heights	35
Bentleyville	0
Chagrin Falls	5
Chagrin Falls Township	0
Cleveland Metropolitan Parks	0
Glenwillow	1
Highland Hills	4
Moreland Hills	3
North Randall	7
Oakwood	6
Orange	3
Solon	32
Warrensville Heights	37
Woodmere	1
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Other Offenses of Violence

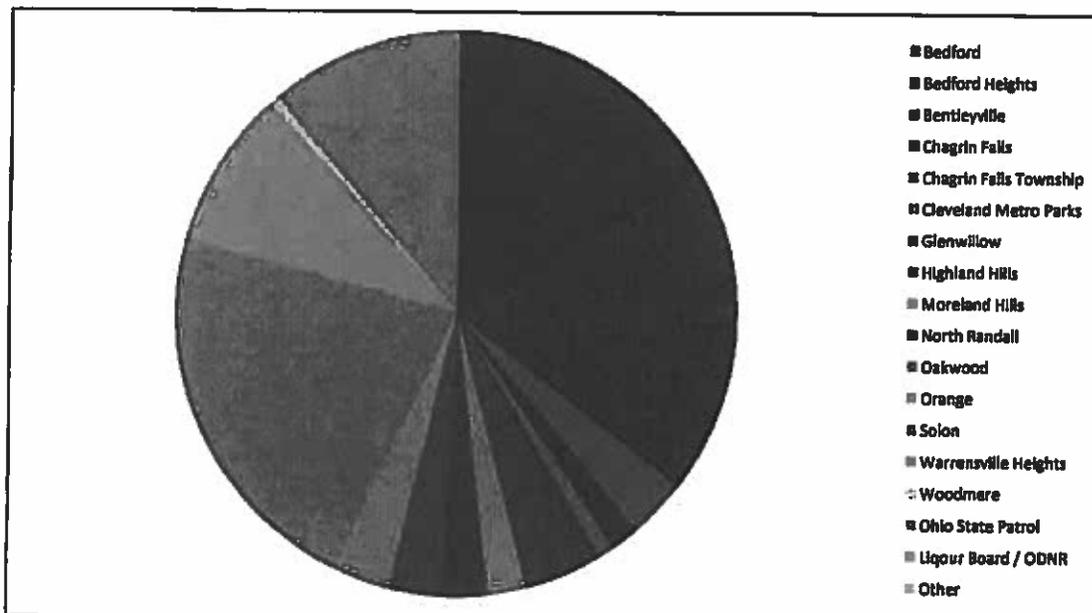
Violation of Protection Order	29
Assault	92
Sexual Imposition	5
Menacing	8
Aggravated Menacing	30
Rape	6

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TRAFFIC / CRIMINAL DIVISION - Continued

Total Traffic / Criminal Cases Disposed By Municipality

	Criminal - CRA Felonies	Criminal - CRB Misdemeanors	Traffic - TRC OVI/BAC	Traffic TRD	Total Traffic/Criminal Cases
Bedford	62	632	59	1,315	2,068
Bedford Heights	50	294	40	1,953	2,337
Bentleyville	2	31	9	388	430
Chagrin Falls	6	63	26	107	202
Chagrin Falls Township	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland Metro Parks	1	17	0	100	118
Glenwillow	0	10	4	48	62
Highland Hills	3	110	53	338	504
Moreland Hills	7	39	17	219	282
North Randall	13	139	8	158	318
Oakwood	17	97	28	245	387
Orange	5	37	10	373	425
Solon	80	618	164	1,872	2,734
Warrensville Heights	82	397	16	645	1,140
Woodmere	4	19	0	40	63
Ohio State Patrol	0	21	25	1,357	1,403
Liquor Board / ODNR	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total By Case Type	332	2,524	459	9,158	12,473



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TRAFFIC/CRIMINAL DIVISION

Probation Department

Placed on Active Probation	397
Placed on Inactive Probation	130
Placed on Diversion	129
Cases Terminated Successfully	540
Probation Violations Heard	44
Expungement Investigations assigned	266

Matters Heard or Disposed of in 2014

State & Municipal Traffic	9,617
State and Municipal Misdemeanors	2,524
Felony - Bind Overs	251
Misdemeanor - Bind Overs	16
Felony - Dismissed	57
Felony - Indicted Dismissed	24
Jury Trials held	1
Jury Cases Disposed as Scheduled Jury/Demand Waived	2
Jury Cases Disposed without Jury/Demand Waived	22
Extraditions	6
Criminal Rule 4E	8
Traffic/Criminal Cases Paid by Waiver	4,469
5-Day Hearings	2,311
Expungements	233
Contempt of Court - Guilty	233
Contempt of Court - Purged	1,236
Cases Disposed as N/A or Fugitive	716
Search Warrants	48
Cases Re-opened	1,158
Warrants Issued	3,009
License Forfeitures - Warning Issued	1,166
License Forfeitures - Issued	919
License Forfeitures Released/Cleared	827
Show Causes to Bonding Companies	846
Indigency Affidavits Counsel Assigned	2,062
Driving Permits	469
Motions for Continuance	2,683
Vehicles Booted	27

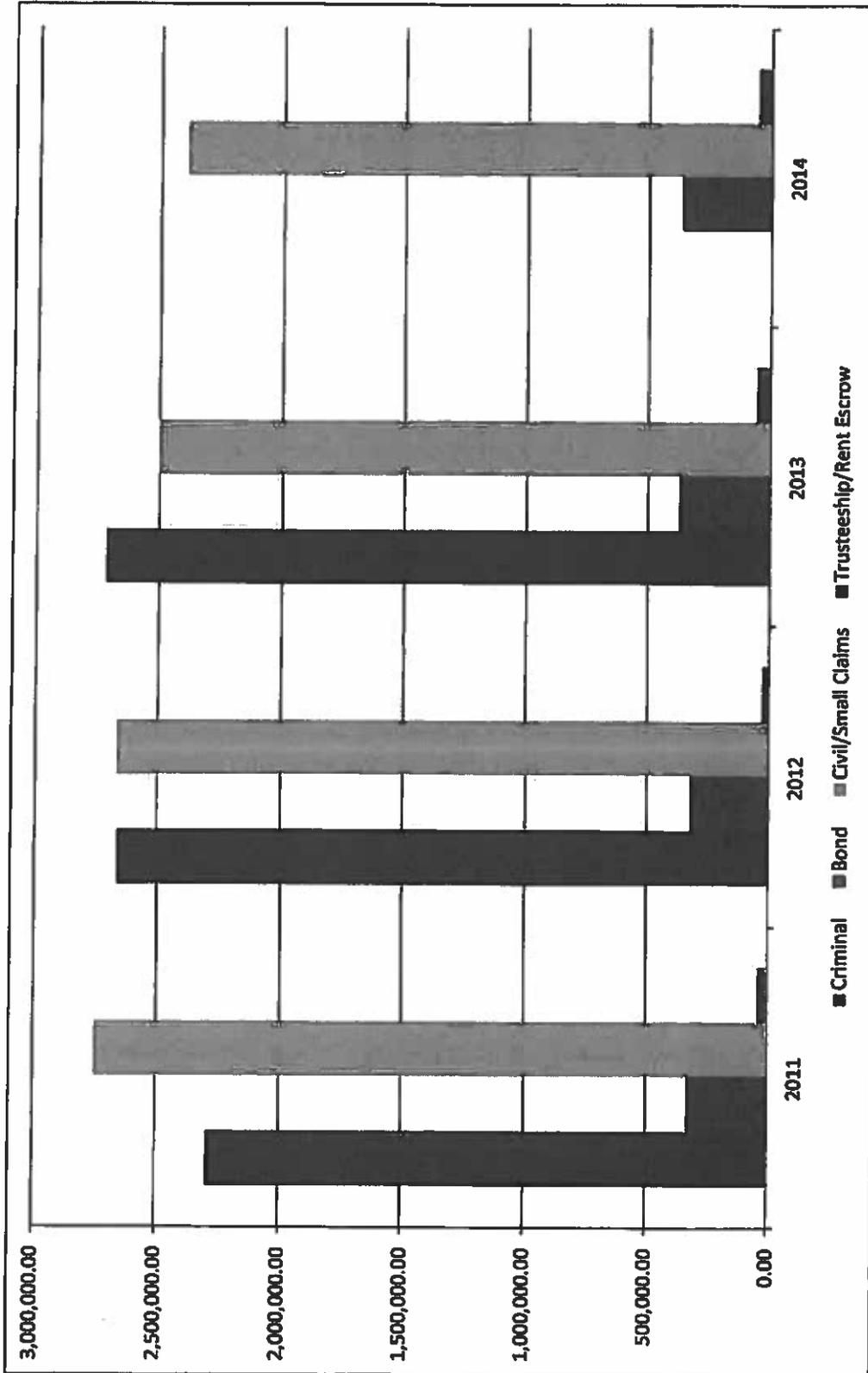
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TRAFFIC/CRIMINAL DIVISION - Continued

Receipts:

Fines, Forfeitures & Expungements	\$ 1,091,975.65
Costs	687,239.46
Restitution/Refund	123,248.25
Capital Recovery Collections Fees	12,735.51
Credit Card Processing	21,618.10
Payment Plan Program	10,675.74
Probation Department	4,502.25
Diversion Program	34,956.65
Witness and Jury Fees	1,346.00
Victims of Crime	72,099.50
Steno Fees	84.00
Court/Clerk Computer Fund	51,000.50
Special Projects Fund	102,557.00
Indigent Interlock/Scram Monitoring	6,862.90
Police Education Fund	794.00
Legal Resource Fund	12,246.00
OMVI Indigent Defense Fund	40,644.73
Public Defenders	25,472.30
REDSS/Crime Stoppers	38,144.98
License Forfeiture Fees	90.00
Drug Law Enforcement Fund	24,226.24
Indigent Defense Support Fund	268,673.10
Habitual Offender Registry	30.00
Total Receipts	\$ 2,631,222.86

Bedford Municipal Court Prior Years Revenue Comparison



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Disbursements:

**Fines, Forfeitures and Expungements
by Municipality:**

City of Bedford	\$	168,029.65
City of Bedford Heights		158,267.88
Village of Bentleyville		38,235.00
Village of Chagrin Falls		28,791.00
Cleveland Metropolitan Parks		5,387.00
Village of Glenwillow		7,099.00
Village of Highland Hills		61,912.13
Village of Moreland Hills		34,012.00
Village of North Randall		28,915.60
Village of Oakwood		38,590.00
Village of Orange		30,942.90
City of Solon		250,602.00
City of Warrensville Heights		64,692.70
Village of Woodmere		6,490.25
Unclaimed Funds		1,388.82
Total Disbursements	\$	923,355.93

Cuyahoga County

Fines, Forfeitures & Expungements	\$	95,812.97
REDSS/Crime Stoppers		38,144.98
Public Defenders Fund		25,472.30
Total	\$	159,430.25

State of Ohio

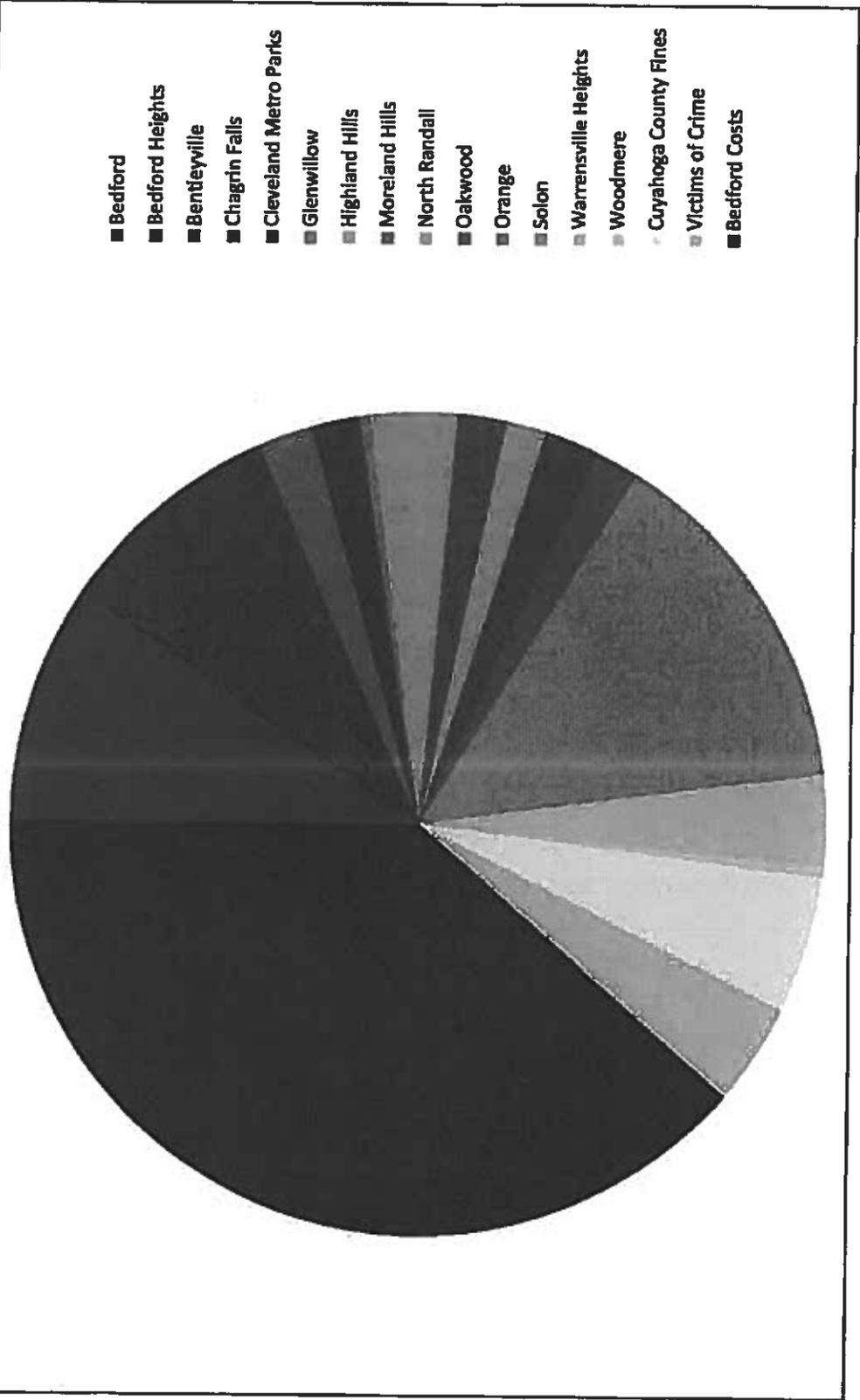
Victims of Crime	\$	72,099.50
Seat Belts		22,637.80
Liquor		1,440.50
State Highway Patrol Fines		42,798.45
Child Restraints		1,760.00
Expungements		4,170.00
License Forfeiture Fees		90.00
Drug Enforcement Fund		24,226.24
Indigent Defense Fund		268,673.10
Habitual Offender Registry		30.00
Total	\$	437,925.59

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TRAFFIC/CRIMINAL DIVISION - Continued

Costs: City of Bedford - Traffic/Criminal Court Costs	
Court Costs	\$ 685,549.46
Credit Card Processing Fees	21,618.10
Payment Plan Fees	10,675.74
Probation Program Fees	4,502.25
Diversion Program Fees	34,956.65
Expungement Costs	1,690.00
Indigent Interlock/SCRAM Monitoring	6,862.90
Witness & Jury Fees	1,346.00
Legal Resource Fund	12,246.00
Court/Clerk Computer Fund	51,000.50
Steno Fees	84.00
Muni Special Projects Fund	102,557.00
OMVI Indigent	40,644.73
Police Education	794.00
Restitution/Refunds	123,248.25
Capital Recover Systems	12,735.51
Total	\$ 1,110,511.09
Total Disbursements	\$ 2,631,222.86
BOND DIVISION	
Bonds - Receipts	\$ 368,380.00
Bond Disbursements:	
Applied to Fines and Costs	\$ 229,292.92
Refunds	112,785.08
Forfeitures	7,513.00
Transfer of Funds	38,533.00
Unclaimed Funds to Bedford	766.75
Total Disbursements	\$ 388,890.75

Bedford Municipal Court Disbursements in Year 2014 by Municipality



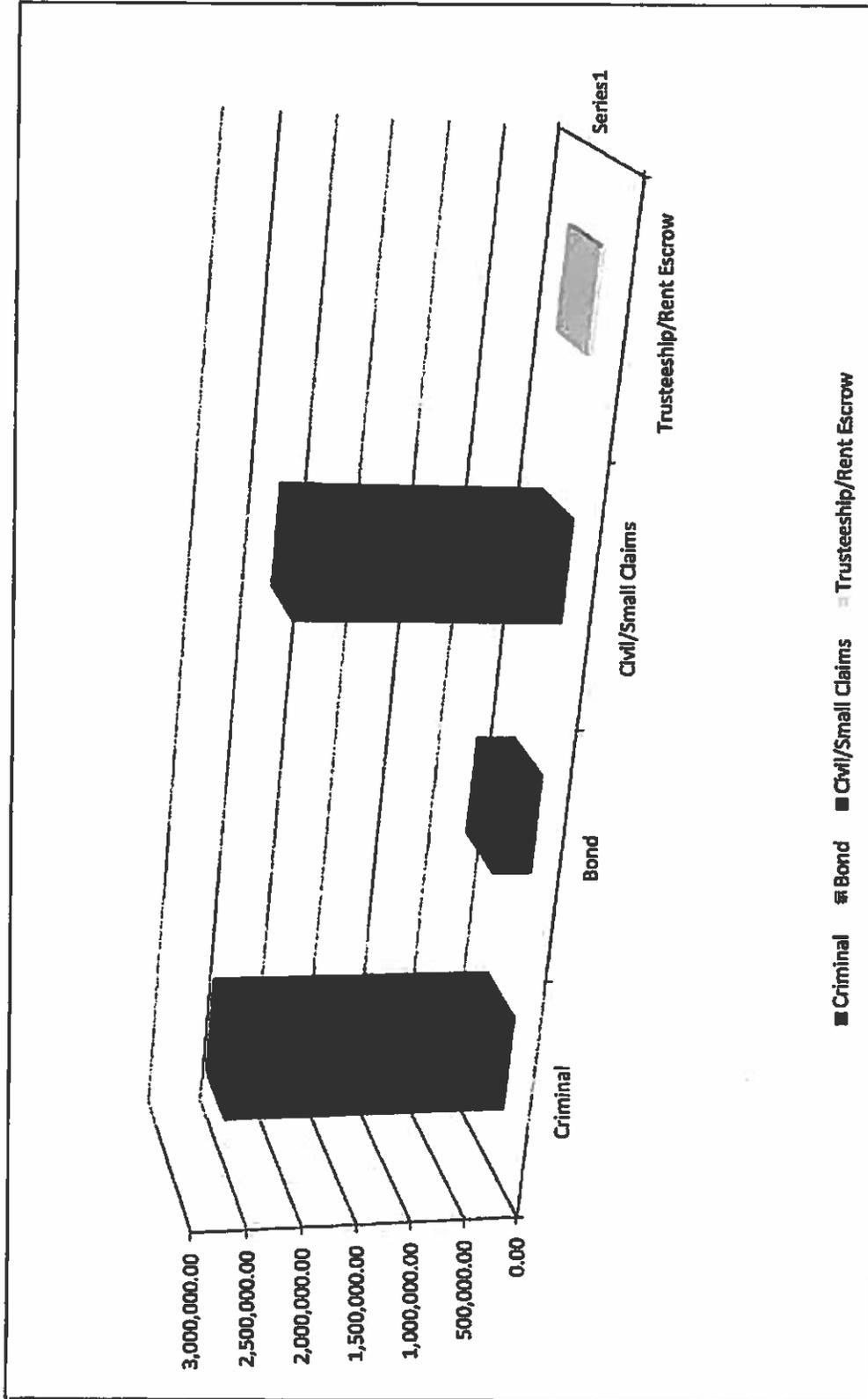
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SUMMARY

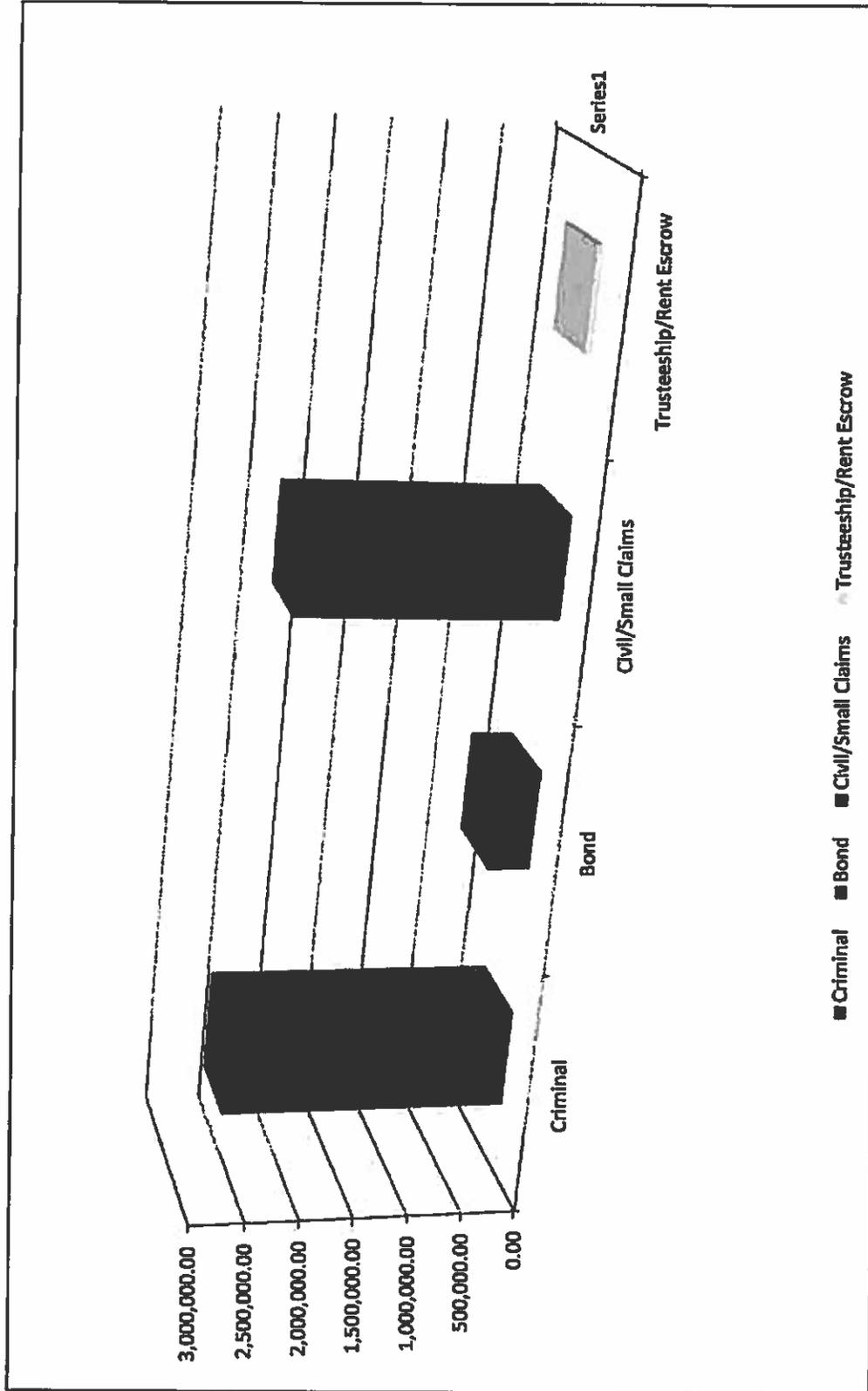
RECEIPTS:	2011	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>
Criminal	\$2,295,080.43	\$2,665,773.65	\$2,715,954.55	\$2,631,222.86
Bond	331,661.00	322,446.00	373,158.00	368,380.00
Civil/Small Claims	2,753,660.63	2,668,458.86	2,503,267.97	2,395,578.88
Trusteeship	9,944.60	16,511.04	19,300.00	7,758.82
Rent Escrow	31,632.50	10,586.00	37,637.64	45,611.00
TOTALS:	\$5,421,979.16	\$5,683,775.55	\$5,649,318.16	\$5,448,551.56

DISBURSEMENTS:	2011	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>
Criminal	\$2,295,082.43	\$2,598,036.95	\$2,715,797.55	\$2,631,222.86
Bond	344,817.00	319,791.00	346,577.00	388,890.75
Civil/Small Claims	2,804,662.51	2,642,965.22	2,545,340.80	2,370,837.86
Trusteeship	9,725.73	16,511.04	19,300.00	7,758.82
Rent Escrow	22,963.37	18,308.99	17,153.07	55,656.52
TOTALS:	\$5,477,251.04	\$5,595,613.00	\$5,644,168.42	\$5,454,366.81

Bedford Municipal Court Summary of Year 2014 Receipts



Bedford Municipal Court Summary of Year 2014 Disbursements



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FINANCIAL RECONCILIATION

BOND

Bank Balance as of 12/31/2013	\$	101,974.94
Less Outstanding Checks		(18,259.75)
Deposit in Transit		500.00
Open Items as of 12/31/2014	\$	<u>84,215.19</u>

CRIMINAL

Bank Balance as of 12/31/2013	\$	195,775.10
Less Outstanding Checks		(198,397.85)
Deposit in Transit		4,861.50
Open Items as of 12/31/2014	\$	<u>2,235.75</u>

CIVIL AND SMALL CLAIMS

Bank Balance as of 12/31/2013	\$	206,932.16
Less Outstanding Checks		(121,806.75)
Deposit in Transit		1,120.00
Open Items as of 12/31/2014	\$	<u>86,245.41</u>

TRUSTEESHIP

Bank Balance as of 12/31/2013	\$	976.03
Less Outstanding Checks		(976.03)
Deposit in Transit		0.00
Open Items as of 12/31/2014	\$	<u>0.00</u>

RENT ESCROW

Bank Balance as of 12/31/2013	\$	22,968.34
Less Outstanding Checks		(2,721.31)
Deposit in Transit		0.00
Open Items as of 12/31/2014	\$	<u>20,247.03</u>

JURY/WITNESS FEES

Bank Balance as of 12/31/2013	\$	3,162.38
Less Outstanding Checks		(89.47)
Deposit in Transit		0.00
Open Items as of 12/31/2014	\$	<u>3,072.91</u>

