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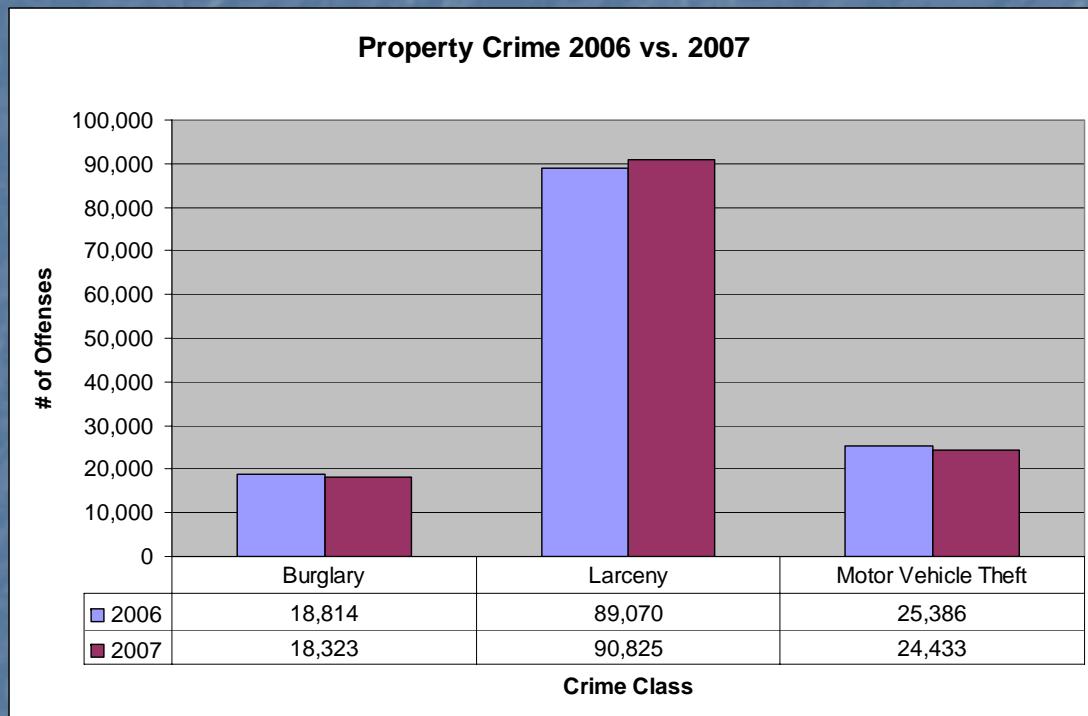
2007 Crime Report

Prepared by Police Planners Sub-Committee

Summary

- Overall, Part 1 crime decreased in region.
- Although homicides increased, violent crime decreased overall.
- Reported property crime increased slightly.
- Multi-year crime trends are generally down, except for larceny.

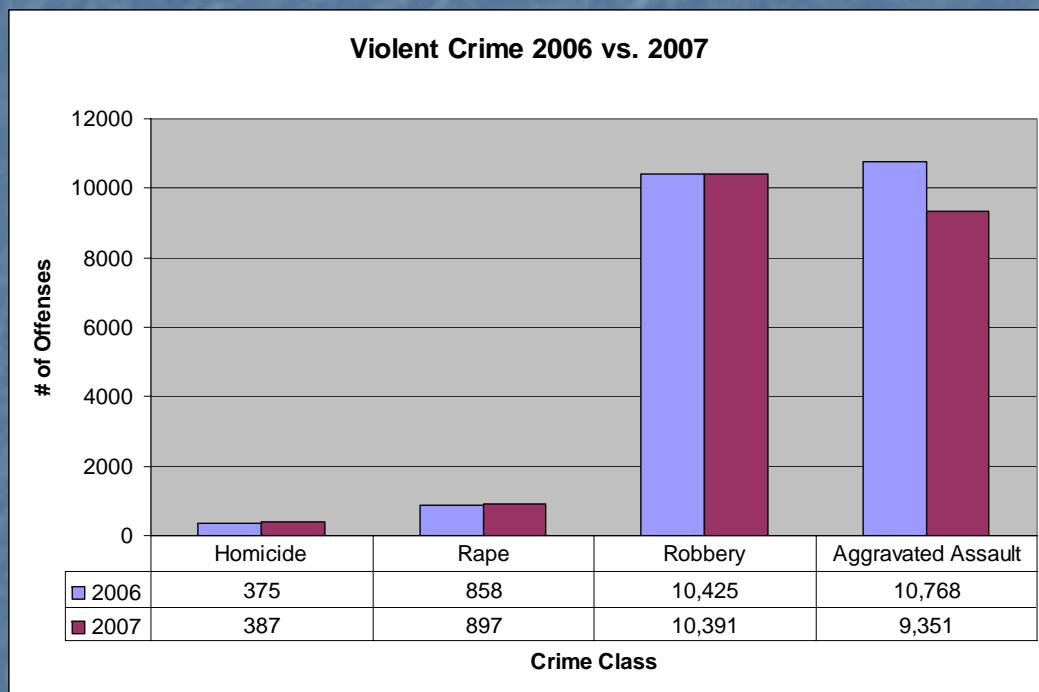
Property Crimes 2006 vs. 2007



- Burglary -2.61%
- Larceny + 1.97%
- Motor - 3.75%

Vehicle Theft

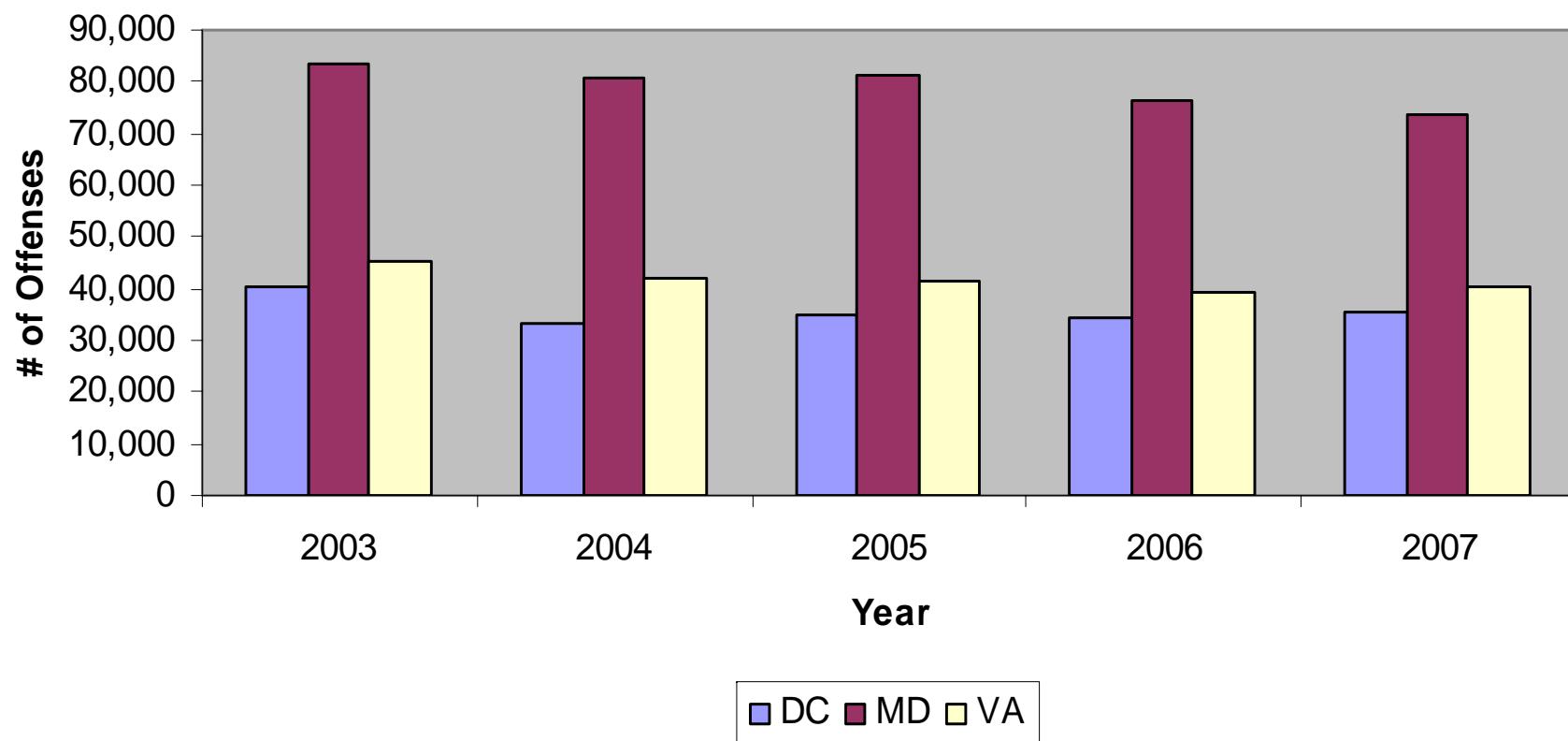
Violent Crimes 2006 vs. 2007



- Homicides + 3.20 %
- Rapes + 4.55%
- Robbery - 0.33 %
- Aggravated - 13.16 %
Assault

Crime Trends by Region 2003-2007

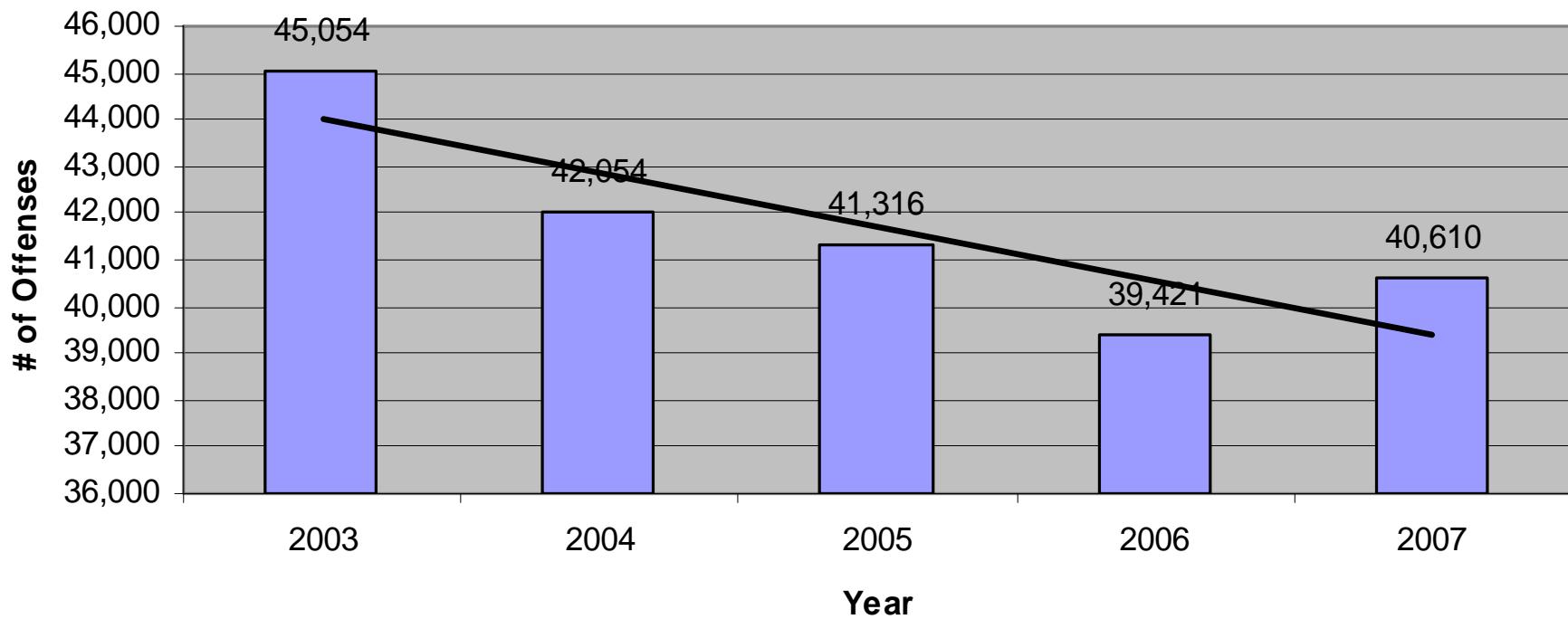
Part 1 Offenses by Region 2003-2007
(Does not include Associate Departments)



Crime Trends 2003-2007

Virginia

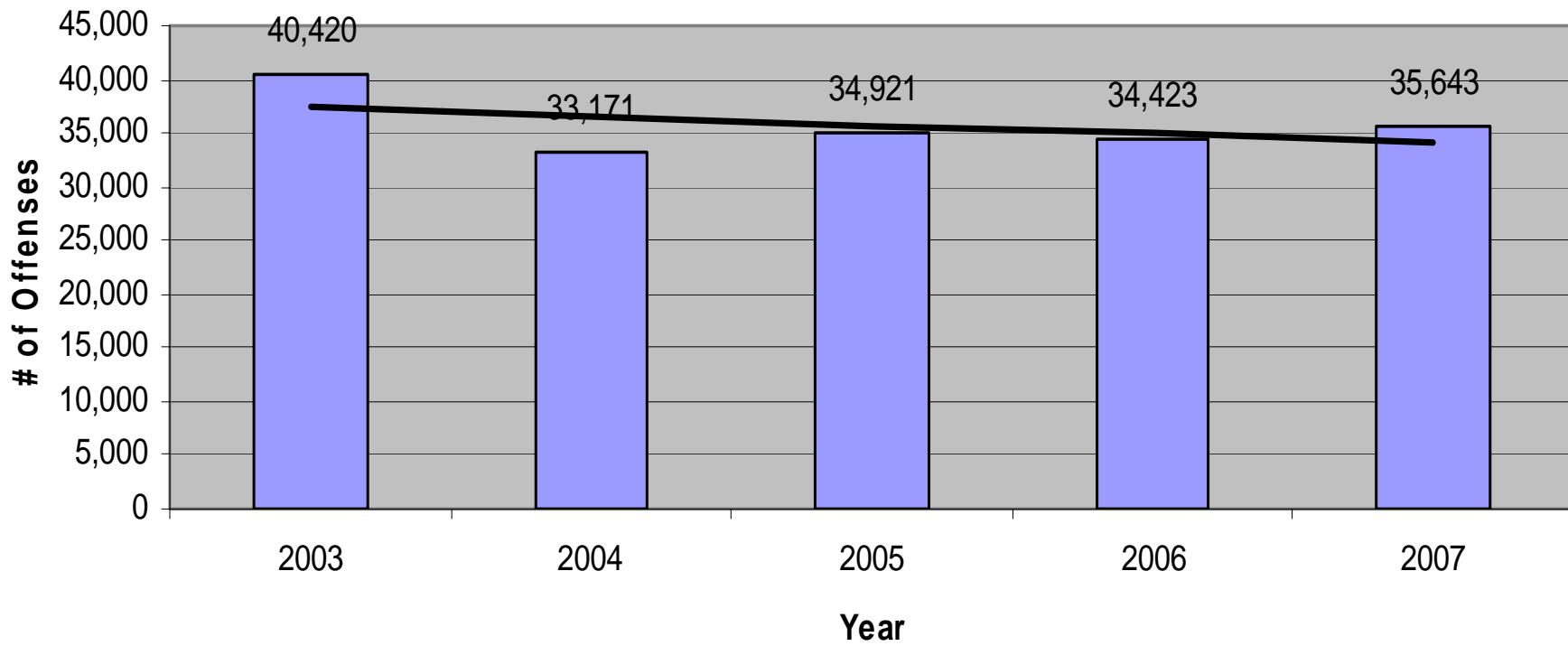
VA Part 1 Offense Trend 2003-2007



Crime Trends 2003-2007

District of Columbia

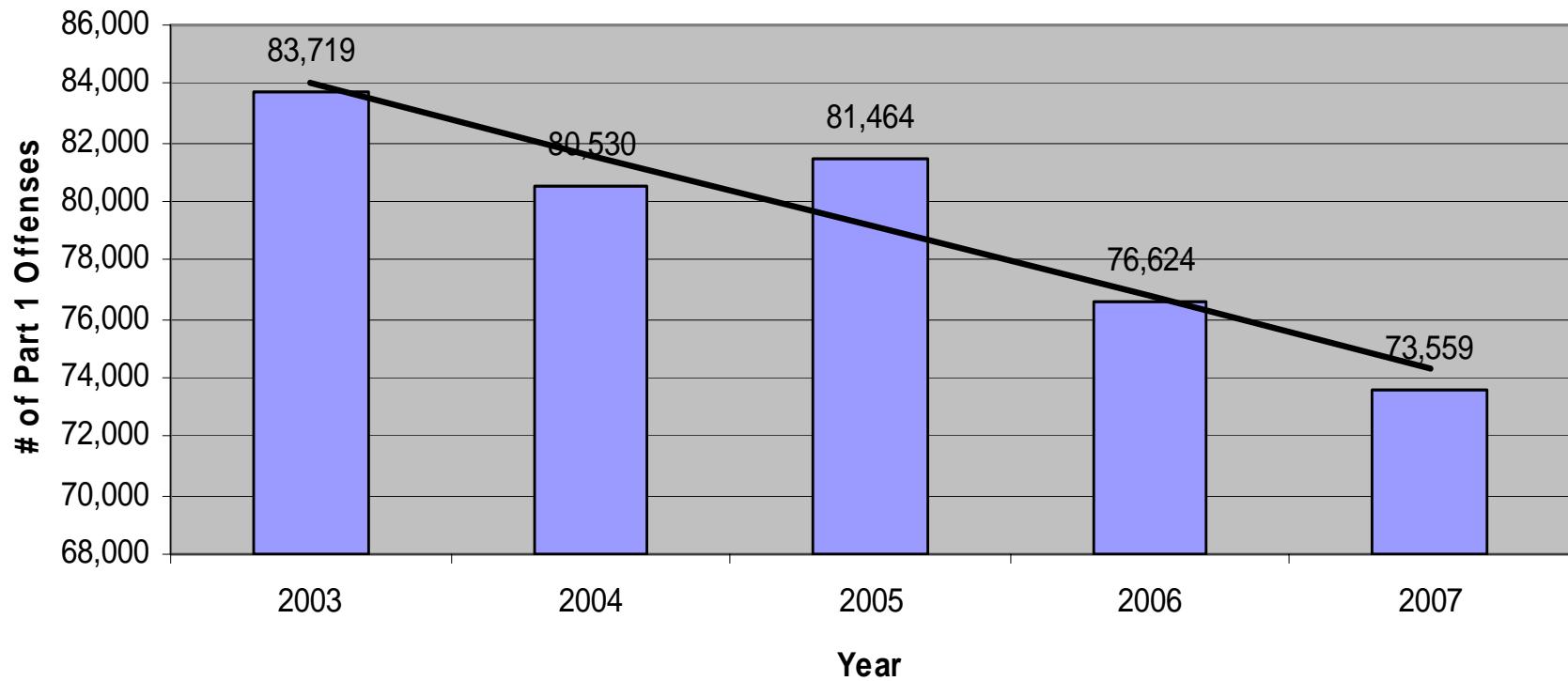
DC Part 1 Offense Trend 2003-2007



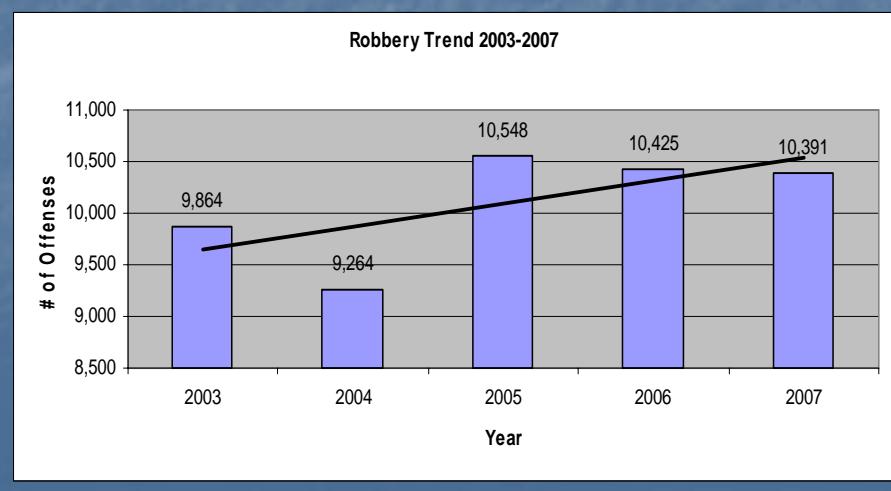
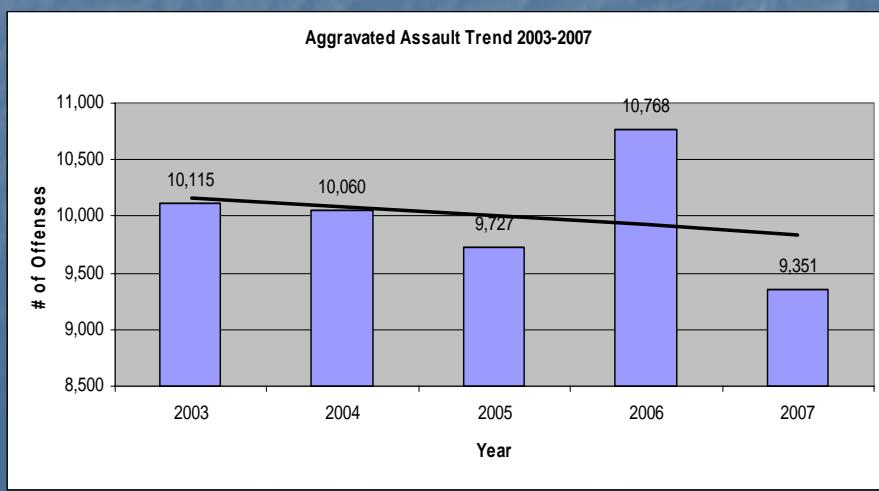
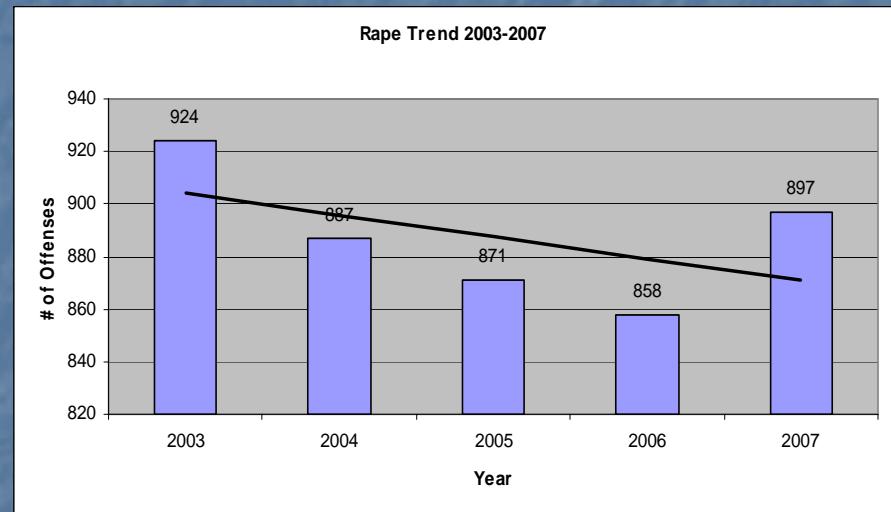
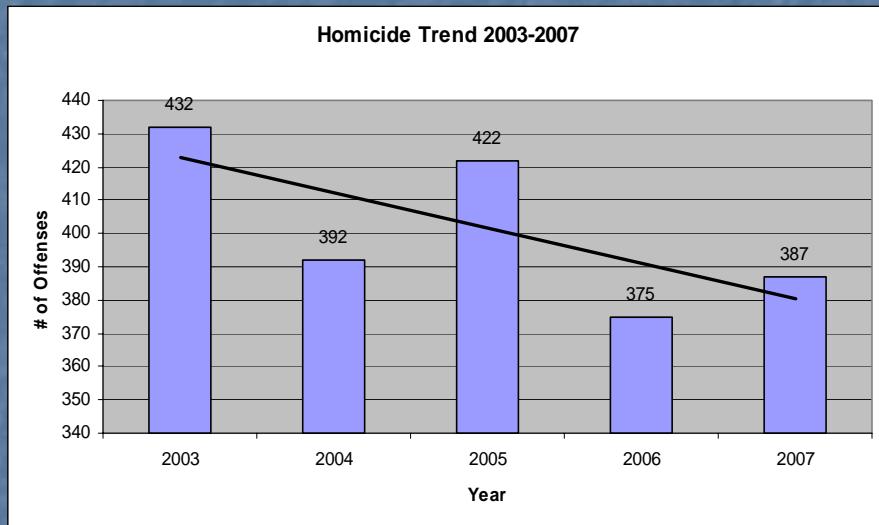
Crime Trends 2003-2007

Maryland

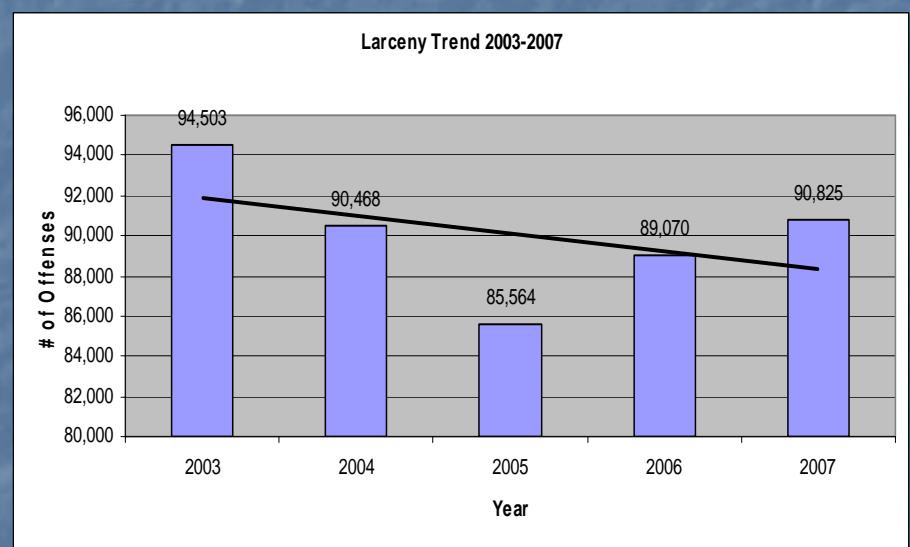
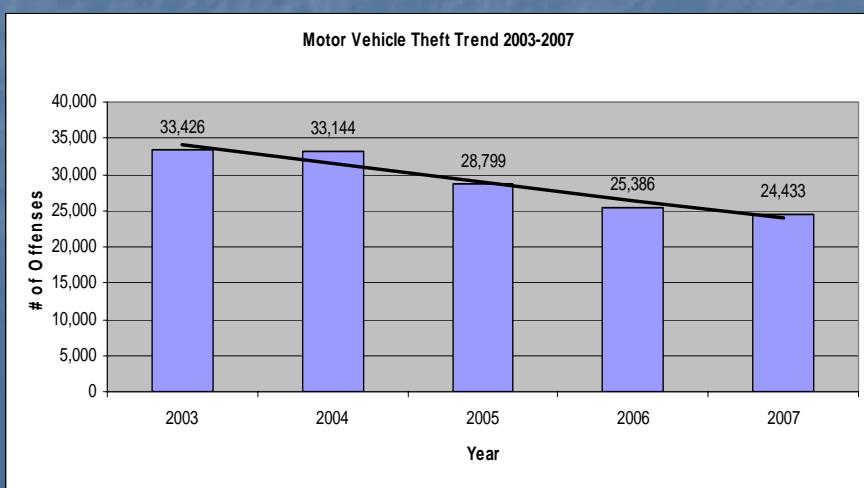
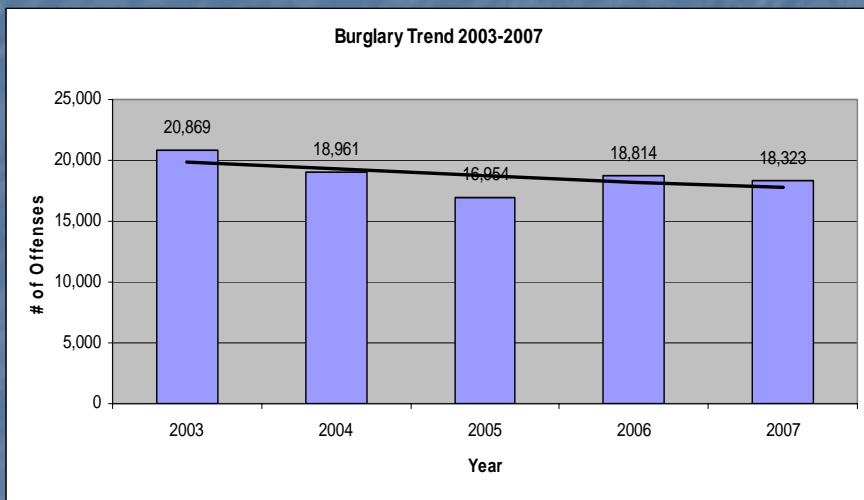
MD Crime Trend 2003-2007



Violent Crime Trends 2003-2007



Property Crime Trends 2003-2007



Conclusions

- Cooperation and communication between regional agencies can impact crime and should continue (ex: task forces, shared databases, etc)
- Economic downturn will likely impact recent trends and require agencies to deal with additional challenges (ex: reduced budgets, rising crime, etc.)

QUESTIONS?

