

RACIAL PROFILING DATA/2008

Agency: **Smithville Police Dept.**

Population: **4,718**

age 16 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	4078	3853	99	79	36	6	5
Searches	340	302	20	14	3	1	0
Arrests	279	250	15	10	3	1	0
Statewide population %	N/A	83.76	10.76	2.27	1.55	0.49	1.17
Local population %	N/A	95.87	0.36	1.89	0.78	0.45	0.66
Disparity index	N/A	0.99	6.74	1.03	1.13	0.33	0.19
Search rate	8.34	7.84	20.20	17.72	8.33	16.67	0.00
Contraband hit rate	19.41	20.20	20.00	7.14	0.00	0.00	#Error
Arrest rate	6.84	6.49	15.15	12.66	8.33	16.67	0.00

Notes: Population figures are 2008 Census estimates for persons 16 years of age and older who designated a single race. Hispanics may be of any race. Other includes persons of mixed race and unknown race.

Disparity index = (proportion of stops / proportion of population). A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation, values less than 1 indicate under-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

Contraband hit rate = (searches with contraband found / total searches) X 100.

Arrest rate = (arrests / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

VEHICLE STOP STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Reason for stop	Moving	3010	2854	70	45	30	6	5
	Equipment	127	118	4	3	2	0	0
	License	92	86	3	3	0	0	0
	Investigative	7	7	0	0	0	0	0
Stop outcome	Citation	1415	1315	39	46	11	2	2
	Warning	2701	2564	61	45	24	4	3
	No action	46	43	0	2	1	0	0
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	US hwy	3094	2919	76	62	29	4	4
	State hwy	301	279	16	5	0	1	0
	County road	104	101	0	2	1	0	0
	City street	553	530	6	10	5	1	1
	Other	26	24	1	0	1	0	0
Driver gender	Male	2676	2500	74	69	26	3	4
	Female	1402	1353	25	10	10	3	1
Driver age	17 and under	213	211	0	2	0	0	0
	18-29	1469	1388	37	31	10	1	2
	30-39	913	834	29	28	17	3	2
	40 and over	1483	1420	33	18	9	2	1

SEARCH STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	60	56	1	3	0	0	0
	Inventory	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Drug/alcohol odor	11	8	3	0	0	0	0
	Incident to arrest	270	240	16	10	3	1	0
	Plain view contraband	3	1	2	0	0	0	0
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	3	1	1	1	0	0	0
	Drug-dog alert	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
What searched	Driver	25	19	2	2	2	0	0
	Car/property	66	59	4	3	0	0	0
	Driver & Property	249	224	14	9	1	1	0
Search duration	0-15 minutes	336	300	18	14	3	1	0
	16-30 minutes	4	2	2	0	0	0	0
	31+ minutes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contra-band found	Drugs/alcohol	47	44	3	0	0	0	0
	Currency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Weapon	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Stolen property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	18	16	1	1	0	0	0
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	47	42	3	1	1	0	0
	Drug violation	25	22	3	0	0	0	0
	Resist arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Offense against person	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Traffic Violation	69	56	7	4	2	0	0
	DWI/BAC	146	135	5	5	0	1	0
	Property offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	10	10	0	0	0	0	0

Agency response

The City of Smithville is located at the intersection of U.S. Highway 169 and MO Highway 92, which connects Smithville to the 3 interstate highways: I-29 to the west, I-35 to the east, and I-435, which encircles Kansas City, is located just one mile south of the Smithville city limits.

According to recent figures supplied by MoDOT, approximately 3.9 million vehicles pass through the city each year. The volume of traffic is due to the proximity to the Kansas City metro area for jobs, the large number of families moving to the rural area, and recreational activities associated with the Smithville Lake area. Smithville Lake, located 100 feet from the Smithville city limits, is a 7,000 acre U.S. Army Corps of Engineers recreational lake with 2 public golf courses. Each year, the lake records in excess of one million visitors & an estimated 75,000 rounds of golf are played.

Several events are held yearly at the lake including fishing and golf tournaments, and other major festivals through the year. A majority of the year the lake hosts several thousand campers & boaters that travel through the city on a daily basis.

Additionally, the City of Smithville hosts an annual July 4th celebration as well as a fall celebration in September which historically has drawn an estimated 10,000 spectators into the city. Visitors to the lake area travel through our city to reach their destinations.