

Family Justice Center Update

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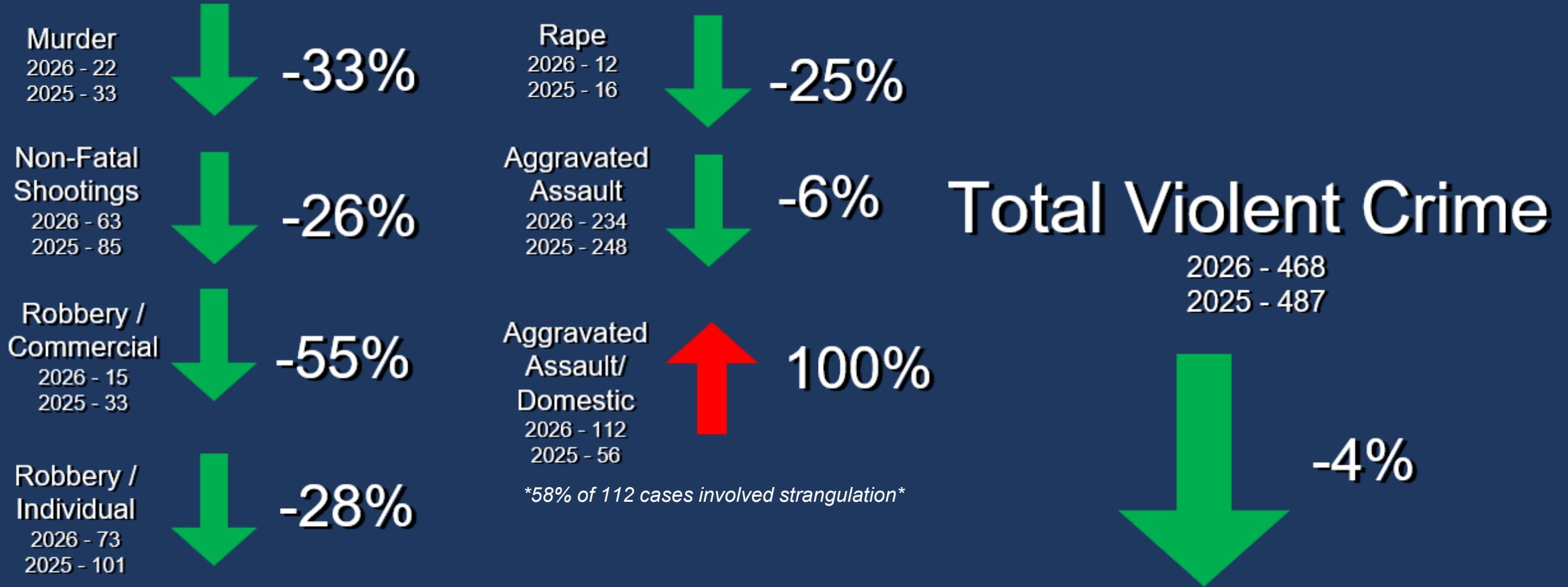
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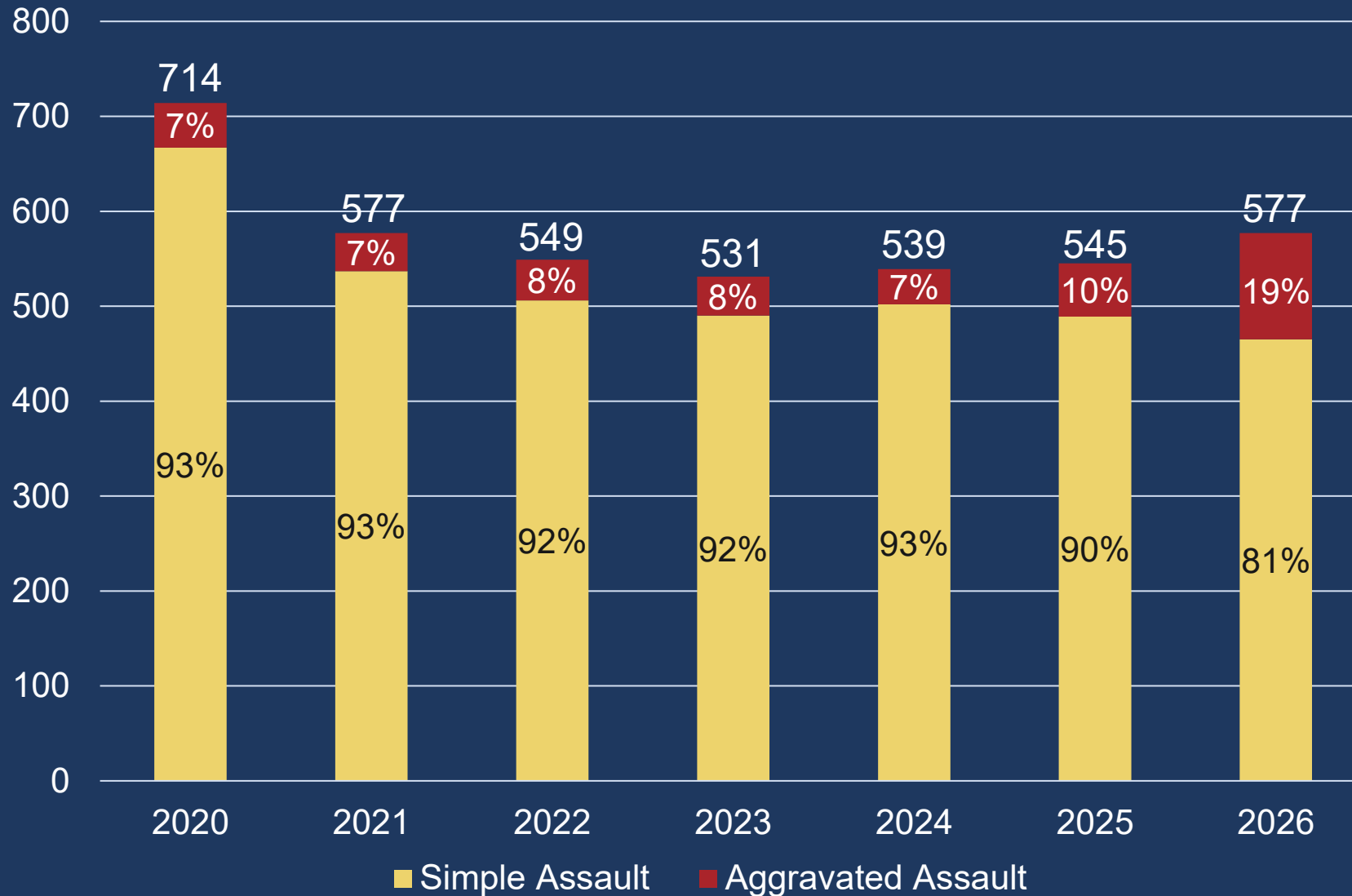
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2026 Violent Crime

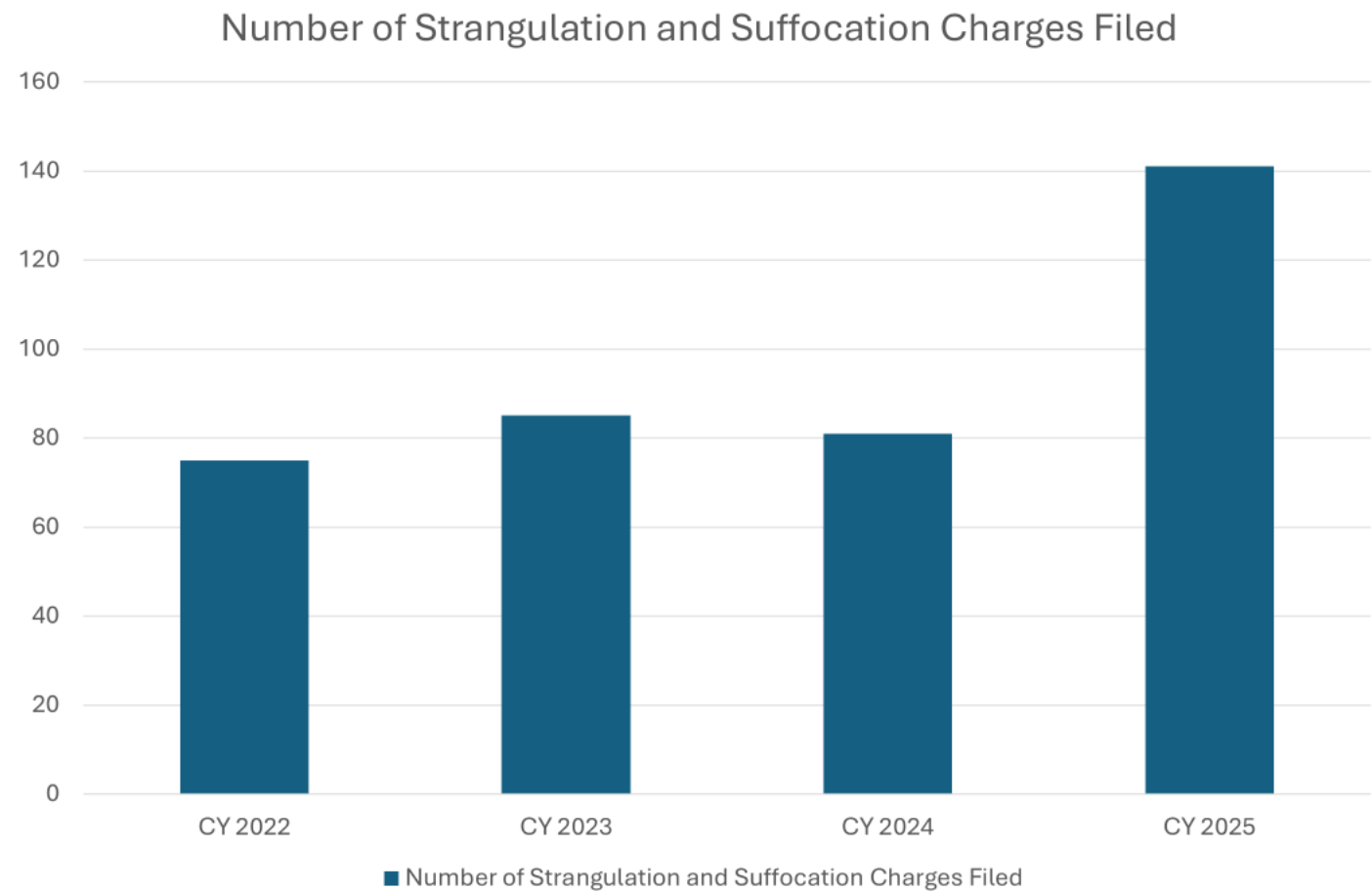
Mid-Year 2026



Aggravated Assault - Domestic



Richmond Criminal Charges 2022 - 2025



Family Justice Center – Needs of the Survivor

Survivor Needs x Agency

● = agency named on Wall Page 1 (Survivor Needs)

Survivor Need	YWCA	VW	HBA	Police	Hospitals	RAA	DSS	SCAN	RBHA	Legal Aid	Just Children	PLP	SPCA	All Agencies
Forensic Nurse Exam w/ follow up medical care					●									
EMS — Info on effects of strangulation						●								
Child care (CPS) (CAC w/ forensic interview)							●	●						
Education Advocacy — school safety											●			
Safety (emerg. shelter, safety planning)	●	●	●											
Pet safety / care	●											●	●	
Info on Prot. Orders	●	●												
Financial	●													
Acute Advocacy Support	●	●	●											●
Info on IPV dynamics	●	●	●											●
Case mgmt. (all services + court)	●		●											
Hotline worker connect	●			●										
Mental Health treatment (mom + kid)	●							●	●					
Court process / arrest (Vinelink, VVF, court date reminders, notification of bond hrg., automated system?)	●			●										
Transportation														●
Housing (eviction assistance / rent)	●	●		●										
Cell Phone (property damage) (look for stalking app) (check-in safety app) (alarms / tools app)	●			●										
Clothing	●		●											
Custody / Child Support										●				



Family Justice Center – Investigation & Prosecution

Investigation + Prosecution Needs × Agency

● = agency identified as responsible for meeting this need. Wall Page 2 named the needs; agencies placed by inference from Wall Pages 3 + 5 and the criminal-legal system roles.

Investigation / Prosecution Need	DEC	RPD	VCU	VSP	Cap. Police	RSO	Magistrate	OCA	V/W	DOC	P+P	DJS	Hospitals	FNE
Photos (injuries, scene, parties' appearance, clothing)		●	●	●	●									
Collection of — clothes, weapons, surveillance video, cell phone		●	●	●	●									
Full contact info (email, back up phone + address)		●	●	●	●									
Criminal History		●						●						
Court appearance								●						
Social Media Evidence		●	●	●	●									
911 calls	●													
Medical Records + Evidence		●											●	●
Knowledge of Dangers of strangulation + DV (signs + symptoms)														●
Suspect Statements (post-Miranda, recorded)		●	●	●	●									
Jail calls						●		●						
Pretrial Supervision / PSA-DV / HEM w/ exclusion zones							●							
DV assessment + treatment on probation											●			
Substantial Risk Order							●							
Early Follow up V contact		●												
Interview Witnesses		●	●	●	●									
Arrest		●	●	●	●									
DNA / Forensic Evidence		●	●	●	●									
Protective Orders							●							



Questions?



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