

The seal of the Criminal Justice Commission, State of Oregon, is a circular emblem. It features a central illustration of a classical building with a pediment and columns, topped with a flag. The words "CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION" are arched across the top, and "STATE OF OREGON" is arched across the bottom.

Reported Crime Rates Current Data and Trends

House and Senate Committees on Judiciary

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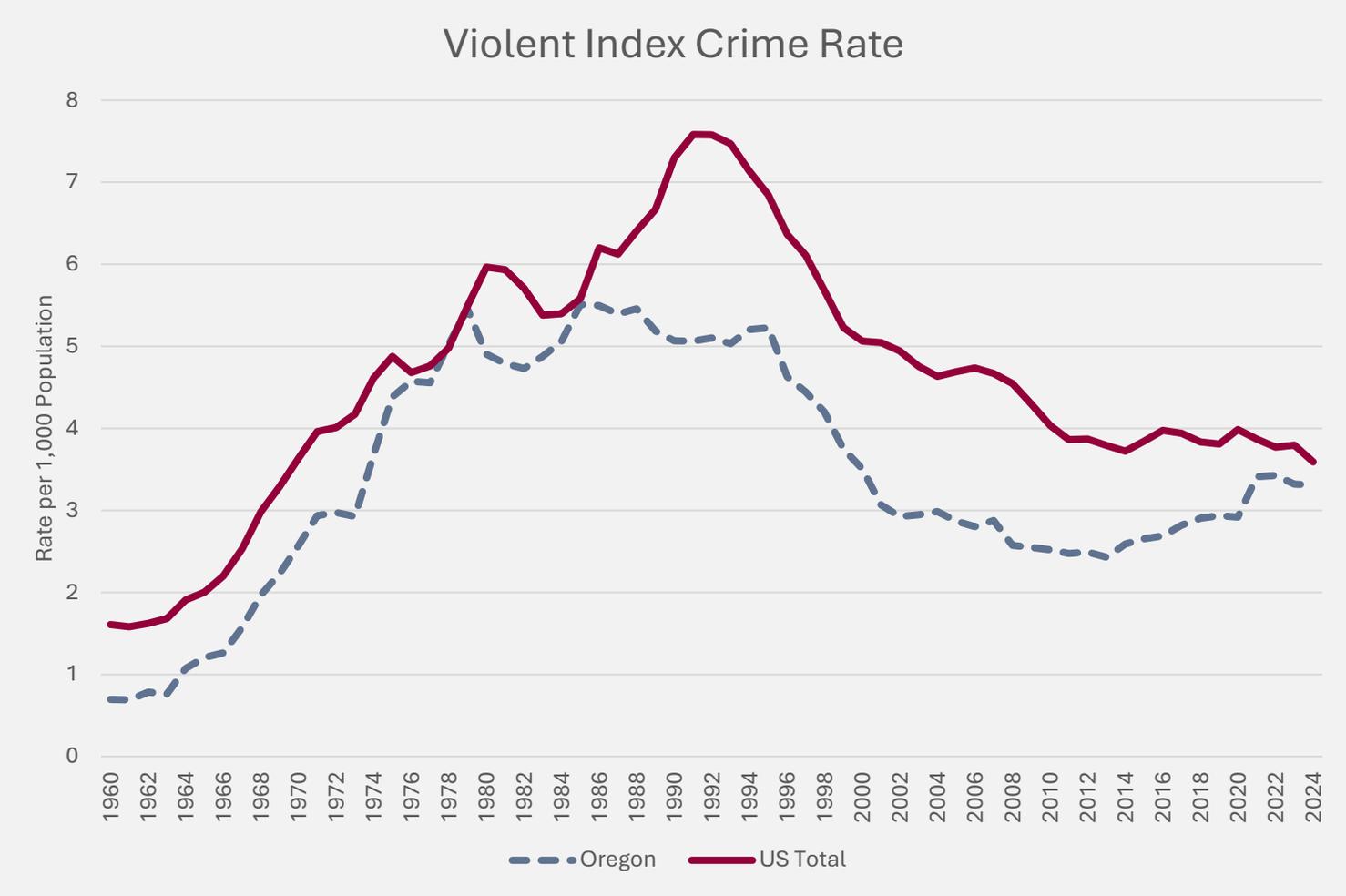
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Crime Rate Data

- The primary method of collecting and reporting crime rates is the FBI's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program.
 - The UCR Program collects crime incident data from law enforcement agencies across the United States. The data includes **all crimes known to law enforcement**.
 - Violent Index Crimes: murder and non-negligent manslaughter, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault
 - Property Index Crimes: burglary, larceny/theft, and motor vehicle theft
- The use of the UCR to measure crime rates and trends comes with both strengths and weaknesses.
 - The primary strength of the UCR program is its consistency as a measure of relatively serious crime (for most states)
 - The primary weakness is the lag in the data, as it takes the FBI and Bureau of Justice Statistics a long time to process the data at a national level

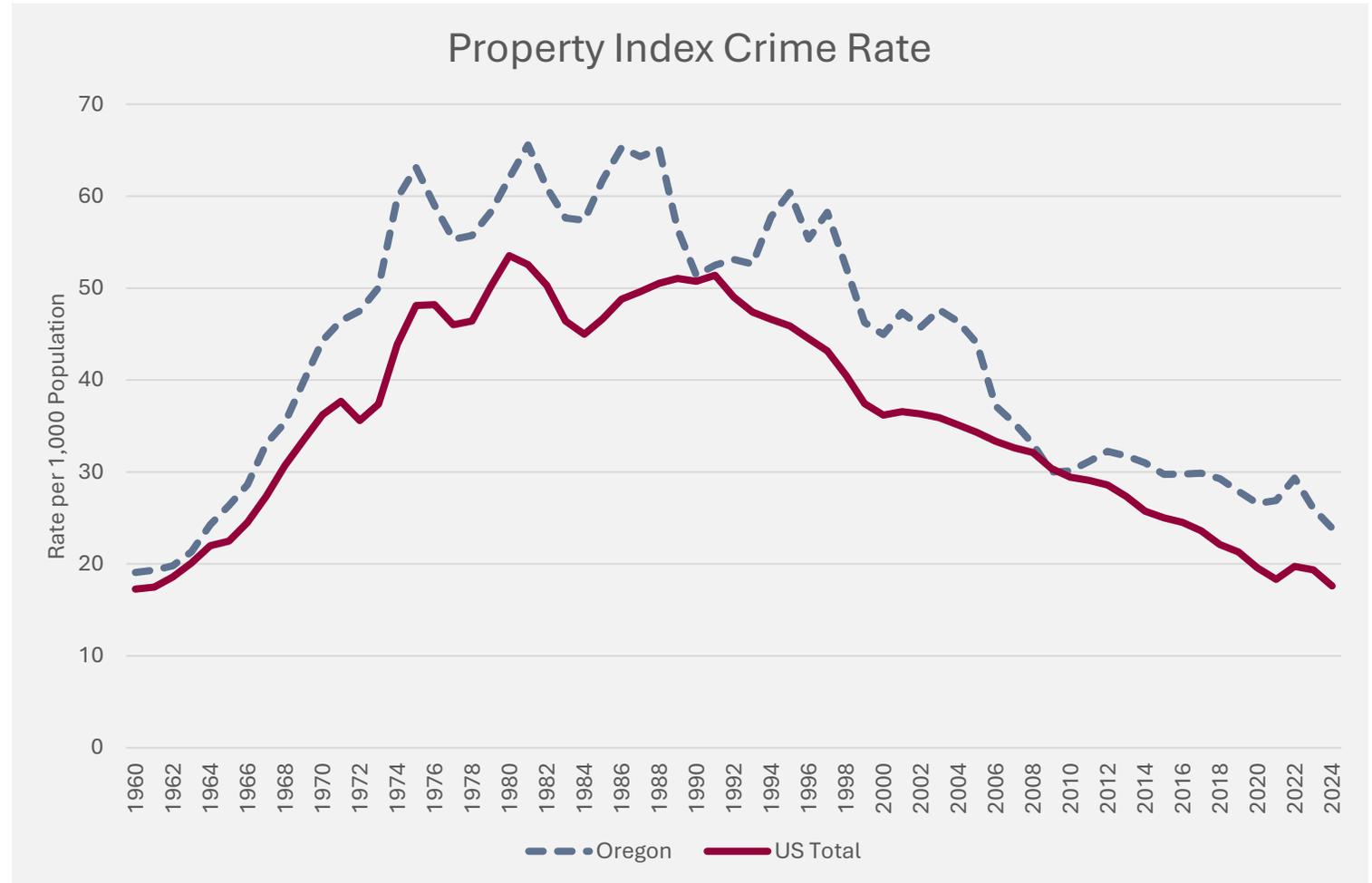
Violent Index Crime 1960 to 2024

- Oregon’s violent index crime rate is historically below the national average
- Substantial declines begin in mid 1990s
- Recent peak in 2021 to 2022 with slight decreases the following two years



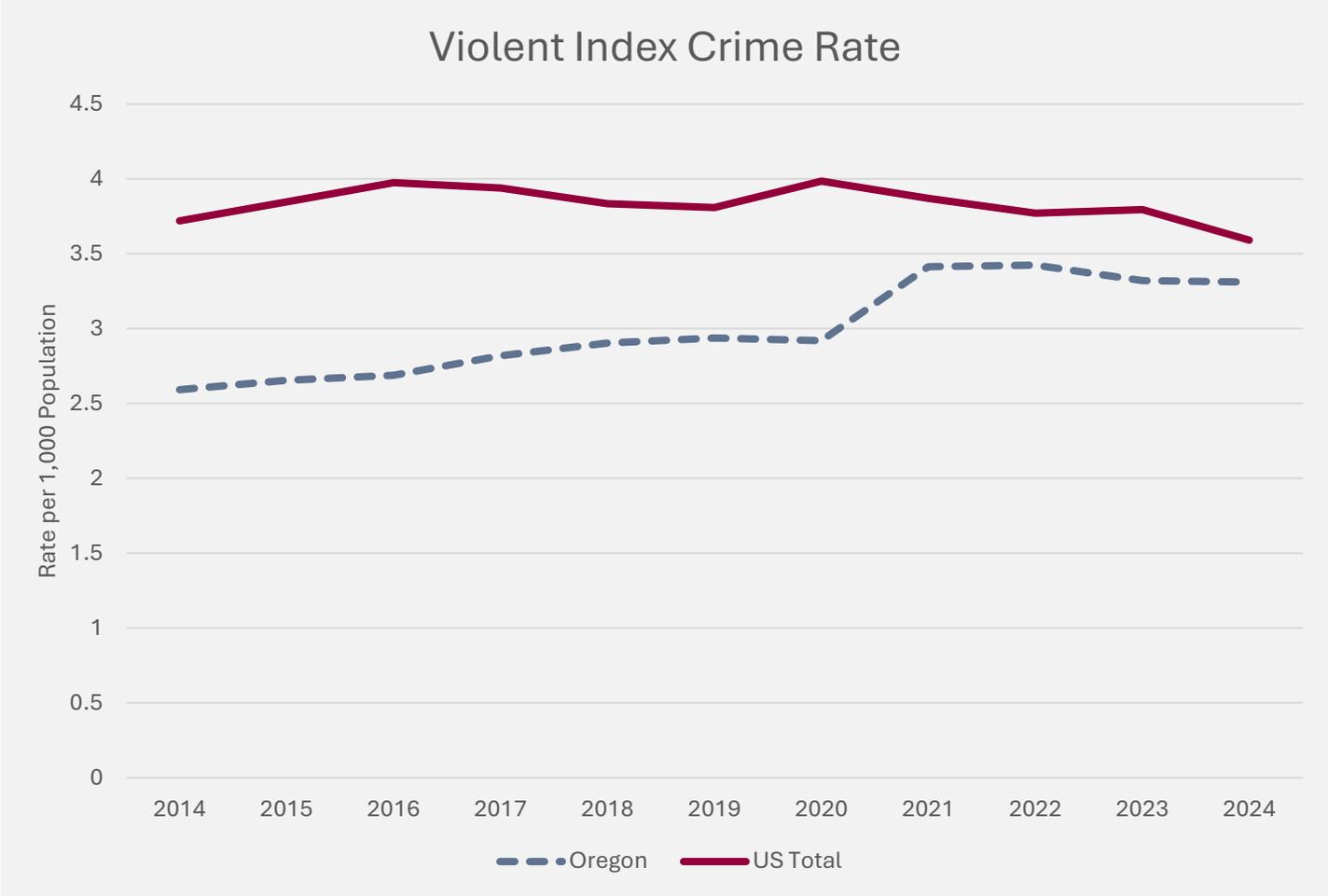
Property Index Crime 1960 to 2024

- Oregon's property index crime rate is historically above the national average
- Substantial declines begin in early 1990s
- Recent peak in 2022 with decreases the following two years



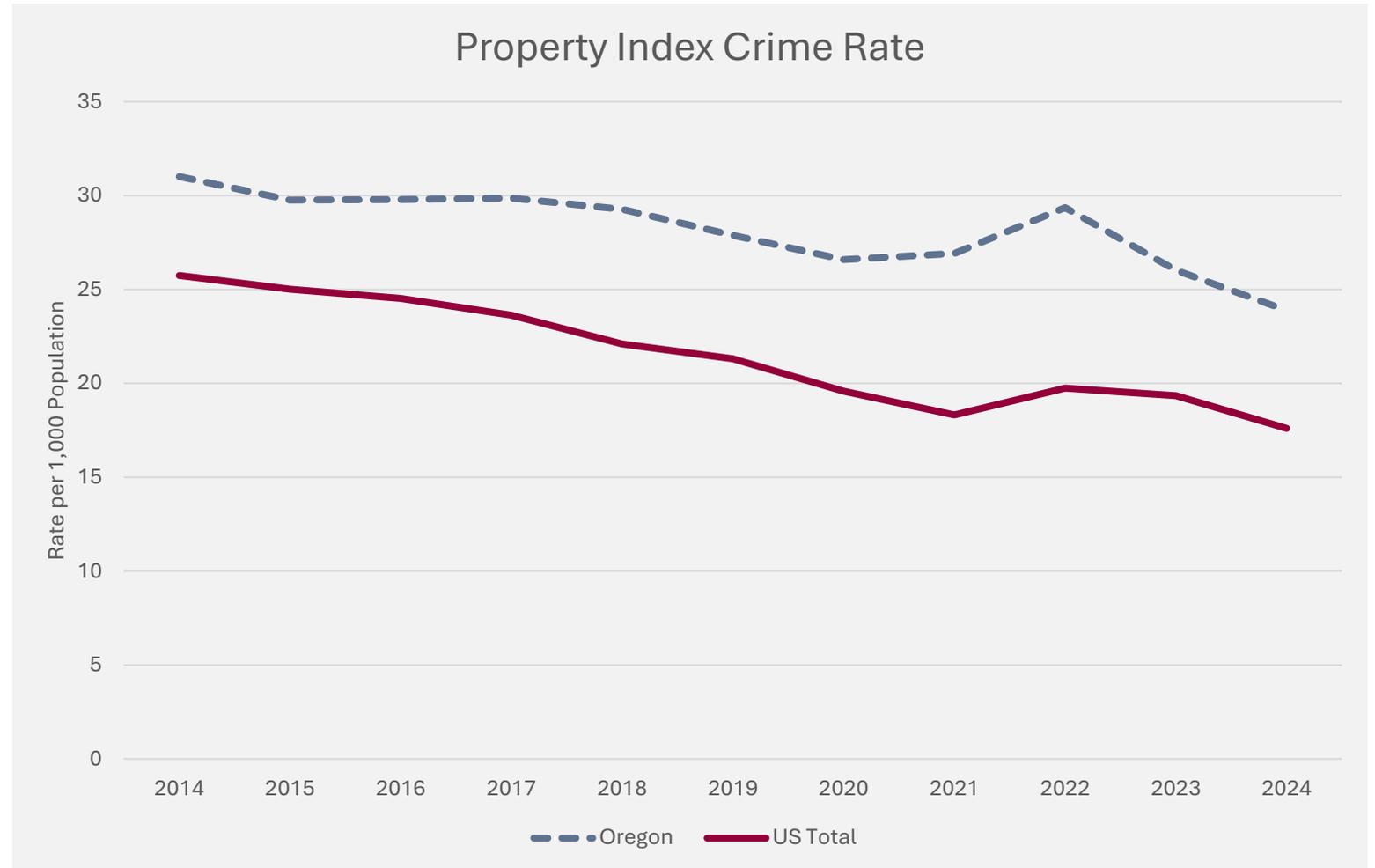
Violent Index Crime 2014 to 2024

- Oregon’s violent index crime rate increased nearly 13 percent from 2014 to 2019
- From 2021 to 2022 it increased a further 17 percent
- Most recent two years show slight declines, following trend in many other states



Property Index Crime 2014 to 2024

- Oregon and nationwide property index crime rate shows consistent declines from 2014 to 2019
- Oregon rate peaked in 2022
- Oregon's rate dropped nearly 19 percent from 2022 to 2024, following trend in many other states



Western States Crime Data

- Most Western States are experiencing declining crimes rates from 2023 to 2024
 - Violent index crime rate declines from 0.3 to 9 percent
 - Property index crime rate declines from 4 to nearly 15 percent

2023 and 2024 UCR Index Crime Data for Western US States						
State	Violent Crime			Property Crime		
	2023	2024	Pct Chg	2023	2024	Pct Chg
Oregon	332.0	331.0	-0.3%	2,601.9	2,388.0	-8.2%
Arizona	433.8	421.9	-2.7%	1,926.6	1,792.1	-7.0%
California	506.9	486.0	-4.1%	2,326.1	2,078.4	-10.6%
Colorado	485.2	476.3	-1.8%	2,923.2	2,592.8	-11.3%
Idaho	240.4	230.6	-4.1%	818.8	736.3	-10.1%
Montana	448.7	423.5	-5.6%	1,843.5	1,617.3	-12.3%
Nevada	433.7	402.0	-7.3%	2,359.6	2,197.0	-13.5%
New Mexico	746.9	717.1	-4.0%	2,876.1	2,751.1	-4.3%
Utah	231.4	229.6	-0.8%	1,618.4	1,408.9	-12.9%
Washington	359.3	326.1	-9.2%	2,891.1	2,466.5	-14.7%
US Total	379.5	359.1	-5.4%	1,934.1	1,760.1	-9.0%

Real-Time Crime Index

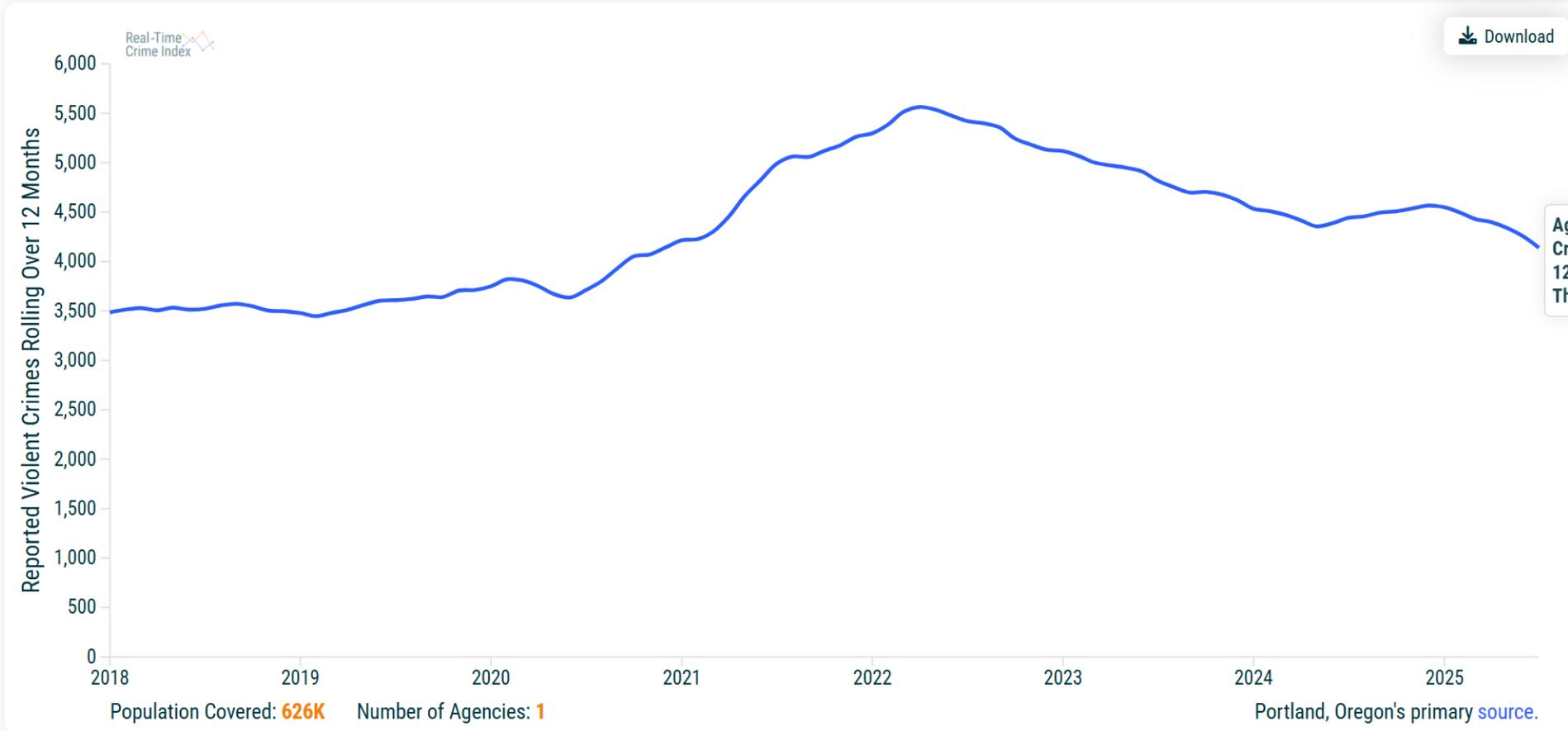
- Online tool that provides most recently available crime trend **estimates**
- Crime data is compiled from publicly available sources
 - Data is cleaned, audited, and transformed
 - Provides an **estimate** of reported crime to accurately show trends
 - Allows for faster release of crime data and more timely information
- Created by AH Datalytics with support from Arnold Ventures

<https://realtimecrimeindex.com/>



Show me reported **Violent Crimes** in **Oregon** for **Portland** as **12 Month Rolling Sum**

Graph Tables Overview Map



Year to Date Violent Crimes
Jan - Jul 2025
2,218

Agency: Portland, OR
Crime Type: Violent Crimes
12 Month Sum: 4,139
Through: July 2025

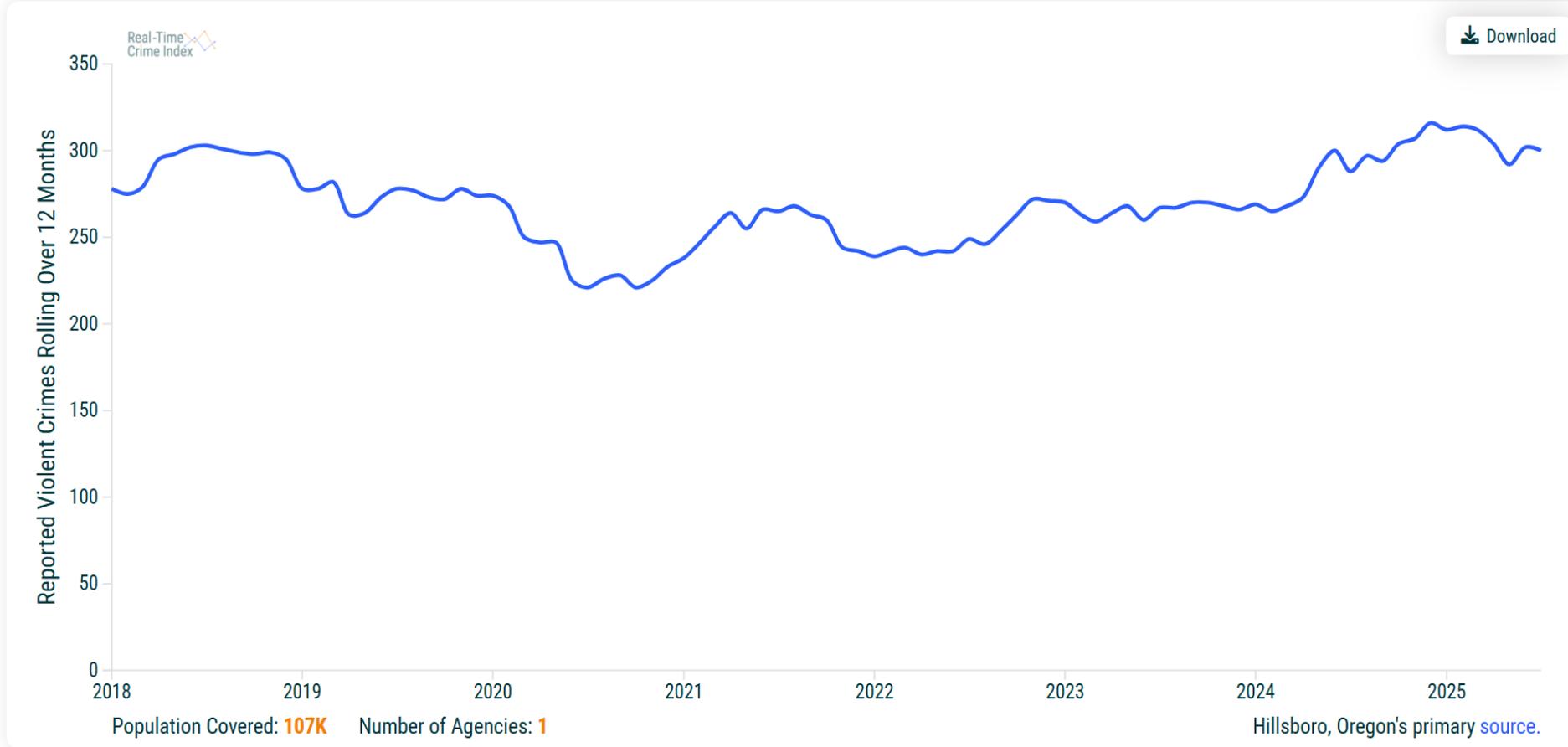
Previous YTD Violent Crimes
Jan - Jul 2024
2,644

% Change in Violent Crimes YTD
-16.1%

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Show me reported **Violent Crimes** in **Oregon** for **Hillsboro** as **12 Month Rolling Sum**

Graph Tables Overview Map



Year to Date Violent Crimes

Jan - Jul 2025

160

Previous YTD Violent Crimes

Jan - Jul 2024

176

% Change in Violent Crimes YTD

-9.1%

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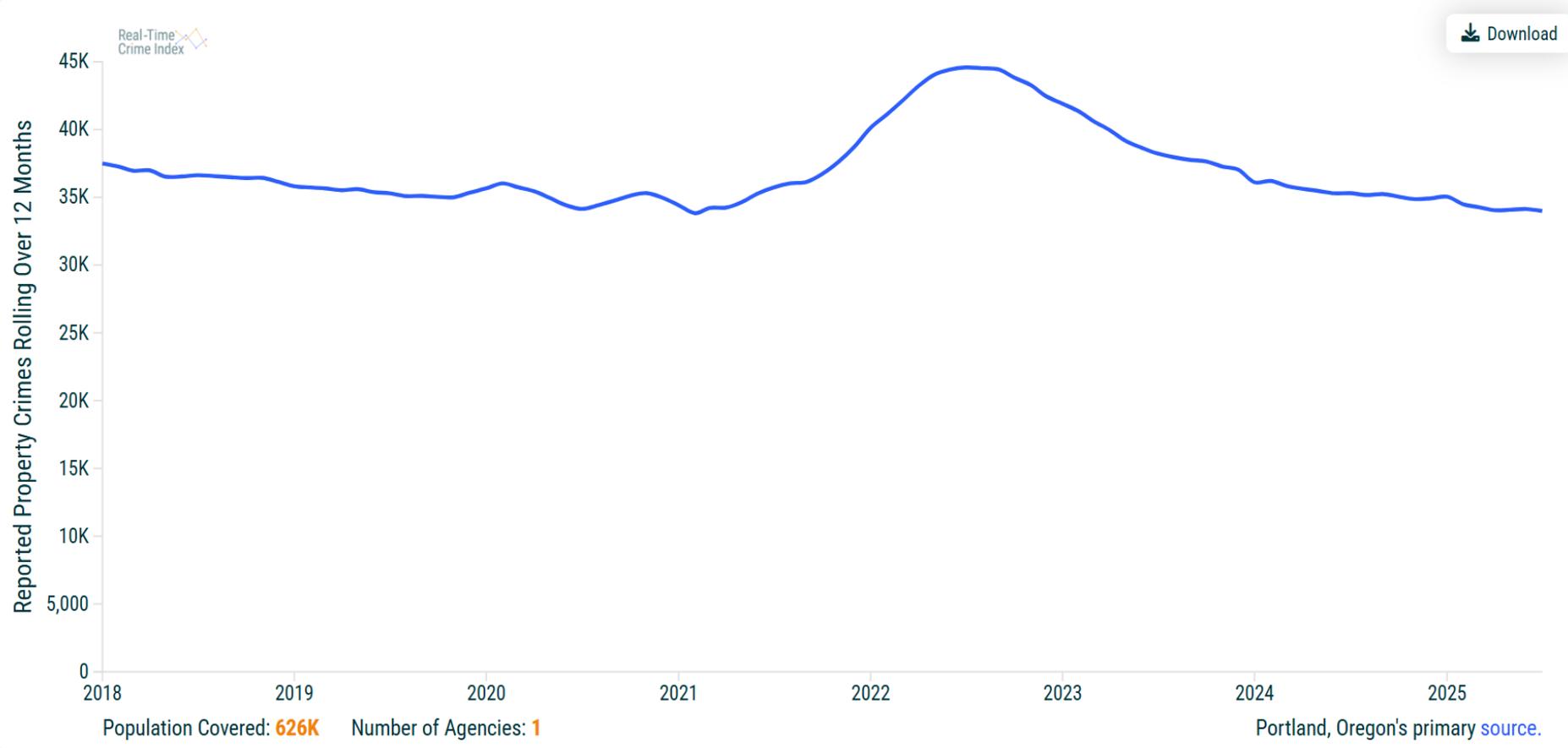
Show me reported **Property Crimes** in **Oregon** for **Portland** as **12 Month Rolling Sum**

Graph

Tables

Overview

Map



Year to Date Property Crimes

Jan - Jul 2025

18,660

Previous YTD Property Crimes

Jan - Jul 2024

19,594

% Change in Property Crimes YTD

-4.8%

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