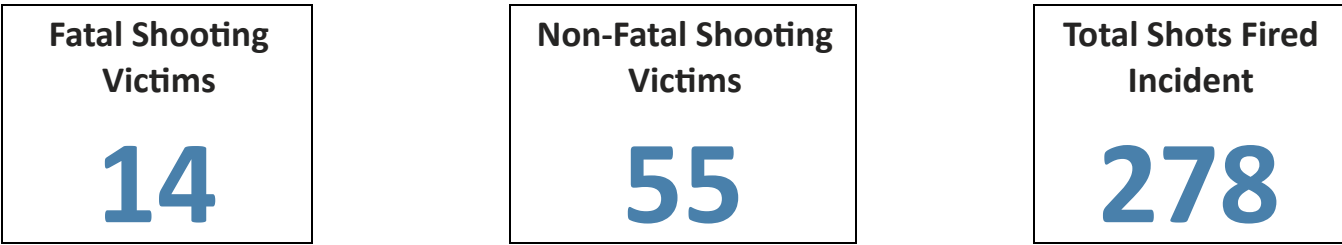


2025 Q2 King County Quarterly Shots Fired Report



Total Reported Shots Fired Incidents and Shooting Victims

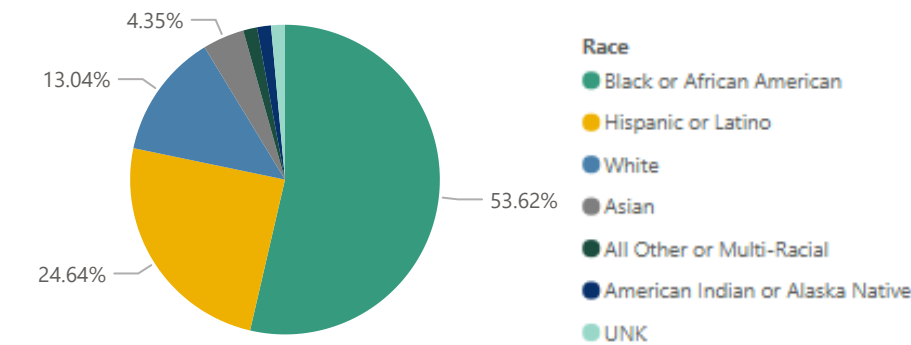
The number of shooting homicide victims, non-fatal shooting victims, and total shots fired in King County for Q2 2025 are listed below. This data was reported to the King County Prosecuting Attorney's Office by the following King County police agencies: Auburn, Bellevue, Des Moines, Federal Way, Kent, Kirkland, King County Sheriff's Office, Renton, Seattle, Tukwila, and Washington State Patrol. This data does not include suicides or officer involved shootings. Individuals shot in confirmed self-defense cases and confirmed self-inflicted shootings are not counted toward the total fatal and non-fatal victim count.



Shooting Victim Demographics

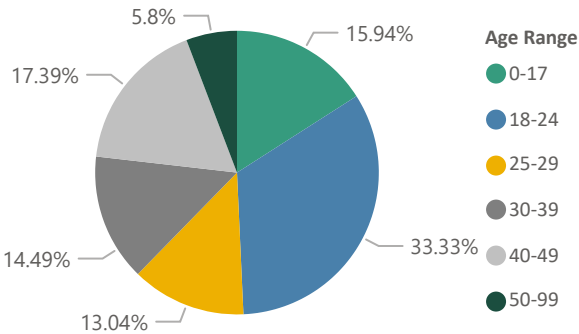
Of the 69 shooting victims in Q2, approximately half were identified as Black or African American, 90% were identified as male, and a majority of victims were between the ages of 18-24. Compared to Q2 of 2024, there was a **31% decrease in the overall number of shooting victims** but Black or African American males remained the majority of shooting victims in both years and in Q2 of the last five years.

Shooting Victim Race/Ethnicity Q2 2025



*All other or multi-racial, American Indian or Alaska Native, and UNK (unknown) victims each accounted for 1.45% of the total number of victims.

Shooting Victim Age Range Q2 2025



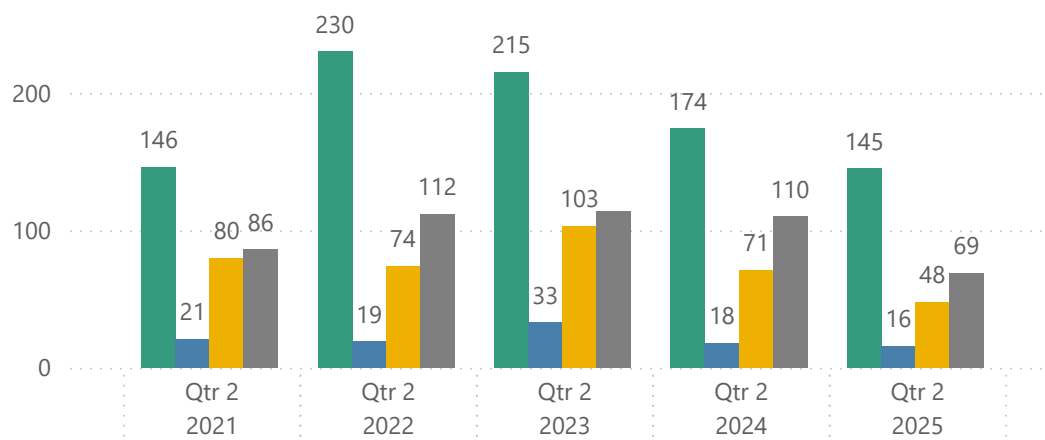
**The KCPAO relies on law enforcement reports for the demographic information about victims, including race/ethnicity. Each law enforcement agency has separate policies and systems for collecting demographic data, which can result in varying levels of reporting. KCPAO is aware that this race/ethnicity data may not accurately reflect the demographics of victims of gun violence in our community.*

Historical Comparisons for Q2



Number and Type of Shots Fired Incidents Q2 2021-2025

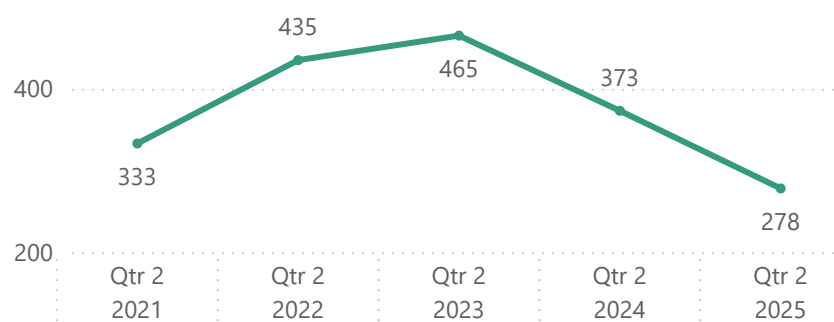
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Q2 of 2025 saw the lowest number of *shots fired* incidents since Q2 of 2021, with *shots homicide* and *shots injury* incident numbers reaching a low that has not been seen in Q2 of the last four years. Both incident numbers also experienced more than a 50% decrease from Q2 2023 numbers.

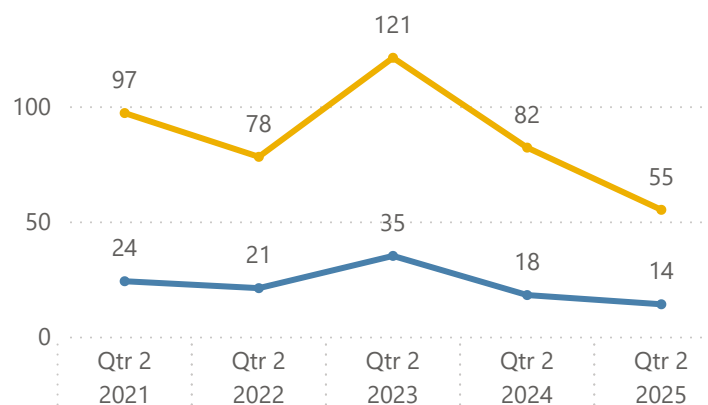
Overall shots fired incidents in Q2 of 2025 (278) decreased from Q2 of 2024 (373) by nearly 100 and were the lowest they have been since Q2 of 2020. There was also a 40% decrease in *overall* shots fired incidents compared to Q2 of 2023 (465).

Total Number of Shots Fired Incidents Q2 2021-2025



Number of Shooting Victims Q2 2021-2025

● Shots Homicide ● Shots Injury



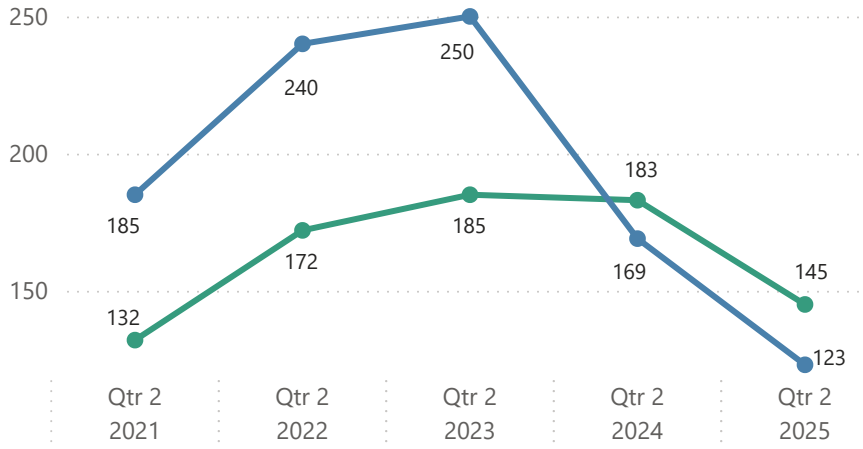
Mirroring the trend that was seen with the number of shots homicide and shots injury incidents, the number of *shots homicide victims* and *shots injury victims* in Q2 of 2025 reached a low that has not been seen since prior to Q2 of 2021. The number of *shots injury victims* in Q2 of 2025 experienced a decrease of 55% and the number of *shots homicide victims* experienced a 60% decrease from Q2 of 2023.

Area Comparisons for Q2

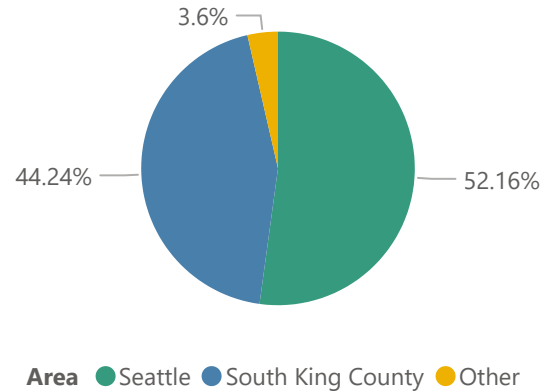


Total Shots Fired in Seattle and South King County Q2 2025

Area ● Seattle ● South King County



Total Shots Fired Incidents by Area Q2 2025



In Q2 of 2025, 52% of overall shots fired incidents took place in the Seattle area and 44% occurred in south King County. While south King County significantly surpassed the Seattle area for total shots fired incidents in Q2 of 2021 through 2023, Seattle has seen slightly more incidents than south King County in Q2 of last year and this year. Both areas saw a decline of incidents since Q2 of last year, with south King County experiencing a 51% decrease since Q2 of 2023 and reaching a low that has not been seen since prior to Q2 of 2021.

Thank you to these law enforcement agencies for sharing their shots fired data with us for Q2 2025:



**The data represented in this report is reported to us directly from the listed police agencies and includes data from each participating police agency. We encourage every police agency to submit data to the KCPAO, which is the only agency that keeps a county-wide report with this level of detail, and we strive to provide the most accurate and complete information possible. This information is being regularly reviewed and updated by the KCPAO. This data may be updated.*