

Probation & Parole

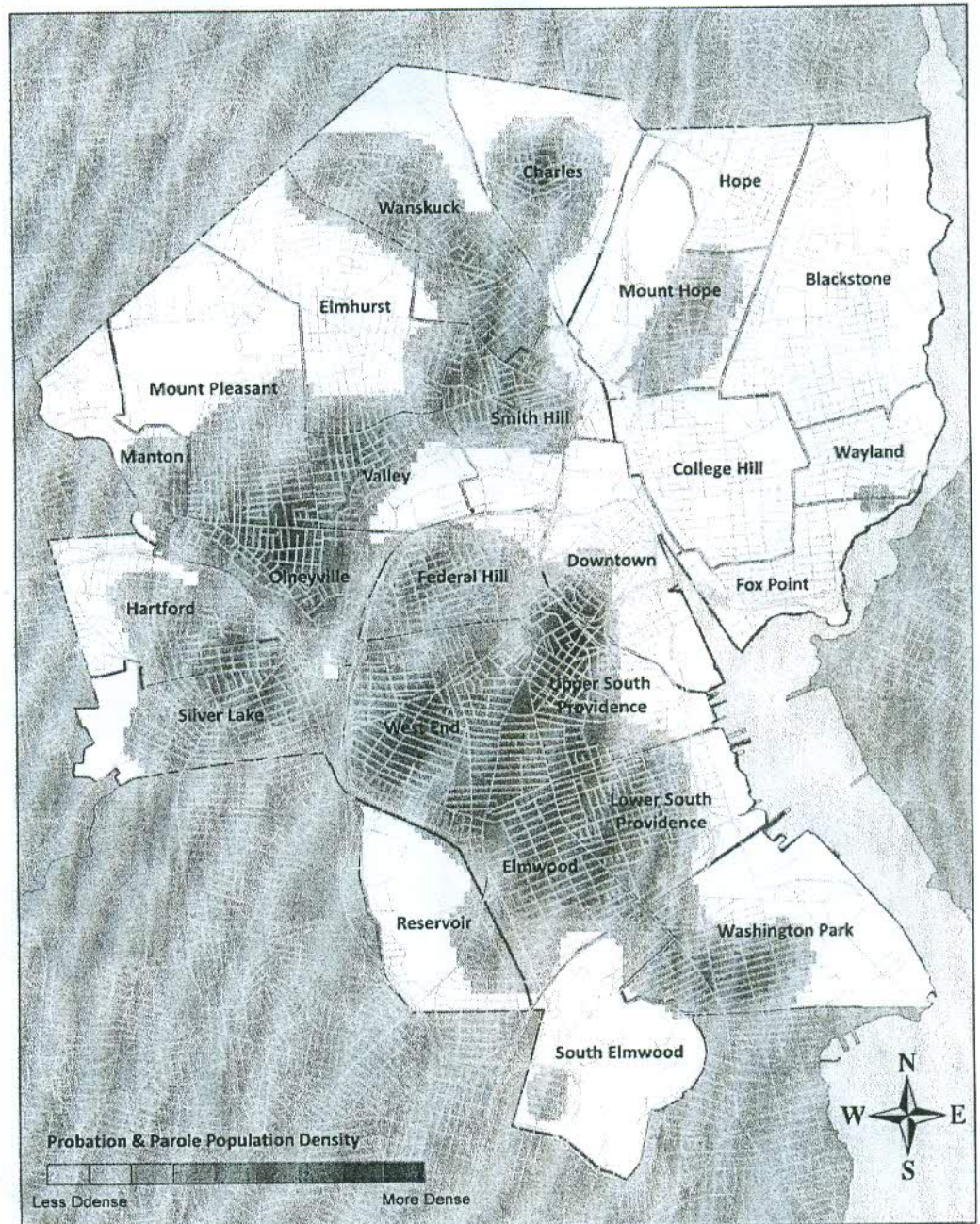
As of December 31, 2011, the total Probation and Parole (P&P) population for Rhode Island was 25,543. Of all of the offenders supervised by P&P, 37% (9,402) were on active or low supervision. Thirty percent (30%) of those offenders reported living in Providence.

Probation and Parole employs 76 Probation and Parole Officers, eight supervisors, one Deputy Compact Administrator, and 21 support staff in the unit. The average caseload for officers is about 171 offenders.

Specialized supervision caseloads include Sex Offender Specific, Domestic Violence Specific, & Interstate Compact, which is responsible for transfer of P&P offenders into and out of Rhode Island.

Most of the offenders are Black (35%) or Hispanic (33%) males (84%) with an average age of about 38 years old.

The majority of offenders are under P&P supervision due to committing a drug (34%), violent (31%), or nonviolent (26%) offense. Five hundred sixty-two (562) of the Providence P&P offenders were domestic violence offenders, and 228 were sex offenders.



At the close of Calendar Year 2011, there were a total of 39 offenders serving Lifetime Community Supervision in Providence.

In Providence 1 in 21 residents over the age of 18 (4.8% of the population) is under active probation supervision. This is about 342 offenders per square mile, or 48 offenders per 1,000 residents.

As you can see above, the density clusters of Probation and Parole are far greater compared to the releases (see pg. 1) due to an overall higher P&P population.

The darkest areas, which indicate the highest number of Probationers and Parolees per square mile, are located mostly in the Upper South Providence, West End, and Olneyville neighborhoods.

The data displayed above is from December 31, 2011.

P&P offenders that are not considered residing in RI communities include probation hold cases, under 18 actively supervised, deported cases, interstate cases, out of state offenders, RI offenders living out of state, 235 offenders with missing data, offenders serving a sentence at the ACI while serving probation, & offenders paroled to immigration. All addresses are self reported by offenders.