

# Bannock County Drug Trends



Population of Bannock County: 80,812

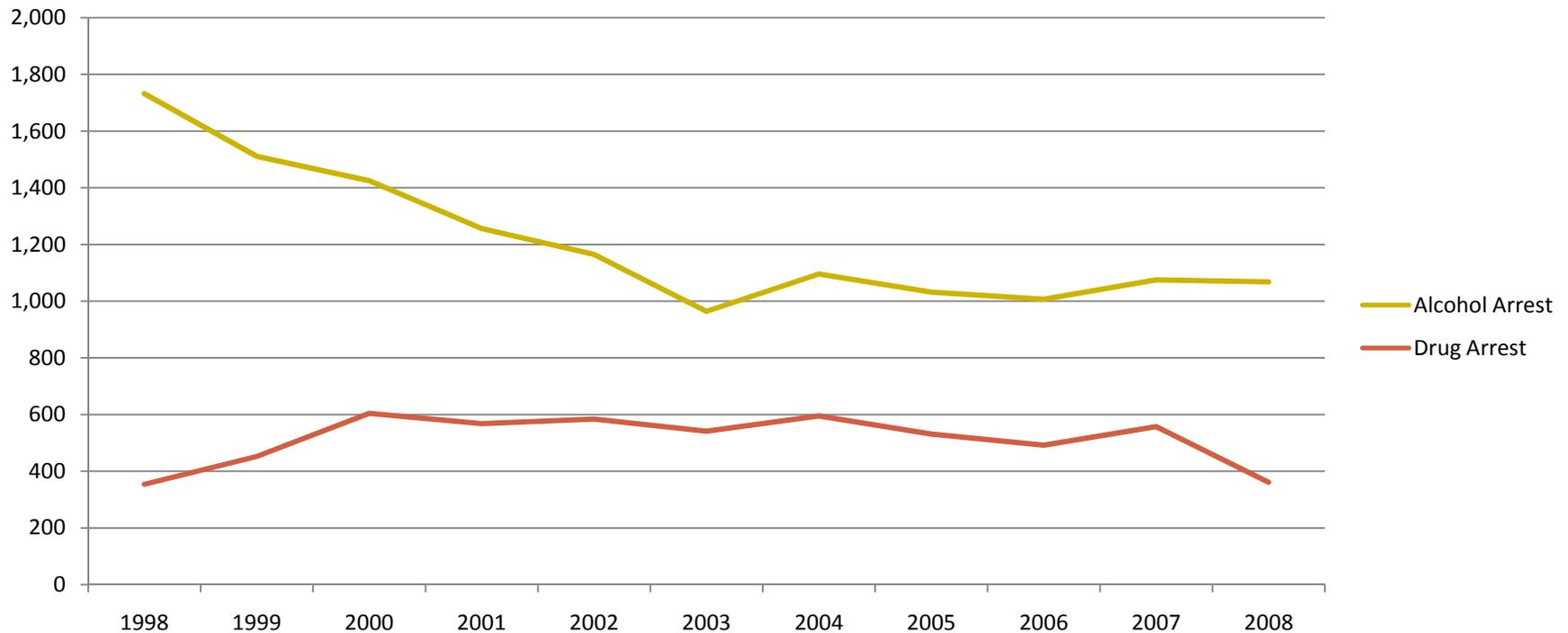
(US Census Bureau: 2008 Population Estimate)

## Demographics:

- Gender: 49.1% Male; 50.9% Female
- Age: Median 30.7; 28.4% Under 18
- Race/Ethnicity: 91.0% White; 5.7% Hispanic
- Education: 89.8% High School or Above
- Median Income: \$46,073
- Families Below Poverty Level: 11.2%

(US Census Bureau: 2006-2008 American Community Survey)

# Bannock County: Numbers of Drug and Alcohol Violation Arrests by Year: 1998 - 2008



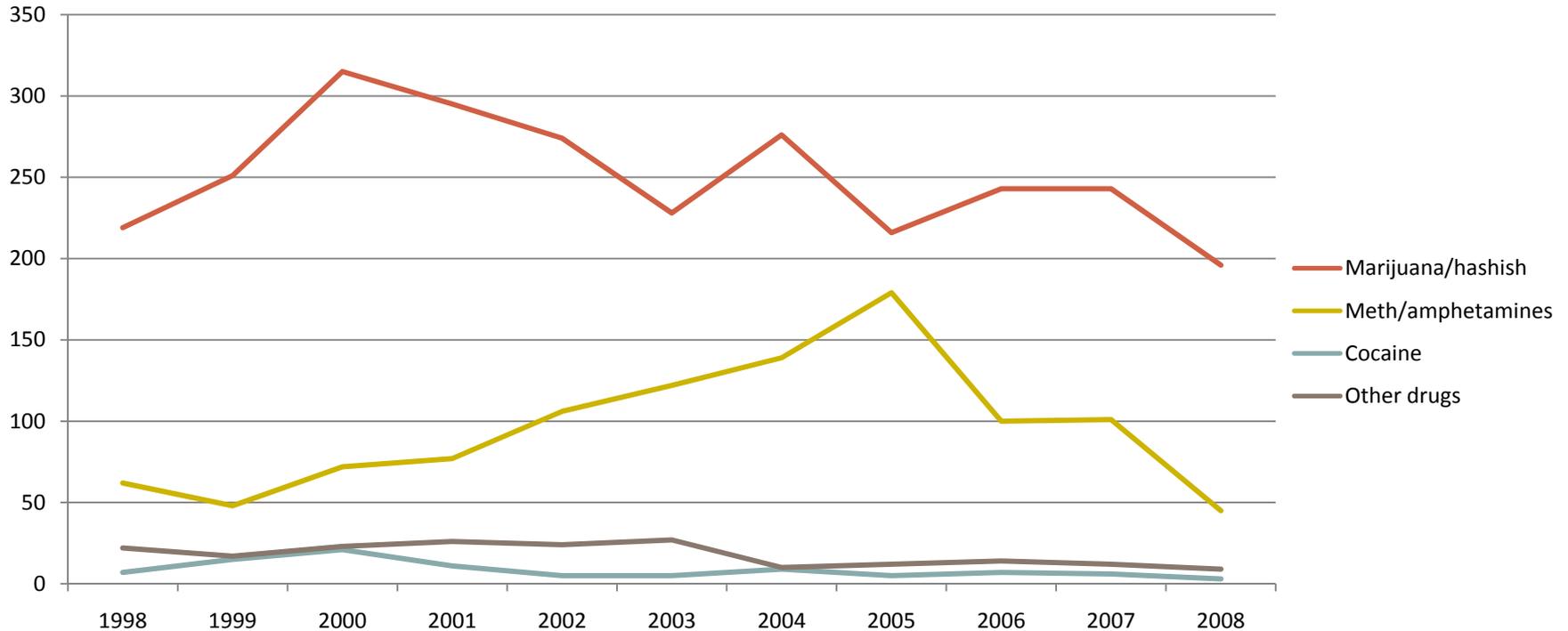
Alcohol arrests have consistently been higher than drug arrests. Alcohol arrests declined by 38.3% between 1998 to 2008. Drug arrests increased over the period, and then declined to similar levels (354 arrests in 1998 compared to 361 arrests in 2008).

# Bannock County Arrests: Numbers of Drug and Alcohol Violation Arrests

Year	Drug Violation	Drug Equipment	DUI	Drunkenness	Liquor Violation	Other	Total
1998	256	98	903	23	806	4,748	6,834
1999	341	111	716	247	548	3,954	5,917
2000	418	186	646	226	553	4,077	6,106
2001	407	161	661	64	531	4,449	6,273
2002	420	164	646	77	442	4,163	5,912
2003	420	121	511	59	394	4,793	6,298
2004	445	150	516	24	556	4,712	6,403
2005	408	123	483	51	498	5,218	6,781
2006	360	132	540	33	434	4,710	6,209
2007	417	140	556	24	495	4,333	5,965
2008	267	94	532	22	514	4,085	5,514
Total	4,159	1,480	6,710	850	5,771	49,242	68,212

- Drug arrests are composed of Drug Violation and Drug Equipment Violation arrests.
- Alcohol arrests are composed of DUI, Drunkenness and Liquor violation arrests.
- Between 1998 and 2008, alcohol arrests accounted for 19.5% of total arrests, and drug arrests account for 8.3% of total arrests in Bannock County.
- Total arrests decreased by 34.4% between 1998 through 2008.

# Bannock County, Type of Drug Related Arrest by Year: 1998-2008



Although there was a significant increase in methamphetamine arrests between 1998 through 2005, methamphetamine arrests have declined to similar numbers seen in 1999 (48 in 1999 and 45 in 2005).

Marijuana arrests continue to be higher than any other drug involved arrest. Marijuana arrests were also lower in 2008 than any year in the past decade.

# Bannock County: Amount of Drugs Seized by Type of Drug, 2008

Type of Drugs	Amount Seized
Marijuana	2848.2 gm; 48 plants; 1 du
Meth/amphetamines	258.9 gm
Cocaine	17.69 gm
Other hallucinogens	17.5 gm
Other drugs	218 du
Other narcotics	35 du
Barbiturates	1 du
Unknown	3 du
Value of Drug Equipment Seized:	\$3,587.00