

# Lewis County Drug Trends



**Population of Lewis County: 3,594**

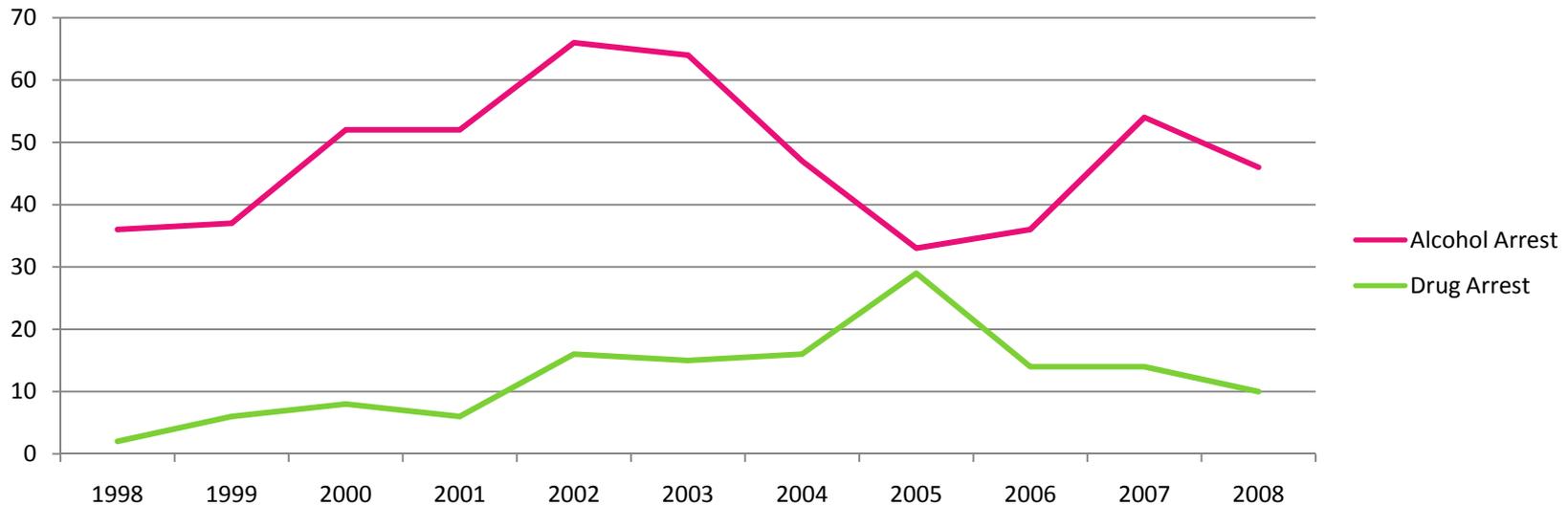
(US Census Bureau: 2008 Population Estimate)

## Demographics:

- Gender: 50.5% Male; 49.5% Female
- Age: Median 42.5; 25.4% Under 18
- Race/Ethnicity: 92.2% White; 1.9% Hispanic
- Education: 84.2% High School or Above
- Median Household Income: \$31,413 (in 1999)
- Families Below Poverty Level: 8.7%

(US Census: 2000 American Community Survey)

# Lewis County: Numbers of Drug and Alcohol Violation Arrests: 1998 - 2008



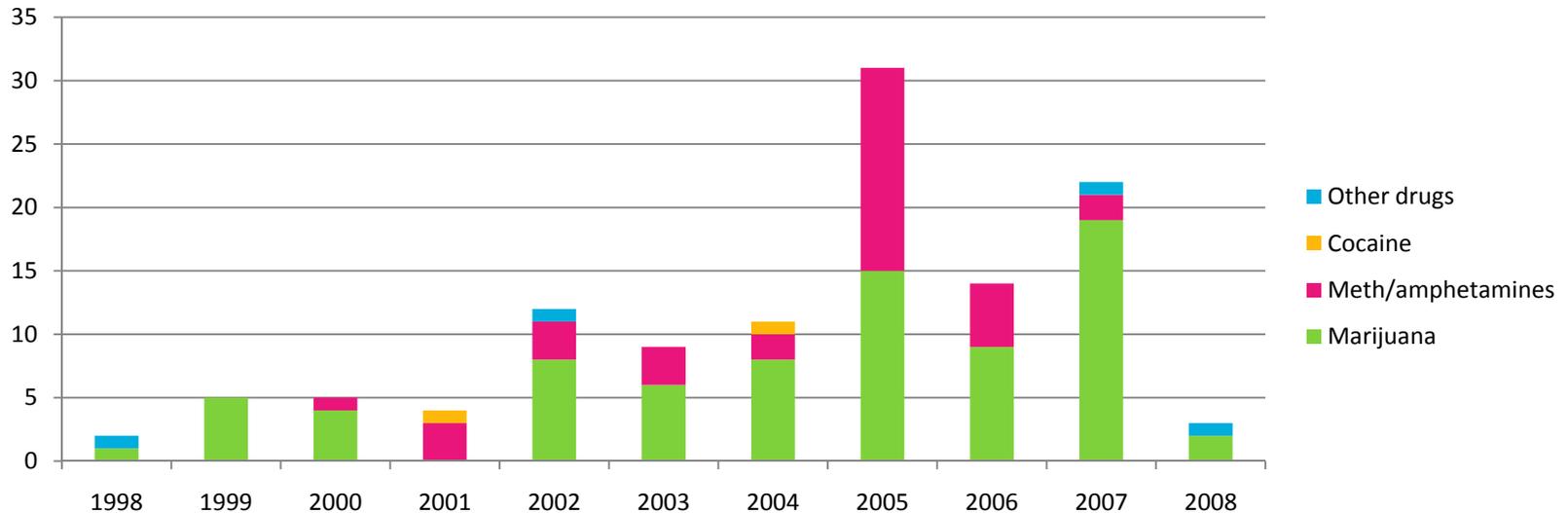
- Since 1998, Alcohol Violations arrests (including DUIs, Liquor Violation and Drunkenness) have fluctuated between 33 and 66, averaging 48 per year. There were 46 arrests in 2008.
- Drug arrests have fluctuated between 2 and 29 over the ten year period, averaging 12 arrests per year. There were 10 drug arrests in 2008.

# Lewis County: Numbers of Drug and Alcohol Violation Arrests

Year	Drug Violation	Drug Equipment	DUI	Drunkenness	Liquor Violation	Other	Total
1998	1	1	28	0	8	105	143
1999	6	0	24	0	13	111	154
2000	5	3	23	0	29	132	192
2001	3	3	33	0	19	85	143
2002	16	0	32	0	34	98	180
2003	8	7	36	0	28	90	169
2004	9	7	30	0	17	124	187
2005	19	10	21	1	11	88	150
2006	9	5	21	0	15	91	141
2007	9	5	24	1	29	100	168
2008	6	4	35	0	11	59	115
<b>Total</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>1,742</b>

- Total arrests fluctuated between 115 and 192 over the ten year period, averaging 158.4 ,per year.
- Alcohol arrests represented 24.6% of total arrests from 1998 through 2008.
- Drug arrests represented 11.0% of total arrests from 1998 through 2008.

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



- Marijuana was involved in more drug seizure arrests than other drugs. Marijuana was involved in 65.3% of all drug related seizure arrests between 1998 through 2008.
- Meth/amphetamine was involved in between 0 and 16 arrests per year. There were no meth arrests in 2008. Meth was involved in 29.7% of drug related seizure arrests between 1998 and 2008.
- One cocaine arrest occurred in 2007.

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

Drug Type:	Amount Seized:
Marijuana	2 gm
Other narcotics	1 du
Value of Drug Equipment Seized:	\$5.00