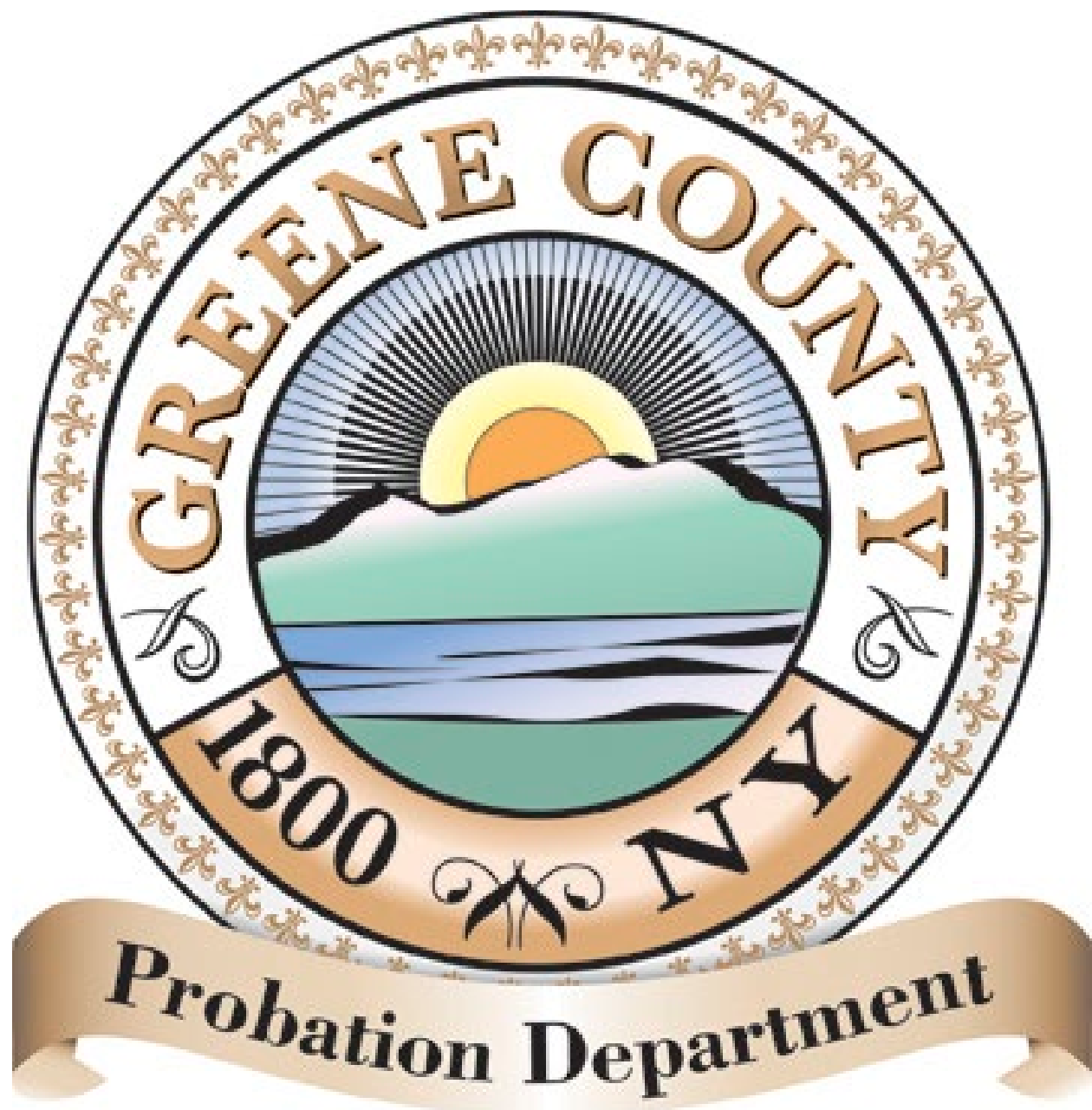


ANNUAL REPORT

FOR 2025



In 2025, the Greene County Probation Department continued to provide mandated services to adults and juveniles in the community. Over the year the department received 106 new adult probation sentences/interim probation placements from Greene County courts, and another 29 as transfers from other jurisdictions, including out-of-state. The 106 were a decrease from the 139 received in 2024. Of the 106 new local cases received, 19 were interim probation terms. In most instances, the successful completion of an interim supervision term results in a lesser sentence ultimately imposed, and, possibly, a lesser ultimate conviction. In addition, 9 formal juvenile probationers were received, and another 10 in an informal capacity, after having been referred by the family court. At the end of the year, we were supervising 221 criminal court probationers, many of whom were serving more than one probation sentence. Of those 221 offenders, 111 were felons, which is the same amount from the end of 2024. It should also be noted that, during the early part of 2020, this department fully transitioned persons in need of supervision (PINS) diversion efforts to the Greene County Department of Social Services, with that department now the designated “lead agency” for PINS diversion, under the NYS Family Court Act. Therefore, we are limited to supervising PINS activity that has reached the formal family court stage.

While the caseloads are significantly reduced from the highs experienced in the early 2010’s, it must also be pointed out that the epidemic of opiate and other substance abuse continues to impact the workload. A large number of offenders continue to demonstrate significant drug abuse issues. Even after the abatement of the COVID crisis it can be difficult for many offenders to obtain assistance, given staff shortages that seem to have occurred in many treatment facilities. Probation officers of various levels have been involved in the transport of probationers to and from residential facilities, and jails, when necessary.

Where appropriate, supervision included the requirements that offenders: maintain employment, pay restitution, engage in available educational, vocational, and/or treatment programs, provide urine or breath samples (supervised by probation officers); and submit DNA samples (collected by this department and forwarded to the state repository), in order to remain at liberty. 2025 saw the continuation of the ignition interlock device requirement for DWI probationers who own or operate a vehicle, even if they have lost their driver’s licenses. While, similarly to the statewide occurrence, most Greene County probationers sentenced under “Leandra’s Law” have avoided the interlock requirement by having disposed of their vehicles, this department’s officers remain responsible for reviewing those cases to ensure that offenders have disposed of the vehicles as claimed, with the offenders required to submit affidavits to support their claims, and, as required by a law change late in 2013, state under oath in court that they had disposed of the vehicle and will not be operating another without an interlock device. Reimbursements totaling \$2,735.04 were received in 2025 from the NYS “Leandra’s Law” grant for DWI probation cases received by this department, to help pay for ignition interlock device monitoring requirements. Per arrangement with the Greene County Sheriff’s Department/STOP-DWI, this department also submits the state reports for their monitoring of DWI cases that resulted in offenders being sentenced to a conditional discharge (possibly in conjunction with a jail or prison term), which resulted in \$2,148.96 in additional reimbursement to that office, for a grand total of \$4,884, which is a decrease of \$1,481 from 2024.

In 2025 the department's main DWI (senior probation) officer, with the assistance of other officers/department members and the Greene County Sheriff's Department/STOP-DWI program and the District Attorney, continued the DWI victim impact panel, to further educate those offenders as to the effect their conduct has on others. Offenders who attended the panel were required to pay a fee of \$50, with a late fee of \$65. Thanks in no small part to the District Attorney's Office expansion of those required to attend the panel to include not only DWI offenders, but also drug offenders, income from the 2 victim impact panels held in 2025 totaled \$5,925, of which \$800 was from individual client donations above the attendance fee. Going forward, payments for these panels will be done through the Sheriff's Department/STOP-DWI, and not Probation.

In addition to the formal, i.e., court ordered, supervision cases, 2025 saw a total of 44 juvenile cases referred to the department for potential court diversion efforts. Because of the PINS diversion changes, all of the matters involved Juvenile Delinquency offenses (which now include matters involving youth from 12-17, inclusive, for what would be crimes if they were adults). A total of 29 cases were successfully diverted from the family court system through participation with the department's intake/diversion supervision program. For juvenile delinquency matters, a successfully diverted case is the legal equivalent of a court dismissal, and results in a sealed record. The "Raise the Age" initiative implemented in the last quarter of 2018 continues to produce little impact for the department, given the relatively low number of arrests for offenders in that category. 4 cases were actively handled by the department after initial prosecution in the Youth Part of the Greene County Court and the matter then having been referred to the Family Court, and then to our office for intake/diversion services. In one instance an adult probation case resulted, due to the charges being vehicle and traffic related, and not able to be handled in family court.

Another significant part of this department's tasks includes the preparation of pre-plea/pre-sentence/certificate of relief from disabilities (criminal court) and pre-dispositional (family court) investigations/reports. These reports, which require a probation officer to make assessments of an offender based on legal history/delinquent behavior and social circumstances, are utilized by the courts as an aid in determining which offenders should remain in the community and which should have certain privileges, which were lost as a result of their convictions, restored. In 2025, 107 investigation cases, including pre-plea cases were opened, and 103 completed/closed (including some having been ordered in the prior year) for the criminal courts. One probation officer completed the bulk of the pre-plea/pre-sentence investigations, as their primary task. The primary juvenile officer remained highly involved in the family court process, from initial referral through formal adjudication, and in most instances, as a result of the involvement, a possible pre-dispositional investigation was waived by the court. Consequently, our number of the latter investigations remains quite low, with only 1, an Adoption investigation, completed in 2025. It should be noted that the Adoption investigation was ordered in 2024 and included in the 2024 Annual Report as both ordered and completed, however, after further review, it was not completed until January of 2025.

The department also continued to oversee an Alternatives to Incarceration (ATI) program, which placed a variety of offenders at community service work sites throughout the county, as ordered by the various criminal courts. This year saw 21 individuals assigned to the work sites, with 23 (which included ones referred in 2024) having satisfactorily completed their obligations. A total of \$5,835 was received in 2025, which matched the 2024 total. In addition to reducing the cost of confining such offenders, their presence at the work sites helped to show the community that offenders are being held accountable for their actions. A probation assistant oversees the program for the department.

In addition to that aspect of Alternatives to Incarceration, the department's utilization of various forms of electronic devices, including transdermal (attached to the skin) alcohol monitoring, resulted in a total of 34 offenders, 3 with transdermal alcohol monitoring (1 transdermal case was carried over from 2024) and another 31 GPS monitoring (8 GPS cases were carried over from 2024, and no juvenile cases were received). Therefore, 31 GPS cases were monitored. The 2020 "Bail Reform" changes remain the main reason for the device usage. The offenders had such devices for a total of 2,384 service days (363– transdermal at County expense/pre-trial; 365- transdermal at offender pay; and 1,656– GPS-County pay) which, at a would-be jail rate of \$85/day, amounts to projected savings of \$171,615 (\$30,855- transdermal, \$140,760- GPS). Total County costs, excluding personnel expenses, were \$7,940.25 for GPS, with some of that cost including \$620 for lost or damaged GPS monitoring devices; and \$5,980 for transdermal devices, for a total of \$13,920.25. Senior probation officers, primarily, oversee these aspects of alternatives to incarceration, although many officers serve in an on-call capacity for "24/7" GPS monitoring.

The collection of restitution also remained a significant activity for the department. This obligation not only includes the collection of restitution from people who are under our direct supervision, but also from those who have been incarcerated/released on parole or have been otherwise conditionally discharged and still obligated to pay, despite no other tie to this department. In 2025, we opened 13 adult restitution cases, either as a condition of probation or simply as the designated restitution collection agency for Greene County, regardless of the sentence; and 8 juvenile cases. For the year, the department collected a total of \$49,847.92 in criminal restitution/surcharge to Greene County. Additionally, another \$4,003.11 was collected from juvenile offenders. By statute, juvenile restitution does not include a surcharge. For 2025, \$4,397.94 in collected restitution was payable to public or non-profit agencies. The \$253.82 surcharge, which, in this county, is collected after a victim has been made whole, is paid by this department to the Greene County Treasurer. For 2024, that amount was \$ 797.21. The surcharge, in most instances, is 5% of the amount collected.

The department continued to participate in a variety of collaborative efforts designed to enhance services for those in need. Those efforts, both in the juvenile and adult spheres, included the Greene County (criminal) Drug Treatment Court program, to which a probation supervisor has been assigned and for many years has been a valuable asset to the Drug Court team; participation in Countywide Threat Assessment meetings, and participation in the local Child Abuse Review Team meetings. Contracted polygraph examinations for certain sex offenders were continued in 2025. At year's end we had 16 registered sex offenders under supervision, 5 of which were either Levels 2 or 3, and thus on the public registry. The probation supervisor assigned to the sex offender caseload is required to personally verify an offender's address on a quarterly basis, at least, depending upon the offender's risk level. The department also successfully submitted DNA client samples, with a 0% rejection rate, to the Division of Criminal Justice Services.

The attachments to this narrative should help to understand the level at which the department operated during the year 2025, with 2024 comparisons.

Respectfully Submitted,

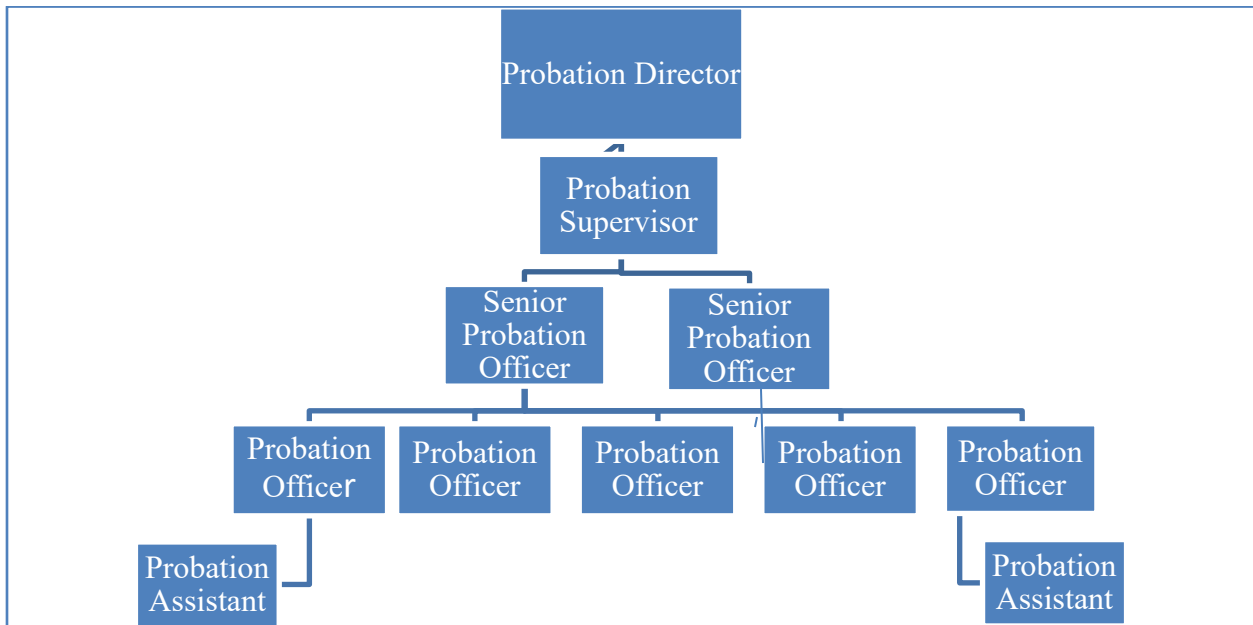
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Alan Frisbee
Probation Director

Date of Report: March 31, 2026

Department Staff Directory– as of 12/31/25

Probation Director	(1)
Probation Supervisor	(1)
Senior Probation Officers	(2)
Probation Officers	(5)
Probation Assistants	(2)



Total- 11 employees, 9 of which are NYS Peace Officers, and who completed at least the minimum of 21 hours of annual required training at the end of December 2025.

***It should be noted that at the beginning of 2025 there were 2 Probation Supervisors, however, one of the supervisors left active employment early in the year to take a NYS CSEA position. And one senior probation officer retired effective 1/2/26, leaving the 2 listed above & below.

Greene County Probation Department Staff	
Title	Employee Name
Probation Director	Alan Frisbee
Probation Supervisor	Glen Lubera
Senior Probation Officer	Lisa Grasse
Senior Probation Officer	Jessica Kozloski
Probation Officer	Lynn Heim
Probation Officer	Sarah Rupeka
Probation Officer	April Van Valkenburg
Probation Officer	Felicia Walters
Probation Officer	Tiffany Martin
Probation Assistant	Sabrina Ersken
Probation Assistant	Raymond Hernandez

WORKLOAD**SUPERVISION** **2024** **2025**

Adult criminal received from Greene County courts-	139	106
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*Includes interim supervision

Adult criminal received via intra-state and inter-state transfers-	36	29
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Total adult criminal received	175	135
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*Includes interim supervision

TOTAL SUPERVISED AT END OF YEAR**2025**

Adult criminal as of 12/31/25

Felony-111	Misdemeanor- 110	Total	221
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Juvenile- Juvenile Delinquent- 8	Person In Need of Supervision- 0	Total	8
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Total formal probation supervision as of 12/31/25 (person count, not case count) **229**

Informal family court supervision

Juvenile intake supervision	JD-4
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Pre-adjudicatory supervision	JD-1 PINS- 3
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Total persons supervised (formal and informal) as of 12/31/25 **237**

2024

Adult criminal- Felony- 111	Misdemeanor- 125	Total	236
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Juvenile- Juvenile Delinquent- 6	Person in Need of Supervision-1	Total	7
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Total formal probation supervision as of 12/31/24 (person count, not case count) **243**

Informal family court supervision

Juvenile intake supervision	JD-4,
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Pre-adjudicatory supervision	JD- 4 PINS-1	Total	9
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Total persons supervised (formal and informal) as of 12/31/24 **252**

INVESTIGATIONS**2024****2025**

Total Ordered

136

107

(134 criminal,
2 family)(107 criminal,
0 family)

Total Completed/Closed*

135

104

(134 criminal,
1 family)(103 criminal,
1 family)

Completed/closed includes cases opened the prior year

JUVENILE DELINQUENT (JD) & PERSONS IN NEED OF SUPERVISION (PINS)**2024****2025**

Total referred to Probation

33

44

(All JD)

(All JD)

In 2020 PINS diversion “lead agency” status changed from Probation to DSS, therefore, we no longer receive referrals from other agencies for diversion services for those status offense matters.

Total diverted from family court

18

29

(All JD)

(All JD)

FAMILY OFFENSE PETITION PREPARATION**2024****2025**

11

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These occur when the local domestic violence agency has a conflict with the potential petitioner or respondent.

SEX OFFENDER SUPERVISION

	<u>As of 12/31/24</u>	<u>As of 12/31/25</u>
<u>Total</u>	16	16
Cases on public registry	6	5
	(One Level 3, Five Level 2)	(0 Level 3, 5 Level 2)

FINANCIAL INFORMATION**RESTITUTION (probation sentence or otherwise)**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>
Total Collected	\$27, 762.12	\$53,851.03
	(\$ 23,621.81 criminal/surcharge)	(\$ 49,847.92 criminal/surcharge)
	(\$ 4,140.31 -family court)	(\$ 4,003.11 family court)

RESTITUTION COLLECTED FOR**DISBURSEMENT TO PUBLIC/NON-PROFIT AGENCIES-2025**

Greene County District Attorney's Office	\$ 275.00
Second Baptist Church	\$ 942.94
Superintendent of New York State Police	\$ 14.00
Ulster County Department of Social Services	\$ 3,116.00
New York State Department of Labor	\$ 50.00
 Total (without surcharge)	 \$ 4,397.94
Greene County Treasurer (surcharge)	\$ 253.82
 TOTAL	 \$ 4,651.76

RESTITUTION COLLECTED FOR
DISBURSEMENT TO PUBLIC/NON-PROFIT AGENCIES-2024

Catskill School District	\$ 128.33
Greene County District Attorney's Office	\$ 570.18
Second Baptist Church	\$ 270.00
Superintendent of New York State Police	\$ 960.11
Ulster County Department of Social Services	\$ 900.00
 Total (without surcharge)	 \$ 2,828.62
Greene County Treasurer (surcharge)	\$ 797.21
 TOTAL	 \$ 3,625.83

ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION (COMMUNITY SERVICE)-2025

21 adults were assigned to perform community service, 23 completed their assignments**

** The New York State Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives/Division of Criminal Justice Services provide different levels of reimbursement for each assigned adult and each completed adult. For 2025 the department received \$5,835 in reimbursement. Certain offenders who completed in 2025 may have entered the program in 2024.

ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION (COMMUNITY SERVICE)-2024

29 adults were assigned to perform community service, 11 completed their assignments**

** The New York State Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives/Division of Criminal Justice Services provide different levels of reimbursement for each assigned adult and each completed adult. For 2024 the department received \$5,835 in reimbursement. Certain offenders who completed in 2024 may have entered the program in 2023.

ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION (ELECTRONIC MONITORING)-2025

34 offenders (3 transdermal alcohol monitoring, 31 for GPS), 2,384 service days (363 transdermal-County pay; 365-offender pay; 1,656 GPS-County pay), which, at a would-be jail rate of \$85/day, amounts to projected savings of \$171,615 (\$30,855- transdermal, \$140,760 GPS)

Alternatives to Incarceration without electronic monitoring that were opened included 4 pre-trial cases.

ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION (ELECTRONIC MONITORING)-2024

44 offenders (11 transdermal alcohol monitoring, 37 (36 monitored, as one case was a no show for GPS), 4,145 service days (1,066 transdermal-County pay; 678-offender pay; 2,401 GPS-County pay), which, at a would-be jail rate of \$85/day, amounts to projected savings of \$294,695 (\$90,610- transdermal, \$204,085- GPS)

Alternatives to Incarceration without electronic monitoring that were opened included 9 pre-trial cases.

IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICE MONITORING- 2025

\$2,735.04 was received, via the NYS Governor's Traffic Safety Grant, for probation cases; and another \$2,148.96 by the Sheriff/STOP-DWI for conditional discharge cases, for a total of \$4,884.

*Reimbursement amounts are based off the number of ignition interlock court orders for 2 prior years, with the program year crossing calendar years.

IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICE MONITORING- 2024

\$3,341.62 was received, via the NYS Governor's Traffic Safety Grant, for probation cases; and another \$3,023.38 by the Sheriff/STOP-DWI for conditional discharge cases, for a total of \$6,365.

*Reimbursement amounts are based off the number of ignition interlock court orders for 2 prior years, with the program year crossing calendar years.

S.T.O.P.-DWI VICTIM IMPACT PANEL RECEIPTS

2024

\$5,545

2025

5,925

These amounts include additional donations of \$800 made by offenders, in addition to the standard fees.

Department Revenues 2025

Restitution surcharge	\$ 253.82
Probation Officer- DWI (partial salary)	\$ 18,000.00
STOP-DWI- ATI/Community Service (partial salary)	\$ 12,000.00
State Block Grant	\$ 122,328.00*
	*(almost identical for some 15 years)
DOCCS pre-sentence investigation reimbursement	\$ 618.65
Ignition Interlock supervision reimbursement	\$ 2,735.04
Bail poundage	\$ 50.00
NYS Community Service reimbursement	\$ 5,835.00

Department Revenues 2024

Restitution surcharge	\$	797.21
Probation Officer- DWI (partial salary)	\$	13,500.00
STOP-DWI- ATI/Community Service (partial salary)	\$	16,500.00
State Block Grant	\$	122,328.00
DOCCS pre-sentence investigation reimbursement	\$	1,606.18
Ignition Interlock supervision reimbursement	\$	3,341.62
Bail poundage	\$	130.45
NYS Community Service reimbursement	\$	8,521.02

DRUG TESTS CONDUCTED-2025*

Test Type	Pos	Neg	SA
Alcohol	44	1138	33
Amphetamine	47	674	26
Barbiturate	1	178	0
Benzodiazapine	31	711	24
Cocaine	72	882	52
Morphine	8	527	3
Opiate	15	872	4
Other	84	460	9
Psychedelic	4	353	0
THC	152	737	114
Site Total All Tests:	458	6,532	265

SA= offender admitted to results

*Figures do not include tests performed on 19 adults, per Greene County Family Court order, who were engaged in court actions not involving this department.

Total expenditures for drug/alcohol testing **\$5,204.83**

DRUG TESTS CONDUCTED -2024*

Test Type	Pos	Neg	SA
Alcohol	39	1073	28
Amphetamine	36	530	18
Barbiturate	0	230	0
Benzodiazapine	22	552	5
Cocaine	81	738	31
Morphine	2	345	0
Opiate	7	747	2
Other	75	379	7
Psychedelic	1	322	1
THC	134	580	93
Site Total All Tests:	397	5,496	185

SA= offender admitted to results

*Figures do not include tests performed on 27 adults, per Greene County Family Court order, who were engaged in court actions not involving this department.

Total expenditures for drug/alcohol testing

\$4,596.07

DNA Submission 2025

In 2025 the NYS DNA Databank received 27 DNA submissions from the Greene County Probation Department. Of those 27 submissions, 0 submissions were rejected.

2025	Samples Received	Samples Rejected	Rejection Rate
January - March	12	0	0%
April – June	5	0	0%
July - September	6	0	0%
October - December	4	0	0%
Total	27	0	0%

2024 data comparative not available.