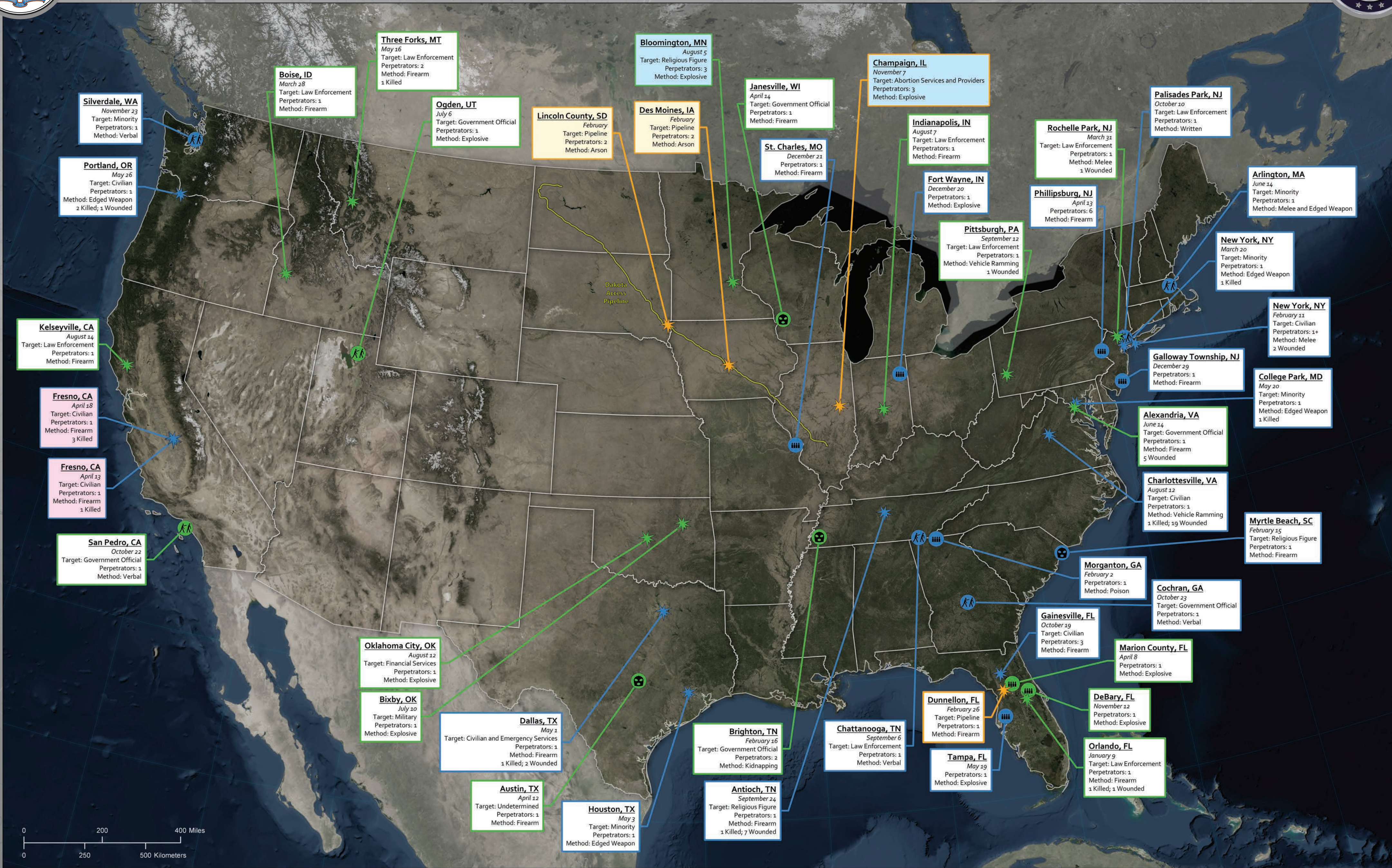


# Domestic Terrorism in the US, 2017



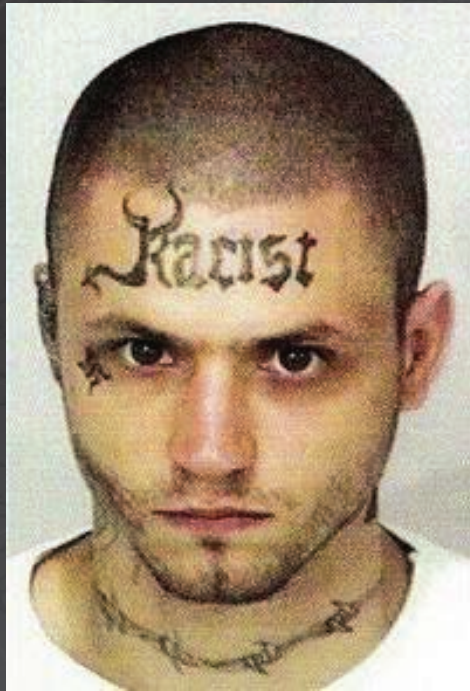
**Motivation:** ● Anti-Government ● Race-Based ● Single-Issue

**Action:** ★ Attack ☺ Plot ☠ Threat 🗡 Weapons Stockpiling (amassing weapons and ammunition to conduct violent activity)

This map depicts 45 domestic terrorist attacks, disrupted plots, threats of violence, and instances of weapons stockpiling committed in 2017. NJOHSP defines domestic terrorism as violence committed by individuals or groups—including race-based, single-issue, anti-government, and religious extremist ideologies—associated primarily with US-based movements. All information is derived from publicly available sources.

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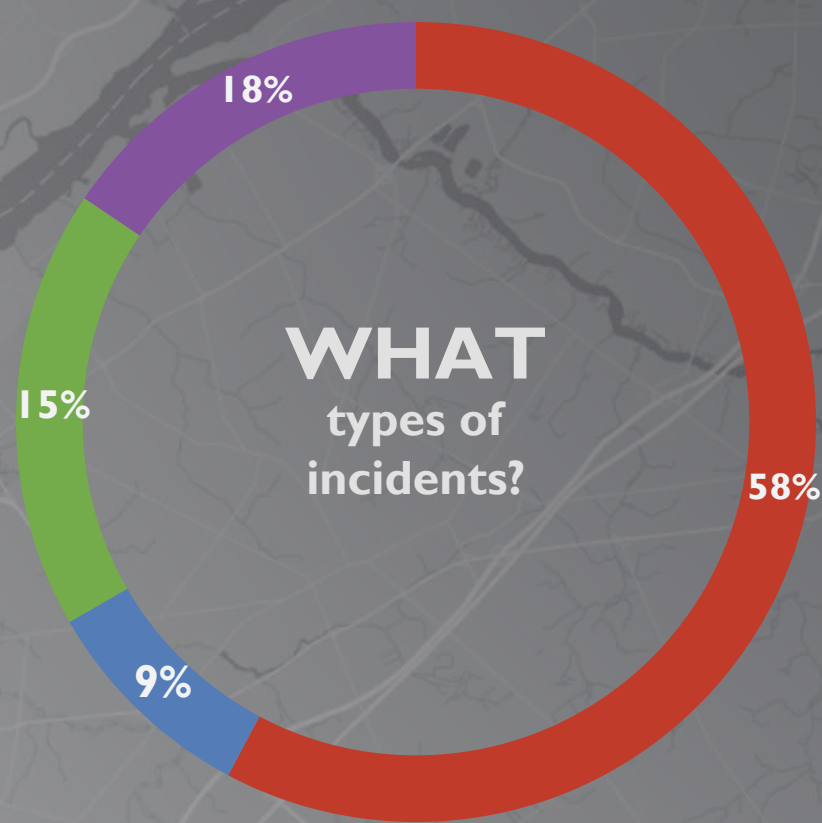
## New Jersey Case Study: Aryan Strikeforce



Joshua Steever

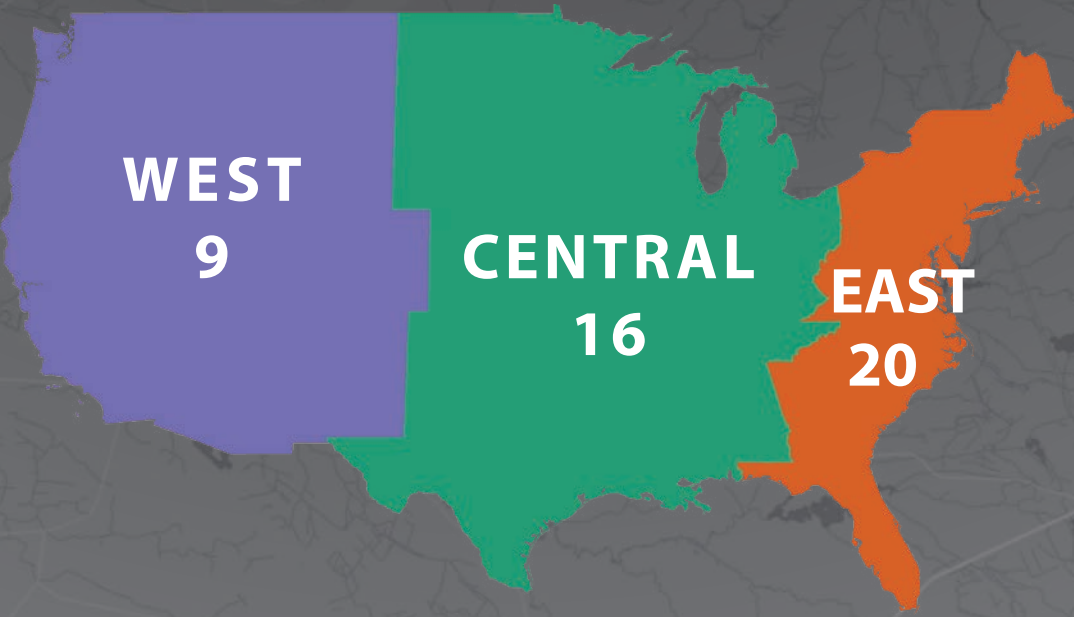
On April 13, the leader of Aryan Strikeforce—Joshua Steever of Phillipsburg (Warren County)—was arrested along with five other members for conspiring to sell methamphetamine, firearms, and machinegun parts to fund the organization's activities. The defendants stored firearms and ammunition at locations in New Jersey and Pennsylvania and transported methamphetamine across state lines. Aryan Strikeforce claims to have over 30 chapters domestically and internationally, with the "goal to protect the honour of our women, children, and the future of our race and nation" using violence as a necessary tool, according to the federal indictment. In 2006, Steever was arrested in California for making racial slurs and threatening two black students with a knife and, in 2005, he was charged with felony aggravated assault.

### WHAT types of incidents?

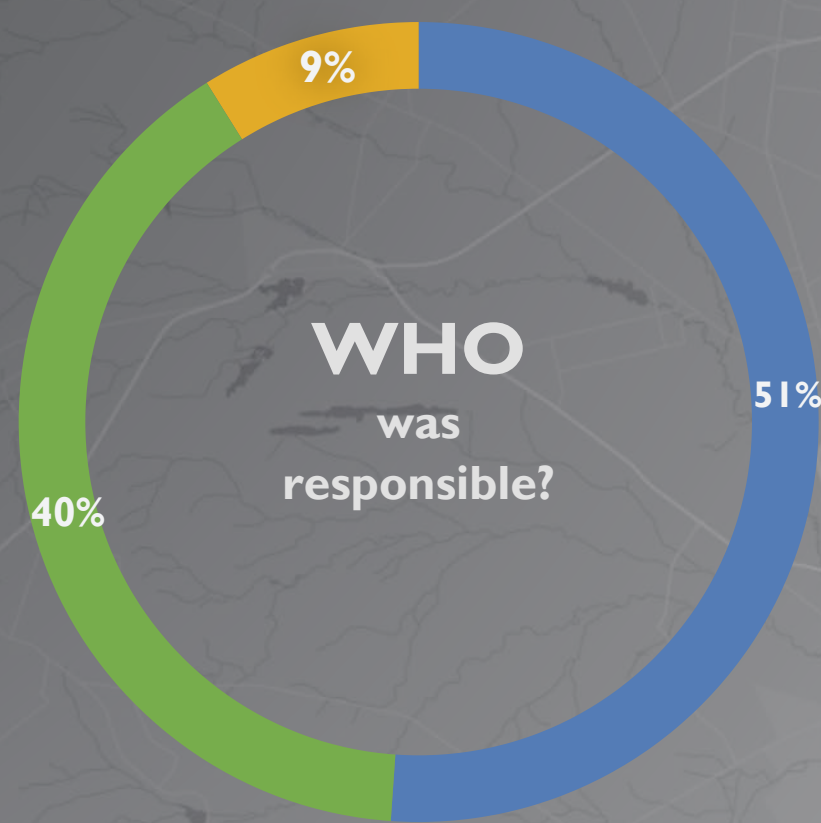


■ Attack ■ Plot  
■ Threat ■ Weapons Stockpiling

### WHERE did the incidents take place?



### WHO was responsible?



■ Anti-Government ■ Race-Based ■ Single-Issue

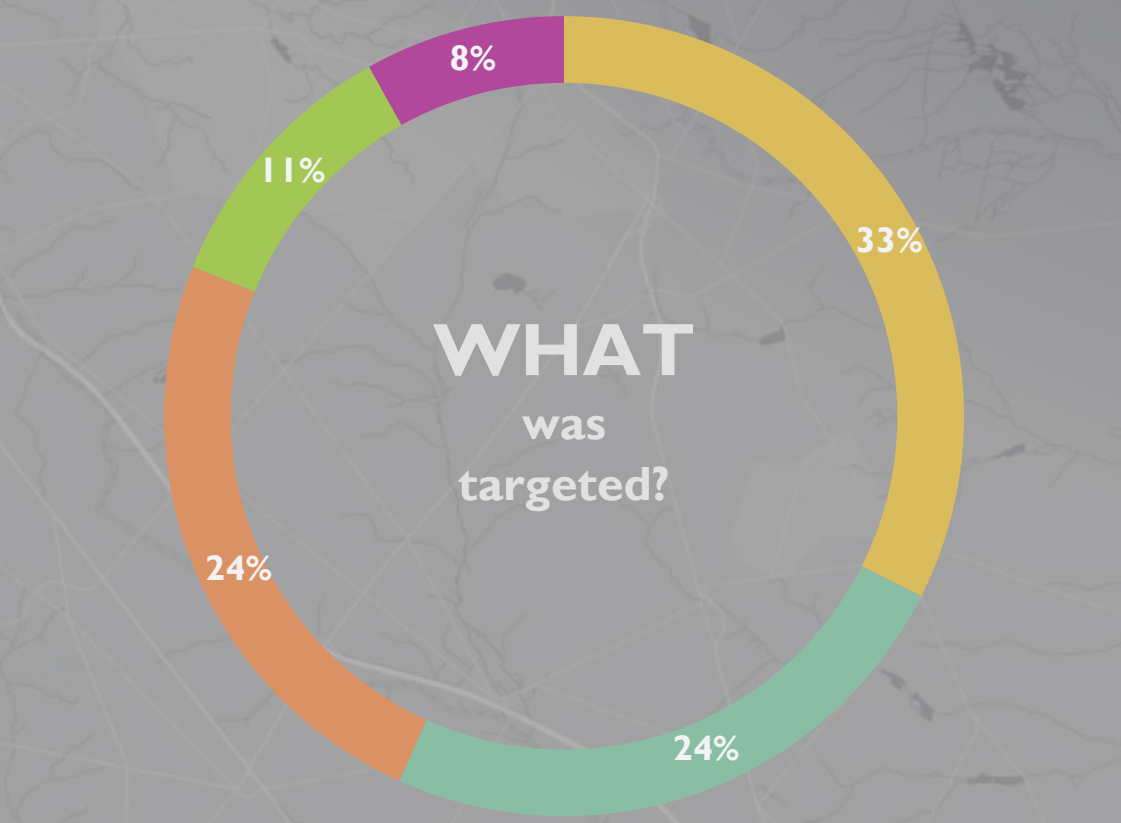
### STATUS of attack victims

13 Killed 39 Wounded

### GENDER of suspects

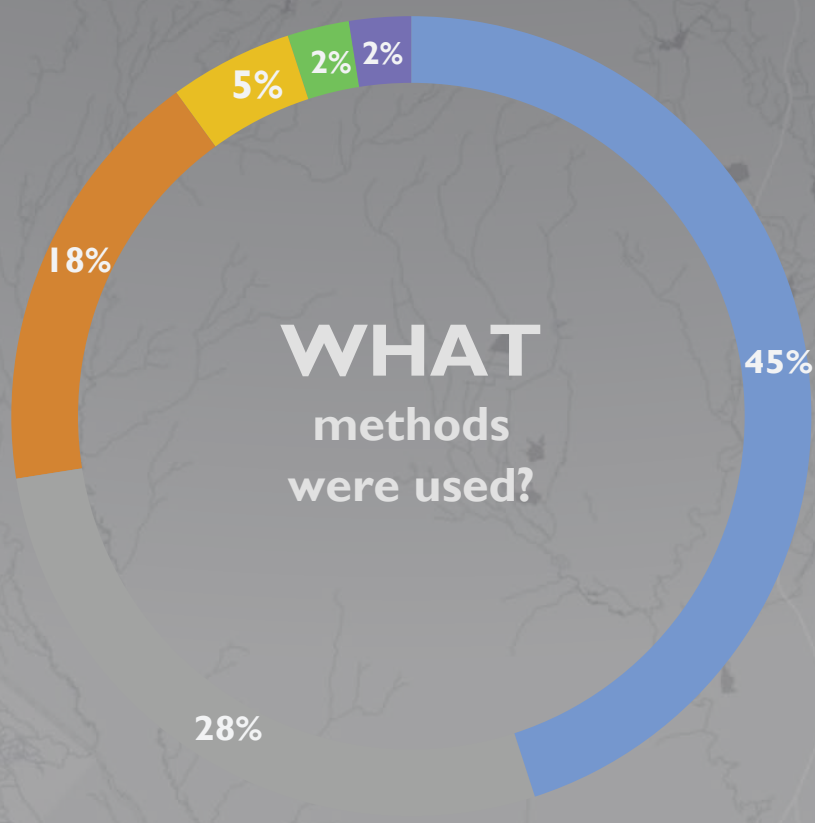
5 Female 49 Male

### WHAT was targeted?



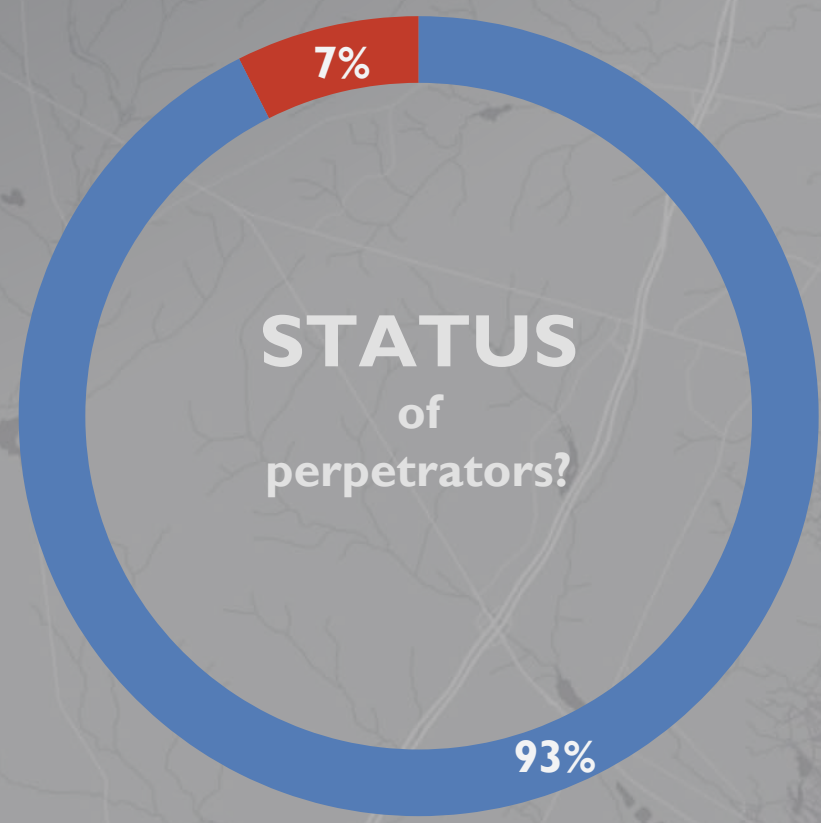
■ Civilian/Minority ■ Law Enforcement ■ Government/Military  
■ Religious Community ■ Critical Infrastructure

### WHAT methods were used?



■ Firearm ■ Explosive/Arson ■ Edged/Melee  
■ Vehicle ■ Poison

### STATUS of perpetrators?



■ Arrested ■ Deceased