## **Overview**

## Table 35

## Five-Year Arrest Trends, by Sex, 2014-2018

- In 2018, the number of males arrested decreased 7.3 percent, and the number of females arrested decreased 4.9 percent when compared with arrest figures from 2014.
- The number of juvenile males (those under age 18) arrested in 2018 dropped 27.4 percent, and the number of arrests of juvenile females fell 25.0 percent when compared with 2014 data.
- An examination of 5-year trend data indicated that the number of males arrested for violent crimes increased 2.6 percent, and the number of females arrested for these offenses rose 6.6 percent.
- The number of males arrested for murder in 2018 rose 12.0 percent when compared with 2014 arrest data, and the number of females arrested for murder in 2018 increased 16.1 percent.
- Arrests of juveniles for violent crimes decreased for males but increased for females in 2018 when compared with data for 2014. The number of arrests of juvenile males dropped 7.6 percent; the number of arrests of juvenile females rose 2.6 percent.