



**City of Dallas**

**2020 Violent Crime Reduction Plan Update  
Public Safety Committee  
November 9, 2020**



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# Presentation Overview



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# Goals and Objectives



## Crime Reduction Goals

- 10% Reduction in murders and aggravated assaults in the Southeast, Southwest, and South-Central Divisions
- 10% Reduction in individual and business robberies in the Northeast and Southwest Divisions
- 5% Overall reduction in the violent crime category across all divisions

## Objectives

- Implement a data-driven, comprehensive approach to address people, places, and behaviors impacting violent crime
- Increase clearance rates and solvability of violent crime
- Improve coordination and communications within the department and with external partners
- Optimize departmental resources using technology and improved key operational and organizational changes



# The Month of October



- Aggravated Assaults and Homicides continue to be the department's primary area of concern.
- Homicides – 31
  - 15 Argument / Conflict
  - 4 Family Violence
  - 1 Robberies
  - 11 Unknown
- Aggravated Assaults (NFV) - 574
  - Argument / Conflict is the major cause for majority of these offenses.
  - Locations
    - Convenience Stores, Multi Family Locations
  - YTD Comparison Incidents VS Victims
    - 2019 - 2747 Incidents VS 3824 Victims
    - 2020 – 3407 Incidents VS 5006 Victims



# The Month of October



## YTD Homicide Comparison (Victim Relationship)

MOTIVE	2019		2020		DIFF
	NUM	PCT	NUM	PCT	
ARGUMENT/CONFLICT	69	40.4%	91	45.5%	12.8%
ARSON	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	N/A
BURGLARY	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	>100%
CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	N/A
FAMILY VIOLENCE	34	19.9%	31	15.5%	-22.0%
HOME INVASION	0	0.0%	4	2.0%	>100%
OFFICER INVOLVED	1	0.6%	0	0.0%	-100.0%
ROBBERY	38	22.2%	34	17.0%	-23.5%
SEXUAL	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	N/A
OTHER	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	N/A
UNKNOWN	25	14.6%	38	19.0%	30.0%
TOTAL	167		199		

GANGS / DRUGS	2019		2020		DIFF
	NUM	PCT	NUM	PCT	
GANG INVOLVED	30	17.5%	32	16.0%	-8.8%
GANG MOTIVATED	11	6.4%	4	2.0%	-68.9%
DRUG INVOLVED	34	19.9%	34	17.0%	-14.5%
TOTAL	75		70		

ARGUMENT CONFLICT RELATIONSHIP	2019		2020		DIFF
	NUM	PCT	NUM	PCT	
Acquaintance	34	19.9%	58	29.0%	45.9%
Boyfriend	1	0.6%	1	0.5%	-14.5%
Stranger	19	11.1%	30	15.0%	35.0%
Unknown	15	8.8%	2	1.0%	-88.6%
TOTAL	69		91		

\*Note there was an update for 1 offense on November 5<sup>th</sup>. The original offense date was 10/27/2020.



# The Month of October



## YTD Homicide Comparison (Suspect Relationship)

SUSPECT RELATIONSHIP	2019		2020		DIFF
	NUM	PCT	NUM	PCT	
Acquaintance	46	18.8%	92	37.6%	100.0%
Boyfriend	4	1.6%	10	4.1%	150.0%
Child	2	0.8%	1	0.4%	-50.0%
Common Law	3	1.2%	4	1.6%	33.3%
Girlfriend	2	0.8%	0	0.0%	-100.0%
Grandchild	0	0.0%	1	0.4%	>100%
Grandparent	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	N/A
In-Law	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	N/A
Other Family	7	2.9%	1	0.4%	-85.7%
Parent	3	1.2%	1	0.4%	-66.7%
Roommate	5	2.0%	4	1.6%	-20.0%
Sibling	0	0.0%	3	1.2%	>100%
Spouse	5	2.0%	3	1.2%	-40.0%
Stranger	66	26.9%	62	25.3%	-6.1%
Unknown	56	22.9%	61	24.9%	8.9%
TOTAL	199		243		



# Where We Are

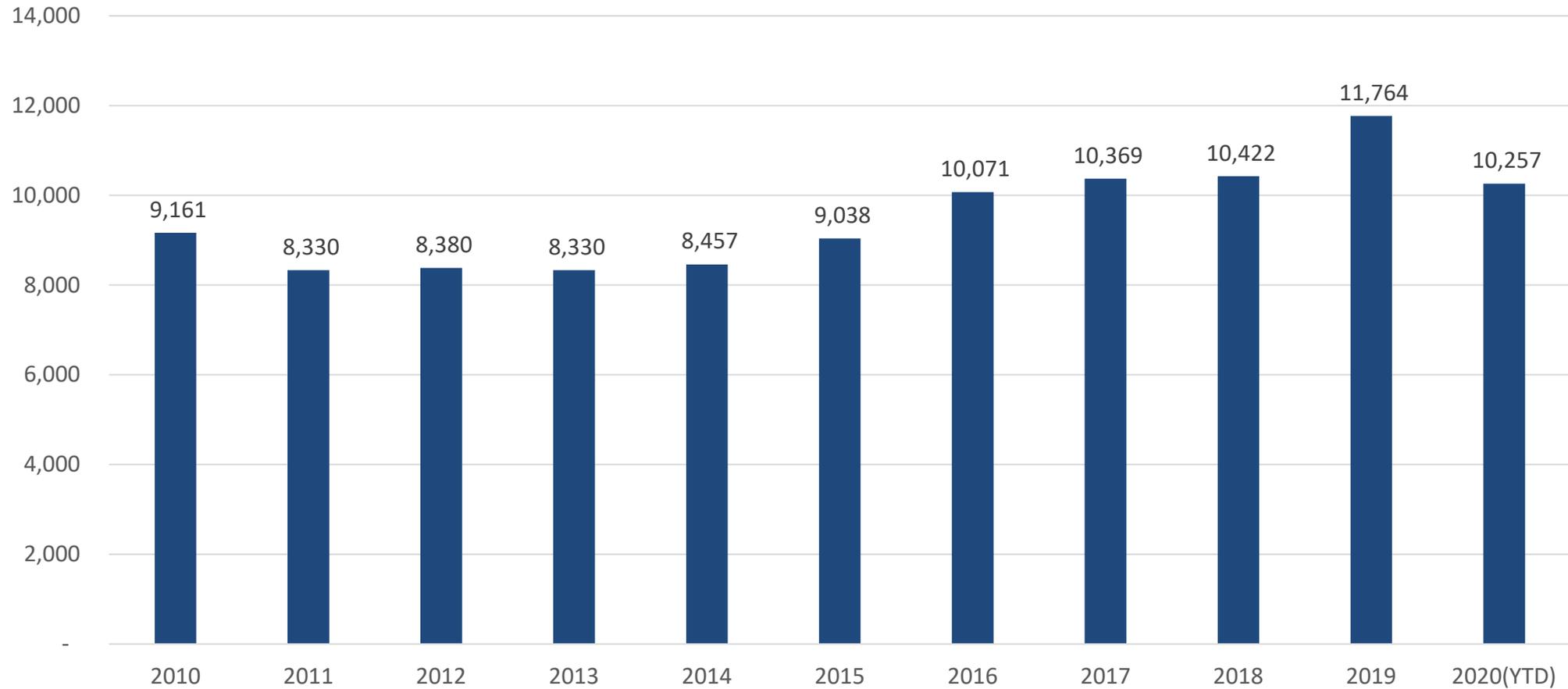


## NIBRS COMPSTAT DAILY CRIME BRIEFING Saturday, October 31, 2020

NIBRS CompStat Crime	YTD TY	YTD LY	Cnt Diff	% Chg
AGG ASSAULT - FV	1668	1517	151	9.95%
AGG ASSAULT - NFV	5006	3824	1182	30.91%
<b>Sub-Total ASSAULT OFFENSES</b>	<b>6674</b>	<b>5341</b>	<b>1333</b>	<b>24.96%</b>
MURDER & NONNEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	198	168	30	17.86%
<b>Sub-Total HOMICIDE OFFENSES</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>17.8%</b>
ROBBERY-BUSINESS	549	838	-289	-34.49%
ROBBERY-INDIVIDUAL	2282	3073	-791	-25.74%
<b>Sub-Total ROBBERY</b>	<b>2831</b>	<b>3911</b>	<b>-1080</b>	<b>-27.61%</b>
SEX OFFENSES	554	736	-182	-24.73%
<b>Sub-Total : Violent</b>	<b>10257</b>	<b>10156</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>0.99%</b>
NIBRS Compstat Crime	YTD TY	YTD LY	Cnt Diff	% Chg
BURGLARY-BUSINESS	3583	3612	-29	-0.80%
BURGLARY-RESIDENCE	3084	3679	-595	-16.17%
<b>Sub-Total BURGLARY ENTERING</b>	<b>6667</b>	<b>7291</b>	<b>-624</b>	<b>-8.56%</b>
BMV	13112	12997	115	0.88%
OTHER THEFT	7315	7841	-526	-6.71%
SHOPLIFTING	1912	1948	-36	-1.85%
<b>Sub-Total LARCENY/ THEFT OFFENSES</b>	<b>22339</b>	<b>22786</b>	<b>-447</b>	<b>-1.96%</b>
UUMV	8890	9159	-269	-2.94%
<b>Sub-Total MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>	<b>8890</b>	<b>9159</b>	<b>-269</b>	<b>-2.94%</b>
<b>Sub-Total : Non-Violent</b>	<b>37896</b>	<b>39236</b>	<b>-1340</b>	<b>-3.42%</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>48153</b>	<b>49392</b>	<b>-1239</b>	<b>-2.51%</b>



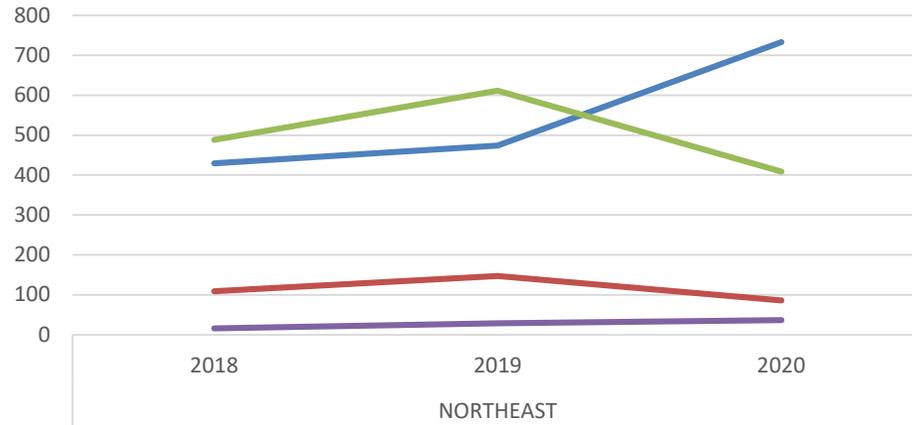
# Violent Crime History



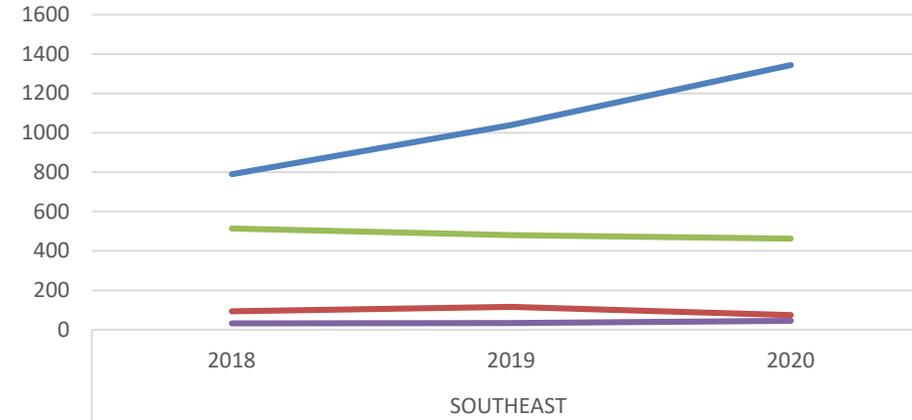
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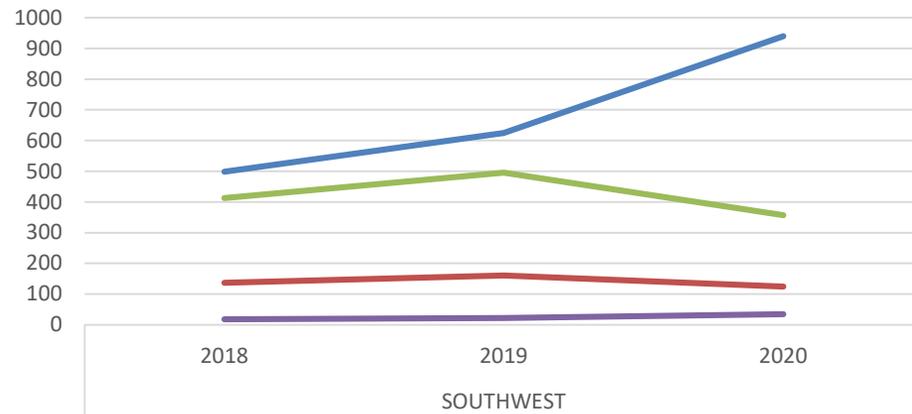
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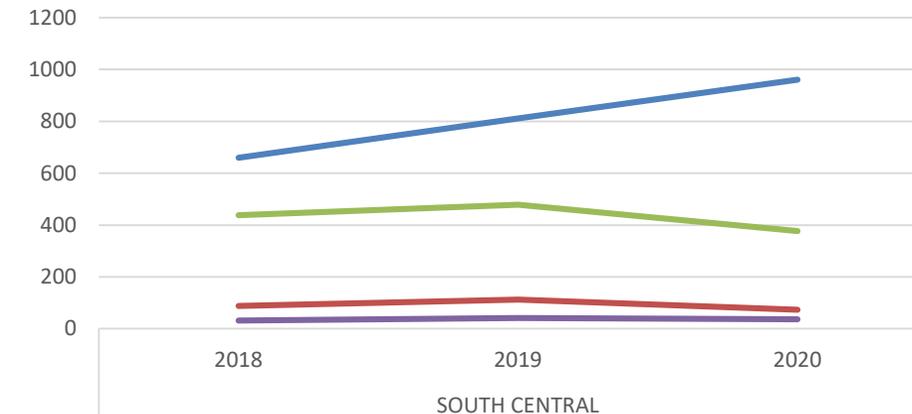
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SOUTHWEST DIVISION



SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION



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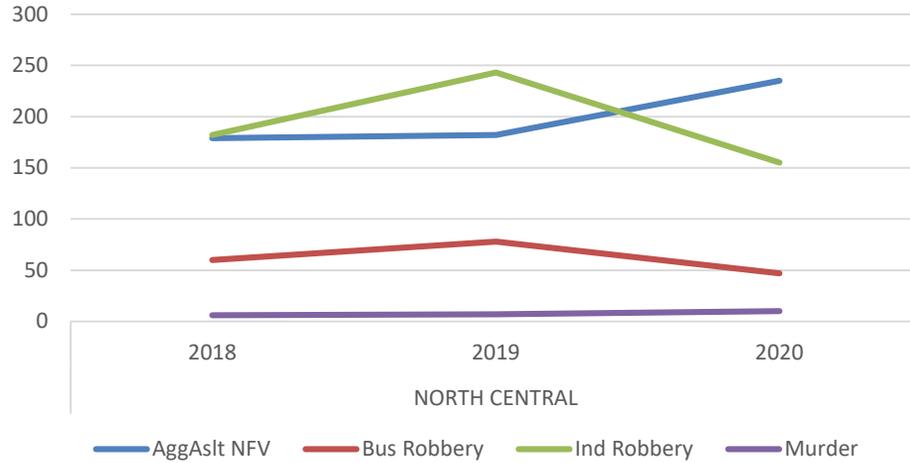
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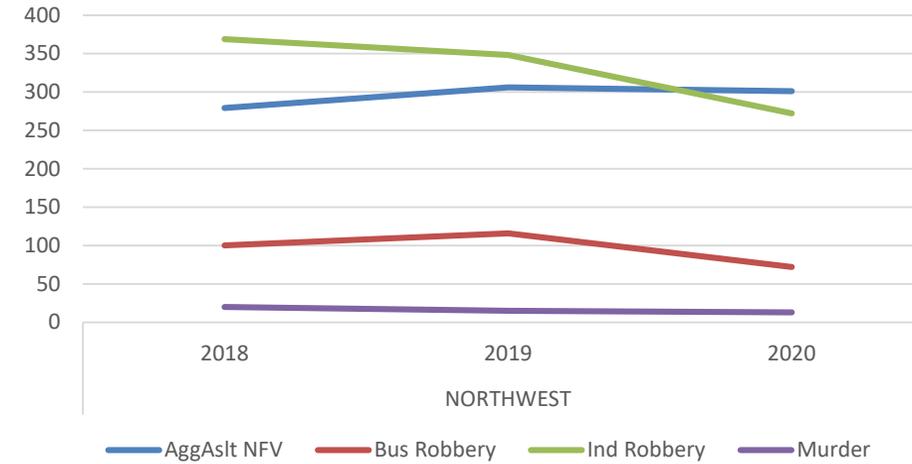
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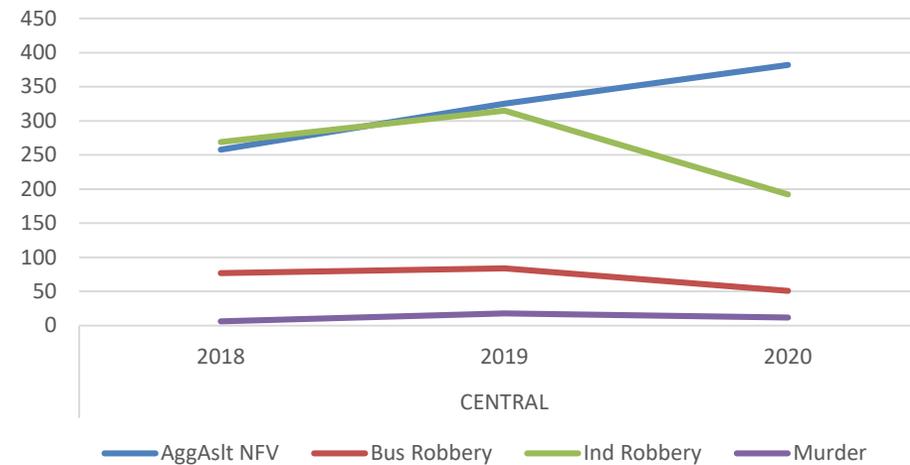
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NORTHWEST DIVISION



CENTRAL DIVISION

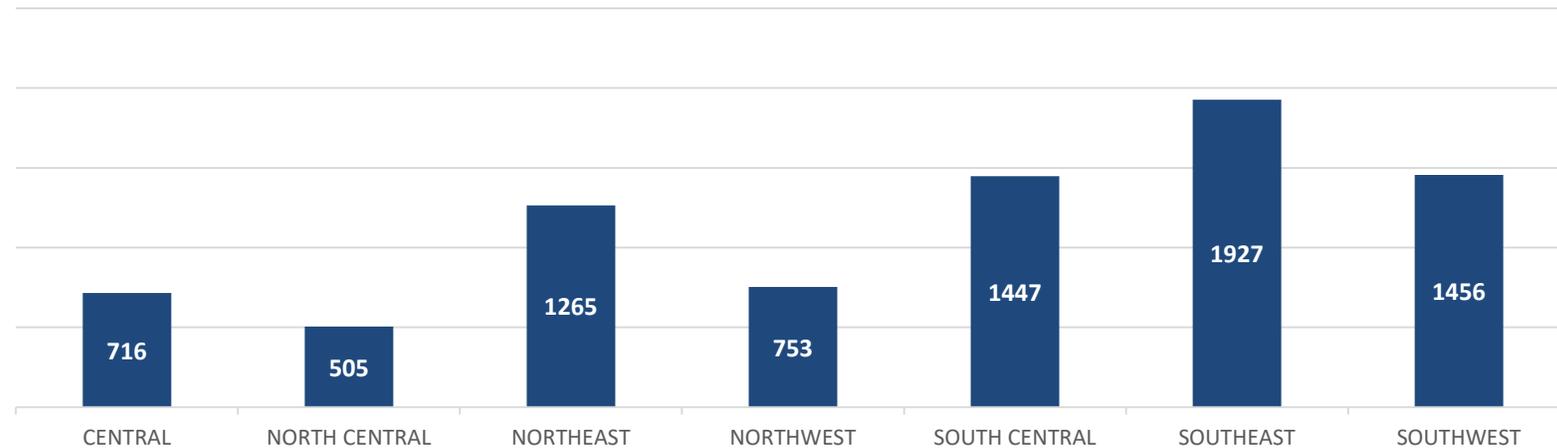


# YTD Violent Crime All Divisions



Offense	CENTRAL	NORTH CENTRAL	NORTHEAST	NORTHWEST	SOUTH CENTRAL	SOUTHEAST	SOUTHWEST	TOTAL
<b>Agg Aslt NFV</b>	428	268	733	352	961	1344	940	5026
<b>Bus Robbery</b>	59	50	86	83	73	74	124	549
<b>Ind Robbery</b>	213	177	409	298	377	463	357	2294
<b>Murder</b>	16	10	37	20	36	46	35	200
<b>Total</b>	716	505	1265	753	1447	1927	1456	8069

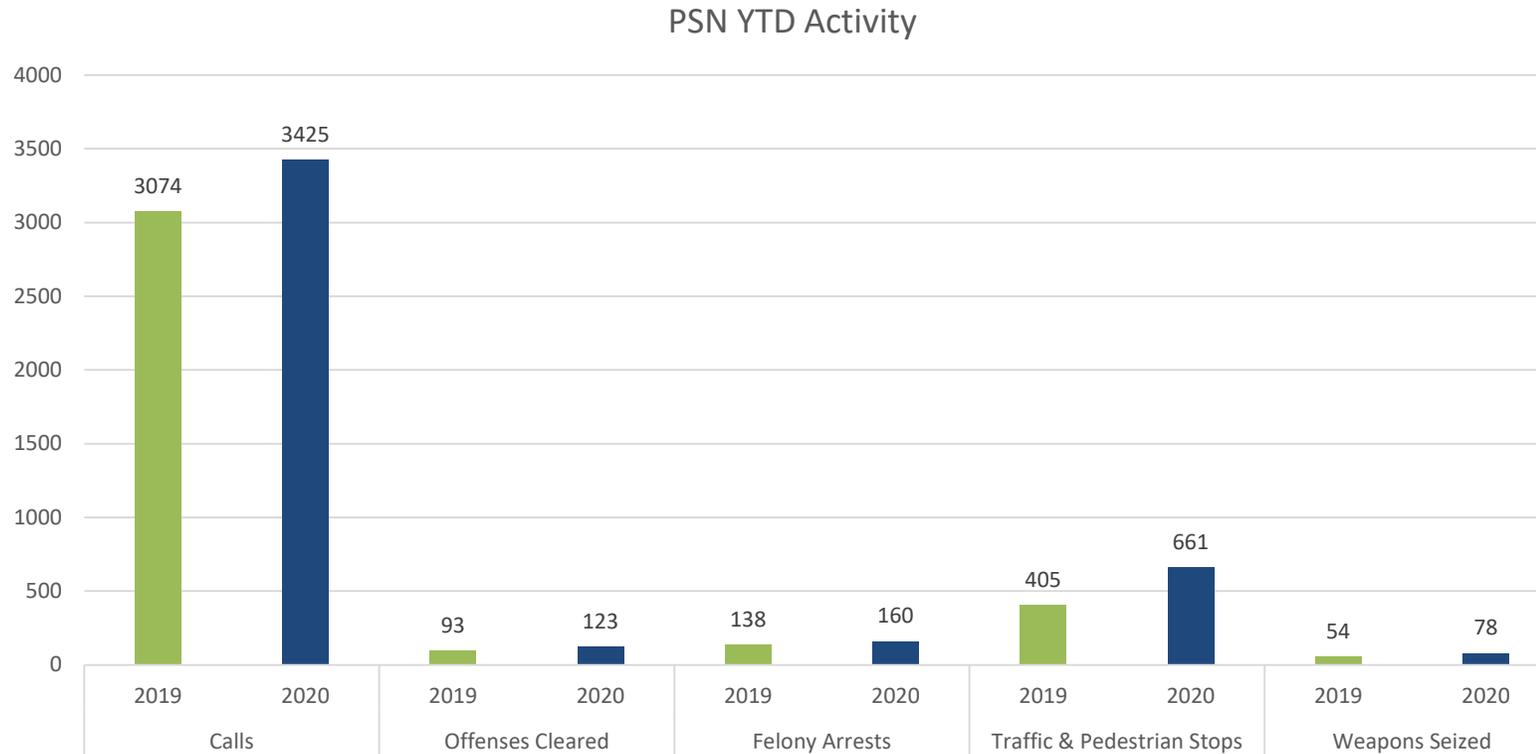
YTD Violent Crime



# Project Safe Neighborhood



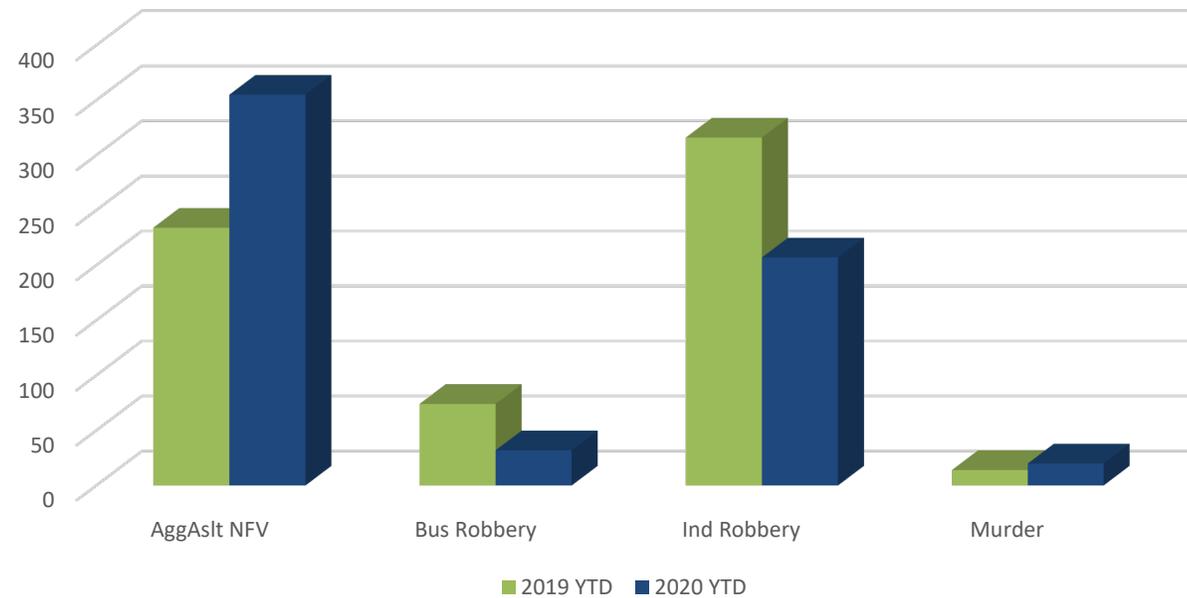
- One of the objectives is to reduce gun related crimes in Northeast- Forest / Audelia and 5 points



# Project Safe Neighborhood



PSN 2019 YTD vs 2020 YTD



# Operations / Initiatives



- The violent Crime Response Team is focusing on individuals wanted for violent felony offenses.
- Collaborative fugitive apprehension operations are designed to get the offender off the street, to prevent further acts of violence
- Warrant Round-Up
  - February 24-28      June 22-26      September 28-October 2
  - March 9-13      July 13-17      October 12-16
  - April 6-10      July 27-31      October 26-30
  - April 27 – May 1      August 10-14
  - May 11-15      August 31-September 4
  - May 25-29      September 14-18



# Operations / Initiatives—Arrest & Release Data



## Violent Crime Warrant Round Up

	February 24-28	March 9-13	April 6-10	April 27 - May 1	May 11-15	May 25-29	June 22-26	July 13-17	July 27-31
<b>Goal</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>
Arrested	53	72	54	66	57	51	36	39	36
Apprehension Rate	53%	96%	77%	83%	71%	73%	72%	78%	72%
Repeat Offenders	39	41	26	34	45	32	15	19	17

### Offender Status

1-10 Days in Jail	15	19	15	17	26	18	9	15	16
11-20 Days in Jail	0	3	6	2	5	1	6	3	0
21-30 Days in Jail	0	5	2	0	1	0	3	6	0
More than 30 Days	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Still in Jail	34	31	20	39	18	23	16	11	0
Extradited	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Not Available	3	12	11	8	7	9	2	4	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>36</b>

	August 10-14	August 31-September 4	September 14 - 18	September 28-October 2	October 12 - 16	October 26-30
<b>Goal</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>75</b>
Arrested	55	29	52	42	62	56
Apprehension Rate	79%	58%	69%	56%	83%	75%
Repeat Offenders	41	16	29	29	34	28

### Offender Status

1-10 Days in Jail	18	9	6	22	12	16
11-20 Days in Jail	3	0	6	11	0	0
21-30 Days in Jail	2	0	11	0	0	0
More than 30 Days	0	0	1	0	0	0
Still in Jail	18	0	14	0	25	0
Extradited	0	11	1	2	1	24
Not Available	14	9	13	7	24	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>56</b>

National average for a multiple day operation is 25%  
**Warrant round up goal was reduced to limit officer COVID-19 exposure**





## Operation Beat / Street

- 33 Felony Arrests & 39 Misdemeanor Arrests
- 642 Traffic Stops & 121 Pedestrian Stops
- 10 Weapons confiscated
- 22 Drugs confiscated
- 19 Stolen Vehicles Recovered



# 2020 Performance Metrics Update



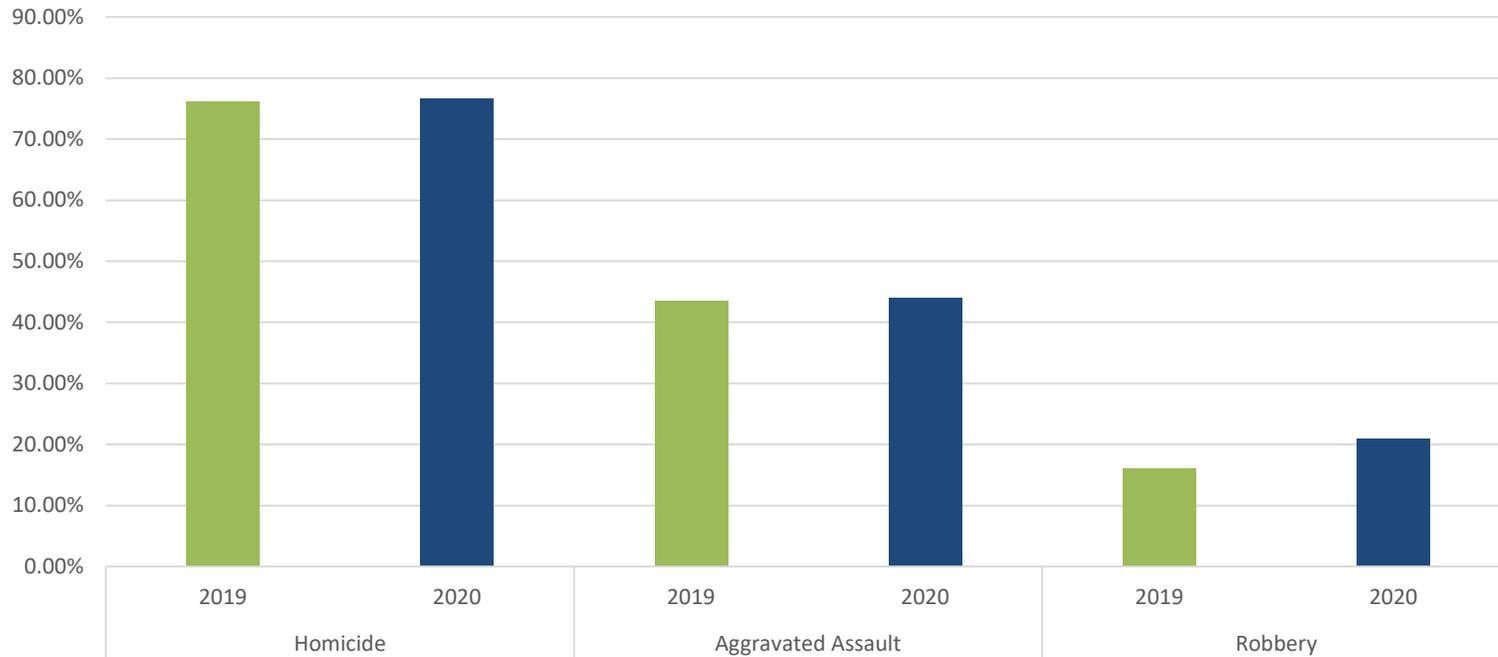
- The 2020 Crime Plan has additional metrics that support the department as a whole and assist with overall crime reduction and efficiency.
- A timeline was established to ensure we remain on target
- The following is an update on the progress of each metric



# Performance Metrics Update



YTD Clearance Rate



## National Average Clearance Rate

Homicide 62.8%

Robbery 30.4 %

Aggravated Assault 52.5%

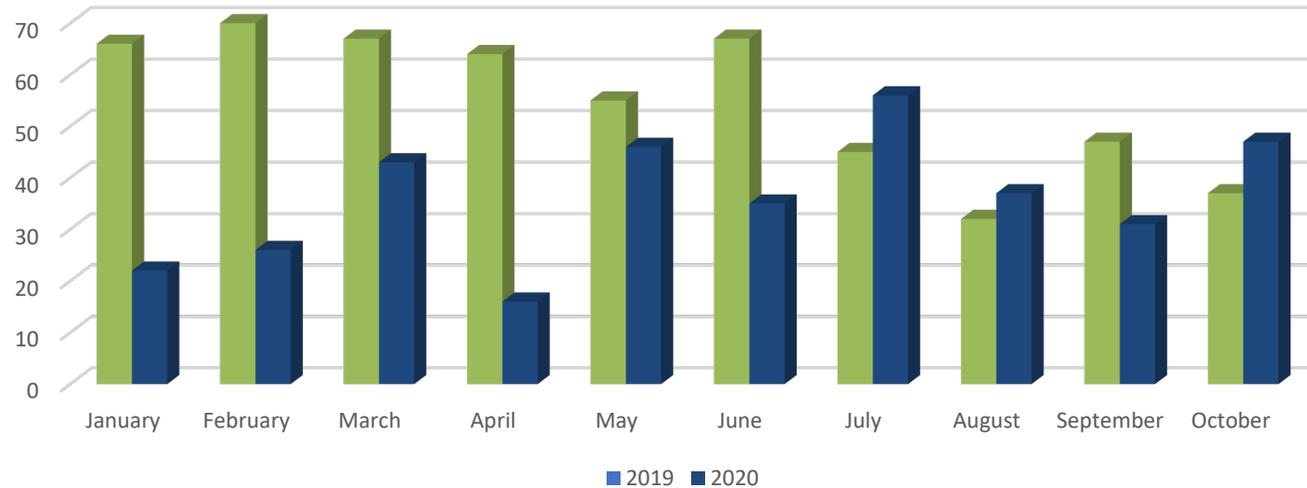
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# Performance Metrics Update



Gang Offenses



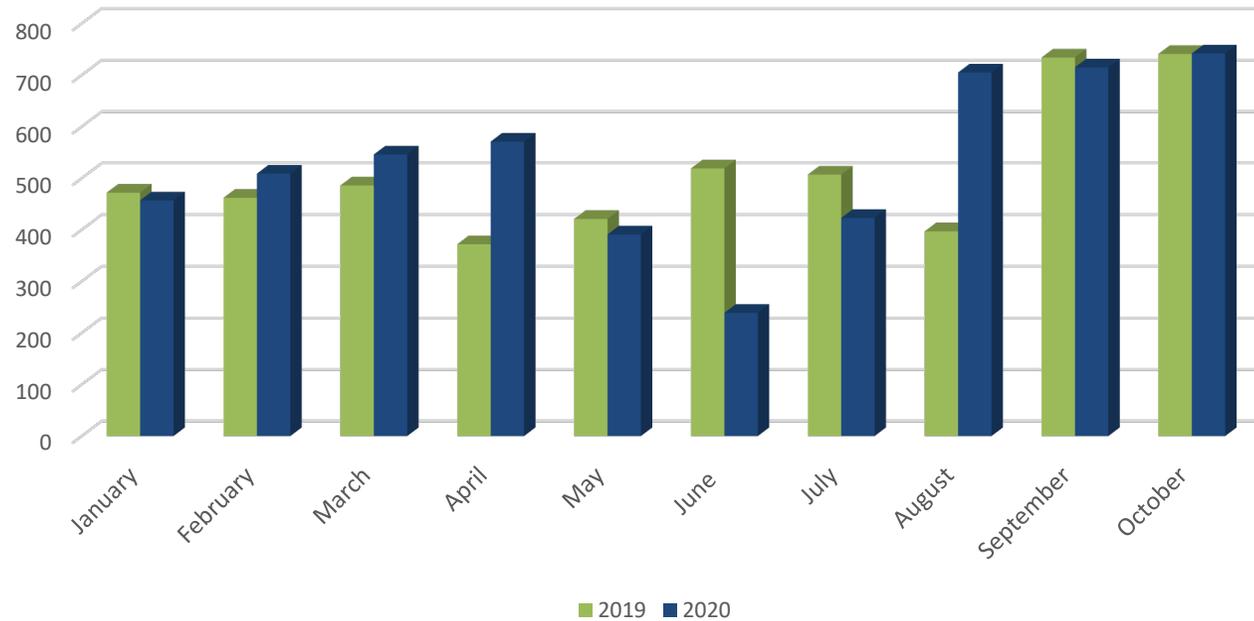
- Gang Activity is defined as the following:
  - Gang member commits offense against another gang member
  - Gang member commits violent criminal act
- Gang detectives and enforcement officers respond to all drive-by shootings to determine if they are gang related. This rapid response and relentless follow up has allowed us to identify and apprehend more offenders



# Performance Metrics Update



Narcotics Offense



Narcotics offenses are defined as:

- Any incident in which illicit drugs are determined to be a direct or indirect factor of the crime
- To address the increase, the Narcotics Division has conducted 101 undercover operations and executed 14 search warrants netting 61 arrest for the month of October.



# Performance Metrics Update



## Records Management (RMS) & Review Process

- Goals have been met
- All detectives received basic RMS training
- Continuous Review of Open/Closed cases

## Caseload Management

- As a result of RMS training, we are able to audit and manage detectives case load more efficiently
- Supervisors review the open/closed cases



# Performance Metrics Update



## Critical Incident Response

- Homicide Response Team provides rapid response to a scene to identify all witness and evidence related to the incident
- 4 responses in October
  - 0 - Suspects arrested
  - 4- Canvased Neighborhood for Witness and Suspects
  - 2 - Investigation follow up with Homicide detective

\* Deployment of this team has increased the departments clearance rate



# Performance Metrics Update



## Real Time Crime Center Update

- 5 applicants began work at the RTCC on November 5 applicants have start dates between November 23 and January 4
- 11 applicants are in the background process with an expected completion date of December 4
- Due to disqualifications, additional interviews are being conducted to fill the final position



# Performance Metrics Update



## • South Central Patrol Pilot Staffing Model

South Central Average Response Times			
Priority	Oct. '20	Oct. '19	Change Time
1	6.97	9.96	<b>-2.99</b>
2	20.54	28.18	<b>-7.64</b>
3	66.43	102.00	<b>-35.57</b>
4	89.34	130.75	<b>-41.41</b>

South Central Crime Percentage			
Crime	Oct. '20	Oct. '19	Change Time
Violent	188	176	<b>6.82%</b>
Non-Violent	367	424	<b>-13.44%</b>
Total	555	600	<b>-7.5%</b>

## South Central Observations:

- Past 14 days this year (71.64%) compared to past 14 days last year (50.70%), increase of **20.94%** on Priority 1 calls answered in less than 8 minutes.
- Past 28 days this year (71.19%) compared to past 28 days last year (51.60%), increase of **19.59%** on Priority 1 calls answered in less than 8 minutes.
- Month to date this year (6.97) compared to month to date last year (9.96), decrease of **-2.99** on Priority 1 response time.
- Year to date this year (7.77) compared to year to date last year (8.76), decrease of **-0.99** on Priority 1 response time.
- More usage of the Dallas Online Reporting System (DORS) program from the public.



# Performance Metrics Update



## Northeast Patrol Pilot Staffing Model

Northeast Average Response Times			
Priority	Oct. '20	Oct. '19	Change Time
1	7.82	9.57	<b>-1.75</b>
2	24.13	25.93	<b>-1.8</b>
3	93.73	97.58	<b>-3.85</b>
4	135.62	136.63	<b>-1.01</b>

Northeast Crime Percentage			
Crime	Oct. '20	Oct. '19	Change Time
Violent	179	153	<b>16.99%</b>
Non-Violent	699	688	<b>1.6%</b>
Total	878	841	<b>4.4%</b>

### Northeast Patrol Observations:

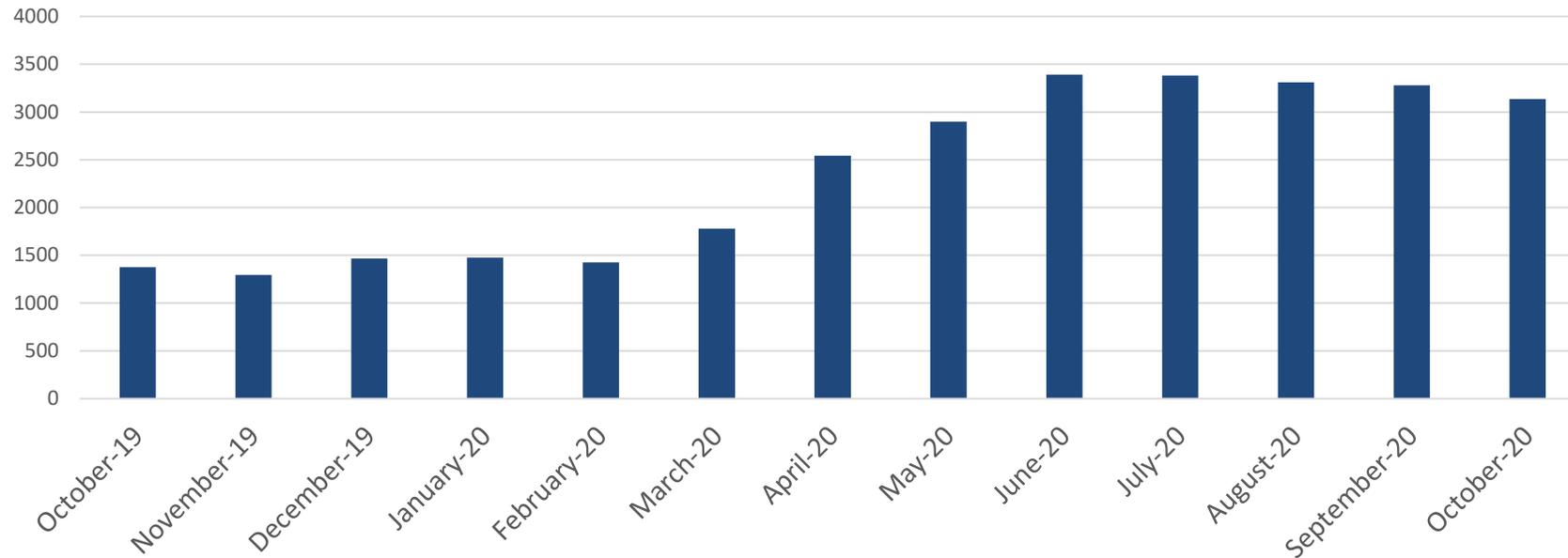
- Past 14 days this year (65.75%) compared to past 14 days last year (56.12%), increase of **9.63%** on Priority 1 calls answered in less than 8 minutes.
- Past 28 days this year (64.45%) compared to past 28 days last year (57.25%), increase of **7.50%** on Priority 1 calls answered in less than 8 minutes.
- Month to date this year (7.82) compared to month to date last year (9.57), decrease of **-1.75** on Priority 1 response time.
- Year to date this year (8.57) compared to year to date last year (9.20), decrease of **-0.63** on Priority 1 response time.
- More usage of the Dallas Online Reporting System (DORS) program from the public.



# Performance Metrics Update



- Increase Usage of Dallas Online Reporting System (DORS) & Expeditor Reports



- 3137 DORS and Over the Phone Reports completed in October
- 28% of priority 4 type calls were handled through DORS and Over the Phone in October



# Holiday Crime Initiative



- The Holiday Crime Initiative will focus on reducing property and violent crime during the holiday season within targeted entertainment and shopping areas.
- Officers will focus on the identified target areas to reduce individual robberies, business robberies, thefts, burglary of motor vehicles and unauthorized use of motor vehicles.



# Holiday Crime Initiative



- Historically targeted locations include:
- Shopping Malls
- Retail Districts
- Entertainment Districts
- Residential Neighborhoods
- Home for the Holidays Initiative
- Coordinated through the Traffic Unit
- DWI initiative (November 25 – January 5)
- Program created by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) and Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD)
- Dedicated to DWI related offenses and preventing crashes



# Holiday Crime Initiative



- One key objective of the operation is to provide a highly visible uniformed presence. The following units will be utilized to meet this goal:
  - Bicycle Officers
  - Mounted Officers
  - Tactical Officers
  - Reserve Officers
  - Helicopter Unit
  - Covert Deployment Officers
  - Volunteers in Patrol (VIPs)
  - Sky Tower
  - Bait Vehicles



# Holiday Crime Initiative Tips



- Keep all car doors locked and windows closed while in or out of your car. Set your alarm or use an anti-theft device.
- If you must shop at night, park in a well-lighted area.
- Never leave your car unoccupied with the motor running or with children inside.
- Do not leave packages or valuables on the seat of your car. This creates a temptation for thieves. If you must leave something in the car, lock it in the trunk or put it out of sight.
- When approaching or leaving your vehicle, be aware of your surroundings.
- Do not approach your car alone if there are suspicious people in the area.



# Holiday Crime Prevention Campaign



The Department will use multiple avenues to communicate with the public on being safe

- Utilize the Public Information Office
- Enlist Neighborhood Police Officers
- Post tips to Social media
- Create videos
- Post to the City Web TV
- Partner with local media outlets





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