



**City of Dallas**

# **Violent Crime Reduction Plan Update**

**Public Safety Committee  
January 9, 2023**

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# Presentation Overview



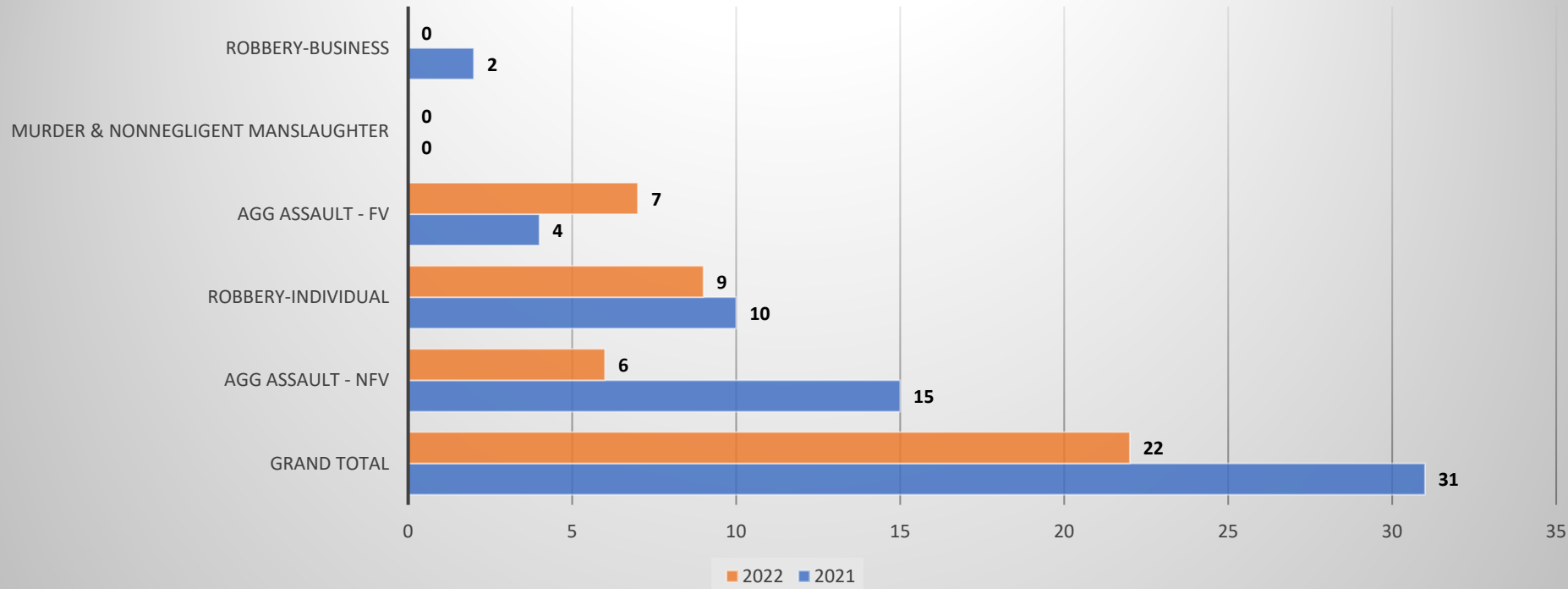
- Grid Crime by the Numbers
- Grid Impacts Results - Overall Crime
- The Crime Trends
- Murder, Robbery, Aggravated Assault
- Integrated Public Safety Solutions
- Social Responsibility
- Crime Plan- Next Steps



# Grid Crime by the Numbers



Grid Comparison – Violent Crime 2021 vs. 2022



Our crime plan is based on the theory that crime is concentrated in small areas throughout the city.

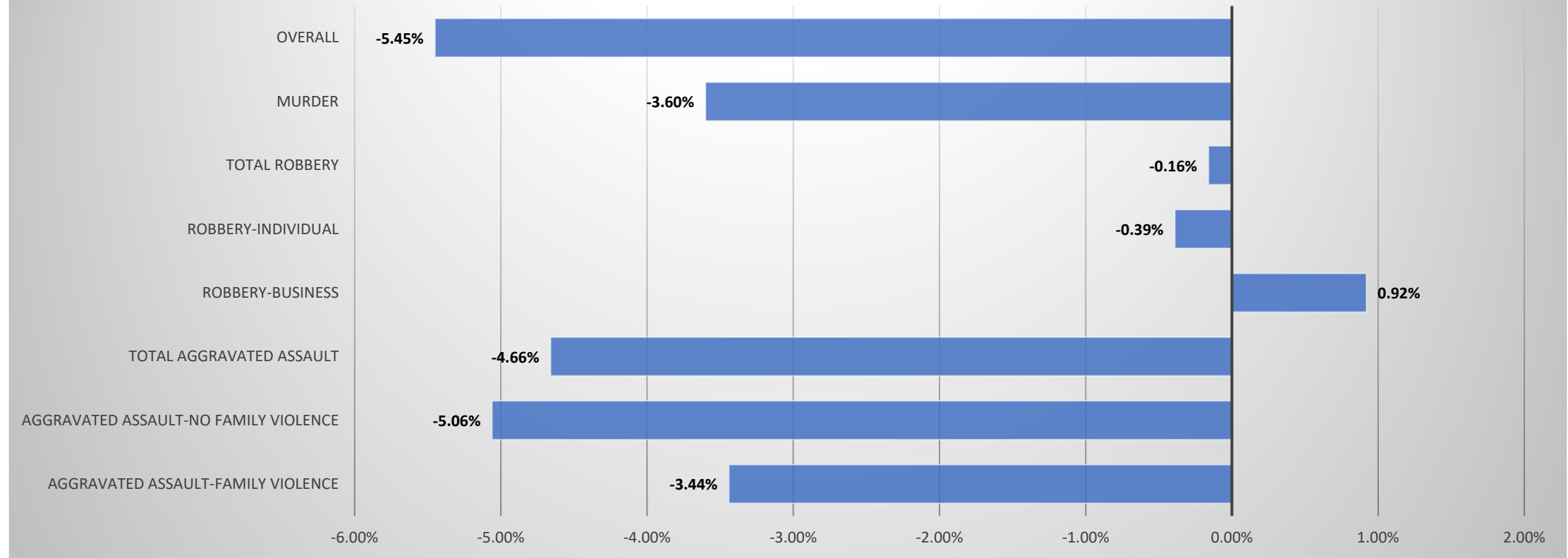
- \* Phase 7 Grids
- \* Dec. 1 - Dec. 31
- Victims
- Red – 2022
- Blue - 2021



# Grid Impact Results- Overall Crime



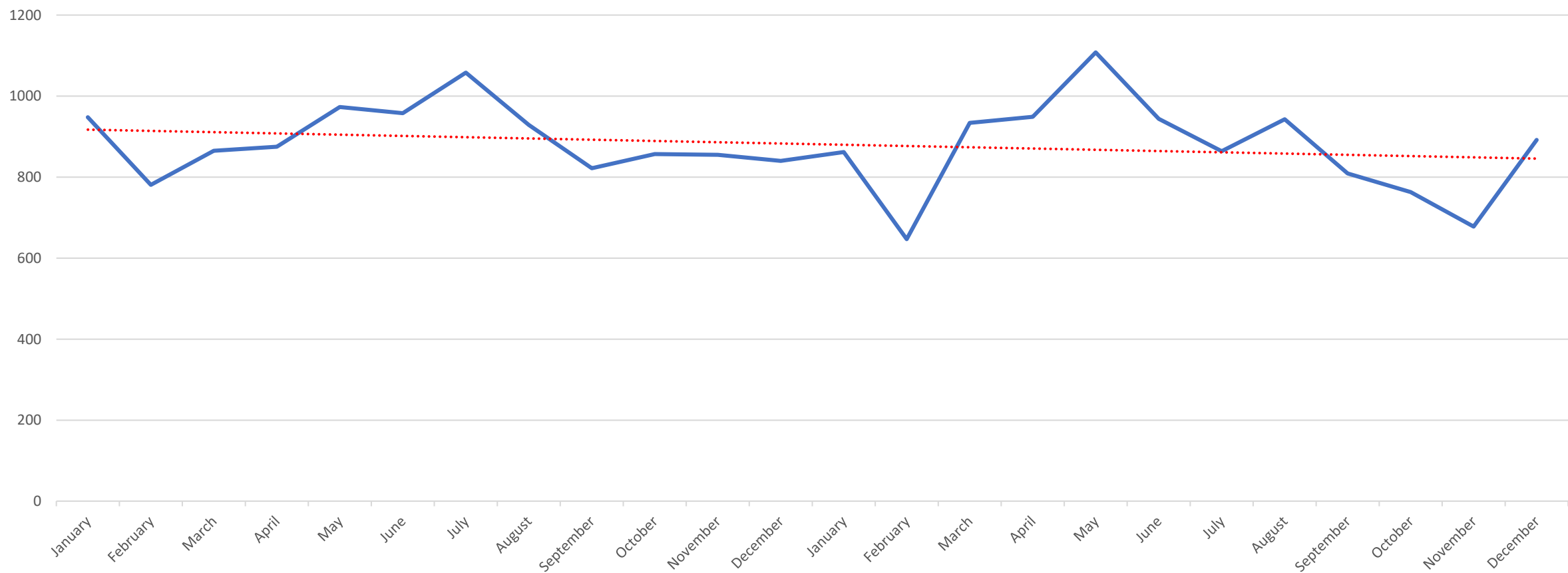
Violent Crime 2021 vs. 2022



# The Crime Trends- Citywide



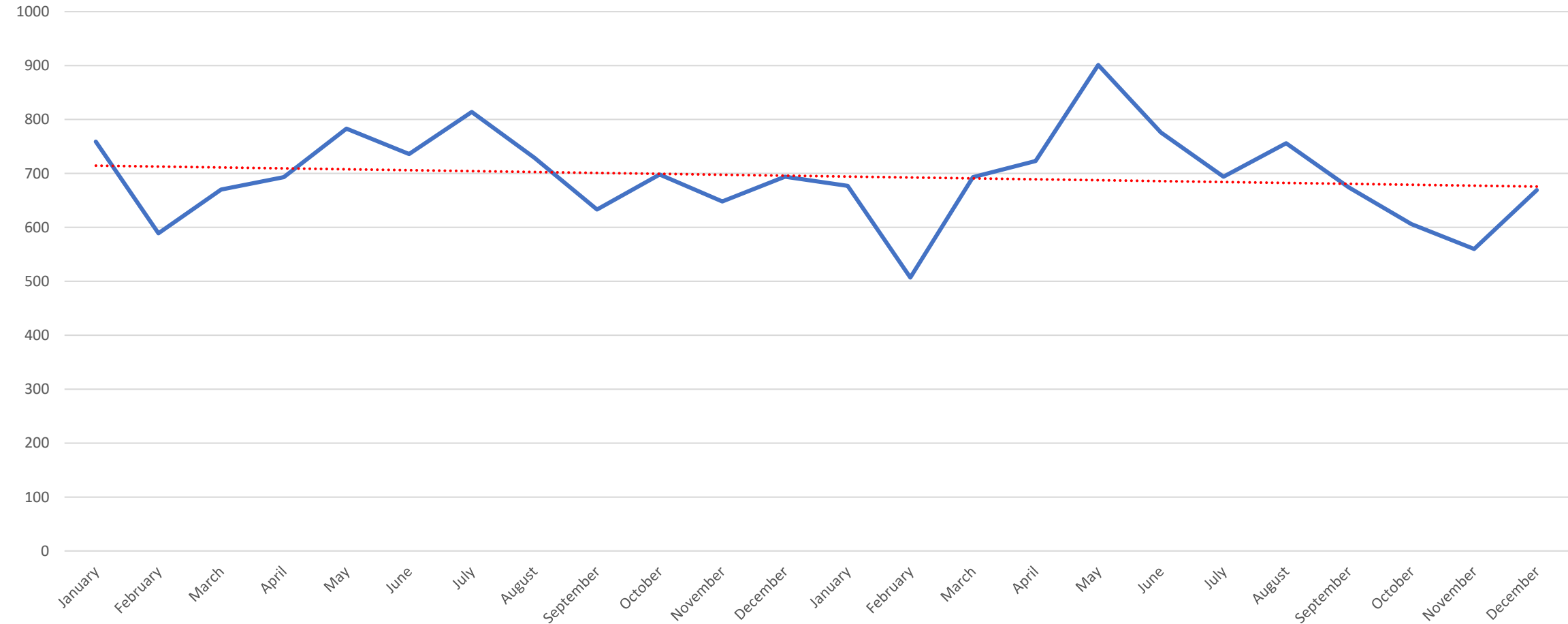
Victim Count  
January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2022



# The Crime Trends- Citywide



Incident Count  
January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2022





- 2022 Murder Trend
- As of December 31<sup>st</sup>, Murders **-3.60%**
- The rate is being driven by offenses stemming from conflict/arguments.

\*Data Collected as of December 31, 2022





- 2022 Robbery Trend
- Robberies **-0.16%**
- Business Robberies **+0.92%**
- Individual Robberies **-0.39%**

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# Aggravated Assault



- 2022 Aggravated Assault Trend
- Aggravated Assaults **-4.66%**
- Aggravated Assaults FV **-3.44%**
- Aggravated Assaults NFV **-5.06%**

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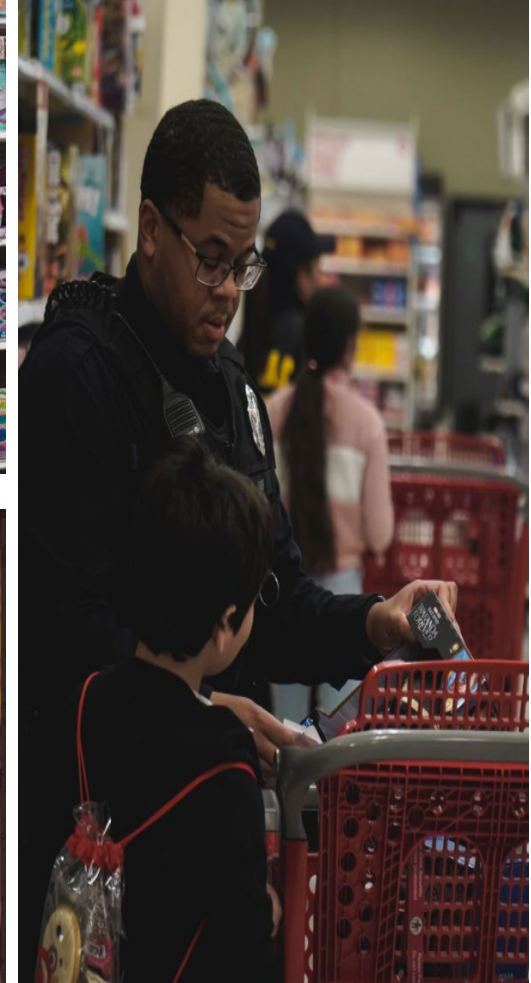
# Social Responsibility



December 13, 2022

## 2022 Target's Heroes and Helpers

The Office of Community Affairs and officers around the department enjoyed helping local kids shop with every child leaving with a toy.



# Social Responsibility



December 15, 2022

## Children's Hospital Christmas Parade

Santa, Mrs. Claus, and a host of superheroes lined the halls of Children's Hospital to bring a bit of Christmas joy to children at the hospital.



# Integrated Public Safety Solutions



## Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design

- Maintaining improved offense & calls for service counts in all **five** current Risk Terrain focus Areas
- Nuisance Abatement Unit: 36 property investigations & 72 property owner contacts (Dec 22)
- Substantial improvements in crime prevention in NW Dallas Focus Area
  - Pre-Engagement: 43 Criminal Offenses
  - Post-Engagement: 1 Criminal Offense



# Integrated Public Safety Solutions



## Cleaning & Greening: Urban Blight Abatement

- 315 substandard structure cases worked
- 21 vacant lot remediations
- 112 code violations remediated



## Outdoor Public Lighting Improvements

- 585 outdoor public lighting improvements installed in areas of high nighttime crime in FY22/23



# Integrated Public Safety Solutions



## Community Violence Intervention

- 149 Mentoring Contacts (Dec 22)
- 60 Social Services Referrals
- 7 holiday themed Community Events

## Data Informed Community Engagement

- 10 Community block walks including:
  - Simpson-Stuart @ Bonnie View
  - 3000 block of E. Ledbetter (Multi-tenant)
  - 3300 block of Lombardy Lane (Multi-tenant)



# Crime Plan- Next Steps



- Place Network Investigations Team
  - Internal DPD teams that targets criminal networks with the goal of reducing violent crime (e.g., gang violence)
  - We have 3 PNI locations with 3535 Webb Chapel Extension being our most recent addition. Our team is actively working the locations daily and we are continuously evaluating our grids and PNI locations.
  - 3550 E. Overton has entered the maintenance phase
- Phase 7 Grids – Began on December 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Deployed 46 grids after evaluation of Phase 7 deployment in violent crime hot spots
- Focused Deterrence
  - Planning stages as we have been active with meetings with Community Partners, Dallas County DA's Office, and the City Attorney's Office





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