



City of Dallas

Violent Crime Reduction Plan Update

**Public Safety Committee
January 14, 2025**

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SUMMARY OF DECEMBER



- Overall Violent Crime is down by **-8.26%**
- There are two huge contributing factors as of year-to-date:
 - Aggravated Assaults have decreased **-7.69%**
 - Homicides have decreased **-26.21%**
- We launched our Period 19 Grids on December 1st
- Focused Deterrence has moved to Neighborhood Outreach as the primary notification system.



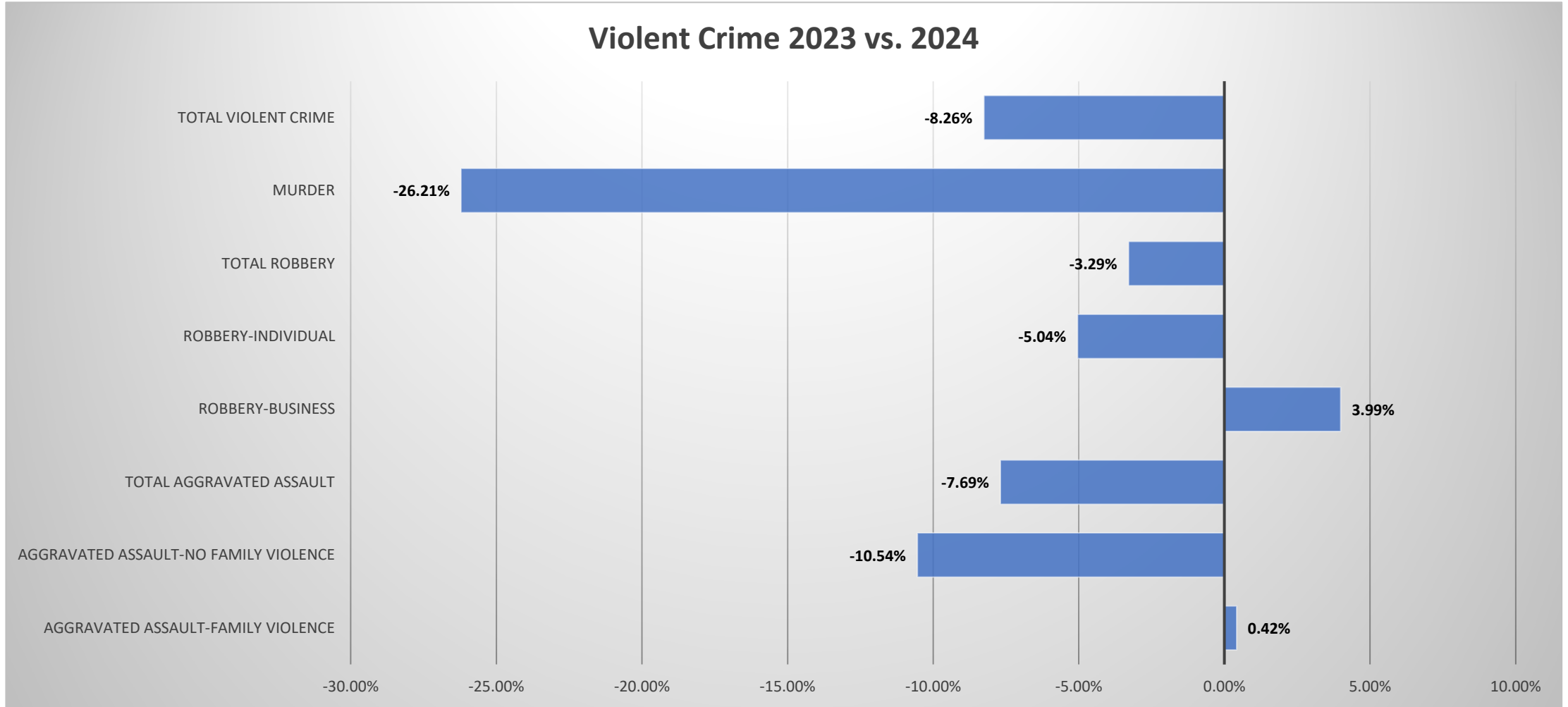
PRESENTATION OVERVIEW



- Crime Plan Impact Results on Violent Crime
- Grid Crime by the Numbers (Incidents)
- Crime Trends
- Murder, Robbery, Aggravated Assault
- Crime Plan Operations Updates
- Crime Plan - Next Steps



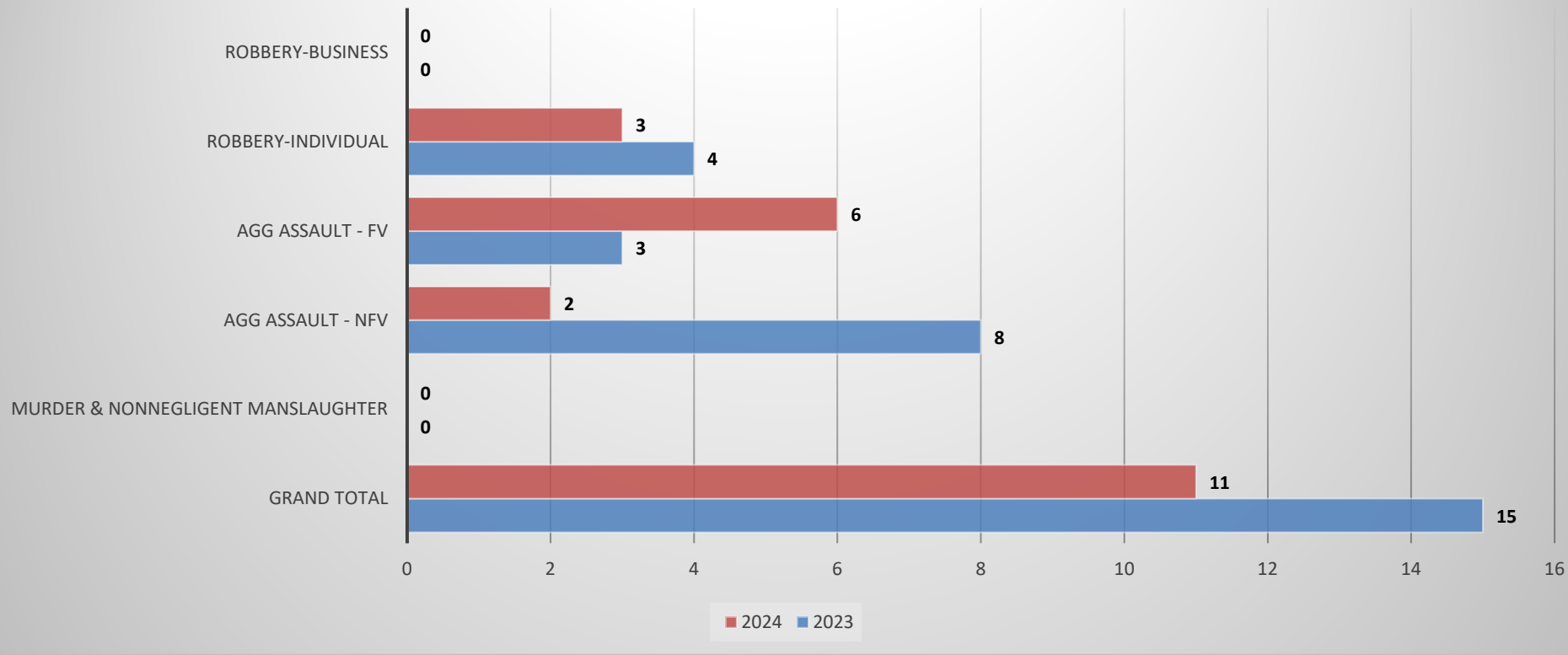
CRIME PLAN IMPACT RESULTS ON VIOLENT CRIME



GRID CRIME BY THE NUMBERS (Incidents)



Grid Comparison – Violent Crime 2023 vs. 2024



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

* Phase 19 Grids
* December 1 – January 31

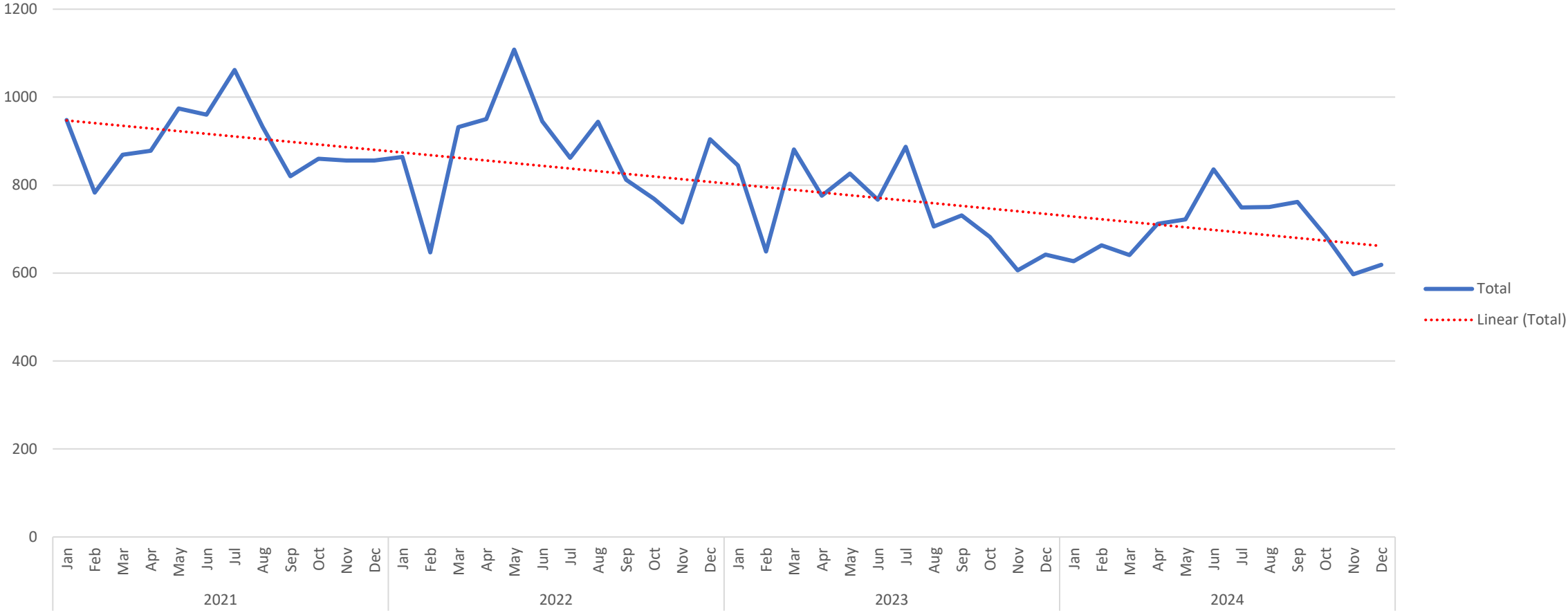
- Red – 2024
- Blue – 2023



THE CRIME TRENDS – CITYWIDE



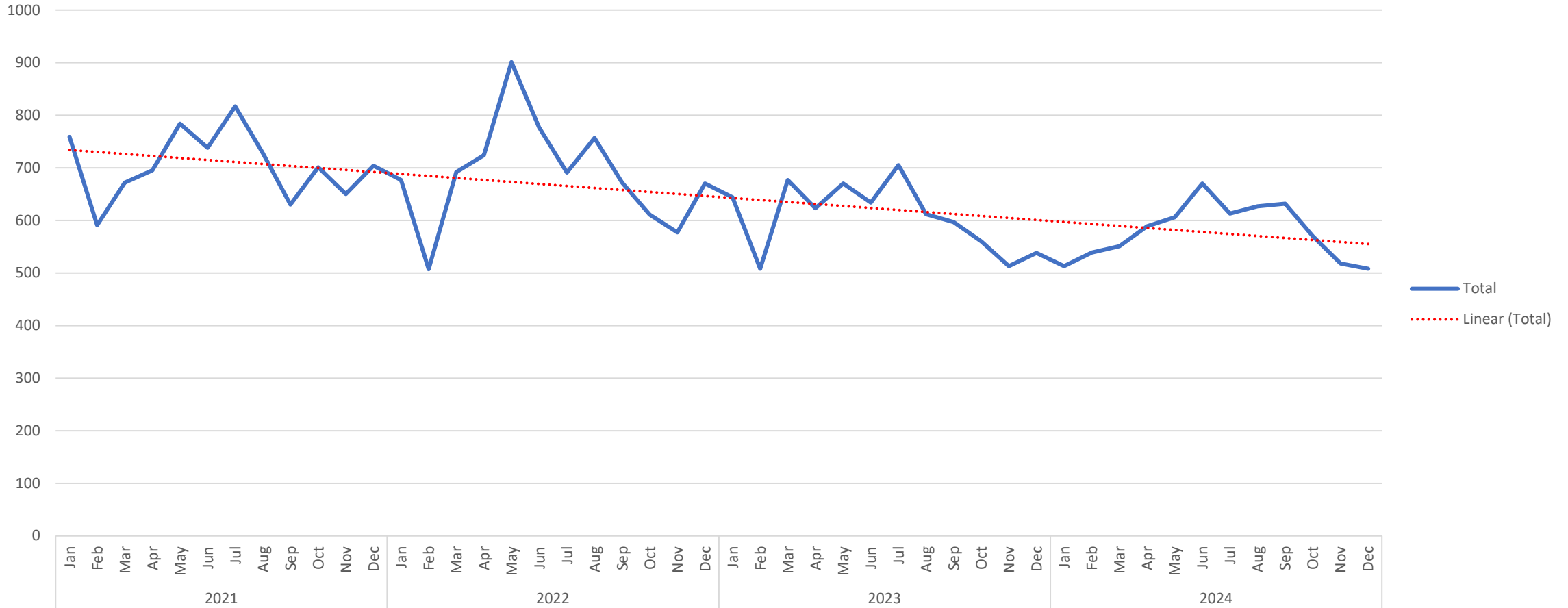
Victim Trendline
January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2024



THE CRIME TRENDS – CITYWIDE



Incident Trendline
January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2024



- 2024 Murder Trend
- As of December 31st, Murders **-26.21%** (65 Less Victims)
- The Murders involving Family Violence decreased by 7

*Data collected as of December 31, 2024

MURDER VICTIM DEMOGRAPHICS



- **Victim's Race**
 - Black 61% (111 Victims)
 - Hispanic 31% (56 Victims)
 - White 7% (13 Victims)
- **Victim's Sex**
 - Male 82% (150 Victims)
 - Female 18% (33 Victims)
- **Suspect's Race**
 - Black 57%
 - Hispanic 19%
 - White 2%
 - Unknown 21%
- **Suspect's Sex**
 - Male 72%
 - Female 9%
 - Unknown 19%



- 2024 Robbery Trend
- Robberies **-3.29%** (77 Less Victims)
- Business Robberies **+3.99%** (18 More Victims)
- Individual Robberies **-5.04%** (95 Less Victims)

*Data collected as of December 31, 2024



AGGRAVATED ASSAULT



- 2024 Aggravated Assault Trend
- Aggravated Assaults **-7.69%** (493 Less Victims)
- Aggravated Assaults FV **+0.42%** (7 more Victims)
- Aggravated Assaults NFV **-10.54%** (500 Less Victims)

*Data collected as of December 31, 2024



VCPU FOCUSED DETERRENCE



- Focused Deterrence has 54 current clients.
- Focused Deterrence has compiled the client list for a fourth session.
- Focused Deterrence has implemented a custom notification process to be the primary process.
- Second Neighborhood Outreach held on December 14
- Custom Notification
 - Individual notifications to identified clients.
 - Meet the clients in the field.
- Focused Deterrence is working to identify dates for future Neighborhood Outreach.



SUCCESS STORIES



A Journey to Stability (49 year-old mother of three)

- **Initial Contact 6/27/2023**
- **Comprehensive Needs Assessment**
- **Resources Provided**
 - **Education Access**
 - **Financial Literacy**
 - **Health Assistance**
 - **Housing Support**
 - **Employment Services**
 - **Victim Services**
- **Achievements**
 - **Secured Transportation and Employment**
 - **Secured Housing**
 - **Relocated children to safer living environment**

Discovering New Aspirations (19 year old aspiring Psychologist)

- **Graduating from Dallas CAN**
- **Enrolling in UT Arlington Fall 2025**
- **Received Free Mental Health Services**
 - **Participated in MetroCare's Dual Diagnosis Program**
- **Achievements**
 - **Maintained employment at Fuel City**
 - **On track to graduate from high school**
 - **Received support with college applications and FAFSA**



WARRANT 9450 ROYAL LANE



- Investigation began September 2024
- Two apartments identified
- Warrant executed on December 18
- Second warrant executed December 19
- 5.9 pounds of marijuana seized
- 9 guns and \$164,000 seized



CRIME PLAN – NEXT STEPS



- **Phase 19 Grids – Began on December 1st**
 - **Period 19 deployed 32 grids**
- **Place Network Investigations**
 - **Begins with a problem-focused investigation designed to uncover, identify, and disrupt the criminal networks that contribute to the violent crime in Dallas.**
 - **The PNI Board is made up with stakeholder government agencies such as, Office of Integrated Public Solutions, Code Enforcement, and Parks and Recreation. The Board is designed to work together to address crime, and it's causes within the crime place network.**
 - **PNI Executive Board Meeting held with City, Community Partners, and UTSA researchers**
 - **Two new locations became active December 1st, 9415 Bruton Rd and 8501 Old Hickory Trail**
 - **11511 Ferguson Rd and 3535 E. Ledbetter Dr will move to a maintenance phase.**
- **Focused Deterrence**
 - **We are constantly tracking the progress of our clients along with meeting with current partners and potential future partners.**





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