

# Memorandum

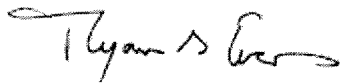


DATE: December 30, 2008

TO: Members of the Public Safety Committee

SUBJECT: **Homicide Report**

Attached is briefing material on the "Homicide Report" to be presented to the Members of the Public Safety Committee on Monday, January 5, 2009. The Homicide numbers will only reflect from January 1, 2008 through December 11, 2008.



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Attachment



# HOMICIDE REPORT

January - December -11  
2007(197) vs. 2008(154)



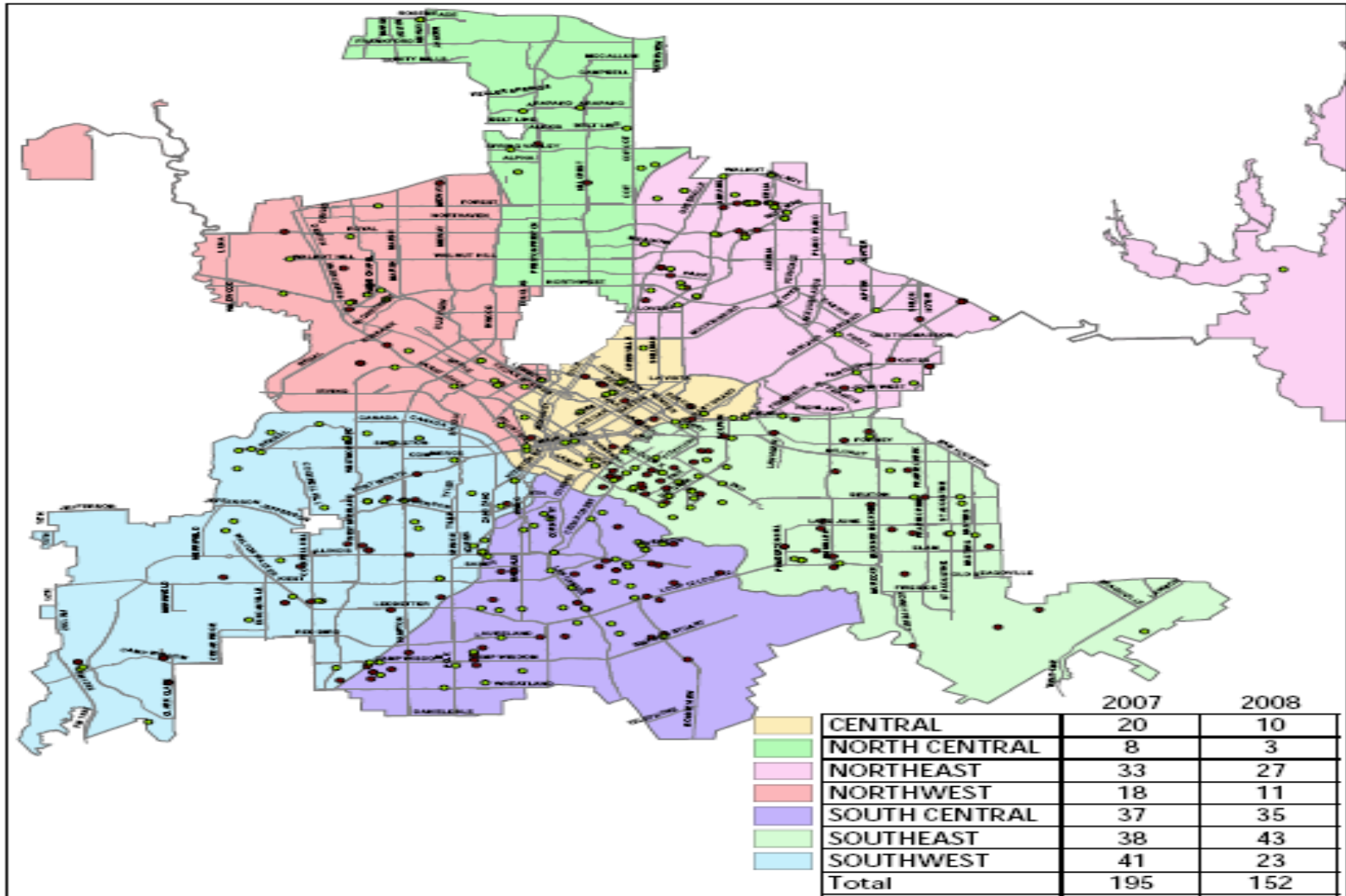
January 5, 2009

# MURDERS

## Patrol Division Murders

	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
NC	8	( 4%)	3	( 2%)
NW	27	(14%)	11	( 7%)
NE	35	(18%)	27	(18%)
SE	57	( 29%)	43	( 28%)
SW	45	( 23%)	24	( 16%)
CEN	21	(11%)	10	( 6%)
SC	4	( 2 %)	36	( 23%)
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# City of Dallas Homicides 2008 vs 2007 Jan 01 - Dec 15



# TIME OF MURDERS

<u>Time</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
12am - 6am	59	( 30%)	49	( 32%)
6am - 12noon	38	(19%)	20	(13%)
Noon - 6pm	31	(16%)	25	(16%)
6pm - 12 mid	69	( 35%)	60	( 39%)
Unknown	0	(0%)	0	(0%)
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# DAY OF WEEK

<u>Day</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>(18%)</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>(16%)</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>(14%)</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>(15%)</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>(11%)</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>( 18%)</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>(12%)</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>( 19%)</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>(10%)</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>( 6%)</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>(16%)</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>(11%)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>(18%)</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>(16%)</b>
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# MOTIVE

<u>Motive</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
Drugs	42	( 21%)	23	( 14%)
Gang Involved	13	( 7%)	7	( 4 %)
Robbery	25	( 13%)	32	( 20%)
Altercation	62	( 31%)	50	( 31%)
Domestic / Child Abuse	26	( 13%)	13	( 8%)
Unknown	20	( 10%)	33	( 20%)
Kidnapping	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
Sex Motivated	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
Accidental Unjustified	1	( 1%)	2	( 1%)
Home Invasion	0	( 0%)	1	( 1%)
Burglary	0	( 0%)	0	( 0%)
Drive-by-Shooting	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
Road Rage	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
Arson	3	( 2%)	0	( 0%)
Revenge	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
Officer Killed-Line of Duty	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
Prostitution	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)

\*Some cases may have more then one Motive

# SEX OF VICTIMS

<u>Sex</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
Male	168	( 85%)	126	(82%)
Female	29	(15%)	28	(18%)
Unknown	0	( 0%)	0	( 0%)
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# AGE OF VICTIM

<u>Age</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
0 - 14	12	( 6%)	8	( 5%)
15 - 17	10	( 5%)	4	( 3%)
18 - 24	38	( 19%)	39	( 25%)
25 - 34	69	( 35%)	57	( 37%)
35 - 49	51	( 26%)	30	( 20%)
50 - 64	15	( 8%)	11	( 7%)
65 +	2	( 1%)	3	( 2%)
Unknown	0	( 0%)	2	( 1%)
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# RACE OF VICTIM

<u>Race</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
<b>White</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>( 8%)</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>(12%)</b>
<b>Black</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>( 53%)</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>( 60%)</b>
<b>Hispanic</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>( 39%)</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>( 25%)</b>
<b>Other</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>( 0%)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>( 2%)</b>
<b>Unknown</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>( 0%)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>( 1%)</b>
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# RACE OF SUSPECT

<u>Race</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
White	7	( 4%)	9	( 6%)
Black	76	( 39%)	72	( 47%)
Hispanic	50	( 25%)	24	( 16%)
Other	0	( 0%)	0	( 0%)
Unknown	64	( 32%)	49	( 32%)
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# TYPE OF WEAPON

<u>Type</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
Handgun	139	( 71%)	102	( 66%)
Rifle	4	( 2%)	6	( 4%)
Stabbing	16	( 8%)	18	( 12%)
Blunt Force	30	(15%)	19	(12%)
Strangulation	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
Shotgun	1	( 1%)	2	( 1%)
Unknown	0	( 0%)	3	( 2%)
Unknown Firearm	1	( 1%)	2	( 1%)
Accelerant/Flammable Material	3	( 2%)	0	( 0%)
Medication/Overdosed	0	( 0%)	1	( 1%)
Vehicle	2	( 1%)	1	( 1%)
Hot Water Submersion (Child Abuse Case)	0	( 0%)	0	( 0%)
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# TYPE OF PREMISES

<u>Type</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
Apartment	39	( 20%)	26	( 17%)
Residence	36	( 18%)	43	( 28%)
Street/Alley/Sidewalk	36	( 18%)	21	( 14%)
Apart/Complex/Park Lot	34	(17%)	27	( 18%)
Parking Lot	24	( 12%)	11	( 7%)
Outside Location	7	( 4%)	8	( 5%)
Business	6	( 3%)	4	( 3%)
Hotel/Motel	1	( 1%)	3	( 2%)
Night Club / Night Club Parking Lot	8	( 4%)	8	( 5%)
Water	1	( 1%)	1	( 1%)
Public Park	4	( 2%)	1	( 1%)
Public School Property	0	( 0%)	1	( 1%)
Abandoned Building	1	( 1%)	0	( 0%)
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# PUBLIC PLACE AND PRIVATE PLACE BREAKDOWN

<u>Type</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2008</u>	
<b>Public Places</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>( 61%)</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>(53%)</b>
<b>Residences / Apartments/Motels</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>( 39%)</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>( 47%)</b>
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**QUESTIONS?**