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DATE November 13, 2009

TO Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee:
Delia Jasso (Vice-Chair), Jerry Allen, Tennell Atkins, Sheffie Kadane,
Linda Koop, Ann Margolin, Ron Natinsky, David Neumann

SUBJECT **Public Safety Committee Meeting**
Monday, November 16, 2009, 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
1500 Marilla Street, City Hall, Room 6ES, Dallas, Texas 75201

AGENDA

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| Call to Order | Mayor Pro Tem Dwaine Caraway, Chair |
| 1. Approval of November 2, 2009
Minutes of the Public Safety
Committee Meeting | Mayor Pro Tem Dwaine Caraway, Chair |
| 2. Crime Report | Chief David M. Kunkle
Dallas Police Department |
| 3. Murders Investigated by Homicide Unit | Deputy Chief David Elliston
Dallas Police Department |
| 4. Burglary of Motor Vehicles (BMV) Review | Deputy Chief Michael Genovesi
Dallas Police Department |
| 5. Upcoming City Council Agenda Items for November 2009
a. Authorization of Memorandum of Understanding with Southern Methodist University
b. Dallas Police Department Impaired Driving Mobilization (IDM) Grant
c. Update on Auto Pound Storage Shed | |
| 6. Administrative (Police) Reports:
(Shooting Summary)
New case presentation: none
Previous case presentation: Control #09-218 | Deputy Chief Nancy Kirkpatrick
Dallas Police Department |
| 7. Informational Memo:
a. Upcoming Public Safety Committee Briefings | |
| 8. Public Comments (Time Permitting) | |

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Mayor Pro Tem Dwaine Caraway, Chair
Public Safety Committee

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Police Chief David M. Kunkle
Fire-Rescue Chief Eddie Burns, Sr.
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A closed executive session may be held if the discussion of any of the above agenda items concerns one of the following:

1. Contemplated or pending litigation or matters where legal advice is requested of the City Attorney, Section 551.071 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
2. The purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property, if the deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the City in negotiations with a third person. Section 551.072 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
3. The contract for a prospective gift or donation to the City, if the deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the City in negotiations with a third person. Section 551.073 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
4. Personnel matters involving the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear a complaint against an officer or employee. Section 551.074 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
5. The deployment or specific occasions for implementation of security personnel or devices. Section 551.076 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
6. Deliberations regarding economic development negotiations. Section 551.074 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.

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Public Safety Committee Meeting Record

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Meeting Date: November 2, 2009

Convened: 12:00 p.m.

Adjourned: 1:57 p.m.

Committee Members Present:

Mayor Pro Tem, Dwaine Caraway, **Chair**
Delia Jasso, **Vice-Chair**
Jerry R. Allen
Tennell Atkins
Sheffie Kadane
Linda Koop
Ann Margolin
Ron Natinsky
David Neumann

City Staff Present:

Ryan Evans, First Assistant City Manager
Fire Chief Eddie Burns, Sr., DFR
Assistant Chief Eugene Campbell, DFR
Assistant Chief Louie Bright, III, DRR
Kenny Shaw, Director, OEM
Rocky Vaz, Executive Officer, IGS
Lt. Jeff Cotner, DPD
Gloria Carter, Director, Courts
Martin Riojas, Assistant Director, Courts
Jarrell Travis, DFR
Sharon Pope, DFR
Jackie Middlebrooks, CAO
Shun Session, CMO

Committee Members Absent:

Other Council Members Present:

AGENDA:

1. **Call to Order**

Presenter: Mayor Pro Tem, Dwaine Caraway, Chair

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Mayor Pro Tem Caraway called an Open Session of the Public Safety Committee Meeting to order at 12:00 p.m., Monday, November 2, 2009 at City Hall, 1500 Marilla, 6ES, Dallas, TX, 75201. A quorum was present.

2. **Approval of Meeting Record for October 20, 2009 Public Safety Committee Meeting**

Presenter: Mayor Pro Tem, Dwaine Caraway, Chair

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s): Motion made to approve the minutes.

Motion made by: **Sheffie Kadane**

Item passed unanimously: X

Item failed unanimously:

Motion seconded by: **Delia Jasso**

Item passed on a divided vote:

Item failed on a divided vote:

3. **Emergency Management and Homeland Security Overview**

Presenter(s): Kenny Shaw, Director, OEM
Rocky Vaz, Executive Officer, IGS
Assistant Chief Eugene Campbell, DFR
Lt. Jeff Cotner, DPD

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Mr. Evans gave an overview of Emergency Management and Homeland Security. Mr. Shaw provided the committee with highlights of the Emergency Management program as follows: (1) purpose (2) history (3) four phases of emergency management (4) key programs and projects (5) CERT and (6) EOC activation. Mr. Vaz provided the committee with highlights of the Homeland Security Grants program as follows: (1) four grant programs (2) grant process (3) regional strategy (4) City of Dallas projects and (5) FY2009 funding and projects. Assistant Chief Campbell gave an overview to Dallas Fire-Rescue Homeland Security Bureau as follows: (1) purpose & direction (2) USAR (3) SwiftWater (4) Hazmat (5) Wildland and (6) ARFF – Aircraft Rescue Firefighting. Lt. Cotner provided the committee with an overview to the Dallas Police Department Homeland Security Operations as follows: (1) assessment of targeting/weapons (2) North Texas Joint Terrorism Task Force (3) DPD mobile command post (4) armored personnel carrier (5) love field police unit (6) fusion center and (7) response to the homeland security advisory system.

The committee had the following concerns/recommendations: (1) level red (2) bomb squad (3) mobile medical unit (4) Tier I (5) plans for a catastrophe (6) strategy of funds to get allocated (7) public education and (8) mobile command post.

Follow up: The committee requested a tour of the Dallas Police Department Fusion Center and the Mobile Command Unit.

4. **Scofflaw Vehicle Registration Denial Program**

Presenter(s): Gloria Carter, Director, Court & Detention Services
Martin Riojas, Assistant Director, Court & Detention Services

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Ms. Carter gave an overview of the Scofflaw Vehicle Registration Denial Program. Scofflaw is (1) one who habitually violates the law or fails to answer court summonses and (2) the owner of a vehicle who has an outstanding warrant from that municipality for failure to appear, or failure to pay a fine on a complaint that involves the violation of a traffic law. Topics of discussion were as follows: (1) purpose (2) timeline of Dallas County Program (3) implementation costs/revenue (4) process and (5) next steps.

The committee had the following concerns/recommendations: (1) unpaid traffic violations (2) provide citizens information on ways to pay their fine (3) Dallas County "Wanted" website (4) number of scofflaw cases (5) number of citations per year (6) cost for warrant roundups (7) costs/revenue (8) county & city partnership and (9) communications charges.

5. **Maintenance Division Overview**

Presenter(s): Assistant Chief Louie Bright, III, Dallas Fire-Rescue Department
Jarrell Travis and Sharon Pope, Dallas Fire-Rescue Department

Action Taken/Committee Recommendation(s):

Assistant Chief Bright provided the committee with information related to the daily operations of the Maintenance Division and its various job functions. Topics of discussion were as follows: (1) staff (2) fleet maintenance (3) facility coordination (4) station maintenance (5) clothing & supply and (6) environmental project.

The committee had the following concerns/recommendations: (1) status of 2006 bond program funding stations and (2) tour of fire stations in District 1.

6. **Administrative Reports**

Presenter: Deputy Chief Joe Pierce, Dallas Fire-Rescue Department

The committee had the following concerns/recommendations: (1) No recommendation was given for this item.

7. **Public Comments**

There were no public comments.

APPROVED BY:

ATTEST:

Mayor Pro Tem, Dwaine Caraway, Chair
Public Safety Committee

Shun Session, Coordinator
Public Safety Committee

Memorandum



DATE: November 13, 2009

TO: Members of the Public Safety Committee

SUBJECT: **Crime Report**

Attached is briefing material on the "Crime Report" to be presented to the Members of the Public Safety Committee on Monday, November 16, 2009.

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First Assistant City Manager

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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE CRIME BRIEFING

INDEX CRIME YEAR TO DATE 10/31/09

CRIME TYPE	Actual YTD	Actual LYTD	% CHG YTD
Violent Crimes			
Murder	141	134	5.2%
Rape	403	443	-9.0%
Robbery	4554	5400	-15.7%
Business	964	1034	-6.8%
Individual	3590	4366	-17.8%
Aggravated Assault	3436	3674	-6.5%
Total Violent Crime	8534	9651	-11.6%
Non-Violent Crimes			
Burglary	16128	17764	-9.2%
Business	3940	5548	-29.0%
Residence	12188	12216	-0.2%
Theft	34521	35776	-3.5%
Auto Theft	8737	10504	-16.8%
Total Non-Violent	59386	64044	-7.3%
Total Index Crimes	67920	73695	-7.8%

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SUBJECT: **Murders Investigated by Homicide Unit**

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Murders Investigated by Homicide Unit

Public Safety Committee

November 16, 2009



Homicide Overview

- Year to date comparison
 - Division and Time of Homicide
 - Characteristics of Victim/Suspect
 - Motive and Weapon Used
 - Premises
- Summary of October homicides

Division and Time of Homicide

Patrol Division	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
Central	8	6%	14	10%
Northeast	23	17%	19	13%
Southeast	37	28%	37	26%
Southwest	22	17%	14	10%
Northwest	8	6%	13	9%
North Central	3	2%	8	6%
South Central	31	23%	36	26%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Day of Week	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
Sunday	21	16%	25	18%
Monday	18	14%	23	16%
Tuesday	22	17%	14	10%
Wednesday	28	21%	16	11%
Thursday	8	6%	15	11%
Friday	17	13%	25	18%
Saturday	18	14%	23	16%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Time of Day	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
12am - 6am	43	33%	42	30%
6am - 12noon	20	15%	23	16%
Noon - 6pm	21	16%	22	16%
6pm - 12mid	48	36%	54	38%
Unknown	0	0%	0	0%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Characteristics of Victim/Suspect

Race of Victim	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
White	14	11%	17	12%
Black	80	61%	77	55%
Hispanic	35	27%	46	33%
Other	2	2%	1	1%
Unknown	1	1%	0	0%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Race of Suspect	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
White	7	5%	3	2%
Black	66	50%	57	40%
Hispanic	19	14%	24	17%
Other	0	0%	1	1%
Unknown	40	30%	56	40%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Age of Victims	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
0 - 14	7	5%	4	3%
15 - 17	3	2%	1	1%
18 - 24	32	24%	31	22%
25 - 34	48	36%	45	32%
35 - 49	28	21%	39	28%
50 - 64	11	8%	18	13%
65+	2	2%	3	2%
Unknown	1	1%	0	0%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Gender of Victims	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
Male	109	83%	116	82%
Female	23	17%	25	18%
Unknown	0	0%	0	0%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Motive and Weapon Used

Motive	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
Drugs	27	17%	17	11%
Gangs	16	10%	8	5%
Robbery	34	22%	24	16%
Altercation	48	30%	43	29%
Domestic/Child Abuse	10	6%	17	11%
Unknown	21	13%	38	26%
Kidnapping	0	0%	0	0%
Sex Motivated	0	0%	0	0%
Accidental Unjustified	2	1%	0	0%
Home Invasion	0	0%	0	0%
Burglary	0	0%	0	0%
Drive-by	0	0%	0	0%
Road Rage	0	0%	0	0%
Arson	0	0%	0	0%
Revenge	0	0%	0	0%
Officer in Line of Duty	0	0%	1	1%
Prostitution	0	0%	0	0%
Total	158	99%	148	100%

Type of Weapon	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
Handgun	86	65%	92	65%
Rifle	6	5%	11	8%
Stabbing	18	14%	16	11%
Blunt Force	18	14%	14	10%
Strangulation	0	0%	0	0%
Shotgun	1	1%	1	1%
Unknown	1	1%	2	1%
Unk Firearm	0	0%	0	0%
Accelerant/Flammable Material	0	0%	0	0%
Drowning	0	0%	1	1%
Medication/Overdosed	1	1%	1	1%
Vehicle	1	1%	3	2%
Hot Water Submersion	0	0%	0	0%
Total	132	98%	141	96%

* some cases have more than one motive

Premises

Type of Premise	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
Apartment	22	17%	26	18%
Residence	37	28%	40	28%
Street/Alley/ Sidewalk	17	13%	19	13%
Apt/Complex/ Parking Lot	23	17%	25	18%
Parking Lot	10	8%	11	8%
Outside Location	8	6%	6	4%
Business	2	2%	4	3%
Hotel/Motel	3	2%	2	1%
Night Club	7	5%	6	4%
Water	1	1%	0	0%
Public Park	1	1%	2	1%
Public School Property	1	1%	0	0%
Abandoned Building	0	0%	0	0%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Public vs. Private	2008		2009	
	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total	Number of Murders	% of Yearly Total
Public Place	70	53%	73	52%
Residences/ Apartments/ Motels	62	47%	68	48%
Total	132	100%	141	100%

Summary of Octobers Homicides

- Twenty total homicides
 - Central – 2
 - Northeast – 6
 - Southeast – 0
 - Southwest – 2
 - Northwest – 2
 - North Central – 3
 - South Central – 5
- Individual summaries provide insight to various motives, premises, weapons, victims, and suspects

Central Division (2)

- Beat 115 940 S. Haskell Ave., 316085-W October 24, 2009 12:30 a.m.
 - Complainant Brandon Breon, a 25-year-old male and the suspect, Roderick Thomas, B/M/21 were involved in a physical altercation when suspect Thomas shot and killed the complainant.
- Beat 114 108 N. Fitzhugh Ave., 308599-W October 17, 2009 12:29 a.m.
 - Complainant Johan Friessen, a 50 – year-old male was at the Los Dos Reales bar playing pool. Several suspects wearing bandanas entered the bar with pistols and robbed the patrons and business. There were approximately 20 patrons inside the location and several victims were assaulted. The complainant was hiding in the bathroom and was discovered by one of the suspects. The suspect shot and killed the complainant.

Northeast Division (6)

- Beat 256 11601 Audelia Rd., 323021-W
October 30, 2009 7:58 p.m.
 - Complainant Robert Killings, a 35-year-old male was walking out of the front entrance of the Sienna Palms Apartments when an unknown person shot him causing his death. The motive for his murder is unknown at this time.
- Beat 234 2359 Highland Rd., 320211-W
October 28, 2009 2:30 a.m.
 - Unidentified suspects approached the complainant, Archie Chrism, a 56-year-old male and demanded money. The suspects shot the complainant and the complainant died on October 30th.

Northeast Division

- Beat 254 13030 Audelia Rd., 317907-W
October 25, 2009, 1:20 a.m.
 - The complainant, Dwayne Blair, a 25-year-old male and the suspects are both members of a known gang. They became involved in an argument over an incident that occurred at a local night club the day before. The aforementioned argument escalated into a fight. The suspect pulled a gun and shot and killed the complainant. One of the suspects was identified as Debrion Jackson, a 17-year-old male who is also known as "B - Da" On 10-27-09 suspect, Debrion Jackson was arrested without incident.

Northeast Division

- Beat 257 9900 Adleta Blvd., 316141-W October 24, 2009, 1:20 a.m.
 - The complainant, Shawn O'Neal Henderson, a 28-year-old male and the suspect Terry Williams, a 28-year-old male had an argument. The suspect stabbed the complainant causing his death. The suspect turned himself in and was placed under arrested.
- Beat 231 11363 Amanda Ln., 315801-W October 23, 2009, 6:49 p.m.
 - The complainant, Juan Cantu, a 29-year-old male, and a witness were drinking in the parking lot of an apartment complex when the complainant became involved in an argument with an unidentified suspect. The suspect pulled a pistol and shot and killed the complainant.

Northeast Division

- Beat 227 12243 E. Northwest Hwy., 313034-W October 21, 2009 3:25 a.m.
 - The complainant, Elliot Joseph Major, a 23-year-old male was shot and killed at an unknown location then driven to the above address at which time a witness called the police. The vehicle occupied by the complainant and witness was reported stolen out of Mesquite several days earlier.

Southwest Division (2)

- Beat 445 2900 Sprucevalley Ln., 292594-W
October 1, 2009 5:30 p.m.
 - The complainant, Juan Gonzales, a 20-year-old male and a juvenile male suspect were involved in an argument. The suspect shot the complainant and ran from the location. The complainant was transported to Methodist Central Hospital where he died on 10/07/09 the juvenile suspect was arrested at Dallas Kimball High School.
- Beat 413 727 S. R.L. Thornton Service Rd.,
306559-W October 15, 2009 8:13 a.m.
 - The complainant, Rickey Hunt, a 29-year-old male was in his vehicle traveling South bound on the South R. L. Thornton Freeway service road when unknown suspects shot and killed the complainant. The complainant was discovered by passersby deceased inside his vehicle. There are no witnesses that have been located.

Northwest Division (2)

- Beat 537 3025 Webb Chapel Ext., 315884-W
October 23, 2009 8:41 p.m.
 - The complainant, Teresa Ann Escamilla, a 32-year-old female and a witness were in the complainant's car in West Dallas when an unknown truck pulled up next to them as they parked at Terry's Super Market and fired a shotgun into the car. The complainant was struck and died instantly. On 10-30-09 suspect, Joshua Bustamante, a 28-year-old male was arrested and charged with this offense.

Northwest Division

- Beat 513 6930 Harry Hines Blvd., 303338-W
October 11, 2009 11:00 p.m.
 - A male suspect entered the Payless convenience store located at 6930 Harry Hines. The Suspect grabbed a witness and held her at gunpoint while he demanded money from 42-year-old Kim Heng Lay. Mr. Lay opened both cash registers. The suspect grabbed the money and began walking toward the door. Mr. Lay pulled his pistol and shot at the suspect striking him. The suspect returned fire and struck Mr. Lay causing his death. The suspect left the scene in a passenger vehicle. On 10-13-09 suspects Rudy Bonilla, a 41-year-old-male and Harold Davis, a 49-year-old male were arrested and charged with this offense.

North Central Division (3)

- Beat 635 5818 Prestonview Blvd., 313841-W
October 21, 2009 8:55 p.m.
 - The complainant, Juan Carlos Pena-Rosario, a 34-year-old male, was returning to his apartment with his girlfriend. As the complainant exited his vehicle from the apartment parking lot, he and the girlfriend were approached by two male suspects who demanded money. One suspect shot the complainant while the other took the girlfriend's purse. The complainant was transported to Parkland Hospital where he later died as a result of his injuries.

North Central Division

- Beat 631 14756 Dallas Parkway, 297415-W October 6, 2009 8:53 a.m.
 - The complainants Conequa Mathewis, a 34-year-old female and Donyell Snoddy, a 36-year-old male, were found deceased sitting in their vehicle parked at the rear of the Renaissance Apartment complex. Both victims sustained fatal gunshot wounds. (Related 297433-W)

South Central Division (5)

- Beat 732 3600 E. Ledbetter Dr., 311009-W
October 19, 2009 7:30 a.m.
 - The complainant, Francisco Rodriguez, a 19-year-old male was found dead on the side of the road by a passerby from a gun shot wound.
- Beat 734 2120 52nd St., 303644-W October 12, 2009 10:18 a.m.
 - The complainant, Kemonn Ronyae Bouldin, a 32-year-old male, and suspect Cardarell Nash, a 21-year-old male were arguing. The suspect pulled a pistol and shot the complainant multiple times causing his death. The suspect was arrested for this offense.

South Central Division

- Beat 732 4740 Stokes St., 303353-W October 11, 2009 9:30 p.m.
 - The complainant, Marcus Deshon Henry, a 27-year-old male was found deceased from apparent multiple gunshot wounds. The complainant had only lived at the offense location for two or three days. A neighbor entered the offense location and discovered the complainant's body.
- Beat 713 1202 Arizona Ave., 300902-W October 9, 2009 3:35 p.m.
 - The complainant, Robert Wafer, a 62-year-old male was confronted in the front yard of his residence at 1202 Arizona Ave. A witness heard a gunshot, looked out a window, and observed the complainant involved in a struggle with an unknown suspect. The suspect ran from the location and the complainant died after being shot.

South Central Division

- Beat 732 7728 Hull St., 281085-W September 20, 2009 11:00 a.m.
 - The complainant, Barbara Miles a 66-year old female and the suspect were married, then divorced, but stayed together. For the past four years the complainant became bi-polar-schizophrenic and very aggressive to friends and family. In July of 2009 she stabbed the suspect with a knife during one of her episodes. Then on September 20, 2009, she became aggressive again hitting the suspect with a stereo speaker and a glass bowl. The suspect grabbed her and put her on the floor and held her down with his knees until she passed out. He advised that he was afraid that if he let her up she would stab him again as she did before. When the complainant would not wake up 911 was called. DFD paramedics did CPR and brought her back, but she died the next morning at 7:00 a.m. at Baylor ICU. Dr. Guin of the M.E.'s office stated that he will rule this offense a homicide. This offense will be referred to The Dallas County Grand Jury.

QUESTIONS?

Memorandum



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SUBJECT: **Burglary of Motor Vehicles (BMV) Review**

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Burglary of Motor Vehicles (BMV)

Texas Penal Code 30.04

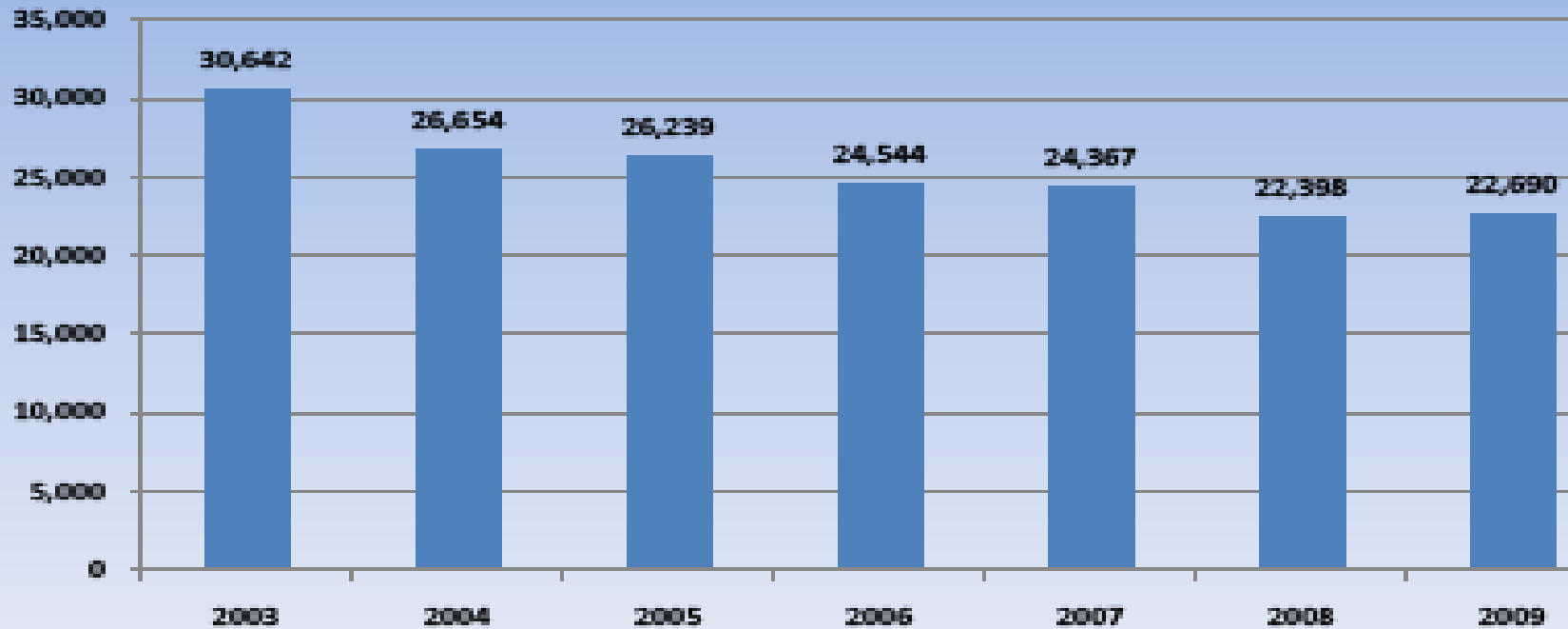
A person commits an offense if, without the effective consent of the owner, he breaks into or enters a vehicle or any part of a vehicle with intent to commit any felony or theft.

- For the purposes of this section, “enter” means to intrude:
 - Any part of the body: or
 - Any physical object connected with the body

BMV Penal Code

- An offense under this section is a Class A Misdemeanor
 - An individual adjudged guilty of a class A misdemeanor shall be punished by a term in jail not to exceed 1 year or a \$4,000.00 fine or both. Minimum 180 days with a previous conviction
- If it is shown on the trial of the offense that the defendant has been previously convicted two (2) or more times, the offense is a state jail felony
 - A person adjudged guilty of a state jail felony shall serve a term in jail of not less than 180 days and not more than two (2) years, and may be punished by a fine not to exceed \$10,000.00

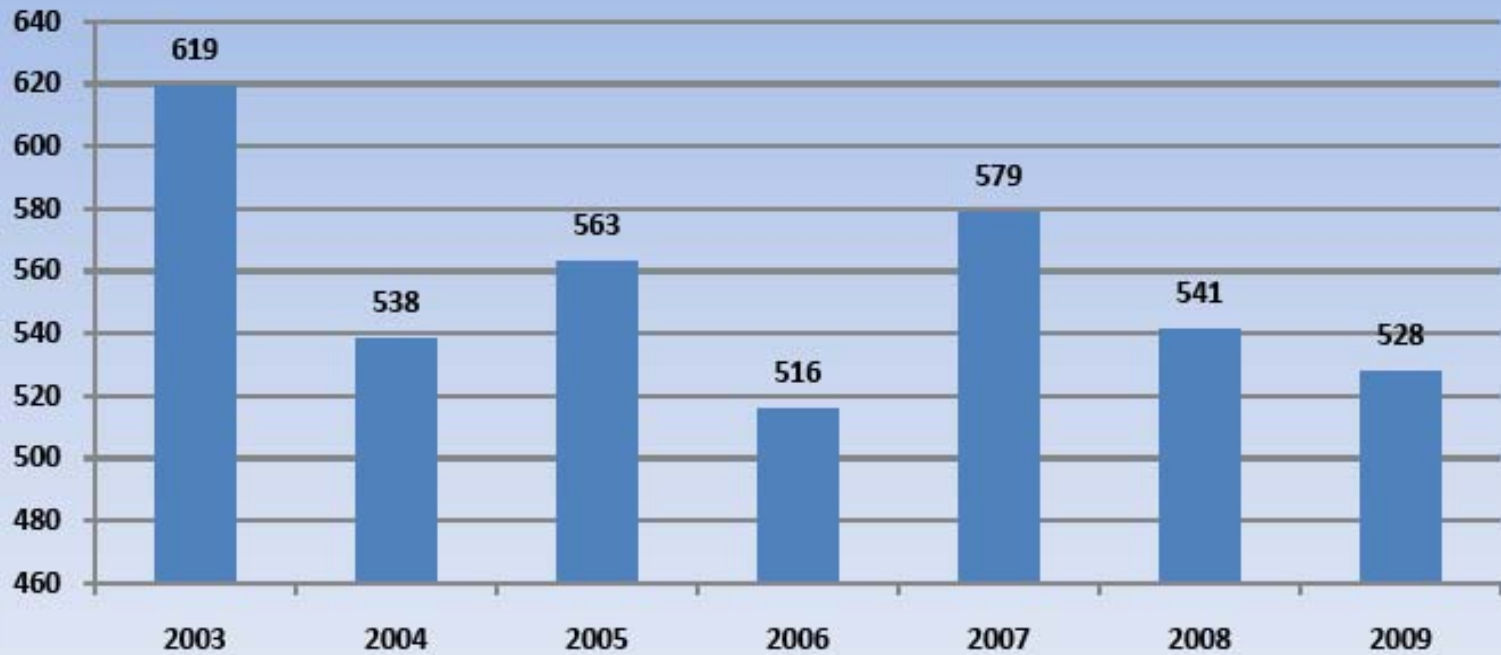
Citywide BMVs (2009 projected)



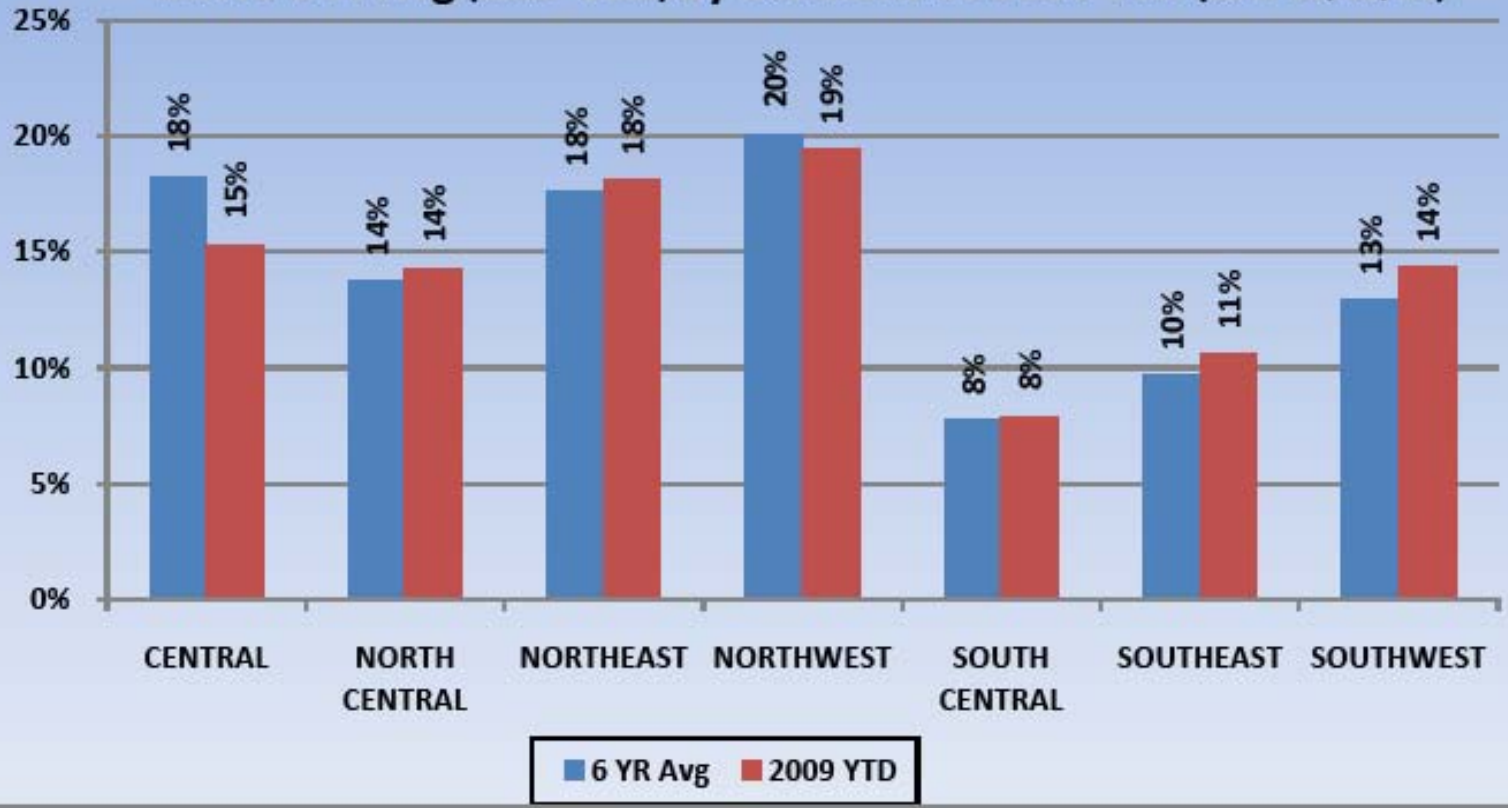
BMV Offenses Per 1000 Population

Year	BMV	Per 1000
2003	30,642	24.9
2004	26,654	21.7
2005	26,239	21.3
2006	24,544	19.7
2007	24,367	19.7
2008	22,398	17.6

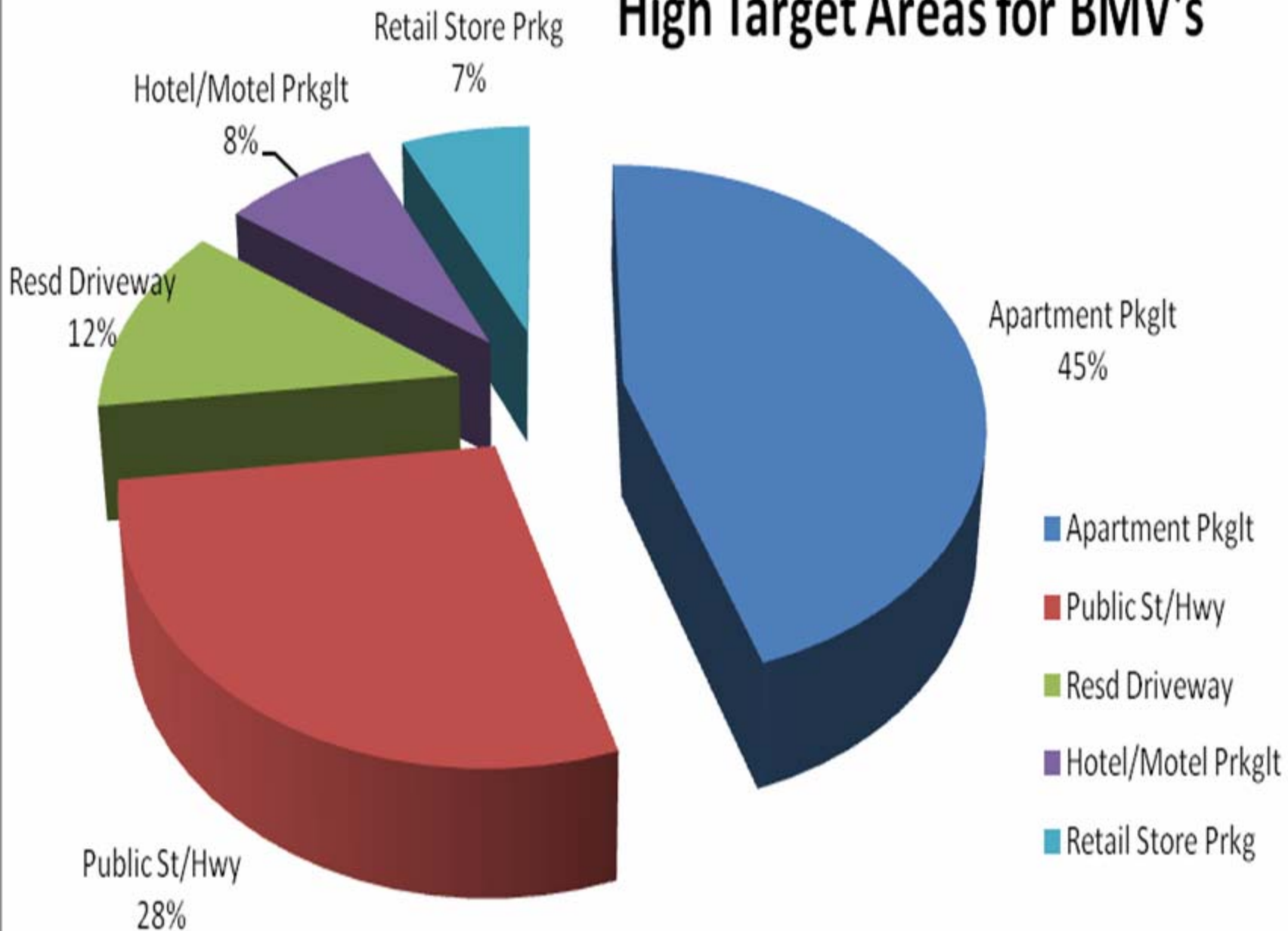
BMV Arrests, 2003 - 2009 (projected)



BMVs 6 Yr Avg (2003 - 2008) by Divisions vs 2009 YTD (as of 10/19/09)



High Target Areas for BMV's



BMVs YTD

Dallas Top Ten Addresses

Beats	Location	Count	Premise
755	7425 Bonnie View Rd	80	Truck Stop
755	34100 LBJ Frwy	45	Truck Stop
318	7401 Samuell Blvd	44	Walmart Center
521	10250 Shady Trail	34	Baby Dolls Saloon
416	1521 N Cockrell Hill Rd	33	Walmart Center
211	9100 N Central Expwy	32	Shopping Center
241	11100 N Central Expwy	32	24 Hr Fitness
635	7815 LBJ Frwy	31	La Quinta/Quality Inn
223	8850 Ferguson Rd	30	Vineyards Apts
654	8687 N Central Expwy	30	North Park Center

Top Items Stolen

- BMV Offenders do not select by vehicle type but by opportunity and vehicle content
 - GPS/Navigation System
 - IPOD/MP3
 - Cell Phones
 - Laptops
 - Purses/Wallets
 - Sunglasses
 - Money
 - Stereo
 - Tools
- Approximately 70% of vehicles are damaged during the BMV

Arrest Disposition Chart								
Arrest Date	Identifier Name	R/S/A	# of Prior Arrests	Arrest History	Current Charge	Disposition	Sentence	Actual Time Served
1/1/2009	Arrested Person 1	W/M/25	0	N/A	BMV	PGBC	\$228	80 Hrs CS, 1 Yr Prob
2/14/2009	Arrested Person 2	W/M/28	15	BMV (5), DWI, UUMV, Drugs, Fail ID, Tamper w/ Govt records	BMV (Enhanced)	PGBC 3/12/09	15 M	197 D+ **
4/17/2009	Arrested Person 3	B/M/45	2	Agg Aslt DW, Burg Bldg	BMV	PGBC	120 D	40 D
5/11/2009	Arrested Person 4	B/M/29	23	BMV, UUMV, Theft, Drugs, Resisting, UCW	BMV	Pending	500 (Bond)	*
8/2/2009	Arrested Person 5	B/M/35	7	BMV, Burg Hab, Robbery	BMV	PGBC	150 D	100 D*
8/26/2009	Arrested Person 6	B/M/28	8	Burg Hab, UCW, Crim Misch, Evading	BMV	PGBC	120 D	40 D

*Impact Offender (36) submitted to DA in 2008

**Enhanced SJF

Misc: Arrested Person 7- W/M/19, 8 priors

Arrested for BMV 2/25/09

Released 3/2/09 \$500.00 Bond

Arrested for Burg of Habitation 5/19/09

Released 5/24/09 \$1000.00 Bond

Arrested for Possession of Controlled Substance 6/3/09 (In Jail \$15,000.00 Bond)

DPD Response/BMV Initiatives

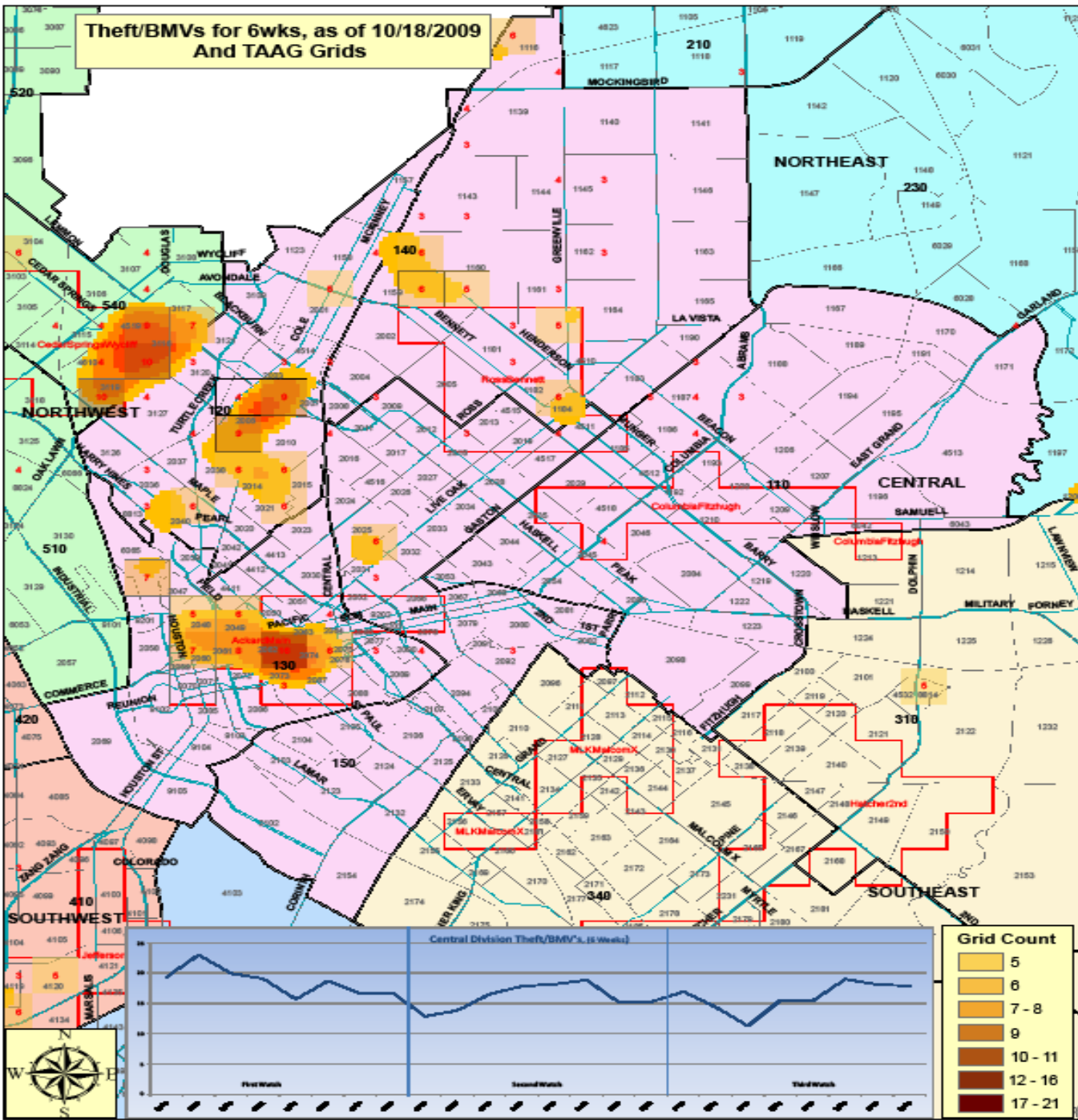
- Property Crime Response Team (9/21/09)
 - 6 to 8 officers per shift
 - Decoy vehicles
 - Saturation patrol/high visibility
 - Deployment Unit coordination
 - Sky towers
- Activity thru 10/27/09
 - 156 Felony in the act arrests
 - 23 UUMV Arrests
 - 19 BMV
 - 16 thefts
 - 329 warrants
 - 1785 calls
 - 3053 traffic stops

DPD Response/BMV Initiatives

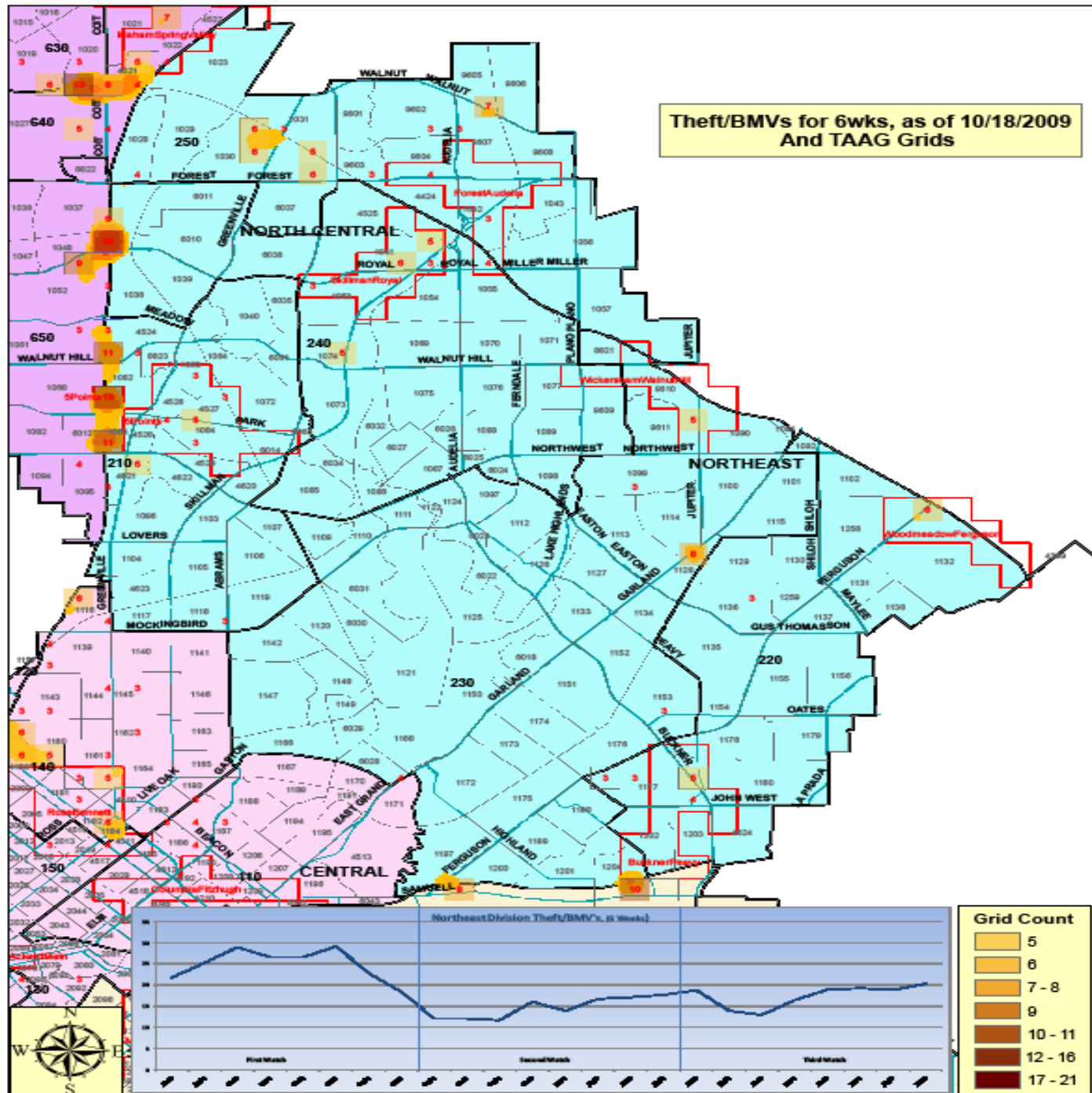
- Prevention/Education
 - NPO Programs including business liaison
 - Lock, Take, Hide signs
 - Community meetings
- Specific Events
 - Holiday Crime Initiative
 - Store and hotel operations
 - Gun shows, safari show, conventions
- BMV Bait Vehicle
 - Surveillance and Apprehension Operation
 - Uses Electronic Tracking System (E.T.S.) type technology
 - Geo-fence property in vehicle
 - Officer responds when activated by property theft

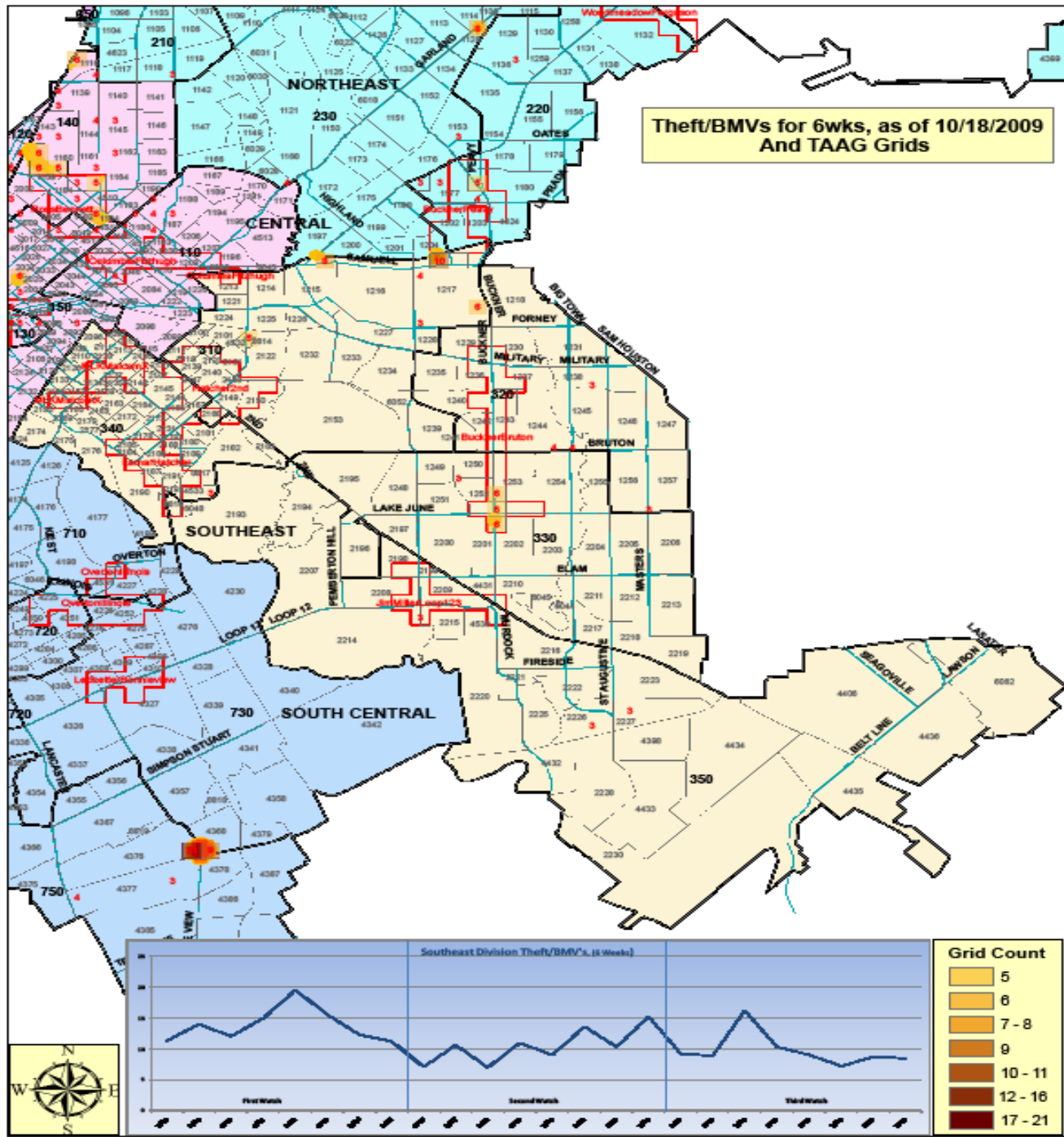
Questions?

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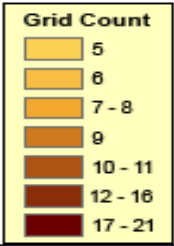
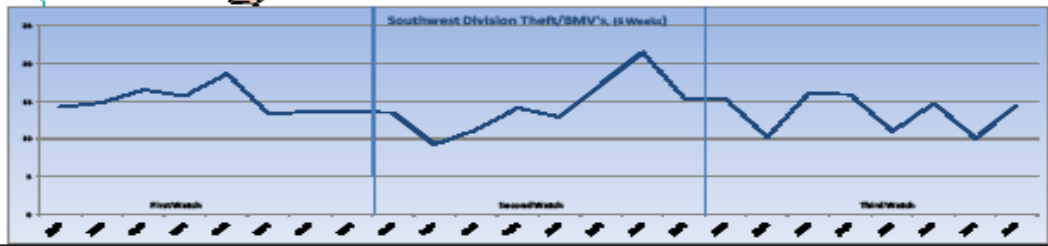
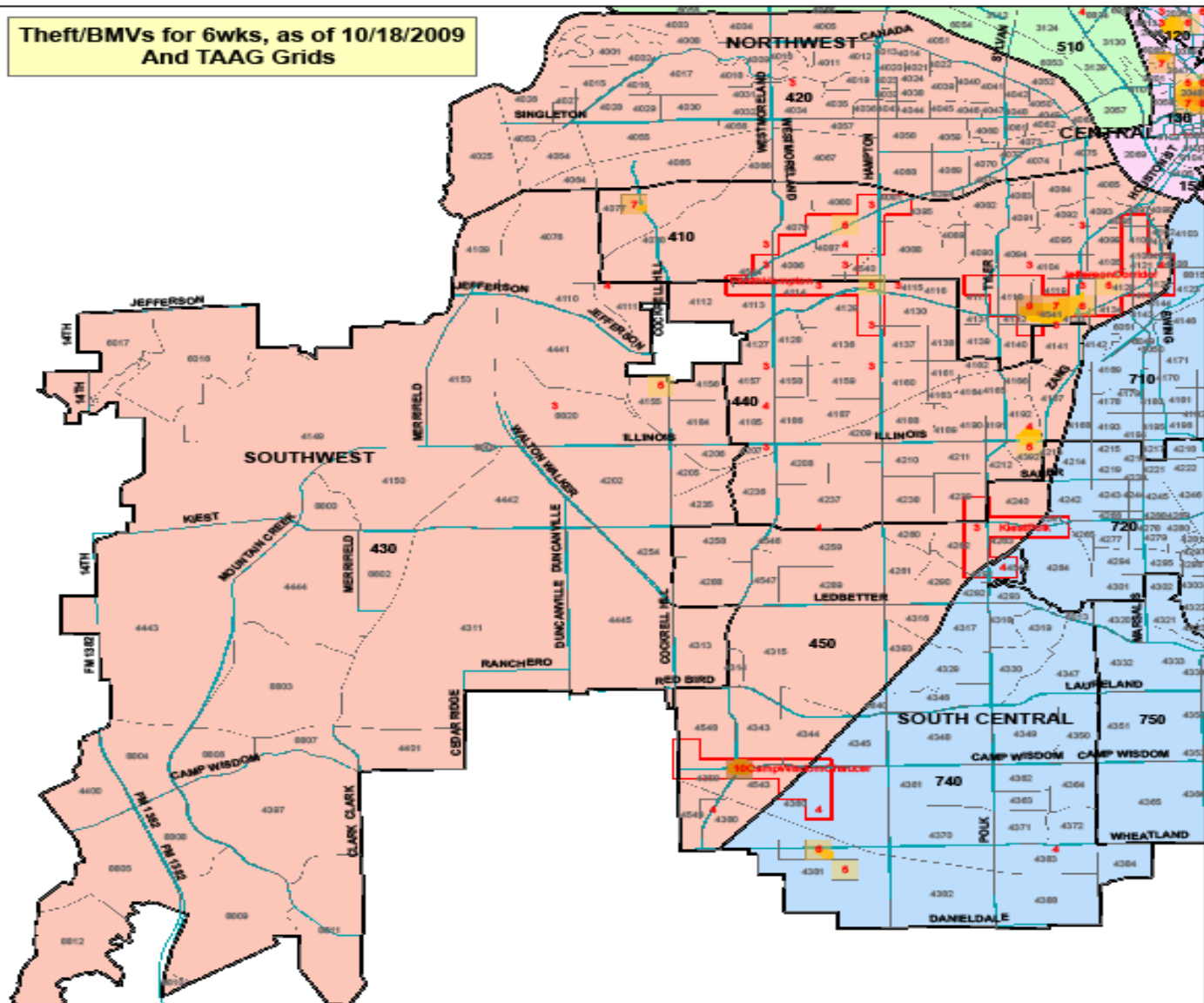


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And TAAG Grids

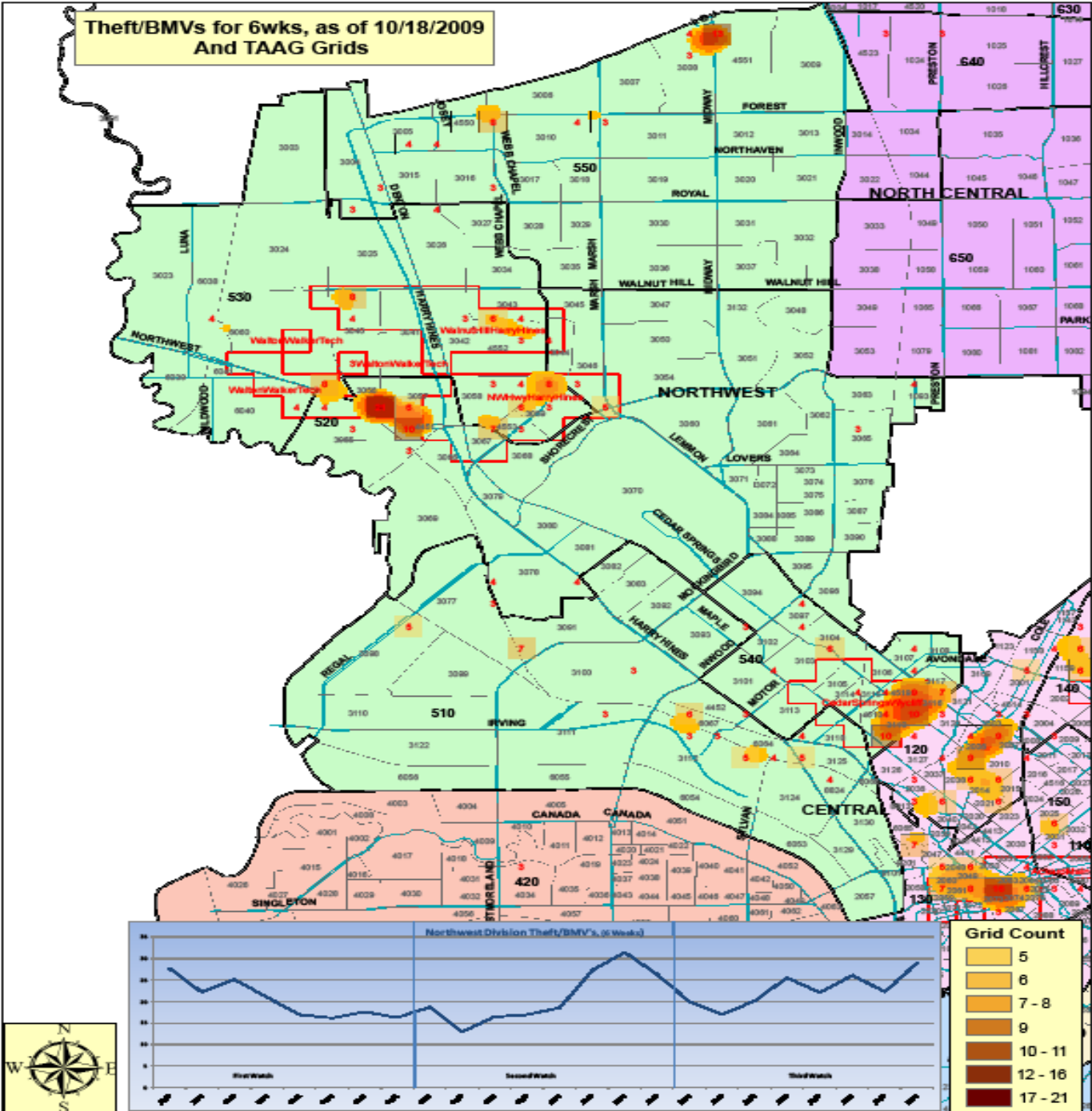


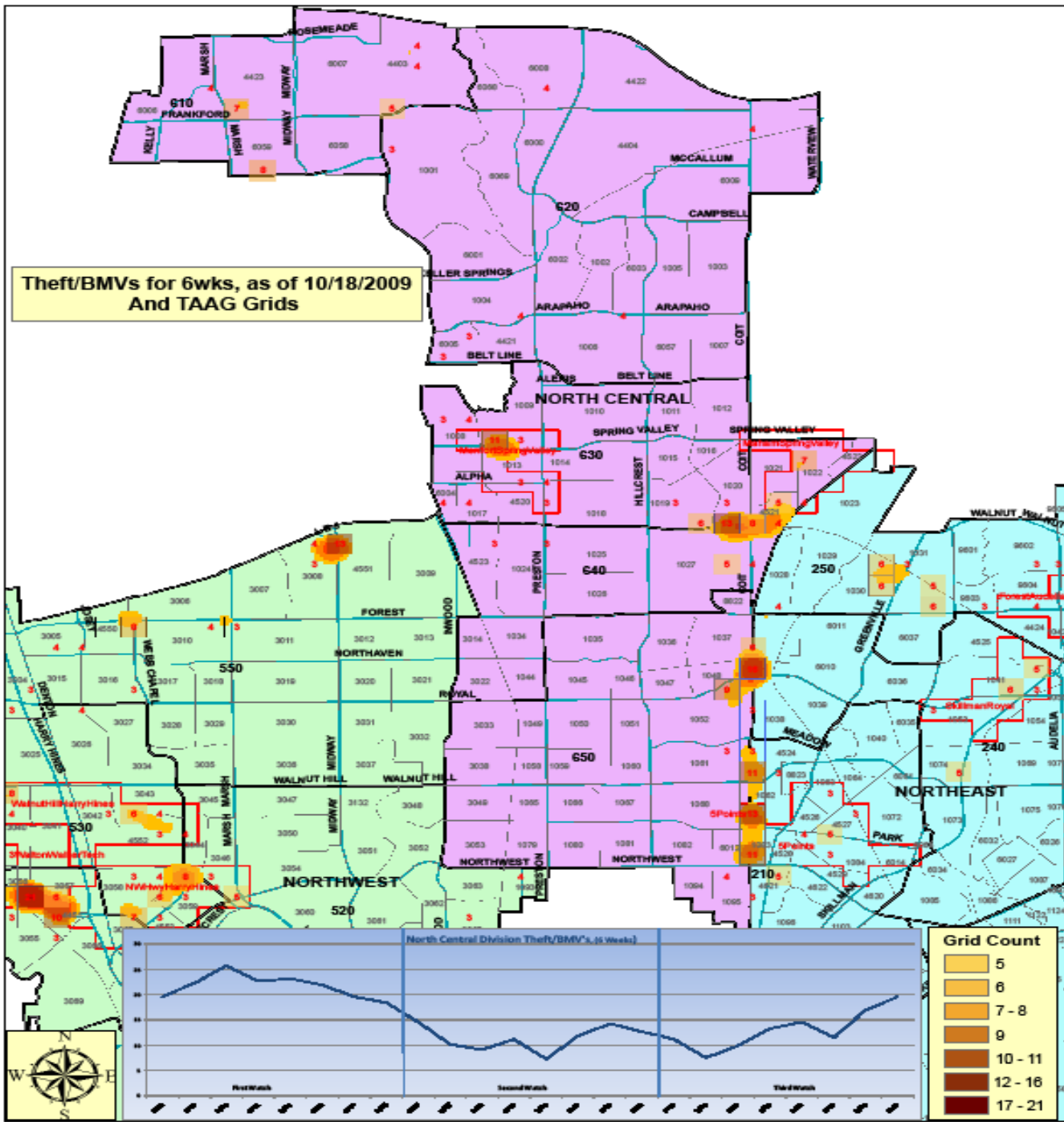


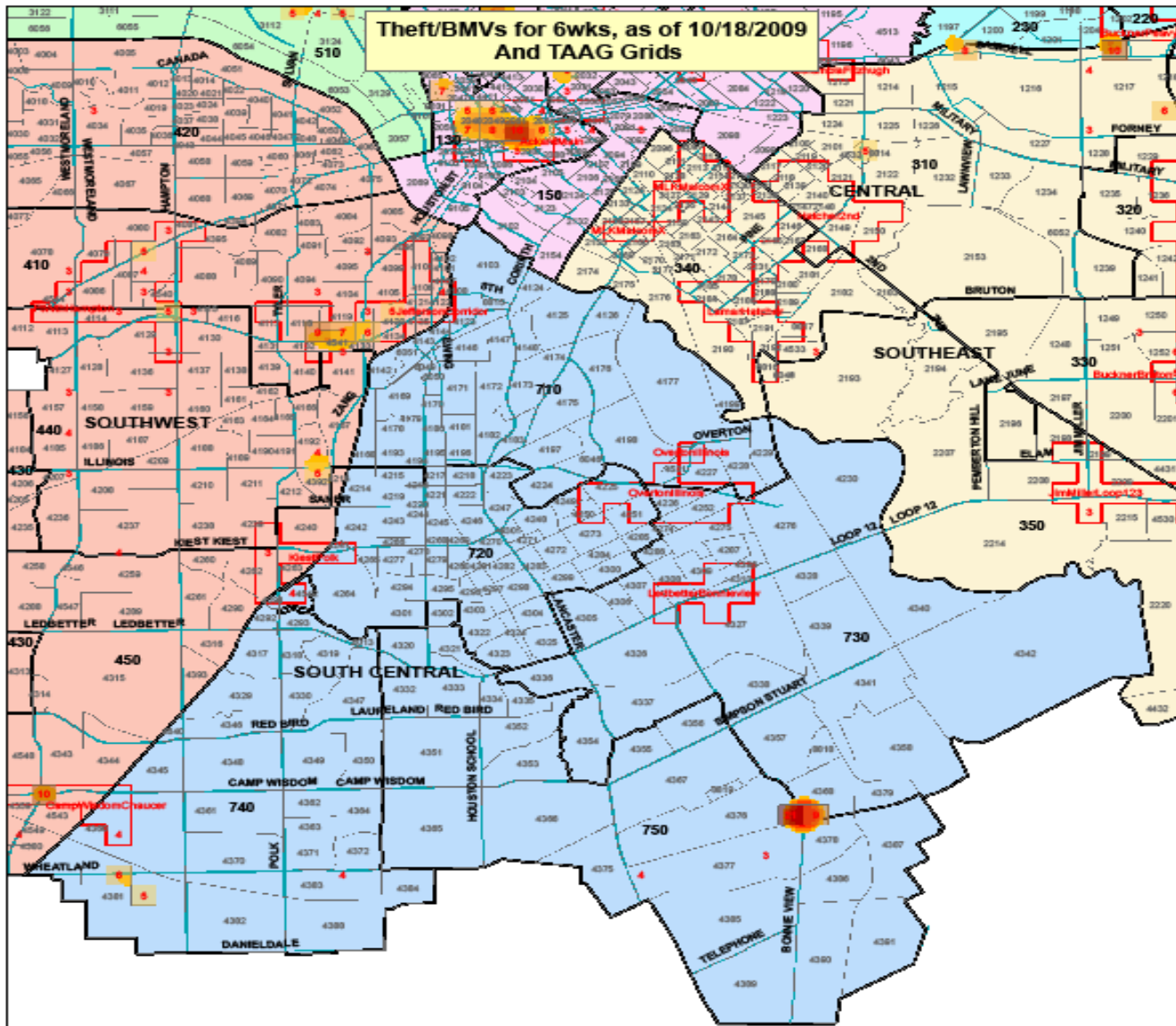
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Theft/BMV's for 6wks, as of 10/18/2009
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Theft/BMVs for 6wks, as of 10/18/2009
And TAAG Grids



Grid Count	
5	Lightest Yellow
6	Light Yellow
7 - 8	Yellow-Orange
9	Orange
10 - 11	Dark Orange
12 - 16	Brown
17 - 21	Darkest Brown



Memorandum



DATE: November 13, 2009

TO: Members of the Public Safety Committee

SUBJECT: Authorization of Memorandum of Understanding with Southern Methodist University

The Dallas Police Department and the Southern Methodist University Police Department desire to form a law enforcement mutual aid team to cooperate in the investigation of criminal activity; enforcement of the laws of the State of Texas; and to protect health, life, and property from riot, disaster, threat of concealed explosives, and unlawful assembly characterized by force and violence or threatened violence by groups of three or more persons. Currently the Southern Methodist University Police Department contacts University Park and Highland Park Police Departments for additional resources and this protocol will not change.

The Memorandum of Understanding will allow either the Dallas Police Department or the Southern Methodist University Police Department to request either personnel or equipment or both to a specified location, based upon an existing and specified need by the requesting department. The amount and type of equipment and number of personnel responding to any request will be determined by the responding department's Chief, or his/her designee. The Memorandum of Understanding will allow the personnel of the responding department to perform law enforcement duties outside the responding department's territorial limits, but within the territorial limits of the requesting department. This will allow for both the addition of personnel and/or equipment to specific incidents as well as joint investigations of specific incidents of mutual interest and/or responsibility for both departments.

The Memorandum of Understanding addresses multiple issues for both departments and assigned personnel, including operational control, release, withdrawal from response, qualifications of office and oath, right to reimbursement, liability, waiver of claims, and arrest authority outside primary jurisdiction.

Southern Methodist University owns several properties located in the City of Dallas and this memorandum of Understanding will solidify their legal law enforcement authority at these locations:

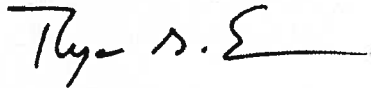
- 5540 SMU Blvd (former UA Cinema)
- 5550 SMU Blvd (former Jack's Pub)
- 6116 North Central Expressway – Expressway Tower
- 6200 North Central Expressway – SMU Office of Development & External Affairs

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- 6210 North Central Expressway – SMU Office of Auxiliary Services
- 5534/5538/5542 Dyer Street – known as 5538 Dyer, other addresses are the parking lots for the building
- 5531 Dyer Street – endowment owned
- 5533 Dyer Street – endowment owned
- 5539 Dyer Street – endowment owned

This agreement will be in effect immediately upon the execution by both parties and shall remain in effect until terminated by either party upon providing thirty (30) days written notice via certified mail to the Chief Law Enforcement officer of the other party. The Southern Methodist University Police Department will serve as the Coordinating Agency of the Agreement.

The police department seeks the support of the Public Safety Committee as the memorandum of Understanding will be referred to the full Dallas City Council for approval on December 9, 2009.



Ryan S. Evans
First Assistant City Manager

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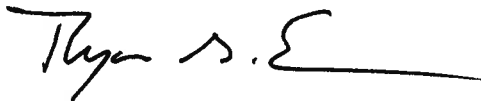
TO: Members of the Public Safety Committee

SUBJECT: Dallas Police Department Impaired Driving Mobilization (IDM) Grant

The Texas Department of Transportation has once again awarded the Impaired Driving Mobilization (IDM) Grant to the Traffic Section of the Dallas Police Department. The amount awarded is \$100,000.00 for fiscal year 2009-10. The grant provides for the reimbursement of overtime salaries for officers and supervisors to take increased enforcement action on Driving While Intoxicated laws. The grant requires a match from the City of Dallas of at least \$33,000. This match will be composed of \$28,220.00 in Pension and FICA contributions and Indirect Costs of \$16,210.00 (total \$44,430.00).

The IDM grant is part of the national traffic safety plan from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. These funds allow for the increased enforcement of DWI laws during specific date spans throughout the year. The target dates for FY 2010 are: December 18, 2009-January 3, 2010, March 12-21, 2010, June 25-July 5, 2010 and August 20-September 6, 2010. Grantees can work a maximum of 50 dates during these time periods. These enforcement actions are intended to reduce injury and fatality crashes. Alcohol is a major contributor to over one-half of all injury and fatality crashes in Dallas. The Traffic Section of the Dallas Police Department has utilized grant funding as part of its overall traffic safety plan for many years. Traffic fatalities have decreased over the past two years, and are down 20% thus far in 2009.

The Traffic Section reviews the targeted sites for enforcement annually to ensure that officers are deployed in an effective manner. This is to be presented to the City Council on December 9, 2009.



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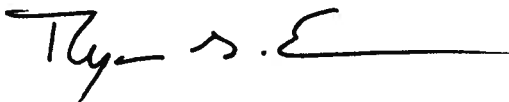
TO: Members of the Public Safety Committee

SUBJECT: Update on Auto Pound Storage Shed

The Auto Pound Unit is requesting approval of Jordan's Weld Shop and Electronics as the designated vendor for the auto parts storage shed and the expenditure of \$53,434.71, currently in encumbered storm water funds, designated for that purpose.

The Auto Pound impounds auto parts as well as vehicles. These stored parts include engines and transmissions, which may still contain oil and gasoline. Currently, the storage of these parts exposes them to the weather. This enhances the potential for this material to wash off of the engines and transmissions and onto the ground. Other stored parts, such as doors and frames, are also exposed and contribute to this issue. The addition of the 240 foot storage shed, to house these auto parts, will eliminate this exposure and will contribute to the City of Dallas' continued environmental quality efforts. This will ensure compliance with EPA and OEQ requirements, as well as Administrative Directives 3-73 and 3-74.

The buyer for the City of Dallas is planning to add this item to the City Council agenda for January 13, 2009. Once this expenditure is approved, it is anticipated that installation will begin February 1, 2010, with completion within six weeks.



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Memorandum



DATE: November 13, 2009

TO: Members of the Public Safety Committee

SUBJECT: Administrative (Police) Reports
I. A. D. Cases to be Presented to the Public Safety Committee on November 16, 2009

NEW CASE PRESENTATION:

None

PREVIOUS CASE PRESENTATION:

Control #09-218

Council District: 8
Involved Officers: (2) White Males
(2) Black Males
Suspect: (1) Black Male

On May 24, 2009, at approximately 7:29 p.m., Officers #1, #2, #3 and #4 were working in full uniform and driving marked police vehicles, when they received a call over the police radio regarding a male suspect who had just fired a weapon and was walking two pit bull dogs near the intersection of Tioga and LaGrange Streets. All of the officers arrived at the location at approximately the same time, exited their vehicles and formed a semi-circle around the suspect. The officers then began instructing the suspect to show his hands. The suspect was holding on to the dogs with his left hand and held a beverage cup by his side with his right hand. As the officers questioned the suspect, they requested that he tie his dogs up to a nearby speed limit sign for their safety. The suspect refused to comply with the officers' request while telling the officers that if they came near him the dogs would bite them. As the officers questioned the suspect, the suspect stated several times, "Just shoot me." When the suspect became more agitated, Officer #1, who was the sergeant on the scene, instructed Officer #2 to deploy his taser on the suspect in order to gain control of the situation. At this point Officers #2 and #3 had taken a position behind a police vehicle. Officer #2 then fired his taser striking the suspect at which time the suspect's dogs became aggressive and lunged at Officers #2 and #3. Fearing for the safety of the officers on the scene, Officer #3 fired several rounds from his service weapon at the dogs which was effective in stopping the dogs. By this time the suspect was recovering from the effects of being tased, removed the taser prongs from his body and produced a .25 caliber automatic pistol. The suspect then fired one round in the direction of Officers #2 and #3. Officers #2 and #3, fearing for their lives, immediately returned fire striking the suspect. The suspect was transported by Dallas Fire Rescue to Methodist Hospital where he was listed in serious condition. Officer #2 sustained a single gunshot wound to his right foot and was transported to Baylor Hospital where he was treated and released.

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The suspect has been charged with three counts of Aggravated Assault on a Public Servant and another count of Aggravated Assault for an incident that had occurred earlier in the evening.

UPDATE: The Internal Affairs Division investigation revealed the officers were justified in their use of deadly force.

STATUS: Complete

Case #CN09-218 was presented at the June 15, 2009, Public Safety Committee Meeting.

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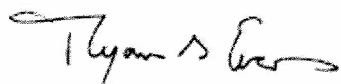
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SUBJECT: **Upcoming Public Safety Committee Briefings**

We have scheduled briefings for the next six months based on the committee's input. Also listed below are additional briefings that will be included.

November, 2009	BMV Report Homicide Review
December, 2009	Compstat Process Police Effectiveness Measures
January, 2010	Increasing Police Presence – Strategies and Practices DPD Task Force Involvement and Results
February, 2010	Traffic Stop Data Review Neighborhood Improvement through Nuisance Abatement
March, 2010	Drug House Complaints – Response and Results Prisoner Processing and Bonding Procedures
April, 2010	Communication Operations Center – Handling Calls for Police Service Gang Unit Operations and Gang Interdiction
Other Items:	Mandatory Crime Prevention Program – Year one update Convenience Store – Year one update Daytime Curfew – Year one update Random Gunfire System Caruth Police Institute Update



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