

# WICHITA FALLS POLICE DEPARTMENT



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# A Message from the Chief

Chief Manuel Borrego



On behalf of the men and women of the Wichita Falls Police Department, we want to thank our citizens for your continued support and confidence in our ability as a police department to provide you with professional and competent police services. Your police department continually strives to deliver professional and relevant policing excellence to you and we stay committed to our primary mission of protecting our community as a whole.

The Wichita Falls Police Department's 2022 Annual Report is submitted for your review. This annual report highlights the different strategies and various programs we've used to ensure the safety and protection of our citizens and neighborhoods.

This report also gives insight to some of the challenges and immediate impacts we faced as a law enforcement agency. The most notable law enforcement concern was the introduction of Fentanyl into our community which disproportionately affected our youth and young adults. By using a multifaceted approach involving enforcement, prosecution and education, this issue became an immediate priority for the police department. The police department strives to remain relevant and effective in the world of 21st Century Policing through crime reduction outcomes while building and maintaining public trust. We continue to evaluate our programs and General Orders to ensure fair and sustained effectiveness and operational efficiency of our police department. Command Staff annually reviews the departments pursuit and use of force policies to ensure we are acting in accordance with the law and meeting our citizens standard for policing in our community.

Please take the time to review the Wichita Falls Police Department's 2022 Annual Report which presents an overall assessment of your police department. I hope you find the information in this report useful and informative as we review the actions and activities of the past year. In closing, I want to thank the citizens of Wichita Falls for allowing us the opportunity to serve and protect our community.



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# Office of the Chief of Police

The Office of the Chief of Police has the ultimate responsibility for the management and administration of the Wichita Falls Police Department. This office coordinates the Police Department's activities with other City Departments through administrative direction of the City Manager. This office insures the efficient operation of the Police Department through planning, organizing and directing its activities. This direction assures law and order is maintained and other measures are implemented to prevent crimes and to protect the lives and property of the citizens and visitors to the City of Wichita Falls. Some of the duties involve consulting with other public safety officials in developing plans and policies to be followed

in conducting operations involving joint concerns and activities. The Police Department's policies, rules and regulations are interpreted and applied from the Office of the Chief of Police.



The Community Operations Division, the Investigative Services Division, and the Office of Professional Conduct report directly to the Chief of Police. These two divisions are responsible for organizing and directing the personnel under their commands. The Community Operations Division is responsible for the uniformed services such as patrol, traffic enforcement, and community services. Responsibility also includes the civilian and administrative functions of our department, records management, communications, property and evidence. The Investigative Services Division is responsible for the Criminal Investigation Section to include Crimes Against Person Unit,

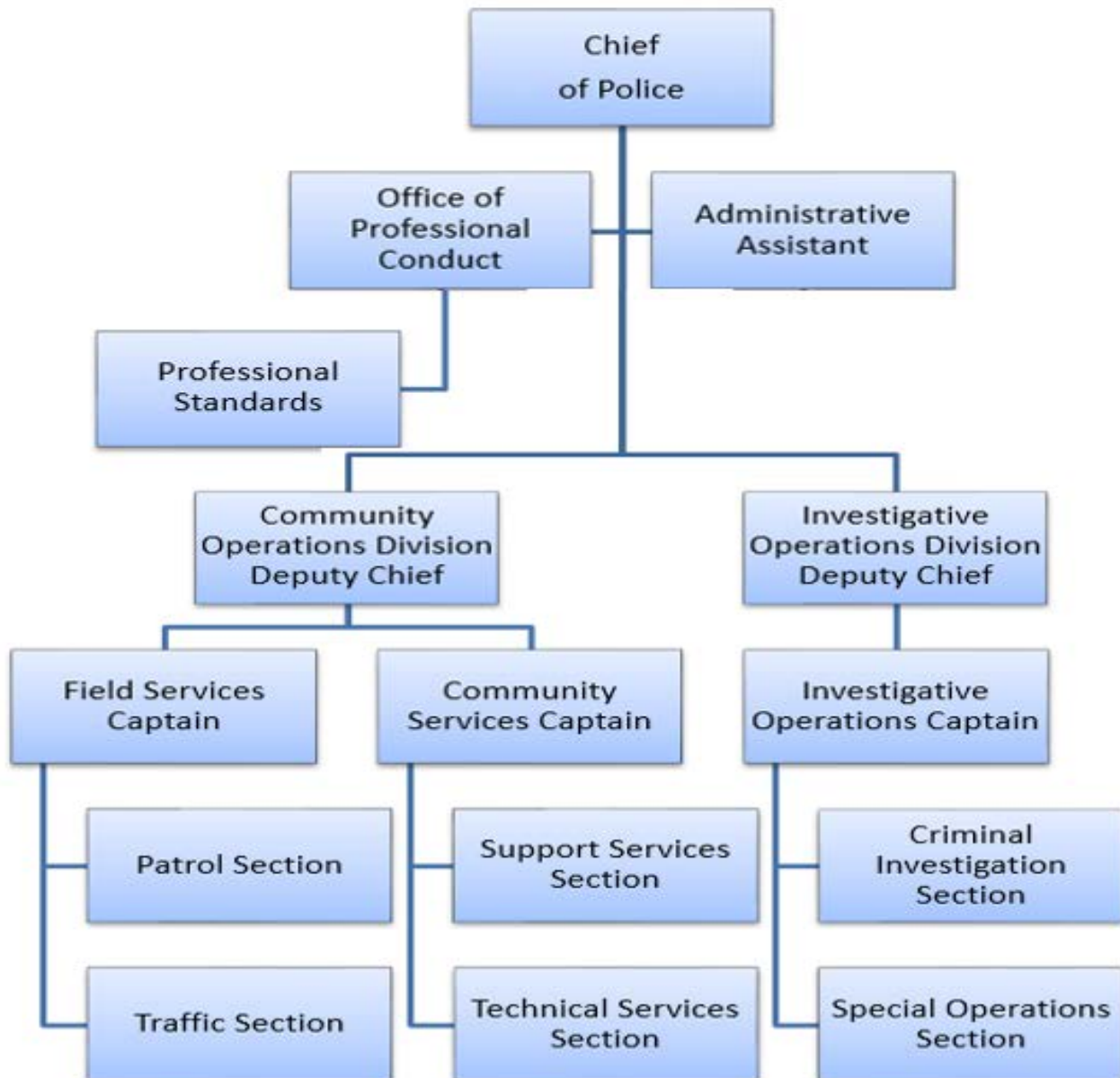
Crimes Against Property Unit, Misdemeanor Unit, Juvenile Unit, Financial Crimes Unit, and Crime Scene Technicians. This division is also responsible for the special operations units such as: Gang Task Force, Tactical Unit, Organized Crime Unit, and the SWAT team. The Office of Professional Conduct investigates allegations of officer/employee misconduct at the discretion of the Chief of Police.

Accomplishments of note for 2022 include: In this post pandemic period the Police Department was able to re-establish personal contact with our community through our community outreach programs. The 43<sup>rd</sup> Citizen Police Academy and two Junior Police Academies were again offered to our citizens as well as providing 56 Citizen Response to Active Shooter Event (CRASE) courses and over 30 crime prevention programs to local business. Our Crime Stoppers Safe Street program provided Fentanyl educational awareness training to over 3,500 students in the Wichita Independent School District (ISD) and other surrounding ISD's. Our Police Department continues to evolve into the law enforcement agency our City deserves, one that is highly respected, professional, compassionate, and mission focused.

## **W.F.P.D. Mission Statement**

*Our mission is to provide exceptional police service and protection for our community.*

# **Wichita Falls Police Department Organizational Structure**



# Administrative Assistant

The Administrative Assistant is primarily responsible for the preparation of the Police Department's annual budget. The budget and all department accounts are closely monitored and adjusted to keep the department within budget constraints. This office is also responsible for the leave accounting of all personnel and the department's payroll records.

## Annual Budget Fiscal Year 2022

Account	FY 2022 Budget
Personnel	\$26,509,722.00
Supplies	\$388,197.00
Maintenance & Repairs	\$45,289.00
Services (Utilities, Fuel, Phone, Etc)	\$1,847,842.00
Insurance / Contingency	\$2,015.00
Other Operational Expenses	\$116,236.00
<b>Net Total</b>	<b>\$28,909,301.00</b>

# Authorized Staffing Levels 2022

<b>Total Authorized Sworn Positions</b>	<b>202</b>
- Total Sworn Supervisors	37
- Total Sworn Officers	165
<b>Total Authorized Civilian Positions</b>	<b>97</b>
- Total Civilian Supervisors	15
- Total Civilian Employees	82
<b>Total Authorized Employees</b>	<b>299</b>



**WFPD Headquarters - 610 Holliday Street**



# Wichita Falls Police Department Staffing and Demographics

Sworn Personnel				
Category	Male	Female	Total	Percentage
White	149	12	161	82%
Black	1	1	2	1%
Hispanic	24	4	28	14%
American Indian	0	0	0	0%
Asian	4	0	4	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Total Sworn Personnel, Officers, and Supervisors, on 12/31/2022

Sworn Supervisors				
Category	Male	Female	Total	Percentage
White	33	2	35	92%
Black	0	0	0	0%
Hispanic	2	0	2	8%
American Indian	0	0	0	0%
Asian	0	0	0	0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Total Sworn Supervisors, on 12/31/2022

# Wichita Falls Police Department 2022 Demographics

Civilian Personnel				
Category	Male	Female	Total	Percentage
White	19	47	66	76%
Black	1	5	6	6%
Hispanic	3	10	13	14%
Pacific Islander	0	1	1	1%
Asian	0	2	2	2%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Total Non-sworn Personnel and Supervisors, on 12/31/2022

Civilian Supervisors				
Category	Male	Female	Total	Percentage
White	3	7	10	59%
Black	0	0	0	0%
Hispanic	2	0	2	11%
American Indian	0	0	0	0%
Asian	0	2	2	11%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Total Non-sworn Supervisors, on 12/31/2022

# Office of Professional Conduct

When requested by the Chief of Police, the Office of Professional Conduct will ensure that complaints or misconduct is investigated and submitted to the Chief. These investigations are categorized as either Class “A” or Class “B” investigations. Class “A” investigations are more serious in nature and are completed by the Office of Professional Conduct. Class “B” investigations are conducted by the employee's supervisor and reviewed by the chain of command.

Possible dispositions of investigations are as follows:

- Sustained:** Evidence tends to support the allegation of misconduct.
- Not Sustained:** There is insufficient evidence to either prove or disprove the allegation of misconduct.
- Unfounded:** Evidence tends to disprove the allegation of misconduct.
- Exonerated:** The evidence tends to support factual occurrence, but conduct falls within policy.
- Policy / Training Issues:** The evidence tends to support a finding of improper action, which may or may not have been consistent with policy. May indicate a need for training rather than disciplinary action.

A total of **14** cases were investigated in 2022. Of these 14 cases, 7 were Class A investigations and 7 were Class B investigations.

Class “A” Investigations		
Findings	Total	Total %
Sustained	2	28%
Not Sustained	0	0%
Exonerated	4	57%
Unfounded	0	0%
Open Investigations	1	14%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole percent

Class "B" Investigations		
Findings	Total	Total %
Sustained	0	0%
Not Sustained	0	0%
Unfounded	7	100%
Exonerated	0	0%
Open Investigations	0	0%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole percent

\*Investigative review results are included in the Class A findings

### Investigations by Beat

These are the beats on which the incidents occurred. Beat location is not applicable to all investigations, i.e. off-duty conduct, ongoing conduct in numerous locations, etc.

Investigation by Beat		
Beat	Investigations	Total %
1 – Northside	0	0%
2 – Downtown	2	14%
3 – Eastside	1	7%
4 – Southside	0	0%
5 – University	5	35%
6 – Hill	5	35%
Internal	1	7%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole percent

## Origin of Investigations

This is the number of cases based on the origin of the complaint, for example, a traffic stop or a call for service. An internal charge is a complaint filed within the department by the Chief, which involves alleged misconduct with no basis in any specific police action. Work environment complaints are about department environmental issues such as employee conflicts.

Category	Class A	Total %	Class B	Total %	Total	Total %
Accident	0	0%	1	14%	1	.7%
Calls for Service	4	57%	2	28%	6	42%
In-Custody Death	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Internal Charge	3	42%	0	0%	3	21%
Observed by Citizen	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Off-Duty Matter	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Officer Initiated	0	0%	4	57%	4	28%
Work Environment	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole percent

## Allegations

There was a total of 14 separate allegations reported during 2022. The number of allegations may be higher than the number of investigations due to more than one officer and/or allegation in one case.

Category	Class A	Total %	Class B	Total %	Total	Total %
Conduct Prejudicial to Good Order	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Conduct Unbecoming	0	0%	1	14%	1	7%
Damaged Property	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Discourtesy	0	0%	3	42%	3	30%
Excessive Force	0	0%	2	28%	2	14%
Failure to Investigate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Failure to Make a Report	0	0%	1	14%	1	7%
Firearm Discharge - Use of Force	3	42%	0	0%	3	21%
Firearm Discharge - Other	1	14%	0	0%	1	7%
Neglect of Duty	1	14%	0	0%	1	7%
Property Not Returned/Missing	2	28%	0	0%	2	14%
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole percent so the total may not equal 100%

# Professional Standards Unit

The Professional Standards Unit is composed of four components that serve the Wichita Falls Police Department in a variety of ways. The components are identified as Grant Management, Texas Best Practices Recognition Program, Strategic Planning and Research, and management of the Department's Manual of Written Directives. The mission of the Professional Standards Unit is to support the planning and execution of the Department's law enforcement operations and investigations.

**Grant Management:** This component applies for various grants for Departmental projects which are not within the budget. The component applied and the Department received the following grants in 2022:

- **Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant:** The Department applied for a grant from the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance program. The Department was awarded \$30,141.00 with co-applicant Wichita County Sheriff's Office. The Department used \$16,577.50 to purchase equipment for the Criminal Investigation Section, Special Operations Section, the Training Section, the Crime Scene Investigation Section and the WFPD K9 Section.
- **Office of the Governor - 2022 State Homeland Security Program:** The Department applied for a grant from the Office of the Governor 2022 State Homeland Security Program. The Department was awarded \$73,893.00 to purchase License Plate Reader (LPR) equipment through the Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention Activities Program. We also applied for an Office of the Governor 2022 Criminal Justice Division Bullet Resistant Shield Grant Program designed to assist agencies purchase bullet-resistant shields for patrol officers, who would respond to any critical incident in our city. The department was awarded \$122,364.00 for the assistance in purchasing (40) Bullet-Resistant shields for patrol officers.
- **Department of Justice - 2022 Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant:** The Department applied for a grant from the Department of Justice - 2022 Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership. The Department was awarded \$2,244.67 to assist with the purchase of bulletproof vests for officers in the Patrol Section.
- **TxDOT Selective Traffic Enforcement Program Grant:** The Comprehensive STEP program focuses on four traffic safety elements: Speed, Occupant Protection, Intersection Enforcement, and Distracted Driver violations. FY 2022 Comprehensive Grant was \$51,958.31.
- **TxDOT Click it or Ticket Campaign:** \$13,463.76 was allocated for vehicle occupant protection enforcement during the Memorial Day holiday.
- **Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Reimbursement Grant:** This DOJ Reimbursement Grant assist ICAC Task Forces in funding forensic equipment and training opportunities related to ICAC crimes. Total grant funding \$20,000.00

**Texas Best Practices Recognition Program:** This component is responsible for ensuring that the Department is in compliance with the 168 standards identified by the Texas Police Chief's Association Law Enforcement Recognition Program. These standards are based on Texas law, court decisions, and

contemporary best practices. This voluntary process helps agencies in the effective and efficient delivery of services, the reduction of risk, and the protection of individual rights. A department is deemed “Recognized” if it’s policies and facilities are in compliance with the established standards. The Wichita Falls Police Department was originally “Recognized” in 2012 and “Re-Recognized in 2017. The Department was inspected by assessors from the Texas Police Chief’s Recognition Program in May of 2021. On 06/11/2021 the Department was notified that it had received “Re-Recognition” status for the second time since becoming recognized in 2012.

**Strategic Planning and Research:** This component completes annual reports required by Texas Best Practices Recognition Program. These reports include an Annual Report, an Accident/Injury Analysis Report, a Use of Force Analysis Report, a Vehicle Pursuit Analysis Report, and a Property/Evidence Room Annual Inventory Report. This component also performs research based on Departmental needs.

**Manual of Written Directives:** These directives contain the administrative policies of the Police Department. This component ensures that policies are reviewed, amended, and added to the Manual of Written Directives as needed.



# Community Operations Division



## Deputy Chief Scott Vaughn

The Deputy Chief over the Community Operations Division is responsible for both Field Services and Community Services. Two Captains under this division report to the Deputy Chief. One Captain is over Field Services and the other is over Community Services.

Field Services is composed of the Patrol and Traffic Sections. These sections are staffed by uniformed police officers. The Patrol Section answers calls for service 24 hours a day. It is the largest and most recognized section of the Police Department. The Traffic Section is made up of the Motorcycle Unit which specifically enforces traffic laws, and Crash Investigators who conduct both on-site and follow-up investigations of vehicle accidents.

Community Services is composed of two sections, Support Services and Technical Services. Support Services is responsible for the department's community-based programs. Crime Stoppers, Citizen Police Academies and Crime Free are a few of those programs. The Public Information Officer also falls under Support Services. The Training Unit is responsible for managing a Certified Police Officer Training Academy. This unit is also responsible for ensuring compliance with TCOLE training standards and the department's in-service training.

Technical Services is composed of the Communications Unit, Records Unit, and the Property / Impound Unit. The Communications Unit is responsible for managing the calls for service for not only the Police and Fire Departments but also for the Wichita County Sheriff's Department. The unit also conducts its own Telecommunicator Academy. The Records Unit is the repository for all police reports. It is also home to the Front Desk which provide a service to citizens by taking certain police reports from walk-ins or by telephone. The Property / Impound Unit handles, stores, and inventories all property, vehicles, and evidentiary items turned in by police.





# Field Services- Patrol Section

The Patrol section consists of two 12-hour shifts deployed across the city to provide a 24/7 Operation. The two shifts are each divided into two platoons. There is an overlap between shifts to provide continual police coverage. Their deployment is constantly re-evaluated so that their assigned hours meet the needs of the community.

The Patrol section monitors the city and continuously answer calls for service. Patrol also utilizes crime analysis information with the goal of disrupting current crime trends and targeting known offenders. Using directed patrols and up-to-date intelligence information, Patrol has continued to work with other units of the department in reducing property-related offenses throughout the city.

A select group of officers provided field training for those recruits who graduated in 2022. These Field Training Officers (FTOs) are assigned to academy graduates and supervise their transition from the classroom to the streets. Thirteen probationary officers started field training and were introduced into the Patrol section this year. All probationary officers are expected to move to solo patrol by the end of February 2023.

Eleven Ford Explorer SUV police vehicles were added to the marked fleet in 2022. Every patrol unit is equipped with a Mobile Data Terminal that provides officers with access to various databases while in the field. Officers are able to view records as well as share information with all sections of the department.



# Field Services - Traffic Section

The Traffic Unit includes three different components, traffic enforcement, on-site crash investigation and follow-up crash investigation.

The objectives of the traffic enforcement component are to reduce the number of traffic crashes by the use of selective traffic enforcement and to have a force that is highly mobile and flexible enough to respond to the special traffic and/or police investigations that are required. Examples include parades, escort service for visiting dignitaries, or any other special operation.



The crash investigation component is responsible for investigating crashes with an emphasis placed on major traffic crashes involving serious injuries and/or death. The follow-up investigators will continue the process of the investigation. Their responsibilities are to collect evidence, complete formal reports, and prepare prosecution reports in order to file appropriate charges.

The Traffic Enforcement Unit is composed of 12 Motor Officers operating BMW 1250 RT-P police motorcycles. The City participated in the TxDOT Click It or Ticket, Operation Slowdown, and the Comprehensive STEP (Selective Traffic Enforcement Program) Grant campaigns in 2022. A total of 1,255 man hours produced 2,620 citations for all STEP programs. The majority of the citations were for speeding (1,767), intersection violations (268), and seatbelt violations (292).

The Traffic Enforcement Unit worked events such as the Hotter’N’Hell 100, 4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration and the “Red River Harley Davidson Law Enforcement Day” putting on demos for the Citizens of Wichita Falls. The Traffic Enforcement Unit was also detailed to retail area directed patrol during the heavy Christmas shopping season, which significantly reduced vehicle burglaries and thefts in the target areas.

# Traffic Citations 2022

Citations		
Tickets Issued	2021	2022
Traffic Enforcement Unit	11,777	12,829
All State STEP Programs	2,419	2,620
Patrol & Other Units	1,313	838
City STEP	2,939	3,711
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,448</b>	<b>19,998</b>

# Traffic Accidents 2022

Accidents		
Accident Statistics	2021	2022
Accidents	2,602	2,769
Fatality Accidents	8	21
Motorcycle Accidents	46	47
Fatality Motorcycle Accidents	1	8



# Support Services Section

The Support Services Section includes the following units, Community Services Unit, Training and the Public Information Office.

The Community Services Unit is responsible for the following programs: Crime Free, SAFECAM, Crime Stoppers, Crime Stoppers Safe School Institute, Neighborhood Watch (nextdoor.com), Lock-Take-Hide, CRASE, Coffee with a Cop, Citizens Police Academy and Junior Police Academy. This Unit also includes the Volunteer Police Chaplains, Sentinels and Public Information Office.

The Training Unit is involved in all aspects of training for the department. Basic Police Academies are conducted by an in-house staff of police instructors. Instructors not only teach the police academies but also the continual in-service training provided to officers. Both Department Training Records and the Alarm Permit Program are managed by the Training Unit.

The Public Information Office works regularly with our local media. It also manages the department's website and social media.



# Community Services

## Crime Free Program

The Crime Free program is the most widely used crime prevention strategy in the city. Since 2008, a continued reduction in crime can be traced, in part due to the Crime Free training for hotel/motel, small business, self-storage, multi-housing, and family lifestyles. Two Crime Free instructors currently support the Patrol Section in its mission of providing a safe and secure environment for residents and visitors. The program is proving to be a huge success, resulting in a decrease in both criminal reports and arrests in area apartment communities. The Crime Free Business program continues to focus a targeted patrol on the business district downtown and the shopping district around the mall that is designed to identify and address any crime related issues that may arise in these areas. The Community Services Officers are Crime Free certified instructors and train other officers and agencies around the State of Texas. The Community Services officers taught six Crime Free classes in 2022.



## SAFECAM

The SAFECAM program was implemented by the WFPD Community Services Unit in 2022. The program is an extension of the Neighborhood Watch concept in which citizens with security cameras can sign up to participate. The citizens volunteer to share information on their security cameras systems they currently have for their residences or businesses. The database is available to all of the sworn officers in the department for investigative purposes. The program has 127 participants.



# Crime Stoppers



Wichita Falls Crime Stoppers, Inc. continues to provide outstanding support to the community. It is composed of one police officer, a clerk, and a civilian board, who manage the program. Crime Stoppers, Inc. serves the counties of Archer, Clay, Young, and Wichita. The Campus Crime Stopper Program, now called Crime Stoppers Safe Schools, includes Archer City ISD, Burkburnett ISD, City View ISD, Electra ISD, Henrietta ISD, Holliday ISD, Iowa Park ISD, Wichita Falls ISD, and Windthorst ISD.

Since its inception in February of 1981, Wichita Falls Crime Stoppers, Inc. accounted for 5,545 arrests, 8,400 offenses cleared, and \$1,149,806 in rewards paid. Information received by Crime Stoppers has netted \$4,978,806 in stolen property recovered and over \$27,568,065 in narcotics seized.

Offense	2021		2022		Since Inception	
	Arrests	Cleared	Arrests	Cleared	Arrests	Cleared
Homicide	1	1	4	7	51	61
Sexual Assault	0	0	1	1	4	12
Assault	1	1	0	0	30	47
Robbery	1	1	0	0	128	228
Theft	2	3	0	0	298	470
Burglary of Vehicle	0	0	2	7	48	111
Burglary of Habitation	0	0	0	0	180	544
Burglary of Building	2	3	1	2	161	200
Forgery	0	0	0	0	47	234
Arson	0	0	0	0	46	48
Narcotics	5	5	5	11	1,946	2,580
Fugitive	3	5	19	29	1,952	2,809
Other / Felon in Poss. Firearm	0	5	1	30	640	830
Indecency with a Child	0	0	0	0	2	3
Criminal Mischief	0	0	0	0	12	223
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>5,545</b>	<b>8,400</b>

# Crime Stoppers Safe Schools



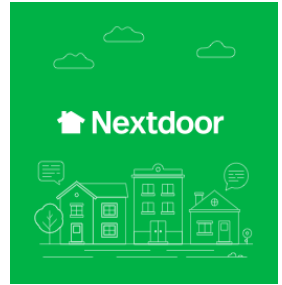
Since its inception in September 1994, the Wichita Falls Campus Crime Stoppers Program, now called Crime Stoppers Safe Schools, has accounted for 1,702 arrests, 1,763 offenses cleared, and 597 reward payouts totaling \$254,566. These rewards netted \$173,247 in stolen property recovered and over \$22,694 in narcotics seized.

The Safe Schools intent is for the Crime Stoppers Coordinator and other Community Services Unit officers to impact K-12 students with life-lesson classes while also educating and encouraging age-appropriate students to use the P-3 App to submit their own Crime Stoppers tips. Approximately 200 tips have been received since the inception of the Safe Schools program. In 2022, the Safe Schools officers produced and presented a Fentanyl awareness class that reached thousands of Jr. High and High School students in the local area.

Offense	2021		2022		Since Inception	
	Arrests	Cleared	Arrests	Cleared	Arrests	Cleared
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	0	0	0	0	10	8
Assault	0	0	0	0	89	83
Robbery	0	0	0	0	1	1
Theft	0	0	1	1	609	608
Arson	0	0	0	0	11	10
Burglary	0	0	0	0	26	16
Drug Offenses	6	6	11	11	264	261
Weapons Offenses	1	1	2	2	24	22
Tobacco Offenses	2	2	13	13	104	91
Public Order Crimes	0	0	0	0	22	22
Truancy/Skipping	0	0	0	0	150	142
Vandalism/Graffiti/Crim. Misc.	3	3	1	1	340	334
Threats	1	1	0	0	66	58
Paraphernalia	0	0	1	1	12	12
Alcohol Offenses	0	0	0	0	31	30
Computer Crimes	0	0	0	0	4	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1,763</b>	<b>1,702</b>

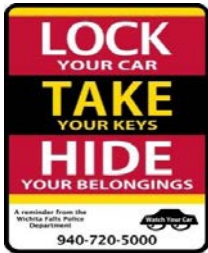
# Nextdoor.com

In 2014, we began to promote nextdoor.com, which is an online neighborhood program. Currently, with 110 different neighborhood groups and 15,354 residents participating, nextdoor.com will continue to be a tool endorsed by the department to further enhance communication between the police and the public.



# Lock, Take, Hide

Lock, Take, and Hide is an ongoing community campaign to discourage vehicle burglaries. The program encourages our citizens to LOCK their car, TAKE their keys, and HIDE their belongings. Since its inception, vehicle burglaries have decreased, especially among unlocked vehicles. The local media has been instrumental in the success of this program through aggressive advertisement. Lock, Take, and Hide signs are now visible throughout the city, with more being requested all the time.



# CRASE – Civilian Active Shooter Training

CRASE stands for Civilian Response To Active Shooter Events. The CRASE course, designed and built on the Avoid, Deny, Defend (ADD) strategy developed by ALERRT, provides strategies, guidance, and a proven plan for surviving an active shooter event.

In 2022, the Community Services Unit taught 51 CRASE classes and 7 Stop the Bleed classes to various businesses, groups, and churches in our city.





## Coffee with a Cop

In 2022, the Community Services Section hosted 3 Coffee with a Cop events at local coffee shops in our city: Starbucks, McDonalds, and Eight Street Coffee House. The mission of Coffee with a Cop is to break down the barriers between police officers and the citizens they serve. Coffee with a Cop brings police officers and the community members they serve together—over coffee—to discuss issues and learn more about each other. Building relationships one cup at a time!



## Citizen Police Academy



The Citizen Police Academy was first formed in 1999, and is dedicated to the education of the citizens of Wichita Falls on how their police department operates. The participants are provided hands-on training on how the officers are trained and the challenges they face through a 12-week program. Two academies are held each year, one in the Fall and one in the Spring. The academy has graduated almost 1,000 citizens since its inception. The Citizen Police Academy Association (C.P.A.A.), made up of class alumni, has contributed several hundred volunteer hours since the Department implemented the “Volunteers In Police Service” (VIPS) program. Since its inception, C.P.A.A. fundraising donations to the Police Department for equipment have exceeded \$100,000.00.

# Junior Citizen Police Academy

In June and July of 2022, the Community Services section hosted two Junior Police Academies. The academies were a week-long class each and were designed for 6th through 8th graders. The courses covered various law enforcement topics to include criminal investigations, K-9, SCUBA, SWAT, and patrol tactics. A total of 50 students attended the two academies in 2022.



# Volunteer Police Chaplains

The Volunteer Police Chaplain program is a ministry to the officers of the Wichita Falls Police Department and to the citizens of the City of Wichita Falls. Their services are invaluable during times of critical incidents involving officers and citizens.



# Sentinels

The Sentinel program consists of five civilian part-time employees. The Sentinels respond to residential property patrol checks and abandoned vehicles. They also handle property and evidence reports, which in turn frees up patrol officer time. Sentinels respond to city code violations, writing We Can Fix It memos that help enable other City departments respond to city maintenance deficiencies. The Sentinels deploy and maintain the Department's radar trailer that monitors vehicle speeds at key locations throughout the city.

Sentinel Summary		
Activity	2021	2022
Patrol Checks	2,684	2,739
Reports written	488	460
Calls for Service / Assistance	885	992
Code Violations reported	136	41
Check Unattended Vehicles – Impound	1,439	1,212

# Social Media

The Wichita Falls Police Department's Public Information Office (PIO) continues to utilize the most current forms of social media in order to more effectively communicate with and receive feedback from the community. The PIO maintains the Police Department's Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram accounts, as well as the



WFPDNOW.com website. Facebook followers have increased from 28,115 in 2021 to 31,578 in 2022. The WFPD has 2,185 followers on Instagram. The community Services Unit began utilizing the City of Wichita Falls TikTok account in 2022

# Training Unit



## **75<sup>th</sup> Police Academy**

The 75<sup>th</sup> Police Academy began on March 21st, 2022 and ended on September 9th, 2022. Upon graduation, 13 recruits had received a total of 9,880 aggregate hours of training.

## **76<sup>th</sup> Police Academy**

The 76<sup>th</sup> Police Academy Hiring process began in August, 2022. The estimated start date of the Academy will be February 20th, 2023.



# In-Service Training

The Training Unit offered courses for 642 attending officers throughout 2022. A total of 7,071 aggregate training hours were taught for In-Service training.

Required 40-hour training has commenced starting January 2023. Subjects covered during the 40-hour training are:

- Criminal Investigations
- CPR
- High Risk Traffic Stops
- Police Driving
- Arrest Search and Seizure Refresher
- ALERRT Level 1 and AAIR Refresher
- Firearms Training



Texas Best training began in November 2022 and continued halfway through December 2022. Each year Officers are required to attend Texas Best training which includes updates on Use of Force, General Orders, Less Lethal, and Taser Re-Certification. Also, all Sworn were qualified on their duty pistols for the Falls.

The Training Unit worked to bring in specialized courses during 2022. A few of the noted courses were:

- FEMA Courses G300, G400
- De-escalation Strategies and Crisis Intervention Training
- Basic SWAT Course
- Background Investigator Course
- Interview and Interrogation Course
- Building Financial Strength
- Calibre Press: Reading People
- TCOLE Basic Instructor course
- TCOLE 6400 Peer to Peer Support Group Training.



# Alarm Permits

The Training Unit oversees the alarm permit program which includes billing, processing and enforcement. The Department utilizes an alarm management software called "Crywolf". The Crywolf software allows for much more efficient data collection, and streamlines billing.

Alarm Permits 2022		
Type	2021	2022
Burglar/Panic Alarm Permits	3,593	3,263
False Alarms	2,362	2,192



# Technical Services Section



The Communications Section is staffed by licensed civilian telecommunicators who are responsible for answering all 9-1-1 emergency and non-emergency calls for service for the city of Wichita Falls and Wichita County. This unit remains in constant communication with all police, fire, and county units in the field by monitoring, relaying, and transmitting information for emergency services. Calls on 9-1-1 for medical services are received by this unit and referred to AMR for medical dispatch. The unit is also responsible for receiving, monitoring, and dispatching calls for

service for the Water Department after hours, on holidays, and on weekends. Calls after hours and on holidays and weekends for other city departments are also handled by the Communications Unit. The Communications Unit is responsible for conducting monthly tornado siren test to ensure the safety of the citizens of Wichita Falls during inclement weather situations.

The Communications Unit maintains complete records of all communications transactions through computer documentation, computer programs and digital recording equipment. The Communications unit is a 24 hour a day, 7 day a week operation. Calls per year for the different organizations are as follows.

Calls for Service		
Department	2021	2022
Police	115,470	104,613
Fire	13,855	13,703
Sheriff	19,909	18,991
<b>Total</b>	<b>149,234</b>	<b>137,307</b>

# Communications Unit

The Communication Unit manages an in house Telecommunicator Academy. Our department's Telecommunicator training and hiring process was modified to adapt to changes in Telecommunicator licensing in the state of Texas through the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE). TCOLE allows for someone to be hired and work as a Telecommunicator on a temporary basis for up to 12 months prior to them completing a licensing course and passing the TCOLE licensing exam.

New Telecommunicator trainees attend an in-house academy that provides basic dispatch training for new employees. After successfully completing the 3-week academy, trainees begin on-the-job training for the various assignments within dispatch. During this period of on-the-job training, trainees return to classroom training periodically for additional training specific to the next assignment as they work towards being fully licensed. A final licensing course is mandated by TCOLE, prior to the trainee attempting the TCOLE licensing exam. After successful completion of all mandated training, the trainee will take the TCOLE licensing exam for Telecommunicators. Upon passage of the exam, the trainee will become a TCOLE licensed Telecommunicator.



WFPD conducted two Telecommunicator academy classes during 2022 and graduated twelve new Telecommunicator trainees.

Dispatch also saw the release of the new Cardiac Emergency Communication class that is now required for all telecommunicators. The Training Unit is working with Dispatch to make sure all telecommunicators receive this training by August 2023.

# Records Unit

The Records Unit is responsible for maintaining and filing of the department's original documents and ensuring paper documentation is converted to digital images. The unit is also responsible for court ordered expunctions, processing requests for reports, running criminal history checks, and providing reports to other law enforcement agencies, court officials and various entities. Records Clerks are in charge of addressing citizen inquiries, along with assisting officers, investigators, other agencies and departments. Clerks also quality control information entered into various data bases used by the department.

The Front Desk is part of the Records Unit. It is responsible for receiving public inquires and reports of criminal offenses not requiring the physical presence of a police officer. This includes missing person reports and entry of stolen property into the national data base (NCIC/TCIC). These reports are filed by the citizens either calling or responding directly to the Police Department. Front Desk Community Service Officers are tasked with documenting private lot impounds, visitor log, and various other duties. Their work assignments cover a full range of clerical duties to include a significant amount of data entry and retrieval.

Records for 2021 / 2022		
Item	2021	2022
CAD Call Input	7,515	6,241
Report Requests from Other Agencies	1,658	1,947
Open Records Requests	663	1,617
Subpoena Requests for Reports	115	41
Report and Supplement Entries		7,575
Ride-Along Requests Processed	17	64
Private Lot and Vehicle Repossessions Reported	816	747
Clearance Letters and Local Background Checks	589	931
Accident Reports Sold	779	802
Offense Reports Sold	2,001	1,604
Reports Reviewed for QC by Clerks	15,839	16,584



# Property / Impound Unit

The Property / Impound Unit is responsible for the cataloging, storing, preservation and chain of custody for all evidence and property (including impounded vehicles, motorcycles, bicycles etc.) taken into the custody of the police department. The Evidence Technician assigned to this unit is also responsible for properly disposing of evidence, which is no longer needed as evidence for court.

Property Room		
Item	2021	2022
Firearms received	302	250
Controlled Substances received	1,295	1,497
Total Items received in property	7,744	9,262
Items disposed of / discarded from property	9,875	8,631

This unit is also responsible for the intake, cataloging, storing, preservation, and chain of custody for all impounded motor vehicles whether impounded for seizure or as evidence.

Impounded Vehicles		
Item	2021	2022
Vehicles Seized	142	111
Vehicles Impounded as Evidence	203	165
<b>Total Impounded Vehicles</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>276</b>

Towed Vehicles		
Item	2021	2022
Police Tows	857	1,093
<b>Total</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>1,093</b>

# Investigative Services Division

## Deputy Chief Guy Gilmore



The Investigative Services Deputy Chief is an appointed position and is responsible for command of the Investigative Services Division. An Investigative Services Captain is also assigned to this Division, who answers to the Deputy Chief

The Investigative Services Division is responsible for all follow-up criminal investigations of unsolved crimes reported in the field, and for investigation of special crimes. This division is traditionally known as a “plain clothes” division and is composed of the Criminal Investigation Section, the Organized Crime Unit, the Gang Task Force and the Tactical Services Unit. The Crime Scene Unit, the SCUBA Dive Team, the SWAT Team and the Honor Guard are also components of the Investigative Services Division.



# Criminal Investigation Section

The Criminal Investigation Section is responsible for the follow-up investigations of all felony arrests, juvenile and misdemeanor. These include murders, robberies, sexual assaults, assaults, burglaries, thefts, stole vehicles, financial crimes and criminal mischiefs, etc.

The Criminal Investigation Section is composed of five investigation units & two supporting units. These units are Misdemeanor, Property Crimes, Juvenile, Crimes Against Persons, and Financial Crimes. There are two support units; Criminal Intelligence & Crime Scene Unit. There are six sergeants and thirty detectives assigned to the section. There are twelve civilian personnel and two civilian supervisors.

## Crimes Against Persons Unit

The Crimes Against Persons Unit is responsible for the investigation of felony cases such as homicide, robbery, sexual assaults, and aggravated assaults and kidnapping. They also follow up on suicides and unattended deaths. The unit is staffed by six full time detectives. The case load for each detective is approximately 20-25 cases per month. One detective is assigned to "Cold Case" investigations in addition to regular cases.



In 2022 the Crimes against Person unit investigated (18) homicides, (1) officer involved shooting and (1) intoxication manslaughter (motor vehicle accident). The following cases are pending toxicology results and will be filed in the near future. (1) Homicide (fentanyl), (2) intoxication manslaughter and (1) manslaughter . 15 of the homicides have been solved resulting in the arrest of 14 different individuals. Cold Case Detective Laughlin actively worked on 19 cold cases and cleared/closed three of these cases and submitted one for grand jury review, bringing closure to the families involved.

## Property Crimes Unit

The Property Crimes Unit is staffed with one sergeant and seven detectives. Two investigators are responsible for investigation of auto thefts and unauthorized use of motor vehicles. One investigator is responsible for the pawn / second-hand dealer detail. The four remaining detectives are responsible for the follow-up investigation of all burglaries, felony thefts, and all other felony property crimes. The case load of the detectives is approximately 40 - 50 cases per detective per month. The Property Crimes Section detectives issued 260 at-large warrants, 45 evidentiary warrants and 67 in-jail arrests.

## **Misdemeanor Unit**

The Misdemeanor Unit is responsible for follow-up investigations of Class A & B misdemeanors, selected felony cases and missing persons. The Misdemeanor Unit receives approximately 200 cases weekly for review. The unit is staffed with five detectives and a sergeant. Misdemeanor detectives are responsible for investigating reported cases that are assigned and are responsible for the filing of all Misdemeanor “in-jail” cases from arrests made by patrol.

## **Juvenile Unit**

The Juvenile Unit is responsible for investigation of crimes against children, juvenile offenders and the tracking of sex offenders. This Unit investigates felony and misdemeanor crimes involving juveniles. The Unit is staffed by seven detectives and a Sergeant. Four investigators in this Unit work at Patsy’s House Children’s Advocacy Center, where they are part of a multi-disciplinary team along with CPS, the D.A.’s Office, and SANE nurses. One investigator works crimes committed by juvenile offenders and one investigator, in addition to his normal case load is assigned to the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force. The Unit also has an investigator that is responsible for tracking all registered sex offenders in the city.

## **Financial Crimes Unit**

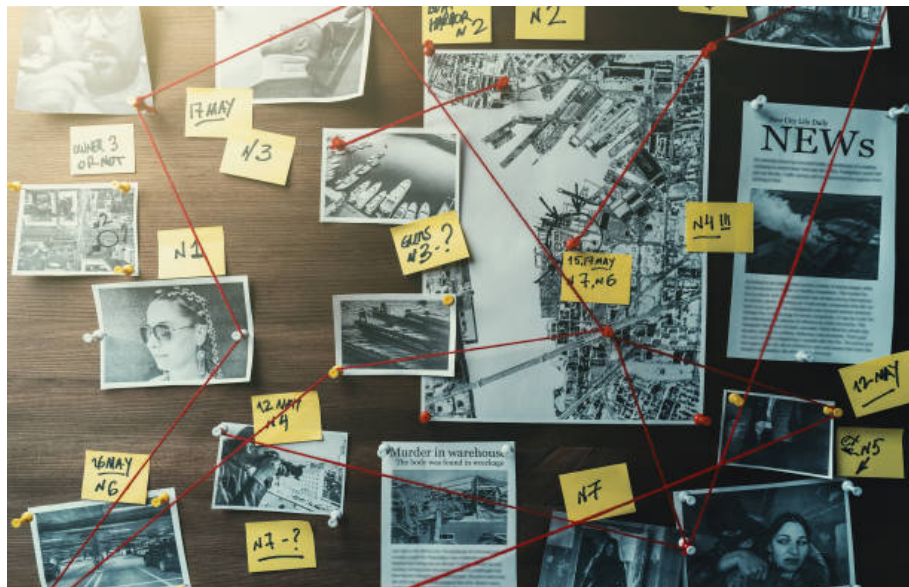
The Financial Crimes Unit is composed of four detectives and one sergeant. They investigate all manner of financial crimes such as identity theft, fraud, credit card abuse, embezzlement, counterfeiting, money laundering and computer crimes. The unit works hand-in-hand with federal agencies such as the Secret Service, Postal Inspection Service, and FBI. Two detectives are assigned to a Secret Service task force to assist in major cases. The monthly case load for this unit is approximately 30 cases per detective. The unit strives to educate the public on identify theft and other fraud related crimes by presenting programs throughout the year for different civic and public organizations. The unit has an in-house forensic lab manned by two Financial Crimes detectives who specialize in cellular phone and computer forensic exams after having received training and certification through the United States Secret Service.

# Intelligence Unit

The Intelligence Unit is comprised of one officer, two civilians, and a sergeant. This office serves as the intelligence center for the department. The Intelligence Unit is responsible for gathering, collating, and analyzing recorded and reported information concerning types of crime, identified criminals, and suspected criminal groups.

This office works cooperatively with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies, and is responsible for identifying problem areas, active offenders, and crime trends discovered through criminal intelligence and analysis. The intelligence unit officer serves as the anti-terrorism liaison for the department. He is a member of the Texas Oklahoma Criminal Investigators Association, the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Joint Terrorism Task Force, and regularly attends intelligence briefings in the area and throughout the state.

This unit presented twenty-six intelligence briefings & nine regional intelligence briefings during 2022. By using our intelligence led policing approach, resources are directed toward specific criminal activity, higher crime areas, and active offenders. This strategic and targeted approach to law enforcement allows for better resource allocation, crime disruption, and eventually crime reduction. The briefings help identify crime patterns and trends, which in turn develops strategies for dealing with problem areas and active offenders.





## Crime Scene Unit

The Crime Scene Unit (CSU) consists of five crime scene technicians, whose duties include responding to crime scenes 24 hours a day 7 days a week for crime scene documentation. Crime scene documentation includes, but is not limited to, photography, videography, diagramming, the collection, packaging, preservation and transportation of evidentiary items, and processing for latent prints.

The CSU also performs fingerprint and palm print comparisons. Crime scene technicians enter unknown latent fingerprints and palm prints into the Automated Fingerprint Identification System databases for the Texas Department of Public Safety and the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Crime scene technicians also provide expert testimony in crime scene and finger/palm print examination in Wichita County courts, courts for surrounding counties, as well as the federal judicial system. The CSU provides forensic support to other city, county, state and federal law enforcement agencies within a two-hour radius to include the FBI, ATF and Texas DPS. The CSU educates the public and provides training to law enforcement officers and new crime scene technicians concerning forensics, such as finger/palm print processing, and crime scene processing and documentation. The CSU must also stay informed regarding the latest scientific developments and court cases in the field of forensics to aid them on crime scenes, in the lab and in the courts.

# Crime Scene Statistics

Crime Scene Unit Statistics 2022	
	2022
Reports	582
Items of Evidence Collected	1665
Subpoenas Received	272
Work Orders	135
Calls	466
Training Hours	3,305.5
Maintenance Hours	1,371.25
Latent Comparison	7,074
Patrol SD Card Case Download	2,425
Case Photo Requests	1,801
Texas and Federal Latent Print Case Entries	141
Texas and Federal Latent Print Entries	246
Texas and Federal Latent Print Case Hit	31
Texas and Federal Latent Print Hit	38

# Special Operations Section



The Special Operations Section is composed of the Organized Crime Unit, the Tactical Unit, and the Gang Task Force. Each unit is uniquely specialized, but with similar and often overlapping responsibilities. Having these units under a single Special Operations umbrella allows for a unified effort and maximizes efficiency when the officers train and work together.

The Special Operations Section is responsible for gang suppression, gang intelligence, narcotic investigations, vice investigations, the execution of high-risk arrest/search warrants, SWAT assignments, and a variety of specialized operations. In 2022, the Special Operations Section focused heavily on targeting fentanyl users, dealers, and their supply networks. Members of the Special Operations Section provided training to local educational institutions and our local law enforcement partners relating to fentanyl. Federal Task Force Officers assigned to the Special Operations Section opened and filed numerous federal cases relating to fentanyl. Also, a total of 18 different 8-liner illegal gambling operations were targeted. These gambling operations are frequented by known and documented criminals. A large number of 8-liner machines and a large amount of US currency were seized during this operation.

This section also trains and coordinates the efforts of the police negotiators. The extensive training, ability to stay on a specific task for an extended period of time, and very flexible work schedule allow this section to meet a tremendous need. The section also supports other units within our department on an as-needed basis in special cases, supplies manpower for specialized events, and conducts undercover police operations. In 2022, SWAT had a total of 27 operations which included:

S.W.A.T. – Activities 2022	Total
High Risk Narcotic Search Warrants	18
Assists – Criminal Investigations	4
Barricaded or Suicidal Subjects	4
Assists of Outside Agencies with Dangerous Subjects	0
Protective/Security Operations	1



# Tactical Services Unit

The Tactical Unit is responsible for conducting surveillance and apprehending suspects involved in burglaries, thefts and other high profile crimes. The Tactical Unit often assists other units in the Criminal Investigations Section as well as other Special Operations units in their investigations. The unit consists of a Sergeant and four assigned Officers. Since its inception the unit has made numerous felony arrests, recovered stolen vehicles, stolen firearms, and recovered large amounts of stolen property taken in burglary and theft cases.

2022 Total Activity – Tact Unit	Total
Felony Arrests	93
Misdemeanor Arrests	20
Tracker Order Warrants	4
Outside Agency Assists	37
Vehicle Impound	12
Other Unit Assists	504
Surveillance Hours	3,984.5
Traffic / Pedestrian Stops	45
Criminal Targets	333
Citations	29
Search Warrants	17

2022 Items Seized – Tact Unit	Total
Currency	\$9,250
Firearms / Weapons Recovered	16
Vehicles Seized	8

# Gang Task Force

The WFPD Gang Task Force (GTF) is responsible for the identification and documentation of gang members, as well as performing interdiction duties to disrupt and prevent criminal street gang activity and crime within the community. The Gang Task Force was organized as a full-time unit in 2007 and is composed of a Sergeant, five full-time Officers, and K9 Lock.

The unit has taken the lead in enforcing court ordered gang injunctions that have resulted in the successful disruption of gang activity and discouraging members from associating and interacting with other gang members. The Gang Task Force identifies criminal gang members and their geographical locales along with associates and their interaction amongst each other and rival gangs. In turn, this proactive approach helps reduce violent crime, property crime, and narcotic distribution.

Although the main role of the Gang Task Force is deterring gang violence, the unit has transitioned into a multi-functional street crimes unit, taking on greater roles of intelligence gathering and fugitive apprehension. The Gang Task Force accomplishes this mission with a combination of no tolerance street-level enforcement, intel based proactive policing, and an insight of local gang membership and behavior. The Gang Task Force works closely with other units within the department to achieve such goals and accomplish the mission.

2022 Total Activity – Gang Unit	Total
Felony Arrests	196
Misdemeanor Arrests	144
Gang Injunction Arrests	3
Outside Agency Assists	59 hrs
Vehicle Impound	35
Gang Contacts	32
Other Unit Assists	142 hrs
Surveillance Hours	746 hrs
Traffic / Pedestrian Stops	162
Citations	97
Phone Warrants	6
Search Warrants	12

2022 Items Seized – Gang Unit	Total
Marijuana	144.8 oz
Methamphetamine	1,073 g
Cocaine / Crack	81.3 g
THC wax/liquid	1,030 g
Fentanyl	281.1 g
Heroin	20 g
Currency	\$10,111
Firearms / Weapons Seized	31
Vehicles Seized	10

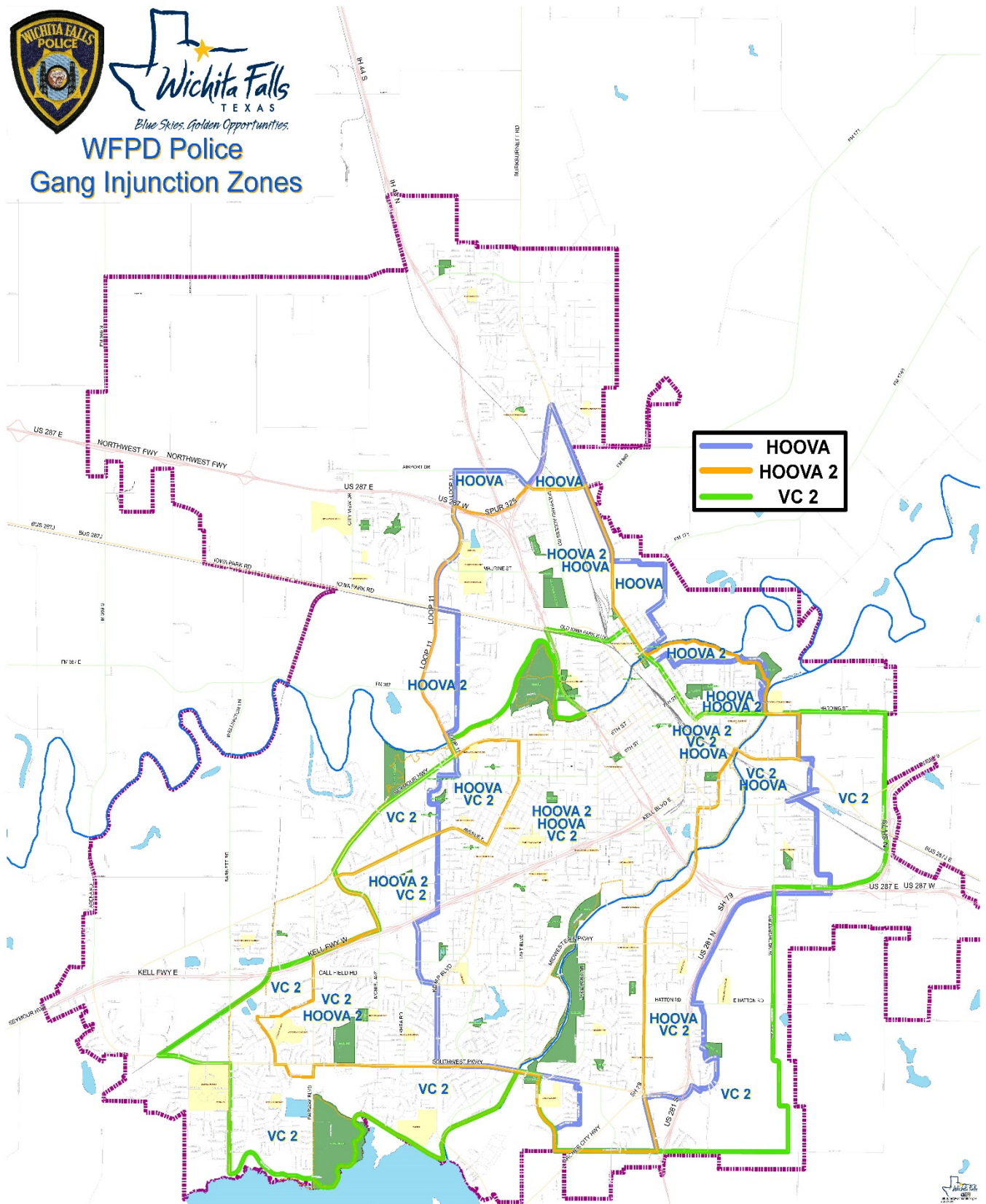
## Wichita Falls Gang Injunctions

As of December 31, 2022, the City of Wichita Falls has implemented six gang injunctions over the last 15 years. There are still three gang injunctions currently in operation (VC #2, Hoova #1, Hoova #2). The Hoova #1 gang Injunction was implemented in February of 2011. The VC #2 gang injunction was implemented in 2014. The most recent gang injunction, Hoova Crip #2, was implemented in December 2018. There are currently 18 total defendants still active on the various injunctions.

Crime in the neighborhoods that make up the various gang injunction zones has been significantly reduced since the injunctions have taken effect.



# WFPD Police Gang Injunction Zones



## 2022 K-9 Stats

K-9 Lock was acquired by the Wichita Falls Police Department in early 2021. Officer Bartow is the K-9 Handler and works with Lock on a daily basis. Officer Bartow returned from training with Lock in February 2021 and he went into service near the end of that month.

Lock is a Belgian Malinois. He was imported from Poland by Southern State K-9 in Petal, Mississippi. Southern State K-9 trained and certified him in narcotics detection. He was imprinted on marijuana, cocaine, methamphetamine and heroin. Southern State K-9 also trained and certified him in tracking/trailing. After Officer Bartow completed training with him in Mississippi they were certified as a canine team. They continue to certify yearly by two independent third party nationally recognized law enforcement canine organizations (United States Police Canine Association – USPCA and the National Police Canine Association – NPCA)

Lock is assigned to the Gang Task Force but is utilized department wide. Lock has assisted multiple other units within the department to include OCU, TACT, PATROL, and CIS for article searches. Lock has also conducted vehicle sniffs for outside agencies. Lock's stats for 2022 are as follows. The seizure and arrest numbers include only those made possible by a positive alert from Lock.



2022 Total Activity – K9 Items Seized	Total
Cash	\$2,473
Firearms	3
Marijuana	3.1 oz
THC/Wax	411.5 g
Methamphetamine	106.36 g
Fentanyl and Other Misc Pills	129 dosage units

2022 Total Activity -- K9 Activity	Total
Handler Initiated Stops	56
Handler Issued Citations	40
School / Civic Demos	12
Narcotic Detection Deployments	39
Tracking / Article Search Deployments	8
Canine Deployments for other WFPD Units	23
Felony Arrests	13
Misdemeanor Arrests	7
Obedience Training Hours	15



# Organized Crime Unit

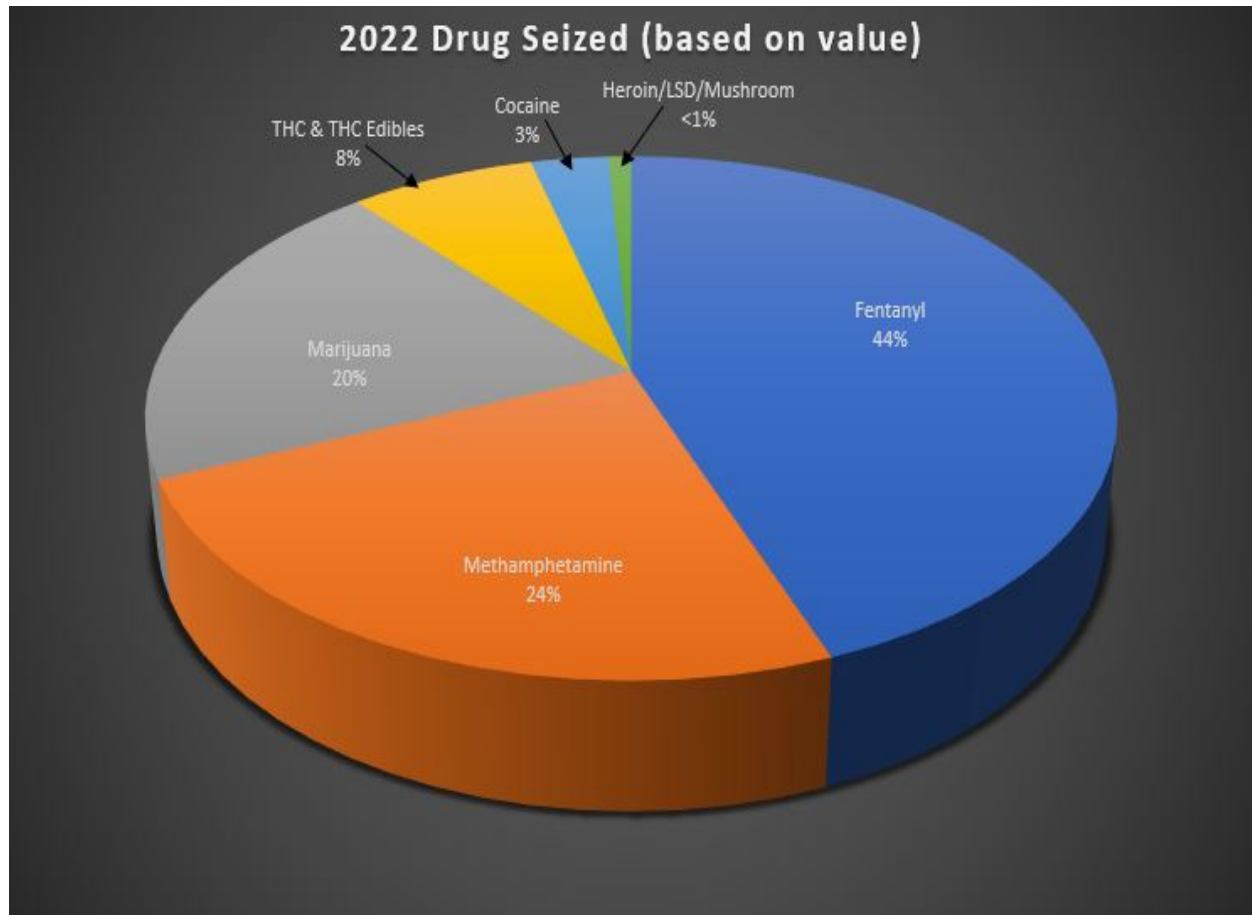
The Organized Crime Unit is responsible for narcotics, vice, organized crime investigations within the city of Wichita Falls. This involves the filing of all the departmental drug related cases, undercover operations, surveillance, reversals, drug buys, and buy-bust types of cases. In addition, they investigate prostitution, gambling, and organized crime problems in the city. Members have received highly specialized training in the investigation and handling of labs, and a majority are lab-certified. In 2022 there were 20 WFPD drug/gun cases indicted in the federal courts. The WFPD filed 580 drug related cases with the District Attorney's Office. The Unit started placing information into the NIBIN system through ATF TFO's. There were approximately casings from 60 cases and received 4 leads to crimes were committed with the firearm that was tested.

Organized Crime Unit – Involvements 2022	Total
Misdemeanor Drug Arrest	11
Felony Drug Arrest	53
Felony Non-Narcotic Arrests	18
Search Warrants	79



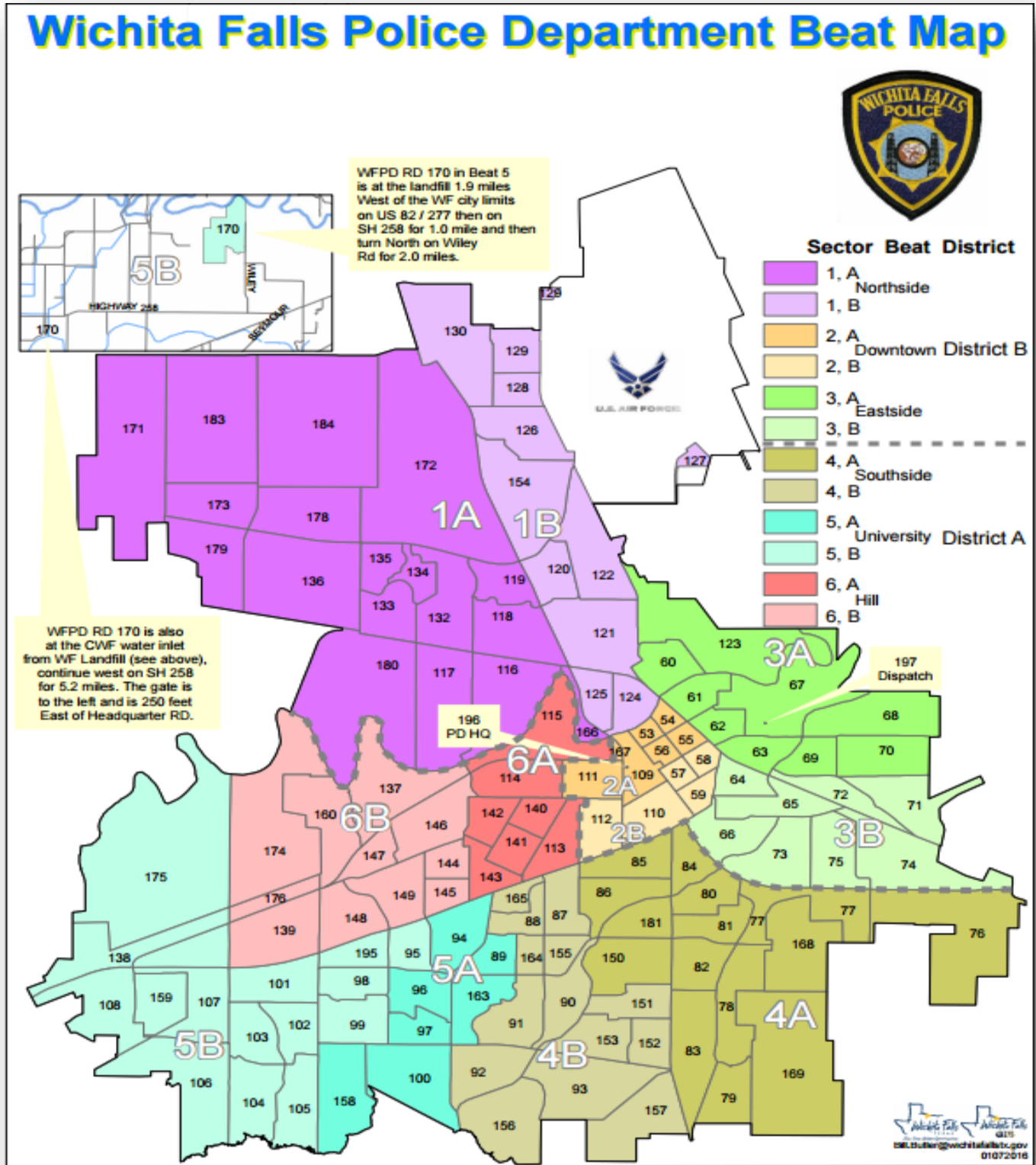
### OCU Seized Cash, Guns & Drugs 2022

Item	Amount	Value
Cocaine	70.8 grams	\$7,080
Methamphetamine	1,588.2 grams	\$55,587
Heroin	.4 grams	\$40
Fentanyl	6,000 pills	\$102,000
THC & THC Edibles	447 grams	\$17,000
Marijuana	4,643.3 grams	\$46,433
Psilocybin Mushrooms	17.2 grams	\$430
LSD	3 units	\$60
Money	\$906,878	\$906,878
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$1,135,508</b>



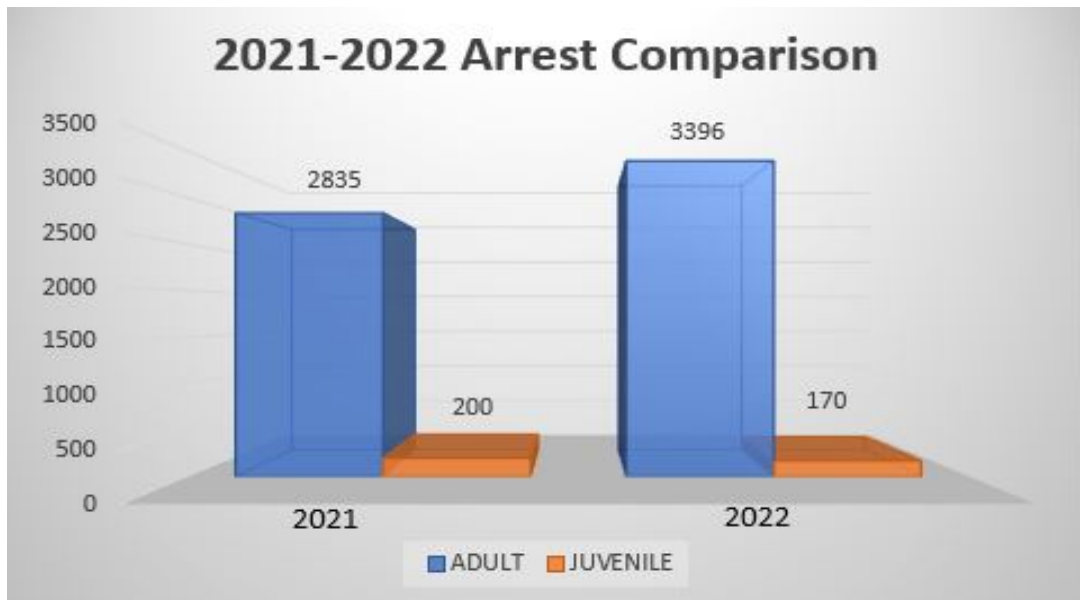


# City of Wichita Falls Beat Map



Beat 1- Northside / Beat 2- Downtown / Beat 3- Eastside  
Beat 4- Southside / Beat 5- University / Beat 6 - Hill

# Arrests



**Note:** According to the Criminal Investigation Section’s juvenile sergeant, as of January 2000 runaway arrests are no longer entered in the Records Management System’s arrest file. The Wichita County Commissioner’s Court ruled juvenile runaways are not to be arrested, nor handled by the Wichita County Juvenile Detention Center. Runaways are to be transported to the Teen Shelter by law enforcement personnel.

# NIBRS Year End Reporting Totals for Crimes

Crimes Against Person	2021	2022
<b>One count per Victim</b>		
Murder & Non-Negligent Manslaughter	10	12
Manslaughter By Negligence	2	4
Justifiable Homicide	2	0
Kidnapping/Abduction	17	23
Sexual Assault	82	78
Sodomy	25	29
Sexual Assault With An Object	21	6
Fondling	43	47
Aggravated Assault	416	303
Simple Assault	1,734	1,409
Threat	827	700
Incest	2	0
<b>Crimes Against Property</b>		
<b>One Count Per NIBRS Code Per Incident</b>		
Robbery	55	52
Arson	2	0
Extortion/Blackmail	3	19
Burglary Breaking and Entering	657	514
Purse Snatching	4	16
Shoplifting	467	482
Theft From Buildings	433	450
Theft From Coin – Operated Machine or Device	18	13
Theft From Motor Vehicle	501	422
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories	119	150
All Other Larceny	690	638
Forgery/Counterfeiting	158	176
False Pretense/Swindle/Confidence Game	358	228
Fraud Credit Card/Automated Teller Machine Fraud	229	244
Impersonation	1	2
Wire/Computer/Other Electronic Manipulation	0	1
Identity Theft	289	209
Hacking/Computer Invasion	1	8
Embezzlement	32	57
Stolen Property Offense (Receiving, ETC)	0	15
Destructive/Damage/Vandalism of Property	1,099	869
Bribery	0	1

<b>Stolen Vehicles with 240 Code</b>		
Count one per Vehicle		
Motor Vehicle Theft	411	303
<b>Crimes Against Society</b>		
Case Number		
Drug/Narcotic Violation	610	611
Drug Equipment Violations	36	43
Pornography/Obscene Material	18	19
Betting and Wagering	0	20
Prostitution	0	2
Purchasing Prostitution	1	1
Weapon Law Violations	196	156
Animal Cruelty	7	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,576</b>	<b>8,343</b> <b>(12.9 % decrease)</b>

In January 2021, the Wichita Falls Police Department switched from a Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program to a National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS) for criminal activity. The NIBRS reporting system provides a greater specificity in reporting offenses, collects more detailed information, helps give context to specific crime problems & provides a greater analytic flexibility according to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. For more information about the new reporting system, please visit:

<https://www.fbi.gov/services/cjis/ucr/nibrs>

# 2022 Police Awards

## Meritorious Conduct Bar



Officer Hayden King  
Officer Scott Stoecklein  
Officer Danny Saravane  
Officer Casey Kirkpatrick  
Officer Kaleb Littleton  
Sgt. Brett Keith

## Life Saving Award and Bar



Officer Kyler McKinley  
Officer Jeremy Miser  
Officer Taylor Shoffit  
Officer Kevin Castro  
Officer Cody Klasse  
Officer Jeff Willimas  
Officer Chad Grace  
Officer Scott Stoecklein x 2  
Officer Brian Rhoden  
Officer Caleb Hopkins  
Officer Humberto Moreno  
Sgt. Walter Vanderburg  
Officer Eric Good  
Officer Hector Barron  
Lt. Deanna Tofte  
Officer Joshua Haisten  
Officer Blake Mawson  
Officer Steven Pinkstaff  
Officer Camron Snyder  
Officer Tyler Allison  
Officer Donald Everett

**Purple Heart**



**Cpt. Larry King (Retired)**  
**Sgt. Charles Bartosh (Retired)**  
**Officer David Ball (Served 1974-1979)**

**Certificate of Merit**



**Officer Christopher Newell**  
**Officer Charles Roberts**  
**Officer Jeff Williams**  
**Sgt. Michael Poirot**

**Certificate of Police Excellence and Bar**



**Officer Chad Grace**  
**Officer Humberto Moreno**  
**Officer Krystal Basten**  
**Officer Colby Preston**  
**Officer Robert Jones**  
**Officer Caleb Hopkins**  
**Officer Camron Snyder**  
**Officer Blake Mawson**  
**Officer Kylar McKinley**  
**Officer Kyle Panter**  
**Officer Steven Pinkstaff**  
**Officer Caleb Hopkins**  
**Officer Cody Klasse**  
**Officer Carlos Ruiz**  
**Officer Ethan Olds**  
**Officer Sandy Lamb**  
**Officer Corey LaPlante**

**Certificate of Civic Achievement**



**Officer Hector Barron**