



COMMISSIONERS COURT COMMUNICATION

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**SUBJECT: RECEIVE AND FILE THE 2022 RACIAL PROFILING DATA FROM
THE TARRANT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court receive and file the 2022 Racial Profiling Data from the Tarrant County Sheriff's Office.

BACKGROUND

The 77th Legislature for the State of Texas enacted Senate Bill 1074 which mandated that law enforcement agencies implement specific policies and procedures to prevent racial profiling by certain peace officers. The Sheriff's Office has implemented a process to compile and analyze data from traffic stops as stipulated in Senate Bill 1074. On December 18, 2021, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #86841 approved the Tarrant County Profiling Policy.

In accordance with Senate Bill 1074, the Tarrant County Sheriff's Office has attached the following documents: Racial Profiling Data with tables on the numbers of stops and contacts in 2022; a Comparative Analysis of the number of licensed individuals in Tarrant County based upon most recent drivers' license data from the Texas Department of Public Safety and most recent available population estimates from the U.S. Census Bureau; a copy of the Tarrant County Racial Profiling Policy approved by the Commissioners Court on December 18, 2001; and a copy of the Web page on the Sheriff's Office web site that outlines the process to file complaints about Racial Profiling.

The Tarrant County Sheriff's Office received no reports or complaints of Deputies engaging in racial profiling in 2022. Internally, the Sheriff's Office will continue to review the racial profiling data entered by individual Deputies.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

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