



# CRIME STOPPERS OF HOUSTON

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# CRIME STOPPERS OF HOUSTON

## Who We Are

### WELCOME TO CRIME STOPPERS .....

Through active partnerships and collaborations, citizen empowerment and educational outreach, Crime Stoppers of Houston is leading the Bayou City and State of Texas with innovative crime prevention programming to keep our communities safe. Established in the early 1980's as solely a Tip Line Program, Crime Stoppers now offers a robust public safety program that is reaching millions each year.

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### TIP LINE PROGRAM: (713) 222-TIPS .....

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In 2022, the Tip Line received **10,787** tips and assisted in solving **401** cases including **23** murders, **82** assaultive offenses and **96** burglary/robbery/theft cases.

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<b>Cases Solved</b>	380	401	36,548
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### SAFE SCHOOL INSTITUTE (SSI) .....

The Safe School Institute is a FREE year-round one-stop center for all aspects of school safety. It works to keep schools safe by creating a proactive dialogue with students, parents, school staff and law enforcement about personal and school safety and by providing students with a safe and anonymous way to report crime and violations of the student code of conduct on campus.

In 2022, we offered FREE virtual presentations that reached **82,571** students.

	2021	2022	Since 1997
<b>Campus Cases Solved</b>	6	2	1,973
<b>Campus Rewards Paid</b>	\$650	\$200	\$287,630
<b>Seized Drugs / Stolen Property</b>	\$175	\$23	\$156,490
<b>Weapons Removed</b>	0	1	284
<b>Students Reached</b>	85,409	82,571	1,523,445
<b>Safe School Presentations</b>	879	857	6,394 ('14-'22)

### SAFE COMMUNITY INSTITUTE (SCI) .....

The Safe Community Institute identifies crime affecting our city and takes profound steps to prevent crime before it occurs. Through citizen empowerment and education, Crime Stoppers ensures the community understands crime trends and prevention tactics.

In 2022, the Safe Community Institute reached **151,061** parents and community members through our community presentations.

	2021	2022
<b>Parents &amp; Community Reached</b>	110,402	151,061
<b>Digital Content Reached</b>	4,735,135	3,586,427
<b>Podcast Episodes</b>	30	17
<b>Podcast Streaming</b>	709,972	21,525
<b>Citizen Building Use</b>	1,817	4,045

*Social media reach reflects new Meta reporting.*



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## STATEWIDE EXPANSION .....

On May 30, 2018, Governor Greg Abbot unveiled his multifaceted "School and Firearm Safety Action Plan" in response to the Santa Fe High School shooting that occurred on May 18, 2018. His Action Plan includes expanding campus Crime Stoppers programs statewide. As the largest Crime Stoppers organization in the country, the Texas Criminal Justice Division asked Crime Stoppers of Houston to roll out our Safe School Program to as many Crime Stoppers organizations across the state – reaching approximately 1,800 school districts.

In response, we are committed to sharing our program, training stakeholders, developing curriculum, and engaging the community so that every Crime Stoppers organization operating within the State of Texas can offer their local schools and their entire community the same life-saving tools and resources we have here.



The **SAVE (Safety Awareness. Valuable Education) webinar project** was created in June of 2020 in partnership with the Texas Education Agency (TEA) with the purpose to inform, educate and provide resources on many topics that concern safety of schools and community. As of 2022, through this platform we have been able to reach **2,147** people statewide with our S.A.V.E. webinars via Zoom.



In 2022, we held **4** trainings to educate and inform Crime Stoppers organizations, law enforcement, school based law enforcement and ISDs. Since 2018, we've reached **248** Crime Stoppers groups/affiliates and others across Texas, **31** Crime Stoppers groups/affiliates from around the USA and internationally, and will continue to host quarterly trainings moving forward.

## GET INVOLVED .....

Due to the generous support of individuals, corporations, and foundations, we are Houston's top non-profit that keeps you safe every day. Join us in ensuring a safe and prosperous future for our City!

**Corporate Sponsorship:** Your company can take a public stand against crime by becoming a corporate partner. Opportunities include tax-deductible gifts, in-kind donations, program sponsorships, event sponsorships and more.

**Individual Donation:** Make a tax-deductible gift to support crime-solving and crime-prevention programs that keep Houstonians safe, educated, and empowered.

**Young Professionals Group (YPG):** Help raise awareness about our crime prevention efforts among your professional colleagues. Members have access to networking and social events, leadership development and the opportunity to personally invest in the largest Crime Stoppers organization in the world.

**Host Your Own Event:** Introduce your community to all that Crime Stoppers of Houston has to offer. Our staff is prepared to walk you through the event-planning process. All you have to do is have a vision, invite friends, and underwrite the event. Event ideas include luncheons, cocktail parties, birthday fundraisers, or partnering with a local business or boutique. Email Paige Hollek at [phollek@crime-stoppers.org](mailto:phollek@crime-stoppers.org) for details.

**Volunteer:** We are always looking for volunteers! We can use your help in the following areas: assembling or distributing Child ID Kits, attending outreach fairs on behalf of Crime Stoppers, helping at community events, Gala or Luncheon, and other special projects. Email Joshua Webb at [jwebb@crime-stoppers.org](mailto:jwebb@crime-stoppers.org) for more information!



### JOIN THE PUBLIC SAFETY CONVERSATION

**Subscribe** to the Crime Stoppers of Houston newsletter to receive monthly safety tips, current events and crime-stopping news! You can follow us on **Twitter** (@crimestophou), **Facebook** (@crimestoppersofhouston), **Instagram** (@crimestoppersofhouston, @thebalancedvoicepodcast, @theraniareport), **YouTube** and **LinkedIn**.





# 2022 PREVENTION STATISTICS

## SAFE COMMUNITY INSTITUTE

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	YTD
Number of Citizens Utilizing CS Building	712	910	939	1,484	<b>4,045</b>
Number of Community Outreach Events	5	13	10	8	<b>36</b>
Number of Community Presentations*	71	55	66	78	<b>270</b>
Number of Schools Visited**	52	17	13	33	<b>96</b>
Potential Reached Via Community Outreach	30,545	169,319	33,680	52,237	<b>285,781</b>
People Reached Via Community Presentations	108,672	23,085	8,335	11,754	<b>151,846</b>
Number of Victims Served (via advocacy and tip line)	315	278	580	491	<b>1,664</b>
Potential Reach Via Social Media and Marketing Outreach	Pulled at the end of the year*				<b>3,586,427</b>
Podcast Episodes + Leadership Series	7	5	0	5	<b>17</b>
Podcast Views + Audio (FB, YouTube, Show Notes, Audio Downloads)	Numbers pulled continuously				<b>21,525</b>
Podcast Impressions (FB)	Numbers pulled continuously				<b>14,595</b>

## SAFE SCHOOL INSTITUTE

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	YTD
Number of Safe School Presentations	192	169	145	351	<b>857</b>
Number of Schools Visited**	61	43	38	121	<b>85</b>
Students Reached	18,775	14,580	9,664	39,552	<b>82,571</b>
School Staff/Law Enforcement Reached	1,359	1,243	1,921	2,790	<b>7,313</b>
Parents/Community Reached	2,867	2,304	4,804	829	<b>10,804</b>
Potential Reached Via Community Outreach	7,484	4,498	10,196	7,173	<b>29,351</b>

## MARKETING

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	YTD
Broadcast Reach	Pulled at the end of the year				<b>+42 million</b>
Website Views	78,088	81,443	89,402	78,908	<b>327,841</b>
Email Marketing Reach	221,929	66,955	143,424	199,892	<b>632,200</b>
Media Engagements***	63	34	41	32	<b>170</b>
Press Releases	85	80	74	78	<b>317</b>

\* This number includes presentations, trainings and seminars throughout the year

\*\* There may be duplication in the number of schools visited across both programs and / or multiple visits throughout the year

\*\*\* This number might change as more media is discovered

\*Social media reach reflect new Meta reporting.

Current as of 1/1/2023



# PUBLIC SAFETY BLOCK

## OPENED 2017

In January 2017, Crime Stoppers of Houston opened the doors to its first-ever home, The Dave Ward Building, Crime Stoppers of Houston, providing the answer to all things public safety and crime prevention and standing as the hub for all crime trends, tips and tactics.

The facility houses a community center where citizens, non-profits, students and faculty, law enforcement agencies and community partners convene for educational purposes, a victim's family room for controlled media interviews and law enforcement case meetings, a state-of-the-art press conference room, program offices that deliver direct crime prevention services to the community, and a Law Enforcement Detail Office to house the Tip Line Program.

## BUILDING IMPACT:

- From 2017-2022, over 28,011 citizens have walked through our doors.
- Since opening its doors, 585 community partners were hosted at the Crime Stoppers Building.
- In 2022, 4,045 citizens utilized the building.\*



## MEMORIAL GARDEN

The first Harris County Officers Memorial Garden, dedicated in tribute to the fallen Peace Officers of Harris County opened in May 2017. Crime Stoppers of Houston is honored that this sacred place forever stand with Crime Stoppers Building. The garden will welcome any and all who wish to honor the fallen who have given the ultimate sacrifice in the protection of the residents of Harris County.



# 2023 LEADERSHIP

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*\*as of September 2023*





# LEADING WOMEN for PUBLIC SAFETY

Leading Women for Public Safety is a society of women in the Greater Houston Area who care deeply about public safety and work in tandem with Crime Stoppers of Houston to ensure safety for all. Together, through education and advocacy on critical public safety issues, LWPS hopes to make a positive impact for all families, homes, schools, businesses, neighborhoods and communities in Houston and across Texas.



If you would like to get more information or to get involved, please scan the QR code.

## Why join LWPS?

- Support public safety programs and initiatives that keep our communities safe.
- Be part of a group of women who work together to find solutions to public safety issues affecting our City.
- Access to private Facebook group for LWPS, a place where the latest crime trends and hot topics are shared.
- Stay informed with Crime Stoppers community newsletters.
- Receive invitations to community events, webinars, Crime Stoppers Annual Awards Luncheon and Gala
- And most importantly - *make a difference in our communities!*

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Crime has risen to the point where many friends, family and coworkers do not feel safe in our community. Many of us know people in the Houston area that have been victimized; many are being targeted and the number of those victimized has reached a level that we can no longer ignore. These crimes are committed against people, homes and businesses. There is no logical reason to allow habitual and potentially violent criminals to terrorize our community!

Crime Stoppers of Houston works diligently every day to solve crime through the Tip Line program and offers an array of free crime prevention programming. As co-chairs of LWPS we are looking forward to providing a unique opportunity to engage in solutions. Join us!



# 2023 OPERATING BUDGET

## DIRECT OPERATING REVENUES

Corporations / Foundations	480,000
Government	158,000
Individual Donations	169,600
Investment Income	19,680
Memberships	2,250
Rewards Income	0
Special Event Income	1,205,250

## 2023 OPERATING BUDGET

### Total Revenues

**2,034,780**

## DIRECT OPERATING EXPENSES

Facility Expenses	35,977
General & Administrative	29,366
Insurance	11,354
Marketing	3,226
Professional Fees	64,422
Program Expenses	1,580,237
Salaries & Benefits	104,690
Special Event Expense	554,011

### Total Expenses

**2,383,283**

## NET FROM OPERATIONS

**(348,503)\***

\* Includes restricted funds for reward payouts



# 2023 TIP LINE BUDGET

## DIRECT TIP LINE EXPENSES

Advertising & Public Awareness	8,500
Crime Stoppers App	500
Mileage / Tolls / Parking	0
Multimedia / AV	5,000
Promo & Printed Materials	2,500
Law Enforcement Support	
Crime Report Software	3,780
Household Drivers Report	150
Telephones & Internet	3,036
Tip Line Answering Service	23,400
Training & Appreciation	250
Supplies	900
Rewards Paid	360,000
Rewards Unclaimed	(87,545)
20% to CS Operating	0
7% to Baytown Crime Stoppers	0
Investment Mgt Fees	1,000
Salaries / Benefits	55,518

Direct Program Expenses	376,989
Indirect Program Expenses	36,511
<b>TOTAL PROGRAM EXPENSES</b>	<b>413,500</b>

## 2023 TIP LINE BUDGET





# 2023 SAFE COMMUNITY INSTITUTE BUDGET

DIRECT PROGRAM EXPENSES	Safe Community Program	Victim Services	Research Center	Podcast	2023 SCI BUDGET
Advertising & Public Awareness	7,500	-	-	15,000	22,500
Community Outreach Events	32,100	3,500	1,500	2,500	39,600
Dues & Subscriptions	500	1,050	4,200	500	6,250
Mileage / Tolls / Parking	13,000	10,000	-	-	23,000
Multimedia / AV	5,280	7,500	3,000	3,000	18,780
Printed Materials / Graphics	55,250	3,900	5,000	2,550	66,700
Program Development	8,600	11,000	20,600	500	40,700
Promo Materials	11,500	-	-	750	12,250
Supplies	1,500	2,800	1,500	500	6,300
Program Specialist	-	20,000	-	-	20,000
Salaries / Benefits	222,413	102,408	129,808	-	454,629
<b>Direct Program Expenses</b>	<b>357,643</b>	<b>162,158</b>	<b>165,608</b>	<b>25,300</b>	<b>710,709</b>
Indirect Program Expenses	52,739	32,455	24,341	-	109,535
<b>TOTAL PROGRAM EXPENSES</b>	<b>410,382</b>	<b>194,613</b>	<b>189,949</b>	<b>25,300</b>	<b>820,244</b>





# 2023 SAFE SCHOOL INSTITUTE BUDGET

## DIRECT SSI PROGRAM EXPENSES

## 2023 SSI BUDGET

Adv & Public Awareness	3,000
Dues and Subscriptions	200
Mileage / Tolls / Parking	5,500
Multimedia / AV	3,400
Printed / Promo Materials	44,500
Program Development	9,600
Supplies	1,000
WiFi	3,000
Salaries / Benefits	223,550
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<b>Direct Program Expenses</b>	293,750
Indirect Program Expenses	52,739
<b>TOTAL PROGRAM EXPENSES</b>	<hr/> <hr/> <b>346,489</b>

# TIP LINE PROGRAM

## An Anonymous Reporting Tool

### ABOUT THE TIP LINE PROGRAM

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Publicizes Cases



Offers Cash Rewards



100% Anonymous



Operates 24/7

### HOW IT WORKS

The Tip Line offers cash rewards to anonymous citizens who provide tips to help solve unsolved crimes and locate wanted fugitives in the Greater Houston Area. Crime Stoppers may pay a cash reward of up to \$5,000 on all felony crimes that happen in the Greater Houston/Harris County area. The only requirement is you must report your tip directly to Crime Stoppers by calling (713) 222-TIPS (8477), going online to [crime-stoppers.org](https://crime-stoppers.org) or by using the Crime Stoppers mobile app.



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TYPE OF CRIME	2021	2022	Since Inception
Capital Murder	8	6	481
Murder/Manslaughter/Attempted	15	17	703
Assaultive Offensives	77	82	1,312
Auto Theft/UUMV	7	6	1,612
Burglary - Business or Habitation	22	7	2,484
Robbery	44	56	4,681
Theft	28	27	1,741
Narcotics	32	60	4,744
Sex Crimes - Children	14	11	561 (combined)
Sex Crimes - Adults	3	1	



## THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

Crime Stoppers may pay a cash reward of up to \$5,000 on all felony crimes that happen in the Greater Houston/Harris County area. Here are things you should know about our Tip Line:



- To be eligible for a cash reward, you must report your tip directly to Crime Stoppers of Houston.
- Crime Stoppers will never ask you for your name, phone number, address, or any other information that could identify you. We do not record phone calls or have caller ID. No one will know you called us unless you tell them.
- Once you give us your tip, you will be given a code number. This is the only way Crime Stoppers can identify you. Crime Stoppers cannot call you with the status because we don't ask for your phone number. You need to remember this number and provide it when you call back to check the status of your tip.
- When you call back with your code number we will let you know if your tip helped law enforcement arrest or charge a felony suspect/fugitive. If it did, you may be eligible for a cash reward and will give you instructions on how to retrieve your cash reward. You will not be asked to show any ID.

## MEDIA PARTNERSHIPS

Crime Stoppers assists law enforcement by publicizing unsolved cases, highlighting wanted fugitives, and coordinating press conferences.



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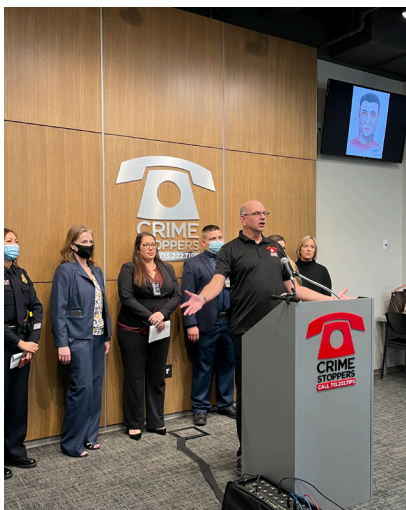
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## MISSING PERSONS

Crime Stoppers offers cash rewards in missing persons cases when an investigator has determined that foul play is involved and/or in cases where a minor (16 or younger) has run away with a person that is 18 or older. A common example of the latter is a minor being lured away from a parent or legal guardian for sex trafficking.



# TIP LINE SIGNIFICANT CASES

## 2015 HIGHLIGHTS .....

- **September 2015 - Bank Robberies by “Bandaged Bandit”** - The string of robberies, which occurred at various locations, usually inside a grocery store, started around August 2015 and continued into September 2015. The suspect was dubbed the “Bandaged Bandit” by the FBI because of the distinctive bandage he wore on his right hand during each crime. The FBI, in partnership with Crime Stoppers, distributed a press release resulting in media coverage.

On September 3, 2015, a call from a tipster provided the identity of the “Bandaged Bandit”. The tipster informed the call center that the suspect was previously dubbed the “Whispering Bank” by the FBI and that he was apprehended nearly two years ago for the same type of robberies. This information was then forwarded to the FBI Bank Robbery Task Force and on September 14, 2015, the suspect was arrested following a short police chase.

- **October 2015 - Injury to a Child** - Crime Stoppers assisted law enforcement to locate and arrest a fugitive who severely injured a 10-month old baby causing him life-altering mental and physical impairment. On October 15, Crime Stoppers held a press conference featuring fugitive Joe Benny Salazar resulting in media coverage on this disturbing case. A day after the press conference, we received a tip that the suspect accused of crushing the baby’s skull had been seen with the child’s mother and could be located with her. Investigators followed up on that tip and found them together at the victim’s mother’s apartment. Authorities not only apprehended this violent criminal off our streets, but also charged and arrested the child’s mother for harboring and hiding this fugitive from law enforcement.
- **October 2015 - “The Construction Worker Bandit”** - Between the first week of September 2015 and the middle of October 2015, four banks were robbed by a suspect the FBI later dubbed, “The Construction Worker Bandit”. During each of the robberies, the suspect did not produce a weapon, but provided the teller with a life-threatening note. On October 22, 2015, a tipster called the Crime Stoppers call center with an urgent tip regarding a serial bank robber. The tipster reported that the suspect was a passenger in a moving vehicle at that very moment and a unit was

immediately dispatched. Upon stopping the vehicle on traffic, the suspect was identified and found to be in possession of a stolen pistol. As a result, he was taken in custody and later positively identified as the suspect who committed the string of bank robberies.

- **December 2015 - Elderly Abuse by Theft** - On March 11, 2011, this female suspect and a male came in contact with an elderly female and convinced her that her vehicle needed repairs. The victim was then taken to a bank where she withdrew a large sum of money for the repairs. The suspects then intimidated the victim and coerced her into purchasing two Rolex watches for them using her credit card. Charges were filed on the female suspect for her involvement in stealing from the elderly victim.

Nearly two years later, on February 9, 2013, this same suspect came to officers’ attention after a caller advised them that this suspect and her passenger were acting suspiciously at a business. When officers approached the suspect’s vehicle, the suspect attempted to evade arrest / detention in her vehicle. The suspect was stopped on traffic a short distance away and later charged with this offense also. On October 11, 2013, this suspect was charged with Bail Jumping when she failed to appear in the 339th District Court in answer to the two above charges.

On December 12, 2015, a tipster contacted the Crime Stoppers After-Hours Call Center and reported that this suspect was moving from motel to motel but was currently staying in the 2200 block of S. Wayside Dr. in Houston, TX. The information was forwarded to police and less than an hour later, the suspect was arrested without incident at the address provided by the tipster.

## 2016 HIGHLIGHTS .....

### **February 2016 - Bellaire Pizzeria Employee Killed in Robbery Attempt**

On Sunday, February 21, 2016, the Bellaire Police received a 911 call in regards to a possible robbery in progress at Reginellis Pizzeria at 5303 Bissonnet. Upon arrival, officers found Peter James Mielke, a 19-year-old employee of the pizzeria, had been shot and killed in a robbery attempt. The suspect shot Mielke several times after Mielke could not open the cash register. The suspect then left calmly without any cash



or property. He was last seen walking southbound on Ferris Street.

Crime Stoppers, with support of local media, assisted the Bellaire Police Department by hosting a press conference to announce an increased reward to help identify and locate the suspect responsible for this senseless crime. Five days after the Crime Stoppers press conference the suspect was identified and arrested.

- **February 2016 - Parking Lot Robbery** - On November 28, 2015, a female accompanied by her young child parked her vehicle when two suspects approached to rob her. One of them pointed a pistol at her stomach and demanded her property, while the other one searched and looked for valuables. The female begged the suspects not to harm her or her child. After taking what property they could find, both suspects ran off to a waiting vehicle. About a month later, a sketch of the suspect with the gun was constructed based on the victim's memory and was featured by local media outlets. On January 4, 2016, Crime Stoppers received a web tip providing the suspect's name, address and supporting pictures. The suspect was arrested on February 9, 2016.
- **April 2016 - Hit and Run of a three-year old boy** - On April 2, 2016, the suspect was operating a small red Chevy Cobalt and ran over a three-year old boy. Witnesses and video surveillance captured images of the suspect as he continued driving at a high rate of speed, dragging the child for approximately 140 feet. The suspect failed to stop and render aid to the child who was transported to an area hospital and treated for serious bodily injury. Local media outlets covered the story. On April 5, 2016, a tipster contacted the Crime Stoppers After-Hours Call Center providing the full name, physical description and cell phone number of the suspect. The tipster also advised the suspect panicked after the hit and run accident and had sold the vehicle. After following up on this information, the suspect confessed and was subsequently charged with this crime.
- **September 2016 - Man dressed as police officer robs woman in her driveway** - On Sunday, March 13, 2016, a woman arrived at her residence located at 600 block of Vincent St. in Houston, TX and was sitting inside her vehicle in the driveway when a white pick-up truck pulled in front of her. A man stepped out dressed as a police officer and asked her for her identification. She did not believe he was a police officer and refused to comply. He then pointed a handgun directly in her face and demanded her purse. Again, she refused. He then used a large "police-style" flashlight and struck her on her jaw causing her mouth to bleed. The man then entered her vehicle, took her purse and fired one shot into the vehicle. He then fled the location. HPD's Robbery Division sketch artist created a sketch of him that was disseminated to local media outlets via Crime Stoppers.

On Thursday, September 1, 2016, a tipster called the Crime Stoppers tip line and provided identifying and

other specific information regarding where police could locate the suspect in this case. The information was sent to the assigned investigators. He was later arrested and charged due to this information. Additionally, upon execution of the warrant, officers recovered \$8,000.00 cash, a Sprint cell phone, LG cell phone, Alcatel cell phone, 64 GB Apple iPad, 5 SD cards, and a stolen Luger 9mm semi-automatic handgun.

- **December 2016 - Victim on Metro bus assaulted for trying to stop man who was harassing two young female passengers** - On Monday, November 21, 2016, at approximately 3:30 pm, the victim in this case was riding a Metro bus to work in the 3500 block of Hardy St. in Houston, TX when he observed someone harassing two young female passengers also riding the bus. The person repeatedly attempted to inappropriately touch the girls and ignored their demands to leave them alone. The victim intervened and asked the man to leave the girls alone. The man became angry and confrontational. A verbal exchange ensued and the man threw a punch striking the victim in the face. Medical reports revealed the victim sustained several shattered bone fragments in his left eye and cheek area as well as severe nerve damage to the left side of his face. Doctors further advised that a future blow in this area could possibly lead to death. This story was immediately featured on local media along with a video/photo of the suspect in an attempt to generate leads.

On November 22, 2016, a tipster contacted Crime Stoppers through the Crime Stoppers Mobile App and provided the name of the suspect in this case. This information was forwarded to the assigned investigator and on November 30, 2016, the suspect was positively identified and charged in this case due to the tipster's information. The suspect was arrested on December 2, 2016.

- **December 2016 - Murder of Ignacio Ortega and 4-year-old Ava Castillo** - On November 7, 2016, the suspects' crime spree started at the 15200 block of Buckle Lane, in Houston, Texas where Mr. Ignacio Ortega was confronted and fatally shot multiple times in an alley way. They then continued the crime spree on November 14, 2016, with the murder of 4-year old Ava Castillo during the senseless robbery of Ava's mother, Diana Gomez. This case was highly publicized due to the violent, heinous nature and blatant disregard for life exhibited by the unidentified suspects. On November 19, 2016, the suspects confronted two other victims in the 2100 block of Aldine Westfield Rd., in Harris County and demanded their valuables. The victims complied; however, one of the suspects physically assaulted one of the victims then shot the other victim in the head causing serious bodily injury.

On November 29, 2016, a tipster called the Crime Stoppers After-Hours Call Center and provided identifying information for one of the suspects responsible for fatally shooting 4-year old Ava Castillo. This information was forwarded to



HCSO's Homicide Division, and through further investigation and coordination with HPD Robbery Division investigators it was determined that the suspect identified by the tipster was involved in the aforementioned cases in the greater Houston area. This suspect was charged in one Capital Murder case. A second tipster provided the arrest location for this suspect. At the time of this suspect's arrest, he was accompanied by another suspect who was also arrested. Both suspects confessed and provided information implicating the others involved. The tips provided by both tipsters assisted in filing violent felony charges and arresting four dangerous suspects which also ended up clearing ten additional cases.

## 2017 HIGHLIGHTS .....

- **January 2017 - Solved cases for engaging in organized criminal activity, involved De Boule Jewelry** - On September 20, 2016, a tipster called the Crime Stoppers tip line to report that Tevin McCray was one of the suspects responsible for multiple robberies in the Houston area. The tipster called back on 11/15/2016 and advised that Tevin was in jail, arrested on unrelated charges. This information was forwarded to HPD's Robbery Division and following a lengthy investigation, it was discovered that suspect McCray was engaged in an organized crime ring. McCray, along with fourteen (14) additional suspects, conspired to commit Aggravated Robberies using deadly weapons (firearms and/or a hammer) in the Houston area from June 1, 2016 through January 1, 2017. Houston Police informed that the tipster was instrumental in the suspect being indicted on Engaging in Organized Criminal Activity on February 13, 2017, and being held on a \$1,000,000 bond.

- **March 2017 - Unlawful Practice of Dentistry** - On February 2, 2017, a tipster called the Crime Stoppers afterhours center and stated he was observing suspicious activity from his neighbors' residence. The tipster advised people were in and out of his neighbor's mobile home throughout the day.

On February 6, 2017, the tipster called Crime Stoppers and advised that that his neighbor was offering dental work from his mobile home. The tipster stated that he believes that his neighbor is not a real dentist, but there is constant flow of people in and out of the residence and believes the people were paying customers (unknowing victims). The tipster stated that the possible suspect leaves this location at approximately 6pm, that there are no signs posted anywhere, and believes that the suspect was practicing dental work without a license.

The tipster provided the suspect's identifying information, vehicle description, and a physical address for the illegal dentistry practice. This information was forwarded HPD Major Offenders Division for follow up. A proactive investigation was conducted during which an undercover officer pretended to be a patron. The suspect had dentistry

tools and used them to inspect the mouth of the officer. The suspect then advised he would remove a tooth, gave the price he would charge, and began to prep for the tooth extraction. Officers rushed in and arrested the suspect on March 8, 2017. The suspect was arrested and charged with the Unlawful Practice Dentistry.

- **May 2017 - Woman robbed at gunpoint in her own driveway** - On April 18, 2017, a woman had returned home from shopping at a local store. As she was exiting her vehicle, she was approached by the suspect holding a gun and demanding her property. The woman handed over her cellular phone, wallet, and all the cash she had on her. The suspect then ran to a dark colored Pontiac and fled the location. Her cell phone was recovered the next day. Police discovered the victim's phone contained undeleted self-recorded videos of the suspect and his accomplice driving the vehicle throughout the day (after robbing the female victim).

One of these videos was shown on local news media to generate leads. Crime Stoppers received several tips in regards to the news coverage, but one tip identified the main suspect by name and assisted officers in developing a photo array. Despite being afraid, the female victim positively identified the suspect as the person who robbed her.

- **October 2017 - 9mm at a local High School** - On October 18, 2017, at 10:56 a.m., a call came into the tip line regarding a social media conversation about a student at a local high school had a gun in the waist band of his pants. Crime Stoppers notified the school resource officer of the student that had a weapon the classroom. The resource officer and the assistant principle located student in the classroom and instructed him to exit the class. After searching the student, they found no gun was located. The assistant principal instructed the remaining students to step out of the classroom to complete a thorough search for a weapon. A couple of rows over from where suspect was sitting, another student's back pack was located that contained a black Glock 17 (9) millimeter automatic weapon. The school resource officer took possession of the weapon and ensured it was secured. As a direct result of the student tipster charges of possession of prohibited weapon in a weapon free zone were filed on the student that actually had the gun.

**October 2017 - Human Trafficking of Dallas Teen** - The suspect in this case Trevien Thomas or "Triggah", is charged with five (5) cases, which include, Human Trafficking, Aggravated Kidnapping, Compelling Prostitution, Aggravated Sexual Assault of a Child and Manufacture/Delivery of a Controlled Substance. Thomas is also a member of the "Rolling 60's Crips." On May 23, 2016, a 14-year-old girl, met Thomas in Dallas and agreed to hang out together. When she got into the car with Thomas, he took her against her will to Houston. Thomas showed the girl a gun and told her if she didn't do what he said, he would kill her. The victim was held by Thomas until May 28,

2016 where he kept her in three (3) various motels and published an advertisement on “Backpage.com” for sex which included pictures of the victim.

The victim reported that she was forced to have sex with several men including Thomas. She was able to escape on May 28, 2016 and called police to report that she taken from the Dallas area and was being forced into prostitution. Investigators were able to serve subpoenas and get information that Thomas placed the ad and found messages where Thomas discussed going to Dallas. As a result, a warrant for Thomas’ arrest was issued. On July 19, 2017, Thomas was featured on Fugitive Friday and KTRK news. A tipster contacted the tip line that identified Thomas from the featured video and provided a location he could be found. In addition to the warrants, he was also in possession of a stolen Glock 27 handgun and what appeared to be Ecstasy and Xanax.

• **November 2017 - High End “Shoppers” Case -**

On May 31, 2017, two female suspects walked into Sacks Fifth Avenue and approached the Burberry section pretending to be shoppers. The suspects then selected 22 items and stuffed them into a gray Dillard’s shopping bag and walked out of the store without paying. Loss prevention staff at the store observed the two women on surveillance cameras but was not able to catch up to them before the exited the store and fled the scene in a white car.

On September 4, 2017 loss prevention staff noticed the same two women enter the store again and approach a rack of dresses and coats. The two suspects selected 17 items and placed them into a gray Dillard’s shopping bag. On this occasion the loss prevention officer was able to catch up to the suspects and grab the bag of clothes but the women got away. The approximate value of clothing from both dates was placed at \$18,997.

At the request of the Houston Police Department, Crime Stoppers issued a press release with still images from the store security cameras asking for the public’s assistance in identifying the suspects. In November 2017 Crime Stoppers received an anonymous tip that identified one of the women by an alias. With that information detectives were able to positively identify both suspects as black men named Wesley Daniels Jr and Jermarcus Jerome Singleton. Crime Stoppers was asked by HPD to issue another press release to seek assistance in locating the two men. Crime Stoppers later received another tip that provided the location of the men and they were both arrested without incident.

Richard broke a window to allow them entry. Once inside, they found the home ransacked and Bao and Jenny Lam bound and shot. Investigators were able to piece together the moments leading up to the brutal murders thanks to the neighborhood surveillance cameras. The video showed two unidentified men pull up to the gated subdivision and crawl under the gate. Surveillance video also showed the suspects entering the Lam’s home and the vehicle they were driving: a black Lincoln Navigator. The Lams were ambushed 20 minutes later when they returned home from dinner. Suspects could be seen leaving the home shortly before midnight in the couple’s Porsche only to return repeatedly in the days that followed. On January 16, 2018, a tipster called the tip line and reported the black Navigator on the news was at an apartment complex on Windfern Road in Houston. The tipster also reported that they noticed the suspects removing large items from a silver four door Porsche around 12:00 am. All three suspects were located and arrested based on the detailed information provided by the tipster.

• **February 2018 - Self-Harm by a High School Student**

- On February 27, 2018, a tipster sent a message to the Crime Stoppers Mobile App providing information on a student who cut her herself and believed she was in danger of causing additional harm to herself. The tipster identified where the female cut herself and that she is a 9th grader at Deer Park High School. The Crime Stoppers investigator contacted the Assistant Principle and advised a student may be harming herself by cutting and suggested she and the school nurse make contact with the student. The Assistant Principle spoke to the student and verified that she had indeed cut herself on the arms. This occurred due to a break up with her boyfriend. The Assistant Principle reached out to the mother and was able to provide her with some literature and resources for counseling.

• **May 2018 - Purse Theft at H-E-B -**

A tip came into the Crime Stoppers Tip Line that identified three suspects who were involved in a purse theft at a local H-E-B store. The suspects stole the complainant’s purse from her shopping cart while she was unloading groceries into her vehicle. The suspects then went to several stores and purchased 7 PlayStation 4 game consoles with the complainant’s credit cards. After seeing a clip aired on ABC 13, the tipster contacted the Tip Line and identified two of the persons shown as brother and sister and the third person by his street name, “Poppa”. The Crime Stoppers tip led to the identification and charging of all three persons involved.

• **June 2018 - Court House ATM Heists -**

Over the course of a month and a half three suspects caused over \$200,000 in damages and stole over \$60,000 in cash from stolen ATM’s. They used the same routine with lookout vehicles and stolen trucks to crash into three different Harris County courthouses to steal the ATM’s inside. A tipster called the tip line to provide the full name of all three suspects after they

**2018 HIGHLIGHTS .....**

- **January 2018 - The Lam Case -** After two days of not being able to reach his parents by phone, Richard Lam drove to their home to check on them and called 911 when no one came to the door. When deputies arrived, they found the doors were all locked, so

saw information about the case on patch.com. Crime Stoppers provided the information to investigators that were very familiar with the suspects from prior cases. Based on this information investigators began surveillance and saw all three suspects driving personal vehicles with other unidentified suspects in the stolen trucks used in the burglaries. On May 22, 2018, four suspects drove a stolen truck into a downtown tax office while three other vehicles assisted by being lookout/chase vehicles. A marked unit responded to the burglary and gave chase to the stolen truck. During the chase officers observed an ATM in the bed of the truck. At the end of the chase one of the named suspects was arrested with five other suspects. During the arrest a four-month-old infant and two-year old toddler were found in the backseat. As a result of the tip provided all three suspects were identified and charged.

- **September 2018 – Line Skipper and Fatal Hit and Run** - Crime Stoppers received a tip via the mobile app on August 30, 2018 providing information about a suspect, “Ali” that was responsible for a 2015 fatal hit and run. On December 27, 2015 the victim was standing in line to place an order at a gas stations fast food restaurant. Ali skipped the line in front of the victim to place his own order. The clerk refused to take his order so Ali left the restaurant, went to the gas station, made a purchase and returned to his vehicle in the parking lot. Meanwhile, the victim placed and received his order then returned to his vehicle and drove away. The suspect followed the victim for more than five (5) miles before intentionally crashing into his vehicle several times along the way. Ali eventually hit the victim’s vehicle hard enough that caused it to roll over several times before striking a tree. Ali’s vehicle also rolled over, but he managed to flee the scene on foot without rendering aid to the victim. The victim was transported by Life Flight to Houston Herman Memorial Hospital where he was found to have a broken neck, spine, and collar bone. The complainant later died as a result of his injuries. Ali was located and arrested as a result of the information provided by the tipster.

## 2019 HIGHLIGHTS .....

- **February 2019 – Fake Esthetician and Fake Botox** - Crime Stoppers received a tip via the mobile app about a person that was believed to be posing as a licensed esthetician and administering cosmetic injections. They expressed concern for the safety of future clients. This information was quickly sent to investigators which set an undercover investigation into motion. During the investigation, it was learned that the suspect was performing non-surgical cosmetic procedures without a license or the supervision of a doctor. The suspect was arrested after an undercover officer was given a quote and prepped for injections. When a reporter asked if the suspect had anything to say, the suspect replied, “Hi beautiful”. It was later determined that some of the \$11,000+ drugs used were not FDA approved.

- **May 2019 – Serial Rapist in the Making** - Local police from Pasadena and Fort Bend County issued a plea to the public for assistance in identifying a rape suspect they deemed a serial rapist in the making. This suspect reportedly stalked the victim and followed her from a gym parking lot to her home before sexual assaulting her. Police released pictures of the suspect’s vehicle which was a very distinctive green with a different color front panel. The suspect began making changes to the car to conceal the unique characteristics. Fortunately, a tipster recognized the car and called the tip line. As a result, the 18-year-old suspect was charged and arrested.
- **June 2019 – Taco Truck Owner Killed** - On June 6, 2019, a well-known and respected owner of a taco truck exited a store on South Post Oak and walked toward his truck. A few moments later, a white sedan pulled up next to the truck. One suspect approached the victim with a long gun visible and shot and killed him without warning. Three other suspects exited the sedan and began going through the pockets of the victim, taking all of the contents found. All four suspects fled the scene. A tipster contacted the tip line and provided the name, “Conway”, and location of the shooter who also had a warrant for Domestic Violence. As a result of this tip, Conway was arrested and charged with Capital Murder. The remaining suspects have also been identified.
- **October 2019 – Motel Babysitter** - On October 9, 2019, the Harris County Fire Marshall Service responded to a fire at a motel located on Cypresswood Ct. in Spring, Texas. Investigators arrived to find the building heavily engulfed by fire and smoke. Investigators were able to determine that two children were left alone in the motel while their caretaker went to get pizza. The oldest child reported being in the bed crying while it was on fire. A guest on the same floor heard the fire alarm and both children screaming and stepped out of his room to find the oldest child holding a cigarette lighter. That guest decided to take the children to the motel’s front office since there was not an adult with them. When the caretaker returned, she admitted to leaving the children alone for a short period and was charged with two counts of child endangerment. A call came into the tip line that provided the location of the suspect and she was arrested without incident.
- **November 2019 – Persistent Tipster Helps Nab Arsonist** - On October 11, 2019 a suspect was seen on video setting fire to a palm tree which quickly spread to a fence that was connected to a local restaurant. A tipster contacted the tip line and provided information on a person that had been seen walking in the same area. They stated that they did not know the suspect but recognized his face from a Crime Stoppers flyer. The tipster followed the suspect’s walking route as they drove and relayed real time information to the Crime Stoppers investigator. With the tipster on one line our investigator was then able to pass the information along to dispatch for patrol to make contact. Officers were able to identify the suspect and found that he had two open city warrants. The



suspect was arrested on the open warrants while our investigator was still on the phone with them. The suspect was later charged with the arson case.

- **December 2019 - Nassau Bay Police Officer Hit and Killed** - On December 10, 2019, Sgt. Kaila Sullivan of the Nassau Bay Police Department was assisting another officer with a traffic stop. The driver of the car had a warrant out of Harris County and began fighting with the officer while they were trying to place him in custody. He was able to break free and re-enter his car. As he sped away, he hit Sgt. Sullivan with the vehicle which resulted in injuries that ultimately took her life. Crime Stoppers of Houston announced a Fallen Hero Reward of up to \$20,000 for information leading to the capture of the suspect. Within 24 hours a tip was received providing the location of a hotel where the suspect was hiding allegedly, with the assistance of his family. As a result of this tip, the suspect was taken into custody without no further incident on December 12, 2019.

## 2020 HIGHLIGHTS .....

- **January 2020 - Godson Shoots and Kills Godparents** - On December 4, 2019, a man entered an illegal game room operated by his godparents and went to the back bedroom where the two were sleeping. After approximately fifteen minutes, the suspect discharged his firearm four to five times killing both. He left the back bedroom and entered the living room area where customers were playing slot machines. While in the living room area, he began shooting towards the customers striking a third victim in the abdomen. The suspect then attempted to shoot the other customers but the firearm malfunctioned. The suspect eventually fled the scene, leaving the firearm at the rear of the residence. A tipster utilized the Crime Stoppers website to provide the name and location of this suspect.
- **February 2020 - Illegal Dumping Tip Results in Large Drug Bust** - Crime Stoppers received a tip about a man that dumped approximately 200 pounds of trash in a drainage ditch behind his home. When deputies arrived at the suspects home to execute a warrant, they discovered the suspect and two small children were living his terrible conditions with drugs and guns in plain view. Over \$100,174 in illegal drugs were recovered from the home. This included over 750 grams of Heroin, 79 grams of Crystal Methamphetamine and 7 grams of Xanax.
- **March 2020 - Animal Cruelty Fugitive Nabbed** - The HSPCA was called on July 1st about a puppy locked inside a vehicle. When they arrived, they found the puppy on the back floorboard, tethered by a leash to the front headrest and panting heavily. All the vehicle windows were up apart from a crack in the sunroof. When the puppy was removed, the internal temperature of the vehicle was over 125 degrees. The puppy's owner was featured by Crime Stoppers during a February 2020 Animal Cruelty Fugitive Sweep. A tipster called the tip line providing the

location of the suspect who was arrested without incident.

- **April 2020 - H-E-B Employee Attacked by Robbery Suspect** - Crime Stoppers received a tip that identified a suspect that attacked an H-E-B employee. The employee witnessed the suspect exit the store with a cart full of groceries without making any attempt to pay for them. When the suspect saw the victim behind him in the parking lot, he suddenly stopped and pushed the cart back in the direction of the victim. The suspect then raised both hands and got into a fighting stance. Not wanting to fight, the victim turned and walked away. As the victim was walking away, the suspect approached him from behind and punched him in the side of his head. The tipster also reported that the suspect was currently in the Fort Bend County jail for a similar case at another H-E-B. As a result of the information provided, the suspect was charged and is awaiting transfer to Harris County.
- **May 2020 - Stabbed in the Head** - On August 25, 2018, a victim was walking northbound on Fulton St. in Houston. A male suspect walked up from behind, produced a knife and demanded money. The victim reported that he told them "I need your money to feed my kids." He then began stabbing the victim in the head multiple times before robbing them of their belongings. A witness gave chase, tackled, and held the suspect down until police arrived. The suspect was charged with Aggravated Robbery with a Deadly Weapon and posted bond. He subsequently failed to appear in court and a warrant was issued for his arrest. An anonymous tipster utilized the mobile app to provide a location of where the suspect could be located. As a result of this information the suspect was arrested again without further incident.
- **July 2020 - Serial Cell Phone Robbery Suspects** - Between the dates of May 18th and June 22nd, two armed men entered nine different Metro PCS Stores with the intent to rob the store. In each case, the men would pose as normal customers and inquire about phone cases and/or screen protectors. The suspects would then produce a weapon forcing store personnel to open the money safe. Once the safes were open the men would take all the money and all available iPhones before fleeing the scene. In several cases, the suspect would also rob the employees of their personal keys, wallets, and cash.

An anonymous tip was received that provided the name and address of both suspects. Acting on the tip, HPD attempted to pull over one of the suspects as he was leaving his house. He attempted to flee leading police on a high-speed chase. During the chase, the suspect drove on the wrong side of the road, rammed several police cars, and threw a gun out of the window. The suspect then drove back to his home and ran inside. Police were then able to take him into custody without further incident.
- **August 2020 - Felony Bond Fugitives Back Behind Bars** - Crime Stoppers highlighted a list of over 60 victims that were killed by suspects that were

released on multiple felony bonds, bond forfeiture and/or personal bonds. We received tips that provided the location of two suspects that were featured on this list. One of the suspects was out on two felony bonds for 8 days before he shot and killed a man during an argument. As a result of the tipster's information both suspects are back behind bars pending trial.

- **September 2020 - Suspect in the 2019 Murder of Trans Woman Caught** - In September 2019, the victim and her roommate got into an argument because she would not take the suspect to the laundromat to wash clothes. The suspect became enraged and shot the victim eleven (11) times then fled the scene. Unfortunately, the victim did not survive her injuries. The suspect was quickly charged but remained at large hiding out in the Dallas area. One year later, Crime Stoppers received a tip that provided the location of the suspect. Based on the information the tipster provided, the suspect was arrested without further incident.
- **September 2020 - Hit and Run Suspect Identified** - A group of friends were riding their four-wheelers and motorcycles when they noticed a BMW stopped at a traffic light. For unknown reasons, the driver put the car in gear and intentionally hit the victims then drove off without rendering aid. The impact caused one to flip over their handlebars, land on the trunk of the car then fall to the ground. This case received media attention because the incident was unprovoked and random. A tipster contacted the tip line and provided the name and location of the suspect who has been charged with a second-degree felony.
- **October 2020 - Serial Robbery Suspect Arrested** - Between May and June 2020 the suspect planned to meet with multiple victims to purchase items the victims listed for sale on popular apps (Offer Up, Let Go and Facebook Marketplace). During the transaction, the suspect would "inspect" the item, assault the victim then flee with the items and cash to an awaiting vehicle. The items he got away with included \$500 cash, two iPhones and two Louis Vuitton purses. One of the victims managed to get a picture of the suspect that was featured in the media. Crime Stoppers received an anonymous tip that provided the name and location of the suspect. As a result of this information the suspect was charged five felonies.
- **October 2020 - Shoplifters Used LYFT as a Getaway Driver** - In February 2020, an unsuspecting LYFT driver picked up a fare that included two females and a male with a local store as their destination. Two of the suspects (male and female) went into the store while the third waited with the driver. While in the store, the two suspects placed multiple items in a basket then attempted to exit without paying. Before they could get out of the store, an employee approached and asked for a receipt. The male suspect pulled out a gun and pistol whipped the employee and both suspects ran out of the store.

The male ran to the waiting LYFT and the female ran to another business. Once in the car the male suspect used the driver's phone to call the remaining female to get her exact location so they could pick her up. When they arrived, both suspects got out of the car and all three took off. Police were able to identify the two females, but they remained at large until a tipster provided a location.

- **December 2020 - Fiery Beer Run** - A male suspect entered a corner store and grabbed an 18-pack of Modelo beer, walked out of the store without paying for the merchandise, and got into his pickup truck. The store clerk gave chase but was unsuccessful in catching the suspect or retrieving the stolen beer. The suspect hurriedly placed his vehicle in reverse, struck a gas pump and fled the scene. After striking the gas pump, flames engulfed the pumps causing nearly \$9,000 in damages. An anonymous tip was received that provided the name and location of the suspect.
- **December 2020 - Domestic Dispute Ends with Victim Set on Fire** - A male suspect became upset with his girlfriend and accused her of stealing an item of his clothing. He walked out of the house to his car and returned with a plastic water bottle that was filled with gasoline. A witness told police that the suspect poured the contents of the bottle onto the victim's body and used a lighter to set her on fire. At that point, the suspect fled the scene, and the witness was able to use a comforter to put the fire out. The victim sustained severe burns to her chest, shoulder, side of her neck and thighs. The suspect was charged but remained at large until a tipster provided his current location.

## 2021 HIGHLIGHTS .....

- **February 2021 - Forged Check Used to "Set Em Free"** - A local attorney received a phone call from "Set Em Free" bail bonds company to authenticate a check that had been presented for \$1,850 to post bond for a man in jail. The attorney reported that he did not issue that check and did not give anyone permission to use it. The suspect reportedly stole the check to bail her significant other out of jail for a domestic violence related charge. As part of the process the suspect had to provide her id and social security card when she presented the check. The victim quickly identified the suspect as an employee of his law firm and that she used his rubber stamp signature on the check. Based on this information, the suspect was charged with forgery but remained at large until a tipster provided her location.
- **July 2021 - Young Mother Killed While Holding Son** - On July 1, 2021, the victim was preparing for her sons first birthday and was holding when her ex began arguing with her. The suspect produced a firearm and shot the victim who was holding the toddler. Prior to fleeing the scene, the suspect also shot the one-year-old boy in the lower leg. The toddler was transported to a hospital with non-life threatening

injuries. Sadly, the young mother did not survive her injuries. The suspect was out on seven felony bonds when this incident took place.

- **August 2021 - Road Rage After Astros Game -** On June 6, 2021, Paul Castro and his sons just left Minute Maid Park after watching an Astros game. While in traffic, a driver of another car got into a verbal altercation with the Castro's over letting cars into the lane of traffic and finger gestures were exchanged. The suspect then aggressively followed the Castro's onto the freeway. Mr. Castro attempted to elude the suspects then heard several gunshots and saw that the truck's back window shatter. Unfortunately, David Castro (17) was shot in the back of the head and didn't survive.

Crime Stoppers of Houston conducted a press conference with David's grief-stricken family to plead for the public's assistance. A few days after the press conference an anonymous tipster called the tip line and provided very detailed information regarding the suspect and incident that was not released to the media. The Houston Police Department was able to obtain a search warrant after verification of the tipster's information and the suspect was arrested.

## 2022 HIGHLIGHTS .....

- **March 2022 - Hit & Run Suspect Caught -** In the early morning of January 7, 2022, a driver of a pickup truck was traveling at a high speed when they hit a pedestrian that was walking down the street. The driver fled the scene without rendering aid to the victim. A passerby noticed the victim lying face down on the road can called for help. The victim suffered very serious injuries and a heart attack as a result. Images of the suspect captured at a store shortly before the incident were distributed to the media. A tipster utilized the mobile app to provide information that aided police in charging and arresting the suspect.
- **May 2022 - Wanted Human Trafficker Caught After Six Months on the Run -** On December 9, 2021, Crime Stoppers held a press conference asking for help in locating a Human Trafficking fugitive that fled the area during his trial. The suspect attended the first three days of his trial but skipped out before learning that he had been found guilty and sentenced to 40 years for trafficking a sixteen-year-old victim. The fugitive remained on the run for six months before a tip was received that provided the location of his hideout.
- **June 2022 - Nearly \$1 Million in Stolen Testing Equipment Recovered -** In October 2021, a suspect broke into a business that sells extremely specialized testing equipment. The suspect made two trips to the business removing the testing equipment that was valued at \$950,000. Sometime later, the company received a phone call from an out of state business that advised they had attempted to purchase the equipment in an online purchase. Prior to paying

for the equipment, they realized the equipment had been stolen. Charges were filed on the suspect, but he remained at large until a tipster provided his location using the Crime Stoppers mobile app.

- **September 2022 - Final Suspect Caught in Martha Medina Case -** In September 2021, a 71-year-old grandmother was tragically killed during a jugging incident. The victim, Martha Medina, was followed from a local bank to a McDonalds restaurant where she went to get breakfast. As she exited her car two suspects approached and grabbed Ms. Medina's purse off her shoulder. The suspects then got back into their vehicle and reversed it over Ms. Medina and proceeded to drag her a short distance. Unfortunately, Ms. Medina did not survive her injuries. Two of the suspects were charged and arrested but the final suspect eluded police until a tip provided his name and location.

The driver of the vehicle was out on two bonds when this incident occurred. The first was for a 2019 Capital Murder and the second was for an Aggravated Robbery the same year.

Parolee Arrested for Robbing the Same Locations Six Years Later - Thanks to a very active and detailed tipster an Aggravated Robbery suspect is behind bars. Between February and September (2022), the suspect committed six different aggravated robberies. He would use various weapons to threaten store employees as he demanded cash. Police learned that the suspect had been paroled from prison just one month prior to these cases. He had been sentenced to 16 years for a string of 2016 Aggravated Robberies. Coincidentally, two of the locations he robbed in 2016 are the same location he robbed in this string of cases. Once he was arrested, the suspect confessed to the robberies and apologized for his behavior.

- **December 2022 - Killer of 82-Year-Old Caught** In October of 2022, a concerned woman went to check on her 82-year-old brother after receiving a strange call from his number. When she arrived, she found the apartment located in a senior living facility had been broken into and her brother on the ground covered in blood. A plea went out to the community for information that included pictures from the facilities security cameras. Two months later a tipster contacted the tip line providing the name and location of the suspect featured in the news. Based on that information, the suspect was charged and arrested. He subsequently confessed to the Capital Murder.



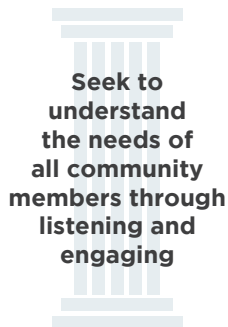


# SAFE COMMUNITY INSTITUTE

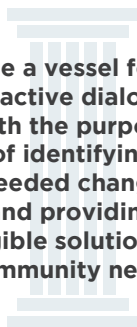
## PUBLIC SAFETY AND CRIME PREVENTION

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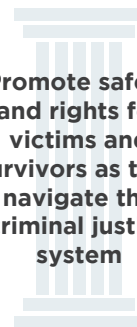
Seek to understand the needs of all community members through listening and engaging



Be a vessel for proactive dialogue with the purpose of identifying needed change and providing tangible solutions to community needs



Be a reliable source for crime data and statistical research that is easily digestible for all community members



Promote safety and rights for victims and survivors as they navigate the criminal justice system

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## SAFE COMMUNITY INSTITUTE

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*Host of The Balanced Voice Podcast and Chief Executive Officer of Crime Stoppers of Houston*



**Jennifer Hohman**

*Co-Host of The Balanced Voice Podcast and Board Member of Crime Stoppers of Houston*

### WATCH, LISTEN, SUBSCRIBE & FOLLOW:

Episodes are offered in both visual and audio formats.

**10AM**  
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SAFETY STARTS HERE

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### THE SAFE COMMUNITY PROGRAM AT A GLANCE



60+ episodes  
of The Balanced  
Voice Podcast with  
Rania Mankarious



1,664 victims  
served  
through  
advocacy  
efforts  
in 2022



151,000+  
community  
members and  
parents reached  
through critical  
safety presentations  
in 2022

Over 3.5 Million  
reached with digital  
education content  
using social media  
platforms in 2022



## PRESENTATIONS

Through multimedia presentations, the Safe Community Program presents cutting edge information about the most critical crime trends and issues facing our community today. These presentations equip all community members with not only knowledge about these critical issues but also action steps to aid in building safe, happy, and healthy communities around them (presentation time is approximately 30-60 minutes long).

### COMMUNITY TOPICS:

- Active Shooter in partnership with JetBlue
- Animal Cruelty Awareness
- Child Abuse Prevention
- City and County Civics 101
- College Safety
- Community Chats
- Crime Stoppers 101
- Domestic Violence Prevention
- Elder Abuse Prevention
- Financial Crimes Prevention
- Home Security and Situational Awareness
- Human Trafficking Awareness
- Murderabilia
- Seasonal Safety
- Social Media and Mental Health
- Substance Abuse Prevention
- Tip Line

### PARENT TOPICS:

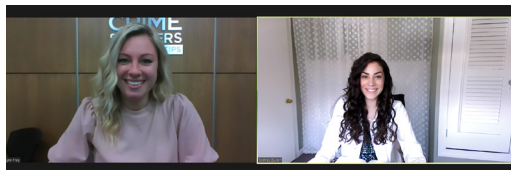
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- Cyber Safety Awareness
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- Tip Line

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# VICTIM SERVICES & ADVOCACY PROGRAM

PROMOTING SAFETY, HEALING, JUSTICE AND RIGHTS FOR CRIME VICTIMS AND SURVIVORS

## VICTIM SERVICES & ADVOCACY PROGRAM

Being a victim of a crime is frightening and unsettling for the millions of Americans who unfortunately experience it each year. Progress has been made in improving the rights of crime victims. Victims and survivors of homicide, sexual assault, child abuse, domestic violence and other serious offenses have transformed their victimization into a vehicle for ensuring that victims of crime receive justice, meaningful assistance and compassionate treatment.



## MISSION IN ACTION

The Victim Services and Advocacy Program provides the following to crime victims and survivors:

- Advocate for crime victims through all stages of victimization.
- Assist crime victims and survivors in efforts to rebuild their lives.
- Assist in collaboration between law enforcement agencies, prosecutors, probation and parole departments, juvenile justice systems and social services.
- Accompany crime victims and survivors to Court and Parole Board hearings.
- Guide crime victims and survivors through media inquiries and speaking engagements.
- Refer crime victims and survivor to local, state-wide, and national victim assistance organizations.
- Work toward legislative improvements to enhance victims' rights and public safety.

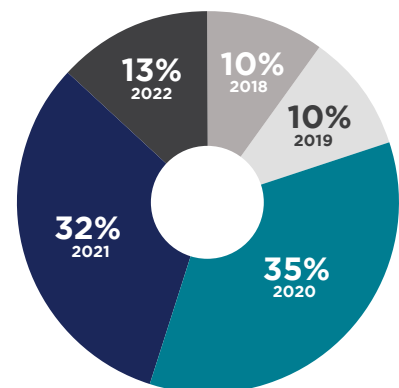
## ADVOCACY IN ACTION

In 2019, we noticed a trend in which many of the defendants charged with murder were released on multiple felony bonds, personal recognizance (PR) bonds, motion to revoke bond denied and bond forfeiture. Since then, we compiled a list of victims killed/murdered by defendants released on the above from **2018 through 2022** to include:

- **183** people total
- **146** homicides since 2020
- **17** victims of domestic violence including
- **3** unborn children amongst the victims

Visit [bit.ly/CSOHBailReform](https://bit.ly/CSOHBailReform) to learn about the current status of our research and legislative efforts.

## VICTIMS KILLED BY DEFENDANTS RELEASED ON MULTIPLE FELONY BONDS 2018-2022



## ANNUAL EVENTS

Join us for our annual events:

- National Night of Remembrance: **Every September**
- Holiday Memorial Remembrance Tree Ceremony: **Every December**

## VICTIM IMPACT STATEMENT PROJECT

Victim Impact Statement Project is to enhance the ability of victims of violent crime to have their impact statements heard after the offender has been tried and convicted. Crime Stoppers will work with twenty victims of violent crime to create a video for Post-Conviction Advocacy with a designated coordinator. This work provides victims of violent crime an opportunity to always have their voices heard without the necessity of repeatedly appearing before a parole board. This Post Conviction Advocacy Program will act as a liaison between post-conviction governing bodies and actual victims and will guide them to filing the film with the proper authority.

### KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

Do you know your rights in Texas? As a victim of violent crime in Texas, you have the following rights:

- The right to be notified of all court proceedings including cancellation and rescheduling.
- The right to receive information about the Texas Crime Victim Compensation Fund that provides financial assistance to victims of violent crimes.
- The right to have the magistrate take the safety of the victim or their family into consideration as an element in fixing the amount of bail for the accused.
- If you so request, the right to information about procedures in the criminal investigation of your case by law enforcement officials, and about general procedures in the criminal justice system, including plea bargaining, restitution, appeals and parole from the prosecutor's office.
- The right to complete a Victim Impact Statement, detailing the emotional, physical and financial impact that the crime has had on you and your family, and to have that statement considered by the judge at sentencing and by the parole board were able to reach 921 people statewide.

### LEGISLATIVE SUCCESSES

The Victim Services and Advocacy Program works tirelessly to fight for necessary legislative changes. Since its inception in 2018, the program has seen the following legislative successes:

- House Bill 2079 and Senate Bill 2210, also known as the 'Sir Romeo' bill, which allows families whose children are victims of attempted murder to apply for relocation expenses via the Crime Victims Compensation Program
- House Bill 1769, also known as 'Clear Alert', which allows law enforcement to send out alerts for missing adults when criminal conduct is involved
- Senate Bill 4372, also known as the Summer Camp Safety bill, which enhances the overall safety of campers and families
- Senate Bill 6, also known as the "Damon Allen Act" eliminates PR bonds for defendants charged with particular violent crimes.

## RESOURCES FOR VICTIMS AND SURVIVORS

### Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault

AVDA  
(713) 224-9911

Bay Area Turning Point  
(281) 286-2525

Bridge Over Troubled Water  
(713) 472-0753

Daya  
(713) 981-7645

Family Time  
(281) 446-2615

Harris County Domestic Violence Coordinating Council  
(281) 400-3680

Houston Area Women's Center  
(713) 528-2121

### Drunk Driving

MADD  
(281) 590-2222

### Homicide

Parents of Murdered Children  
(713) 472-5640  
(713) 522-9045

### Missing Persons

Texas Equusearch  
(281) 309-9500  
Texas Center for the Missing  
(281) 309-9500

### Sexual Abuse of Children

Children's Assessment Center  
(713) 986-3300

## LAW ENFORCEMENT VICTIM SERVICES DEPARTMENTS

**Houston Police Department**  
(713) 308-0080

**Harris County Sheriff's Office**  
(713) 274-9369

**Harris County District Attorney's Office**  
(713) 274-0250

**Harris County Constable Pct. 5**  
(832) 927-1368

**Harris County Constable Pct. 7**  
(713) 274-3521

**Attorney General of Texas Crime Victim Services Division**  
(713) 267-3004

## REQUEST ASSISTANCE



Do you or someone you know need victim services? Please contact our Director of Victim Services & Advocacy Program, Andy Kahan, at **(713) 923-5601** or [akahan@crime-stoppers.org](mailto:akahan@crime-stoppers.org).



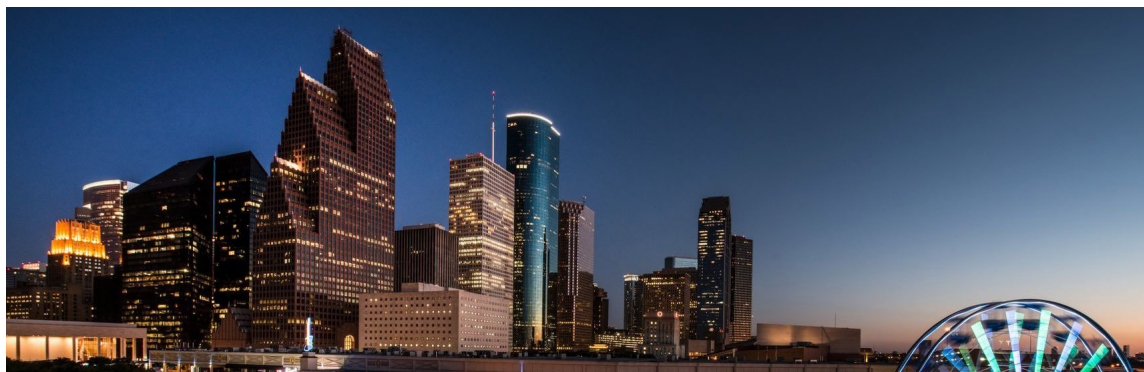


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For the Community, By the Community

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Our guests bring their unique experience and insight to complex topics such as cyber safety, criminal justice reform, community policing, domestic violence, women's empowerment, and so much more. Notable guests from season 1-4 include Dave Ward, Bill Balleza, Greg & Gaebri Kelley, John Quinones, Dawn Hawkins, Matthew McConaughey, Dominique Sachse, Dr. Laura Berman, Fran Drescher, Salma Awwad, Shepard Smith, Tamron Hall, Kyle Quilausing and many more.

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*"I firmly believe that regardless of your race, creed or gender, of where you live, work or send your children to school - we all share the same wishes for the health and safety of ourselves and our family. And we all deserve the chance to discuss important and related issues in a balanced manner, with the intent of finding and sharing solutions for all."*

- Rania Mankarious

# 740,695

TOTAL PEOPLE REACHED  
SEASONS 1-5



## MEET RANIA

Rania Mankarious is a columnist contributor, author of "The Online World, What You Think You Know and What You Don't," on-air analyst and CEO of Crime Stoppers of Houston. A widely recognized face and voice, Rania has spent the last 20 years using her masters degree, legal degree and community position to work on critical issues and break stories (locally and nationally) that hit the core of what women and families care about. Beyond the headlines, she's active in finding public safety solutions and creating useful tools that serve all. From the protection of children at school, online or at home to the protection of all during periods of crime, chaos and unrest, Rania is always working. A native Bostonian who now proudly calls Texas home, this wife and mother proudly serves the Crime Stoppers of Houston community and all who seek to partner with it. You can follow Rania on Instagram (@theraniareport) or on Twitter (@theraniareport).



## MEET JENNIFER

Jennifer Hohman is on a mission to keep women, men and victims free from the horrors of sex trafficking. Aiding the recovery of over 100 victims and counting, Jennifer is passionate about studying the cycle of violence that enables trafficking and doing whatever is required to close gaps and provide solutions. She has built an ecosystem with 40+ nonprofits across the nation, a group of influential community leaders and collaborates on ideas and initiatives to mobilize the energy industry specifically as well as other industries to join the fight against sex trafficking. Beyond her incredible role in the community, she is passionate about engaging women and minorities in energy and tech. Jennifer is proud to serve as an oil/gas executive but says her most important role is wife and mother. This Houston native thinks we should all be ready for #RealTalk #RealSolutions #RealResults! You can follow Jennifer on Instagram (@jennhohman) or Twitter (@JennHohman).

## SEASON ONE AT A GLANCE

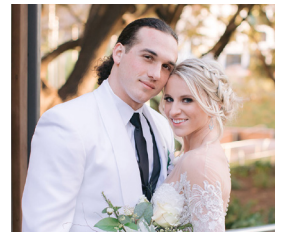
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Bill Balleza, Rania Mankarious  
and Dave Ward



John Quiñones



Greg and Gaebri Kelley

## SEASON TWO AT A GLANCE

In Season 2, we covered public safety topics such as human trafficking awareness, felony bond reform, animal safety, abuse & neglect, cyber safety education for parents, bullying prevention, domestic violence prevention and more! Notable guests include Governor Greg Abbott, Matthew McConaughey, Derek Potts, Tim Winter, Tena Faust and Tama Lundquist.



Greg and Gaebri Kelley



Governor Greg Abbott



Greg and Gaebri Kelley

## SEASON THREE AT A GLANCE

Season 3 began with a historic conversation about our interview with American serial killer, David Berkowitz. We then spent the bulk of the season interviewing parents who found themselves in desperate situations with their children and discussed practical ways to keep young people safe. Season 3 guests included Tina Stanley, Tamron Hall, Jenna Fondren, Chris McKenna, Joe Madison, Deborah Berry, Taseer Badar, and Cindy & Butch Moore.



David Berkowitz



Tamron Hall



Chris McKenna

## SEASON FOUR AT A GLANCE

Season 4 was filled with powerful stories from guest such as Hawaii's Most Wanted Kyle Quilausing, one of television's most respected legal analysts Nancy Grace, a once psychotic man Daniel Shepley and his psychiatrist Dr. Harvery Rosenstock, Andrew Johnson and Ryan Records who partners with Toro, the mascot from the Texans, a survivor of abduction Kim Case and more.



Kyle Quilausing



Nancy Grace



Kim Case

## SEASON FIVE AT A GLANCE

In Season 5, we welcomed Crime Stoppers of Houston Board Member, Jennifer Hohman as our co-host for the season. This season Rania and Jenn covered timely topics such as the fentanyl crisis in America, school safety, online scams, and community service. Notable guests included, Special Agent In Charge Bill Bodner, Jim McIngvale 'Mattress Mack', Dr. Elizabeth McIngvale, Anna Reger, and Yami Pence.



Jim McIngvale & Dr.  
Elizabeth McIngvale



Yami Pence



Anna Reger





# SAFE SCHOOL INSTITUTE (SSI)

## SAFE SCHOOLS START HERE

### SAFE SCHOOL INSTITUTE (SSI)

The Safe School Institute (SSI) is a one-stop center for all aspects of school safety. SSI keeps schools safe by creating a proactive dialogue with students, school staff and law enforcement about personal and school safety. The institute strives to reduce victimization, deter delinquency, and increase campus reporting through prevention-based presentations and trainings.



### THE SAFE SCHOOL INSTITUTE AT A GLANCE:



**1.5+ million students** reached with critical school safety education



**284 weapons** removed from Texas schools



Worked with over **795 schools** across the state of Texas & solved **1,900+** school cases



Since its inception in 1997, the Safe School Institute has evolved into a **FREE**, year-round program that has educated over **1.3 million students** in **86 school districts** in the Greater Houston Area and Texas.

The Institute delivers all three levels of prevention: **primary, secondary, and tertiary**. We are committed to reaching our audience whenever they are able, whether it be during school hours or outside of school hours, on campus or off-campus. Whatever their needs are, the Safe School Institute is available at no cost to provide a customized format that addresses those needs.

### STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Through multimedia presentations, the Safe School Institute promotes personal safety to aid students in avoiding victimization, deter delinquency and emphasize the importance of reporting criminal activity on campus. Satisfies state mandates. (Presentation time approx. 30-45 minutes). Topics offered:



- Active Shooter in partnership with JetBlue
- Animal Safety
- Bullying Prevention in partnership with David's Legacy Foundation
- be nice.® (Mental Health)
- Cyber Safety
- Human Trafficking
- Juvenile Laws
- Prom Safety
- Situational Awareness
- Substance Abuse Prevention
- Teen Dating & Sexual Misconduct
- The Nexus between Social Media and Mental Health
- Tip Line
- Vaping Prevention

### SCHOOL STAFF TRAININGS

Keeping campuses safe by learning current data, policies, and best-practices to support students. Satisfies state mandates. (Presentation time approx. 60-90 minutes). Topics offered:



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- Bullying Prevention
- Cyber Safety Awareness
- Cyber Safety and Human Trafficking Awareness
- Gaming Safety
- Human Trafficking
- Reporting Disclosed and Suspected Abuse Neglect and Trafficking
- Social Media Safety
- Teen Dating Safety/Violence and Sexual Misconduct
- Tip Line

### PRESENTATION REQUESTS

To request a student, educator, or parent presentation please submit an online request form:

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### REGIONAL SCHOOL SAFETY SUMMIT

Each year, Crime Stoppers hosts a two-day conference for school administrators and school-based law enforcement to discuss pertinent school safety topics.

TEC (Texas Education Code) and TCOLE (Texas Commission on Law Enforcement) credit are offered.

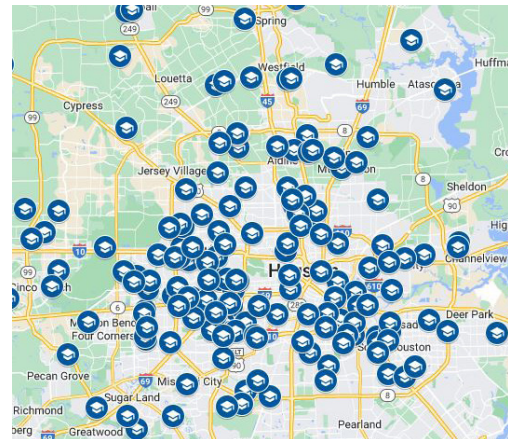
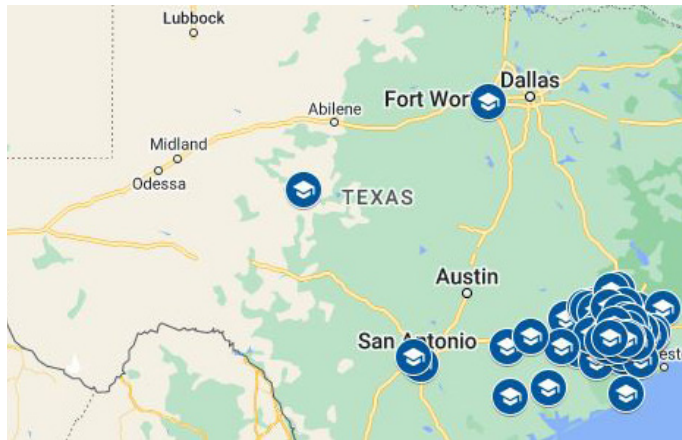
### STATEWIDE REACH

We are now offering in person and virtual presentations to schools and ESC's across Texas.

For more information contact: [jfondren@crime-stoppers.org](mailto:jfondren@crime-stoppers.org)



# 2022 SCHOOLS SERVED



Academy of Accelerated Learning	Creekside Park Junior High School+	Harmony School of Endeavor+
Albert Thomas Middle School*	David Crockett Middle School+	Harris Academy*+
Alief Elsik High School	De Chaumes Elementary School	Harris County Department of Education Head Start**
Alief Elsik Ninth Grade Center	de Santiago EC/PK & Head Start Center+	Harvard Elementary School^
Arabic Immersion Magnet School*^	Don Haskins PK-8 School*	Hawkins Elementary School*
Ashford Elementary School*^	Dunn Elementary School*	Herrera Elementary School
Atascocita Middle School^	Durkee Elementary School*	Horizon Montessori Public Schools- Pearland+
Bellville Junior High School	Earl & Hazel Harris Elementary School	Houston Community College*+
Beta Academy - Confetti Campus*	Early Literacy Center*	Houston Gateway Academy-Elite Campus^
Beta Academy-Flagship*	East Bernard High School*	Houston Gateway Academy-Evergreen Campus^
Billy Reagan K8 Educational Center	East Bernard Junior High School*	HT Jones Elementary*
Bonner Elementary School	Edwin M. Wells Middle School*	Hunters Creek Elementary School^
Braeburn Elementary School	Emerson Elementary School ^	ILM Academy
Briargrove Elementary School	Epiphany of the Lord Catholic School*^	IMPACT Early College High School
Brookline Elementary School*^	Ermel Elementary School*^	International Leadership of Texas - Katy*
Bunker Hill Elementary School^	Escamilla Elementary School^	Isaacs Elementary School
Burnet Elementary School*^	Evelyn Turlington Elementary*	IT Holleman Elementary School*
Bush Elementary School-Conroe ISD	Fall Creek Elementary School	James Berry Elementary School
Carter Academy*^	Frost Elementary School*	Jane Long Academy*^
Catherine Bethke Elementary School*^	Gallegos Elementary School	Joe E Moreno Elementary School+
Christ the Redeemer Catholic School	Ganado Elementary*	Kahla Middle School*+
Cimarron Elementary School*^	Garland McMeans Junior High School	Kathleen Joerger Lindsey Elementary School+
College of The Mainland*+	Glenda Dawson High School+	Kennedy Elementary School*
Commonwealth Elementary School^	Grantham Academy+	Kingwood Middle School*
Compass Rose Legacy Campus*	Gulfton Promise Head Start+	KIPP Houston High School*
Cook Middle School*+	Hambrick Middle School+	
Cornelius Elementary School*	Harmony School of Advancement	

\*New School for 2022  
+Visited by SCP  
^Visited by SCP & SSI

KIPP Intrepid Preparatory^	Ray K. Daily Elementary School*^	The Westview School*
KIPP Journey Collegiate*+	Reed Academy	Thompson Elementary School*
KIPP Liberation College Preparatory	Richard Milburn Academy - RMA Fort Worth*	Thornwood Elementary School+
KIPP Prime College Preparatory	Ridgecrest Elementary School*^	Tomball Connections Academy^
KIPP Sharpstown^	Robert E Lee High School*	Tomball Intermediate School^
Kipp Voyage Academy for Girls	Roberts Road Elementary*	Travis Intermediate School*+
Laura Bush Elementary School*+	Robinson Elementary School^	University of Houston - LGBTQ/ women & Gender Resource Centers*+
Leonetti Elementary School*	Ross Sterling Middle School	Velasco Elementary School
Liberty Elementary School	Roy Cisneros Elementary School*	Viola Cobb Elementary School^
Lovett Elementary School	Rucker Elementary School*	Weimar Junior High School*^
Lyons Elementary School^	Santa Fe High School*	West University Elementary*
MADE Houston*	Sartartia Middle School	Westchester Academy for International Studies
Mata Intermediate School*	Schochler Elementary School	Westfield High School*
McDonald Junior High School*+	School of Science and Technology - Champions*	Westlake Middle School*+
McMullan Elementary School*	School of Science and Technology Houston	Wharton Dual Language Academy
McNamara Elementary School*	School of the Woods Montessori*	Wharton PK-8*^
Memorial Drive Elementary School	SER-Ninos Charter School*	Whittier Elementary School^
Michael E. DeBaKey High School for Health Professions^	Seven Lakes Junior High School+	Wildcat Way School
Miles Elementary School*	Shadowbriar Elementary School*^	William B Travis High School*
Mission West Elementary School^	Shearn Elementary School*	Woodview Elementary School+
Missouri City Middle School+	St. Anne Catholic School-Houston +	Worthing High School+
Montgomery Elementary School^	St. Augustine Catholic School+	YDI Heights Head Start*+
Morton Ranch Junior High School*^	St. John XXIII College Preparatory	YES Prep East End
Moulton High School*	St. Martha Catholic School+	Yes Prep Gulfton
Needville High School+	St. Michael Catholic School^	YES Prep Hobby
Needville Junior High School^	Stan Stanley Elementary School*+	YES Prep North Central Secondary^
Neff Elementary School	Stephen F. Austin Elementary+	YES Prep North Forest^
Nimitz Ninth Grade School*	Stevenson Middle School	YES Prep Northline
North Houston Early College High School	Stewart Elementary School^	YES Prep Northside^
Nursery Elementary School*	Tanglewood Middle School	Yes Prep Southeast^
Oaks Elementary School	Texas A & M University+	YES Prep Southside Secondary
Oates Elementary School	Texas Challenge Academy Campus	YES Prep Thrive
Oleson Elementary School*	The Briarwood School^	YES Prep West^
Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic School	The Emery/Weiner School+	
Patrick Henry Middle School+	The Grace School^	
Patterson Dual Language, Literature Magnet, IB World school*	The Honor Roll School^	
Paul W. Horn Elementary School	The HUB Houston*^	
Pearl M Hirsch Elementary School+	The Kinkaid School^	
Pleasantville Elementary School^	The Shlenker School^	
Pomeroy Elementary School ^	The Summit*	
Pro-Vision Academy*	The Tenney School	
Quail Valley Middle School*+	The Varnett Public School-East Campus*^	
Queens Intermediate School*+	The Village School-Gentryside+	
Randolph Elementary School*	The Village School-Whittington	

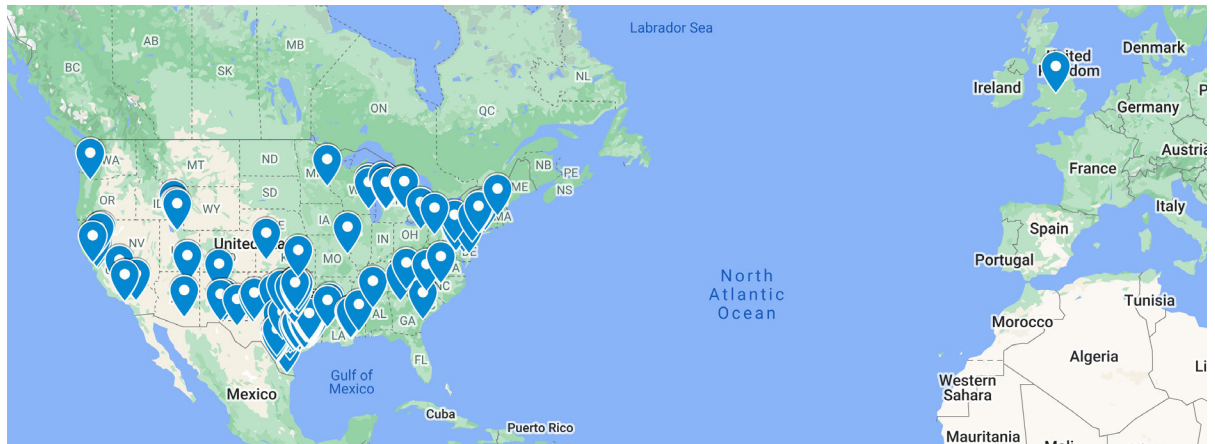


# 2022 DISTRICTS SERVED

	District	MOU	County
	Aldine ISD	x	
	Alief ISD	x	
	Bellville ISD		Austin
	Brazosport ISD		Brazoria
	Channelview ISD		
	Conroe ISD		Montgomery
	Cy-Fair ISD	x	
	East Bernard ISD		Wharton
	Edgewood ISD		Van Zandt
	El Paso ISD		El Paso
	Fort Bend ISD		Fort Bend
	Galena Park ISD	x	
	Ganado ISD		
	Goose Creek Consolidated ISD	x	
	Houston ISD	x	
	Humble ISD	x	
	Katy ISD	x	
	Lamar Consolidated ISD		
	Liberty ISD		Liberty
	Miles ISD		Runnels
	Moulton ISD		Lavaca
	Needville ISD		Fort Bend
	Nursery ISD		Victoria
	Pasadena ISD	x	
	Pearland ISD		Brazoria
	Santa Fe ISD		Galveston
	Spring ISD	x	
	Spring Branch ISD	x	
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>11</b>	



## 2021 SCHOOLS & DISTRICTS SERVED



Adam Elementary  
 Aldine Middle School  
 Alief Middle School  
 B.C. Elmore Elementary\*+  
 Baines Middle School  
 Bammel Middle School+  
 Barbara Jordan Elementary  
 Baylor College of Med. Acad. at  
 Ryan MS  
 Baytown Christian Academy\*  
 Beatrice Mayes Institute  
 Bernshausen Elementary+  
 Beth Yeshurun Day School+  
 Betty Sue Creech Elementary+  
 Billy Reagan K8 Educational  
 Center  
 Broadway Elementary\*+  
 Budewig Intermediate School  
 Bunker Hill Elementary\*  
 The Cambridge School\*  
 Christ the Redeemer Catholic  
 School  
 Cinco Ranch Junior High+  
 Clemente Martinez Elementary  
 Cloverleaf Elementary  
 College Park Elementary  
 Commonwealth Elementary+  
 Cornerstone Elementary+  
 Corpus Christi Catholic School  
 Cox Intermediate School+  
 Darul Arqam School Southwest  
 Davila Elementary  
 De Chaumes Elementary+  
 Deretchin Elementary  
 Dr. Johnny T. Clark, Jr.  
 Elementary\*\*

Dwight D Eisenhower High  
 School\*+  
 Duryea Elementary  
 E A Jones Elementary+  
 Elrod Elementary  
 Emerson Elementary  
 Epps Island Elementary  
 Falcon Ridge Elementary  
 Fall Creek Elementary+  
 Fonville Middle School  
 Foster Elementary  
 Gallegos Elementary+  
 Garden Oaks Montessori  
 Magnet  
 George I. Sanchez Charter  
 School  
 George Junior High  
 Gerald D. Irons, Sr. Junior High  
 Glenda Dawson High School+  
 Grantham Academy\*+  
 Gulfton Promise Head Start+  
 Harmony School of  
 Advancement+  
 Harmony School of Excellence-  
 Houston  
 Harmony Science Academy\*  
 Harvard Elementary\*+  
 Heights High School  
 Helen Major Elementary  
 Hobby Elementary\*  
 Horn Elementary  
 Horne Elementary\*+  
 Houston Gateway Academy,  
 Elite  
 Houston Gateway Academy,  
 Evergreen  
 Humble Classical Academy\*+

ILM Academy+  
 Isaacs Elementary  
 Jo Ella Exley Elementary\*  
 KIPP 3D Academy+  
 KIPP SHARP Lower School+  
 KIPP Voyage Academy+  
 Klein Forest High School  
 KnILE Center\*  
 Kujawa Elementary+  
 Langham Creek High School  
 Bob Lanier Middle School+  
 Lewis Elementary  
 Lycée International de Houston  
 MacArthur Senior High School  
 Macario Garcia Middle School  
 Magrill Elementary+  
 Mark Twain Elementary  
 Memorial Drive Elementary  
 Michael E. DeBakey High  
 School  
 Milstead Middle School  
 Montgomery Elementary  
 Moorhead Junior High  
 Needville Elementary  
 Needville High School  
 Needville Junior High\*+  
 Needville Middle School  
 North Houston Early College  
 HS  
 Northbrook Middle School+  
 Northside High School  
 Oaks Elementary  
 Oates Elementary\*  
 Odom Weaver Elementary  
 Our Lady Of Guadalupe  
 Catholic School+

Owens Elementary+  
 Park Place Elementary  
 Patrick Henry Middle School  
 Poe Elementary  
 Pomeroy Elementary\*+  
 Ponderosa Elementary\*  
 Pyburn Elementary\*  
 Randolph College\*+  
 Red Bluff Elementary\*+  
 Resurrection Catholic School+  
 River Oaks Baptist School  
 Rodger and Ellen Beck Junior High\*+  
 Roosevelt Elementary\*  
 San Jacinto Intermediate School\*+  
 Sartartia Middle School  
 School For Young Children+  
 Scroggins Elementary  
 Second Baptist School  
 Shadydale Elementary\*  
 St Stephen's Episcopal School  
 St. Anne Catholic School+  
 St. Augustine Catholic School  
 St. John Paul II Catholic School  
 St. Laurence Catholic School\*  
 St. Thomas More Parish School

Stephen F. Austin Elementary+  
 Stewart Elementary+  
 Strake Jesuit College Preparatory  
 Stratford High School  
 Summerwood Elementary  
 T. H. Rogers School\*  
 Texas A&M University+  
 Texas Challenge Academy\*  
 The Awty International School  
 The Honor Roll School+  
 The Kinkaid School  
 The Post Oak School+  
 The Regis School of the Sacred Heart  
 The Tenney School  
 The Varnett School - Northeast  
 The Varnett School - Southeast  
 The Varnett School - Southwest  
 The Village School\*+  
 Thornwood Elementary\*  
 Tice Elementary\*  
 Tomball Connections Academy  
 Trinity Klein Lutheran School\*  
 University of Houston-Downtown+  
 Velasco Elementary\*+  
 Mabel B. Wesley Elementary

Westchester Academy for  
 International Studies\*  
 Wildcat Way School\*+  
 Woodson PK-5 School\*  
 Worthing High School  
 Yes Prep Brays Oaks  
 YES Prep Hobby  
 YES Prep North Central  
 YES Prep Northwest  
 YES Prep Southeast  
 YES Prep West  
 YES Prep White Oak+  
 YES Prep-East End Campus+  
 Young Elementary  
 Young Women's College Preparatory  
 Academy





# 2017-2022 SIGNIFICANT SCHOOL CASES AND SUCCESS STORIES



## FEBRUARY 2017

**Terroristic Threat at a Local High School:** After school on February 7, 2017, a 9th Grade student told other students of his plan to place bombs in the school's cafeteria on the following day. The student went on to say that after the bombs exploded, while the students were fleeing the building, they would be shot. A tipster called Crime Stoppers on February 8th and provided that information. The tipster did not know the number of bombs the juvenile allegedly had or if the juvenile was working alone. An investigator immediately contacted a Campus Officer. The juvenile was arrested for 3rd Degree Felony Terroristic Threat and charged. No explosive devices were discovered on the school campus. The juvenile suspect was held at the Harris County Juvenile Detention Center for a period of days and then released into the custody of his parents. This plot was thwarted and the juvenile suspect was arrested due to the Crime Stoppers tip.

## MARCH 2017

**Extensive Property Damage at a Local High School:** In March 2017, a local high school contacted Crime Stoppers for assistance on a case that involved property damage of the school's track and field area. The school police felt that the suspect was a student and asked for a Crime Stoppers flyer offering a reward for the case to be posted around the campus. Shortly after the flyers were posted an anonymous student tipster called the tip line and provided the name of the student suspect as well as a video of the suspect using a tractor to destroy school property. The estimated damages to the field and other property was over \$18,000. The suspect was arrested on April 11, 2017 as a result of the tip provided.

## OCTOBER 2017

**9mm at a Local High School:** On October 18, 2017, at 10:56 a.m., a call came into the tip line regarding a social media conversation about a student at a local high school who had a gun in the waist band of his pants. Crime Stoppers notified the school resource officer of the student that had a weapon in the classroom. The resource officer and the assistant principle located the student in the classroom and instructed him to exit the class. After searching the student, no gun was located. The assistant principal instructed the remaining students to step out of the classroom to complete a thorough search for a weapon. A couple of rows over from where suspect was sitting, another student's back pack was located that contained a black Glock 17 (9) millimeter automatic weapon. The school resource officer took possession of the weapon and ensured it was secured. As a direct result of the student tipster, charges of possession of prohibited weapon in a weapon free zone were filed on the student that actually had the gun.

## **FEBRUARY 2018**

Self-Harm by a Local High School Student: On February 27, 2018, a tipster sent a message through the Mobile Crime Stoppers App providing information on a student who cut her herself and believed she was in danger of causing additional harm to herself. The tipster identified where the female cut herself and that she is a 9th grader at a local High School. The Crime Stoppers investigator contacted the Assistant Principle and advised a student may be harming herself by cutting and suggested she and the school nurse contact the student. The Assistant Principle spoke to the student and verified that she had indeed cut herself on the arms. This occurred due to a break up with her boyfriend. The Assistant Principle reached out to the mother and was able to provide her with some literature and resources for counseling. Based on the tip, the students file will be noted that she is a possible harm to herself and close attention will be paid to her by teachers and counselors. The tipster is receiving a Crime Stoppers reward for providing information that led to this student being identified and helped.

## **AUGUST 2018**

School Threat at a Local High School: In August 2018, Crime Stoppers of Houston received a tip through the mobile app regarding a threat against a local school. The tipster said that another student was planning to shoot people the following Monday. Crime Stoppers quickly notified the school and law enforcement. When questioned the student suspect denied the allegations but did admit to speaking with two friends about guns. The friends asked the suspect if he wanted to shoot anyone to which he answered no. He did admit that he had access to guns at home but that they are locked in a safe. The suspect also said that he was sad from being bullied and made fun of about his stutter. School officials notified the suspects parents and gave the student an administrative discipline.

Inappropriate Pictures at a Local High School: On August 24th, 2018, Crime Stoppers of Houston received a tip through the website regarding inappropriate pictures of a female student that were being shared. The tipster provided the name of a male student that posted and texted the pictures. Crime Stoppers contacted the school administrators who were able to determine that one of the suspects did in fact have pictures of a female student and posted them on a social media site. As a result of the tip, the male student received an administrative discipline.

## **FEBRUARY 2019**

Attempted Suicide of a Local High School Student: A student tipster called the tip line in February 2019 reporting they were worried that a friend might commit suicide. The student in question had been cutting their arms and had attempted to kill themselves several times in the past and recently cut their wrists to the point of passing out from blood loss. The tipster was very worried because the student was talking a lot about suicide that day and they were afraid he/she would actually go through with it. The school counselor was notified and assessed the student and a safety plan was put in place for the student and their family.

## **APRIL 2019**

Self-Harm at a Local Junior High: A mobile app tip was received in April 2019 regarding a student that had made threats to commit suicide. The tipster reported that the student had a traumatic experience a few years prior and "just doesn't want to deal with it anymore". The student was also felt extreme stress around school, being a good role model and friend. School counselors were notified and reported back that on a threat scale of 1-10 the student was at an 8. As a result of this tip, the student and their parents received administrative support.

## **AUGUST 2019**

Threats at a Local High School: In August 2019 two students got into a fight at a local high school. The aggressor received a three-day suspension and proceeded to make very explicit threats against the other student on social media. An anonymous tipster utilized the Crime Stoppers mobile app to report the threats. School officials were notified immediately and steps were taken to protect the victim.

## **JANUARY 2020**

A Houston Area High School had a weapon related fatality and had our Deputy Director speak on the Tip Line to educate on what to do in the event of knowing about a situation that may occur or has occurred. As well as how to use the mobile app or call the tip line number, what the process looks like and how to potentially receive a cash reward.

## **JANUARY 2021**

A Houston Area High school had a situation in the fall semester surrounding explicit content and relational safety. After this situation occurred the counselor reached out to the Safe School Institute and had us present to their th-12th grade students on Teen Dating Violence to bring awareness around the topic but also laws, consequences and long term affects.



## **APRIL 2021**

A Fort Bend Area Middle School had us out to present on Cyber Safety. In between presentations, the education specialist was approached and told that after they had finished with the 6th grade and 7th grade presentation, there had been 4 disclosures about bullying and theft of student items on campus that they were able to solve and return the items back to the owner.

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## **OCTOBER 2021**

A Houston Area Elementary School had us out to present on Bullying Prevention. The counselor then followed up with the education specialist who presented and made them aware of a bullying and harassment situation regarding a group of students in one of the grades. She reached out to make sure that she was following the proper protocol of reporting the bullying / harassment situation. This then lead the Safe School Institute to create Educator Flow charts to assists educators and professional safe in the school system when handling certain situations and what potential next steps are.

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## **JANUARY 2022**

The Safe School Institute received numerous requests from school counselors across the Houston area for resources specific to preventing student vaping. To address this growing trend, the team created a vaping specific student presentation, post-presentation assessments, and held virtual webinars (SAVE Webinars) designed for school educators, admin, school staff, and other Crime Stoppers organization across the state to best empower schools across Texas.

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## **JANUARY 2022**

A Harris County Charter School had an incident with their 11th grade students and reached out to the Safe School Institute to request the Teen Dating and Sexual Misconduct presentation. We spoke to their 11th graders about the legal ramifications of teen dating violence and sexual misconduct. Additionally, we talked about red flags, consequences and how to advocate for oneself and others. As a preventative measure, we also spoke to lower grades that day as well, as a form of prevention on this topic.

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## **APRIL 2022**

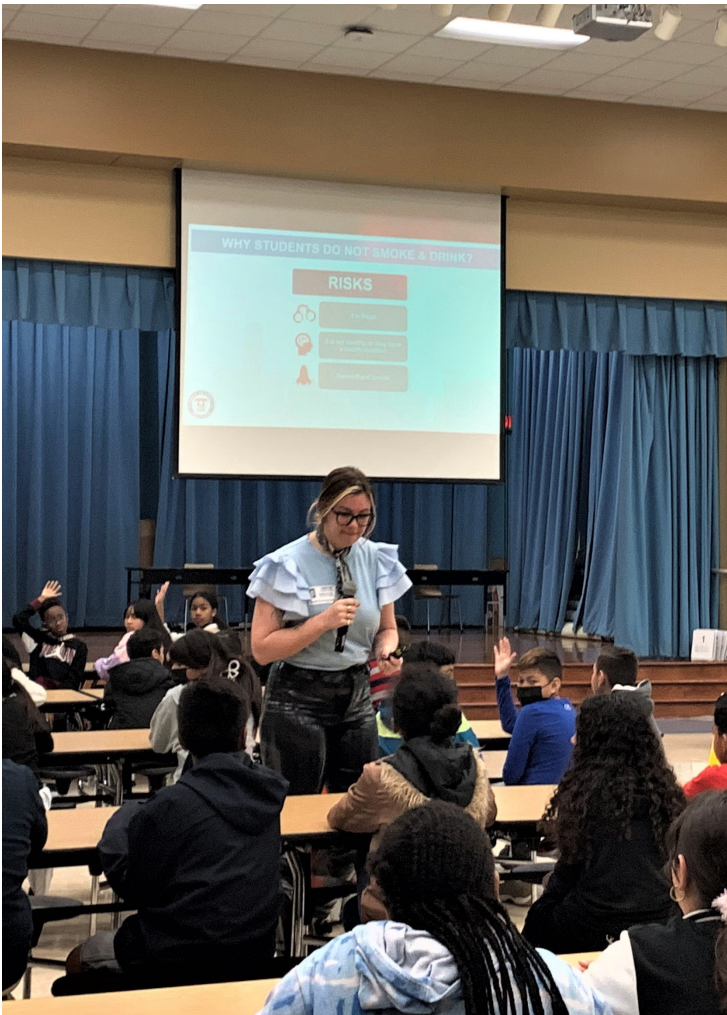
A Fort Bend area Middle School invited us to talk to 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students about cyber safety. During a discussion about the Tip Line, the campus Safety Resource Officer reiterated the use and importance of the Tip Line. Shortly after that presentation, the principal told our team that several 6th graders reported information they had about incidents that had occurred recently. Administration was able to recover stolen goods and intervene in a bullying situation.

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## **NOVEMBER 2022**

A Montgomery County Middle School invited Crime Stoppers out to talk about Cyber Safety with their 6th and 7th graders. After one of the presentations, a group of students came up to the presenter and shared their concerns about a new app they had been using called "GAS". The students shared that the app was asked for personal information like full name, school, and grade. Our presentation raised concerns about the app among the students, so they asked our team for advice on what to do. The presenter was able to help them figure out the safe thing to do, as well as provide school staff with some information to help support the students.







# STATEWIDE EXPANSION

## BACKGROUND

On May 30, 2018, Governor Greg Abbott unveiled his multifaceted “School and Firearm Safety Action Plan” in response to the Santa Fe High School shooting that occurred on May 18, 2018. His Action Plan includes expanding campus Crime Stoppers programs statewide. As the largest Crime Stoppers organization in the country, the Texas Criminal Justice Division asked Crime Stoppers of Houston to roll out our Safe School Program to as many Crime Stoppers organizations across the state – reaching approximately 1,800 school districts.

In response, we are committed to sharing our program, training stakeholders, developing curriculum, and engaging the community so that every Crime Stoppers organization operating within the State of Texas can offer their local schools and their entire community the same life-saving tools and resources we have here.



To date, we have hosted **18 statewide trainings**. In 2018, we held our first quarterly training at our headquarters, followed by 6 more in-person quarterly trainings through February 2020. However, with the onset of COVID 19, we moved our trainings to a virtual platform for the remainder of 2020 through present. We’ve **reached 248 Crime Stoppers groups/affiliates within Texas**, 31 Crime Stoppers groups/affiliates from around the USA and internationally, and will continue to host quarterly trainings moving forward.

## TRAININGS

We began preparing to roll out this initiative by engaging with each organization, over a 4-week period in June 2018, to determine their interest in replicating our Safe School Program in their area.

173 Crime Stoppers organizations and ISDs statewide responded to our extensive survey with the following outcome:

- 143 organizations or 88.27% are requesting a copy of our entire Safe School Program
- 123 organizations or 77.85% are ready to send a representative to Houston immediately for training
- 120 organizations or 82.76% are asking for our branding guidelines to make the statewide look of Crime Stoppers more cohesive

The training course content offered is as follows:

### Statewide Training Content: Day 1

- School Program Analysis & Implementation
- School Program in Action
- Safe School Program 101
- School Program Evaluation & Tracking / Tip Line Assessment & Training
- Community Branding

### Statewide Training Content: Day 2

- Cyber Safety & Human Trafficking Awareness
- Cyber Safety - Teens
- be nice.® (Mental Health Awareness)
- Bullying Prevention - Teens
- Teen Dating Safety/Violence and Sexual Misconduct



## STATEWIDE TRAININGS - COMMUNITIES REACHED

- Abilene Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Abilene Police Department
- Academy of Accelerated Learning
- Aldine Independent School District
- Alief ISD
- American InterContinental University
- Aransas Pass Police Department
- Arlington ISD
- Atacosa County Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Austin County Crime Stoppers
- Austin County Sheriff's Office
- Baytown Crime Stoppers
- Baytown Police Department
- Bell County Crime Stoppers
- Bellaire High School - Houston ISD
- Bellville Police Department/Austin County CS
- Bexar County Crime Stoppers
- Brazoria County Crime Stoppers
- Brazoria Crime Sheriff's Office
- Brazos County Crime Stoppers
- Brazos County Sheriff's Office
- Brazosport Independent School District
- Breckenridge Police Department
- Brenham Washington County Crime Stoppers
- Brownsville Police Department
- Calhoun County Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Calhoun County Independent School District
- Cameron County Crime Stoppers (CCCS)
- Cano Freshman Academy
- CCISD
- Cen-Tex Crime Stoppers
- CFISD
- Chambers County Crime Stoppers
- Change Happens
- Channelview ISD
- City of Houston Municipal Court
- Clear Creek Independent School District
- Coastal Bend Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Collaborating Voices Foundation
- Communities in Schools
- Coppell Crime Stoppers
- Coppell Police Department
- Copperas Cove Crime Stoppers
- Copperas Cove ISD
- Corpus Christi Crime Stoppers
- Corsicana ISD Police Department
- Counter Terrorist Unit Security Federal Academy
- Crime Stoppers Jackson Madison County Inc,
- Crime Stoppers of El Paso, Inc.
- Crime Stoppers of Ellis County
- Crime Stoppers of Greater New Orleans
- Crime Stoppers of Houston
- Crime Stoppers of Johnson County
- Crime Stoppers of Lufkin
- Crime Stoppers of Panama
- Crime Stoppers of Puget Sound
- Crime Stoppers of San Antonio, Inc.
- Crime Stoppers of South Texas, Inc.
- Crime Stoppers of Southeast Texas, Inc.
- Crime Stoppers of Tarrant County
- Crime Stoppers of Wilson County
- Crime Stoppers of Wise County
- Daingerfield Crime Stoppers
- Daingerfield ISD PD
- Dallas ISD Police
- Dayton Independent School District
- Denton County Crime Stoppers
- Denton County Sheriff's Office
- Dickinson Independent School District
- Donna Crime Stoppers
- Donna Police Department
- Duncanville ISD Police/North Texas Crime Stoppers
- Edinburg Crime Stoppers
- Ellis County Crime Stoppers
- Elsie Ninth Grade Center
- ESC Region 7
- Falfurrias Police Department
- Falls County Crime Stoppers
- Families CAN
- FBI
- First Responders Supports When Dealing with Neurodiversity
- Floresville ISD Police Department
- Forney ISD Police Department
- Fort Bend County Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Fort Bend County Sheriff's Department
- Fort Bend Independent School District
- Galena Park ISD
- Gatesville Police Department
- Gillespie County Crime Stoppers
- Gillespie County Sheriff's Office
- Goose Creek CISD Sterling High School
- Granbury Crime Stoppers
- Grand Prairie Crime Stoppers
- Grayson County Sheriff's Office
- Greater Houston Concerns of Police Survivors
- Grimes County Crime Stoppers
- Grimes County Sheriff's Office
- Guadalupe County Crime Stoppers
- Guadalupe County Sheriff's Office
- Gulf Coast Center
- Hale County Crime Stoppers
- Harlingen Area Crime Stoppers, Inc
- Harlingen Police Department
- Harmony Public Schools
- Harmony School of Advancement
- Harmony School of Discovery
- Harmony School of Innovation
- Harmony School of Innovation Brownsville
- Harmony School of Science-El Paso
- Harmony Science Academy Brownsville
- Harmony Science Academy-Cedar Park
- Harmony Science Academy Dallas
- Harris County Community Youth Services
- Harris County Constable Precinct 7
- Harris County CPS
- Harris County Department of Education
- Harris County Juvenile Probation Department
- Harris County Municipal Court
- Harris County Protective Services
- Harris County Resources for Children & Adults
- Harris County Youth Services
- Hays County Crime Stoppers
- Hays County Sheriff's Office
- Heart of Texas Crime Stoppers Organization
- Hidalgo County Crime Stoppers
- Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office
- Hill County Area Crime Stoppers
- Hood County Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Hood County Sheriff's Office
- Hopkins County Sheriff's Office
- Houston Independent School District
- Houston Municipal Court Dept.
- Houston Police Department
- Houston Police, Youth Police Advisory Council
- Hunt County Crime Stoppers
- Huntsville Police Department
- Italy Police Department
- JCM Industries Inc.
- John Jay High School
- Johnson County Crime Stoppers
- Joshua PD
- JP Court Wraparound Program (TRIAD)
- Karnes County Crime Stoppers
- Katy Independent School District
- Katy ISD Police Department
- Kaufman County Crime Stoppers
- Kaufman ISD Police Department
- Kendall County Crime Stoppers
- Kendall County Sheriff's Office
- Kerr County Crime Stoppers
- Kerr County Crime Stoppers Inc.
- Kerr County Sheriff's Office
- Killeen Police Department
- Killeen Career Center
- Killeen ISD
- Kingsville Crime Stoppers
- Kingsville Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Kingsville Police Department
- KIPP Northeast College Preparatory
- Klein Independent School District
- Klein ISD Police Department
- La Joya ISD Campus Crime Stoppers



# STATEWIDE EXPANSION

## COMMUNITIES REACHED

- Lake County Crime Stoppers
- Lamar & Red River County Crime Stoppers
- Lamar Consolidated ISD
- Laredo Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Laredo Police Department
- Lavaca County Crime Stoppers
- Lufkin Police Department
- Madison County Crime Stoppers
- Mainland Communities Crime Stopper in Texas City
- McAllen Crime Stoppers
- McAllen Crime Stoppers/McAllen PD
- Meadowlands Charter School
- Mercedes Crime Stoppers
- Montgomery County Crime Stoppers
- Montgomery County Sheriff's Office
- North Texas Crime Commission
- Northeast Texas Area Crime Stoppers
- Northside ISD- John Jay HS
- Odessa Crime Stoppers
- Parker County Crime Stoppers
- Pawnee ISD
- Pearland ISD
- Pegasus Charter School
- Perryton - Ochiltree Crime Stoppers
- Pharr-San Juan- Alamo ISD Police Department
- Plainview Hale County Crime Stoppers
- Plainview Police Department
- Plano Campus Crime Stoppers
- Plano Police Department
- Polk County Crime Stoppers
- Raven Campus Crime Stoppers
- Reach Council
- Region 3 ESC
- Rio Grande City Crime Stoppers
- Robertson County Crime Stoppers, Inc.
- Rockwall County Crime stoppers
- Rockwall PD
- Royal ISD
- Royal ISD PD
- Rusk County Crime Stoppers
- Rusk County Sheriff's Department
- San Antonio ISD Police Department
- San Antonio Police Department
- San Juan Crime Stoppers
- San Juan Police Department
- San Marcos Police Department
- SC Lee Junior High School
- Sealy ISD Police Department
- Sensoleak Global Inc
- Southwest Schools
- Spring Branch ISD
- Spring ISD
- Spring ISD Police Department
- St Martha Catholic School
- St. John XXIII College Prep
- Taylor County Sheriff's Office
- Texarkana Crime Stoppers
- Texas A&M International University
- Texas Crime Stoppers - Office of Govenor Greg Abbott
- Texas Department of Criminal Justice Office of the Inspector General
- Texas Education Agency
- The ButterflyProject
- The Council on Recovery
- The Varnett Public Schools
- Travis Middle School
- Trinity County Crime Stoppers
- TWU DPS
- Tyler Crime Stoppers
- Van Zandt County Crime Stoppers
- Vegan Flag
- Vernon/Wilbarger Crime Stoppers Organization
- Victoria Crime Stoppers
- Victoria Police Department
- Walker County Crime Stoppers
- Walker County/Hunstville Crime Stoppers
- Waller County Crime Stoppers
- Wharton County Sheriff's Office
- Wichita Falls Crime Stoppers
- Wichita Falls Police Department
- Williamson County Crime Stoppers
- Williamson County Sheriff's Office
- Wilson County Crime Stoppers
- Wise County Sheriff's Office
- Wood County Crime Stoppers
- YES Prep Northbrook High School
- YES Prep Public Schools

\*As of December 2022



# STATEWIDE EXPANSION

## 2023 GOALS

### 2023

- **The Safe School Institute is expanding their prevention education like never before.**

- Crime Stoppers of Houston is hiring and developing a statewide team of presenters to meet the needs of students, school staff, and parents in Texas.
- Through our quarterly Statewide Trainings, which started in 2018, and partnership with the Texas Education Agency and Education Service Centers, we have created a demand for the Safe School Institute's interactive lessons, presentations, and curriculum. Crime Stoppers of Houston is meeting that need by building a robust team of presenters to spread awareness and valuable education on personal and school safety subject matter. So far, the Statewide Safe School team includes Statewide Director Jenna Fondren, Statewide Manager Ernesto Reyes, and Statewide Education Specialist Cally Conklin. We hope to hire two more education specialists by the summer of 2023.

- **The statewide team will be responsible for facilitating presentation requests outside of the Greater Houston Area and building relationships with school campuses and districts across major cities and small towns.**

- In 2023, the statewide team aims to reach 10,000 students, 2,000 parents, and 2,000 educators.

**We strive to show the Safe School Institute is not only a resource but a solution for school safety education and look forward to keeping Texas schools safe!**





# CRIME STOPPERS OF HOUSTON

## STATEWIDE IMPACT

### 2022 QUARTERLY TRAININGS STATEWIDE

Number of Statewide Trainings Held	4
Number of Crime Stoppers Organizations, Law Enforcement and ISD's Reached Directly	42
Numbers of ISD's Impacted Based on Proximity to Trained Crime Stoppers Organizations	193
Number of Webinar Platform Presentations Available	40
Number of Webinar Platform Views	678

### 2022 S.A.V.E



In addition to our quarterly statewide trainings, we have a created program named S.A.V.E. – Critical Conversations that SAVE lives. In partnership with the Texas Education Agency (TEA), we began presenting the webinar series, S.A.V.E. (Safety Awareness, Valuable Education). It serves as a platform to inform, educate and provide resources for teachers, school administrators, school based law enforcement, school related safety personnel, as well as all Crime Stoppers organizations on the many topics that concern the safety of our schools and community.

Number of Webinar Platform Presentations Available	38
Number of Webinar Platform View	677

### STATEWIDE TRAININGS | TESTIMONIALS

*Overall the training was great. The spreadsheets that Nichole shared are amazing! The Lt. did an amazing job of explaining the relationships between agencies and organizations. It was also very evident that all the presenters love their jobs and that is exciting to see. I can not wait to get the program started in our district.*

*Again that you so much for providing this virtual training. I thoroughly enjoyed it. Very informative, I'm ready to get our program started!*

#### VICKI MERCADO


Safety Coordinator, Duncanville ISD (TX)

*Thank you for inviting me to the training! I live in Tucson, Arizona and we are two hours behind Houston, so your 8:30 am start is 6:30 am for me. I was so excited to join your first presentation on Monday morning that I started my day much earlier than usual. I was really glad I did... definitely worth it. Thank you!*

#### LINDA MCCOLLUM

88-CRIME Program Director  
Pima County (AZ)

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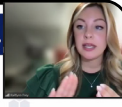


The Tip Line Program is used to report any and all crime related activity by **anonymously**

Calling

Using the mobile app

Submitting through our website



# STATEWIDE TRAININGS | TESTIMONIALS

*[These] recorded trainings – could be very useful to all other Crime Stoppers entities all over the world and for our country in particular. Thank you indeed for your professional support!*

**DMITRII DEMYDOV**

CEO Crime Stoppers Ukraine, KYIV, Ukraine

*Thank you for the training opportunity. I liked that we could attend online and thought the way the Zoom presentations were handled was great! The were extremely easy to log-in and attend. The presenters were very knowledgeable. Thanks!*

**TANIA FRENCH**

Calhoun County Crime Stoppers (AL)

*Thank you for the training I found it very informative and enjoyed it. appreciate you all providing this resource.*

**LINDSAY KILBURN**

Crime Stoppers Jackson  
Madison County (TN)  
Madison County Sheriffs  
Office



*Just wanted to say thank you for offering these training opportunities! Myself and my Board members got a lot out of them.*

**TRISH ROUTTE**

Coordinator at Southwest Florida  
Crime Stoppers (FL)

*Training was very informative and I will be able to utilize it within my organization.*

**CHAVELA HAMPTON, CHIEF**

Duncanville ISD Police Department  
(TX)

*Very well done!*

**PAUL W JAWORSKI**

President and CEO of Crime  
Stoppers Council of Broward County







# MEDIA ENGAGEMENT

Since inception, support from local and national media partners has played a critical role in the crime fighting and prevention industry. This support has allowed Crime Stoppers of Houston to thwart criminal activity and educate the public on prevailing and timely public safety issues in an area with a population of over 6.18 million.

Through digital media, online blogs, television and radio interviews, print publications and social media marketing, we have furthered our efforts of creating a safer community for all those who call Houston home.

## MEDIA APPEARANCES







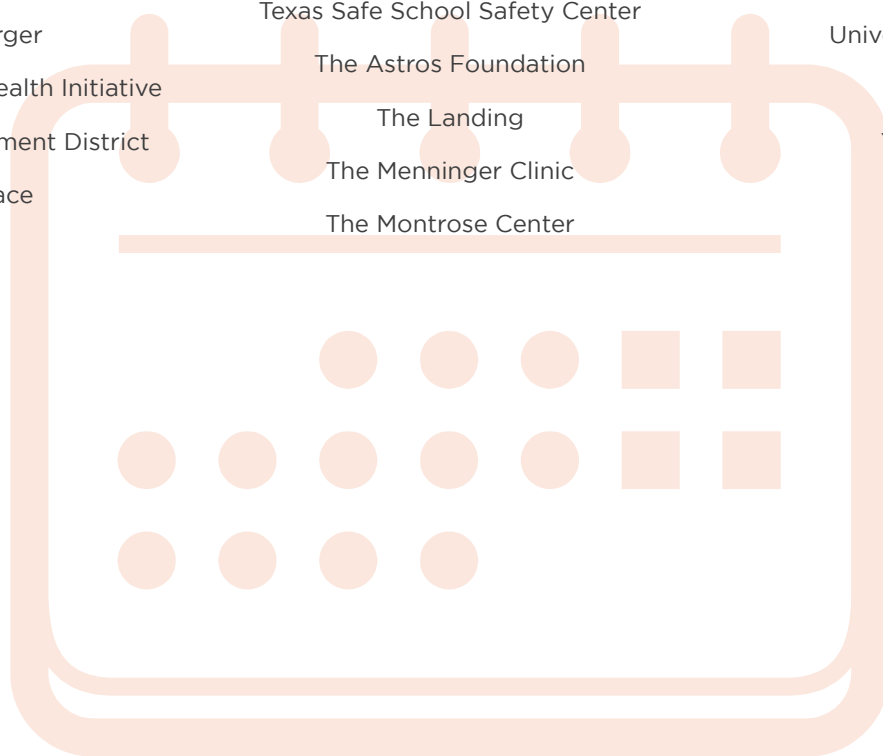
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## PROGRAMS

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AARP	Fort Bend Women's Center	Houston Area Women's Center
Adult Protective Services	Freedom Church Alliance	Houston Baptist University
Aid to Victims of Domestic Abuse (AVDA)	Freedom Place	Houston Citizen's Police Academy Alumni Association
ALIVE	Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Council	Houston Homeowner Associations
Aquatics Research Group	Girls Empowerment Network	Houston Humane Society
Arrow Child and Family Ministries	Greater Houston Women's Chamber of Commerce	Houston Parks and Recreation Department
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Bark	Harris County District Attorney's Office-Victim Witness Division	Houston Police Department-Crime Victim Service Unit
Bay Area Turning Point	Harris County Domestic Violence Coordinating Council	Houston Rescue and Restore Coalition
Baylor College of Medicine	Harris County Independent School Districts	Houston-Metro Internet Crimes against Children Task Force
be nice.	Harris County Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program	Jetblue
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Child Advocates	Harris Health	Mental Health America
Child Proof America	Healthcare for the Homeless	Midtown Management District
Children at Risk	Home of Hope	Moms Demand Actions
Children's Assessment Center	Hope Ministry	Montgomery County District Attorney's Office, Special Crimes Bureau
City of Houston Health Department	Hope Pyx	National Center of Missing and Exploited Children
Community in Schools	Hope Rising Ministries	Not in Our City
Community Youth Services	Houston 20	Operation Texas Shield
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School Behavioral Health Initiative	The Landing	YMCA
Southwest Management District	The Menninger Clinic	YoungLife
Street Grace	The Montrose Center	



## LAW ENFORCEMENT .....

Aldine Independent School District Police	Harris County Constable Precinct 5	Pearland Police Department
Alief Independent School District Police	Harris County Constable Precinct 6	Santa Fe Police Department
Attorney General's Victim Services division	Harris County Constable Precinct 7	Sheldon Independent School District Police
Baytown Police Department	Harris County Constable Precinct 8	Spring Branch Independent School District Police
Bellaire Police Department	Harris County District Attorney's Office	Spring Independent School District Police
Channel View Independent School District Police	Harris County District Criminal Courts	Stafford Police Department
City of Houston Public Safety Advisory Committee	Harris County Sheriff's Office	Sugar Land Police Department
Clear Creek Independent School District Police	Hedwig Village Police Department	Texas Attorney General's Office
Conroe Police Department	Houston Community College Police Department	Texas Department of Public Safety
Crosby Independent School District Police	Houston Fire Department	Texas Rangers
Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District Police	Houston Independent School District Police	The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives
Dayton Independent School District Police	Houston Police Department	Tomball Independent School District Police
Deer Park Independent School District Police	Huffman Independent School District Police	Tomball Police Department
Deer Park Police Department	Humble Independent School District Police	United States Marshals Service
Federal Bureau of Investigation	Humble Police Department	University of Houston Police Department
Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office	Katy Independent School District Police	Waller County Sheriff's Office
Friendswood Independent School District Police	Katy Police Department	Waller Independent School District Police
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Galena Park Independent School District Police	La Porte Independent School District Police	
Galena Park Police Department	La Porte Police Department	
Galveston County Sheriff's Office	Lone Star College Police Department	
Goose Creek Consolidated Independent School District Police	Memorial Village Police Department	
Gulf Coast Violent Offenders Task Force	Metro Police Department	
Harris County Constable Precinct 1	Missouri City Police Department	
Harris County Constable Precinct 2	Montgomery County Sheriff's Office	
Harris County Constable Precinct 3	Montgomery Independent School District Police	
Harris County Constable Precinct 4	Office of the Attorney General	
	Pasadena Independent School District Police	
	Pasadena Police Department	

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 97.9 The Box  
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