



Crime Data Follow Up

On April 8th the Police Department presented an overview of crime data to City Council. Based on the feedback we received; we have prepared a presentation that will cover:

- Crime Rates by Council District
 - Comparison of Corpus Christi Crime Rates to Other US Cities of Similar Population
 - Crimes by and against homeless population
 - Crime Prevention Programs
 - Narcotics crimes
 - Gangs and gang related crimes
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Crime Rate by Council District

Violent Crime Rate by District
Per 10,000
(Murder, Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault)

District	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
District 1	136	117	113	125	129
District 2	105	116	96	103	112
District 3	98	104	83	91	87
District 4	52	52	49	48	43
District 5	23	23	20	29	22



Crime Rate by Council District

Property Crime Rate by District
Per 10,000
(Burglary, Larceny, Motor Vehicle Theft)

Location	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
District 1	419	338	353	339	339
District 2	355	353	337	360	358
District 3	381	363	350	339	313
District 4	248	240	233	255	210
District 5	127	148	115	122	117



2023 Violent Crime Rates : Cities With Comparable Population

City	Population	Violent Crime	Per 10k	Murder	Per 10k	Rape	Per 10k	Robbery	Per 10k	Agg Assault	Per 10k
Bakersfield, CA	413,376	3,490	84	29	1	251	6	599	14	2,611	63
Tampa, FL	403,361	1,882	47	41	1	180	4	266	7	1,395	35
Arlington, TX	398,423	1,945	49	17	0	300	8	232	6	1,396	35
Wichita, KS	396,123	4,569	115	39	1	357	9	416	11	3,757	95
Aurora, CO	394,701	3,801	96	41	1	344	9	578	15	2,838	72
New Orleans	364,136	4,957	136	193	5	681	19	656	18	3,427	94
Cleveland, OH	362,670	6,166	170	138	4	461	13	1,614	45	3,953	109
Honolulu	341,753	2,166	63	20	1	343	10	605	18	1,198	35
Anaheim, CA	340,505	2,278	67	8	0	135	4	480	14	1,655	49
Henderson, NV	337,280	992	29	10	0	89	3	203	6	690	20
Lexington, KY	320,154	823	26	21	1	190	6	245	8	367	11
Stockton, CA	319,537	3,726	117	50	2	134	4	1,097	34	2,445	77
Riverside, CA	318,855	1,774	56	10	0	173	5	456	14	1,135	36
Corpus Christi	316,603	2,585	82	20	1	176	6	364	11	2,025	64
Cincinnati, OH	311,112	2,275	73	68	2	228	7	645	21	1,334	43
Santa Ana, CA	310,523	1,713	55	6	0	178	6	387	12	1,142	37
St. Paul, MN	303,827	1,879	62	27	1	204	7	381	13	1,267	42
Pittsburgh, PA	303,254	1,519	50	47	2	104	3	473	16	895	30
St. Louis, MO	281,754	4,070	144	160	6	209	7	729	26	2,972	105

Corpus Christi rank

Violent Crime

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Murder

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Rape

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Robbery

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Agg Assault

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2023 Property Crime Rates: Cities With Comparable Population

City	Total Sq. Miles	Officers	Pop.	Prop crime	Per 10k	Burglary	Per 10k	Larceny	Per 10k	UUMV	Per 10k
Bakersfield	151.2	467	413,376	13,928	337	2,878	70	6,686	162	4,364	106
Tampa	175.83	944	403,361	6,768	168	804	20	5,194	129	770	19
Arlington ²	99.44	697	398,423	10,253	257	1,256	32	7,369	185	1,628	41
Wichita	138.9	664	396,123	19,001	480	2,196	55	14,730	372	2,075	52
Aurora	154.19	680	394,701	14,994	380	1,746	44	7,955	202	5,293	134
New Orleans	350.2	910	364,136	18,536	509	1,742	48	10,091	277	6,703	184
Cleveland	82.47	1175	362,670	17,609	486	3,251	90	9,132	252	5,226	144
Honolulu	600	1800	341,753	20,689	605	2,102	62	14,523	425	4,064	119
Anaheim	50.88	424	340,505	8,264	243	1,529	45	5,138	151	1,597	47
Henderson	106.92	489	337,280	6,942	206	830	25	4,399	130	1,713	51
Lexington	285.54	540	320,154	8,853	277	1,085	34	6,510	203	1,258	39
Stockton ³	65.25	349	319,537	9,793	306	1,856	58	5,612	176	2,325	73
Riverside	81.54	357	318,855	10,972	344	1,848	58	7,234	227	1,890	59
Corpus Christi	154	458	316,603	9,028	285	1,499	47	6,603	209	926	29
Cincinnati	79.54	916	311,112	13,280	427	1,916	62	7,591	244	3,773	121
Santa Ana	27.37	350	310,523	6,269	202	1,163	37	3,844	124	1,262	41
St. Paul	56.2	590	303,827	9,298	306	1,306	43	5,910	195	2,082	69
Pittsburgh	58.35	777	303,254	7,560	249	823	27	5,989	197	748	25
St. Louis	69.99	926	281,754	18,010	639	2,120	75	9,670	343	6,220	221

Corpus Christi Rank

Prop crime

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Burglary

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Larceny

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UUMV

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Homeless Crime

Homeless Offenders	2023	2024
Homicide	0	1
Sexual Assault	4	0
Aggravated Assault	7	12
Robbery	3	6
Burglary	10	15
Larceny	48	58
UUMV	3	0
Public Intoxication	100	86
Criminal Trespass	157	164
Drug Possession	119	106
Warrant of Arrest	143	138

Homeless Victims	2023	2024
Homicide	0	1
Sexual Assault	6	5
Aggravated Assault	16	23
Robbery	9	12
Burglary	3	2
Larceny	18	20
UUMV	1	1
Assault	50	48



Our Federal, State, and Local Partners

United States Secret Service	Texas Comptroller's Office
Federal Bureau of Investigations*	Texas Child Protective Services
US Immigration and Customs Enforcement	Texas Adult Protective Services
Bureau Of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms*	Nueces County Sheriff's Office
Drug Enforcement Administration*	Nueces County District Attorney's Office
United States Marshals Service*	Nueces County CCSD/Adult Probation Dept.
Homeland Security Investigations*	Nueces County Juvenile Justice Center
Texas Rangers	Nueces County Constables
Department of Public Safety	Coastal Bend Wellness Foundation
Texas Attorney General's Office	CCISD Police Department
Texas Dept. of Licensing and Regulation	Port of Corpus Christi Police Department

*denotes CCPD Task Force Officers



CCPD Units and Initiatives

Crime Reduction Unit

Directed Patrol Unit

Bike Unit

Enduro Unit

Gang Unit

Violent Crime Unit

Internet Crimes Against Children Unit

Pawn Shop Detail

Crime Victim Advocates

Family Violence Counselor

Crime Prevention Advisor

Sex Offender Registration

Corpus Christi Police Athletic League

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Weekly Gun Crime Intel Meeting

Neighbors on Watch

National Night Out

Homeless Weekly Outreach Coalition

Crime Prevention Presentations

Crime Prevention Security Surveys

Sex Offender Compliance Checks

Corpus Christi Against Loss

Bears and Badges

Explorer Post 133

Red Ribbon Week

Shop with a Cop

Christmas Angels

Operation Safe Return

Red Cord Initiative



CITY WIDE – Drug Cases

POCS – Possession of Controlled Substance	CITY WIDE TOTALS	
	2023	2024
POCS (PG1) - Methamphetamine, Cocaine, Heroin, Fentanyl	1166	1211
POCS (PG2) - THC Products (Vapes, Wax, Edibles), Ecstasy	421	429
POCS (PG3) - Commonly abused pills (Xanax, Hydrocodone)	215	164
POCS (PG4) - Codeine (<200 mg per 100 milliliters or 100 grams)	8	6
POCS (PG2A) - Synthetic Cannabinoids	202	293
Possession of Marijuana	952	837
Possession of Dangerous Drugs - Prescription Pills	117	118
Grand Total	3081	3058
Total Drug Arrests	2522	2598



CITY WIDE – Drug Delivery Cases

Man/Del – Manufacture/Delivery of Controlled Substance	CITY WIDE TOTALS	
	2023	2024
Man/Del of CS (PG1) - Methamphetamine, Cocaine, Heroin, Fentanyl	54	67
Man/Del of CS (PG2/PG2A) - THC Products (Vapes, Wax, Edibles)/Syn Can	18	27
Man/Del of CS (PG3/4) - Commonly Abused Pills / Codeine	3	7
Delivery of Marijuana	2	6
Grand Total	77	107



NVID CASES (ASSIGNED/FILED)

ASSIGNED CASES	2023	2024
Felony	1,927	2417
Misdemeanor	1,333	1775
Municipal Court	651	764
TOTAL	3,911	4,956

FILED CASES	2023	2024
Felony	1,691	1,565
Misdemeanor	1,450	1,271
Municipal Court	984	970
TOTAL	4,125	3,806



Corpus Christi Police Department JET (Juvenile Enforcement Team)



- Created in 1992
- In response to increasing juvenile/gang activity
- Originally started out with 4 officers



Today's Gang Unit





Today's Gang Unit

- No longer called JET, now called Gang Unit
 - Gather and document gang intelligence
 - Disrupt gang activity
 - 11 Uniform Enforcement Officers
 - 2 K9's
 - 2 Gang Unit officer assigned to the FBI Safe Streets
 - 1 Gang Unit officer assigned to ATF
 - 1 Captain
 - 2 Lieutenants
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Today's Gang Unit

- Work hand in hand with federal and local agencies
 - Testify as expert witnesses in state and federal court
 - Write and conduct search and arrest warrants for gang members
 - Maintain high visibility in active areas
 - Educate others on gangs (schools, probation/parole, judges and prosecutors etc..)
 - Participate in creating legislation to combat gang crime, through one of our Gang Investigators who is the President of the Texas Gang Investigators Association (TGIA) and appointed to the Governors Gang Board (Texas Violent Gang Task Force).
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Gang Crimes

- **Organized Crime**
 - Working together to commit crime
- **Drug Violations**
 - Possessing and selling
- **Terroristic Threats**
 - Place others in fear of violence
- **Soliciting Gang Membership**
 - Tx Penal Code 71.022
- **Disorderly Conduct**
 - Fighting in public
- **Criminal Mischief**
 - Damaging property
- **Graffiti**
 - Marking territory
- **Weapons Violations**
 - Possessing and selling



Gang Categories

- **Prison Gangs**
 - Criminal organizations that operate within the prison system
 - **Street Gangs**
 - Group that controls a general area, with a common identity and engage in criminal behavior.
 - **Outlaw Motorcycle Gangs**
 - Structured organizations who use club affiliation as a conduit for criminal activity.
 - **Hybrid Gangs**
 - Modified gang culture with their personal interpretations; mixed groups, participation in multiple gangs, collaborations by rivals...
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Gang Members in Corpus Christi (May 2025)

- Over 2,463 Total Documented gang members by CCPD Gang Unit
 - 1,638 Prison Gang
 - 205 Outlaw Motorcycle
 - 620 Street/Hybrid Gang Members
 - TX Code of Crim. Procedure 67.001 states we **shall** maintain a database of criminal information for the purpose of investigating or prosecuting the activity of gangs, known as a Gang Resource System.
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QUESTIONS?