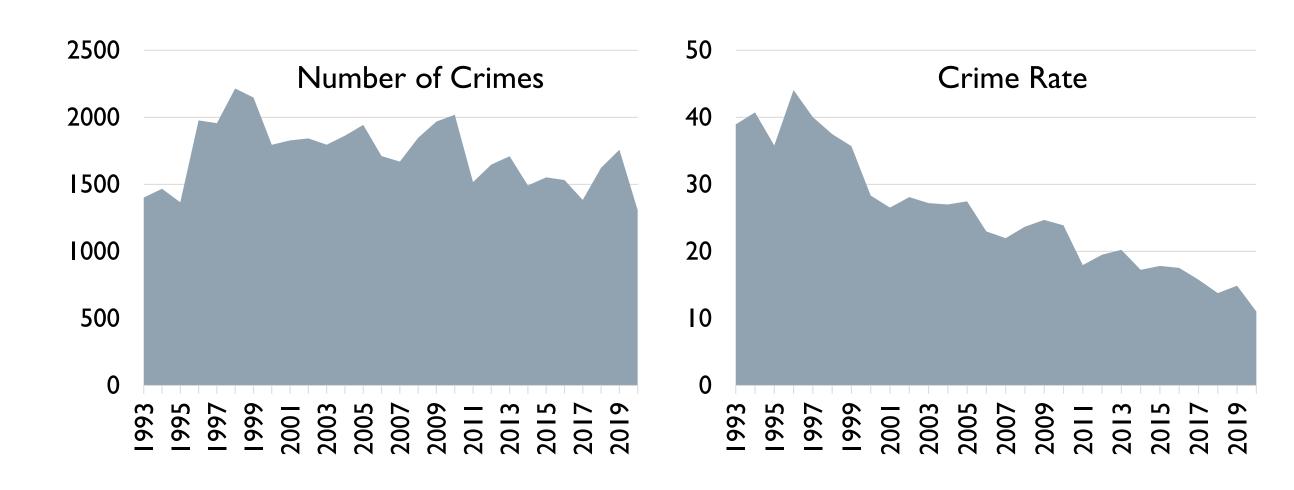
# 2020 Crime Report

Sugar Land Police Department
Chief of Police Eric Robins

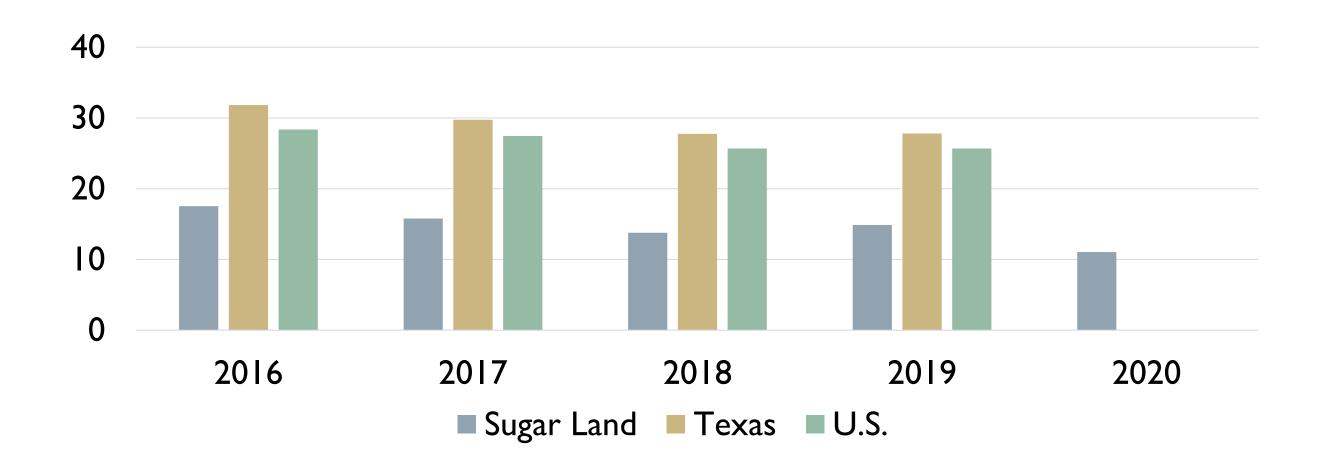




# Sugar Land Crime Rate



# Crime Rate

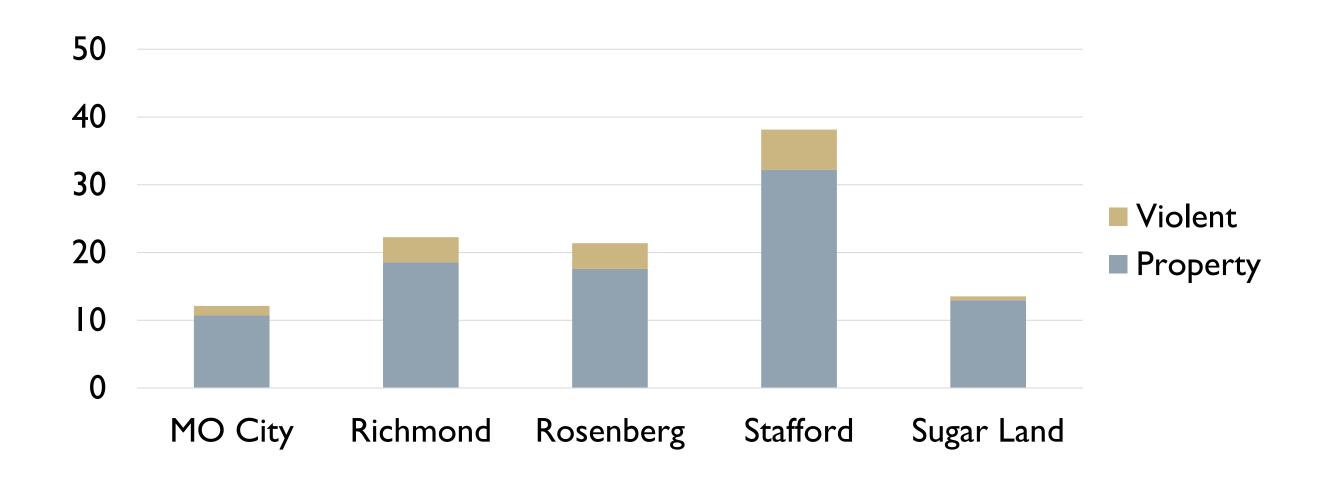


# Top 5 Safest Cities in Texas (population 100 – 150k)

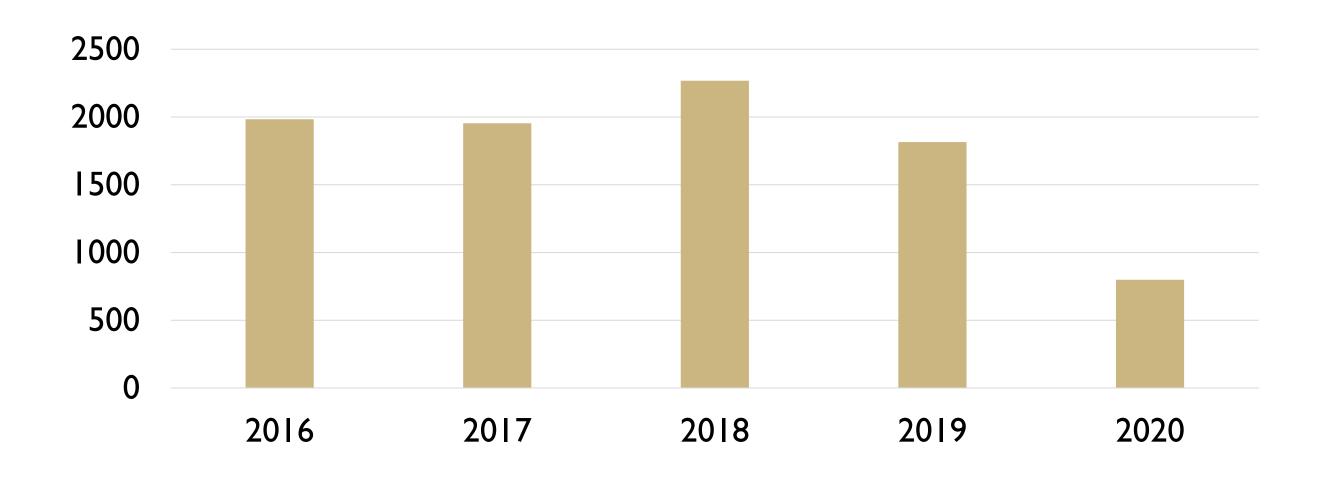
City	Population	Violent	Property	Part I crime
		crime rate	crime rate	rate
Carrollton	139,179	0.90	9.01	9.91
Allen	105,961	0.83	10.89	11.72
Midland	146,806	1.37	11.91	13.28
Sugar Land	119,944	0.57	12.95	13.51
League City	109,401	1.11	13.59	14.70

Population and crime rate values taken from 2019 Crime in Texas report published by the Texas Dept. of Public Safety for Texas cities with populations between 100 – 150k

### 2019 Local Crime Rates



# Custodial Arrests



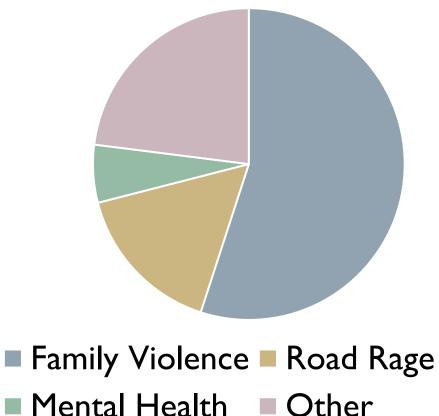
# UCR Clearance Rates

	Total	Violent Crime	Property
			Crime
2020	16.1%	39.4%	14.9%
2019	22.5%	51.9%	21.1%
2018	26.0%	45.2%	25.0%

### Assaults

- Assaults are down 4% from 2019 to 2020
- Aggravated assaults are up 29%
- Family violence is up 12%

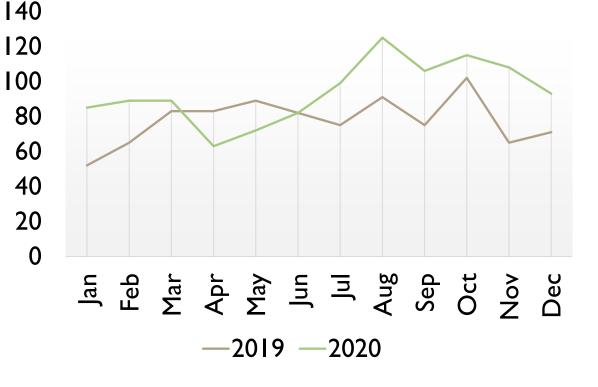




### Mental Health

- Participated in National Suicide Prevention + Action Month
- Partnered with local hospitals and mental health authorities
- Launched a mental health resource campaign
- Enhancing crisis intervention training

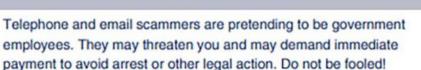




### Frauds

- Face of fraud is changing more business/unemployment fraud
- A legit company will never ask you to pay with gift cards (not even Apple cards for Apple)
- Be wary of charities asking for digital gift cards donations

#### Protect Yourself from Social Security Scams Be on the lookout for fake calls and emails





- 1. HANG UP
- 2. DO NOT GIVE MONEY OR PERSONAL INFORMATION
- 3. REPORT THE SCAM AT OIG.SSA.GOV

#### What to look out for



The caller says there is a problem with your Social Security number or account.



Any call asking you to pay a fine or debt with retail gift cards, wire transfers, pre-paid debit cards, internet currency, or by mailing cash.



Scammers pretend they're from Social Security or another government agency. Caller ID or documents sent by email may look official but they are not.



Callers threaten you with arrest or other legal action.

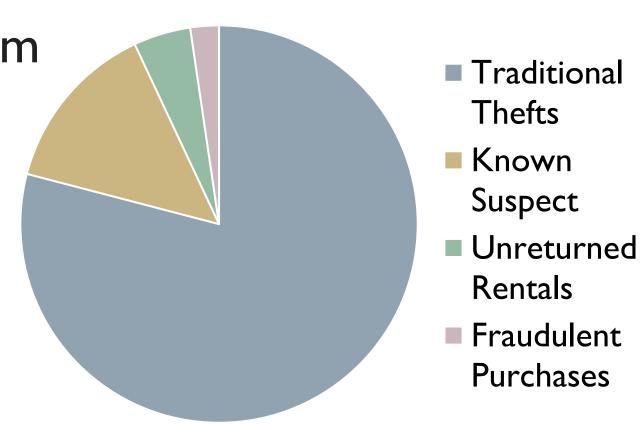




#### Auto Thefts

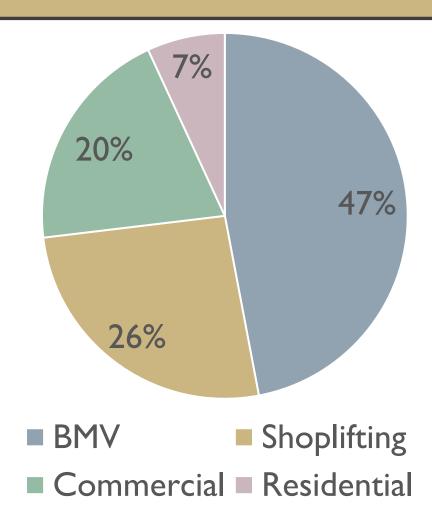
Auto theft was up 28% from 2019 to 2020

- Most stolen vehicles:
  - Chevy Truck 14
  - Chevy SUV 12
  - GMC SUV 7



#### Thefts

- Thefts were down 23% from 2019 to 2020
- Shoplifting was down 33%



# Theft from Motor Vehicle (BMV)

- BMVs were down 7% from 2019 to 2020
- Don't leave valuables in your car, even if you "hide" them
- Plan your trip; leave the bank for last

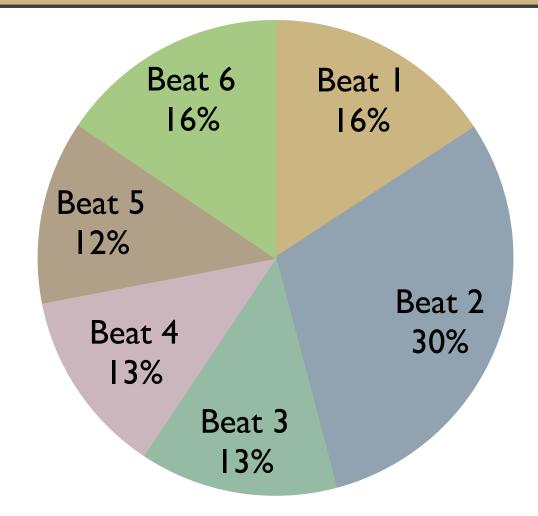
Top BMV Locations				
Sugar Creek	21			
Greatwood	16			
Telfair	16			
New Territory	13			
Covington Woods	12			
Barrington Place	11			
Costco	11			
Oyster Creek Park	11			

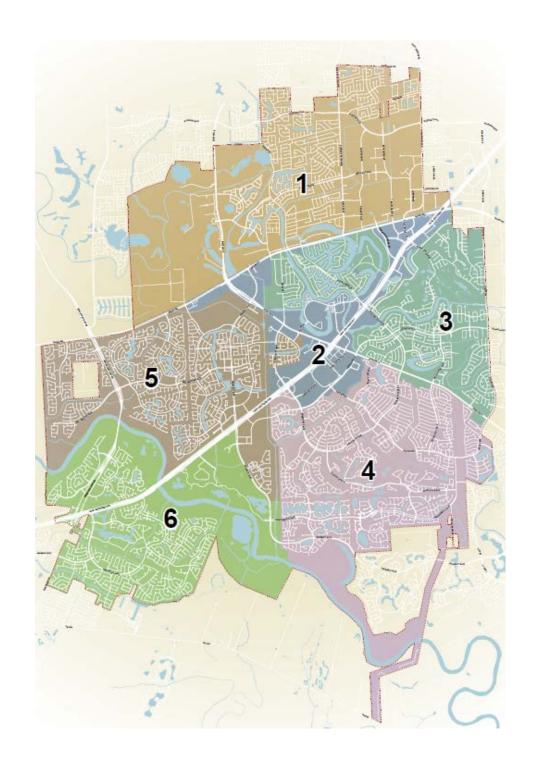
#### **COVID** Effects

Traffic Stops
Calls for Service
Courts
Jail

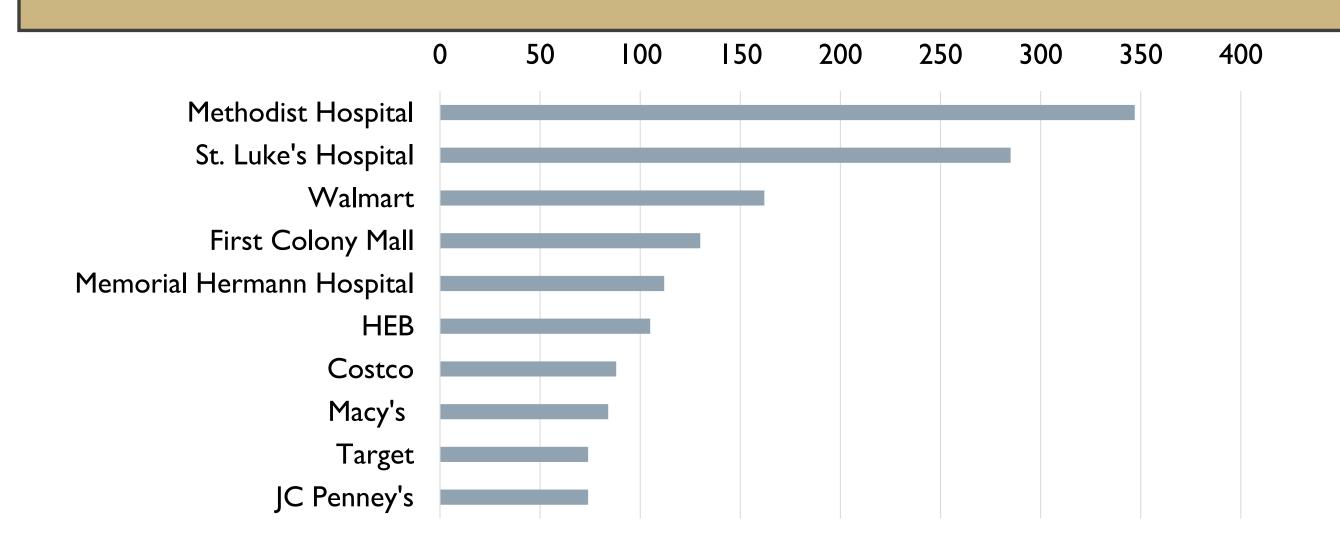
- Visibility
  - Grocery stores
  - Parks
  - COVID testing site
- Business patrols
- Residential patrols
- Premise checks
- Mental health focus
- Disinfecting equipment

# 2020 Calls by Beat

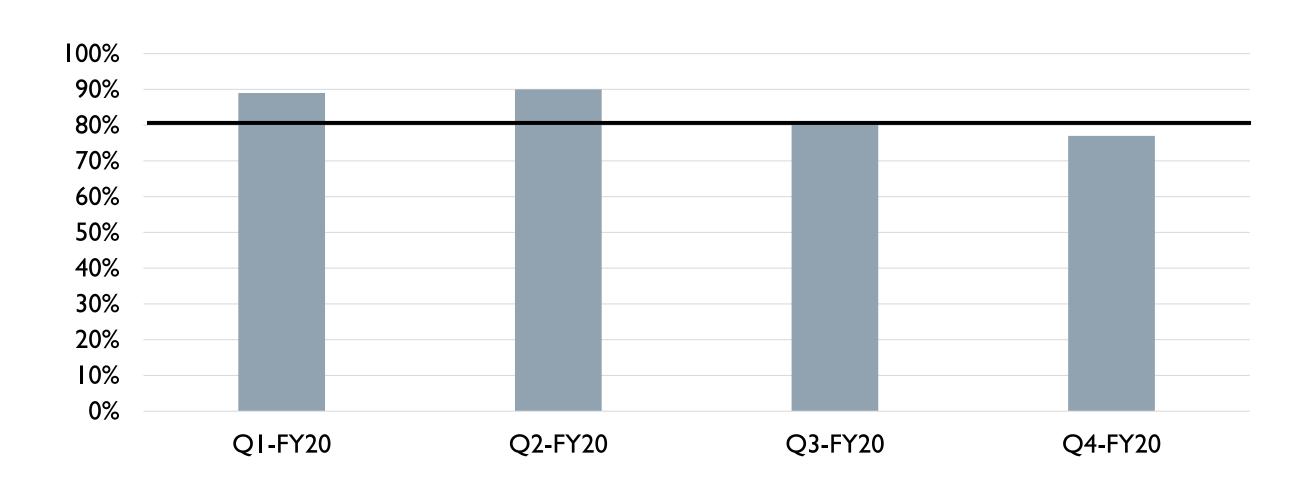




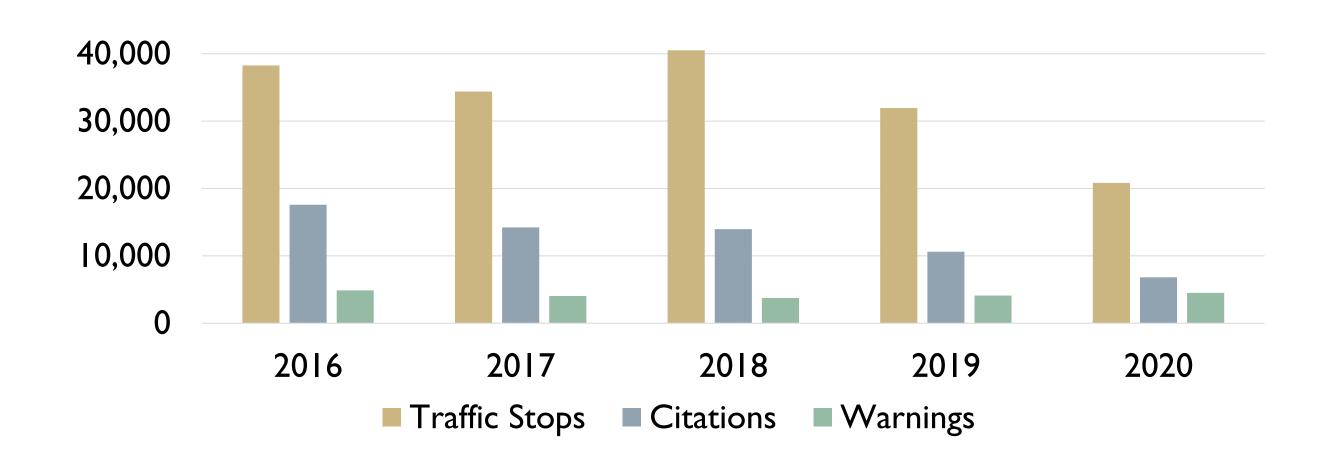
# Top Call Locations



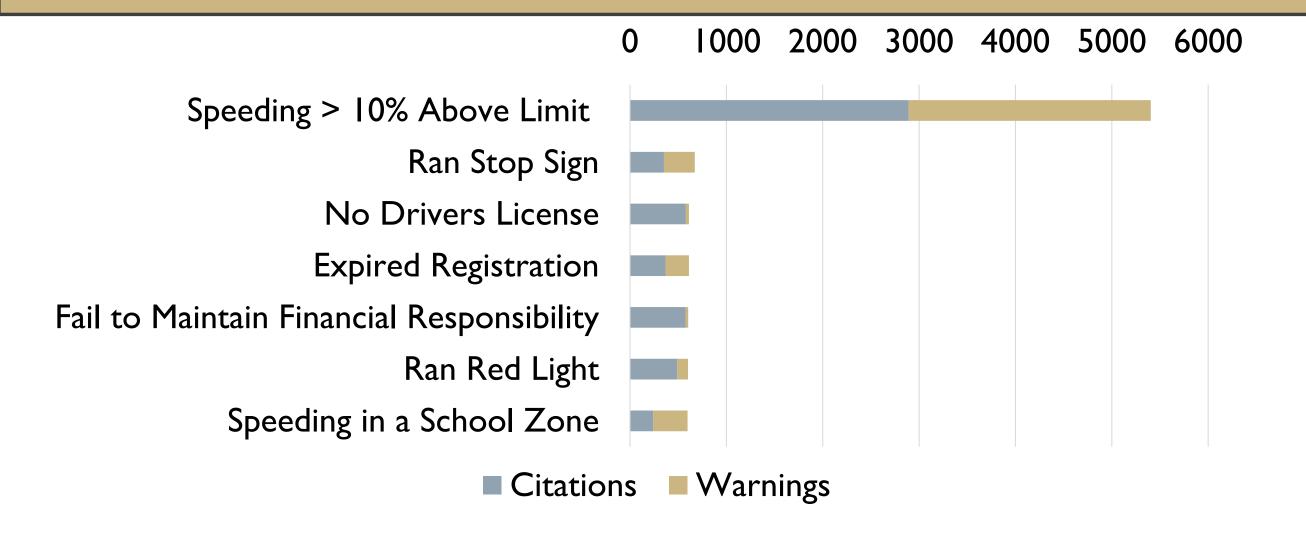
# Police Response Time



# Traffic Stops, Citations, and Warnings



# Top Citations and Warnings



#### Collisions

#### Top factors:

**Speed** 

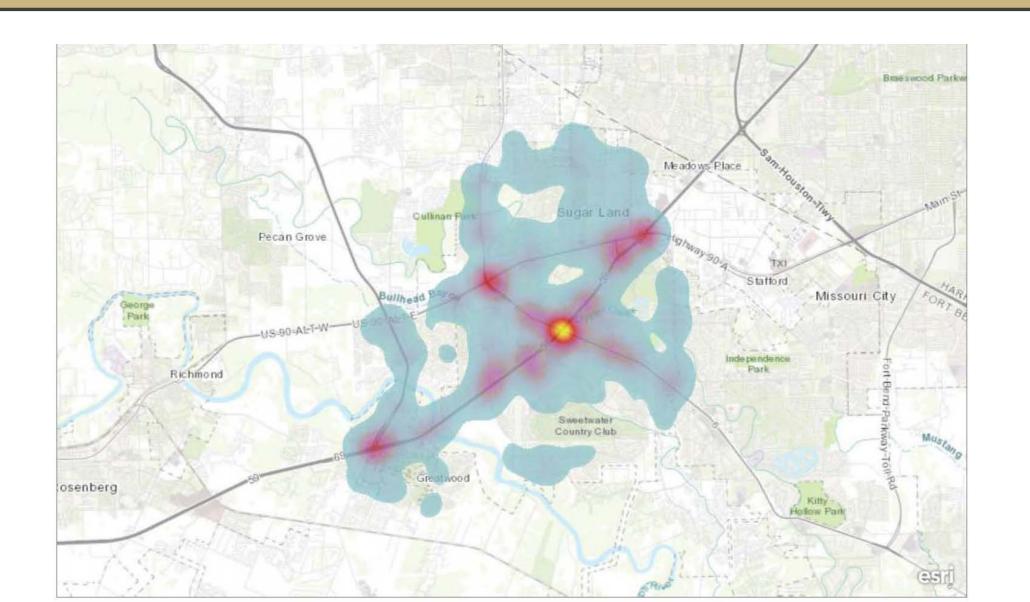
Unsafe lane changes

Not staying in lane

Disregard traffic light/stop sign



# Top Collision Areas



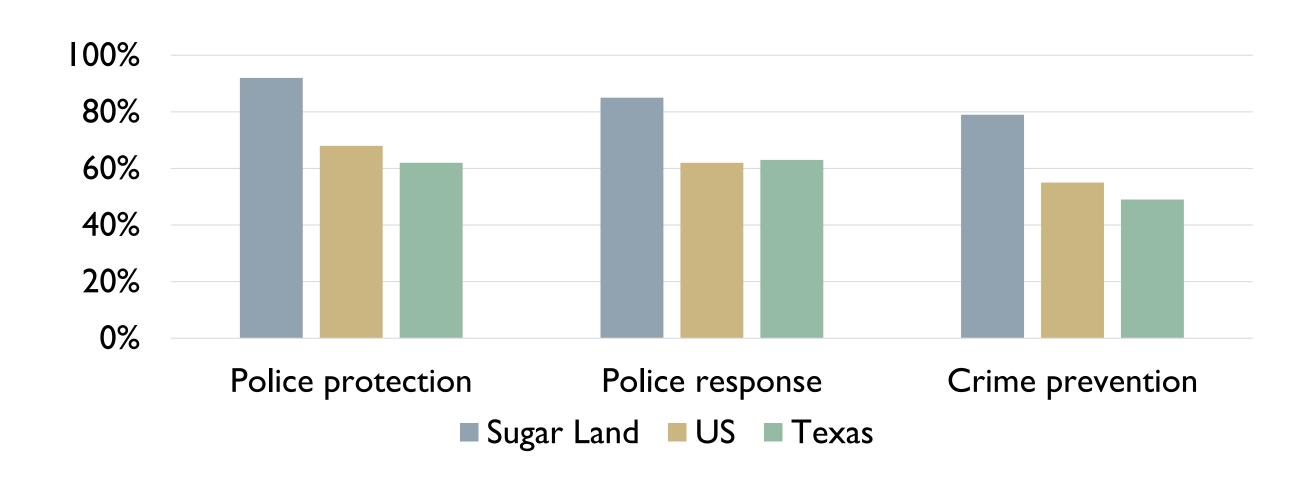
#### Crime Prevention Camera Program

 Began planning expansion of internal LPR system

- Partnered with neighborhood camera programs
  - Sugar Creek
  - Telfair
  - Greatwood
  - Venetian Estates

- Expecting more LPR partnerships
  - Alkire Lake
  - First Colony Mall

# Citizens' Satisfaction Survey



# 2020 Accomplishments

- Hired new personnel
  - Crime Scene Technician (new position)
  - Communications and Community Engagement Specialist (new position)
  - 10 new police officers
- Introduced hands-on driver training
- Attended 28 virtual HOA meetings
- Delivered over 2,200 Meals on Wheels

# 2020 Accomplishments

- Completed initial works on the Firearms Range
- Began building rehabilitation
- Maintained CALEA accreditation and revised policies to comply with national standards, including
  - Use of force
  - Chokehold ban
- Recertified with American National Standards Institute for forensic laboratory investigation and fingerprint examination

#### 2021 Priorities

- Advance technology for a Safe City
  - Expand the crime prevention camera program
  - Evaluate drones
  - Upgrade CAD/RMS
- Enhance the police training program
- Improve the Public Safety Training Facility

#### 2021 Priorities

- Increase visibility, including bike patrols
- Focus on greater communication (social media, etc.)
- Plan for succession and leadership development
- Advance CIT training and processes