

Racial Profiling Report | Full report

Agency Name: Upshur County Sheriff's Office
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This Agency filed a full report

Upshur County Sheriff's Office has adopted a detailed written policy on racial profiling. Our policy:

- 1.) clearly defines acts constituting racial profiling;
- 2.) strictly prohibit peace officers employed by the Upshur County Sheriff's Office from engaging in racial profiling;
- 3.) implements a process by which an individual may file a complaint with the Upshur County Sheriff's Office if the individual believes that a peace officer employed by the Upshur County Sheriff's Office has engaged in racial profiling with respect to the individual;
- 4.) provides public education relating to the agency's complaint process;
- 5.) requires appropriate corrective action to be taken against a peace officer employed by the Upshur County Sheriff's Office who, after an investigation, is shown to have engaged in racial profiling in violation of the Upshur County Sheriff's Office's policy adopted under this article;
- 6.) require collection of information relating to motor vehicle stops in which a citation is issued and to arrests made as a result of those stops, including information relating to:
 - a.) the race or ethnicity of the individual detained;
 - b.) whether a search was conducted and, if so, whether the individual detained consented to the search; and
 - c.) whether the peace officer knew the race or ethnicity of the individual detained before

detaining that individual; and

7.) require the chief administrator of the agency, regardless of whether the administrator is elected, employed, or appointed, to submit an annual report of the information collected under Subdivision(6) to:

a.) the Commission on Law Enforcement; and

b.) the governing body of each county or municipality served by the agency, if the agency is an agency of a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of the state.

Executed by: Larry Webb

Chief Administrator

Upshur County Sheriff's Office

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Upshur County Sheriff's Office Motor Vehicle Racial Profiling Information

Total stops: 1812

Gender

Female: 693

Male: 1119

Race or ethnicity

Black: 230

Asian/Pacific Islander: 4

White: 1408

Hispanic/Latino: 167

Alaska Native/American Indian: 3

Was race or ethnicity known prior to stop?

Yes: 111

No: 1701

Reason for stop?

Violation of law: 130

Pre existing knowledge: 0

Moving traffic violation: 1682

Vehicle traffic violation: 0

Street address or approximate location of the stop

City street: 23

US highway: 592

State highway: 796

County road: 393

Private property or other: 8

Was a search conducted?

Yes: 346

No: 1466

Reason for Search?

Consent: 235

Contraband: 20

Probable cause: 67

Inventory: 22
Incident to arrest: 2

Was Contraband discovered?

Yes: 125
No: 221

Description of contraband

Drugs: 111
Currency: 0
Weapons: 1
Alcohol: 12
Stolen property: 1
Other: 0

Result of the stop

Verbal warning: 1548
Written warning: 0
Citation: 153
Written warning and arrest: 0
Citation and arrest: 14
Arrest: 97

Arrest based on

Violation of Penal Code: 71
Violation of Traffic Law: 12
Violation of City Ordinance: 0
Outstanding Warrant: 28

Was physical force resulting in bodily injury used during stop

Yes: 1
No: 1811

Submitted electronically to the



The Texas Commission on Law Enforcement