

HIDALGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

SHERIFF GUADALUPE "LUPE" TREVIÑO

MEMORANDUM

TO: Hon. Ramon Garcia, County Judge
Hidalgo County Judge's Office

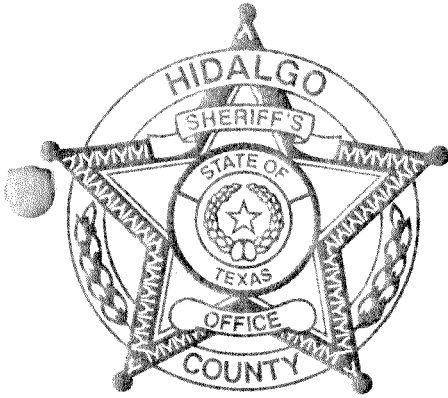
FROM: Guadalupe "Lupe" Trevino, Sheriff
Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office

DATE: March 4, 2013

RE: Racial Profiling Report

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Lupe Trevino", is written over the "FROM" line of the memorandum.

Attached you will find the 2012 Racial Profiling Report. It is submitted in accordance with and adherence to Article 2.133 of Texas Code of Criminal Procedure.



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RACIAL PROFILING REPORT 2012

The 2012 Racial Profiling report is statistical data collected from Traffic Stops from January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012. It is Submitted in accordance with and adherence to Article 2.133 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure.

The information contained within this packet is available to the Public in Accordance with the Texas Open Records Act.

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TCLECOSE

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Hidalgo County, U.S. Census Bureau

POPULATION INFORMATION

Section I: Population

Reported Population for Hidalgo County is:

- 797,810

The racial makeup by Population Numbers for Hidalgo County is:

- 723,613 Hispanics
- 51,857 White
- 6,382 African American
- 3,989 Native American
- 8,775 Asian
- 3191 Multi-Racial

The racial makeup by Population percentages:

- 90.7% Hispanics
- 6.5% White
- 0.8% African American
- 0.5% Native American
- 1.1% Asian
- 0.4 Multi-Racial

From the reported population, it is evident that Hispanics make up the largest segment of the population for Hidalgo County.

HIDALGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
RACE REPORT

RACIAL PROFILE 01/01/12 - 12/31/12

<u>Race</u>	<u>Subtotal</u>
ASIAN	
WARNINGS	4
CITATIONS	0
TOTAL ASIANS	4
AFRICAN AMERICAN	
WARNINGS	1
CITATIONS	0
TOTAL AFRICAN AMERICAN	1
NATIVE AMERICAN	
WARNINGS	1
CITATIONS	0
TOTAL NATIVE AMERICAN	1
HISPANIC	
WARNINGS	4936
CITATIONS	1287
TOTAL HISPANICS	6225
CAUCASIAN	
WARNINGS	142
CITATIONS	33
TOTAL CAUCASIAN	175

SUB TOTAL RACE	6406
SUB TOTAL WARNINGS	5084
SUB TOTAL CITATIONS	1320

TIER 1 - PARTIAL EXEMPTION RACIAL PROFILING REPORT

Agency Name: HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE
Reporting Date: 02/28/2013
TCLEOSE Agency Number: 215100
Chief Administrator: GUADALUPE TREVINO, JR.
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HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE
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This Agency claims partial racial profiling report exemption because:
Our vehicles that conduct motor vehicle stops are equipped with video and audio equipment and we maintain videos for 90 days.

Certification to This Report 2.132 (Tier 1) – Partial Exemption

Article 2.132(b) CCP Law Enforcement Policy on Racial Profiling

HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE has adopted a detailed written policy on racial profiling. Our policy:

- (1) clearly defines acts constituting racial profiling;
- (2) strictly prohibits peace officers employed by the HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE from engaging in racial profiling;
- (3) implements a process by which an individual may file a complaint with the HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE if the individual believes that a peace officer employed by the HIDALGO CO. 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 HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE who, after an investigation, is shown to have engaged in racial profiling in violation of the HIDALGO CO. 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 Officer Standards and Education; 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.

I certify these policies are in effect.

Executed by: **GUADALUPE TREVINO, JR.**

Chief Administrator

HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Date: 02/28/2013

**HIDALGO CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE Motor Vehicle Racial Profiling
Information**

Number of motor vehicle stops:

1. **6403** citation only
2. **0** arrest only
3. **3** both
4. **6406 Total** (4, 11, 14 and 17 must be equal)

Race or Ethnicity:

5. **1** African
6. **4** Asian
7. **175** Caucasian
8. **6225** Hispanic
9. **0** Middle Eastern
10. **1** Native American
11. **6406 Total** (lines 4, 11, 14 and 17 must be equal)

Race or Ethnicity known prior to stop?

12. **0** Yes
13. **6406** No
14. **6406 Total** (lines 4, 11, 14 and 17 must be equal)

Search conducted?

15. **199** Yes
16. **6207** No
17. **6406 Total** (lines 4, 11, 14 and 17 must be equal)

Was search consented?

18. **187** Yes
19. **12** No
20. **199 Total** (must equal line 15)

Hidalgo County Profile

Compiled by
The County Information Program, Texas Association of Counties



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[Map of County](#)

POPULATION (Census Bureau)		
County Population «History» «Group Quarters»		
Estimate 2011:	797,810	more
Census 2010:	774,769	more
Census 2000:	569,463	more
Population of the County Seat (Edinburg)		
Census 2010:	77,100	
Census 2000:	48,465	
POPULATION OF PLACES IN HIDALGO COUNTY - 2011 (Census Bureau)		
Note: City and town populations include only those parts of each place found within this county. Use our «Town & City Search» to find the total population of each place.		
Hidalgo County:	797,810	more
Alamo city:	18,895	more
Alton city:	13,969	more
Donna city:	16,274	more
Edcouch city:	3,256	more
Edinburg city:	79,147	more
Elsa city:	5,831	more
Granjeno city:	303	more
Hidalgo city:	11,533	more
La Joya city:	4,105	more
La Villa city:	1,993	more
McAllen city:	133,742	more
Mercedes city:	16,175	more
Mission city:	79,368	more
Palmhurst city:	2,685	more
Palmview city:	5,632	more
Penitas city:	4,537	more
Pharr city:	72,513	more
Progreso city:	5,671	more
Progreso Lakes city:	248	more
San Juan city:	34,872	more
Sullivan City city:	4,122	more
Weslaco city:	36,721	more
Balance of Hidalgo County:	246,218	more
GENERAL INFORMATION		
County Size in Square Miles (Census Bureau and EPA)		
Land Area:	1,570.9	more
Water Area:	12.0	more
Total Area:	1,582.9	more
Population Density Per Square Mile		
2010:	493.21	more
DEMOGRAPHICS		
Ethnicity - 2011 (Census Bureau)		
Percent Hispanic:	90.7%	more

Race - 2011 (Census Bureau)		
Percent White Alone:	97.2%	more
Percent African American Alone:	0.8%	more
Percent American Indian and Alaska Native Alone:	0.5%	more
Percent Asian Alone:	1.1%	more
Percent Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone:	0.0%	more
Percent Multi-Racial:	0.4%	more
Age - 2011 (Census Bureau)		
17 and Under:	34.4%	more
65 and Older:	9.5%	more
85 and Older:	1.1%	more
Median Age:	28.5	more
Income		
Per Capita Income - 2011 (BEA):	\$21,620	more
Total Personal Income - 2011 (BEA):	\$17,248,431,000	more
Median Household Income - 2011 (Census Bureau):	\$31,021	more
Poverty - 2011 (Census Bureau)		
Percent of Population in Poverty:	37.3%	more
Percent of Population under 18 in Poverty:	47.9%	more
Educational Attainment (Census Bureau, 2006-2010 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimate)		
Age 25 and older, Percent high school graduate and higher:	60.2%	
Age 25 and older, Percent bachelor's degree or higher:	15.1%	
Wages (BEA)		
Average Wage Per Job - 2011:	\$30,204	more
Average Wage Per Job - 2010:	\$29,657	
Average Wage Per Job - 2009:	\$29,060	
Average Wage Per Job - 2008:	\$28,446	
Average Wage Per Job - 2007:	\$27,572	
Annual Unemployment Rate, Not Adjusted (Texas Workforce Commission)		
Unemployment Rate - 2011:	12.0	more
Unemployment Rate - 2010:	12.1	
Unemployment Rate - 2009:	10.4	
Unemployment Rate - 2008:	7.3	
Unemployment Rate - 2007:	6.6	
County Business Patterns (Census Bureau): «CBP 2010»		
COUNTY FINANCES (Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts)		
Property Taxes - 2011		
Total County Tax Rate: «Historic Tax Rate» «Detailed Tax Rates»	\$0.590000	more
Total Market Value: «Values and Levies»	\$31,550,176,940	more
Total Appraised Value Available for County Taxation:	\$27,128,909,424	more
Total Actual Levy:	\$160,060,565	more
For property tax information about a specific property, contact the Appraisal District.		
Sales Tax Allocation History		
CY 2012:	\$N/A	more
CY 2011:	\$N/A	
CY 2010:	\$N/A	
CY 2009:	\$N/A	
CY 2008:	\$N/A	
INFRASTRUCTURE EXPENDITURES (Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts)		
Road and Bridge - 2011		
County Roads, Construction:	\$0	more
County Roads, Maintenance:	\$67,442	more
County Roads, Rehabilitation:	\$0	more
County Bridges, Construction:	\$0	more
County Bridges, Maintenance:	\$0	more
County Bridges, Rehabilitation:	\$0	more
Right of Way Acquisition:	\$0	more

Utility Construction:		\$0	
Other Road Expenditures:		\$0	more
Total Road and Bridge Expenditures:		\$67,442	more
COUNTY ROAD MILES (TXDOT)			
Centerline Miles - 2004			
Unpaved (Earth and All-weather):		861	
Paved (bituminous surface, treated, less than 1):		602	
Paved (mixed bituminous surface, base and surface depth 7):		0	
Paved (mixed bituminous surface, base and surface depth 7 or more):		0	
Asphalt:		0	
Concrete:		0	
Total Centerline Miles:		1,463	more
Lane Miles - 2004			
Unpaved (Earth and All-weather):		1,722	
Paved (bituminous surface, treated, less than 1):		1,209	
Paved (mixed bituminous surface, base and surface depth 7):		0	
Paved (mixed bituminous surface, base and surface depth 7 or more):		0	
Asphalt:		0	
Concrete:		0	
Total Lane Miles:		2,931	more

Special Districts in Hidalgo County.
 School Districts in Hidalgo County.
 History of City Tax Rates in Hidalgo County.

Airports in Hidalgo County.
 Hospitals in Hidalgo County.
 Prisons in Hidalgo County.

The County Information Program, County Profiles, Address and Geographical Data, Town & City Profiles