

# Racial Profiling Report | Full Report

**Agency Name:** Schertz Police Department  
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This Agency filed a full report.

Schertz Police Department 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 Schertz Police Department from engaging in racial profiling;
- (3) implements a process by which an individual may file a complaint with the Schertz Police Department if the individual believes that a peace officer employed by the Schertz Police Department has engaged in racial profiling with respect to the individual;
- (4) provides public education relating to the Schertz Police Department 's compliment and complaint process, including providing the telephone number, mailing address, and email address to make a compliment or complaint with respect to each ticket, citation, or warning issued by a peace officer;
- (5) requires appropriate corrective action to be taken against a peace officer employed by the Schertz Police Department who, after an investigation, is shown to have engaged in racial profiling in violation of the Schertz Police Department 's policy adopted under this article;
- (6) requires 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;
  - (c) whether the peace officer knew the race or ethnicity of the individual detained before detaining that individual; and
  - (d) whether the peace officer used physical force that resulted in bodily injury, as that term is defined by Section 1.07, Penal Code, during the stop;

(e) the location of the stop; and

(f) the reason for the stop; and

(7) requires 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 Texas 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:** Michael Hansen

Chief Administrator

Schertz Police Department

**Date:** 02/06/2020

## Schertz Police Department Racial Profiling Information

Total stops: 9,485

Gender

**Female:** 3,826

**Male:** 5,655

**Unknown:** 4

Race or ethnicity

**Alaska Native/American Indian:** 27

**Asian/Pacific Islander:** 209

**Black:** 1,440

**Hispanic/Latino:** 1,861

**White:** 5,945

**Other:** 3

Was race or ethnicity known prior to stop

**Yes:** 174

**No:** 9,311

Reason for stop?

**Violation of law:** 278

**Preexisting knowledge:** 94

**Moving traffic violation:** 7,007

**Vehicle traffic violation:** 2,106

Street address or approximate location of the stop

**City street:** 6,702

**US highway:** 1,546

**County road:** 528

**State highway:** 607

**Private property or other:** 102

Was a search conducted

**Yes:** 341

**No:** 9,144

Reason for Search

**Consent:** 39

**Contraband in plain view:** 8

**Probable cause:** 246

**Inventory:** 22

**Incident to arrest:** 26

Was Contraband discovered

**Yes:** 278

**No:** 63

Description of contraband

**Drugs:** 233

**Currency:** 5

**Weapons:** 4

**Alcohol:** 25

**Stolen property:** 9

**Other: 35**

Result of the stop

**Verbal warning: 0**

**Written warning: 4,027**

**Citation: 5,348**

**Written warning and arrest: 46**

**Citation and arrest: 64**

Arrest

**Total: 110**

Arrest based on

**Violation of Penal Code: 62**

**Violation of Traffic Law: 3**

**Violation of City Ordinance: 0**

**Outstanding Warrant: 45**

Was physical force resulting in bodily injury used during stop

**Yes: 29**

**No: 9,456**