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Honorable Dan A. Gattis
Williamson County Judge
301 S.E. Inner Loop, Suite 109
Georgetown, TX 78626

Dear Judge Gattis:

Article 2.132 (7) of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure requires the annual report to the local governing body of data collected on the race or ethnicity of individuals stopped and issued citation or arrested for traffic violations and whether or not those individual were searched. Since the new law provides no clear instruction to a governing body on how to review such data, the Williamson County Sheriff's Office requested this analysis and review to assist the Commissioners Court in reviewing the data.

The analysis of material and data from the Williamson County Sheriff's Office revealed the following:

- A comprehensive review of the Williamson County Sheriff's Office regulations, specifically Section 5.41 outlining the department's policy concerning racial profiling, shows that the Williamson County Sheriff's Office is in compliance with Article 2.132 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure.
- A review of the curriculum presented and supporting documentation reveals that the Williamson County Sheriff's Office is in compliance with Texas law on training and education regarding racial profiling.
- A review of the documentation produced by the department in both print and electronic form reveals that the department is in compliance with applicable Texas law on the racial profiling complain process and public education about the complain process.

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- Analysis of the data reveals that the department is in compliance with applicable Texas law on the collection of racial profiling data.
- The analysis of statistical information from the Williamson County Sheriff's Office reveals that there are no methodologically conclusive indications of systemic racial profiling by the department.
- The Williamson County Sheriff's Office is in compliance with applicable Texas law concerning the prohibition of racial profiling.

Attached are the 2013 racial profiling statistics used to make this determination. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



James R. Wilson
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Race Known Demographics		Total	Race Known No	Race Known Yes	Unknown
Total	Total	31,941	31,471	423	47
	Total	36	35	0	1
	Hispanic	22	21	0	1
	Non-Hispanic	13	13	0	0
	Unknown	1	1	0	0
African American	Total	2,802	2,762	39	1
		37	37	0	0
	Hispanic	33	32	0	1
	Non-Hispanic	2,726	2,687	39	0
	Unknown	6	6	0	0
Asian	Total	1,149	1,133	16	0
		8	8	0	0
	Hispanic	23	22	1	0
	Non-Hispanic	1,115	1,100	15	0
	Unknown	3	3	0	0
Native American	Total	30	30	0	0
	Non-Hispanic	30	30	0	0
Unknown	Total	355	344	5	6
		121	115	0	6
	Hispanic	99	94	5	0
	Non-Hispanic	135	135	0	0
White	Total	27,569	27,167	363	39
		313	313	0	0
	Hispanic	5,550	5,469	70	11
	Non-Hispanic	21,559	21,238	293	28
	Unknown	147	147	0	0



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Demographics Of Searches	Total		CONSENT	IMPOUND	INCI-ARR	K-9	NONE	PC/TERRY
Total	31,941	157	372	78	157	32	30,960	167
	36	1	0	0	1	0	31	3
African American	2,802	10	39	8	31	7	2,688	18
Asian	1,149	3	8	0	2	0	1,134	2
Native American	30	0	0	0	0	0	30	0
Unknown	355	1	6	0	0	0	348	0
White	27,569	142	319	70	123	25	26,729	144

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