

OPEN RECORDS REQUEST FORM

DO NOT use this form to request:

Crash Report/CR3 - Crime Statistics - Background Checks - Subpoenas –
Medical Records – 911 Calls/Call Slips/MDTs

Be specific, and write legibly.

**Please be advised that our search for records is based on the information provided.
We do not conduct advanced searches to databases outside of the Harris County
Sheriff's Office.**

Send your request to the following:

Harris County Sheriff's Office
Attention: Legal Department
1200 Baker Street
Houston, Texas 77002

YOU MUST PROVIDE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE FOR THE FOLLOWING:

I am seeking a copy of Please see next page for full request.

Offense / Incident Report Number: NA

Name of Person(s), and Date of Birth(s), Involved: NA

Location of Offense/Incident: NA

Date Offense/Incident: NA

YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

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Once your requested information is ready, we will either contact you with the fee amount, or send responsive information to you.

***Required field**

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Texas Public Information Act, I hereby request the following records:

1. the total number of use of force incidents, separated by type of force and year used in 2021 (for example, information that specifies the number of taser incidents in 2021, baton incidents in 2021, etc.)
2. the total number of civilian complaints alleging any form of law enforcement misconduct that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
3. the total number of civilian complaints alleging law enforcement use of excessive force that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
4. the total number of civilian complaints alleging biased policing or racial profiling that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
5. the total number of civilian complaints alleging criminal conduct that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
6. the total number of officer involved shootings in 2021, both fatal and non-fatal.

When available, I would appreciate being sent individualized data for each item in this request in spreadsheet format. If individualized data are unavailable, please send information that includes aggregate statistics for the item instead.

Note that my requests for civilian complaints are specifically for civilian complaints alleging police misconduct, please do not include complaints filed by one officer/the department against another officer.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 10 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Samuel Sinyangwe