

# Racial Profiling Report | Full

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Agency Name: WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT.  
Reporting Date: 02/03/2023  
TCOLE Agency Number: 453207

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This Agency filed a full report

WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT. 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 WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT. from engaging in racial profiling;
- 3) implements a process by which an individual may file a complaint with the WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT. if the individual believes that a peace officer employed by the WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT. 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 WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT. who, after an investigation, is shown to have engaged in racial profiling in violation of the WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT. policy;
- 6) requires collection of information relating to motor vehicle stops in which a warning or 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;
  - d. whether the peace officer used physical force that resulted in bodily injury during the stop;
  - e. the location of the stop;
  - f. the reason for the stop.
- 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 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.

The WEST LAKE HILLS POLICE DEPT. has satisfied the statutory data audit requirements as prescribed in Article

2.133(c), Code of Criminal Procedure during the reporting period.

Executed by: SCOTT E. GERDES  
Chief of Police

Date: 02/03/2023

# Total stops: 2170

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## Street address or approximate location of the stop

City street	1189
US highway	2
County road	3
State highway	971
Private property or other	5

## Was race or ethnicity known prior to stop?

Yes	19
No	2151

## Race / Ethnicity

Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	171
Black	117
White	1693
Hispanic / Latino	185

## Gender

**Female 909**

Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	64
Black	41
White	735
Hispanic / Latino	65

**Male 1261**

Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	107
Black	76
White	958
Hispanic / Latino	120

## Reason for stop?

**Violation of law 144**

Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	3
Black	9
White	119

Hispanic / Latino	13
<b>Preexisting knowledge</b>	<b>4</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	1
White	1
Hispanic / Latino	2
<b>Moving traffic violation</b>	<b>1879</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	159
Black	94
White	1465
Hispanic / Latino	157
<b>Vehicle traffic violation</b>	<b>143</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	9
Black	13
White	108
Hispanic / Latino	13
<b>Was a search conducted?</b>	
<b>Yes</b>	<b>37</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	4
White	18
Hispanic / Latino	14
<b>No</b>	<b>2133</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	170
Black	113
White	1675
Hispanic / Latino	171
<b>Reason for Search?</b>	
<b>Consent</b>	<b>0</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0

Hispanic / Latino	0		
<b>Contraband</b>	<b>0</b>		
Alaska Native / American Indian	0		
Asian / Pacific Islander	0		
Black	0		
White	0		
Hispanic / Latino	0		
<b>Probable</b>	<b>27</b>		
Alaska Native / American Indian	0		
Asian / Pacific Islander	1		
Black	4		
White	13		
Hispanic / Latino	9		
<b>Inventory</b>	<b>8</b>		
Alaska Native / American Indian	0		
Asian / Pacific Islander	0		
Black	0		
White	4		
Hispanic / Latino	4		
<b>Incident to arrest</b>	<b>2</b>		
Alaska Native / American Indian	0		
Asian / Pacific Islander	0		
Black	0		
White	1		
Hispanic / Latino	1		
<b>Was Contraband discovered?</b>			
<b>Yes</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>Did the finding result in arrest?</b>	
		(total should equal previous column)	
Alaska Native / American Indian	0	Yes 0	No 0
Asian / Pacific Islander	1	Yes 1	No 0
Black	3	Yes 2	No 1
White	12	Yes 9	No 3
Hispanic / Latino	8	Yes 7	No 1
<b>No</b>	<b>13</b>		
Alaska Native / American Indian	0		
Asian / Pacific Islander	0		
Black	1		
White	6		
Hispanic / Latino	6		

<b>Description of contraband</b>	
<b>Drugs</b>	<b>21</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	2
White	10
Hispanic / Latino	8
<b>Weapons</b>	<b>0</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Currency</b>	<b>0</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Alcohol</b>	<b>2</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	1
White	1
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Stolen property</b>	<b>0</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Other</b>	<b>1</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	1
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Result of the stop</b>	
Verbal warning	<b>0</b>

Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Written warning</b>	<b>882</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	1
Asian / Pacific Islander	79
Black	66
White	677
Hispanic / Latino	59
<b>Citation</b>	<b>1266</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	3
Asian / Pacific Islander	91
Black	50
White	1007
Hispanic / Latino	115
<b>Written warning and arrest</b>	<b>2</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	1
Hispanic / Latino	1
<b>Citation and arrest</b>	<b>7</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	1
White	3
Hispanic / Latino	3
<b>Arrest</b>	<b>13</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	0
White	5
Hispanic / Latino	7
<b>Arrest based on</b>	
<b>Violation of Penal Code</b>	<b>18</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	1

Black	1
White	7
Hispanic / Latino	9
<b>Violation of Traffic Law</b>	<b>0</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Violation of City Ordinance</b>	<b>0</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Outstanding Warrant</b>	<b>4</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	2
Hispanic / Latino	2

**Was physical force resulting in bodily injury used during stop?**

<b>Yes</b>	<b>0</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
<b>Resulting in Bodily Injury To:</b>	
Suspect	0
Officer	0
Both	0
<b>No</b>	<b>2170</b>
Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	171
Black	117
White	1693
Hispanic / Latino	185



**Number of complaints of racial profiling**

Total	0
Resulted in disciplinary action	0
Did not result in disciplinary action	0

**Comparative Analysis**

Use TCOLE's auto generated analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use Department's submitted analysis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Optional Narrative**

N/A

Submitted electronically to the



The Texas Commission on Law Enforcement

## Traffic Stops Comparative Analysis - 2022

### West Lake Hills Police Department

**Total Stops = 2170**

<u>Location of the Stop</u>			
Total = 2170	City Street	1189	54.79%
	US highway	2	0.09%
	County Road	3	0.14%
	State Highway	971	44.75%
	Private property/Other	5	0.23%
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>			
Total = 2170	Alaska Native or American Indian	4	0.18%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	171	7.88%
	Black	117	5.39%
	White	1693	78.02%
	Hispanic/Latino	185	8.53%
<u>Gender</u>			
Male = 1261	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	107	8.49%
	Black	76	6.03%
	White	958	75.97%
	Hispanic/Latino	120	9.52%
Female = 909	Alaska Native or American Indian	4	0.44%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	64	7.04%
	Black	41	4.51%
	White	735	80.86%
	Hispanic/Latino	65	7.15%
<u>Reason for Stop</u>			
Violation of Law = 144	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	3	2.08%
	Black	9	6.25%
	White	119	82.64%
	Hispanic/Latino	13	9.03%
Pre-existing Knowledge = 4	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	1	25.00%
	White	1	25.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	2	50.00%
Moving Traffic Violation = 1879	Alaska Native or American Indian	4	0.21%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	159	8.46%
	Black	94	5.00%
	White	1465	77.97%
	Hispanic/Latino	157	8.36%

Vehicle Traffic Violation = 143	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	9	6.29%
	Black	13	9.09%
	White	108	75.52%
	Hispanic/Latino	13	9.09%

<b>Was a search conducted</b>			
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Yes = 37	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	2.70%
	Black	4	10.81%
	White	18	48.65%
	Hispanic/Latino	14	37.84%

No = 2133	Alaska Native or American Indian	4	0.19%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	170	7.97%
	Black	113	5.30%
	White	1675	78.53%
	Hispanic/Latino	171	8.02%

<b>Reason for Search</b>			
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Consent = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	0	0.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%

Contraband in plain view = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	0	0.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%

Probable Cause = 27	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	3.70%
	Black	4	14.81%
	White	13	48.15%
	Hispanic/Latino	9	33.33%

Inventory = 8	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	4	50.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	4	50.00%

Incident to Arrest = 2	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	1	50.00%

				Arrest Yes	Arrest No
Hispanic/Latino				1	50.00%
<b>Was contraband discovered</b>				Arrest Yes	Arrest No
Yes = 24	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%	0	0
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	4.17%	1	0
	Black	3	12.50%	2	1
	White	12	50.00%	9	3
	Hispanic/Latino	8	33.33%	7	1
No = 13	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%		
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%		
	Black	1	7.69%		
	White	6	46.15%		
	Hispanic/Latino	6	46.15%		
<b>Description of contraband</b>					
Drugs = 21	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%		
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	4.76%		
	Black	2	9.52%		
	White	10	47.62%		
	Hispanic/Latino	8	38.10%		
Weapons = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%		
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%		
	Black	0	0.00%		
	White	0	0.00%		
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%		
Currency = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%		
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%		
	Black	0	0.00%		
	White	0	0.00%		
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%		
Alcohol = 2	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%		
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%		
	Black	1	50.00%		
	White	1	50.00%		
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%		
Stolen Property = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%		
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%		
	Black	0	0.00%		
	White	0	0.00%		
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%		
Other = 1	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%		

	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	1	100.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%
<b>Result of the stop</b>			
Verbal Warning = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	0	0.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%
Written Warning = 882	Alaska Native or American Indian	1	0.11%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	79	8.96%
	Black	66	7.48%
	White	677	76.76%
	Hispanic/Latino	59	6.69%
Citation = 1266	Alaska Native or American Indian	3	0.24%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	91	7.19%
	Black	50	3.95%
	White	1007	79.54%
	Hispanic/Latino	115	9.08%
Written warning and arrest = 2	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	1	50.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	1	50.00%
Citation and arrest = 7	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	1	14.29%
	White	3	42.86%
	Hispanic/Latino	3	42.86%
Arrest = 13	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	7.69%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	5	38.46%
	Hispanic/Latino	7	53.85%
<b>Arrest based on</b>			
Violation of Penal Code = 18	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	5.56%
	Black	1	5.56%
	White	7	38.89%
	Hispanic/Latino	9	50.00%

Violation of Traffic Law = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	0	0.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%
Violation of City Ordinance = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	0	0.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%
Outstanding Warrant = 4	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	2	50.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	2	50.00%
<b>Was physical force resulting in bodily injury used</b>			
Yes = 0	Alaska Native or American Indian	0	0.00%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
	Black	0	0.00%
	White	0	0.00%
	Hispanic/Latino	0	0.00%
No = 2170	Alaska Native or American Indian	4	0.18%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	171	7.88%
	Black	117	5.39%
	White	1693	78.02%
	Hispanic/Latino	185	8.53%
<b>Number of complaints of racial profiling</b>			
total		0	0.00%
resulted in disciplinary action		0	0.00%
did not result in disciplinary action		0	0.00%
<b>Race or ethnicity known prior to stop?</b>			
	Yes	19	0.88%
	No	2151	99.12%