



ANNUAL REPORT 2021

CHIEF W. HOWARD HARRISON

PLANTATION POLICE DEPARTMENT

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MISSION STATEMENT

The members of the Plantation Police Department are committed to being responsive to the community in the delivery of quality law enforcement services. We recognize our responsibility to maintain order, while affording dignity and respect to every individual.

Our mission is to improve the quality of life for the citizens of the City of Plantation through a partnership with the community that promotes safe, secure streets and neighborhoods.

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MESSAGE FROM CHIEF W. HOWARD HARRISON



Welcome to the Plantation Police Department 2021 Annual Report and thank you for taking the time to read about our Department. I am incredibly proud of this agency and the dedicated men and women who serve our community.

Plantation Police Department is recognized both nationally through CALEA Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies as well as on the State level, through the CFA Commission on Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation.

We are staffed with 172 sworn officers, 94 full-time civilians and 4 part-time civilians, who are all committed to the principles of community policing.

The Plantation Police Department's Mission Statement expresses the goal of the agency to improve the quality of

life for the citizens of Plantation through a partnership with the community which promotes safe and secure streets and neighborhoods. We are committed and dedicated to reducing crime and enhancing relationships within our community so that the City of Plantation continues to prosper as a resilient and vibrant community.

Chief W. Howard Harrison



MAYOR LYNN STONER

Lynn was born in Ohio. Her family moved to Plantation in 1970, where she, her two sisters and brother attended and graduated from Plantation schools. Lynn's three children also attended Plantation schools and now her grandchild is enrolled in a local Plantation high school.

Lynn is a Florida Certified General Contractor and the Owner/President of Stoner Construction, Inc., which is located in Plantation. Stoner Construction participates in a variety of government, commercial and residential projects. She is a licensed real estate broker who consults with national and local owners, developers, lenders and attorneys regarding potential investments and is a Florida title insurance agent.

Lynn's first formal involvement in public service began with her appointment to the County's Small Business Advisory Board in 2004 and she has never looked back. Her advocacy for small businesses is well respected throughout the community. Subsequently, she was appointed to the Broward County School Board's Supplier and Diversity Outreach Council. She also sits on other Boards where her knowledge and expertise in construction, real estate and business are a valuable asset.

She is a member of the Greater Plantation Chamber of Commerce, GFWC Plantation Woman's Club, Plantation Acres Women's Club, Plantation Art Guild, Plantation Historical Society, Kiwanis Club of Plantation and National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC).

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DEPUTY CHIEFS



**DEPUTY CHIEF
JEFFREY SCHLEGEL**



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DEPUTY CHIEFS



DEPUTY CHIEF JAMES DOURVETAKIS



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CAPTAINS



DAVID KHALEEL
SUPPORT SERVICES



CRAIG STALKER
GENERAL SERVICES



ROBERT JUSKIEWICZ
CID



SEYMOUR COUNCIL
PATROL



CHAD FOWLER
SPECIAL OPS

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2021 STATS



CRIME TYPE	2019	2020	% CHANGE 2019 & 2020	2020	2021	% CHANGE 2020 & 2021
MURDER	2	3	50.00%	3	3	0.00%
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	109	95	-12.84%	95	125	31.58%
SEX OFFENSE	11	14	27.27%	14	10	-28.57%
ROBBERY	93	52	-44.09%	52	48	-7.69%
RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY	97	93	-4.12%	93	71	-23.66%
BURGLARY STRUCTURE/ OTHER	63	62	-1.59%	62	73	17.74%
BURGLARY CONVEYANCE	904	586	-35.18%	586	524	-10.58%
LARCENY	1250	914	-26.88%	914	809	-11.49%
AUTO THEFT	243	266	9.47%	266	232	-12.78%
TOTAL	2772	2085	-24.78%	2085	1895	-9.11%

2021 MOVING CITATIONS				
Race	Blank Sex	Female	Male	Total
ASIAN	0	34	74	108
BLACK	0	1169	1750	2919
HISPANIC	0	165	277	442
INDIAN	0	3	6	9
UNKNOWN	1	83	136	220
WHITE	0	847	1296	2143
TOTAL	1	2301	3539	5841

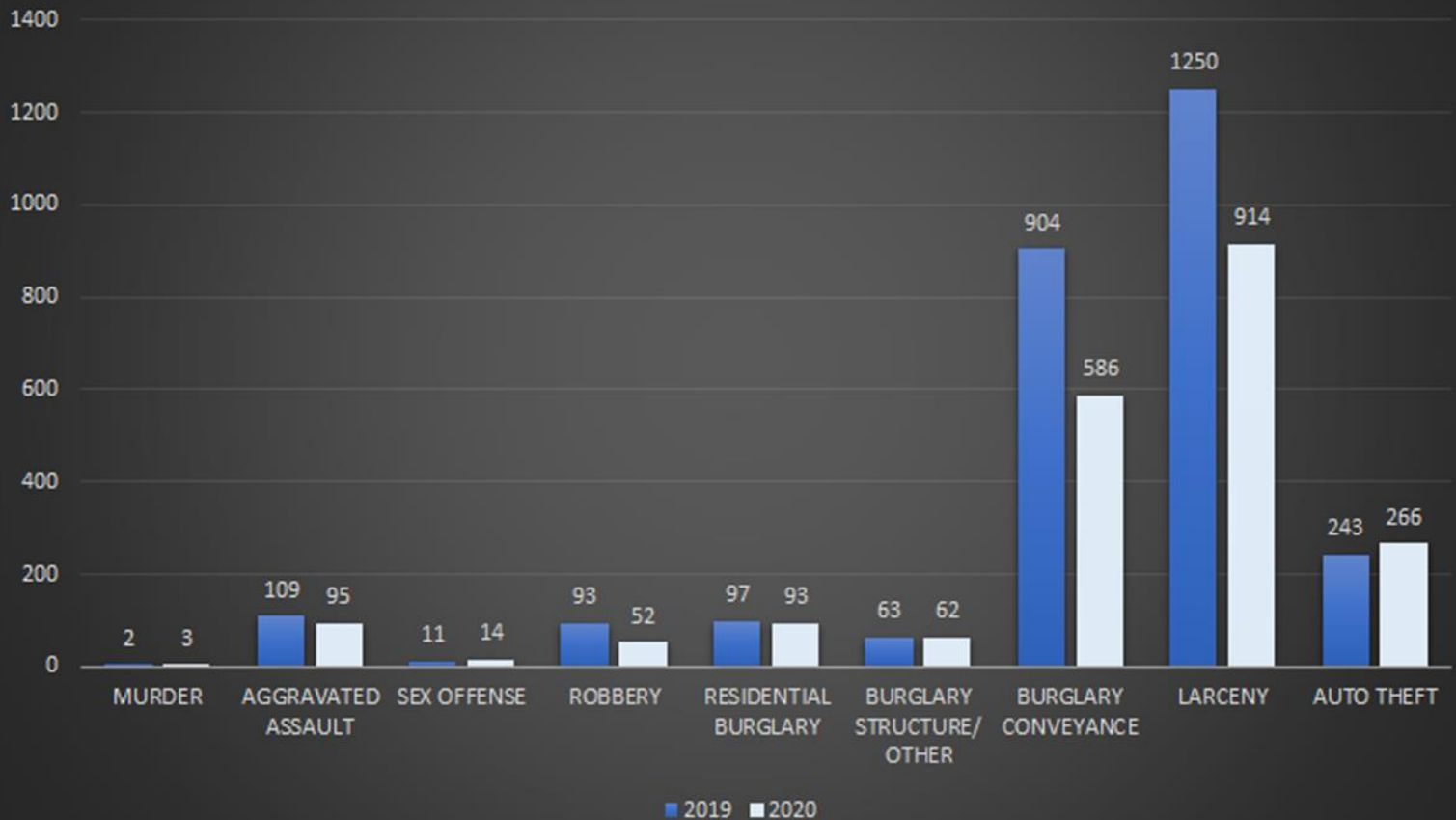
CRASHES BY ZONE JAN 1, 2021 - DEC 31, 2021	
BLANK	8
ZONE 1	149
ZONE 2	420
ZONE 3	419
ZONE 4	440
ZONE 5	612
ZONE 6	317
ZONE 7	745
TOTAL	3110

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2021 STATS



CRIME STATS 2019 & 2020





OFFICER OF THE YEAR KENDRICK GOMEZ



Detective Gomez was born in Manhattan, New York. He is a graduate of American Senior High School and attended Broward College.

Detective Gomez was hired by the Plantation Police Department in 1995. In his twenty-six years of service, he has shown extreme dedication and excellence in the performance of his duties. He has been the recipient of the Unit Citation Award, the Distinguished Performance Award, and has received Officer of the Month honors on five (5) separate occasions.

During Detective Gomez's career he has been a Uniform Patrol Officer, a School Resource Officer, and is currently a Detective.

During the thirteen years he served as the School Resource Officer at South Plantation High School he was one of the most beloved and recognizable officers within the city. He made it a point to build personal relationships with the students, their parents, and the school staff.

As a School Resource Officer, Detective Gomez was an avid supporter of the school's athletic programs and he coached several sports. He used coaching as a way to build up rapport with his students. It was not uncommon to hear students affectionately call him "Coach" as he patrolled the campus.

Many of Detective Gomez's current investigations as an Auto Theft Detective involve at-risk juveniles. This has furthered Detective Gomez's resolve to curb delinquent behavior through positive police encounters. To this day he continues to coach baseball, utilizing sports as a way of breaking down barriers between the youth and law enforcement.

Detective Gomez was assigned to the Plantation Police Department's Criminal Investigation Division in 2014. He is currently the department's lead Auto Theft Detective and assigned to one of the department's four (4) Major Crime Teams. In 2020, Detective Gomez was assigned to investigate 274 cases. These cases were primarily Auto Theft related, but because of his dual assignment as a Major Crime Detective, they also included investigations into Homicides, Robberies, and Human Trafficking. Detective Gomez is a tenacious investigator who exhausts every lead on all the cases assigned to him. His efforts have uncovered and disrupted organized car theft rings that spanned multiple jurisdictions. He has located and shut down, "Chop Shops," used to strip stolen vehicles for parts. He has recovered numerous stolen vehicles and, in 2020 alone, Detective Gomez developed probable cause for the arrest of seventeen (17) culprits for various felonies committed within the jurisdiction of the Plantation Police Department.

Detective Gomez's remarkable work ethic is fueled by his enthusiasm to serve others. It is this dedication to service that has made him respected and admired by both his colleagues and the community at large.

Detective Gomez is the embodiment of the values held by the Plantation Police Department and it is for these reasons that we recognize Detective Gomez as the 2020 Plantation Police Department Officer of the Year.



OFFICER OF THE MONTH

JANUARY - DECEMBER 2021



JANUARY
OFFICER O'HARA



FEBRUARY
OFFICER MCWILLIAMS



MARCH
DETECTIVE GRABER



MAY
OFFICER HOGG
OFFICER MCWILLIAMS



MAY
OFFICER LOPEZ



JUNE
OFFICER O'HARA



JULY
OFFICER RADZIWON



AUGUST
OFFICER DUTY



SEPTEMBER
DETECTIVE LOPEZ



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2021 AWARDS

COMMENDATION AWARD

Officer Jason Broskie

Officer Jeffrey Canary

Officer Paul Cunningham

Officer Christopher King

Officer Chase Zandick

Community Service Award

Officer Luc Augustin

Officer Cristian Palmieri

Officer Michael Umpierre

Distinguished Performance

Victim Advocate Debbie Geller

Officer Courtney Fish

MERITORIUS SERVICE AWARD

Officer Venson Marcellon

Officer Harold Bailey

Officer Mark Iasillo

Officer Thomas Martino

Officer Nicholas Pelosi

Officer Thomas Bickham

Officer Christopher King

Officer Kyle Mastrianni

Officer Chase Zandick

Officer Daniel Marinas



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2021 AWARDS

Life Saving Award

Officer Jonathan Cedeno

Officer Junior Santiago

Officer Marsela Reyes

Officer Richard Huse

Officer Troy Ianniello

Purple Heart Award

Officer Joey Miller

Valor Award

Officer Joey Miller

Unit Citation Awards

Lieutenant Rudy Brown

Officer Daryl Radziwon

Community Relations Coord. Lindsay Smith

Administrative Asst. Deyanna Grooms

Officer Jeffrey Ventura

Officer Cristian Palmieri

Officer Luc Augustin

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The Plantation Police Department has been accredited with the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) since 1998 and with the CALEA Public Safety Communications Accreditation Program since 2012. The department has also been accredited with the Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation (CFA) since 2000. Both are voluntary law Enforcement accreditation programs. Every four-years, a team comprised of law enforcement professionals conducts an on-site assessment of our department and then we appear before the commission to determine our eligibility for reaccreditation.

The Plantation Police Department is proud of our accredited status and will continue to demonstrate to the community that we are committed to the highest standards of professional excellence in Law Enforcement service.

