



POLICE DEPARTMENT

SANTA BARBARA POLICE DEPARTMENT 2023 RACIAL AND IDENTITY PROFILING ACT DATA

Fire and Police Commission

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Presentation Outline

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Summary

RIPA Recap



Assembly Bill 953 - Took Effect January 1, 2016

RIPA Required all Law Enforcement Agencies in the State to *“collect perceived demographic and other detailed data regarding pedestrian and traffic stops.”*

Effort to Help Eliminate Racial and Identity Profiling by Law Enforcement

“Data Elements” Collected on Applicable Stops, Detentions, Searches and Arrests

Data Reported to U.S. Department of Justice Annually

Key “Data Elements” Summary

Reason for the Stop

Actions Taken During the Stop

Search Information

Result of the Stop

Race or Ethnicity

Gender

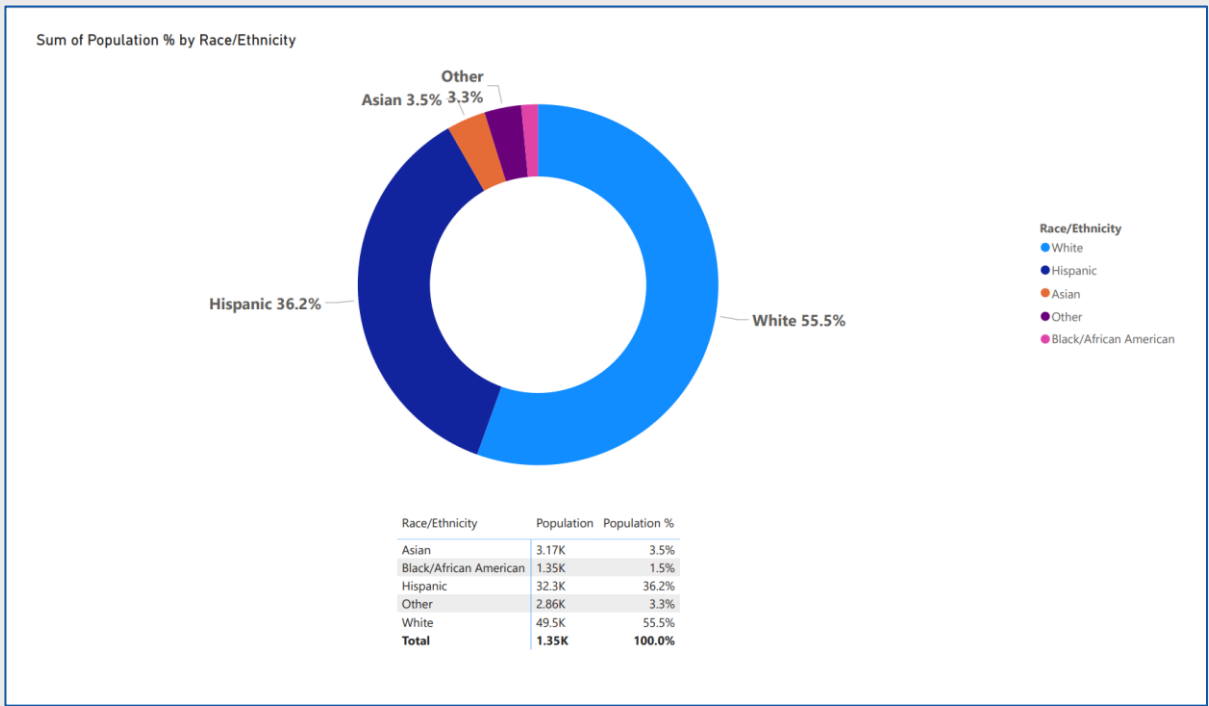
Sexual Orientation

STOP DATA COLLECTION FORM
Racial & Identity Profiling Act – Penal Code Sections 13012 and 13013, and Gov. Code 12525.5

PLEASE NOTE:
- The data collected on this form must be electronically submitted to the California Department of Justice (DOJ) Stop Data Collection System by entry into the Web Application or submission by email to stopdata@doj.ca.gov.
- Please contact your agency's local administrator for instructions on processing this request for submission to the DOJ. If needed, the DOJ can be reached at (916) 374-3333 or stopdata@doj.ca.gov.
- If multiple persons are related to one stop, complete a separate form (sections 8-10) for each person and report as one incident.
- If this form contains a request for a 42 CFR 112 public school, then some fields may have additional options available for reporting. These items are related with an additional '1' and shown in red text.

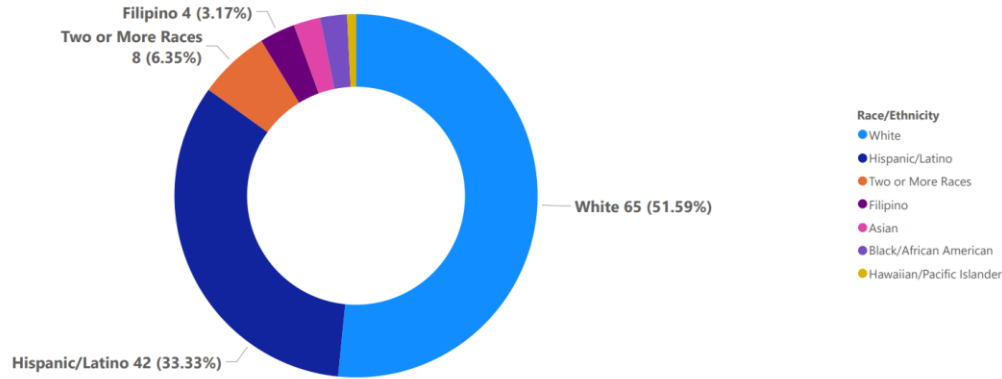
AGENCY OR: _____ OFFICER ID: _____ OFFICER'S YEARS OF EXPERIENCE: _____	
OFFICER'S TYPE OF ASSIGNMENT: (Select one)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Patrol, safety, enforcement, field operations <input type="checkbox"/> Roadblock or DOJ activity checkstop <input type="checkbox"/> Investigative/detective <input type="checkbox"/> Drug enforcement <input type="checkbox"/> Neighborhood <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Compliance/Check <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic/Patrol at other, specify: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Special Events <input type="checkbox"/> K-12 Public School	
DATE: (MM/DD/YYYY)	TIME: (HH:MM use 24 hr clock)
DURATION OF STOP: (minutes)	
RESPONSE TO CALL FOR SERVICE? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
LOCATION: (Report as Block number and street name, or closest intersection, or highway and closest highway exit. If none of these are applicable, please report a road marker, landmark, or other description. Do not provide the exact address of a residence.)	
CITY: (If City is not applicable because stop occurred in unincorporated area, report the County.) COUNTY: (Only required when City is not applicable)	
IF STOP OCCURRED AT A K-12 PUBLIC SCHOOL, REPORT SCHOOL NAME: _____ IS PARENTS/STUDENT A MINORITY? (Only if Yes) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
PERCEIVED RACE OR ETHNICITY: (Select all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Eastern or South Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino	
PERCEIVED GENDER: (When applicable, you may select "Gender nonconforming" as the only value or in addition to one of the other values)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Transgender/male-to-female <input type="checkbox"/> Transgender/female-to-male <input type="checkbox"/> Gender nonconforming	
PERCEIVED TO BE LGBT? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No PERCEIVED AGE: (Approximate age; report as a whole number) _____ LIMITED OR NO ENGLISH FLUENCY? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
PERCEIVED OR KNOWN DISABILITY: (Check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Deafness or difficulty hearing <input type="checkbox"/> Mental health condition <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Speech impairment or limited use of language <input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual or developmental disability <input type="checkbox"/> Visually impaired or blindness or low vision <input type="checkbox"/> Need or limited vision <input type="checkbox"/> Other disability: _____	

Santa Barbara City Demographics



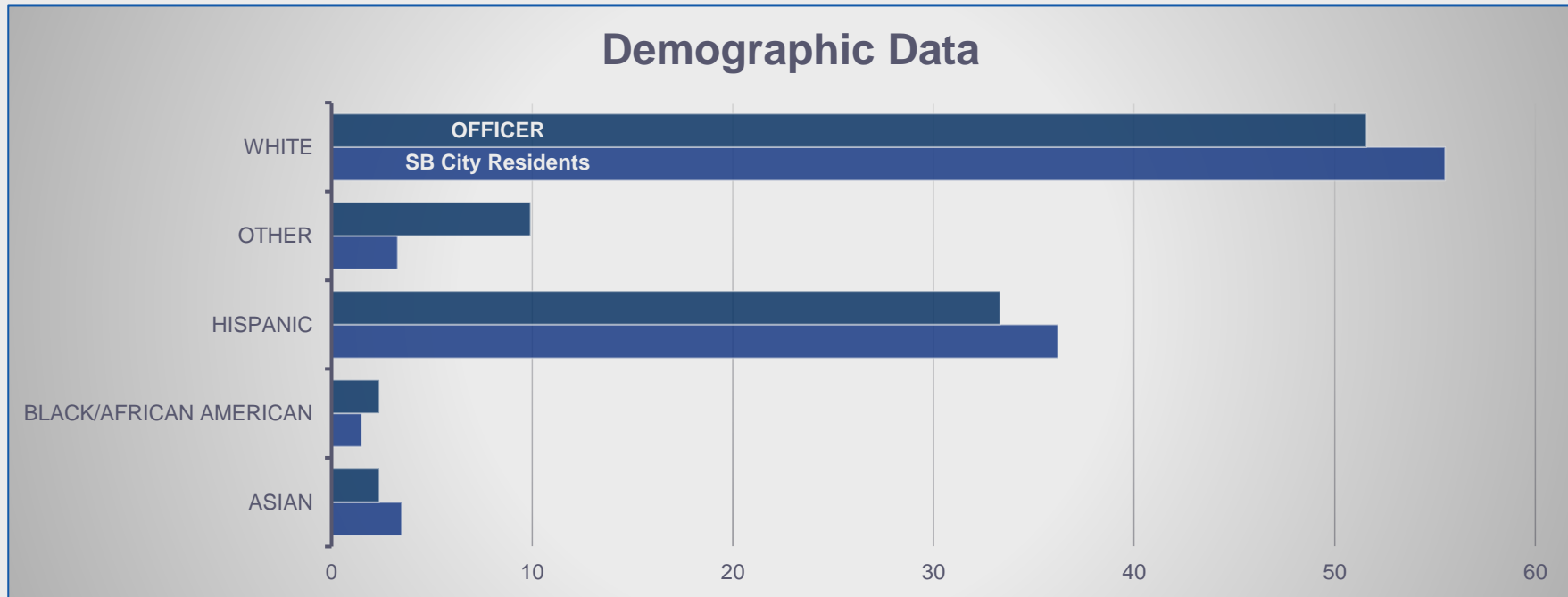
SBPD Officer Demographics

Sum of Officers by Race/Ethnicity

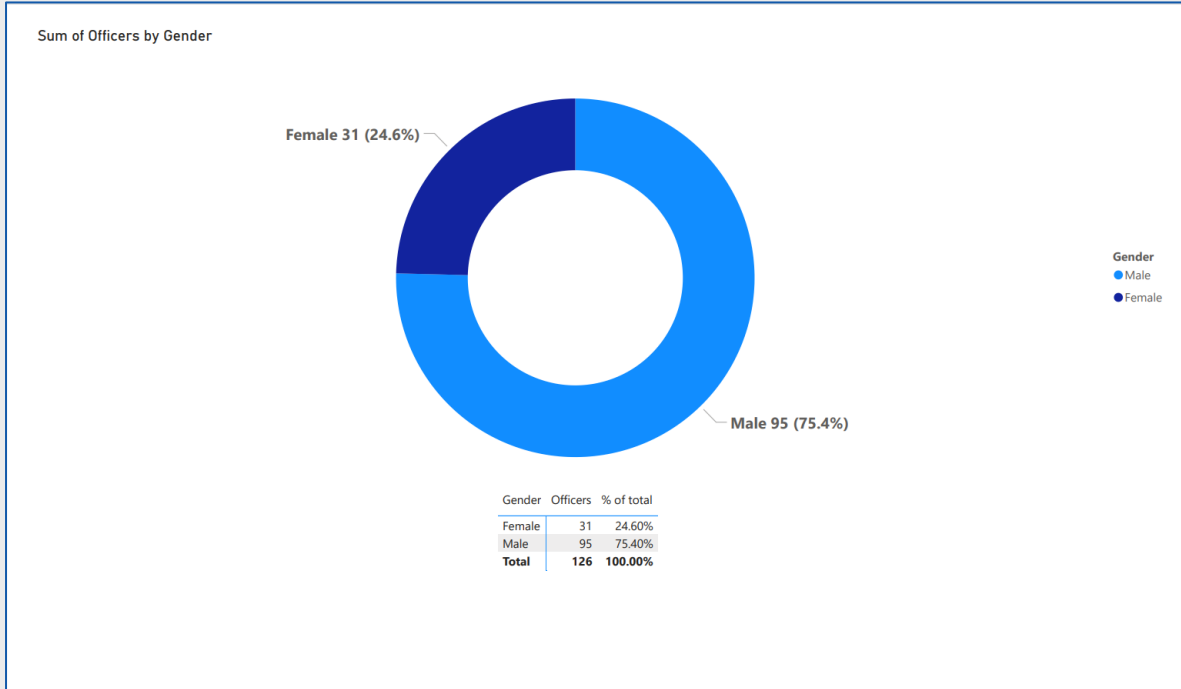


Race/Ethnicity	Officers	% of total
Asian	3	2.38%
Black/African American	3	2.38%
Filipino	4	3.17%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	0.79%
Hispanic/Latino	42	33.33%
Two or More Races	8	6.35%
White	65	51.59%
Total	126	100.00%

Demographic Comparison



SBPD Gender Demographics



Tests for Disparities

Residential Population Comparison

- Comparing Stop Data to Residential Population Data
- Common Method of Analysis
- Analysis Assumes the Distribution of Who is Stopped Likely Resembles the Demographics of Region

Outcome Comparison

- Comparing Stop Outcome Data Across Categories of Race and Identity
- Common Method of Analysis
- Are there Disparities in Outcomes?
- Are “Negative” vs “Positive” Outcomes Disproportionate?

Non-Residents and Police Contacts

- Non-Resident Contacts
- Commuter City
- Tourist Destination
- “Residential Population Comparison” Impacts



7.2 million visitors



Highlights: Santa Barbara Tourism Statistics

- Annually, Santa Barbara attracts over 7.2 million visitors.

Santa Barbara Police Department 2023 RIPA Data



RIPA Count by Month

Stop Data by Race/ Ethnicity

Perceived Gender

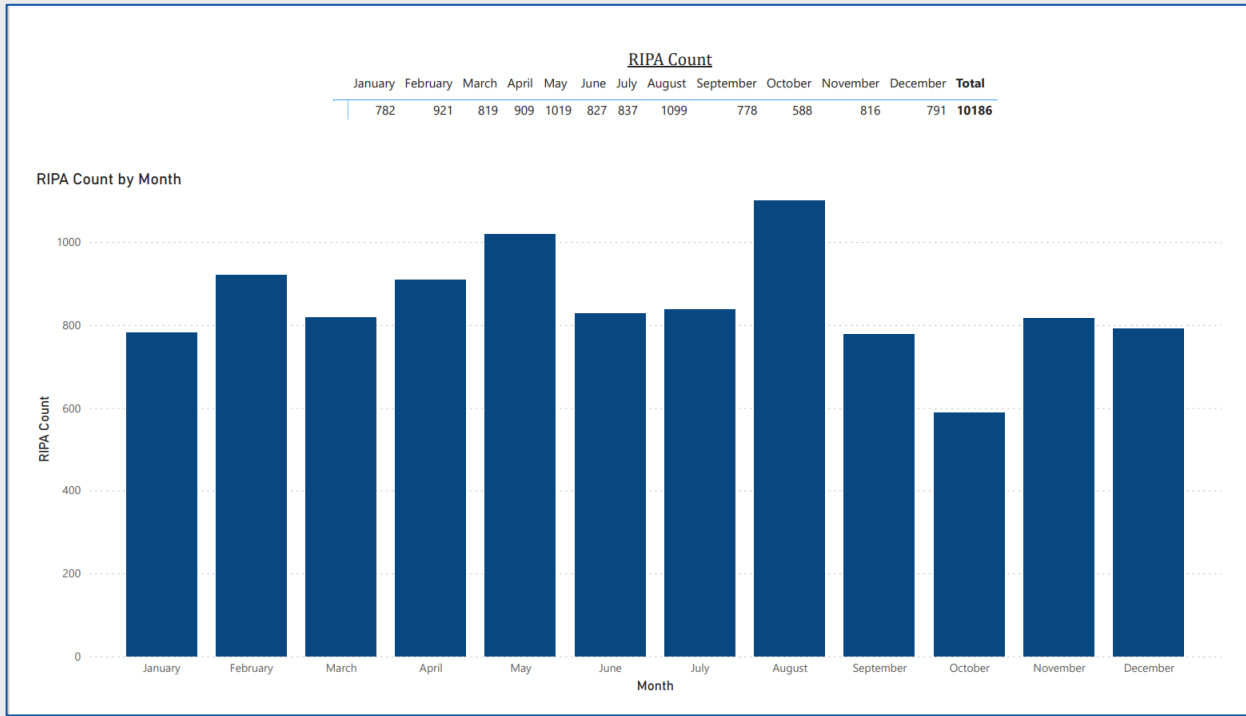
Perceived Sexual Orientation

Reason for Stop

Result of Stop

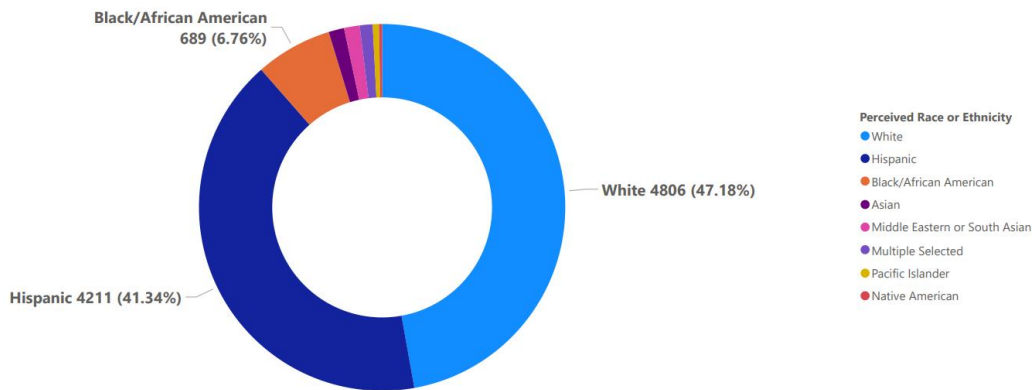
Searches

RIPA Count By Month



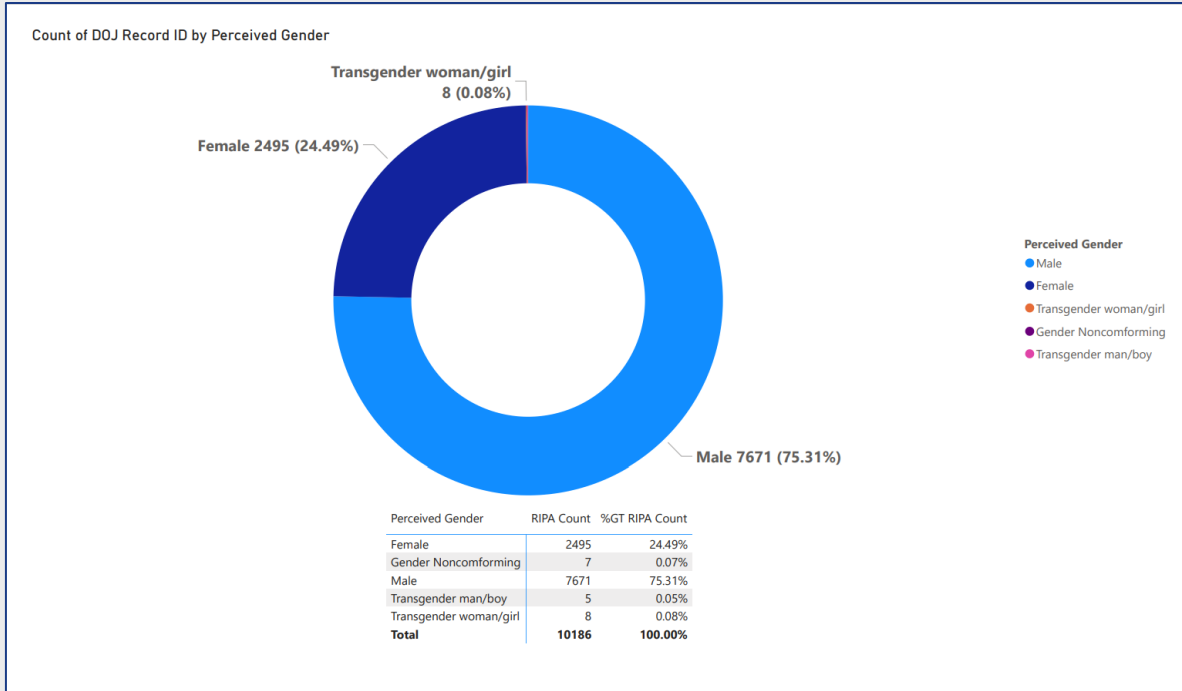
Race/ Ethnicity (Perceived)

Count of DOJ Record ID by Perceived Race or Ethnicity

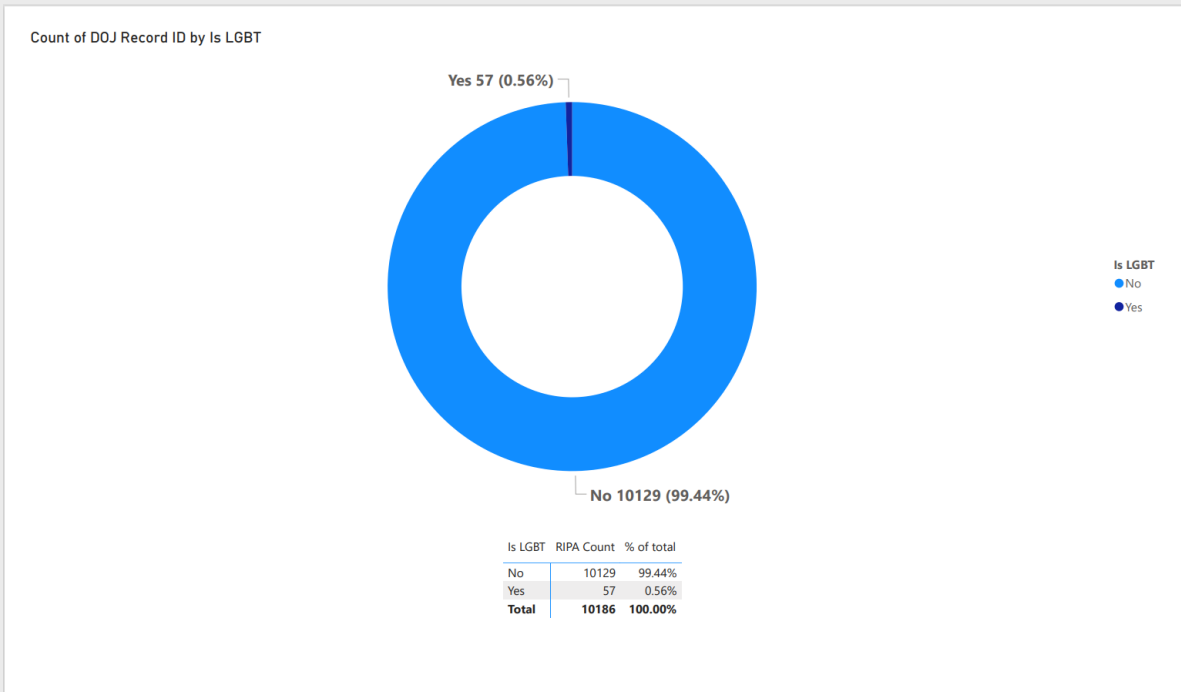


Perceived Race or Ethnicity	RIPA Count	%GT RIPA Count
Asian	140	1.37%
Black/African American	689	6.76%
Hispanic	4211	41.34%
Middle Eastern or South Asian	140	1.37%
Multiple Selected	116	1.14%
Native American	28	0.27%
Pacific Islander	56	0.55%
White	4806	47.18%
Total	10186	100.00%

Gender (Perceived)

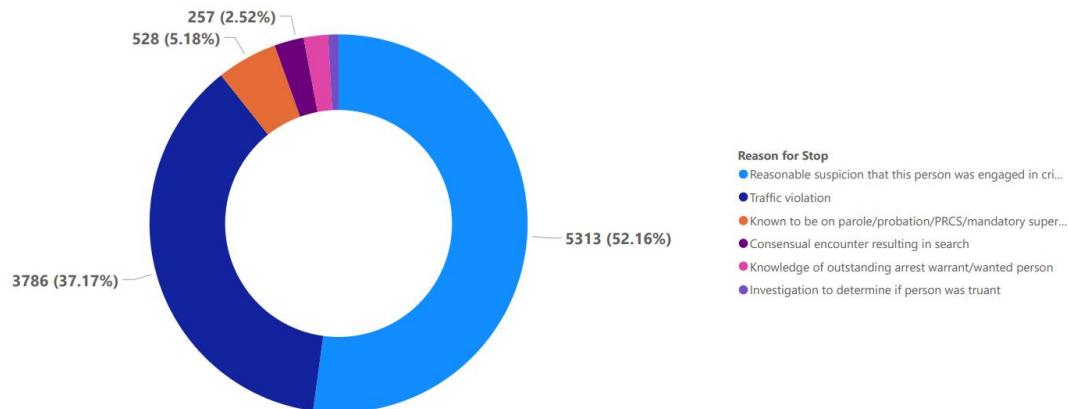


Sexual Orientation (Perceived)



Reason for Stop

Count of DOJ Record ID by Reason for Stop

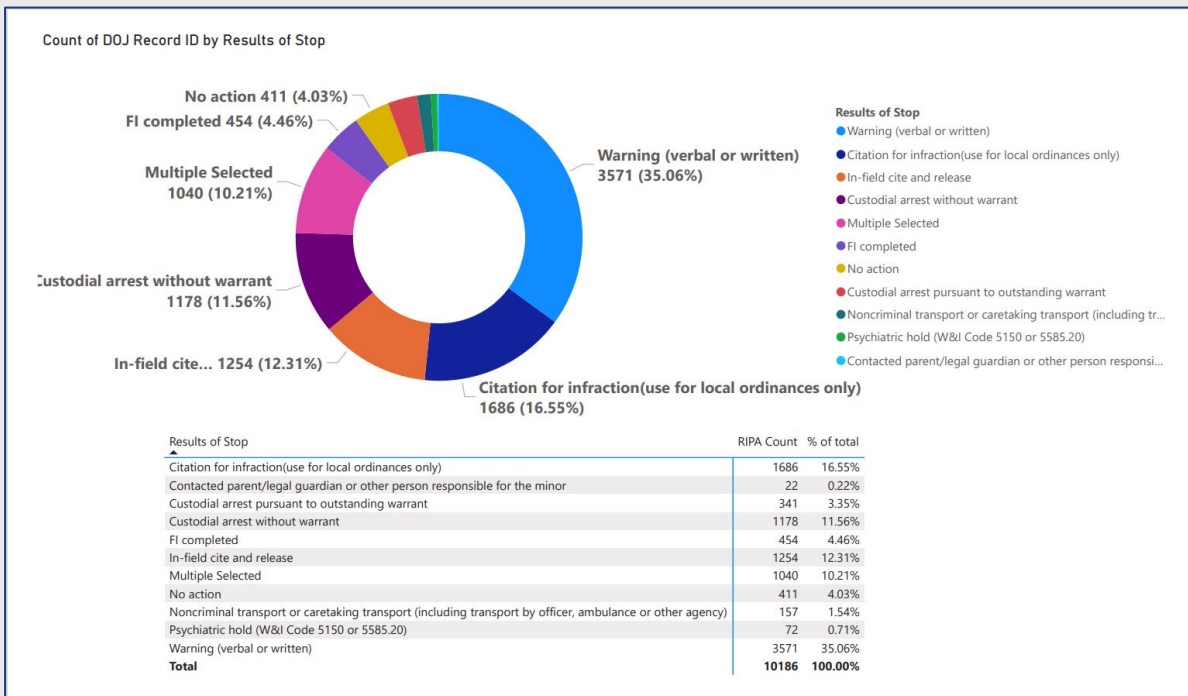


Reason for Stop	RIPA Count	% of total
Consensual encounter resulting in search	257	2.52%
Investigation to determine if person was truant	91	0.89%
Knowledge of outstanding arrest warrant/wanted person	211	2.07%
Known to be on parole/probation/PRCS/mandatory supervision	528	5.18%
Reasonable suspicion that this person was engaged in criminal activity	5313	52.16%
Traffic violation	3786	37.17%
Total	10186	100.00%

Reason for Stop by Perceived Race

Reason for Stop	Asian	Black/African American	Hispanic	Middle Eastern or South Asian	Multiple Selected	Native American	Pacific Islander	White	Total
Reasonable suspicion that this person was engaged in criminal activity	39	446	2111	30	37	20	28	2602	5313
Traffic violation	97	120	1624	99	69	6	24	1747	3786
Known to be on parole/probation/PRCS/mandatory supervision	1	72	265	4	6		1	179	528
Consensual encounter resulting in search	1	18	86	5	2	1	1	143	257
Knowledge of outstanding arrest warrant/wanted person		28	85	1	1	1	1	94	211
Investigation to determine if person was truant	2	5	40	1	1		1	41	91
Total	140	689	4211	140	116	28	56	4806	10186

Result of Stop



Result of Stop by Perceived Race

Perceived Race or Ethnicity Results of Stop	Asian		Black/African American		Hispanic		Middle Eastern or South Asian		Multiple Selected		Native American		Pacific Islander		White		Total	
	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA	RIPA Count	% of RIPA
Warning (verbal or written)	58	41.43%	227	32.95%	1336	31.73%	74	52.86%	52	44.83%	10	35.71%	24	42.86%	1790	37.25%	3571	35.06%
Psychiatric hold (W&I Code 5150 or 5585.20)	1	0.71%	2	0.29%	23	0.55%			1	0.86%					45	0.94%	72	0.71%
Noncriminal transport or caretaking transport (including transport by officer, ambulance or other agency)	7	5.00%	16	2.32%	42	1.00%	2	1.43%	2	1.72%	1	3.57%	1	1.79%	86	1.79%	157	1.54%
No action			41	5.95%	189	4.49%	4	2.86%	5	4.31%			3	5.36%	169	3.52%	411	4.03%
Multiple Selected	13	9.29%	73	10.60%	446	10.59%	7	5.00%	17	14.66%	2	7.14%	1	1.79%	481	10.01%	1040	10.21%
In-field cite and release	7	5.00%	131	19.01%	497	11.80%	6	4.29%	5	4.31%	7	25.00%	8	14.29%	593	12.34%	1254	12.31%
FI completed	5	3.57%	32	4.64%	212	5.03%	2	1.43%	2	1.72%	2	3.57%	2	3.57%	201	4.18%	454	4.46%
Custodial arrest without warrant	9	6.43%	72	10.45%	589	13.99%	10	7.14%	13	11.21%	4	14.29%	5	8.93%	476	9.90%	1178	11.56%
Custodial arrest pursuant to outstanding warrant	2	1.43%	43	6.24%	133	3.16%	3	2.14%	2	1.72%	1	3.57%	2	3.57%	155	3.23%	341	3.35%
Contacted parent/legal guardian or other person responsible for the minor			1	0.15%	17	0.40%									4	0.08%	22	0.22%
Citation for infraction (use for local ordinances only)	38	27.14%	51	7.40%	727	17.26%	32	22.86%	19	16.38%	3	10.71%	10	17.86%	806	16.77%	1686	16.55%
Total	140	100.00%	689	100.00%	4211	100.00%	140	100.00%	116	100.00%	28	100.00%	56	100.00%	4806	100.00%	10186	100.00%

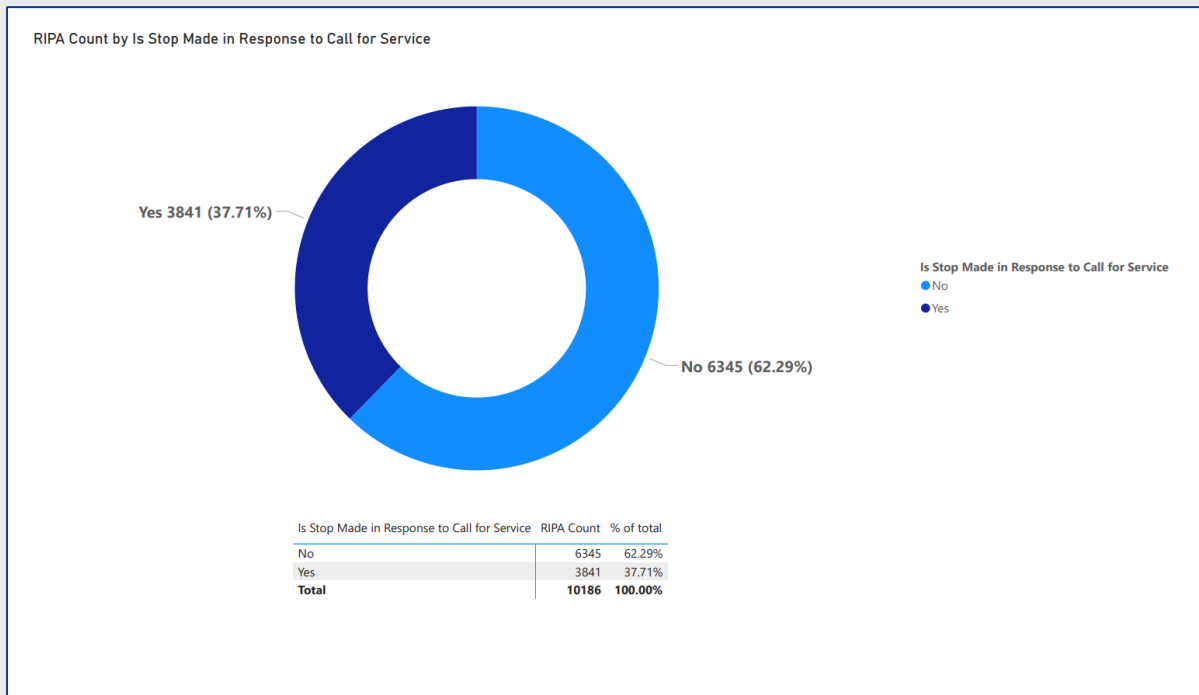
Searches

Basis for Search	RIPA Count	%GT RIPA Count
Canine detection	2	0.02%
Condition of parole/probation/PRCS/mandatory supervision	718	7.05%
Consent Given	291	2.86%
Evidence of crime	98	0.96%
Exigent circumstances/emergency	2	0.02%
Incident to arrest	885	8.69%
Multiple Selected	520	5.11%
No Search Conducted	7453	73.17%
Odor of contraband	1	0.01%
Officer safety/safety of others	63	0.62%
Search warrant	3	0.03%
Suspected weapons	7	0.07%
Vehicle inventory	61	0.60%
Visible contraband	82	0.81%
Total	10186	100.00%

27%

RIPA resulted in Searches

RIPA and Calls For Service



“Bias By Proxy”

“When an individual calls the police and makes false or ill-informed claims about persons they dislike or are biased against.”

Responding to the Biases of Others

The Challenges of Call Taking

RIPA Board Recommendations

“Bias by Proxy” Training for Dispatchers

Dispatcher Backgrounds

Summary

- 10,186 Total RIPA Contacts in 2023
- SBPD in Compliance with RIPA Reporting
- Officer Demographics Mirror Community Demographics
- “Tests for Disparities”
- Continued Training (Dispatcher and Officer)

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

SBPD 2023 Racial and Identity Profiling Act (RIPA) Data