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Kenneth Lynn, Acting Vice President of Administration / CFO

FROM:

William F. Taylor, Chief of Police

DATE:

February 29, 2016

SUBJECT:

State Mandated 2015 Racial Profiling Report

The attached Racial Profiling Report is mandated by the State of Texas. Each year the police department of every political subdivision of the State must submit this report to their governing body and the statistics included in the report must be submitted to the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE).

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Because Collin College police vehicles are equipped with in-car video systems to document traffic stops conducted by Collin College police officers, the Collin College police department is only required to submit the Tier 1 statistical report to the TCOLE. Without this means of documenting traffic stops, the Department would be required to prepare and submit the more complicated and time consuming Tier 2 report.

The data included in the attached report is for 2015 and reflects that Collin College police officers make traffic stops and initiate citation closely proportionate to the demographics of the students attending the College. This indicates that Collin College police officers do not practice racial profiling.

A copy of the Tier 1 Report submitted to TCOLE is attached to this report for reference.

## Collin College Police Department

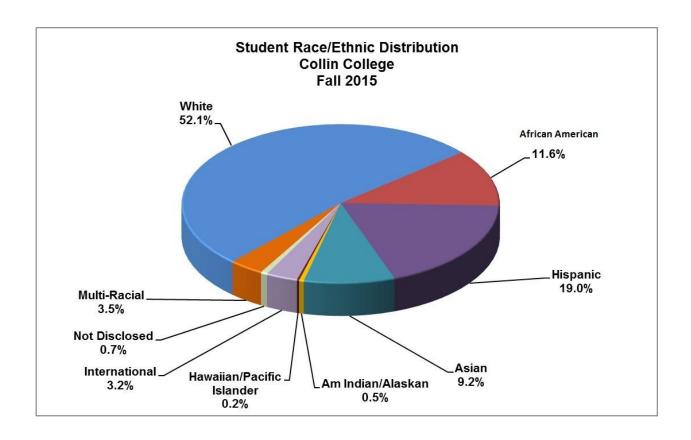
## **2015** Racial Profiling Report

This document encompasses traffic stops gathered during 2015 starting on 01/01/2015 ending on 12/31/2015. During this statistical gathering period it was determined that the Collin College Police Department affected a total of 386 verifiable traffic stops. These traffic stops were categorized by race and ethnicity as set forth by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement and compared to the student race/ethnicity chart provided for distribution for 2015

Collin College Police Department, Racial- or Bias-Based Profiling policy #313

The Collin College Police Department is committed to providing law enforcement services to the community with due regard for the racial, cultural or other differences of those served. It is the policy of this department to provide law enforcement services and to enforce the law equally, fairly and without discrimination toward any individual or group.

Race, ethnicity or nationality, religion, sex, sexual orientation, economic status, age, cultural group, disability or affiliation with any other similar identifiable group shall not be used as the basis for providing differing levels of law enforcement service or the enforcement of the law (Tex. Code of Crim. Pro., art. 2.131).



This chart was taken from the Collin College website showing the Ethnic breakdown of student body population.

Below is the required racial profiling statistic as require by the *Texas Commission on Law Enforcement*.

386 Total traffic stops were made.

54 Total traffic citations were issued.

**African American:** 57 Traffic Stops making up a total of **14.76%** of all stops. 9 Citations were issued making up **16.6%** of citations.

**Hispanic:** 45 Traffic Stops making up a total of 11.67% of all stops. 4 Citations issued making up 7.7% of all citations.

**White:** 221 Traffic Stops making up a total of 57.25% of all stops. 34 Citation issued making up 62.9% of all citations.

Middle Eastern\*: 25 Traffic Stops making up a total of 6.47% of all stops. 2 Citation issued making up 3.7% of all citations.

**Asian:** 38 Traffic Stops making up a total of 9.84% of all stops. 5 Citations were issued making up a total of 9.25% of all citations.

**Native Americans:** 0 Traffic Stops totaling 0% of all stops. 0 Citations were issued making up a total of 0% of all stops.

The racial profiling agency report submitted to the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement for 2015 is attached.

<sup>\*</sup>Middle Eastern is not a listed Race/Ethnic Distribution on the Collin College Spring 2015 Pie Chart but is a required field on the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Racial Profiling Submission.



## TCOLE 2015 RACIAL PROFILING AGENCY REPORT WIZARD

You have chosen to report as TIER 1 - Partial Exemption from Racial Profiling Reporting. You are reporting that agency vehicles used to conduct motor vehicle stops are equipped with video and audio equipment and those videos are maintained for 90-days or, in accordance with the Texas State Code of Criminal Procedures Article 2.135(a)(2), your agency has requested and not received funds to install the recording equipment.

Step 1: Please verify the following mandatory information and add contact information for questions by the general public about your Agency's report:

Department Name: COLLIN CO. COMM. COLLEGE POLICE DEPT.

Agency Number: 085001

Chief Administrator Name:

Input By: WILLIAM TAYLOR

Contact information released to the General Public for Questions about Report (you must provide at least one form of contact):

Telephone: 972 578-5555

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Leave telephone and email blank if the General Public should only contact your Agency by mail for questions about your report.

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