



**City of Dallas**

# **Violent Crime Reduction Plan Update**

**Public Safety Committee  
February 13, 2023**

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# Presentation Overview



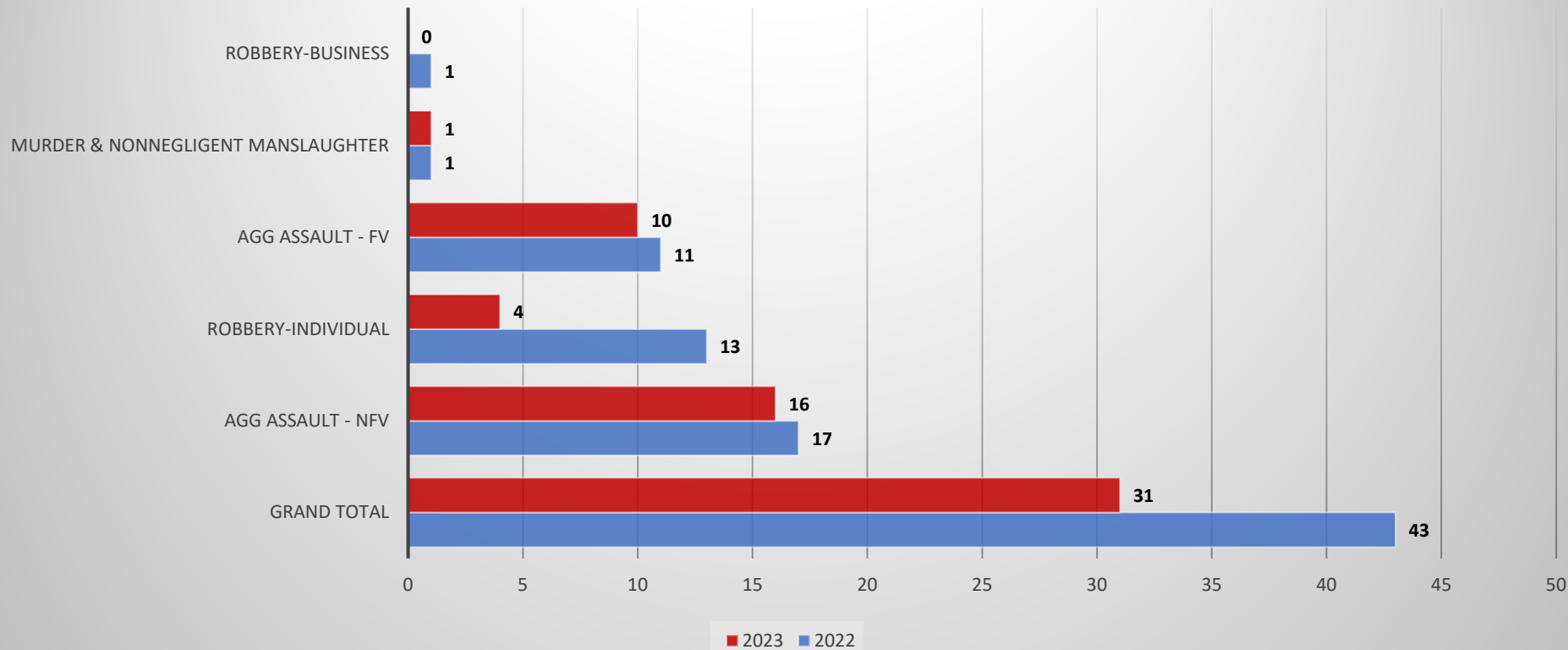
- Grid Crime by the Numbers
- Grid Impacts Results - Overall Crime
- The Crime Trends
- Murder, Robbery, Aggravated Assault
- Social Responsibility
- Integrated Public safety Solutions
- Crime Plan- Next Steps



# Grid Crime by the Numbers



Grid Comparison – Violent Crime 2022 vs. 2023



Our crime plan is based on the theory that crime is concentrated in small areas throughout the city.

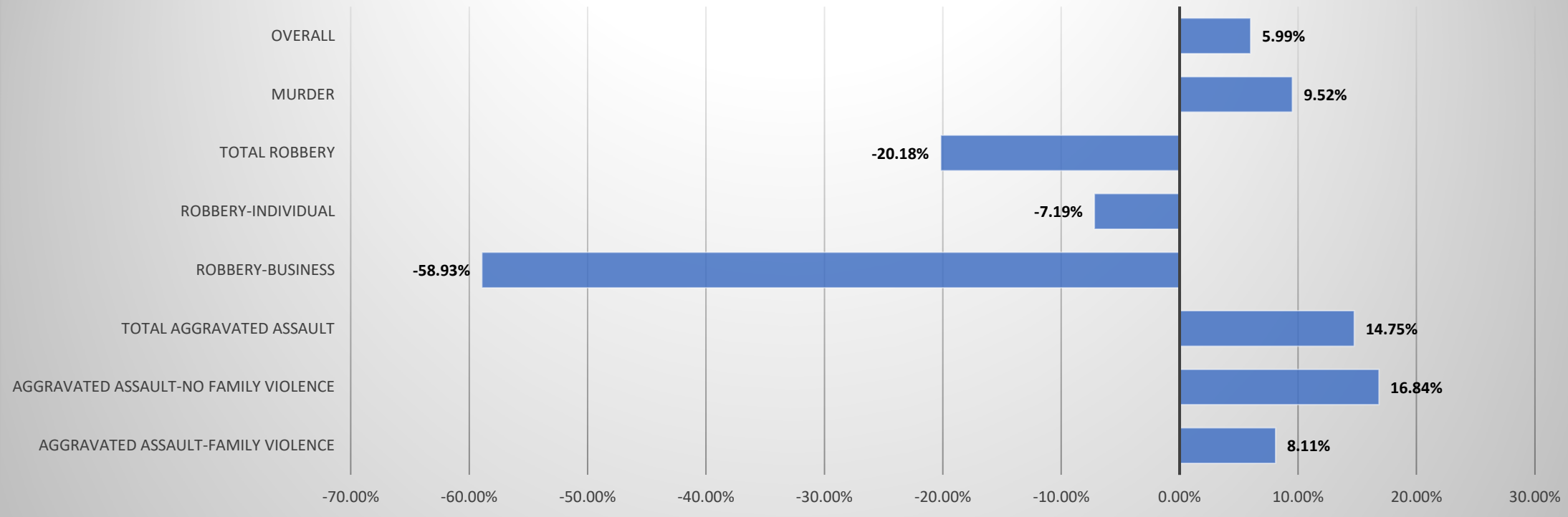
- \* Phase 7 Grids
- \* Jan. 1 - Jan. 31
- Victims
- Red – 2023
- Blue - 2022



# Grid Impact Results- Overall Crime



Violent Crime 2022 vs. 2023

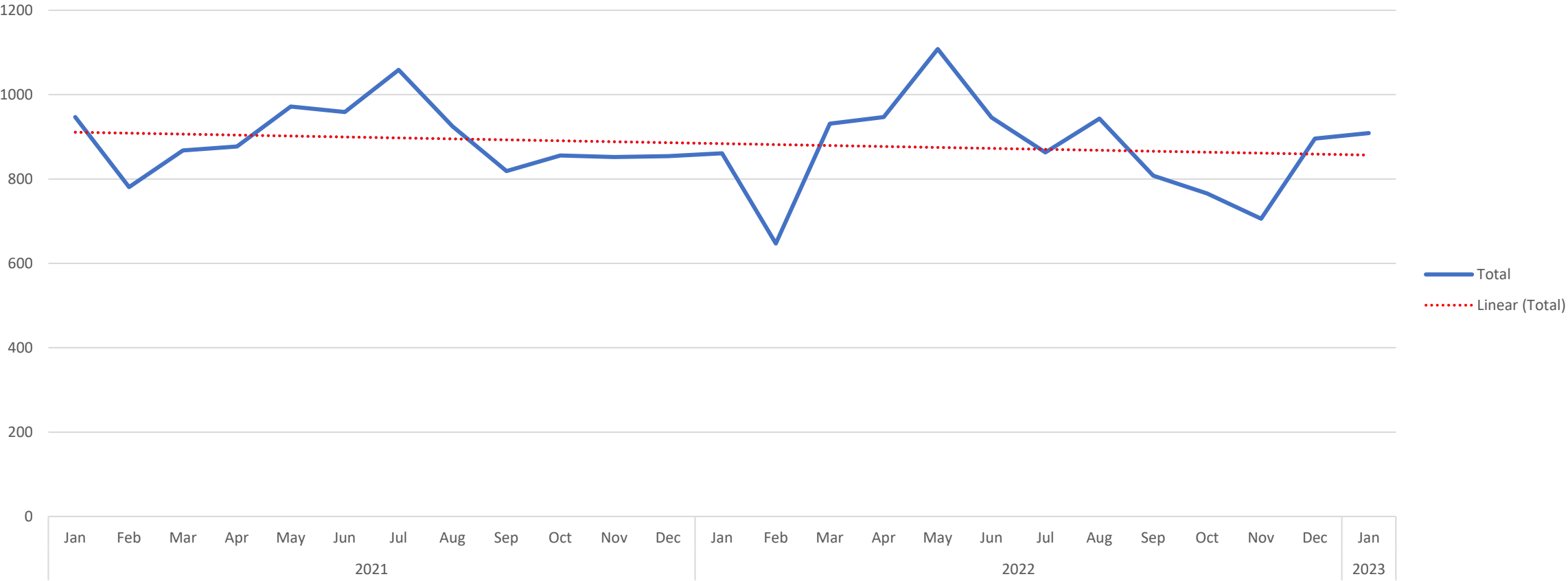


# The Crime Trends- Citywide



## Victim Count

January 1, 2021 through January 31, 2023



# The Crime Trends- Citywide



Incident Count  
January 1, 2021 through January 31, 2023



- 2022 Murder Trend
- As of January 31<sup>st</sup>, Murders **+9.52**
- The rate is being driven by crimes of heated emotions with conflict/arguments.

\*Data Collected as of January 31, 2023

- 2023 Robbery Trend
- Robberies **-20.18%**
- Business Robberies **-58.93%**
- Individual Robberies **-7.19%**

\*Data Collected as of January 31, 2023



# Aggravated Assault



- 2023 Aggravated Assault Trend
- Aggravated Assaults **+14.75%**
- Aggravated Assaults FV **+8.11%**
- Aggravated Assaults NFV **+16.84%**

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# Violent Crime Plan Unit



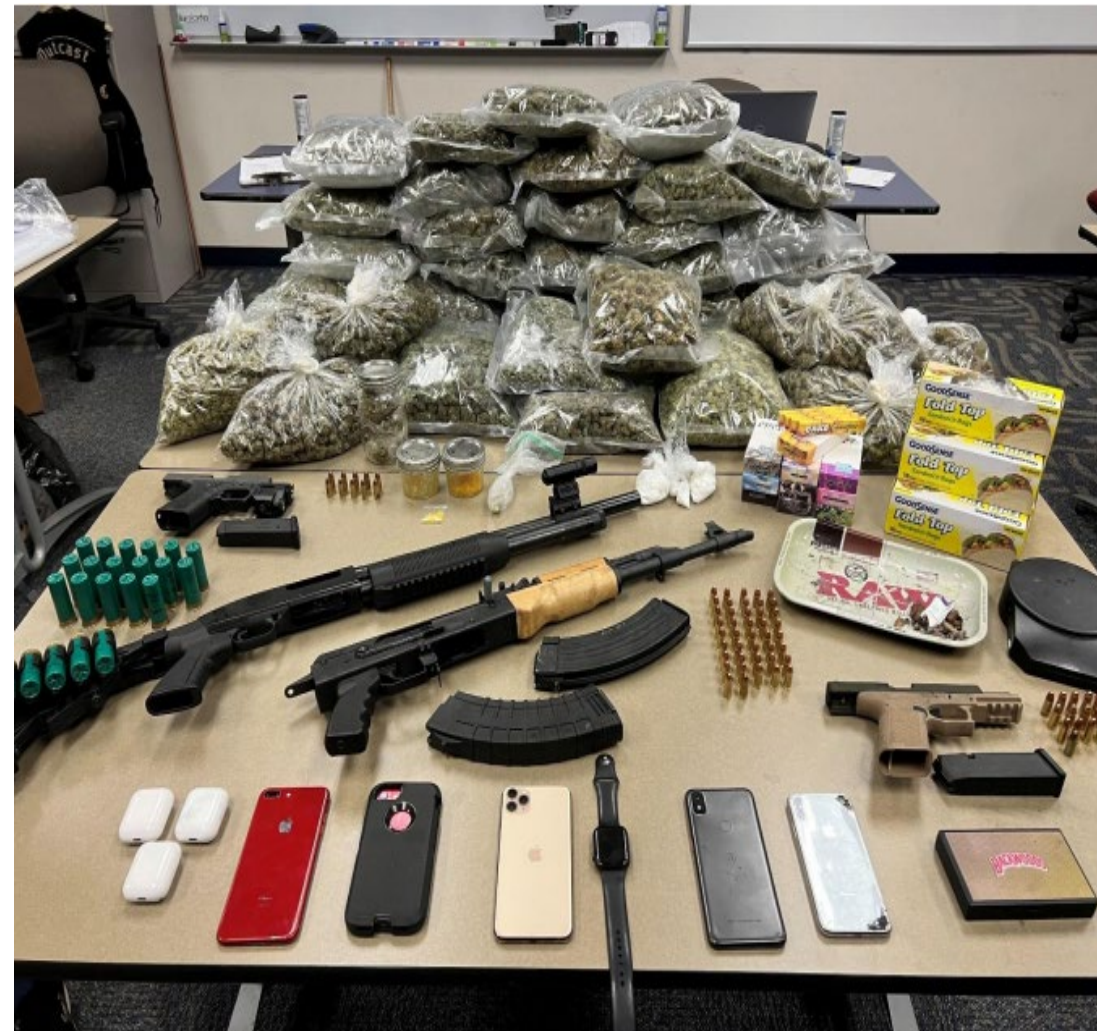
January 27, 2023

# 6729 Shadybrook Lane

Primary suspect - capital murder warrant out of Farmers Branch

3 additional suspects were arrested and the following seized:

- AK-47 with 2 mags
- 2 pistols
- 36.7 pounds of marijuana
- 38.4 grams of cocaine
- 32.1 grams THC wax
- 2 grams of MDMA (Ecstasy) pills



# Social Responsibility



- January 2023
- ***Apartment Communities Team (A.C.T.) and Northwest NPO***
- Officers in these two units met at Medrano Middle School which is near the Webb Chapel PNI location to have coffee and meet with the principal and parents of students who attend the school.





# Integrated Public Safety Solutions



## Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design

- Maintaining improved offense & calls for service counts in all **four of five** current Risk Terrain focus Areas
- Nuisance Abatement Unit: 78 property investigations & 135 property owner contacts (Jan 23)
- Substantial improvements in crime prevention in SC Dallas Focus Area
  - Pre-Engagement: 30 Criminal Offenses
  - Post-Engagement: 2 Criminal Offenses



# Integrated Public Safety Solutions



## Cleaning & Greening: Urban Blight Abatement

- 227 Substandard structure cases worked
- 1594 Code violations identified
- 34 Code violations remediated

## Outdoor Public Lighting Improvements

- 70 outdoor public lighting improvements installed in areas of high nighttime crime in FY22/23
- Placed order for 1934 new outdoor public lighting improvements





# Integrated Public Safety Solutions



## Community Violence Intervention

- 117 Mentoring Contacts (Jan 23)
- 44 Social Services Referrals
- Coordinated response to violence at 3300 Southern Oaks Blvd.

## Data Informed Community Engagement

- Closed Out Operations:
  - Simpson-Stuart @ Bonnie View
  - 3000 block of E. Ledbetter
  - 3300 block of Lombardy Lane
  - 4400 block of Lancaster Rd
- Seven **new** properties being assessed for engagement
- Three properties being carried forward into February



# Crime Plan- Next Steps



- Place Network Investigations
  - Begins with a problem-focused investigation designed to uncover, identify, and disrupt the criminal networks that contribute to the violent crime in Dallas.
  - The PNI Board is made up with stakeholder government agencies such as, Office of Integrated Public Solutions, Code Enforcement, and Parks and Recreation. The Board is designed to work together to address crime and it's causes within the crime place network. Recent example: 3550 E. Overton Rd.
- Phase 7 Grids – Began on December 1<sup>st</sup> and ended on January 31, 2023
  - Deployed 46 grids after evaluation of Phase 7 deployment in violent crime hot spots
  - Phase 8 grids began on February 1, 2023, with a total of total of 50 grids
- Focused Deterrence
  - In the process of planning:
    - Scheduling meetings with City Partners and Community Partners
    - Scheduling meetings with Dallas County DA's office, Probation, Pardon and Parole Board members





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