

Racial Profiling Report | Full

Agency Name: COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE
Reporting Date: 02/24/2021
TCOLE Agency Number: 097100

Chief Administrator: RAY T. SAPPINGTON

Agency Contact Information:
Phone: (940) 665-3471
Email: ray.sappington@co.cooke.tx.us

Mailing Address:
300 COUNTY RD 451
GAINESVILLE, TX 76240-4799

This Agency filed a full report

COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE 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 COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE from engaging in racial profiling;
- 3) implements a process by which an individual may file a complaint with the COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE if the individual believes that a peace officer employed by the COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE 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 COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE who, after an investigation, is shown to have engaged in racial profiling in violation of the COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE 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 COOKE CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE has satisfied the statutory data audit requirements as prescribed in Article

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

Executed by: JOHN C. PLANK
Lieutenant

Date: 02/24/2021

Total stops: 2078

Street address or approximate location of the stop

City street	290
US highway	963
County road	226
State highway	567
Private property or other	32

Was race or ethnicity known prior to stop?

Yes	66
No	2012

Race / Ethnicity

Alaska Native / American Indian	12
Asian / Pacific Islander	32
Black	207
White	1607
Hispanic / Latino	220

Gender

Female	692
Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	10
Black	70
White	463
Hispanic / Latino	45
Male	1386
Alaska Native / American Indian	8
Asian / Pacific Islander	22
Black	137
White	1044
Hispanic / Latino	175

Reason for stop?

Violation of law	744
Alaska Native / American Indian	1
Asian / Pacific Islander	9
Black	61
White	588

Hispanic / Latino	85
Preexisting knowledge	41
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	1
White	33
Hispanic / Latino	7
Moving traffic violation	619
Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	12
Black	68
White	466
Hispanic / Latino	69
Vehicle traffic violation	674
Alaska Native / American Indian	7
Asian / Pacific Islander	11
Black	77
White	520
Hispanic / Latino	59
Was a search conducted?	
Yes	463
Alaska Native / American Indian	4
Asian / Pacific Islander	2
Black	72
White	337
Hispanic / Latino	48
No	1615
Alaska Native / American Indian	8
Asian / Pacific Islander	30
Black	135
White	1270
Hispanic / Latino	172
Reason for Search?	
Consent	237
Alaska Native / American Indian	3
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	20
White	189

Hispanic / Latino	24
Contraband	4
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	2
Hispanic / Latino	2
Probable	206
Alaska Native / American Indian	1
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	51
White	131
Hispanic / Latino	22
Inventory	11
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	1
White	10
Hispanic / Latino	0
Incident to arrest	5
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	5
Hispanic / Latino	0

Was Contraband discovered?

Yes 237

Alaska Native / American Indian	2
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	40
White	164
Hispanic / Latino	30

No 226

Alaska Native / American Indian	2
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	32
White	173
Hispanic / Latino	18

Did the finding result in arrest?

(total should equal previous column)

Yes	0	No	2
Yes	0	No	1
Yes	6	No	34
Yes	66	No	98
Yes	15	No	15

Description of contraband

Drugs	166
Alaska Native / American Indian	1
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	34
White	115
Hispanic / Latino	15
Weapons	1
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	1
Hispanic / Latino	0
Currency	0
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
Alcohol	45
Alaska Native / American Indian	1
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	4
White	33
Hispanic / Latino	7
Stolen property	0
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
Other	25
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	2
White	15
Hispanic / Latino	8
Result of the stop	
Verbal warning	2

Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	2
Hispanic / Latino	0
Written warning	1783
Alaska Native / American Indian	11
Asian / Pacific Islander	28
Black	187
White	1389
Hispanic / Latino	168
Citation	126
Alaska Native / American Indian	1
Asian / Pacific Islander	1
Black	9
White	93
Hispanic / Latino	22
Written warning and arrest	30
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	6
White	19
Hispanic / Latino	5
Citation and arrest	130
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	3
Black	4
White	102
Hispanic / Latino	21
Arrest	7
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	1
White	2
Hispanic / Latino	4
Arrest based on	
Violation of Penal Code	132
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	3

Black	5
White	102
Hispanic / Latino	22
Violation of Traffic Law	26
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	4
White	17
Hispanic / Latino	5
Violation of City Ordinance	0
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	0
Outstanding Warrant	9
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	2
White	4
Hispanic / Latino	3

Was physical force resulting in bodily injury used during stop?

Yes	1
Alaska Native / American Indian	0
Asian / Pacific Islander	0
Black	0
White	0
Hispanic / Latino	1
No	2077
Alaska Native / American Indian	12
Asian / Pacific Islander	32
Black	207
White	1607
Hispanic / Latino	219

Number of complaints of racial profiling

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

Submitted electronically to the



The Texas Commission on Law Enforcement