



Department: 421210 - CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION

Program Description

The Criminal Investigation Division is responsible for the following areas: the investigation of all Part 1 and major offenses (homicide, forcible rape, assault, burglary, theft and auto theft); other felony and misdemeanor offenses. The Criminal Investigation Division will work to reduce illegal drug activity and criminal street gang operation within the City of Greenville. A criminal street gang is defined as three or more persons having a common identifying sign or symbol or has identifiable leadership who continuously or regularly associate in the commission of criminal activities.

The Division is also responsible for narcotic investigation, juvenile investigation, and the identification and apprehension of suspects committing offenses in the City of Greenville. Duties include follow-up investigations, assisting outside law enforcement agencies, obtaining criminal evidence, undercover surveillance operation and court appearances.

The Criminal Investigation Division will work to reduce crime and gang activity by conducting thorough criminal investigations. The Division will work closely with other local, state, federal agencies and prosecutors to identify those responsible for the crimes that threaten the safety of our community and bring those responsible before the courts.

Achievements for Fiscal Year 2020-21

- Continue to maintain relationships with local, state and federal agencies which have assisted in a number of successful investigations.
- Maintain a high level of case clearances
- Work with other divisions and agencies to reduce drug and gang activity

Performance Objectives

- Investigate all reported crimes based upon the solvability table used by the Greenville Police Department
- Increase the offenses cleared