## Memorandum



DATE June 29, 2018

TO Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

## SUBJECT National Incident-Based Reporting System Update

On May 22, 2017, the National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS) briefing was presented to the Public Safety Committee which provided information on the Dallas Police Department's (DPD) conversion from the summary-based reporting system. Subsequently, on May 24, 2017, City Council voted to accept funding from the U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) for the National Crime Statistics Exchange project for the period of May 24, 2017 through May 23, 2019. This funding helped to facilitate DPD's participation in the reporting of their crime data to the Texas Department of Public Safety Uniform Crime Reporting Division.

The Dallas Police Department is pleased to announce that it is now certified as an Incident-Based Reporting (IBR) agency as of May 2018. DPD is now the largest law enforcement agency in the nation certified in the NIBRS program. Effective July 1, 2018, DPD will no longer utilize summary-based reporting and will transition internal and external crime reports to be reflective of NIBRS reporting. DPD has trained Neighborhood Patrol Officers to be a community resource regarding NIBRS and will release a public service announcement for both officers and the community.

Please contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

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