

# Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE January 4, 2019

TO Honorable Members of the Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

SUBJECT **Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee - November 2018 Dashboards**

Since there was not a second Public Safety & Criminal Justice Committee meeting in December, I have attached the November 2018 Dashboards for your review and highlighted areas for your reference.

## Dallas Police Department (DPD)

- Murder clearance rate is low, as a result of NIBRS specifications on clearances calculations. Murders that occurred before the NIBRS transition in March 2018 cannot be 'cleared' in NIBRS. A clearance can only be credited in NIBRS if a crime is solved during NIBRS reporting. Due to the small number of crimes causing wild swings in a percentage change, homicide is most affected. DPD is exploring reporting UCR Summary clearance rates as they are possibly a more accurate account of the ratio of clearances to offenses. Unfortunately, this comes with its own set of problems, most notably summary lacks the diverse categories of reporting that NIBRS has.
- Family violence breakdown clearance rates: UCR (summary or NIBRS) never broke down assaults into family violence/non-family violence. The UCR unit is still working on a clearance rate for these. This will still be subject to the limitations mentioned above in the murder clearance rate.

## Dallas Fire-Rescue (DFR)

- Staffing and Recruit Training Levels: DFR has encountered very little difficulty recruiting and hiring potential candidates since the stabilization of the Pension and the increased starting Pay. Staffing levels are back to the 2014-2015 heights prior to the mass departure in 2016 through mid-2018. There are currently seven rookie classes being trained with approximately seventy-two graduating on January 24, 2019.

## Court and Detention Services

- The Court and Detention Services' dashboard shows that dismissed cases are trending higher than normal for FY 2018-19. These cases were dismissed primarily due to inactive/deceased officers. This category will continue to trend higher than normal as the Dallas Municipal Court implements its review of cases that involve

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inactive/deceased officers, cases with no Complaints on file or cases 10 years and older.

The dashboards are attached for your review. Please contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.



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## Dallas Police Department Dashboard 11/30/2018

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\*\*Administrative includes Office of the Chief of Police

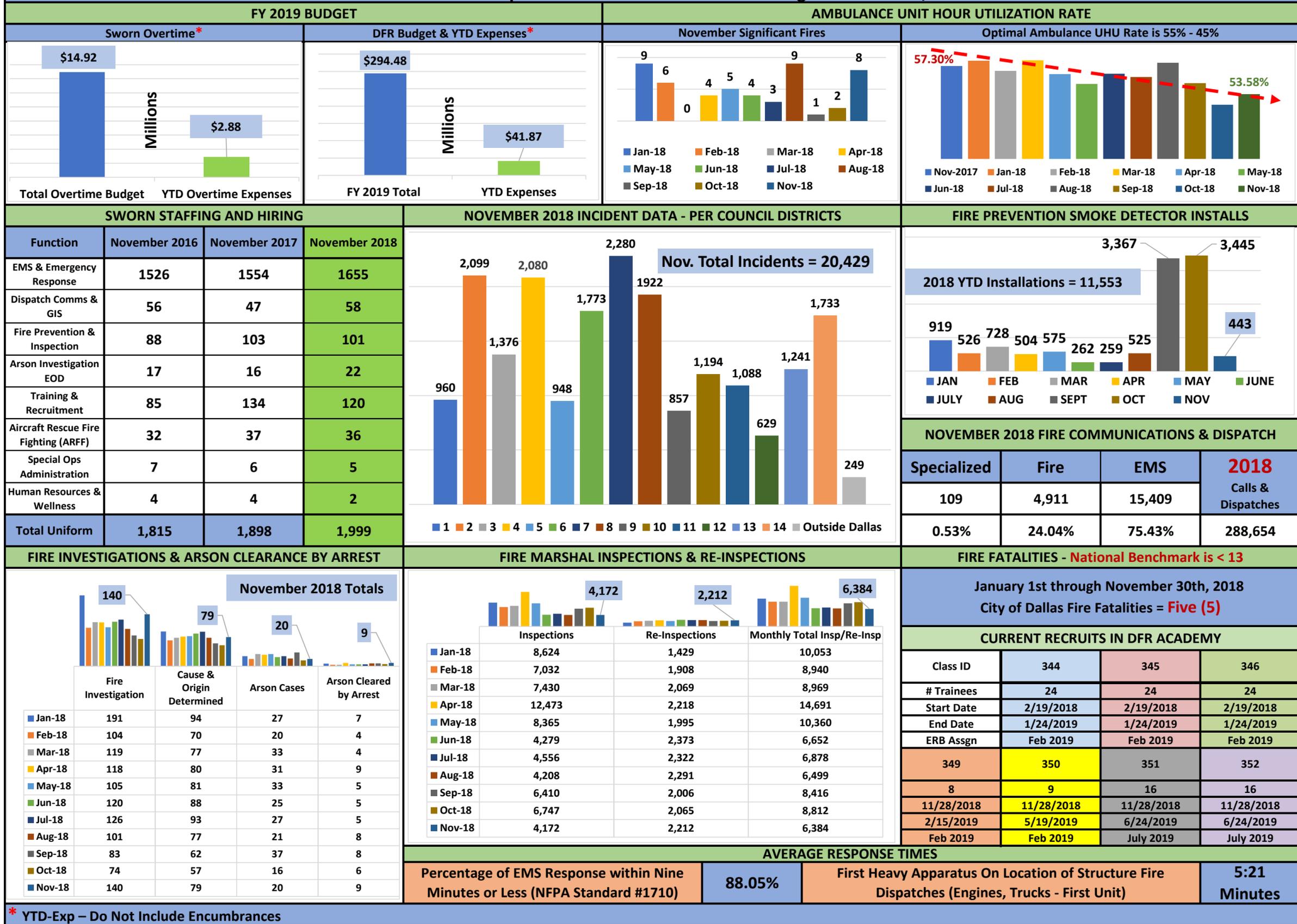
\*\*\*Other Incident Calls - used when a call is received but does not fit into any other category of signals. Ex. harassing phone calls, criminal trespass, death notifications

\*\*\*\*Other Escalated Calls - used when a call is received but does not fit into any other category of signals and is a priority in nature. Ex. person walking on the shoulder of freeway, suspicious activity that could lead up to an offense

\*\*\*\*\* Crime reporting now includes NIBRS data. In the Crime Against Society group there are offenses that did not exist in 2017 (they were arrests only). This greatly skews the percent change values. Percent increases will be large until a full year of NIBRS data is collected (March 2019).

\*\*\*\*\* Clearance rates (March - October YTD) : calculated by dividing total crimes investigated during a given timeframe by the total clearances made during that same timeframe. If there are no clearances made for an offense, then the clearance rate will be noncalculable. Noncalculable clearance rates are represented by "-"

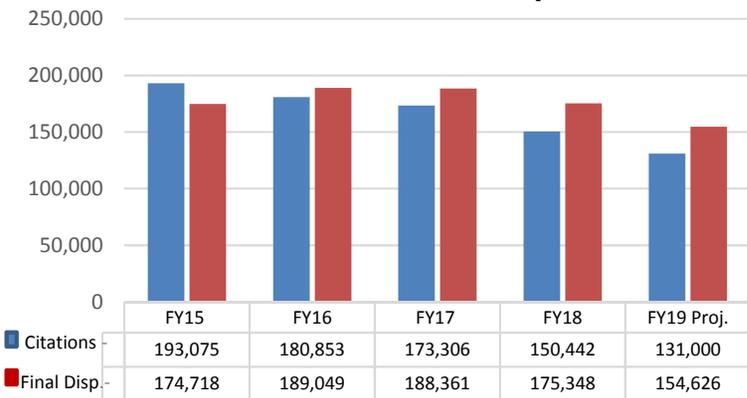
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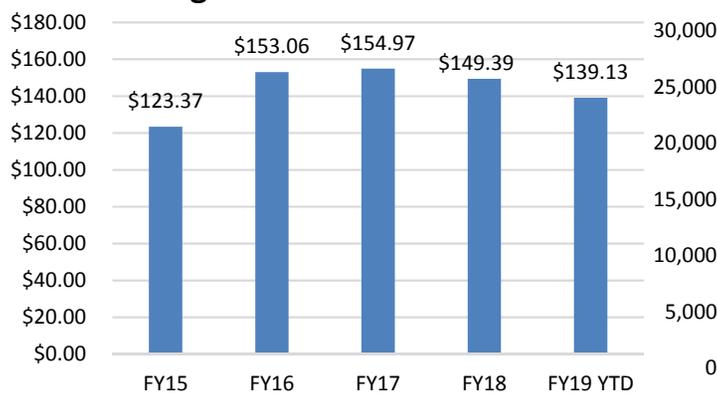
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# Municipal Court Dashboard: Month Ending November 30, 2018

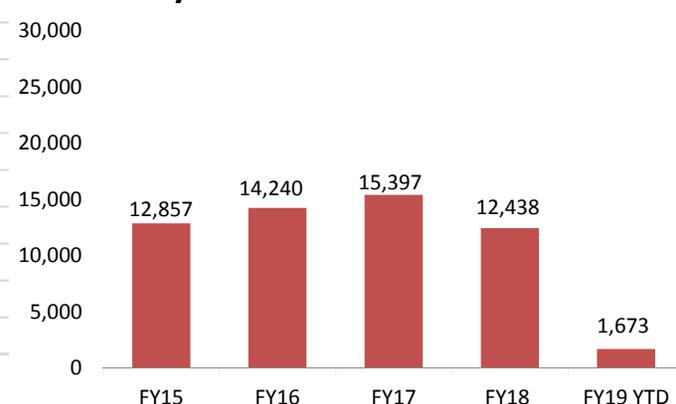
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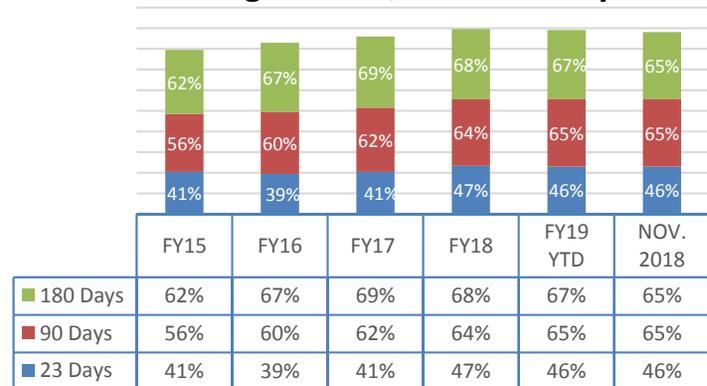
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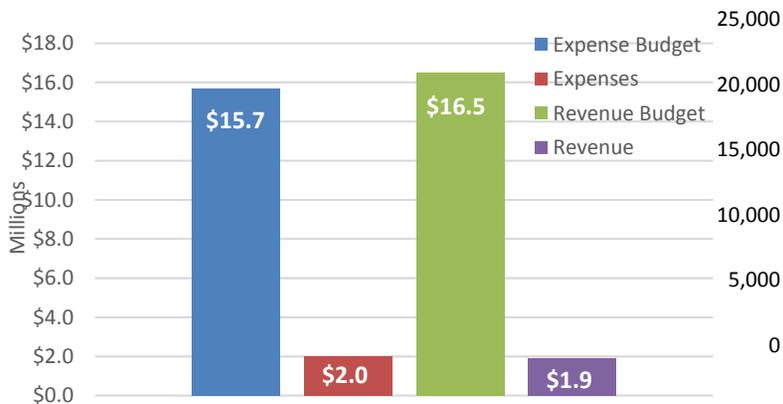
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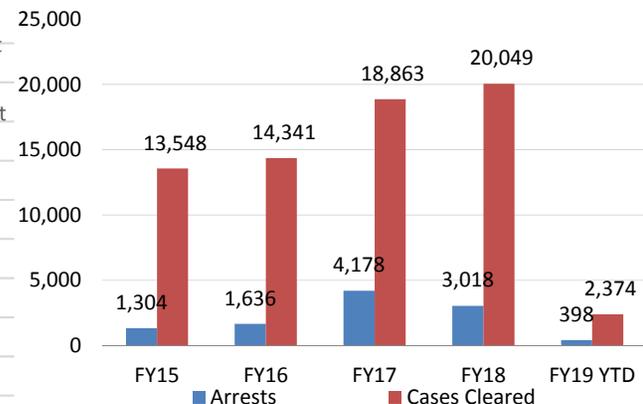
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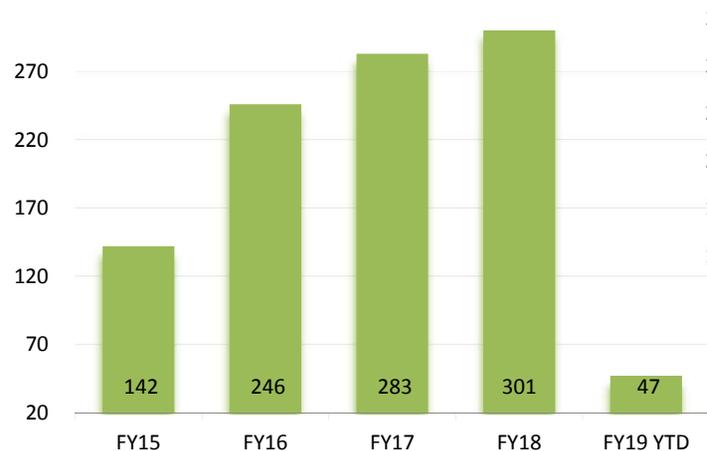
## Municipal Court Budget



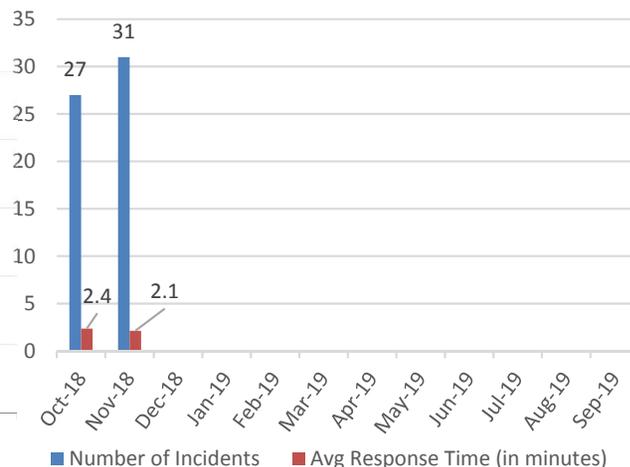
## Warrant Enforcement



## Environmental Crime Arrests



## Security Incidents and Response Time



## Courthouse Dispositions

