

**HISD Police Department to celebrate swearing-in**

**of new chiefs and officers on Aug. 22**

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| **What:** | The HISD Police Department will celebrate the public swearing-in of its new police chief and assistant police chief, as well as new captains and a new sergeant.  The day’s festivities are in honor of the Chief of Police and Assistant Chief of Police, who were officially sworn into their new roles this past summer, and their officers, who will be sworn in for the first time on Wednesday.  With over 200 officers currently on the force, the department is divided into 11 different areas: Accreditation and Special Projects, Business Operations Division, Campus Officers, Communications Unit, Crime Analysis, Gang Division, Juvenile Processing Center, Investigation Division, K-9 Unit, Office of the Chiefs, and Patrol Division.  HISD’s Police Department is the only public school district police department in the nation to be accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies. |
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| **Who:** | HISD Board of Education President **Rhonda Skillern-Jones,** HISD Interim Superintendent **Grenita Lathan**, HISD Chief Operating Officer **Brian Busby,** HISD Chief of Police **Paul Cordova,** HISD Assistant Chief of Police **Lucretia Rogers,** HISD Police Capts. **Robert Barbosa, Richard Morris,** and **Artina Walker,** HISD Police Sgt. **Eric Grant,** HISD Police Officer **Brenson York,** Crime Stoppers Director of Safe School **Michelle Sacks,** Harris County Sheriff’s Office Chaplain **Donald Savell,** and the Northside High School JROTC, as well as various dignitaries and community members |
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| **When:** | **Wednesday, Aug. 22, at 10 a.m.** |
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| **Where:** | Crime Stoppers of Houston  3001 Main St. #2, Houston, TX 77002 |