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Austin Public Safety Commission

June 1st, 2015



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- 17 Regional Partners
 - 5 Have a Physical Presence at ARIC
- High Profile Events
 - Nexus to Central Texas
 - Liaison/Intelligence Dissemination
- Annual Threat Assessments
 - SXSW, F1, ACL Fest, X-Games, ROT Rally



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Monthly at ARIC

- 300+ Requests for Information/Analysis
- 10-30 Suspicious Activity Reports
- 10-15 Protests/Event Preparation
 - Open Source Evaluation
 - Size of Event and Potential Public Safety Concerns



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Success Stories

- Identification of Narcotic Suspect – Sept 2014
 - Only tip was a fake Facebook account
 - Over 3 kilos of Meth, a gun, tied to DEA case
- Travis County's Worst DWI Offender -Nov 2014
 - High Profile 9 time DWI/Escape Risk
 - ARIC provided intel assisting in apprehension



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Success Stories-Cont'd

- Manor Police Department – Sept 2014
 - BOLO sent out for suspect entering buildings
 - Vehicle Description matched to suspect
- Pflugerville PD Burglary – June 2014
 - ARIC assisted in Officer Safety Assessment
 - Prevented Detectives from entering house



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Success Stories-Cont'd

- Arlington Police Department – July 2013
 - BOLO sent from Arlington on suspect
 - Aryan Brotherhood gang member
 - Driving stolen car, possibly headed to Austin
 - In possession of stolen gun
 - ARIC pushed the BOLO to troops
 - Suspect in custody within 4 hours of crime



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Success Stories-Cont'd

- Lee County Burglary of Habitation – Oct 2014
 - ARIC located pawned firearms, linked to additional property. Two arrests made.



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Threat Assessment Unit

- Military Uniform at Camp Mabry
- Trench coat
- Capital Metro bomb scare
- Weapons discovery
- 2013 IEDs on Technology Blvd



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Peer to Peer Reviews

- El Paso Fusion Center in September 2013
 - Supervisors and Privacy Officers
 - Both travelled to each other's centers
 - No privacy CR/CL issued discovered at ARIC



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Peer to Peer Reviews

- Boston Fusion Center Review 2015
 - Supervisors and Privacy Officers
 - Large, Highly Effective Center
 - Experience With High Profile Events



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Questions