



# WHO WE ARE

Houston's top non-profit that keeps you safe everyday.

## FOUNDED 1980

Through active partnerships and collaborations, citizen empowerment and educational outreach, Crime Stoppers of Houston is leading the Bayou City and State of Texas with innovative crime prevention programming to keep our communities safe. Established in the early 1980's as solely a Tip Line Program, Crime Stoppers now offers a robust **public safety** program that is reaching millions each year.

## OUR PROGRAMS



### TIP LINE PROGRAM: 713-222-TIPS

The Tip Line Program continues to be a **national crime solving system** and aims to equip and motivate all citizens to report crime. Through collaboration with more than 70 local and federal law enforcement agencies, the Tip Line has proven its success in solving and preventing crime in the Greater Houston Area.

	2018	2019	Since 1980
Cases Solved	520	481	35,393
Suspects Arrested	387	337	26,809
Tipsters Paid	363	325	23,096
Paid in Rewards	\$470,950	\$331,125	\$12,122,960
Seized/Recovered	\$23,971	\$200,983	\$196,680,446
Victims Served		900	

**Crime Stoppers** assists law enforcement by publicizing unsolved cases, highlighting wanted fugitives, and coordinating press conferences.



### SAFE COMMUNITY PROGRAM

The Safe Community Program **identifies crime affecting our city** and takes profound steps to prevent crime before it occurs. Through citizen empowerment and education, Crime Stoppers ensures the community understands crime trends and prevention tactics.

- In 2019, the program directly reached **13,903** participants through **308** presentations and potentially reached **45,800** community members through 40 outreach events. It had a potential reach of **5,260,652+** via social media and digital marketing.



### SAFE SCHOOL INSTITUTE

The Safe School Institute is a **FREE year-round one-stop center for all aspects of school safety**. It works to keep schools safe by creating a proactive dialogue with students, parents, school staff and law enforcement about personal and school safety and by providing students with a safe and anonymous way to report crime and potential dangers on campus.

	2018	2019	Since 1997
Students Reached	68,853	121,674	1,231,106
Campus Cases Solved	23	42	1,965
Campus Rewards Paid	\$5,200	\$6,700	\$286,180
Seized Drugs/Stolen Property	\$1,867	\$453	\$156,223
Weapons Removed	4	1	282
Safe School Presentations	1,169	1,521	

Since 1997, the program has educated **over 1.2 million students** in **70 school districts** in the Greater Houston Area and Texas.



### VICTIM SERVICES & ADVOCACY PROGRAM

The Victim Services and Advocacy Program **promotes safety, healing, justice and rights for crime victims and survivors**. It is designed to act as an advocate on all stages of victimization and ensure crime victims and survivors have a voice in our criminal justice system.

- In 2019, the program led the State to pass **3 legislative bills** to enhance victim's rights and public safety.
- **850+** victims were reached through crisis services, legal advocacy, parole board hearings, support group meetings, and events.

## GET INVOLVED

Due to the generous support of individuals, corporations, and foundations, we are Houston's top non-profit that keeps you safe every day. **Join us in ensuring a safe and prosperous future for our City!**

**INDIVIDUAL DONATION:** Make a tax-deductible gift to support crime-solving and crime-prevention programs that keep Houstonians safe, educated, and empowered.

**CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP:** Your company can take a public stand against crime by becoming a corporate partner. Opportunities include tax-deductible gifts, in-kind donations, event sponsorships and more.

**ANNUAL EVENTS:** Join us at one of our annual fundraisers! Our Houston's Heroes Awards Luncheon takes place in the spring and celebrates individuals and organizations who have gone above and beyond to keep our community safe. Leading the Way to a Safe Houston Gala, our largest event of the year, takes place in the fall and celebrates our 40-year history as we look forward to the future.

**YOUNG PROFESSIONALS GROUP:** Help raise awareness about our crime prevention efforts among your professional colleagues. Members have access to networking and social events, leadership development and the opportunity to personally invest in the largest Crime Stoppers organization in the world.

There are many other ways to get involved with Crime Stoppers of Houston. Visit **crime-stoppers.org** for more information about community events, hosting a fundraiser, helping in schools and volunteer opportunities.