



"Never Better, Never Stronger"

Harris County Deputies' Organization

I, as well as all of you, have been watching the recent events taking place across the country with law enforcement being attacked in various ways. The Harris County Deputies Organization is not going to tell any of you how to do your job but there are some recommendations we have for all of you.

Anytime you are in uniform take extreme caution and be aware of your surroundings. If possible, travel in pairs. Pay close attention to that sense many of you have of something not being right with a situation. If you find yourself in this type of a situation, call for more help. There is nothing wrong with achieving the ultimate goal of going home at the end of the shift.

We are all well aware of being severely undermanned and understaffed. It may take longer to get the job done but safety should never take the place of the pressures of getting calls answered faster and lowering the hold times for calls for service. Anyone who pushes you to do otherwise does not have your safety and well being in mind.

It is recommended you not leave yourself out in open areas without cover for these unprovoked attacks. There have already been attacks occur within Harris County that have luckily not caused injury to any of our law enforcement personnel. We need to look out for each other more now than ever.

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