



# WOODWAY

## PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT

### Texas Government Code Section 423.008 Law Enforcement Use of Unmanned Aerial System Report

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The following document was created to fulfill the requirement of the Texas Government Code, Section 423.008-Law Enforcement Use of UAS.

The above stated section of the Texas Government code states as follows:

(a) Not earlier than January 1 and not later than January 15 of each odd numbered year, each state law enforcement agency and each county or municipal law enforcement agency located in a county or municipality, as applicable, with a population greater than 150,000, that used or operated an unmanned aircraft during the preceding 24 months shall issue a written report to the governor, the lieutenant governor, and each member of the legislature and shall;

(1) Retain the report for public viewing; and

(2) Post the report on the law enforcement agency's publicly accessible website, if one exists.

(b) The report must include:

(1) The number of times an unmanned aircraft was used, organized by date, time, location, and the types of incidents and types of justification for the use.

(2) The number of criminal investigations aided by the use of an unmanned aircraft and a description of how the unmanned aircraft aided each investigation;

(3) The number of times an unmanned aircraft was used for a law enforcement operation other than a criminal investigation, the dates and locations of those operations, and a description of how the unmanned aircraft aided each operation;



(4) The type of information collected on an individual, residence, property, or area that was not the subject of a law enforcement operation and the frequency of the collection of this information; and

(5) The total cost of acquiring, maintaining, repairing, and operating or otherwise using each unmanned aircraft for the preceding 24 months.

Added by Acts 2013, 83rd Leg., R.S., Ch. 1390 (H.B. 912), Sec. 2, eff. September 1, 2013.

To comply with the requirements as stated above, Woodway PD retains a copy of this report at the address of 920 Estates Dr Woodway, Tx 76712 for public viewing. The report is also available on Woodway PD's publicly available website at <https://woodwaytexas.gov/>. In addition, two copies, intended for Governor G. Abbott, and Lt. Governor D. Patrick, were sent to the Governor's Office, the Office of Budget, and Planning and Policy at P.O. Box 12428, Austin, Texas 78711. An additional copy was sent to the Legislative Reference Library at P.O. Box 12488, Austin, Texas 78711 for dispersal to the Texas Congress.

Woodway PD's formal drone program began with the creation of the UAS team on March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024. The department had, in the previous year (2023), Purchased 2 UAS's (Unmanned Aircraft Systems) a DJI (Da-Jiang Innovations Science and Technology Co., Ltd.) Mavic 3 Thermal, and a DJI Avata. This calendar year (2025) the department Purchased a DJI Mini 4 Pro. The department maintains 4 active pilots who have all obtained FAA 14 CFR Part 107 Small Unmanned Aircraft System licenses and participate in 4 Hours of monthly training filed with TCOLE under course reporting number 4033 Drone training. Also in this calendar year (2025) Woodway PD obtained an FAA Certificate of Authorization; 2024-CSA-15522-COA, as well as another for TBVLOS (Tactical Beyond Visual Line of Sight); 2024-CSA-15557-COA. Their effective dates are September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024 to September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026 and September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024 to October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026 respectively.



The cost associated with Woodway PD's Drone Program / UAS Team for the stated 24 month report period is as Follows.

Categories	Cost (in USD)	Description
Acquisition	-\$5498.00	DJI Mavic 3 Thermal Combo
	-\$1428.00	DJI Avata Combo
	-\$1179.00	DJI Mini 4 Pro Combo
Maintenance	-\$9.99	-DJI Avata Propellers
	-\$19.98	-DJI Mavic 3T Propellers
	-\$15.99	-Prop Guards Mini 4 Pro
	-\$171.45	-FireHouse Arc V Lights x5
Operations	-\$5198.28	-Axon Air 1 Year Subscription (5 Pilots, 2 Drones, streaming, data capture)
	-\$655.00	-DJI Mavic intelligent flight batteries and charging station.
	-\$249.99	-Anker SOLIX 300w Portable Power station
	-\$0.00	-Misc 3D Printed Parts and components.
Training	-\$795.00	-Pilot Institute Part-107 Made Easy x5
	-\$870.00	-LEDA (Law Enforcement Drone Association) Conference x2
<b>Total</b>	<b>-\$16,089.69</b>	



Woodway PD's Deployments of the Drone in the above stated 24 Month period are as follows:

Name	Created Date	Start Time	End Time	Flight Duration (HH:mm:ss)	Mission Names
FIH8H	12/19/2024	3:44 PM	3:44 PM	0:00:31	Training Flights
FHLN6	12/19/2024	3:43 PM	3:44 PM	0:00:25	Training Flights
FJRO4	12/19/2024	3:43 PM	3:43 PM	0:00:14	Training Flights
FOXQF	12/19/2024	3:42 PM	3:43 PM	0:01:04	Training Flights
F11SJ	12/19/2024	3:28 PM	3:37 PM	0:08:33	Training Flights
FG3LO	12/19/2024	3:27 PM	3:27 PM	0:00:04	Training Flights
FF4S1	12/19/2024	3:27 PM	3:27 PM	0:00:04	Training Flights
F4JHR	12/19/2024	12:50 PM	12:50 PM	0:00:18	Training Flights
FIR64	12/19/2024	12:46 PM	12:50 PM	0:04:19	Training Flights
FT4OL	12/19/2024	5:50 PM	5:51 PM	0:01:27	Training Flights
FWVA5	12/19/2024	6:00 PM	6:00 PM	0:00:00	Training Flights
FLV00	10/10/2024	5:57 PM	6:00 PM	0:02:01	Training Flights
FSDNP	10/10/2024	5:56 PM	5:57 PM	0:01:06	Training Flights
FOWGR	10/10/2024	5:54 PM	5:55 PM	0:00:58	Training Flights
F82MD	10/10/2024	5:54 PM	5:54 PM	0:00:30	Training Flights



F6WUV	10/10/2024	5:53 PM	5:53 PM	0:00:04	Training Flights
FBVGQ	10/10/2024	4:59 PM	4:59 PM	0:00:31	Training Flights
Jacob Canter	10/10/2024	12:30 PM	1:02 PM	0:32:00	Training Flights
F28IJ	10/4/2024	9:11 PM	9:15 PM	0:04:27	Training Flights
FWRHB	10/4/2024	8:55 PM	9:10 PM	0:14:13	Training Flights
FJ16B	10/4/2024	8:47 PM	8:55 PM	0:07:47	Training Flights
FI7FY	10/4/2024	8:46 PM	8:46 PM	0:00:35	Training Flights
F5YLM	10/4/2024	8:46 PM	8:46 PM	0:00:30	Training Flights
FQFL4	10/4/2024	8:20 PM	8:21 PM	0:01:00	Training Flights
FDY2N	10/4/2024	8:20 PM	8:22 PM	0:01:05	Training Flights
FWK9L	10/4/2024	8:13 PM	8:20 PM	0:07:45	Training Flights
FHYZG	10/4/2024	8:07 PM	8:11 PM	0:04:34	Training Flights
F7Z4X	10/4/2024	8:00 PM	8:01 PM	0:00:58	Training Flights
FVGGW	10/4/2024	7:59 PM	7:59 PM	0:00:00	Training Flights
F45CZ	10/4/2024	7:55 PM	7:57 PM	0:02:43	Training Flights
F2FZ6	10/4/2024	7:50 PM	7:52 PM	0:01:56	Training Flights
FFN19	10/4/2024	7:47 PM	7:48 PM	0:00:57	Training Flights
FNNH2	10/4/2024	7:44 PM	7:47 PM	0:02:56	Training Flights



FOKSR	10/4/2024	4:00 PM	4:01 PM	0:00:39	Training Flights
FEIHK	9/18/2024	5:03 AM	5:33 AM	0:29:05	Training Flights
F549R	9/12/2024	7:37 PM	7:43 PM	0:05:58	Training Flights
FGHEX	9/11/2024	11:54 PM	12:21 AM	0:26:41	Training Flights
F3RVE	9/9/2024	4:36 AM	5:05 AM	0:28:14	Training Flights
FVEGG	9/8/2024	4:47 AM	5:12 AM	0:25:15	Training Flights
FWM30	9/8/2024	4:24 AM	4:43 AM	0:19:25	Training Flights
FNDY1	9/8/2024	4:16 AM	4:21 AM	0:04:42	Training Flights
FOLRR	9/7/2024	4:47 PM	4:48 PM	0:01:17	Training Flights
F9R0B	9/7/2024	4:33 PM	4:46 PM	0:12:32	Training Flights
FAB6C	9/7/2024	4:32 PM	4:33 PM	0:01:22	Training Flights
F41QG	9/2/2024	3:56 AM	4:11 AM	0:15:33	Training Flights
F023Y	9/2/2024	3:45 AM	3:55 AM	0:10:03	Training Flights
F6I50	9/1/2024	6:35 PM	6:36 PM	0:01:00	Training Flights
F1126	9/1/2024	9:45 AM	9:50 AM	0:05:30	Training Flights
FG2OW	9/1/2024	4:09 AM	4:20 AM	0:10:30	Training Flights
FTSEL	9/1/2024	4:02 AM	4:06 AM	0:03:26	Training Flights
FV009	8/31/2024	4:01 AM	4:14 AM	0:13:16	Training Flights



FFU95	8/31/2024	3:59 AM	4:00 AM	0:00:44	Training Flights
FUKHL	8/27/2024	3:24 AM	3:47 AM	0:22:14	Training Flights
FVICU	8/26/2024	3:06 AM	3:31 AM	0:24:52	Training Flights
F4HXX	8/25/2024	1:28 AM	1:58 AM	0:29:41	Training Flights
FHGMP	8/24/2024	12:20 AM	12:32 AM	0:11:31	Training Flights
F3D2K	8/24/2024	12:02 AM	12:19 AM	0:16:49	Training Flights
FOJW1	8/22/2024	6:25 AM	6:25 AM	0:00:23	Suspect Search
FWP4O	8/22/2024	6:09 AM	6:25 AM	0:16:05	Suspect Search
FCMYH	8/22/2024	5:59 AM	6:08 AM	0:08:07	Suspect Search
F22W0	8/22/2024	5:53 AM	5:57 AM	0:04:00	Suspect Search
FTMG8	8/20/2024	10:51 AM	10:51 AM	0:00:17	Training Flights
FNFVN	8/20/2024	10:51 AM	10:51 AM	0:00:00	Training Flights
FXN7W	8/20/2024	10:50 AM	10:51 AM	0:01:09	Training Flights
FSPUI	8/20/2024	10:43 AM	10:44 AM	0:00:31	Training Flights
F87H3	8/20/2024	10:42 AM	10:42 AM	0:00:42	Training Flights
F92SW	8/20/2024	10:41 AM	10:42 AM	0:00:34	Training Flights
FHW13	8/20/2024	10:35 AM	10:39 AM	0:04:09	Training Flights
FQOVH	8/7/2024	12:43 PM	12:44 PM	0:00:47	Training Flights



F28LL	8/7/2024	12:42 PM	12:43 PM	0:01:08	Training Flights
FDF0Q	8/7/2024	12:40 PM	12:40 PM	0:00:28	Training Flights
FVS3P	8/7/2024	12:39 PM	12:39 PM	0:00:21	Training Flights
FSY2Q	8/7/2024	12:38 PM	12:38 PM	0:00:36	Training Flights
F4P87	8/7/2024	12:35 PM	12:36 PM	0:00:37	Training Flights
FJ5KK	8/7/2024	12:34 PM	12:35 PM	0:00:42	Training Flights
FWC5G	8/7/2024	12:33 PM	12:33 PM	0:00:17	Training Flights
F5Q3U	8/7/2024	12:29 PM	12:31 PM	0:02:03	Training Flights
FR2KP	8/7/2024	12:23 PM	12:23 PM	0:00:00	Training Flights
F4INW	8/7/2024	12:19 PM	12:20 PM	0:01:14	Training Flights
FMXNM	8/7/2024	12:14 PM	12:14 PM	0:00:00	Training Flights
F397H	8/7/2024	12:13 PM	12:13 PM	0:00:00	Training Flights
Family Center Photos	8/30/2024	10:05 AM	10:10 AM	0:05:00	Training Flights
FR6PW	7/10/2024	7:49 PM	7:49 PM	0:00:04	Training Flights
F5FYP	7/10/2024	7:49 PM	7:49 PM	0:00:13	Training Flights
SRT	4/21/2024	10:11 AM	10:27 AM	0:16:00	Barricaded Suspect
FOWA4	3/18/2024	11:04 AM	11:12 AM	0:08:24	Training Flights
FIEQK	3/18/2024	9:42 AM	9:52 AM	0:10:06	Training Flights





F3PZY	3/18/2024	9:26 AM	9:36 AM	0:10:20	Training Flights
FC49S	3/18/2024	9:25 AM	9:25 AM	0:00:05	Training Flights
F4DPT	3/18/2024	9:12 AM	9:20 AM	0:08:13	Training Flights
F656N	3/17/2024	10:24 AM	10:38 AM	0:13:24	Warrant Service
F3THK	3/17/2024	10:20 AM	10:21 AM	0:00:51	Warrant Service
FQBJC	3/17/2024	10:20 AM	10:20 AM	0:00:05	Warrant Service
FL6KW	3/17/2024	10:18 AM	10:19 AM	0:00:10	Warrant Service
FQXFU	3/17/2024	10:15 AM	10:15 AM	0:00:06	Warrant Service
F2IVI	3/10/2024	8:29 AM	8:30 AM	0:01:41	Training Flights
FFXD6	3/10/2024	8:26 AM	8:29 AM	0:02:57	Training Flights
FU8TH	3/10/2024	8:20 AM	8:20 AM	0:00:02	Training Flights
F324J	3/10/2024	8:19 AM	8:20 AM	0:00:02	Training Flights
FQLFS	3/7/2024	9:04 AM	9:12 AM	0:08:38	Training Flights
24-003597	2/14/2024	6:06 PM	7:02 PM	0:56:00	Missing Person
Rope Rescue Training	12/4/2024	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	1:00:00	Community Relations
Cops and Kids	10/26/2024	6:00 PM	6:30 PM	0:30:00	Community Relations
PR Video	9/26/2024	3:30 PM	3:45 PM	0:15:00	Community Relations
PR Video	9/16/2024	3:00 PM	3:15 PM	0:15:00	Community Relations



