

# Gilcrease Division

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## Welcome to Our First Edition!!

This is it...our first newsletter for our friends and neighbors in the Gilcrease Division. We plan to use it to provide timely information to you and to help you feel safer in your homes and businesses. If we know about something going on in your neighborhood, we are going to tell you. We will try to answer your questions, or send you to the right place. We hope this newsletter will help you stay up to date on what is happening in your area. If you have questions or comments, please feel free to email TPD Gilcrease News. We look forward to hearing from you. Please remember we are still in the developing stages of this newsletter. If you know someone that would like to receive a copy, please feel free to forward them this information. They can always go to the Tulsa Police website, [www.tulsapolice.org](http://www.tulsapolice.org) and click on TPD Gilcrease News, or send an email to [TPDGilcreaseNews@cityoftulsa.org](mailto:TPDGilcreaseNews@cityoftulsa.org) to request a copy. Thank you for your support of the Tulsa Police Department.

### *IMPORTANT NUMBERS YOU MAY NEED*

Crime Stoppers (918) 596-COPS	Mingo Valley Division (918) 669-6000
Detective Division (918) 596-9133	Property Room (918) 596-9355
Records Division (918) 596-9286	Special Operations (918) 669-6861
Riverside Division (918) 596-1100	Special Investigations (918) 669-6068

# Q&A

## Ask the Major

***Is it safe downtown? What can I do to avoid becoming a victim?***

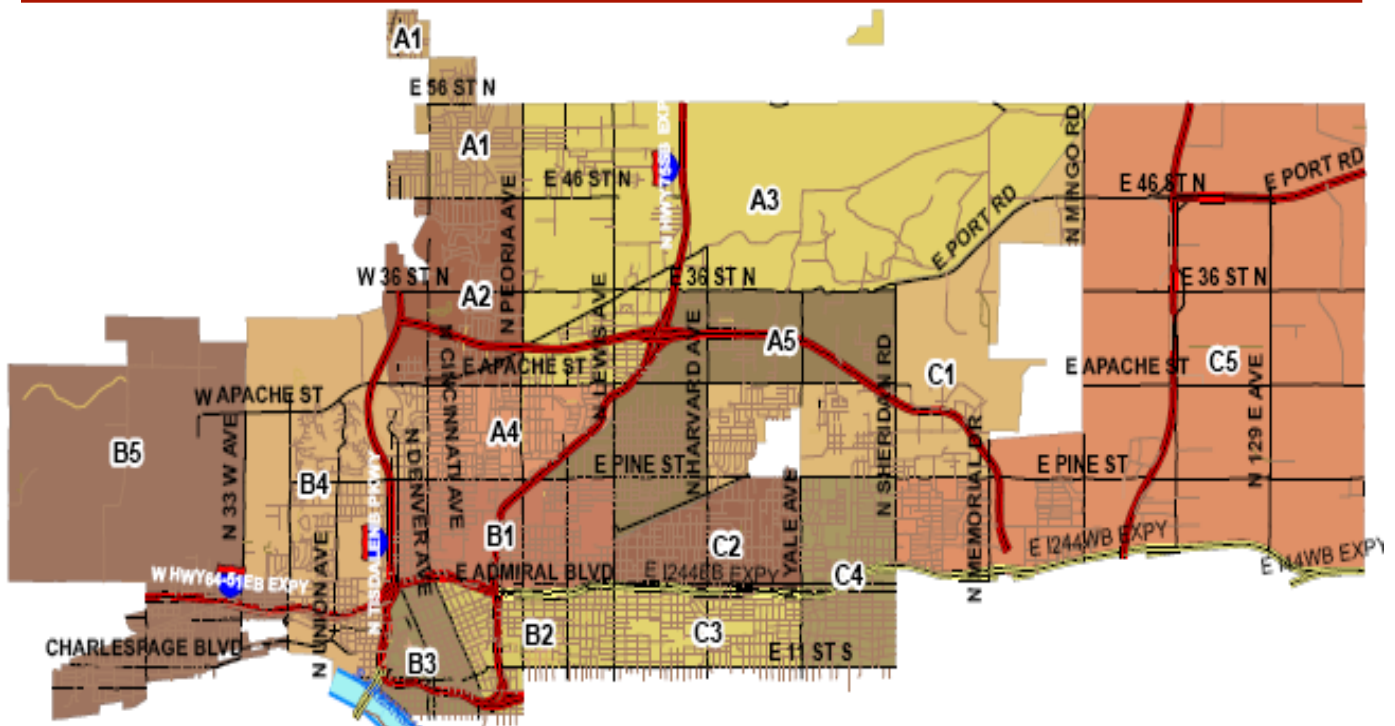
Gilcrease Division encompasses the Downtown area which is everything located within and surrounding the Inner-dispersal Loop. In this area you will find the BOK Center, ONEOK Baseball Field, Performing Arts Center, Cain's Ballroom, Blue Dome District, Brady District, Greenwood Cultural District and many more areas of interest. One thing to keep in mind when you attend an event in this, or any area that you leave your car unattended, is to remove any valuables and remember to lock your doors. It's best to leave the valuables at home. Don't leave your GPS on the dash or windshield, don't leave a purse on the floorboard and don't leave cameras, phones, or other small electronics where someone walking by could see them.

***When do most burglaries occur?***

Residential burglaries usually occur in the daytime when most people are not home. Most burglars do not want to confront anyone. The most common tactic is to knock and see if someone answers the door. The suspect asks for directions or a nonexistent person. If no one answers, the burglar breaks into the home.




***What is considered "Gilcrease Division"?***

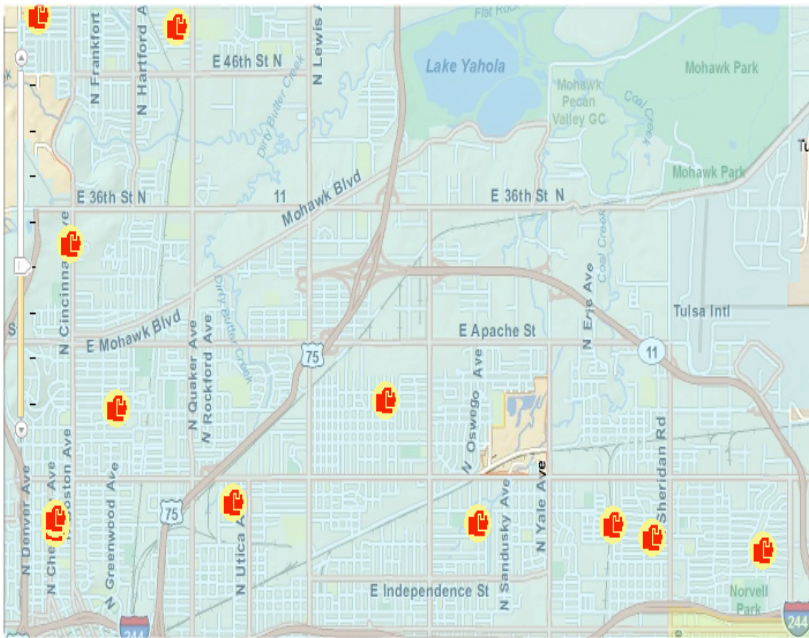
The Gilcrease Division covers a lot of ground! It's largest southern boundary is East 11th street and moves to I-244 at Sheridan Road. It's northern boundary is generally 66th SN and its western boundary is generally 65th West Avenue. Its eastern boundary reaches all the way to 145 East Avenue. The division boundaries zig zag at certain streets. Below is a map of the entire Gilcrease Division. The Division is divided into three squads; Adam, Baker, Charlie. Each squad is divided into five beats.



THE LEGEND PICTURED BELOW CONTAINS THE SYMBOLS WE USE IN OUR MAPPING SYSTEM. MAPS WILL SOMETIMES BE INCLUDED IN THE NEWSLETTER AND THESE SYMBOLS INDICATE WHERE AND WHAT CRIMES ARE HAPPENING IN THOSE AREAS. THE MORE FAMILIAR YOU ARE WITH THESE SYMBOLS, THE EASIER IT WILL BE TO UNDERSTAND THE MAPS.

### Geocoding\_Icons

 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	 LARCENY
 ALARM WARNING	 LIQUOR
 ARSON	 MALICIOUS MISCHIEF
 AUTO THEFT	 MISCELLANEOUS
 BURGLARY	 NARC
 CURFEW AND LOITERING LAW VIOLATIONS	 PROSTITUTION
 DISORDERLY CONDUCT	 RAPE
 DWI-APC	 ROBBERY
 EMBEZZLEMENT	 RUNAWAY
 FAMILY	 SEX
 FORGERY	 SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION VIOLATION
 FRAUD	 SIMPLE ASSAULT
 GAMBLING	 STOLEN PROPERTY
 HOMICIDE	 TRAFFIC
 IMMIGRATION VIOLATION	 VIOLENT OFFENDER REGISTRATION VIOLATION
 INTOXICATION	 WARRANT
	 WEAPONS



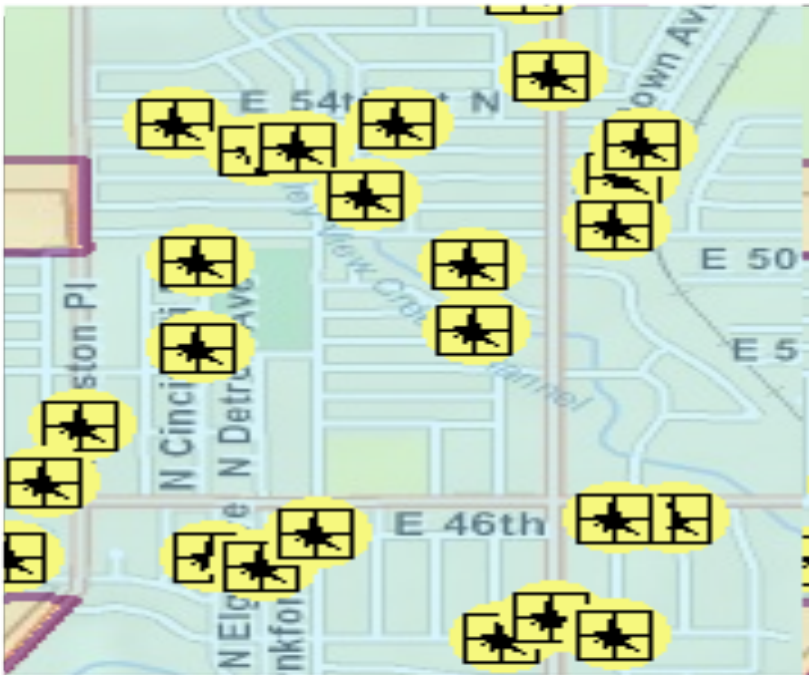
### AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS

Aggravated Assaults can include Assault on Police Officers, Assault with Weapons (knives, guns etc), and Shootings into Occupied Dwellings.

These were Aggravated assaults with a Firearm that occurred in the last 28 days in the Gilcrease area. Most suspects are known to the victims.

### BURGLARY

Burglary is the breaking and entry into homes, businesses, and other structures for the purpose of committing a crime. Residential burglaries usually occur in the daytime when most residents are not home. Problem areas right now is from 43rd SN to 55th SN, between Boston Pl. and Cincinnati Ave. The suspect information we receive usually includes an increase in juveniles "walking around". We've made several arrests but you can help by watching for juveniles walking around in your neighborhood. If you see someone that doesn't look right, call 911 immediately. Give the call taker a good description and try to keep an eye on them to see where they go if possible.



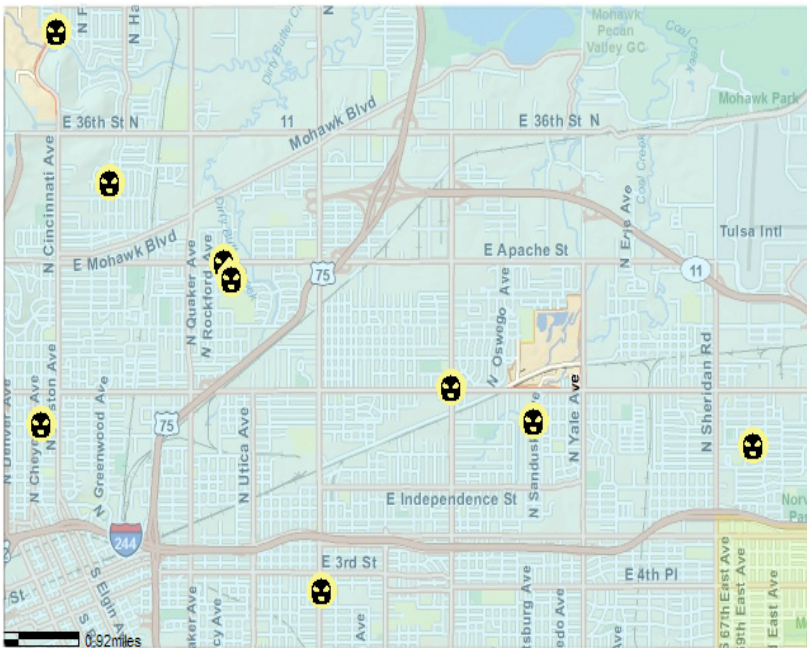


## BURGLARY FROM VEHICLE

### (BFV)

This is the taking of items from inside a vehicle. The vehicle can be locked or not

Pictured is a cluster of BFV's that occurred on the same night in the area of 2nd Street and Detroit Avenue. Stolen items included purses that were left in plain view inside locked vehicles. Please remember, if you don't need it, and then leave it at home.



## ROBBERY

Robbery is the taking property from a person or business by force or fear. Weapons, or the threat of weapons, may or may not be involved. All forms of robbery has decreased for the GID area by 25 percent. There was one strong arm robbery reported, which is an 80 percent drop, but nine robberies with a firearm were also reported. One of those includes the armed robbery of the Med-X by three black males with guns. None of the armed robberies reported any similarities in the "way" they were robbed or in the suspect descriptions.

## HOMICIDE

Most homicides are not committed by strangers and therefore it is not usually something the average citizen of Tulsa considers as they go about their daily routine. Usually, homicide victims have some relationship with their killer. There is no crime map for this category because there were NO Homicides in the Gilcrease Division in the past 28 days.

Clue was a popular board game almost everyone has either played or at least heard of. This time we're asking you to play it in real life! We know the pictures are not very good but we're hoping that there is someone out there that recognizes the individual pictured below. This male subject was caught on surveillance video throwing something at a glass window until it broke. The person that reported this believes it's the same subject he ran off the property on May 5, 2011 for begging in the parking lot. You may recognize the property as the El Rancho Grande restaurant, 1629 E. 11th Street. This subject may be homeless or live in the neighborhood. El Rancho Grande – 1629 E 11th Street. If you have any information that you believe will help us identify this subject, please call or text Crime Stoppers at 918.596.COPS.

