

Bias Based Profiling

Definition

The use of race, ethnicity, age, gender, religion, sexual orientation or any other characteristic or status as the sole consideration for any law enforcement action **except** when a suspect with a specific characteristic is known.

It is the policy of the Department to prevent and prohibit the practice of bias based profiling and any other discriminatory practice by members of the Riviera Beach Police Department. Bias Based Profiling is the selection of individuals based solely on a common trait of a group. This includes race, ethnic background, gender, sexual orientation, religion, economic status, age, or cultural group.

Members of the Department are strictly prohibited from engaging in racial profiling, discriminatory practices and bias based policing of individuals.

Reporting Bias Based Profiling

If you wish to report a case of Bias Based Profiling please contact the Riviera Beach Police Department by:

- Coming in person to the police station located at 600 West Blue Heron Boulevard, Riviera Beach, Florida 33404.
- Calling the Riviera Beach Police Department's non-emergency number 561-845-4123 and requesting a supervisor.
- Calling the Riviera Beach Police Department's Professional Standards Office 561-845-4199.
- Mailing comments directly to the Chief of Police at:
600 West Blue Heron Boulevard
Riviera Beach, FL 33404