



## ***Ed Oakley claims he will continue the current policies in the area of public safety and crime...***

Source: <http://edoakley.com/issues.html>

### **The Facts about Ed Oakley's District and the Devastation of Crime:**

West Dallas has suffered with more crime than the city of Dallas. The area bordered by Interstate 30, Singleton, Westmoreland, and Hampton has **8 times** the city's crime rate, while other parts of West Dallas have either **5 times or 2.3 times** the amount of crime compared to the city of Dallas.

Source: Research Compilation: West Dallas (Zip Code 75212) FCE-The J. McDonald Williams Institute. December 2006. P.14.

There are currently **65-convicted sex offenders** that show their residence in West Dallas zip code 75212. Many have a residence beside the homes of families with school children.

Source: <http://www.ci.dallas.tx.us/dpd/sexoffendersrequest.htm>. Study on sex offenders adjacent to schoolchildren:

Source: SJI Project Transformation Survey of West Dallas Leaders. 2007.

In 2006, more than 2,057 crimes were committed against West Dallas residents, over 446 of them violent crimes. And Ed Oakley wants to keep the same current policies!

Source: Dallas Police Department at [http://www.ci.dallas.tx.us/dpd/stat\\_beat.htm](http://www.ci.dallas.tx.us/dpd/stat_beat.htm) 2006 Crime Stats.

***Tom Leppert believes Violent crime is a deal-breaker for Dallas - we're ranked as one of America's most dangerous cities for more than four years in a row. As mayor, Tom will make reducing dangerous crime a top priority, bringing together police, city officials, business leaders and neighborhoods to break down this huge problem that has held our families - and our city - hostage far too long. See his detailed position and response to crime in our city at <http://www.vgt2004.org/a-dallas07/candidate-detail.go?id=6848683>***