

**Deputy Tavist Miles, Harris County Sheriff's Office, Harris County, TX**

Deputy Tavist Miles began serving his community in 2016 when he became a detention officer with the Harris County Sheriff's Office. In August of 2020, Deputy Miles honorably received his badge and was reassigned to the east side of Harris County, where he began his patrol tenure. During this time, Deputy Miles was fascinated with aviation operations and operated the only drone on the east side of Harris County. Due to his exceptional performance and interest in aviation, Deputy Miles was transferred to the Air Operations Section, where he proudly serves to this day. Deputy Miles is a lead interior and exterior drone operator in the region, as well as a dedicated drone instructor. Deputy Miles is a native Houstonian with 10 years of dedicated service at the Harris County Sheriff's Office and is committed to public safety, professional growth, and serving his community he proudly calls home.