

NIBRS ~ Tip of the Month

How should Road Rage be reported?

- The purposeful use of a vehicle to cause serious bodily injury would be reported as **Aggravated Assault (13A)**. If the victim dies, it would be reported as **Murder/Non-Negligent Manslaughter (09A)**.
- Jumping out of a vehicle to scare or induce fear of bodily harm would be reported as **Intimidation (13C)**.
- If there is significant vehicle damage, **Destruction/Damage/Vandalism (290)** should be reported as well.



Not all incidents meet reporting criteria. The offense classification is influenced by the officer's observations and understanding of the incident.
