## **Crime Forecasting Report**

## **Data Exploration and Preprocessing Steps**

Loaded the dataset and converted the date column to datetime format. Extracted year, month, and day from the date. Dropped rows with missing values.

## **Model Development and Chosen Features**

Selected features: ['x\_coordinate', 'y\_coordinate', 'year', 'month', 'day', 'dayofweek']. Split the data into training and testing sets. Developed a RandomForestClassifier model.

#### **Evaluation of Model Performance**

Accuracy: 0.8053513580862198

#### **Confusion Matrix:**

[[ 1 0 1443 43]

[ 1 14 2735 63]

[ 77 153 230537 6396]

[ 20 13 45297 2143]]

#### Classification Report:

precision recall f1-score support

BURGLARY 0.01 0.00 0.00 1487

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT 0.08 0.00 0.01 2813

OTHER 0.82 0.97 0.89 237163

STREET CRIMES 0.25 0.05 0.08 47473

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accuracy 0.81 288936 macro avg 0.29 0.26 0.24 288936 weighted avg 0.72 0.81 0.74 288936

## **Challenges Faced and Potential Improvements**

Handled missing values by dropping rows. Future improvements could include handling missing values using imputation techniques.