

2023 Formal Professional Standards Complaints and Findings

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|--|-----------------|-----------|------------|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------------|
| Law Enforcement Code of Ethics | 3 | | 2 | 1 | | | |
| Conduct Unbecoming | 5 | | 1 | 1 | 3 | | |
| Conduct Concerning Officers of Other Jurisdictions | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Criminal Violations by Employees | 4 | 1 | | 2 | | | 1 |
| Courtesy | 2 | | 1 | | 1 | | |
| Truthfulness Required at All Time | 3 | | 2 | | 1 | | |
| Motor Vehicle Searches | 2 | | 2 | | | | |
| Warrant-Less Search and Seizures | 1 | | 1 | | | | |
| Duty to Report All Crimes, Vices, Incidents, and Hazards | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| Use of Narcotics and Controlled Substances | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Alcohol and Drug Testing | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Response to Resistance or Aggression | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| Bias-Based Profiling | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| Maintaining Communications | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Information and Operational Security | 1 | | | | 1 | | |

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| Traffic Enforcement | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Mobile Communications Terminals | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Reporting for Duty | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Investigation Procedures | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| TOTALS | 32 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 14 | 0 | 2 |

Unfounded: The allegation is false or not factual.

Exonerated: The incident complained of occurred but was lawful and within.

Not Sustained: Insufficient evidence exists either to prove or disprove the allegation.

Sustained: The investigation discloses evidence to clearly prove the allegation made in the complaint.

Administratively Closed: Complaints will be administratively closed under the following circumstances:

- A. An administrative inquiry has been conducted and no allegations were made or misconduct discovered; or
- B. The Chief of Police or his/her designee has reviewed the complaint and confirmed that the case should be administratively closed. The Internal Affairs Investigator will write a memorandum justifying the closure.

Note: Beginning in 2020, documentation for this report will include all policy violation allegations investigated. This number may or may not be higher than the actual number of formal complaints received and investigated by Professional Standards. In 2023, Professional Standards received **14** formal complaints that resulted in internal investigations, which included **32** alleged policy violations.