




MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and Council Members

FROM: Chief Joseph Chacon, Austin Police Department 

THROUGH: Chief Bruce Mills, Interim Assistant City Manager

DATE: July 5, 2023

SUBJECT: Staff Response: Resolution No. 20200611-096 – Reimagining Public Safety

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide information related to Resolution [20200611-096](#) and the Reimagining Public Safety initiative, specifically including a directive to report all changes made to the Austin Police Department (APD) General Orders.

The Austin Police Department (APD) is committed to the Reimagining Public Safety initiative and continues to make progress toward positive changes that will help the department instill trust and better serve all segments of the Austin community.

The APD Risk Management Unit manages the process for tracking, updating, and publishing revisions to department policies. Following a policy revision, the policy is uploaded to an internal site, APD staff are notified of the changes, and they are directed to review them. The attached document displays a list of department policies that have been updated following the Resolution set forth on June 11, 2020.

An updated copy of APD General Orders, along with revisions to individual department policies, can be viewed in full on the department website: <https://www.austintexas.gov/page/apd-general-orders>. Should you have any questions, please contact Commander Jeremy Compton at Jeremy.Compton@austintexas.gov.

cc: Jesús Garza, Interim City Manager

Policy Number	Policy Title	Published Date	Category
319.7.1	Assisting With Other Agencies Warrant Service	06/26/23	Other
419.0.0	Protective Orders	06/26/23	Other
445.0.0	Mental Health Response	06/26/23	Mental Health Response
918.1.3	918.1.3 Maintenance of Records	06/26/23	Other
1009.2.0	General Security Guidelines	06/26/23	Other
954.0.0	Mental Health Leave	06/14/23	Other
305.3.2	Radio Transmission Protocol	02/23/23	Other
305.5.0	Responsibility of Supervisors	02/23/23	Other
306.13.0	Asset Forfeiture Guidelines	02/23/23	Search and Seizure
403.3.0	Case Assignment and Responsibility	02/23/23	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
403.3.3	Title Code Reclassification	02/23/23	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
405.2.1	Arrest Warrant Pickup Supplement	02/23/23	Other
801.4.3	Rank Insignia	02/23/23	Other
918.5.5	Selection Process	02/23/23	Other
110.3.3	Span of Control	12/05/22	Other
305.6.0	Mobile Data Inspection	12/05/22	Bias
328.4.0	Supervisor Responsibilities	12/05/22	Bias
355.0.0	DWI Enforcement	12/05/22	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
415.0.0	Utilization of Narcan	12/05/22	Other
618.0.0	Property and Evidence Collection Procedures	12/05/22	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
801.2.8	Uniform Jackets	12/05/22	Other
801.8.0	Personnel and Equipment Inspections	12/05/22	Other
918.5.3	Filling Non-Patrol Vacancies	12/05/22	Other
942.4.1	Mandated Training	12/05/22	Other
1004.2.0	Cell Phone Guidelines	12/05/22	Other

200.6.2	Duty to Give Aid and Medical Care	11/28/22	Use of Force
206.2.4	Medical Care	11/28/22	Use of Force
206.6.0	High Kinetic Energy Projectiles	11/28/22	Use of Force
208.5.0	Medical Treatment	11/28/22	Use of Force
211.4.0	Employee Responsibilities for all Force Level Incidents	11/28/22	Use of Force
303.0.0	Body-Worn and Vehicle Camera Systems	11/28/22	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
304.0.0	Livestreaming	11/28/22	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
306.5.0	Consent	11/28/22	Search and Seizure
308.0.0	Misdemeanor Citations	11/28/22	Eliminating arrests for low-level, non-violent offenses
321.4.0	Prisoners Requiring Medical Attention	11/28/22	Use of Force
408.4.0	Mobile Field Force Response	11/28/22	Use of Force
418.3.3	Required CPS Notification	11/28/22	Other
804.3.0	Parking of Department Vehicles	11/28/22	Other
916.0.0	Drug and Alcohol Free Workplace	11/28/22	Other
918.6.3	Hardship Transfers	11/28/22	Other
918.0.0	Promotion, Transfer, and Vacancy Guidelines for Sworn	09/14/22	Other
110.3.3	Span of Control	07/12/22	Other
200.0.0	Response to Resistance	07/12/22	De-Escalation
405.3.2	Execution of a Search Warrant	07/12/22	Other
942.7.0	Adjunct Instructors and Auxiliary Personnel	07/12/22	Other
949.7.3	Span of Control for LERE	07/12/22	Other
958.9.0	Restrictions While on Limited Duty and Extended Limited Duty	07/12/22	Other
200.3.0	Response to Resistance	04/14/22	De-Escalation
202.1.1	Firearms Discharge Situations	04/14/22	Use of Force, Discipline Matrix, De-Escalation, Comprehensive on Duty Reporting Requirements
208.0.0	TASER Device Guidelines	04/14/22	Use of Force, De-Escalation
211.8.0	Level 3 Incident Inquiry, Reporting & Review	04/14/22	Other

214.6.5	StarChase Pursuit Management System	04/14/22	Other
304.3.2	When DMAV Use is Required	04/14/22	Other
306.13.0	Asset Forfeiture Guidelines	04/14/22	Search and Seizure
346.0.0	Crash Investigation and Reporting	04/14/22	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
403.3.0	Case Assignment and Responsibility Street Detective Revision	04/14/22	Other
801.3.0	Uniform Guidelines	04/14/22	Other
935.2.4	Hard Copy of Subpoena Notifications	04/14/22	Other
214.0.0	Vehicle Pursuits	03/14/22	Use of Force
317.2.4	Required School Notification	03/14/22	Other
346.6.0	Crashes involving APD Vehicles	03/14/22	Other
403.4.2	Procedures for Limited English and Deaf Speakers	03/14/22	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
405.3.2	Execution of Search Warrant	03/14/22	Search and Seizure
406.3.6	Suspended (Pending Prosecutorial Review)	03/14/22	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
801.2.4	Armor	03/14/22	Other
206.5.0	Low Kinetic Energy Projectiles (Pepperball)	01/05/22	Use of Force
211.0.0	Response to Resistance Inquiry Review and Reporting	01/05/22	Use of Force, Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
212.0.0	R2R Audit Group	01/05/22	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
301.2.0	Impartial Attitude and Courtesy	01/05/22	Language and Courtesy
303.3.0	Department Issued BWC	01/05/22	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
318.5.1	Miranda Warning	01/05/22	Search and Seizure, Language and Courtesy
321.2.1	Restraint Guidelines	01/05/22	Other
403.4.1	Miranda Warning and Admissibility	01/05/22	Search and Seizure, Language and Courtesy
418.3.3	Required CPS Notification	01/05/22	Other
935.2.6	Court Appearance Guidelines and Requirements	01/05/22	Other

958.0.0	LD, ELD, RTW, and Pregnancy	01/05/22	Other
959.3.0	Duty Restrictions (with form)	01/05/22	Other
1001.0.0	Telework Policy and Procedures	01/05/22	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
208.7.1	TASER Proper Maintenance	11/19/21	Use of Force
317.0.0	Handling Juveniles	11/19/21	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
350.3.2	Vehicle Hold Procedures	11/19/21	Other
445.0.0	Mental Health Response	11/19/21	Mental Health Response
801.4.0	Required and Authorized Uniform Raiments	11/19/21	Other
803.3.6	Personally Owned Rifles	11/19/21	Other
949.7.2	Officer Working LERE for Capital Metro	11/19/21	Other
951.3.0	Pay Differential Procedures	11/19/21	Other
1002.2.0	Email Procedures	11/19/21	Other
427.0.0	Mobile Phone Registration Devices	11/02/21	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
800.3.5	Purchase of Issued City property and Equipment	11/02/21	Other
117.0.0	Critical Incident Public Release	07/23/21	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
902.2.0	Complaint Acceptance Process	07/23/21	Other
415.0.0	Utilization of Narcan	07/06/21	Other
922.3.2	Award Nomination Procedures	07/06/21	Other
344.0.0	Automatic License Plate Readers	06/10/21	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
801.4.8	Service -Unit Pin	06/10/21	Other
924.3.4	Facial Hair	06/10/21	Other
118.7.2	Destruction of CHRI	04/19/21	Other
206.5.2	Kinetic Energy Projectiles Verbal Warnings	04/19/21	De-Escalation, Use of Force
206.6.0	Pain Compliance Techniques (LRAD)	04/19/21	De-Escalation, Use of Force
208.7.1	Taser Proper Maintenance	04/19/21	Use of Force
300.3.1	Use of Long Range Acoustic Device	04/19/21	De-Escalation, Use of Force
303.4.2	Copies of BWC Recordings	04/19/21	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera

306.5.0	Consent	04/19/21	Search and Seizure
319.2.1	Warrant Service Guidelines	04/19/21	Other
346.6.1	Crash Required Reporting	04/19/21	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
350.0.0	Vehicle Towing and Impound	04/19/21	Other
350.2.2	Driving a Non-City Vehicle	04/19/21	Other
405.2.5	Arrest Warrant Service	04/19/21	Other
609.2.0	Language Interpreter Service	04/19/21	Language and Courtesy
804.5.0	Red Light Camera Citations	04/19/21	Other
902.2.3	Externally Initiated Complaints	04/19/21	Discipline Matrix
916.5.0	Reasonable Suspicion Testing for Sworn Employees	04/19/21	Other
942.8.0	Training Procedures	04/19/21	Other
958.3.1	RTW for Sworn Employees	04/19/21	Other
1000.5.0	Department Hardware and Software	04/19/21	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
1002.4.0	Standardized Email Settings	04/19/21	Other
206.5.3	Kinetic Energy Projectiles	03/17/21	Use of Force
214.6.4	Low Speed Intervention	03/17/21	Use of Force
918.6.0	Transfer Guidelines	03/17/21	Other
949.3.0	Secondary Employment Qualification Requirements	03/17/21	Other
957.0.0	Communicable Disease Exposures and Response Protocols	03/17/21	Other
342.9.0	Uniform Traffic Enforcement Chart	01/27/21	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements
801.3.4	Class D Uniform	01/27/21	Other
301.2.0	Impartial Attitude and Courtesy	11/12/20	Bias, De-Escalation, Language and Courtesy
435.2.0	Abandoned Nuisance Motor Vehicles	11/12/20	Other
900.3.4	Personal Conduct	11/12/20	Other
903.0.0	Discipline Matrix	11/12/20	Discipline Matrix
305.3.2	Radio Transmission Protocol	10/21/20	Other
346.5.0	Crash Reports and Incident Reporting	10/21/20	Other

405.0.0	Fugitive and Search Warrants	10/21/20	Comprehensive On Duty Reporting Requirements, Search and Seizure
900.4.4	Duty to Identify	10/21/20	De-Escalation
922.0.0	Awards and Commendations	10/21/20	Other
1000.1.0	Department Tech Use Purpose and Scope	10/21/20	Other
116.3.0	Outside Agency Requests for Records	09/08/20	Other
303.4.2	Documenting BWC System	09/08/20	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
304.6.0	Documenting DMAV System	09/08/20	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
308.9.0	Misd Possession of Marijuana	09/08/20	Other
618.6.2	Submitting Narcotics and Narcotic Paraphernalia	09/08/20	Other
903.0.0	Discipline Matrix	09/08/20	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera, Discipline Matrix
955.2.1	Timesheets	09/08/20	Other
955.7.3	When medical release to return to work is required	09/08/20	Other
214.7.2	Vehicle Pursuits Control Supervisor Responsibilities	07/22/20	Body-worn / Dashboard Camera
801.5.0	Plain Clothes Attire	07/22/20	Other
902.1.2	Administrative Investigations Definitions	07/22/20	Discipline Matrix
902.3.1	Complaint Classification and Investigative Assignment Table	07/22/20	Discipline Matrix
924.2.1	Personal Appearance Standards Hair	07/22/20	Other
111.0.0	APD Standing Committees	07/03/20	Other
200.3.0	Response to Resistance	07/03/20	Use of Force
208.3.0	TASER Verbal Warnings	07/03/20	De-Escalation, Use of Force
308.9.0	Misdemeanor Possession of Marijuana	07/03/20	Eliminating arrests for low-level, non-violent offenses
955.3.0	General Leave Guidelines	07/03/20	Other
972.0.0	Employee Speech, Expression, and Social Networking	07/03/20	Other