



SFPD Q2 2023 “Sparks” Policy Quarterly Report to the Police Commission April 1, 2023 through June 30, 2023



SUBMITTED TO THE POLICE COMMISSION ON JULY 13, 2023

Pursuant to Police Commission Resolution No. 27-06, the department shall provide the Police Commission, on a quarterly basis, a report relating to policy recommendations, proposals, and changes that occurred over the past three months. The report provides the quarterly progress on topics and policies listed accordingly.

SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT (SFPD)				
	Department General Order Activity	Date	Status	Priority Assessment
1	DGO 9.07 Restricting the Use of Pretext Stops	4/5/23	Police Commission adopted DGO for Meet & Confer on 4/5/23.	High
2	DGO 2.06 Vehicle Collision Involving Sworn and Non-Sworn Members	4/7/23	Simultaneous concurrence meeting held, subject matter expert (SME) to research and make edits.	Medium
3	DGO 5.13 Diplomatic Immunity	4/14/23	Draft complete. Scheduled for public comment on 7/19/23 to close on 8/30/23.	High
4	DGO 6.20 Member Involved Domestic Violence	4/20/23	Draft complete. Scheduled for public comment on 8/2/23 to close on 9/14/23.	Medium
5	DGO 7.04 Children of Arrested Parents	4/21/23	Posted for Public Comment on 3/10/23 and closed 4/21/23. Executive Sponsor (ES) approved SMEs responses. Draft DPA & Dept. responses to be reviewed during concurrence.	High
6	DGO 2.02 Alcohol Use by Members	5/3/23	Police Commission adopted DGO for Meet & Confer on 5/3/23.	High
7	DGO 2.03 Drug Use by Members	5/3/23	Police Commission adopted DGO for Meet & Confer on 5/3/23.	High
8	DGO 5.08 Non-Uniformed Officers	5/3/23	Per President Elias, hold from publishing for public comment until after she meets with Chief Scott.	High
9	DGO 2.01 General Rules of Conduct	5/10/23	Police Commission adopted DGO for Meet & Confer on 5/10/23.	High
10	DGO 1.06+1.07 Duties of Superior Officers and Command Officers	5/11/23	DPA requested to meet with Chief Scott regarding this policy. Changes agreed upon. WDU awaiting revisions from Chief’s Office.	Medium



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11	DGO 10.02 (combined w/ 10.04+10.05) Equipment	5/15/23	Public comment opened 5/15/23 and closed 7/5/23. Department is working on joint response with DPA.	Medium
12	DGO 9.01 Traffic Enforcement	5/17/23	Police Commission adopted DGO for Meet & Confer on 5/17/23.	Medium
13	DGO 9.02 Vehicle Accidents	5/17/23	Police Commission adopted DGO for Meet & Confer on 5/17/23.	High
14	DGO 8.04 Critical Incident Response Team	6/1/23	Public comment closed on 5/5/23. DPA and Department drafted response which will be reviewed during concurrence.	Medium
15	DGO 9.03 Chemical Testing for DUI	6/2/23	Simultaneous concurrence held and SME to make post concurrence edits.	Medium
16	DGO 3.05 Department Weapon Return Panel	6/5/23	Public comment opened on 6/5/23 and closes on 7/19/23	High
17	DGO 3.12 Department Training Plan	6/5/23	Public comment opened 4/21/23 and closed 6/5/23 with no public comments.	High
18	DGO 5.18 Prisoner Handling & Transportation	6/8/23	Draft Phase (Received edits from SME. WDU sent back to SME for deconfliction w/ DGO 6.14 & 9.04)	High
19	DGO 5.06 Citation Release	6/13/23	SFPD met to discuss DPA concerns and will continue to develop policy language	High
20	DGO 11.08 Grooming Standards	6/14/23	Police Commission adopted DGO 11.08 on 6/14/23 with implementation to begin after the 60-business day training period.	Medium
21	DGO 6.02 (combined w/ 6.01) Physical Evidence and Scene Preservation	6/15/23	Police Commission adopted DGO 6.02 on 6/14/23 with implementation to begin after the 60-business day training period.	Medium
22	DGO 11.13 Directed & Recommended Referrals to the SFPD BSU	6/16/23	DGO has reached an agreement through collective bargaining and has been scheduled for discussion and possible adoption at Police Commission’s July 12 th meeting.	Medium
23	DGO 9.05 Traffic Citation Control	6/20/23	Public comment opened on 5/5/23 and closed on 6/20/23. Received one public comment that does not pertain to the DGO.	Medium
24	DGO 3.19 Early Intervention System	6/21/23	SME and Executive Sponsor (ES) working on finalizing DGO.	Medium
25	DGO 6.10 Missing Persons	6/21/23	SME completed response in RG. Waiting for ES approval before sending to DPA.	Medium
26	DGO 1.01 Organizational Structure	6/30/23	Public comment opened on 6/20/23 and closes on 8/2/23	Medium



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27	DGO 5.25 (TBD) Foot Pursuits	6/30/23	Simultaneous concurrence held	Medium
28	DGO 6.08 Aggressive Soliciting	6/30/23	Received updated draft from SME. The Department has slated this DGO for public comment between 9/28 and 11/13	Medium
29	DGO 6.21 Investigative Social Media	6/30/23	Public comment opened 6/30/23 with a closing date of 8/9/23	High
30	DGO 9.04 Seat Belt Policy	6/30/23	Simultaneous concurrence held	High

NEW GENERAL ORDERS				
ORIGINATED BY SFPD				
1	DGO 6.21 Investigative Social Media	6/9/23	Per Commission Resolution 23-51. “Commission-Led” . Drafting clock started on 6/9/23. Dept. SME draft was delivered to commission office on 6/16/23.	
DGO PROPOSALS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY (DPA) TO THE POLICE COMMISSION				
	No new proposed DGOs during this quarter			



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PRIORITY KEY		
High	Urgent and important	Legal mandate/ Exigency Criteria met/ Update mandated per Police Commission approved “Annual Review List”.
Medium	Important but not urgent	Not listed in the current “Annual Review List”. This DGO can be scheduled for completion next year and will be included on the 2023 “Annual Review List” which requires Police Commission approval.
Low	Not feasible or warranted	Requires further analysis. Will include a status update in the next quarterly report.

DEPARTMENT WORKING GROUP UPDATE

While not required by Police Commission Resolution 27-06, the following is SFPD’s tracking of Department lead working groups. This track working group activity between April – June 30, 2023 (Q2)

DGO Working Group		Executive Sponsor	Designee	Q4 meeting dates	Status
1	DGO 7.01 Policies & Procedures for Juvenile Detention, Arrest, and Custody	DC Robert O’Sullivan	Commander Moran	6/6/2023 (email update)	Quarterly update pursuant to DGO 3.01.04(G) provided to the working group. Update stated that the draft was under review by City Attorney’s (CAT) office. CAT returned draft to SFPD 7/11/2023.
2	DGO 10.11 Body Worn Cameras	A/Commander. Mark Im	Lt. Christopher Beauchamp	4/6; 4/20; 5/4; 5/23; 6/6; 6/22	Final meeting scheduled 7/13/2023. Date approved by Commissioner Benedicto.
3	DGO 8.10 First Amendment Activities	DC Raj Vaswani	Lt. David O’Connor	4/28; 5/19; 5/26; 6/9; 6/20	Additional meeting scheduled 7/14/2023. Date approved by Commissioner Carter-Oberstone.



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DEPARTMENT BULLETINS WITHIN 120 DAYS OF EXPIRATION

Department Bulletin Name		Date of Expiration	Re-Issue, Rescind, or Incorporating into DGO
1	DB 21-109 Secondary Firearms	7/15/23	Included in DGO 10.02 update (combined with 10.04+10.05)
2	DB 21-125 Return of Seized Firearms, Ammunition, and Ammunition Feeding Device	9/2/23	Will re-issue and include in DGO 6.15 update
3	DB 21-137 Outside Agency Courtesy Reports	9/21/23	Will re-issue and include in DGO 5.11 update when it comes around
4	DB 21-140 Addition of Training Division Units to the Firearm Discharge Review Board	10/8/23	Will re-issue and include in DGO 3.10 update currently on hold
5	DB 21-169 Early Intervention System Procedures	11/23/23	Will re-issue and include in DGO 3.19 update
6	DB 21-174 Sexual Assault Survivors at District Stations	12/28/23	Will re-issue and include in DGO 6.16 update

DEPARTMENT NOTICES AND BUREAU ORDERS ISSUED IN Q2

Type	Total
Department Notices	62
Bureau Orders	7