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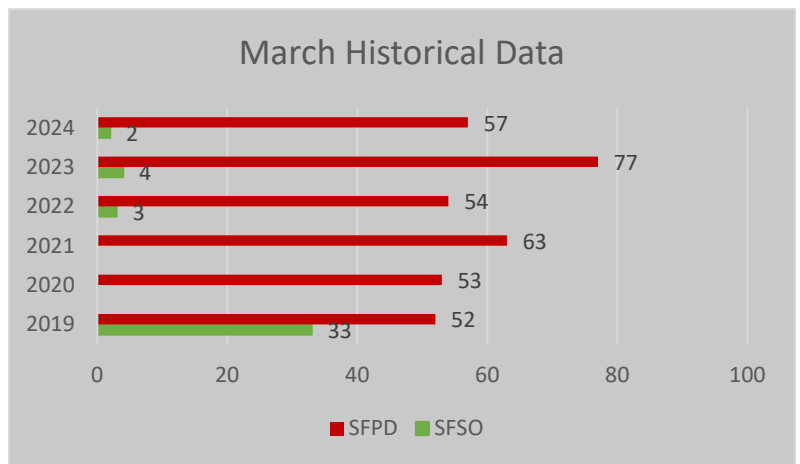
President Cindy Elias and Members of the San Francisco Police Commission

**Re: San Francisco Department of Police Accountability March 2024 Monthly Statistical Report**

Dear President Cindy Elias and San Francisco Police Commissioners:

**Summary of Complaints Received in March 2024**

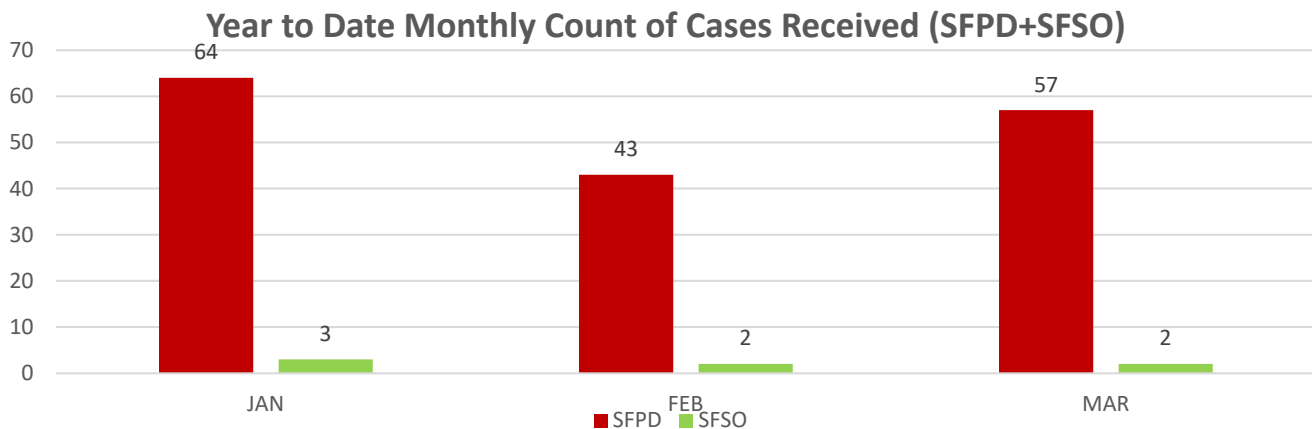
The Department of Police Accountability received a total of **59** cases in **March 2024**, **57** SFPD complaints and **2** SFSO complaints. Compared with a total of **81** cases, **77** SFPD complaints and **4** SFSO complaint, in the same period last year, the **March 2024** case total is **13%** lower than the five-year average and the **27%** lower than the previous year.



From January through March, the DPA received a total of **171** new cases, **164** SFPD complaints and **7** SFSO complaints. Compared with the **197** cases filed during the same period in 2023, **188** SFPD complaints and **9** SFSO complaint. The March year to date case total represents a **13%** decrease in new complaints over last year.

Currently, DPA has a total of **301** pending cases, **278** SFPD and **23** SFSO.

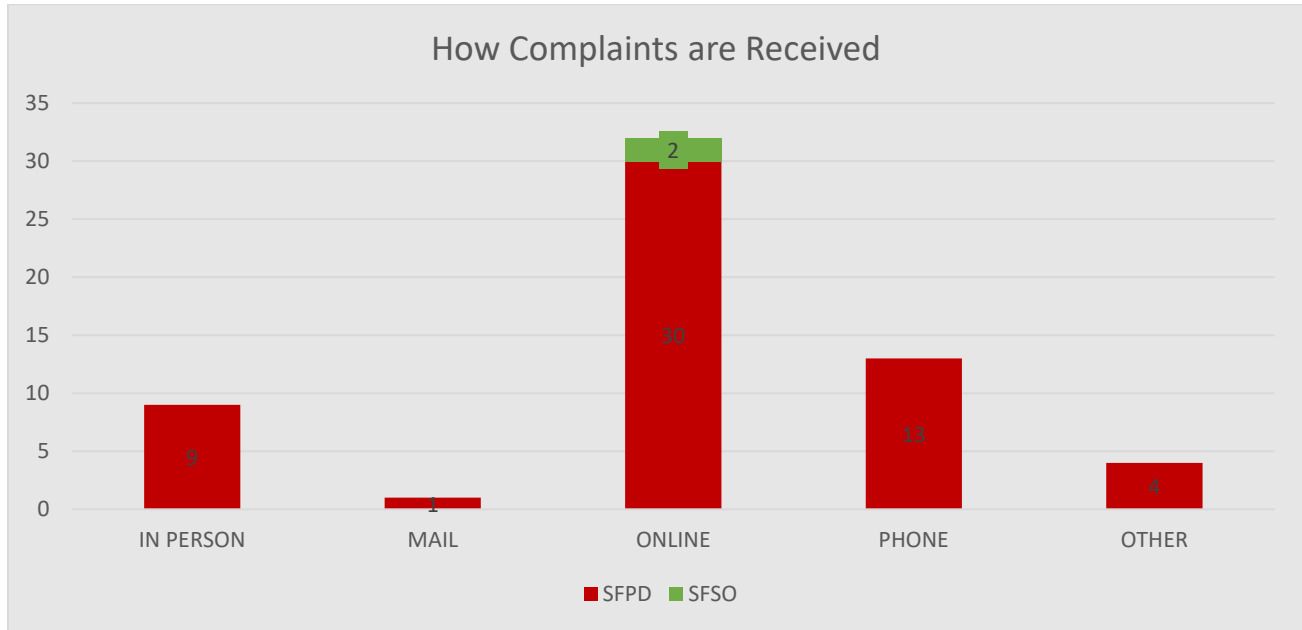
In March, DPA received a total of **0** referral(s) from SF Sheriff's Office and referred a total of **2** case(s) to SFSO.



### March Demographics

Complainants	SFPD	SFSO
Complainants	55	2
Anonymous Complainants	2	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>2</b>
Gender	SFPD	SFSO
Female	18	1
Male	13	0
Genderqueer / Gender Non-binary	3	0
Transgender	0	0
Declined to State	23	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>2</b>
Race/Ethnicity	SFPD	SFSO
Asian	3	0
Black or African American	7	0
Hispanic or Latinx	2	0
White	12	0
Other	4	1
Declined to State	29	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>2</b>
Age	SFPD	SFSO
1-13 (by an adult)	0	0
14-16	0	0
17-19	0	0
20-30	6	0
31-40	7	0
41-50	15	1
51-60	6	0
61-70	4	0
71-80	1	0
Over 80	0	0
Declined to State	18	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>2</b>

Most complaints were received over the phone and online.



Please find the attached table, which summarizes cases received in **March 2024**. The table is prepared in compliance with San Francisco City Charter section 4.136 and Police Commission Resolution number 97-04, which require the Department of Police Accountability (DPA) to provide the Police Commission with a monthly summary of cases received, including the number and type of complaints filed.

Sincerely,

  
Paul Henderson  
Executive Director

Attachments (1)

CASE	RECEIVED	SUMMARY	Case Type
00059064-24	3/2/2024	Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059066-24	3/2/2024	Merged - Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059069-24	3/2/2024	Merged - Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059067-24	3/2/2024	Merged - Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059065-24	3/2/2024	Merged - Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059075-24	3/3/2024	Merged - Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059074-24	3/3/2024	Merged - Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059072-24	3/3/2024	Merged - Officers used excessive force at a public protest.	SFPD
00059092-24	3/5/2024	The officers detained the complainant without cause, failed to activate their body-worn cameras, kicked the complainant's son's dog, and removed the complainant's son to CPS without cause.	SFPD
00059097-24	3/5/2024	The officers failed to assist the complainant.	SFPD
00059119-24	3/6/2024	The complaint raised matters that were imaginary or not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability jurisdiction.	SFPD
00059130-24	3/7/2024	The complainant stated that staff at the library used his name improperly in a conversation, and Sheriffs told him that it was not a crime.	SFPD
00059131-24	3/7/2024	The complainant stated that the officers did not do anything to address the homeless issues outside his son's house.	SFPD
00059134-24	3/7/2024	Officers are harassing the complainant and their children.	SFPD
00059140-24	3/8/2024	The complainant stated that an officer failed to promptly respond to a call for service, and failed to make a private person's arrest and write an incident report.	SFPD
00059147-24	3/8/2024	The complainant stated that an officer failed to call an ambulance for her and officers later took property from her when she was transported to a hospital and failed to return it.	SFPD
00059149-24	3/8/2024	The complainant stated that they called a police station and the person they spoke with hung up on them. They also stated that they did not receive a call back from a supervising officer as requested.	SFPD
00059201-24	3/8/2024	The officer improperly engaged in a retaliatory arrest against the complainant.	SFPD
00059162-24	3/11/2024	An officer illegally towed the complainant's vehicle.	SFPD
00059166-24	3/11/2024	Officers at Tenderloin Station tried to kill the complainant using biochemical agents.	SFPD
00059169-24	3/11/2024	The complainant went to a district police station and reported a car almost hitting him. The complainant said the PSA he spoke with refused to do anything after taking his report.	SFPD
00059172-24	3/11/2024	An officer made rude and discourteous comments to the complainant.	SFPD
00059163-24	3/12/2024	The complainant said no officer responded to assist him in recovering his lost dog.	SFPD
00059182-24	3/12/2024	The complainant was arrested without cause and sustained injuries from the arrest.	SFPD
00059200-24	3/13/2024	The officer used excessive force.	SFPD
00059205-24	3/13/2024	The San Francisco Police Department allowed protesters to block the international terminal of the airport.	SFPD
00059211-24	3/14/2024	The officer failed to take the required action.	SFPD
00059220-24	3/14/2024	The officer grabbed the complainant's arm, threatened him with arrest, and cited him after he jaywalked on a red light.	SFPD
00059217-24	3/14/2024	An incident occurred at a church.	SFPD
00059231-24	3/15/2024	The officer pointed his ERIW at an individual's face.	SFPD
00059238-24	3/15/2024	The complainant alleged that corrupt officers are involved in illegal activities and not protecting the residents.	SFPD
00059226-24	3/15/2024	The officers did not search or arrest the suspect that pulled a gun on the complainant while she was in her vehicle.	SFPD
00059271-24	3/18/2024	The complainant stated that she was assaulted, and officers failed to take her statement and also failed to provide her with a copy of the incident report.	SFPD
00059269-24	3/19/2024	The complainant was falsely detained by officers. The officer then misrepresented the truth in their report.	SFPD
00059273-24	3/19/2024	The complainant stated an officer is misusing a disabled placard.	SFPD
00059291-24	3/20/2024	A CHP officer issued a citation without cause to a foreign driver for speeding and no driver's license, even though the driver had a valid license from Singapore and an international driver permit.	SFPD
00059334-24	3/20/2024	Police falsely arrested the complainant.	SFPD
00059314-24	3/21/2024	The officer used his emergency lights to cross a congested intersection on a red light.	SFPD
00059315-24	3/21/2024	Officers arrested, searched, and handcuffed the complainant to serve a stay-away order. The complainant's arm and wrist were hurt from handcuffing.	SFPD
00059330-24	3/22/2024	Officers failed to properly investigate a battery in which the complainant was denied an incident report number, an arrest, and the officer's identification.	SFPD
00059332-24	3/22/2024	Officers' use of force was unwarranted, and they did not properly secure the complainant's property.	SFPD
00059335-24	3/22/2024	Officers failed to properly investigate a reported crime.	SFPD
00059322-24	3/22/2024	The complaint raised matters that were imaginary or not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability jurisdiction.	SFPD
00059339-24	3/23/2024	An officer failed to investigate a crime reported by the complainant.	SFPD
00059343-24	3/24/2024	Officers are tampering with the complainant's supplements.	SFPD

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00059345-24	3/24/2024	The complainant raises matters not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability jurisdiction. The complaint raised matters that were imaginary or not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability jurisdiction.	SFPD
00059344-24	3/24/2024		SFPD
00059355-24	3/25/2024	The complaint raised matters that were not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability jurisdiction. The complaint raised matters that were imaginary or not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability jurisdiction.	SFPD
00059354-24	3/25/2024		SFPD
00059357-24	3/25/2024	Officers failed to properly investigate an incident involving the complainant's son. The complainant stated that he did not know if there was any investigation the station had done to help him locate his stolen vehicle.	SFPD
00059393-24	3/26/2024		SFPD
00059404-24	3/26/2024	The complainant said the officers came close to her face, followed her, and threatened her. The complainant said he has been stalked and assaulted by various people. When he requested police reports, the police did not give them to him.	SFPD
00059365-24	3/26/2024		SFPD
00059384-24	3/27/2024	Officers manipulated the complainant's brain supplements to stop them from working. The complainant stated that an officer did not allow her minor daughter to get dressed in privacy during the service of a search warrant.	SFPD
00059391-24	3/28/2024		SFPD
00059403-24	3/29/2024	Merged: An officer engaged in criminal conduct and lied on his application to the Police Academy.	SFPD
00059413-24	3/30/2024	The complainant raises matters not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00003116-24	3/26/2024	Deputy officers harassed the complainant.	SFSO
00003117-24	3/31/2024	Deputy officers refused to take a report from the complainant	SFSO

**Total New Cases:**

**59**