

# SFPD Q2 2024 “Sparks” Report

## Policy Updates April 1 –June 30, 2024



**CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO**

Police Department

October 2, 2024

# Policy Status Updates: Q2 2024

DGOs	Department Bulletins/Notices
25 DGOs	57 DNs: Review, Reissue, Archived or Rescinded

“Sparks” Resolution(27-06) requires quarterly reports from both SFPD and DPA to provide Police Commission with policy development awareness.

# Policy Updates: June 30 – to date

- **Prop E DGOs adopted by Commission:** 5.01 Use of Force, 5.03 Investigative Detentions, 5.04 Arrests by Private Persons, 5.05 Emergency Response and Pursuit Driving, 5.06 Citation Release
- **DGOs sent to Commission for calendaring:** 3.01 Department Written Directives, 3.10 Serious Incident Review Board, 7.04 Safeguarding Children of Arrested Persons, 10.11 Body Worn Cameras
- **DGOs in Stage II Development:** 3.16 Release of Police Reports, 6.10 Missing Persons, 6.12 Arrests of Persons on Supervised Release, 6.13 Prejudice-Based Incidents, 8.09 Media Relations, 8.12 In-Custody Deaths, 11.02 Secondary Employment
- **DGOs in Post-Concurrence:** 5.18 Prisoner Handling and Transportation, 7.01 Policies and Procedures for Youth Non-Psychological Detention, Arrest, and Custody, 9.06 Vehicle Tows

# Status Update: Approved 2024 DGO List

DGO	Current stage
1.08 Community Policing	Stage II began on 9/5. DPA has a 10/7 recommendation grid deadline.
3.01 Department Written Directives	Digital package sent to Police Commission on 6/27.
3.02 Terms and Definitions	Public Review stage: 9/11 to 10/24.
3.16 Release of Police Reports	9/26 request for Executive Sponsor's approval to move to Public Review phase.
5.05 Emergency Response and Pursuit Driving	Adopted by Police Commission on 9/18 (Reso 24-116).
5.20 Language Access Services for Limited English Proficient Persons	Working Group Phase
6.07 Dog Complaints	Public Review stage: 9/26 to 11/8
6.10 Missing Persons	Sent responses to DPA Stage II recommendation grid on 7/30. Next step: Public Review phase.
6.13 Prejudice-Based Incidents	Request for Executive Sponsor's approval sent on 9/24. Executive Sponsor approval received on 9/27.
6.15 Property Processing	DPA deadline for Stage II recommendation grid is 9/27. Responses to DPA's recommendation grid are due 10/28.
6.16 Sexual Assault Investigations	Working Group Phase
8.09 Media Relations	Stage II draft sent to DPA on 9/24. DPA has a 10/23 recommendation grid deadline.
8.12 In-Custody Deaths	Stage II draft sent to DPA on 9/4. DPA has a 10/2 recommendation grid deadline.
11.02 Secondary Employment	DPA deadline for Stage II recommendation grid is 9/26.

# 2024 Working Group Update

- **DGO 8.03 Crowd Control:** Working Group concluded on 4/11/24. DGO agendized for Police Commission on 10/2 (tonight).
- **DGO 5.20 Language Access Services:** First meeting was held on 7/30/24. Next meeting is scheduled on 10/22/24. Based on the 120-business day timeline, working group meetings are set to conclude on or before 1/27/25.
- **DGO 6.16 Sexual Assault Investigations:** First meeting was held on 9/17/24. Next meeting is scheduled on 10/3/24. Based on the 120-business day timeline, working group meetings are set to conclude on or before 3/14/25.

Questions?

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