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President Cindy Elias and Members of the San Francisco Police Commission

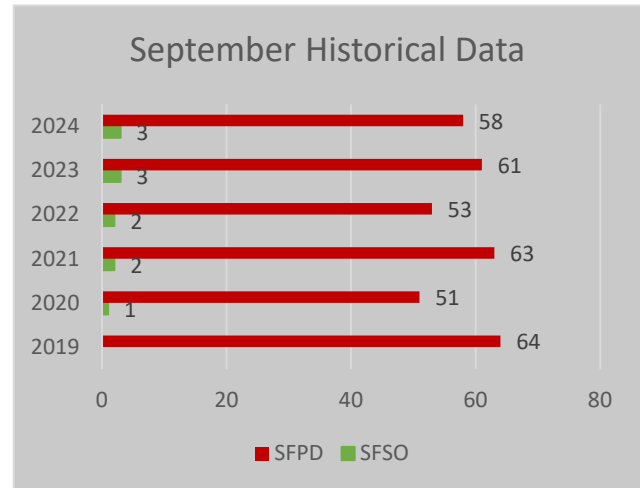
Re: San Francisco Department of Police Accountability September 2024 Monthly Statistical Report

Dear President Cindy Elias and San Francisco Police Commissioners:

Summary of Complaints Received in September 2024

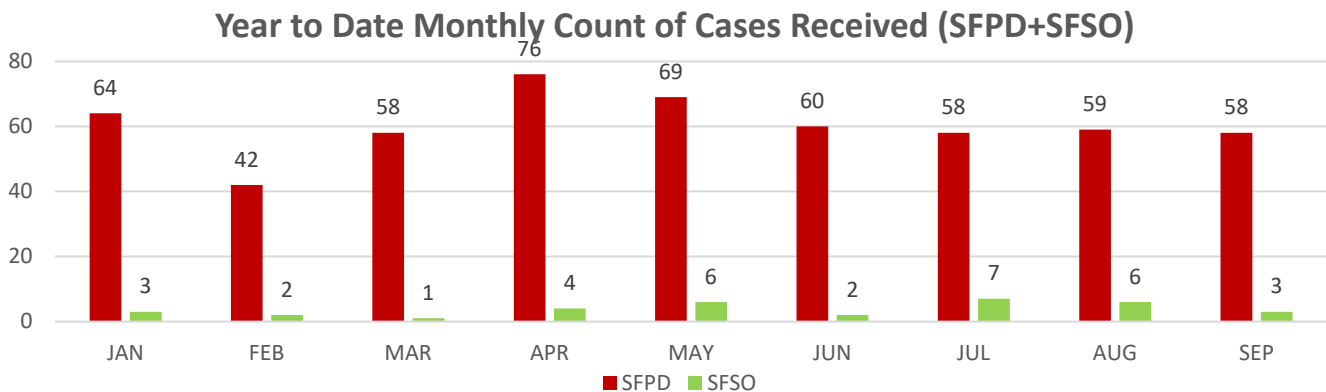
The Department of Police Accountability received a total of **61** cases in **September 2024**, **58** SFPD complaints and **3** SFSO complaints. Compared with a total of **64** cases, **61** SFPD complaints and **3** SFSO complaint, in the same period last year, the **September 2024** case total is **2%** higher than the five-year average and the **5%** lower than the previous year.

From January through September, the DPA received a total of **591** new cases, **557** SFPD complaints and **34** SFSO complaints. Compared with the **611** cases filed during the same period in 2023, **578** SFPD complaints and **33** SFSO complaint. The **September** year to date case total represents a **3%** decrease in new complaints over last year.



Currently, DPA has a total of **236** pending cases, **208** SFPD and **28** SFSO.

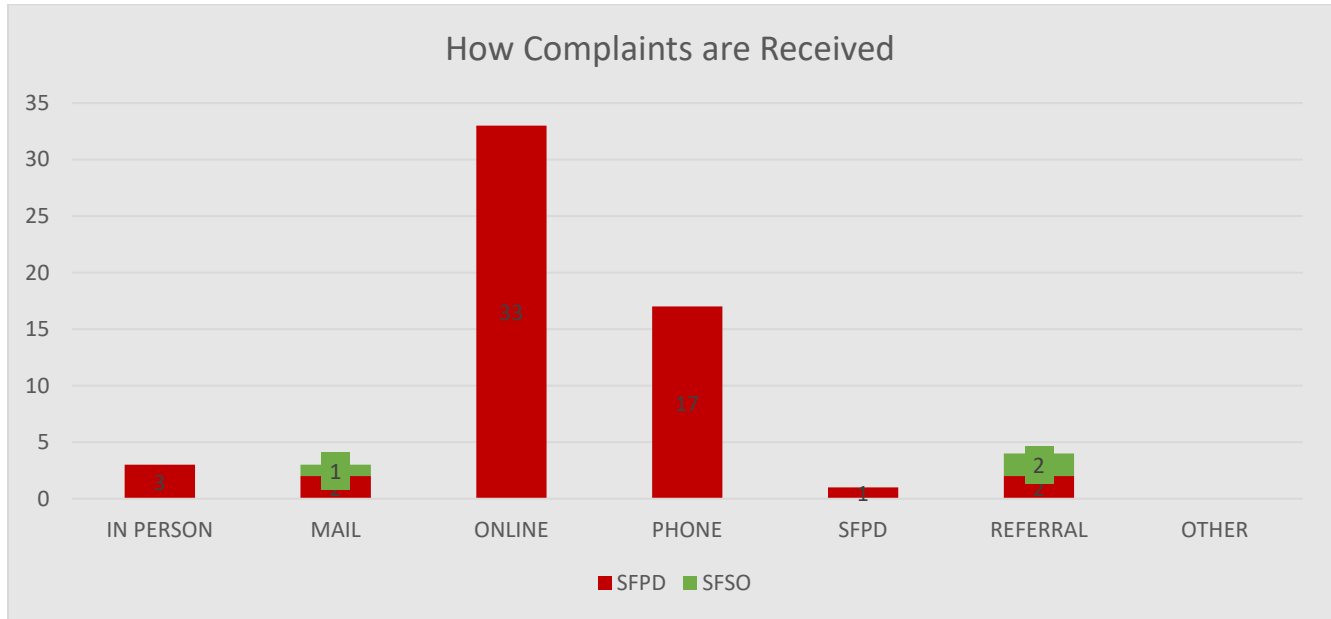
In September, DPA received a total of **0** referral(s) from SF Sheriff's Office and referred a total of **0** case(s) to SFSO.



September Demographics

Complainants	SFPD	SFSO
Complainants	50	3
Anonymous Complainants	8	0
Total	58	3
Gender	SFPD	SFSO
Female	10	1
Male	15	2
Genderqueer / Gender Non-binary	1	0
Transgender	0	0
Declined to State	32	0
Grand Total	58	3
Race/Ethnicity	SFPD	SFSO
Asian	5	0
Black or African American	7	2
Hispanic or Latinx	6	0
White	5	0
Other	4	1
Declined to State	31	0
Total	58	3
Age	SFPD	SFSO
1-13 (by an adult)	0	0
14-16	0	0
17-19	0	0
20-30	3	0
31-40	2	0
41-50	7	0
51-60	5	0
61-70	7	0
71-80	1	0
Over 80	1	0
Declined to State	32	3
Grand Total	58	3

Most complaints were received over the phone and online.



Please find the attached table, which summarizes cases received in **September 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
00061023-24	9/3/2024	The officers displayed dismissive and hostile behavior toward the complainant, despite the complainant calling for police assistance.	SFPD
00003162-24	9/3/2024	A woman died while in jail.	SFSO
00061025-24	9/4/2024	Officers used excessive force during a mental health detention.	SFPD
00061039-24	9/4/2024	The complainant raised matters not within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00061043-24	9/4/2024	The officer arrested the complainant without cause, made inappropriate comments, refused to provide their name or badge number, and damaged the complainant's property.	SFPD
00061045-24	9/4/2024	This complaint raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00061046-24	9/4/2024	An officer wrote an inaccurate police report and failed to take required action.	SFPD
00061091-24	9/4/2024	A vehicle struck the complainant's car during a police pursuit. The complainant waited hours for officers to respond to their calls, but they did not.	SFPD
00061095-24	9/4/2024	An officer falsely arrested the complainant for burglary and asked for a bribe while in the patrol car.	SFPD
00061063-24	9/6/2024	The complaint raised matters that were imaginary or outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00061064-24	9/6/2024	Officers are routinely taking excessively long breaks at a coffee shop.	SFPD
00061077-24	9/7/2024	Officers handcuffed the complainant without cause.	SFPD
00061083-24	9/8/2024	Officers wrongfully detained the complainant, accused her of theft, and used excessive force.	SFPD
00061084-24	9/8/2024	Officers wrongfully detained the complainant, failed to take required action, and did not write an incident report.	SFPD
00061085-24	9/8/2024	An officer acted rudely when asking the complainant to move his car at the airport.	SFPD
00061096-24	9/9/2024	An officer behaved unprofessionally by escalating a situation regarding fare evasion.	SFPD
00061103-24	9/10/2024	The officer made inappropriate comments to the complainant.	SFPD
00061105-24	9/10/2024	Officers failed to properly investigate.	SFPD
00061107-24	9/11/2024	The officers pointed firearms at the complainant without cause, entered the complainant's residence without a warrant, and targeted the complainant without justification.	SFPD
00061118-24	9/11/2024	An officer yelled at the complainant while the complainant was riding a bike.	SFPD
00061123-24	9/11/2024	An officer yelled at and berated a woman in Spanish while aggressively speeding in his vehicle.	SFPD
00061124-24	9/11/2024	An officer inappropriately forced the complainant to file a police report.	SFPD
00061128-24	9/11/2024	The officer failed to properly process property.	SFPD
00061133-24	9/12/2024	Deputies handcuffed the complainant and moved him from his cell to a safety cell, where they punched, slammed, and choked him. Deputies left him in the safety cell without medical care for 16 hours.	SFPD
00003164-24	9/12/2024	The complainant is requesting camera footage and information regarding a restraining order.	SFSO
00061138-24	9/13/2024	The Department of Police Accountability opened a mandated investigation into an officer-involved shooting.	SFPD
00061157-24	9/13/2024	Officers failed to take required action.	SFPD
00061159-24	9/14/2024	The officer made an inappropriate comment to the complainant as he jogged by.	SFPD
00061153-24	9/15/2024	The officers failed to assist with traffic direction and the removal of a vehicle from the roadway following an accident.	SFPD
00061156-24	9/15/2024	This complaint raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00061164-24	9/16/2024	The officers improperly towed a vehicle.	SFPD
00061166-24	9/16/2024	Inaccurate findings were documented in reports regarding the cause of death of a city employee.	SFPD
00061176-24	9/16/2024	The district station is not enforcing laws regarding narcotics and noise violations.	SFPD
00061174-24	9/17/2024	An off-duty officer did not act neighborly.	SFPD
00061178-24	9/17/2024	An officer was driving while holding a cell phone and accused the complainant of crossing unsafely.	SFPD
00061182-24	9/17/2024	The officers took no enforcement action regarding noise and loitering calls, and when the complainant called the station, the officer on the phone behaved rudely.	SFPD
00061202-24	9/19/2024	An officer harassed the complainant.	SFPD
00061216-24	9/20/2024	A deputy slammed the complainant to the floor during intake. While being taken to the hospital, 10-12 deputies punched and kicked the complainant.	SFPD
00003165-24	9/20/2024	Officers acted rudely and discourteously toward the complainant, including an officer who pushed the complainant.	SFSO
00061217-24	9/21/2024	An officer conducted an unlawful detainment.	SFPD
00061218-24	9/23/2024	An officer lost the complainant's property.	SFPD
00061219-24	9/23/2024	The officer behaved or spoke inappropriately and failed to provide their name or badge number.	SFPD
00061224-24	9/24/2024	An officer inappropriately took a picture of the complainant's vehicle and issued an unnecessary citation.	SFPD
00061244-24	9/24/2024	An officer used inappropriate language with the complainant, noting that the process for reporting sexual assault needs improvement.	SFPD
00061229-24	9/25/2024	Officers failed to respond to reports of gunshots and are involved in corruption.	SFPD
00061230-24	9/25/2024	Officers searched a location without permission and without a warrant.	SFPD
00061237-24	9/25/2024	An officer failed to take required action.	SFPD
00061238-24	9/25/2024	An officer behaved inappropriately and made unprofessional comments.	SFPD
00061239-24	9/25/2024	The complainant was unable to file a complaint at the station.	SFPD
00061240-24	9/25/2024	The San Francisco Police Department has not provided the complainant with a copy of a vehicle crash report, leading the complainant to believe the officer who responded did not prepare one.	SFPD
00061241-24	9/25/2024	The complainant reported being sexually assaulted at St. Francis Hospital while in the custody of the San Francisco Police Department.	SFPD

Summary of Cases Received

CASE	RECEIVED	SUMMARY	Case Type
00061242-24	9/25/2024	This complaint raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00061243-24	9/26/2024	The complainant stated that they wanted to add more information to an existing police report, but the officer refused.	SFPD
00061246-24	9/26/2024	The complainant stated that an officer in a city vehicle called her a derogatory name.	SFPD
00061247-24	9/26/2024	The officer drove improperly and engaged in inappropriate behavior and comments.	SFPD
00061251-24	9/26/2024	The complainant raises matters not within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00061252-24	9/26/2024	An officer asked the complainant to move a vehicle parked in front of a school and took a photo of the vehicle.	SFPD
00061254-24	9/27/2024	The officer behaved and spoke inappropriately, publicly disclosed private information, and misrepresented the truth.	SFPD
00061259-24	9/27/2024	The complainant stated she did not have a complaint against an officer. The officer behaved inappropriately, made unprofessional comments, disclosed private information publicly, and misrepresented the truth.	SFPD
00061261-24	9/28/2024	misrepresented the truth.	SFPD
00061275-24	9/30/2024	The complainant stated that she did not have a complaint against any officer.	SFPD

Total New Cases:

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