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FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

CITY OF CLEVELAND

Defendant.

) CASE NO.: 1:15-CV-01046

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) JUDGE SOLOMON OLIVER, JR.

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) **NOTICE SUBMITTING MONITORING**

) **TEAM'S SEVENTH SEMIANNUAL**

) **REPORT**

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I. A NOTE FROM THE MONITORING TEAM

This Seventh Semiannual Report focuses on ongoing progress of the Cleveland Division of Police (“CDP”) under the Consent Decree. It reports not only on the continued development of critical policies and procedures for the Division under the Consent Decree but also on the delivery of several important trainings – including Use of Force, Community Engagement and Problem-Solving (“CEPS”), Bias-Free Policing, Crisis Intervention, and Search and Seizure – aimed at translating those policies into practice. It also addresses the creation of critical partnerships within the community and City for ensuring that the Division is expanding its capacity to be inclusive and transparent with its activities, engaging constructively with stake-holders, and remaining accountable to the communities of Cleveland.

Through partnerships, the Division is delivering high-quality training. Effective training to new policies is a key ingredient to ensure that the Division’s officers clearly understand the revised policies and expectations that the Decree requires. Such trainings, backed by firm, but fair, and even-handed accountability systems providing correction when officers do not follow policy, will lead the Division further towards consistent application of Consent Decree requirements in practice.

The Community and Problem-Oriented Policing Policy and associated training provide guidance and structure to promote officer direct engagement with community – including talking with community members about any public safety problems, conducting outreach to a particular group, and identifying and solving problems in ways other than enforcement or arrest. The CPOP policy encourages interaction at the officer level, while the implementation of the recently court-approved District Committee Plan codifies clear mechanisms for the community identifying and addressing public safety concerns at the District level in partnership with the police.

The Division’s partnership with the Mental Health Response Advisory Committee (“MHRAC”) and its Training Committee has led to development of the third-year Crisis Intervention Training, the Specialized CIT, and CIT training for call-takers, dispatchers, and supervisors. Tapping into the expertise and experience of community advocates, individuals with lived experience, and mental health, substance abuse, and developmental service providers ensures that CDP is providing relevant and effective training in this critical area.

The Division has also continued to work with the Community Police Commission, considering the group’s feedback on required Search and Seizure training. Similarly, the Monitoring Team welcomed the Division’s decision to include City Prosecutors in the Search and Seizure training, which allows a real-time legal perspective as officers grapple with what can admittedly be difficult concepts.

As the Division continues to draw on external experience for policy development, delivery of training, and setting policing priorities, the Monitoring Team hopes to see ever-increasing openness to new ideas, approaches, and community engagement at all levels of the Division.

Additionally, while the training programs delivered to date have been high-quality, there is evident strain on the capacity of the training unit to independently generate training curriculums of the quality and volume required moving forward. The Monitoring Team believes this is not for lack of purpose but simply a result of the training unit trying to do too much with too few resources. The Monitoring Team looks forward to collaborating with the Division to ensure the training unit has what it needs to drive a holistic training program – one consistent with the Consent Decree and, even more importantly, one that can be sustained long after the Decree has concluded.

Use of force, crime, officer injuries, and subject injuries remain down. In 2019, the number of force incidents declined by 32 percent compared to 2017 year to date. While this was a slight increase over 2018 (up 15 percent YTD), the overall trend remains down. Meanwhile, Part I crime was stable or down in all major categories but rape. Officer injuries during uses of force have dropped 65 percent since 2017; and down 48 percent since 2018. And, as the Monitoring Team has previously reported, since 2017, subject injuries have also trended down.

These metrics continue to suggest that officers are effectively implementing the new use of force policies on a daily basis, with no compromise with respect to crime or increased officer safety concerns. However, the Consent Decree requires that, whenever force is used, it comply with CDP's new use of force policies and be appropriately investigated and reviewed by the Division. The development of three key policies during this review period – (1) the Use of Force Supervisory Review Policy; (2) the Force Investigation Team Manual; and (3) the Force Review Board Policy – will allow the Division, once they are approved by the Court, to critically self-assess use of force.

More robust data systems are required in order to assess the state of the Division. As the Division moves from policy development, through training, and toward sustained implementation of new requirements across a material span of time and formal assessment of its progress, the Division must devote significant energy to ensuring data-collection in all areas of police service, particularly “use of force, arrests, motor vehicle and investigatory stops, and misconduct complaints alleging discrimination, to determine whether CDP’s activities are applied or administered in a way that discriminates against individuals on the basis of race, ethnicity, gender, disability, sexual orientation, or gender identity.”¹

The Division has made notable progress on developing the data collection and analytic systems needed to understand operational realities and track officer activities. Nevertheless, continued focus on developing the connected infrastructure for all subject areas is required if the Division is to become a dynamic, learning organization – monitoring and proactively applying data and information to drive better performance and continuing improvement into the future. Indeed, without the necessary information and data, the Parties and Monitoring Team will be unable to effectively conduct audits and assessments of the Division’s progress.

Progress continues in the development of accountability systems. The Division created an Investigative Structure Matrix to map the agencies and units that investigate officer conduct and worked to develop an Internal Affairs policy and manual, which should be submitted for Court review in the next reporting period. The Division also amended the Disciplinary Matrix to clarify that dishonesty carries a presumption of termination.

The Office of Professional Standards added much-needed staff, including an Administrator, Supervising Investigator, Research Analyst, and General Manager. OPS also continued to address its significant backlog of cases, which the Monitoring Team expects to be eliminated by end of September 2019. The City hired a Police Inspector General, and the Monitoring Team looks forward to collaborating with him as he gets up to speed in his new role.

Overall, while progress continues in the area of accountability, work remains as these systems mature and evolve to work together. At every level of review, it is critical that the accountability and disciplinary systems are coherent, fair, and transparent – with every decisionmaker owning and explaining the reasoning behind their decisions as to whether officers are adhering to the Division’s expectations.

¹ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 265, available at <https://www.justice.gov/crt/case-document/file/908536/download>.

In sum, this Report continues to find substantial progress with the Division's implementation of the Consent Decree requirements. The available data suggests that the men and women of the Division are engaging meaningfully with the new policies and trainings as they do their work on a daily basis. However, the City and the Division still have a ways to travel before in-depth quantitative and qualitative assessments to measure full and effective compliance with the Consent Decree will be possible.

Cleveland Police Monitoring Team

September 16, 2019

II. THE ROLE OF THE MONITORING TEAM & THIS REPORT

As with the Monitoring Team's previous reports, the role of the Monitoring Team and of this report are useful to summarize at the outset. Under the terms of the Consent Decree between the United States and the City of Cleveland (the "City") (collectively, the "Parties") involving the Cleveland Division of Police, the Court-appointed Monitoring Team must "assess and report" to the Court whether the Decree's requirements "have been implemented, and whether this implementation is resulting in constitutional and effective policing, professional treatment of individuals, and increased community trust"² This is the Monitoring Team's seventh semiannual report.³ It addresses the reporting period of March through August 2019.

The Monitoring Team is an "agent of the Court" that is "subject to the supervision and orders of the Court."⁴ The role of the Team is to assess, independently and on behalf of Judge Solomon Oliver, Jr., whether CDP and the City of Cleveland have reached compliance with the various and diverse requirements of the Consent Decree. Thus, as the Monitoring Team has previously outlined, it "is not an employee, contractor, or any other type of agent" of either the City of Cleveland or the United States Department of Justice ("DOJ").⁵ Instead, it works for the Court.

As part of that charge, the Team assists in facilitating Consent Decree implementation by providing technical assistance and Counsel to the Division of Police and City of Cleveland. Although its ultimate task is to inform the Court and DOJ about the City's compliance with the Consent Decree, the Team provides ongoing assistance geared at ensuring effective, efficient, and expeditious progress.

A. The Fourth Year Monitoring Plan

The Fourth Year Monitoring Plan principally addresses the period of February 1, 2019 through January 31, 2020, with a handful of dates past January 31, 2020.⁶

B. The Purpose and Form of This Report

In its Third Semiannual Report, the Monitoring Team began summarizing the status of the City's compliance with each paragraph of the Consent Decree. Although providing "a paragraph-by-paragraph accounting of the general state of the City's compliance . . . runs the risk of being an over-simplification," these summary characterizations remain useful markers for understanding progress over time.⁷

Thus, each major section of this Seventh Semiannual Report summarizes the Monitoring Team's generalized conclusions about the status of compliance by describing the state of each area as one of the following:

² Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 350.

³ *Id.* at ¶ 375 (requiring semiannual reports).

⁴ First Semiannual Report at 14.

⁵ *Id.*

⁶ Dkt. 249.

⁷ Third Semiannual Report at 9.

Non-Compliance. The City or Division has not yet complied with the relevant provision of the Consent Decree. This includes instances in which the City or Division's work or efforts have begun but cannot yet be certified by the Monitoring Team as compliant with a material component of the requirement.

Evaluation Deferred. This category reflects those limited instances where work in a given area has been intentionally and affirmatively deferred in order to work on other, necessary prerequisites. In these areas, the City or Division could have made more progress in a given area but, for project management reasons, have appropriately focused attention on other areas. Although this still means that the City has a distance to travel to reach General Compliance with the term of the Consent Decree, the intentional and affirmative decision to postpone focus on a given area for project management and implementation purposes is sufficiently different to warrant a separate designation in some cases.

Partial Compliance. The City or Division has made sufficient initial strides or sufficient partial progress toward compliance toward a material number of key components of the provision of the Consent Decree—but has not achieved operational compliance. This includes instances where policies, processes, protocols, trainings, systems, or the like exist on paper but do not exist or function in day-to-day practice. It may capture a wide range of compliance states or performance, from the City or Division having taken only very limited steps toward operational compliance to being nearly in operational compliance.

Operational Compliance. The City or Division has made notable progress to technically comply with the requirement and/or policy, process, procedure, protocol, training, system, or other mechanism of the Decree such that it is in existence or practice operationally—but has not yet demonstrated, or not yet been able to demonstrate, meaningful adherence to or effective implementation, including across time, cases, and/or incidents. This includes instances where a given reform is functioning but has not yet been shown, or an insufficient span of time or volume of incidents have transpired, to be effectively implemented in a systemic manner.

General Compliance. The City or Division has complied fully with the requirement and the requirement has been demonstrated to be meaningfully adhered to and/or effectively implemented across time, cases, and/or incidents. This includes instances where it can be shown that the City or Division has effectively complied with a requirement fully and systemically.

The same caveats that have previously applied to the use of these summary categories remain applicable. First, “Non-Compliance” or “Partial Compliance” do not automatically mean that the City or CDP have not made good-faith efforts or commendable strides toward compliance. It might, instead, signify that initial work has either not yet begun or reached a sufficiently critical point where progress can be considered to have been made.

Second, “Partial Compliance” requires more than taking some limited, initial steps toward compliance with a requirement. It instead requires that the City or Division have made “sufficient, material progress toward

compliance” that “has graduated from the stages of initial work to more well-developed and advanced refinement of various reforms.”⁸

Third, these summary terms do not appear in the Consent Decree. The Team employs them in order to synthesize and summarize the report’s conclusions. Relatedly, compliance with individual paragraphs of the Decree is necessary for the larger, overall “Substantial and Effective Compliance” with the whole of the Consent Decree but it is not the same thing. Ultimately, “Substantial and Effective Compliance” with the Consent Decree will be reached when “the City either has complied with *all* material requirements of this Agreement, or has achieved sustained and continuing improvement in constitutional policing, as demonstrated pursuant to this Agreement’s outcome measures,”⁹ “by a preponderance of the evidence.”¹⁰

Fourth, the charts that summarize progress in each area also condense the requirements of each paragraph rather than reprinting the entire Consent Decree in the context of this report. Any imprecision detected or confusion created by these condensed or summarized requirements is unintended and, in any event, can be cured with reference to the original Consent Decree language itself.¹¹ The charts primarily cover paragraphs 14 through 340 of the Consent, but other paragraphs also contain requirements that the City must meet.¹²

Following the release of the Third Semiannual Report, some community members, and CDP members, inquired about the basis for some of our summary conclusions. We reiterate that these overall “compliance status” conclusions at the start of each chapter do not replace the more rigorous quantitative and qualitative assessments of how CPD is performing over time:

[T]he Monitoring Team bases its assessments on its current understandings, knowledge, and information gained through ongoing work and discussion with CDP, the Parties, and other stakeholders. The assessments are informal to the extent that not all of them are necessarily informed by the type of exhaustive compliance and outcome measurements that are a critical component of the Consent Decree—and the summary determinations do not take the place of these more structured, systemic analyses. The intent is to provide a bottom-line sense of where the Division is on the road to compliance. Ongoing, rigorous quantitative and qualitative assessments will provide a more comprehensive picture as work under the Consent Decree proceeds.¹³

The Team’s characterizations of progress should ultimately be viewed as a synthesis or bottom-line accounting of the substantive discussions of each major Consent Decree area contained within this report.

Finally, the Monitoring Team notes that the City of Cleveland’s implementation of the Consent Decree—and the various subprojects comprising it—is a substantial task. Many areas of the Decree require significantly more time than one reporting period for the City to achieve—and for the Monitoring Team to report on—major

⁸ Third Semiannual Report at 10.

⁹ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 456 (emphasis added).

¹⁰ *Id.* at ¶ 397.

¹¹ *See id.*

¹² *See* Third Semiannual Report at 10.

¹³ *Id.* at 11.

breakthroughs of progress. Accordingly, the Team's semiannual reports, including this current report, reprint content from prior semiannual reports in instances where there has not been enough material progress to warrant an update. In such cases, the Monitoring Team has elected to not cite to prior semiannual reports in the interest of readability.

III. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND BUILDING TRUST

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
14. CDP creation of “formal and informal mechanisms that facilitate ongoing communication between CDP and the many Cleveland communities it serves.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

A. Community Police Commission (“CPC”)

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
15. Creation of CPC to make recommendations, work with Cleveland communities to develop recommendations, and “report to the City and community as a whole and to provide transparency” on reforms	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
16. Establishment of CPC Selection Panel to select CPC Commissioners; composition of CPC; and periodic meetings with Chief of Police to “provide recommendations.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
17(a). “[H]old public meetings across the City, complete an assessment of CDP’s bias-free policing policies, practices, and training, and make recommendations.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
17(b). “[A]ssist as appropriate in . . . development of training related to bias-free policing and cultural competency.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
17(c). “[O]n an ongoing basis, assess CDP’s community activities” and “make recommendations” related to “community engagement” and “community confidence”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
17(d). “[O]n an ongoing basis, review CDP’s civilian oversight structure to determine if there are changes it recommends for improving CDP’s accountability and transparency”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
17(e). “[P]erform other function[s] as set out in this Agreement.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
18(a). “[R]eview and comment on CDP’s policies and practices related to use of force, search and seizure, and data collection and retention.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
18(b). [R]eview and comment on CDP’s implementation of initiative, programs, and activities that are intended to support reform.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
18(c). “[H]old public meetings to discuss the Monitor’s reports and to receive community feedback concerning CDP’s compliance with this Agreement.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
19. “The City will provide access to all information requested by the Commission related to its mandate, authority, and duties unless it is law enforcement sensitive, legally restricted, or would disclose a personnel action.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
20. CPC “will issue [at least annual] reports,” which the “City will post . . . to the City’s website.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
21. “The City will consider and timely respond in writing to the Commission’s recommendations for improvements,” which “will be posted to the City’s website.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

22. CPC budget listed as “separate line item” to ensure “sufficient independence and resources.”
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GENERAL COMPLIANCE

Background

The Community Police Commission (“CPC” or “Commission”) is the mechanism created through the Consent Decree “to promote public trust and confidence in the CDP” and to “make recommendations to the Chief of Police and the City, including the Mayor and City Council” based on the “values and priorities of Cleveland residents.”¹⁴ The Commission is intended to serve as a conduit between the Consent Decree reform process and Cleveland’s diverse communities, and the scope of its charge is far-reaching. CPC has the authority to “review and comment” on the Division’s “policies and practices related to use of force, search, and seizure, and data collection and retention,” as well as any “initiatives, programs, and activities that are intended to support reform.”¹⁵

Where the Commission Stands Now

Full-Time Staff

During the current reporting period, the CPC completed three new full-time staff hires: a Senior Policy Analyst, a Community Engagement Coordinator, and an Assistant Administrator. The Monitoring Team is pleased to see that the Commission has onboarded new staff following staff departures in 2018. As the Monitoring Team has observed since the beginning of the process, the presence of full-time staff to help the all-volunteer Commission conduct its work better positions the Commission to live up to its important Decree mandate.

Change in Commissioner Leadership

On May 28, Sergeant Richard Jackson of the Black Shield Association and LaToya Logan were elected as CPC Co-Chairs. The two Co-Chairs will lead the Commission through September 2019, when the original four-year terms expire for all currently-serving Commissioners. The Monitoring Team has confidence that Mr. Jackson and Ms. Logan will assist the Commission in carrying out the important, substantive duties that the Consent Decree requires.

Search and Seizure

The Commission’s Search and Seizure work group initially provided generally high-quality, substantive, and well-supported recommendations on the Division’s draft Search and Seizure policies to the Parties in November 2018. The CPC continued to be engaged in ongoing discussions with the Parties as the Division finalized its revisions of the policies, which were approved by the Court on May 16, 2019.¹⁶ Although not all of the CPC’s recommendations were incorporated into the final policies submitted by the Division and ultimately approved by the Court, the Monitoring Team is satisfied that all areas of CPC feedback were discussed thoughtfully and considered carefully. As with its earlier involvement on other policies, such as use of force, the Commission’s

¹⁴ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 15.

¹⁵ *Id.* at ¶¶ 18(a)-(b).

¹⁶ Dkt. 261.

contributions to the Search and Seizure policy development process resulted in stronger policies. The Monitoring Team commends the work of the CPC's Search and Seizure work group for its dedication and willingness to engage in a series of productive discussions directly with the Division on substantive issues in this area.

Following the focus on the Search and Seizure policies, the Commission reviewed drafts of the Search and Seizure training curricula and provided formal feedback in early June 2019. The feedback on the training was likewise constructive and helpful, including discussion of the training content and the method of delivery. A major component of officer training, the Search and Seizure training will directly influence when, how, and under what circumstances CDP officers detain individuals and conduct investigatory stops. Here, too, the Monitoring Team is pleased that the Commission and City have worked collaboratively on such an important training initiative that directly affects how CDP officers interact with members of the public.

New CPC Initiatives

The Commission has initiated conversations with the Parties and Monitoring Team about new activities aimed at ensuring that the community continues to be involved in the ongoing implementation of the Decree's reforms. The CPC has discussed hiring a short-term consultant to evaluate ongoing training initiatives. It also has begun early discussions around CDP's accountability mechanisms aimed at ensuring that officers and members of the public are able to efficiently resolve citizen complaints.

The Monitoring Team will continue to be involved in these discussions and is pleased to see that the Commission, at a moment when the Consent Decree's implementation evolves from creating policies on paper to the Division and City executing all of the organizational and cultural changes that the policies require, is exploring ways that it can best contribute and serve as the community's voice during this process.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Commissioner Transition

The Consent Decree limits the terms of service of commissioners to four years.¹⁷ Accordingly, the initial commissioner terms expire in September 2019. The Commission and City have been proactively addressing the upcoming vacancies. In May 2019, the City took steps to re-empanel the Decree-required selection panel, made up of faith-based organizations, civil rights advocates, the business/philanthropic community, and advocacy organizations, among others, to fill those vacancies. The panel will accept applications from the community to serve on the Commission from July 15 to August 30. It will ultimately make recommendations to fill ten Commission seats by September 15.

¹⁷ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 16.

B. District Policing Committees

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
23. Facilitation of “regular communication and cooperation between CDP and community leaders at the local level,” with District Policing Committees meeting “at minimum, every quarter.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
24. CPC, CDP, and Community Relations Board (“CRB”) will “develop a mechanism to recruit and expand” Committee membership.” CDP “will work with [Community Police] Commission to select officers for each District Policing Committee.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
25. CDP “will work closely with District Policing Committees to identify strategies to address crime and safety issues in their District,” considering and addressing identified priorities.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
26. “At least annually, each District Policing Committee will present its identified strategies, concerns, and recommendations” to the CPC, with CDP officer who is Committee member presenting to CPC “CDP’s assessment of ways to address” the recommendations.”	NON-COMPLIANCE

Background

The Decree calls for the expansion—building on existing structures—of five District Policing Committees, or one for each of the five police districts within the city of Cleveland.¹⁸ Those Committees, which existed long before the Consent Decree process, must work to “identify strategies to address crime and safety issues in their District.”¹⁹

Where the DPCs Stand

The DPC Plan, which sets forth the CDP’s strategy to modify and improve the five DPCs to meet the terms of the Consent Decree, was approved by the Court on February 20, 2019.²⁰ This Plan lays out the contemplated steps that the Division will take to expand the attendance of the District Policing Committees and ensure that they are working well with community members to identify and resolve public safety problems. Such steps include empowering Community Engagement Officers (“CEOs”), a set of officers who have no patrol duties and can focus their efforts on engaging the community, to take a lead in the DPCs and implementing strategies for ensuring that underrepresented communities are invited and present at the meetings.

It is too soon yet to formally assess the progress of the DPC Plan implementation. Still, the Team has directly observed, and heard anecdotally from Cleveland residents, that the DPCs have been inconsistent—with some DPCs improving but others seeing little to no difference. Some DPCs continue to use their former name, the

¹⁸ *Id.* at ¶¶ 23-24.

¹⁹ *Id.* at ¶ 25.

²⁰ Dkt. 238.

District Community Relations Committee, from before the Consent Decree mandated their name change. One DPC meeting featured no set agenda, while meetings in other Districts featured a set agenda.

These anecdotes are no substitute for hard evidence on how the DPCs have made progress. Each DPC must submit a written annual report describing recommendations to address crime. Under the DPC Plan, the first report was due “by the end of the first quarter of 2019.” The Monitoring Team has not seen such a report. The Team expects that the DPCs will have prepared a thorough and comprehensive report by the end of 2019.

The DPC Plan also contemplates that the District Commanders, CEOs, CRB District representatives DPC co-chairs, and the Bureau of Community Policing Commander will meet bi-annually to discuss strategies to increase participation at each DPC and their effectiveness.²¹ CDP has expressed to the Monitoring Team that such meetings have or are being scheduled. The Team looks forward to seeing the outcomes and activities of such meetings.

Progress and Tasks that Remains

Survey of Participation

As described in the Division’s DPC Plan, in order to expand participation in the DPCs to include a cross-section of community members, each DPC must identify and reach out to community members who do not attend DPC meetings. Under the DPC Plan, each DPC will survey existing attendees to determine any gaps in attendee representation, and the DPC co-chairs will then attempt to reach out to underrepresented groups and organizations to encourage their participation. To the Monitoring Team’s understanding, this has yet to occur.

DPC Auditing

Going forward, and as noted previously, the Monitoring Team will be attending DPC meetings regularly going forward to assess whether the Division has implemented the DPC Plan’s contemplated changes. More than that, the Team will be looking to see if the changes, upon implementation, are having a positive impact on the attendance and participation at DPC meetings – and are better allowing community residents to have a say in identifying and resolving neighborhood public safety issues.

Annual Report

As described above, the DPC Plan contemplates that each DPC will create an annual report summarizing problem-solving strategies and recommendations, as well as ways to implementing the identified strategies. The Team looks forward to seeing these reports on an annual basis, to assess whether the DPCs have been able to successfully collaborate with residents, working in tandem with residents to identify the problem, design a solution, and assess the efficacy. As mandated by the Decree, the DPCs will need to submit these annual reports to the Community Police Commission.²²

²¹ *Id.* at 13.

²² Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 26.

IV. COMMUNITY & PROBLEM-ORIENTED POLICING

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
27. Implementation of “comprehensive and integrated community and problem-oriented policing model” and consultation with CPC regarding the model.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
28. Ensuring that “mission statement reflects [the Division’s] commitment to community oriented policing” / “integrat[ing] community and problem-oriented policing principles into its management, policies and procedures, recruitment, training, personnel evaluations, resource deployment, tactics, and accountability systems.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE / PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
29. Ensuring “that officers are familiar with the geographic areas they serve,” “engage in problem identification,” and “work proactively . . . to address quality of life issues.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
30. Initial and annual in-service community and problem-oriented policing training “adequate in quality, quantity, type, and scope” that addresses specifically-identified areas.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
31. Maintenance of “collaborative partnerships with a broad spectrum of community groups,” including CDP meetings with community organizations and District Policing Committees.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
32. CDP “meet[ing] with members of the community in each District on a monthly basis and “solic[itation of] participation from a broad cross-section of community members in each District” to “identify problems and other areas of concern . . . and discuss responses and solutions.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
33. Development and implementation of “systems to monitor officer outreach to the community” that CDP “will use . . . to analyze . . . whether officers are partnering with a broad cross-section of community members to develop and implement cooperative strategies that build mutual respect and identify and solve problems.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
34. “At least annually, CDP will present the results” of paragraph 33 analysis “broken out by District in a publicly-available community policing report” that describes problems, solutions, and obstacles. Report provided to Commission and posted on CDP website.	NON-COMPLIANCE

Background

The Consent Decree requires that the Division develop and implement a “comprehensive and integrated community and problem-oriented policing model” to “promote and strengthen partnerships with the community . . . and increase community confidence in the CDP.”²³ The Decree refers to policing according to this model as “community and problem-oriented policing,” or “CPOP.”

²³ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 27.

“Community and problem-oriented policing” is defined as a “policing philosophy that promotes and relies on collaborative partnerships between law enforcement agencies and the individuals and organizations they serve to develop solutions to problems, increase trust in police, and improve the effectiveness of policing efforts.”²⁴ A Division-wide commitment to community policing helps promote trust and legitimacy, improve the quality of police-citizen encounters, and address persistent public safety issues in Cleveland communities. CDP must ensure that related operational and structural changes needed to support community and problem-oriented policing—principally, staffing and recruitment—receive appropriate consideration.

Where the Division Stands

CPOP Plan Implementation

As the Monitoring Team has previously noted, the CDP’s Court-approved CPOP Plan “situates CPOP not as a standalone program or set of initiatives, but rather part and parcel of how the Division recruits and hires, allocates resources, trains, promotes, and evaluates officers and the Division, and collects data.”²⁵ It is a milestone undertaking.

In the current reporting period, the Division has taken important initial steps to better position itself toward executing the Plan in a way that successfully restructures and reorients the Division towards community and problem-oriented policing. Work this important and far-reaching cannot be accomplished in a matter of six months. The Division will need to continue and advance its efforts toward implementing the CPOP Plan in the manner that the Decree requires.

Training

The Division began its second year of Community Engagement and Problem-Solving (“CEPS”) Training on March 4, 2019. The eight-hour curriculum was approved by the Court on April 23, 2019.²⁶

The eight-hour 2019 Community Engagement and Problem-Solving Training built on the initial CEPS training provided in 2018, introducing new officer expectations and responsibilities that are part of the Division’s CPOP Plan. The training introduced to officers the CDP’s goal that patrol officers commit 20% of their time to community engagement and provided examples of community engagement activities that will count toward this 20% goal, such as bike and foot patrols, spending time talking with community members about any public safety problems, conducting outreach to a particular group, and identifying and solving problems in ways other than enforcement or arrest. The training also discussed activities that would not constitute CPOP activity, such as brief casual encounters or interactions that would ordinarily occur during a response to a call for service or during an investigation. The training noted that officers would receive additional, in-depth instruction on the 20% goal following the completion of a new departmental policy on community policing, as required by the Court-approved CPOP Plan.

²⁴ *Id.* at ¶ 414.

²⁵ Dkt. 246 at 14-15 (internal quotation marks omitted).

²⁶ Dkt. 257.

The CEPS Training also includes instruction on communication and behavioral skills that officers will use to positively engage community members and build community partnerships. Officers are provided with guidance to form partnerships with, among others, community organizations, youth, religious and ethnic communities, the homeless, and mental health organizations.

The CEPS Training also dedicates substantial time to the “SARA” model, a methodology that officers are expected to use to identify and address community problems. Short for “scanning-analysis-response-assessment,” the SARA model gives specific direction for officers to tackle what can seem like an ambiguous or difficult-to-implement creed of “problem-solving.” The training includes a substantial role-playing scenario that touches upon public safety problems such as vacant buildings, a pattern of burglaries, and environmental elements affecting the issue.

More than just the curriculum, the delivery of the training was well-received. A number of Monitoring Team members observed the training and assessed that it was conducted in a manner that was consistent with the curriculum and adult learning guidelines. The training built on lessons learned from the Division’s 2018 CEPS Training, utilizing instructors who were appropriately selected.

As of August 8, 2019, 1,330 officers (or 98.9% of officers not on extended illness leave or on restricted duty status) completed the 2019 CEPS Training.

CPOP Policy

In the current reporting period, as a first step towards implementing the CPOP Plan, the Division finalized a policy memorializing the expectations for all CDP members that were only initially and broadly outlined in the CPOP Plan. The policy was submitted to the Court on August 2, 2019.²⁷ The CPC contributed to the development of this CPOP Policy, offering feedback and recommendations that the City considered in its development.

The CPOP Policy makes clear officers’ expectations to actively collaborate with Cleveland residents to address public safety issues and the conditions that lead to crime. Specifically, patrol officers assigned to CDP’s neighborhood districts “are expected to spend an average of 20% of their time engaging with community members to build relationships, partnerships, and trust, and collaboratively solve community concerns.”²⁸ The policy also includes examples of formal and informal activities that count as CPOP activities, such as bike and foot patrols, participating in community events and meetings, checking in with community organizations about problems they have encountered, and “identifying and solving problems in ways other than arrest, such as connecting community members to services that provide assistance such as mental health and homeless services[.]”²⁹

A key component of the Division’s commitment to community engagement will be in its ability to effectively create and strengthen active partnerships with community stakeholders. Under the CPOP Policy, officers “shall form partnerships with all communities” including community organizations, community development

²⁷ Dkt. 273.

²⁸ Dkt. 273-1 at 2.

²⁹ *Id.* at 3-4.

corporations, youth advocates, LGBTQ individuals, religious and ethnic communities, block clubs, the homeless community, and community members with mental illness or other behavioral health issues.³⁰

Under the CPOP Policy, officers will not be subject to discipline “based solely on their inability to meet CPOP expectations. However, meeting or not meeting expectations about engaging in community engagement and problem-solving activities shall be used in the evaluation process in determining promotions, assignments, and evaluations.”³¹

Supervisors will have significant responsibilities under the CPOP Policy to ensure that line officers are taking seriously the duty to engage with Cleveland residents in a positive manner, providing guidance to officers, commending officers who excel at positively engaging the community, and remediating those who are not effectively implementing CPOP.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

1. 20% Goal for Community Engagement

In the upcoming reporting period, the Division plans to conduct additional, in-depth officer training that formally instructs officers on the goal that 20% of patrol officers’ time is dedicated to engaging the community. As CDP officers are trained on it and the data systems go live to record officers’ activity, the Division will have started to operationalize the core expectation that patrol officers make good faith efforts to engage with community members and residents for 20% of their day.

2. Data Collection Training

Under the approved CPOP Plan and Policy, officers will be required to enter any CPOP activity into an electronic database system. The Division’s new CPOP Policy outlines the data collection protocols in greater detail. The next step now is for CDP to train all members to understand their individual responsibilities to input data timely and regularly. This will include data on collaborative problem-solving, community outreach, bike and foot patrol frequency, organized community events, and unplanned engagements with the community. Officers will be expected and required to enter such data regularly into the database. The Division’s Data Collection and Analysis Coordinator will ensure the proper tracking and monitoring of CDP’s activities. All of this is required by Paragraphs 32 through 34 of the Decree.

It should also be noted, however, that the data tracking is far more than just a compliance tracking or accountability mechanism. It is also hoped that systematically logging information about community contacts will help to establish even more robust, long-term community networks and relationships between CDP and the residents that it serves.

In the upcoming reporting period, CDP intends to have trained all CDP officers on the data collection through in-person instruction.

³⁰ *Id.* at 4-5.

³¹ *Id.* at 7-8.

3. CPOP Review Committee

A critical component of the Division's ability to improve upon its CPOP efforts, the CPOP Review Committee will need to be developed and inaugurated by the Division. The CPOP Review Committee is made up of the BCR Commander, the CDP's Compliance Team, and the Data Coordinator.³² Once constituted, the committee will take on important responsibilities in the Division's ability to execute the CPOP Plan. Among other things, the Review Committee will need to meet quarterly, review all community engagement and problem-solving data, identify gaps in officers' ability to meet the 20% expectation, and create a biannual report of the findings and recommendations for improvement.³³

4. CPOP in Evaluations and Promotions

In the upcoming reporting period, CDP intends to identify specific ways of incorporating CPOP principles into its evaluations and promotions – helping to ensure that those who assume supervisory and leadership roles best exemplify the Division's commitment to community engagement and collaborative problem-solving. This will be significant to the Division's overall ability to meet CPOP expectations by helping to ensure that leadership meets the Division's mission statement and guiding principles and that rank officers are appropriately supervised in real-time to prioritize community engagement as part of their core day-to-day functions.

5. Verified Alarm Response

CDP has stated that it intends to determine the feasibility of the "Verified Alarm" response and increasing incidents that can be reported online. The CDP's Court-approved Staffing Plan discussed the substantial amount of time that the Division spends on responding to false alarms. To take back that time and allocate it to more impactful uses, such as allowing officers to meet their goal of spending 20% of their time engaging positively with the community, CDP has committed to exploring a "Verified Alarm" response that can ensure that only certain alarms require an on-scene response from CDP officers. Residential alarms have high false alarm rates resulting from human error. Verified alarm programs help homeowners to become more aware of how their alarms operate and result in lower false alarm rates. The resulting decrease in alarm calls ends up freeing up officers' time to work on community policing activities and more quickly address emergency calls.

6. Annual Community Policing Report

The Decree requires that the Division prepare a public community policing report that identifies community policing problems, solutions, and obstacles. To date, the Division has not been in a position to generate the type of comprehensive report that the Decree contemplates. Another part of the implementation of the CPOP Plan will be establishing a process for completing this important public accountability document and beginning to comply with the Decree's annual obligations.

³² *Id.* at 32-33.

³³ *Id.* At 33.

V. BIAS-FREE POLICING

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
35. Delivery of “police services with the goal of ensuring that they are equitable, respectful, and free of unlawful bias,” among other things.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
36. “CDP will integrate bias-free policing principles into its management, policies and procedures, job descriptions, recruitment, training, personnel evaluations, resource deployment, tactics, and accountability systems.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
37. CDP will ensure that it “administer[s] all activities without discrimination” on basis of various protected classes	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
38. “CDP will develop a bias-free policing policy” incorporating CPC recommendations “that provides clear guidance to officers”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
39–40. Bias-free policing and procedural justice training “adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type” covering specific areas	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
41. Supervisor training on bias-free policing and procedural justice issues covering specific areas	EVALUATION DEFERRED
42. Annual in-service training on bias-free policing “adequate in quality, quantity, type, and scope”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
43. Analysis of paragraph 265 data (“including use of force, arrests, motor vehicle and investigatory stops, and misconduct complaints alleging discrimination”)	EVALUATION DEFERRED
44. Consideration of “bias-free policing and equal protection” principles in hiring, unit assignment, promotion, and performance assessments.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

Background

The Consent Decree requires that CDP “deliver police services with the goal of ensuring that they are equitable, respectful, and free of unlawful bias, in a manner that promotes broad community engagement and confidence in CDP.”³⁴ Bias-free policing principles must be operationally integrated into CDP’s “management, policies and procedures, job descriptions, recruitment, training, personnel evaluations, resource deployment, tactics, and accountability systems.”³⁵ The goal is “to ensure policing and law enforcement outcomes that are as free from the effects of all bias to the greatest extent possible.”³⁶

Where the Division Stands

During the current reporting period, the Division began its second year of required Bias-Free Policing Training. The four-hour 2019 Bias-Free Policing Training builds on prior training from 2018. It seeks to provide guidance

³⁴ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 35.

³⁵ *Id.* ¶ 35-36.

³⁶ First Semiannual Report at 30.

for CDP officers on better understanding how implicit bias operates, the ways in which biased policing obstructs the goals of procedural justice and legitimacy, and how officers can minimize the occurrence of biased policing by identifying and managing moments where decision-making may be susceptible to errors attributable to implicit bias. The training curriculum was approved by the Court on July 29, 2019.³⁷

As with all Decree-related training initiatives, the Monitoring Team will attend sessions of the 2019 Bias-Free Policing Training to ensure that instructors are actively encouraging officers to engage in critical implicit bias concepts and to approach day-to-day policing in ways that minimize the effects of implicit bias—all in a manner that can be certified to the Court as “adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type[.]”³⁸

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Integration of Bias-Free Policing Principles

The Decree requires the Division to “integrate bias-free policing principles into its management, policies and procedures, job descriptions, recruitment, training, personnel evaluations, resource deployment, tactics, and accountability systems.”³⁹ With the approval of the Bias-Free Policing Policy more than one year ago, CDP is well-positioned to accelerate ongoing work on personnel evaluations, management processes, resource deployment, and accountability systems to ensure that the process of integrating bias-free policing principles continues in a timely fashion and across the Division’s functions.

District Neighborhood Trainings

CDP is in the process of developing District Neighborhood Trainings to provide officers with guidance as to some of the unique cultural characteristics of neighborhoods and communities within each district. This effort aligns with the Decree’s requirement that “CDP will ensure that officers are familiar with the geographic areas they serve, including their assets, challenges, problems, business, residential and demographic profiles, and community groups and leaders[.]” This will allow officers to “engage in problem identification and solving activities...regarding the community’s priorities.” CDP must continue to revise and finalize these trainings.

The Division’s Collection, Analysis, and Proactive Uses of Data

The Consent Decree requires that the Division conduct annual assessments of all police activities, “including use of force, arrests, motor vehicle and investigatory stops, and misconduct complaints alleging discrimination, to determine whether CDP’s activities are applied or administered in a way that discriminates against individuals on the basis of race, ethnicity, gender, disability, sexual orientation, or gender identity.”⁴⁰

³⁷ Dkt. 272.

³⁸ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶¶ 39-40.

³⁹ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 36.

⁴⁰ *Id.* at ¶¶ 43, 265.

CDP must make progress on developing its data and information infrastructure and in its ability to manage itself based on lessons and insights derived from such data. The Division ultimately will need to be able to analyze data, produce reports, and conduct quantitative and qualitative assessments on subjects such as arrests, motor vehicle and investigatory stops, and misconduct complaints alleging discrimination—all policing practices where it is critical to assess the presence of biased or discriminatory policing. As discussed elsewhere in this report, while CDP has made progress to develop the infrastructure necessary for tracking and analyzing the Division's performance in this area, much more progress is needed to comply with the Decree's requirements on the collection, analysis, and proactive use of data.

VI. USE OF FORCE

A. Officer Use of Force Principles & Policy

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
45. “CDP will revise, develop, and implement force policies, training, supervision, and accountability systems with the goal of ensuring that force” complies with the Constitution, federal law, and the Consent Decree “and that any use of unreasonable force is promptly identified and responded to appropriately.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
46. “The City will implement the terms of this Agreement with the goal of ensuring that use of force by CDP officers . . . will comply” with at least twelve major, listed principles.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
47. Division “will ensure that the [use of force] incident is accurately and properly reported, documented, and investigated.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
48. “CDP will track and analyze officers’ uses of force to hold officers accountable for unreasonable uses of force; to guide training and policy; and to identify poor tactics and emerging trends.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
49. Development of use of force policies “that comply with applicable law[,] . . . are adequate to achieve the goals described in paragraph 45,” and “specify that unreasonable use of force will subject officers to the disciplinary process, possible criminal prosecution, and/or possible civil liability.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
50. “CDP’s policies will address the use and deployment of its authorized force techniques, technologies, and weapons.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
51. Weapon-specific policies “will include training and certification requirements that each officer must meet before being permitted to carry and use the authorized weapon.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
52. “No officer will carry any weapon that is not authorized or approved by CDP.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
53. “Prior to the use of any approved weapon, the officer, when possible and appropriate, will communicate to the subject and other officers that the use of weapon is imminent, and allow the subject an opportunity to comply.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
54–83 “CDP will implement policies” for firearms, ECWs (Tasers), and OC (pepper) spray that comply with a host of specific, expressly listed provisions.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
84. CDP “will provide all current officers use of force training that is adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type and that includes” a number of specific, expressly-listed elements.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
85. CDP “will provide the use of force training described in paragraph 84 to all new officers.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE

86. “CDP will provide all officers with annual use of force in-service training that is adequate in quality, quantity, type, and scope.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
87. “CDP will develop and implement a single, uniform reporting system pursuant to a Use of Force reporting policy” that complies with the force Level categorization set forth in the paragraph.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
88. Requiring “[a]ll officers using or observing force” to complete a Use of Force Report including a number of specific features and avoiding “conclusory statements, ‘boilerplate’, or ‘canned’ language.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
89. “Officers will be subject to the disciplinary process for material omissions or misrepresentations in their Use of Force Reports.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
90. “Officers who use or observe force and fail to report it will be subject to the disciplinary process, up to and including termination, regardless of whether the force was reasonable.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
91. Requirement to “notify . . . supervisors . . . as soon as practical following any use of force” and if becoming aware of “an allegation of unreasonable or unreported force by another officer.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
92. “Use of Force Reports will be maintained centrally.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE

Background

Under the Consent Decree, the Cleveland Division of Police must:

[R]evis[e], develop, and implement force policies, training, supervision, and accountability systems with the goal of ensuring that force is used in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the United States and the requirements of the Agreement and that any use of unreasonable force is promptly identified and responded to appropriately.⁴¹

The Court approved CDP’s new use of force policies, subject to some specific conditions, on January 17, 2017.⁴² These five new policies address: (1) general use of force principles and expectations; (2) definitions used in various force policies; (3) de-escalation techniques to ensure officer and subject safety; (4) intermediate weapons, such as a Taser, oleoresin capsicum (OC) spray, and baton; and (5) reporting of force. The policies were the subject of substantial rounds of public comment across the Cleveland community, facilitated by the City, Community Police Commission, Department of Justice, and the Monitoring Team.

The Consent Decree also requires that CDP’s training on use of force be “adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type” and include instruction, among other things, on:

- Proper use of force decision-making;

⁴¹ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 45.

⁴² Dkt. 101.

- Use of force reporting requirements;
- The Fourth Amendment and related law;
- De-escalation techniques, both verbal and tactical, that empower officers to make arrests without using force and instruction that disengagement, area containment, surveillance, waiting out a subject, summoning reinforcements, using cover, calling in specialized units, or delaying arrest may be the appropriate response to a situation, even when the use of force would be legally justified;
- Role-playing scenarios and interactive exercises that illustrate proper use of force decision-making, including training on the importance of peer intervention;
- The proper deployment and use of all intermediate weapons or technologies;
- The particular risks and considerations relating to using a Taser; and
- Firearms training.⁴³

In 2017, the Division of Police provided all sworn personnel with training on the new use of force policies. The 2017 Use of Force Training established a strong foundation for ongoing, follow-up training that is required to be provided on an annual basis on additional and in-depth force topics.

Beyond policy and training with respect to using force, the Division must have clear processes and procedures for the administrative investigation and review of force incidents.⁴⁴ The Decree lays out specific force reporting requirements, including the establishment of a new system of classifying force, which the Monitoring Team has described in previous reports:

- Level One force is the lowest level of force. It is force that is “reasonably expected to cause only transient pain and/or disorientation during its application as a means of gaining compliance . . . but that is not reasonably expected to cause injury, does not result in actual injury, and does not result in a complaint of injury.”⁴⁵
- Level Two force is force that “causes an injury, could reasonably be expected to cause an injury, or results in a complaint of injury.”⁴⁶
- Level Three force is force that constitutes “lethal” or “deadly” force. It also includes any level of force which results in death or serious injury, hospital admission, or lack of consciousness. Specific types of Level Three force include neck restraints, canine bites, and more than three applications of an Electronic Control Weapon (i.e. Taser).⁴⁷

⁴³ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 84. In addition to initial training on use of force covering the topics listed above, the Division must provide its officers with “annual use of force in-service training that is adequate in quality, quantity, type, and scope” going forward. CDP supervisors must also receive specialized training, as discussed elsewhere in this report, relating both to force and broader supervisory skills.

⁴⁴ First Semiannual Report at 36-37; Dkt. 97 at 35-36.

⁴⁵ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 87(a).

⁴⁶ *Id.* at ¶ 87(b).

⁴⁷ *Id.* at ¶ 87(c).

Under the Decree, all officers using or observing force have an affirmative duty to report such force in writing by the completion of their tour of duty.⁴⁸ To do so, the Division has needed to develop and implement a “single, uniform reporting system[.]”⁴⁹

Where the Division Stands

Use of Force Trends

Data from the first half of 2019 finds the Division of Police continuing to use force less than before the Decree-required use of force policies and training were implemented. This continues to occur even as crime, across most major categories, is down and officer injuries are likewise down.

In the first six months of 2019, there were 86 use of force incidents. (As with previous reports, for the sake of consistency with prior years’ data, this number excludes incidents where the only force that an officer used was the pointing of a firearm at an individual.) That represents a 32 percent reduction compared to the first six months of 2017—the last comparable time period before all officers completed in-service training on the Division’s revised Use of Force policies. Although use of force was up slightly in 2019 compared to 2018, by 11 incidents or about 15 percent, the 32 percent reduction in force from 2017 remains significant.

Table 1: Use of Force Trends: January through June, 2017-2019, excluding Level 1: pointing of a firearm at an individual

	2017	2018	2019
January	23	10	10
February	19	9	9
March	22	8	17
April	24	16	16
May	16	14	16
June	23	18	18
TOTAL	127	75	86

These reduced counts of uses of force occurred at the same time that Cleveland generally saw fewer reported major crimes. As Table 2 details, through the first six months of 2019, there were fewer Part I crimes in 2019 than in 2017 across all categories with the exception of rape. There also were fewer Part I crimes in 2019 compared to 2018 in all categories but rape and burglary. CDP should study, including outreach to sexual assault advocacy organizations, whether the increase in rape reporting is due to an increase in occurrences or rather an increase in reporting, which could be an indicator of increased community confidence.

⁴⁸ *Id.* at ¶ 87(b).

⁴⁹ *Id.* at ¶ 87.

Table 2: Part I Crime: January through June, 2017-2019

	2017	2018	2019
Homicide	56	54	47
Rape	244	274	283
Robbery	1451	1145	929
Felonious Assault	1298	1230	1215
Burglary	3094	2196	2204
Theft	6941	5228	4745
Grand Theft MV	1745	1569	1381
Arson	149	79	73

At the same time that officers are using force less and crime is generally down in Cleveland, the data suggests that officers are substantially safer on the job now than they were before the new use of force policies and training went into effect. As detailed in Table 3, the first six months of 2019 saw significant reductions in the number of CDP officers who sustained an injury. This is an important metric as officer safety must not be sacrificed during the reform process. Successful reform efforts in other jurisdictions have shown that officer injuries should decline as dynamic incidents are stabilized through crisis intervention and de-escalation initiatives. As such, the decrease in officer injuries is promising and may suggest that CDP's new approaches to use of force are paying off.

Specifically, during incidents where officers used force, 19 officers sustained an injury in the first half of 2019—down from 36 in the first half of 2018 and 54 in the first half of 2017. This is a 65 percent reduction comparing 2019 with 2017.

Table 3: Officer Injuries: January through June, 2017-2019⁵⁰

	2017	2018	2019
Use of Force Incidents in which ≥ 1 officer was injured	54	36	19
Total Officer Injuries	167	138	87

Another important metric for evaluation is the proportion of overall use of force incidents in which an officer is injured. Halfway through 2017, 43% of force incidents resulted in an injury to at least one officer. Halfway through 2019, 22% of force incidents resulted in an injury to at least one officer.

Indeed, overall officer injuries—regardless of whether they occurred during a use of force incident or in another context—also continued to fall. In 2019, there were 48 percent fewer officer injuries than in 2017 and 38 percent fewer injuries than in 2018.

⁵⁰ Due to minor changes in data accounting, the numbers in Table 3 for 2017 and 2018 differ slightly from those reported in the Monitoring Team's Sixth Semiannual Report. Because they are so minor, the changes did not affect, in one way or another, the Monitoring Team's conclusions around CDP's use of force trends.

As the Monitoring Team has noted previously, the numbers alone do not establish, on their own, whether the Division is in compliance with the terms of the Decree that address use of force. The Decree does not expressly mandate that CDP use less force but that, when CDP uses force, it is constitutional and lawful. To that end, the Team will be conducting in-depth substantive reviews of use of force incidents to determine whether, when CDP officers use force, they are doing so in a manner that complies with the Division's new policies, the terms of the Consent Decree, and the law. At the same time, the Division still must implement a host of systems and practices relating to the review and investigation of use of force incidents to ensure appropriate internal oversight of force. Nevertheless, the overall trends remain an encouraging sign that CDP's new Use of Force policies and training are having a positive impact on the streets, and forwarding the goals of improved safety for both CDP officers and the residents of Cleveland.

B. Use of Force Training

The 2019 annual Use of Force Training began on March 4, 2019. The curriculum, developed by the Division's Training Section in consultation with the Department of Justice and Monitoring Team, was approved by the Court on April 23, 2019.⁵¹

The 2019 training built upon the Division's prior Use of Force Training in 2017, which was well-received by CDP officers and by observers from the Monitoring Team and Department of Justice.⁵² During the recent training, officers were expected to apply what they learned from the 2017 training to new scenarios, refreshing students on appropriate tactics and de-escalation strategies.

Like the earlier training, the scenarios in the 2019 training were interactive and dynamic, reflecting a variety of real-world situations in which officers may find themselves dealing with unpredictable subjects. The scenarios were well-designed and required officers to engage critically with concepts such as the proportionality, reasonableness, and necessity of using force. The scenarios also tested officers' ability to use appropriate communication styles and other tactical methods to de-escalate a subject, consistent with CDP policy, such that an officer use of force may be avoided entirely.

In addition to interactive scenarios and traditional classroom instruction, the Use of Force Training included videos for students to watch and review, analyzing the appropriateness of the officer response, noting moments where officers could have de-escalated the situation, and identifying proper reporting requirements.

CDP needs to keep developing its training delivery, including engaging high-ranked officers, reducing reliance on reading PowerPoint slides, ensuring working technology, and not shying away from concluding that officers in the video scenarios used excessive force or employed escalating tactics. As discussed below, an on-going and significant investment in training capacity by the City will be required as this process moves forward.

As of August 8, 2019, 1,330 officers (or 98.9% of officers not on extended illness leave or restricted duty status) completed the required 2019 Use of Force training.

⁵¹ Dkt. 257.

⁵² Officer in-service training in 2018 did not include instruction on general Use of Force policies or tactics but did instruct officers on Division- and OPOTA-approved usage of firearms, Tasers, and ASP batons.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

1. Ongoing, Annual Use of Force Training

Throughout the Consent Decree process, the Division must continue to conduct use of force training on an annual basis, updating the curriculum as appropriate to address officer and community feedback, as well as what data reveals about patterns of force within CDP.

2. Monitoring Team Audits

As noted above, notwithstanding the positive trend indications from 2018 and the first half of 2019, it is not simply that officers must use less force quantitatively—it is that the force that they *do* use needs to adhere rigorously to the Division’s new policy. Therefore, although the numbers and quantitative trends with respect to the use of force have been encouraging since early 2018, the Monitoring Team will be auditing the Division’s use of force data, reports, investigations, and body-worn camera footage to ensure that those officers who do use force are complying with law, policy, and the terms of the Decree.

In the most recent reporting period, the Monitoring Team has engaged in substantial discussions with the Parties about the methodological approach that the Team might use to evaluate use of force incidents. This has occurred at the same time that the Team has worked with the City to address a number of logistical issues with respect to file access and review process. With the Parties recently in agreement on the approach, the Team anticipates conducting the audit in earnest in the upcoming reporting period.

C. Use of Force Investigation and Review

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
93. “A supervisor who was involved in a use of force, including by participating in or ordering the force under investigation, will not investigate the incident or review the Use of Force Reports for approval or disapproval.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
94. Setting specific requirements relating to the investigation of low-level, Level 1 force.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
95–109. Setting specific requirements relating to the investigation by supervisors and/or CDP chain of command for investigation and review of Level 2 force.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
110. “CDP may refer criminal investigations of uses of force to an independent and highly competent agency outside CDP.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
111. Creation and design of dedicated Force Investigation Team (FIT) that “will conduct administrative investigations . . . and criminal investigations” of serious force, “force involving potential criminal conduct,” in-custody deaths, and cases assigned to it by the Chief.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

112. Composition of FIT Team.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
113. "FIT members will receive FIT-specific training that is adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type" on a host of specific, expressly-listed topics both initially and annually thereafter.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
114. "CDP will identify, assign, and train personnel for the FIT to fulfill the requirements of this Agreement."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
115. Response of FIT to use of force scenes. FIT notification of prosecutor's office. Notification of designated outside agency to conduct criminal investigation if City elects to use external agency for such investigations.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
116. "CDP will develop and implement policies to ensure that, where an outside agency conducts the criminal investigation, FIT conducts a concurrent and thorough administrative investigation."	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
117. Memorandum of understanding required between CDP and outside agency containing specific, expressly-listed provisions.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
118. Setting forth various, specific, and expressly-listed responsibilities of FIT during its investigations.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
119. Monitor's duty to annually review any "criminal investigations conducted by the outside agency" to ensure that they "are consistently objective, timely, and comprehensive."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
120. Providing for delay of compelled interview if "case has the potential to proceed criminally" but otherwise requiring that "[n]o other part of the investigation . . . be held in abeyance" unless "specifically authorized by the Chief" in consultation with investigating agency and prosecutor's office.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
121. Requiring completion of preliminary report presented to Chief or Chief's designee "as soon as possible, but absent exigent circumstances, no later than 24 hours after learning of the use of force."	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
122. Completion of investigation within 60 days. Preparation of FIT investigation report. Review of FIT investigative report by head of Internal Affairs who "will approve or disapprove FIT's recommendations, or request . . . additional investigation."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
123. Revision of FIT manual to ensure "consisten[cy] with the force principles" and several specific, expressly-listed provisions.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
124-30. Establishment and operation of Force Review Board "to serve as a quality control mechanism for uses of force and force investigations, and to appraise use of force incidents from a tactics, training, policy, and agency improvement perspective."	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

Background

The Consent Decree establishes clear protocols by which the Division must investigate uses of force by the reported level of force. For a Level One use of force, the investigation will typically be limited to a review of the

involved officer's use of force report.⁵³ Level Two uses of force require a supervisor to respond to the scene and commence a preliminary force inquiry. If the supervisor's inquiry at any point indicates "that there may have been misconduct, the supervisor will immediately notify Internal Affairs and Internal Affairs will determine if it should respond to the scene and/or conduct or take over the investigation."⁵⁴ Level Three uses of force, the most serious incidents, may come under the purview of either CDP's Force Investigation Team ("FIT Team") or an independent outside agency.

Along with force inquiries, the Decree requires CDP to craft policies and procedures related to supervisory review of completed force investigations. Part of this process entails the establishment of a Force Review Board ("FRB") that will "appraise use of force incidents from a tactics, training, policy, and agency improvement perspective."⁵⁵

Where the Division Stands

In the current reporting period, the Division worked to finalize three important documents that will collectively set expectations and protocols for the Division's review and investigation of uses of force: (1) the Use of Force Supervisory Review Policy; (2) the Force Investigation Team Manual; and (3) the Force Review Board Policy. The Monitoring Team expects that these policies will be ready to be submitted for the Court's approval early in the upcoming reporting period.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

1. Officer Training and Policy Implementation

Once the FIT and FRB manuals are completed and approved by the Court, CDP will be able to comprehensively analyze the application of force so that officer training, professional development, and risk management may all be continually enhanced. To do so effectively, relevant Division personnel will need to receive training on the new expectations. Specifically, CDP supervisors will need training on how to conduct lower-level force investigations and reviews; the new FIT Team will need to receive force-investigation-specific instruction; and selected members of the newly-established FRB will likewise need to receive initial training on their duties, responsibilities, and the ways that the Board must conduct its work.

2. Operation of FRB

Following the approval of policies and the training of Board members on their duties and responsibilities, the Board will begin to convene. The Monitoring Team will be auditing the Board's first year of operations to assess the Board's ability to fully, fairly, and effectively review force investigations.

⁵³ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 124.

⁵⁴ *Id.*

⁵⁵ *Id.*

3. Compliance & Adherence to New Policies

Finally, it is critical that CDP supervisors, command staff, FIT, and the FRB are adhering to the requirements across cases, investigations, and time. As in all areas of the Consent Decrees, compliance must be sustained, beyond mere short-term or sporadic adherence, for the new policies on force investigation and review to be considered effective in practice.

VII. CRISIS INTERVENTION

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
131. “CDP will build upon and improve its Crisis Intervention Program” in furtherance of four specific, expressly-listed goals, which “will provide a forum for effective problem solving regarding the interaction between the criminal justice and mental health system and create a context for sustainable change.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
132. Establishment of Mental Health Response Advisory Committee (the “Advisory Committee”) “to foster relationships and build support between the police, community, and mental health providers and to help identify problems and develop solutions designed to improve outcomes for individuals in crisis.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
133. Composition of Advisory Committee.	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
134. “The Advisory Committee will meet regularly and provide guidance to assist CDP in improving, expanding, and sustaining its Crisis Intervention Program.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
135. Advisory Committee will conduct an annual “analysis of crisis intervention incidents to determine whether CDP has enough specialized CIT officers, whether it is deploying those officers effectively, and whether specialized CIT officers” and communications “are appropriately responding to people in crisis,” and will also “recommend appropriate changes.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
136. “The Advisory Committee’s reports and recommendations will be provided” to CPC, “be publicly available, and will be posted on the City’s website.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
137. CDP will designate a Crisis Intervention Coordinator for specific, expressly-identified purposes.	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
138. “Coordinator will develop and maintain partnerships with program stakeholders and serve as point of contact” and “resource” for other stakeholders.	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
139. “Coordinator will participate in the Advisory Committee and on a regular basis solicit feedback from the mental health community and specialized CIT officers, call-takers, and dispatchers regarding the efficacy of CDP’s Crisis Intervention Program.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
140. “Coordinator will be responsible for coordinating implementation of the changes and recommendations made by the Advisory Committee, as appropriate.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
141. “Coordinator will be responsible for ensuring the selection of appropriate candidates for designation as specialized CIT officers” and “to ensure that officers, call-takers, and dispatchers are appropriately responding to CIT-related calls.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
142. “Coordinator will create ways to recognize and honor specialized CIT officers, call-takers, and dispatchers.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
143. Initial and annual crisis intervention training to all officers and recruits that is “adequate in quality, quantity, type, and scope.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE

144. Initial and annual crisis intervention training for dispatchers and call-takers.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
145. “CDP will provide enhanced specialized training in responding to individuals in crisis to certain officers (‘specialized CIT officers’),” who will be “called upon to respond to incidents or calls involving individuals in crisis.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
146–47. Outlining various requirements for the “enhanced training” for specialized CIT officers of “at least 40 hours.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
148. Designation of specialized CIT officers, per specific, expressly-listed requirements.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
149. “Supervisors will identify and encourage qualified officers across all shifts and all Districts to serve as specialized officers.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
150. “All Field Training Officers” (“FTO”)s “will receive the enhanced specialized crisis intervention training described in paragraph 146,” though FTOs will “not be designated as a specialized CIT officer” unless they volunteer and have been selected to do so.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
151. “Specialized CIT officers who are dispatched to an incident involving an individual in crisis will have primary responsibility for the scene,” with supervisors “seek[ing] the input of a specialized CIT officer . . . where it is reasonable for them to do so.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
152. “[T]he Coordinator will develop an effective specialized crisis intervention plan . . . to ensure that a specialized CIT officer is available to respond to all calls and incidents that appear to involve an individual in crisis” that includes various, specific, expressly-identified requirements. The City “will use its best efforts to ensure that a specialized CIT officer responds to all calls and incidents that appear to involve an individual in crisis.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree requires the Division to build and enhance its Crisis Intervention Program, which addresses how the Division interacts with individuals experiencing behavioral crises, with the goals of:

- Assisting individuals in crisis;
- Improving the safety of officers, consumers, family members, and others within the community;
- Providing the foundation necessary to promote community and statewide solutions to assist individuals with mental illness; and
- Reducing the need for individuals with mental illness to have further involvement with the criminal justice system.⁵⁶

⁵⁶ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 131.

Where the Division Stands

During the current reporting period, the City and CDP have continued to work productively with the Mental Health Response Advisory Committee (“MHRAC”)—the community problem-solving forum including representatives from the Division, social service providers, mental health and substance abuse professionals, the judiciary, advocates, and individuals in recovery with lived experience—to collaborate on ways to improve services to those in need of care.

Curriculum Development and Training

In the current reporting period, MHRAC’s Training Subcommittee spearheaded a number of significant initiatives relating to crisis intervention training. The Training Subcommittee includes CDP members, community advocates such as the National Alliance on Mental Illness (“NAMI”), individuals with lived experience, and mental health, substance abuse, and developmental service providers. Under the current leadership of Shannon Jerse of St. Vincent Hospital and with important contributions from past chairs Dr. Richard Cirillo of the Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities, and Kyle Miller of the Sisters of Charity Health System, a wide variety of local experts volunteered significant time and effort in the development of the training curricula.

Karen Kearney with Mental Health & Addiction Advocacy Coalition is chair of the Community Engagement Subcommittee and Christina Kalnicki with CareSource is chair of Diversion.

The Training Subcommittee finished curriculum work on three major training initiatives: (1) the Third-Year Crisis Intervention In-Service Training (“Third-Year CIT Training”); (2) the Specialized Crisis Intervention Team Officer Training (“Specialized CIT Training”); and (3) the Call-Takers, Dispatchers, and Supervisors Training (“Telecommunicator Training”).

Third-Year Crisis Intervention In-Service Training

The Third-Year Crisis Intervention In-Service Training curriculum for all CDP officers was approved by the Court on July 8, 2019.⁵⁷ The four-hour Training Curriculum consists of a comprehensive overview of how adverse experiences impact brain development and behavior involving youth, along with strategies for successful crisis intervention. The curriculum also includes instruction on a new program developed by the Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Board (“ADAMHS Board”) called CIT Plus, which provides CDP officers with a broader range of disposition options when attempting to help individuals in crisis.

The Training Subcommittee and the ADAMHS Board worked with Gabriella Celeste of the Schubert Center for Child Studies at Case Western Reserve University to obtain the training without cost to the City from Strategies for Youth, a national organization devoted to improving police/youth interactions. Strategies for Youth CEO Lisa Thureau worked with the Training Subcommittee to ensure the workshop was customized to the needs of the Cleveland community and provided a train-the-trainer workshop for local area experts. These local mental health and substance abuse professions committed significant blocks of time to assisting CDP. Their time is

⁵⁷ Dkt. 264.

paying significant dividends to the City of Cleveland in the form of a stronger connection between the police and the Cleveland system of care for those in need.

A Policy Update module of the training reviews policy and procedures for CDP officers including guidance on emergency hospitalization as well as the form used for tracking crisis event outcomes. Importantly, this module also guides officers on a new CDP/ADAMHS pilot project called CIT Plus. This project makes use of both mental health professionals and peer support specialists, expanding the range of disposition options available to the officer.

The training began on July 29, 2019.

Specialized Training

In addition to requiring annual crisis intervention in-service for all CDP officers, the Consent Decree requires the Division to “provide enhanced specialized training in responding to individuals in crisis to certain officers” known as Specialized CIT Officers. These officers will remain in the patrol division and will maintain their standard patrol duties, except when called upon to respond to certain incidents involving individuals in crisis.⁵⁸ While such intensive training would be unrealistic and unfeasible for all CDP officers to undergo, receiving such detailed training will allow these specialized officers to be particularly well-equipped to respond appropriately to individuals undergoing a behavioral health crisis.

In the current reporting period, the MHRAC Training Subcommittee collaborated with CDP, the City, the Department of Justice, and the Monitoring Team to develop a curriculum for the 40-hour Specialized Crisis Intervention Team Officer Training. Specialized CIT officers taking the training will participate in three types of direct experiences which include: (1) on-site interactions with individuals with lived experiences who are recovering from mental illness and substance abuse; (2) in-depth scenarios based on CDP crisis intervention calls; and (3) realistic simulations of symptoms related to mental illness and substance abuse.

The Specialized CIT Curriculum was approved by the Court on July 22, 2019.⁵⁹ The training is anticipated to begin during the final quarter of 2019.

Dispatcher, Call Taker and Supervisor Training

The Training Subcommittee has continued work on a CIT curriculum for dispatchers and call takers, which focuses on personnel being able to identify calls for service that may relate to crisis events and dispatching appropriate resources to the scene. The curriculum is being revised to include a range of topics such as an introduction to basic mental illness and substance abuse, strategies for intervening during a crisis event during a 911 call, scenario-based applications of the lecture material, and the impact of vicarious trauma. Volunteer consultants with experience at state-level dispatch training were also engaged in the curriculum development process.

⁵⁸ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 145-46.

⁵⁹ Dkt. 270.

Community Engagement Subcommittee

MHRAC's Community Engagement Subcommittee has continued to broaden its mission and impact. Overall, the committee continues to work hard to engage the Cleveland community across an impressive range of offerings. The subcommittee is maintaining CDP Officer resource cards, which provide officers a concise guide to Cleveland-area social services and programs. These cards are customized for each CDP District. The Community Engagement Subcommittee is now examining strategies to create an electronic version of the card that can be updated on an ongoing basis. The subcommittee has not limited itself to electronic versions of the card but instead has worked with the ADAMHS Board to share content developed around the Division's CIT initiatives on their social media platforms.

MHRAC's Community Engagement Subcommittee also has taken a strong interest in alerting the public about when to call 911 in the event of a mental health crisis. The subcommittee has worked with CDP and the ADAMHS Board to develop a training seminar in the area which is now available as part of the ADAMHS Board workshop offerings. The Community Engagement Subcommittee also has worked with the City, CDP, and the ADAMHS Board to present status updates on MHRAC to the Community Police Commission.

MHRAC Diversion Subcommittee

The Monitoring Team's prior semiannual report observed that, as the Cleveland Division of Police completes the 40-hour Training for Specialized Crisis Intervention Officers, the MHRAC's Diversion Subcommittee will serve an important role in assisting the Division.⁶⁰ The committee has been examining diversion options both in Ohio and throughout the nation. They are taking on the role of interfacing with Cuyahoga County on diversion efforts in the broader Cleveland area. Additionally, the Diversion Subcommittee reported that the Crisis Stabilization Unit has capacity to provide respite crisis services to both the 1st and 2nd Districts. This builds on a pilot program developed last year.

Further, the City of Cleveland, CDP, and the ADAMHS Board have obtained funding for a new pilot project to involve peer counselors to assist with referring individuals in crisis to appropriate resources. The Diversion Subcommittee similarly has been examining opportunities for pre-arrest diversion when a crisis call comes into the 911 system. This strategy is part of a national interest in involving 911 and Emergency Medical Services ("EMS") in the diversion process.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Selection of Specialized CIT Officers

With the 40-hour curriculum for the Division's Specialized CIT Officers now completed and approved by the Court, the Division will next need to turn to recruiting and selecting officers who will serve as the inaugural set of Specialized CIT Officers. To do so, the Division has completed a Selection Plan, which outlines a three-stage process of a participation request, personnel file review, and selection board interview. CDP has worked with the

⁶⁰ Sixth Semiannual Report at 37.

Monitoring Team to further refine the selection plan and develop an ongoing strategy. The Monitoring Team anticipates that the initial selection process will be underway by the fall of this year.

Academy Training

Following the Consent Decree's approval by the Court, the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission issued a new Crisis Intervention training curriculum for Ohio peace officers.⁶¹ CDP recruits received this curriculum as part of Academy Training. The Parties, MHRAC, CDP, and the Monitoring Team had agreed that this new training was a reasonable substitute for the Decree-required sixteen hours of Academy Training. Recently, new recruits proceeding through the Academy are back to being trained in Cleveland rather than the Ohio State Patrol Academy. MHRAC's Training Subcommittee will need to formally review the Academy Training and report to the Parties, the Monitoring Team, and the Court on whether the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission Crisis Intervention Curriculum remains a meaningful and satisfactory part of patrol officer training.

Data & Compliance Reviews

As discussed in previous reports, the ability to more comprehensively and effectively collect and track information on how officers are interacting with individuals in crisis depends on the Division's new electronic system for inputting crisis-related data. CDP indicates that it is close to reaching the goal of an electronic data entry system. To ensure that crisis-related data can be input easily, CDP has worked to make sure the data form developed by the MHRAC Data Subcommittee will be available as the system comes online.

After data is gathered by CDP officers for a material period of time, various stakeholders must conduct formalized assessments to explore whether officers are improving their de-escalation skills and seriously considering the process of diversion across time, officers, and incidents. First and foremost, CDP will need to publicly report and analyze this outcome data annually and provide it to the Advisory Committee.⁶²

The MHRAC's Quality Improvement Subcommittee, which is designed to continuously improve the Division's crisis intervention program and related training initiatives, also will benefit from the availability of high-quality data on crisis events. As data becomes available, CDP and MHRAC will need to work together to conduct formalized assessments of the outcome data to "identify training needs and develop case studies and teaching scenarios for crisis intervention training as well as primary and in-service crisis training curriculum[.]"⁶³

Separately, the Monitoring Team will need to analyze data and review a material sample of incidents involving individuals in crisis to certify that officers—across time, incidents, and subjects—are complying with the new crisis intervention policies and the requirements of the Consent Decree.

⁶¹ Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission: Education & Policy Section, Peace Officer Basic Training Crisis Intervention, 1-156 (Jan. 2016).

⁶² Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 158.

⁶³ *Id.* at ¶ 159.

VIII. SEARCH AND SEIZURE

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
160. “CDP will revise, develop, and implement search and seizure policies that comply with applicable law, . . . include the requirements below,” and conform to expressly-identified principles.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
161–65. Policy requirements for officers for stops, searches, and detentions.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
166. “Officers will immediately notify a supervisor when effectuating a custodial arrest for obstructing official business, resisting arrest, or assault on an officer and no other substantive violation is alleged,” and “the supervisor will respond to the scene.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
167. “Officers will not use ‘canned’ or conclusory language without supporting detail in documents or reports documenting investigatory stops, searches, or arrests.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
168. “Officers will articulate the justification for an investigatory stop, search, or arrest in a specific and clear manner in their reports.” CDP “will train officers” on documenting stops. “Supervisors will review all documentation of investigatory stops, searches, and arrests.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
169. Supervisor will review of “each arrest report by officers under their command,” with supervisors reviewing reports for specific, expressly-identified deficiencies.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
170–72. Supervisory review of investigatory stops, searches, and arrests.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
173. Provision of “initial training that is adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type on investigatory stops, searches, and arrests, including the requirements” of the Consent Decree that “will address the requirements of Fourth Amendment and related law, CDP policies,” and specific, expressly-identified topics.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
174–75. Provision of “annual search and seizure in-service training that is adequate in quality, quantity, type, and scope” incorporating specific, expressly-identified topics.	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree requires that CDP “revise, develop, and implement” policies on how its officers “conduct all investigatory stops, searches, and arrests with the goal” that such actions comply with the “Constitution, state and federal law.”⁶⁴ In addition to ensuring that officers adhere to these legal requirements, the policies also must prohibit officers from relying on a subject’s “race, ethnicity, gender, and perceived sexual orientation” as a reason to stop, search, or arrest an individual.⁶⁵

⁶⁴ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 160.

⁶⁵ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 161; Dkt. 97 at 42.

The Consent Decree requires that CDP officers use specific details in reports documenting the events that led to an investigatory stop, search, or arrest without the use of “canned or conclusory statements.”⁶⁶ Immediate supervisors and command staff are tasked with reviewing officer reports in a timely fashion to ensure compliance with applicable laws and CDP policies.⁶⁷ This review is designed to address violations and deficiencies in the documentation while also authorizing supervisors to recommend corrective and disciplinary action, along with criminal investigation, where appropriate.⁶⁸

Where the Division Stands

Approval of Search and Seizure Policies

In the current reporting period, CDP, working with the Department of Justice and Monitoring Team, completed five related policies: (1) Search & Seizure; (2) Investigatory Stops; (3) Probable Cause/Warrantless Arrests; (4) Strip and Body Cavity Searches; and (5) Miranda Warning and Waiver. As described in the Team’s last semiannual report, these policies received substantial community feedback facilitated by both the Community Police Commission’s Search and Seizure workgroup and the City’s additional efforts to solicit public input.

Among other areas, the revised policies lay out definitions and CDP procedures around reasonable suspicion—the standard to detain an individual—and probable cause—the standard to arrest an individual in the absence of a warrant. These standards are notoriously vague in the law, and the revised policies attempt to provide clear guidance to officers.

Under the revised policies, officers must use accurate and specific descriptive language to articulate the justification for any search or seizure in their reports. The articulation of reasonable suspicion and/or probable cause must be specific, clear, and based on information not influenced by bias or prejudice. Further, CDP officers cannot use information the officer knows or reasonably suspects to be materially false, incorrect, or unreliable. Officers also may not, when articulating the justification for a search or seizure, use “canned” or conclusory language without supporting detail.

When conducting an investigatory stop, or a “Terry” stop, CDP officers must articulate the specific facts and circumstances in support of the officer’s determination that reasonable suspicion or probable cause was present and identified. In establishing reasonable suspicion or probable cause, CDP officers may consider demographic characteristics of an individual if and only if the characteristics are part of an actual and credible description of a specific suspect in an investigation that includes other identifying factors. Additionally, officers cannot rely exclusively on an individual’s presence in a high crime area as the basis for an investigatory stop.

CDP’s revised policies also make clear the violations that permit an officer to make a warrantless arrest (with requisite probable cause). To do so, officers must have probable cause that (1) a subject has committed or is committing a felony offense; (2) a subject has committed or is committing certain misdemeanor offenses, such as

⁶⁶ *Id.* at ¶ 167.

⁶⁷ *Id.* at ¶¶ 168-72.

⁶⁸ *Id.*

an offense of violence, criminal child enticement, aggravated trespass, theft, and others; or (3) a subject, from the officer's own observations, has committed or is committing any other misdemeanor offense.

The completion of these policies related to stops, searches, and arrests marked an important initial milestone in the Consent Decree's implementation, providing critical guidance for officers engaging in police-citizen encounters. The Court approved the policies on May 16, 2019.⁶⁹

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Training

Around the same time as the Search and Seizure policies were being drafted, the Division began designing a training curriculum to provide all officers with a detailed understanding of the new expectations and protocols contained within the approved, new search and seizure policies. The Monitoring Team and DOJ are continuing to work with the Division to ensure that the training is high-quality, engaging, informative, impactful, and appropriately grounded in realistic scenarios.

As flagged in other areas of this report, the limited resources of the training unit (who appear to continue to do a lot with a little) caused significant delays in the development of the Search and Seizure curriculum. With high level of engagement by the Monitoring Team, the Department of Justice, and additional technical assistance from national experts, the Search and Seizure training has now begun. Initial reviews of the training by the Monitoring Team have been very positive. CPD partnered with the City Prosecutor's Office, which is proving prosecutors to address detailed questions from officers in real time during the training. This collaboration brings other City resources involved in the criminal justice system to ensure consistent application of law and builds valuable relationships between CPD officers and the prosecutors. Additionally, the CPD instructors observed "owned" the material and presented complex search and seizure issues effectively, both in the classroom and during the scenario-based sessions. As search and seizure is a core of constitutional policing, the successful delivery of this training is reassuring. Nonetheless, if CPD is going to continue to deliver training of the quality and consistency that is the "new normal," the training unit needs to be enhanced to avoid further reliance on external technical assistance.

Policy Implementation & Assessment

After all patrol officers receive training, the policies will need to "go live" in the field. After a material period of time during which the policies are in effect, the Monitoring Team must (1) evaluate the numbers and trends with respect to who is being stopped, under what circumstances, and what the outcomes of those stops are; and (2) audit a host of stops themselves to determine if officers both articulated and had in fact sufficient legal grounds for any stop, detention, search, or arrest. This will include evaluation of whether supervisors are adhering to their requirements under the Division's Court-approved policies and the Decree. In order for the Monitoring Team to be able to gauge whether the Division is complying with the terms of the Decree and the various provisions of the approved search and seizure policies, CDP will need to be rigorously tracking stop encounters in a robust and comprehensive data collection system. It remains to be seen whether the data collection systems – those in place

⁶⁹ Dkt. 261.

and those in development – will be capable of collecting and analyzing the requisite data on search, seizure, and arrest.

IX. ACCOUNTABILITY

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
176. “The City and CDP will ensure that all allegations of officer misconduct, whether internally discovered or alleged by a civilian, are fully, fairly, and efficiently investigated; that all investigative findings are supported by a preponderance of the evidence and documented in writing; and that all officers who commit misconduct are held accountable pursuant to a disciplinary system that is fair, consistent, and provides due process.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

A. Internally Discovered Misconduct

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
177. “Internal Affairs will conduct objective, comprehensive, and timely investigations of all internal allegations,” with “findings . . . based on the preponderance of the evidence standard” that must “be clearly delineated in policies, training, and procedures and accompanied by detailed examples to ensure proper application by investigators.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
178. “Internal Affairs will be headed by a qualified civilian” who “will report directly to the Chief of Police.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
179. Qualifications for IA investigators.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
180. Initial training for IA investigators “that is adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type on conducting misconduct investigations” that addresses specific, expressly-identified topics.	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
181. “[A]nnual training” for IA investigators “that is adequate in quality, quantity, type and scope”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
182. “In each investigation, Internal Affairs will collect and consider” all evidence. “[N]o automatic preference for an officer’s statement over a non-officer’s statement.” No disregard of a “witnesses’ statement solely because of” connection to the complainant or criminal history. IA investigators must “make all reasonable efforts to resolve material inconsistencies between witness statements.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
183. IA “will evaluate all relevant police activity and any evidence of potential misconduct uncovered during the course of the investigation.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
184. IA will not consider guilty plea or verdict as “determinative of whether a CDP officer engaged in misconduct” or justification for “discontinuing the investigation.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
185. IA “will complete its administrative investigations within 30 days from the date it learns of the alleged misconduct.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

186–87. IA investigative report requirements.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
188. Forwarding of completed IA investigations “to the officers’ supervisors, the Training Review Committee, the Force Review Board, the Officer Intervention Program, and the Data Collection and Analysis Coordinator.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
189. “CDP will require any CDP employee who observes or becomes aware of any” potential misconduct to “report the incident to a supervisor or directly to” IA.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
190. “CDP will develop a system that allows officers to confidentially and anonymously report potential misconduct by other officers.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
191. “CDP will expressly prohibit all forms of retaliation, discouragement, intimidation, coercion, or adverse action, against any person, civilian or officer, who reports misconduct, makes a misconduct complaint, or cooperates with an investigation of misconduct.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
192. “Officers who retaliate . . . will be subject to the disciplinary process.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE

Background

To comply with the terms of the Consent Decree, the CDP’s Internal Affairs (“IA”) unit must “conduct objective, comprehensive, and timely investigations of internal allegations of officer misconduct.”⁷⁰ CDP members have an affirmative obligation when they “observe[] or become[] aware of any act of misconduct by another employee to report their incident to a supervisor or directly to Internal Affairs.”⁷¹ Division policy “will expressly prohibit all forms of retaliation, discouragement, intimidation, coercion, or adverse action, against any person . . . who reports misconduct[.]”⁷² Ultimately, Internal Affairs must be the primary engine for the Division’s administrative (non-criminal) investigations of officer misconduct and, more generally, the main oversight mechanism for ensuring that the Division’s performance standards are being met.

Where Internal Affairs Stands Now

Over the past six months, work with respect to Internal Affairs has focused on finalizing the policies and procedures to guide IA investigations. Prior to the Consent Decree, IA did not have in place the types of rigorous, codified procedures for conducting its investigations and performing its duties that analogous units in similarly-situated departments have. Crafting those procedures, as well as codifying a clear understanding of where IA sits within the Division’s structure and how it relates to other entities within the Division that review officer performance, has required significant time and effort on the part of CDP and the City.

⁷⁰ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 177.

⁷¹ *Id.* at ¶ 189. Such reporting may be confidential or anonymous.

⁷² *Id.* at ¶ 191.

The Parties are now finalizing the drafting of IA-related policies and a Manual to guide IA investigative practices and processes. The Team anticipates that policies will be ready to be submitted for the Court's approval early in the upcoming reporting period.

Investigative Structure Matrix

The Monitoring Team has previously identified internal investigations taking place outside of Internal Affairs. In the current reporting period, CDP created an Investigative Structure Matrix to identify all agencies and units in the City that conduct specialized investigations that may involve police personnel (outside of the Internal Affairs and Inspections Unit processes covered by the IA Manual). The creation of this matrix is intended to assist the Division to achieve compliance with Consent Decree requirements around reasonable discipline and underlying investigations conducted outside the normal IA process. This will help to ensure that the functions of all City entities that handle issues relating to CDP member conduct (such as the City's Human Resources or the Department of Public Safety's Accident Investigation Unit) can be coordinated and integrated with the Division's Internal Affairs. Part of the Monitoring Team's evaluation process going forward will be aimed at verifying whether IA is addressing all misconduct investigations or whether cases that should be addressed by IA are, for whatever reason, being inappropriately addressed by other Division or City entities.

Tasks and Progress that Remain

Staffing

As the Monitoring Team has consistently reported, Internal Affairs remains understaffed. It is doubtful that sustained progress will ultimately be possible unless and until IA receives both the quality and quantity of investigative Sergeants necessary to ensure timely, high-quality investigations of internal misconduct.

The Division's Staffing Plan primarily, and largely appropriately, focuses on patrol staffing considerations. The Monitoring Team, and Court, approved that Staffing Plan on the understanding that discussion of non-patrol staffing would occur soon thereafter. Now is the time for CDP to ensure that it subsequently addresses the specific staffing needs of its various specialized units, including IA.

Implementation & Assessment

With the policies relating to misconduct investigations now completed, the Monitoring Team must now necessarily give CDP's civilian IA Superintendent the opportunity to internally improve IA processes and implement new procedures before conducting qualitative analyses on current IA investigative practices. The Monitoring Team continues to anticipate beginning a subsequent round of qualitative analysis in the latter part of 2019 to evaluate whether investigations conducted in the first two quarters of the year appear to represent an improvement to a 2016 evaluation of 2015 cases that the Team previously conducted. As the Monitoring Team has previously noted, sporadically high-quality investigations amid generally poor-quality investigations, or occasionally bad investigations among generally good ones, are not sufficient to establish compliance. Instead, it is the sustained adherence to the high standards of the Decree and policy that will set the occasion for substantial and effective compliance.

B. Office of Professional Standards (“OPS”)

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
193. OPS “investigate[s] all civilian complaints it receives, other than those that allege criminal conduct,” which are referred to IA. Excessive force complaints generally retained by OPS. IA investigations referred back to OPS if “determination is made that no criminal conduct occurred.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
194. “The City will ensure that OPS is led by an administrator with the skills, expertise, and experience to effectively manage the intake, tracking, timely, and objective investigation of complaints”; implement PRB training; “assess OPS’s equipment and staffing needs”; and “develop and implement performance standards for OPS.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
195–96. Initial training for OPS investigators “adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type,” including specific, expressly-listed topics.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
197. “OPS Investigators will not be current members of the CDP, and no CDP personnel will have any active role in OPS’s operations.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
198. “The City will ensure that the lawyer representing OPS does not have any actual or apparent conflicts of interest.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
199. “OPS will have its own budget, separate from . . . the Department of Public Safety” that “affords sufficient independence and resources, including sufficient staff and training to meet the terms of this Agreement.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
200. Development and implementation of OPS operations manual “made available to the public” that covers specific, expressly-listed topics.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
201. Development and implementation of “a program to promote awareness through the Cleveland community about the process for filing complaints with OPS.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
202. “CDP and the City will work with the police unions . . . to allow civilian complaints to be submitted to OPS verbally or in writing; in person, by phone, or on line; by a complainant, someone acting on his or her behalf, or anonymously; and with or without a signature from the complainant,” with all “complaints documented in writing.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
203. CDP will post and maintain by the intake window at CDP headquarters and all District headquarters a permanent placard describing the civilian complaint process” and containing specific, expressly-listed information.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
204. “CDP will provide training that is adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type to all police personnel, including dispatchers, to properly handle complaint intake, including” with respect to specific, expressly-listed topics.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
205. CDP officers “carry complaint forms in their CDP vehicles,” which officers must provide “upon request.” Supervisors will be dispatched to scene when an individual wants to make a complaint, with the supervisor providing a copy of completed complaint form “or a blank form to be completed later by the individual.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

206. “The City and OPS will make complaint forms and other materials outlining the complaint process and OPS’s contact information available at locations” including a number of specific, expressly-listed locations.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
207. “OPS’s complaint form will not contain any language that could reasonably be construed as discouraging the filing of a complaint, including warnings about the potential criminal consequences for filing false complaints.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
208. Availability of complaint forms in English and Spanish. “OPS will make every effort to ensure that complainants who speak other languages . . . can file complaints in their preferred language.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
209. “City will ensure that civilian complaints submitted through other existing systems, including the Mayor’s Action Center and the Department Action Center, are immediately forwarded to OPS for investigation.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
210. “OPS will establish a centralized electronic numbering and tracking system for all complaints,” which “will maintain accurate and reliable data regarding the number, nature, and status of all complaints . . . including investigation timeliness and notification of the interim status and final disposition of the complaint.” It “will be used to monitor and maintain appropriate caseloads for OPS investigators.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
211. Biased policing tracked as a separate category of complaint that “are captured and tracked appropriately, even if the complainant does not so label the allegation.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
212. “[A]llegations of unlawful investigatory stops, searches, or arrests” tracked as a separate category of complaints.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
213. “[A]llegations of excessive use of force” tracked as separate category of complaints.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
214. “OPS will conduct regular assessments of the types of complaints being received to identify and assess potential problematic patterns and trends.”	PARTIAL- COMPLIANCE
215. “OPS will produce, at least annually, a public report summarizing complaint trends, including” with respect several specific, expressly-identified areas.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
216. Assignment of complaints to Standard and Complex investigatory tracks.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
217. Dismissal and/or administrative dismissal of complaint investigations.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
218. “OPS will ensure that investigations of complaints are as thorough as necessary to reach reliable and complete findings that are supported by the preponderance of the evidence.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
219. “CDP will ensure that OPS has timely access to all reports related to the incident . . . ,” and authority of OPS “to conduct additional investigation” of civilian complaint when CDP investigation has already taken place relating to the incident.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
220. “OPS investigators will attempt to interview each complainant in person” and record the interview.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE

221. “The Chief will order officers who witnessed or participate in an incident that is the subject of an OPS complaint to cooperate with the OPS investigation,” including by responding to written questions or sitting for an in-person interview.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
222. “OPS investigators will have access to any relevant disciplinary information in the record of an officer who is the subject of a current investigation.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
223. “OPS will consider all relevant evidence,” with no preferences for particular witness’s statements, including of officer over a non-officer, or because of connection to complainant or criminal history. “OPS will make all reasonable efforts to resolve material inconsistencies between witness statements.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
224. OPS findings categories.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
225. “OPS will document in writing the investigation of each complaint, including all investigatory steps taken, and OPS’s findings and conclusions,” which must “be supported by a preponderance of the evidence.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
226. Items for consideration for OPS findings.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
227. “OPS will forward all investigations and its written conclusions to PRB in sufficient time for PRB to consider them no later than the second regularly scheduled PRB meeting following completion of the investigation.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
228. “OPS will send periodic written updates” to the complainant at specific, expressly-identified junctures.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
229. “[A] complainant may contact OPS at any time to determine the status of his/her complaint.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Office of Professional Standards (“OPS”) is the civilian-staffed office charged with investigating the complaints of civilians about Division of Police personnel. Cleveland’s City Charter requires OPS to conduct “a full and complete investigation” of all citizen complaints of employee misconduct.⁷³

As the Monitoring Team has regularly summarized, the Consent Decree includes a number of requirements—such as hiring a qualified and experienced OPS Administrator, ensuring high-quality training for investigators, establishing a separate budget for OPS, and promoting awareness throughout Cleveland about the availability of civilian complaint forms—all designed to ensure that OPS can conduct thorough and competent investigations of civilian complaints and reach findings that are supported by the preponderance of evidence.⁷⁴

⁷³ Charter of the City of Cleveland, § 115-4.

⁷⁴ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶¶ 193-229.

Where OPS Stands Now

In the current reporting period, Hillard Heintze—an outside firm hired by the City to address the backlog of uninvestigated or partially-investigated civilian complaints, which totaled 377 cases as of the start of 2018—has worked to reduce the backlog. As detailed further below, the backlog of pre-December 1, 2017 cases has been reduced by approximately 51 percent. The goal is for OPS to have an ongoing average of 75 cases, i.e. for the office to be handling 75 cases at any one time. The Monitoring Team is pleased by the progress that the City, through Hillard Heintze, has made with regards to the backlog of civilian complaints. The City anticipates that Hillard Heintze will have completed the backlog by the end of September 2019.

This has been a serious undertaking, and the Monitoring Team is pleased that significant progress is being made and that the current number of investigations being conducted appears to be sustainable given current OPS staffing. The Team continues to be hopeful that the current efforts at backlog reduction will develop into a long-term trend in favor of timely OPS investigations and referrals to the Police Review Board for prompt resolution of complaints.

While the Monitoring Team has seen improvements in the quality of OPS investigative practices, OPS still needs to make additional progress to address some fundamental investigative deficiencies. In the current reporting period, the Monitoring Team has been concerned that, in some cases, a desire for the timely completion of case investigations might have negatively impacted the quality of the work in some instances. The Monitoring Team has been providing continuing feedback to the OPS administration in an effort to ensure that OPS has the capacity to appropriately balance the need for both timely and competent investigations.

Staffing

Since 2018, OPS has staffed up considerably, with a new Administrator, Supervising Investigator, Research Analyst, and General Manager. The hiring of a Community Engagement Coordinator suffered a setback when the final candidate was unable to start on a date acceptable to OPS administration. As such, the position was reposted and closed on June 29, 2019. The City is currently reviewing applications. Until that position is filled by a competent staff member, the OPS will be unlikely to comply with Consent Decree requirements that relate to community engagement and outreach to internal and external stakeholders.

Annual Report

The 2018 Annual OPS Report, summarizing complaint trends and timeframes for the public and required under Paragraph 215 of the Decree, was completed and presented to the City Council's Public Safety Committee in public session as recommended by the Monitoring Team. With the hiring of the OPS's new Research Analyst, the Monitoring Team looks forward to a robust 2019 Annual Report to be delivered in early 2020.

OPS Policy Reviews

Pursuant to Paragraph 214 of the Consent Decree, OPS is required to “conduct regular assessments of the types of complaints being received to identify and assess potential problematic patterns and trends.” In the current

reporting period, OPS has indeed worked to identify patterns and emerging trends in CDP practices, programs, and policies. Upon identification of a problematic trend or pattern, OPS works with the Police Review Board to write a policy recommendation to the Chief of Police, in the form of a memo from the OPS Administrator to the Chief.

Starting in 2018, OPS began to track the implementation history of these recommendations by the CDP. Although there have been delays in responses received from CDP, OPS is reporting that they are now periodically receiving responses to some of the recommendations and OPS will publicly report on its recommendations and CDP responses. The Monitoring Team looks forward to seeing OPS-Police Review Board follow-up on these recommendations which have the potential of reducing the risk of future complaints and assisting the CDP in providing improved police services over the long term.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

1. Completing the Backlog of Open Investigations

The City will need to continue to fully address and adjudicate the previously-unclosed investigations received prior to December 1, 2017 that have still not been completed or received a final disposition. According to OPS, the backlog of investigations received prior to December 1, 2017 has been reduced from 281 cases—when Hillard Heinz began its assignment and review of OPS cases in September 2018—to 144 cases as of June 12, 2019, a reduction of the caseload by 51%.

Meanwhile, aggressive measures reportedly taken by the new OPS Administrator and Senior Investigator have reduced the continuing ongoing caseload to an average of 75 cases. When divided between the current staff of nine OPS investigators, the overall caseload appears to be reasonable.

2. Case Management System/Business Mapping

As the Monitoring Team has stated previously, proper case management is a basic, foundational management tool for an investigatory agency with OPS's charge to operate successfully in a city the size of Cleveland. Under the Consent Decree, OPS must “establish a centralized electronic numbering and tracking system . . . [which] will maintain accurate and reliable data regarding the number, nature, and status of all complaints” and which can be used by OPS administration “to monitor and maintain appropriate caseloads for OPS investigators.”⁷⁵

Since the start of the Consent Decree, OPS and the City have indicated that they intend to fulfill this requirement of the Decree by having OPS use IAPro as its case management software – the same platform that IA investigators within the Division use to conduct their investigations. OPS has struggled to fully adopt the system, relying on home-grown database solutions rather than merging its business practices with the IAPro platform.

⁷⁵ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 210.

With the hiring of a new OPS Management Analyst in the first quarter of 2019, OPS is now well-positioned to fully utilize IAPro. The Monitoring Team has and will continue to assess whether OPS is effectively using IAPro to its full capacity.

3. OPS Staff Performance Reviews

As described in the Monitoring Team's last semiannual report, the OPS Administrator must ensure a robust employee performance review process at OPS to ensure employee adherence to OPS Court-approved policies and best practices in investigations. Thus far, the Administrator has reported that he and OPS supervisors continue to conduct ongoing, but informal, performance reviews in conjunction with training of OPS investigators.

Although substantive, written performance reviews were not performed in the last reporting period, as was anticipated, the Monitoring Team will be deferring its evaluation of this area of OPS compliance until the OPS is fully staffed and the OPS Administrator has the time and resources to conduct formal, substantive written performance reviews.

4. Complaint Forms

Under the Consent Decree, the City and OPS "will make complaint forms and other materials outlining the complaint process and OPS's contact information available at locations" including "the websites of CDP, OPS and the City of Cleveland" as well as a number of other specific, expressly-listed locations.⁷⁶ Further, all CDP officers will "carry complaint forms in their CDP vehicles."⁷⁷

While the City and CDP have maintained that they have made complaint forms available at the Decree-enumerated locations, the Monitoring Team has not yet had the opportunity to conduct a formal audit to assess, among other things, the accessibility of complaint forms in vehicles and at CDP District stations. The OPS also reports that it will need to expand the number of locations where complaint forms are available and that such efforts will take place upon the hiring of a Community Engagement Coordinator. It is also anticipated that, at that time, OPS will be able to begin to comply with Paragraph 201 of the Consent Decree which requires the development and implementation of "a program to promote awareness through the Cleveland community about the process for filing complaints with OPS."⁷⁸

Although the Monitoring Team has assessed that OPS is in "Operational Compliance" with respect to making complaint forms available on its website, the Monitoring Team is concerned that OPS has not yet made it possible for members of the public to file complaints or commendations online. Instead, a complainant must print out a hard-copy complaint form, fill it out, and then mail or fax the form to OPS. Alternatively, a complainant can make a complaint by phone or in-person.

⁷⁶ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 206.

⁷⁷ *Id.* at ¶ 205.

⁷⁸ *Id.* at ¶ 201.

The Monitoring Team has previously noted that many cities provide community members with the ability to file their complaints online.⁷⁹ The Monitoring Team understands that while OPS has approached the City's Division of Information Technology Services to create this functionality, they have been informed that it will take between 12 and 18 months for the filing of police complaints to be available on the City's OPS website. The Monitoring Team strongly encourages the City to find a way to implement this functionality in an expeditious fashion, as OPS appears to be one of a minority of oversight organizations of its type in the country that do not offer community members the opportunity to file police complaints online.⁸⁰

Separately, and to its credit, OPS has been attempting to increase the functionality of its website to allow complainants to track the progress of their complaints online within the first months of the upcoming reporting period. The Monitoring Team is hopeful that OPS will be able to add this functionality to its complaints in a timely fashion.

5. *Timeliness of OPS Case Adjudications*

Over the course of the Consent Decree's implementation, the Monitoring Team has expressed concerns regarding the timeliness of final adjudication of sustained findings recommended by the Police Review Board ("PRB") on OPS investigations. While there have been significant improvements and cases are now being appropriately tracked by OPS, the Monitoring Team remains concerned about the amount of time it takes for the CDP's Case Preparation Unit to schedule pre-disciplinary hearings on OPS cases where the PRB has recommended sustained findings

As of the end of the current reporting period, OPS reported that for nineteen (19) cases where pre-disciplinary hearings had been scheduled, in only one case did it take less than four weeks for a hearing to be scheduled upon receipt of a "findings letter" from the PRB. For the remaining cases, it took anywhere from six (6) to fourteen (14) weeks for a hearing to be scheduled, with an average delay of more than 8.5 weeks from the date PRB findings letter are delivered to the Chief's Office to the date of the pre-disciplinary hearing. In two additional cases, even

⁷⁹ See, e.g., Portland, Oregon, Independent Police Review Division, <https://www.portlandoregon.gov/ipr/52031>; Denver, Colorado, Office of the Independent Monitor, <https://www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/office-of-the-independent-monitor/commendations-complaints/online-complaint-commendation-form.html>; New York City, Citizen Complaint Review Board, <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/ccrb/complaints/file-online.page>; Washington D.C. Office of Police Complaints, <https://dcforms.dc.gov/webform/office-police-complaints-online-complaint-form>; New Orleans Independent Police Monitor, <http://nolaipm.gov/file-a-complaint/>; and San Francisco Department of Police Accountability, <https://policecomplaints.sfgov.org/>.

⁸⁰ The OPS program can be classified as an "investigation-focused" model of citizen oversight and is one of 34 such programs identified by a recent evaluation of civilian oversight programs in the United States. Of the five jurisdictions identified as having "investigation-focused" agencies listed in the report (San Francisco, Washington D.C., New York City, San Diego County and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania), only one, San Diego County, also requires complainants to print out a complaint form and then email, fax or mail the form as part of the process of filing a complaint. De Angelis, Rosenthal & Buchner (2017) Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement – Assessing the Evidence, pp. 24-27, located at, https://d3n8a8pro7vhmx.cloudfront.net/nacole/pages/161/attachments/original/1481727974/NACOLE_AccessintheEvidence_Final.pdf?1481727974.

though PRB findings letters had been submitted to the Chief's Office on March 5, 2019, the pre-disciplinary hearings remained unscheduled as of the end of the reporting period, representing a delay of almost four months for each case.

Timeliness in the handling of public complaints against the police and in the imposition of discipline on these complaints is an essential component of police accountability. The Monitoring Team is recommending that the City consider possible alternative processes that could potentially improve the timeliness of these pre-disciplinary hearings, to include dedicating additional resources to this area until improvements can be made.

C. Police Review Board ("PRB")

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
230. "Mayor will work with the City Council to develop an ordinance to place a Charter Amendment on the ballot" addressing PRB composition and appointment process.	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
231. "PRB members will not be current or former members of the CDP."	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
232. "PRB will have its own budget," overseen by OPS Administrator and separate from Department of Public Safety, that "affords sufficient independence and resources."	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
233-34. Initial training for PRB members "that is adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type" and that covers specific, expressly-identified topics.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
235. PRB meetings open to the public and posted in advance, with "case presentations and PRB votes" occurring during "open session."	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
236. "OPS investigators will attend PRB meetings at which their investigations are being considered and present their findings" PRB may "ask the investigator to conduct further investigation" as necessary.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
237. "PRB recommended dispositions will be based on a preponderance of the evidence. For each case, PRB shall set forth its conclusion and an explanation of its reasons and supporting evidence in writing, including, when applicable, the justification for departing from OPS's recommended disposition."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
238. "In cases where PRB is recommending a sustained disposition, in whole or in part, PRB will include a recommendation as to disciplinary or non-disciplinary corrective action."	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
239. [Timely] forwarding of PRB recommendations to Chief of Police and Director of Public Safety.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE

Background

Cleveland's civilian Police Review Board ("PRB" or "the Board") reviews and analyzes completed OPS investigations. It makes a formal recommendation to the Chief of Police on the ultimate disposition of the case and, if warranted, the discipline that an involved officer should receive. A well-functioning PRB remains critical

to ensuring that OPS investigations are sound and that the Chief of Police receives a well-informed recommendation on the disposition of OPS cases.

The Consent Decree includes many requirements relating to the PRB, including that the “PRB will have its own budget[,]” PRB members will receive initial training, PRB meetings will be held open to the public and posted in advance, “OPS investigators will attend PRB meetings at which their investigations are being considered and present their findings[,]” “PRB recommended dispositions will be based on a preponderance of the evidence[,]” and that the PRB will, when recommending sustained disposition, “include a recommendation as to disciplinary or non-disciplinary corrective action.”⁸¹

Where the PRB Stands

Since the adoption of the PRB Operations Manual in 2017, the PRB has convened regularly to address cases that it receives from OPS. During this time, the performance of the PRB has largely been out of the Board’s hands. The timeliness of the PRB’s review of cases, and precisely what the PRB is reviewing, depends on how well OPS has effectuated its duties in the investigatory stage.

Now that OPS has had more time and additional staff to improve the quality of its investigations, the Monitoring Team will be more closely evaluating the work of the PRB to ensure that OPS’s improved investigations are benefiting the Board’s ability to review investigations and make recommendations to the Chief. Ultimately, before the performance of both OPS and PRB can be found to be in compliance with the Consent Decree, the Board must be found to be effectively and meaningfully carrying out its duties in a sufficiently thorough, fair, and timely manner.

Documentation of PRB Decision-Making

The PRB previously struggled with the timely documentation of the rationale for its decisions. In the prior reporting period, OPS reported that PRB disposition letters (letters to complainants documenting non-sustained findings made by the PRB) and findings letters (letters to the CDP documenting sustained findings made by the PRB) have, on the whole, been prepared in a timely fashion. The Monitoring Team too noted an improvement in the quality of findings letters.

However, during the current reporting period, the Monitoring Team learned that OPS had not been notifying officers of the resolution of complaints against them that resulted in PRB findings of “insufficient evidence,” “exonerated,” or “unfounded.” To the credit of OPS’ administrators, this procedural oversight was identified internally and brought to the attention of the Monitoring Team upon discovery. OPS has advised it will work to correct this deficiency and will provide notice to officers in future cases and is coming up with a plan to deal with past cases where notice was not given. The Monitoring Team plans to review the quality of the disposition letters to ensure that complainants and officers are being provided sufficient information to fully understand PRB findings closing their complaints with no further action to be taken.

⁸¹ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶¶ 232-38.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

1. Quality of PRB Recommendations & Processes

The Monitoring Team has observed several cases in which the Chief disagreed with PRB recommendations without providing a robust written rationale. As previously reported, the Monitoring Team believes that the OPS/PRB program would benefit from a formal protocol between the PRB and the Chief's Office to help to ensure that the Chief and PRB understand each other's rationale for making recommendations and decisions on complaints. In the absence of such a protocol, the Monitoring Team will continue to monitor communications between the Chief and the PRB and will address issues or concerns as they are identified.

2. Implementation & Assessment

As noted above, with the quality and timeliness of OPS investigations improving, PRB is in a better position to adhere rigorously to the PRB Manual. The Monitoring Team, in turn, will need to assess the Board's performance.

D. Discipline and Disciplinary Hearings

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
240. "The Chief of CDP will issue a General Police Order that requires officers to (a) cooperate with the Internal Affairs and OPS investigators; and (b) submit all relevant evidence to the investigators such that it is available for consideration by Internal Affairs or PRB."	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
241. Disciplinary hearing requirement, with officer given "opportunity to testify" and suspension of hearing if "officer provides new or additional evidence at hearing," with matter "returned to IA or PRB for consideration."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
242. Written justification by Chief or Director of decision to "not uphold the charges" or "does not impose the recommended discipline or non-disciplinary corrective action" where PRB previously "recommends the initiation of the disciplinary process and recommends a disciplinary level."	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
243. "CDP will track the number of instances in which the Chief or the Director of Public Safety rejects, in whole or in part, PRB's recommended disposition."	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
245. "CDP will ensure that discipline for sustained allegations of misconduct comports with due process, and is consistently applied, fair, and based on the nature of the allegation, and that mitigating and aggravating factors are identified and consistently applied and documented."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
246. "CDP will review its current matrix and will seek to amend it" "to ensure consistency" and inclusion of a number of specific, expressly-identified features.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
247. "All disciplinary decisions will be documented in writing."	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

248. “CDP will provide its disciplinary matrix to the Commission, the Police Inspector General, and the police unions for comment.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
249. “CDP will work with the unions to allow for sustained disciplinary findings to stay in an officer’s record for ten years.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

Background

The Consent Decree requires that CDP “ensure that discipline for sustained allegations of misconduct comports with due process, and is consistently applied, fair, and based on the nature of the allegation, and that mitigating and aggravating factors are identified and consistently applied and documented.”⁸²

As one foundational element of that process of ensuring fair and consistent discipline, the Division has needed to “review its current disciplinary matrix and will seek to amend it as necessary[.]”⁸³ Specifically, CDP must ensure that the new disciplinary matrix:

- “[E]stablishes a presumptive range of discipline for each type of rule violation;”
- “[I]ncreases the presumptive discipline based on an officer’s prior violations of the same or other rules;”
- “[P]rohibits consideration of the officer’s race, gender, national origin, age, ethnicity, familial relationships, or sexual orientation” as well as “the high (or low) profile nature of the incident;” and
- “[P]rovides that CDP will not take only non-disciplinary corrective action in cases in which the disciplinary matrix calls for the imposition of discipline” but may consider non-disciplinary corrective action “in a case where discipline has [already] been imposed.”⁸⁴

Where the Division Stands

Since January 1, 2018, the Division has been operating according to a revised, Court-approved Disciplinary Matrix that establishes presumptive ranges of discipline and mitigating or aggravating factors. Since the promulgation of that new Matrix, the Monitoring Team has begun to audit disciplinary decisions along with the underlying investigations that precipitated them in real-time. The Parties and Team have begun to discuss various areas that require improvement with respect to the discipline process and will focus on these issues in the coming reporting period.

In the current reporting period, the Division completed amendments to the Disciplinary Matrix, specifically relating to integrity-related violations of CDP policy. Per Consent Decree requirements, a draft of the Amended Disciplinary Matrix was shared with the police unions and Community Police Commission for their input. Under the new Matrix, dishonesty now joins false report, false statement, and untruthfulness as Group III violations (the

⁸² Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 245.

⁸³ *Id.*

⁸⁴ *Id.* at ¶ 246.

most severe of violations). Additionally, all four offenses now carry a presumption of termination. The Court approved the Amended Disciplinary Matrix on August 27, 2019.⁸⁵

At the conclusion of the reporting period, the CDP Case Preparation Unit has established that it has been tracking the number of instances in which the Chief or the Director of Public Safety rejects, in whole or in part, PRB's recommended dispositions, in compliance with paragraph 243. The Monitoring Team looks forward to the OPS being able to access and use this data to publicly report on patterns in this regard in its next annual report.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Relationship of Disciplinary Process to Voluntary City/Police Union Agreements

The Consent Decree requires the Division to “work with the unions to allow for sustained disciplinary findings to stay in an officer’s record for ten years.”⁸⁶ The City raised the issue with the police unions in recent bargaining and accepted that sustained disciplinary findings would remain in an officer’s record for less than ten years. The City has indicated that it will revisit the matter in future negotiations.

Systemic Evaluation of Discipline

A comprehensive evaluation of the imposition of discipline by the Department of Public Safety is in progress. Future evaluations will include decisions made by the Chief of Police and need to be conducted to determine how the Disciplinary Matrix is functioning in practice and to “ensure that . . . officers who commit misconduct are held accountable pursuant to a disciplinary system that is fair, consistent, and provides due process.”

⁸⁵ Dkt. 277.

⁸⁶ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 249.

X. TRANSPARENCY & OVERSIGHT

A. Police Inspector General

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
250. “The City will hire an individual or individuals with significant experience in law enforcement practices and civil rights law to serve as a Police Inspector General” (“IG”). City must seek CPC’s “input in developing minimum qualifications and experience” for IG.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
251. IG work in Office of Mayor but report to Chief of Police.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
252. IG “will not be a current or former employee of CDP.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
253–54. Duties and authority of IG.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
255. Budget of IG must be “a separate line item” in City budget and “afford[] sufficient independence and resources” to comply with Consent Decree.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
256. IG “will have access to all documents and data necessary to perform the above functions, including any raw data.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree creates a new, internal oversight function within the Division—a Police Inspector General (the “IG”). The IG must have the authority to review CDP policies and practices, conduct audits and investigations, analyze data for aggregate and systemic trends, develop recommendations for reform, and analyze investigations conducted, and review imposed discipline. The IG’s reports and recommendations must be made public.⁸⁷

Where the Division Stands

In the current reporting period, the City worked to finalize the hiring of the Inspector General position after an unexpected setback that resulted in the City being unable to hire the prior finalist. A job posting was reposted on the City’s website and closed on February 22, 2019. After reviewing applications, the City began interviewing final candidates in June, and in August hired Christopher Viland as the first Inspector General. The Monitoring Team looks forward to engaging with the IG as he begins his work in Cleveland.

⁸⁷ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 253.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Once hired, the Police Inspector General, with his day-to-day responsibility to conduct various assessments, reviews, and audits, will be a significant benefit to the Division and the Consent Decree process. The Monitoring Team looks forward to the IG’s hiring, which will be an important milestone in effectuating the kind of ongoing oversight called for by the Decree.

Once the IG is hired, the Parties and Monitoring Team must also ensure that the Police Inspector General has the resources, budget, and “sufficient independence” to successfully review practices, audit, analyze data, and provide actionable recommendations to the Division of Police.⁸⁸ Likewise, the work of the Inspector General must reflect the rigor and independence that the Consent Decree contemplates. To that end, to ensure that the IG’s performance is consistent with the Consent Decree, the Monitoring Team will be evaluating the performance of the IG over time to ensure that such standards are being appropriately met. The ultimate goal is for the institutionalized IG to take on a role of independent auditor with respect to the Division’s overall performance, systems, and processes—sustaining and driving change long after CDP has reached substantial and effective compliance with the particular provisions of the Consent Decree.

B. Data Collection and Analysis

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
257. “CDP will collect and maintain all data and records necessary to accurately evaluate its use of force practices and search and seizure practices and facilitate transparency and, as permitted by law, broad access to information related to CDP’s decision making and activities. To achieve this outcome, CDP will designate an individual or individuals as the ‘Data Collection and Analysis Coordinator.’”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
258. Coordinator “will ensure the collection and tracking of all documents related to uses of force and allegations of misconduct and related materials,” including specific, expressly-listed materials and information.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
259. Coordinator “will ensure the creation and maintenance of a reliable and accurate electronic system to track all data derived from force-related documents,” including specific, expressly-identified data.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
260. Coordinator “will ensure the creation and maintenance of a reliable and accurate electronic system to track data on all vehicle stops, investigatory stops, and searches, whether or not they result in an arrest or issuance of a summons or citation.” The system must conform to a number of specific, expressly-identified requirements.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
261. Coordinator must “routine[ly] report . . . relevant data to the Chief of Police, FRB, Training Review Committee, OPS, the [Community Police] Commission, and the Police Inspector General.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

⁸⁸ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 255.

262. Coordinator “responsible for the annual assessment of forms and data collection systems to improve the accuracy and reliability of data collection.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
263. Coordinator “will develop a protocol to accurately analyze the data collected and allow for” various outcome measurements, “subject to the review and approval of the Monitor and DOJ.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
264. Annually, “CDP will conduct an assessment and issue a report summarizing its investigatory stop, search, and arrest data” that addresses various specific, expressly-identified topics.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
265. Annually, “CDP will conduct an assessment and issue a report of all activities, including use of force, arrests, motor vehicles and investigatory stops, and misconduct complaints alleging discrimination, to determine whether CDP’s activities are applied or administered in a way that discriminates against individuals on the basis of race” or other listed prohibited classes or characteristics, and that addresses various specific, expressly-identified topics.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
266. Annual analysis of “prior year’s force” data with FRB.	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree requires that the Division collect, use, and report data on its activities and performance in a modern and comprehensive fashion. To effectuate this, the Decree required CDP to hire a Data Collection and Analysis Coordinator (the “Data Coordinator” or “Coordinator”) to help ensure that CDP maintains the required information in a manner that “facilitate[s] transparency and . . . broad public access to information related to CDP’s decision making and activities.”⁸⁹ The Coordinator is specifically tasked with ensuring the collection and tracking of all information related to uses of force, search and seizure practices, and allegations of misconduct. The Coordinator must create and maintain “a reliable and accurate electronic system to track” use of force-related data and search and seizure information.⁹⁰

The Coordinator also is “responsible for the routine reporting of relevant data” to various entities within the Division⁹¹; conducting annual assessments of both use of force and investigatory stop data⁹²; and analyzing Division practices for potential disproportionate or disparate impacts with respect to “race, ethnicity, gender, disability, sexual orientation, or gender identity.”⁹³ These reports must “be made publicly available.”⁹⁴

⁸⁹ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 257.

⁹⁰ *Id.* at ¶¶ 259-60.

⁹¹ *Id.* at ¶ 261.

⁹² *Id.* at ¶¶ 263, 264, 266.

⁹³ *Id.* at ¶ 265.

⁹⁴ *Id.* at ¶ 267.

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During the current reporting period, CDP's Data Coordinator has continued to meet regularly with CDP leadership to present analyses of use of force data, including trends on the number of force incidents reported by month, as well as trends on the timeliness of reviews of use of force reports. The analysis can be disaggregated by month and by CDP District, allowing the Division to identify and focus on particular areas of improvement.

Progress and Tasks That Remain

As the Monitoring Team previously observed in prior reports, for as much progress as CDP has made in its ability to collect and analyze data in some areas, there are a number of critical tasks that remain.

The first is establishing and implementing mechanisms to collect data on stops, searches, and arrests; crisis intervention; and community policing. The collection of this data is essential—and overdue—for gauging the success of new policies and programs and evaluating ultimate compliance with the Consent Decree.

In the current reporting period, the Division has continued to work with the City's IT personnel to finalize the use of an appropriate data system, including creating initial data entry forms and scheduling system testing and end user training. Still, it will take some time before all CDP members are trained on using the selected electronic platform, information can be collected in real-time, and aggregate data analyzed. Until such data can be evaluated for a sufficiently material period of time, the Division will not be able to demonstrate that its performance complies with its various policies, plans, and initiatives.

The second major task with respect to data is for CDP to regularly incorporate analysis provided by the new Coordinator into its day-to-day management decisions. The Team remains unclear on how CDP uses and acts on data beyond crime and offense statistics. To meet the terms of the Decree, and to match the efforts of leading law enforcement agencies across the country, the Division will need to commit to a culture of data-informed decision-making to guide how it polices and organizes its activities and to gauge precisely how well it is doing to meet its strategic goals.

C. Public Availability of CDP-Related Information

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
267. "[A]ll CDP audits, reports, and outcome analyses related to the implementation" of the Consent Decree will be public.	NON-COMPLIANCE
268. "CDP will post its policies and procedures, training plans, community policing initiatives, community meeting schedules, budgets, and internal audit reports on its website."	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

Background

The Consent Decree requires that CDP’s “policies and procedures, training plans, community policing initiatives, community meeting schedules, budgets, and internal audit reports” be posted on CDP’s website.⁹⁵ Likewise, “[t]o ensure transparency in the implementation of” the Decree, “all CDP audits, reports, and outcome analyses related to the implementation of this [the Consent Decree] will be made publicly available, including at the City and CDP websites.”⁹⁶

Where the Division Stands

In the current reporting period, the City has made modest changes to its website, including reorganizing available content by their relevant Consent Decree section to be more user-friendly for interested members of the public.

Progress and Tasks That Remain

As indicated above, the City must make all CDP audits, reports, and outcome analyses related to the implementation of the Consent Decree public.

Separately, while not expressly required by the terms of the Consent Decree, the Division should establish a general policy for the discretionary release or provision of non-sensitive records, data, or information to the public. Notwithstanding specific state and local provisions on the release of information, it is increasingly becoming the norm for police departments to open themselves up to the public, setting clear expectations, in advance of an incident occurring or an information request arising, about what it can or will release and what it cannot or will not make available. Knowing what to expect and how to proceed in advance leads to better outcomes for community members and the Division. Having information about how the police do their work also helps the community better understand the unique challenges of law enforcement professionals.

⁹⁵ Dkt. 7-1 at 1; *id.* ¶ 268.

⁹⁶ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 267.

XI. OFFICER ASSISTANCE & SUPPORT

A. Training

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
269. “CDP will ensure that officers receive adequate training to understand: (a) how to police effectively and safely in accordance with CDP policy; [and] (b) the requirements of this Agreement, Ohio law, and the Constitution and laws of the United States,” including in the areas of “procedural justice, bias-free policing, and community policing.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
270. “CDP will expand the scope and membership of the Training Review Committee.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
271-72. “[T]he Training Review Committee will develop a written training plan for CDP’s recruit academy, probationary field training, and in-service training” that addresses a host of specific, expressly-identified issues.	NON-COMPLIANCE
273. “The Training Plan and schedule will be implemented once any objections have been resolved” on a yearly basis.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
274. “The Training Review Committee will annually review and updated CDP’s training plan” by “conduct[ing] a needs assessment” that addresses a number of specific, expressly-identified data and information on real-world trends, needs, policy, and law.	NON-COMPLIANCE
275. “CDP’s Commander responsible for training” will be in charge of “all CDP training.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
276. “CDP will designate a single training coordinator in each District. The Commander responsible for training will establish and maintain communications with each District training coordinator to ensure that all officers complete training as required and that documentation of training is provided to the” training Commander.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
277. “CDP will develop recruit academy and in-service curricula that comport with” the Training Plan and Consent Decree requirements.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
278. “[T]he training required under this Agreement . . . will be delivered within two years of the Effective Date.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
279. “For all other substantive updates or revisions to policy or procedure, CDP will ensure and document that all relevant CDP personnel have received and read the policy or procedure. Notification of each revision or update will include the rationale for policy changes and the difference between the old and updated policy.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
280. Training Commander reviews all training materials; ensures that they use “a variety of adult learning techniques, scenario-based training, and problem-solving	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

practices”; and “ensure that all curricula, lesson plans, instructor’s qualifications, and testing materials are reviewed by the Training Review Committee.”	
281. “CDP will ensure that instructors are qualified and use only curricula and lesson plans that have been approved by the” Training Commander.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
282. “CDP will revise, as necessary, its field training program for graduates of the police academy to comport with” the Training Plan and Consent Decree.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
283. “The field training program will incorporate community and problem-oriented policing principles, and problem-based learning methods.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
284. Review and revision of Field Training Officer (“FTO”) “participation policy to establish and implement a program that effectively attracts the best FTO candidates” and “revise eligibility criteria” for FTOs.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
285. New FTOs and Field Training Sergeants must “receive initial and in-service training that is adequate in quality, quantity, scope, and type, and that addresses” a number of specific, expressly-listed topics and conforms to a number of additional features or requirements.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
286. “CDP will create a mechanism for recruits to provide confidential feedback regarding the quality of their field training,” and the Division “will document its response, including the rationale behind any responsive action taken or decision to take no action.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
287. “Training Review Committee will, on an annual basis, analyze all aspects of CDP’s FTO program,” “consider emerging national policing practices in this area,” and “recommend, and CDP will institute, appropriate changes to policies, procedures, and training related to its FTO program.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
288. “CDP will document all training provided to or received by CDP officers,” with officers “sign[ing] an acknowledgement of attendance or digitally acknowledge[ing] completion of each training course,” which “will be maintained in a format that allows for analysis by training type, training date, training source, and by individual officer name.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
289. “CDP will develop and implement a system that will allow the Training Section to electronically track, maintain, and produce complete and accurate records of current curricula, lesson plans, training delivered, and other training materials in a centralized electronic file system.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
290. “CDP will develop and implement accountability measures . . . to ensure that all officers successfully complete all required training programs in a timely manner.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

Background

The Consent Decree mandates comprehensive officer training that instructs CDP personnel on the many new requirements and expectations of Decree-required policies or initiatives.

To facilitate this substantial training, the Decree requires significant changes to CDP's structural capacity to train and educate its officers. It is not simply that the Division must deliver high-quality training on new policies. The Division must build the internal capacity and leadership such that training can be developed, delivered, audited, and iteratively improved, in close consultation with a Training Review Committee ("TRC") that increases the set of eyes assessing CDP training. This adjustment is still very much a work-in-progress.

Where the Division Stands

During the current reporting period, and as detailed elsewhere in this report, the Division's Training Section launched a number of important training initiatives in its 2019 in-service training: Use of Force, Community Engagement and Problem-Solving ("CEPS"), Bias-Free Policing, Crisis Intervention, and Search and Seizure. Creation of these training curriculum required high levels of technical assistance from the Monitoring Team, DOJ, and for search and seizure, independent consultants. As set forth below, enhancing the capacity of the training unit is paramount to continued success.

Nevertheless, the Decree envisions more than a Training Section within CDP that can capably develop and deliver officer training. It mandates the use of a Training Review Committee in the development and ongoing assessment of CDP training. The TRC is designed to be the functional center for the Division's training activities and planning. Under the Decree, the TRC is to include, alongside the Division's Training Section, District training coordinators, union representatives, and members of the Community Police Commission.⁹⁷ The TRC "will annually review and update CDP's training plan" by "conduct[ing] a needs assessment" that considers "trends in misconduct complaints; problematic uses of force; analysis of officer safety issues; input from members at all levels of CDP; input from members of the community, including community concerns; court decisions' research reflecting the latest in law enforcement trends; individual District needs; and any changes to Ohio or federal law, and to CDP policy."⁹⁸ The active and ongoing engagement of the TRC helps to ensure that in-service training for current officers is responsive to the emerging needs of CDP personnel and Cleveland residents. In short, the TRC was imagined to strategically quarterback and manage the Division's training efforts.

Although the CDP's Training Review Committee was formally created early in the Decree's implementation and officially put into place with a Court-approved policy in April 2016, the TRC's actual operations have, until recently, remained mostly dormant.

In the current reporting period, the Division has made some efforts to reengage the TRC. On May 22, 2019, the TRC convened to review drafts of training plans, discuss feedback for then-ongoing training initiatives, and propose topics for CDP's 2020 in-service training. While one meeting does not begin to meet the terms of the Consent Decree, it is the Monitoring Team's expectation that the TRC will be increasingly involved and reenergized as the focus of the Decree's implementation shifts from creating policies to delivering high-quality officer training.

⁹⁷ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 270.

⁹⁸ *Id.* at ¶ 271.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Substantial and Effective Compliance with Training Review Committee Requirements

While the Division has taken initial steps to reengage the Training Review Committee, the Division must ensure that the committee is actively involved in the creation of training plans, audits of training initiatives, and assessments of gaps for future areas of training instruction. The TRC must be an active player, working affirmatively with the Division's Training Section, to drive forward new training initiatives and iteratively improve on lessons learned.

Training Staffing & Resources

Notwithstanding the need to reengage the TRC, CDP's Training Section must be properly staffed in order to meet the substantial scope of training mandated by the Consent Decree. The Monitoring Team has previously urged CDP to devote additional resources to the Training Section to ensure that it can balance both the critical and extraordinary demands of training five recruit classes—not a requirement of the Consent Decree but a practical reality in light of officer attrition rates and the City's public commitments—while making sufficient progress on the Consent Decree. This may also include securing the full-time expertise of non-sworn personnel to serve as curriculum development professionals within the Training Section. Developing the capacity of the Training Section will require the support of the City, both in concept and with budget. The training levels established during the Consent Decree process are not anomalies—they are the new normal and the City and CDP need to ensure that the Training Section is equipped to develop and deliver high-quality trainings into the future.

Academy Training and Field Training Program

Along with requirements for annual in-service training for existing CDP officers, the “Consent Decree . . . contains certain obligations relating to the training of new officers at the Academy.”⁹⁹ Likewise, it addresses the Division's field training program, in which recent Academy graduates participate during their early days on the force.¹⁰⁰

As the Monitoring Team has previously summarized, the City and Division have to date focused on developing and implementing core training for current CDP officers. Nevertheless, CDP will need to “review and revise” its academy and field training programs such that they are meeting the requirements of the Decree.¹⁰¹ This necessarily entails a comprehensive, top-to-bottom review of all training curricula and programs. Subsequently, the Monitoring Team must ensure that instruction, as delivered, conforms to the curricula, and that the field training program is proceeding according to Decree-required expectations.

⁹⁹ Dkt. 97 at 55; Dkt. 7-1 ¶¶ 271, 275, 277.

¹⁰⁰ Dkt. 7-1 ¶¶ 282–87.

¹⁰¹ *Id.*

B. Equipment & Resources

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
291. “The City will implement” paragraphs regarding equipment and resources in order to allow implementation of the Consent Decree “and to allow officers to perform their jobs safely, effectively, and efficiently.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
292. “CDP will complete a comprehensive equipment and resource study to assess its current needs and priorities,” and it “will develop an effective, comprehensive Equipment and Resource Plan that is consistent with its mission and that will allow it to satisfy the requirements of this Agreement.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
293. “CDP’s Equipment and Resource Plan will provide for necessary equipment including, at least” “an adequate number of computers”; “an adequate number of operable and safe zone cars”; “zone cards with reliable, functioning computers that provide officers with up-to-date technology” including computer-aided dispatch, the records management system, and various core law enforcement systems; and “zone cards equipped with first-aid kits.” “This plan also will ensure that CDP properly maintains and seeks to continuously improve upon existing equipment and technology; and is appropriately identifying equipment needs and seeking to utilize, as appropriate, emerging technologies.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
294. “CDP will actively seek input and feedback from the Commission, patrol officers, and supervisors regarding resource allocation, equipment needs, and technological improvements.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
295. “City and CDP” must “us[e] best efforts to implement the Equipment and Resource Plan as required.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
296. “CDP will . . . implement an effective, centralized records management system.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
297. “CDP will utilize a department-wide e-mail system to improve communication and information sharing.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
298. “CDP will employ information technology professionals who are trained to conduct crime and intelligence analysis, who are capable of troubleshooting and maintaining information technology systems and who can identify and suggest appropriate technological advancements.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
299. “CDP will implement an effective employee assistance program that provides officers ready access to the mental health and support resources necessary to facilitate effective and constitutional policing.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

Background

The Consent Decree requires the City of Cleveland to “develop an effective, comprehensive Equipment and Resource Plan that is consistent with its mission and that will allow it to satisfy the requirements of this Agreement.”¹⁰² The Plan must “provide for necessary equipment including, at least . . . an adequate number of computers; an adequate number of operable and safe zone cars; zone cars with reliable, functioning computers that provide officers with up-to-date technology, including” mobile computer-aided dispatch (“CAD”), access to the Division’s records management system (“RMS”), and access to law enforcement databases; and “zone cars equipped with first-aid kits”¹⁰³ It must address how the Division will satisfy the other substantive requirements of the Decree.¹⁰⁴ It likewise must “ensure that CDP” both “properly maintains and seeks to continuously improve upon existing equipment and technology” and “is appropriately identifying equipment needs and seeking to utilize, as appropriate, emerging technologies.”¹⁰⁵

Where the Division Stands

In the prior reporting period, the City completed its Equipment and Resource Plan, which outlines various upgrades to ensure that the Division of Police has the tools necessary to provide high-quality public safety services, engage meaningfully with the community, and implement the requirements of the Consent Decree.

In the current reporting period, the City’s Information Technology (“IT”) team has stated that it has been working to refresh the Division’s PC inventory, ordering and deploying 120 new PCs to be deployed through the Division. It also states that it is working to order additional modems and mobile data computers. In the near future, CDP’s Law Enforcement Records Management System (“LERMS”) will be upgraded to a more up-to-date version.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Given the relatively recent completion of the Equipment and Resource Plan and the scope of changes contemplated in the Plan, the Division and the City’s IT staff will need additional time for the changes to manifest in ways that tangibly improve officer productivity and safety.

Since the Court’s approval of the Equipment and Resource Plan, the Monitoring Team has taken occasional visits to CDP District stations to observe and assess how stations are equipped with, among other things, computers, IT networking, zone cars, and mobile technology. Yet the Team must conduct assessments—in a systemic manner, assessing the entirety of all CDP’s equipment across time and different locations—to be able to evaluate whether the City’s reported upgrades to equipment and technology, as well as the specific steps outlined in the Equipment and Resource Plan, are occurring as contemplated and whether the changes are, in fact, improving the day-to-day operations of CDP staff.

¹⁰² Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 292.

¹⁰³ *Id.* ¶ 293.

¹⁰⁴ *Id.* ¶ 292.

¹⁰⁵ *Id.* ¶ 293.

The Monitoring Team will systematically audit the Division’s progress in enhancing its equipment, IT infrastructure, and resources in the coming months.

C. Recruitment & Hiring

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
300. “CDP will review and revise . . . its recruitment and hiring program to ensure that CDP successfully attracts and hires a diverse group of qualified individuals.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
301. “The Mayor will work with the City Council to develop an ordinance to place a Charter Amendment on the ballot that would give the appointing authority greater flexibility in the selection of candidates from the certified eligibility list for the CDP.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
302. “CDP will develop a recruitment policy and a strategic recruitment plan that includes clear goals, objectives, and action steps for attracting qualified applicants from a broad cross-section of the community” and meets certain specific, expressly-listed requirements.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
303. “The City will implement the recruitment plan within 60 days of it being approved by the Monitor.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
304. “CDP’s recruitment plan will include specific strategies for attracting a diverse group of applicants,” including officers with various, specific, expressly-listed skills and backgrounds.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
305. “In developing and implementing its recruitment plan, CDP will consult with the [Community Police] Commission and other community stakeholders on strategies to attract a diverse pool of applicants.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
306. “[O]bjective system for hiring and selecting recruits” that “employs reliable and valid selection criteria.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
307. “CDP will report annually to the public its recruiting activities and outcomes,” which will include information on various, expressly-listed areas.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
308. “[A]ll candidates for sworn personnel positions” will have “psychological and medical examination” and be subject to “drug testing.” Existing officers receive “random drug testing.”	GENERAL COMPLIANCE
309. “CDP will conduct thorough, objective, and timely background investigations of candidates for sworn positions” that cover various, expressly-listed topics.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
310. “CDP will request to review personnel files from candidates’ previous employment and, where possible, will speak with the candidate’s supervisor(s)” and maintain any “salient information . . . in candidate’s file.”	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
311. “If a candidate has previous law enforcement experience, CDP will complete a thorough, objective, and timely pre-employment investigation” addressing various expressly-identified things.	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree requires the City to “integrate community and problem-oriented policing principles” into its recruitment practices, and to “develop a recruitment policy and a strategic recruitment plan that includes clear goals, objectives, and action steps for attracting qualified applicants from a broad cross-section of the community . . . [and] establish[es] and clearly identif[ies] the goals of CDP’s recruitment efforts.”¹⁰⁶

Where the Division Stands Now

In the prior reporting period, the Division completed its Recruitment and Hiring Plan, which incorporates feedback from the Department of Justice, Monitoring Team, and the expressed concerns of the Cleveland public. The Plan was approved by the Court on February 20, 2019.¹⁰⁷

Since then, the Monitoring Team has not actively assessed CDP’s progress on implementing the Recruitment and Hiring Plan. Indeed, CDP will need more time before it can meaningfully report on how it is accomplishing the stated goals of the Court-approved Plan. As described below, as the CDP reports on its recruiting activities and outcomes, the Team will be positioned to say how far the CDP has come—or still needs to go—to meeting the terms of the Decree.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Following the Court’s approval of the Recruitment and Hiring Plan, CDP must “report annually to the public its recruiting activities and outcomes,” including disaggregated data on applicants, interviewees, and selectees, as well as the successes and challenges to recruiting qualified and high-quality applicants.¹⁰⁸ The Monitoring Team will continue to gauge progress by analyzing the numbers and trends with respect to applicants and hired recruits, as well as by working with the City to provide ongoing technical assistance on the Plan’s implementation.

D. Performance Evaluations and Promotions

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
312. “CDP will ensure that officers who police professionally and effectively are recognized through the performance evaluation process” and “are identified and receive appropriate consideration for performance.” Likewise, “poor performance” must be “reflected in officer evaluations.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
313. “CDP will develop and implement fair and consistent practices to accurately evaluate officer performance in areas related to integrity, community policing, and critical police functions, on both an ongoing and annual basis.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

¹⁰⁶ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 302.

¹⁰⁷ Dkt. 239.

¹⁰⁸ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 307.

314-15. CDP will use “a formalized system documenting the annual performance evaluations of each officer by the officer’s direct supervisor,” including an assessment of several expressly-listed areas. “Supervisors will meet with the employee whose performance is being evaluated to discuss the evaluation.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
316. “CDP will hold supervisors of all ranks accountable for conducting timely, accurate, and complete performance evaluations of their subordinates.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
317. “CDP will develop and implement fair and consistent promotion practices that comport with the requirements of this Agreement and result in the promotion of officers who are effective and professional.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
318. In considering promotion, “appointing authority will consider” specific, expressly-listed “factors.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

CDP must address how it evaluates officer performance and must ensure that high-performing officers have access to promotional opportunities. Under the Consent Decree, CDP must “develop and implement fair and consistent practices to accurately evaluate officers” across a number of dimensions, including ‘integrity, community policing, and critical police functions.’”¹⁰⁹

Where the Division Stands

In the current reporting period, CDP began early work to create a policy on performance evaluations. This policy will be critical in the Division’s ability to implement major policies and plans such as use of force, community and problem-oriented policing, crisis intervention, and bias-free policing. The Monitoring Team and Department of Justice will work with CDP in the coming reporting period to finalize a policy that satisfies the requirements of the Consent Decree.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Under the Fourth Year Monitoring Plan, CDP will incorporate community and problem-oriented policing principles into its promotions and evaluations by the end of 2019. This work, which must align with the new expectations that have been set by Court-approved policies and plans, will greatly enhance professional development opportunities within the Division and provide an important, non-punitive mechanism for employee management. As described above, early work on this initiative, through a Division policy on performance evaluations, has begun.

¹⁰⁹ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 313.

E. Staffing

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
319. “CDP will complete a comprehensive staffing study to assess the appropriate number of sworn and civilian personnel to perform the functions necessary for CDP to fulfill its mission, and satisfy the requirements of the” Consent Decree. / “CDP will develop an effective, comprehensive Staffing Plan that is consistent with its mission, including community and problem-oriented policing, and that will allow CDP to meet the requirements of” the Consent Decree.	OPERATIONAL COMPLIANCE
320. Requirements of CDP Staffing Plan.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
321. “The City and CDP will employ best efforts to implement the Staffing Plan over the period of time set forth in the approved plan.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree contemplates changes to CDP’s approach to staffing, assigning, and deploying its personnel within the city of Cleveland. Under the requirements of the Decree, for example, CDP must:

- Implement a “comprehensive and integrated policing model”¹¹⁰;
- Ensure rigorous investigations and reviews of force incidents¹¹¹;
- Ensure that specialized crisis intervention officers “are dispatched to an incident involving an individual in crisis” and are able to “have primary responsibility for the scene”¹¹²;
- Provide supervisors with the ability to “review all documentation of investigatory stops, searches, and arrests”¹¹³;
- Ensure that officers can receive the training required by the Decree¹¹⁴;
- Provide necessary opportunity for “first line supervisors [to] provide close and effective supervision of officers”¹¹⁵;
- Implement the Early Intervention System¹¹⁶; and
- Provide supervisors with the ability to “conduct adequate random and directed audits of body worn camera recordings.”¹¹⁷

¹¹⁰ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 27.

¹¹¹ *Id.* at ¶¶ 93-130.

¹¹² *Id.* at ¶ 151.

¹¹³ *Id.* at ¶ 168.

¹¹⁴ *Id.* at ¶ 271.

¹¹⁵ *Id.* at ¶ 322.

¹¹⁶ *Id.* at ¶ 326-36.

¹¹⁷ *Id.* at ¶ 339.

These provisions require changes in the way that CDP will deploy its existing personnel and in the overall number of sworn and civilian personnel. To that end, the Consent Decree specifically envisions a Staffing Plan by which the CDP must “address and provide for each of the following”:

- “[P]ersonnel deployment to ensure effective community and problem-oriented policing;
- “[A] sufficient number of well-trained staff and resources to conduct timely misconduct investigations;
- “[T]o the extent feasible, Unity of Command; and
- “[A] sufficient number of supervisors.”¹¹⁸

Where the Division Stands Now

In the prior reporting period, the Division completed the Decree-mandated Staffing Plan after working with the Department of Justice and Monitoring Team and considering public feedback solicited by the Community Police Commission.

Since then, the Monitoring Team has not actively assessed CDP’s progress on implementing the Staffing Plan. CDP will need more time to internally assess, prepare, and execute before it can report on how it is accomplishing the stated goals of the Court-approved Plan.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

The Monitoring Team has previously observed that major requirements of the Decree, such as the implementation of CDP’s new community and problem-oriented policing paradigm, are directly linked to the Division’s ability to make the operational changes contemplated in the approved Staffing Plan. The Division’s efforts on this front will need to continue in order for Decree-required policies, procedures, and plans to be fully and effectively implemented.

¹¹⁸ *Id.* at ¶ 320.

XII. SUPERVISION

A. First-Line Supervisors

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
322. “CDP will ensure that first line supervisors provide close and effective supervision of officers” in a number of express, specifically-identified ways.	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
323. “CDP will develop and implement supervisory training for all new and current supervisors” that is “adequate in quality, quantity, type, and scope, and will include” a number of specific, expressly-listed topics.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
324. “Thereafter all sworn supervisors will receive adequate in-service management training.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED
325. “CDP will hold supervisors directly accountable for the quality and effectiveness of their supervision, including whether supervisors identify and effectively respond to misconduct and ensure that officers effectively engage with the community.”	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree requires CDP to ensure “close and effective supervision of officers.”¹¹⁹ Supervisors must be held “directly accountable for the quality and effectiveness of their supervision” of officers in their command.¹²⁰

In addition to new policies more clearly and specifically defining the various roles and duties of supervisors, the Consent Decree requires supervisory training for “all new and current supervisors” covering an array of important topics, including:

- Techniques for effectively guiding and directing officers and promoting effective and constitutional police practices;
- De-escalating conflict;
- Evaluating written reports, including identification of canned or conclusory language that is not accompanied by specific facts;
- Investigating officer uses of force;
- Building community partnerships and guiding officers on this requirement;
- Understanding supervisory tools such as the Officer Intervention Program and body worn cameras;
- Responding to and investigating allegations of officer misconduct;
- Evaluating officer performance;
- Consistent disciplinary sanction and non-punitive corrective action;
- Monitoring use of force to ensure consistency with policies; and

¹¹⁹ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 322.

¹²⁰ *Id.* ¶ 325.

- Legal updates.¹²¹

Where the Division Stands

Supervisor Training

In the current reporting period, the Court approved the Division's basic Supervisor training curriculum on March 7, 2019.¹²² Scheduled to launch alongside other Decree-required supervisory training in the upcoming reporting period, the four-hour training includes both general leadership skills that would be valuable for any manager or supervisor, as well as CDP-specific subjects including how to promote community engagement, the CDP's current Early Intervention System, body-worn cameras, and the Division's progressive disciplinary matrix.

Critically, given the Division's formal commitment to a philosophy of community and problem-oriented policing, the Supervisor Training encourages supervisors to ensure that officers understand their roles and responsibilities as part of the Division's commitment to CPOP. Supervisors are expected to show their commitment to CPOP, model community engagement by personally engaging with community members, emphasize that frontline officers are the key component of CPOP, and publicly commend officers who have demonstrated exceptional ability to work collaboratively with members of the public.

The Curriculum also instructs supervisors on how to de-escalate situations before a use of force may be necessary, including by arriving on scene and acting as a mediator, demonstrating compassion to defuse a tense situation, and calling for specialized Crisis Intervention Team officers where the incident may involve a behavioral health crisis.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Continuing Professional Development

In the upcoming reporting period, the Team anticipates that CDP will be positioned to launch a number of important supervisory training initiatives, including its general supervisory skills curriculum described above. Further, the Monitoring Team reiterates that CDP needs to develop a clear track for supervisors to develop as professionals. Supervisors must be able to think proactively and affirmatively about how to implement the Division's mission, values, and strategic initiatives on a day-to-day basis—and how to ensure that their officers are performing at the level necessary to keep themselves and Cleveland safe.

The supervisor training on departmental policies and leadership skills that will begin in the upcoming reporting period represents only one preliminary training initiative. As the Monitoring Team has previously noted, the skills that make someone a good police officer—in terms of handling unfolding incidents or responding to rapidly evolving situations—is not always consistent with the skills necessary to be a good police manager—such as overseeing employees, implementing and executing on the organization's strategic goals, and the like. As with other professions, law enforcement increasingly recognizes that good leaders are more often made rather than born, and that even individuals with strong leadership skills can benefit from developing them further. The

¹²¹ Dkt. 7-1 ¶ 323.

¹²² Dkt. 248.

Division has previously signaled an interest in developing a formal leadership development program, and the Monitoring Team looks forward to working with CDP to make this a reality.

Data and Compliance and Outcome Measures

As indicated above, the Consent Decree requires that CDP rigorously track instances in which supervisors identify problematic performance and log supervisors' responses when such problems are identified. The Division needs to implement a process for systematically tracking this information so that it can evaluate, in aggregate, the performance of its supervisors. Separately, the Monitoring Team's evaluations of use of force and Internal Affairs incidents will touch on supervisor performance in those areas.

B. Officer Intervention Program

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
326. CDP "will create a plan to modify its Officer Intervention Program ('OIP') to enhance its effectiveness as a management tool to promote supervisory awareness and proactive identification of potentially problematic behavior among officers.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
327. "CDP supervisors will regularly use OIP data to evaluate the performance of CDP officers across all ranks, units, and shifts."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
328. "The OIP will include a computerized relational database that will be used to collect, maintain, integrate, and retrieve data department-wide" in a number of specific, expressly-identified areas.	EVALUATION DEFERRED
329. "CDP will set threshold levels for each OIP indicator that will trigger a formal review, and the thresholds will allow for peer-group comparisons between officers with similar assignments and duties."	EVALUATION DEFERRED
330-36. Additional express requirements of OIP.	EVALUATION DEFERRED

Background

The Consent Decree requires that CDP's existing Officer Intervention Program be comprehensively transformed into an effective "early intervention system." An early intervention system ("EIS") is a proactive risk assessment tool that provides individualized supervision and support to officers in order to manage risk. An effective EIS relies on a database that logs information on officer activities—such as stops, arrests, uses of force, firearm discharges, and citizen complaints—and allows police departments to identify problematic patterns of behavior by individual officers or groups of officers who may need non-disciplinary intervention and support. It also may flag issues such as operating a vehicle under the influence.

The Consent Decree requires that the Division's OIP become a broader management tool that will "proactive[ly] identif[y]...potentially problematic behavior among officers" and provide non-punitive supervisory intervention in order to "modify officers' behavior and improve performance" before the performance gradually becomes deep-

seated and difficult to resolve.¹²³ The Decree requires the implementation and use of “a computerized relational database that will be used to collect, maintain, integrate, and retrieve data department-wide” on officer performance.¹²⁴

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The Fourth Year Monitoring Plan contemplates initial work on implementing the type of early intervention process and infrastructure—informed by the broader and more reliable data being logged in the Division’s IAPro and other data systems—occurring later in the monitoring year.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Creation of EIS Plan

The City and Division plan to draft an EIS Plan in the upcoming reporting period. The Monitoring Team looks forward to working with the Division to develop a plan that satisfies the Decree’s requirements.

Training & Involvement of Supervisors

As the CDP formalizes its EIP plan, supervisors will be required to regularly review performance data generated by the EIP. When an officer reaches a defined threshold in a performance indicator, a supervisor will be required to assess an officer’s performance to determine whether it may appropriate to intervene and identify and treat any issue that may impacting the officer’s work.

Training & Communication with Officers

Officers will need to understand what the new EIS is, what it is not, and how it differs from the analogous system that the Division has had in place for a number of years. Consequently, CDP will need to develop a meaningful training initiative.

Compliance with EIS Plan & Policies

After relevant policies are written and approved, and training for supervisors and officers developed and completed, the EIS will need to be implemented for a material span of time. Thereafter, the Consent Decree requires that the Monitoring Team assess whether the system is proceeding according to the requirements of policy and the Consent Decree—and whether, ultimately, it appears to be assisting the Division in identifying instances where non-disciplinary action or intervention might enhance the quality of officer performance.

¹²³ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶¶ 326-27.

¹²⁴ *Id.* at ¶ 328.

C. Body-Worn Cameras

Paragraph	Status of Compliance
337. “If CDP chooses to use body worn cameras, CDP will provide clear guidance and training on their use, and will implement protocols for testing equipment and preservation of recordings to foster transparency, increase accountability, and build trust, while protecting the privacy rights of individuals.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
338. “Supervisors will review recordings related to any incident involving at least a Level 2 or 3 use of force; injuries to officers; and in conjunction with any other supervisory investigation.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
339. “Supervisors will conduct adequate random and directed audits of body worn camera recordings” and “incorporate the knowledge gained from this review into their ongoing evaluation and supervision of officers.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE
340. “Officers will be subject to the disciplinary process for intentional or otherwise unjustified failure to activate body worn cameras in violation of CDP policy.”	PARTIAL COMPLIANCE

Background

Although the “use of body worn cameras is not required by” the Consent Decree, the Decree does contain requirements if CDP decides to institute body cameras.¹²⁵ In 2013, the Division began using body-worn cameras. Having elected to do so, CDP is required by the Decree to “provide clear guidance and training on their use, and . . . implement protocols for testing equipment and preservation of recording to foster transparency, increase accountability, and build trust, while protecting the privacy rights of individuals.”¹²⁶ The Decree also outlines supervisor responsibilities for viewing recorded incidents and “conduct[ing] adequate random and directed audits of body worn camera recordings . . . to confirm compliance with CDP policy.”¹²⁷ CDP must also ensure that officers are “subject to the disciplinary process for intentional or otherwise unjustified failure to activate” cameras in accordance with CDP policy.¹²⁸

Currently, all CDP patrol officers are equipped with and trained on Axon’s Body 2 camera system and are expected, under policy, to use them when working a City shift.

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In the current reporting period, the Parties and Monitoring Team have not actively worked on issues relating to body-worn cameras. The Division and its officers continue to use them to capture incidents and interactions.

¹²⁵ Dkt. 7-1 at ¶ 337.

¹²⁶ *Id.* at ¶ 337.

¹²⁷ *Id.* at ¶¶ 338-39.

¹²⁸ *Id.* at ¶ 340.

Progress and Tasks that Remain

Compliance with Policy

Going forward, the Monitoring Team will still need to ensure that the Division is meaningfully holding officers accountable for complying with the various provisions of the body-worn camera policy—not just in isolated incidents, or when other problematic performance brings a certain incident to the Division’s attention, but across time and officers.

General Policy for the Release of CDP Information

The Monitoring Team has previously predicated approval of the Body-Worn Camera policies on the understanding that the City and CDP will establish a general policy for the release of records, data, and information—including but not limited to body-worn camera footage—to the public. The Monitoring Team looks forward to working with the Division on establishing these protocols to enhance transparency and accountability.

XIII. COMPLIANCE & OUTCOME ASSESSMENTS

A full accounting of 2018 outcome measures is attached to this Report as Exhibit A.



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EXHIBIT A

2018 Measures as of Sept 2019

EXHIBIT A: 2018 Outcome Measures

	Consent Decree Paragraph	Consent Decree Section	Topic	Name of Measure	Included in Baseline? (yes/no)	Source of Data	2015 Data Collected	2016 Data Collected	2017 Data Collected	2018 Data Collected	% increase or decrease from 2015 through 2016	% increase or decrease from 2016 through 2017	% increase or decrease from 2017 through 2018	Compound annual growth rate (CAGR) from 2015 through 2018	Validated by Source (yes/no)	Comments
1	367	a	Use of Force (UOF)													
2	367	a. 1	UOF	UoF Charges	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
3				# of UoF charges			350	307	242	380	-12%	-21%	57%	2%	yes	2015/Baseline: Validational data from CPD captured 349 use of force cases (based on timing of data request); 2016: Validational data from CPD captured 318 use of force cases (based on timing of data request). 2017: 237 use of force cases identified by CPD, but 242 citizens involved in UoF incidents. 2018: 338 use of force cases identified by CPD, but 380 citizens involved in UoF incidents
4				# of non-UoF charges			38,920	31,968	33,085	26,707	-18%	3%	-19%	-9%	yes	2015: 39,270 charges; 2016: 32275 charges
5	367	a. 1	UOF	UoF Charges ending in arrests	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
6				# UoF ending in arrests			285	243	191	296	-15%	-21%	55%	1%	yes	2015 Validational data from CPD captured 289 Arrests with 609 different charge types
7				Total # of non-UoF ending in arrests			24,086	19,425	18,785	15,319	-19%	-3%	-18%	-11%	yes	24,371 total arrests in 2015; 19,668 total arrests in 2016; 18,976 total arrests in 2017; 15,615 total arrests in 2018
8	367	a. 1	UOF	UoF rates	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
9				UoF as % of all charges			0.9%	1.0%	0.7%	1.4%	7%	-24%	93%	12%	yes	
10				UoF arrests as % of all arrests			1.2%	1.2%	1.0%	1.9%	6%	-19%	88%	13%	yes	
11				% of UoFs ending in arrest			81%	79%	79%	78%	-3%	0%	-1%	-1%	yes	
12				% of non-UoFs ending in arrest			62%	61%	57%	57%	-2%	-7%	1%	-2%	yes	
13	367	a. 1	UOF	District	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
14				District 1			36	29	25	34	-19%	-14%	36%	-1%	yes	
15				District 2			64	57	54	82	-11%	-5%	52%	6%	yes	
16				District 3			100	114	68	69	14%	-40%	1%	-9%	yes	
17				District 4			85	64	52	87	-25%	-19%	67%	1%	yes	
18				District 5			61	39	37	103	-36%	-5%	178%	14%	yes	
19				outside city			4	1	1	5	-75%	0%	400%	6%	yes	
20				Unknown/NULL			.	3	5	0	.	67%	-100%	.	yes	
21	367	a. 1	UOF	Force type	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						These data are for all officers that used force. Multiple force types used by officers per citizen. 2015 total =1311; 2016 total=1210; 2017 total=1018; 2018 total=645
22				Balance Displacement			76	1	0	0	-99%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
23				Body Force/Body Weight			477	176	191	64	-63%	9%	-66%	-39%	yes	Body force now includes body weight for 2015-2017
24				Control Hold-Restraint			217	323	225	66	49%	-30%	-71%	-26%	yes	
25				Control Hold-Takedown			65	124	68	39	91%	-45%	-43%	-12%	yes	
26				De-Escalation			.	.	.	104.	.	.	.	.	yes	This category was new in 2018
27				Firearm Point			.	.	.	191.	.	.	.	.	yes	This category was new in 2018
28				Joint Manipulation			137	159	93	36	16%	-42%	-61%	-28%	yes	
29				Tackling/Takedown			142	63	46	43	-56%	-27%	-7%	-26%	yes	

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30				Taser			44	36	47	27	-18%	31%	-43%	-11%	yes	Note: Taser includes when the taser was displayed or used. From 2019 onwards, this number will only include when the taser is used
31				Verbal/Physical Gestures			31	0	0	0	-100%	0%	0%	-100%	yes	Might now be captured in de-escalation category which is new in 2018
32				Pressure Point/Pressure Point Control			40	151	180	68	278%	19%	-62%	14%	yes	This category was in other in 2015 and 2016 and has now been broken out for all 3 years
33				Push			4	90	83	36	2150%	-8%	-57%	73%	yes	This category was in other in 2015 and 2016 and has now been broken out for all 3 years
34				Other (1-25 instance each)			48	77	78	41	60%	1%	-47%	-4%	yes	This is a designation created by the Monitoring Team and includes several categories with fewer than 25 instances. These are not classified as "Other" in IAPro or by the CPD
35				Unknown/NULL/#N/A			30	10	7	0	-67%	-30%	-100%	-100%	yes	
36	367	a. 1	UOF	Arrest type	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						These data are for all UoF (2015 total UoF=774; 2016 total UoF=1110) not arrests (2015 total arrests=285; 2016 total arrests=244) and not charge types (2015 total charge types=350; 2016 total charge types=308)
37				Violence toward Police Officer			7	105	66	34	1400%	-37%	-48%	48%	yes	
38				Violence toward Others			158	156	73	107	-1%	-53%	47%	-9%	yes	
39				Damage to Property			57	76	33	83	33%	-57%	152%	10%	yes	
40				Obstructing Justice			207	370	224	220	79%	-39%	-2%	2%	yes	
41				Crisis Intervention			40	69	55	29	73%	-20%	-47%	-8%	yes	
42				Drugs/Alcohol			47	31	30	39	-34%	-3%	30%	-5%	yes	
43				Cleveland Codified Ord. - Part 6			84	150	73	64	79%	-51%	-12%	-7%	yes	This category was in other in 2015
44				Miscellaneous offense			18	39	33	45	117%	-15%	36%	26%	yes	This category was in other in 2015
45				NULL			84	23	0	0	-73%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	This category was in other in 2015
46				Other (1-25 instance each)			72	63	34	43	-13%	-46%	26%	-12%	yes	
47	367	a. 1	UOF	Race	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
48				Black			259	219	188	302	-15%	-14%	61%	4%	yes	
49				White			77	69	68	49	-10%	-1%	-28%	-11%	yes	
50				Hispanic			9	12	11	18	33%	0%	64%	19%	yes	
51				Asian			1	1	0	1	0%	-100%	N/A	0%	yes	
52				Other			1	3	5	4	200%	67%	-20%	41%	yes	
53				Unknown/NULL			3	3	0	6	0%	-100%	N/A	19%	yes	
54	367	a. 1	UOF	Ethnicity	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
55				Hispanic/Latino			9	12	11	18	33%	-8%	64%	19%	yes	
56				Non-Hispanic/Latino			338	292	261	362	-14%	-11%	39%	2%	yes	
57				Unknown/NULL			3	3	0	0	0%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
58	367	a. 1	UOF	Age	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						For 2018, the categories have been changed to 17 and under (vs. under 21); then 18-29 (vs. 21-29); The data from 2015-2017 have been updated to reflect this change
59				17 and under (juveniles)			31	36	16	28	16%	-56%	75%	-3%	yes	
60				18-29 years			166	148	117	167	-11%	-21%	43%	0%	yes	
61				30-39 years			68	59	86	96	-13%	46%	12%	9%	yes	
62				40-49 years			39	26	27	42	-32%	4%	56%	2%	yes	
63				50-59 years			18	16	11	27	-11%	-31%	145%	11%	yes	
64				60+ years			11	10	6	2	-9%	-40%	-67%	-35%	yes	
65				Unknown/NULL			17	13	9	6	-24%	-31%	-33%	-23%	yes	
66	367	a. 1	UOF	Gender	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
67				Male			265	223	212	338	-16%	-5%	59%	6%	yes	
68				Female			82	82	60	42	0%	-27%	-30%	-15%	yes	
69				Unknown/NULL			3	2	0	-12	-33%	-100%	N/A	#NUM!	yes	
70	367	a. 1	UOF	Mental State	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
71				Mental Crisis			42	0	0	0	-100%	0%	N/A	-100%	yes	more granular data collected in 2016 and 2017

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72				Behavioral Crisis Event			13	68	119	82	423%	75%	-31%	58%	yes	more granular data collected in 2016 and 2017
73				Medical Condition	no	IAPro	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
74				Drugs / ETOH	yes	IAPro	138	131	223	184	-5%	70%	-17%	7%	yes	Only drugs and alcohol as noted in IAPro
75				Unimpaired/None Detected	yes (new)		67	102	150	309	52%	47%	106%	47%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline and 2016 but not specified in Consent Decree
76				Unknown/NULL	yes (new)		90	3	23	24	-97%	667%	4%	-28%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline and 2016 but not specified in Consent Decree
77				Known Medical Condition	yes (new)		.	3	1	3	.	-67%	200%	.	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline and 2016 but not specified in Consent Decree
78				Visible Physical Disability	yes (new)		.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	yes	New item CPD now collects
79																
80	367	a. 2	UOF	Officer injuries	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
81				# officers injured	yes		134	192	212	58	43%	10%	-73%	-19%	yes	2018: Officers are advised to select “yes” to injury and/or hospitalization if at least 1 involved officer was injured and/or hospitalized. Therefore, 2018 data represent the number incidents in which at least 1 officer was injured and/or hospitalized. Officer injury is defined as the number of officers who were injured AND filled out an injury packet (31 officers) as well as those who did not fill out an injury packet but selected an injury type (12 officers) under the officer condition variable. CPD is moving away from capturing officer injury at the incident level and have advised officers to select “yes” to injury and/or hospitalization only in regards themselves. This means 2018 is not apples to apples with prior years and therefore % increases and CAGR in 2018 are not an accurate reflection of changes
82				rate of officer injuries change overall	no		.	-30%	-9%	266%	.	-76%	N/A	.	yes	This represents the year over year rate of change. This number was incorrectly calculated for 2015-2018 and has now been updated
83	367	a. 2	UOF	Officer injuries severity	yes	IAPro	.	.	.	640	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
84				No Injuries			.	.	.	532	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
85				Abrasion			.	.	.	18	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
86				Bodily Fluid/Exposure			.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
87				Bruise			.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
88				Hospital			.	.	.	22	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
89				Laceration			.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
90				Refused Treatment			.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
91				Soft Tissue Damage			.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
92				Sprain/Strain/Twist			.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
93				Treated & Released			.	.	.	13	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
94				Other/.			.	.	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
95	367	a. 2	UOF	Public/subject injuries	yes	IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
96				# public/subject injuries	yes		77	69	98	75	-10%	42%	-23%	-1%	yes	Public injuries is citizen injuries. This was misreported as 112 in baseline, but corrected here.
97				overall	no		.	-10%	-76%	23%	.	N/A	N/A	.	yes	
98	367	a. 2	UOF	Public/Subject injuries severity	yes	IAPro	.	.	.	663	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
99				No Injuries			.	.	.	242	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
100				Abrasion			.	.	.	36	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
101				Behavioral Crisis			.	.	.	28	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
102				Complaint			.	.	.	21	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018

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103				EMS				.	.	.	77	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
104				Hospital				.	.	.	95	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
105				Laceration				.	.	.	14	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
106				Pre-Existing Medical Condition				.	.	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
107				Puncture				.	.	.	13	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
108				Refused Medical Treatment				.	.	.	12	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
109				Self-Inflicted/Self-Induced				.	.	.	15	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
110				Treated & Released				.	.	.	44	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
111				None Identified				.	.	.	34	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
112				Other/.				.	.	.	21	.	.	.	.	.	New category added in 2018
113	367	a. 2	UOF	Force complaints	yes	IA	see below	see below	see below	see below							
114				# of force complaints			43	17	33	33	-60%	94%	0%	-6%	yes		These data are by officer and not by case; These data are just from IA and does not include complaints through OPS
115				# of non-force complaints			73	93	96	119	27%	3%	24%	13%	yes		These data are by officer and not by case; These data are just from IA and does not include complaints through OPS
116	367	a. 2	UOF	disposition of force complaints	yes	IA	see below	see below	see below	see below							
117				Substantiated/Sustained			7	8	0	3	14%	-100%	N/A	-19%	yes		Includes category "Sustained Other" from 2015
118				Not Sustained			0	0	0	3	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	yes		This category was not in the 2015-2017 data
119				Administrative Closure			2	0	2	1	-100%	N/A	-50%	-16%	yes		
120				Exonerated/Within Policy			.	1	0	3	.	-100%	0%	.	yes		
121				Unfounded			0	0	0	1	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	yes		This category was not in the 2015-2017 data
122				Open			34	8	31	22	-76%	288%	-29%	-10%	yes		
123	367	a. 2	UOF	source (in/ext.) force complaints	no	IA	see below	see below	see below	see below							
124				Internal (CPD)	no		.	.	.	33	.	.	.	.	yes		New data captured in 2018; prior to 2018 Incomplete information; no systematic capturing of data through IA or OPS
125				External (non-CPD/Civilian)	no		.	.	.	0	.	.	.	.	yes		New data captured in 2018; prior to 2018 Incomplete information; no systematic capturing of data through IA or OPS
126	367	a. 2	UOF	force type	yes	IA, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below							lots of incomplete data (more than half data not present) from 2015-2017
127				Balance Displacement			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes		
128				Body Force			8	0	15	4	-100%	N/A	-73%	-16%	yes		
129				Control Hold-Restraint			2	8	11	6	300%	38%	-45%	32%	yes		
130				Control Hold-Takedown			0	3	5	3	N/A	67%	-40%	N/A	yes		
131				De-Escalation			.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	yes		This category was new in 2018
132				Firearm Point			.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	yes		This category was new in 2018
133				Firearm			.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	yes		This category was new in 2018
134				Joint Manipulation			1	2	13	2	100%	550%	-85%	19%	yes		
135				Tackling/Takedown			0	0	5	4	0%	N/A	-20%	N/A	yes		
136				Taser			1	0	6	4	-100%	N/A	-33%	41%	yes		
137				Verbal/Physical Gestures			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	N/A	yes		
138				Pressure Point/Pressure Point Control			.	.	15	5	.	.	-67%	.	yes		This category was in other in 2015 and 2016 and has now been broken out 2017
139				Push			.	.	5	5	.	.	0%	.	yes		This category was in other in 2015 and 2016 and has now been broken out for 2017
140				Other (1-25 instance each)			7	10	13	7	43%	30%	-46%	0%	yes		
141				Unknown/NULL			27	5	4	0	-81%	-20%	-100%	-100%	yes		
142	367	a. 2	UOF	geographic area	yes	IA											
143				District 1			2	0	4	0	-100%	N/A	-100%	-100%	yes		
144				District 2			0	4	3	6	N/A	-25%	100%	N/A	yes		
145				District 3			4	4	5	7	0%	25%	40%	15%	yes		
146				District 4			4	3	1	2	-25%	-67%	100%	-16%	yes		
147				District 5			3	0	4	1	-100%	N/A	-75%	-24%	yes		
148				outside city			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	N/A	yes		

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149				Unknown/NULL			10	6	4	0	-40%	-33%	-100%	-100%	yes	
150	367	a. 2	UOF	demographics of complainant	yes	IA, IAPro										
151				Black			11	6	12	11	-45%	100%	-8%	0%	yes	
152				White			2	2	5	3	0%	150%	-40%	11%	yes	
153				Hispanic			0	3	0	1	N/A	-100%	N/A	N/A	yes	
154				Asian			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	N/A	yes	
155				Other			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	N/A	yes	
156				Unknown/NULL			10	6	4	1	-40%	-33%	-75%	-44%	yes	
157																
158	367	a.3	ECW usage	# ECW and changes over time	yes	IAPro										
159				# of ECW	yes	IAPro	44	36	47	27	-18%	31%	-43%	-11%	yes	Note: Taser includes when the taser was displayed or used. From 2019 onwards, this number will only include when the taser is used
160				# of non-ECW UoF	yes	IAPro	1267	1174	971	688	-7%	-17%	-29%	-14%	yes	
161				changes compared to UOF	no		.	-11%	44%	-33%	.	N/A	-174%	.	yes	In 2015 there were 1311 force types used. In 2016 there were 1210. This number therefore represents the change in non-taser force types between 2015 and 2016 relative to the change in taser force type; same calculation used for 2016 to 2017
162				changes compared to weapon/force instrument	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	Data are not collected in detail to calculate this value
163																
164	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	# in violation	yes	Case Office	9	16	6	6	78%	-63%	0%	-10%	yes	
165	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	force type	yes	Case Office, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
166				Balance Displacement			2	0	0	0	-100%	0%	0%	-100%	yes	
167				Body Force			5	0	5	4	-100%	N/A	-20%	-5%	yes	
168				Control Hold-Restraint			0	7	6	2	N/A	-14%	-67%	N/A	yes	
169				Control Hold-Takedown			0	0	2	3	N/A	0%	50%	N/A	yes	
170				Joint Manipulation			2	0	3	4	-100%	N/A	33%	19%	yes	
171				Tackling/Takedown			0	3	0	0	N/A	-100%	0%	0%	yes	
172				Taser			0	3	1	0	N/A	-67%	-100%	0%	yes	
173				Verbal/Physical Gestures			1	0	0	0	-100%	0%	N/A	-100%	yes	
174				Control			.	.	5	1	.	.	-80%	.	yes	
175				Push			.	.	6	0	.	.	-100%	.	yes	
176				Other (1-25 instance each)			2	13	5	4	550%	-62%	-20%	19%	yes	
177				Unknown/NULL			2	4	6	2	100%	50%	-67%	0%	yes	
178	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	geography	yes	Case Office, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						denotes district where incident occurred
179				District 1			1	1	0	2	0%	-100%	N/A	19%	yes	
180				District 2			3	4	0	2	33%	-100%	N/A	-10%	yes	
181				District 3			3	6	2	1	100%	-67%	-50%	-24%	yes	
182				District 4			1	3	3	1	200%	0%	-67%	0%	yes	
183				District 5			1	2	1	0	100%	-50%	-100%	-100%	yes	
184				outside city			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	N/A	yes	
185	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	arrest type	yes	Case Office, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						
186				Violence toward Police Officer			0	2	2	0	N/A	0%	-100%	N/A	yes	
187				Violence toward Others			3	2	0	0	-33%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
188				Damage to Property			4	0	0	0	-100%	0%	0%	-100%	yes	
189				Obstructing Justice			3	5	11	7	67%	120%	-36%	24%	yes	
190				Crisis Intervention			1	1	0	0	0%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
191				Drugs/Alcohol			0	2	2	1	N/A	0%	-50%	N/A	yes	
192				Other			4	12	5	9	200%	-58%	80%	22%	yes	

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193	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	race of subject	yes	Case Office, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						2015 data mistakenly reported the race of the officer, not of the subject. This has been corrected in this appendix and in the 2016 report
194				Black			6	6	4	5	0%	-33%	25%	-4%	yes	
195				White			1	2	1	1	100%	-50%	0%	0%	yes	
196				Hispanic			1	1	0	0	0%	-100%	N/A	-100%	yes	
197				Asian			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	yes	
198				Other			0	2	0	0	N/A	-100%	0%	N/A	yes	
199				Unknown/NULL			0	0	1	6	0%	N/A	500%	N/A	yes	
200	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	ethnicity of subject	yes	Case Office, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						2015 data mistakenly reported the ethnicity of the officer, not of the subject. This has been corrected in this appendix and in the 2016 report
201				Hispanic/Latino			1	1	0	0	0%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
202				Non-Hispanic/Latino			7	10	5	6	43%	-50%	20%	-4%	yes	
203				Unknown/NULL			0	0	1	0	0%	N/A	-100%	N/A		
204	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	age of subject	yes	Case Office, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						2015 data mistakenly reported the age of the officer, not of the subject. This has been corrected in this appendix and in the 2016 report
205				under 20 years			3	0	0	1	-100%	N/A	N/A	-24%	yes	
206				21-29 years			2	3	2	3	50%	-33%	50%	11%	yes	
207				30-39 years			0	4	2	2	N/A	-50%	0%	N/A	yes	
208				40-49 years			2	1	1	0	-50%	0%	-100%	-100%	yes	
209				50-59 years			0	1	0	0	N/A	-100%	N/A	N/A	yes	
210				60+ years			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	N/A	yes	
211				Unknown/NULL			1	2	1	0	100%	-50%	-100%	-100%	yes	
212	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	gender of subject	yes	Case Office, IAPro	see below	see below	see below	see below						2015 data mistakenly reported the gender of the officer, not of the subject. This has been corrected in this appendix and in the 2016 report
213				Male			8	11	3	5	38%	-73%	67%	-11%	yes	
214				Female			0	0	2	1	0%	N/A	-50%	N/A	yes	
215				Unknown/NULL			0	0	1	0	0%	N/A	-100%	0%	yes	
216	367	a.4	UOF violating policy	condition	no	Case Office, IAPro										
217				mental condition	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
218				medical condition	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
219				drugs/alcohol	no		.	6	4	3	.	-33%	-25%	.	yes	Not collected in baseline, collected in 2016 based on 11 citizens
220				Unimpaired	no		.	3	1	3	.	-67%	200%	.	yes	Not collected in baseline, collected in 2016 based on 11 citizens
221				Unknown/NULL	no		.	2	1	0	.	-50%	-100%	.	yes	Not collected in baseline, collected in 2016 based on 11 citizens
222				presence of disability	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
223																
224	367	a. 5	UOF violating policy	# of officers with > 1 UOF violating policy	yes	Case Office	0	1	0	0	N/A	-100%	0%	N/A	yes	
225																
226	367	a. 6	UOF violating policy	force reviews/investigations resulting in	yes	IA	see below	see below	see below	see below						
227				policy deficiency			5	11	3	1	120%	-73%	-67%	-33%	yes	Examination of data received shows most of the policy deficiencies were administrative/technical (i.e. late forms) and not substantive or due to tactics
228				training deficiency			2	0	0	0	-100%	0%	0%	-100%	yes	
229				tactics deficiency			2	5	3	3	150%	-40%	0%	11%	yes	
230				pending			0	0	0	2	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	yes	

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231	367	a. 7	quality of	investigations	no			in written summary	.	.	.	.	.	.	yes	Random sample selected by Monitoring Team and reviewed to capture the quality of the investigations
232	367	a. 7	quality of	review	no			in written summary	.	.	.	.	.	.	yes	Random sample selected by Monitoring Team and reviewed to capture the quality of the investigations
233	367	a. 7	quality of	# of investigations returned because incomplete	no	Chief's Office	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	no	Data has not been received as of June 2017
234	367	b	addressing individuals in crisis													
235	367	b. 1	addressing individuals in crisis	# calls for service and incidents involving an individual in crisis	no	CI Unit	10480	7890	8120	13460	-25%	3%	66%	6%		baseline, 2016, 2017, and 2018 aren't comparable. 2018: 1346 forms completed (reported quarterly) which is presumed to represent 10% of possible calls. 2017: 812 forms completed (which is 10% of total possible mental health calls); data from 11/1/16-11/30/17. 2016: 789 forms completed (which is 10% of total possible mental health calls); data from 10/1/15-10/31/16. 2015 Baseline: 1048 forms completed (which is 10% of total possible mental health calls); data from 1/1/14-9/30/15
236				Responded to by specialized CIT officer	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
237				Responded to by other	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
238	367	b. 1	addressing individuals in crisis	Direction of individuals in crisis	no		see below	see below	see below	see below						
239				directed to healthcare system			1009	672	1012	1489	-33%	51%	47%	10%	yes	SUBJECT DISPOSITION (pink slipped or voluntarily to SVCH, private hospital ER, referred to mental health treatment, handled by EMS); 0 referrals to mental health treatment in 2016; 19 referrals in 2015
240				directed to judicial system			12	2	8	7	-83%	300%	-13%	-13%	yes	# arrested
241				direction other			230	7	0	0	-97%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	other, complaint unfounded requiring no police action, subject stabilized; 0 complaint unfounded requiring no police action, subject stabilized in 2016; 18 in 2015
242				rate - directed to healthcare system			81%	99%	99%	100%	22%	1%	0%	5%	yes	
243				rate - directed to judicial system			1%	0%	1%	0%	-69%	167%	-40%	-16%	yes	
244				rate - direction other			18%	1%	0%	0%	-94%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
245																
246	367	b. 2	addressing individuals in crisis	# of UOF on individuals in crisis			14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		2015 data - "Use of non-deadly force report made"
247				type of force used			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		poor data
248				Balance Displacement			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		poor data
249				Body Force			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		poor data
250				Control Hold-Restraint			166	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		2015 data - "handcuffs"
251				Control Hold-Takedown			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		poor data
252				Joint Manipulation			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		poor data
253				Tackling/Takedown			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		poor data
254				Taser			5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		2015 data - "taser stun"
255				Verbal/Physical Gestures			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		poor data
256				Other (1-25 instance each)			40	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		2015 data - "other, fired, OC pepper spray"
257				Unknown/NULL			186	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		2015 data - "no response reported"
258	367	b. 2	addressing individuals in crisis	reason for interaction												
259				# subject armed/not armed			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
260				weapon type			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
261				resistance offered			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		

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262				description of attempts to de-escalate												809 CIT calls had a verbal de-escalation response from officers in 2015; 578 calls had a verbal de-escalation response from officers in 2016
263	367	c	stop, search, arrest													
264	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	# of investigatory stop, search, arrest	no	Compliance	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
265				# of investigatory stops			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
266				# of investigatory searches			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
267				# of investigatory arrests			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
268	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	% of investigatory stop, search, arrest											N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
269				# investigatory stops/# summons or arrest			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
270				# investigatory searches/# summons or arrest			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
271	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	District	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
272				District 1			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
273				District 2			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
274				District 3			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
275				District 4			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
276				District 5			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
277				outside city			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
278	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	Arrest type	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
279				Violence toward Police Officer			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
280				Violence toward Others			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
281				Damage to Property			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
282				Obstructing Justice			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
283				Crisis Intervention			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
284				Drugs/Alcohol			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
285				Other			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
286	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	Actual or perceived age	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
287				17 and under (juveniles)			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
288				18-29 years			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
289				30-39 years			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
290				40-49 years			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
291				50-59 years			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
292				60+ years			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
293				Unknown/NULL			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
294	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	race	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
295				Black			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
296				White			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
297				Hispanic			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
298				Asian			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
299				Other			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
300				Unknown/NULL			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
301	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	ethnicity	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
302				Hispanic/Latino			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
303				Non-Hispanic/Latino			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
304				Unknown/NULL			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
305	367	c. 1	stop, search, arrest	gender	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
306				Male			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		

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307				Female												
308				Unknown/NULL												
309																
310	367	c. 2	documentable reasonable suspicion to stop and probable cause search	actual or perceived race	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
311				Black												
312				White												
313				Hispanic												
314				Asian												
315				Other												
316				Unknown/NULL												
317	367	c. 2	documentable reasonable suspicion to stop and probable cause search	actual or perceived ethnicity	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
318				Hispanic/Latino												
319				Non-Hispanic/Latino												
320				Unknown/NULL												
321	367	c. 2	documentable reasonable suspicion to stop and probable cause search	actual or perceived gender	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
322				Male												
323				Female												
324				Unknown/NULL												
325	367	c. 2	documentable reasonable suspicion to stop and probable cause search	actual or perceived age	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
326				17 and under (juveniles)												
327				18-29 years												
328				30-39 years												
329				40-49 years												
330				50-59 years												
331				60+ years												
332				Unknown/NULL												
333																
334	367	c. 3	searches finding contraband	# of searches finding contraband	no											No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
335	367	c. 3	searches finding contraband	# of searches finding contraband by district	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
336				District 1												
337				District 2												
338				District 3												
339				District 4												
340				District 5												
341				outside city												
342	367	c. 3	searches finding contraband	Arrest type	no										N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
343				Violence toward Police Officer												
344				Violence toward Others												
345				Damage to Property												
346				Obstructing Justice												
347				Crisis Intervention												
348				Drugs/Alcohol												

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349				Other												
350	367	c. 3	searches finding contraband	actual or perceived race	no									N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future	
351				Black												
352				White												
353				Hispanic												
354				Asian												
355				Other												
356				Unknown/NULL												
357	367	c. 3	searches finding contraband	actual or perceived ethnicity	no									N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future	
358				Hispanic/Latino												
359				Non-Hispanic/Latino												
360				Unknown/NULL												
361	367	c. 3	searches finding contraband	actual or perceived gender	no									N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future	
362				Male												
363				Female												
364				Unknown/NULL												
365	367	c. 3	searches finding contraband	actual or perceived age	no									N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future	
366				17 and under (juveniles)												
367				18-29 years												
368				30-39 years												
369				40-49 years												
370				50-59 years												
371				60+ years												
372				Unknown/NULL												
373	367 d bias free policing & community engagement															
374	367	d.1	bias free policing & community engagement	# of community partnerships	yes	District Commanders	57	66	135	133	16%	105%	-1%	24%		
375				District 1			.	13	58	32	.	346%	-45%	.	yes	baseline data not received for District 1; 2017 data for District 1 overestimated. Included one-off events that were not necessarily partnerships
376				District 2			10	13	13	13	30%	0%	0%	7%	yes	
377				District 3			11	.	12	13	.	.	8%	4%	yes	2016 data not received for District 3
378				District 4			22	28	40	58	27%	43%	45%	27%	yes	
379				District 5			14	12	12	17	-14%	0%	42%	5%	yes	
380	367	d. 1	bias free policing & community engagement	# of community partnerships w/youth	yes	District Commanders	14	17	30	57	50%	-33%	90%	42%		represents partnerships specifically with youth, although youth may be included in other partnerships
381				District 1			.	3	9	14	.	200%	56%	.	yes	baseline data not received for District 1; 2017 data for District 1 overestimated. Included one-off events that were not necessarily partnerships
382				District 2			4	4	4	9	0%	0%	125%	22%	yes	
383				District 3			2	.	2	2	.	.	0%	0%	yes	2016 data not received for District 3
384				District 4			7	9	14	19	29%	56%	36%	28%	yes	
385				District 5			1	1	1	13	0%	0%	1200%	90%	yes	
386	367	d. 1	bias free policing & community engagement	variety of community partnerships	yes	District Commanders										
387				District 1			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		Can be calculated once adequate data for all Districts has been received
388				District 2			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		Can be calculated once adequate data for all Districts has been received

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389				District 3			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Can be calculated once adequate data for all Districts has been received
390				District 4			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Can be calculated once adequate data for all Districts has been received
391				District 5			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Can be calculated once adequate data for all Districts has been received
392																
393	367	d.2	bias free policing & community engagement	homicide clearance rate	yes	Homicide Unit	56%	51%	50%	52%	-9%	-2%	3%	-2%	yes	
394	367	d.2	bias free policing & community engagement	# of homicides	yes		127	139	130	120	9%	-6%	-8%	-1%	yes	
395				# of homicides solved			71	71	65	62	0%	-8%	-5%	-3%	yes	
396				# of homicides unsolved			56	68	65	58	21%	-4%	-11%	1%	yes	
397	367	d.2	bias free policing & community engagement	Type of homicide	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						
398				# of domestic violence homicides			12	18	6	6	50%	-67%	0%	-16%	yes	
399				# of non-domestic violence homicides			115	121	124	114	5%	2%	-8%	0%	yes	
400	367	d.2	bias free policing & community engagement	Homicide victims	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						
401				Adult male victims			95	110	102	88	16%	-7%	-14%	-2%	yes	
402				Adult female victims			23	18	12	18	-22%	-33%	50%	-6%	yes	
403				Juvenile male victims			7	7	11	5	0%	57%	-55%	-8%	yes	
404				Juvenile female victims			2	2	2	2	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
405				unknown			.	.		3	7	.	N/A	133%	.	yes
406																
407	367	d.3	bias free policing & community engagement	# civilian complaints for discrimination	no	OPS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
408	367	d.3	bias free policing & community engagement	disposition of discrimination complaints	no	OPS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
409	367	d.3	bias free policing & community engagement	analysis of biennial survey	yes	ISA hired										results are in a separate document
410	367 e		recruitment measures													
411	367	e. 1	recruitment measures	applicants	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission (CSC)	1410	1459	1180	2260	3%	-19%	92%	13%	yes	2018 data are only from tests taken in 2018 and includes officers with start dates in 2019; 2017 data are from the 2017 test although those hired include applicants from the 2016 list
412				# of qualified recruit applicants			191	151	359	492	-21%	138%	37%	27%	yes	Category captured in data: "Name has been certified. Candidates are being vetted for the next Academy" (category 11) and "hired/currently in the academy" (category 4) or Not Hired; Left on Eligible List (category 15); declined offer (16); received offer but deferred (17)
413				# of not qualified recruit applicants			1219	1308	821	1768	7%	-37%	115%	10%	yes	These are applicants who failed somewhere in the process
414	367	e. 1	recruitment measures	applicants by race	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						
415				White (W)			781	693	526	984	-11%	-24%	87%	6%	yes	
416				Black (B)			409	518	440	891	27%	-15%	103%	21%	yes	
417				Asian (A)			13	11	12	23	-15%	9%	92%	15%	yes	
418				Hispanic (H)			154	148	127	204	-4%	-14%	61%	7%	yes	

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419				Other (O)			44	85	36	139	93%	-58%	286%	33%	yes	
420				Al			3	4	12	6	33%	200%	-50%	19%	yes	
421				No Data (.)			6	0	27	13	-100%	N/A	-52%	21%	yes	
422	367	e. 1	recruitment measures	applicants by gender	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						
423				Males			1120	1163	873	1621	4%	-25%	86%	10%	yes	
424				Females			290	296	298	629	2%	1%	111%	21%	yes	
425				Unknown			0	0	9	10	0%	N/A	11%	N/A		
426																
427	367	e. 2	recruitment measures	Where applicants heard of job	no	Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below					yes	No data on recruitment activities in baseline
428				City Website			.	40%	54%	52%	.	36%	-3%	.	yes	
429				Friend			.	26%	0%	0%	.	-100%	0%	.	yes	
430				Google or other search			.	19%	3%	0%	.	-85%	-100%	.	yes	
431				Other			.	14%	14%	17%	.	-1%	24%	.	yes	
432				Bulletin			.	2%	0%	4%	.	-69%	702%	.	yes	
433				Word of mouth			.	0%	19%	16%	.	N/A	-15%	.	yes	
434				Social media			.	0%	6%	6%	.	N/A	3%	.	yes	
435				Article or blog post			.	0%	0%	0%	.	0%	0%	.	yes	
436				Advertisement			.	0%	4%	4%	.	N/A	10%	.	yes	
437	367	e. 2	recruitment measures	Recruitment Activity	no	Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below						yes	No data on recruitment activities in baseline
438				Billboards			.	9	23	0	.	156%	-100%	.	yes	
439				Billboard Impressions			.	538043	1077439	0	.	100%	-100%	.	yes	
440				Regional Transit Bus Posters			.	20	0	0	.	-100%	0%	.	yes	
441				Regional Transit Stations Posters			.	24	22	0	.	-8%	-100%	.	yes	
442				Mobile/digital video banner Ads			.	50000	20000	200000	.	-60%	900%	.	yes	
443				Facebook, Twitter, Instagram Posts			.	8	8	20	.	0%	150%	.	yes	
444				Blog posts/Websites			.	60	90	260	.	50%	189%	.	yes	
445				Social Media Viewers/Likes	no		.	.	714547	117925	.	.	-83%	.	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to 2017 but not specified in Consent Decree
446				Social Media Shares	no		.	.	1278	.	.	.	.	.	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to 2017 but not specified in Consent Decree
447				Radio Station Spots			.	4	4	7	.	0%	75%	.	yes	
448				Television			.	0	0	1	.	0%	N/A	.	yes	
449	367	e. 2	recruitment measures	# of Recruitment Partnerships	no	Civil Service Commission	.	17	19	44	.	12%	132%	.	yes	No data on recruitment activities in baseline
450				All Races			.	8	15	32	.	88%	113%	.	yes	
451				Black			.	7	3	9	.	-57%	200%	.	yes	
452				Hispanic			.	2	1	2	.	-50%	100%	.	yes	
453				Other			.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	yes	New category added (Arab American)in 2018
454																
455	367	e. 3	recruitment measures	# of applicants who failed initial screening	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	1219	1294	821	1768	6%	-37%	115%	10%	yes	Same number as above (# of non-qualified applicants); considered anyone who is NOT hired (category 4) and anyone whose name has NOT been certified (category 11)
456	367	e. 3	recruitment measures	reason for failures	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
457				1- Application Rejected			.	339	282	390	.	-17%	38%	.	yes	Application rejected - Not collected in 2015
458				2-Failed agility test			166	119	101	100	-28%	-15%	-1%	-12%	yes	
459				3-No show for the Agility test			85	113	90	165	33%	-20%	83%	18%	yes	
460				4-Hired / Currently in the Academy			N/A to reason for failures	N/A to reason for failures	N/A to reason for failures	N/A to reason for failures	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	
461				5-No response to certification			183	58	0	90	-68%	-100%	N/A	-16%	yes	

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462				6-Passed over			13	8	0	108	-38%	-100%	N/A	70%	yes	The 2017 list reported no one who was passed over, however, the 2016 list was used to hire the 2017 class and 47 were passed over
463				7-Removed for background reason(s)			66	39	0	15	-41%	-100%	N/A	-31%	yes	The 2017 list reported no one who was removed for background reasons, however, the 2016 list was used to hire the 2017 class and 6 were removed for background reasons
464				8-No show for the Psychological Exam			1	.	0	4	.	.	N/A	41%	yes	8 (no show for psych) and 13 (no PHS) are merged in 2016 data; The 2017 list reported no one was a no show, however, the 2016 list was used to hire the 2017 class and 1 was a no show
465				9-No longer interested			19	26	4	62	37%	-85%	1450%	34%	yes	The 2017 list reported 4 people who were no longer interested, however, the 2016 list was used to hire the 2017 class and 10 were no longer interested
466				10-Waived			17	102	10	61	500%	-90%	510%	38%	yes	
467				11-Name has been certified. Candidates are being vetted for the next Academy			N/A to reason for failures	N/A to reason for failures	N/A to reason for failures	N/A to reason for failures	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	
468				12-No show for the test			394	263	244	566	-33%	-7%	132%	9%	yes	
469				13-Did not submit their Personal History Statement			240	4	0	0	-98%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
470				14-Failed the test			35	223	90	194	537%	-60%	116%	53%	yes	
471	367	e. 3	recruitment measures	recruit failures by race	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
472				White (W) Failures			658	594	323	742	-10%	-46%	130%	3%	yes	
473				Black (B) Failures			375	492	341	733	31%	-31%	115%	18%	yes	
474				Asian (A) Failures			12	9	8	17	-25%	-11%	113%	9%	yes	
475				Hispanic (H) Failures			128	133	90	159	4%	-32%	77%	6%	yes	
476				Other (O) Failures			41	76	32	106	85%	-58%	231%	27%	yes	
477				Native American (AI) Failures			1	4	8	3	300%	100%	-63%	32%	yes	
478				No Data (.) Failures			4	0	19	8	-100%	N/A	-58%	19%	yes	
479	367	e. 3	recruitment measures	recruit failures by ethnicity	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
480				Hispanic/Latino (H)			128	133	90	159	4%	-32%	77%	6%	yes	It is unclear whether this information is captured adequately
481				Non-Hispanic/Latino			1091	1161	731	1609	6%	-37%	120%	10%	yes	
482	367	e. 3	recruitment measures	recruit failures by gender	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
483				Male Failures			971	1032	592	1274	6%	-43%	115%	7%	yes	
484				Female Failures			248	277	224	489	12%	-19%	118%	18%	yes	
485				unknown gender			.	.	5	5	.	.	0%	.	yes	unknown not captured in 2015 or 2016
486				recruit failures by self identified disability	no	City Hall Civil Service Commission	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	Only have data on veterans; No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
487																
488	367	e. 4	recruitment measures	# of applicants with fluency in other language	no	City Hall Civil Service Commission	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
489				list of languages spoken by recruits	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
490																
491	367	e. 5	recruitment measures	# of lateral candidates	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	0	210	94	0	N/A	-55%	-100%	N/A	yes	The Division did not recruit laterals in 2015 or 2018
492	367	e. 5	recruitment measures	laterals by race	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below					yes	The Division did not recruit laterals in 2015 or 2018

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493				White (W)			0	116	37	0	N/A	-68%	-100%	0%	yes	
494				Black (B)			0	57	37	0	N/A	-35%	-100%	0%	yes	
495				Asian (A)			0	1	1	0	N/A	0%	-100%	0%	yes	
496				Hispanic (H)			0	18	7	0	N/A	-61%	-100%	0%	yes	
497				Other (O)			0	17	9	0	N/A	-47%	-100%	0%	yes	
498				AI			0	0	1	0	N/A	N/A	-100%	0%	yes	
499				No Data (.)			0	1	2	0	N/A	100%	-100%	0%	yes	
500	367	e. 5	recruitment measures	ethnicity	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below					yes	The Division did not recruit laterals in 2015 or 2018
501				Hispanic/Latino			0	18	7	0	N/A	-61%	-100%	0%	yes	
502				Non-Hispanic/Latino			0	192	87	0	N/A	-55%	-100%	0%	yes	
503	367	e. 5	recruitment measures	laterals by gender	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						The Division did not recruit laterals in 2015 or 2018
504				Male			0	174	74	0	N/A	-57%	-100%	0%	yes	
505				Female			0	35	19	0	N/A	-46%	-100%	0%	yes	
506				unknown			0	0	1	0	0%	N/A	-100%	0%	yes	
507	367	e. 5	recruitment measures	Other information on laterals	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						The Division did not recruit laterals in 2015 or 2018
508				laterals with self identified disability			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
509				list of laterals former agencies			0	39	5	0	N/A	-87%	-100%	0%	yes	represents the number of PDs laterals worked for
510				list of laterals years of service			0	166	12	0	N/A	-93%	-100%	0%	yes	represents the number of years in which laterals worked for other PDs
511																
512	367	e. 6	recruitment measures	applicant qualifications	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
513				# applicants with 2+ years college	yes		455	802	649	1172	76%	-19%	81%	27%	yes	This category captures those who attended college for 2+ years, but did not obtain a BA degree (includes those with associates degrees)
514				# applicants with college degree	yes		240	247	189	370	3%	-23%	96%	11%	yes	
515				# applicants with 2+ years military	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	yes	No data collected currently; only have 180+days; Needs to be collected in the future
516				# applicants with 180+ days military	yes (new)		161	89	55	91	-45%	-38%	65%	-13%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
517				disabled veterans	yes (new)		14	2	3	2	-86%	50%	-33%	-39%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree; misreported in 2015 (was reported as 1235)
518																
519	367	e. 7	recruitment measures	pass/fail rate in each phase of pre-employment process	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						pass calculated
520				2-Failed agility test			86.38%	90.24%	87.70%	94.34%	4%	-3%	8%	2%	yes	pass rate calculated
521				3-No show for the Agility test			93.03%	90.73%	89.04%	90.67%	-2%	-2%	2%	-1%	yes	pass rate calculated
522				4-Hired / Currently in the Academy			N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	pass rate calculated
523				5-No response to certification			84.99%	95.24%	100.00%	94.91%	12%	5%	-5%	3%	yes	pass rate calculated
524				6-Passed over			98.93%	99.34%	100.00%	93.89%	0%	1%	-6%	-1%	yes	pass rate calculated
525				7-Removed for background			94.59%	96.80%	100.00%	99.15%	2%	3%	-1%	1%	yes	pass rate calculated
526				8-No show for the Psychological			99.92%	N/A	100.00%	99.77%	N/A	N/A	0%	0%	yes	pass rate calculated; merged with no PHS
527				9-No longer interested			98.44%	97.87%	99.51%	96.49%	-1%	2%	-3%	0%	yes	pass rate calculated
528				10-Waived			98.61%	91.63%	98.78%	96.55%	-7%	8%	-2%	-1%	yes	pass rate calculated
529				Candidates are being vetted for the next Academy			N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	pass rate calculated
530				12-No show for the test			67.68%	78.42%	70.28%	67.99%	16%	-10%	-3%	0%	yes	pass rate calculated
531				13-Did not submit their Personal History Statement			80.31%	99.67%	100.00%	100.00%	24%	0%	0%	6%	yes	pass rate calculated
532				14-Failed the test			97.13%	81.71%	89.04%	89.03%	-16%	9%	0%	-2%	yes	pass rate calculated
533	367	e. 7	recruitment measures	pass/fail rate by race	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
534				White (W) pass rate			15.75%	14.29%	38.59%	24.59%	-9%	170%	-36%	12%	yes	pass rate calculated
535				Black (B) pass rate			8.31%	5.02%	22.50%	17.73%	-40%	348%	-21%	21%	yes	pass rate calculated

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536				Asian (A) pass rate			7.69%	18.18%	33.33%	26.09%	136%	83%	-22%	36%	yes	pass rate calculated
537				Hispanic (H) pass rate			16.88%	10.14%	29.13%	22.06%	-40%	187%	-24%	7%	yes	pass rate calculated
538				Other (O) pass rate			6.82%	10.59%	11.11%	23.74%	55%	5%	114%	37%	yes	pass rate calculated
539				AI pass rate			66.67%	0.00%	33.33%	50.00%	-100%	N/A	50%	-7%	yes	pass rate calculated
540				No Data (.) pass rate			33.33%	.	29.63%	38.46%	.	.	30%	4%	yes	pass rate calculated
541	367	e. 7	recruitment measures	pass/fail rate by ethnicity	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
542				Hispanic/Latino (H) pass rate			16.88%	10.14%	29.13%	22.06%	-40%	187%	-24%	7%	yes	pass rate calculated
543				Non-Hispanic/Latino pass rate			13.14%	11.44%	30.58%	30.10%	-13%	167%	-2%	23%	yes	pass rate calculated
544	367	e. 7	recruitment measures	pass/fail rate by gender	yes	City Hall Civil Service Commission	see below	see below	see below	see below						
545				Male Pass Rate			13.30%	11.26%	32.19%	21.41%	-15%	186%	-33%	13%	yes	pass rate calculated
546				Female Pass Rate			14.48%	6.42%	24.83%	22.26%	-56%	287%	-10%	11%	yes	pass rate calculated
547				unknown gender pass rate			.	.	44.44%	50.00%	.	.	13%	.	yes	pass rate calculated
548	367	e. 7	recruitment measures	pass/fail rate by self identified disability	no	City Hall Civil Service Commission	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
549																
550	367	e. 8	recruitment measures	avg length of time to move through each phase of preemployment	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
551				avg length of time to process applicants			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
552																
553	367	e. 9	recruitment measures	composition of recruit class	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						
554	367	e. 9	recruitment measures	Initial Size of recruit class	yes		52	62	69	153	19%	11%	122%	31%	yes	2018 excludes names that were on the list given for 2017 report's recruit Class 140; All recruit class numbers reflect the number of officers hired based on the test taken that year even if the hire date is in the following year. So 2018 numbers reflect officers who took the police exam in 2018 even though their start date may not have been until 2019
555				Remained	yes (new)		44	51	65	140	16%	27%	115%	34%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
556				Separated	yes (new)		8	11	4	13	38%	-64%	225%	13%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
557	367	e. 9	recruitment measures	Separated by Race	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						
558				Black	yes (new)		2	3	0	3	50%	-100%	N/A	11%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
559				White	yes (new)		4	8	4	8	100%	-50%	100%	19%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
560				Hispanic	yes (new)		2	0	0	2	-100%	0%	N/A	0%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
561				Asian	yes (new)		0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
562				Other	yes (new)		0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
563	367	e. 9	recruitment measures	Separated by Gender	yes		see below	see below	see below	see below						
564				Male	yes (new)		7	8	4	9	14%	-50%	125%	6%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
565				Female	yes (new)		1	3	0	4	200%	-100%	N/A	41%	yes	New item CPD collects that has been added to baseline but not specified in Consent Decree
566	367	e. 9	recruitment measures	composition of recruit classes by race		Command Staff/ Academy	see below	see below	see below	see below						
567				Black			8	10	16	40	25%	60%	150%	50%	yes	
568				White			29	38	51	89	31%	34%	75%	32%	yes	

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569				Hispanic			12	2	2	8	-83%	0%	300%	-10%	yes	
570				Asian			0	1	0	0	N/A	-100%	0%	0%	yes	
571				Other			3	0	0	3	-100%	0%	N/A	0%	yes	yes
572	367	e. 9	recruitment measures	composition of recruit classes by ethnicity		Command Staff/Academy	see below	see below	see below							
573				Hispanic/Latino			12	2	2	8	-83%	0%	300%	-10%	yes	
574				Non-Hispanic/Latino			40	60	67	132	50%	12%	97%	35%	yes	
575	367	e. 9	recruitment measures	composition of recruit classes by gender		Command Staff/Academy	see below	see below	see below	see below						
576				Male			44	43	54	106	-2%	26%	96%	25%	yes	
577				Female			8	19	15	34	138%	-21%	127%	44%	yes	
578				composition of recruit classes by self identified disability			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
579	367 f. 1 training measures															
580	367	f. 1	training measures	# of officers provided training pursuant to this agreement	no		.	.	1354	1363	.	.	1%	.	yes	No data collected in 2015 or 2016; 2017 includes UoF CIT not State Re-Qual
581	367	f. 1	training measures	% of officers provided training pursuant to this agreement	no		.	.	94%	96%	.	.	2%	.	yes	No data collected in 2015 or 2016; 2017 includes UoF CIT not State Re-Qual
582																
583	367	f. 2	training measures	adequacy of training in type and frequency	no	Training	see below	see below	see below	see below					yes	No data collected in 2015, 2016, or 2018
584				Instructor adequacy			.	.	87%	.	.	.	.	.	yes	2017: instructor increased my understanding of the course material (agree and strongly agree)
585				Content adequacy			.	.	87%	.	.	.	.	.	yes	2017:scenarios were practical (agree and strongly agree)
586				Future performance adequacy			.	.	63%	.	.	.	.	.	yes	2017: I will perform differently based on skills and knowledge gained (agree and strongly agree)
587				Overall adequacy			.	.	79%	.	.	.	.	.	yes	2017: Overall I found this training to be valuable (agree and strongly agree)
588																
589	367	f. 3	training measures	training resulting from the review and analysis required by this agreement	no		.	.	see written report	see written report	.	.	.	.	yes	No data collected in 2015, 2016, or 2018; 2017 includes UoF CIT not State Re-Qual. See written report for details
590																
591	367	f. 4	training measures	prevalence of training deficiencies as reflected by problematic incidents or performance trends	no		.	.	see written report	see written report	.	.	.	.	yes	No data collected in 2015, 2016, or 2018; 2017 includes UoF CIT not State Re-Qual. See written report for details
592	367 g. officer assistance & support efforts															
593	367	g. 1	officer assistance & support efforts	availability of officer assistance & support services	yes	EAP	see below	see below	see below	see below						
594	367	g. 1	officer assistance & support efforts	use of officer assistance & support services	yes	EAP	11	209	221	241	1800%	6%	9%	116%	yes	2015 baseline data is underreported as the use of service was not tracked.
595																
596	367	g. 2	officer assistance & support efforts	officer reports of adequacy of officer assistance & support svcs	no	EAP	.	.	92%	78%	.	.	-15%	.	yes	No data collected in 2015 or 2016; 2017 includes ratings of agree and strongly agree on all items
597	367	g. 2	officer assistance & support efforts	survey analysis of adequacy of officer assistance & support svcs	no	EAP	.	.	see written report	see written report	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected in 2015 or 2016
598	367 h. supervision measures															
599	367	h.	supervision measures	supervisors initial identification of officer violations	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
600	367	h.	supervision measures	supervisors initial identification of officer performance problems	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
601	367	h.	supervision measures	supervisors response to officer violations	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future

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602	367	h.	supervision measures	supervisors response to performance problems	no		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
603	367	i.	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline													
604	367	i. 1	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# of complaints	yes	IA, Inspections, OPS	294	263	241	227	-11%	-8%	-6%	-6%	yes	Of the 294 cases in 2015, only 45 were completed and only 4 went through the PRB
605	367	i. 1	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	increases/decreases related to access	no	IA, Inspections, OPS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	N/A	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
606																
607	367	i. 2	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# sustained by complaint type	no	IA, Inspections, OPS	2	7	26	110	250%	271%	323%	172%	yes	PRB looked at 4 cases in 2015; 2018 represents number of allegations not complaints; no apples to apples with 2015-2017 so percent change and CAGR not included
608				False Report			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
609				Harassment			0	0	3	1	0%	N/A	-67%	0%	yes	
610				Improper Procedure			1	2	12	16	100%	500%	33%	100%	yes	
611				Infraction Notice (UTT/PIN)			0	0	1	0	0%	N/A	-100%	0%	yes	
612				Lack of Service			0	1	4	22	N/A	300%	450%	N/A	yes	
613				Not Provided by Complainant			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
614				Other			0	0	0	2	0%	0%	N/A	N/A	yes	Other includes missing property in 2018
615				Physical Abuse/Excessive Force			0	1	0	0	N/A	-100%	0%	0%	yes	
616				Unprofessional			1	3	6	68	200%	100%	1033%	187%	yes	
617				Biased Policing			N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	New Category added in 2018
618	367	i. 2	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# exonerated by complaint type	no	IA, Inspections, OPS	0	8	61	220	N/A	663%	261%	N/A	yes	2018 represents number of allegations not complaints; no apples to apples with 2015-2017 so percent change and CARG not included
619				False Report			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
620				Harassment			0	1	6	12	N/A	500%	100%	N/A	yes	
621				Improper Procedure			0	3	23	93	N/A	667%	304%	N/A	yes	
622				Infraction Notice (UTT/PIN)			0	0	1	0	0%	N/A	-100%	0%	yes	
623				Lack of Service			0	2	10	53	N/A	400%	430%	N/A	yes	
624				Not Provided by Complainant			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
625				Other			0	0	5	14	0%	N/A	180%	N/A	yes	Other includes missing property in 2018
626				Physical Abuse/Excessive Force			0	2	4	11	N/A	100%	175%	N/A	yes	
627				Unprofessional			0	0	12	34	0%	N/A	183%	N/A	yes	
628				Biased Policing			N/A	N/A	N/A	3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	New Category added in 2018
629	367	i. 2	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# unfounded by complaint type	no	IA, Inspections, OPS	2	13	16	159	550%	23%	894%	199%	yes	2018 represents number of allegations not complaints; no apples to apples with 2015-2017 so percent change and CARG not included
630				False Report			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
631				Harassment			0	1	0	8	N/A	-100%	N/A	N/A	yes	
632				Improper Procedure			1	3	5	12	200%	67%	140%	86%	yes	
633				Infraction Notice (UTT/PIN)			0	0	0	0	0%	N/A	0%	0%	yes	
634				Lack of Service			0	2	4	42	N/A	100%	950%	N/A	yes	
635				Not Provided by Complainant			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
636				Other			0	0	3	10	0%	N/A	233%	N/A	yes	Other includes missing property in 2018
637				Physical Abuse/Excessive Force			0	3	2	12	N/A	-33%	500%	N/A	yes	
638				Unprofessional			1	4	2	62	300%	-50%	3000%	181%	yes	
639				Biased Policing			N/A	N/A	N/A	13	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	New Category added in 2018
640	367	i. 2	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# not sustained by complaint type	no	OPS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
641				False Report			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
642				Harassment			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future

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643				Improper Procedure			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
644				Infraction Notice (UTT/PIN)			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
645				Lack of Service			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
646				Not Provided by Complainant			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
647				Other			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
648				Physical Abuse/Excessive Force			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
649				Unprofessional			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
650	367	i. 2	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# of administratively dismissed	no	OPS	39	90	126	58	131%	40%	-54%	10%	yes	
651				False Report			1	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	0%	-100%	yes	
652				Harassment			4	14	43	15	250%	207%	-65%	39%	yes	
653				Improper Procedure			9	28	26	7	211%	-7%	-73%	-6%	yes	
654				Infraction Notice (UTT/PIN)			2	4	8	0	100%	100%	-100%	-100%	yes	
655				Lack of Service			2	13	17	14	550%	31%	-18%	63%	yes	
656				Not Provided by Complainant			1	0	1	0	-100%	N/A	-100%	-100%	yes	
657				Other			2	1	3	4	-50%	200%	33%	19%	yes	Other includes missing property and no jurisdiction in 2018
658				Physical Abuse/Excessive Force			2	4	7	2	100%	75%	-71%	0%	yes	
659				Unprofessional			16	23	21	16	44%	-9%	-24%	0%	yes	
660				Unknown			0	3	0	0	N/A	-100%	0%	0%	yes	
661	367	i. 2	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# of insufficient evidence	no	OPS	2	33	93	108	1550%	182%	16%	171%	yes	2018 represents number of allegations not complaints; no apples to apples with 2015-2017 so percent change and CARG not included
662				False Report			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
663				Harassment			0	7	24	7	N/A	243%	-71%	N/A	yes	
664				Improper Procedure			0	7	15	11	N/A	114%	-27%	N/A	yes	
665				Infraction Notice (UTT/PIN)			0	0	4	0	N/A	N/A	-100%	0%	yes	
666				Lack of Service			1	5	9	12	400%	80%	33%	86%	yes	
667				Not Provided by Complainant			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
668				Other			0	0	4	3	0%	N/A	-25%	N/A	yes	Other includes missing property in 2018
669				Physical Abuse/Excessive Force			0	5	11	14	N/A	120%	27%	N/A	yes	
670				Unprofessional			1	9	26	49	800%	189%	88%	165%	yes	
671																
672	367	i. 3	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# of complaint allegations supported by a preponderance of the evidence	no	OPS	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	No data collected currently; Needs to be collected in the future
673																
674	367	i. 4	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	average length of time to complete by complaint type	yes	OPS	137	409	232	75	198%	-43%	-68%	-14%	yes	Average number of days, but depends on completed cases
675				False Report			293	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	yes	
676				Harassment			158	383	171	61	142%	-55%	-64%	-21%	yes	
677				Improper Procedure			134	354	213	115	164%	-40%	-46%	-4%	yes	
678				Infraction Notice (UTT/PIN)			84	303	204	.	261%	-33%	.	.	yes	
679				Lack of Service			179	352	193	88	97%	-45%	-54%	-16%	yes	
680				Not Provided by Complainant			105	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	yes	
681				Other			35	.	231	20	.	.	-91%	-13%	yes	2017 and 2018 other = missing property
682				Physical Abuse/Excessive Force			130	730	410	96	462%	-44%	-77%	-7%	yes	
683				Unprofessional			117	329	203	70	181%	-38%	-66%	-12%	yes	

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684																
685	367	i. 5	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# of officers w/multiple complaints	yes	OPS	34	38	27	10	12%	-29%	-63%	-26%	yes	
686				District 1			1	1	5	0	0%	400%	-100%	-100%	yes	
687				District 2			4	4	1	1	0%	-75%	0%	-29%	yes	
688				District 3			4	4	6	2	0%	50%	-67%	-16%	yes	
689				District 4			1	9	8	3	800%	-11%	-63%	32%	yes	
690				District 5			5	2	2	1	-60%	0%	-50%	-33%	yes	
691				outside city/other units			4	5	5	3	25%	0%	-40%	-7%	yes	
692				# of officers w/repeated sustained complaints	yes	IA, Inspections, OPS	0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
693																
694	367	i. 6	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	arrests of officers for conduct	yes	IA	see below	see below	see below	see below						
695				on duty			1	2	1	0	100%	-50%	-100%	-100%	yes	
696				off duty			14	11	10	19	-21%	-9%	90%	8%	yes	
697																
698	367	i. 7	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	criminal prosecutions for conduct	yes	IA	see below	see below	see below	see below						
699				on duty			1	2	0	0	100%	-100%	0%	-100%	yes	
700				off duty			11	10	8	18	-9%	-20%	125%	13%	yes	
701				not prosecuted			2	1	1	0	-50%	0%	-100%	-100%	yes	
702				open			1	0	2	1	-100%	N/A	-50%	0%	yes	
703																
704	367	i. 8	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	# of civil suits against the City or CDP for work related conduct	yes	City Law Department	8	12	52	35	50%	333%	-33%	45%	yes	
705				settled			3	3	42	6	0%	1300%	-86%	19%	yes	As of April 2018
706				not yet settled			5	9	10	29	80%	11%	190%	55%	yes	As of April 2018
707	367	i. 8	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	nature of the suits	yes	City Law Department	see below	see below	see below	see below						There can be multiple natures of suits for each suit
708				force)			5	6	2	3	20%	-67%	50%	-12%	yes	
709				unlawful search & seizure			1	1	4	3	0%	300%	-25%	32%	yes	
710				false arrest			1	2	5	3	100%	150%	-40%	32%	yes	
711				discrimination/bias			0	3	0	2	N/A	-100%	N/A	N/A	yes	
712				other violation of constitutional rights (e.g., 1st amendment)			1	1	6	7	0%	500%	17%	63%	yes	
713				Harassment			0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%	yes	
714				improper handling/disposition of property			1	0	3	6	-100%	N/A	100%	57%	yes	
715				contempt of cop			1	0	0	0	-100%	0%	0%	-100%	yes	
716				failure to provide medical assistance			1	1	0	1	0%	-100%	N/A	0%	yes	
717				other			0	3	12	25	N/A	300%	108%	N/A	yes	
718	367	i. 8	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	amount of judgments against	yes	City Law Department	see below	see below	see below	see below						
719				number of judgments			23	29	52	35	26%	79%	-33%	11%	yes	2018 data as of March 2019; 2017 data As of April 2018; 2015 and 2016 data as of June 2017
720	367	i. 8	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline		yes	City Law Department	see below	see below	see below	see below						

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	722			number of judgments (active)			1	8	10	29	700%	25%	190%	132%	yes	2018 data as of March 2019; 2017 data As of April 2018; 2015 and 2016 data as of June 2017	
	723	367	i. 8	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	yes	City Law Department	see below	see below	see below	see below							
	724			amount of judgments (closed)			\$ 20,136.82	\$ 1,822.16	\$ 9,000.00	\$ -	-91%	394%	-100%	-100%	yes	2018 data as of March 2019; 2017 data As of April 2018; 2015 and 2016 data as of June 2017	
	725			amount of judgments (active)			TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	2018 data as of March 2019; 2017 data As of April 2018; 2015 and 2016 data as of June 2017	
	726	367	i. 8	civilian complaints & investigations & discipline	amount of settlements	yes	City Law Department	see below	see below	see below	see below						
	727			settled			\$ 20,136.82	\$ 1,822.16	\$ 9,000.00	\$ -	-91%	394%	-100%	-100%	yes	2018 data as of March 2019; 2017 data As of April 2018; 2015 and 2016 data as of June 2017	
	728			not yet settled			TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	yes	2018 data as of March 2019; 2017 data As of April 2018; 2015 and 2016 data as of June 2017	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 16, 2019, I served the foregoing document entitled Notice Submitting Monitoring Team's Seventh Semiannual Report via the court's ECF system to all counsel of record.

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