

Hough, et al. Settlement Agreement
Southwest Division Town Hall Meeting – May 7, 2024

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- 18TH DISTRICT PSA 1 AND PSA 2
- Reporting Period: 11/01/2023 through 04/15/2024
- All officers in 18th District are equipped with BWC's
- Use of Force:
 - All Use of Force reports must be approved by officer's chain of command and Internal Affairs
 - All Use of Force reports are done electronically.
 - There were sixty five (65) Use of Force incidents reported to Internal Affairs during this time period.
 - Demographic Breakdown on Use of Force (11/01/23 through 4/15/24):
 - B/M 46
 - B/F 15
 - W/M 3
 - W/F 1
 - Scenarios where force was used (11/01/23 through 04/15/24):
 - 19 Assault
 - 12 VUFA
 - 8 No charge
 - 9 CVN
 - 7 Mental Health (302)
 - 3 Narcotics violations
 - 2 Thefts

- 2 Burglary
 - 1 Vandalism
 - 1 Threats
 - 1 Robbery
 - 63% of the Use of Force reported involved officers using Control Holds to control the individual.
 - 24% of the Use of Force reported involved an officer deploying their ECW (Taser) to control individual.
 - 76% of the incidents where force was used, a defendant was placed under arrest.
 - 10% of the incidents where force was used was against a person suffering from a mental crisis.
- Pedestrian Investigations (Overview of Process):
 - All pedestrian investigations require a 75-48A.
 - Unlike other large cities, PPD officers must fully articulate the legal basis (*i.e. reasonable suspicion*) for the stop. If a frisk occurs, the officers must also articulate the *additional* reasonable suspicion why they believe that the individual is an immediate threat and possibly possessing a weapon.
 - All stop reports are submitted electronically and must be reviewed by an immediate supervisor.
 - These reports are then reviewed by the District Captains and are then subject to audit by the Divisional Inspector and then by the Standards and Accountability Unit.
 - These audit results are shared with the plaintiff's counsel in the Bailey Settlement Agreement on a quarterly basis.
 - The Pedestrian/Vehicle stop data and related arrest data relevant to the PSAs 1 and 2 from 11/1/2023 through 4/15/2024 in the 18th District are as follows:

November 1, 2023 - April 15, 2024	PSA 1 and 2	All 18th District
Total Pedestrian Investigations (2701)	212	271
Total Vehicle Investigations (2702)	5663	6190
% Ped that end in Arrest	31.1%	28.8%
% Vehicle that end in arrest	2.3%	2.4%
% Ped with Frisk	37.3%	39.1%
% Vehicle with Frisk (of Occupant)	9.9%	9.9%
# VUFA Arrests (of any type)**	68	79
# VUFA Arrests from Ped Stop*	8	11
# VUFA Arrests from Vehicle Stop*	36	39

- Disciplinary actions taken against officers related to the events of May 31, 2020 and October 31, 2020.
 - Discipline:
 - 1 Sergeant 30 days and dismissed
 - 1 Police Officer arrested and dismissed
 - 1 Police Officer 30-day suspension
 - 2 Command Level Discipline
 - 11 pending PBI