



BURR RIDGE POLICE
CHIEF JOHN MADDEN

2022

Annual Internal Affairs Statistical Summary

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

In accordance with General Order 2.3, this document has been prepared to provide a statistical summary of complaints filed against members of the Burr Ridge Police Department in 2022. This summary is in compliance with CALEA Chapter 26 that requires “*The Agency compiles annual statistical summaries, based upon records of internal affairs investigations, which are made available to the public and agency employees*”. A copy of this document will be placed at the front desk in records for viewing at the public’s request and a copy will be put on the department bulletin board for employee review. Notice to the public on the availability of this report is also posted on the police website.

	2022	2021	2020
Citizen Complaints	0	1	0
Internal Affairs	1	2	0
Total Complaints	1	3	0

POLICY:

The Burr Ridge Police Department will accept and investigate all complaints against departmental employees and/or policies, procedures, or operations. While the Department cannot dismiss anonymous complaints, complaints that are made in such a manner must be judged on their own merits to determine the depth of investigation required. The Chief of Police shall have the responsibility of coordinating the Administrative Review functions of the Department.

PROCEDURE:

This agency will investigate all allegations of misconduct made against the agency or its employees regardless of their source. Anonymous complaints are difficult to investigate; however, this agency will assess and review each anonymous complaint for substance and validation before disregarding it for lack of a credible complaint.

Minor complaints, referred to as Citizen Complaints, may be investigated by the employee’s supervisor. Examples include discourtesy, improper conduct, violation of ethics, or improper procedures.

Major complaints are of a more serious nature that may or may not involve a violation of the law. Examples include excessive force, bias-based profiling, or official misconduct.

In all cases, the rights of employees will be safeguarded as required by Illinois Statutes

CONCLUSION OF FACT:

Investigations, once completed, will include a “Conclusion of fact” containing one of the following findings:

1. **UNFOUNDED** - The investigation indicates that the act(s) complained about did not occur or failed to involve department personnel.
2. **EXONERATED** - Act(s) did occur, but were justified, lawful and proper.
3. **UNSUBSTANTIATED** - The investigation fails to discover sufficient evidence to clearly prove the allegations made in the complaint.
4. **SUSTAINED** - The investigation disclosed sufficient evidence to clearly prove the allegation made in the complaint.
5. **POLICY FAILURE** - The investigation revealed that the alleged acts did occur; however, the employee was acting in accordance with established department policy. The Chief of Police will review said policy for revision to prevent future allegations of misconduct as well as to identify the need to modify or expand training.
6. **SUSPENDED** - The investigation failed to reveal, after all known leads have been exhausted, the identity of or involvement of a department member in any part of the allegation, but there still remains a possibility that with new evidence an allegation can be substantiated.

NATURE OF COMPLAINTS:

Internal Investigations Summary - 2022

22-01	Conduct Unbecoming	Sustained – Counseling
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Citizen Complaint(s) Summary – 2022

None



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