

Colorado Springs Police Department Standard Operating Procedures

DL-134-03 Investigative and Special Operations Bureau Section 100 – Organizational Values and Structure

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.01 Purpose

The purpose of this directive is to identify the organizational structure and functions of the Investigative and Special Operations Bureau.

.02 Cross Reference

GO 134 Department Organization

.03 Definitions

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.04 Procedure

The Investigative and Special Operations Bureau provides specialized investigations and followup responses for current and ongoing criminal investigations and other situations.

The mission of the department is supported by conducting investigations, coordinating the deployment of specialized law enforcement services and equipment for the protection of the community, and prevention and reduction of crime and traffic related issues.

.10 Organization

The Investigative and Special Operations Bureau is under the command of the deputy chief.

The following divisions comprise the bureau:

- Investigations Division
- Metro Division
- Specialized Enforcement Division (SED)

Investigations Division

The Investigations Division is responsible for investigating criminal acts and supporting investigative and prosecutorial efforts conducted by the Colorado Springs Police Department (CSPD).

Metro Division

The Metro Division is staffed by officers from local and federal law enforcement agencies overseen by the METRO Commander.

The Metro Division utilizes data driven intelligence to identify active prolific offenders and criminal groups engaged in repeated violence or criminal activity. Units within the division are responsible for investigating and taking necessary enforcement action to apprehend the suspects and disrupt their respective criminal activity.

Generally, its jurisdiction encompasses El Paso County and Teller County.

Specialized Enforcement Division (SED)

The Specialized Enforcement Division (SED), overseen by a commander, provides traffic-related functions and a wide range of specialized services to respond to tactical situations and natural disasters.