

Chapter: Records, Freedom of Information, and Transparency

Subject: 14-06 – Warrant and Injunctive Order Retention

**Effective:** April 29, 2024

**Supersedes:** Official Order 14-06, dated April 19, 2022

**Distribution:** Department Members

**PURPOSE:** This Order establishes department policy related to warrant and injunctive order retention.

## 14-06-1 WARRANT/INJUNCTIVE ORDER RETENTION POLICY

- A. Worksites that maintain 24-hour operations shall retain their warrants/injunctive orders locally unless there is an agreement with a dispatch center or a local law enforcement agency for them to do so. These off-site locations must have LEIN access, be staffed 24-hours per day, and have personnel available to confirm warrants at any time. The worksite commander shall enter into a LEIN Holder of the Record Agreement with the dispatch center or local law enforcement agency.
- B. Worksites that do not maintain a 24-hour operation may hold warrants/injunctive orders at the worksite and enter into a LEIN Hit Confirmation Agreement with another 24-hour agency or enter into a LEIN Holder of the Record Agreement with a 24-hour agency who will hold warrants/injunctive orders on the worksite's behalf.
- C. Worksites whose warrants/injunctive orders are held by another post, unit, or department shall immediately telephone the post, unit, or department holding the warrant/injunctive order when notified by the court that it is being recalled.
- D. Worksites with LEIN access may retain warrants/injunctive orders in their warrant/injunctive order file for other posts, units, and departments that do not maintain a 24-hour operation. When warrants/injunctive orders are being retained for another jurisdiction, the following additional procedures shall be used:
  - (1) The worksite shall enter into a LEIN Holder of the Record Agreement with all non-department agencies whose records the worksite is holding.
  - (2) Warrant/injunctive order entry, cancellation, and recall requests shall be made through the post, unit, or department through which the warrant/injunctive order was issued. Entering worksites shall not deal directly with the courts on warrants/injunctive orders for other agencies.
  - (3) The post, unit, or department requesting the entry of the record into LEIN shall conduct the monthly LEIN warrant/injunctive order validation for its own warrants/injunctive orders; however, the servicing worksite may enter the LEIN validation transaction on behalf of the requesting post, unit, or department.

a. LEIN Holder of the Record and LEIN Hit Confirmation Agreements are not required between department worksites.

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