



# Force Review Board

**CHIEF'S REPORT**  
(P78F)

OCTOBER 7, 2021

TIME: 1004 TO 1035 HOURS

APD HEADQUARTERS - CHIEF'S CONFERENCE ROOM (VIA TELECONFERENCE)

**FRB CHAIR**  
(P7E)

DCOP JJ Griego (Management Services and Support Bureau)

**VOTING MEMBERS**  
(P73)

DCOP JJ Griego (Management Services and Support Bureau)  
Interim DCOP Joshua Brown (Field Services Bureau)  
Commander Arturo Sanchez (Field Services – Northwest)

**NON-VOTING MEMBERS**  
(P78)

Judge Rod Kennedy (City Legal) – via teleconference  
Edward Harness (CPOA Director) – via teleconference  
Lieutenant [REDACTED] (FRB Admin Personnel/IAFD)  
Commander Terysa Bowie (SOD)

**REPRESENTATIVES**

A/ Commander Richard Evans (IAFD) – via teleconference  
Lieutenant [REDACTED] (CIU) – via teleconference  
A/ Lieutenant [REDACTED] (Training Academy) – via teleconference  
Patricia Serna (Policy and Procedure) – via teleconference  
Detective [REDACTED] (IAFD/Presenter)  
DCOP Eric Garcia (Police Reform) – via teleconference  
Interim DCOP Cori Lowe (COD) – via teleconference  
A/ Commander Jason Sanchez (COD) – via teleconference  
Deputy Commander Ben Bourgeois (IAFD) – via teleconference  
Sergeant [REDACTED] (TDY COD) – via teleconference  
Sergeant [REDACTED] (IAFD/FRB)  
Dr. Jessica Henjy (Training Academy) – via teleconference  
Carlos Pacheco (City Legal) – via teleconference  
Elizabeth Martinez (USDOJ) – via teleconference  
Patrick Kent (IMT) – via teleconference  
Darriell Bone (EFIT) – via teleconference

**OBSERVERS**  
(P78b)

**PREVIOUS MINUTES** September 30, 2021

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- None

REFERRAL RESPONSE(S)					
CASE NUMBER	MEETING DATE	REFERRAL	REFERRAL PARTY	ACTION TAKEN	STATUS
19-0044654	5/7/2020	The Training Academy will develop a module on Miranda training, which will be provided via PowerDMS.	Commander Renae McDermott	Dr. Hejny provided an update on the progress of the training, requesting a 1-2 month extension due to the explained pending steps.	Update die November 8, 2021

<b>CASE # 21-0009559</b>	<b>DATE OF INCIDENT:</b> FEBRUARY 4, 202	<b>LOCATION:</b> [REDACTED]	<b>TIMES:</b> DISPATCH / ON SITE: 1806 HOURS
<b>TYPE: LEVEL 3</b> (P78)			

<b>CASE PRESENTER</b>	DETECTIVE [REDACTED]
<b>DID THE LEAD DETECTIVE PRESENT THE CASE?</b> (P78b)	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> NOT APPLICABLE
<b>WHY DID THE LEAD INVESTIGATOR NOT PRESENT THE CASE?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> LEAD INVESTIGATOR NO LONGER IN UNIT <input type="checkbox"/> LEAD INVESTIGATOR NOT AVAILABLE TO PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/> LEAD INVESTIGATOR WAS CASE PRESENTER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FRB DETECTIVE PRESENTER AND LEAD INVESTIGATOR PRESENT AS SME <input type="checkbox"/> FRB DETECTIVE PRESENTER AND INVESTIGATIVE CHAIN UNAVAILABLE <input type="checkbox"/> NOT AN IAFD PRESENTATION
<b>INJURIES SUSTAINED</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
<b>DAMAGE TO PROPERTY</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
<b>DID EACH VOTING MEMBER OF THE FORCE REVIEW BOARD REVIEW THE MATERIAL PRIOR TO THE MEETING?</b> <small>(IN THE EVENT A VOTING MEMBER DID NOT REVIEW THE MATERIAL THEY WILL BE INELIGIBLE TO VOTE ON THE CASE. THIS WILL RESULT IN THE BELOW QUESTION, "DID ANY MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE FAIL TO VOTE," TO BE ANSWERED "YES".)</small>	<b>FIELD SERVICES DEPUTY CHIEF REPRESENTATIVE</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> NOT PRESENT  <b>ADMINISTRATIVE DEPUTY CHIEF REPRESENTATIVE</b> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT PRESENT  <b>INVESTIGATIVE DEPUTY CHIEF REPRESENTATIVE</b> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT PRESENT  <b>TRAINING ACADEMY REPRESENTATIVE</b> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT PRESENT  <b>FIELD SERVICES COMMANDER REPRESENTATIVE</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> NOT PRESENT
<b>DID THE FRB REVIEW THE CASE WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE COMPLETION OF THE INVESTIGATION?</b> (P78a)	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
<b>DID THE BOARD GENERATE A REFERRAL REQUESTING ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION TO IMPROVE THE FORCE INVESTIGATION FINDINGS?</b> (P78c)	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
<b>DISCUSSION TOPICS</b>	1. POWERPOINT STATES, "VIOLATIONS WERE IDENTIFIED." A. MISTAKE ON POWERPOINT. 1. SHOULD STATE, "NO VIOLATIONS WERE IDENTIFIED."

- 2. WERE ANY OF THE OFFICERS ECIT?
  - A. NEITHER WERE.
- 3. REASON FOR MENTAL HEALTH HOLD WAS FOR THE INDIVIDUAL HITTING HIS HEAD AND TRYING TO JUMP OUT OF WINDOW. HE ALSO MADE STATEMENTS OF SELF-HARM, ADVISING HE TRIED TO COMMIT SUICIDE IN THE PAST; HOWEVER, HE WOULD NOT PROVIDE THE TIMEFRAME OF WHEN HE ATTEMPTED SUICIDE CORRECT?
  - A. CORRECT.
- 4. WHAT WAS THE TRAINING REFERRAL FOR OFFICER
  - A. THE IAFD DETECTIVE FELT OFFICER [REDACTED] CIT SKILLS WERE LACKING. SHE WAS ONLY GIVING WARNINGS AND WAS NOT PROVIDING EMPATHETIC STATEMENTS.
- 5. IT WAS DETERMINED NOT TO BE A POLICY VIOLATION?
  - A. CORRECT BECAUSE OFFICER #2 WAS USING DE-ESCALATION TECHNIQUES AND THE OFFICERS WERE WORKING AS A TEAM. OFFICER #1 WAS PROVIDING WARNINGS AND OFFICER #2 WAS DEESCALATING.
- 6. WERE THE INDIVIDUAL'S RUG BURNS CONSIDERED AN INJURY? IF SO, WHY WAS THE USE OF FORCE NOT DETERMINED TO BE A HIGHER LEVEL OF FORCE? IF NOT, WHY NOT? HOW IS IT DETERMINED WHAT IS AN ACTUAL INJURY?
  - A. DEFICIENCY FOR POLICY THERE IS NO DEFINITION OF WHAT AN INJURY IS IT MAKES IT DEBATABLE AS TO WHETHER OR NOT IT IS AN INJURY.
- 7. IT IS IMPORTANT TO MAKE THIS DETERMINATION SO THERE IS NO INTERPRETATION OF WHAT AN INJURY IS FOR EACH PERSON. SHOULD BE IF AN INJURY CAN BE SEEN, IT IS AN INJURY AND CLASSIFIED APPROPRIATELY. THE INVESTIGATION WILL DETERMINE HOW THE INJURY OCCURRED SO IT IS INVESTIGATED PROPERLY.
- 8. CALL SAYS THE DAD WAS HOLDING THEM DOWN SO IT IS UNKNOWN WHERE THE INJURY CAME FROM.
  - A. CORRECT, IT WAS NEVER CLARIFIED.
- 9. THE INDIVIDUAL WAS A THREAT TO HIMSELF. WAS THIS TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION FOR THE OFFICER FOR TAKING THE INDIVIDUAL INTO CUSTODY?
  - A. YES, IT WAS IDENTIFIED FOR BOTH THREAT TO HIMSELF AND THE OFFICERS, SO VALID REASON TO DETAIN.

DID ANY MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE FAIL TO VOTE?  
 YES  NO

DID THE FRB, BY A MAJORITY VOTE, IDENTIFY CONCERNS, DEFICIENCIES, OR SUCCESSES NOT IDENTIFIED BY THE CASE PRESENTER FOR:

(P73e)	POLICY	TACTICS	EQUIPMENT	TRAINING	SUPERVISION	SUCCESSES
	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

WAS A POLICY VIOLATION IDENTIFIED BY THE BOARD?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
PERSONNEL RESPONSIBLE FOR ENTERING THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS REQUEST (IAR)	N/A
SOP TITLE OF VIOLATION	N/A
DID ANY MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE FAIL TO VOTE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	FOR TACTICAL ACTIVATIONS ONLY: WAS THE TACTICAL ACTIVATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DEPARTMENT'S SPECIALIZED RESPONSE PROTOCOLS?
MAJORITY VOTE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT A TACTICAL ACTIVATION
DID ANY MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE FAIL TO VOTE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	FOR TACTICAL ACTIVATIONS ONLY: ARE THERE ANY OTHER CONCERNS, DEFICIENCIES, OR SUCCESSES RELATED TO THE UNITS THAT REQUESTED TACTICAL SUPPORT NOT IDENTIFIED BY THE CASE PRESENTER?
MAJORITY VOTE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT A TACTICAL ACTIVATION
DID ANY MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE FAIL TO VOTE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	FOR IAFD INVESTIGATIONS ONLY: DID THE FRB, BY A MAJORITY VOTE, VOTE THAT THE IAFD INVESTIGATION WAS THOROUGH AND COMPLETE? (P78a)
MAJORITY VOTE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> NOT AN IAFD INVESTIGATION
DID ANY MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE FAIL TO VOTE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	FOR IAFD INVESTIGATIONS ONLY: DID THE FRB, BY A MAJORITY VOTE, DETERMINE THAT THE UOF IS CONSISTENT WITH DEPARTMENT POLICY? (P78d)
MAJORITY VOTE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> NOT AN IAFD INVESTIGATION
DID ANY MEMBER IN ATTENDANCE FAIL TO VOTE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	FOR IAFD INVESTIGATIONS ONLY: DID THE FRB, BY A MAJORITY VOTE, DETERMINE THAT THE IAFD INVESTIGATOR'S FINDINGS ARE SUPPORTED BY THE PREPONDERANCE OF EVIDENCE? (P78a)
MAJORITY VOTE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> NOT AN IAFD INVESTIGATION

DID THE CPOA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ASK QUESTIONS OR MAKE A STATEMENT TO THE PRESENTER? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
DISCUSSION TOPICS	1. IN POLICY.

Signed:   
Harold Medina, Chief of Police

Next FRB Meeting: October 14, 2021