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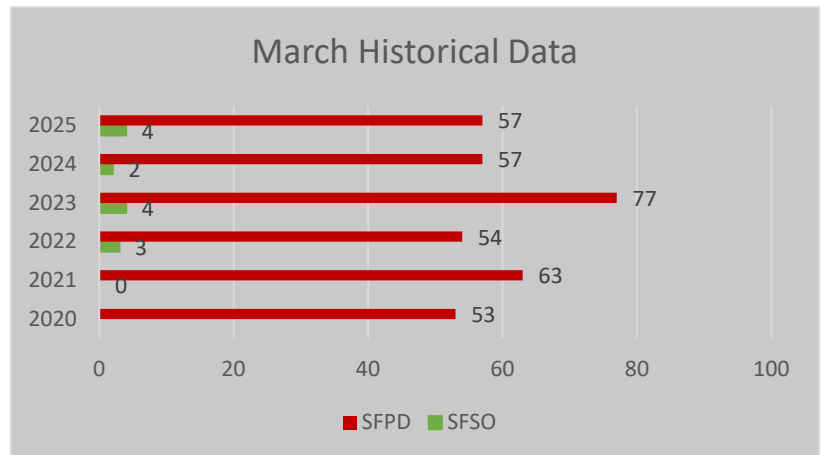
President Cindy Elias and Members of the San Francisco Police Commission

Re: San Francisco Department of Police Accountability March 2025 Monthly Statistical Report

Dear President Cindy Elias and San Francisco Police Commissioners:

Summary of Complaints Received in March 2025

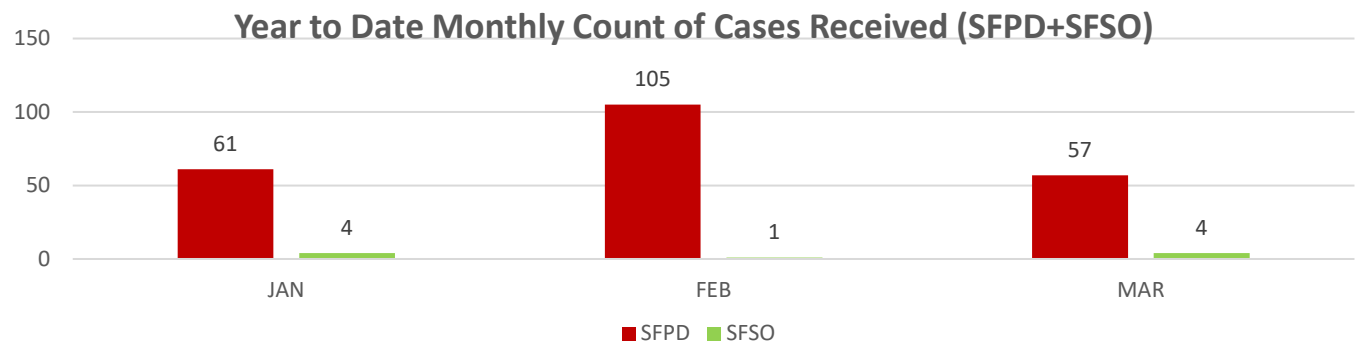
The Department of Police Accountability received a total of **61** cases in **March 2025**, **57** SFPD complaints and **4** SFSO complaints. Compared with a total of **59** cases, **57** SFPD complaints and **2** SFSO complaint, in the same period last year, the **March 2025** case total is **3%** lower than the five-year average and is **3%** higher than the previous year.



From January through March, the DPA received a total of **232** new cases, **223** SFPD complaints and **9** SFSO complaints. Compared with the **171** cases filed during the same period in 2024, **164** SFPD complaints and **7** SFSO complaint. The March year to date case total represents an **36%** increase in new complaints over last year.

Currently, DPA has a total of **270** pending cases, **228** SFPD and **42** SFSO.

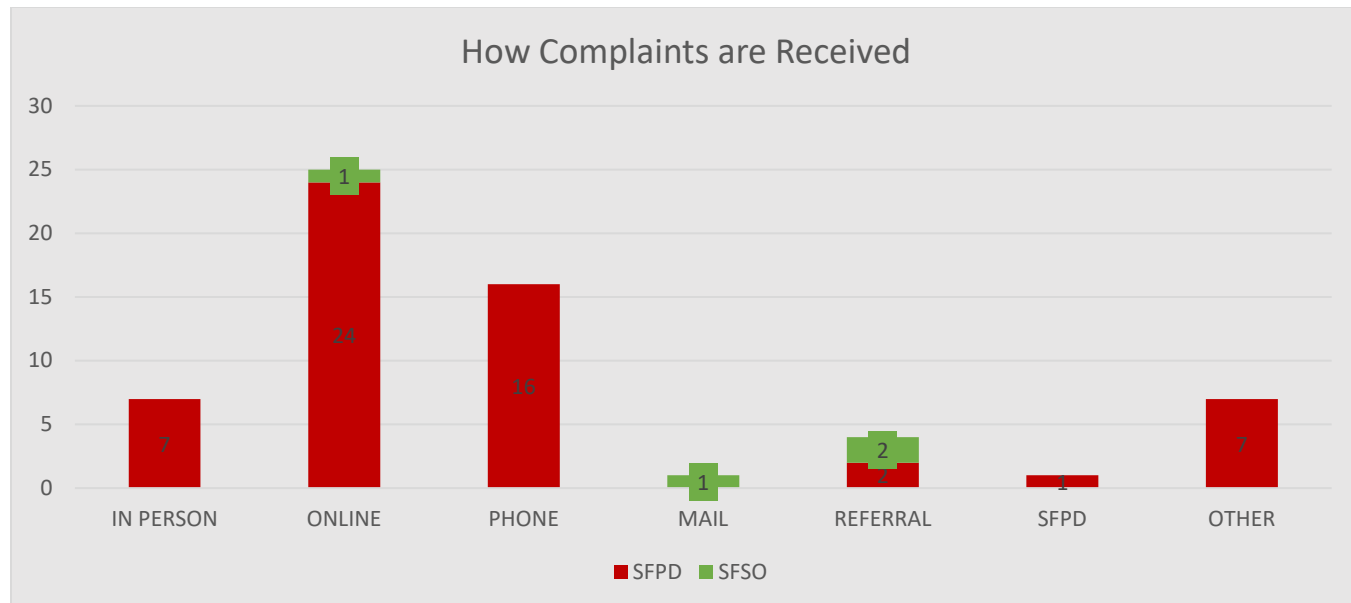
In March, DPA received a total of **0** referral(s) from SF Sheriff's Office and referred a total of **1** case(s) to SFSO.



March Demographics

Complainants	SFPD	SFSO
Complainants	51	4
Anonymous Complainants	6	0
Total	57	4
Gender	SFPD	SFSO
Female	11	0
Male	24	4
Genderqueer / Gender Non-binary	0	0
Transgender	0	0
Declined to State	22	0
Grand Total	57	4
Race/Ethnicity	SFPD	SFSO
Asian	9	0
Black or African American	6	1
Hispanic or Latinx	6	1
White	8	0
Other	3	1
Declined to State	25	1
Total	57	4
Age	SFPD	SFSO
1-13 (by an adult)	0	0
14-16	0	0
17-19	0	0
20-30	1	0
31-40	10	0
41-50	8	0
51-60	10	0
61-70	1	0
71-80	1	0
Over 80	1	0
Declined to State	25	4
Grand Total	57	4

Most complaints were received by referral and online.



Please find the attached table, which summarizes cases received in **March 2025**. The table is prepared in compliance with San Francisco City Charter section 4.136 and Police Commission Resolution number 97-04, which require the Department of Police Accountability (DPA) to provide the Police Commission with a monthly summary of cases received, including the number and type of complaints filed.

Sincerely,

Paul Henderson
Executive Director

Attachments (1)

CASE	RECEIVED	SUMMARY	Case Type
00063168-25	3/2/2025	Officers failed to properly investigate.	SFPD
00063108-25	3/3/2025	An officer exhibited rude behavior and failed to write an incident report.	SFPD
00063118-25	3/3/2025	A sheriff deputy served a notice to vacate written in English. The person served was monolingual Spanish. The complainant said there should have been Spanish translation of the notice.	SFPD
00063123-25	3/4/2025	Merged - The complainant stated that their immigrant family was harassed by officers.	SFPD
00063122-25	3/4/2025	The complainant stated that their immigrant family was harassed by officers.	SFPD
00063124-25	3/4/2025	Merged - The complainant stated that their immigrant family was harassed by officers.	SFPD
00063147-25	3/4/2025	The complainant raises matters not rationally within Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00063171-25	3/5/2025	The San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) posted a mug shot in violation of California Penal Code § 13665. SFPD failed to take the post down despite being noticed of the violation.	SFPD
00063184-25	3/5/2025	The complainant called police station for assistance in removing people from his apartment and an officer told said they would not help him.	SFPD
00063391-25	3/5/2025	Officers harrassed the complainant because of the complainant's race.	SFPD
00063196-25	3/6/2025	Officers are not responding to an ongoing traffic issue	SFPD
00063225-25	3/6/2025	An officer's police dog sniffed at the complainant intimidating her.	SFPD
00063218-25	3/7/2025	An officer failed to carry their service weapon while working with other city officials.	SFPD
00063223-25	3/7/2025	Officers failed to assist a complainant when they called for help.	SFPD
00063224-25	3/7/2025	Officers failed to take required action.	SFPD
00063226-25	3/7/2025	Officers took the complainant's taxi from her so other riders could take it.	SFPD
00063241-25	3/8/2025	The Department of Police Accountability opened a mandated investigation into an officer-involved shooting.	SFPD
00063251-25	3/10/2025	Officer released internal and sensitive photos of Officer Involved Shooting to media.	SFPD
00063263-25	3/11/2025	An officers improperly refused to generate an incident report.	SFPD
00063268-25	3/11/2025	The officer behaved inappropriately.	SFPD
00063283-25	3/12/2025	The officer failed to assist the complainant retrieve her vehicle that was wrongfully held by an auto shop. In addition, the officer acted in a discriminatory manner and made an inappropriate comment.	SFPD
00063290-25	3/12/2025	The officers failed to arrest an assault suspect and unlawfully detained the complainant.	SFPD
00063299-25	3/13/2025	The complainant stated that the officers were biased, failed to investigate, mirandize, and filed false claims that were retaliatory.	SFPD
00063308-25	3/13/2025	The officer behaved inappropriately.	SFPD
00063309-25	3/13/2025	The officer made inappropriate comments and also pulled the complainant into a police squad car, which made it appear that she was an informant.	SFPD
00063314-25	3/13/2025	The complainant stated that the San Francisco Police Department has a Command Center a block away from a district station and that is a waste of taxpayer money. While California Law states that the use and possession of marijuana is legal, the district station is enforcing Federal guidelines.	SFPD
00063343-25	3/16/2025	Failure to take report, biased policing, failure to take DPA complaint, and failure to comply with DGO 2.04.	SFPD
00063351-25	3/17/2025	An officer threw a flashbang grenade toward the complainant that landed between his feet while apprehending an unknown individual.	SFPD
00063356-25	3/17/2025	Police failed to take a requested report.	SFPD
00063364-25	3/17/2025	Officers failed to take a report and provide their identities when requested.	SFPD
00003244-25	3/17/2025	A deputy slammed the complainant to the ground and twisted his arm excessively, injuring his shoulder. The complainant also alleged that another deputy unnecessarily strip-searched him.	SFSO
00063372-25	3/18/2025	Officers stopped the complainant from using the bathroom.	SFPD
00063376-25	3/18/2025	The officer behaved or spoke inappropriately.	SFPD
00063392-25	3/19/2025	An officer refused to write an incident report.	SFPD
00063394-25	3/20/2025	The complainant stated that a homeless woman threatened him with a knife. He called the police but they could not find her and did not do anything about it.	SFPD
00063409-25	3/20/2025	Complainant's daughter was struck by a police car and the officer left the scene. Subsequently, other officers forced the daughter to take an ambulance to the emergency room.	SFPD
00063410-25	3/20/2025	The complainant called SFPD after being verbally assaulted. There was a delayed response and the complainant is generally upset about the proliferation of drug dealers and users.	SFPD
00063411-25	3/20/2025	The complainant stated that a police officer gave her his personal email address to receive evidence from her.	SFPD
00063412-25	3/20/2025	Vehicles were parked unsafely.	SFPD
00063413-25	3/20/2025	The complainant detailed that people were engaged in planting and smoking narcotics.	SFPD
00063426-25	3/20/2025	The complaint raises matters outside the DPA's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00063471-25	3/20/2025	The officers did not respond to the complainant's report regarding noise and loitering.	SFPD
00003245-25	3/20/2025	Deputies discovered an inmate unresponsive. He was pronounced deceased on scene.	SFSO
00003247-25	3/20/2025	A deputy twisted the complainant's handcuffed wrists enough to cause injury.	SFSO
00003246-25	3/21/2025	An officer used excessive force to detain the complainant.	SFSO
00063429-25	3/24/2025	The officers failed to arrest a person making threats.	SFPD
00063466-25	3/24/2025	Officers are following the complainant. In addition, officers failed to help the complainant when he was drugged.	SFPD
00063470-25	3/24/2025	The San Francisco Police Department's war on drugs causes more violence and homicides.	SFPD
00063478-25	3/24/2025	An officer drive in a reckless manner nearly striking the complainant.	SFPD
00063479-25	3/24/2025	An officer wrote an inaccurate incident report.	SFPD

Summary of Cases Received

March 2025

CASE	RECEIVED	SUMMARY	Case Type
00063493-25	3/25/2025	The complainant was at the airport and an officer erroneously cited him without providing an explanation and was rude during the incident.	SFPD
00063522-25	3/26/2025	Merged: An officer wrote an inaccurate incident report.	SFPD
00063536-25	3/26/2025	Officers failed to properly investigate an assault, profiled the complainant, and improperly dissuaded the complainant from filing a complaint.	SFPD
00063527-25	3/27/2025	The complainant was unfairly targeted and harassed by officers who treated the complainant unprofessionally.	SFPD
00063531-25	3/27/2025	The complainant's information was included in the report despite the explicit request for it to be omitted.	SFPD
00063537-25	3/27/2025	The officer exhibited aggressive and rude behavior toward the complainant, abruptly cutting them off while driving.	SFPD
00063542-25	3/27/2025	SFPD officers escorted shuttle busses to Chase Center for NCAA West Regional Men's Basketball	SFPD
00063550-25	3/28/2025	Administrative delays caused complainant to incur fees for recovered stolen vehicle. Officer was not present at time of tow.	SFPD
00063554-25	3/28/2025	Mobile phone stolen IO-2	SFPD
00063586-25	3/31/2025	Officers have failed to return the complainant's phone calls	SFPD
00063593-25	3/31/2025	An officer used excessive force to detain the complainant and did not provide medical aid	SFPD
Total New Cases:			61