Department of Police Accountability

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Summary for Oct 8, 2025

The Department of Police Accountability's highlight for the week:

- DPA Fall Intern Onboarding
 - DPA is currently onboarding four interns for our Fall term. They will be joining us from S.F. State, U.C. Berkeley and Stanford.
- Report Reenvisioning Project Update
 - o DPA is finishing up our Commissioner input survey and hope to have it out ahead of schedule in early November.
- Audit Update
 - The Use of Force draft report has been sent to the Controller's Officer and is undergoing independent review.

Investigation Updates:

- Statistics Since the Last Police Commission Meeting (October 1, 2025):
 - Cases Opened: 12
 - o Cases Closed: 9
 - Year-to-Date Comparison:
 - Case openings have increased by 27% (152 cases) compared to the same period in 2024.
 - The number of pending cases is currently 10% higher (an increase of 21 cases) than at this time last year.

Year-to-Date Statistics

Measure	2025 Year to Date	2024 Year to Date
Cases Opened	719	567
Under Investigation	223	202
Cases Closed	727	693

Breakdown of Closed Complaints

Measure	2025 Year to Date	2024 Year to Date
Cases Sustained	29	39
Cases Not Sustained	698	640
Cases Mediated	9	13

Investigations Over 270-Days/Tolling*

As of September 12, 2025, DPA has 13 cases open for more than 270 days. 11 cases are "tolled". The remaining case is not sustainable and awaiting a Member Response Form to close.

Measure	2025 Year to Date	2024 Year to Date
Cases Over 270 Days	12	18

DPA Sustained Cases Pending Final Adjudication

- There are 81 <u>cases</u> sustained by DPA that are pending with the SFPD.
- There are 2 <u>cases</u> pending with the San Francisco Police Commission.

Weekly Statistics

Most Common Allegations Received Since the Last Commission Meeting.**

Allegation Type	Allegation Summary	Percent
Conduct Unbecoming an Officer	The officer drove a City vehicle in a reckless manner.	16%
Neglect of Duty	The officer failed to take required action.	16%
Unwarranted Action	The officer prepared an inaccurate incident report.	8%
Neglect of Duty	The officer failed to properly investigate.	8%
Unwarranted Action	The officer made an arrest without cause	8%

SFPD District Station Breakdown

Below is a breakdown of the complaints we received, per station, since the last commission meeting.

Station	Cases Received (1 week)	Last Reporting Period (2 weeks)
A - Central	3	3
B - Southern	X	6
C- Bayview	1	2

D - Mission	3	1
E- Northern	Χ	1
F – Park	2	X
G - Richmond	Χ	2
H - Ingleside	Χ	X
I – Taraval	1	4
J - Tenderloin	Χ	1
Airport	X	1
Not Applicable	1	7
Out of Town	X	1
Pending	1	8
Total	12	37

^{*} This data reflects the status as of the date it was pulled, typically the Friday before the current Commission meeting. These statistics represent a point-in-time snapshot, are preliminary, and subject to change.

^{**} The total number of new allegations reported this week is 12. Allegations are identified following a preliminary review and investigation. This figure is also a point-in-time snapshot and will change as the investigations progress.