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President C. Don Clay and Members of the San Francisco Police Commission

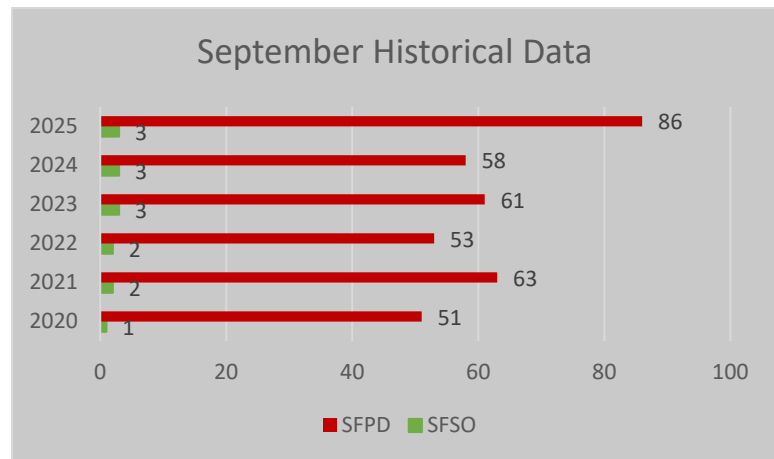
**Re: San Francisco Department of Police Accountability September 2025 Monthly Statistical Report**

Dear President C. Don Clay and San Francisco Police Commissioners:

**Summary of Complaints Received in September 2025**

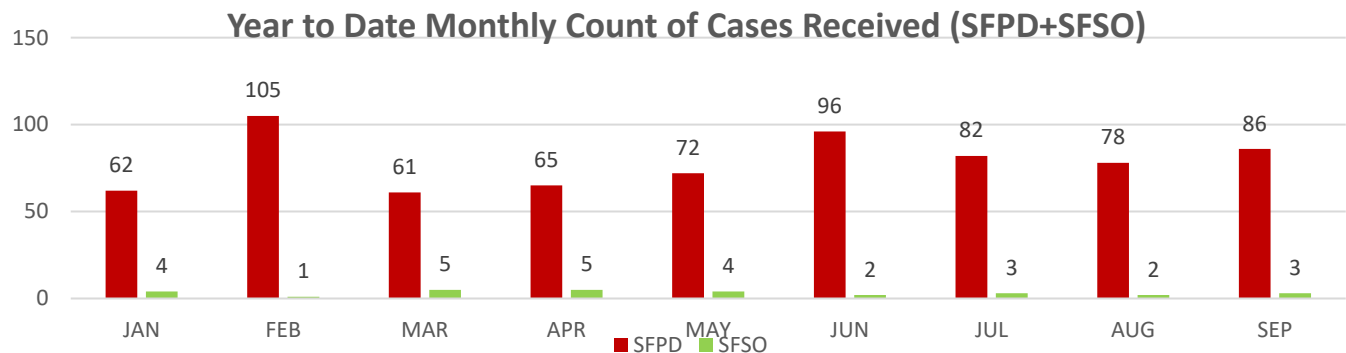
The Department of Police Accountability received a total of **89** cases in **August 2025**, **86** SFPD complaints, and **3** SFSO complaints. Compared with a total of **61** cases, **58** SFPD complaints, and 3 SFSO complaints in the same period last year, the **September 2025** case total is **51%** higher than the five-year average and is **46%** higher than the previous year.

From January through September, the DPA received a total of **736** new cases, **707** SFPD complaints and **29** SFSO complaints. Compared with the **591** cases filed during the same period in 2024, **557** SFPD complaints and **34** SFSO complaints. The year-to-date case total for September represents a 25% increase in new complaints over the same period last year.



Currently, DPA has a total of **270** pending cases, **227** SFPD and **43** SFSO.

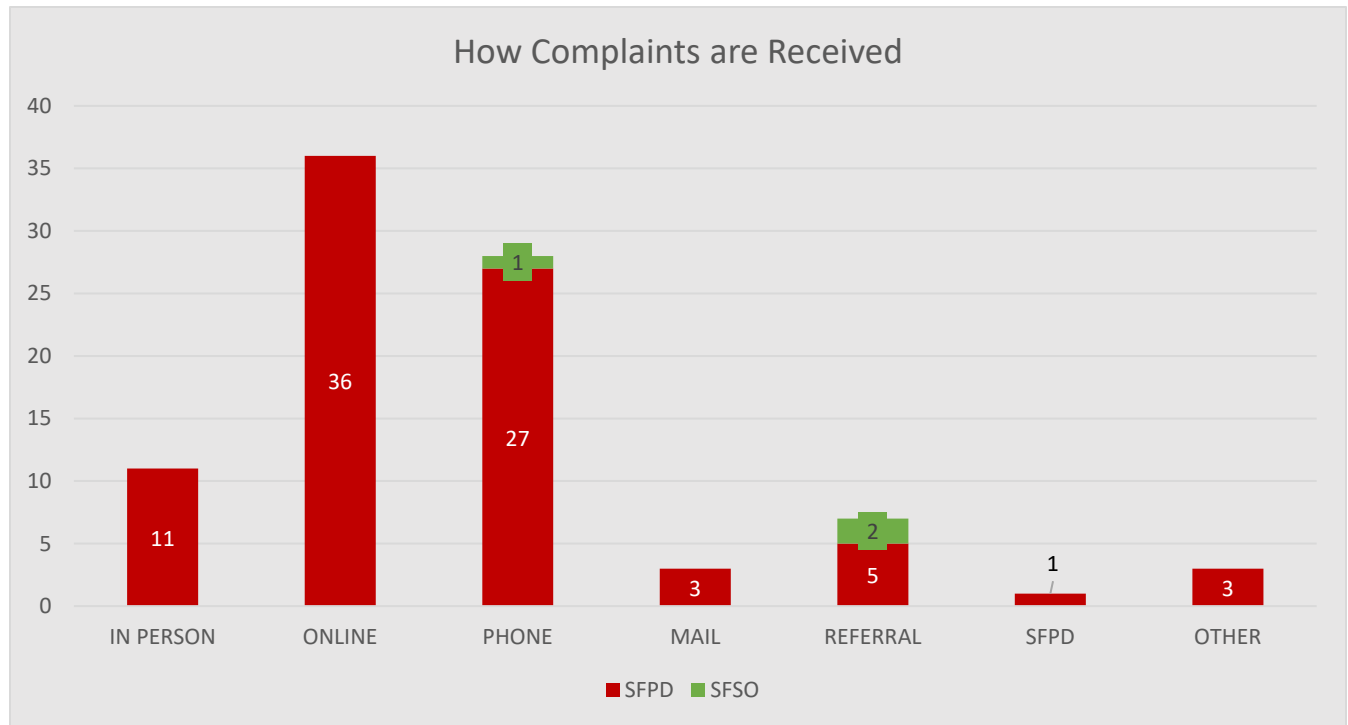
In September, DPA received a total of **0** referrals from the SF Sheriff's Office and referred a total of 1 case to SFSO.



### September Demographics

Complainants	SFPD	SFSO
Complainants	77	3
Anonymous Complainants	9	0
Total	86	3
Gender	SFPD	SFSO
Female	17	0
Male	30	2
Genderqueer / Gender Non-binary	0	0
Transgender	0	0
Declined to State	39	1
Grand Total	86	3
Race/Ethnicity	SFPD	SFSO
Asian	1	0
Black or African American	14	1
Hispanic or Latinx	9	0
White	19	1
Other	4	0
Declined to State	39	2
Total	86	3
Age	SFPD	SFSO
1-13 (by an adult)	0	0
14-16	0	0
17-19	0	0
20-30	6	1
31-40	20	0
41-50	5	0
51-60	6	0
61-70	10	0
71-80	6	0
Over 80	0	0
Declined to State	33	2
Grand Total	86	3

Most complaints were received by referral and online.



Please find the attached table, which summarizes cases received in **September 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)

**Summary of Cases Received**

CASE	RECEIVED	SUMMARY	Case Type
00066499-25	9/1/2025	Officers harassed unhoused individuals.	SFPD
		Officers refused to take his statement, declined to identify themselves, refused to prepare an incident report, falsely claimed that he was not assaulted, and refused to arrest the suspect. The officers further arrested the complainant	
00066500-25	9/1/2025	when he told them that he would be filing a complaint against them.	SFPD
00066509-25	9/2/2025	An officer verbally assaulted a person.	SFPD
		This complaint raises matters outside of the Department of Police Accountability (DPA) jurisdiction. This complaint	
00066523-25	9/2/2025	has been merged with 066466-25.	SFPD
		An officer conducted a traffic stop that resulted in an illegal search of the complainant's vehicle. The complainant alleged that officers were hostile, had inappropriate behavior and comments, and made racially charged statements.	
00066531-25	9/3/2025	The complainant also alleged that officers did not properly care for the person in custody.	SFPD
00066560-25	9/3/2025	This complaint raises matters outside of the Department of Police Accountability jurisdiction.	SFPD
		An officer pushed the complainant without warning or justification. Officers later failed to respond to a call for	
00066607-25	9/3/2025	service.	SFPD
		An officer pushed the complainant to the ground and detained him without speaking with him. Another officer threw	
00066610-25	9/3/2025	the complainant's phone, causing damage.	SFPD
00066575-25	9/4/2025	Officers responded to an alleged report of a battery, failed to properly investigate, and were racially biased.	SFPD
00066576-25	9/4/2025	Merged: Officers responded to an alleged report of a battery, failed to properly investigate, and were racially biased.	SFPD
00066584-25	9/4/2025	The complainant raises matters not rationally within Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066589-25	9/4/2025	An officer used unnecessary or excessive force.	SFPD
00066591-25	9/5/2025	An officer cited the complainant for a traffic violation without cause.	SFPD
00066612-25	9/5/2025	This complaint raises matters not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066608-25	9/5/2025	This complaint raises matters not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066609-25	9/5/2025	This complaint raises matters not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066611-25	9/5/2025	This complaint raises matters not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066673-25	9/5/2025	This complaint raises matters not rationally within the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00003286-25	9/5/2025	Deputies beat the complainant during a safety cell placement. The complainant stated that he sustained great bodily injuries because of the force.	SFSO
00066634-25	9/7/2025	The officers changed the original description of the suspect to match the complainants physical traits, and this altered version was later improperly used against the complainant in court.	SFPD
		The complaint raised matters that were imaginary or not rationally within the Department of Police Accountabilities' jurisdiction.	
00066652-25	9/7/2025		SFPD
00066677-25	9/8/2025	The complaint raised matters that were not rationally within the Department of Police Accountabilities' jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066678-25	9/8/2025	The complainant raises matters not rationally within Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066679-25	9/9/2025	The officer behaved or spoke in a manner unbecoming an officer.	SFPD
00066689-25	9/9/2025	The displayed rude and intimidating behavior, yelling at pedestrians.	SFPD
00066691-25	9/9/2025	The officer was unprofessional while issuing a parking citation.	SFPD
00066695-25	9/9/2025	Officer engaged in inappropriate behavior/comments and used profanity when speaking to the complainant.	SFPD
00066718-25	9/9/2025	The officer displayed intimidating behavior and failed to investigate a violated restraining order.	SFPD
00066717-25	9/9/2025	The officer failed to investigate a reported assault.	SFPD
00066725-25	9/9/2025	The officers failed to de-escalate the situation and used aggressive behavior as they took a subject into custody.	SFPD
00066730-25	9/10/2025	The officer failed to enforce a civil restraining order violation.	SFPD
		Officers failed to investigate an incident, aide the complainant, and were unnecessarily rude towards the	
00066736-25	9/11/2025	complainant.	SFPD
00066750-25	9/11/2025	Officers failed to properly investigate a violent assault/battery.	SFPD
00003287-25	9/11/2025	Deputies threw the complainant to the ground, causing a black eye. Deputies stepped on the back of his legs.	SFSO
		The police department has not contacted the complainant's wife regarding her father's homicide or given	
00066753-25	9/12/2025	information to family members.	SFPD
		The officer failed to take enforcement action on homeless blocking sidewalk and drug dealing outside the	
00066754-25	9/12/2025	complainant's residence.	SFPD
		The officer unlawfully arrested the complainant on a restraining order violation and cell phone was booked and he	
00066759-25	9/12/2025	attempted to retrieve it but it can't be found.	SFPD
00066764-25	9/13/2025	The officer committed traffic violations	SFPD
00066789-25	9/14/2025	Officer issued a citation without knowing the speed limit of the street	SFPD
00066791-25	9/15/2025	An Officer used unnecessary force	SFPD
00066793-25	9/15/2025	The officer issued a citation without cause	SFPD
00066794-25	9/15/2025	Officers failed to provided mental health care to a violent person	SFPD
00066801-25	9/15/2025	Officers used false pretenses to arrest the complainant.	SFPD
00066802-25	9/15/2025	The officer was rude and unprofessional. The officer used handcuffs without cause	SFPD

**Summary of Cases Received**

CASE	RECEIVED	SUMMARY	Case Type
00066803-25	9/16/2025	Officers deceived the complainant into accepting a "911" report instead of an incident report	SFPD
00066818-25	9/17/2025	The complainant raises matters outside of DPA's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066838-25	9/17/2025	The complainant raises matters outside of the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066835-25	9/17/2025	homeless people's names as if they had committed crimes.	SFPD
00066842-25	9/17/2025	The complainant stated that the officer blocked the entrance to his home, pushed him and was rude to him.	SFPD
00066858-25	9/17/2025	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066863-25	9/17/2025	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066861-25	9/17/2025	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066864-25	9/18/2025	The officers harassed the complainants and exhibited unprofessional, retaliatory behavior following a disputed citation.	SFPD
00066875-25	9/18/2025	The complainant was wrongfully arrested because the officers failed to conduct a proper investigation.	SFPD
00066877-25	9/18/2025	The officer hung up on the complainant when they requested help.	SFPD
00066876-25	9/18/2025	The officers failed to take the required action during a protest.	SFPD
00066881-25	9/19/2025	The complainant raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066885-25	9/19/2025	An officer was rude and spoke inappropriately toward the complainant.	SFPD
00066891-25	9/19/2025	Officers pursued a suspect vehicle when out of their jurisdiction, resulting in the suspect vehicle crashing into and damaging complainant's vehicle.	SFPD
00066893-25	9/19/2025	The complainant was arrested for vandalism and not Mirandized. The number of officers that responded to the scene was excessive, and officers improperly handcuffed the complainant and held her arm too tightly resulting in bruising.	SFPD
00066906-25	9/21/2025	An officer also withheld the complainant's prescription glasses after the arrest and made inappropriate comments.	SFPD
00066920-25	9/22/2025	Officers failed to ask questions prior to an arrest.	SFPD
00066932-25	9/22/2025	The complainant raises matters not rationally within Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066930-25	9/22/2025	The officer harassed the complainant.	SFPD
00066930-25	9/23/2025	The complainant stated that a generator was running and emitting exhaust directly onto the individuals waiting at the bus stop. The complainant asked that it be fixed or that individuals waiting at the bus stop be properly informed of the exposure to toxic chemicals.	SFPD
00066935-25	9/23/2025	The officer failed to investigate the incident and process the evidence that was provided by the complainant.	SFPD
00066954-25	9/24/2025	The complainant alleged an officer failed to take a missing person report and made inappropriate comments.	SFPD
00067013-25	9/24/2025	The complainant raises matters not rationally within Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00067022-25	9/24/2025	The complainant raises matters not rationally within Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00067014-25	9/24/2025	The complainant reported a theft and wanted to press charges; however, the officer refused to accept the private person's arrest.	SFPD
00003289-25	9/24/2025	The complainant alleges that he was sexually harassed during a strip search.	SFSO
00066987-25	9/25/2025	The complainant stated that he was helping to move his mother's car and double-parked on the street for a short while. Then an officer came and threatened him.	SFPD
00066990-25	9/25/2025	The complainant raises matters outside of DPA's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00066996-25	9/26/2025	The San Francisco Police Department has failed to address persistent and overt drug dealing in the city.	SFPD
00067003-25	9/26/2025	An officer misplaced the complainant's phone and inaccurately reported in the police report that photographs were taken.	SFPD
00067004-25	9/26/2025	This complaint raises matters outside the Department of Police Accountability's jurisdiction.	SFPD
00067012-25	9/26/2025	An officer unlawfully entered the complainant's residence without a warrant.	SFPD
00067007-25	9/26/2025	Officers failed to investigate a death threat and filed an inaccurate report resulting in criminal charges.	SFPD
00067025-25	9/26/2025	An officer failed to conduct a proper investigation.	SFPD
00067021-25	9/26/2025	An officer failed to conduct an investigation and did not return the complainant's phone calls.	SFPD
00067072-25	9/26/2025	Complainant was treated inappropriately during a traffic stop. She feels she was targeted and harassed due to prior interactions with and complaints against SFPD.	SFPD
00067045-25	9/27/2025	Police would not allow the complainant to visit their boyfriend in the hospital.	SFPD
00067047-25	9/27/2025	The complainant stated they were searched by a male officer, a Captain refused to speak with them, and officers initially refused to transport the complainant to the hospital.	SFPD
00067064-25	9/29/2025	An officer issued traffic citations to the complainant	SFPD
00067063-25	9/29/2025	An officer issued traffic citations to the complainant.	SFPD
00067074-25	9/29/2025	Officers failed to arrest a subject involved in a vehicle hit and run incident and failed to properly investigate.	SFPD
00067127-25	9/29/2025	The complainant called for service but was not interviewed by responding officers.	SFPD
00067088-25	9/30/2025	The officer informed the complainant that his reports could not be filed on-line and was instructed to respond to any station to make his report.	SFPD
00067089-25	9/30/2025	Merged: The officer informed the complainant that his reports could not be filed on-line and was instructed to respond to any station to make his report.	SFPD
00067105-25	9/30/2025	An officer blocked the complainant's phone number to the Station and a sergeant made rude comments.	SFPD

**Total New  
Cases:**