



ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) Standard 26.2.5 (Law Enforcement Personnel) and Standard 1.4.11 (Communications Personnel), the Athens-Clarke County Police Department announces the following information regarding the disposition of complaints of employee misconduct received from the public:

January 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020

Type of Complaint	Number of Complaints	Unfounded	Exonerated	Policy Review	Not Sustained	Sustained
Service Complaints	21	7	5	1	3	5
Policy Infractions	19	7	3	1	0	8
Criminal/Integrity Complaints	2	0	1	0	0	1
Use of Force Complaints	4	0	4	0	0	0
Bias-Based Policing Complaints	2	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	48	15	14	2	3	14

It is the policy of the Athens-Clarke County Police Department to objectively and fairly investigate all formal complaints of employee misconduct received from any source, even anonymous, and take any action(s) that may be deemed necessary and appropriate to correct any deficiencies that may be identified through the investigation. It is also the policy of the department to afford each employee and complainant due process at each stage of the investigative process.

Complaints against employees or the department may be filed by contacting the Office of Professional Standards by phone (762) 400-7340, online at www.accgov.com, or the Office of the Chief by phone at (762) 400-7007.