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The Charlottesville Police Department's Internal Affairs Unit received the following cases in 2020. **Red** indicates the case is currently open.

Case: 2020-001-C

Summary: Complaint alleged officer was in his personal vehicle in Nelson County driving recklessly. The allegation was reported to Nelson County Sheriff's Office and CPD. No evidence to support the allegation and no charges were filed by Nelson County.

Received: January 10, 2020

Closed: February 24, 2020

Allegation: Conformance to Laws

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-002-C (INTERNAL)

Summary: Internal initiated complaint of statements made by an officer during a meeting with the Commonwealth Attorney's Office. Officer ended employment before determination.

Received: February 12, 2020

Closed: April 13, 2020

Allegation: Statements and Appearances

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: B/F

Case: 2020-003-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officers mishandled or damaged his property during a custodial arrest.

Received: March 3, 2020

Closed: April 28, 2020

Allegation: Code of Conduct

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M, B/M, W/M, W/M, W/M, B/F

Case: 2020-004-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officer would not assist them in obtaining warrants for a subject that complainant alleged verbally assaulted him. The complainant also alleged officer racially profiled him.

Received: March 6, 2020

Closed: April 16, 2020

Allegation: Code of Conduct, Biased-Based Policing

Determination: UNFOUNDED, UNFOUNDED

Complainant: B/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-005-C

Summary: Complainant alleged an officer used an accusatory tone while questioning them about an open container call in a city park.

Received: March 10, 2020

Closed: April 17, 2020

Allegation: Demeanor

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Collateral: Failure to Activate BWC

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-006-C (INTERNAL)

Summary: Internal investigation initiated for violation of performance policy.

Received: March 10, 2020

Closed: April 1, 2020

Allegation: Performance of Duties

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: A/M

Case: 2020-007 (INTERNAL)

Summary: Internal investigation initiated for violation of department policies.

Received: April 10, 2020

Closed: July 16, 2020

Allegation: Code of Conduct (5)

Determination: SUSTAINED (5)

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-008 (INTERNAL)

Summary: Internal investigation initiated for violation of performance policy.

Received: April 8, 2020

Closed: April 20, 2020

Allegation: Performance

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-009-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officers violated the law and departmental policy while training with weapons on private property in Green County.

Received: April 23, 2020

Closed: May 7, 2020

Allegation: Negligence

Determination: ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/M, W/M, W/M, W/M

Case: 2020-010-C

Summary: Complaint believed citizen standing next to a marked police vehicle was an officer, and alleged the officer was rude. CPD officer not involved.

Received: April 29, 2020

Closed: May 12, 2020

Allegation: Demeanor

Determination: ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-011-C

Summary: Civilian employee investigated for violating the use of Records Management System.

Received: April 20, 2020

Closed: May 4, 2020

Allegation: Abuse of Authority

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/F

Case: 2020-012-C

Summary: Complaint alleged Community Service Officer (CSO) working the downtown mall, spoke to them in a disrespectful and threatening manner. **The** Incident took place while CSO was addressing a parking violation.

Received: June 8, 2020

Closed: July 10, 2020

Allegation: Demeanor

Determination: NOT RESOLVED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/F

Case: 2020-013-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officer was rude, and used a threatening tone while handling a brandishing call for service incident at Market St. Park.

Received: June 16, 2020

Closed: August 6, 2020

Allegation: Demeanor

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-014-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officer conducted a traffic stop on him illegally, and searched his person and vehicle illegally. This case is under legal review and is certified to go before the grand jury. (IA process was suspended until criminal case underwent judicial review).

Received: June 19, 2020

Closed: September 30, 2020

Allegation: Constitutional Violation; Code of Conduct

*Determination: UNFOUNDED; EXONERATED

Complainant: B/M

Officer: B/M

Case: 2020-015-C

Summary: Third-party complainant alleged officer used excessive force when arresting a citizen. Third-party complainant alleged officer subject engaged based on his ethnicity.

Received: July 9, 2020

Closed: September 8, 2020

Allegation: Excessive Force, Biased Based Policing

Determination: EXONERATED, UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-016-C (Internal)

Summary: Complainant obtained an EPO for her spouse, a Charlottesville Police Recruit who was attending the Police Academy.

Received: July 8, 2020

Closed: August 5, 2020

Allegation: Unbecoming Conduct; Duty to Inform

Determination: NOT RESOLVED; SUSTAINED

Complainant: B/F

Officer: B/M

Case: 2020-017-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officer used excessive force to remove a subject from the transport van and during the escort into UVA hospital.

Received: July 16, 2020

Closed: September 25, 2020

Allegation: Excessive Use of Force; Unbecoming Conduct

Determination: EXONERATED; EXONERATED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: B/M

Case: 2020-018-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officers did not arrest a subject who she was fighting.

Received: July 20, 2020

Closed: August 6, 2020

Allegation: Unsatisfactory Performance

Determination: EXONERATED

Complainant: B/F

Officer: W/F, W/M, W/M, W/M

Case: 2020-019-C

Summary: Third-party complainant alleged officers racially profiled the suspects and did not advise citizens why they were barred from Hardy Drive.

Received: July 20, 2020

Closed: August 28, 2020

Allegation: Biased Based Policing, Malfeasance of Duty, Trespassing Enforcement

Determination: UNFOUNDED, EXONERATED, EXONERATED

Complainant: B/F

Officer: W/M, W/M, W/M, W/M, W/M, W/M,

Case: 2020-020-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officers did not take a report from an incident they were involved in or make an arrest.

Received: July 20, 2020

Closed: Pending

Allegation: Performance of Duties

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-021-C

Summary: Third-party complainant represented a client in court and filed a complaint after charges were dismissed. (IA process was suspended until the criminal case is resolved).

Received: July 27, 2020

Closed: February 19, 2021

Allegation: Constitutional Violations, Truthfulness, Use of Force and Conformance to Laws, Performance, Courtesy

Determination: SUSTAINED, SUSTAINED, SUSTAINED, SUSTAINED, SUSTAINED, SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/M, W/M, A/M

Case: 2020-022-I (Internal)

Summary: Complainant alleged officer was rude when addressing an issue with them, other civilian employees of CPD, and the General District Court.

Received: July 29, 2020

Closed: August 6, 2020

Allegation: Courtesy

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-023-C

Summary: Complainant alleges officer called them about a call for service. The complainant alleged the caller made unprofessional statements about a call for service on the downtown mall.

Received: August 10, 2020

Closed: September 29, 2020

Allegation: Courtesy

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-024-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officers were rude and would not identify themselves when they arrived or asked to do so. Complainant also alleged officers were not wearing a mask due to COVID when investigating the call, nor did they fully perform their duties for service.

Received: August 17, 2020

Closed: November 2, 2020

Allegation: Unsatisfactory Performance, Courtesy, Identification; Covid Violation

Determination: SUSTAINED, UNFOUNDED, UNFOUNDED (x2); UNFOUNDED (x2); EXONERATED (x2)

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M, W/M

Case: 2020-025-I (INTERNAL)

Summary: During the audit of the Body-Worn Camera policy, the officer was found in violation of the policy.

Received: August 5, 2020

Closed: August 11, 2020

Allegation: Violation of Mobile Recording

Determination: SUSTAINED

Complainant: N/A

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-026-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officer did not arrest another party after determining they made false statements to get officers to respond for a call for service.

Received: August 31, 2020

Closed: October 15, 2020

Allegation: Performance of Duties, Biased Based Policing

Determination: EXONERATED, EXONERATED

Complainant: B/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-027-C

Summary: Complaint alleged officer lied to them during an investigation into their incident.

Received: August 31, 2020

Closed: November 2, 2020

Allegation: Truthfulness, Performance

Determination: UNFOUNDED, UNFOUNDED

Complainant: B/F

Officer: B/M

Case: 2020-028-C (INTERNAL)

Summary: Complainant (ex-girlfriend) alleged officer consumed a single prescribed pill scripted to her in July 2020, in which the officer also had the same prescription.

Received: September 16, 2020

Closed: November 16, 2020

Allegation: Code of Conduct, Abuse of position

Determination: UNFOUNDED, UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-029-C (Internal)

Summary: Complainant alleged officer violated evidence handling policy.

Received: October 13, 2020

Closed: November 2, 2020

Allegation: Evidence handling, storage, and processing; Procedures for personal social media

Determination: UNFOUNDED, SUSTAINED

Complainant: W/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-030-C (Internal)

Summary: Complainant alleges officer made untruthful statements.

Received: October 13, 2020

Closed: January 21, 2021

Allegation: Truthfulness, Full disclosure

Determination: NOT RESOLVED, SUSTAINED

Complainant: B/F

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-031-C

Summary: Complainant alleges officer did not properly investigate the incident involving the complainant.

Received: November 3, 2020

Closed: February 22

Allegation: Performance of Duty; Biased Based Policing

Determination: SUSTAINED; UNFOUNDED

Collateral: Authority of Orders/ Insubordination, Citizen Complaints (Interference with Investigation); Full Disclosure; Official Records (Unauthorized Attempt to Obtain); Abuse of Authority

Determination: SUSTAINED; SUSTAINED; SUSTAINED; SUSTAINED; SUSTAINED

Complainant: BF

Officer: WM

Case: 2020-032-I

Summary: Complainant alleged abuse of authority

Received: October 15, 2020

Closed: November 5, 2020

Allegation: Courtesy

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: B/F

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-033-C

Summary: Third-party complainant alleges officers racially profiled and harassed a man.

Received: October 19, 2020

Closed: December 3, 2020

Allegation: Biased Based Policing; Harassment; Unlawful Detention

Determination: UNFOUNDED; UNFOUNDED; UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/M, B/M, W/M, W/M

Case: 2020-034-I

Summary: Complainant alleged UVA officers used excessive force in arresting the subject, and during the incident, an excessive number of officers arrived escalating the situation. (CPD officers involvement unknown)

Received: November 27, 2020

Closed: January 5, 2021

Allegation: Code of Conduct

Determination: UNFOUNDED (x5)

Complainant: U/F

Officer: W/M, W/M, W/M, W/M, W/M

Case: 2020-035-C

Summary: Complainant alleges Officer laughed at them while investigating a domestic assault.

Received: October 19, 2020

Closed: November 5, 2020

Allegation: Courtesy

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: W/F

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-036-C

Summary: Complainant alleged officers are unnecessarily issuing parking tickets for improperly displayed permits.

Received: November 30, 2020

Closed: January 7, 2021

Allegation: Community Relations

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: A/M

Officer: W/M

Case: 2020-037-C

Summary: Third-party complainant alleged an unknown CPD officer profiled a driver because the officer drove behind them. Third-party complainant indicated the officer did not stop the driver, did not turn on their lights, but merely drove behind them.

Received: December 3, 2020

Closed: January 7, 2021

Allegation: Profiling

Determination: UNFOUNDED

Complainant: B/F

Officer: Unknown