



Complaints Reported by Community Members and Sheriff's Office Employees

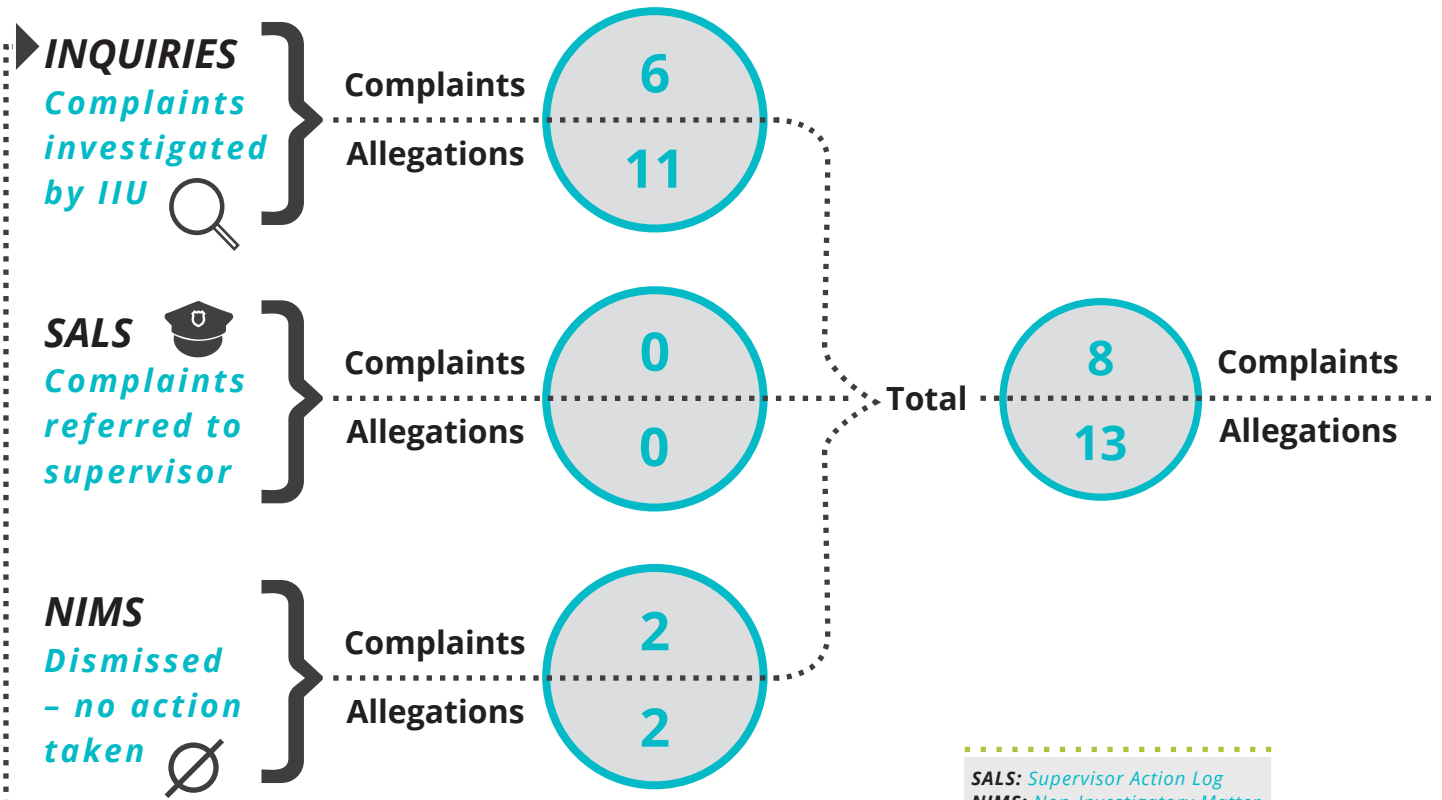
Bottom line: There were eight complaints reported in 2019 in District 4, and Internal Investigations Unit (IIU) classified six of those complaints as inquiries, or serious complaints. Those six complaints included 11 allegations of misconduct, with the top allegations categories being abiding by federal and state laws, biased based policing, and excessive use of force. IIU did not sustain any of the completed complaint investigations for the top three allegations, and IIU has not completed its investigation for one of the biased based policing allegations.

Summary Report

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District

Reporting Year	2019
Councilmember	Jeanne Kohl-Welles

BREAKDOWN: COMPLAINT CLASSIFICATIONS BY TYPE



BREAKDOWN

2019 ALLEGATIONS OF MISCONDUCT FOR COMPLAINTS CLASSIFIED AS INQUIRIES

ALLEGATION CATEGORY	COUNT
Abide by federal and state laws and applicable local ordinances, whether on or off-duty	2
Biased based policing	2
Excessive or unnecessary use of force against a person	2
Courtesy	1
Failure to report use of force	1
Insubordination or failure to follow orders	1
Obedience to laws and orders	1
Ridicule	1



**TOTAL ALLEGATIONS
FOR DISTRICT 4**

11

Note: Data includes community member and Sheriff's Office employee complaints.

2019 DISPOSITIONS FOR THE TOP ALLEGATIONS IN THE DISTRICT

CASE #	ALLEGATION (#)	NOTES ON ALLEGATION	DISPOSITION	OLEO REVIEW
IUU2019-372	Abide [failure to] by federal and state laws and applicable local ordinances, whether on or off-duty (2)	Community member saw two deputies in Metro patrol cars run a red light.	Unfounded	No review
IUU2019-155	Biased based policing (1)	Community member said she was publicly berated by two deputies. She was sitting outside Westlake Station selling Real Change papers. One of the deputies told her she would be arrested if she were to sell the papers inside the station. She said the deputies did not warn the white Jehovah Witnesses who were outside the station.	Exonerated	No review
IUU2019-057	Excessive or unnecessary use of force against a person (2)	Community member was contacted and arrested for unlawful conduct on a bus. The community member resisted, was taken to the ground, then handcuffed. The community member sustained minor injuries during the arrest and alleged that the force was excessive.	Exonerated	Declined to certify

Note: One complaint investigation, including one allegation of misconduct, was open and pending at the time of this review.