

Summary Report for 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2014

# Firearm Discharge Review Board & Officer-Involved Shooting Investigations

*October 1, 2014*



# Firearm Discharge Review Board

The Third Quarter 2014 Firearm Discharge Review Board convened on October 1, 2014.

Four completed investigations were presented to this board:

- OIS 11-007
- OIS 12-002
- OIS 12-005
- OIS 12-006



# Composition of 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2014 FDRB

## Voting Members

- **Deputy Chief Sharon Ferrigno** (*Administrative Bureau*), **Chair**
- **Deputy Chief Hector Sainez** (*Operations Bureau*)
- **Deputy Chief Denise Schmitt** (*Airport Bureau*)
- **Deputy Chief Charlie Orkes** (*Special Operations Bureau*)

## Advisory Members

- **Commissioner Victor Hwang** (*Police Commission*)
- **A/Director Samara Marion** (*Office of Citizen Complaints*)
- **Captain Christopher Pedrini** (*Risk Management Office*)
- **A/Captain Jennifer Dorantes** (*Training Division*)
- **Sergeant Andy Ting** (*SFPD Rangemaster*)



# Officer Involved Shooting 11-007

Incident: December 14, 2011  
Location: 1100 Block of Larkin Street  
Finding: In Policy

At approximately 1:30 PM, three uniformed officers patrolling in the Northern District conducted a registration check on a suspicious vehicle. The registration sticker did not match DMV records, so the officers conducted a traffic stop. The driver pulled over and immediately ran from his vehicle. Two officers chased the driver, while the third officer remained with a passenger inside the suspect vehicle. As the officers chased the driver, he turned and fired six rounds at the officers. One of the officers returned fire, mortally wounded the suspect.



# Officer Involved Shooting 12-002

Incident: May 13, 2012  
Location: 300 Block of Mission Street  
Finding: In Policy

At approximately 11:40 PM, two sergeants assigned to Tenderloin Station SIT were driving west on Fremont, approaching the intersection with Mission Street, when they observed a robbery in progress. The officers stopped to investigate. The suspect advanced toward the officers, drawing a weapon from his waist. One of the sergeants fired one round at the suspect, missing him. The suspect surrendered and was taken into custody without further incident.



# Officer Involved Shooting 12-005

Incident: August 27, 2012  
Location: 200 Block of Valley Street  
Finding: In Policy

At approximately 6:53 AM, a patrol officer assigned to the Taraval District was in the area of Church and 29<sup>th</sup> Streets following the trail of two suspects in an armed robbery. The officer saw two men matching the suspect description; they ran from the officer. The officer followed the suspects to a patio in the middle of the 200 block of Valley. One of the suspects vaulted a fence and fled. The other suspect crouched down, then drew an object from his waist that the officer believed was a firearm. The officer fired one time, missing the suspect. The suspect fled from the scene. The suspects were subsequently arrested.



# Officer Involved Shooting 12-006

Incident: September 20, 2012  
Location: 200 Block of 14<sup>th</sup> Street  
Finding: In Policy

At approximately 8:05 PM, two plainclothes sergeants assigned to the Gang Task Force encountered a parolee known to one of the officers. As the officers approached, the suspect appeared to be holding a weapon under his oversized clothing. When the suspect noticed the officers, he fled toward Mission Street, with the officers in pursuit. As he ran, the suspect drew an IntraTec-9 assault pistol with an extended clip and turned back toward one of the officers. That sergeant fired three rounds at the suspect, striking him twice. The injured suspect was taken into custody.



# Next FDRB

The 4th Quarter 2014 Firearm Discharge Review Board is **tentatively** scheduled to convene:

Tuesday, January 13, 2015





# Status of Open Officer-Involved Shooting Investigations



# Open OIS Cases Summary

The previous OIS Quarterly Report was presented to the Police Commission on August 13, 2014. As of September 25, 2014 there are **sixteen (16) open OIS cases**. One new case opened and four cases closed since the last quarterly report.

- **Four (4)** investigations were closed. Findings and recommendations were presented to the FDRB, with corresponding documentation submitted: OIS 11-007, 12-002, 12-005, and 12-006.
- **One (1)** completed criminal investigation summary report was received from the Homicide Detail. OIS 12-001 is being prepared for presentation at the next FDRB.
- **Four (4)** criminal investigation summary reports are being prepared by the Homicide Detail: OIS 12-003, 12-004, 13-001, and 13-002.
- **Nine (9)** investigations are under review by the Office of the District Attorney. Either final DA reports (DA's internal documentation) or the consequent charging decision letters are being prepared for these cases.
- **One (1)** case is an active criminal investigation (OIS 14-004).
- **One (1)** new case opened on September 25, 2014 (OIS 14-005).



# Open OIS Investigations—2011-12

Case	In Policy?	Investigation Status
11-007 (12/14/11)	Y	<b>COMPLETED.</b> FDRB reviewed and COP concurred. Summary letter delivered to the Police Commission.
12-001 (5/10/12)	TBD	Homicide Detail final criminal investigation summary report received by IAD. Case to be presented 4Q FDRB.
12-002 (5/13/12)	Y	<b>COMPLETED.</b> FDRB reviewed and COP concurred. Summary letter delivered to the Police Commission.
12-003 (7/19/12)	TBD	Charging decision letter received from DA. Homicide Detail preparing final criminal investigation summary report.
12-004 (8/4/12)	TBD	Charging decision letter received from DA. Homicide Detail preparing final criminal investigation summary report.
12-005 (8/27/12)	Y	<b>COMPLETED.</b> FDRB reviewed and COP concurred. Summary letter delivered to the Police Commission.
12-006 (9/20/12)	Y	<b>COMPLETED.</b> FDRB reviewed and COP concurred. Summary letter delivered to the Police Commission.



# Open OIS Investigations—2013

Case	In Policy?	Investigation Status
13-001 (2/14/13)	TBD	Charging decision letter received from DA. Homicide Detail preparing final criminal investigation summary report.
13-002 (3/5/13)	TBD	Charging decision letter received from DA. Homicide Detail preparing final criminal investigation summary report.
13-003 (3/15/13)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
13-005 (4/7/13)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
13-006 (4/14/13)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
13-007 (7/20/13)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
13-008 (10/27/13)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
13-009 (12/30/13)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.



# Open OIS Investigations—2014

Case	In Policy?	Investigation Status
14-001 (1/12/14)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
14-002 (2/4/14)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
14-003 (3/8/14)	TBD	Homicide Detail awaits a formal charging decision from the Office of the D.A., who is drafting internal report and charging decision.
14-004 (3/21/14)	TBD	Active criminal investigation.
14-005 (9/25/14)	TBD	Active criminal investigation.



Thank You

