

DEPARTMENT BULLETIN

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Securing Equipment in Police Vehicles

Effective immediately, members shall not leave department equipment, such as items listed below, within the interior of the marked or unmarked vehicle compartment, glove compartment, under the seat or otherwise visible or not.

- Radios
- Raid jackets or SFPD issued police clothing
- Bullet resistant vests
- Smart phones, BWC or department issued electronic equipment

Equipment left inside a marked or unmarked police vehicle shall be secured in the vehicle trunk. If the vehicle is not equipped with a locking trunk, the equipment shall not be left inside the vehicle.

A "locked trunk" is defined as a trunk that has a release button that can only be activated when the keys to the vehicle are in the ignition or using the key to open the trunk.

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Per DB 15-141, sworn members are required to electronically acknowledge this Department Bulletin in HRMS.