

DEPARTMENT NOTICE

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Use of Discretionary Time Off 2021

USE OF DISCRETIONARY TIME OFF: Commanding Officers shall not authorize discretionary time off (VA, OU, EH, FHF, FH, PE, LH, etc.) for any member during the below listed dates.

•	Saturday, March 13, 2021	St. Patrick's Day Parade
•	Tuesday, April 20, 2021	4/20
•	Saturday, May 1, 2021	May Day
•	Wednesday, May 5, 2021	Cinco de Mayo
•	Saturday, May 22, and Sunday, May 23, 2021	Carnaval
•	Sunday, May 30, 2021	Bay to Breakers
•	Saturday, June 19, 2021	Juneteenth
•	Friday, June 25, 2021	Pride Events
•	Saturday, June 26, 2021	Pink Saturday
•	Sunday, June 27, 2021	Pride Parade
•	Sunday, July 4, 2021	Independence Day Events
•	Friday, September 11, 2021	9/11
•	Friday, October 8 thru Monday, October 11, 2021	Fleet Week
•	Sunday, October 10, 2021	Italian Heritage Parade
•	Sunday, October 31, 2021	Halloween Events
•	Friday, November 26, 2021	Fur Free Friday
•	Saturday, December 4, 2021	Cruzada Guadulupana
•	Saturday, December 11, 2021	SantaCon
•	Friday, December 31, 2021	New Year's Eve

Commanding Officers shall forward **all** vacation requests that include **any** of the above listed dates to the appropriate Bureau Chief for approval.

If sufficient staffing is not obtained for any event, watches off could be cancelled in reverse seniority to properly staff those events. The use of discretionary time off will be re-instated once appropriate staffing has been obtained for the event. If the Department is notified of the cancellation of events due to Public Health Orders, the Department will rescind no time off allowed orders.

WILLIAM SCOTT Chief of Police

Per DN 20-150, all sworn & non-sworn members shall electronically acknowledge this Department document in PowerDMS. Members whose duties are relevant to this document shall be held responsible for compliance. Any questions regarding this policy should be made to sfpd.writtendirectives@sfgov.org who will provide additional information.