

Glendale Community College Police Department

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Citizen Complaint Form

A relationship of trust and confidence between members of the police department and the community is essential for controlling crime in a free society. Law enforcement officers must be free to exercise their best judgement and to initiate enforcement action in a reasonable, lawful and impartial manner. Police officers have a constitutional obligation to respect and preserve the rights of all people.

The Glendale College Police Department has established a citizen complaint procedure which will not only subject an officer to corrective action whenever he/she acts improperly, but will also protect the officer from unwarranted or malicious allegations.

The Glendale Community College Police Department encourages faculty, staff, students and community members to report, in good faith, what they believe to be acts of police misconduct.

The purpose of these procedures is to provide a means of investigation into the allegations of misconduct by members of this Department. Citizens are encouraged to bring complaints about Department members to the attention of the Glendale College Police Department. Should you have any questions regarding these procedures, please contact the Glendale College Police Department.

The following is a summary of the process when a complaint is registered with the Department:

- After a complaint has been filed, the Chief of Police will assign an investigator to contact you to interview pertinent witnesses, gather relevant evidence and submit a comprehensive report.
- When the investigation is completed a determination will be made as to the disposition of each and every allegation
 of misconduct.
- Complaints are investigated as assigned, authorized by the Chief of Police, and recommendations are made by senior staff members the final authority for disposition of complaints rests with the Chief of Police.
- When complaints are found to be "sustained," the Chief of Police shall determine and administer appropriate corrective and/or disciplinary action.
- The goal of the Department is to complete all personnel investigations within a 90-day period, and this is normally the case. However, to complete the investigation additional time may be required. You will be notified by letter when the investigation of your complaint has been completed.



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(Please provide the information listed below)		
Date of Incident:	Time of Incident:	
COMPLAINANT:	WITNESS:	
Name	Name	
Address	Address	
City	City	
Home Phone	Home Phone	···
Cell Phone	Cell Phone	
Business Phone	Business Phone	
Location of Occurrence		
Allegations or nature of complaint (e.g. <u>, level of force, conduct</u> theft, etc)	t of behavior, or behavior of officer, racial or i	dentity profiling, abuse of authority,
Associated Police Report Number/Citation		
Name of involved Employee (Include Badge number if know		
Please provide a narrative description of the incident (attach separate sheet if additional space	is needed).
Complaint Signature	Date	}
Signature of Person Receiving Complaint		FOR OFFICE USE ONLY Method Received: Mail Telephone Person