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# NON-EMERGENCY INCIDENT RESPONSE CORE POLICING COMPETENCY: POLICE VEHICLE OPERATIONS

### **LEARNING ISSUES:**

- Safe and legal code-one response
- · Defensive driving
- Safe driving while manipulating equipment
- Proper vehicle positioning: traffic stops, traffic direction, non-emergency call responses
- Geographical awareness: orientation, response times, alleys, parking issues, one-ways, addresses, landmarks, dangerous curves, etc.
- Environmental awareness: inclement weather
- Situational awareness: observing outside activities while driving safely, heavy pedestrian traffic, school buses, school zones, etc.
- Vehicle maintenance and inspections
- Other issues as they apply to police vehicle operations during non-emergency incidents

## **RESOURCES:**

- DPD G.O. 1003, R-1: Definition of Terminology
- DPD G.O. 1013, R-3: Departmental Vehicles
- DPD G.O. 1030, R-5: Collisions Department Vehicles
- DPD G.O. 1046, R-2: Mobile Data Computers
- DPD G.O. 4001, R-1: Calls For Service Priorities
- DPD G.O. 4003, R-4: Prisoners Transporting/Handling
- DPD G.O. 4012: License Checks
- DPD G.O. 4013, R-4: Collision Investigations
- DPD G.O. 4015, R-1: Police Operations During Hazardous Weather Conditions
- DPD G.O. 4033, R-1: Traffic Control
- DPD G.O. 4035, R-1: Funeral Escorts
- DPD G.O. 4040, R-2: Traffic law Enforcement
- DPD G.O. 4043, R-2: Impaired Drivers Guidelines/Procedures
- DPD G.O. 4045, R-1: Emergency Assistance Motorist
- DPD G.O. 4051, R-1: Emergency Vehicle Equipment & Operation
- DPD G.O. 4052, R-1: Traffic Stops
- DPD G.O. 4064, R-2: Mobile Video Cameras (MVC)
- DPD S.O.P. A-22, R-2: Multiple Officer Response to Calls of a Dangerous Nature
- DPD S.O.P. A-33, R-2: Radio Logs
- DPD S.O.P. A-45, R-3: Equipment Specification for Patrol Vehicles
- DPD Rules and Regulations 2.8: Responsibility to know Geographic Areas

## **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- 1. The trainee is able to describe vehicle laws, Standard Operating Procedures and policies and explain how they relate to training in this phase.
- 2. The trainee is able to analyze and apply what vehicle laws, SOPs and regulations relate to a variety of situations.
- 3. The trainee is able to evaluate the effectiveness of the reference material listed in this competency.