

REVISED LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

(5/12/2022, Amended in Committee)

[Administrative Code - Community Policing Plans and Foot and Bike Patrols]

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to require the Police Department to create a Community Policing Plan (“CPP”) at each district police station, that, among other strategies, incorporates a foot and bike patrol deployment, and also includes a community process for eliciting input; and to require the public posting of the CPPs with a yearly update.

Existing Law

Currently, there is no local ordinance that requires the Police Department to create CCPs for each district station.

Amendments to Current Law

This ordinance would require the Police Department to create CCPs for each district station that, among other strategies, incorporates a foot and bike patrol deployment, and also includes a community process. This ordinance would require SFPD to publicly post CCPs and update them annually.

Committee Amendments

On May 20, 2022, Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee amended the ordinance to clarify that the deployment of foot and bike patrol officers is subject to the City’s budget process and staffing availability.

Background Information

As part of the United States Department of Justice Reform Recommendations, SFPD developed a Community Policing Strategic Plan in 2018 that is publicly available at <https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/your-sfpd/policies/community-policing-strategic-plan>.

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