



DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION PRESENTATION

**Board of Police Commissioners
Thursday, September 22, 2022**

James E. White
Chief of Police



CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION PERSONNEL

1- Lieutenant

1- Sergeant

3- Corporals

1- Police Officer

**1- Performance & Compliance
Manager**

**2- Senior Performance & Compliance
Analysts**

1- Performance & Compliance Analyst

Sworn

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**Non-
Sworn**



CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION

The Civil Rights Division is responsible for the substantive and procedural requirements of all police-citizen contacts within the constraints of DPD policy, constitutional policing practices, and the law.

This is accomplished through audits and inspections. The DPD's Audit Team are assigned to the Civil Rights Division to ensure compliance with citizen interactions.



PURPOSE OF AUDIT / INSPECTIONS

Ensure compliance with DPD policy and laws

Mitigate Department liability

Documentation & tracking of statistics

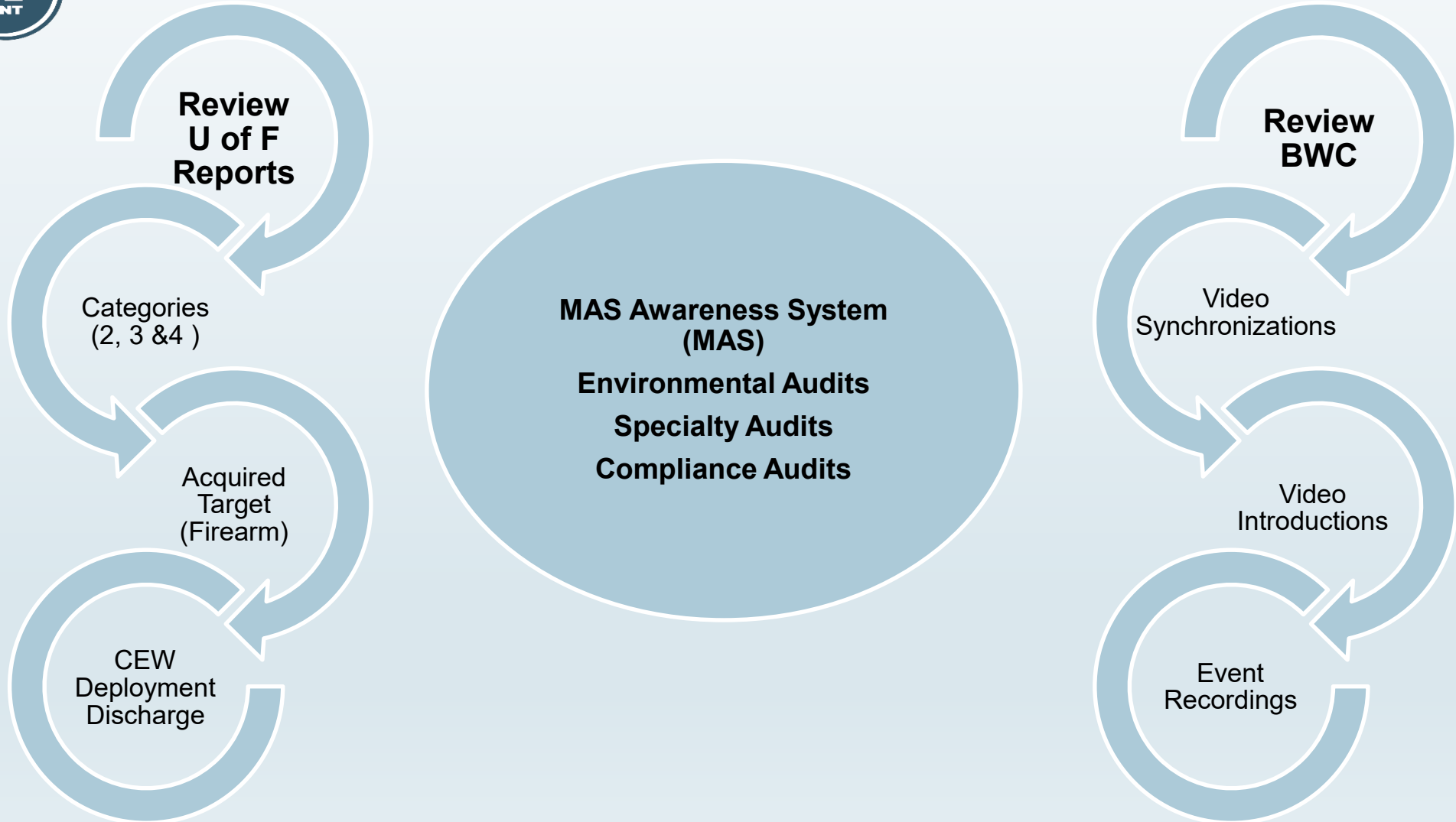
Identification of safety concerns

Identification of patterns & trends

Recommendations to improve DPD operations

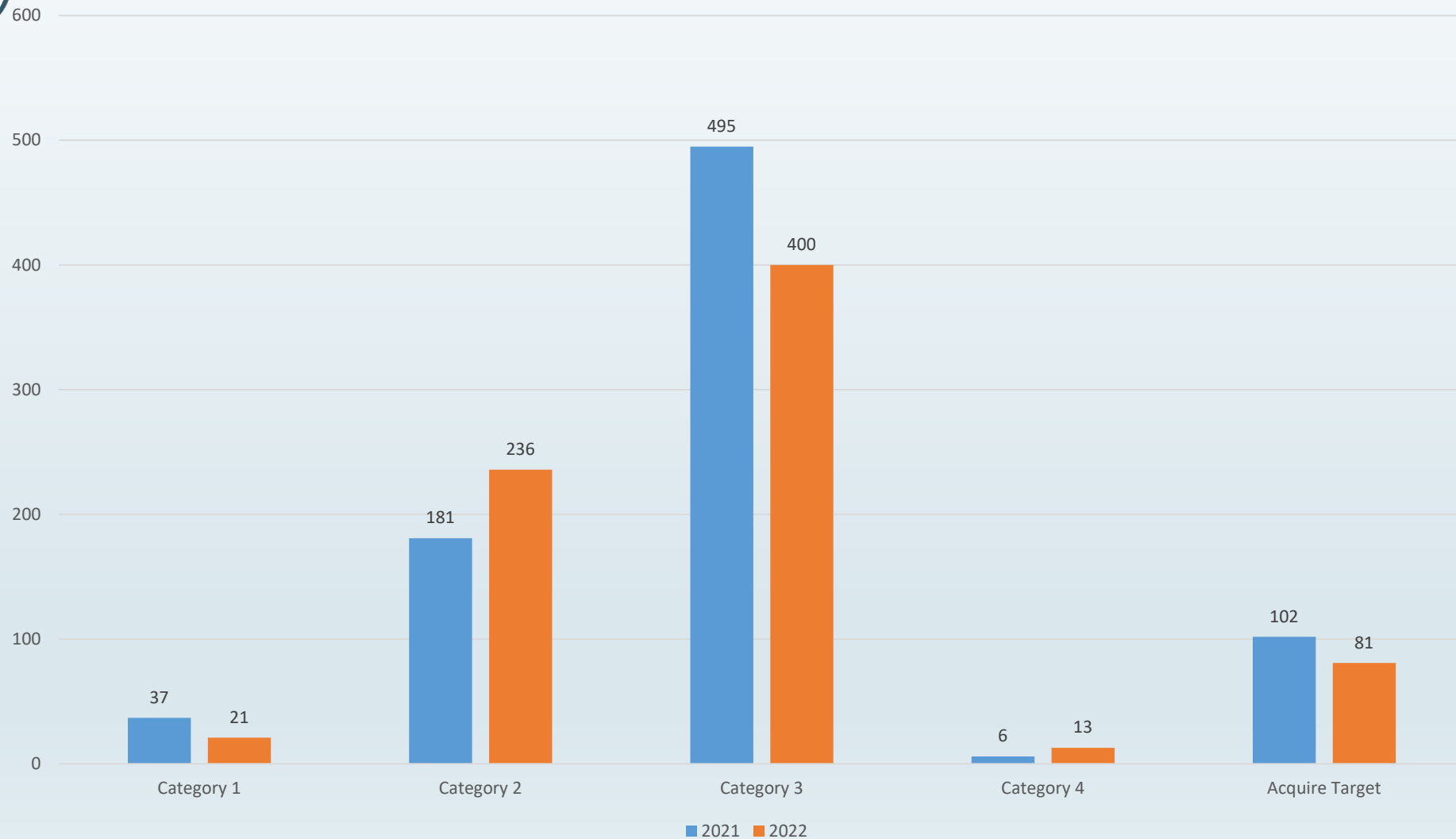


METHODS OF COMPLIANCE





2021/2022 USE OF FORCE STATISTICS



*Statistics captured through August 2022



BODY WORN CAMERA POLICY 304.6-2



It is the policy of DPD to increase member safety, protect the Department from unwarranted citizen complaints, and ensure exceptional DPD police service by using BWC systems to securely record policing activities on video/audio media.

The use of the BWC does not replace the requirement to provide thorough written documentation of an incident. All data, images, video and metadata captured, recorded or otherwise produced, is the property of DPD and is subject to state and local law and city policies regarding retention of record.



2021 BWC COMPLIANCE RATE

9,756 Events Captured*

- **Event Captured Compliance Rate = 98.5%**
- **Introduction Compliance Rate = 96.0%**
- **Synchronization Compliance Rate = 95.0%**
- **Overall Compliance Rate = 96.5%**



2022 BWC COMPLIANCE RATE

5,136 Events Captured*

- **Event Captured Compliance Rate = 99.0%**
- **Introduction Compliance Rate = 98.5%**
- **Synchronization Compliance Rate = 94.3%**
- **Overall Compliance Rate = 97.3%**



CONDUCTED ENERGY WEAPON POLICY 304.7

The TASER X2 CEW is the only Department-approved CEW. No other CEW or comparable device may be carried while a member is on-duty or working Secondary Employment. Only those members who have been trained may carry and use the TASER X2 CEW. Force used by members shall be in accordance with the DPD's use of force Policies.



All on-duty members shall be equipped with the Department approved CEW. Those members assigned to field assignments (e.g. investigations, patrol, etc.) shall carry the Department approved CEW at all times. Those members assigned to administrative duties (e.g. desk, records, etc.) must have the Department approved CEW available.



CONDUCTED ENERGY WEAPON DEFINITIONS

Deployment/Beneficial Use:

Un-holstering the CEW with the intent of discharging it, warning a subject of imminent CEW discharge against them, the utilization of warning arcs, and/or acquiring a target with a CEW.

Discharge:

The act of pulling the CEW trigger to discharge the probes or to utilize the drive-stun mode.



2021-2022 CEW TASER STATISTICS

2021- 2022 CEW DEPLOYMENT

2021	2022
130	172
% Change 2021-2022	+32%

2021- 2022 CEW DISCHARGE

2021	2022
90	115
% Change 2021-2022	+28%



QUESTIONS?