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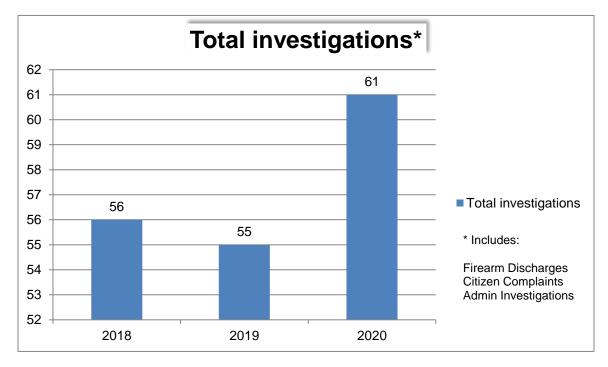
To: Brandon Gillespie, Interim Chief of Police

From: Aaron Tait, Lieutenant, Internal Affairs Unit

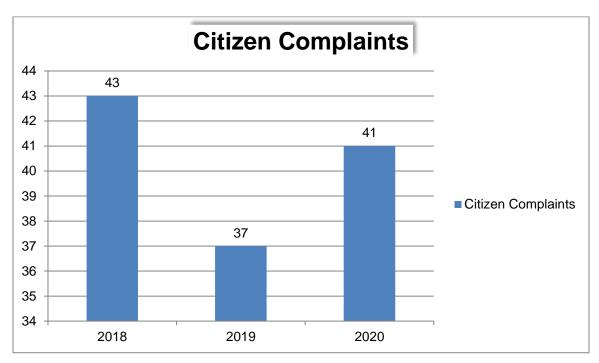
Re: 2020 Internal Affairs Unit Summary

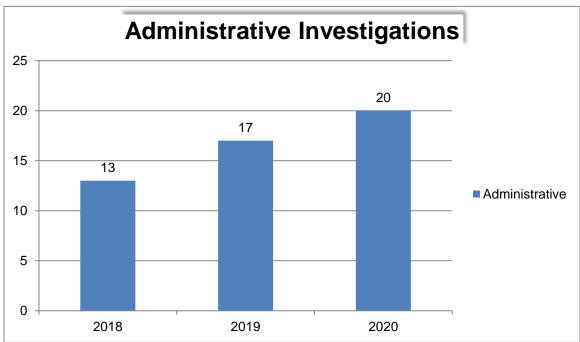
In 2020 the Internal Affairs Unit (IAU) of the Modesto Police Department (MPD) conducted **61** personnel investigations. Of these, **41** were citizen complaints and **20** were internally generated administrative complaints. There were **5** officer involved shooting investigations in 2020. There was **1** accidental discharge during range training at a department training day. Within the **61** personnel complaints there were **118** allegations with **118** dispositions. Some personnel investigations had more than one allegations and dispositions.

The following charts depict a three year comparison of IAU investigations.



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^{*}Negligent discharge did not include a disposition.

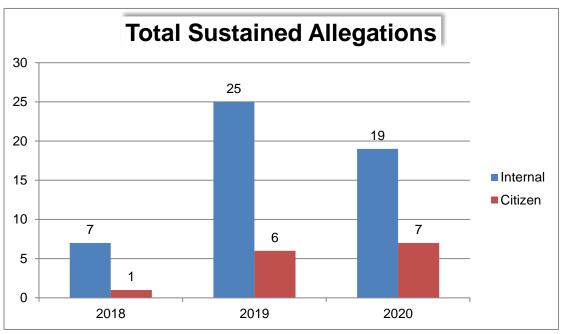
Investigation Summary:

In 2020, MPD realized a **10%** increase in IAU investigations as compared to the prior year. When compared 2020 to 2018, there was a **53%** increase in IAU investigations. Of the total investigations IAU completed, 41 were citizen complaints, a **11%** increase from 2019 and a **4%** decrease from 2018. Likewise, IAU conducted 20 administrative investigations, a **17%** increase from 2019 and a **54%** increase compared to 2018.

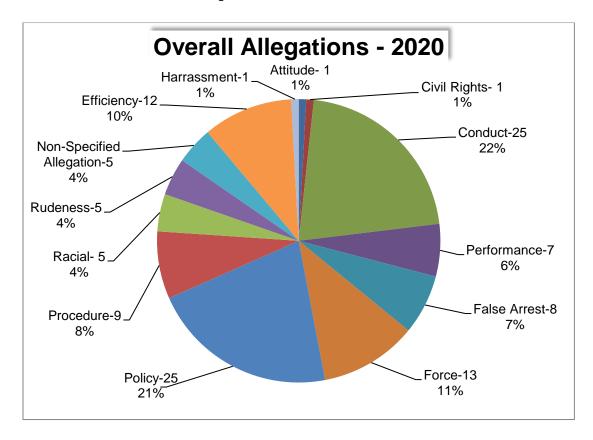
Of the 61 investigations in 2020, there were a total of **26** sustained allegations. Of them, **19** were administrative investigations and **7** were citizen complaints. There were **6** Firearm Discharges; **5** being Officer Involved Shootings and **1** being a negligent discharge.

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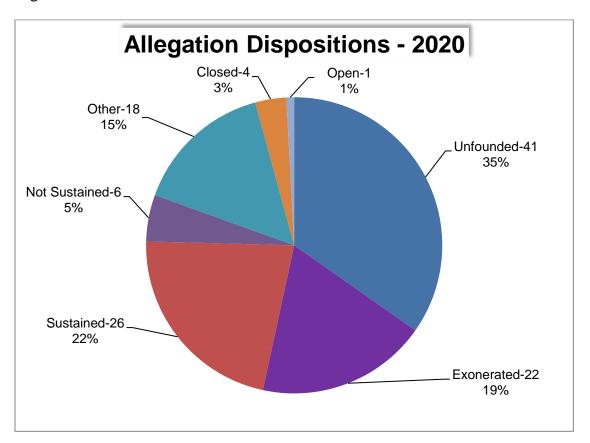
In 2020, there were a total of **118 allegations** with **Conduct (22%)** being the primary allegation followed by **Policy (21%)**, **Force (11%)**, and **Efficiency (10%)**.



^{*}Year 2018 do not include overall allegations

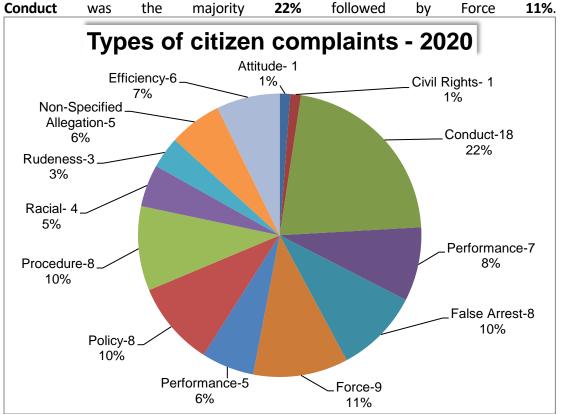


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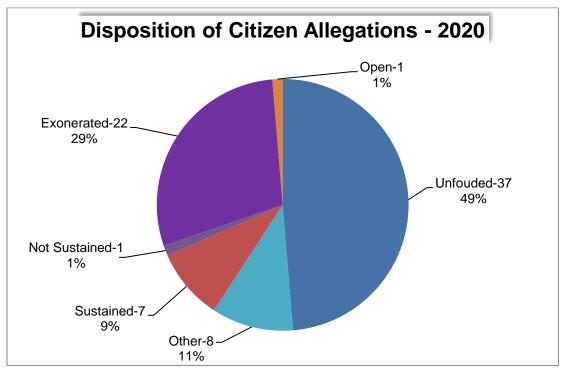


^{*}Overall, there were 118 allegations between Citizen and Internal complaints. There was one In-Custody Death that is open pending disposition.

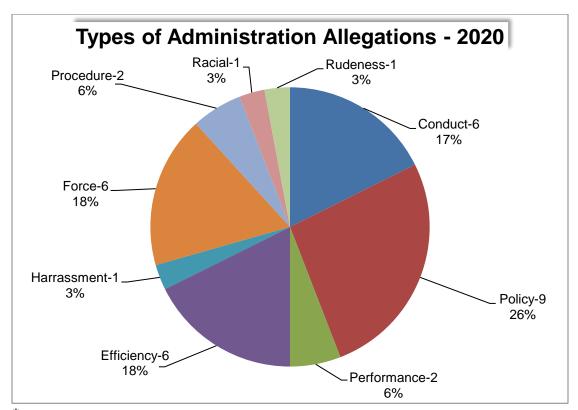
The chart below indicates the citizen complaints in 2020. Please note, that some complaints involve more than one allegation. As a result, the numbers listed below will not match the number of citizen complaints above. Complaints based on employee's **Conduct** was the majority **22%** followed by Force **11%**.



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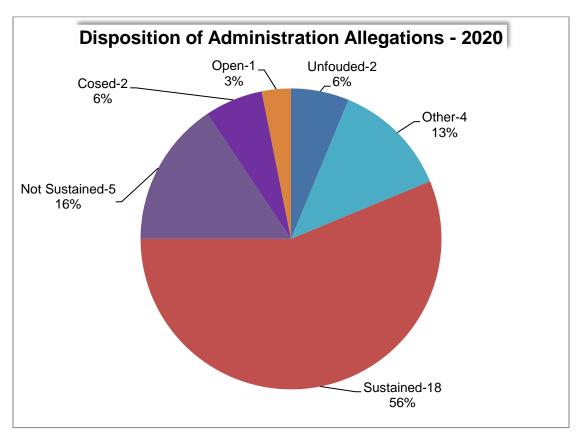


^{*}Citizen complaints includes all allegations within the investigation including Administration added allegations (7)



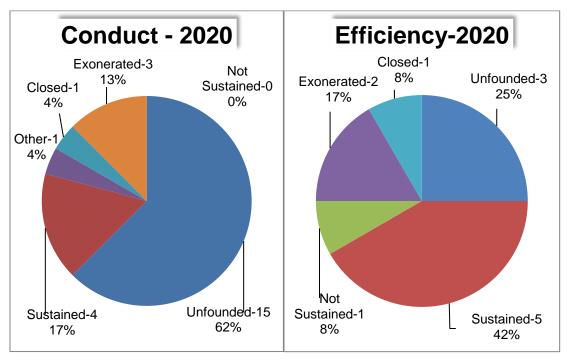
^{*}Administrative complaints include total allegations within the 20 investigations.

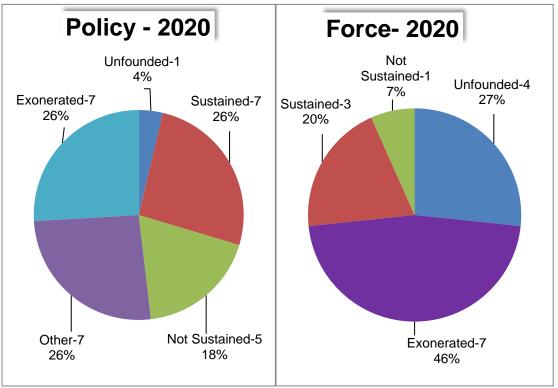
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^{*}Includes all allegations within each investigation

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*Above allegation are the top 4 allegations in the IAU complaint investigations

Respectfully,

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