

SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDER

DATE: May 16, 2019 – 1015 HOURS

NUMBER: OR 19-09

SUBJECT: MANDATORY RIFLE TRAINING

COST CENTER #: 1914161112

SCOPE: ALL MEMBERS OF THE DEPARTMENT

DEPARTMENT PROCEDURE AFFECTED: 1.41

Mandatory training for those certified to carry patrol rifles will begin May 28, 2019, and will conclude September 20, 2019. Supervisors and officers who are currently authorized to carry patrol rifles on duty are required to attend the training within this period. Department members who fail to attend this training will have their privilege to carry a patrol rifle suspended until they attend the required recertification course.

Available dates for this training will be posted on SuccessFactors in One-SD. The title for the training is “Mandatory Rifle Training.” Immediate supervisors will ensure their personnel who are authorized to carry a patrol rifle in the field for duty use are scheduled for this mandatory training and track their attendance. Current SWAT officers are exempt from this mandatory training.

Supervisors and officers will wear the duty gear appropriate for their current assignment, including a serviceable holster. Sworn officers must bring their handgun with three pistol magazines and their Department-approved rifle with at least three magazines. Tactical drop down holsters and thigh rigs will not be used unless that equipment is worn in the normal course of their duties and authorized by unit policy. The Firearms Training Unit will provide ammunition for the handguns and rifles.

Department members must arrive thirty minutes prior to the scheduled training time for a rifle inspection. Personnel who arrive late may be turned away and directed to reschedule the training.

Department members who fail to attend this mandatory training will have their privilege to carry a patrol rifle suspended. Reinstatement of a rifle certification can be accomplished by attending the required recertification course.

For any questions regarding this training shoot, please contact the Rangemaster, Sergeant Chris Sarot at (619) 527-6080, or csarot@pd.sandiego.gov.

Please read at squad conferences and give a copy to all personnel.