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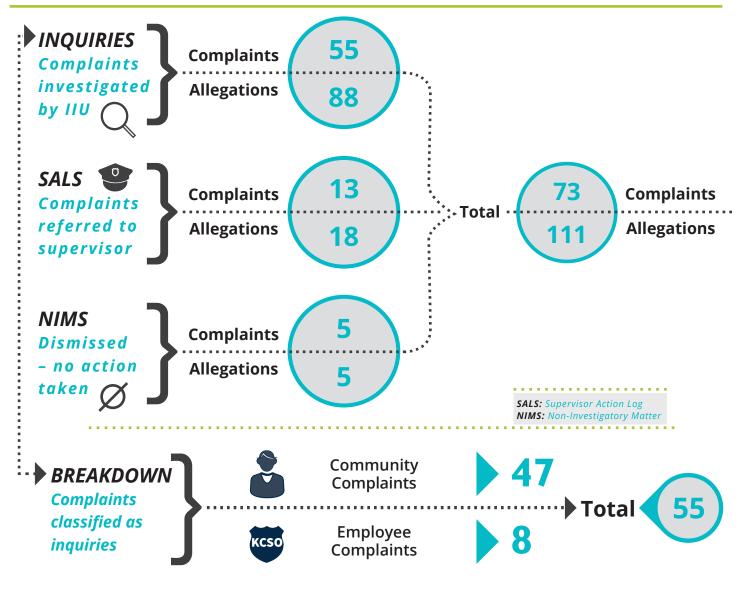


Complaints Reported by Community Members and Sheriff's Office Employees

Bottom line: There were 73 complaints reported in 2019 in District 9, and Internal Investigations Unit (IIU) classified 55 of those complaints as inquiries, or serious complaints. Those 55 complaints included 88 allegations of misconduct, with the top allegation being acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives. IIU sustained four complaint investigations involving the top allegation.



BREAKDOWN: COMPLAINT CLASSIFICATIONS BY TYPE



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2019 ALLEGATIONS OF MISCONDUCT FOR COMPLAINTS CLASSIFIED AS INQUIRIES

ALLEGATION CATEGORY	COU	NT
Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives, rules, policies or procedures as set out in this manual, the training bulletins or elsewhere	1	9
Courtesy	1	9
Excessive or unnecessary use of force against a person	1	1
Performs at a level significantly below the standard achieved by others in the work unit	1	1
Appropriate use of authority	8	1
Not in file / none selected	6	1
Absence from duty without leave	3	
Biased based policing	3	
Conduct unbecoming	2	
Fails to submit reports, citations, or other appropriate paperwork in a timely manner	2	
All members must perform their assigned duties in a satisfactory and efficient manner	1	
Conduct that is criminal in nature	1	
Conviction of any crime that precludes the use or possession of a firearm under state or federal law, or court order	1	
Personal business or recreation while on-duty or in uniform	1	
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TOTAL ALLEGATIONS
FOR DISTRICT 8



88

Note: Data includes community member and Sheriff's Office employee complaints.



BREAKDOWN

2019 DISPOSITIONS FOR THE TOP ALLEGATIONS IN THE DISTRICT

CASE#	ALLEGATION (#)	NOTES ON ALLEGATION	DISPOSITION	OLEO REVIEW
IIU2019-023	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (2)	Community member alleged deputies failed to submit reports for incidents when a protection order was violated.	Exonerated	No review
IIU2019-084	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (1)	Sergeant observed deputy depart and presumably head home in patrol vehicle before the end of their shift.	Sustained	No review
IIU2019-091	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (2)	Community member alleged that a communication specialist hung up on them during a 911 call.	Exonerated	Decline to certify
IIU2019-130	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (3)	Community member alleged that a deputy refused to enforce a protection order.	Exonerated	No review
IIU2019-192	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (2)	Community member alleged that deputies were rude and failed to do their duty.	Sustained	Certified
IIU2019-197	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (1)	Fellow deputy failed to notify their chain of command of an allegation against another deputy.	Sustained	Certified
IIU2019-342	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (1)	Communications supervisor overheard a communications specialist speaking to a caller in a condescending tone and was rude, argumentative and unprofessional. After review of the call, the supervisor determined the communications specialist did not follow policy on missing person.	Sustained	Certified
IIU2019-384	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (1)	During a vehicle collision, a deputy made a DUI arrest where the subject alleged that the deputy did not properly seat belt them in the patrol car and that the deputy intentionally applied the vehicle brakes that caused them to hit their head.	Exonerated	Declined to certify
IIU2019-408	Acts in violation of Sheriff's Office directives (1)	Community member alleged that KCSO did not make any arrests when they reported a domestic violence and assault incident.	Exonerated	No review