C.02.02 Police and Security Policy

Responsible Department: Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration, College

District Police Department

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The College District Police Department shall strive to provide a safe environment in which all members of the College District community may work, teach, study and learn, in a highly proficient manner. The College District Police Department in the daily performance of its functions shall stress service and the protection of life, property and to invest in the security of all campuses and the pursuit of excellence in public safety services.

Officers

The College District shall employ commissioned peace officers to enforce laws applicable to the College District. All police officers employed by the College District shall be licensed by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE) and shall possess a valid Texas driver's license. Officers shall comply with all rules and procedures applicable to other College District employees, except to the extent of any conflict with this policy, Procedure C.02.02.01, and/or College District Police Department Procedures. In the event of such conflict, this policy, Procedure C.02.02.01, and College District Police Department procedures control. The Chief of Police is authorized to establish the schedule of work for all department personnel.

Regulations

The Chancellor or designee shall develop, publish, and disseminate rules and regulations to provide for the operation and parking of vehicles on the grounds, streets, drives, alleys, and any other property under the control of the College District.

Such regulations may include employee and student fees for vehicle parking privileges and reasonable employee and student fees for the enforcement and administration of parking or traffic regulations within the authority permitted by the Texas Education Code.

Procedure C.02.02.01 Police Department Standard Operating Procedures Procedure C.02.02.02 Traffic and Parking Controls

Legal Reference - TACC Policy Reference Manual CE(LEGAL) - Bonded Employees and Officers CH(LEGAL) - Site Management

CHA(LEGAL) - Site Management: Security

CHC(LEGAL) - Site Management: Traffic and Parking Controls