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This report is based on the Department's "Letters of Intent" and does not reflect modifications to recommended discipline due to Grievances, Skelly Hearings, Arbitration Hearings, Civil Service Commission Hearings, and/or Court Litigation.

The discipline outlined below is based on a number of factors, including severity of action, employee's performance history, progressive discipline, and similar discipline for similar offenses. The masculine pronoun ("him", "his") includes the feminine pronoun.

Rank	Recommended Discipline	Description
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to activate his body-worn camera prior to initiating contact with a member of the public.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to qualify with his duty weapon during the prescribed qualification period.
1 Sergeant	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a sergeant failed to utilize tactics that complied with Department training during a use of force incident.
1 Custody Assistant	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a custody assistant was used a mobile phone while inside a secured custody facility.
1 Sheriff Station Clerk II	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a sheriff station clerk failed to submit proof of weekly Covid-19 testing as mandated by the County of Los Angeles.
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2 Deputies	Written Reprimand	While on duty and transporting a suspect for a medical clearance, two deputies failed to activate his body worn camera as required by policy.
1 Sergeant	Written Reprimand	While on duty as a supervisor assisting with the arrest of a suspect, a sergeant held his firearm near the suspect's head. The firearm was struck against the suspect's head and face.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy sheriff failed to use proper de-escalation tactics or request a supervisor to prevent a use of force incident.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy sheriff used inappropriate language towards a member of the public and failed to use proper de-escalation tactics to prevent a use of force incident.

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1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to give a verbal warning before deploying his taser on an inmate.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to give an inmate time to comply with verbal commands before activating a taser toward them.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to activate his body worn camera prior to contacting a member of the public as required by policy.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to request a supervisor when handling a recalcitrant inmate which resulted in a use of force incident with injury.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to activate his body-worn camera prior to, and during, the transportation of an inmate from the station jail to a medical facility.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy engaged in inappropriate conduct with a personal friend and made sexual comments that were transmitted over their department issued handheld radio.
1 Deputy	Written Reprimand	While on duty, a deputy failed to wear his seatbelt while operating a county vehicle.
1 Sergeant	Written Reprimand	While on duty as a supervisor during the extraction of a suspect who was refusing to exit a vehicle, a sergeant failed to have a medical response unit present prior to the extraction and failed to properly request medical assistance after the suspect was extracted from the vehicle.
1 Custody Assistant	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a custody assistant failed to properly care for an inmate who was recalcitrant due to mental health issues when he did not request any back-up, a supervisor, or mental health professional before contacting the inmate.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to activate his body-worn camera prior to initiating contact with a member of the public after two previous reminders of the body-worn camera policy.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to follow safety procedures which led to a negligent discharge of his duty weapon.

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1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While off duty but still at his work location, a deputy made offensive racial statements that were broadcast over another deputy's handheld radio and later broadcasted on a public news website.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy unintentionally discharged his department-issued firearm while cleaning the weapon.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy unintentionally discharged his department-issued firearm.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to use force prevention principles or de-escalation techniques prior to a use of force incident.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to ensure prisoner's seatbelts were properly secured prior to, and during, transport.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy caused a traffic collision in his patrol vehicle that damaged property. Additionally, he was not wearing his seat belt.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy unintentionally discharged his duty weapon during a call for service.
1 Deputy	1 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to qualify with his duty weapon during the prescribed qualification period.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	A deputy failed to report to work on two occasions and failed to notify a supervisor of his inability to report to work or respond to repeated phone calls and text messages.
1 Custody Assistant	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a custody assistant became agitated and used profanity toward a co-worker and supervisor before abruptly deciding to leave work for the day, interrupting station operations.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to properly investigate an allegation of child abuse that was reported to the station.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty as a supervisor, a sergeant failed to report offensive statements that were recorded on the radio traffic monitoring system after he accessed the recordings several times.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to use proper tactics when responding Code 3 and caused a traffic collision after failing to yield to an approaching vehicle.

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1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy unintentionally discharged his duty weapon while retrieving it from a gun locker.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to prepare and/or complete numerous criminal and traffic reports as assigned.
1 Security Officer	2 Day Suspension	While off duty, a security officer unintentionally discharged a personally owned off-duty firearm.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty and responding to a high-risk incident, a deputy acted in an inappropriate and/or unprofessional manner toward the suspect and witnesses.
1 Sergeant	2 Day Suspension	While off-duty, a sergeant failed to complete basic shooting requirements as it relates to authorized off-duty handguns and subsequently unintentionally discharged an off-duty firearm.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy drove a patrol vehicle in an unsafe and/or negligent manner and caused a multi-injury traffic collision.
1 Deputy	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to render aid to a crime victim and instead, left the victim alone in a public parking lot in order to join the vehicle pursuit of the suspect.
1 Security Officer	2 Day Suspension	While on duty, a security officer failed to immediately notify supervisors that he was involved in a traffic collision while driving a county vehicle.
1 Deputy	3 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to assist his partner who was involved in a use of force incident.
1 Deputy	3 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to properly secure his personally owned, loaded firearm inside a county vehicle, leaving it unsecured and unattended.
1 Lieutenant	3 Day Suspension	While on duty as a watch commander, a lieutenant failed to adequately monitor a vehicle pursuit. When the vehicle pursuit reached unreasonable speeds, he failed to reevaluate the options for the pursuit or order the termination of the pursuit.
1 Sergeant	3 Day Suspension	While on duty as a field supervisor, a sergeant failed to terminate or initiate surveillance mode on a vehicle pursuit that had reached unreasonable and/or unsafe speeds.

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2 Deputies	3 Day Suspension	While on duty, deputies became involved in a vehicle pursuit that reached unreasonable, and/or unsafe speeds and failed to self-initiate surveillance mode or terminate the pursuit.
1 Deputy	3 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy made racially insensitive remarks toward a deputy sheriff recruit.
1 Deputy	3 Day Suspension	While on duty at an undercover surveillance operation, a deputy carried and deployed an unauthorized firearm.
1 Deputy	3 Day Suspension	While on duty and detaining an armed suspect, a deputy failed to develop or communicate a tactical plan before using a taser on the suspect which created a disadvantage for himself and other responding deputies.
1 Deputy	4 Day Suspension	While on duty in a station dispatch area, a deputy made inappropriate and offensive comments and divulged personal information about his co-workers.
1 Deputy	4 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to demonstrate sound tactics and used derogatory language when handling a confrontational inmate.
1 Deputy	4 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to render aid to a crime victim and instead left the victim alone in a parking lot in order to join the vehicle pursuit of the suspect.
1 Cashiering Services Representative I	5 Day Suspension	While off duty, a cashiering services representative attempted to solicit sexual acts in exchange for money from an undercover law enforcement officer.
1 Deputy	5 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to maintain proper supervision of an inmate when he allowed the inmate to leave his assigned module and spend time with inmates in a separate module without direct supervision.
2 Deputies	5 Day Suspension	While on duty, deputies observed deputy personnel in a struggle with a suspect and failed to recognize that the struggle was reportable force, failed to report the use of force to a supervisor, and/or document the incident.
1 Deputy	5 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy left their assigned post two hours prior to the end of their shift without authorization.

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1 Deputy	5 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy engaged in a physical altercation with his spouse and was named as a suspect in a domestic battery report.
1 Deputy	5 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy used unprofessional and derogatory language toward a suspect during a foot pursuit.
1 Deputy	7 Day Suspension	While on duty and responding Code 3 to a vehicle pursuit, he drove at an unsafe speed, causing a traffic collision while not wearing a seatbelt.
1 Deputy	8 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to recognize that a reportable use of force had occurred in his presence, did not make a verbal notification to a supervisor, or prepare a written use of force report prior to going off duty.
1 Deputy	10 Day Suspension	While on duty and driving a patrol vehicle, a deputy drove at unsafe speeds while not wearing a seatbelt and caused a traffic collision that resulted in injuries
1 Sergeant	10 Day Suspension	While on duty as a supervisor, a sergeant made inappropriate, hostile, and intimidating comments to a professional staff employee, causing an abusive working environment.
1 Custody Assistant	12 Day Suspension	While on duty, a custody assistant made inappropriate sexual comments and unwanted flirtatious advances towards civilian county employees in the workplace.
1 Custody Assistant	15 Day Suspension	While off duty, a custody assistant drove his personal vehicle while under the influence of alcohol and was detained and arrested at a sobriety checkpoint.
1 Deputy	15 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy drove his personal vehicle while under the influence of alcohol and was arrested by law enforcement officers for drunk driving.
1 Automated Fingerprint Identification System Technician II	15 Day Suspension	While on duty, a fingerprint identification technician utilized Department communication equipment and hardware to manage their spouse's small business for a period of one year.

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1 Deputy	15 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy drove his personally owned off-road vehicle while under the influence of alcohol and berated law enforcement officers for not granting him leniency during their investigation.
1 Deputy	15 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy failed to utilize de-escalation tactics when handling a recalcitrant inmate and used improper force while the inmate was subdued and/or handcuffed. During the encounter, he failed to activate his body-worn camera as required.
1 Deputy	15 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy failed to notify and/or obtain authorization to maintain a personal relationship with a former spouse who had open, pending charges for multiple incidents of criminal activity.
1 Deputy	15 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy displayed disorderly and intoxicated behavior in public, leading to his arrest.
1 Sergeant	15 Day Suspension	While on duty as a supervisor, a sergeant arrived for his assigned shift under the influence of alcohol and/or displayed objective signs of intoxication before leaving his assigned post to work from home.
1 Deputy	15 Day Suspension	While on duty and apprehending a suspect, a deputy failed to use reasonable alternatives or de-escalation techniques which led to an unnecessary use of force.
1 Custody Assistant	15 Day Suspension	While on duty, a custody assistant created an uncomfortable and unprofessional work environment by engaging in unwanted flirtatious behavior and making inappropriate comments to women in work areas.
1 Deputy	20 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy witnessed deputy personnel using force on an inmate and failed to report the force to a supervisor and omitted relevant details regarding the incident from a written use of force report.
1 Intermediate Clerk	20 Day Suspension	While off duty, an intermediate clerk drove his personal vehicle while under the influence of a medication that causes drowsiness. As a result, the intermediate clerk fell asleep while driving, caused a single car traffic collision and was arrested for driving while under the influence.

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1 Deputy	20 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy drove his personal vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, became detained and eventually arrested for the violation.
1 Custody Assistant	20 Day Suspension	While on duty, a custody assistant witnessed a use of force by a deputy and failed to report the force to a supervisor and omitted that he witnessed force on a written report.
1 Sergeant	Reduction in Rank	While employed in a sworn position, a sergeant failed to register his personal vehicle with the state of California and failed to purchase the required amount of insurance for the vehicle for a period of time exceeding ten years. During this time, he was involved in a traffic collision and left the scene of the accident without exchanging information.
1 Deputy	25 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy became intoxicated and belligerent in a public location and caused a disturbance leading the location's security staff to ask him to leave, and ultimately call law enforcement when the deputy would not leave the location. When law enforcement arrived, the deputy made offensive and unprofessional comments to the officers.
1 Deputy	25 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy drove his personal vehicle while under the influence of alcohol and while in possession of a firearm.
1 Deputy	25 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy drove his personal vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, causing a single vehicle traffic collision.
1 Deputy	30 Day Suspension	While off duty, a deputy failed to de-escalate a confrontation with an inmate and used unreasonable and/or retaliatory force on the inmate and then failed to report the use of force to a supervisor.
1 Deputy	30 Day Suspension	While on duty, a deputy misused department resources by using his mobile computer to query two citizen's names for unauthorized and/or non-official business purposes and along with a partner, socialized with the citizens in a parking lot for approximately 40 minutes.

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1 Deputy	Discharge	While on duty, a deputy initiated and pursued a personal dating relationship with a person he contacted for a traffic violation, purposely stopping his body-worn camera prior to the end of the contact. This resulted in the citizen filing a formal complaint that the deputy later attempted to influence the citizen not to file.
1 Security Officer	Discharge	While off duty, a security officer became intoxicated and allowed his companions to handle his personal owned firearm, which resulted in an unintentional discharge of the weapon. When law enforcement arrived, he failed to make fully accurate statements about what occurred.
1 Court Services Specialist	Discharge	While on duty, a court services specialist became enraged and argumentative in the workplace when a supervisor offered suggestions on how to improve his work product. He used inappropriate and offensive language in the workplace and challenged the supervisor to a fight. When questioned about the incident, he failed to give full and/or complete statements regarding what had occurred.
1 Deputy	Discharge	While employed with the sheriff's department, a deputy pursued and became involved in a personal romantic relationship with an inmate incarcerated in state prison.
1 Sergeant	Discharge	While on duty, a sergeant interfered with an official department internal investigation by providing confidential information about the investigation to a subject employee.
1 Deputy	Discharge	While off duty, a deputy appeared in a courtroom to attend to a personal matter while in full uniform and became argumentative with the bailiff regarding securing the firearm while in the courtroom. While testifying on the record, the deputy gave false information regarding statements he made to law enforcement that conflicted with the responding officer's body-worn camera video.
1 Senior Clerk	Discharge	While on duty, a senior clerk arrived to work while under the influence of marijuana and admitted to co-workers that he had smoked marijuana shortly before his shift began.

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1 Deputy	Discharge	For a period of one year, a deputy was involved in an illegal, multi-faceted marijuana grow at his residence which led to an arrest after a criminal investigation by law enforcement. During the investigation, the deputy gave conflicting statements regarding his involvement in the operation.
1 Deputy	Discharge	While on duty, a deputy took independent action and used tactics and force that did not comply with Department policies and led to a criminal investigation into an allegation of Assault under the Color of Authority.
1 Deputy	Discharge	While on duty, a deputy failed to activate his body-worn camera prior to initiating an investigative contact that turned into a use of force incident. During the investigation, the deputy failed to provide full and/or complete statements regarding the circumstances of the investigative contact.