

RECOMMENDATION SUBMISSION AND RESPONSE FORM

2022 MEU #1

DISCUSSED BY SCPRC	05/20/2022	APPROVED AND IMPLEMENTED	X	PENDING FURTHER REVIEW	
RECEIVED BY SPD	08/17/2022	APPROVED AND PENDING		SPD UNABLE TO IMPLEMENT	
RETURNED TO SCPRC	09/09/2024	PARTIAL IMPLEMENTATION		DENIED	

SCPRC RECOMMENDATION

GO 410.06 Military Equipment Use

SPD policy does not detail the limits of military equipment or munitions available for use in civilian settings

Amend GO 410.06(C): Add specific language that prohibits purchase, acquisition, or usage of any military equipment or munitions that are prohibited by the Federal government for use by the US Military or law enforcement agencies.

SCPRC RECOMMENDATION RATIONALE

While SPD is required by state law to contract with the Federal government to acquire its military equipment and munitions, there appears to be no state rules prohibiting banned equipment from being acquired. Out of abundance of caution, the Commission recommends this policy include specific language that prohibits the purchase, acquisition, or usage of such banned equipment. The Federal government provides a list of banned military equipment which cannot be used by the US military or local police forces.

SPD RESPONSE

GO 410.06, Approval for Acquisition and Use states:

- SPD's military equipment shall only be utilized for official law enforcement purposes and in accordance with state and federal law.

OTHER CITY DEPARTMENTS

N/A

APPENDIX

N/A