



MPD USE OF FORCE DATA



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Background

- Use-of-force data is rightfully of interest to the public
- MPD takes use-of-force incidents seriously and thoroughly reviews every use-of-force
- Disparities do exist. This is a nation-wide challenge, and we join many in investigating the reasons behind this.
- Reasons for use-of-force disparities are complex. I want to assure you that MPD takes these disparities seriously no one solution will solve for them and no one organization or person can either

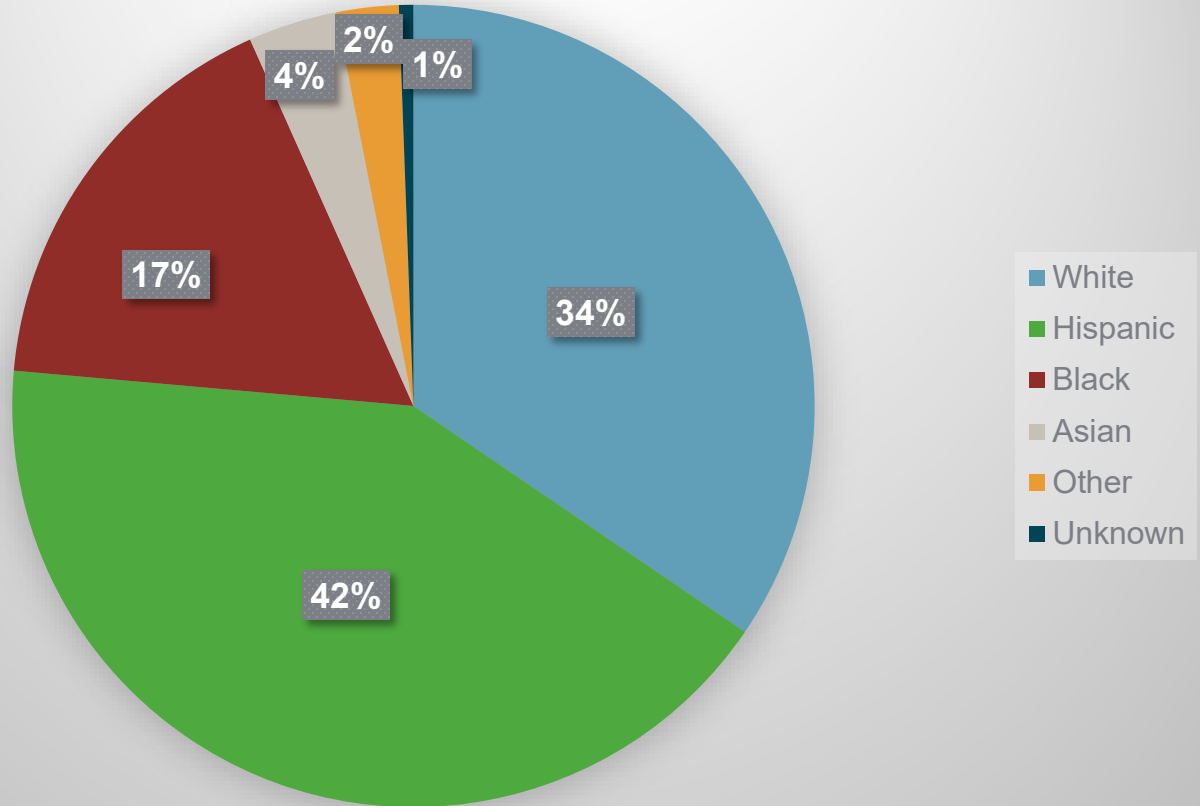


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- Penal Code 835a outlines the legal framework for when a peace officer may use objectively reasonable force, including deadly force.
- This includes force used to effect an arrest, prevent escape, or overcome resistance.
- For the past 5 years MPD has averaged 206.8 use-of-force incidents per year
- In 2024 use-of-force incidents accounted for .09% of all Call For Service (CFS) and .80% of all arrests and citations. Put another way, over 99% of all calls for service were handled with no use of force being used.

2020-2024 MPD Use of Force Data





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| 2024 | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|---------|---------|------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| | Total # | Total % | Resident # | Resident % | Resident % of ALL UOF | Non-Resident # | Non-Resident % | Dispatched # | Dispatched % | Dispatched % of ALL UOF |
| White | 45 | 34.4% | 33 | 73.3% | 32.7% | 12 | 26.7% | 29 | 64.4% | 33.0% |
| Hispanic | 66 | 46.8% | 46 | 69.7% | 45.5% | 20 | 30.3% | 38 | 57.8% | 43.2% |
| Black | 23 | 16.3% | 16 | 69.6% | 15.8% | 7 | 30.4% | 17 | 73.9% | 19.3% |
| Asian | 6 | 4.3% | 5 | 83.3% | 5.0% | 1 | 16.7% | 4 | 66.7% | 4.5% |
| Other | 1 | 0.7% | 1 | 100.0% | 1.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Total | 141 | | 101 | 71.6% | 100.0% | 40 | 28.4% | 88 | 62.4% | |



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|----------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-----|------------------------|-------|---------|-------|
| | On-View # | On-View % | On-View % of ALL UOF | Pre-Planned Mission # | Pre-Planned Mission % | Controlling Force | Bodily Force / Takedown | Impact Weapon / Body Strike | K-9 | Bean Bag / Pepper Ball | Taser | Firearm | Other |
| White | 15 | 33.3% | 30.0% | 1 | 2.4% | 9 | 28 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Hispanic | 26 | 39.4% | 52.0% | 2 | 3.2% | 20 | 39 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Black | 6 | 26.1% | 12.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 8 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Asian | 2 | 33.3% | 4.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Other | 1 | 100.0% | 2.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 50 | 37.9% | | 3 | 2.3% | 39 | 81 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 0 |



Current Activities

- Our organization continues to look at data, including exploring expert data analysis, to inform our learning and decision making (i.e. adapting training, supervision, etc.)
- Building community relationships
 - Cultural Relations Class
 - Project Resolve
 - Community dialogues
 - Traditional programming - examples include
 - Save Me a Seat Program
 - 10K with a Cop
 - School Engagement Officer
 - Annual Youth Summit in partnership with the Clergy Council
 - And more



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Key Points

- Data is important- we should be curious about it.
- This is a complex issue- no one strategy or organization is going to solve it.
- MPD is a learning organization. We want to be part of a learning community.
- Strong community relationships are critical.



Questions?



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