

USE OF FORCE IN THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE

Riverside Police Department

Human Relations Commission

May 23rd, 2024

USE OF FORCE STATISTICAL BREAKDOWN

Historical use of force data from 2018-2022

- 2018 – 192 Use of Force Incidents
- 2019 – 161 Use of Force Incidents
- 2020 – 151 Use of Force Incidents
- 2021 – 188 Use of Force Incidents
- 2022 – 195 Use of Force Incidents

* An average of 181 use of force incidents per year



USE OF FORCE STATISTICAL BREAKDOWN 2023

Incidents with Police Response: 148,620

Use of Force Incidents: 201

≈ 0.14% of all police contacts



Mt. Rubidoux
(484 Feet)



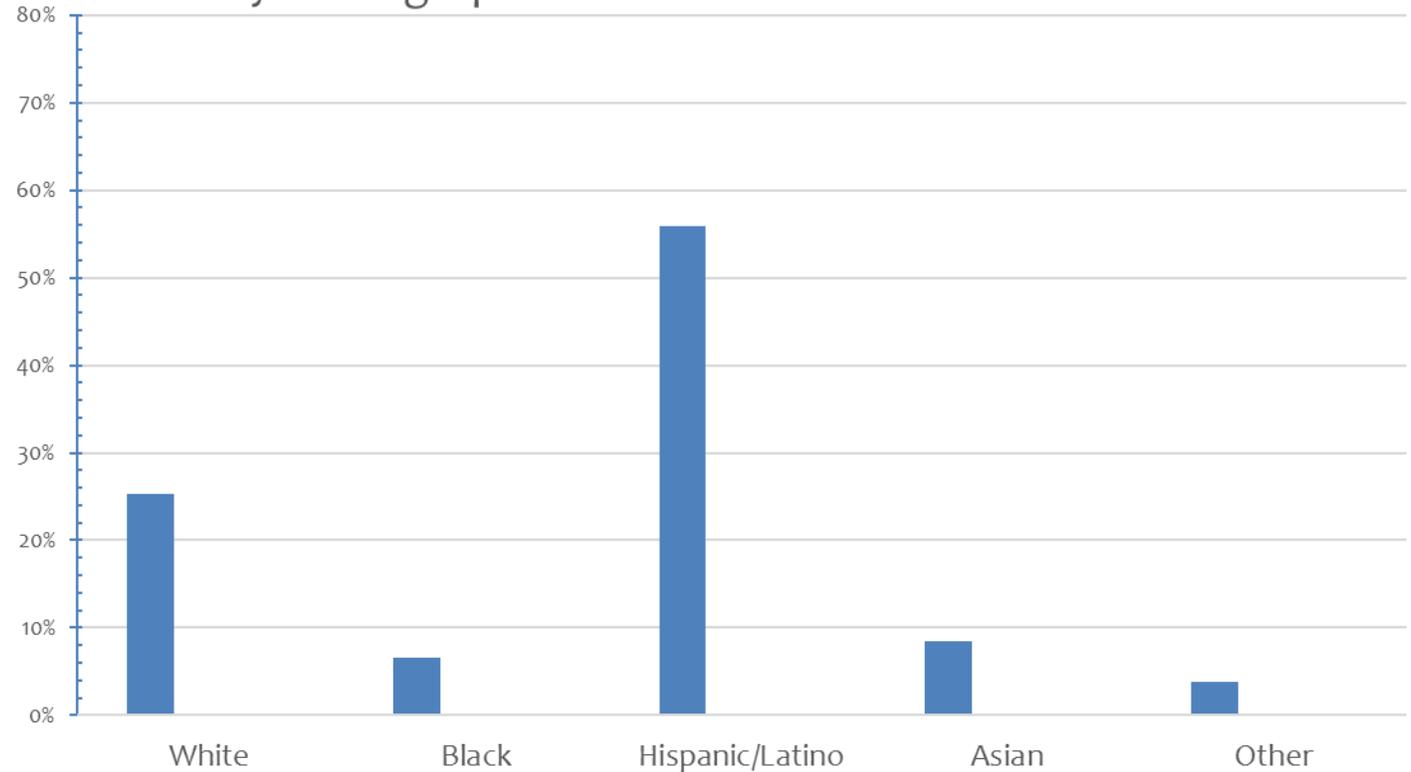
Standard
Ballpoint Pen
(6 Inches)

CITY OF RIVERSIDE DEMOGRAPHICS

White	25.3%
Black	6.6%
Hispanic/Latino	55.9%
Asian	8.5%
Other	3.8%

Total Population 317,257
*2021 Census Data

City Demographics – 2021 U.S. Census Data



CURRENT SWORN DEMOGRAPHICS

Race/Ethnicity	Total Sworn	% of Sworn	City Profile
Hispanic or Latino	139	36.9%	55.9%
White	204	54.3%	25.3%
Black/African American	13	3.5%	6.6%
Asian/Other	17	4.5%	8.5%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islands	2	0.5%	0.5%
American Indian and Alaska Native	0	0%	0.1%
Other Ethnicities	1	0.3%	3.1%
Total	376		

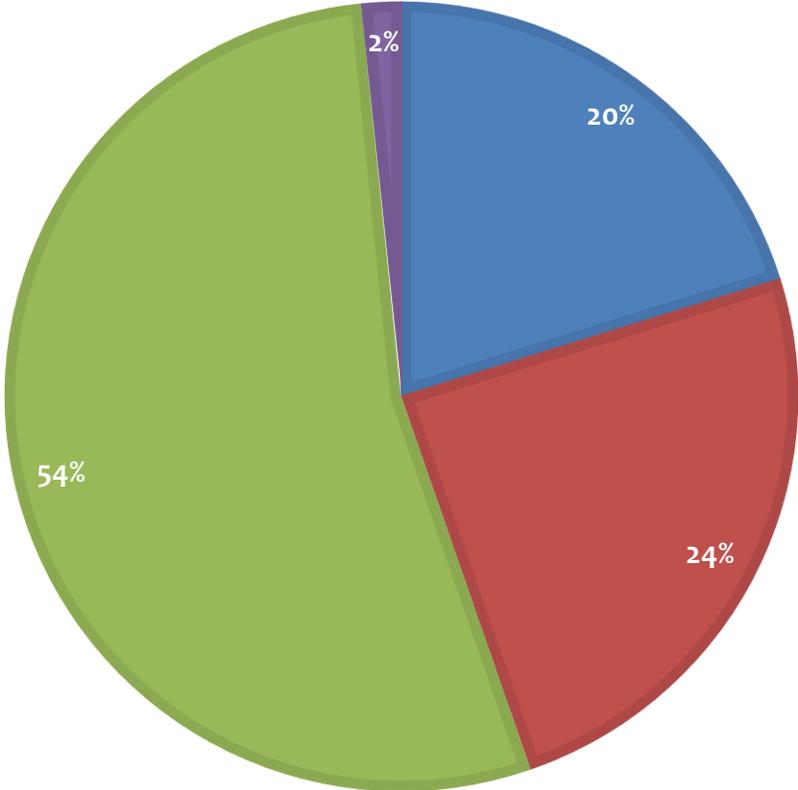
Gender	Total Sworn	% of Sworn	City Profile
Male	330	87.8%	49.1%
Female	46	12.2%	50.9%



USE OF FORCE DEMOGRAPHICS

RACE

■ White ■ Black ■ Hispanic ■ Other



White	20.2%
Black	24.5%
Hispanic	53.7%
Asian/Other	1.6%

COMPARISON DEMOGRAPHICS

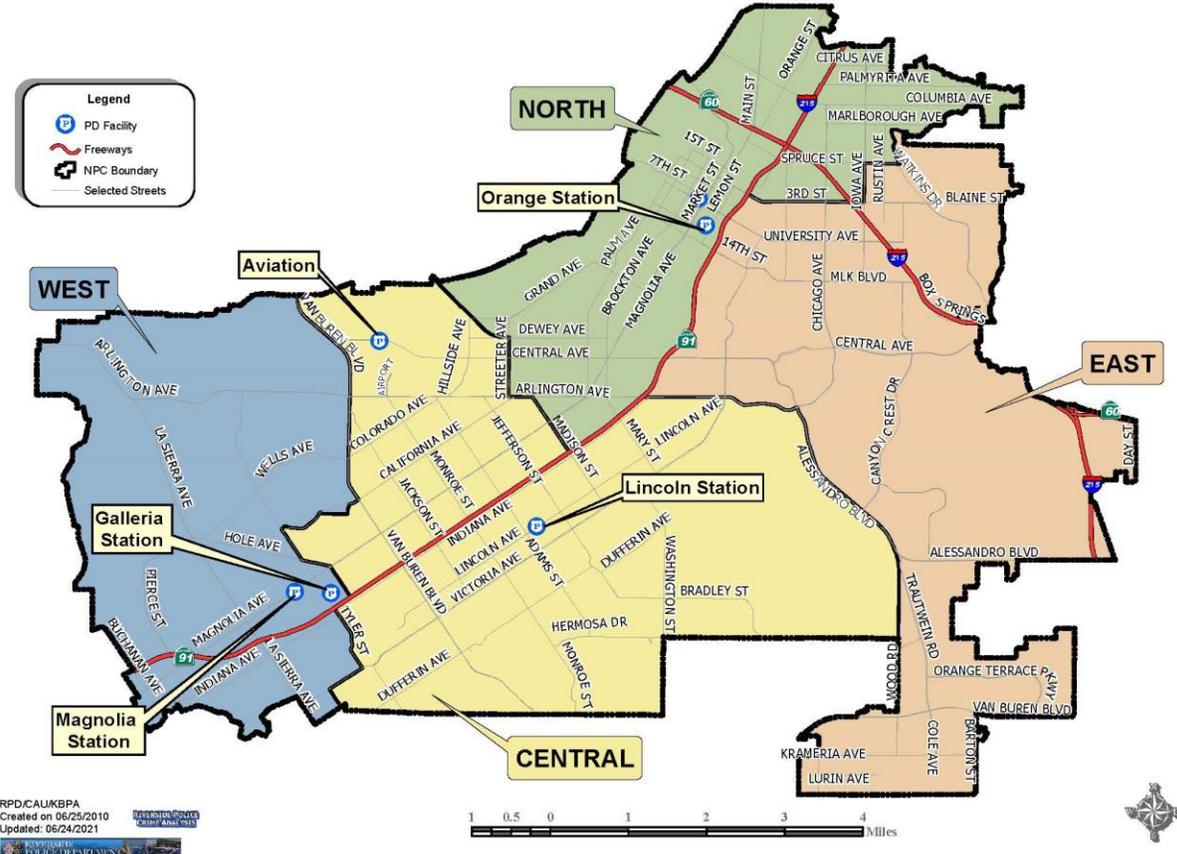
<u>Description</u>	<u>City Demographics</u>	<u>Use of Force Statistics</u>
White	25.3%	20.2%
Black	6.6%	24.5%
Hispanic/Latino	55.9%	53.7%
Asian/Other	12.3%	1.6%



USE OF FORCE BY LOCATION

City of Riverside
Neighborhood Policing Centers (NPCs), and Police Facilities

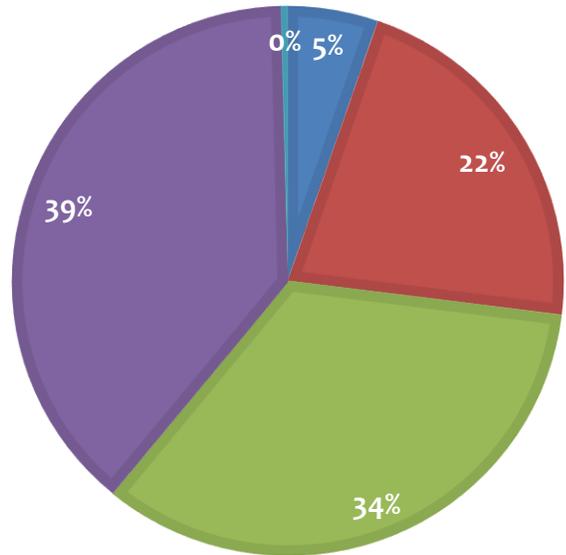
NPC	Use of Force
West	63
North	48
Central	43
East	46
Outside city	1



USE OF FORCE BY WATCH

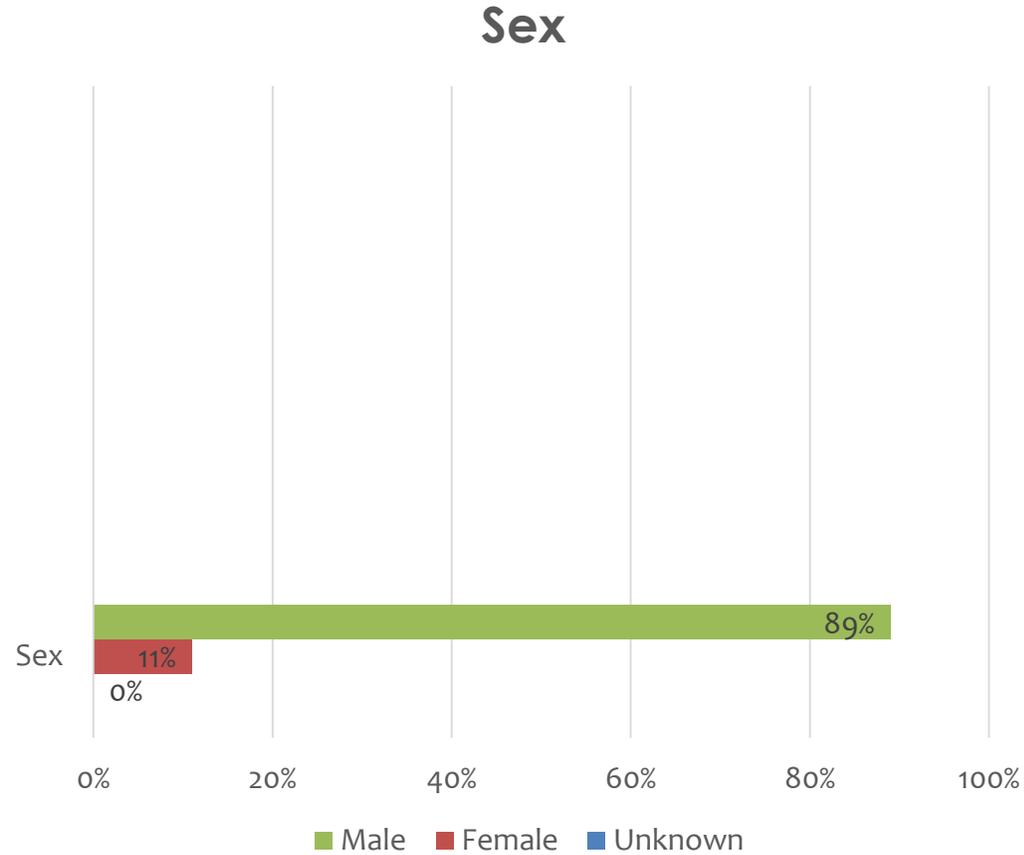
UOF BY WATCH

■ DED ■ Watch A ■ Watch B ■ Watch C ■ Other



- 38.6% occurred on Watch C
- 34.0% occurred on Watch B
- 21.7% occurred on Watch A
- 5.3% occurred on DED
- 0.4% did not occur on a designated watch

USE OF FORCE BY GENDER



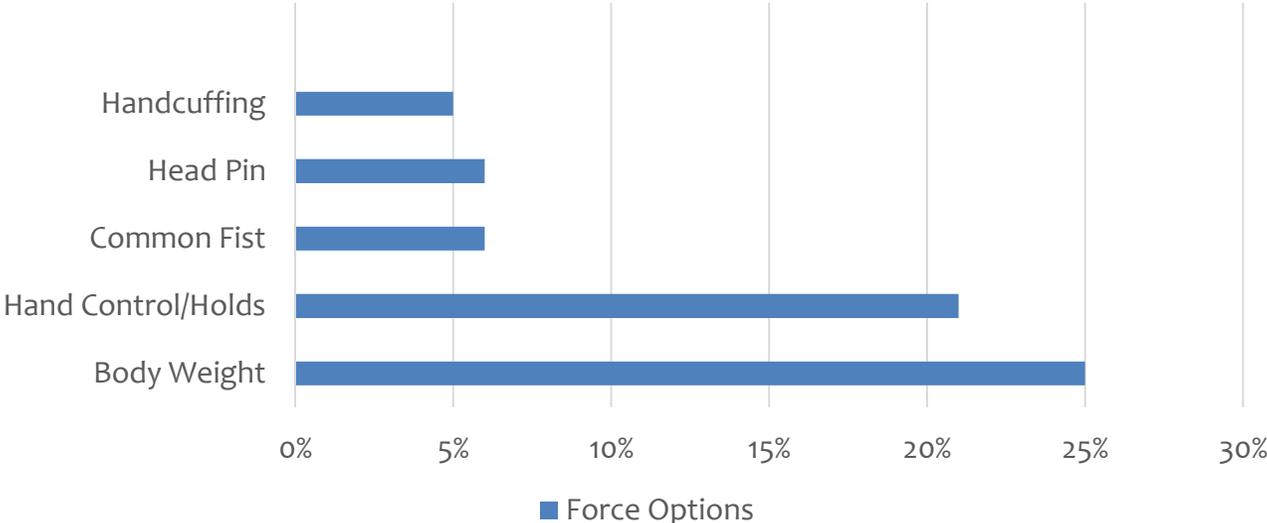
- 89% involved men
- 11% involved women

FORCE OPTIONS USED

Top 5 Force Options by Percentage Used:

- Bodyweight – 25%
- Hand Control Holds Combination -21%
- Head Pin – 6%
- Common Fist – 6%
- Handcuffing – 4%

Top 5 Force Options Used by Percentage



GUIDELINES AND POLICIES

- State Laws
- Policies
- Training



QUESTIONS

