

# DIVISION OF PARKS AND RECREATION

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Division Director is responsible to complete and forward a request for Departmental approval to award a service sidearm (see example in Appendix N).

## 8.1.6 Description of Authorized Defensive Equipment

- 8.1.6.1 Handgun—Duty (Division Issue)—Double action only, semi-automatic pistol, .45 caliber, eight shot or more capacity, 3.9 - 5.0 inch barrel, fixed or adjustable sights (luminescent sights optional), corrosion resistant finish. OR American made, six shot, double action revolver, .38 caliber or .357 caliber, four (4) inch barrel, adjustable sights for windage and elevation (optional), blue steel or stainless steel (depending on area needs).
- 8.1.6.2 Handgun—Undercover/Plainclothes/Backcountry (Division Issue)—American made six shot, double action revolver .38 caliber, 4, 2 or 2-1/2 inch barrel, adjustable or fixed sights, round or square butt, blue or stainless steel.
- 8.1.6.3 Shotgun—12 gauge, pump action, receiver milled from solid block, 2-3/4 or 3 inch chamber, rifle or bead sights are authorized, tubular magazine, cylinder bore, 18-20 inch barrel, blue steel, stainless or Parkerized finish, wood or synthetic standard straight stock and forearm (American manufacture). No after market magazine extenders or other modifications. No exposed hammers. No shotguns capable of being fired by having the trigger pulled to the rear and the closing of the action disengaging the sear causing the weapon to fire.
- 8.1.6.4 Rifles and Carbines—.223 (5.56mm) or any .30 caliber semi-automatic, bolt or pump action, stainless, blue or Parkerized finish, adjustable sights for windage and elevation. Telescopic sights optional.
- 8.1.6.5 Chemical agents—Chemical CS/CN, aerosol-type, American manufacture, maximum effective range at least eight (8) feet. Oleoresin capsicum (O.C.), aerosol irritant projector, American manufacture, maximum effective range at least eight (8) feet.
- 8.1.6.6 Police Baton—metal, friction-grip, expandable baton, 20-22" in length, black in color.
- 8.1.6.7 Handcuffs—American manufacture, double lock capability, stainless, nickel, or chrome finish.
- 8.1.6.8 Disposable cuffs—plastic self locking type.
- 8.1.6.9 Handgun ammunition, Duty—American manufacture, .45 ACP, 230 grain semi-jacketed or jacketed hollow point OR .38 special, 125 grain, semi-jacketed or jacketed hollow point, +P. (Practice rounds will be the same weight, load and muzzle velocity as duty rounds in either hollow point, semi-wadcutter or full metal jacket configurations.)
- 8.1.6.10 Shotgun ammunition, American manufacture, 12 gauge, plastic cased, no. 4 or "00" buck shot, or 7/8 oz. or 1 oz. rifled slug. (Tactical, reduced recoil load optional)
- 8.1.6.11 Rifle ammunition, American manufacture, jacketed soft point or hard ball for caliber needed.
- 8.1.6.12 Holster—American manufacture, plain, black color, no tooling, thumb-break to draw, covered (pistol or revolver) or uncovered (revolver only) trigger guard, vertical or