

Chapter 7 – Human Resources

BP 7600 Campus Police and Public Safety Officers

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Education Code Section ~~72330.5~~ 72330 et seq.;
Government Code Sections 3300 et seq.;
California Penal Code 830 et seq.

The Board has established a Police and Campus Safety Department under the supervision of the Chief of Police and Campus Safety. The purpose of the department is to:

- enforce the law on or near the campus and other grounds or properties owned, operated, controlled or administered by the District,
- provide a safe and secure campus environment for students, faculty, staff, and the public,
- protect college property including prevention of damage or theft, and
- provide assistance and support in emergency or critical need situations on or near the campus.

The College President/CEO shall establish procedures necessary for administration of campus security. In addition, the College President/CEO shall enter into an agreement with local law enforcement, which includes that **District police officers and** campus public safety officers shall cooperate with local law enforcement in performing their duties.

Chief of Police and Campus Safety

The College President/CEO shall establish minimum qualifications of employment for the Chief of Police and Campus Safety including, but not limited to, prior employment as a peace officer or completion of a peace officer training course approved by the Commission on Peace Officers' Standards and Training.

District Police Officers

District police officers shall be employed as members of the classified service and shall, when duly sworn, be peace officers as defined by law. Prior to employment, they shall satisfy the training requirements set out in Penal Code Sections 830 et seq.

District police officers shall continue to meet all requirements set by California law, the Commission on Peace Officers' Standards and Training, and listed in the Board approved job description. Costs and time needed for required training and certification will be provided by the District.

Every District police officer shall be issued a suitable identification card and badge bearing words "Mt. San Antonio College Police."

Campus Public Safety Officers

The College shall employ campus public safety officers who shall provide services as security guards or patrol persons on property owned or operated by the College. Their duties include, but are not limited to, protecting persons or property, preventing the theft of College property, and reporting any unlawful activity to the College and local law enforcement.

Every campus public safety officer who works more than 20 hours per week shall complete a course of training developed by the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services of the Department of Consumer Affairs as required by Education Code Section 72330.5(b).

Campus public safety officers shall continue to meet all requirements set by California law and listed in the Board approved job description. Costs and time needed for required training and certification will be provided by the District.

Campus public safety officers are public officers pursuant to California Penal Code 836.5.

Every campus public safety officer shall meet other requirements set out in Education Code Section 72330.5.

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