



## OFFICE OF POLICE OVERSIGHT

### NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

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August 5, 2022

ICMS #: 2022-0633

On August 1, 2022, the OPO received a phone complaint.

**The complainant alleges:** It is impossible to get APD to come for any crimes other than murder. A person ate at his restaurant and tried to leave without paying. He called APD because the man was threatening his employees. Forty-five minutes later the police called asking if the person was still there, but the person had left. He believes that when [REDACTED] [REDACTED] was murdered it was a trigger for people to start telling our city council to defund APD. It was defunded and the police department was demoralized and now the police department is making us pay for that. The police say they cannot come out because they are short-staffed. The police department needs to be apologized to by the mayor and city council. What is going on with APD right now makes no sense

*This notice of complaint is a request for Internal Affairs to initiate an investigation to determine if the employee conduct is within compliance of APD policy, Civil Service Rules, and Municipal Civil Service Rules.*