Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office 2020 Annual Administrative Investigations Summary Report

This summary report is provided in accordance with General Order 27.01 regarding the Annual Statistical Summary of Administrative Investigations which is made available to the public and agency employees. The information reflected in this report was compiled from all administrative investigations which were conducted by the Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office from the time period of January 1, 2020, through December 31, 2020.

	External Complaints
Total Administrative Investigations	47
Sustained Violations	9
Not Sustained	3
Unfounded	31
Exonerated	4
Policy Failures	0

Disposition Defined:

Sustained: A preponderance of evidence exists that a violation occurred.

Not Sustained: Insufficient evidence to substantiate an allegation of misconduct.

Unfounded: Allegation is false or the incident as alleged did not occur.

Exonerated: Incident occurred however action was lawful and not misconduct.

<u>Policy Failure:</u> Investigation reveals policy or procedural changes are necessary.

An Administrative Investigation was defined as an inquiry conducted by a supervisor which involved some type of investigative activity beyond interviewing the member. This could include a review of body-camera video or a witness interview.