



Milwaukee Police Department

Incidents of Misconduct Third Quarter of 2025

The Chief of Police reviewed the following incidents of misconduct during the Third Quarter of 2025. These incidents resulted in the listed discipline:

1. A Police Officer made an inappropriate comment to another member.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of engaging in inappropriate conduct **[Official Reprimand]**.

2. A Police Officer made an inappropriate comment to another member.
 - a. This is the member's second violation of engaging in unprofessional behavior when making inappropriate comments in the workplace **[3-day suspension without pay]**.

3. A Police Officer failed to activate their lights and siren while responding to assist in a pursuit and crashed causing a total loss to the car.
 - a. This is the member's first violation for failing to exercise due regard while operating a department vehicle in an emergency capacity **[3-day suspension without pay]**.

4. An off-duty Police Officer was arrested for Disorderly Conduct – Domestic Violence.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of behaving in such a way that a reasonable person would expect that discredit could be brought upon the department **[2-day suspension without pay]**.

5. A Police Officer and their partner, failed to file reports or citations during a battery investigation.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct investigations and prepare reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner so as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[4-day suspension without pay]**.

6. A Police Officer and their partner, failed to file reports or citations during a battery investigation.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct

investigations and prepare reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner so as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[4-day suspension without pay]**.

7. An off-duty Police Officer was unprofessional during a police response due to a 911 call and an occasion was issued a citation for Unlawful Use of 911.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of behaving in such a way that a reasonable person would expect that discredit could be brought upon the department, or that it would create the appearance of impropriety or corruptive behavior **[Official Reprimand]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to obey the local ordinances **[Official Reprimand]**.
8. A Police Officer turned off their body-worn camera without indicating a reason and did not notify the dispatcher they were cleared from the assignment.
 - a. This is the member's third violation for failing to continue to record until the completion of an event and turning off their body-worn camera without proper notation **[District Level Written Reprimand]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to advise the dispatcher that they were available for an assignment **[Policy Review]**
9. An off-duty Police Officer used unprofessional language during an interaction with a law enforcement officer.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of behaving in such a way that a reasonable person would expect that discredit could be brought upon the department, or that it would create the appearance of impropriety or corruptive behavior **[District Level Written Reprimand]**.
10. A Police Officer and their partner, failed to file reports.
 - a. This is the member's second violation of failing to conduct a thorough investigation and prepare reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[2-**

day suspension without pay].

11. A Police Officer failed to conduct a thorough investigation and file reports.
 - a. This is the member's second violation of failing to file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[5-day suspension without pay]**.

12. A Police Officer and their partner failed to conduct a thorough investigation which resulted in charges not being issued.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct a complete investigation to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[7-day suspension without pay]**.

13. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough reports and failed to arrest the suspect for domestic violence.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to take a person into custody upon having probable cause to believe that a person had committed an act of domestic violence **[5-day suspension without pay]**.

14. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough reports and failed to arrest the suspect of a domestic violence incident. The member also deactivated their body camera while transporting the victim to another location.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[7-day suspension without pay]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to take a person into custody upon having probable cause to believe that a person had committed an act of domestic violence **[7-day suspension without pay]**
 - c. This is the member's first violation of failing to activate their

body worn camera for a recordable event, which included transporting citizens or prisoners **[Official Reprimand]**.

15. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough reports and failed to arrest the suspect of a domestic violence. The officer also deactivated their body camera while transporting a prisoner and wrote misinformation in the report.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to take a person into custody upon having probable cause to believe that a person had committed an act of domestic violence **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
 - c. This is the member's first violation of failing to activate their body worn camera for a recordable event including transporting citizens or prisoners **[Official Reprimand]**.
 - d. This is the member's first violation of failing to be forthright and candid in writing, in connection with a report **[10-day suspension without pay]**.

16. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough reports and failed to arrest the suspect of a domestic violence incident. The member also deactivated their body camera while transporting the victim to another location.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[7-day suspension without pay]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to take a person into custody upon having probable cause to believe that a person had committed an act of domestic violence **[7-day suspension without pay]**
 - c. This is the member's first violation of failing to activate their body worn camera for a recordable event, which included transporting citizens or prisoners **[Official Reprimand]**.

17. A Police Officer disregarded a stop sign and collided with another vehicle.

- a. This is the member's first violation of failing to operate a department owned vehicle in a safe and courteous manner [**3-day suspension without pay**].
18. A Police Officer responded to assist with a vehicle pursuit, disregarded a stop sign and collided with another car. The member activated and deactivated their emergency lights, siren and In Car Camera System recording numerous times and deactivated their body camera.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to exercise due regard and safely operate a department vehicle [**4-day suspension without pay**].
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to activate and maintain recording with their In Car Camera System, while responding to a vehicle pursuit, after activating their emergency lights and siren [**Official Reprimand**].
 - c. This is the member's first violation of failing to maintain activation of their Body Worn Camera while responding to a vehicle pursuit, after activating their emergency lights and siren [**Official Reprimand**].
19. A Police Officer failed to arrest an individual for a warrant
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to enforce the law when they did not arrest a subject that had a warrant for their arrest [**3-day suspension without pay**].
20. An off-duty Police Officer was stopped for a registration violation and was in the presence of a relative that was cited for possession of marijuana.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of behaving in a way that a reasonable person would expect discredit could be brought upon the department and that it would create the appearance of impropriety or corruptive behavior [**District Level Written Reprimand**].
21. An off-duty Crime Analyst was arrested for suspicion of OWI.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to obey local ordinances and state laws [**10-day suspension without pay**].
22. A Police Sergeant regularly engaged in demeaning, teasing

and unprofessional behavior towards other members.

- a. This is the member's first violation of engaging in inappropriate behavior in the workplace that failed to create and maintain an environment of professionalism, respect, and effective teamwork in accordance with department policy **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
23. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough reports and failed to arrest the suspect of a domestic violence incident.
- a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct a thorough investigation and prepare reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[2-day suspension without pay]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to take a person into custody upon having probable cause to believe that a person had committed an act of domestic violence **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
24. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough reports and failed to arrest the suspect of a domestic violence incident.
- a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct a thorough investigation and prepare reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner as to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[2-day suspension without pay]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to take a person into custody upon having probable cause to believe that a person had committed an act of domestic violence **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
25. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough investigation and file reports.
- a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct a proper investigation and file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[2-day suspension without pay]**.

26. A Police Officer and another officer failed to complete thorough investigation and file reports.
- a. This is the member's second violation of failing to conduct a proper investigation and file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[4-day suspension without pay]**.
27. A Police Officer and additional officers failed to complete thorough investigation and file reports.
- a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct a proper investigation and file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[Official Reprimand]**.
28. A Police Officer and additional officers failed to complete thorough investigation and file reports.
- a. This is the member's first violation of failing to conduct a proper investigation and file reports in a prompt, thorough, impartial and careful manner to ensure accountability and responsibility in accordance with the law **[Official Reprimand]**.
29. A Police Officer submitted overtime cards that reflected overtime hours the member did not actually work and was compensated.
- a. This is the member's first violation of failing to accurately complete overtime cards, which resulted in compensation for time that was not worked **[30-day suspension without pay]**.
30. A Police Officer failed to report for duty on-time on several occasions, exhausted all available sick leave benefits and did not apply for a Family Medical Leave of Absence. The member disregarded a supervisor's order to report for duty.
- a. This is the member's first violation of exhausting all sick pay benefits and failing to apply for a medical leave of absence or FMLA **[Discharged from the Department]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of failing to promptly obey any proper or lawful order emanating from any officer of higher rank **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
 - c. This is the member's first violation of failing to report for duty at

the time designated by their supervisor **[5-day suspension without pay]**.

31. A Police Officer failed to provide a required medical certification for the absence. The member exhausted all sick leave benefits and was not approved for a Family Medical Leave of Absence. The member disregarded a supervisor's order to report for duty.
 - a. This is the member's first violation of failing to provide acceptable medical substantiation from a medical practitioner for their absence, as required by their commanding officer **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
 - b. This is the member's first violation of being absent without leave (AWOL) when they failed to provide prior authorization or approval for FMLA **[Discharged from the Department]**.
 - c. This is the member's second violation of failing to report for duty at the time designated by their supervisor **[5-day suspension without pay]**.
 - d. This is the member's second violation of failing to promptly obey any proper or lawful order emanating from any officer of higher rank **[5-day suspension without pay]**.

32. An off-duty Police Officer was charged with Disorderly Conduct-Domestic Violence.
 - a. This is the member's first violation for failing to obey adopting laws of the State of Wisconsin **[10-day suspension without pay]**.

33. A Police Officer failed to report for duty on-time on several occasions, exhausted all available sick leave benefits and did not apply for a Family Medical Leave of Absence. The member disregarded a supervisor's order to report for duty.
 - a. This is the member's second violation of exhausting all sick pay benefits and being absent from work without leave (AWOL) **[Discharged from the Department]**.
 - b. This is the member's third violation of failing to promptly obey any proper or lawful order emanating from any officer of higher rank **[5-day suspension without pay]**.

Disclaimer: The information provided is the initial decision rendered by the Chief of Police. Members have the right to appeal their discipline, which could result in a modified (reduced or increased) punishment.