

# Local Progress Reform/Transform Results and Civilian Oversight Updates

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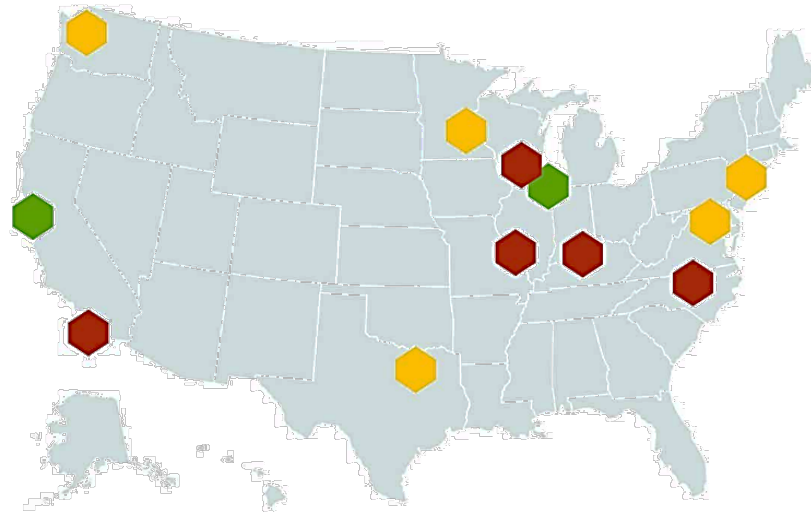
**CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO**

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# Local Progress Reform/Transform Results

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🟢 = On Track to a Strong Policy   🟡 = Making Progress With Need for Improvement   🔴 = Significant Room for Improvement



	Summary	Population	Independence	Investigatory Powers	Disciplinary Authority	Funding	Community Connection	Public Access	Policies and Practices	Transparency
<b>San Francisco</b>	On Track to a Strong Policy	864k	🟢	🟢	🟢	🔴	🔴	🟢	🟢	🟡

Source: [www.reformtransform.org/scorecard/oversight](http://www.reformtransform.org/scorecard/oversight)

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Local Progress determined that San Francisco is **on track** in the following areas:

<b>Area</b>	<b>What It Means</b>
<b>Independence</b>	Investigations that are conducted independently of the police department
<b>Investigatory Powers</b>	Subpoena or administrative powers that enable direct and unfettered access
<b>Disciplinary Authority</b>	The authority to hold officers accountable for their actions
<b>Public Access</b>	Access that allows residents to file complaints through a variety of methods and during non-business hours
<b>Policies &amp; Practices</b>	The authority to review and make recommendations on police department policies and practices

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## Transparency

<b>What It Means</b>	Is the civilian review board transparent to the public on complaints and dispositions?		
<b>Local Progress Questions:</b>	Are reports issued quarterly, and to the public?	Do reports include demographics of complainants?	Do reports include status and findings of investigations and actions taken as a result of investigations?
<b>DPA Status:</b>	Yes – reports found at <a href="https://sfgov.org/dpa/reports-statistics">sfgov.org/dpa/reports-statistics</a>	Since 2019 - quarterly and annual reports include demographics of complainants	Since 2018 - annual reports include outcomes for sustained complaints

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## Funding

<b>What It Means</b>	Does the civilian review board have necessary funding for thorough and timely investigations?		
<b>Local Progress Questions:</b>	Does funding cover at least one investigator for every 70 police officers?	Is funding no less than 5% of the total police department budget?	Are investigations completed within 120 days?
<b>DPA Status:</b>	Per Charter - One line investigator for every 150 police officers	Not set by City Charter	Per Charter - Within nine months of receipt by DPA

# DPA and 2020 Oversight Updates

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Area	Local Progress Standard	San Francisco Status	2020 Ballot Measures
<b>Staffing:</b>	1:70	1:150	Oakland - <b>1:100</b>
<b>Funding:</b>	No less than 5% of a police department's total budget	Not set by City Charter	Portland - <b>5% of police budget</b>
<b>Investigative Power:</b>	Subpoena power and access to relevant internal documents	Set by City Charter	Sonoma, San Diego, Seattle, Portland, and Philadelphia - <b>Subpoena Power</b>  Oakland – <b>Access to IA Files</b>
<b>Independent Legal Counsel:</b>	N/A	City Attorney advises both SFPD and DPA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oakland</li> <li>• San Diego</li> <li>• Philadelphia</li> </ul>

Questions?

