Chief William Scott
Chief of Police

Dear Chief Scott:

At the meeting of the Police Commission on Wednesday, September 11, 2019, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLUTION 19-52

APPROVAL TO ISSUE DEPARTMENT BULLETIN 19-186, "PINK PATCH PROJECT TO SUPPORT BREAST CANCER AWARENESS," TEMPORARILY MODIFYING DGO 10.01, "UNIFORM & EQUIPMENT"

RESOLVED, that the Police Commission hereby approves the issuance of Department Bulletin 19-186, "Pink Patch Project to Support Breast Cancer Awareness," temporarily modifying Department General Order 10.01, "Uniform & Equipment."

AYES: Commissioners Hirsch, Taylor, DeJesus, Elias, Brookter, Hamasaki
ABSENT: Commissioner Mazzucco

Very truly yours,

Sergeant Jayme Campbell
Secretary
San Francisco Police Commission

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cc: Sergeant R. Jones /Written Directives
Gloria Rosalejos/Written Directives
Pink Patch Project to Support Breast Cancer Awareness
(Supersedes DB 18-135)

The Pink Patch Project is a public awareness campaign where law enforcement agencies around
the United States use pink versions of their agencies' patches to encourage conversations with
community members about breast cancer. By participating in the Pink Patch Project, law
enforcement agencies help to increase awareness about breast cancer; raise funds for research in
the areas of prevention, diagnosis, treatment and cure; and offer support and encouragement to
those affected by the devastating disease.

The Department is partnering with the San Francisco Police Officers’ Association (SFPOA) and
will participate in the Pink Patch Project this October during Breast Cancer Awareness Month.
Sworn and non-sworn members (PSAs/Cadets) who wish to participate in the project are
authorized to wear 2 pink SFPD patches on their regular uniform shirts throughout the month of
October each year. Non-sworn members are authorized to purchase pink SFPD patches as
keepsakes. Additionally, throughout the month of October each year, sworn members are
authorized to wear pink tee shirts in lieu of black or blue tee shirts under their uniforms, and
non-sworn members are encouraged to wear articles of pink clothing consistent with generally
accepted business and professional standards.

Members should contact Sgt. Ray Padmore at Raymond.Padmore@sfgov.org or 415-238-6896 to
purchase pink SFPD patches for $10.00 each. The SFPOA will donate all of the proceeds to the
Bay Area Cancer Connection, a local 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that provides personal
care and support to breast and ovarian cancer patients and their families.

Participating sworn members are required to affix 2 pink SFPD patches to each uniform shirt,
and members are responsible for the cost of affixing the two patches to their shirts. Galls
Uniforms in San Francisco is offering a discounted rate for affixing two patches to each uniform
shirt. However, members are not required to use Galls.

Breast cancer has the potential to affect each of us; it is estimated that 1 in 8 women and 1 in
1,000 men will develop breast cancer in their lifetimes. I encourage all Department members to
participate in the Pink Patch Project.

WILLIAM SCOTT
Chief of Police

Per DB 197-156990, both sworn and non-sworn members are required to electronically acknowledge
receipt and review of this Department Bulletin in HRMS. Any questions or clarification regarding this
policy should be made to sfpd.writtdirectives@sfgov.org who will provide additional guidance about
the directive.