Portland Police Bureau
Use of Deadly Force Timeline

Please Note: for a comprehensive overview of the events and procedures following a use of deadly force by an officer please refer to PPB Directive 1010.10, available on the 'Directives' page of portlandoregon.gov/police.

Day of Event

- Involved Member(s)
  - Public Safety Supervisor
  - Public Safety Statement
  - May provide account, but not required pursuant to 5th Amendment

Day After Event

- Witness Member(s)
  - Provides Account
  - District Attorney
  - Homicide Detective

Within 48 hrs of Event

- Public Information Officer
  - Releases Information

- Chief of Police
  - Briefs Mayor & then Public

- Internal Affairs Captain
  - Provides Account

Grand Jury Decision

- District Attorney
  - Conducts Criminal Investigation into Use of Deadly Force & Presents Findings

10 Weeks After Event

- Training Division
  - Conducts Investigation & Provides Recommendation on Whether Use of Deadly Force In-Policy

At the Conclusion of any Criminal Proceedings Against Officer(s) Involved or Subject(s), if Indicted

- Assistant Chief
  - Police Review Board
  - Provides Report on In-Policy Decision

- Internal Affairs Captain
  - Provides Investigation Details

- Involved Member Peer
  - Decides on Whether to Indict Involved Members on Criminal Charges

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  - Provides Report on In-Policy Decision

- Involved Member Manager
  - Makes Final Determination of Whether Use of Deadly Force was In-Policy

POLICE REVIEW BOARD

KEY TERMS

- Information Release
  - Day of Event: includes nature of call, time of call and officer arrival
  - Day After Event: number of officers involved, their years of service and names. Information will continue to be released, including that pertaining to community member(s) involved, as it becomes available.

- Garrity Warning
  - Advisement of rights to government employees who may be the subject of an internal investigation. Rights include right to remain silent on any issues that could implicate them in a crime.
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  - Additionally, any information shared with Internal Affairs is not provided to the DA or Homicide Detectives.

- Information pertaining to subjects who are still at-large or details to assist officers in providing safety to the public.

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