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**ANDERSON POLICE DEPARTMENT  
TRAINING DIVISION**

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**2023 Use of Force Report**

**Calls to service:**

44,496

**Total uses of force:**

120 (.003%)

**Use of Force Breakdown:**

Taser	25	(21%)
OC Spray	4	(3%)
Empty Hand	89	(74%)
Firearm	0	(0%)

**Injuries:**

Suspect	9	(.075%)
Officer	5	(.042%)

**Note: All injuries were minor.**

**Summation:**

Based on the statistics the use of force at APD and the injuries sustained by the suspects and officers remain at a very low percentage.

**K9:**

Deployments	257	
Apprehensions	104	
Bites	7	(6%)

**Note: The K9 “bite ratio” is well below the national average.**

**Trends:**

The use of force at APD remained consistent with 2022.

**Recommendations:**

We will implement the state-wide use of force policy by conducting quarterly training and all APD training will align with this policy.

Continue to conduct annual OC and Taser training department-wide.

Continue the documentation of all use of force through Guardian Tracking.

Continue to have the training division review all use of force.

Inspect equipment quarterly and update and replace it as necessary.

**Policy:**

All 2023 uses of force were within policy.

APD policy has been updated and is in line with the ILETB-mandated policy.

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