

Notice of Public Meeting 2023 Military Equipment Report

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, January 18, 2024, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter, in the Suisun City Council Chambers, 701 Civic Center Blvd., Suisun City, California, the Suisun City Public Safety & Emergency Management Community Advisory Committee will hold a public meeting to review the 2023 Military Equipment Report (Report) pursuant to Assembly Bill 481.

On September 30, 2021, Governor Newsom signed into law Assembly Bill 481 (AB 481) relating to the use of military equipment by law enforcement agencies in California. AB 481 codified in Government Code Sections 7070 through 7075, requires that any law enforcement agency seeking to use existing or new military equipment create a military equipment policy and present the policy to the governing body for approval by ordinance. AB 481 also requires the law enforcement agency to prepare and make public an Annual Military Equipment Report

On May 3, 2022, the Suisun City Council adopted Ordinance 793, Policy 706, Military Equipment Use Policy, governing law enforcement's use of "military equipment" under AB 481. On January 3, 2023, the City Council adopted Ordinance 796, amending the Military Equipment Use Policy. The Policy emphasizes transparency, oversight, and accountability as it relates to the use of military equipment that is needed in order to ensure the safety of the community in the event of a significant incident. The Suisun City Police Department has successfully maintained military equipment in accordance with the policy.

The Suisun City Police Department's annual military equipment use report will be posted on the City's website at least 30 days before conducting any public hearing on the policy. The Suisun City Public Safety and emergency management committee will be presented with this Military equipment use annual report at the public meeting scheduled for January 18, 2024. Members of the public are welcome to attend the Public Safety and Emergency Management Committee meeting and provide public comment.

Members of the public are encouraged to review the annual report before the public hearing. The annual report is available for viewing on the Suisun City Police Department website. The website can be accessed using the link provided below:

[Suisun City Police Department](#)

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