

**ORLANDO POLICE DEPARTMENT POLICY AND PROCEDURE  
2001.5, ORLANDO POLICE HEADQUARTERS**

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**POLICY:**

This policy establishes procedures for obtaining building maintenance services, including pest control and cleaning requests. Additionally, this policy includes procedures for the training facilities, locker rooms, lockers, classrooms, conference/meeting rooms, and the auditorium.

**PROCEDURES:**

**1. ROUTINE BUILDING REPAIRS**

All requests for repairs and/or assistance from Facilities Management shall be directed to the Support Services Manager's Staff Assistant via email, who will submit a Facilities Work Request.

Please note that it is the responsibility of the requesting party to coordinate and ensure building security by seeing to it that the responding Facilities Management/and or City Contracted Vendor representative is escorted while in the secure work areas.

Note: Cleaning and pest control concerns shall be directed, via email, to the Quartermaster Unit at [OPDQUARTERMASTER@orlando.gov](mailto:OPDQUARTERMASTER@orlando.gov) or by calling 407-246-2400.

**2. REQUESTS FOR ANY ALTERATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS**

Requests of Facilities Management for any alterations and improvements including modification of work spaces, or it requires budget expenditures, particularly unplanned and unbudgeted, must be submitted by the Division Commander or manager, who will forward the request via email to the Support Services Manager. All alterations and improvements requiring expenditures must also include a funding source (Cost Center). Final approval for alterations and improvements will be made by the respective Bureau Chief.

**3. EMERGENCY MAINTENANCE REQUESTS**

For emergencies after normal business hours, a Watch Commander or designee shall contact Facilities Management via cell phone at 407.761.3551. Email notification of such situations must be submitted to the Support Services Manager as soon as possible or within 24 hours of the incident.

## 4. AUTHORIZED USE OF FACILITIES

Authorized personnel may use the police headquarters building's common areas during posted hours of operation without additional authorization.

### 4.1 FITNESS CENTER

The Support Services Manager shall have direct control over the use of the fitness center and may grant exceptions. All non-City employees utilizing the fitness center must have a completed Release of Civil Liability form (Attachment A) signed by the Chief of Police, or designee and on file with Support Services Staff Assistant. The Release of Civil Liability form is not required when individuals are performing required tasks related to their employment.

Fitness center and locker room facilities are available to all Orlando Police Department personnel, and police retirees. Criminal justice personnel whose work assignment is with OPD sworn personnel, e.g., MBI, DEA, police explorers, interns, cadets, and police chaplains, are authorized to use the fitness center for the duration of their assignment in the police headquarters building upon completion of the Release of Civil Liability form.

Individuals using the fitness center facilities will comply with all posted rules, including closure/modifications notices.

Authorized persons using the fitness center are directed to use equipment with care and not to remove any equipment from the fitness center area. Individuals will be held responsible for keeping the equipment clean and orderly while using the facilities. Weights and other equipment should be put back in the proper place when individuals have finished. Failure to comply with this may result in facility privileges being revoked. Persons unfamiliar with physical training equipment will seek training in proper equipment use from the In-Service Training Unit.

Note: Cleaning concerns and request for cleaning materials shall be directed, via email, to the Quartermaster Unit at [OPDQUARTERMASTER@orlando.gov](mailto:OPDQUARTERMASTER@orlando.gov) or by calling 407-246-2400.

### 4.2 LOCKER ROOM

The Support Services Manager is designated as staff authority over the locker room facilities. The Support Services Staff Assistant will assign lockers to OPD personnel during actual use of the facilities.

Lockers are City equipment and the Department reserves the right to inspect them. Lockers assigned to sworn personnel will be inspected in accordance with contractual terms. It is the responsibility of all personnel to keep the locker room neat and clean.

### 4.3 CONFERENCE/MEETING ROOMS

Each conference/meeting room will be coordinated by the section to which that room is assigned.

## 5. FITNESS CENTER LOCKERS

### 5.1 EMPLOYEE RESPONSIBILITIES

Employees assigned a Fitness Center locker shall adhere to the following guidelines:

- a. Employees shall not place perishable food in lockers.
- b. Employees shall not store any chemicals or extra ammunition in the locker other than issued/approved firearms, ammunition, and the chemical agent worn on the duty belt.
- c. Per RM 500-1, when not in physical control of Department property, the employee is required to ensure that the locker is securely locked with a standard combination or key lock. The Fraternal Order of Police Bargaining Unit and the City of Orlando agreed that the member will provide his/her own lock for the assigned locker.

- d. Employees shall not place/store anything on the top of a Fitness Center locker.
- e. Employees shall not deface or personalize any Fitness Center locker. No offensive materials or stickers should be adhered to the interior or exterior of the locker.
- f. Members will not switch lockers with another member.

#### 5.2 RECORD KEEPING

The Training Section Locker Administrator shall maintain a current list of all personnel with an assigned workout locker.

#### 5.3 WAITING LIST

The Training Section Locker Administrator shall maintain a waiting list of individuals requesting a workout locker. Assignment of workout lockers will be based upon the timeliness of the request for a locker.

### **6. BUNK ROOMS**

#### 6.1 EMPLOYEE RESPONSIBILITIES

Employees utilizing the Bunk rooms shall adhere to the following guidelines:

- a. Employees shall not bring perishable food in any Bunk room.
- b. Bunk rooms shall not be utilized to store equipment and/or personal items.
- c. All duty gear shall be removed prior to using Bunk room furniture.
- d. Employees shall enter their name, employee number, date and time on the Bunk Room sign in sheet before occupying the room (Attachment B).
- e. Employees shall remove linens from beds and place them in the designated laundry basket. Additional linens will be stored in the Bunk rooms.

### **7. PANIC ALERT SYSTEM**

7.1. Panic alert activation switches are mounted inside the following OPH locations:

- Information Desk
- Records Unit
- Fingerprinting Unit

7.2. Designated OPD Staff shall activate the panic alert system only in an emergency affecting the Main Lobby and visitor's parking lot. Once activated, the alarm company will receive the alert and then notify Communications. Employees who engage the panic alert system shall immediately notify Communications with a description of the incident and reason for activating the alert system.

Note: Once the panic alert system is activated, a white strobe light will illuminate at selected areas.

7.3. Responding officers shall use caution approaching OPH lobby doors when panic alert system is activated.

### **8. AEROCLAVE SYSTEM**

8.1. AeroClave System is available for trained OPD employees to disinfect rooms and department vehicles. Quartermaster Unit will maintain a list of designated locations where AeroClave machines are maintained. Employees shall return and secure AeroClave machine to their respective location.

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ATTACHMENT A

**NON-EMPLOYEE RELEASE OF CIVIL LIABILITY**

In consideration of the privilege being granted me by the Orlando Police Department and the City of Orlando to use the fitness center in the Orlando Police Headquarters building as directed by the In-Service Training Unit, I hereby assume all risk of personal injury, death, property damage, or loss from whatever cause arising while I am approaching, entering, using, leaving, or being about any property of the said City, while I am using, intending to use, or have used this privilege. I release said City, its employees and agents from any liability and will indemnify and save harmless said City, its employees and agents from any such liability or contribution to such liability while using this privilege.

I further agree to adhere to all policies, rules and regulations relating to the use of the fitness center, and that if I am not specifically authorized to utilize the fitness center pursuant to existing policy and procedure, I shall obtain permission to use said facility from the Chief of Police or designated representative.

I understand that it is my responsibility to check with my physician prior to engaging in an exercise program at the Orlando Police Headquarters building to ensure that I am physically able to do so without risk.

It is further understood and agreed by me that this privilege may be revoked at any time by the Orlando Police Department.

DATED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, AT ORLANDO, FLORIDA.

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Name

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(Print)

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Signed

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Authorized

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Assignment/Phone Number

Release of Civil Liability expires two years from date of issue. Expiration Date:

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