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6-101. Police officers subject to mayor's orders. All police officers shall obey and comply with such orders and administrative rules and regulations as the mayor may officially issue. (1965 Code, § 1-401)

6-102. Police officers to preserve law and order, etc. Police officers shall preserve law and order within the municipality. They shall patrol the municipality and shall assist the town court during the trial of cases. Police officers shall also promptly serve any legal process issued by the town court. (1965 Code, § 1-402)

6-103. Police officers to wear uniforms and be armed. All police officers shall wear such uniform and badge as the board of mayor and aldermen shall authorize and shall carry a service pistol and billy club at all times while on duty unless otherwise expressly directed by the mayor for a special assignment. (1965 Code, § 1-403)

6-104. When police officers to make arrests¹. Unless otherwise authorized or directed in this code or other applicable law, an arrest of the person shall be made by a police officer in the following cases:

(1) Whenever he is in possession of a warrant for the arrest of the person;

¹Municipal code reference

Traffic citations, etc.: title 15, chapter 7.

(2) Whenever an offense is committed or a breach of the peace is threatened in the officer's presence by the person; or

(3) Whenever a felony has in fact been committed and the officer has reasonable cause to believe the person has committed it. (1965 Code, § 1-404)

6-105. Police officers may require assistance in making arrests.

It shall be unlawful for any male person willfully to refuse to aid a police officer in maintaining law and order or in making a lawful arrest when such a person's assistance is requested by the police officer and is reasonably necessary to effect the arrest. (1965 Code, § 1-405)

6-106. Police department records. The police department shall keep a comprehensive and detailed daily record in permanent form, showing:

(1) All known or reported offenses and/or crimes committed within the corporate limits;

(2) All arrests made by police officers; and

(3) All police investigations made, funerals convoyed, fire calls answered, and other miscellaneous activities of the police department. (1965 Code, § 1-407)