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6-101. Police officers subject to chief's orders. All police officers shall obey and comply with such orders and administrative rules and regulations as the police chief may officially issue. (1995 Code, § 6-101)

6-102. Police officers to preserve law and order, etc. Police officers shall preserve law and order within the city. They shall patrol the city and shall assist the city court during the trial of cases. Police officers shall also promptly serve any legal process issued by the city court. (1995 Code, § 6-102)

6-103. Police officers to wear uniforms and be armed. All police officers shall wear such uniform and badge as the board of commissioners shall authorize and shall carry a service pistol and billy club at all times while on duty unless otherwise expressly directed by the chief for a special assignment. (1995 Code, § 6-103)

6-104. When police officers to make arrests. 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.
- (2) Whenever an offense is committed or a breach of the peace is threatened in the officer's presence by the person.
- (3) Whenever a felony has in fact been committed and the officer has reasonable cause to believe the person has committed it. (1995 Code, § 6-104)

6-105. 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.

(3) All police investigations made, funerals convoyed, fire calls answered, and other miscellaneous activities of the police department. (1995 Code, § 6-107)

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6-201. Definition. The Police Department Auxiliary Force is a volunteer organization, the members of which have enrolled as a civic service to assist the regular police force of the Tusculum Police Department. (1995 Code, § 6-201)

6-202. Appointment. Members of the auxiliary force shall be appointed by the mayor with the consent of the board of commissioners. (1995 Code, § 6-202)

6-203. Compensation. Members of the auxiliary force shall receive no salary or compensation for their services, except members may receive up to eight dollars (\$8.00) per shift and no more than thirty-two dollars (\$32.00) per month to cover normal and usual types of expenses incurred. For appearances in court as witnesses, such member shall be entitled to receive the fees provided by law for witnesses. (1995 Code, § 6-203)

6-204. Supervision. The chain of command to administer supervision of the auxiliary officers shall be mayor, vice-mayor and commissioner. (1995 Code, § 6-204)

6-205. Departmental rules and regulations. Members of the auxiliary police force shall be governed by pertinent rules and regulations of the Tusculum Police Department. (1995 Code, § 6-205)

6-206. Powers of volunteer auxiliary officers. The at-will volunteer members of the auxiliary force shall have, and there is hereby conferred upon them, the powers to act as police officers, being peace officers or special police officers, provided they meet Tennessee Training and Certification requirements for auxiliary officers. In no event shall these powers be executed outside the city limits of Tusculum unless accompanied by a full-time, on-duty, certified Tusculum Police Officer. (1995 Code, § 6-206)

6-207. Effect of ordinance. This ordinance shall be construed to be amendatory, by implication, of any other ordinances of the City of Tusculum, creating the Volunteer Auxiliary Force and regulating its duties; and this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it. (1995 Code, § 6-207)