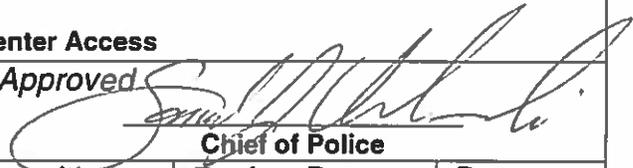


**LANCASTER POLICE DEPARTMENT
GENERAL ORDERS MANUAL**

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Subject 24 Hour Law Enforcement and Communication Center Access					
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SECTION 1 PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to state the department's commitment to twenty-four (24) hour uninterrupted police service.

SECTION 2 POLICY

It is the policy of the department that the department will provide twenty-four (24) hour uninterrupted police service every day to all request for law enforcement services.

SECTION 3 PROCEDURES

- A. The Lancaster Police Department will provide twenty-four (24) hour uninterrupted police service every day to all request for law enforcement services.
- B. The Lancaster Police Department will staff the emergency communications center twenty-four (24) hours every day to receive calls for service and dispatch police units to request for law enforcement services.

C. SCOPE OF RESPONSIBILITY

- 1. All members of the department shall know and comply with all aspects of this directive.
- 2. All Division Commanders and supervisory personnel are responsible for ensuring compliance with the provisions and intent of this directive.