

304.1- 10.4 Off Duty

1. The carrying of a sidearm while off-duty shall be at the option of the officer;
2. All officers, must carry their DPD identification card and badge while on-duty or off-duty;
3. While operating a DPD vehicle off duty, members shall be armed with their DPD issued or approved sidearm;
4. Members electing to carry a weapon off duty shall carry a DPD issued or approved sidearm, holstered, in a safe and accessible manner. Off-duty weapons shall be carried safely and concealed from public view;
5. Members are prohibited from participating in any sporting activity while carrying a sidearm;
6. Members shall not carry any weapon while engaged in or participating in any public demonstration, rally, march or picketing activity;
7. Off-duty officers are prohibited by state law from carrying a firearm if their blood alcohol level is .02 or above. **In addition, members shall not carry a firearm in situations where an officer's performance may be impaired.** The odor of intoxicants on the breath of a member shall be deemed "prima facie evidence" that he is unfit for duty;