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MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 1st, 2025

TO: San Jose State University: Students, Faculty and Staff

FROM: Michael Carroll, SJSU Chief of Police

SUBJECT: **SJSU Regulated Tools and Equipment, 2025 Annual Report (updated)**



The San Jose State University (SJSU) is committed to transparency, communication, and engagement with campus community members. In July 2022, the Board of Trustees approved the system-wide Regulated Tools and Equipment policy recommended by the Chiefs of Police representing the twenty-two University Police Departments. This policy was adopted and published as outlined by Assembly Bill 481 and requires every law enforcement agency in California to publish certain information annually regarding specified equipment.

Information regarding the use, policy compliance, funding, and inventory for the 2025 calendar year to date are outlined below

Current inventory of regulated tools and equipment:

AB481 Equipment and Tools	Type and Total Number in SJSU Inventory
Munitions containing tear gas or oleoresin capsicum (OC), excluding standard, service-issued handheld pepper spray.	Less-lethal launchers propel "pepper balls" that contain powdered chemical agent that is exposed with kinetic energy impact. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four (4) Pepper Ball brand launchers that expend pepper balls containing PAVA Powder and training inert balls <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 2600 PAVA powder balls ○ 2000 Training balls • Two (2) FN 303 pepper ball launchers, marking rounds, and pepper ball rounds <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 150 OC projectiles ○ 800 paint projectiles • Thirteen (13) CS handheld ball grenades (Not in service for use) • Twenty (20) CS smoke grenades (Not in service for use)
Kinetic energy weapons and munitions	Launcher capable of firing a variety of 40mm rounds with a maximum effective range of 5 to 120 feet. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One (1) Defense Technology 40mm LMT seventeen (Not in service for use) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ (53) Impact projectiles ○ (17) CS gas projectiles

<p>Specialized firearms and ammunition identified as assault weapons in Penal Code § 30510 and Penal Code §30515</p>	<p>Patrol Rifles chambered for .223 ammunition; Personal Defense Weapon chambered in 40 S&W defined as by California State Law as Assault Weapons.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Twenty-Eight (28) Colt AR15 Patrol Rifles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 27200 rounds of ammunition
<p>Unmanned, remotely piloted aerial vehicles (UAV) drones</p>	<p>DJI drones (Not in service, acquired through donation, pending authorization of use)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4, Mavic-2's • 2, Mini • 1, Mavic-Pro • 1, Inspire-1 • 1, Phantom-4

Summary of how regulated tools and equipment were used and the purpose of their use:

SJSU Police had no instances involving using any of the listed items.

Results of any internal audits, any information about violations of the regulated tools and equipment policy, and any actions taken in response:

SJSU Police received no audit findings or information about the held devices and equipment policy violations.

Planned purchases of additional regulated tools and equipment in:

For the remainder of 2025, SJSU Police does not plan to purchase or acquire additional regulated tools or equipment.

To further our efforts toward transparency and open communication, UPD will host a community engagement event to discuss the information contained within this report on October 22nd, 2025 at 1:30pm in room 225 at the Dr Martin Luther King Jr. Library in San Jose, CA. The community engagement event is open to all students, faculty, and staff at San Jose State University. Additional information about UPD policies, contact information, and other services provided to the campus can be located online at <https://www.sjsu.edu/upd>.

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