# MARICOPA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Bureau of Internal Oversight Audits and Inspections Unit



TraCS Discussion Inspection: October 2023
Inspection Report# BI2023-0168

The Audits and Inspections Unit (AIU) of the Sheriff's Office Bureau of Internal Oversight (BIO) will conduct monthly inspections of the TraCS Discussion of traffic stops to ensure compliance with Office Policies, promote proper supervision and support the requirements set forth in the Court Order. Inspectors will utilize the TraCS System and a sample of randomly selected employees from each district for review. The TraCS Traffic Stop Discussion will be uniformly inspected utilizing a matrix developed by the AIU, in accordance with the procedures outlined in policies EB-1 and GB-2.

### **Compliance Objectives:**

Utilizing the TraCS Traffic Stop Discussion Matrix, review each selected deputy TraCS data to ensure the following for October 2023:

- Determine what district the traffic stop data originated from
- Verify the supervisor individually discussed each traffic stop completed within a monthly time frame by applying the "Discussed with Deputy" indicator
- Each Traffic Stop inspected will be counted as one inspection

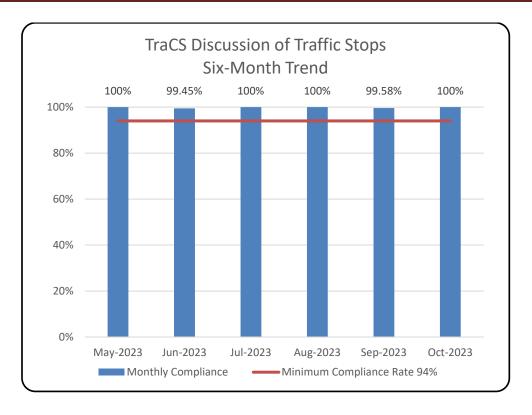
#### Criteria:

MCSO Policy EB-1, Traffic Enforcement, Violator Contacts, and Citation Issuance MCSO Policy GB-2, Command Responsibility

#### **Conditions:**

MCSO's assigned Court Monitors provided a sample of 24 Deputies from all Patrol Districts for the Discussion Inspection covering data from October 2023. The sample of 24 Deputies provided a total of 140 traffic stops available for inspection; all 140 (or 100%) of the traffic stops were inspected.

MCSO achieved a compliance rate of **100%** in the Discussion of Traffic Stops for the month of October 2023, as illustrated in the table below:



The compliance rate for each division is illustrated in the table below:

District	Dist. 1	Dist. 2	Dist. 3	Dist. 4	Lakes	Dist. 7	Total
In Compliance	36	7	5	17	20	55	140
Total Stops	36	7	5	17	20	55	140
Compliance %	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

It should be noted that the completion of a Discussion Inspection is dependent on when AIU receives the sample from the Court Monitors.

## **Action Required:**

With the resulting 100% compliance for Inspection BI2023-0168, no BIO Action Forms are required.

Date Inspection Started: December 12, 2023

Date Completed: December 13, 2023

Timeframe Inspected: October 01-31, 2023

Assigned Inspector(s): Ronda Jamieson B3178

I have reviewed this inspection report.

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Commander, Audits and Inspections Unit

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12/21/23

Date