Title: Santa Fe College Police Department

Rule 3.37

General Authority: FS 1001.64(23)
Law Implemented: FS 1012.88

Effective Date: September 9, 1993

Purpose: To provide for a police department for the College.

The mission of the Santa Fe College Police Department is to provide for the safety and security of the employees of the College, the students enrolled at the College, and the general public while on or in any property or facility of the College. To accomplish this, officers of the department have authority as law enforcement officers to preserve the peace, to provide general police services to the College, and to enforce the laws of the State of Florida, applicable county and municipal ordinances, and rules and regulations of the College.

All operations of the department shall be governed by the general rules and procedures of the College except if otherwise provided by statute. Officers shall be employed and trained and records maintained as required by Chapter 943.13-943.1395, Florida Statutes and the rules of the Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission.

Each College police officer shall be provided with the Santa Fe College Police Department Manual. As required by 1012.88, Florida Statutes, this manual has been developed to familiarize the officer with the policies and procedures of the Santa Fe College Police Department and to guide the officer in the execution of his/her official duties.

Personnel matters shall be carried out as provided in the department manual and the personnel rules of the College, in consonance with Chapter 110, Florida Statutes, Part II as required by 1012.88, Florida Statutes.

Internal investigations and discipline shall be carried out as described in the department manual in consonance with the requirements of Part VI of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes.

Officers will be compensated in accordance with the Florida salary incentive program as provided in 943.22, Florida Statutes.