

CULVER CITY POLICE

GENERAL ORDER

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TO: ALL SWORN PERSONNEL
FROM: THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
SUBJECT: Dodger Baseball Hats

INTRODUCTION:

This General Order was created to notify all department employees regarding the use of Dodger Hats during the playoffs.

PURPOSE:

In support of the Dodgers' playoff run, **Dodger hats** are temporarily authorized for wear while in uniform. This exception is made to show solidarity and support for our local team during the postseason. However, only specific styles of Dodger hats will be acceptable for use with the uniform.

The authorized Dodger hat must meet the following specifications:

1. **Color and Style:**
 - Traditional **blue baseball hat**.
2. **Embroidery:**
 - The hat must be embroidered with the capital letters "**LA**" in **3D white embroidery**.
 - The "**LA**" must feature the **interlocking "L" and "A"** design that is iconic to the Dodger brand.
3. **Approved Brand:**
 - The **New Era 59FIFTY** style hat is the preferred and most commonly accepted version.
4. **Restrictions:**
 - Hats with **additional designs, extra lettering, or any custom modifications** are not permitted.
 - Only the traditional blue and white "**LA**" hat without any additional embellishments is acceptable.

Uniform Guidelines:

While this allowance is in effect, all other components of the uniform must remain in compliance with departmental standards. The Dodger hat should be worn professionally, and no alterations to the hat or uniform are permitted.

Duration of Authorization:

This special authorization is in effect only for the duration of the Dodgers' playoff run. Once the playoffs are over, standard uniform regulations will resume, and all Dodger hats must be removed from the uniform.

For Assistance:

If you have any questions about this temporary change in uniform regulations, please contact your supervisor or the uniform committee.

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