



## BOARD POLICY

### **11.03.00      ARMED OFFICERS**

**Division:**      **Campus Police**  
**Adopted:**      **08/2003**  
**Revised:**      **10/2014, 03/2015**  
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Pursuant to the Illinois Public Community College Act [110 ILCS 805/3-42.1], it is the policy of the Board of Trustees (Board) to authorize sworn Campus Police Officers who have successfully passed all pre-employment examinations, background checks, and the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board certified firearms course to carry department-approved firearms. These officers will also be authorized to carry, according to department policies, OC/Pepper Spray, expandable batons, Electronic Control Devices or other department approved auxiliary devices.

Officers will be required to follow all departmental regulations related to the use of firearms and all required reporting, as outlined in the department procedures and general orders. No Campus Police Officer issued a firearm by the College may have such firearm in their possession when employed or otherwise acting on behalf of any third party. Qualification for ongoing right-to-carry firearms will be repeated according to department regulations. Only those sworn Campus Police Officers who have met the above requirements will be allowed to possess and carry department-approved firearms.

#### **Related Institutional Procedures:**