

TYPE OF ORDER	NUMBER/SERIES	EFFECTIVE DATE	ISSUE DATE
General Order	#11, Series of 2006	09/01/06	09/01/06
SUBJECT TITLE		PREVIOUSLY ISSUED DATES	
Civilian Dress Code			
REFERENCE		RE-EVALUATION DATE	
SUBJECT AREA		DISTRIBUTION	
Human Resources		All Personnel	

I. PURPOSE:

The Providence Police Department is providing guidelines for appropriate dress attire for non-uniformed civilian personnel.

II. POLICY:

All non-uniformed civilian personnel are required to report to work dressed in appropriate businesslike attire.

III. CLOTHING/APPEARANCE:

A. Male personnel may wear business attire, including but not limited to, a suit or color coordinated slacks, shirt, necktie, and sport coat.

1. The Commanding Officer of the Division where civilian personnel are assigned, may permit the wearing of kaki pants and polo style shirts.
2. Those items must be clean, pressed and color coordinated.

B. Female personnel will wear the equivalent attire, i.e., a dress, pantsuit, or suit.

1. The Commanding Officer of the Division where civilian personnel is assigned, may permit the wearing of kaki pants and polo style shirts.

2. Those items must be clean, pressed and color coordinated.
- C. Casual attire is prohibited during normal work hours, unless the nature of the assignment dictates such.
- D. Civilian employees who are required to wear a uniform are to adhere to the Uniform Standard Policy 220.01.
- E. The following are some examples of prohibited clothing items. This list is not designed to be all inclusive:
1. Short shorts
 2. Warm-up suits
 3. Halter Tops
 4. Bare Midriffs
 5. Tee Shirts
 6. Cutoffs
 7. Tank Tops
 8. Sneakers
 9. Jeans

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