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## COMMISSION FOR FLORIDA LAW ENFORCEMENT ACCREDITATION (CFA)

### ACCREDITATION ASSESSMENT NOTIFICATION

#### ACCREDITATION TEAM INVITES PUBLIC COMMENTS ABOUT THE FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

A team of assessors from the Commission for Florida Law Enforcement Accreditation (CFA) will arrive April 16, 2024 to examine all aspects of the Florida A&M University Police Department (FAMU PD) policies and procedures, management, operations, and support services. The FAMU PD has to comply with numerous standards in order to receive accredited status. Many of the standards are critical to life, health, safety issues, and best practices.

As part of the assessment, agency members and the general public are invited to offer comments to the assessment team. A copy of the standards manual is available on the CFA website at [www.flaccreditation.org](http://www.flaccreditation.org) under the standards tab.

For more information regarding CFA or for persons wishing to offer written comments about the FAMU PD's ability to meet the standards of accreditation, please send correspondence to: CFA, P.O. Box 1489, Tallahassee, Florida, 32302, or email to [flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us](mailto:flaccreditation@fdle.state.fl.us).

The assessors will review written materials, interview individuals, and visit offices and other areas where compliance can be observed. Once the Commission's assessors complete their review of the agency, they report to the full Commission, which then determines if the agency is to receive accredited or reaccredited status. FAMU PD's accreditation is valid for three years. Verification by the team that the FAMU PD meets the Commission's standards is part of a voluntary process to gain or maintain accreditation—a highly prized recognition of professional excellence.



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