University Police are sworn law enforcement officers in accordance with Chapter 943, Florida Statutes. University police shall meet the minimum standards established by the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission and Chapter 943, F.S., and the regulations promulgated thereunder in addition to any other criteria established by state law or these regulations. University police are authorized and empowered to:

(1) Enforce these regulations and to provide for the safety of all persons on University property;

(2) Make arrests, issue citations, and seek the assistance of, and cooperate with, other law enforcement agencies in carrying out their police functions;

(3) Pursue violators off campus to make arrests;

(4) Enforce all State of Florida laws and Lee County, Florida traffic and parking ordinances which are not in conflict or inconsistent with these regulations; and perform any other act authorized by law; and

(5) Employ civilian personnel as Police Service Aides (PSA), Safety Officers (SO) and Parking Enforcement Aides (PEA) who have been trained in the enforcement of this Chapter and are authorized by such training to enforce the provisions thereof.

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