

**PINELLAS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS BUREAU  
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** APRIL 19, 2023

**TO:** DISTRIBUTION

**FROM:** CAPTAIN DEANNA CAREY   
Professional Standards Bureau

**SUBJECT:** SHERIFF'S FINDING

Per Sheriff Gualtieri, Deputy Ryan Mullen, #56051, will receive the following as a result of AI-22-015:

1. Eight (8) hour Suspension to be served on:

April 26, 2023 (8 hours.)

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Sheriff Bob Gualtieri  
Chief Deputy Paul Halle  
Assistant Chief Deputy Dave Danzig  
Assistant Chief Deputy Dennis Komar  
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Purchasing-Uniform Supply  
Deputy Ryan Mullen

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**PINELLAS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** APRIL 17, 2023  
**TO:** DEPUTY RYAN MULLEN #56051  
**FROM:** SHERIFF BOB GUALTIERI  
**SUBJECT:** CHARGES RE: AI-22-015

An investigation has been conducted by the Administrative Investigation Division, Professional Standards Bureau, of the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office. As a result of this investigation, the Administrative Review Board has determined you committed the following violation:

On, but not limited to, June 24, 2022, while off duty in Pinellas County, Florida, you violated the Pinellas County Sheriff's Civil Service Act Laws of Florida, 89-404 as amended by Laws of Florida 08-285, Section 6, Subsection 4, by violating the provisions of law or the rules, regulations, and operating procedures of the Office of the Sheriff.

1. You violated Pinellas County Sheriff's Office General Order 3-1.3, Rule and Regulation 3.3, Knowledge of, and Obedience to, Laws and Rules and Regulations.
2. You violated Pinellas County Sheriff's Office General Order 3-1.3 Rule and Regulation 3.1 Standard of Conduct.

Synopsis: On or about June 14, 2022, while you were off duty at your private residence, you and your girlfriend, who is also a Pinellas County Sheriff's Office member, were involved in a physical altercation. During the altercation, your girlfriend sustained a laceration to her lip and significant bruising on her right cheek and around her eye. Over the next several days, members noticed her injuries and alerted their supervision.

On June 24, 2022, Pinellas County Sheriff's Office patrol deputies were dispatched to the Pinellas County Jail to investigate the injuries sustained by your girlfriend. Her injuries were still visible to the investigating deputies ten days after the altercation occurred. During her interview with deputies, she stated there was an altercation over laundry and she was physical battered by you. As a result of the investigation,

Disciplinary Points and Recommended Discipline Range:

You were found to be in violation of two (2) Level Three Rules and Regulations violation totaling twenty-five (25) points. These points, which were affected by no modified points from previous discipline, resulted in twenty-five (25) progressive discipline points. At this point level, the recommended discipline range is from eight (8) hours Suspension to forty (40) hours Suspension.

Disciplinary action shall be consistent with progressive discipline, for cause in accordance with the provisions of the Pinellas County Civil Service Act.

  
COLONEL PAUL CAREY  
DEPARTMENT OF DETENTION AND CORRECTIONS  
FOR BOB GUALTIERI, SHERIFF

I have received a copy:

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