

NIAGARA FALLS POLICE DEPARTMENT
GENERAL ORDER

EFFECTIVE DATE: 09/23/2013	SUBJECT: HIGH VISIBILITY CLOTHING	Number 318.00 (NYSLEAP O-47-3)
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I. Purpose:

- A. To protect all NFPD officers engaged in traffic control and enforcement operations by making them more visible to motorists.

II. Policy:

- A. Officers who are assigned to a traffic direction detail or checkpoint are required to wear high visibility clothing that meets ANSI 207-2006 standards for color and coverage, both during daylight and after dark.

III. Procedure:

- A. All uniformed officers shall outfitted through the Personnel Officer with a high visibility vest which meets ANSI 207-2006 standards.
- B. It is not required that officers wear the vest during routine traffic stops. However, it can be worn at the officer's discretion or at the direction of a supervisor.
- C. Supervisors shall ensure compliance with this order.