Special Assignments

931.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE
The purpose of this general order is to establish policy regarding special programs and work assignments.

931.2 POLICY
Consistent with the following Memorandums of Understandings (MOU); Redding Peace Officers Association Section 1.7, Redding Police Managers Association Section 3.1 and Services Employees International Union Section 3.1, special assignments are deemed temporary.

Employees assigned to special programs or positions within individual Departmental units serve at the discretion of the Division Commander and the Chief of Police. The length of service will be determined by departmental needs, the efficiency of the employee in the assignment, training expertise in a particular field, and other factors which contribute to the overall effectiveness of the Department.

931.3 PROCEDURE
All assignments will generally be for a minimum two years from the assignment date with the exception of those assignments that require extended specialized training and knowledge. The length of these specialized assignments is also deemed temporary using information described in above in the Special Assignments Policy section.

These assignments include, but are not limited to:

(a) Special Assignments/Programs
   (a) Bomb Unit
   (b) Canine
   (c) Defensive Tactics
   (d) Field Training
   (e) Hostage Negotiators
   (f) ID Technician
   (g) Peer Support
   (h) Rangemaster
   (i) SWAT
   (j) SWAT Tactical Support
   (k) Traffic Accident Investigation Team

(b) Divisional Work Assignments
   (a) Investigations
Special Assignments

(b) School Resource Officer
(c) Traffic Unit
(d) Warrants Technician
(e) Alarm Coordinator
(f) Abandoned Vehicle Abatement
(g) Missing Persons
(h) Vehicle Maintenance Officer
(i) Neighborhood Police Unit
(j) CLETS Technician