

DUNCANVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT GENERAL ORDERS	
SUBJECT: Use of Force, Less than Deadly	GO 1.04
EFFECTIVE DATE: December 31, 2013	APPROVED: Robert D. Brown, Jr. Chief of Police
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I. OBJECTIVES

To assure to continuance of professional, lawful, necessary, and minimal uses of less than deadly force by employees of this department.

II. RULES

- A. No employee shall use non-deadly force except in the performance of his duty when it is necessary.
1. To preserve the peace, prevent commission of offenses, or prevent suicide or self-inflicted injury.
 2. In making lawful arrests and searches, overcoming resistance to such arrests or searches, and preventing escapes from custody.
 3. In self-defense or defense of another against unlawful violence to person or property.
 4. To prevent or interrupt an intrusion on or interference with the lawful possession of property.