



# Santa Clara Police Training Flash



## Rifle Rated Ballistic Shields

Our (x8) rifle rated shields with viewports will be deployed soon (picture 1). Like our compact rifle rated shields (picture 2) and full-size rifle rated shields (picture 3); they are rated to stop certain rifle rounds (contact the Training Unit for more info). A Patrol Supervisor can assign a compact shield to a designated officer on their team. **Please return/store the compact shields in the Lt's Office after every shift.** The full-size shield will now be staged in the Armored Rescue Vehicle.

### **The x8 shields with viewports will be assigned below:**

- (x1) Shield in every Patrol Supervisor Vehicle
- (x2) Shields issued to SRT
- (x1) Shield issued to SET
- (x1) Shield in the Lt's Office (backup)

### **The x4 compact shields will be assigned below:**

- (x1) Shield to a Patrol Officer on each team

### **When deployed in the field:**

- Remove from protective transport bag
- Remove front protective viewport cover
- Verify light is operational

### **When stored in Vehicles, Lt's Office, or Ops Room:**

- Verify light is turned off
- Place on front protective viewport cover
- Place in protective transport bag

### **Warning:**

- Do not place face of the shield on the ground/hard surface because it can scratch/break the viewport or flashlight
- Do not place shield on hot surface (hood of a car) for an extended period because it can cause the shield to degrade

### **Contents in the protective transport bag:**

- Shield with viewport or a compact shield
- Single point adjustable sling with a shield support

Picture 1 (shield with viewports)



Picture 2 (compact shields)



Picture 3 (full-size shields)

