



**City of Santa Barbara**  
Police Department

**Memorandum**

**DATE:** January 12, 2023  
**TO:** Fire and Police Commission  
**FROM:** Joscelyn Martinez, Police Technician  
**SUBJECT:** Allied Universal Security Services –Private Patrol Operator Permit

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Allison Dougherty seeking to register "Allied Universal Security Services." as a Private Patrol Operator in the City of Santa Barbara.

Per Santa Barbara Municipal Code §5.07, applicants must provide a description of vehicles and uniforms to be used, both of which must be distinctively marked and distinguishable from those used by the Santa Barbara Police Department. Applicants must also provide a copy of the applicant's current state license. The applicant provided all required information and documentation.

On 11/22/22 the Police Technician verified that the company's California Private Patrol Operator license is valid. On 11/22/22 a designee of the Chief reviewed the registration materials and signed on behalf of the Police Department verifying that the uniforms and vehicles proposed for use in Santa Barbara are distinct from those used by local law enforcement agencies. It should be noted only the uniform and vehicle style(s) indicated herein have been favorably reviewed for use in the City of Santa Barbara.

The approved uniforms consist of five variations of uniform shirt styles with black pants which can be further explained in the registration review summary. Uniform styles 1, 2 and 4 do not have chest or shoulder badges. Style 3 and 5 have shoulder badges and 1 metal chest badge. Chest badges have the face of an eagle on the top, company name "Allied Universal", company logo and "Security Services" on the bottom. Shoulder badges have company insignia on top, company logo in the middle and "Private Security" diagonally on the side of the logo. All uniforms may wear a black jacket which has the company insignia on the left chest, 2 shoulder badges and "Security" on the back. They will be using a white SUV with the company insignia on both sides of the front door panels and on the back left side of the vehicle. There is also one light bar above the vehicle.

It should be noted uniform style 4 consisting of a dark blue collared polo shirt was disapproved because they were deemed too similar to the Santa Barbara Police Department uniforms. The Santa Barbara Police Department approves uniform style 4 with the condition they add either "Security" or "Private Security" to the back of each shirt which clearly distinguishes them from the Santa Barbara Police Department uniforms.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

The Santa Barbara Police Department recommends approval of the registration for Allied Universal Security Services as private patrol operators with all styles of uniforms and vehicle with the condition uniform style 4 has "Private Security" or "Security" to the back of each shirt.

# PRIVATE PATROL OPERATORS - REGISTRATION REVIEW

Business Name: Allied Universal Security Services

## REVIEW & SUMMARY:

CA State Private Patrol Operator License status as of 11/29/22:  valid  invalid

Proposed Uniforms	Approved?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Style #1:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Shirt Description:</b> Royal blue polo long sleeve shirt. "Security" on the left chest and right arm.</li> <li>○ <b>Badge Description:</b> No badge. Site provided access badge.</li> <li>○ <b>Pants Description:</b> Black pants.</li> <li>○ <b>Additional Comments:</b> Optional black long sleeve with shoulder badge on each side and company insignia on left chest.</li> </ul>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved – distinct from law enforcement  <input type="checkbox"/> Denied - Reason:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Style #2:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Shirt Description:</b> Grey polo shirt with "PayPal Security" on left chest.</li> <li>○ <b>Badge Description:</b> No badge. Site provided access badge.</li> <li>○ <b>Pants Description:</b> Black pants</li> <li>○ <b>Additional Comments:</b> Optional black long sleeve jacket with shoulder badge on each side and company insignia on left chest.</li> </ul>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved – distinct from law enforcement  <input type="checkbox"/> Denied - Reason:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Style #3:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Shirt Description:</b> Blue hard cover button up shirt.</li> <li>○ <b>Badge Description:</b> Gold metal badge on chest with company insignia above the logo and "Security Services" under the logo. The logo is a map of North America. Shoulder badge on each arm with company insignia, "Security Services" and logo below.</li> <li>○ <b>Pants Description:</b> Black pants</li> <li>○ <b>Additional Comments:</b> Optional black long sleeve with shoulder badge on each side and company insignia on left chest.</li> </ul>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved – distinct from law enforcement  <input type="checkbox"/> Denied - Reason:

## SBPD FINDINGS:

- All proposed uniforms are distinct from law enforcement uniforms.
- Some uniform styles are too similar to PD/Sheriff uniforms and may not be used (see above)
- Any/all proposed uniforms are too similar to law enforcement uniforms. Company must submit new uniform options before registration is approved.

Chief's Designee: Name:  Initials: AK Date: 11/29/22

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## REVIEW & SUMMARY:

CA State Private Patrol Operator License status as of 11/29/22:  valid  invalid

Proposed Uniforms	Approved?
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Style #4:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Shirt Description:</b> Dark blue short sleeve polo shirt. Company insignia on the left chest.</li> <li>○ <b>Badge Description:</b> No badge.</li> <li>○ <b>Pants Description:</b> Black pants.</li> <li>○ <b>Additional Comments:</b> Optional black long sleeve with shoulder badge on each side and company insignia on left chest.</li> </ul>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved – distinct from law enforcement</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Denied - Reason: <i>COLOR OF UNIFORM SHIRT IS SIMILAR TO SBPD UNIFORMS. WILL NEED TO ADD "SECURITY" TO BACK TO BE APPROVED.</i></p>
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Style #5:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Shirt Description:</b> Beige hard cover button up shirt.</li> <li>○ <b>Badge Description:</b> Gold metal badge on chest with company insignia above the logo and "Security Services" under the logo. The logo is a map of North America. Shoulder badge on each arm with company insignia, "Security Services" and logo below.</li> <li>○ <b>Pants Description:</b> Black pants.</li> <li>○ <b>Additional Comments:</b> Optional black long sleeve jacket with shoulder badge on each side and company insignia on left chest.</li> </ul>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved – distinct from law enforcement</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Denied - Reason:</p>
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# CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

Finance File #  
**985252**

## PRIVATE PATROL OPERATORS REGISTRATION FORM

Police File #  
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Please print information below, provide requested pictures, and attach a copy of your current Private Patrol Operator's License.

Business Name of Registrant: Universal Protection Service, LP dba Allied Universal Security Services

Business Address of Registrant: 1551 N. Tustin Avenue, Suite #650, Santa Ana, CA 92705  
(include street, city, and zip code)

Owner Name or Contact Person: Allison Dougherty Phone: [REDACTED]

Description of the type of private patrol operation which registrant plans to conduct: PPO 14417  
Contract security services to protect person and/or property and prevent theft

Number of uniformed employees registrant plans on working within the City of Santa Barbara:  
37

Description of employee uniforms, including but not limited to the following information:

- Color of uniform Varies -see attached
- Color and design of badge See attached
- Color, design, and location on the uniform of any distinctive insignia See attached
- **Attach photograph of employee uniforms**

Description of all distinctively marked patrol vehicles to be used in the City of Santa Barbara, including but not limited to the following:

- Color of vehicle Dark Grey Nissan Versa
- Description and location on vehicle of any distinctive insignia BOTH SIDES OF FRONT DOOR PANEL - COMPANY INSIGNIA
- Description and location on vehicle of any emergency lights ON ROOF OF VEHICLE.
- **Attach photograph of patrol vehicle, showing any insignia and/or emergency lights**

Number of distinctively marked patrol vehicles to be used by applicant in the City of Santa Barbara: 1

Allison Dougherty 09/19/2022  
Signature of Registrant Date

[Signature] 11/29/2022  
Signature of Police Department staff Date

City of Santa Barbara Sites	Number of Uniformed Officers	Description of Uniform	Badge	Vehicles	Emergency Lights
Five Points Shopping Center	3	Grey Hard Profile - Military Style	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
Calvary Cemetery	1	Light Blue Hard Profile - Military Style	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
Ralphs #680	2	Grey Hard Profile - Military Style	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
PayPal	7	Grey PayPal Polo	Site Provided Access Badge	None	N/A
Socal Gas SB - Temp	1	Dark Blue Polo	None	None	N/A
Tyto	3	Grey Hard Profile - Military Style	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
Path	4	Light Blue Hard Profile - Military Style	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
Amazon	4	Royal blue Polo	Site Provided Access Badge	None	N/A
█ Clinics					
█ W. Pueblo	1	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
█ W. Pueblo	2	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
█ Pesetas Ln.	2	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
█ Foothill	2	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
Site Supervisor	1	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	Site Provided - Dark Grey Nissan Versa	Internal Lights
█ Hitchcock Way	1	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
█ State Street	1	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A
█ Urgent Care	2	Dark Blue Polo / Light Blue Hard Profile - Military	Gold Plated Allied Universal Badge	None	N/A

# BUSINESS CASUAL STYLE

A more casual style for active corporate environments.

Allied Universal offers our Business Casual uniform solution when comfort is a necessity. Maintain a security identity in warm climates or environments that require high-activity patrols.

- Polo shirt in navy or white
- Khaki-style slacks
- Allied Universal logo embroidered on the chest
- Leather belt





**Royal blue polo**



**Grey Paypal polo**



**Light blue hard cover profile with the option of long sleeve**





**Grey hard profile cover**



**Uniform jacket for all uniforms**



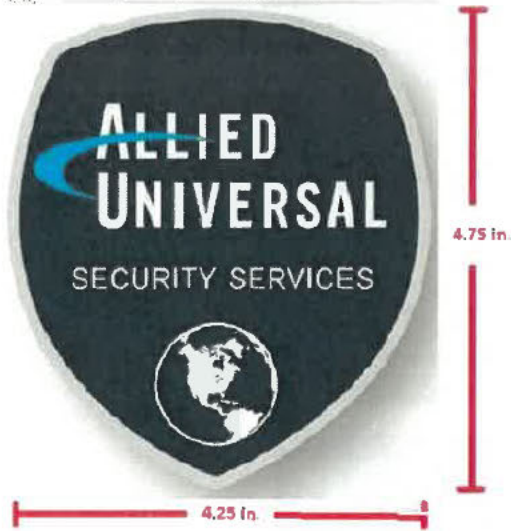
**Shoulder badge on all hard cover uniforms & jacket**



**Stitch badge**



(1) Standard Shoulder Patch



(2) Badge Patch on Left Breast



Dark blue polo

