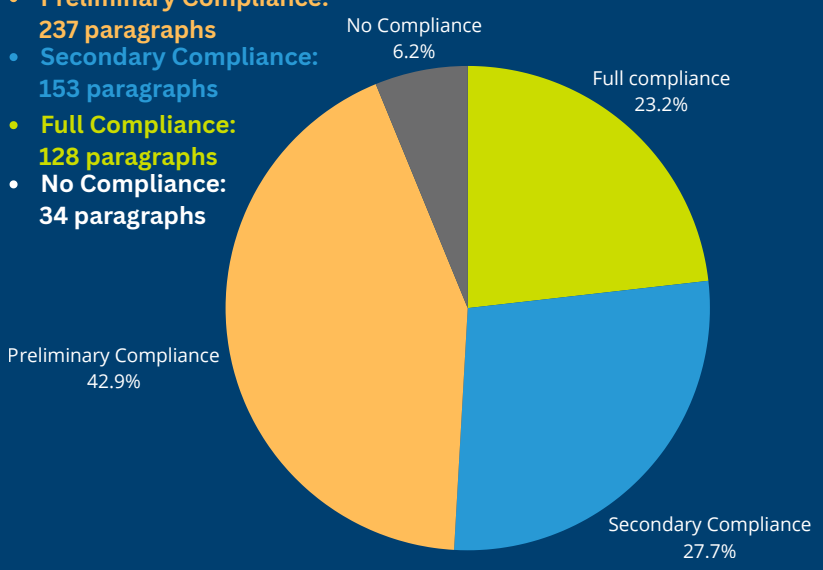
7 Years of the Chicago Consent Decree: Where We Are Now?

- **Preliminary Compliance: 237 paragraphs**
- **Secondary Compliance: 153 paragraphs**
- **Full Compliance: 128 paragraphs**
- **No Compliance: 34 paragraphs**

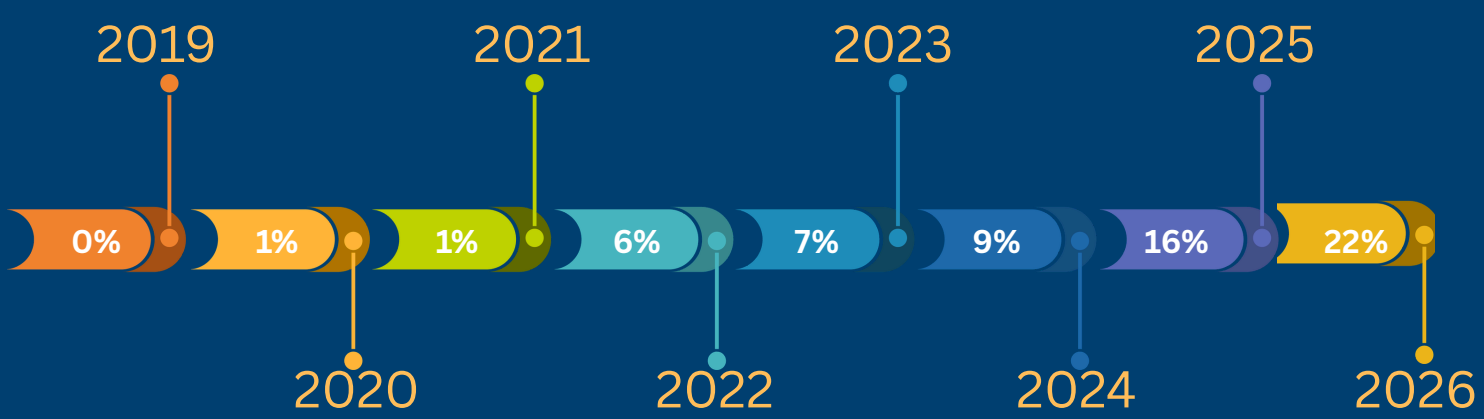


ONLY 23% OF THE CONSENT DECREE IS IN FULL COMPLIANCE.

Meaning most reforms are still at the policy or training stage and are not yet consistently practiced on the street.

Despite movement in overall compliance, progress across most reform areas remains minimal. Additionally, concerning data trends and negative community sentiment raise questions about whether the structural reform mandated by the Decree is translating into meaningful shifts in department culture or officer behavior.

PERCENT OF FULL COMPLIANCE ACHIEVED BY REFORM AREA

Community Policing	9%
Impartial Policing	3%
Crisis Intervention	5%
Use of Force	41%
Recruitment, Hiring, and Promotions	25%
Training	12%
Supervision	0%
Officer Wellness and Support	39%
Accountability and Transparency	31%
Data Collection, Analysis, and Management	14%

PROGRESS TOWARD FULL COMPLIANCE, BY YEAR