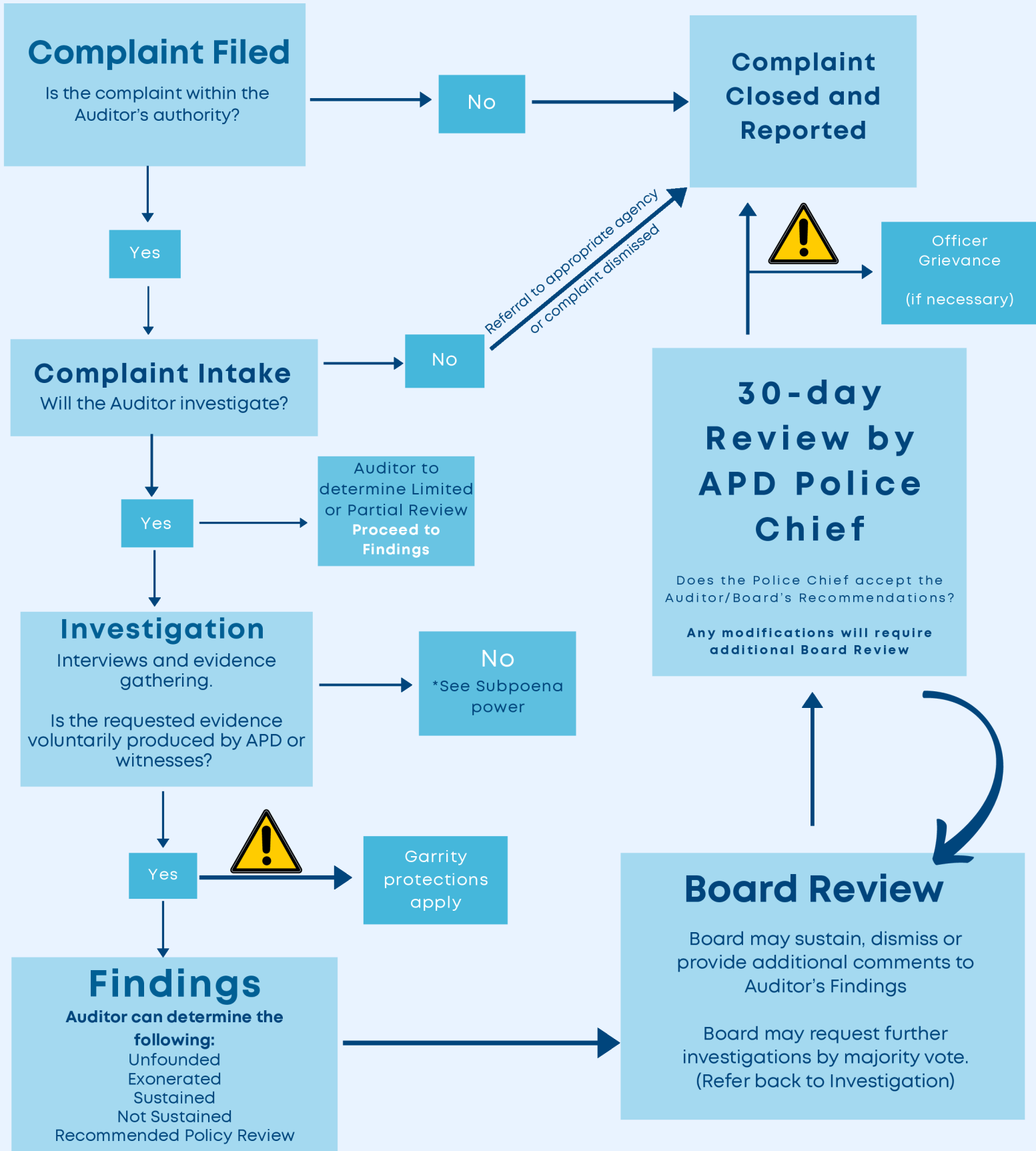




Investigation of Complaints Alleging Police Misconduct

Alexandria Independent Policing Auditor





Subpoena Duces Tecum

Alexandria City Attorney's Office

Auditor, Board & APD comply with Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) establishing civilian oversight access to APD systems, records and tangible evidence. The APD Chief of Police has a duty to compel timely turnover of information and officer attendance.

In some cases, evidence requested from witnesses and APD may not be turned over to AIPA

Auditor will seek outside counsel



Auditor prepares petition and applies to Alexandria Circuit Court for subpoena duces tecum.

APD or witness(es) have the opportunity to file a motion to quash the subpoena.

APD or witness(es) served with subpoena duces tecum

The Auditor would have the opportunity to respond to the motion to quash.

A hearing is held before an Alexandria Circuit Court Judge. The Judge may grant the subpoena if good cause is shown as to its necessity. The Judge may also deny the subpoena if good cause is not shown.

If the subpoena is granted, APD or witness(s) must produce the requested evidence.