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## **Common Collective Bargaining Subjects**

- 1. Wages, salaries and all forms of money compensation (e.g., bonus eligibility, uniform allowances, weapons allowances, monetary award availability and criteria)
- 2. Probationary periods
- 3. Employee classifications within bargaining units (methodology)
- 4. Employee organization dues deduction
- 5. Provisions for work materials and supplies
- 6. Progressive disciplinary policies and discipline generally
- 7. Leave paid and non-paid (e.g., sick leave, vacation, bereavement, leaves of absence, etc.)
- 8. All forms of group insurance health insurance, life insurance, legal services insurance plans, etc.
- 9. Retirement benefits (and relative contributions) to whatever degree not governed by state law )\*\*
- 10. Hours of work regular, overtime assignment
- 11. Scheduling (including emergency and standby/on-call scheduling) and work shift periods
- 12. Transfers
- 13. Matters affecting employee safety & health (including physical working conditions and personal safety and health equipment)\*\*
- 14. Grievance procedures (disciplinary)\*\*
- 15. Grievance procedures or other dispute resolution procedures specific to the bargaining unit (for disputes arising under the collective bargaining agreement as to interpretation/application, and/or under the collective bargaining ordinance)
- 16. Performance standards and performance evaluation procedures
- 17. Lay-offs and reductions-in-force (notice provisions and procedures to be followed)
- 18. Promotions eligibility and processes (particularly for public safety)

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- 19. Job classifications
- 20. Application of seniority within classifications to policy implementation (as to, for example, furloughs, layoffs and reductions-in-force, recall, promotions)
- 21. Effects of employer's exercise of its reserved/exclusive rights
- 22. Procedures applicable to bargaining logistics and contract mechanics (e.g., time to begin/end bargaining, contract approval procedures, contract duration, etc.)
- 23. Work rules
- 24. Work conditions
- 25. Whether work can be contracted out

\*\*Denotes areas of bargaining possibly preempted by state or federal law/regulation either fully or to some extent.