



SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT

CHIEF OF POLICE

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Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C22-010 OPO Number: N/A

Date of Complaint: 3/10/2022

Allegation: Nepotism and Conflicting Relationships

Chain of Command Finding: Closed

Final Discipline: Not Applicable

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS:

A number of SPD employees were discussing internal applicants for a position in a specialty unit. One of the employees remarked that one of the applicants might be involved in an inappropriate relationship with an SPD volunteer.

COMPLAINT:

One of the participants in that conversation alleged the employee in question might be having an inappropriate relationship with an SPD volunteer.

INVESTIGATION:

The investigator interviewed the employee who made the initial remarks.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION:

The investigation concluded there was no basis for the individual making the accusation. They had no specific knowledge of any inappropriate relationship. The employee acknowledged their remarks were inappropriate and without basis.

