



SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT
CHIEF OF POLICE
CRAIG N. MEIDL

Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C22-011 OPO Number: N/A
Date of Complaint: 3/10/2022
Allegation: Policy Violation
Chain of Command Finding: Administratively Suspended
Final Discipline: Document of Counseling

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS:

An SPD employee said that another employee was having an inappropriate relationship with a volunteer in front of other employees. Those comments prompted an investigation into the alleged inappropriate relationship. The allegation as proven to be false and without merit.

COMPLAINT:

An SPD employee made a malicious statement about another employee without any factual basis.

INVESTIGATION:

The investigator interviewed the employee who made the statement.

ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION:

The investigation concluded the employee was summing up some unverified rumors that they had heard. There was no factual basis to those rumors and no basis for the employee to make this statement.

