



**SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
**CHIEF OF POLICE**  
**CRAIG N. MEIDL**

## Closed Case Summary

Complaint Number: C23-065 OPO Number: N/A  
Date of Complaint: 9/18/2023  
Allegation: Demeanor  
Chain of Command Finding: Administratively Suspended  
Final Discipline: Verbal Counseling

### INCIDENT SYNOPSIS:

The complainant contacted SPD about the behavior of an officer who was on a call in his neighborhood. The complainant believed the officer was rude when asked about the situation. The complainant felt the officer could have been more forthcoming about why law enforcement was in his neighborhood.

### COMPLAINT:

The complainant was concerned about the officer's demeanor.

### INVESTIGATION:

The Spokane Police Department Internal Affairs did a thorough investigation into the allegation. The I.A. investigator reviewed the CAD all pertinent material related to the incident, too include body worn cameras from the officers who were present when the complainant spoke with the officer.

### ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION:

After a thorough review of all materials pertinent to the complainant's allegation, a minor issue was recognized and sent to the officer's supervisor for informal follow-up.

