

# SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT CHIEF OF POLICE KEVIN HALL

# **Closed Case Summary**

Complaint Number: C25-051 OPO Number: N/A

Date of Complaint: 5/12/2024

Allegation: Demeanor, Property Damage and Policy Violation

Chain of Command Finding: Closed

Final Discipline: Verbal Counseling

## **INCIDENT SYNOPSIS:**

SPD officers attempted to conduct a traffic stop on a juvenile driver. The driver failed to stop and went to his residence. Officers detained the driver, then arrested the driver for a criminal traffic violation.

# COMPLAINT:

The complainant alleged the officers were rude in their demeanor and failed to advise the driver of his constitutional rights.

## **INVESTIGATION:**

The investigator reviewed officers' body worn camera video and civilian recorded video. The investigator contacted the complainant for follow up. The investigator reviewed officers' written reports.

## ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSION:

The investigation concluded some of the involved officers' demeanor was inappropriate. The investigation also concluded the arresting officers did not advise the driver of his constitutional rights, as required by policy. The officers' supervisor conducted corrective verbal counseling with them.

