



SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

CHIEF OF POLICE

CRAIG N. MEIDL

Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number: F17-026
Incident Number: 2017-20065574
Date of Incident: 4/12/2017
Chain of Command Finding: In Compliance with Policy

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers responded to a Trespass call at the Intermodal station. Security guards had trespassed the male from the station and he had threatened to fight security. Officers confronted the man and told him he was under arrest. The man resisted commands to show his hands. An officer attempted to take arm control of the suspect but the man pushed past him and ran for the stairs. He tried to grab onto his shirt but the suspect pushed him. The officer performed a Takedown Technique to get into position for prone handcuffing. Two other officers attempted to roll him over for handcuffing. The suspect resisted, pushing and kicking. The first officer deployed two knee strikes and warned the suspect he would use his TASER if he did not place his hands behind his back. Officers were then able to handcuff him. The suspect was booked into jail for Criminal Trespass and Resisting Arrest.

