

SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION CHIEF OF POLICE CRAIG N. MEIDL

Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number:	F17-045
Incident Number:	2017-20100410
Date of Incident:	6/29/2017
Chain of Command Finding:	In Compliance with Policy

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers responded to a Person with a Weapon call. The caller reported that the suspect had put a gun in his mouth, had pointed it at her house, and was now pointing it at cars driving past. A plainclothes detective arrived on scene and advised responding officers that the suspect had a gun and was tracking vehicles as they drove past. One officer contacted the male, and intentionally pointed his weapon at the suspect while giving him commands. The suspect complied and officers detained him. The gun was determined to be a toy, resembling a small caliber semi-automatic. The suspect was determined to be a runaway teen. The guardian responded to the scene to take the teen back to the facility.

