



SPOKANE POLICE DIVISION

CHIEF OF POLICE

CRAIG N. MEIDL

Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number: F19-072
Incident Number: 2019-20160295
Date of Incident: 8/24/2019
Chain of Command Finding: In Compliance with Policy

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers were on foot patrol downtown for a “bar patrol” special enforcement when they observed a large fight outside a bar. An officer saw bar staff breaking up the fight and observed the suspect assault one of the staff members by punching him in the side of the head. The officer deployed his TASER to take the suspect into custody. The TASER was effective and the male fell to the ground. Officers placed him in handcuffs. Medics removed TASER probes and officers transported the suspect to jail. He was booked for Malicious Mischief, Disorderly Conduct, and both misdemeanor and felony Assault charges.

