



# SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT

## CHIEF OF POLICE

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## Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number: F21-035

Incident Number: 2021-20133275

Date of Incident 8/6/2021

Chain of Command Finding: In Compliance with Policy

### INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers responded to a Disorderly call. A male was reportedly threatening customers and employees at a gas station. Officers observed him arguing with one individual and taking his shirt off. Officers spoke with the subject for several minutes to gather information and gain compliance. The man refused to exit the bed of his pickup after being advised that he was under arrest for disorderly conduct. A team of officers tried to gather control of the subject, who twisted at the waist and attempted to free himself from their attempts at arm control. The subject bit an officer's hand, causing him to transition to a hair hold to control the subject's head. The man's face contacted the bed liner of the pickup as he struggled during handcuffing and he sustained a bloody lip. Medics evaluated the male. He was booked into jail for Assault, Disorderly Conduct, and Resisting Arrest.

