



SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT

CHIEF OF POLICE

CRAIG N. MEIDL

Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number: K22-008

Incident Number: 2022-20046578

Date of Incident: 3/20/2022

Chain of Command Finding: In Compliance with Policy

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers responded to a Domestic Violence call. They developed probable cause to arrest the suspect for 4th Assault-Domestic Violence and Resisting Arrest. The suspect remained sequestered in a trailer. Officers made announcements over the public address system that the suspect was under arrest and needed to come out, but the suspect refused to comply. Police attempted de-escalation attempts for several hours without success. Officers obtained a search warrant and breached the residence. A K9 handler made several announcements about the use of a police dog, and then utilized his K9 to search ahead of police. The K9 located and contacted the suspect, allowing police to take him into custody. The suspect was transported to the hospital for treatment. He was booked into jail for 4th Degree Assault (DV) and Resisting Arrest.

