



SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT

INTERIM CHIEF OF POLICE

JUSTIN C. LUNDGREN

Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number: F23-072
Incident Number: 2023-20252788
Date of Incident: 12/25/2023
Chain of Command Finding: In Compliance with Policy

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers responded to a Burglary call. The caller reported that a man entered her home with a gun. The suspects were reported to have discharged a firearm. When officers arrived on location, several suspects ran to a stolen vehicle. Officers gave commands, but the suspects did not comply or surrender. Officers pinned the suspect vehicle in; however, the driver repeatedly tried to drive out of the pin. Officers eventually were able to remove the driver from the vehicle and take him into custody. During the arrest, the suspect was assaultive. An officer delivered approximately two knee strikes to the suspect's left torso during the struggle. The suspect was booked into jail for a felony warrant and charges of Possession of a Stolen Motor Vehicle, 2nd Degree Malicious Mischief, and Attempting to Elude.

