

SPOKANE POLICE DEPARTMENT

INTERIM CHIEF OF POLICE JUSTIN C. LUNDGREN

Closed Use of Force Summary

Tracking Number: F24-014

Incident Number: 2024-20036087

Date of Incident: 2/25/2024

Chain of Command Finding: In compliance with policy

INCIDENT SYNOPSIS

Officers responded to a Person with a Weapon call. The complainant had stated that the suspect had cocked a handgun and pointed it at him and his girlfriend. Officers arrived on scene and located the vehicle in a restaurant drive through lane. The driver jumped the curb onto the grass. An officer observed the passenger holding up his arm as if he was holding a weapon and point it towards another officer. The officer immediately struck the vehicle in the left rear quarter panel. The suspect attempted to flee, driving backwards, but he was eventually forced to stop by officers. The occupants refused to exit the vehicle or follow commands. While giving commands, two officers intentionally pointed their firearms at the suspects. The suspects were eventually taken into custody. The driver was booked into jail for 1st Degree Assault, Attempt to Elude, Vehicle DUI Drugs, Reckless Endangerment, 2nd Degree Malicious Mischief, and a felony warrant.

