



TO: Elizabeth Pauli
City Manager

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DATE: June 21, 2021

SUBJECT: INTERNAL AFFAIRS INVESTIGATION UPDATE #3

The following information identifies key points for the week of June 14, in reference to the Internal Affairs Investigation regarding Manuel Ellis. To date, we have received a large amount of investigative material from the Pierce County Sheriff's Department and the Washington State Patrol. Most of the work during this time period consisted of investigators organizing, reviewing, and beginning to summarize the documents contained in these two investigations

Below are specific details for the dates Monday, June 14, 2021 through Friday, June 18, 2021:

- The Washington State Attorney General's Office has assigned a paralegal to begin collating and transferring their investigative material to Tacoma Police Internal Affairs.
- Tacoma Police Internal Affairs submitted a public disclosure request to the Pierce County Medical Examiner's Office for records pertaining to this investigation.
- Additional requests were made to the Pierce County Sheriff's Department for missing documents.

Please let me know if you would like additional details.