

City of Tacoma - Police Department

Memorandum

TO:

Elizabeth Pauli

City Manager

FROM:

Michael A. Ake Interim Chief of Police

DATE:

July 13, 2021

SUBJECT: INTERNAL AFFAIRS INVESTIGATION UPDATE #6

The following information identifies key points for July 5, through July 13, 2021, in reference to the Internal Affairs Investigation regarding Manuel Ellis. Subsequent to the review of the current investigative material, Internal Affairs has begun preparation and scheduling for witness interviews.

Specific details are below for the dates Monday, July 5, 2021 through Friday, July 13, 2021:

- The Washington State Attorney General's Office advised that completing our request for documents is taking longer than expected but did not provide a date when we would begin receiving information.
- It is our belief that we have received all of the documents that the following agencies are willing to provide to us; the Medical Examiners Officer, Pierce County Sheriff's Office and the Washington State Patrol.

Please let me know if you would like additional details.

To create a safe and secure environment in which to live, work, and visit by working together with the community, enforcing the law in a fair and impartial manner, preserving the peace and order in our neighborhoods, and safeguarding our constitutional guarantees.