# Marysville Police Department Use of force Report

Incident Details		Incident Location	
Date Received	08/28/2022	Location of Occurrence Marysville	
Entered By	Police Officer David Taylor - 0182	5320 92nd Street Northeast Marysville, WA, 98270 -122.15845, 48.07847	
Date/Time of Occurrence	08/28/2022 05:59	<b>† 5</b>	73r
Date/Time Entered	08/28/2022 12:27	The Church of Jesus Christ of 92nd Pl NE Latter-day Saints	•
Record ID Number	2236	91st Pl NE	
Case No IA No	2022-00041068	91st St NE	
Marysville PD BlueTeam Assigned Investigator	22UOF-036 [Pending assignment]	()mepbers	
IAPro Assigned Investigator	Police Commander Brad Akau		

### **Incident Summary**

Yesterday Jacob Hollenbeck attempted suicide. Jacob was involuntarily committed to Providence Hospital for the suicide attempt. Less than 12 hours later Jacob was back at his residence. Jacob threaten his wife with a knife. When Officers arrived Jacob barricaded himself in his truck in the front yard.

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Reviewed by Police Commander Bradley G Akau [0029] on Sep 29, 2022 at 12:41

Decision:

**Reviewer comment:** 

Within policy

Sep 29, 2022 12:41: Sent from Police Commander Bradley G Akau [0029] to Lawless, James Assistant Police Chief [0191]

Instructions:

for your review

Reviewed by Assistant Police Chief James Lawless [0191] on Oct 12, 2022 at 11:47

Decision:

Reviewer comment:

### UOF within policy, no further action. Use of Force Details

More Than 1 Citizen Involved	No	Reason For Using Force	Passive Resistance
Citizen Arrested	No	Distance to Citizen	19 feet to 21 feet
Officer(s) Injured	No	Citizen Injured	No
Officer(s) Taken to Hospital	No	Citizen Taken to Hospital	Νο
Service Being Rendered	Dispatched Call	Citizen Bulld	Medium
Weather Condition	Clear	Citizen Height	5'7" to 5'9"
Light Condition	Day	Citizen Influence Assessment	Unknown Drugs
Reporting/Involved Citizen			
Jacob Hollenbeck			

Date of Birth	05/02/1981	Gender	Male
Race	White	Ethnicity	Non-Hispanic
Role	_		
Address	5320 92nd Street Northeast Marysville, WA, 98270	Phone Numbers	[None Entered]

Type of ResistancePassive ResistantCitizen Used AgainstAssaultiveOfficerAssaultive

Injuries Sustained By Citizen

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**Involved Officers** 

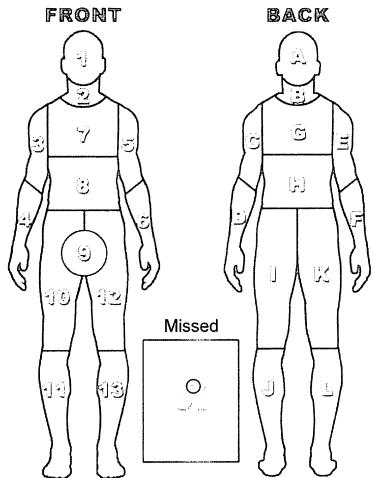
Police Corporal Keegan Stuver - 0173

Assignment Police Officer Patrol Operations/Patrol/A Nights at time of incident

Role

Force used by this Officer against Citizen

• 40 mm - Force Effective: Yes --- Points: 1



Injuries Sustained By Officer

No injuries noted or visible — Points:

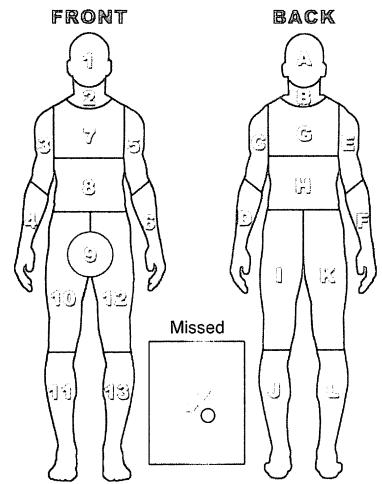
Police Officer David Taylor - 0182

Assignment Police Officer Patrol Operations/Patrol/B Nights at time of incident

Role

Force used by this Officer against Citizen

• OC/Chemical - Force Effective: Yes --- Points: 1



Injuries Sustained By Officer

No injuries noted or visible — Points:

### **Officer Witnesses**

Police Corporal David McKenna - 0160

Assignment at time Police Officer of incident Patrol Operations/Patrol/A Days Role

### Sergeant Matthew Goolsby - 0066

Assignment at time of incident	Sergeant Patrol
	Operations/Patrol/A
	Days/Supervisor

Role

### Police Officer Seiya Kitchens - 0181

Assignment at time of incident	Police Officer	
	Patrol	
	Operations/Patrol/B	
	Days	
or incident	Operations/Patrol/B	

Role

# Police Officer Taralee San Miguel - 0184

Assignment at time of incident	Police Officer	
	Patrol	
	Operations/Patrol/A	
	Days	

Role

### Police Officer David Adams - 0159

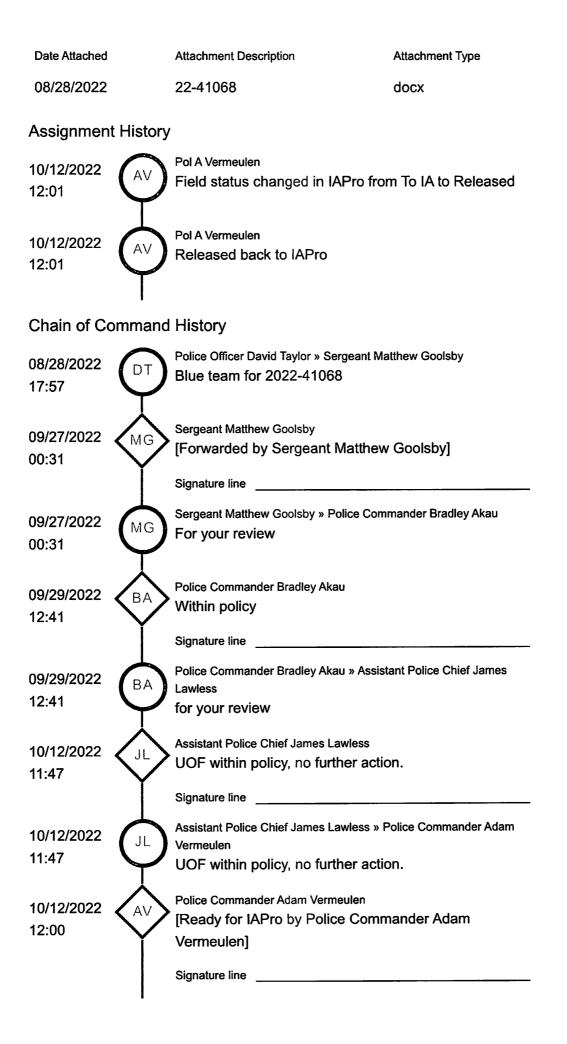
Assignment at time of incident	Police Officer	
	Patrol	
	Operations/Patrol/A	
	Days	

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Role

### Attachments

Date Attached	Attachment Description	Attachment Type
08/28/2022	2022-00041068	doc
08/28/2022	41068DVW	docx
08/28/2022	22-41068	docx



# Assigned Investigator Signature Line

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[Pending assignment]

### Case #: 2022-00041068

**Officer Assignment:** I, David Taylor am a commissioned police officer in the State of Washington and employed by the City of Marysville. On this date and time I was assigned as 8D4 with the Marysville Police Department. During the incident I was wearing my clearly identified police uniform and vest with patches on. I was also driving a fully marked police vehicle.

## During this incident I did not have my Body Worn Camera on.

**Officer Action**: I was dispatched to a report of a domestic violence with a weapon call at 5320 92<sup>nd</sup> St Ne Marysville Wa. The reporting party calling it in was a Matthew Lundberg. Matthew stated that he got a phone call from the victim who was identified as Courtney Carmack. Matthew stated he could hear in argument between Courtney and the suspect who was identified as Jacob Hollenbeck. Matthew stated that he heard Jacob state that he was going to stab Courtney.

When I arrived Officer San Miguel informed me that yesterday 08/27/2022 Jacob was involuntarily committed to Providence for a suicide attempt. Officer San Miguel stated that Jacob told her that he wanted to kill himself before he killed Courtney.

While Officers were coming up with a plan of action I could hear the couple arguing in the front yard. I could not see Courtney or Jacob because they were in between their vehicles. As we approached the couple saw us so Courtney separated from Jacob and went into the house and Jacob jumped into to his truck.

A Snohomish County Deputy blocked Jacob's truck in his driveway and placed spikes behind Jacob's truck. I heard Officer San Miguel try to communicate with Jacob on the phone but Jacob was not complying. Courtney stated that Jacob still had the knife with him when he got in the truck. Jacob started the truck and at the time to try and keep the situation from escalating Officer Stuver deployed a 40mm less lethal round into the back window. This gave us a visual into the heavily tinted windows of the truck. When Jacob still did not comply I deployed several pepper ball rounds into the vehicle to encourage Jacob to get out of the truck. After several minutes and multiple attempts to get Jacob to comply and step out of the vehicle I deployed more pepper ball rounds into the vehicle. After a few moments Officer San Miguel was able to contact Jacob on the phone again and he complied and stepped out of the vehicle. Jacob was taken into custody. Jacob was treated by the Marysville Fire Department for the pepper ball exposure. I took no other police action.

### End Report.

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David Taylor

08/28/2022

Officer D. Taylor MP0182

Marysville, Washington

## Date: 8/28/22 Location: 5320 92<sup>nd</sup> ST NE, Marysville WA

**Report Type: Supplemental** 

#### Case #: MP2022-00041068

**Officer Assignment:** I Officer Stuver was assigned to the Marysville Police Department Patrol Division on the above date and time. My assignment on this day was as the 8N2 covering the 2 beat. I was wearing the standard Marysville Police Department patrol uniform and driving a fully marked Marysville Police Department patrol car equipped with emergency lights, siren and decals. I was equipped with a Axon Body Worn Camera, footage will be subsequently uploaded to Axon Evidence.

### **Officer Action:**

On August 28<sup>th</sup> 2022 at about 0600 hours I responded to a domestic violence with a weapon call at 5320 92<sup>nd</sup> ST NE in Marysville WA. Dispatch advised that the subject had threatened to stab his wife, and that if PD came to the location he would stab his wife. Dispatch identified the 'subject' as Jacob HOLLENBECK (DOB 5/2/81). Officers decided on a staging location south of the incident. A preliminary arrest team was formed at the staging location and I armed myself with the 40mm less lethal Exact Impact tool. I am certified by the Marysville Police Department to operate, carry, and deploy this tool. This tool is designed to fire a 40mm sponge nosed Exact Impact Round. I was clearly identified as carrying a 'less lethal' form of equipment.

Officer began moving toward the residence as Ofc. TJ San Miguel placed a phone call inside the home. As officers arrived at the homes to the east of the incident location, I could hear both a male and female yelling from west down the street toward the subject home. As officers began to approach a female ran away from the male, and the male (later confirmed to be HOLLENBECK) ran into the white pickup in the driveway. Ofc. Wallin of the Snohomish County Sheriff's Officer drove his patrol vehicle directly behind the suspects white truck to block his point of egress. The arrest team moved up to the driveway where we remained a visual of the truck as Ofc. San Miguel began to speak with the wife. At this time Jacob refused to exit the vehicle. Officers had very limited visual inside of the truck as the windows were heavily tinted.

Ofc. San Miguel exited the residence where she confirmed that there was probable cause to arrest HOLLENBECK for Assault 2 DV. Ofc. San Miguel also advised that HOLLENBECK is armed with a kitchen knife. Ofc. San Miguel once more attempted a call into HOLLENBECK. HOLLENBECK still refused to exit the vehicle and made mention to Ofc. San Miguel that his vehicle was full of weapons and that he was considering running. The arrest team decided that

if the vehicle were to start a 40mm round would be deployed to the back window to create a hole, and that pepper ball would be subsequently deployed into the vehicle. At this point police held probable cause for Assault 2 DV, any attempts to drive off in the vehicle would likely result in a vehicle pursuit. If pepper ball would be successful in removing the male from the vehicle it would limit the danger to the subject, the officers involved, and the general public by preventing the male from fleeing in a motor vehicle.

The verbal communication with HOLLENBECK broke down and he then started the engine of the truck. At this time I positioned myself where I was at a diagonal angle from the rear driver's side of the truck. At this point my angle of deployment would be offset from the driver's seat that HOLLENBECK was confirmed to be seated in. I deployed the 40mm Exact Impact round into the rear window of the vehicle toward the passenger side of the vehicle. My intention was to create a hole in the back window without risking impact to HOLLENBECK. The first round created a small hole in the back window. I deployed a second 40mm Exact Impact round in the same manner as the first which created a slightly larger hole in the rear window. Officer Taylor began deploying pepper ball into the rear window of the vehicle. I reloaded the 40mm tool confirming with officers on scene that the round was in fact a less lethal round.

Verbal commands were reestablished with HOLLEBECK via cell phone. HOLLEBECK agreed to exit the vehicle where he was subsequently taken into custody without further incident.

It should be noted that verbal communication began with HOLLENBECK at about 0617, HOLLENBECK was not taken into custody until 0647 hours. Officers exhausted verbal communication attempts with HOLLENBECK who then elected to start the engine of his vehicle after mention that he was considering running from the police. Less lethal tools were deployed to effect HOLLENBECK's lawful arrest while preventing him from causing further danger to society by becoming mobile in a pickup truck.

Furthermore, it shall be noted that HOLLENBECK was not struck with either deployed 40mm Exact Impact Round, as my intention with the tool were to break the window. HOLLENBECK was taken into custody with only minor and temporary irritation as a result of the pepper ball deployment. Both officers and HOLLENBECK avoided serious injury due to the successful deployment of both the 40mm Exact Impact round, as well as the pepper ball. Consequentially, officers used a combination of time, cover, verbal communication, and less lethal tools to effect a lawful arrest while protecting public safety.

HOLLENBECK was transported by Ofc. Adams to the Marysville Jail for booking, I followed in my patrol vehicle. HOLLENBECK was received by custody staff without incident. This concluded my involvement. End of Report.

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*Officer Stuver Badge #0173 Marysville Police Department Date 8/28/22* 

### Marysville Police Department Sgt. M. Goolsby Report

Date: 08/28/2022 Report Type: Assault 2<sup>nd</sup> DV/Threats to Kill Case #: 2022-00041068

Officer Assignment: I, Sgt. M. Goolsby #0066, am a commissioned police officer in the State of Washington, County of Snohomish and employed by the City of Marysville. On the above date and time, my assignment was as a day shift patrol supervisor. I was wearing an authorized Marysville Police Department patrol uniform complete with shoulder patches and badge. I was driving in a fully marked Marysville Police Department patrol vehicle equipped with emergency lights, siren, and decals.

At the time of this incident, I was wearing my department issued Axon Body Worn Camera (BWC) (#X60A3315P). Video from this incident was later uploaded to Evidence. Com.

**Officer Action:** On 08/28/2022 at approximately 0600 hours, I responded to a Domestic Violence compliant with a weapon. The information given was that the subject had threatened to stab his wife.

I was familiar with the reported address of 5320 92<sup>nd</sup> St NE from a previous suicide call that occurred yesterday. On that call, a subject named Jacob Hollenbeck (DOB: 05/02/81) had attempted to hang himself. This was unsuccessful only due to one of his close friends intervening. His friend found him at the residence with a homemade noose around his neck and his hands tied behind his back. The friend named Matt Lundberg was interviewed. Lundberg stated that he found Hollenbeck unconscious. Lundberg untied the noose which allowed Jacob to clear his air way and he gasped gaining consciousness'.

Lundberg left the residence before police and fire arrived. Police located Hollenbeck in his white pickup truck a few block away from his residence. Police followed Hollenbeck finally contacted him in the parking lot of Fred Meyers. After about 15 minutes of officers trying to convince him to exit his vehicle. Hollenbeck was transported by aide to Providence Hospital for an involuntary commit. The reason Hollenbeck gave for his behavior was that he discovered his wife was having some sort of affair and he was both angry and depressed. I expressed wanting to hurt her, the other guy and himself.

Lundberg arrived on scene with a female who was identified to be Hollenbeck's girlfriend. She took possession of Hollenbeck's vehicle. Lundberg provided police with information that Hollenbeck was diagnosed bi-polar and possible schizophrenic. He has used drugs in the past and relapsed recently.

Hollenbeck was released from Providence Hospital this morning.

On today's date, officer staged on 88<sup>th</sup> St and 55<sup>th</sup> Ave creating an arrest team and tactical plan, roles were assigned as follows. Officer Stuver was carrying the 40 mm Less Lethal and Officer Taylor was carrying the Pepper ball. Officers Kitchens and McKenna were their lethal cover officers. Officer TJ San Miguel would be the communication officer and I would assist with going hands on.

Officers approached on the south side of 92<sup>nd</sup> Street. Officer San Miguel was in communication with the RP gathering more information.

As we moved closer to the residence you could hear both a female and male voice arguing. The voices were coming from in front of the residence which was at least two houses away from our position.

I observed a female and male standing in-between two vehicles. The female subject ran back in the residence and the male subject got into a heavily tinted white pickup truck. I recognized the truck from yesterday. I advised over the radio that the male subject was getting into the truck. A Snohomish County unit arrived on scene and positioned his vehicle behind Hollenbeck's vehicle preventing him from backing out of the driveway. A set of spike strips were also deployed to prevent any potential pursuit.

Officer San Miguel contacted the female subject as other officers attempted to get Hollenbeck to exit the vehicle. Officer San Miguel advised that there was probable cause for Assault 2 DV and that he had a kitchen knife on him.

Officer San Miguel contacted Hollenbeck via phone and was told by Hollenbeck that he had a weapons in the car and that he was going to run for it. A Marysville patrol unit was called into position so officer could be provided distance and cover. There were numerous commands given to Hollenbeck to exit the vehicle and that he was under arrest for Assault 2 DV.

Attempts to have Hollenbeck exit the vehicle were unsuccessful. At about this time the truck lights came on and truck engine started. Officer Stuver deployed the 40 mm soft sponge round at the back window and pepper balls rounds were shot into the vehicle with a target area of the passenger side.

After the volleys of pepper balls, Hollenbeck was hailed again over the loud speaker to give him the opportunity to exit the vehicle. He was advised that he was under arrest for Assault 2 and to exit the vehicle. Communications with Officer San Miguel and Hollenbeck had ceased. Another round of pepper balls were deployed into the vehicle.

Officer San Miguel was able to reestablished communication with Hollenbeck to the point where he agreed to exit the vehicle.

Hollenbeck exited the vehicle with nothing visible in his hands. His eyes were closed presumably from the effects of the pepper balls. He was ordered into a position where he could be taken in to custody safely.

Marysville Fire/ Aide crew was on scene to check for any possible injuries to both Hollenbeck and any officers from the exposure. When asked Hollenbeck did not complain of any injuries other that the irritation to his eyes.

Hollenbeck was later transported to the Marysville Jail. The pickup truck was taken for an evidence search warrant.

I then cleared the scene.

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Sgt. Matthew Goolsby #0066 Marysville Police Department 08/28/2022

# Marysville Police Department

# **Officer TJ San Miguel**

Case:2022-00041068Date:28 August 2022Time:0559 hoursLocation:5320 92nd ST NEIncident:Aslt 2 DV

\*\*At the time of this incident, I was equipped with an Axon Body Worn Camera (BWC). My camera was operational and captured this event. The footage was subsequently uploaded to evidence.com\*\*

On the listed date and time, I was working as a Marysville Police Officer. I was driving a marked Marysville Police Department vehicle and also wearing a uniform in accordance with department policy.

Matthew Lundberg called 911 to report an active domestic violence disturbance at the above location. Matthew was not on-scene, but was on the phone with one of the involved parties as the disturbance was occurring. Matthew is a mutual friend. Officers are familiar with the parties after a suicide attempt and involuntary commitment the previous day (MPD 22-00040974) in which this officer handled. Jacob is bi-polar and likely undiagnosed paranoid schizophrenic.

While Matthew was on the phone with victim Courtney Carmack, Matthew heard suspect Jacob Hollenbeck threaten to stab Courtney. Jacob was aware that Courtney was on the phone with Matthew, and said out loud that if the police or Matthew came to his house, he would stab Courtney. This led Matthew to call 911 on Courtney's behalf.

Jacob and Courtney have been together for over 11 years, though not married they live together and have a 6-year-old daughter in common. Reference yesterday's incident, Matthew called 911 when he found Jacob hanging from a noose with his hands tied behind his back in his garage. Jacob was not conscious, Matthew was able to lift him and free him from the rope. Jacob fled the residence in his vehicle and officers were eventually able to get to stop his vehicle and speak with us. During my conversation

with Jacob at the time, he told me that he attempted to kill himself because he was afraid he would hurt his wife and that he wanted to kill the man he believed she was cheating on him with. Marysville Fire transported Jacob to Providence on an involuntary commitment. I called ahead and spoke to a nurse named Sabrina to give the hospital background on Jacob while he was en route, and then faxed a lengthy report to the hospital an hour later.

Courtney was woken up this morning at about 0500 hours and was surprised to learn that Jacob was home already after his suicide attempt and involuntary commitment. She heard the garage open and her dog barking. She was not advised, nor was Matthew, that Jacob would be released from the hospital and she did not know how he arrived at home. Courtney stated that Jacob was immediately agitated with her and she believed that he was smoking "blues" a counterfeit Percocet pill sold on the street often containing Fentanyl. Courtney called Matthew, advising him that Jacob was out of the hospital, at home and angry with her. The two called each other back and forth a few times, including trying to call the hospital, to see if they could come up with a plan for Jacob as he was still displaying similar behavior that led up to the previous days incident. Courtney was able to lock Jacob out of the house, but then let him it when it appeared he was going to break the window to come back in.

Courtney was not sure of the exact sequence of events when I interviewed her, but believed that at this point Jacob pushed her up against a wall and tried to take the phone away from her, again focused on his belief that she was cheating on him. Jacob then proceeded to obtain a knife from the kitchen, held it in his hand within lunge range of Courtney and told her that he would stab her, and further if the police or Matthew came to the house he would stab her.

Officers arrived in the area quickly and formulated a tactical plan. Once close enough to the location, we could hear a verbal disturbance outside in the driveway. I called Matthew on the phone to verify the information he provided 911. Matthew was out of breath and sounded like he was crying in a panic. I verified that he did hear Jacob threaten to stab Courtney and that he heard the disturbance in the background.

Officers moved up to the location and attempted to separate Courtney from Jacob. Courtney walked away from Jacob and went inside the house, I called out to Jacob but he got into his vehicle instead. Jacob's car was a white Chevy Silverado with heavily tinted windows. The inside of the vehicle was not visible due to this tinting. After officers formulated their arrest plan of Jacob, I went into the home to interview Courtney.

Courtney was visibly shaken up and afraid. Courtney explained the events to me, establishing probable cause for Assault 2<sup>nd</sup> DV. Given my personal knowledge of Jacob's state of mind and his admission that he was afraid he would hurt Courtney, I believed that Jacob was more than capable and willing to carrying out this assault with a knife on Courtney.

I spoke with Jacob on the phone on and off for about 25 minutes in an attempt to gain voluntary compliance and safely take him into custody without force. My initial call with Jacob appeared to go well, I reminded him that I was the officer he was with yesterday when he was involuntary committed. Given the time I spent with him then, it appeared I had a rapport with him. He acknowledged this, but also began to speak in a way consistent with the desire to entice officers into a deadly force encounter, commonly referred to as suicide by cop. I made sure officers on scene were aware of this, and that our less lethal plan and arrest plan accounted for this suicidal statement.

Jake eventually started the vehicle up, and the brake lights turned on. I was aware that spikes had been placed under the vehicle by a Snohomish County Deputy on scene. Officers deployed 40mm rounds into the back window of the truck in a trajectory that would create a hole in the window but not impact Jacob within the vehicle. This created a hole for officers to deploy pepperball rounds in the vehicle.

This tactic gave officers the time and distance to work behind the shielding of cover to continue to negotiate with Jacob. Jacob took a significant step towards leaving in his vehicle by turning the vehicle on, and by immediately deploying less lethal pepperball rounds, officers were able to gain an advantage over Jacob and any plan that he may have been developing. Additionally, this very likely prevented the potential of a pursuit, which would have caused significant property damage and a danger to the community. Further, I believed that Jacob could very likely attempted to kill himself using his vehicle as a mechanism for that.

This tactic appeared to be effective, I called Jacob back on the phone and he picked up. I could tell that he was having difficulty speaking. I once again used my rapport with him, telling him if he stepped out of the car he would hear only me talking with him and that I would put him in handcuffs. Jacob complied. He stepped out and it was clear he was impacted by the pepper and could not see. When I originally spoke with Jacob prior to the pepperball deployment, I asked him to come outside and get down on his knees and have no weapons on him. Jacob defaulted to this when he came outside and got on his knees. Jacob was handcuffed without further incident.

Jacob was evaluated by Marysville Fire and then transported to the Marysville Jail. At the Marysville Jail I spoke with Jacob after about an hour of him being able to calm down by himself. I read Jacob his Miranda Rights, he acknowledged understanding of his rights and agreed to speak with me. Jacob denied ever having a knife or threatening to stab Courtney, and also that he did not push her up against the wall. Jacob maintains all of this is related to Courtney cheating on him.

Jacob was later transferred to Snohomish County Jail.

Courtney provided me with the BWV recorded interview, requested to be notified of Jacob's release and to have a DV protection order put in place for her immediate safety. Courtney was provided with DV resources. Jacob's vehicle was seized pending a search warrant in order to obtain for evidence the knife used in this incident.

Courtney wished the court and prosecutors to know that she does not want to see Jacob in jail for this incident, but rather that he be ordered/forced into mental health and substance abuse treatment. This report will also be provided to Marysville PD Embedded Social Worker team to assist with navigating Jacob towards the help that he needs to in turn ensure that he, Courtney and the community are safe.

Nothing further at this time.

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TJ San Miguel #0184