

City of Tacoma - Police Department

Memorandum

TO:

Elizabeth Pauli

City Manager

FROM:

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Interim Chief of Police

DATE:

June 14, 2021

SUBJECT: INTERNAL AFFAIRS INVESTIGATION UPDATE #2

The following information identifies key points for June 7 through June 11, 2021, in reference to the Internal Affairs Investigation regarding Manuel Ellis. Most of the work during this time period consisted of administrative duties surrounding the request, collection, organization and review of investigative work completed by outside agencies.

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- Internal Affairs received the Pierce County Sheriff's Investigation
- Internal Affairs requested the Pierce County Medical Examiner's Investigation
- Pierce County Medical Examiner's Office referred our Internal Affairs request for their investigation to their legal department for review
- Internal Affairs has not yet received the Washington State Attorney General's investigation which was requested last week

All documents that have been received to date are being organized and collated into the Internal Affairs case file.

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.