

City of Tacoma - Police Department

Memorandum

TO:

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City Manager

FROM:

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Interim Chief of Police

DATE:

August 23, 2021

SUBJECT: INTERNAL AFFAIRS INVESTIGATION UPDATE #12

The following information identifies key points for August 18, through August 24, 2021, in reference to the Internal Affairs Investigation regarding Manuel Ellis.

Subsequent to the review of the current investigative material, Internal Affairs continues to review and summarize all the investigative material

Internal Affairs began interviewing the involved officers. One officer was interviewed and three others are scheduled for this week.

## In addition:

• Earlier communications with the State Attorney General's Office indicated we would receive documents by Friday, August 19, 2021. As of today, we have not received any of the requested documents.

Please note Tacoma Police Internal Affairs strives to complete internal investigations within 45 to 90 days. This investigation is currently at 87 calendar days. We will continue to assess and evaluate the process of the investigation to attempt compliance within the stated timeline.