

## IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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Officer involved in the Incident at S. 9th St. and Pacific Avenue Placed on Administrative Leave

Tacoma, Wash. – The Pierce County Force Investigation Team (PCFIT) is conducting the independent investigation of the incident that occurred at S. 9<sup>th</sup> St and Pacific Avenue on the evening of January 23, 2021. Information on the investigation can be located at <a href="https://www.piercecountywa.gov/7110/Independent-Investigation-Team">https://www.piercecountywa.gov/7110/Independent-Investigation-Team</a>.

The patrol officer involved in this incident is a 58-year-old male who has been a member of the Tacoma Police Department for 29.5 years. The officer was placed on paid administrative leave per department policy on the evening of January 23 immediately following the incident.

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