

## General City Records :: W013941-060724

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**Arlington WA Public Records Center** <arlingtonwa@mycusthelp.net> To: "pnwresearch24@gmail.com" <pnwresearch24@gmail.com>

Mon, Jul 29, 2024 at 9:05 AM

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RE: PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST of June 07, 2024, Reference #W013941-060724

Dear Heather.

The City received a public records request from you on June 07, 2024. Your request was for:

Under the Washington Public Records Act, §42.56 et seq., I am requesting any/all of the following records from the Arlington Police Department:

- 1) A list of all vehicle pursuit incidents that your agency was involved in from 2019 through 2023, as a line-level data extract from your records management system (RMS), including incident date, report number, and any/all other RMS data fields that are not required to be redacted by law;
- 2) Policy manuals, rules, and regulations for your agency relating to vehicle pursuits, including record-keeping and data collection on pursuits, that were in effect between 2019 and 2023;
- 3) Summaries of vehicle pursuit data for your agency, such as what may be contained in internal and/or external publications (annual reports, newsletters, presentations to government officials, etc.) produced between 2019 through 2023.

This information is not being sought for commercial purposes. The Washington Public Records Act requires a response to this request be made within five (5) business days. If access to the records I am requesting will take longer than this amount of time, please contact me with information about when I might expect copies or the ability to inspect the requested records.

We have uploaded a document titled DATA FIELDS that contains a list of all available data fields in the incident records. Many of these data fields are not used by our agency, and pulling data from some of these fields may generate duplicate incident information which you would need to consolidate.

We have generated a report titled APD Veh Pursuit Data containing the most commonly used fields to include the incident narrative. We have removed narrative from 3 incidents due to the involved subjects being identified as juveniles per RCW 13.50.050 and redacted the name/address of juveniles in 2 additional incidents per RCW 13.50.100.

A document has been uploaded for reference related to the incident Disposition Codes labeled Disposition Codes as requested.

If you would like for the City to proceed with your public records request, please provide clarifications if anything in addition is needed within sixty-one (61) days from 07/25/2024. Otherwise, the City will consider your request closed.

Upon receipt of your clarification, the City will further respond to your Public Records Request as required by law, including providing you with an estimate of costs associated with producing the requested records. on or before September 24, 2024.

If you have any questions, please contact my office at 360-403-3409. Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Bilow

Police Services Manager

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