

Records request for Sheriff's Office policy manuals and annual reports

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Thu, Feb 1, 2024 at 12:24 PM

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Thank you for your assistance.

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Raedyn Grasseth <grassethr@co.wahkiakum.wa.us> To: Heather Kelly <hejokelly@gmail.com>

Mon, Feb 5, 2024 at 5:50 AM

Heather,

I am processing your record request. What exactly are you looking for in annual reports? T this time, I really don't have anything that I would consider and annual report.

The policy manuals I can get you right away. Please let me know so I can get this out to you,

Sincerely,

Raedyn

Raedyn Grasseth

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From: Heather Kelly <hejokelly@gmail.com> Sent: Thursday, February 1, 2024 12:25 PM

To: Raedyn Grasseth < grassethr@co.wahkiakum.wa.us>

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Hi Raedyn, Thanks for looking! I think this might be helpful: WASPC accreditated states that agencies conduct "an annual management review and review approved by the chief executive officer, of the following Vehicle pursuits Use of force events	nd analysis, with final
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Heather,

I checked with my Sheriff and we do not have any annual reports. We are not accredited through WASPC. I am attaching our policy manual. We are in the middle of re-writing it now.

From: Heather Kelly <hejokelly@gmail.com> Sent: Monday, February 5, 2024 8:34 AM

To: Raedyn Grasseth < grassethr@co.wahkiakum.wa.us>

Subject: Re: Records request for Sheriff's Office policy manuals and annual reports

Hi Raedyn,

Thanks for looking! I think this might be helpful: WASPC accreditation standard 4.3 states that agencies conduct "an annual management review and analysis, with final review approved by the chief executive officer, of the following incidents:

- Vehicle pursuits
- Use of force events
- Internal investigations
- Biased based profiling incidents"

That's the report I'm looking for, assuming your department is accredited with WASPC. You can read the guideline on page 9

here: https://www.waspc.org/assets/ProfessionalServices/2020%20le%20accreditation%20standards.pdf

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