



Port Orchard Police Vehicular Pursuit Letter

Case # D19-002205

Date 8-23-19

To: Chief Brown:

Officer LYNCH was involved in a pursuit of a (veh desc) 2013 SILVER VOLKSWAGEN PASSAT
Beginning at 1100 BLOCK SE LUND AVE Streets. Pursuit began at 14:53:45 hours and
ended at 14:54:38 hours. Total time was 53 ^{SECONDS} ~~minutes~~. The pursuit was on the following roads:
SE LUND AVE, N/B SIDNEY AVE, E/B BAY STREET - PURSUIT TERMINATED
SUSPECT VEHICLE CONTINUED.

Sergeant MAIN is the officer's immediate supervisor. I have reviewed the pursuit and compared the circumstances to our General Order 1830 which governs pursuits.

1. The pursuit was initiated because of a ___ felony ___ misdemeanor X traffic offense.
2. Maximum speeds attained were 60 mph. Was speed a hazard? ___ yes X no.
3. Types of locations involved: ___ residential X business X arterials ___ schools
___ interstate ___ rural.
4. The traffic volume was (circle): heavy moderate light none.
5. Pedestrian volume was (circle): heavy moderate light none.
6. The road conditions were (circle): dry wet snowy icy gravel other ____.
7. The weather conditions were (circle): clear raining snowing fog other ____ temp 73°.
8. The vehicle X did ___ did not have tinted windows. This X did ___ did not hamper the officer being able to identify the driver.
9. The officer ___ could X could not have identified the suspect at a later time and initiated an arrest.
10. There ___ were X were not any known barriers that would have prevented other drivers from observing the police unit and the pursuit. Describe barriers:

11. Port Orchard Police had 2 marked and 0 unmarked vehicles involved in the pursuit.
12. Vehicles from other agencies ___ were X were not involved in the pursuit. The other agencies involved were: N/A. Total number of vehicles 2.

13. Were tire deflation devices used? Yes (No) If so, was it successful in stopping the pursuit?
Yes No.

14. Officers ___ did X did not attempt to box the fleeing vehicle.

15. Officers ___ did X did not attempt to ram the fleeing vehicle.

16. Officers ___ did X did not set up a roadblock. Roadblock was set up at : _____
_____ by officers _____.

17. Officers ___ did X did not pursue vehicles the wrong way on the street/highway. Distance
the officer(s) drove the wrong way on the street/highway _____.

18. The pursuit X should ___ should not have been terminated. Reason pursuit should have
been terminated: PURSUIT TERMINATED BY CHIEF BROWN

19. There ___ were X were not any other actions which constituted a danger which has not been
covered. The danger was : _____.

For any NO answer below, attach a written response.

20. The officer used proper radio procedure X yes ___ no.

- a. Officer gave the reason for the pursuit X yes ___ no.
- b. Officer gave the description of the vehicle X yes ___ no.
- c. Officer gave number of occupants ___ yes X no. INFO PROVIDED AFTER PURSUIT by 738.
- d. Officer gave location and direction of travel X yes ___ no.
- e. Officer continued to give speeds involved X yes ___ no.

21. The officer should have attempted apprehension X yes ___ no.

22. The officer kept a safe distance from the fleeing vehicle X yes ___ no.

23. Police vehicles used all available warning devices X yes ___ no.

24. Pursuit was terminated by: ___ apprehension ___ officer X supervisor.

25. This pursuit has been reviewed with the officers involved X yes ___ no.

26. Name of arrested person: _____ DOB _____

Charges: VEHICLE LOCATED LATER ABANDONED

As the supervisor, I feel the officer X was ___ was not justified in pursuing and I also feel that
General Order 1830 X was ___ was not adhered to except as noted above.

SGT. D. MAJIN
Supervisor

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Pursuit tape requested from CENCOM YES