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Weld County Sheriffs Office

Use Of Force Report

Incident Details

Date Received	Date of Occurrence	Time of Occurrence
12/26/2022	12/26/2022	12:38
Record ID Number	Case No	IA No
15032		UOF2022 0218
Date/Time Entered	Entered By	
12/26/2022 17:41	Sergeant Joshua Todd - WC0116	
WCSO Blue Team - Next Gen Assigned Investigator	IAPro Assigned Investigator	
[Pending assignment]	Sergeant Joshua Todd	

Incident Summary

- 1) SRT No
- 2) Number of inmates involved: 1

Name of the inmate(s) involved: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] 8

- 3) Location: Unit 20 Day room
- 4) Classification: Maximum
- 5) Institutional Class [REDACTED]
- 6) Use of Force Narrative:

On December 26th, at approximately 1237, Deputy Beltran noticed at the back of Unit 20's dayroom Inmate [REDACTED] arguing with each other and getting directly in each other's faces Deputy Beltran directed them to stop, and they didn't comply. As Deputy Beltran started heading to the back of the housing

unit another inmate attempted to separate [REDACTED]. Neither inmate backed down or moved away from each other. [REDACTED] threw a punch towards [REDACTED]. The other inmate who was trying to separate them backed away from them both at that point.

Deputy Beltran called a code 5 on the radio and told the housing unit to lockdown [REDACTED] started throwing punches back at [REDACTED] who was still throwing punches. The two inmates continued to fight moving to the back left corner of the unit. Deputy Beltran pulled his OC and directed them to stop fighting. Neither inmate complied with the directive Deputy Beltran sprayed his OC hitting them both in the face Both inmates stopped fights and dropped to the floor. Deputy Beltran instructed both inmates to get on their stomach.

Deputy Richard responded to the unit with Deputy Vigheria. Deputy Richard directed [REDACTED] to roll over onto his stomach He complied and Deputy Richard placed [REDACTED] right arm into the non-complaint handcuff hold. Deputy Vigheria placed [REDACTED] left arm into the non-complaint handcuff hold. Deputy Richard applied handcuffs to [REDACTED]. Both deputies let go of their control holds and assisted [REDACTED] to his feet and escorted him to the VPRO room

Deputy Beltran then kneeled down and placed handcuffs on [REDACTED] was then assisted to his feet and escorted to the VPRO room.

Both inmates were assessed, treated, and cleared by medical to remain in the facility [REDACTED] was moved to [REDACTED] was housed in Unit 20.

7) Medical

[REDACTED] was assessed and treated by medical staff and cleared to remain in the housing unit.

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8) Restraints

Both inmates were placed into handcuffs for approximately 10 minutes till they were secured into a cell in Unit 20 or S-Pod.

9) Conclusion

The force was reasonable and necessary to maintain orderly operations in the facility and was within policy. The degree of force used was in direct relationship to the perceived threat and the amount of resistance encountered by deputies.

10) Post Recommendations:

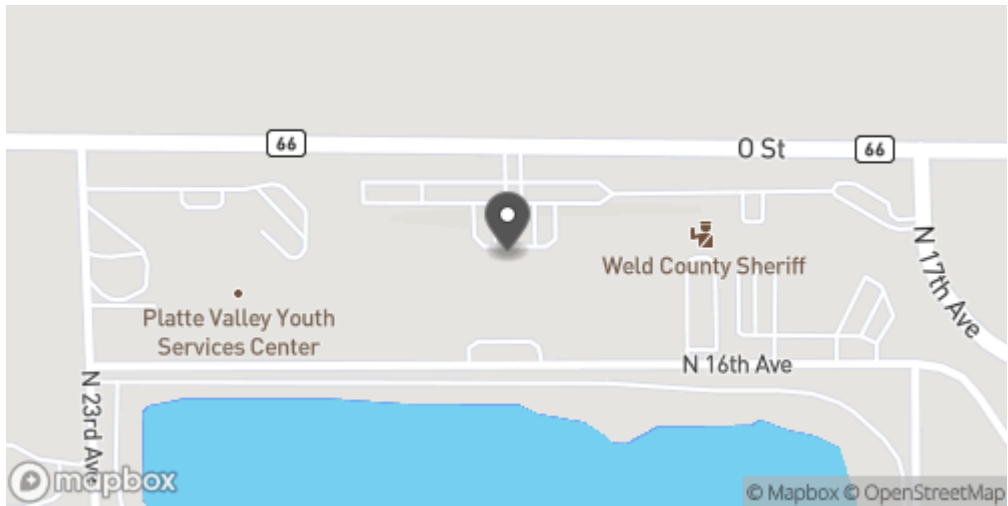
None

Incident Location

Addresses

Latitude, Longitude = [40.45114, -104.71048]

2110 O Street, Greeley, CO, 80631



- Location of Occurrence: NJC 2W UNIT 20

Use of Force Details

Reason For Using Force	Service Being Rendered	More Than 1 Citizen Involved
Defend 3rd Party	Inmate Fight	Yes
Weather Condition	Light Condition	Distance to Citizen
Dry	Artificial Light - Full	04-06 feet
Citizen Injured	Citizen Taken to Hospital	Citizen Arrested
No	No	No
Citizen Build	Citizen Height	Citizen Influence Assessment
Medium	5'10" to 6'0"	Nothing Abnormal Detected
Deputy(s) Injured	Deputy(s) Taken to Hospital	
No	No	

Reporting/Involved Citizen

[Redacted Name]

[Redacted Address]

Race: Unknown Ethnicity: Unknown Gender: Male

Addresses [None Entered]

Phone Numbers [None Entered]

Role: [None Entered]

Type of Resistance Citizen Used Against Deputy

- Actively Assaultive

Injuries Sustained By Citizen

Injury	Pre-existing Injury	Region	Injury Location
No injuries noted or visible			



Race: White **Ethnicity:** Unknown **Gender:** Male

Addresses



Phone Numbers



Role: [None Entered]

Type of Resistance Citizen Used Against Deputy

- Actively Assaultive

Injuries Sustained By Citizen

Injury	Pre-existing Injury	Region	Injury Location
No injuries noted or visible			

Involved Deputies

Det Deputy Jamie Beltran - WC0533

Assignment at time of incident: Det Deputy Detentions/Deputy [None Entered]

Role: [None Entered]

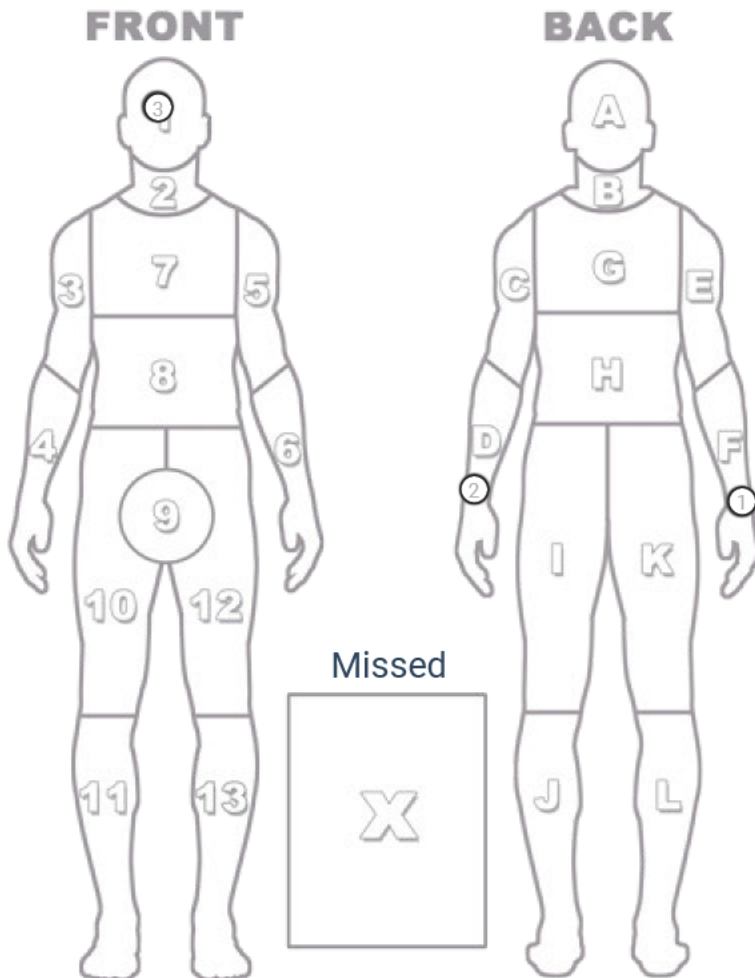
Force used by this Deputy against Citizen

- Handcuffs - Force Effective: Yes

- Verbal Directives - Force Effective: Yes
- OC - Force Effective: Yes
- Verbal Directives - Force Effective: No

Less lethal force used by this Deputy against Citizen

Force Used	Force Effective	Region	Point of Contact
Handcuffs	Yes	F, D	1, 2
Verbal Directives	Yes		[Non-Contact]
OC	Yes	1	3
Verbal Directives	No		[Non-Contact]



Injuries Sustained By Deputy

Injury	Pre existing Injury	Region	Injury Location
No injuries noted or visible			

Det Deputy Thomas Richard - WC0389

Assignment at time of incident: Det Deputy Detentions [None Entered]

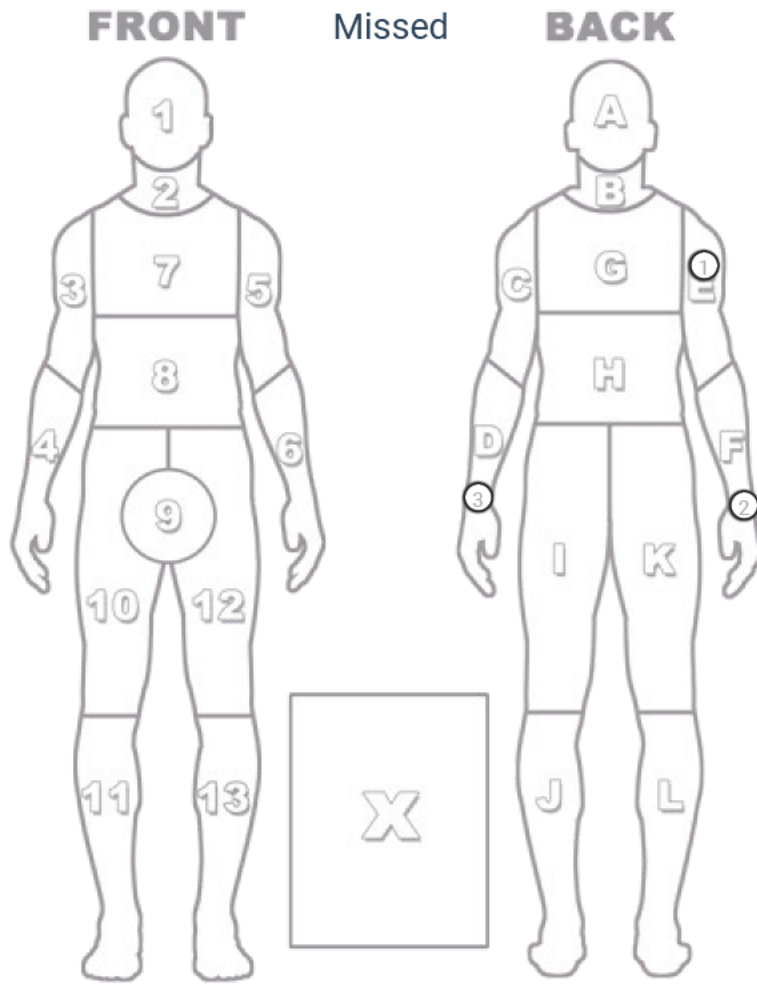
Role: [None Entered]

Force used by this Deputy against Citizen

- Non-Compl. Handcuff Tech - Force Effective: Yes
- Handcuffs Force Effective Yes
- Verbal Directives - Force Effective: Yes

Less lethal force used by this Deputy against Citizen

Force Used	Force Effective	Region	Point of Contact
Non-Compl. Handcuff Tech	Yes	E	1
Handcuffs	Yes	F, D	2, 3
Verbal Directives	Yes		[Non-Contact]



Injuries Sustained By Deputy

Injury	Pre-existing Injury	Region	Injury Location
No injuries noted or visible			

Det Deputy Hayden Vigheria -

Assignment at time of incident: Det Deputy Detentions/Deputy [None Entered]

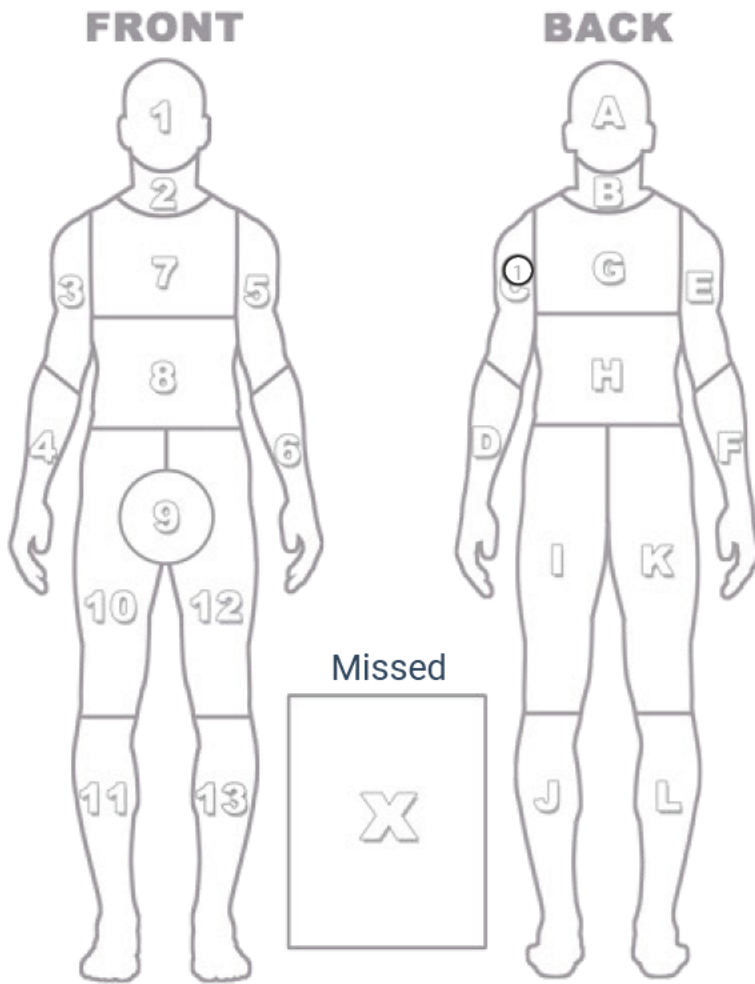
Role: [None Entered]

Force used by this Deputy against Citizen

- Non-Compl. Handcuff Hold - Force Effective: Yes

Less lethal force used by this Deputy against Citizen

Force Used	Force Effective	Region	Point of Contact
Non-Compl. Handcuff Hold	Yes	C	1



Injuries Sustained By Deputy

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No injuries noted or visible			

Deputy Witnesses

Det Deputy Jeffrey Ekstrand - WC0744

Assignment at time of incident: Det Deputy Detentions/Deputy

[None Entered]

Role: [None Entered]

Tasks

No tasks to show

Running Sheet Entries

No running sheet entries to show

Attachments

Date Attached	Attachment Description	Attachment Types
12/31/2022	Witness - [REDACTED] 22-	pdf
01/12/2023	23BT0001_2	wmv
12/31/2022	USOF - Beltran Unit 20 USOF	pdf
12/31/2022	USOF - Richard USE OF FORCE FORM- [REDACTED]	pdf
12/31/2022	USOF - Vigheria UOF 2022	pdf
01/12/2023	23BT0001_3	wmv
01/12/2023	23BT0001_4	wmv
01/12/2023	23BT0001_1	wmv