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Chief's Message



Hello Shoreline PD,

WADEPS is coming and we are set to start collecting data on August 1st. If you have not completed the training please get it done. This is important so please do not procrastinate.

Tuesday, August 5th is National Night Out. For those of you who are working, please get out and about in your neighborhoods. Shake some hands, get to know the residents, and eat a hot dog if you can. This is a fantastic opportunity to talk about the work we do here at Shoreline PD and to listen to some questions from our residents. The Captains and I will also be visiting different neighborhoods on Tuesday night, so I hope to see you there.

Take care,

- Chief Tommy Collins

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Welfare Check Leads to Housing Placement



On July 10, 2025, at 14:01, Officers Alec Handley and Patricia West, along with MHPs John Streimikes and Emily Evans responded to a welfare check in District A3 near the south end of Echo Lake Park. They made contact with two unhoused individuals struggling with substance use disorder.

MHPs completed a recovery navigator referral and provided immediate resources. Through follow-up and coordination, both individuals were placed at the Aurora Oaks Enhanced Shelter, a high-performing facility offering private rooms and extended stays to support long-term recovery and transition into permanent supportive housing.

Stolen Gun Recovered 36 Years Later

A King County deputy took a handwritten report of a residential burglary in what is now Shoreline (District A6) on January 27, 1989. Among the items stolen was a Colt .45 pistol, valued at \$500 at the time.

In May 2025, 36 years later, the firearm was recovered in Snohomish County, still in good condition. The King County Sheriff's Office was notified, and a recovery report was completed and filed with the original case. The reporting party has since passed away.

