Outlook

## Mutual Aid/Police

**From** Blake Martin <mayor@electriccity.us>
**Date** Wed 3/18/2026 12:22 PM
**To** CD Mayor <cdmayor@couleedam.org>
**Cc** Paul Bowden <pbowden@couleedam.org>

[External Email]

Mayor Poch,

Greetings! I just wanted to check in with you reference our law enforcement concerns and mutual aid to see where we're at with each. I have not heard any sort of update since the mayor pro tempores and council members met. I want to find a quick resolution to this matter in order to provide better service to our citizens. If you would, please advise as soon as possible. I currently have these issues on our council retreat agenda and need to remove them soon if the issue is resolved.

Thank you,

Mayor Blake A Martin
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## Law Enforcement Contract

**From** Blake Martin <mayor@electriccity.us>
**Date** Tue 5/19/2026 11:17 AM
**To** CD Mayor <cdmayor@couleedam.org>
**Cc** CD Clerk <cdclerk@couleedam.org>; City Clerk <ecclerk@electriccity.us>

[External Email]

Mayor Poch,

On Thursday, 05/14/2026 the Electric City Council unanimously voted to not sign the document the Town of Coulee Dam sent forward. It was decided the 180 days would allow our council and staff time to find a different law enforcement entity to provide police protection for our citizens.

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Please let me know if you disagree with this assessment or if you have any questions.

Thanks,

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## CD Clerk

**From:** Blake Martin <mayor@electriccity.us>
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 19, 2026 11:17 AM
**To:** CD Mayor
**Cc:** CD Clerk; City Clerk
**Subject:** Law Enforcement Contract

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## Mutual Aid

**From** Blake Martin <mayor@electriccity.us>
**Date** Thu 2/19/2026 9:42 AM
**To** Paul Bowden <pbowden@couleedam.org>; CD Mayor <cdmayor@couleedam.org>

[External Email]

All,

Just wanted to check in reference restoring law enforcement mutual aid with Grand Coulee for Electric City. I have not heard any updates since my last meeting with Mayor Poch on 02/06/2026. I am quite simply requesting a letter from Chief Bowden to allow the Grand Coulee Police Department to conduct law enforcement via the Police Officers Powers Act (RCW 10.93.070).

I frankly believe this would be in the best interest of the citizens of Electric City as I know the Coulee Dam Police Department has recently lost officers to other departments. Along with a multitude of other reasons, it would not hurt to have mutual aid established with the Grand Coulee Police Department to help with responses to calls while Coulee Dam works to fill the vacant positions. Please let me know where we're at on this matter.

Thank you,

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MUTUAL AGREEMENT TO TERMINATE EXISTING
LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICE CONTRACT

**Whereas,** the Town of Coulee Dam and the City of Electric City entered into an agreement entitled Agreement to Provide Law Enforcement Services, which agreement was approved and signed by the City of Electric City on the 22nd day of November 2022; an

**Whereas**, there is disagreement between the parties concerning the delivery of police services; and

**Whereas**, it is deemed to be in the best interests of both parties to mutually agree to discontinue said agreement,

Now, therefore,

**It is hereby agreed** between the Town of Coulee Dam and the City of Electric City to terminate the above referenced police agreement effective immediately.

**Dated** this 6 day of May, 2026.

**Town of Coulee Dam**, a municipal Corporation:

By _____
Bob Poch, Mayor

**City of Electric City**, a municipal corporation:

By _____
Blake Martin, Mayor

Alternatively, if the City of Electric City is opposed to mutually agreeing to terminate said agreement, the Town of Coulee Dam hereby gives notice to the City of Electric City that pursuant to Paragraph H of the underlying subject agreement the Town of Coulee Dam hereby gives notice of its intent to terminate the subject underlying agreement.

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Bob Poch, Mayor, Town of Coulee Dam

# Employee Directory

| Name | Hire Date | Release Date |
|---|---|---|
| Bowden, Paul N | 9/19/2016 | |
| Fenton, Edmund A | 8/21/2023 | |
| Nichols, Shane M | 7/22/2025 | |
| Ogren, Phillip G | 4/1/2025 | 2/7/2026 |
| Watkins, Joshua K | 9/17/2018 | 1/13/2026 |

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## RE: Mutual Aid Agreement

**From** Paul Bowden <pbowden@couleedam.org>
**Date** Tue 7/9/2024 1:12 PM
**To** Levi Johnson <tjohnson@gccitywa.org>
**Cc** gcmayor@gccitywa.org <gcmayor@gccitywa.org>

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Paul Bowden.vcf;

That is correct. I am in the process of drafting an official letter to Mayor Dalton.




**Paul Bowden**
Coulee Dam Police
Chief

(509) 633-1234 Work
(509) 769-8901 Mobile
pbowden@couleedam.org
300 Lincoln Ave
Coulee Dam, WA 99116

**From:** Levi Johnson <tjohnson@gccitywa.org>
**Sent:** Monday, July 8, 2024 4:11 PM
**To:** Paul Bowden <pbowden@couleedam.org>
**Subject:** Mutual Aid Agreement

[External Email]

Chief Bowdin, It was brought to my attention, you told your officers they are not to assist Grand Coulee Units.
I heard this from a couple of our officers. If this is true, I would like to hear it from you.

# MEMO

COULEE DAM POLICE DEPARTMENT

To: Officer Watkins, Officer Hopper, Officer Fenton

From: Chief Paul Bowden

CC:

Date: 08/25/23

Re: Agency Assists

COMMENTS: Per the Coulee Dam Police Agency Assist Policy section 323.3 ASSISTING OUTSIDE AGENCIES

Generally, requests for any type of assistance from another agency should be routed to the Supervisor's office for approval. In some instances, a mutual aid agreement or other established protocol may exist that eliminates the need for approval of individual requests.

When another law enforcement agency requests assistance from this department, the Supervisor may authorize, if available, an appropriate number of personnel to assist. Members are reminded that their actions when rendering assistance must conform with applicable laws and be consistent with the policies of this department.

Officers may respond to a request for emergency assistance, however, they shall notify a supervisor of their activity as soon as practicable.

Arrestees may be temporarily detained by this department until arrangements for transportation are made by the outside agency. Probation violators who are temporarily detained by this department will not ordinarily be booked at this department. Only in exceptional circumstances, and subject to supervisor approval, will this department provide transportation of arrestees to other facilities on behalf of another agency.

When transportation assistance is rendered, a report shall be prepared and submitted by the handling member unless otherwise directed by a supervisor.

323.3.1 INITIATED ACTIVITY

Any on-duty officer who engages in law enforcement activities of any type that are not part of a mutual aid request and take place outside the jurisdiction of the Coulee Dam Police Department shall notify his/her supervisor or the Supervisor and Dispatch as soon as practicable. This requirement does not apply to special enforcement details or multi-agency units that regularly work in multiple jurisdictions.

Violations of this Policy will result in disciplinary action.

| Number | Time and Date | Nature | Agency | Loctn | Dsp |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Address: [redacted] [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0480 | 14:52:05 08/12/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0354 | 01:06:25 06/27/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0452 | 21:37:27 08/01/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] [redacted] [redacted] [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0534 | 18:45:51 08/31/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0422 | 18:25:09 07/20/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0319 | 07:58:02 06/07/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0392 | 22:01:04 07/08/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0475 | 02:52:37 08/10/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0400 | 19:43:28 07/11/24 | Assist Agency | | | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0335 | 09:59:38 06/16/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0397 | 21:53:32 07/10/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0343 | 10:30:26 06/20/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0517 | 22:19:27 08/22/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | | , , WA | |
| 24CD0502 | 22:46:12 08/16/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |

| Number | Time and Date | Nature | Agency | Loctn | Dsp |
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| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0427 | 17:58:58 07/23/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0362 | 21:20:58 06/29/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0514 | 11:40:01 08/22/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0420 | 17:48:45 07/18/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0493 | 15:27:51 08/15/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0321 | 13:54:03 06/07/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0350 | 16:36:47 06/24/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0349 | 23:17:50 06/22/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0536 | 19:59:21 08/31/24 | Assist Agency | | | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0455 | 09:24:29 08/03/24 | Assist Agency | | | |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0377 | 16:43:52 07/03/24 | Assist Agency | | GS306 | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0437 | 20:29:58 07/28/24 | Assist Agency | | GS306 | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0401 | 20:05:19 07/11/24 | Assist Agency | | GCCL | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |

| Number | Time and Date | Nature | Agency | Loctn | Dsp |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24CD0387 | 15:57:40 07/06/24 | Assist Agency | | GS306 | CLO |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0358 | 15:02:57 06/28/24 | Assist Agency | | | ACT |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |
| Address: [redacted] | | | , , WA | | |
| 24CD0463 | 19:10:52 08/06/24 | Assist Agency | | GS306 | OGI |
| Total Incidents for This Address: 1 | | | | | |

Total Incidents for This Report: 30

Report Includes:
All dates between `00:00:01 06/01/24` and `23:59:00 08/31/24`
All agencies matching `CDPD`
All officers
All dispositions
All natures matching `Assist Agency`
All locations
All cities matching `GRAND COULEE`
All Addresses
All clearance codes
All observed offenses
All reported offenses
All offense codes
All circumstance codes

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|---|---|
| Form Name: | RCW 10.93.070: General Authority Peace Officer-Powers, Circumstances |
| Submission Time: | June 28, 2024 12:19 pm |
| Browser: | Chrome 126.0.0.0 / Windows |
| IP Address: | 66.172.111.97 |
| Unique ID: | 1239869155 |
| Location: | 47.1416, -119.2894 |

## RCW 10.93.070: General Authority Peace Officer-Powers, Circumstances

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|---|---|
| **Agency Name (Jurisdiction)** | Coulee Dam Police |
| **Roster of Washington State General Authority Law Enforcement Agencies** | I have reviewed the roster of Washington State General Authority Law Enforcement Agencies. |
| **I authorize the following agencies Police Powers in my legally recognized jurisdiction.** | I will select individual Agencies |

## Specific Agencies

| | |
|---|---|
| **Adams County** | All Adams County Agencies |
| **Asotin County** | All Asotin County Agencies |
| **Benton County** | All Benton County Agencies |
| **Chelan County** | All Chelan County Agencies |
| **Clallam County** | All Clallam County Agencies |
| **Clark County** | All Clark County Agencies |
| **Columbia County** | All Columbia County Agencies |
| **Cowlitz County** | All Cowlitz County Agencies |
| **Douglas County** | All Douglas County Agencies |
| **Ferry County** | All Ferry County Agencies |
| **Franklin County** | All Franklin County Agencies |
| **Garfield County** | All Garfield County Agencies |
| **Grant County** | Grant County Sheriff's Office<br>Ephrata Police Department<br>Mattawa Police Department<br>Moses Lake Police Department<br>Quincy Police Department<br>Royal City Police Department<br>Soap Lake Police Department<br>Warden Police Department |
| **Grays Harbor County** | All Grays Harbor County Agencies |

| | |
|---|---|
| **Job Title of Authorizing Individual** | Chief of Police |
| **Email Address of Authorizing Individual** | pbowden@couleedam.org |
| **Agency Name** | Coulee Dam Police |
| **Date of Form Completion Completion** | Jun 28, 2024 |
| **By providing this information you are providing an electronic signature authorizing your consent. RCW 9A.04.110(24) establishes "signature includes any memorandum, mark, or sign made with intent to authenticate any instrument or writing, or the subscription of any person thereto."** | I have read and acknowledge this statement. |
| **This form will be posted to the WASPC website and will be available for public access and review. Each agency should maintain a signed hard copy of their consent form.** | I have read and acknowledge this statement. |