

# **SUMMARY OF USE OF FORCE INCIDENT AND FINDINGS BY THE JACKSON POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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**FORCE TYPE**

Soft-hand Techniques

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**DATE**

4/3/2020

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**REASON FOR CONTACT**

Officer responded to a report of a suspicious person tampering with unattended vehicles.

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**SUMMARY**

Officers arrived and found the man attempting to steal a bicycle. Officers attempted to detain the suspect with handcuffs. The suspect attempted to avoid arrest by pulling away and officers utilized the soft-hand technique of ground stabilization to gain control of the person to effect the arrest successfully and minimize injury to both the officer and the person being arrested.

No injury suspect.

No injury to officer.

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**\*LEGEND**

Soft-hand techniques: Physical restraint and control holds and include ground and/or fixed surface stabilization.

Hard-hand techniques: Strikes, kicks, and throws.

Chemical agents: OC Spray or CS gas.

Impact tools: Straight stick or expandable baton.

Improvised tools: Any object used in a sudden defensive encounter, (flashlight, ticket book, etc.)

Less-lethal munitions: Beanbag rounds.

Conducted Energy Weapon: Taser.

Knives: Deadly force option.

Firearms: Deadly force option.

Vehicles: Deadly force option.