

Everett Police Dept. Procedures Manual

New Procedure:

## 6.03- RESPONSE TO 3SI ACTIVATIONS

## General

3SI units are devices that, when activated, broadcast the location of the unit using GPS technology. These devices may be deployed by commercial establishments in an effort to recover stolen property.

assword. The website displays the location of the active unit on a map and tracks the unit location as it moves, visible in real time to anyone signed onto the Everett Police account.

Selected staff will receive e-mail or text notifications indicating that a unit was activated. The 3SI text or e-mail activation notice will appear similar to:



## Procedure

When a 3SI unit is activated, dispatch will initiate an incident as a Robbery Priority and close the air by identifying the incident as a Responding officers should be aware that it is possible that the 3SI activation will coincide with an alarm call from the same location so officers should be prepared to also be notified of a hold-up alarm or other type of alarm at the same location as the 3SI unit originally activated at. In some cases, because numerous Everett Police staff will receive notifications from 3SI about unit activation, Everett Police staff may be aware of an activation before the SNOPAC dispatcher. In that case an Everett Police staff member may initiate the call by requesting air closure and announcing a land the location the activation originated from.

Regardless of how activation is initiated, once aware of an activation Everett Police staff may sign into the Everett Police account to monitor the movement of the unit. Website and user name information is noted below. Everett Staff may also link to the 3SI website from the police intranet page by selecting "3SI Activations" under Police Home on the left side of the page. That page displays the username, current password, and locations in the city that are 3SI subscribers.

3SI Tracking URL:

User Name/Password:

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Everett Police units that are actively engaged in trying to locate the unit should not attempt to bring up the Everett Police 3SI account and track the location of the unit while they are driving. Those units should rely on location updates that are provided by dispatch or by another Everett Police staff member.

An Everett Police staff member may take over from dispatch in providing location information if that is deemed to be more effective than dispatch providing the information.

Everett Police staff may assume tracking of activations initiated outside of the Everett City limits but moving into the city by any means, and should be prepared to turn over tracking to other jurisdictions as an active device moves outside the city.

When a unit has "gone to ground" and is identified as located in a general area

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