

## Ellis Maxwell

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**From:** Anita Schwemmer  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 09, 2009 10:48 AM  
**To:** Ellis Maxwell; Robert Bobrowski  
**Subject:** FW: Online Form Submittal: Contact Police: Detectives

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FYI - I sent an email back thanking him for the information and giving him Ellis' email and desk phone.

Anita

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**From:** Tom McLachlan  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 09, 2009 8:35 AM  
**To:** Anita Schwemmer  
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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 09, 2009 5:01 AM  
**To:** Tom McLachlan; Mark Vanroosendaal  
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The following form was submitted via your website: Contact Police: Detectives

First Name: Charles

Last Name: Cox

Address: [REDACTED]

City: Puyallup

State: WA

Zip Code: 98374

Email address: [REDACTED]

Message: I have been thinking about where Josh Powell may have taken Susan Powell, assuming his "camping trip" was part of his clean up. Josh said he camped at the Mormon Trail. I went on one outing with Josh and Susan here in Washington. The plan was to visit a local attraction called "Point Defiance". This is a walking/jogging trail near the Water in Tacoma Washington. There is also a Point Defiance zoo.

I soon discovered how Josh likes to operate. We drove to the area, and Josh looked for what ever target of opportunity to explore. (as long as it was free, unless I wanted to pay for something) There was a logging equipment attraction that was free but most of it was closed. We looked at everything that could be seen without cost, and that was not locked up. Josh did not break into anything that was actually locked up, but took advantage of anything that wasn't locked up. We also went to one area just outside the gate of a paid attraction and he

played with [REDACTED] on some abandoned toys, (it was raining lightly most of the time) there was a large fiberglass shoe house (woman who lived in a shoe), a run down sand box with slide (with slight graphetti), and Josh looked through the fence at a closed fish hatchery. Josh put [REDACTED] on his shoulders and explained what fun it was to see the fish. So if Josh went "camping" we would be talking about driving to a parking lot probably near a paid attraction. If there were a heated bathroom, or some other structure reasonably close to the parking area, I would recommend checking them out. The Park Police should be aware of any locations that are similar. I suggest that such a search be done of any such locations.

Josh is not one to do a lot of hiking or work but he would take advantage of any available ditch, or structure. If Susan was incapacitated but still alive, I am sure he would leave her where there was some heat or comfort.

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