

Sheriff: Geary police chief suspended for alleged sexual relationship with city employee

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Geary, Okla. (KOKH) — The Geary police chief has been suspended for allegedly having a sexual relationship with a city employee.

The Blaine County sheriff is now investigating the situation.

This was brought to light when the police chief's wife found out about the alleged affair.

The sheriff says the video in our story is from outside Geary City Hall, and that it was captured on February 16.

"The police chief's wife came up here to city hall," Blaine County Sheriff Travis Daugherty said. "She engaged into an assault with a city worker, who he had allegedly had an affair with."

The Geary police chief is Cecil Harrell but his employment is to be determined by the city council.

"My investigator stated that the council had an emergency meeting and placed him on leave until the investigation is cleared up," Daugherty said.

The sheriff says he recommended assault charges for the woman but that will be up to the district attorney.

"If the city council should ask my opinion, I would recommend that the police chief resign or be terminated," Daugherty said.

Investigators say the victim should recover.

We were not able to get a comment from the involved parties.

No one has been arrested.

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