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Rockingham County Sheriff's Office

Incident Base Report Supplement

Case Number: 2008-051803

Incident Type: Homicide

Detective (Name): K.J. Garber

Date: 07-30-08

Case Status:

- Active
- Inactive
- X Information
- Cleared (exceptional means)(Need N:
- Cleared by Arrest (Need arrestee shee
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Addendum:

On 07-25-08 I received phone calls from Detective K.L. Shifflett and Detective T.L. Spitler in reference to a murder. Commonwealth Attorney Marsha Garst and I responded to 1553 Grassland Lane. Upon arriving on location Detective T.L. Spitler, Detective L.C. Royston, Corporal K.T. Hensley and Deputy L.M. Good were on location. Detective Spitler asked for Detective Royston and me to begin taking overall photographs. While taking photographs, I observed several areas that appeared to be out of place or abnormal. I observed dark in color stains on the asphalt in front of the left garage door. Three 4X4X10 posts were lying on the ground in the area of the retaining wall located closest to the left garage door. I observed grass and dirt debris on the sides of the boards which indicated to me that they had recently been moved. Reddish brown in color stains were also observed on the boards. Further observation revealed an area of asphalt in the driveway next to the retaining wall. An outline of what appeared to be the three 4X4X10 posts were in this area. The outline looked like grass or dirt. I also observed a broken patio umbrella lying on the ground in the area of the boards. A patio table was located on the east side of the house. The glass in the table was broken where an umbrella would be placed. Pieces of glass were also located under the table.

Sheriff Farley asked me to contact Emergency Communications Center and obtain a call history for 1553 Grassland Lane. The call history revealed the following:

- June of 2008, verbal domestic between a male and female. The complainant was Donna Hockman and suspect was Dustin Stanley.
- April of 2008, public service call. Complainant, Dustin Stanley, advised that he was locked out of the house in his pajamas.
- March of 2008, disorderly call. Male juvenile, 17 years of age, stated that his mom's boyfriend is going to beat her.

EXHIBIT
No. 1

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Rockingham County Sheriff's Office

Confidential Supplement

Case # 2008-051803

Date: 08-05-08

Victim : Stanley, Dustin

Type : Homicide

Detective T. L. Spitler

1st statement

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On 07-25-08 the writer was requested by Capt. J. B. Wittig to be present in an interview with an individual that was coming to the Sheriff's Office. According to Capt. J. B. Wittig this individual is claiming to have information on a homicide and is to know the location of the body.

At approximately 1320hrs the writer listened as this individual claimed to know that a homicide possibly occurred, where this occurred at and where the body is now located. He also claimed to have received this information from the person who committed the homicide. The reporting individuals name is John Metzler. Mr. Metzler claims that he and Donna Hockman are friends and that today she told him that she killed her boyfriend Dustin Stanley. Mr. Metzler provided an area that this residence was located stating that he wasn't sure of the physical address but could take us there.

At this time the writer left this meeting and started checking Rockingham County records for any information on these two individuals. Cpl. K. Hensley and Deputy L. Good arrived in the investigators office in reference to this. The situation was explained to them and they were asked to respond to this residence, which was established as 1553 Grassland Lane, Harrisonburg, Virginia and see if everyone there was okay. The writer learned that on two different occasions that Deputies responded to 1553 Grassland Lane in the year 2008. The call for service numbers are # 2008-020636 and 2008-043822 (copy of call for service attached).

The writer responded to 1553 Grassland Lane and arrived at approximately 1357hrs. Upon arriving on the scene the writer observed Cpl. K. Hensley and Deputy L. Good next to the residence on the north side.

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Spitler
[Signature]

CALL DETAILS

CALL TYPE: DISORDER DISORDERLY CONDUCT
 DISPATCHER:
 RESPONSE TIME: 0:0
 JURISDICTION: 660-Harrisonburg
 ACTIVITY: 1-IN PROGRESS

AGENCY: 4-SHERIFF
 RECEIVED: 06/21/2008 20:20
 PRIORITY:
 HOW RECEIVED: 1-911
 DISPOSITION: 5 -SERVICE PERFORMED

COMPLAINANTS

TYPE	NAME	PHONE	PID
COMPLAINANT	HOCKMAN, DONNA	540-975-1223	00000000

ADDRESSES

TYPE	STREET ADDRESS	BEAT	GRID	ZONE	BUSINESS/ALIAS/LANDMARK	TOWN
CALLER OCCURRED	001553 GRASSLAND LN		5041	05		HAR

UNITS Run No: F=000000 E=000000 IBR=000000

UNIT/ OFFCR	AGENCY	RECV	DISPATCH	ENROU	ARRIV	TRANSPORT	CLRD	RETURN	DISPOSITION
			ALRM1 ALRM2			ENROU ARRIV		STATION	
2352	SHERIFF	20:20	20:22		20:32		20:58		5 -SERVICE PERFORM
D326	Danner, Christopher L								

VEHICLES

Veh# 001 JNG4405 VA

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COMMENTS

Dispatcher:9286@06/21/2008 20:20:52
 VERBAL
 Dispatcher:9286@06/21/2008 20:20:56
 BETWEEN MALE AND FEMALE
 Dispatcher:9286@06/21/2008 20:21:06
 SUSPECT - DUSTIN STANLEY
 Dispatcher:9286@06/21/2008 20:21:16
 PARTIES ARE SEPARATED
 Dispatcher:9286@06/21/2008 20:21:39
 MALE IS AT THE RESIDENCE
 FEMALE IS WALKING DOWN TO THE ROAD ON OLD SAWMILL FROM GRASSLAND
 Dispatcher:9286@06/21/2008 20:22:16
 CALLER IS STATING THAT MALE IS BEING PICKED UP BY HIS MOTHER. MOTHER WILL
 BE COMING FROM MT JACKSON. Dispatcher:9286@06/21/2008 20:23:50
 CALLER STATES SHE FEELS SAFER WALKING FROM THE RESIDENCE. REQUESTING A
 CALLBACK WHEN OFFICERS ARRIVE IN THE AREA
 Dispatcher:0088@06/21/2008 20:25:57

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P CALLED BACK AND STATED SHE BELIEVES THERE IS A VEH COMING TO PICK UP
THE MALE SUSP
GOLD
CAR
UNK REG
Dispatcher:0768@06/21/2008 20:28:37
UPDATE GIVEN
Dispatcher:0088@06/21/2008 20:28:36
SUSP IS LEAVING IN A GOLD
DODGE
NEON
VA REG JNG4405
Dispatcher:0088@06/21/2008 20:28:58
VEH IS SITTING AT THE END OF GRASSLAND LN
Dispatcher:0088@06/21/2008 20:29:41
CAN HEAR YELLING IN THE BACKGROUND
Dispatcher:0768@06/21/2008 20:30:41
Dispatcher:0768@06/21/2008 20:42:02
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EXHIBIT
NO. 3

CALL DETAILS

CALL TYPE: DISORDER DISORDERLY CONDUCT
DISPATCHER:
RESPONSE TIME: 0:0
JURISDICTION: 660-Harrisonburg
ACTIVITY: 1-IN PROGRESS

AGENCY: 4-SHERIFF
RECEIVED: 03/23/2008 01:09
PRIORITY:
HOW RECEIVED: 1-911
DISPOSITION: 5 -SERVICE PERFORMED

COMPLAINANTS

Table with 4 columns: TYPE, NAME, PHONE, PID. Rows include SUSPECT STANLEY, DUSTIN; COMPLAINANT GEORGE, CRIS; VICTIM HOCKMAN, DONNA.

ADDRESSES

Table with 7 columns: TYPE, STREET ADDRESS, BEAT, GRID, ZONE, BUSINESS/ALIAS/LANDMARK, TOWN. Row: CALLER OCCURRED 001553 GRASSLAND LN 5041 05 HAR

UNITS Run No: F=000000 E=000000 IBR=000000

Table with 10 columns: UNIT/OFFCR, AGENCY, REC, DISPATCH, ENROU, ARRIV, TRANSPORT, CLRD, RETURN, DISPOSITION. Row: 2347 SHERIFF 01:09 01:13 01:28 01:36 5 -SERVICE PERFORM

COMMENTS

Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:11:00
CALL JUV MALE STATING HIS MOMS B/F IS GOING TO BEAT HIS MOM
Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:11:49
RED HOUSE
Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:11:57
SUSP HAS PUSHED COMPS MOM
NO WEAPONS
SUSP IS INTOX
Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:13:35
COMP IS 17 YO M
LOCKED OUT ON BALCONY
Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:14:18
COMP IS ON 2ND FLR BALCONY ON FRONT SIDE OF HOUSE
Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:15:04
FE VIC HAS ALSO BEEN DRINKING TONITE
Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:16:03
COMP REQ THEY TURN OFF LITES WHEN ENTERING DRIVEWAY
Dispatcher: 0701@03/23/2008 01:19:31
MALE AND FE ON 1ST FLR EAST SIDE BEDROOM

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Voice: (540) 434-4436



101 North Main Street
Harrisonburg, VA 22802



fax: (540) 434-2512

December 29, 2010

Donna Hockman
P. O. Box 1000
Troy, Virginia 22974

Dear Ms. Hockman,

This letter is in response to your FOIA request for recordings of all 9-1-1 calls made from your 1553 Grassland Lane, Harrisonburg residence during 2008. Enclosed is a CD of calls made from your residence during that time.

These recordings are released to you in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dee Dee Sencindiver".

Dee Dee Sencindiver

Operations Manager
Harrisonburg-Rockingham Emergency Communications Center

EXHIBIT
NO. 5



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Harrisonburg, VA 22802

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March 23, 2011

Ms. Donna Hockman
Fluvanna Correctional Center for Women
PO Box 1000
Troy VA, 22974

Dear Ms. Hockman,

This letter is to verify that a compact disc was sent to your attention to the Correctional facility in which you are currently housed. We cannot honor your request to transcribe the audio contained on the compact disc. The Freedom of Information Act only requires the release of information in its native format. In this case it is an audio file. We are not required to perform transcription of the audio file and do not perform such services upon request. I recommend that you contact your legal counsel for further assistance in the matter of transcribing the audio so you can view it in print format.

Sincerely,

Jim Junkins
Director



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July 27, 2011

Ms. Jean Litten
14767 Senedo Rd
Edinburg, VA 22824

Dear Ms. Litten,

I am in receipt of your request for records. The records for which you are requesting are related to an active investigation by the Commonwealth of Virginia; hence exempt from release under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act, 2.2-3705.3.

Sincerely,

Jim Junkins
Director

EXHIBIT
NO. 7



Voice: (540) 434-4436

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Harrisonburg, VA 22802

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August 18, 2011

Ms. Jean Litten
14767 Senedo Rd
Edinburg, VA 22824

Dear Ms. Litten,

The Commonwealth Attorney for Rockingham County, Marcia Garst, advised me on an investigation by the Commonwealth. I am not privy to the specifics of the investigation.

Sincerely,

Jim Junkins
Director

EXHIBIT
No. 171



Voice: (540) 434-4436



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Harrisonburg, VA 22802



fax: (540) 434-2512

August 11, 2011

Donna Hockman
PO Box 1406120
Troy, VA 22974

Dear Ms. Hockman,

I have searched our CAD records for the timeframe that you indicate and show 2 calls for service during that time. One call for service occurred on 3/23/2008 and a second on 4/23/2008. You had been provided this data previously.

I have no way to search the number of times called with the information that you have provided.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dee Dee Sencindiver", written over the word "Sincerely,".

Dee Dee Sencindiver
Operations Manger, HRECC

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