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### Law Enforcement Newsletter

**March 4th, 2020**

*This newsletter is to provide law enforcement professionals involved in law enforcement oversight / inspections / audits / and IA investigations, information on current high profile issues / or new practices in the profession. Lt. Dan*

*Thanks to the Port of Portland Police Dept. for hosting our IA-101 course. We had a great group of law enforcement professionals from the area in attendance!*



#### Upcoming classes:

[Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course](#) - Portland, OR.

March 10-12:

[Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course](#) - Kansas City, MO.

March 17-19

[Jail Inspections Course](#) - Carrollton, TX. Mar 24-26

**Training schedule** with all the Spring classes posted at the end of the newsletter.

Let Dan tip for the week.



# Continuous License Monitoring: Myth vs Fact

Ever wonder how fleet managers monitor MVD Drivers license information for fleet operators? Probably not. Some fleet managers do this for CDL operators but for others it usually falls on the specific agency to monitor.

**SuperVision**  
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This software ad reminded me of how important it is for an agency to have a policy requiring an employee notify their supervisor of all off duty LE contact to include citations and arrest. And a policy requiring supervisors to conduct and document an MVD check on an employees DL status as part of the annual eval. Also a policy for Triple I to ensure the employee has not been cited or arrested in another jurisdiction. LD.

Continuous license monitoring

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# Ken Cost named new Mesa, AZ. police chief, served 25 years in department. AZFamily

3/2/20



Mesa formally named Ken Cost as the new Chief of Police at a press conference on Monday afternoon.

MESA, AZ (3TV/CBS 5) – Arizona's Family has confirmed the new chief of the Mesa Police Department is the man who has been serving as interim chief since November. Mesa formally named Ken Cost as the new chief. Cost has been with the Mesa Police Department for 25 years and started his career in 1995. He has served in multiple areas in the department and in every rank leading up to assistant chief, to which he was promoted in March 2018.

"The enthusiasm about hiring Ken Cost as our police Chief, I can assure you, is very genuine and very sincere," said Mayor John Giles.

The new chief holds a degree in criminal justice from California State University at Fullerton. He also is a graduate of the FBI National Academy for Police Executives and was wrapping up his master's degree in criminal justice administration. City manager Chris Brady says there was never a national search to fill the position, and that Cost stood out above the crowd long ago.

Ken Cost named new Mesa police chief, served 25 years in department

# accidental death provides a final lesson, but questions linger

**Will Cleveland and Sean Lahman** Democrat and Chronicle

Published 5:00 a.m. ET Feb. 27, 2020

*If you are a firearms instructor, or have an interest in firearms you may find this interesting. A detailed article with some nice graphics regarding the actual shooting. Lt. Dan.*



ROCHESTER, N.Y. – Manny Ortiz was more than just a cop. By all accounts, he was great at his job. He served for 22 years with the Rochester Police Department and was as an instructor at the police academy, where he taught firearms and defensive tactics to a generation of cadets. Ortiz was 52 when he accidentally shot himself while driving to work one evening in November. The accidental discharge of his weapon caused his sport utility vehicle to crash into a ravine. Despite heroic efforts by passers-by and responding deputies, Ortiz was declared dead at the scene.

Police gun instructor's accidental death provides a final lesson, but questions linger

## enforcement

A new drone association has formed specifically with law enforcement in mind. Emily Correll (WLTX) February 26, 2020



IRMO, S.C. — A new drone association is hoping to help law enforcement with their flying technology when needed.

Sean Smith is the Director of Public Safety Chaplaincy and the President of the newly formed South Carolina Public Safety Drone Pilot Association. “It is a network tool for all of the law enforcement public safety rescue agencies across the state of South Carolina to network what they are using in regards to drones or if they don’t have a drone, we can help them develop a drone program or we can possibly loan them something to get them started,” said Smith. Drones have been around for over a decade and are used for many reasons. Smith says they are beneficial to law enforcement, particularly in search and rescue.

**Drone association formed to assist law enforcement**

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## A member of the Baltimore Police Civilian Review Board quits, citing 'ineffective' and 'opaque' system



By JESSICA ANDERSON

BALTIMORE SUN | FEB 25, 2020 | 6:15 PM



A Baltimore Police Civilian Review Board member resigned Monday, citing the panel's lack of independence, including frustrations that the panel did not receive full and timely police misconduct reports that it had been tasked to investigate.

Jillian Aldebron, who represented the Southeast District, wrote in a resignation letter released Monday that the city has stifled the board to the point that its already limited powers are hindered even further. She called the process "ineffective" and "opaque," and in desperate need of reform. Her complaints are the latest to come from the board and other supporters of police reform in Baltimore, who have long argued that the Civilian Review Board lacks the independence and power necessary to address police misconduct.

A member of the Baltimore Police Civilian Review Board quits, citing 'ineffective' and 'opaque' system

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# 600 law enforcement agencies suffers significant data breach



FOX, 2/26 A new facial recognition company, which claims to be used by over 600 law enforcement agencies, has suffered a data breach, according to the company.

Clearview AI confirmed with Fox News that its entire client list was stolen in the breach. According to the company, someone gained access to a list of all of Clearview's customers, the number of accounts used by those customers and the number of searches they have conducted. This breach is significant in that privacy advocates, and some law enforcement officials, have voiced cybersecurity concerns about the brand new app's potential vulnerability to hacking. Clearview AI stopped short of calling this incident a hack.

Facial recognition app used by more than 600 law enforcement agencies suffers significant data breach

# Phoenix police AZ Family.com

🕒 Updated Feb 25, 2020 | Posted on Feb 25, 2020



The Phoenix City Council approved a plan in a 5-4 vote that would give civilians more influence over investigations into officer conduct.

The discussion started more than a year ago, after the Phoenix Police Department saw a record number of officer-involved shootings in 2018. The aim of the review board is to increase transparency. Last year, the National Police Foundation, an independent, nonprofit, non-partisan group reviewed the Phoenix Police Department's number of officer-involved shootings after gaining approval by the City Council. The study suggested improving transparency and interaction with the public.

**City Council approves civilian review board for Phoenix police**

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# Sheriff's Deputy Harassed After Reporting Misconduct



LA Times: 2/26: As a trainee, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputy Andrew Rodriguez said he had a recurring thought while on patrol with his training officer: Oh, man, we're going to end up in federal prison.

The officer, he said, instructed him to lie on a report documenting the arrest of a man found with a meth pipe. She'd routinely harass people in motel parking lots for no reason, he said, and those who slept along shopping center walkways.

Rodriguez alleged he suffered retaliation and harassment while assigned to the Industry station — which at the time was led by Undersheriff Tim Murakami, now the Sheriff's Department's No. 2 official — after he complained about the misconduct. He alleged that Murakami told him he'd "find something" to get Rodriguez fired.

Sheriff's officials denied the allegations, but on Friday, a jury in a downtown Los Angeles courtroom sided with Rodriguez, awarding him \$8.1 million and concluding that he faced "severe and pervasive" harassment after protesting illegal orders.

Jury Awards \$8.1 Million to L.A. County Sheriff's Deputy Harassed After Reporting Misconduct

# new measures to fight violent crime spike

Dylan McGuinness and St. John Barned-Smith | Feb. 25, 2020 | Updated: Feb. 25, 2020 4:10 p.m.



City leaders will spend \$1.5 million in overtime to fight increases in violent crime and seek an additional \$8.5 million in public-private partnership funding for new technology, including cameras and analytics equipment.

Mayor Sylvester Turner said Tuesday he expects the combination of those two initiatives to help quell “moderate fluctuations” in violent crime, which Chief Art Acevedo said mirrors a nationwide trend.

Mayor, Houston Police chief announce new measures to fight violent crime spike

## With ADOT Cops

Phoenix New Times Feb 24, 2020



ADOT director John Hallikowski goes on a ride-along with an agency enforcement officer. / Arizona Department of Transportation

Policing probably isn't the first thing that comes to mind when you think of the Arizona Department of Transportation.

But ADOT, the state agency responsible for building and maintaining highways, employs about 200 cops. Most of them are tasked with inspecting commercial trucks at ports of entry, from the international border to interstate lines.

Arizona state troopers, though, say ADOT police have encroached on their jurisdiction, conducting stops and checks far away from borders.

Arizona Troopers' Union Engaged in Turf War With ADOT Cops

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# White Police Officers Use Force More Than Black Cops, Study Says

By [Matthew Boesler](#)

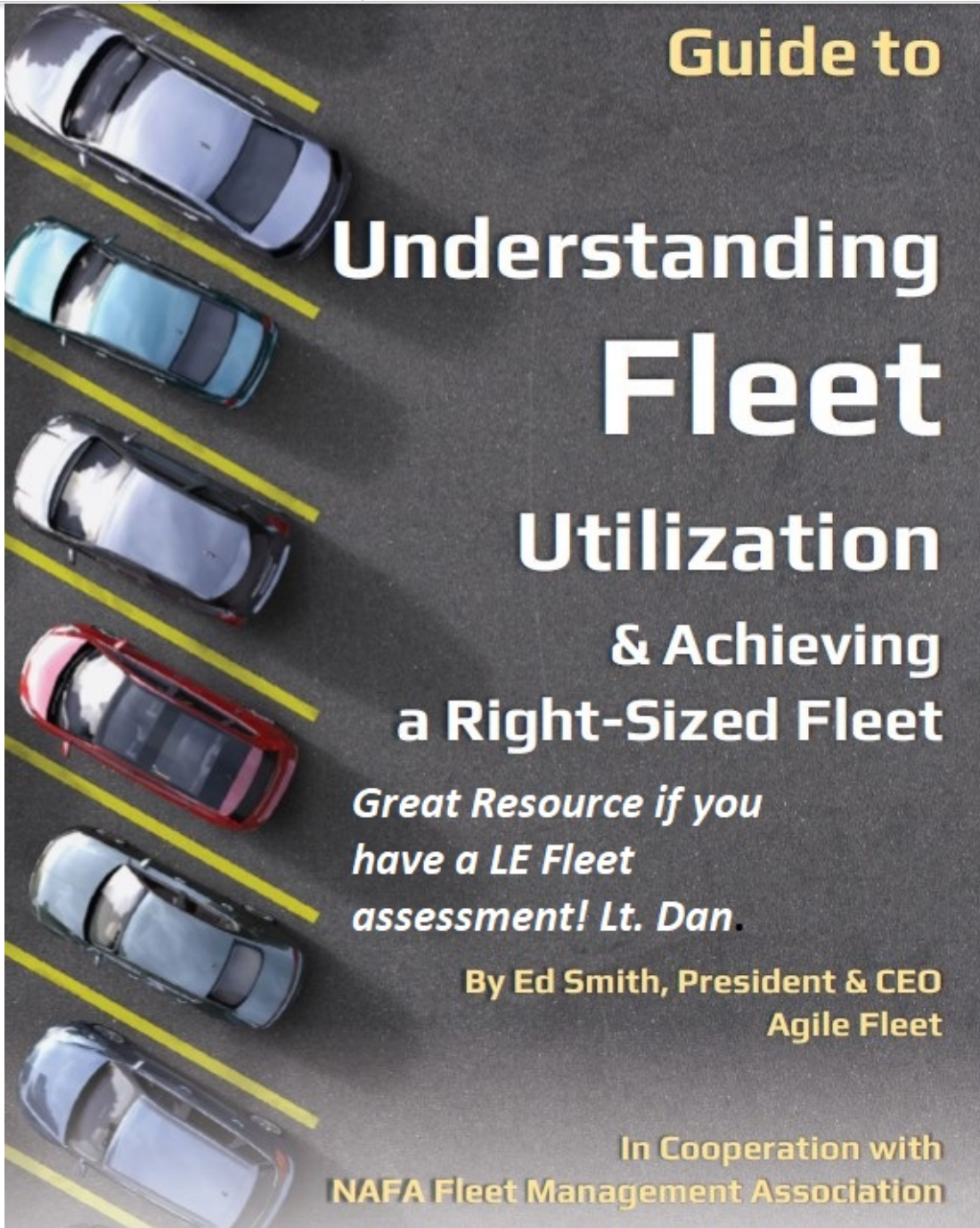
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- ▶ Black neighborhoods saw biggest disparities in use of force
  - ▶ Authors say it shows race is a key determinant of police force
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Politics, White Police Officers Use Force More Than Black Cops, Study Says

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**Guide to**

# **Understanding Fleet Utilization & Achieving a Right-Sized Fleet**

*Great Resource if you  
have a LE Fleet  
assessment! Lt. Dan.*

**By Ed Smith, President & CEO  
Agile Fleet**

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Guide to fleet utilization

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## King County, WA. Council unsatisfied with Sheriff's response to use of deadly force report

The King County Sheriff's Office could be required to explain why it didn't implement recommendations. Aaron Kunkler - February 25, Kent Reporter



The OLEO report made more than 30 recommendations to the Sheriff's Office about how to improve internal investigations into uses of deadly force and deputy conduct. However, the report said all were ignored, without getting an up or down vote by the Sheriff's Office Review Board. Johanknecht disagreed. "Reforms did not die on the vine," Johanknecht said. But the report questioned why deputies are only compelled to submit a written report two full days following a use of deadly force, and not sooner. The Sheriff's Office argued that 48 hours allowed deputies to more accurately remember what happened and that the waiting period was part of the deputies' bargained labor contract. This report is used in the Sheriff's Office's internal investigation. In the event of a death, a separate criminal investigation is also launched by an outside agency.

Council unsatisfied with Sheriff's response to use of deadly force report

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## Upcoming Jail Inspections and Audit Courses

[Mar 24-26, 2020 Carrollton, TX \(Dallas Area\)](#)

[Apr 28-30, 2020 Mesa, AZ \(Phx Area\)](#)

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**Law Enforcement Misconduct related issues:**

# Of Helicopter Crash That Killed Kobe Bryant, Source Confirms: CBSN LA: February 28, 2020



**CBSN LOS ANGELES**

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LOS ANGELES (CBSLA) — Deputies with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department shared graphic photos of the helicopter crash that killed Kobe Bryant and eight others, a law enforcement source familiar with the situation confirmed to CBS Los Angeles Thursday.

That source said they had not seen the images, but said they were trying to track down the origin of the photographs. According to the Los Angeles Times, the photos were of the crash scene and the victims' remains, though it was not immediately clear if the deputies took the photos or if they received them from somebody else. One source told the Times that the photos were shared with other officials who had nothing to do with the investigation.

**Follow up on story:**

[LA deputies were ordered to delete graphic Kobe Bryant crash ...](https://www.nydailynews.com/news/national/ny-la-deputies...)

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## his deputies leaked photos from Kobe Bryant's ...

Deputies Shared Graphic Images From Scene Of Helicopter Crash That Killed Kobe Bryant, Source Confirms

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# Chief, 3 others

## Charges stem from cover up of detective having sex with informant

News4 JAX (Georgia) 2/28/2020



BRUNSWICK, Ga. – Four current or former police officers, including current Glynn County Police Chief John Powell, were indicted Thursday night on a variety of charges resulting from an investigation into a former police officer who had sex with a confidential informant. The grand jury found sufficient evidence to justify 20 charges, including violation of oath, attempt to commit a felony, influencing a witness, perjury and making false statements to the Georgia Bureau of Investigation. Jurors declined to indict on one additional charge they considered. The charges go back to 2017, when information got out that Glynn-Brunswick Narcotics Enforcement Team investigator James Cassadra was having sex with an informant. The court documents show that supervisors knew about the incidents but did not immediately report it to Powell, and when he did find out, he didn't take appropriate action.

# St. Louis officer gets 7 years for killing female colleague while playing Russian roulette

FEBRUARY 28, 2020 / 12:48 PM / CBS/AP



Nathaniel Hendren, 30, had been scheduled to go to trial March 23 on charges of first-degree involuntary manslaughter and armed criminal action. He was accused of fatally shooting 24-year-old Katlyn Alix, also a St. Louis police officer, at his home in January 2019 while he was supposed to be on duty elsewhere. Hendren's male partner, also on duty, was at the home, too. Alix, a married military veteran, was off-duty at the time.

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# Tampa police detective insured his boat after it sank, Pasco deputies say

Sgt. Shane Gadoury obtained insurance for his boat and lied about its condition even though he knew it had already capsized, according to the Pasco County Sheriff's Office.

By Kavitha Surana, 2/27/2020

A Tampa police detective was arrested Thursday on allegations that he fraudulently insured his boat — after it sank.

Sgt. Shane Gadoury, a 15-year veteran of the Tampa Police Department, faces a charge of filing a false and fraudulent insurance claim. He has been placed on administrative duty. The incident took place in November. Gadoury called the Hernando County Sheriff's Office at about 6:12 p.m. and asked the agency to send a deputy to check on his boat, saying on a recorded like that "there's something wrong with it ... and it may have capsized." Then at 6:19 p.m., the report said, Gadoury called a recorded Progressive phone line and had the insurance policy reinstated. He insured it "while knowingly and intentionally providing false statements regarding the boat's condition," the arrest report said, and after a Hernando deputy confirmed it sank.

Tampa police detective insured his boat after it sank, Pasco deputies say

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## used as police informant

George Hunter, The Detroit News Published 2:22 p.m. ET Feb. 26, 2020 | Updated 6:26 a.m. ET Feb. 27, 2020

Detroit — Local and federal authorities said Wednesday they've launched investigations to find out how and why an informant was allowed to stay out of prison before allegedly killing six people.

Kenyel Brown, 40, who committed multiple violations while on federal probation for a 2015 weapons charge, was used as an informant for the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, before he was "handed off" to a federal task force made up of Detroit police and the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, Detroit police Chief James Craig said.

The task force began working with Brown on Oct. 29 — the same day he was released from federal supervision, Craig said. Court records show Brown was used as an informant for a federal agency while on probation. The U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives used him for information before the Detroit police/DEA task force signed him up on Oct. 29, Craig said.

Probe to investigate why man accused in 6 slayings was used as police informant

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Wednesday, February 26th, 2020 11:35am

By Travis Thayer [@TheTravisThayer](#)**Dorian La Course is accused of buying and selling weapons without village council consent.****Dorian La Course. Photo by the Village of Addyston Police Department.**

(Addyston, Oh.) - The Mayor of Addyston has suspended Police Chief Dorian La Course effective immediately.

La Course is being suspended without pay for several alleged violations including buying and selling weapons without village council consent.

He is also accused of buying armor piercing bullets which are illegal in Ohio.

Mayor Lisa Mear said in a letter that La Course may have forged documents to complete the transactions and kept money that was supposed to go to the village.

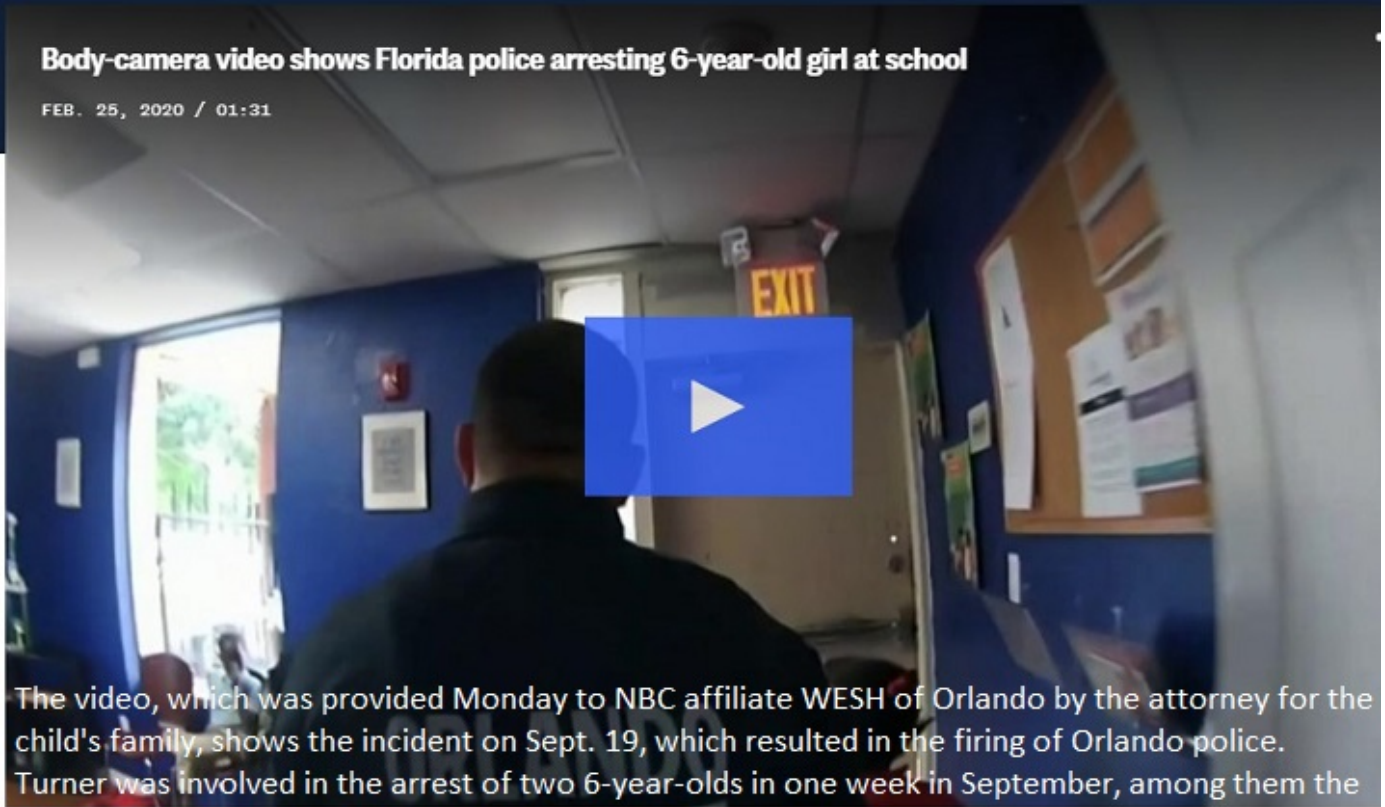
**Addyston Police Chief Suspended Without Pay**

# at school

The child had zip put around her wrists as she cried and pleaded to be let go.

## Body-camera video shows Florida police arresting 6-year-old girl at school

FEB. 25, 2020 / 01:31



The video, which was provided Monday to NBC affiliate WESH of Orlando by the attorney for the child's family, shows the incident on Sept. 19, which resulted in the firing of Orlando police. Turner was involved in the arrest of two 6-year-olds in one week in September, among them the girl in the video. He was fired within days. Officer Dennis Turner.

Feb. 25, 2020, 6:53 AM MST / Updated Feb. 25, 2020, 11:56 AM MST

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**Video shows police arresting 6-year-old girl at school**

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# obtained an arrest warrant for wrong person

by: Russell Falcon, Feb 24, 2020 Austin KXAN



AUSTIN (KXAN) — The Austin Police Department has issued a temporary suspension for a detective accused of failing to properly investigate a crime and then getting a judge to issue a warrant for the wrong person.

According to a memo from APD Police Chief Brian Manley, on March 7, 2019, Detective Frank Wilson was assigned a case of a driver leaving the scene of a collision. The memo says then, in August, Wilson submitted an affidavit for a judge to issue an arrest warrant for a man — referred in the memo as “Mr. X.”

An arrest warrant for a third-degree felony failure to stop and render aid charge was issued for Mr. X on Sept. 4 and the man voluntarily turned himself in. APD says, further investigation showed that Mr. X was not the suspect in the crime or any other crime.

**APD suspends detective after finding he obtained an arrest warrant for wrong person**

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## investigation into Syracuse University's police department after student complaints and protests, the school announced Monday.

NBC News • February 24, 2020



Syracuse, a private university in upstate New York with around 15,000 undergraduates, has been rocked by a series of racist incidents followed by student protest. #NotAgainSU, a self-described black-led movement of student activists, took over a Syracuse University administration building last week, demanding a more equitable campus. Among their demands is a call to disarm the campus police, who they believe mistreated students and responded to their sit-in with disproportionate force.

Former AG Loretta Lynch to lead investigation into Syracuse University police

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**Department of Justice**

U.S. Attorney's Office

Northern District of Georgia

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Monday, February 24, 2020

**Former federal and local law enforcement officer sentenced to ten years in prison for stealing drugs and falsifying a police report**

ATLANTA – Former Gwinnett County Sheriff's Deputy Antione Riggins has been sentenced to ten years in federal prison following his guilty plea to drug trafficking and making a false statement to cover up his drug crimes. Riggins committed these crimes while employed as a federal and local law enforcement officer. Riggins was a federally-deputized task force officer with Homeland Security Investigations (HSI), while also employed as a deputy sheriff with the Gwinnett County Sheriff's Office (GCSO). In these roles, Riggins was responsible for investigating drug trafficking cases and transporting seized drugs from HSI crime scenes to the GCSO evidence room. In 2017, HSI seized three kilograms of cocaine following a high-speed car chase and crash. Riggins transported the cocaine to the GCSO evidence vault. He checked only one kilogram of cocaine into evidence, not three. He made a false document to cover up his cocaine theft.

In 2017, seizure of six kilograms of meth. Riggins with transported the meth. to the GCSO evidence vault; none of the methamphetamine checked into evidence.

In another case HSI seized approximately 4 kilograms of heroin and 172 oxycodone pills from a metro-Atlanta stash house. Once again, Riggins was made responsible for transporting the drugs to the evidence room. Riggins stole all but 96 grams of the heroin. Riggins's role at HSI and GCSO ended in 2018.

Former federal and local law enforcement officer sentenced to ten years in prison for stealing drugs and falsifying a police report

## **misconduct** Courier Post Feb 25, 2020

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TRENTON, NJ. — Andrea V. Knox, who is assigned to Troop D at the Moorestown station, has been suspended, according to the New Jersey State Police. She faces criminal charges after she allegedly received images of child pornography in a sexually explicit text exchange with another trooper. She failed to report her fellow trooper had shared child pornography, “despite her duty as a police officer to enforce and uphold the laws,” the state Attorney General’s Office said Tuesday.

Knox, 35, was charged Tuesday with official misconduct and possession of child pornography, the agency said in a statement. Knox, who is assigned to Troop D at the Moorestown station, has been suspended, the statement said. The other trooper, Jeffrey Reitz of Williamstown, was charged with distribution of child pornography.

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**NJ State Trooper charged in Child Porn Case**

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# ***Aurora (CO) police chief fires officer for 'severe misconduct'***



"This officer's conduct was completely out of character with the mission, ideals and expectations of the Aurora Police Department."

- Aurora Police interim chief Vanessa Wilson

Aurora, Colo. (KDVR) Aurora PD identified the officer at Levi Huffine. He began working for APD in November 2012. The department says the case involves officers making contact with a member of the public, adding that someone complained of a non-serious injury and was checked out by medical staff.

"If [they] have a gross act that's unlawful, that's a clear violation of policy, the chief absolutely has discretion to make a firing decision on the spot," said Paul Taylor, a former police officer and assistant professor at University of Colorado Denver.

Regardless of the ruling from Aurora's Civil Service Commission, either the officer or chief can appeal, sending the case into the court system.

"Due to a pending appeals process that is given to civil service employees, I am unable to provide additional details or information about this incident until that process has been completed. At such time, I will make the body worn camera footage available and address questions from our community members," Wilson wrote.

***Some stories of good police work to remind us that the vast majority of law enforcement professionals do a great job! Lt. Dan***

## **Oklahoma state trooper buys woman 2 new tires after she suffers flat while driving to work**



Way to go Trooper Chris Hanover #505 - he went above and beyond on this call. This message came to us last week from Andrea Derksen.

"Blew a tire on the way to work this morning. An OHP officer stopped to help, but stated my spare was not in much better condition than my blown tire. He took me to a local tire shop and not only helped me get my blown tire fixed, but he also bought 2 other tires that I desperately needed. He turned what was starting to be a tough day into a blessing.

Officer Chris Hanover, what you did for me was a big deal, and I can't thank you enough! Thank you for all you do, and for being so amazing!!!"

# tried to dive out a 10th-floor window: video

By [Tina Moore](#) and [Craig McCarthy](#)

February 26, 2020 | 4:01pm | Updated



Quick-acting cops saved an armed, suicidal 19-year-old man who tried to dive out of a 10th-floor window on the Upper West Side — in a dramatic encounter captured on body-worn cameras.

Cops save suicidal teen who tried to dive out a 10th-floor window

## out of the roadway

**Ada County Sheriff's Office**

February 25 at 1:49 PM · 🌐

It's not uncommon for our deputies to encounter folks during a traffic stop who might not be thrilled to see them. That's just a reality of law enforcement – and totally understandable. By the end, these things usually work themselves out. Sometimes, however, they run up against hard-cases who just aren't interested in listening, or talking, or anything, really. Last Sunday was one of those days for Dep. Bryce Bienz.

Bienz had just finished up giving a driver a warning on Eagle Road in Kuna Feb. 16 and was back in his patrol Tahoe when the turkeys decided they didn't like what was going on – and were going to let Bienz know about it.

First they went to the car Bienz had pulled over. That person carefully pulled out but the turkeys remained on the road. Bienz decided to shoo them away so they didn't cause a crash – and they really didn't like that.

(P.S. - Be sure to turn the sound on!)

**Video: Idaho deputy attempts to shoo obstinate turkeys out of road**

**wandering on county road:** Deputies on scene successfully wrangled the sea lion from the center of a road to a driveway, where it was transported back to the river.



Eventually, law enforcement officers and wildlife officials confirmed it with their own eyes. An estimated 600- to 700-pound female Steller sea lion had indeed made its way into the hills from the river up various creeks and onto Garlock Road in a wooded area of the Southwest Washington county.

**Video: Wash. LE capture 650-pound sea lion wandering on county road**



**off-duty hobby:** While his first photographs were taken on the job, Chief Scott Schubert now uses his hobby as a tool to interact with his community  
Pittsburgh Post-Gazette Feb 25, 2020



Pittsburgh police chief builds community bonds through off-duty hobby

**Officer Involved Critical Incidents:**

## Armed With Handgun Inside Church

A man was shot and killed by Santa Ana police on Sunday afternoon after wielding a handgun inside a Catholic church. Laura Newberry, Los Angeles Times, Mar 2nd, 2020



A man was shot and killed by Santa Ana police on Sunday afternoon after wielding a handgun inside a Catholic church.

Dreamstime/TNS

SANTA ANA, California -- A man was shot and killed by Santa Ana police on Sunday afternoon after wielding a handgun inside a Catholic church, according to authorities.

The man, who has not been identified but is thought to be a Santa Ana resident, appeared at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church on Center Street in between Masses, Santa Ana police Cpl. Anthony Bertagna said. About 15 people were there at the time.

**California Police Officer Fatally Shoots Man Armed With Handgun Inside Church**

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By **Alan J. Keays**

Feb 26 2020 | 4 reader footnotes

*A just-released Rutland City police video of a fatal shootout that involved the son of a former longtime mayor shows the suspect firing at police. The dashboard camera captured the incident that began with a short pursuit through a downtown shopping center plaza parking lot. Vermont:*



*The above video contains graphic content.*

Police release video of fatal shootout in Rutland

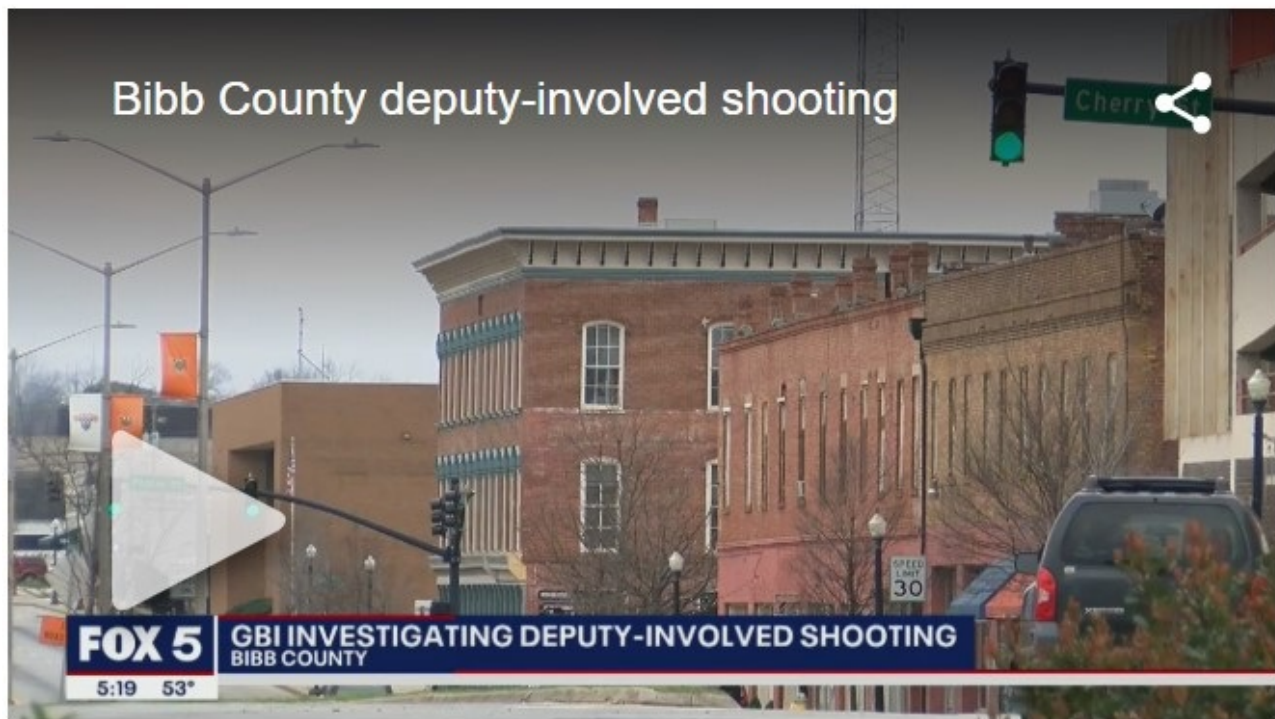
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# in Bibb County

Fox 5 3/1/2020

**BIBB COUNTY, Ga.** - The Georgia Bureau of Investigation is investigating an early Sunday morning deputy-involved shooting that sent one man to the hospital in Bibb County.

Officials say a Bibb County deputy was conducting a business check around 1:47 Sunday morning near the Late Nite Macon bar on the 400 block of Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard when he saw a man run down the street.



## Bibb County deputy-involved shooting

The Georgia Bureau of Investigation is investigating a Bibb County Sheriff's deputy-involved shooting

[GBI investigating deputy-involved shooting in Bibb County](#)

# Clarita

March 1, 2020 at 11:17 pm Filed Under: Deputy-Involved Shootings, LA County Sheriff's Dept., Santa Clarita Valley Sheriff's Station



**SANTA CLARITA (CBSLA)** — A man was struck and killed in a deputy-involved shooting at the Santa Clarita Valley Sheriff's Station parking lot on Sunday. No deputies were injured.

The incident happened at about 2:29 p.m in a restricted part of the station's property, according to authorities.

Authorities said an officer was leaving in his patrol car when a man appeared on foot with a gun in his hand. They say the suspect refused orders to drop the weapon and kept moving closer towards the officers. A deputy then opened fire and shot the suspect, who was later pronounced dead. Deputies have not yet released the man's identity.

No additional information was available.

**Suspect Killed In Deputy-Involved Shooting In Santa Clarita**

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# suspects shot in Whitfield County, GA.

The Atlanta Constitution 2/29/2020



Photo: Matt Hamilton/Dail

The first incident took place in July 2019 when 32-year-old David Schmitt stood in the middle of Abutment and Callahan roads attempting to stop cars, the GBI said. When Guerrero approached Schmitt, the suspect allegedly attacked the officer, the officer used his Taser on Schmitt, but the suspect ended up getting the Taser and trying to use it on the officer, the GBI said. That's when Guerrero shot several times, hitting Schmitt at least once. Schmitt was taken to Hamilton Medical Center, where he was later released and booked.

Second Incident 3 mo later: Matthew James Fleming was found in the middle of the Road yelling at cars and people while refusing to follow the cop's commands, the GBI said. This incident occurred within a mile of the earlier officer-involved shooting. Before the shooting, Fleming allegedly tried to draw a weapon from his waist, which led to Pangle shooting the man several times, killing him. At the time, the GBI did not say whether a weapon was collected from the scene.

Report: DA clears 2 cops of wrongdoing after suspects shot in Whitfield County

## shooting on West Side: Police say three children were ushered out of the home as officers went in during the disturbance

KSAT.com 2/29/2020



San Antonio, TX: The male suspect, 45, was the 'on-again, off-again' boyfriend of the mother of the woman who called police, according to SAPD's preliminary details. However, the mother wasn't at the home when the shooting broke out.

The woman said the man was acting irrationally at the time of the incident, police said.

### San Antonio police seek man accused of shooting South Side Subway employee

Officers arrived at the scene and two went inside of the home. Police say the man was standing in the hallway and pointed a gun at the officers. None of the officers were injured; however, police fired gunshots and the man was killed, according to SAPD.

Suspect killed after officer-involved shooting on West Side

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# of Murder in Fatal 2017 Shooting

Megan Crepeau, Chicago Tribune Feb 28th, 2020



CHICAGO -- A Cook County judge on Friday acquitted an Amtrak police officer of first-degree murder in the fatal on-duty shooting of an unarmed man, saying the officer reasonably believed he was acting in self-defense when he fired his weapon.

LaRoyce Tankson hugged his attorneys and blinked away tears as Judge Dennis Porter handed down the acquittal. His supporters in the packed gallery sighed in relief. Tankson was on duty near Union Station in 2017 when he stopped Chad Robertson and two of his acquaintances, then attempted to pat them down, telling them it was a check for weapons. Robertson resisted, asking why the pat-down was necessary, and then took off running, Porter recounted from the bench Friday. As he ran, he turned slightly toward Tankson and reached into his left pocket — an act that Tankson interpreted as Robertson reaching for a gun. In fact, Robertson was reaching to retrieve two bags of marijuana from his pocket. No weapons were found on him. But the act of turning and reaching in his pocket, coupled with Robertson's earlier resistance to the pat-down, was enough to give Tankson a reasonable belief that Robertson was armed and about to shoot, Porter said.

Amtrak Police Officer Found Not Guilty of Murder in Fatal 2017 Shooting



# officer-involved shooting in Loudoun Co.

by Samantha Mitchell (ABC7) | Thursday, February 27th 2020

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LOUDOUN COUNTY, Va. — Virginia State Police say they are currently investigating a shooting involving officers in Loudoun County Thursday evening.

Troopers say the incident started around 7:30 p.m. when they stopped a vehicle on Interstate 66 at Exit 57 for Route 50.

The vehicle continued to drive, according to law enforcement, and troopers started a pursuit of the vehicle.

The pursuit continued to Sterling Boulevard and Route 28, where the suspect's vehicle crashed, according to Virginia State Police.

According to state law enforcement, the troopers approached the suspect vehicle's driver and at least one shot was fired by state police.

The male suspect was flown to Reston Hospital Center to be treated for serious injuries, according to state police.

No law enforcement officers were injured, but an investigation into the incident continues.

Virginia State Police say chase turned into officer-involved shooting in Loudoun Co.

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## near New Mexico

Laura Lollman

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HOLBROOK, AZ (3TV/CBS 5) -- Westbound Interstate 40 is restricted east of Holbrook for a trooper-involved shooting early Friday morning. The Interstate had been shut down for hours after the incident.

According to the Department of Public Safety, they were notified by the New Mexico State Police of a pursuit of heavily armed homicide suspects that was inbound to Arizona.

As Arizona DPS troopers took over the pursuit the suspects began shooting at them and the New Mexico State Police troopers. Additional troopers deployed ahead of the suspects returned fire, stopping the suspects' vehicle. They were then taken into custody.

No one was injured during the shooting. The suspects are identified as a 37-year-old man and a 25-year-old woman. No names were released.

**Suspects arrested after exchange of gunfire with troopers on I-40 near New Mexico**

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## who stabbed K9



Saginaw police officers and 5-year-old German shepherd Deebo entered the house and police said Blaisdell stabbed Deebo in the head with a knife he had been brandishing. (Source WILX)

By News 10/AP Feb 28, 2020 SAGINAW, Mi. (AP) - A prosecutor says the fatal shooting of a Saginaw man who had stabbed a police dog in the head was a legitimate use of force.

Prosecutor John McColgan Jr. says Zane Blaisdell had a knife in his hand, and two Saginaw officers feared for their safety when they shot him on Feb. 9. The police dog was rushed to a local veterinary hospital and was expected to survive.

Prosecutor clears cops in fatal shooting of man who stabbed K9

# Red Line stop in the Loop

by: [WGN Web Desk, Tom Negovan](#)

Posted: Feb 28, 2020 / 04:29 PM CST / Updated: Feb 28, 2020 / 10:30 PM CST

## Man wounded in police-involved shooting near Red ...

Chicago police are investigating after a man was critically injured in a police-involved shooting at CTA Red Line station in the Loop.

CHICAGO — Officers responded to the CTA station at Grand and State around 4 p.m. Friday.

Police said officers were on the Red Line train when they observed a man jumping from car to car. Two officers assigned to the Mass Transit Unit attempted to stop a man "who was moving between two train cars, in violation of City ordinance. " "A struggle ensued at the Grand Red Line station as they attempted to place the subject into custody. Both officers deployed their Tasers. At some point during the incident, one of the officers discharged their weapon, striking the subject twice," according to the statement. Video posted to social media shows two police officers struggling with the man who appears disoriented and uncooperative. The video shows officers tasing him then pepper-spraying numerous times. The man is seen resisting efforts to be placed in handcuffs. He can be heard saying "I didn't do anything to you."

Man wounded in police-involved shooting near Red Line stop in the Loop

# troopers near Gig Harbor

BY KIRO 7 NEWS STAFF

FEBRUARY 28, 2020 AT 6:39 AM

Washington - State



A chase near Gig Harbor early Friday morning. (KIRO 7)

Pierce County Sheriff's Department Sgt. Darren Moss Jr. said troopers tried to pull over a driver of a Ford F-150 on Purdy Drive Northwest at about 8:46 p.m., but a short chase started. Deputies said the driver of the truck crashed and rolled into the woods along State Route 302.

The driver reportedly fired shots at troopers who returned fire, according to deputies. Deputies said when law enforcement officers at the scene approached the driver's truck, he was dead. It's not clear if the troopers' gunfire is what killed him. No troopers were hurt in the chase or the shooting. Officials said the Pierce County Sheriff's Department will be leading the investigation.

Man dead after chase, shooting involving troopers near Gig Harbor

## accused of kidnapping his girlfriend

Deputies ID suspect as Bryce Weir, 19



Deputies knew where Weir lived and they located him a short time after he released the victim. When deputies arrived, Weir pulled out a Glock handgun with a high-capacity magazine and fired at deputies. Deputies returned fire, hitting Weir at least once in his leg.

Orange FL. County deputies return fire, shoot man accused of kidnapping his girlfriend

# suspect in Lakeville confrontation

MPR News 2.28/2020

A Dakota County sheriff's deputy shot and killed a 36-year-old man who opened fire on officers late Friday morning as they came to serve an order for protection, the sheriff's office said. No officers were injured. The shooting is under investigation.

Deputies and Lakeville police had come to the home on the 20000 block of Italy Avenue in Lakeville to serve the order, which included a demand to leave the home. The suspect, who has not been named, also had an active arrest warrant for fourth-degree assault on an officer, the agency said.

“Within seconds of deputies and officers entering the residence, the subject, who was armed with a gun, opened fire,” the sheriff's office said in a statement. “One Dakota County deputy returned fire, fatally striking the suspect,” who was declared dead at the scene.

The Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension is leading the investigation.

Dakota County deputy kills suspect in Lakeville confrontation

[State's attorney: Addison cops justified in shooting man armed with a gun](#)

[Chicago Daily Herald](#)

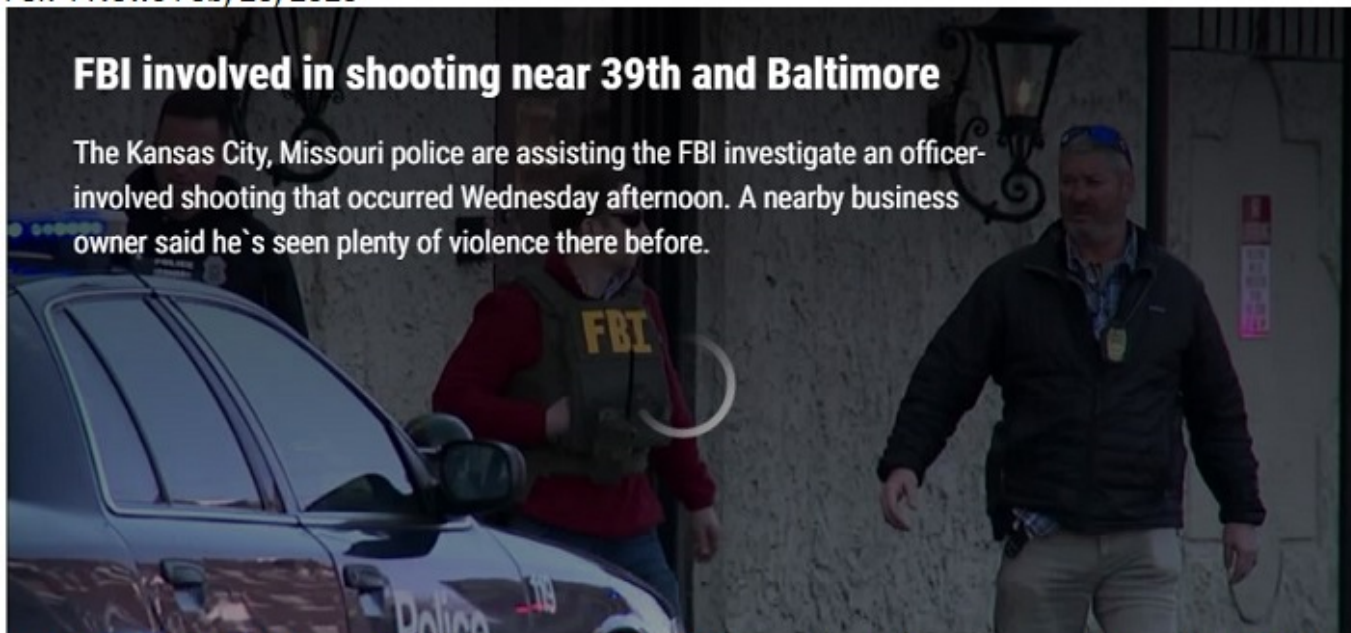
**Three Addison (ILL) police officers have been cleared in an October shooting in which they opened fire on an armed**

# FBI involved in shooting near 39th and Baltimore, business owner says area is violent

Fox 4 News Feb, 26, 2020

## FBI involved in shooting near 39th and Baltimore

The Kansas City, Missouri police are assisting the FBI investigate an officer-involved shooting that occurred Wednesday afternoon. A nearby business owner said he's seen plenty of violence there before.



KANSAS CITY, Mo. -- The Kansas City, Missouri police are assisting the FBI investigate an officer-involved shooting that occurred Wednesday afternoon.

The incident was reported around 2:30 p.m. near 39th and Baltimore. Jacob Becchina with KCPD tells FOX4 the FBI is leading the investigation. KCPD confirmed that the shooting involved an FBI agent and suspect and not a KCPD officer.

"The police is here, like, every day," nearby business owner Draue Drako said. "People getting shot, stabbed... it definitely doesn't help my business." The extent of the injuries in the shooting is unknown at this time.

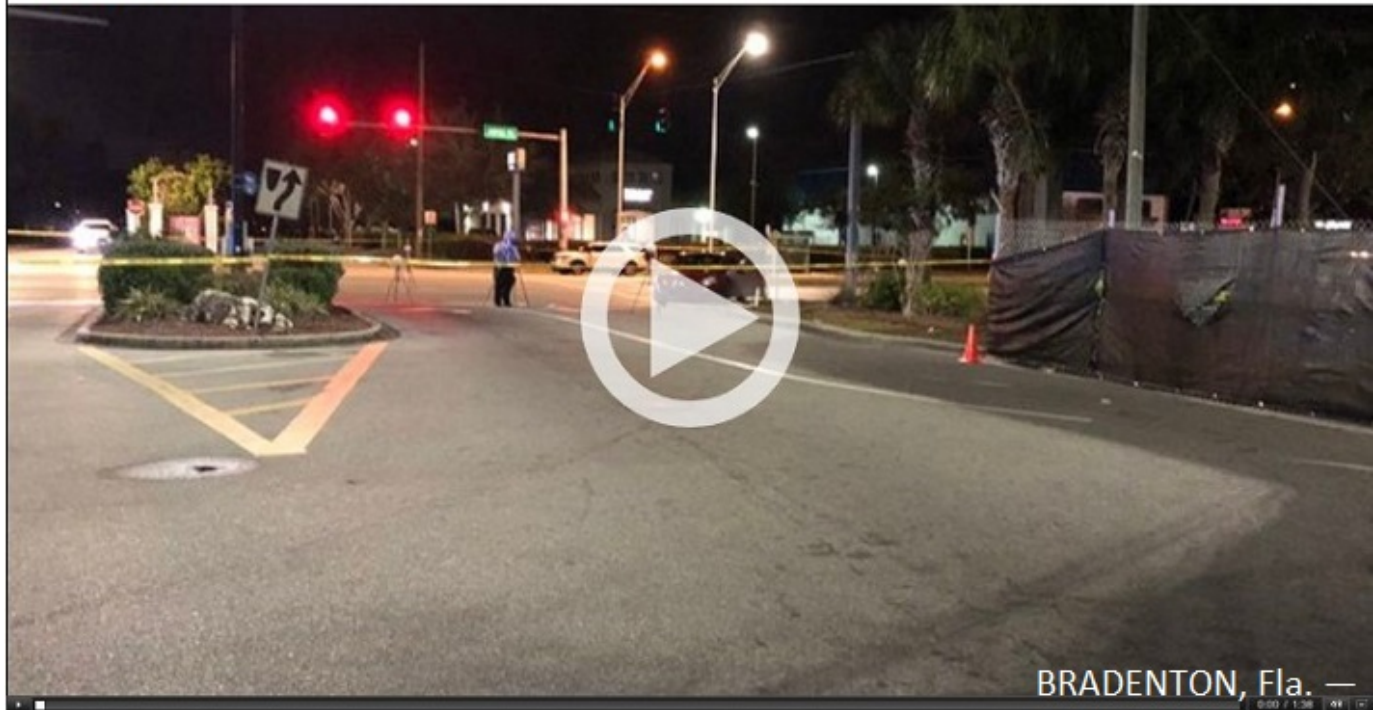
FOX4 has a crew on scene and will update as details become available.



# Shooting; No Deputies Hurt

BY FALLON SILCOX MANATEE COUNTY

FEB. 26, 2020



Officials said the man was driving a red Chevy sedan with no front driver's side tire and significant front end damage. The driver was later identified as Justin Lee Stackhouse. Deputies said when they attempted to stop the vehicle, Stackhouse sped up and initiated a short, low-speed pursuit. The pursuit ended when he pulled onto a curb. When another deputy pulled up behind the Chevy and stepped out of the cruiser, Stackhouse put the car in reverse and tried to back into the deputy, authorities said. That deputy then fired multiple shots, striking Stackhouse, who died at an area hospital.

Manatee Driver Dead After Deputy-Involved Shooting; No Deputies Hurt

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Video: 'She protected herself and her kids': Off-duty deputy shoots man trying to break into her home with ax, sheriff says



APOPKA, Fla. — Feb 26: A burglary suspect attempting to breaking into numerous homes with an ax in the Rolling Oaks subdivision was shot by an off-duty deputy who lived there, according to the Orange County Sheriff's Office.

'She protected herself and her kids': Off-duty deputy shoots man trying to break into her home with ax, sheriff says

## Nebraska state trooper fatally shoots man after hours-long standoff

By Nancy Gaarder / World-Herald staff writer Feb 24, 2020

A man who had threatened his father with a firearm and killed animals at a rural residence was shot and killed Monday in a confrontation with the Nebraska State Patrol, according to a statement from the patrol.

Print Zutavern, 28, was shot after he got out of an off-road vehicle and moved aggressively toward officers, the patrol said late Monday.

The incident remains under investigation.

Nebraska state trooper fatally shoots man after hours-long standoff

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## Law Enforcement Newsletter

**March 10th, 2020**

*This newsletter is to provide law enforcement professionals involved in law enforcement oversight / inspections / audits / and IA investigations, information on current high profile issues / or new practices in the profession. Lt. Dan*

### Upcoming classes:

[Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course](#) - Kansas City, MO.

March 17-19

[Jail Inspections Course](#) - Carrollton, TX. Mar 24-26

**Training schedule** with all the Spring classes posted at the end of the newsletter.

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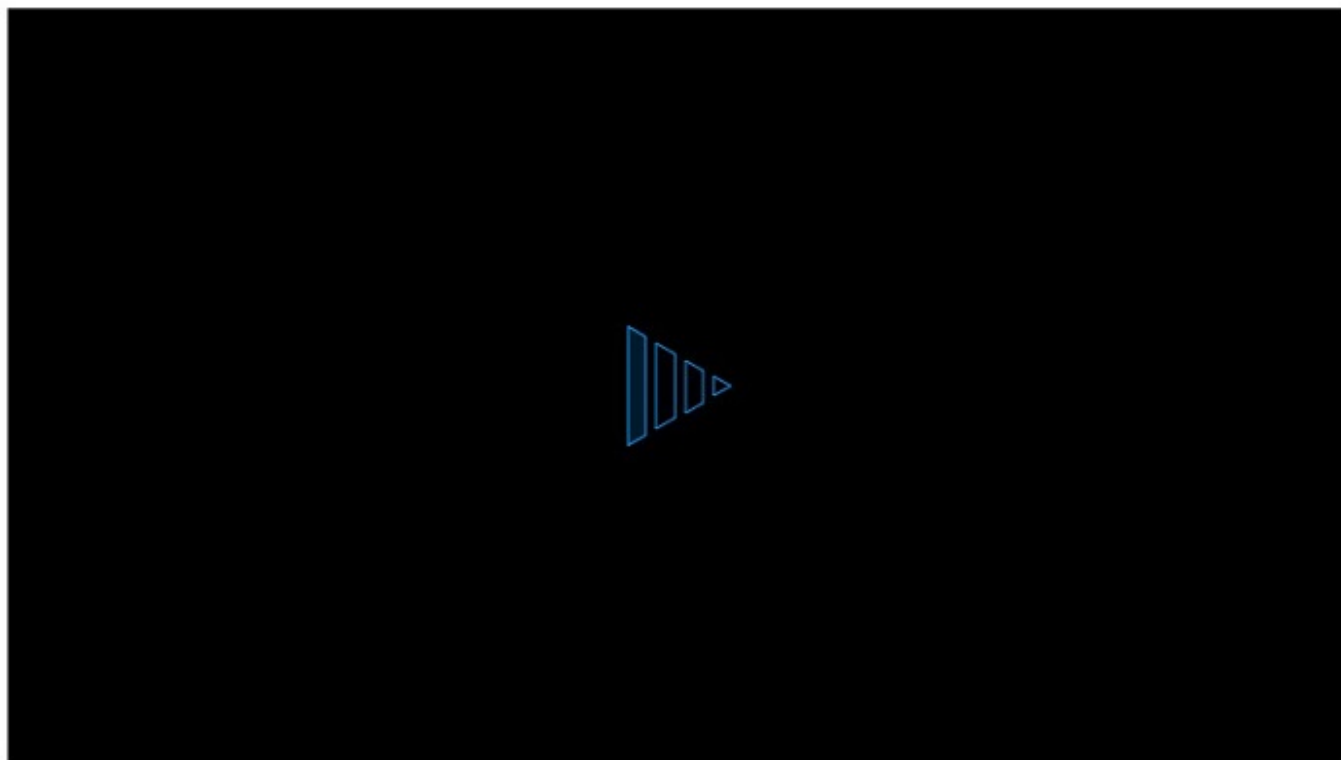
SPECIAL POLICE TASKFORCE

This week doing inspections and audit training with the police chiefs from the Dutch Caribbean Island's. Great group!

**News:**

# for 2020 crime surge

Washington Examiner 3/7/2020



The New York Police Department blamed the state's new bail reform laws for the crime spike in the city this year.

The police force for the largest city in the country said 482 people who were cut loose after being arrested in 2020 reoffended. Those reoffenders were responsible for 846 new crimes, and 299 of those crimes were considered "major" felonies, including one murder, [according to NYPD statistics](#).

All of the 482 suspects released could have been put in jail before the new laws were enacted on Jan. 1.

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**NYPD blames new bail reform laws for 2020 crime surge**

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## Video

The suspect is shown struggling against officers and refusing to comply with orders to cooperate

Rocco Parascandola and Thomas Tracy  
New York Daily News 3/6/2020

NEW YORK — The city's top cop has launched an investigation into a disturbing viral video that appears to show a group of NYPD police officers stomping a 20-year-old man suspected of smoking pot on a Brooklyn street.

"Take your hands off me! What are you doing! Help!" Fitzroy Gayle screams during the two-minute cellphone video recorded by a bystander and shared more than five million times since appearing online Wednesday night.

NYPD Commissioner Dermot Shea said Thursday the video shows some "disturbing points" during the 8 p.m. Wednesday arrest.

NYPD investigating after backlash over arrest video

## [Google, Apple's refusal to cooperate during investigations a 'frustration' for LE](#)

The New Jersey Supreme Court is weighing whether LEOs can force suspects to unlock phones during an investigation

3/6/2020, Andrew Goudsward Asbury Park Press

## Fired police chief plans to sue Oakland; former colleague rips federal monitor

East Bay Times 3/5/2020

Things are about to get real interesting in Oakland. Lt. Dan







OAKLAND — Fired Oakland police Chief Anne Kirkpatrick said Thursday that she will file a lawsuit against the city, and has retained a prominent San Francisco law firm to represent her.

Her announcement came as the Oakland Police Department's former federal compliance director became the latest person to publicly blast the monitor overseeing the police force. In interviews with this news organization after Kirkpatrick's termination, former Oakland chiefs Howard Jordan and Sean Whent, as well as former New York Police Commissioner Bill Bratton, have questioned monitor Robert Warshaw's handling of OPD's federal oversight program, now in its 17th year. Jordan joined Kirkpatrick at her news conference Thursday. In a stunning development, Thomas Frazier, who was Oakland's compliance director and worked alongside Warshaw until 2014, joined in the criticism of Warshaw, saying the monitor "saw me as a threat to his million-dollar-a-year gig."

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Fired police chief plans to sue Oakland; former colleague rips federal monitor

# Maris Herold Named New Boulder Police Chief

Maris Herold is the Boulder Police Department's first female police chief.

By Amber Fisher, Patch Staff   
Mar 3, 2020 6:40 pm MT

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Maris Herold has been named Boulder's new police chief. (Image via City of Boulder)

**BOULDER, CO** — Maris Herold has been named the new chief of the Boulder Police Department. She's the University of Cincinnati Police Chief, and is set to begin her new job in Boulder April 20.

# fleet of hybrid police cruisers 3/4/2020 Salt Lake Tribune



(Rick Egan | The Salt Lake Tribune) Officer Keith Larsen Unified Police Fleet Manager talks about the new Unified Police hybrid vehicles on display, during a news conference in front of the Salt Lake County Sheriff's Office, Wednesday March 4, 2020

Salt Lake County and Unified Police Department leaders unveiled a fleet of hybrid police interceptor vehicles on Wednesday at the same time they announced plans to better enforce anti-idling laws — their newest initiatives aimed at curbing air pollution. The vehicles are gas and electric hybrids that are specifically designed to be used in law enforcement because they meet the required specifications previously only available to gas vehicles.

“[The vehicles] idle only about 20 percent of the time in a 2 hour period,” UPD fleet manager Keith Larsen said, adding that using these vehicles will reduce CO2 emissions by approximately 5 million pounds a year.

Unified Police Department unveils fleet of hybrid police cruisers

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## Audits / Assessment / Oversight Reports



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## **Law Enforcement Misconduct related issues:**

[Judge: NYPD destroyed cop's notes on alleged arrest quota system](#)

NY Daily News: 3/7/2020: The ruling says a discrimination lawsuit filed by four officers was 'unfairly harmed' by the notes' destruction

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[four more officers suspended](#) Federal public defenders are reviewing cases investigated by officers that have since been brought up on corruption charges

Baltimore Sunb 3/7/2020

# Florida cops misidentify bodies of 2 teens in horrifying mix-up

By **Natalie O'Neill**

NY Post

March 6, 2020 | 3:29pm | Updated



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Florida cops misidentify bodies of 2 teens in horrifying mix-up

# accused of assault, sexual misconduct with Selah High School students, WSP says

Posted: March 5, 2020 7:39 PM

by Emily Goodell



SELAH, Wash. — A Selah police officer accused of assault with a firearm and sexual misconduct may face criminal charges following a months-long investigation by Washington State Patrol.

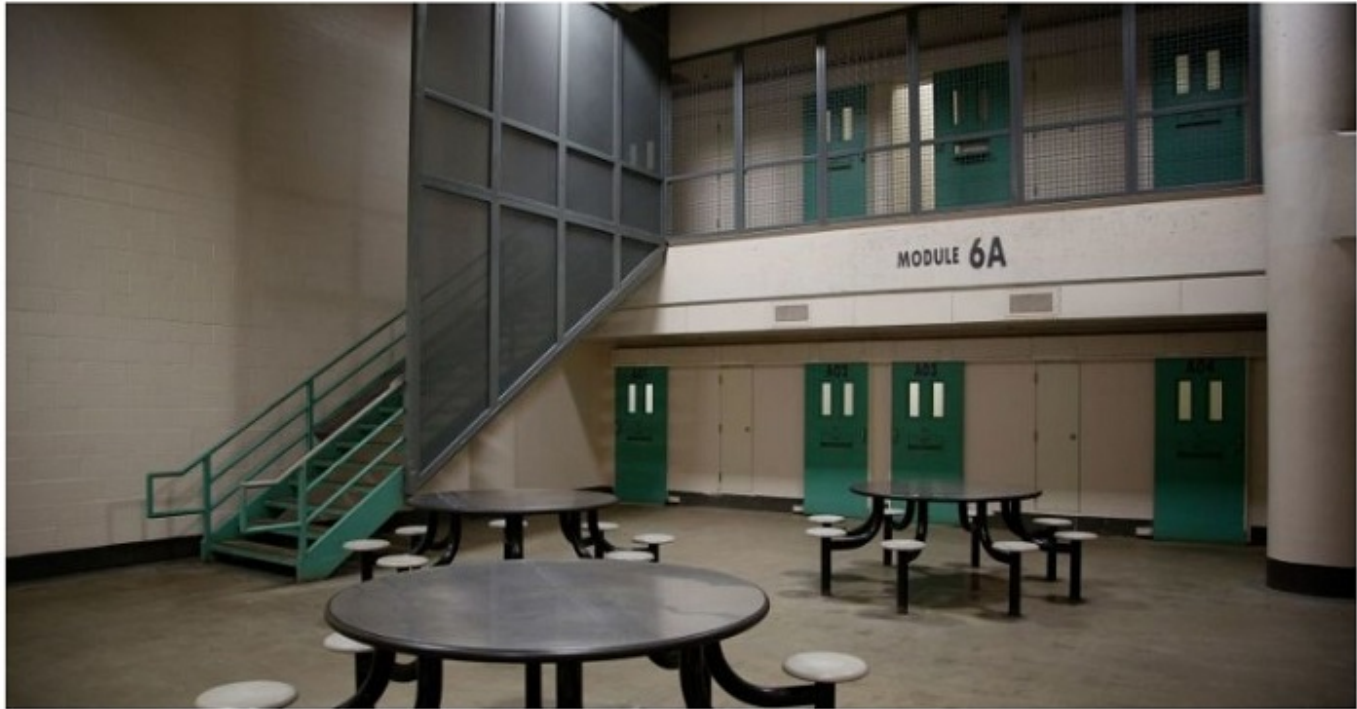
Troopers began investigating alleged criminal behavior by Sgt. Jerald Smith on Nov. 8, 2019, when the case was referred to WSP by the Selah Police Department. Smith agreed to enter into a mental health treatment center in Draper, Utah, where he was admitted; he was later transferred to another mental health facility in Scottsdale, Arizona, the report said.

Former Selah PD officer accused of assault, sexual misconduct with Selah High School students, WSP says

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# noticing 'unresponsive' inmate, medical examiner finds

San Diego Tribune 3/4/2020



San Diego Central Jail (Nelvin C. Cepeda / San Diego Union-Tribune)

Matthew Godfrey's death Nov. 27 was ruled 'natural' despite anomalies that made it look like a suicide

When San Diego sheriff's deputies saw Matthew Godfrey lying unresponsive on the floor of his jail cell last November, they didn't immediately unlock the door to see what was wrong.

Instead, according to an autopsy report released last week, deputies continued their rounds, checking on other inmates housed on the sixth floor of the San Diego Central Jail.

Deputies waited 11 minutes to call 911 after noticing 'unresponsive' inmate, medical examiner finds

# misconduct, sheriff says



by: Staff Reports

Posted: Mar 6, 2020 / 05:00 PM EST / Updated: Mar 6, 2020 / 05:00 PM EST

KOKOMO, Ind. (WISH) — A series of investigations at the Howard County Jail has prompted the firing of six officers, according to Howard County Sheriff Jerry Asher.

Asher said Friday the officers were fired after allegations of “improper activity” were deemed in

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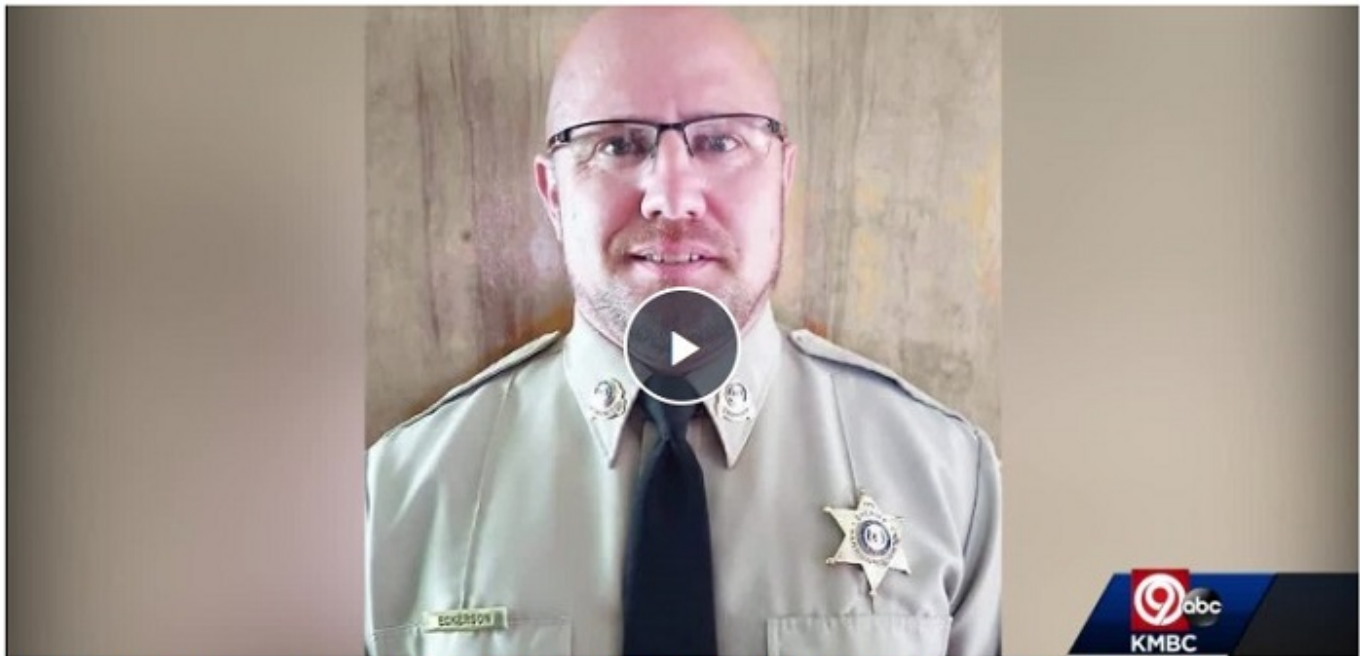
6 Howard County Jail officers fired for misconduct, sheriff says

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# suicide' after charges filed against him

KMBC 3/6



BETHANY, Mo. — Harrison County Sheriff Joshua Q. Eckerson has died of a “suspected suicide,” hours after a special prosecutor filed three misdemeanor charges against him.

The Missouri State Highway Patrol Troop H said deputies with the Harrison County Sheriff's Department, authorities with MSHP and Bethany, Missouri, police responded to a residence in Bethany Thursday night where they found a man dead. That individual, identified as Eckerson, was believed to have died as the result of a self-inflicted gunshot wound, authorities said.

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Eckerson was accused of misuse of official information by a public servant, alleged trespass in the third degree and alleged domestic assault in the fourth degree for an incident on Feb. 26.

Harrison County Sheriff dies of 'suspected suicide' after charges filed against him

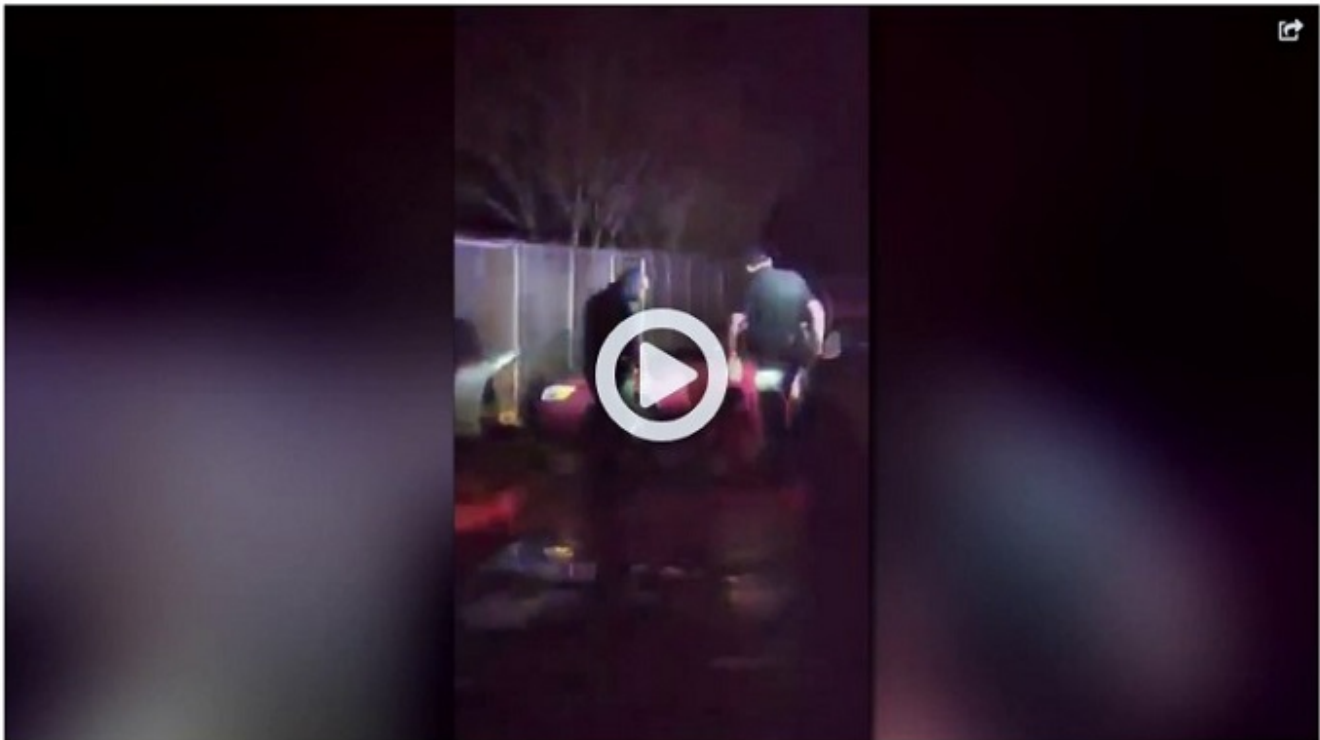
[Sheriff Barnes](#): 3 more deputies under investigation amid audit of cases after evidence mishandling

[OCRegister](#): Three more Orange County Sheriff's deputies are under investigation as the department conducts another audit of tens of thousands of cases amid

# St. Johns County deputy fired, accused of battery after beating motorist during traffic stop

Video shows Deputy Anthony Deleo hitting Christopher Butler 19 times with his baton and kicking him in the head twice

JAX 4



ST. JOHNS COUNTY, Fla. – A St. Johns County Sheriff's Office deputy was fired and accused with aggravated battery Thursday after he was seen on video beating an unarmed man during a December traffic stop.

## \$17,582 for hours they did not work

Jeanne Houck and Madeline Mitchell, Cincinnati Enquirer Published 10:02 a.m. ET March 3, 2020 | Updated 5:39 p.m. ET March 3, 2020

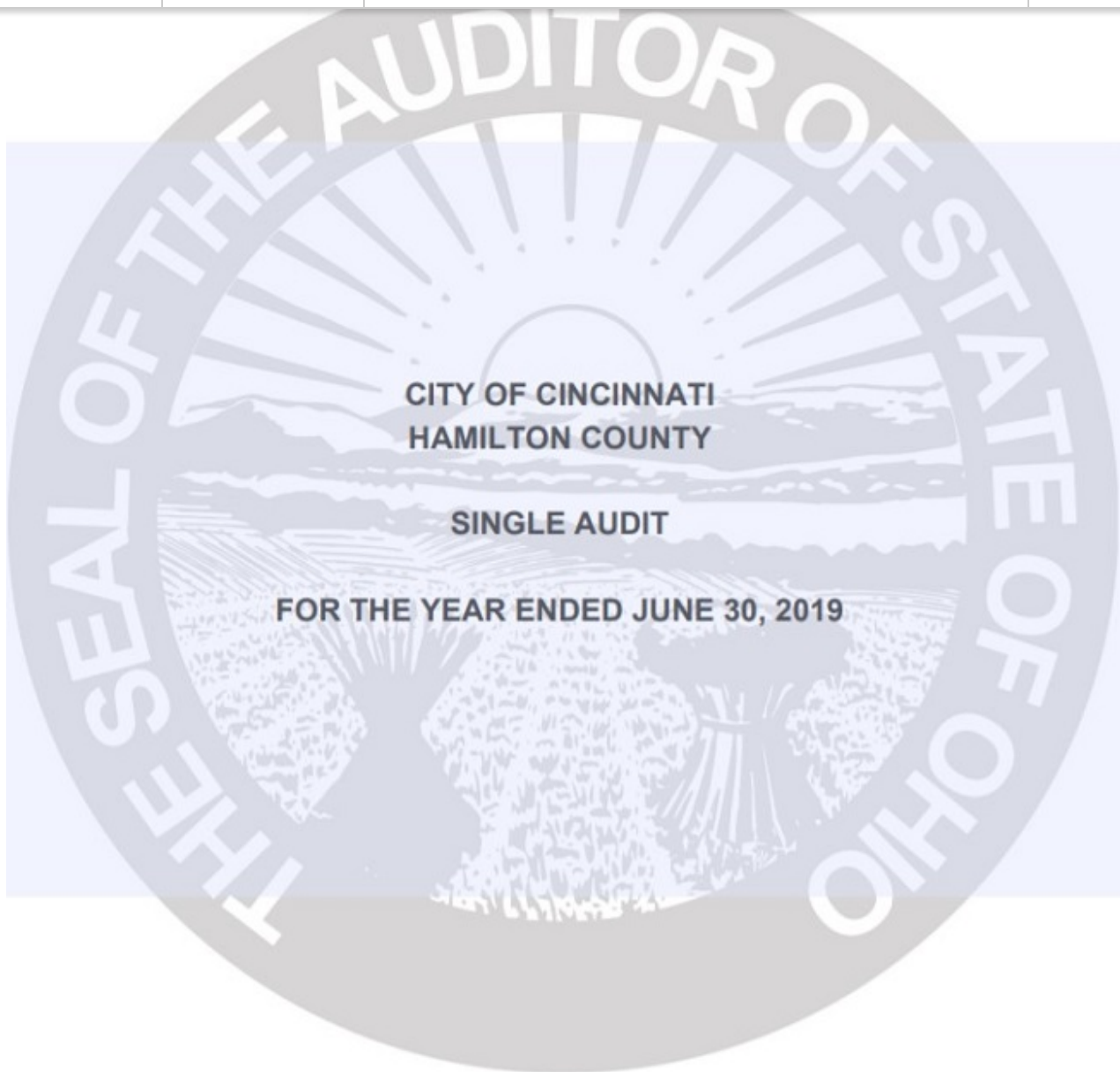
The City of Cincinnati overpaid three police officers a total of \$17,582 between 2017 and 2019 for hours they did not work, according to a 2019 state audit.

“Misrepresenting timesheets for personal gain is completely unacceptable, especially for law enforcement officials paid by taxpayers,” Auditor of State Keith Faber said Tuesday.

“I commend the city’s recent enhanced internal audit team for helping uncover this abuse; the city must continue to identify issues like these that unnecessarily allow a few bad apples to reflect negatively on the majority of hard-working city employees.”

*Another case of compensation fraud. Looks like their audit group added some value to the org. We see these cases frequently. What are your agencies polices and inspections regarding this issue? Lt. Dan*

Three Cincinnati police officers paid total of \$17,582 for hours they did not work



# took Bryant crash photos

By The Associated Press

March 3, 2020, 3:30 AM • 3 min read

*See highlight below. What is your police regarding personal cell phone use on duty and photos? Lt. Dan*



*Los Angeles County Sheriff Alex Villanueva says eight deputies allegedly took or shared graphic photos of the Kobe Bryant helicopter crash scene, but he ordered them deleted*

"That was my No. 1 priority, was to make sure those photos no longer exist," Villanueva told NBC News for a story Monday. "We identified the deputies involved, they came to the station on their own and had admitted they had taken them and they had deleted them. And we're content that those involved did that." Villanueva said the Sheriff's Department doesn't have a specific policy about taking photographs on personal cellphones. But he plans to change that situation and would like to see a state law making it illegal to take unauthorized photos of accident scenes depicting dead bodies. The Sheriff's Department has a policy against taking and sharing crime scene photos, but it doesn't apply to accident scenes, the sheriff told KCBS-TV. Villanueva told KABC-TV that the deputies are facing an investigation and possible disciplinary action. He wouldn't specify the kind of actions they might face.

***Some stories of good police work to remind us that the vast majority of law enforcement professionals do a great job! Lt. Dan***

**Driver with plates that expired in 1997 to Louisiana police: 'Sorry ... I've been busy'**

"We can't make this stuff up," the police department in Slidell said of the tags that expired nearly 23 years ago.



— A Slidell Police Department officer stopped a driver in Slidell, La., that had a license plate that expired September 1997.

Slidell Police Department

## enforcement officer in the world'



CLEBURNE, Texas (KTVT/CNN) - One police officer in Texas who has been protecting and serving for the past 74 years is being honored with his own exhibit at a museum. A sheriff's office in Texas honors a deputy with 74 years of experience protecting and serving. (Source: CNN)

Deputy Bill Hardin, 97, became a police officer in the 1940s.

After retiring from Fort Worth Police Department, he went on to have another full career with the Tarrant County Sheriff's Office.

When he retired from there, he became a deputy with the Johnson County Sheriff's Office, a job he still holds today.

Hardin is being recognized at the Chisholm Trail Museum in Cleburne, Texas, with a new exhibit honoring him, calling him the "oldest working law enforcement officer in the world."

Hardin says he feels "pretty good for an old guy," which is why he continues putting on the uniform, badge and gun.

"I'm going to keep doing this until the sheriff runs me out. If I can make it to 75, I may go ahead and retire," he said.

Texas man honored as the 'oldest law enforcement officer in the world'

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# Officers Saved His Life After Shooting



Tuesday, March 3, 2020

Tyler Waldman, WBAL NewsRadio 1090 and FM 101.5



The Baltimore County police detective shot while helping to serve an arrest warrant credits his team members with his survival. Swinney was shot in the stomach and leg. WBAL-TV 11 reports Swinney was overcome with emotion as he spoke to reporters in Towson on Tuesday. Under an agreement with their union, Baltimore County police typically do not release the full names of officers involved in shootings. "I felt a burning in my stomach. I didn't know my leg, I just felt a cramp, like, I was dehydrated type of cramp," Swinney said. "If it wasn't for my teammates I work with, things could've went worse." One of his team members applied a tourniquet on the way to Shock Trauma. In a news conference, Shock Trauma Physician-In-Chief Dr. Thomas Scalea credited that action with saving his life.

**Baltimore County Police Detective Says Fellow Officers Saved His Life After Shooting**



# Saved Their Newborn a Year Ago

North Haven CT 3/4/2020



Police said on March 2, 2019, Nicole Brown-Buchanan rushed out of a movie theater with her newborn baby Eimaan, who wasn't breathing. North Haven Police Detective Michael Harton was working a detail at the theatre and rushed to save the baby. According to police, Detective Harton took Eimaan from Brown-Buchanan and performed life-saving measures to revive the baby. On Monday, Brown-Buchanan and now one-year-old Eimaan surprised Detective Harton at his job for a one year reunion. "It's moments like this that make it all worth it," Detective Harton said of the reunion.

Family Visits North Haven Detective Who Saved Their Newborn a Year Ago

# Person killed in Harrison Township officer involved shooting identified

Ohio



HARRISON TWP. (WDTN)- 3/7/2020: A person is shot and killed and 2 sheriff deputies were injured after an officer involved shooting in Harrison Township Saturday afternoon.

It happened around 1 pm in the area of Ontario and La Crosse Avenues after crews were called on a suspicious vehicle a tornado damaged business.

According to Montgomery County Sheriff Rob Streck, deputies arrived and noticed a person in the vehicle. When they ordered the person to get out, the car took off and hit one of the two deputies.

The deputy fired a shot at the suspect as he drove away.

The car drove through a neighbor's fence before coming to a stop.

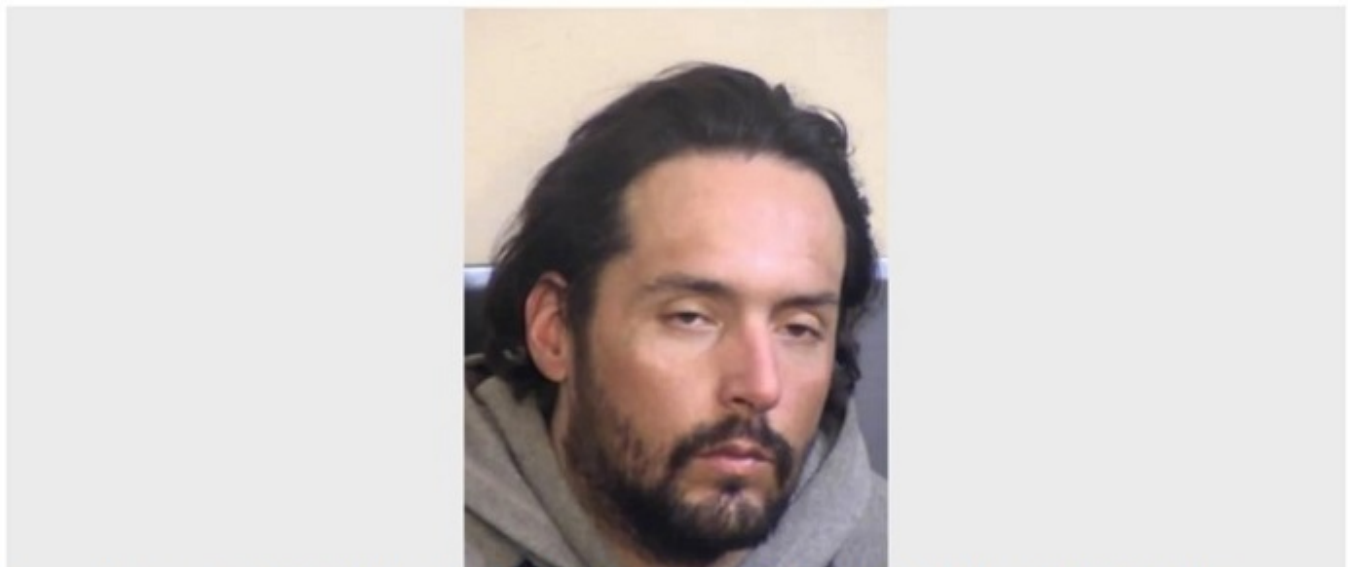
The two deputies immediately began providing CPR and first aid to him until medics from the Harrison Township Fire Department arrived.

He was pronounced dead at the scene.

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Person killed in Harrison Township officer involved shooting identified

## shooting in Fresno County



Posted: Mar 7, 2020 / 04:24 PM PST / Updated: Mar 7, 2020 / 04:34 PM PST

FRESNO, Calif. (KSEE/KGPE) –Authorities say they have identified the suspect that died during the deputy-involved shooting from Friday night.

At around 5 p.m. Deputies say they responded to a call of a break-in at Jamie's. The Fresno County Sheriffs Office says a man broke in through a door or window after everyone had left for the day.

Authorities say the owner forgot something and went back to the shop finding the man passed out or asleep on the office floor.

The owner told authorities there were firearms and ammo inside the business. Deputies say they spent a half-hour trying to make contact with no response eventually calling in a S.W.A.T robot.

"He actually picked up the robot and threw it, and then it was about three minutes after he did that action that he exited the building. Well, he ended up confronting a couple of our deputies that were on the perimeter. They demanded that he stop, and ultimately two of our deputies fired at the suspect, striking him," Botti said.

The suspect was identified as 32-year-old, Kenneth Mullins. Mullins was homeless during the time of the incident, according to authorities.

No other injuries were reported.

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Suspect identified after deputy-involved shooting in Fresno County

# 2 dead after an officer- involved shooting at Deerbrook Mall in Humble



Click2 Houston, March 8, 2020: A man and woman were arguing when the man pulled out a weapon on the woman in the parking lot of the Sears, police said. The incident escalated when the police arrived on the scene.

"He started running from the officer, a Good Samaritan saw the officer chasing him and attempted to help and tackle the suspect," said Humble Police Lieutenant Eric Squier.

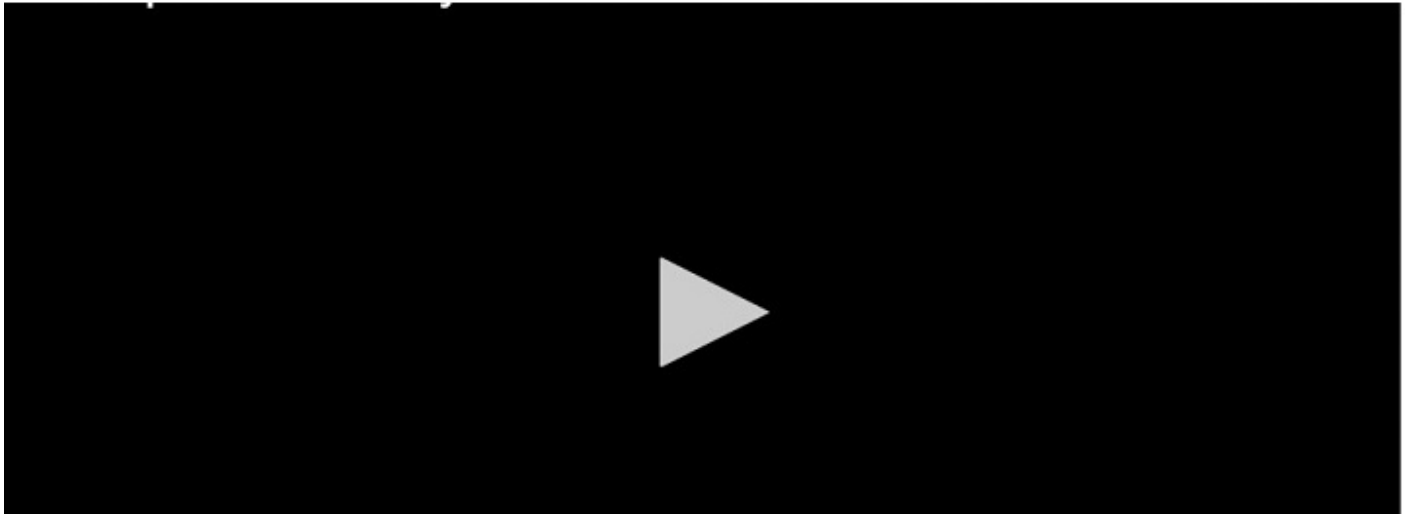
Police said the suspect shot the Good Samaritan during the scuffle.

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2 dead after an officer-involved shooting at Deerbrook Mall in Humble

## Oceana Commissary following possible domestic violence incident

Oceana Naval Security Forces responded to a domestic violence call that turned into a shooting Virginia Beach, VA.



Author: 13News Now Staff: March 7, 2020 VIRGINIA BEACH, Va. — the spokesperson said that at around 3:30 p.m., they received reports about a "suspected domestic violence incident." They said Naval Security Forces responded to the call and found and confronted the suspect in the parking lot of the Commissary. They said security personnel ended up shooting the suspect, who was subsequently transported to a local hospital for medical treatment of what was described as a non-life threatening injury.

There was not an active shooter and the commissary was not on lockdown.

One person shot by law enforcement outside NAS Oceana Commissary following possible domestic violence incident

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### [Officials: Video of Chicago police shooting may spur training adjustments](#)

Chicago Tribune 3/6/2020 Chicago Tribune

CHICAGO — The Chicago Police Department does not specifically train officers on use of force and

de-escalation methods for the city's crowded CTA train system, a gap experts said has been magnified

with the controversial shooting by police of an unarmed man after a struggle during rush hour in a

***Reminder: Check your UOF policies and De-Escalation training to determine if it meets generally accepted practices! De-Escalation training should be scenario based in field exercises, not just videos or classroom training. Lt. Dan***

As it stands, the department's guidelines make no distinction between an officer drawing a gun while

confronting a suspect in a vacant lot and doing the same in the busy, confined spaces of CTA rail lines.

And the Red Line incident took place just as CPD was adding 50 officers to the ranks of the 200 who

already patrol the "L" network, virtually ensuring an increase in the kind of encounter that touched off the shooting.

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# shooting in Somerset, bureau says

Savannah Eadens, Louisville Courier Journal: March 6, 2020



An FBI agent serving a federal arrest warrant in Somerset, Kentucky, was treated at and released from a hospital Friday after being wounded in a shooting, authorities said.

A subject and one FBI special agent were reportedly wounded. Both the FBI agent and the subject were in stable condition as of Friday morning.

Agents were attempting to arrest two county constables in Pulaski County when the shooting occurred, according to news reports. A suspect wounded in the shooting was in stable condition on Friday, and the agent had been released from the hospital, the FBI said.

FBI agent wounded in shooting in Somerset, bureau says

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## *in Shooting Death of Black Resident*

The fatal shooting highlighted a strained relationship between former Mayor Pete Buttigieg and black residents in the Indiana town.

WNDU 16 News 3/5/2020



A police officer in South Bend, Ind., who fatally shot a resident last summer will not be charged, a prosecutor said Friday, capping a case that put a spotlight on the strained relations between Pete Buttigieg, then a presidential candidate and the mayor, and black residents in the town.

**His problems are not over: [Former SBPD officer involved in fatal shooting booked at jail on unrelated charges](#) - [WNDU-TV](#)**

South Bend Officer Will Not Be Charged in Shooting Death of Black Residentd



# FDLE's update on probe. 20 officers fire weapons during fatal shooting

FDLE's update on ongoing investigation: FHP trooper, 19 officers fire weapons



A UPS driver was among the four people who died in a December police involved shooting in Broward County. (SKY 10)

**MIRAMAR, Fla.** – A Florida Highway Patrol trooper and at least 19 law enforcement officers from four different agencies fired their weapons during a recent fatal police-involved shooting in Broward County, according to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement.

The Dec. 5 police-involved shooting remains under investigation, but the FDLE revealed one of \_\_\_\_\_ was from the Pembroke Pines Police Department, three officers were from the



# shooting

📅 March 7, 2020 ⌚ 12:07 am 📄 Ricky Vazquez

According to the Tucson Police Department, no officers were injured. Police had responded to an apartment complex near Broadway and Prudence after reports of a suicidal subject holed up inside. Police also learned that subject was armed. No additional details have been released. News4 March 4, 2020



Eastside barricade situation ends with officer-involved shooting

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# Medical examiner IDs suspect killed in shootout that injured Pittsburgh police officer

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NATASHA LINDSTROM AND MEGAN TOMASIC | Thursday, March 5, 2020 8:10 p.m.



The Allegheny County Medical Examiner's office has identified the suspect killed in a shootout with police as Elijah Jamaal Brewer, 25, of Pittsburgh.

A Pittsburgh police detective was shot in the leg during a traffic stop on East Ohio Street in the city's North Side just before 7 p.m. Thursday night, police say.

"Fortunately, he is going to make it," Pittsburgh Public Safety Director Wendell Hissrich told reporters at about 9 p.m. Brewer was fatally shot during the incident at East Ohio Street and Madison Avenue, near the ramps to northbound Interstate 279 and Route 28. Four detectives stopped the vehicle, which was carrying a driver and Brewer, according to Allegheny County Police, who are investigating the shooting.

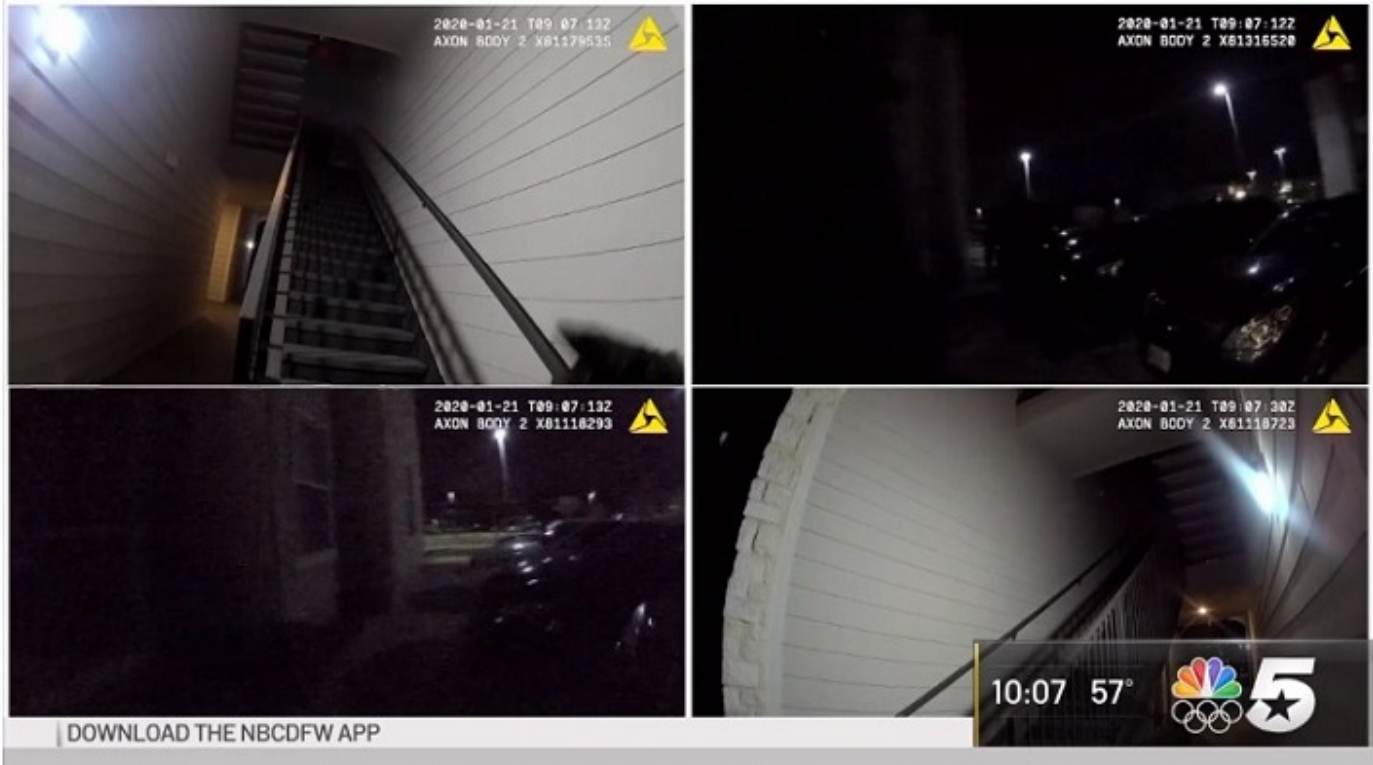
"After initial contact with the occupants of the vehicle, there was an exchange of gunfire between the four detectives and the sole passenger," county police said in a statement. "During the exchange, the passenger and a (Pittsburgh Bureau of Police) detective were struck by gunfire."

Medical examiner IDs suspect killed in shootout that injured Pittsburgh police officer

# in Officer-Involved Shooting of UNT Student

Published March 5, 2020 • Updated on March 5, 2020 at 10:49 pm

Texas



A Denton police officer fatally shot a man in January who police say resisted a stun gun and continued to advance on police while refusing to drop a frying pan and a cleaver he was carrying.

A Denton police officer fatally shot a man in January who police say resisted a stun gun and continued to advance on police while refusing to drop a frying pan and a cleaver he was carrying. As Tarver got close, an officer pulled out a gun and shot him at least once. The man fell to the ground, police said, and officers began life-saving measures.

It was then, police said, they realized one of the officers had been slashed in the shoulder in the scuffle. That officer was hospitalized but released the following day.

Denton Police Chief Releases Body Cam Video in Officer-Involved Shooting of UNT Student

## Tuesday in Okanogan County (WA) March 4: AP



RIVERSIDE — Law enforcement officers shot a man in northeastern Washington while trying to arrest him on Tuesday, according to the Okanogan County Sheriff. The deputies and officers shot the man while trying to arrest him, Hawley said. The sheriff did not give the man's condition or say what specifically led to the shooting, and no other details have been released. The sheriff says the North Central Washington Special investigations Unit will investigate the shooting. At about 11:45 a.m. Tuesday deputies and Omak police officers went to Riverside to arrest a man wanted on felony warrants, Sheriff Tony Hawley said.

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Wanted suspect shot by law enforcement Tuesday in Okanogan County

# sheriff's deputy following morning Chase

Mar 05/2020

By [Carol Robinson | crobinson@al.com](#)

A man was fatally shot in southern Alabama early Thursday following an attempted traffic stop and subsequent pursuit.

Dale County sheriff's Chief Deputy Mason Bynum said a deputy about 12:20 a.m. tried to conduct a traffic stop on East Main Street in the town of Ariton. The driver, wanted on an outstanding felony warrant, refused to stop and the chase was on.

The fleeing motorist lost control of his vehicle near the intersection of Highway 231 and Highway 123, Bynum said. As the deputy approached the vehicle, the suspect brandished a gun and the deputy fired.

The suspect was pronounced dead at the scene. His name has not been released pending notification of his family. No officers were injured.

## Training opportunities:

### Schedule

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| Mar 17-19, 2020 | <a href="#">Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course – LEIA-101</a> , Kansas City, MO              |
| Mar 24-26, 2020 | <a href="#">Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course – LEIA-101</a> , West Palm Beach, FL          |
| Mar 24-26, 2020 | <a href="#">Introduction To Jail Inspections and Audits – JIA-101</a> , Carrollton, TX (Dallas Area)                      |
| Apr 14-16, 2020 | <a href="#">Introduction to Internal Affairs Investigations Course # IA-101</a> , Hamilton Township, OH / Cincinnati Area |

- Apr 21-24, 2020 [Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Certificate \(LEIAC\)™ Course # LEIA-201](#), Phoenix, AZ
- Apr 28-30, 2020 [Introduction to Jail Inspections and Audits - JIA-101](#), Mesa, AZ
- May 5-7, 2020 [Introduction to Internal Affairs Investigations Course # IA-101](#), Peoria, AZ
- May 27-29, 2020 [Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course – LEIA-101](#), Hamilton Township, OH / Cincinnati Area
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## Law Enforcement Newsletter

March 25th, 2020

*This newsletter is to provide law enforcement professionals involved in law enforcement oversight / inspections / audits / and IA investigations, information on current high profile issues / or new practices in the profession. Lt. Dan*

### Upcoming classes:

**PLEASE NOT UPDATED CLASS SCHEDULE DUE TO TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS.**

[Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course](#) - Kansas City, MO. March 17-19 Rescheduled date TBA

[Jail Inspections Course](#) - Carrollton, TX. Mar 24-26 Rescheduled date TBA

# Baltimore County Police Add Protective Gear To Uniform, Adjust For Social Distancing

By Rachael Cardin March 23, 2020 at 5:26 pm Filed Under: Baltimore County, Baltimore County police, Business, Coronavirus, COVID-19, Health, Lc

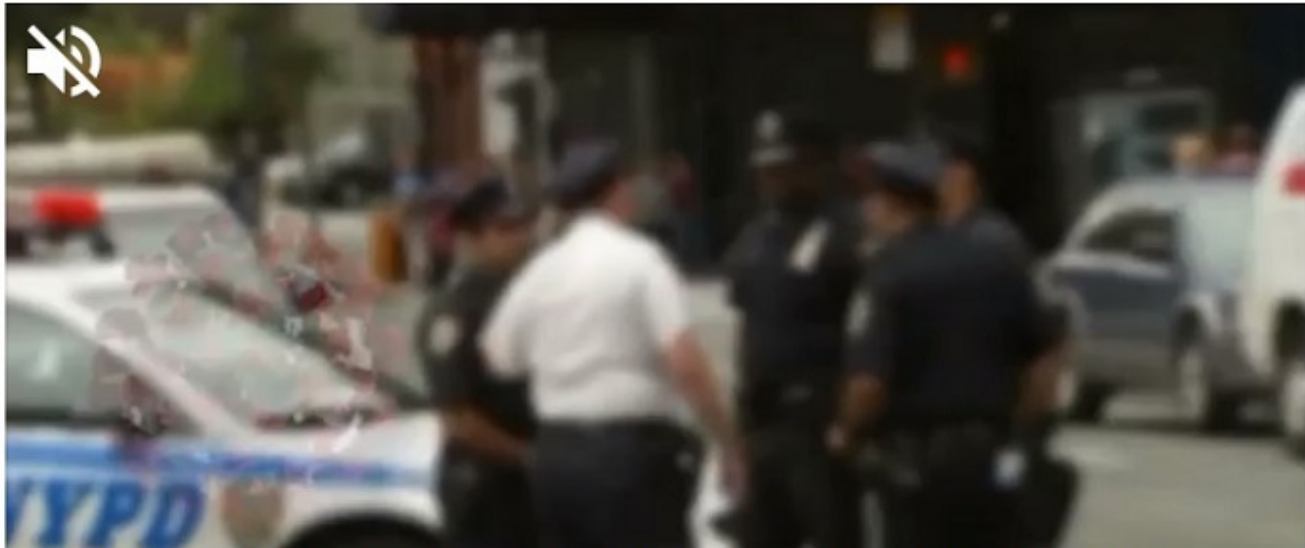


TOWSON, Md. (WJZ) — Six Baltimore County agencies are working together on a social distancing task force. One of those agencies is the police department.

Adding to the gear they already have, Baltimore County Police are taking health precautions while still performing their duties. Fortunate to have many of these supplies and cleaning materials, donated by county residents and having the resources to keep the same number of officers on the streets, but they need your diligence.

# NYPD and FDNY battling COVID-19

By: Anthony DiLorenzo, PIX11: Mar 24, 2020



NEW YORK — As the NYPD continues fighting crime in the city, many members are waging a personal battle against coronavirus.

There are at least 129 NYPD members who have tested positive for COVID-19 and Commissioner Dermot Shea reports nearly 7% of the department is out sick, nearly double the normal average.

Amid the global outbreak, which is centered nationally in New York, certain crime has dropped 17%, according to the New York Post. And cops are now also focused on enforcing social distancing by boosting patrols in public spaces.

While the NYPD says it's well equipped to handle the crisis, the FDNY warns its running low on masks and protective supplies, as 46 members have tested positive while on the front lines.

NYPD and FDNY battling COVID-19

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[New Illinois National Guard coronavirus testing site for first responders and health care workers reaches capacity after four hours](#)

By Javonte Anderson and Stacy St. Clair, Chicago Tribune

The Illinois National Guard on Monday started testing first responders and health care

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response that saw the facility reach its daily quota after less than four hours.

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# responders for coronavirus, not NBA players

By Joshua Rhett Miller

New York Post

March 23, 2020 | 1:21pm | Updated



A California police chief pleaded with White House officials to “stop testing NBA players” for coronavirus and to screen first responders instead, according to a report.

Vacaville Police Chief John Carli made the urgent request Friday as an hour-long conference call wrapped up between the International Association of Chiefs of Police and officials from the White House and Department of Homeland Security, ABC News reports.

“If we’re quarantining [our] people for 14 days ... we’re going to lose our first responders,” Carli said on the call. “And we have to, at a national level, get the support down to the local level. Stop testing NBA players, and start testing our first responders.”

Police chief: Test first responders for coronavirus, not NBA players

# close; adds 1,300 deputies to patrol



## LA County Sheriff announces coronavirus changes

LA County Sheriff Alex Villanueva says that all gun stores in the county will be forced to close. He's adding more deputies to patrol. And releasing over a thousand nonviolent offenders from jail. He also had criticism for local politicians.

**LOS ANGELES** - In a sit-down interview with FOX 11, Los Angeles County Sheriff Alex Villanueva declared gun stores as nonessential businesses that will be forced to close.

Sheriff Villanueva also said he's adding 1,300 deputies to patrol, that he's released 1,700 nonviolent inmates from county jails, and criticized how local politicians have handled the messaging behind the numerous stay-at-home orders.

LA County Sheriff orders gun stores to close; adds 1,300 deputies to patrol

# Oakland's new interim police chief



San Mateo police chief Susan Manheimer photographed at the San Mateo Police Department in San Mateo, Calif. on Thursday, Feb. 4, 2010. (Dan Honda/Staff Archives)

By DAVID DEBOLT | [ddebolt@bayareanewsgroup.com](mailto:ddebolt@bayareanewsgroup.com) | Bay Area News Group  
PUBLISHED: March 23, 2020 at 5:26 p.m. | UPDATED: March 24, 2020 at 4:35 p.m.

**OAKLAND** — Mayor Libby Schaaf has appointed retired San Mateo Police Chief Susan Manheimer as Oakland's new interim police chief, multiple city sources confirmed Monday. Manheimer, who has accepted the job, is expected to begin the new position in early April, pending a routine state background check.

The decision comes a month after Schaaf and the citizen-led Oakland Police Commission fired Chief Anne Kirkpatrick and appointed Assistant Chief Darren Allison as acting chief. The interim position is for six months, unless the police commission votes to extend the appointment. Police commissioners are in the process of finding four finalists for the permanent chief job. The four candidates the commission selects will then be offered to the mayor, who can select one or reject the pool of finalists, sending the search back to the commission. The mayor must also consult the police department's federal monitor before appointing the permanent chief.

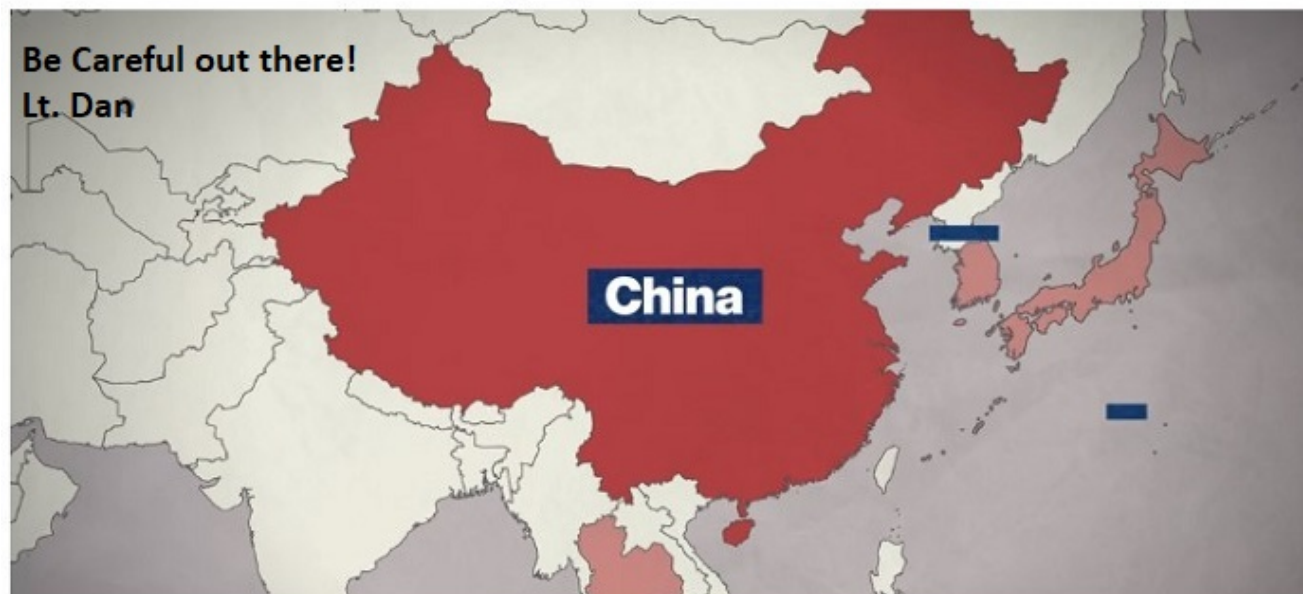
**Former San Mateo top cop picked as Oakland's new interim police chief**

# members to spread coronavirus to cops, Jews, FBI says

*The alert was sent to local police agencies by federal officials.*

By **Josh Margolin**

March 23, 2020, 1:41 PM • 4 min read



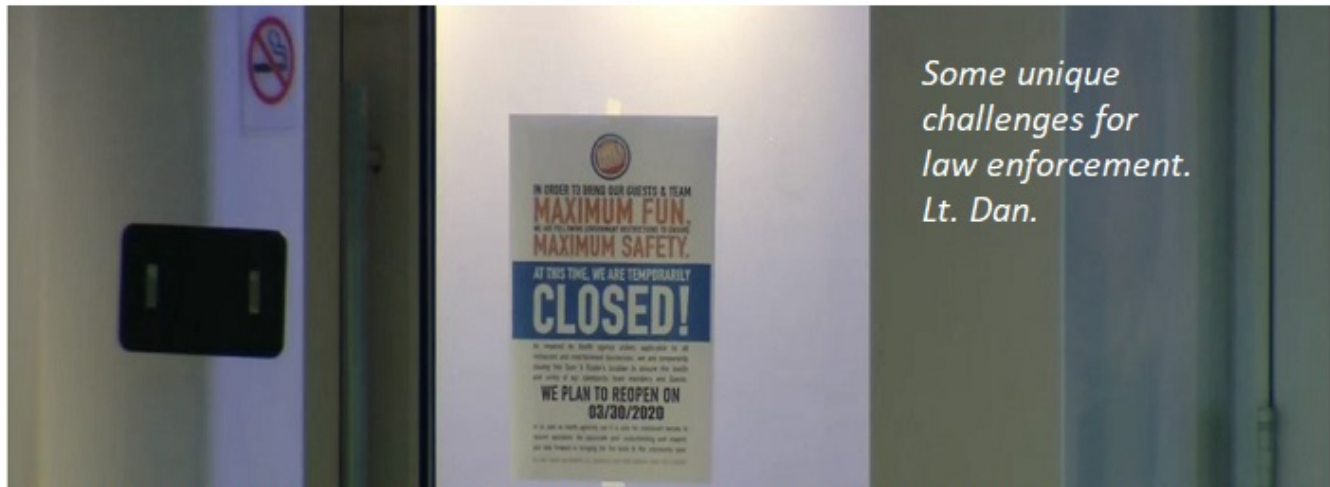
ABC News: Racist extremist groups, including neo-Nazis and other white supremacists, are encouraging members who contract novel coronavirus disease to spread the contagion to cops and Jews, according to intelligence gathered by the FBI. In an alert obtained by ABC News, the FBI's New York office reports that "members of extremist groups are encouraging one another to spread the virus, if contracted, through bodily fluids and personal interactions."

The FBI alert, which went out on Thursday, told local police agencies that extremists want their followers to try to use spray bottles to spread bodily fluids to cops on the street. The extremists are also directing followers to spread the disease to Jews by going "any place they may be congregated, to include markets, political offices, businesses and places of worship."

White supremacists encouraging their members to spread coronavirus to cops, Jews, FBI says



# To Write Citations': Police Begin Enforcement Of Business Shutdown Order



PITTSBURGH (KDKA) 3/22/2020 — Police will begin enforcing Gov. Tom Wolf's order for all non-life sustaining businesses to close their physical locations. State police say their priority is to protect lives and maintain order— and they may issue citations if they have to. The order to shut down all non-life sustaining businesses goes into effect at 8 a.m. Monday. In addition to State Police enforcing these businesses close, Pittsburgh Police say they will respond to 911 calls and complaints about businesses being open and will report businesses who do not comply. Meantime, State Police say that private businesses, organizations and other non-compliant entities face possible criminal penalties if they don't follow the order. "State police are going to patrol as they normally would. If they get information that a business within their primary jurisdiction is not in compliance, they will certainly take the action necessary," Bondarenka said. State Police will be partnering with the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board, the Department of Health, the Department of Agriculture and other local officials.

'Troopers Aren't Going To Be Lining Up Eager To Write Citations': Police Begin Enforcement Of Business Shutdown Order

# amid department outbreak

By Tina Moore and Ruth Weissmann

March 21, 2020 | 1:32pm



An NYPD officer wearing a mask while responding to a call for a possible coronavirus patient.

Robert Miller

The NYPD is still trying to supply cops with gloves and masks amid a jump in the coronavirus outbreak within the force, an internal memo obtained by The Post shows.

“We have been working to get you gloves, masks, and antiseptic equipment and supplies as quickly as possible — the tools you need to do your job safely and effectively,” an email from NYPD Commissioner Dermot Shea reads.

The message was sent Friday night — when the number of confirmed cases among first responders had jumped to 52, law enforcement sources told The Post. Members of the Finest have condemned the top brass’s response to the pandemic, saying they felt “expendable” amid a lack of supplies and uncertainty over possible shift changes, sources told The Post.

# quarantined amid coronavirus pandemic as 5 test positive

[Tresa Baldas](#) and [M.L. Elrick](#) Detroit Free Press

Published 4:04 p.m. ET Mar. 20, 2020 | Updated 2:12 a.m. ET Mar. 21, 2020

DETROIT – Detroit Police Chief James Craig says 152 police officers are out amid the coronavirus outbreak, including five who have tested positive for COVID-19.

"I've never seen anything like this," Craig said during a press conference Friday. "As of right now we have 152 members of the police department that are quarantined. Of that, 130 were ordered to quarantined; 22 self-quarantined."

He added: "At this point we currently have five sworn police officers and one civilian contract employee who has tested positive for Covid-19 ... It's certainly a cause for concern ... I can tell you that our services at this point will not change."

According to the City of Detroit's website, there are 2,200 total Detroit police officers.

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# Virginia



Feds, Virginia announce coronavirus fraud task force

## COVID-19 SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA

Feds, Virginia announce coronavirus fraud task force

STAFF REPORT • YESTERDAY AT 1:30 PM

ROANOKE — Federal and Virginia law enforcement agencies have formed a task force to go after coronavirus-related fraud. Western District U.S.

Attorney Thomas T. Cullen announced the new effort Friday, which includes his and the Eastern District U.S. attorney's officer and fraud investigators from the FBI and the Virginia State Police.

"Exploiting a global pandemic for financial gain is not only morally reprehensible, it is likely criminal," Cullen said. "Federal prosecutors in Virginia are working closely with the FBI and the Virginia State Police to identify individuals who are engaging in coronavirus fraud, in its various forms, and preying on vulnerable populations." Cullen said the task force will focus on acts of fraud and not the amount of loss from those activities.

"For anyone victimized by a COVID-19 scammer looking to profit off of this pandemic, our office remains steadfastly committed to pursuing justice on your behalf," Eastern District U.S. Attorney G. Zachary Terwilliger added.

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## Candlelight Vigil will be live streamed

Fallen law enforcement officers to be honored during Virtual Candlelight Vigil on May 13

Mar 18, 2020

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## States and Cities Face the Prospect of Severe Budget Shortfalls

No one knows how deep or long the pandemic-triggered recession will be. But nearly every type of government revenue, including income, sales and gas taxes, will take a hit. Well-funded rainy-day funds should help.

ALAN GREENBLATT, SENIOR STAFF WRITER | MARCH 19, 2020 | ANALYSIS

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# 164 inmates to curb spread of virus



Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office patrol cars outside the Sun City Center. (Image: HCSO)

**TAMPA, Fla.** – The sheriff of Hillsborough County announced he's ordered the release of 164 inmates who are accused of non-violent crimes to help reduce the risk of the new **coronavirus** spreading in the jail.

Hillsborough Sheriff Chad Chronister said during a news conference Thursday that releasing the inmates will allow the detention deputies and jail staff to focus on higher priorities.

"These defendants are the lowest public safety risk and were merely sitting in jail because they

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Florida sheriff releases 164 inmates to curb spread of virus

# AP Exclusive: Barr creating task force on prison misconduct



*FILE - In this Feb. 10, 2020, file photo Attorney General William Barr speaks at the National Sheriffs' Association Winter Legislative and Technology Conference in Washington. Barr vowed in an interview with The Associated Press Tuesday, March 17, that there would be swift and severe action if a foreign government is behind disinformation campaigns aimed at spreading fear in the U.S. amid the coronavirus pandemic or a denial of service attack on the networks of the Department of Health and Human Services. (AP Photo/Susan Walsh, File) (Copyright 2020 The Associated Press. All rights reserved.)*

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** – The Justice Department is creating a special task force to address criminal misconduct by federal Bureau of Prison officers at several correctional facilities after a loaded gun was found at the same jail where wealthy financier Jeffrey Epstein killed himself,

AP Exclusive: Barr creating task force on prison misconduct

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# could be used for law enforcement

Kyle Rempfer Military Times

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Soldiers with the Oregon National Guard set up tents at the Oregon Veterans Home in Lebanon to provide shelter for a temporary COVID-19 testing site, March 17, 2020. (Sgt. 1st Class Zachary Holden/Army)

The National Guard is expecting a rapid increase in unit activations over the next few weeks, leaders said at the Pentagon Thursday, filling roles like coronavirus testing and potentially law enforcement.

Guard activations expected to rapidly increase, could be used for law enforcement

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## [IACP launches COVID-19 clearinghouse to support LE response to national emergency.](#)

The resource hub provides IACP members with the tools, information and resources they need to keep officers and their communities safe from COVID-19

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# Minneapolis police try new tack in pursuit of stolen vehicles

By Libor Jany Star Tribune | MARCH 19, 2020 — 11:26AM



DAVID JOLES • STAR TRIBUNE FILE

The department overhauled its pursuit policy last summer after years of criticism and lawsuits over deaths or injuries involving police chases. Officers are now barred from going after fleeing suspects who haven't committed or are about to commit "a serious and violent felony or gross misdemeanor."

Experts say that new technologies, including license plate readers and tagging devices like StarChase, have made it easier to track criminals from a safe distance, without putting bystanders or officers at risk.

With high-speed chases curtailed, Minneapolis police try new tack in pursuit of stolen vehicles

## [should immediately implement](#)

Police One: Wellness services, PPE, accurate information and relevant emergency policies are all needed to sustain the efforts of law enforcement during the coronavirus pandemic

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## [COPS Office announces 2020 grant funding opportunities](#)

Highlights of the COPS Hiring Program, as well as extended deadlines for community policing microgrants and school violence prevention programs

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## officers, telling them she had the coronavirus



*(Associated Press)* [more >](#)



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By Jeff Mordock - *The Washington Times* - Wednesday, March 18, 2020

A New Jersey woman has been charged with causing a false public alarm after she told police last week she was infected with the coronavirus and coughed on officers, Hanover police said Wednesday.

She is the second person to be charged with falsely reporting that they were infected with the coronavirus. The arrest predates a separate case in Texas, which was made public earlier this week.

[Lea Piazza](#), 28, of Wayne, New Jersey, was arrested last week following a motor-vehicle crash in which she was suspected of driving while intoxicated, according to a press release by the Hanover Police Department.

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**New Jersey woman charged after coughing on officers, telling them she had the coronavirus**

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## COVID-19

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LOS ANGELES — Coronavirus is bringing changes in the way Los Angeles law enforcement operates. Local authorities stress they are not responding to more crime. Rather, they want to get more officers in place to help during the crisis while also keeping first responders safe. The Los Angeles Police Department on Sunday confirmed its first coronavirus case. The supervisor in the Pacific Division felt ill and went home Monday, officials said.

**LA puts more police on streets, releases inmates during COVID-19**

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## arrests for low-level crimes

Star-Telegram

**Officers in Fort Worth will not be allowed to make a Class C misdemeanor arrest without approval from a watch commander.**



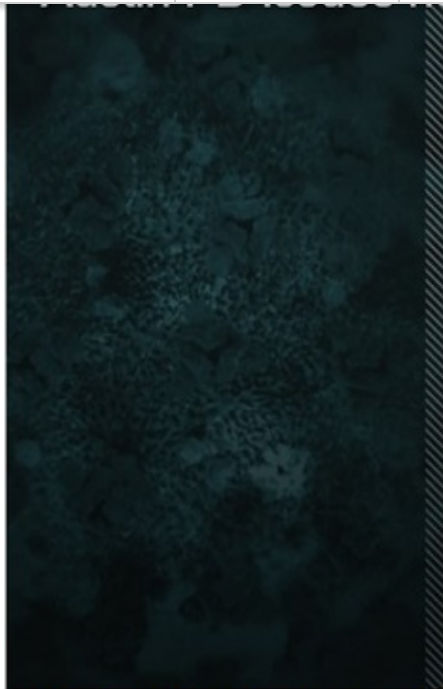
Fort Worth police will not make arrests for low-level crimes due to coronavirus

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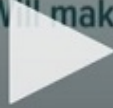
FORT WORTH, Texas — If you commit a low-level crime, you may not have to do the time -- at least in one Texas city.

The Fort Worth Police Department will stop arresting people for low-level crimes if a ticket can be issued in its place, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported. The move comes as police departments are coming to grips with the coronavirus outbreak, and officials want to shield officers from becoming infected or spreading the COVID-19, the newspaper reported.

Coronavirus: Fort Worth police will not make arrests for low-level crimes



- Will make traffic stops for hazardous violations
- Will respond to most serious calls
- Will make arrests for misdemeanor crimes



KVUE TV, March 17, 2020: According to the chief, calls about minor crimes that do not require an officer response will be handled by phone or with an online report.

Officers will not respond to crashes when there are no injuries and when cars can still be driven.

Officers will use their own discretion about whether to stop a driver for non-hazardous traffic violations like having an expired inspection sticker, but doing so is discouraged. However, officers will keep performing traffic stops for hazardous violations such as excessive speeding, according to the department.

They will keep responding to the most serious calls for service, including those when a person's property or life is at risk. They will also keep arresting people, including for misdemeanor crimes that do not qualify for APD's cite-and-release program.

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**Austin Police Department makes changes to tackle coronavirus pandemic**

# out sick after officer tests positive for coronavirus

NEW YORK DAILY NEWS | MAR 17, 2020



An NYPD officer stands outside the 1st Precinct in Tribeca where it is reported that approximately 30 officers have been diagnosed with COVID-19. Manhattan, New York. Tuesday, March 17th, 2020.(Angus Mordant/for New York Daily News)

Dozens of officers in the 1st Precinct in Lower Manhattan have called out sick after a cop there tested positive for coronavirus, the NYPD confirmed Tuesday night.

The 31 officers who called out work in a precinct that covers the area around the World Trade Center, SOHO, Tribeca, and Wall Street, an NYPD spokesman said. Their number represents about one-fifth of all the cops assigned to the Ericsson Place stationhouse.

More than 30 cops at NYC precinct call out sick after officer tests positive for coronavirus

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# about use of grant money to test sex assault kits, audit says

3/11/2020 The Oregonian



Portland police won a \$1.2 million grant from the U.S. Department of Justice's National Sexual Assault Kit Initiative to help them send more than 2,000 untested kits to a private lab for testing. The grant was to run from Oct. 1, 2015, through Sept. 30, 2018.

Portland police finance staff refused to seek reimbursement of \$428,000 in expenses submitted by the bureau's Sex Crimes Unit over concern the work didn't meet terms of a federal grant intended to track hundreds of unanalyzed sex assault kits.

The staff tried for close to two years to get police supervisors to address the concern but got nowhere, the city Auditor's Office found.

Portland police ignored concerns about use of grant money to test sex assault kits, audit says



# LEE airport payroll scandal losses reach \$1 million, auditor says

Bill Smith, Fort Myers News-Press Published 5:12 p.m. 3/13, 2020



The Lee County Port Authority owns and operates Southwest Florida International Airport and Page Field. A suspected scheme to steal money from the Lee County Port Authority by inventing "ghost" employees and issuing paychecks under their names for work never performed resulted in at least \$1 million in losses over several years, the county's inspector general said Friday. The reported loss may have been considerably more than \$1 million because the county audit of the port authority's janitorial services only went back to 2014, the earliest that the state statute of limitations would allow prosecution in the case.

Inspector General Tim Parks said the first "ghost" employee found to have received pay for time not spent on the job at the Lee County facility was working the scam as far back as 2006.

# of Suspected Marijuana Packages

<b>Submitting OIG:</b>	<a href="#">U.S. Postal Service OIG</a>
<b>Report Description:</b>	Our objective was to determine whether the U.S. Postal Inspection Service has efficient and effective controls to manage the Administrative Non-Mailability Protocol (ANP) program. Postal inspectors are federal law enforcement officers responsible for enforcing laws that defend the nation's mail system from illegal or dangerous use. In 2016, the Postal Inspection Service implemented the ANP program, which is an administrative procedure used to detain, document, and process mail packages that are reasonably suspected of containing marijuana from the mailstream.
<b>Date Issued:</b>	Friday, March 13, 2020
<b>Agency Reviewed / Investigated:</b>	<a href="#">U.S. Postal Service</a>

One of the findings: A retrieval container in which postal workers are able to deposit the packages is near a workroom floor that's "accessible to all Post Service and Inspection Service employees," the report notes. But while there are security cameras stationed at those locations, there's a level of unaccountability that could compromise the process.

*Imagine that, postal employees stealing marijuana left in a bin in a common work area. Who could believe that would happen? Lt. Dan.*

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## News from NIJ Publications

### An NIJ-funded research article has recently been published.

**Title:** DNA Backlog Reduction Strategy: Law Enforcement Agency Partnerships for a Successful Biological Screening Laboratory

**Authors:** Cecelia A. Crouse, Tara Sessa, Julie Sikorsky, Dustin T. Yeatman, Crystal Conway, Caralee Daugherty, Jeri D. Roper-Miller

**Journal:** *Forensic Science International: Synergy*

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DNA backlog reduction strategy: Law enforcement agency partnerships for a successful biological screening laboratory

# CONVERSATIONS *with* Rural Law Enforcement Leaders VOLUME 1

## Overview of rural law enforcement in the United States

Rural areas make up 72 percent of the United States' land area, and are home to 46 million people. Though more economically diverse than in the past, rural areas are still responsible for the majority of production in agriculture, manufacturing, mining, and forestry. Declining job opportunities in these sectors have led to lack of employment and increasing poverty in many rural communities—as well as a shrinking tax base to support service providers. As a result, many rural public safety and public health professionals face staffing shortages, while existing staff are responsible for large geographic areas. Many are also challenged by lack of training and the need to wear multiple hats. While rural law enforcement agencies are spread thin, the violent crime rate in rural areas is rising, climbing above the national average in 2018 for the first time in 10 years.<sup>5</sup>

Illicit drug use has also risen in rural areas, bringing its own associated crimes.<sup>6</sup>

And of course, sparsely populated regions have always faced their own unique crime and disorder challenges. But despite their increasing crime rates, smaller rural agencies are sometimes left out of the conversation regarding contemporary law enforcement needs and challenges.



Conversations with Rural Law Enforcement Leaders

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**Law Enforcement Misconduct related issues:**

## had been drinking on the job

Stevens Point police chief suspended 15 days for drinking on th...

**SUSPENDED**  
NEW INFORMATION



**CHIEF MARTIN  
SKIBBA**  
STEVENS POINT POLICE DEPT.

STEVENS POINT, Wis. (WSAW) -- Stevens Point Police Chief Marty Skibba has been suspended 15-days without pay for a violation of department rules. The suspension was the result of an investigative report which indicated that Chief Skibba drank alcohol during the regular workday and had open liquor bottles in his police car.

According to a news release, the City of Stevens Point Police and Fire Commission says the suspension is effective immediately.

Chief Skibba will be required to comply with counseling services and provide a medical report of his suitability to return to work before resuming his duties as police chief.

The release states, Chief Skibba indicated that he has experienced some personal issues including the death of his parents which influenced his behavior on this occasion.

Stevens Point Police Chief suspended for 15 days, had been drinking on the job

# suspended pending outcome of investigation into misconduct allegations

3/22/2020 Ottawamatters.com



Deputy Chief  
Uday Jaswal  
of the Ottawa  
Police

Investigation completed, alleging three charges contrary to the Code of Conduct:

Jaswal, without lawful excuse, disobeyed, omitted or neglected to comply with the Ottawa Police Service's Respectful Workplace Policy and had engaged in insubordination.

Committed misconduct by acting in a disorderly manner or manner prejudicial to discipline or likely to bring discredit upon the reputation of the police force.

Committed misconduct by assaulting another member of the police force.

## *Chase That Ended With Teenager's Killing*

The Chicago Police Board found Michael Coughlin and Jose Torres had violated the department's safety rules in connection with the shooting death of Paul O'Neal.



After Paul O'Neal crashed into a police S.U.V., he fled on foot and was fatally shot by another officer in 2016. Joshua Lott/Getty Images

**2 Chicago Police Officers Fired Over Chase That Ended With Teenager's Killing**

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# whisper stops unconstitutional

By Elizabeth Dinan edinan@seacoastonline.com, 3/21/2020



CONCORD - After two judges dismissed evidence in two separate criminal cases, both related to stops by the same state trooper, the state chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union has filed an expansive request for records about the New Hampshire State Police Mobile Enforcement Team. Based on rulings in both cases, ACLU-NH attorney Gilles Bissonette filed a request for records about the New Hampshire State Police Mobile Enforcement Team (MET) with David Hilts, legal counsel for the Department of Safety. Seacoast Media Group is a party to the Right to Know request.

ACLU-NH: State police's pretextual, whisper stops unconstitutional



# Indictment: Cops bribed with classic pickup, Corvette

By BRIAN ROKOS | brokos@scng.com | The Press-Enterprise

PUBLISHED: March 21, 2020



The building formerly occupied by DJ's Towing and Incident Management Group at 42620 Rio Nedo in Temecula is now occupied by a different company. Cody Close, an executive with DJ's Towing and IMG, was indicted along with three Riverside County sheriff's deputies in what authorities say was a bribery scheme to get DJ's Towing extra business and enrich the deputies. (Kim Guimarin/The Press-Enterprise/SCNG)

Free or deeply discounted vehicles that three Riverside County sheriff's deputies received in a bribery scheme, resulting in more business for a Temecula towing company, included a classic pickup and a Corvette, an indictment says. The Riverside County District Attorney's Office say Lt. Samuel Flores, Sgt. Robert Martin Christolon and Deputy Alton Carpenter conspired to give DJ's Towing extra business when, according to department rules, towing companies are supposed to share the lucrative hookups equally. In exchange, the DA's Office said, DJ's Towing owner Cody Close provided vehicles, meals and other items of value for free or at reduced prices. The DA's Office said Carpenter made false entries into computer records, logging towed vehicles in as traffic citations in an effort to conceal the extra tows for Close. Flores, Martin and Carpenter were all charged with being a public official receiving a bribe, altering a computer system and conspiracy. Close was charged with three counts of bribing an executive officer and one count of conspiracy. All of the men are out of custody and are due to enter pleas to the felony charges on March 27. Superior Court records do not indicate the names of their attorneys who might speak on their behalf.

Indictment: Cops bribed with classic pickup, Corvette

## teenage girl, FBI says



Police officer arrested after attempting to obtain sexual photos of teenage girl

By: Bob D'Angelo, Cox Media Group National Content Desk

Updated: March 18, 2020 - 4:08 PM

**MARGATE, Fla.** — A South Florida police officer is accused of soliciting photographs of a minor engaged in explicit sexual activities, authorities said.

Andrew Christian Hammock, 46, an officer with the Margate Police Department, was arrested by the U.S. Marshal's Office on Tuesday, the Sun-Sentinel reported.

Florida police officer tried to obtain sex pictures of teenage girl, FBI says

# Las Vegas police detective, union official indicted on felony charges

Las Vegas Review Journal March 19, 2020



A high-ranking director with the Las Vegas police union and a veteran detective were indicted Thursday on felony charges, including that the two provided urine samples to help keep a woman out of jail.

Weeks of grand jury testimony revealed that Detective Lawrence Rinetti Jr., 46, stole meth and jewels while on duty for a confidential informant with whom he was having an affair. He and Michael Ramirez, the head of governmental affairs for the Las Vegas Police Protective Association, used their urine to ensure that the woman would not fail a court-ordered drug test, Chief Deputy District Attorney Christopher Hamner said.

"This is probably the worst public corruption case involving police officers since I've been in the office," the prosecutor said. Rinetti had the woman sign up as a confidential police informant under a different name, "so he can continue an affair."

# L.A. to pay \$1.5M to settle suit by LAPD detective alleging abuse, blackmail by officer

KTLA 5 March 18, 2020



Los Angeles will pay up to \$1.5 million to settle a lawsuit from a police detective who said she was assaulted, abused and blackmailed by a fellow officer, and that department officials ignored her complaints.

Det. Ysabel Villegas, a longtime employee of the department, accused Officer Daniel Reedy of beating her and threatening to share sexually explicit images he had secretly taken if she tried to end their relationship. At one point, she told Reedy that she did not want to have sex with him, but he insisted and she submitted in fear of the “consequences,” the suit said.

Villegas alleged that senior officers failed to investigate his threats and left her unprotected from the abuse.

“Instead, LAPD officers redistributed the explicit photographs, further creating a hostile work environment for Detective Villegas,” the lawsuit alleged.

L.A. to pay \$1.5M to settle suit by LAPD detective alleging abuse, blackmail by officer

**probation**

by Eyewitness News Staff | Wednesday, March 18th 2020

*Forfeited his job  
for \$1075.47.  
What a shame! I  
have seen to many  
Chiefs / Sheriffs  
get to big for their  
britches and make  
unwise decisions  
like this. Lt. Dan*



BAKERSFIELD, Calif., (KBAK/KBFX) — Kimble was convicted of a misdemeanor for submitting false documents.

When Kimble was the Police Chief of McFarland he misappropriated funds when he intentionally added unearned hours to an officer's payroll time sheets in consideration for the officer's work remodeling portions of Kimble's home. The total cost to the City \$745.20.

He also assigned the officer to attend training courses out of Kern County with the intent of having the officer complete construction work on Kimble's personal home during the evenings, requiring 25 miles of travel in a city-owned vehicle each way between Kimble's home and the training center. The cost to the City \$229.50. The restitution amount of \$1075.47 covers the amount of loss to the City of McFarland.

Former Arvin Police Chief Scot Kimble sentenced to 3 years of probation

# sexually assaulting prisoner

By [Tom Jackman](#)

March 17, 2020 at 8:45 p.m. EDT

A Fairfax County sheriff's deputy who was previously involved in two high-profile deaths while on duty was arrested Tuesday after he allegedly sexually assaulted a prisoner he was transporting through Fairfax City on Monday, the city police said Tuesday evening.

The police said they believe the assault happened in a Fairfax sheriff's vehicle, in a parking lot in the 11000 block of Fairfax Boulevard, near Jermantown Road. The victim was being transported to the Loudoun County jail and reported an assault when she arrived in Leesburg around noon Monday, Sgt. Matthew Lasowitz of the Fairfax City police said.



Fairfax County Sheriff's Deputy Patrick D. McPartlin was arrested Tuesday and charged with the sexual assault of a prisoner he was transporting. After

Fairfax County sheriff's deputy charged with sexually assaulting prisoner

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## **Positive / Lighter side of Law Enforcement News:**

***Some stories of good police work to remind us that the vast majority of law enforcement professionals do a great job! Lt. Dan***

## activity during coronavirus outbreak



Several police departments across the country are asking criminals in tongue-in-cheek social media posts to stop illegal activity during the coronavirus pandemic.

Police in Ohio, Wisconsin, Kentucky, Utah and Washington have called on criminals to take a break to allow officers to respond to coronavirus-related issues.

The Salt Lake City Police Department, for example, requested in a post on Facebook last week that “all criminal activities/nefarious behavior to cease until further notice.”

Police nationwide ask criminals to halt activity during coronavirus outbreak

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### Officer Involved Critical Incidents:

# Franklin County, Missouri



by: Staff Writer

Posted: Mar 22, 2020 / 09:46 AM CDT / Updated: Mar 22, 2020 / 10:08 AM CDT

FRANKLIN COUNTY, Mo. – The Franklin County Sheriff's Office reports that two of their deputies were shot at approximately 9:45 p.m. Saturday.

Police say a deputy tried to stop a car at I-44 and Hwy 50. The driver of the car refused to yield and fled east on Hwy AT. The driver then pulled into a business parking lot near the intersection of Hwy AT and Hwy 100.

Two deputies, in separate vehicles, pulled into the business lot. When the suspect's vehicle came to a stop, the driver got out of his car and started shooting into the deputies' cars.

One deputy was shot in the shoulder. The second deputy was shot in the arm and shoulder.

The deputies returned fire and struck the suspect.

The deputies were both transported to the hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

The suspect was also transported to a hospital and his conditions is not known.

**2 deputies shot and injured Saturday night in Franklin County, Missouri**

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# at Orange County Jail, deputies say

Clickorlando.com 3/21/2020



Eric Stanley was arrested Saturday evening on drug charges. Upon being taken to the jail, Stanley was brought to the inmate intake area, where deputies said Stanley pulled out a gun and held a deputy, a corrections officer, a nurse, and that other individual hostage. Stanley was shot by deputies and officers during the initial altercation, before he hid behind a desk, deputies said. "We were able to negotiate with him for an hour and a half through the PA system at the jail. He threw the gun away, and it was at that point our SWAT team moved in and secured him." Stanley is expected to be OK after being shot in the shoulder, while none of the hostages or deputies and officers outside were hurt.

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# shooting following chase in Anderson Co., (SC) SLED investigating by: WSPA Staff Mar 21, 2020



ANDERSON CO., SC (WSPA) – A suspect is in the hospital after a deputy-involved shooting following a chase in Anderson County late Friday night. According to the Anderson County Sheriff's Office, a deputy attempted to stop a vehicle on Highway 86 in Piedmont around 11:00pm.

Deputies said the vehicle did not stop and led them on a low speed chase. When the vehicle stopped, the sheriff's office said the suspect ran away and was chased by the deputy. The sheriff's office said the suspect pulled out a handgun and pointed it at the deputy.

The deputy then fired at the suspect who was hit at least one time and taken to the hospital, the sheriff's office said.

The deputy was not hurt in the shooting, according to the Anderson County Sheriff's Office.

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Suspect injured after deputy-involved shooting following chase in Anderson Co

# Involved in shooting

by Dan Claxton Thursday, KRCG, March 19th 2020

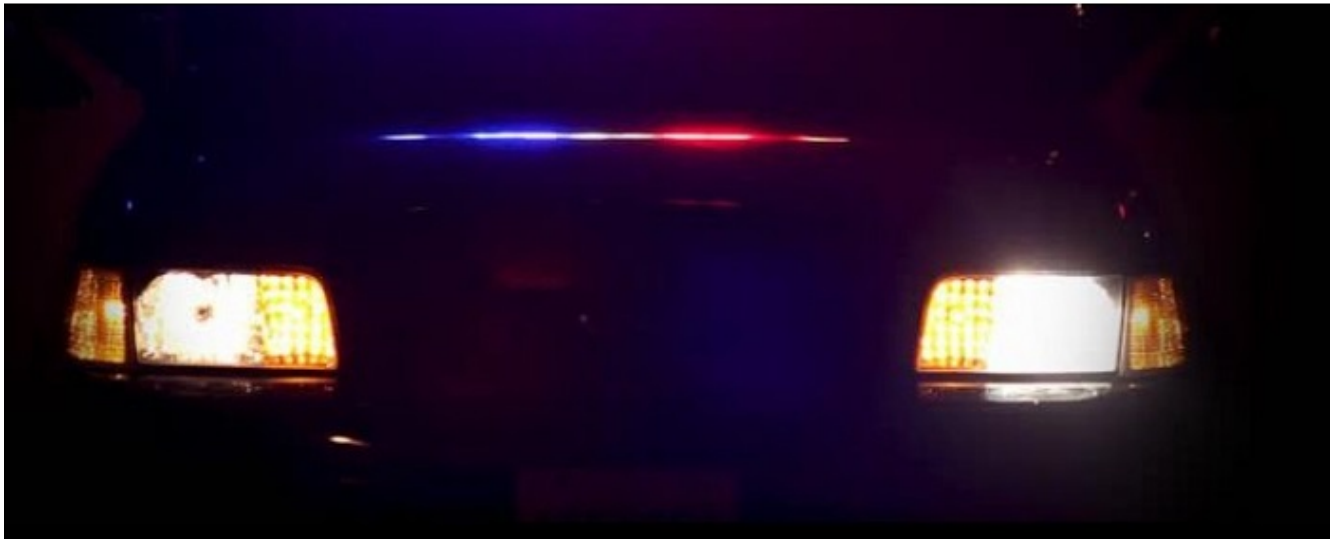


NEW BLOOMFIELD — An individual at a Pulaski County residence was shot Thursday morning by law enforcement as a drug-related search warrant was being served.

According to Sheriff Jimmy Bench, at about 6:45 Thursday morning, Pulaski County deputies and members of the South Central Drug Task Force executed the warrant in the 22000 block of Hector Drive. The individual was shot in the arm during the execution of the warrant and is being treated for non-life-threatening injuries.

# kills man

Chillicothe News 3/20/2020



At about 9 p.m., Thursday, March 19, a Livingston County Deputy shot and killed a man.

According to Livingston County Sheriff Steve Cox, the deputy had stopped the vehicle and began an investigation in Wheeling when the deputy “reportedly experienced problems with the adult male driver,” Cox said.

“During the incident, a deputy sheriff shot the individual who was later pronounced dead at Hedrick Medical Center,” Cox added. “We also had a deputy sheriff treated at and later released from Hedrick Medical Center.”

On Thursday evening Sheriff Cox requested the Missouri State Highway Patrol DDCC handle the investigation.

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# officer-involved shooting

By KIRK MITCHELL | [kmitchell@denverpost.com](mailto:kmitchell@denverpost.com) | The Denver Post PUBLISHED: March 19, 2020

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The Mesa County Coroner's Office identified the man killed Tuesday in a police shooting as 51-year-old Steven Alire of Grand Junction.

The cause of death was gunshot wounds in the torso, and the manner of death is homicide, the coroner's office said. Toxicology tests are pending.

Grand Junction [police shot and killed Alire](#), who they said appeared to be holding a gun, after he emerged from an house they had surrounded. Alire had gone inside after someone called police because he brandished a gun and knife in front of young people playing basketball at Orchard Mesa Middle School.

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# shooting at Oceanfront

Mar 21, 2020 WTKR 3



VIRGINIA BEACH, Va. - Police are looking into an officer-involved shooting that left one person dead at the Oceanfront on Friday.

Officers say they were serving a felony warrant on a fugitive and that no officers were injured during the incident. The call came in around 11:25 a.m.

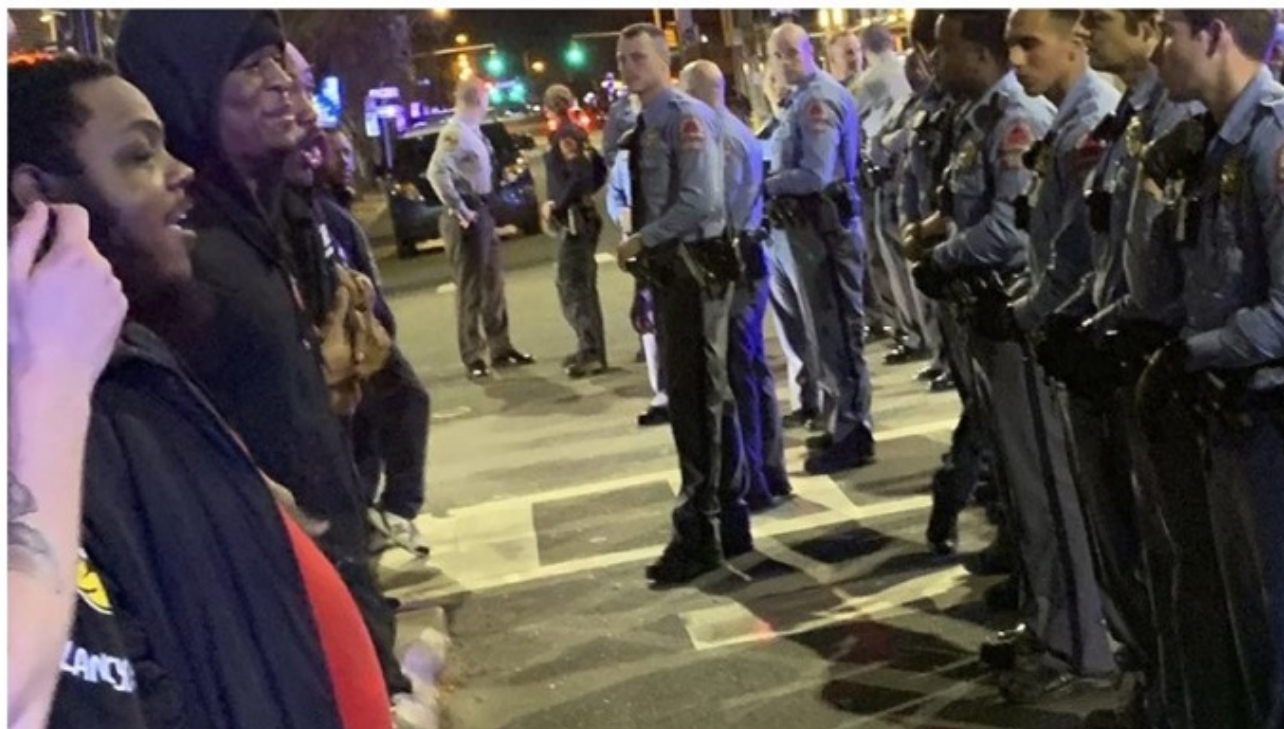
Police said officers engaged the suspect in the 200 block of 35th Street and as shots were fired, the suspect was struck. Officers immediately began rescue efforts, but unfortunately were unsuccessful, they said.

The suspect was pronounced dead at the scene and a handgun was recovered near the suspect.

## Suspect dead in OIS

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by Associated Press | Saturday, March 21st 2020



FILE - In this March 11, 2020 file photo, demonstrators come face to face with police at an intersection during a protest in Raleigh, N.C. A man wounded by police in a case that sparked protests around North Carolina's capital city was raising a gun when he was shot, according to a preliminary investigative report, which comes as community activists press for increased police transparency and accountability. (Courtesy of Kerwin Pittman via AP)



RALEIGH, Wake County — A man wounded by police in a case that sparked protests around North Carolina's capital city was raising a gun when he was shot, according to a preliminary investigative report, which comes as community activists press for increased police transparency and accountability.

The shooting of Javier Torres, 26, on March 10 ignited spontaneous demonstrations around Raleigh after social media rumors incorrectly suggested an unarmed 16-year-old was shot and killed. Hours after the shooting, news video showed crowds at the home of Raleigh

Amid

tension, police shooting report says suspect raised gun

## Minnesota jury acquits sheriff's deputy in shooting death

*A Minnesota sheriff's deputy has been acquitted in the 2018 fatal shooting of a suicidal man who had a gun*

By **The Associated Press**

March 19, 2020, 4:09 PM • 4 min read



# police fire on her following pursuit

By Steven Henshaw [shenshaw@readingeagle.com](mailto:shenshaw@readingeagle.com) Mar 16, 2020



A Lebanon, PA. County woman died in a hail of bullets after ramming her car into an occupied police car near Myerstown following an overnight police chase, state police said Monday.

After ramming the North Lebanon Township cruiser, Charity Thome, 42, of Richland refused commands to get out of her car and continued to accelerate, endangering a North Lebanon officer and troopers, who then discharged their weapons, troopers said. Police immediately administered first aid until an ambulance arrived. Thome was later pronounced dead at the scene by the deputy coroner.

Lebanon County woman dead after state police fire on her following pursuit

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# Miami-Dade



[Marisela Burgos](#)

SOUTH MIAMI-DADE, FLA. (WSVN) - Police have shot and killed a man who, they said, was threatening to harm himself before he shot at officers in South Miami-Dade.

Miami-Dade Police units responded to the scene of the shooting in the area of Southwest 276th Street and 145th Avenue, at around 8:30 p.m., Monday.

Man killed in police-involved shooting in South Miami-Dade

## Training opportunities:

**Schedule: Many of our courses are being rescheduled as noted below. New dates will be announced once travel restrictions are lifted.**

**Re-Scheduled  
New Date TBA**

[Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course – LEIA-101,](#)  
Kansas City, MO

- Re-Scheduled  
New Date TBA** [Introduction To Jail Inspections and Audits – JIA-101](#), Carrollton, TX (Dallas Area)
- Canceled** [Introduction to Internal Affairs Investigations Course # IA-101](#), Hamilton Township, OH / Cincinnati Area
- Apr 15-16, 2020 [Law Enforcement Audits for Government Auditors Course - LEIA 301](#), Tempe, AZ -  
**Re-Scheduled TBA** - *Sold Out --> Next 301 Class is on October 26 below!!*
- Re-Scheduled  
To Nov 16-19** [Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Certificate \(LEIAC\)™ Course # LEIA-201](#), Phoenix, AZ
- Apr 28-30, 2020 [Introduction to Jail Inspections and Audits - JIA-101](#), Mesa, AZ  
**Re-Scheduled TBA**
- May 5-7, 2020 [Introduction to Internal Affairs Investigations Course # IA-101](#), Peoria, AZ  
**Canceled** [Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course – LEIA-101](#), Hamilton Township, OH / Cincinnati Area
- September 16-18, 2020 [Introduction to Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Course - LEIA-101](#), Phoenix, AZ
- October 26-27, 2020 [Law Enforcement Audits for Government Auditors Course – LEIA-301](#), Chesapeake, VA
- November 16-19, 2020 [Law Enforcement Inspections and Auditing Certificate \(LEIAC\) LEIA-201](#), Phoenix, AZ

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