

**COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY
BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION REPORT**



BOI CASE NUMBER: 2016-290-001
AGENCY CASE NUMBER: 16S-08694, SCSO # 16-08229
CRIME: OIS SCPD
REQUESTED BY: ADA TARA GEORGE
INSPECTOR ASSIGNED: KATRINA ROGERS
DATE OF REPORT: 10/18/2016

DEFENDANT(S): Sean [REDACTED] ARLT (Deceased 10/16/16)
DOB: 06/25/1984
CDL: D2129951
ADDRESS: [REDACTED] Plateau Avenue (rear unit) Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Synopsis: I interviewed [REDACTED] Arlt and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (parents of Sean) and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (residents of [REDACTED] Chace Street).

Persons Involved

Name	Address	Phone
Arlt, [REDACTED]	[REDACTED] Plateau Avenue, Santa Cruz	
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	[REDACTED] Plateau Avenue, Santa Cruz	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] Chace Street, Santa Cruz	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] Chace Street, Santa Cruz	
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]		[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]		

Narrative: On 10/16/16 at approximately 0650 hours, I was contacted by Chief Inspector Mike Roe. Roe advised me that there had been an officer involved shooting and requested that I respond to the Santa Cruz Police Department to assist with the investigation. Upon my arrival at approximately 0815 hours, I briefed with Inspector Murray. Inspector Murray requested that Inspector Delfin and I interview [REDACTED] Arlt and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (parents of Sean Arlt), and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (residents of [REDACTED] Chace Street).

At approximately 0930 hours, Inspector Delfin, ADA Tara George and I met with Detective

Sergeant Arnold Vasquez and Victim Advocate Julie Schneider at [REDACTED] Plateau Avenue. After brief introductions it was agreed that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] would accompany Schneider to the District Attorney's Office to be interviewed.

Before returning to the District Attorney's Office ADA Tara George, Insp. Delfin and myself went and met briefly with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] Chace Street. We provided our names to the CSO keeping the crime scene log. We did a brief walk through of the crime scene prior to making contact with [REDACTED] at the front door of her residence.

After knocking on the front door, which is dark red in color, I noted that there were bloody hand prints on the door and glass panes. Some of the hand prints were as if someone had slid their hands down the door several inches. There was a drop of blood on the door sill approximately the size of a pea. I noted at this time that the knocker from the door knocker was broken and sitting on a nearby bench. At this point we alerted the CSI team on scene as to the blood as it was raining heavily and the blood was being washed away. A CSI technician came over shortly after and began photographing the door.

I met with [REDACTED] briefly at the back door of her residence where I noted a full size umbrella propped up against the outside of the house to the right of the door. The umbrella had a small amount of blood on the handle.

I explained to [REDACTED] that I would like to interview her and her tenant, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] later in the day. [REDACTED] understood and agreed. I spoke briefly with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] stated that she would be receptive to talking with us later as well.

ADA George, Insp. Delfin, and myself then returned to the District Attorney's Office to interview [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. We first interviewed [REDACTED]. This interview was audio and video recorded. I was the primary interviewer while Insp. Delfin assisted. I will be providing documentation of this interview. The following is meant to be a summary of my interview with [REDACTED]. For complete details regarding [REDACTED] statement please refer to the audio and or video recordings.

I began by explaining the role of the District Attorney's Office in this investigation.

[REDACTED] stated that 911 had been called twice this week prior to this incident. [REDACTED] stated that on Monday October 10, 2016 at approximately 1700 hours, he received a call from his wife while he was at work. [REDACTED] told [REDACTED] that he needed to come home because Sean "was in bad shape." [REDACTED] told [REDACTED] that she had already called 911. [REDACTED] works in Moss Landing and estimated that he arrived home between 1730 and 1800 hours.

When [REDACTED] arrived home he came in the side door of the residence. [REDACTED] observed his neighbor [REDACTED] [REDACTED] standing in his kitchen facing the side door and Sean standing with his back to the door. Sean was "in a delusional rant" with very rapid speech. Sean saying things such as:

"Their going to kill me."

" No I'm going to have to kill them."

" I have Rock Star power and their going to kill me because I have Rock Star power."

"But then with my Rock Star power I can kill somebody. I may kill somebody."

█████ stated that this type of dialogue continued and Sean fell to the floor. Sean was crying and shivering and was trying to lay straight “to protect himself.”

█████ was able to place his hand on Sean’s back and talking calmly with Sean assuring Sean that he was safe.

After a period of about 20 minutes Sean stood up and looked at █████ and told █████ that he had to leave after previously welcoming █████ into the home. █████ stated, “In other words he perceived him as a threat.” █████ stood in between Sean and █████ although Sean did not make any kind of violent or aggressive stance toward █████. █████ began crying and stated that he didn’t feel like his son was going to hurt anyone. █████ stated that Sean “was in a such a delusional state” and that he thought it was good practice to get in between █████ and Sean and talk softly.

█████ stated that █████ had a conversation with the police officers who were on scene and understood that the result of that conversation was that the officers could not take Sean on a mental health hold because and that they were just further agitating Sean by being present on the property.

I interjected and asked █████ if the police were present when Sean was making the statements about people killing him and Sean killing people. █████ stated that the police were outside and he does not believe that the police heard Sean make those statements. I asked █████ if the police officers were outside because he had asked them to stay outside. █████ stated that he did not know and that █████ had interacted with the police upon their arrival. █████ stated that Sean must have presented reasonably well enough that the officers did not take him on a mental health hold.

I asked █████ if he was present when the officers spoke with Sean. █████ stated that he was not but █████ recalled talking with the officers after they spoke with Sean. █████ believed it was Officer “Trinidad” (Trindade) and a shorter Officer that were there. █████ stated that he spoke with the shorter officer.

After the police left █████ attempted to get Sean to calm down by doing some meditation and breathing exercises. Sean commented at this time that he had not slept in 48 hrs.

█████ and █████ were able to get Sean into the car and drove him to Telecare located on Soquel Ave. █████ walked into the lobby and told the receptionist “Our son needs help.” The receptionist told █████ that he needed to take Sean over to the Emergency Room without having even spoken with Sean. █████ recalls replying to the receptionist, “Fuck no, we’ve done that before and he needs to be admitted here.”

At some point Sean walked into the lobby and began banging his hands on the wall and started mumbling, “Not a good place to be. Have to leave. This isn’t safe. This isn’t safe.”

Eventually █████ was told he needed take Sean to the ER. Sean agreed to go to the ER but then refused to go in. Sean felt that the ER staff needed to invite him in. In describing this interaction █████ mentioned, “he’s a fighter.” █████ stated that the staff finally got it worked out

with Sean and got Sean inside where they began taking his information. Sean began to feel unsafe and went outside. [REDACTED] placed himself in front of Sean in an attempt to prevent him from leaving. [REDACTED] described two security guards offering their assistance.

[REDACTED] engaged in a back and forth dialogue with Sean about why he needed to go to the ER. Sean was convinced that it was [REDACTED] who should be going to the ER. [REDACTED] eventually started yelling and told Sean that he needed to get help or he was risking not seeing his son again.

[REDACTED] stated that Sean has the ability to calm himself down in very agitated situations. And that Sean then found that [REDACTED] was the one who was out of control because [REDACTED] had started screaming. Sean related that information to the security guards.

Some Sheriff's deputies arrived and observed Sean and [REDACTED] for awhile. [REDACTED] believes that the Sheriff's deputies came to the conclusion that what they were observing were two grown men having a disagreement and [REDACTED] surmised there was nothing the deputies could do. [REDACTED] stated that at this point he was worn down and Sean walked off. [REDACTED] let him go.

[REDACTED] talked with the Sheriff's deputies for awhile outside in the parking lot and then drove around trying to find Sean.

I confirmed with [REDACTED] that he was saying that Sean would flip the argument and make it seem like [REDACTED] was the one with the issue after [REDACTED] became frustrated and began yelling. [REDACTED] confirmed that was correct and stated that it had been like that for the last 17 years. [REDACTED] explained that he and [REDACTED] had observed over the years that during situations like this Sean would be able to calm himself down in a very controlled manner, although appearing very tense, and would then tell [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] that they were the ones with psychiatric issues.

I asked [REDACTED] about the "17 years" comment. [REDACTED] stated that at the age of fifteen Sean told his parents that he was depressed. [REDACTED] stated that this was the first indication that there was something going on with Sean. Sean went to see a psychologist by the name of Dr. Jon Girvetz while in high school. Sean started using Marijuana in high school. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] took Sean out of Santa Cruz High as a mutual agreement with the school because the school was ready to expel Sean. At this time Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD) was being explored as the source of Sean's issues. [REDACTED] doesn't know if Sean was taking any medication at this time.

Sean did Americorp for approximately a year and was then accepted to Sonoma State. [REDACTED] described a few incidents where Sean would call [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] up for a visit and then get very frantic wondering why [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were putting him under so much pressure. [REDACTED] stated that Sean would then "normalize". Sean ended up graduating with honors with a degree in Philosophy and Psychology. Sean was accepted into USF law school but decided two weeks prior that he did not want to go.

[REDACTED] stated that they would "see these mood swings" over the years. Sean came back and lived at home and worked. Sean worked at the Bay School for approximately a year. Sean did well at Bay School for a period of time but then his mental illness caused Sean to become disruptive and believe that he could run the organization better than anyone else. [REDACTED] is pretty sure that Sean was asked to leave that job.

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Sean worked as a math tutor while at Sonoma State, later as a care giver, and at Encompass as a counselor. [REDACTED] believes that Sean was also asked to leave Encompass.

Sean had a relationship with a girl named [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] became pregnant and Sean and she moved back to Texas for her to have the child. Sean's son [REDACTED] was born on 11/15/12. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] went to visit Sean and [REDACTED] and noted that Sean was stressed and withdrawing. [REDACTED] noted that Sean would come home from work and would drink excessively and sleep. [REDACTED] talked with a neighbor who described [REDACTED] and Sean as arguing a lot.

Around January of 2013 [REDACTED] became fed up and took [REDACTED] and left Sean to move in with her parents. Around this time Sean took an overdose of sleeping pills and drove himself to the hospital. [REDACTED] flew out to Texas and packed up Sean and his belongings and moved him back to their house in California.

[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] came out for approximately 6-8 months and tried to make it work with Sean. [REDACTED] left one morning after leaving a note saying she had to take [REDACTED] and leave. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] met with [REDACTED] family and worked out an agreement for Sean to be supportive of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Ultimately it was agreed that Sean would send 10% of his wages to [REDACTED] every month.

[REDACTED] stated that things were "up and down" with Sean.

The next significant event with Sean was July of 2015. [REDACTED] described Sean as exhibiting very manic and upbeat but very agitated behavior. Sean had unrealistic ideas about how he was going to support [REDACTED]. Sean wrote a book and had it published (later learned to be titled "The Love Manifesto").

Around July of 2015 [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] received a call from one of Sean's friends who lives in the lower Seabright area. Sean was found hiding in a closet of the friend's apartment paranoid that someone was trying to kill him.

After this incident Sean agreed to let [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] take him to Telecare. This was Sean's first visit to Telecare. [REDACTED] ended up taking Sean to Telecare. Sean complained of a stomach ache so Telecare told [REDACTED] she needed to take Sean to the ER. Sean was admitted into the ER where he was given a muscle relaxer, some other medication and was hydrated. Sean was then held on a 5150 hold and sent over to Telecare. Sean slept for 18 hours at Telecare after which he was interviewed and determined to be fine.

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Telecare contacted [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] when Sean was ready to be discharged. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] showed up to pick up Sean with an agreement they had drafted stating that Sean was not to drink, not to smoke marijuana and see a psychiatrist and follow the prescribed treatment. Sean acted pretty agitated when [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] arrived and presented the agreement. [REDACTED] stated that a pissed off adult angry at a agreement isn't classifiable under the DSM and therefore Sean's behavior did not cause Telecare to continue to hold Sean.

After being released Sean did seek treatment with Dr. Catherine Borchert. Dr. Borchert diagnosed Sean as having a mood disorder and possibly bipolar. Sean refused to accept the diagnosis or the medication. Sean believed that he was suffering from PTSD stemming from childhood abuse. Sean also believe that Dr. Borchert needed to get her own life together before she could help any body else.

Inspector Delfin inquired about any other hospitalizations prior to July of 2015. [REDACTED] stated that there were no other hospitalizations but that Sean was exhibiting behavior that indicated that he needed treatment including the manic episodes but nothing that rose to Sean endangering his life or anyone else's life.

After Sean's hospitalization in July of 2015 Sean did come home but did not adhere to the terms of his parent's agreement. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] met with Dr. Girvetz and formulated a plan for the three of them to meet with Sean and try to convince Sean that Dr. Borchert was ok to work with. Sean continued to refuse treatment.

At this point [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] are finding it hard to live with Sean and realize that they could be triggering Sean's behavior. Sean was having an effect on [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] too by tiring them out and causing them not to sleep well.

[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] came up with an agreement that they would give Sean enough money for three months rent in exchange for him moving out. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] worked and carefully worded their request based on non-violent communication telling Sean "it's not good for us and it's not good for you." [REDACTED] stated that intent was for Sean to get a place to stay and be able to live his life with [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] out of the picture. [REDACTED] remarked in an aside that it seemed like it took quite a long time before he and [REDACTED] came to making this point of action with Sean.

Sean did move out and began attending the Pacific Institute in Santa Barbara to obtain his Master's Degree in Psychology. [REDACTED] believes that Sean was asked to leave the school as a result of a psychotic break or mania. Sean ended up returning to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] home after exhausting all of his money. Sean returned desperate and fearing for his life that he would be homeless. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] let Sean return to their home under the conditions of another agreement.

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At this point [REDACTED] had been looking into treatment centers that addressed dual diagnosis as Sean would drink excessively and smoke marijuana. Sean agreed to see a psychiatrist upon his return after consulting with his new girlfriend. Sean briefly saw Dr. Gary Gibbs before Dr. Gibbs refused to deal with Sean any longer.

Sean worked off a list of psychiatrists that Dr. Girvetz had provided him and began working with Dr. Paul Luther starting around July of 2016. Sean told Dr. Luther that he was depressed, had trouble sleeping and wanted to quit smoking. Sean told [REDACTED] that he was being treated by Dr. Luther for depression and was prescribed 250mg of Wellbutrin.

[REDACTED] described that Sean would have a pattern of ups and downs where Sean would be well for a period of days or weeks. Sean told [REDACTED] at this time that he was going to enroll in an online law school. Sean's reasoning was that he could obtain a certificate which would allow him to consult with out having to be a lawyer. As part of enrolling for school Sean was able to obtain an \$8000 loan. Sean also received food stamps.

[REDACTED] stated that during this time he and [REDACTED] would invite Sean into the main house to eat with them. Sean would use the bathroom inside the main house and would use the kitchen. Sean had free access to the house. Sean lived in a detached studio on the east side of the main residence. [REDACTED] stated that Sean "would go up and down" emotionally.

The new girlfriend broke up with Sean about a month ago. [REDACTED] did not know Sean to use any other recreational drugs. [REDACTED] stated that Sean was a lacrosse referee for years and became a head referee a few years ago. However Sean became belligerent and alienated himself from the lacrosse referee organization. [REDACTED] and Sean would go surfing together.

[REDACTED] stated that during this time Sean was living on marijuana, alcohol (beer and Jameson), cigarettes and pizza.

I asked [REDACTED] if Sean would purchase his marijuana through a collective. [REDACTED] knew that Sean had a medical marijuana card but he believed that Sean would get his marijuana from where ever he could get it.

Inspector Delfin asked [REDACTED] about any other violent behavior. [REDACTED] stated that Sean would never get violent with people but that he would "wreck stuff." [REDACTED] mentioned that Sean had trashed his room around the time of his girlfriend breaking up with him.

Sean studied martial arts for awhile studying first with Master Song doing Judo and then did some mixed martial arts. Sean like reading about warriors and like the philosophical side especially "how to do good in the world."

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█████ has seen Sean be verbally aggressive but he had never seen █████ attack anyone.

I asked █████ about the time period between July of 2016 and today. █████ stated that he and Sean would talk about school, Sean was Facetiming with █████ and █████ on a pretty consistent basis.

At this time █████ and █████ began observing that Sean's behavior is "not good." Sean is being defiant and anti-social and isolating himself. █████ described Sean as being very social in high school and having a lot of friends. █████ stated that Sean had one friend who would come over once a week and that this friend knew that Sean was struggling with mental illness. Sean had alienated himself from his older brother █████ Sean had a "very special relationship" with █████ mother █████ During this time Sean would go on drinking binges and was not taking care of himself.

█████ stated that there were probably one or two more moments of belligerence and verbal confrontation. Inspector Delfin asked if the cops had been called prior to this week. █████ stated that Sean had actually called the police on him.

We then made a transition back to the events of this week.

█████ stated that he had stayed home from work all week.

On Tuesday October 11th around approximately 2000, hours █████ came to █████ and █████ residence to notify them that Sean was over at his house. █████ told █████ that Sean's hands were all scraped up and that Sean was saying a bunch of crazy things. █████ made a decision to call 911 because he didn't want to go over to █████ residence and have things blow up inside █████ residence.

█████ called 911 and then █████ and █████ drove over to the █████ residence. When █████ and █████ arrived Sean was standing in the █████ driveway. █████ preferred not to go through the entire incident with me.

█████ did want to add an editorial on how he felt the officers handled the situation. █████ stated that he felt the officers did not demonstrate any training in how to handle someone who is in a psychotic state. █████ stated that one of the officer's began yelling at Sean to put down the pen. █████ did not feel that it was a peaceful intervention and that it seemed like there could have been a more effective way to deal with Sean. However █████ noted that the fact was at one point there were six officers trying to restrain Sean. █████ stated, "So if six officers were struggling to restrain him I could see why these two officers may have done what they did."

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█████ stated that it didn't seem like Sean was going to harm anyone or himself so it seemed to him that the situation should have been kept more calm. █████ then stated that this was his first experience with where these things can go to.

█████ stated that he did tell the officers that evening, "We've been trying for years and my wife's a social worker, so I don't know how you do." █████ stated that at least on this night the two officers were able to control Sean without pulling out their guns.

Sean was admitted to the ER that evening and given Geodon, then transferred to █████ and subsequently release from Telecare. █████ stated that he had contacted Telecare and was told that Sean was on a 24 hour hold. However Sean was released 12 hours later.

On Wednesday October 12, 2016 █████ called Dr. Luther's office. The message on Dr. Luther's phone directs people to call Jack Kauffman who is some type of support person. █████ spoke with Kauffman about Sean and Kauffman would relay that information to Dr. Luther. Upon reflection █████ stated that he may have spoken with Kauffman on Monday evening. █████ recalled speaking with Kauffman between 4-6 times that week. Kauffman had been providing █████ and █████ with options based on the information that █████ was giving him about Sean. Kauffman was also the liaison between Dr. Luther and █████ and █████

On Wednesday October 12, 2016 █████ spoke with Kathy (unknown last) who works in Dr. Luther's office. Kathy advised █████ that she had an appointment for Sean on Thursday at 1100 hours. Kathy asked █████ to tell Sean about the appointment. █████ told Kathy that he wouldn't be able to do that as Sean would be furious that █████ had made the appointment for him. █████ asked Kathy to call Sean and leave him a message about the appointment. Kathy did so.

█████ ended up taking Sean to the appointment at Dr. Luther's on Thursday October 13, 2016. █████ walked into the office at some point during Sean's appointment and heard Dr. Luther say something to the effect of "this is serious." █████ then heard Sean say something unintelligible and then Sean quickly came out of the office. █████ inquired with Sean about paying for the visit. Sean was belligerent and then left.

Also on Wednesday October 12, 2016 █████ recorded a 57:36 minute conversation with Sean. █████ forwarded me this recording on 10/17/16. As of the writing of this report I have not yet listened to this recording. █████ summarized this conversation stating that Sean was pretty lucid and calm during the conversation. █████ did not challenge Sean during the conversation. Sean told █████ that the line between fantasy, dream and reality was blurring for him. Sean told █████ that now that he knew that he felt like he had a break through and that this last episode was his break through.

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██████ described Sean's behaviors over those several days. Sean had developed a "cultivated" manner of dialogue where he would talk quickly and tersely when asked a question. ██████ also described Sean pointing his arms straight and stiff with his fingers bowed out on the ends of his hands. Sean continued to wander in and out of the house and wasn't sleeping. Sean had found his Wellbutrin and stated that he was going to start taking the medication again. ██████ recalled Sean banging on the bedroom door a couple of times and on one occasion telling ██████ that she needed to take him seriously. ██████ couldn't recall whether this was Friday night or early Saturday morning. ██████ clarified that Sean was welcome in the house and moved freely between his outdoor studio and the main house.

On Saturday October 15, 2016 Sean ate dinner with ██████ and ██████ eating a few fish filets and broccoli. Sean did not drink any alcohol with dinner. Sean was acting tense and talked in his quick tone. ██████ came home from a wedding around 1930 hours. Sean was pretty agitated. ██████ went out the front door and Sean came walking down the sidewalk. ██████ asked Sean what he was doing and Sean replied that he was going to get some beer and asked ██████ if he wanted to join him. ██████ told Sean that he thought it was a better idea if Sean stayed here. Sean replied that he felt it was a better idea if ██████ stayed there. ██████ stated that it appeared that Sean didn't get beer at that time because he saw Sean in his studio from inside the house.

██████ stated that Sean must have gone and gotten some beer at a later time because around 2130 hours, Sean came inside bantering and placed two bottles of beer outside of ██████ and ██████ bedroom door. Sean commented something to the effect of "this is what you need to straighten yourselves out." ██████ opened the door and picked up the beers in one hand. ██████ told Sean, "Sean, you need to leave the house." ██████ stated that Sean was approximately 10-12 feet away and had some type of argumentative response but left peacefully.

I asked ██████ if there had been any conversation about Sean no longer being allowed to live at the residence at all. ██████ stated that there was no conversation to that effect. When ██████ told Sean he needed to leave the house he meant the main residence.

After Sean left the house ██████ locked all of the doors. He could hear Sean yelling something but it had gotten to a point that ██████ didn't want to hear what Sean was saying.

██████ explained that he sleeps with ear plugs in and that ██████ is a very sound sleeper. ██████ stated that he woke up around 0530 hours and checked his phone. ██████ stated that he works in IT and checks his phone for equipment issues when he awakens. At this time ██████ saw a text message that ██████ sent at 0407 hours saying, "Sean on Getchell Street. Police here. Sean tased or shot in legs. ██████ was asked to go to police station."

I asked ██████ about the damage to the glass patio doors as I had noticed that both glass patio

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were shattered. [REDACTED] stated that the doors must have been damaged during the middle of the night or early morning as they were not that way when he went to sleep and he didn't hear them getting broken during the middle of the night.

I asked [REDACTED] about the glass I had seen in the garbage can that looked as if it had been swept up. [REDACTED] explained that one of the officers had told [REDACTED] he could start cleaning that area up.

[REDACTED] described the scene to me as he saw it around 0600 hours. [REDACTED] stated that at first he thought his patio door was foggy. He then realized that the outer pane of the double pane door was shattered. [REDACTED] noted a laundry basket, two chairs, a candle that may have been thrown at the door, a bunch of clothes, Sean's computer, and shattered glass from Sean's patio door all in the patio area between the main residence and Sean's studio. [REDACTED] confirmed that he had pushed the clothing back into Sean's open patio door. [REDACTED] also put some beer bottles in the garbage bin and a small pipe for smoking marijuana.

I asked [REDACTED] about a few small stains on his blue jeans which were similar to blood. [REDACTED] explained that these droplets were his blood and were from some time ago.

I asked [REDACTED] about a type written time line that he referred to during our interview. [REDACTED] stated that he was referred to someone at the Sheriff's office who told [REDACTED] about an AB1424 form from the NAMI website. [REDACTED] provided me with a copy of the form.

I advised [REDACTED] that I would like to do a forensic download on his cellular phone with the intent of obtaining a copy of the recording titled "Sean talk 10122016" and the text messages from [REDACTED]. I explained the Consent To Search for to [REDACTED] and advised him that we would limit the scope of our search of the phone to Monday October 10th, 2016 until Sunday October 16, 2016. [REDACTED] signed the consent to search form at approximately 1210 hours and Inspector Delfin signed as a witness. While I was interviewing [REDACTED] Inspector Tripp took possession of the phone and began performing a forensic download.

After the interview with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] indicated that he no longer wished to consent to the search of his phone. [REDACTED] friend [REDACTED] indicated that there was no reason that our office needed the phone. I contacted Inspector Tripp who halted the forensic download of the phone. I wrote in a line on the consent form indicating that consent had been withdrawn and signed the form at approximately 1400 hours. [REDACTED] signed the form also acknowledging that he had withdrawn his consent.

[REDACTED] did agree to forward screen prints of the text messages from [REDACTED] [REDACTED] also stated that he would place the recording of Sean into a Dropbox account for me to download.

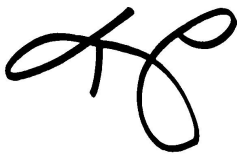
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On 10/17/16 at approximately 0900 hours, I received an email from [REDACTED] Arlt with a link to the Dropbox download location. I downloaded an audio file titled "Sean Talk 10122016".

Documentation of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] interviews will follow on a separate report.



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