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INTERVIEW WITH OFC. YVONNE DE LA CRUZ
Q=Sgt. Dennis Owens
Q1=Sgt. Marc Carrasco
A=Ofc. Yvonne De La Cruz

A: Yeah, but that's been weird.

Q: Sure.

A: Oh god. Can you guys all do the recorder too?

Q1: Yup.

Q: Yeah.

A: I do.

Q1: We like to watch them up.

Q: This had patches on, one goes, it (unintelligible).

A: Oh, is that right?

Q: Okay, I'm Sergeant Dennis Owens, this is Sergeant Marc Carrasco, and, uh, we are with - if you would, state your name.

A: Um, Yvonne De La Cruz. It's Y-V-O-N-N-E. De La Cruz, two words, D-E L-A, C-R-U-Z.

Q: And your badge number please.

A: 3341.

Q: And who do you work for?

A: The city of San Jose, uh, the Police Department.

Q: Okay. It is March 19, 2013 and it is going to be 2:42 am. We're at the 3rd

46 floor of Sheriff's Office in Investigations Room 3D, and speaking of, uh,
47 Sheriff's Office event 13-077-0391EN1 and San Jose PD event # 13-077-
48 0639, uh, officer-involved shooting. Can we call you Yvonne or...
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50 A: Yvonne.
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52 Q: ...should I address - Yvonne, okay. All right. Uh, how long have you worked
53 for San Jose Police Department?
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55 A: About 17 years.
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57 Q: And, uh, prior to San Jose Police Department, any other law enforcement
58 experience?
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60 A: No.
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62 Q: Um, what did you do before, uh, San Jose Police Department?
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64 A: Um, I was in the Army, military.
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66 Q: How long were you in the military?
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68 A: Eight years active duty and I think 11 years reserve.
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70 Q: Wow, awesome.
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72 A: I'm retired. I'm retired.
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74 Q: I'll say thank you then. Um, and then during that time in the military, did you
75 do any active duty or anything?
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77 A: No.
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79 Q: Um, you spoke to an attorney? To the attorney?
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81 A: Yes.
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83 Q: Um, earlier you spoke with, uh, your POA reps and the City Attorney and
84 everything?
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86 A: Yeah.
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88 Q: Uh, did you have ample time to speak with them about, uh, what took place
89 and then everything you need?
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91 A: Yeah.
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93 Q: Okay. And, uh, do you feel comfortable speaking with us in here without
94 either one of them herewith?
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96 A: Yes.
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98 Q: Okay. At any point in time we get into this, um, this interview, um, if we ask a
99 question you do not want to answer, that's fine. You don't have to answer any
100 questions that we ask.
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102 A: Okay.
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104 Q: So just to throw it out there...
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106 A: I just hope I remember what happened out there.
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108 Q: That's usually the challenge.
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110 A: Yeah.
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112 Q: Um, right. Uh, let's get into, uh, your assignments with the San Jose Police
113 Department. What, uh, other different divisions that you worked other than the
114 said patrol?
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116 A: Um, obviously patrol.
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118 Q: Okay.
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120 A: And I was in GIU, the Gang Investigation Unit.
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122 Q: How long that was? How long in patrol? If you can break them all in
123 (unintelligible) tours.
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125 A: I would say probably total of 11 - 11, 12 years maybe. Yeah, 12 years patrol,
126 three years in the gang unit, and then, yeah, currently in the Metro unit, two
127 years. Yeah, that's 17 years.
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129 Q: Seventeen years?
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131 A: Yeah.
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133 Q: Real long. Um, and just kind of if possible, we'll take that a little further. Um,
134 at what point in time did, uh, you break down patrol and GIU?
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136 A: Oh, I did 10 years on patrol and then I went to GIU. And then after GIU, um, I
137 went back to patrol for a year then I tested for Metro, went into Metro for six
138 months, but we dealt - dealt as things reorganized and I went back patrol for a
139 year. Now, I'm back in the Metro unit. So I've been back a year and a half.
140 But it was then a total of two years in Metro unit.
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142 Q: Pretty much experienced. Okay. And so - and then currently right now, you're
143 assigned to Metro...
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145 A: Yeah.
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147 Q: ...for the second time?
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149 A: Yes.
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151 Q: And you've got one year in - on this block basically?
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153 A: A year and a half.
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155 Q: A year and a half, okay. All right. Um, you're with Metro team, what are you
156 a part of?
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158 A: Metro Team 1.
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160 Q: Okay. And your current days off are...
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162 A: Thursday, Friday, Saturday.
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164 Q: And what hours do you work?
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166 A: Um, 10:00 am till 2000.
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168 Q: Um, so today would be your - it was your second day of work for the week?
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170 A: Yes.
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172 Q: Okay. Um, tell me about your day yesterday.
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174 A: All right, let me trace, um. On Sunday...
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176 Q: And yesterday, I'm speaking of Sunday.
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178 A: Sunday, my partner and I went out and looked for criminals and that's what
179 we do. That's what we do. We're - we're proactive unit. So we stopped a
180 couple of pedestrians, couple vehicles. We got one pedestrian that had a

181 misdemeanor one, and then we got another pedestrian that had a - he's
182 probably at large, and we're totally that driven. So those two went to the jail
183 just by morning and that was into our day.
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185 Q: How - how would your day started from like, say, the - the time you would -
186 you'd wake up?
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188 A: Like for me, personally?
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190 Q: As far as when trying to get to work, yeah, you personally.
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192 A: I do normally get up at 5:00 'cause I live out of county.
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194 Q: And where do you live?
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196 A: I live in And I do my - my home workout, I work out at home. Um, I
197 get my son's lunch ready for school, get him up for school. And then I drive
198 him to the neighbor's house before I leave for work. I usually leave between
199 7:00 and 7:30. I have a very long commute.
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201 Q: How long is your commute?
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203 A: It can range anywhere from an hour and a half to two and a half hours,
204 depending on the traffic. Mondays are usually the worst. So I try to get out by
205 7:00. Um, when I get to work, um, I usually grab the car for my partner 'cause
206 I usually get them before he does. Um, I got the car, clean the car, and then we
207 have our - our team works out because we get paid to be fit, so that I work out
208 with the team. Um, sometimes I do CrossFit, sometimes I work out on our
209 gym. And then we usually brief at about 11:00. And then at 11:00, we decide
210 if there's anything working that day, if there's not anything working that day,
211 then if somebody have a case or something that they're following up on, then
212 we'll usually just, with our partner, will go out there and, um, do proactivity.
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214 Q: All right. Uh, do you sleep - do you usually sleep eight hours, five hours?
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216 A: Six.
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218 Q: Six hours.
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220 A: I usually sleep six hours.
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222 Q: And then you just head out?
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224 A: I have two adult children and one at home.
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- 226 Q: One at home. And, um, just kind of getting into how self-sufficient as to how
227 old it is?
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- 229 A: He's 12.
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- 231 Q: Okay, so (unintelligible).
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- 233 A: And so he's been helping, yeah.
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- 235 Q: Okay. But he's sleeps through the night so he's not...
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- 237 A: Correct.
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- 239 Q: Okay. So - so - and you got a team briefing, you work and would you say you
240 get off on time most of the time?
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- 242 A: Most, uh, most time we get off, uh, and use it just like most time how a - a
243 flashing but we work a lot overtime to do the things that come up and then
244 we'll work regular hours for a while. And then sometimes, they don't happen
245 just like last week. It was the funeral and - and crews, officers, we end up
246 working a lot over time. And there was another case at work earlier in the
247 week that caused a lot of overtime. So just - it's almost work, isn't it? We
248 have a lot of overtime and then also we don't.
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- 250 Q: Uh-huh, yeah, I heard that. It depends.
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- 252 A: Yeah.
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- 254 Q: Uh, so Sunday night till Monday, um, how many hours did you sleep then?
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- 256 A: Probably about seven.
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- 258 Q: Okay. How was your commute coming in yesterday?
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- 260 A: On Monday? Oh, it's awful. It was bad. It was - it was a long commute. I -
261 when I - when I drive in because it's such a long commute, I usually stop at a
262 midway point and I usually go to the bathroom because I have to go. And I
263 actually take like a 10-minute jog around the park, um, to loosen up my legs,
264 and then I get back on the road again. It's kind of - it sounds odd, but because
265 it's so stressful, that drive, I really just have to take a break. So I usually
266 would drive by - it's tough to hard, so it's about an hour and 15 minutes. I get
267 there, get out, go to the bathroom, take my 10-minute walk, get back to the car
268 then I drive the rest of the way.
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- 270 Q: How long you've been from to here?

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272 A: Almost 13 years.
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274 Q: So you have a routine then?
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276 A: Yeah. But I haven't always worked these hours. So this - but I really enjoy
277 this team and I enjoy the hours that I see my son in the morning, I resume in
278 the evening. I mean, I have a husband too, so I have one of those, I just - we
279 still see (unintelligible). Um, but I would work swing shift, which I wouldn't
280 have to deal with the commute. Um, when I worked at GIU, I would come in
281 really early because of the in custody cases so I beat all the traffic coming in
282 and I usually got up early enough to beat the traffic. So this is probably the
283 worst it's been. Um, but because I enjoy the team and the people that I work
284 with, I can see my family, I deal with the commute.
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286 Q: How long have you been on Team 1?
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288 A: Probably a year and a half.
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290 Q: Oh, so you've been with Team 1 the whole time?
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292 A: Yes.
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294 Q: There's how many different teams within?
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296 A: There's 14.
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298 Q: Okay.
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300 A: The first time I was in Metro, it was a different organization. We have the B
301 set units and we have the Metro unit, and I was in the original Metro unit.
302 Then when they dissolved the two units and made it Metro, the - the identity
303 of Metro changed, um, and the teams changed. They increased the team size
304 and it made 14. So when I was in Metro before, we primarily worked
305 narcotics, prostitution, nuisance crimes. Now, we primarily work proactivity
306 and gang enforcement, and some narcotics, but that's kind of what our
307 mission is now, much better.
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340 Q: Okay. And (unintelligible), what was your - what is your usual uniform of the
341 day?

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343 A:

344 Um, my partner and I, um, are normally in plainclothes. Uh, the rest of the
345 team is normally in - in the black BDU. My partner and I are in a vehicle
346 that's a little bit different. We're not in a Crown Vic. We're in a vehicle, uh, a
347 Ford - uh, Ford Expedition, so we can land on a point if needed. We're in
348 plainclothes in case we need to set some points. And like we're out doing
349 routine and one of the team members said, "Hey, I need somebody at certain
350 point." Um, for example, we had earlier last shift, a female that was known to
351 steal cars and they needed a point immediately, so we went sat up and
352 watched her. So we can - we can be flexible, but wear a raid vest for
353 employment purposes. But if I needed to drop the raid vest and set up a point,
354 I could do that as well. That's normally what my partner - it's just my partner
355 and I are like that.

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356 Q:

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359 A:

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Correct.

361 Q: So you're the person they call when this is gonna happen, while everybody
362 else goes back, let's plan together, um, raids up, and then get the briefs usually
363 by phone or, you know, some other means, so okay this is what's going to
364 happen now, what's been happening while they're gone. So you have that
365 versatility.
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367 A: Correct.
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369 Q: Okay. So you're not normally the ones that would be in the Class A or B. You
370 are, uh, pretty much at any time.
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372 A: The only time we would be - be used is if it's a pre-op - pre-planned op like
373 for a - a search warrant then we know we're gonna be in black BDU as well
374 on entry. Um, but a normal day-to-day basis, my partner and I are in
375 plainclothes with raid vest. Um, that's what we wear.
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377 Q: And usually you don't wear that - and correct me if I'm wrong, um, do you
378 wear - you know, it seemed you probably don't wear the, uh, the raid vest
379 while you're mobile?
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381 A: Yes, we do.
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383 Q: You do?
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385 A: Yeah. We wear raid vest while we're mobile. And then if we need to drop the
386 vest for whatever reason like, hey, we need for you to set a point, or need for
387 you to go out on foot, then I drop the vest and I - I blend in.
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389 Q: Okay. Do you wear a duty belt or do you have a - like a (unintelligible) holster
390 to go with your vest?
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392 A: I wear - usually there's a patrol holster that I normally wear. Now, if I have to
393 go out on - on foot or set up, then I can - I have another gun that I just put on
394 my waist and draw my jacket over. Um, so I usually carry a second or third
395 gun in the car, um, so I can be a little more flexible where I carry my weapon.
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397 Q: I like your versatility. Uh, okay. So - and your vehicle you drive is a Ford
398 Expedition?
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400 A: Correct.
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402 Q: Uh, what color?
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404 A: Kind of a gray - grayish color.
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406 Q: Grayish. Okay.
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408 A: Yeah. Kind of one of those - I get some weird colors like I'm not quite sure
409 what that is.
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411 Q: Color gray, silver, or something.
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413 A: Yeah.
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415 Q: Um, and then it's unmarked?
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417 A: It is unmarked, yes.
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419 Q: Code 3 equipped?
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421 A: Yes.
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423 Q: And on this particular evening, who was driving the vehicle?
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425 A: My partner, Pifferini.
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427 Q: And did you ride in the front passenger seat or any in the backseats?
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429 A: Front.
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431 Q: Okay. And do you know if there are any unmarked vehicles you get to drive
432 that have camera then?
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434 A: No.
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436 Q: Okay. And do you guys traded personal cameras at something else
437 (unintelligible)?
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439 A: No.
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441 Q: Okay.
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443 A: No, I heard about - no, I heard...
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445 Q: You don't want any of it. Okay. Um, then, uh, let's get into today. And how
446 did your day start?
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448 A: Uh, well, when we came to work, we kind of knew we had two officers we're
449 gonna go on with, controlled by, um, that Officer White had prepared and then
450 you know, folks aware of Officer (Koffi), um, had an informant that provided

451 information about homicide, um, and he was doing a workup on this. And I
452 did assist him with the workup and the reason being is the suspect that he was
453 looking at, um, Elias Mejia, I was familiar with the family. When I was in
454 GIU, I had a case with his brother I knew they were very
455 violent family. Um, I think in 2006, I got him on attempted
456 homicide case, um, which he's currently in prison for. Um, I knew the mother,
457 I knew she had like five sons, and that they pretty much all
458 had a criminal history. So when I did the workup, one of the sons came back
459 on parole. Um, I think it was Um, I was aware of - like I
460 remember his first name was one of her sons came back to that
461 address. Um, and then there was a juvenile, um, even though he didn't have
462 anything in JRF, the juvenile system, there was a photograph of him. So he's
463 had some type of police contact at some point. Um, so I kind of told them on
464 what I was aware of the family. I - I previously had dealt with the family. I
465 knew they were heavily into gang activity. I knew they carry firearms because
466 when I dealt with we did a probation search of what his
467 associates and secured a firearm. I knew that they were activists who joined
468 through posse, so I was pretty familiar with the - with the family. I knew their
469 violence and their propensity to be violent. So when he told me that there was
470 a propensity that Elias Mejia may have been involved in a homicide, and he's
471 bragged CI about homicide, I said I wouldn't doubt it because this family has
472 always been very violent as - as far as I know, because I'm aware of their
473 history. Um, so we did the workup. So we knew who we were dealing with.
474 Um, he briefed us and told us that, um, Elias Mejia, the CI that he drove
475 around was in stolen cars, um, and that he had a firearm that, um, may have
476 been involved in a - in a murder. And the murder, I guess, the - Elias had
477 bragged to the CI about a particular murder that he had - he had done. So we
478 kind of knew what we have to get to, but there was no warrant. We, excuse
479 me - there was no warrant for the murder yet for Elias, um, but homicide
480 wanted to talk to Elias. So we already knew we had the suspect, that he's very
481 violent. We knew he had the tendency to carry guns. We knew that he was
482 stealing cars and that he has been violent with police. So we decided what we
483 were gonna do is set a point in house and hope that he would go away, and we
484 could somehow stop him. Um, hopefully he would stop, or what we really
485 want to do is land him somewhere that we can get him getting out of the car
486 and we can get him at that time. So Officer (Pelarus) set a point on the vehicle
487 or set on house. Uh, positive vehicles came in and then this particular vehicle
488 was the Honda Civic, I believe. Um, he put the plate out over the air. My
489 partner ran as well as my sergeant. The plate came back stolen.

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491 Q: Let me stop you right there. Um, you helped them with all the workup on this
492 and put the ops plan together?

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494 A: I did not put the ops plan together. I just did the workups work.
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496 Q: Okay. So you basically gave him all this information and I'm sure in much
497 more detail than what you gave me, uh, as far as his family and the propensity
498 for violence.

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500 A: Yeah. I gave him the - the verbal information about the families. And what I
501 did, I used the record management system for the house, I ran the house, I
502 pulled up the cases to find out who might be in the house. Um, that's how it's
503 just - you know, these are the people that might be in the house. Some people
504 were related to Mejia family, some were. But we still would run out their
505 history to see who we might possibly encounter. There were quite a few
506 names actually. Um, so after I ran the names out, then I ran their criminal
507 history, who was on parole, who was on probation. So we had - who we might
508 be dealing within the house. Pretty much I think everybody does that, so you
509 know if you're dealing with violent people or not. Um, but I knew
510 of and - and I knew what kind of person he was because I had case with him.
511 But wasn't gonna be in the house because he was in custody. But I
512 said, "Hey, this is the type of family you're dealing with." And I remember
513 because of some of the gangsters he was with at that time, I
514 remember him being very young when I dealt with him. I said, "This kid is
515 really - I know he's violent." So when I ran - back in 2006, when I ran the
516 history of his family, I said, he's just coming from a family just I thought,
517 really. So when I saw Elias Mejia's name, I said, "I know him." I know him. I
518 remember doing criminal history check back with and I
519 remember this name. And I remembered that he had the, um, aka Johnny
520 Angel, and I - I laughed because my partner in GIU, her name is Angel. So
521 that's how I remembered all this stuff because kind of only I remember
522 Johnny Angel, I hardly remember him. So I knew the family and my partner,
523 she knew the family too. And they dealt - they were - I just remember the
524 violence. I remember the violence we're dealing with.

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526 Q: And - and you did all this work and everything prior to your briefing for the
527 day or was it...

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529 A: Yes, prior to briefing.

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531 Q: Okay. So now, the unit briefing, right?

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533 A: Correct.

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535 Q: Okay. Um, so once you completed all that, um, you briefed, um, Officer
536 (Koffi) - colleague (Koffi) on all this information and delivered all this vital
537 information to him. And then I think with the hopes to put everybody kind of
538 on high alert that - about the quality of person they're dealing with?

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540 A: Yes.

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542 Q: Okay. Um, who conducted the - the briefing?
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544 A: Um, Officer (Koffi).
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546 Q: Um, the unit - the unit briefing?
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548 A: The unit briefing, we did it out in the field.
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550 Q: Okay. Before you guys hit the field, did, uh, Sergeant Archer do the briefing?
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552 A: He did a unit briefing, yes, on this particular case.
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554 Q: Okay. But just for the day to get started, do you usually have Sergeant Archer
555 does the briefing, correct?
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557 A: Yes.
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559 Q: Okay. And initially, what was the task given after briefing for the day?
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561 A: Um, I know that Officer White had the - the CV that he wanted to work on,
562 and (Koffi) had his. So he basically said it to our little lunch while those guys
563 did their workup. We all went to lunch, he said they were gonna come back
564 and do their workups. Um, I came back with (Koffi) and said, "Hey, I'll help
565 you do your workup." So I came back with him - after lunch, we came back,
566 we did the workups.
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568 Q: What did you have for lunch?
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570 A: Um, Chipotle I think it was, yeah, Chipotle.
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572 Q: Did you (unintelligible)?
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574 A: Yeah, there was. But I remember I came back, you know, and I did the
575 workup, helped him do the workup. He was already aware of Elias. Um, but I
576 said there's more to his family, and he was aware of some of it, um, but we
577 weren't complete on it. So have to look at them, and then he put our plans
578 together. Um, instead of - why he did this, it's all planned first, controlled by,
579 and helping to do that tonight, but it didn't happen so...
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581 Q: Yeah, it's on hold a little bit. Uh, okay. So from there, you guys finished
582 doing - finished helping, um, you know, you have all the stuff for the - to set
583 up ops then - and then did you head off to the rally site, or did you go up in...
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585 A: I went, you know, out there.

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587 Q: Okay.
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589 A: Yeah. So once we finish - he finished up the ops plan, I went with Neil out to,
590 um, where we're gonna be on scene or how it feels. And that's when I met up
591 with my partner out there, I let my partner go, hey, meet me out here and I'll
592 get in the car with you once we get out there.
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594 Q: Okay. And where did you guys roll this up?
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596 A: It was on the Elks Lodge on Martin and (unintelligible).
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598 Q: Elks Lodge. And about what time it was?
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600 A: I do - I think he said 4 o'clock, 1600.
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602 Q: Um, once you got out there, what - what happened at the (unintelligible)?
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604 A: We - we briefed. We just went over the - he read ops - his ops plan on what
605 we - what we were gonna do. Um, the only difference is I think I was set up as
606 a compass point and - for east and I actually just got in the car with my
607 partner. We set up a compass point for south. So I don't know who didn't
608 have enough cars, or why they wanted to do it that way. But I ended up - we
609 ended up going to then for south - south takeaway.
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611 Q: Okay. Um, in, um, Officer (Koffi)'s briefing to you guys, how did he relate
612 the background of Mejia?
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614 A: Um, he said that, uh, his CI provided information that Elias may possibly be
615 involved in a murder and that, um, Detective Jaime Jimenez wanted to talk to
616 the witness about the murder, um, wanted to bring him downtown to talk to
617 him, um, because there was a connection between the - the bullet onto the
618 victim, I guess it was very much intact and it matched the description that -
619 that, um, Elias had given the CI. I guess it was a one shot 22 or something like
620 that, um, and it was very, very - very, very similar and wanted to talk to Elias
621 and plus he bragged about the - the murder too. So that's how he put the
622 information, is we had a violent person that we were dealing with. He read it
623 right off there, "This is what we're looking at, potentially violent. He steals
624 cars and this is probably what we're gonna be up against if we find him." So
625 we knew that going out there, um, and then as we kind of went over that, yes,
626 he has a violent family as well. So that was it. We set up a compass point.
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628 Q: Okay. So then let's start from there.
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630 A: Uh, so we set up a compass point. My partner and I set up for south - south

631 takeaway. We set up on McKinley and oh, I forgot the cross street now. It
632 wasn't Mount Shasta, but it was close by. It was more west bound of Mount
633 Shasta. Um, so we were set up to either go for south or eastbound takeaway.
634 We're out there for quite a while. I - I don't know how long, maybe an hour
635 and a half or something like that. Oh, I'm just guessing, because we were
636 there for a while. Um, (Pelarus) was putting out activity, people coming in and
637 out of the house, again the car too that came in, left. And then he finally put
638 out, um, that this Honda Civic could roll up.

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640 Q: I'll just interrupt you for a sec. (Pelarus), uh, was put on point?

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642 A: Correct.

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644 Q: How did he get there?

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646 A: Oh, he was dropped off by - who dropped him off? I think it was, um, Bruce. I
647 think Bruce dropped him off. And then, um, somebody will pick Bruce up.
648 But he was dropped off in the van. We have a surveillance van. And then he
649 was dropped off and somebody picked and drive off. I think it was Bruce, I'm
650 not sure. Um, but that was probably when he was dropped on point.

651
652 Q: Okay. So then basically Bruce drives the surveillance van with (Pelarus) on
653 the back. Um, I'm sure they're all set up, ready to go, and get their - or like
654 he's good to go, and then walked away from it. And who - who picked up
655 Bruce by then?

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657 A: I think (Koffi) picked him up.

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659 Q: Okay. And then basically (Pelarus) I think called it off.

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661 A: Correct.

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663 Q: And you guys - he called it out on the public radio on the frequency you're
664 using or using the two-way?

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666 A: No, we're doing on - on Channel 10.

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668 Q: On 10?

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670 A: Not the two-way, and that's the recorded channel. There's no dispatcher.
671 We're just between the...

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673 Q: The (unintelligible)?

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675 A: Yeah, correct.

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677 Q: Okay. All right, so try to deal with the...
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679 A: That's right.
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681 Q: What was, uh, (Pelarus) talking about?
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683 A: Um, then he talks about the, uh, white Honda Civic then pulled out. He put
684 out the plate because we have a computer on the car, um, to ran the plate. So I
685 guess I started to ran it to and that plate, I remember when it came up - it came
686 back to a Vietnamese name. I said that's gonna be stolen and then we got to a
687 hit and I said - I called my partner passed, I couldn't even get on the - the
688 regular channel because we got like one hit. So he gets on the - the district
689 channel, Channel 4, and says, "Hey, we're Code 4. Um, we - we got the hit."
690 So I guess, um, I don't think (Pelarus) could positively ID the driver. Um, he
691 said it's possible, um, but he doesn't have hair. Um, he's got a baseball cap
692 on. Um, he's got arm tattoos, but I am not quite sure - he wasn't - he was
693 hesitant on - on calling it a positive ID. So our boss, Sergeant Archer just
694 determined that if he gets in this car and leaves, we're gonna go with it, um,
695 since we were not sure if it was our primary - he saw a car, either way we
696 want to follow and see where he's gonna go. Even if he starts taking off,
697 we're just gonna let it go. But we figured let's at least see what it does. So,
698 um, the car does leave. It ends up going northbound on Mount Shasta, in the
699 direction where (Koffi) was at. So my partner and I get behind, uh,
700 northbound Mount Shasta, one of the streets, parallel streets. It ends up going
701 eastbound, we end up taking it. Um, (Koffi) ends up having to go straight
702 because he's doing a little bit of counter, starting to do a counter surveillance
703 early on. He ends up going northbound on Clayton, and then there's the street
704 that goes westbound Hickerson and there's - there's actually a turn lane to go -
705 to go, uh, westbound Hickerson. He gets in the lane. My partner and I got
706 behind him, and then he goes back northbound. I said he's doing counter.
707 Right off the bat he's doing counter. Um, so we couldn't get behind him. We
708 lose him for a while. He gets picked up again. Some of the, um, northeast
709 streets. I don't know all, he'll be - they - they start calling it out, but he's
710 doing a lot of counters. He's going - he'd go east. He'd go west. He'd go
711 north. I don't remember all the streets he did, but he did a lot of counters to
712 the point that, um, we were burned. We were basically burned and the funny
713 thing is he never - he didn't speed. He didn't like "I got to get away from
714 these guys." He didn't speed on the car, which was really kind of odd. So, um,
715 my partner and I ended up picking him up again, going northbound on
716 Laumer. I think - I think it was Laumer and he goes into the end of the street
717 where Alum Rock is and then he makes a flip to (Huey). I said we're burned,
718 but then I got an eyeball on him I said, and I get on the air, I said positive ID.
719 Because I knew the - I knew the family, I had dealt with him in the past. I
720 recognized the face. I saw the tattoos across the neck. So I put it out in the air,

721 "Positive ID on the primary." So now that kind of changes things a little bit,
722 because now we know we're dealing with the primary. Um, my partner and I
723 took off with the (Huey), we put it out where he's going. I think he kind of got
724 lost a little bit, um, other unit started to pick him up. I'm not quite sure what
725 was going on. All I knew is that my partner and I ended up in front of the car.
726 Um, we're a big vehicle. We're in Expedition. My boss, Sergeant Archer
727 who's in a Tahoe ends up behind it and we said, "Let's jam him." We're
728 gonna - we're gonna block him in. So my partner starts doing kind of just
729 leading back and forth type technique, ends up where we stopped the car. He
730 ends up putting in reverse. Um, I jumped out of the car. I turned around and I
731 see Officer (Koffi) and I thought he got hit by the car. At least, that's what I
732 thought because I saw him jumped, I said, "Oh, shit, he's seeing officers." I
733 see the car leaving to get back out. It looks like officer - another officer got
734 hit, but I don't remember who. Um, then I heard the shot fired. And by the
735 time I'm already out, um, we're all on gun. Um, I don't know who shot. I
736 don't know if the suspect was shooting, or it was one of us shooting, I - I just
737 didn't know at that point. Um, I looked around, I didn't see officers down.
738 Um, but I saw the - the car is back into another car on the south side of
739 Jerilyn. But then there was people in backdrop so I was in a position to the
740 shoot. At that point, I had to - I had to go off gun, um, but then Bruce said on
741 the shooter, so I knew that we hadn't been shot at that point. But we did still
742 know that he possibly had a gun. We didn't know who we were dealing with.
743 We were dealing with a violent person. Un, my partner and I approached the
744 passenger side of the vehicle. The passenger at this point has his hands up.
745 Um, I did see that the driver was slumped over the wheel. Um, my partner
746 orders the passenger to get out. The passenger gets out. Um, we put him out
747 on the ground. Officer (Koffi) put handcuffs on. My partner said, "Let me
748 check on the passenger, I mean, the driver." I checked on the flat tires. He'd
749 be okay. My partner goes in and checked to see carotid artery, he goes, "He's
750 10-5-5." I said, "Okay." So now everything can slow down. Um, Sergeant
751 Archer said on the air, he said, "We need Code 3-5 ambulance for suspect
752 down." Uh, how he ordered it, I remember him getting an order for
753 ambulance. And then I saw Officer White slumped over and I don't know if it
754 was - hell, I guess bent over and put his hands on his hands on his knees, so I
755 don't know if he's been injured. Um, but I asked him, "Are you okay?" He
756 goes, "I - I - I got hit with the airbag." I said, "Why don't you sit down," and
757 then Off- uh, Sergeant Archer got in the air and said, "I need another
758 ambulance for an officer." So kind of like quickly right after that, getting the
759 ambulance and getting everything there. And then we were kind of
760 sequestered away from the - the vehicle and putting a little group until, um,
761 we got units out there and to kind of put up the parameter. We already have an
762 officer involved and everybody checked, everybody make sure no officer was
763 shot. We were fine with the exception of, you know, Officer White. Um, then
764 we knew (Koffi) never did get hit by the car, but in my thought that's what I
765 thought happened. That's what I saw. Um, and then that was it. We were

766 taken - taken away from there.
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768 Q: Okay.
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770 A: I know I talk quickly, but I'm trying to remember this.
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772 Q: No, that's fine. We're good. Whatever works for you, I mean, as fast as that,
773 that was pretty in detail, um, whether I got it all or not. I hope that I did. Um,
774 but that was good. Um, but we will just kinda slow you down a little bit and
775 bring you back. And if you would, to the best of your knowledge, if you could
776 draw up kind of how the cars were. Um, you can just draw straight in here as
777 to how it ended up basically before the suspect started taking off.
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779 A: So before he started backing up?
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781 Q: Basically from the time you guys pulled in front of him and when you guys
782 were kind of ready to a stop, kind of how the cars were aligned with.
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784 A: I remember this was - this is our car, so this is, uh, (Ted) and I. So we're
785 number one here. But the suspect was in between us. So he was - this is the
786 suspect's car. And then Sergeant Archer was back here, so this is my boss'
787 car. But the suspect actually ended backing up, so he ended up backing up.
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789 Q: Were there any parked cars on either of the street?
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791 A: Oh, yeah, there was parked cars. Um, I don't know how many or whatever, I -
792 I really don't. I mean, that wasn't even where I'm concentrating. And I
793 believe (Neil Koffi) was here, I'm not quite sure if it was Neil or - or Officer
794 White. But there was - I remember seeing Neil jumped like and then as if he
795 got hit. So I'm like going - I think it was probably Neil was here. And then I
796 don't even remember seeing Officer White, but I know his car - his car has
797 gotten hit. So it's almost like he backed up and went this way. And then when
798 he landed - he landed this way, but probably the vehicle was facing, um,
799 eastbound. You know, I'm - I'm assuming that Jerilyn goes east west.
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801 Q: Mm-hm.
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803 A: So...
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805 Q: Um, actually, in your drawing, just put a W right here.
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807 A: Okay. So, um, that's the way I was looking at. So here's, um, Pifferini and I,
808 our car. Suspect's car is in between, um, Sergeant Archer's and our vehicle.
809 We were hoping to - to jam him in here so that he can't escape. But he ended
810 up backing up into one of our cars here, backs up into another car, then ends

811 up backing up here. But he ends up turning around because he ends up facing
812 eastbound. Um, I mean, that's how I saw it.
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814 Q: Okay. Uh, you said you already saw it, so I wish I could correct you, but I
815 can't because I didn't see it. So I haven't seen pictures. Um, if you would just
816 put SGT right there so I know that's Archer.
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818 A: SJ?
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820 Q: SGT for sergeant.
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822 A: Oh, that's kind of sergeant, yeah.
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824 Q: Um, okay, suspect, that's good. And then you think that was, uh, Officer
825 (Koffi)?
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827 A: I think - I think it was (Koffi), but you know, I could have gotten mixed up.
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829 Q: Okay.
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831 A: So I just remember seeing (Koffi) like almost jumped or flying through the
832 air, so that's my buddy got hit. I don't remember seeing Officer White. So he
833 might have still been in his car.
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835 Q: So his vehicle on that crossfire?
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837 A: Yeah, that's the way I was seeing it because I remember seeing (Koffi) first. I
838 didn't see Officer White till we started coming up on the subject's vehicle,
839 then I saw him. I didn't see him. I saw (Koffi) first.
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841 Q: Okay. What kind of car was (Koffi) driving?
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843 A: He was in a - hmm, a Nissan, I'm not sure. I don't know if he was in Nissan
844 and White was in a Honda, I don't remember. Actually, I think he was in
845 Nissan and then White is in a Honda.
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847 Q: Now, these two vehicles, that's kind of part of your guys' pull from Metro,
848 that you guys use all the time?
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850 A: They're part of our pool, yes. These cars are equipped. They are all car-
851 equipped, um, but, yes.
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853 Q: Okay. So this - do, uh, other units utilize these vehicles?
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855 A: Not normally. Other officers within the unit will, yeah, like on this side of the

856 week, but not routinely. Um, sometimes patrol take them out, but they have to
857 sign out or every unit could. Yeah, I've seen it happen, or sometimes we'll
858 take them out, um, and crew has quite a few vehicles assigned, so I've never
859 seen them. But I have seen motors signed them out. I've seen patrol officers
860 signed them out before.

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862 Q: But for the most part, these are the ones you guys use?

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864 A: Yes.

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866 Q: Okay.

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868 A: Yes.

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870 Q: All right. And so when you guys are in front, what kind of advantage do you
871 have as to what's going on at you?

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873 A: As far as seeing?

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875 Q: Yeah.

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877 A: Oh, I could see from my side mirror if that's what you're saying. And I saw
878 the car backing up. And by that time, bailing out of the passenger side. So
879 when I came around here and that's when I saw this - this - the vehicle has
880 already backed up. By the time I got out of our car, it hit back here. That's
881 when I thought (Koffi) jumped and I said, "Holy shit, he just hit an officer."
882 And then I just don't remember, I felt somebody else like he had gotten hit,
883 but I can't remember what officer that was. I don't know if it was Bruce or if
884 it was Officer White. And then I heard the shot, I was about here, the vehicle
885 was about here. I thought I heard the shot, but I didn't know who shot at that
886 point. And then the vehicle landed here. Um, when the vehicle landed, we
887 were pretty much aligned with each other. The officers were like looking to
888 see if everybody was okay. Um, we kinda all looked around I think to see if an
889 officer was shot and everybody - everybody seemed to be fine. And then my
890 partner and I came up on the passenger's side and approached the passenger,
891 and I don't know who approached the driver's side. Um, and I don't know if
892 anybody approached the driver's side. I just remember my, uh, partner and I
893 looked at the passenger's side because it has the driver's hands up. And then
894 we ordered him out, Officer (Koffi) handcuffed him, while my partner
895 checked on the driver. And I don't remember seeing anybody on the other
896 side, so I think it was maybe just the three of us on the left side because you
897 would have a crossfire if we would have done it that way. So I think it's
898 maybe the three of us.

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900 Q: Okay. So while he's backing up this way, did it collide with, uh, (Koffi)'s

901 vehicle?
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903 A: Yes.
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905 Q: And did it collide with White's vehicle also?
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907 A: Yes.
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909 Q: Okay. So he hit both of these cars then?
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911 A: Yes.
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913 Q: And then he continues to back this way. Um, you - you showed up going this
914 way, but he's going backwards, correct?
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916 A: Yes.
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918 Q: In reverse and he collides with another vehicle here?
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920 A: You know, there's a couple of vehicles that he collided with. I just don't
921 remember what kind of vehicles they were, um, I don't - I don't remember.
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923 Q: And, uh, where did you say you were when you heard the shot being fired?
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925 A: Um, I was somewhere in - in here.
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927 Q: Okay. And what was the vehicle?
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929 A: I don't remember. I think he was still backing. I think, yeah, he was still
930 backing when I heard the shot.
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932 Q: Okay. And my next question, how many shots did you hear?
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934 A: Just one.
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936 Q: Just one. And after you heard the shot, what did the - what did the vehicle do?
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938 A: I don't remember. I think he was still backing as if it was gonna leave.
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940 Q: Was it accelerating or coasting?
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942 A: I don't know.
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944 Q: And that at any point in time, when you were about to do the jam, um, did you
945 guys turn your lights and sirens on at all?

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947 A: We didn't in the front. But Sergeant Archer had his sirens and red lights
948 going. Um, I know we didn't have ours on. We were like to stop and confront,
949 but I do - Sergeant Archer's sirens were going on the whole time that that was
950 going on, with somebody good turned off, but his lights and sirens were on. I
951 don't remember if they're lights and sirens were on, but I do remember
952 Sergeant Archer's is on.
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954 Q: When you guys came to a stop, did the suspect's vehicle come into contact
955 with you guys too?
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957 A: No.
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959 Q: So he stopped. Um, how much distance, if there was, between you and the
960 suspect's vehicle when you guys came to a stop?
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962 A: I don't know. I would definitely be guessing 5 feet and that's a - that's a big
963 guess because he didn't contact us. When we stopped, I think he knew it was
964 up, because Sergeant Archer's vehicle was right behind him, so that's when he
965 started backing. And - and obviously, Sergeant Archer had his lights and
966 sirens now and we were blocking, and so he obviously knew what was gonna
967 happen.
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969 Q: So when you stopped and the suspect's vehicle stopped behind you. How far
970 was Sergeant Archer behind you guys before you guys tried to - or before he
971 thought to give it up and started to back out?
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973 A: I'm not good with distance, 15 feet, 20 feet because...
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975 Q: Okay, (unintelligible) and then, um, did you know if he made any connection
976 with Sergeant Archer's vehicle while backing up?
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978 A: I know - I know there's damage to Sergeant Archer's vehicle, but it wasn't - it
979 was on the side. I think it was back end.
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981 Q: Okay. And then he collided with (Casey) and then White, and then ended up
982 back over here?
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984 A: Yes.
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986 Q: Okay. Um, so when the shots were - shot was fired, it kind of came together in
987 this area here. Um, was everyone pretty much present at that point in time?
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989 A: Oh, yeah, we were looking around. I - I know I was, if we have everybody - is
990 anybody down? I'm ask - that thought - those are thoughts that were going

991 through my head. Um, I could see - I could see all - all of us were there, so I
992 knew that we were okay. And the other thing is - is White later, I thought
993 there were - until where - so I didn't know what - what had happened to him
994 at that point till I asked him. But I knew that no officers had been shot once I
995 saw everybody.
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997 Q: That's good. Um, and is it customary for you to, um - your unit, um - so I
998 know you guys are on task frequency or credit card frequency. Does anybody
999 who's designated to jump over to a district frequency if something goes
1000 wrong, or you guys all just do it?
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1002 A: No, the sergeant will normally put out this - the information to district
1003 channel, um, on the type - we have radio - I mean, but I know the sergeant did
1004 because I remember him saying, "Hey, we need Code 3-5 ambulance." So he
1005 was obviously articulating to a dispatcher because I heard him announced for
1006 it and he was - he was up there with us so...
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1008 Q: Okay. And then earlier, you guys ran the plate on your MDT, correct?
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1010 A: Correct.
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1012 Q: And (unintelligible) your guys', uh, dispatch system. You said he jumped on
1013 to District 4 instead of you would Code 4 on the hit?
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1015 A: Right. What happened is we ran the plate, there was a little bit of a De Lay,
1016 but we get a little - little red window that said hit and I said - I told my partner,
1017 "Pifferini, we just got a hit," and they're probably gonna try to raise this to
1018 make sure we're okay. Uh, the dispatchers can probably try to raise this to
1019 make sure we're okay because we just got 10-5 one hit. So he switched to the
1020 channel, told the district channel, "This is 87-17, we're Code 4." We - we
1021 understand we have a hit.
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1023 Q: So everything you do in your car goes up to the PAC?
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1025 A: Yes.
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1027 Q: Okay, got it.
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1029 A: They knew - everybody knew that we, at that point, had a stolen vehicle and,
1030 um, Sergeant Archer, um, also ran the plate, so he also got a hit. And I only
1031 know from talking, he said that he went over there too, but I think he went on
1032 a different channel.
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1034 Q: And does that go up to on air, MDTs too or just...
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1036 A: Yes.
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1038 Q: Okay.
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1040 A: It does.
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1042 Q: All right. All right, I have a (unintelligible), thank you.
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1044 A: All right.
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1046 Q: Um, and then you approached the passenger side, correct?
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1048 A: Correct.
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1050 Q: Did you see anybody on the driver side, approaching the driver, who's on the
1051 driver seat?
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1053 A: No, no, I'm sorry. No, I don't remember seeing anybody approaching the
1054 driver side. I remember myself and Pifferini and (Koffi) approaching the
1055 passenger side. I don't remember seeing anybody on the driver's side. What I
1056 remember is once we took the passenger out and he was handcuffed, my
1057 partner - because the driver wasn't moving and I have my partner said, "Hey,
1058 let me check the status of the - the driver," and he reached over and checked
1059 the pulse, he goes, "He's 10-5-5," which is the 10 code for he's dead. So, um,
1060 then - but my sergeant still asked for Code 3-5 ambulance for him so...
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1062 Q: Did you have a look at the driver?
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1064 A: Well, you could tell he was dead. His eyes were half open. Um, his chest
1065 wasn't rising. It was pretty obvious that he was deceased.
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1067 Q: Did you just see any visible wounds or anything?
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1069 A: Not at that point. When I walked around the other side and looked, um, I
1070 could see there was a - a - a wound - it looks like an entry wound to the back
1071 of his skull, back here on the lower portion. Um, that's what I observed. I saw
1072 the bleeding. It looked like it was the entry wound from there. So that was it. I
1073 didn't see anything else.
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1075 Q: All right. And then, uh, how long do you think it took to get the passenger out
1076 of the car?
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1078 A: From the point we...
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1080 Q: Contacted.

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1082 A: ...contact...
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1084 Q: Seconds?
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1086 A: He has seatbelt on, um, and my partner said, "Take your seatbelt off, dude."
1087 And when he did, then we kind of pulled him out of the car, and pulled him
1088 out. He was still pulled on the ground and (Koffi), he was taken into custody
1089 when my partner went the car to check on the driver. So it happened pretty
1090 quickly, um, because we were dealing with this guy out here, we wanted to
1091 make sure we had his pulse on, we don't know. So he said, "Hey, it doesn't
1092 look like he's moving. Let me check him." That's when he articulated that
1093 he's 10-5-5. And then we took the passenger, cuffed him, booked him away.
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1095 Q: And did the passenger appeared to be injured?
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1097 A: There was blood on his face. Um, I saw gray matter and I can always assume
1098 it was gray matter. But I remember seeing blood on his face and that's all I
1099 remember seeing. He walked away. Um, he wasn't pulled away, dragged
1100 away. He was limping away. Bottom line, if he had any other injury, then
1101 what was - there's also blood.
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1103 Q: Did you ever see him injured?
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1105 A: I didn't ask and he didn't state to me anyway. I mean, I was down out there.
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1107 Q: Okay. But for most part, he was actually kind of cooperative?
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1109 A: Yeah, he was a little dazed. It was pretty obvious, everything probably was a
1110 shock to him as well. Um, so yeah, he was cooperative pretty much.
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1112 Q: Okay. Do you have anything?
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1114 Q1: So you were the passenger of this vehicle?
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1116 A: Correct.
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1118 Q1: Okay. And you said when you came out, um, you did hear one shot?
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1120 A: I did hear one shot.
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1122 Q1: And, um, not knowing who's shooting, you even said that you didn't know if
1123 it was the suspect or one of the officers?
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1125 A: Correct.

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1127 Q1: But then you've heard, um, the (unintelligible)?
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1129 A: Yeah.
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1131 Q1: He did say, "I shot."
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1133 A: Yeah, if he was the shooter.
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1135 Q1: Oh, he was the shooter?
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1137 A: Yeah.
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1139 Q1: Okay. That was a question that somebody posed to him or did he just
1140 volunteer?
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1142 A: No, I think -I think he just volunteered because I think we didn't know.
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1144 Q1: Okay.
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1146 A: And I think he said, "I did the shooting." And I said, "Okay," so at least we
1147 know it's not the suspect shooting it up, because then we have a whole
1148 different scenario there. So it kind of, okay, we know who shot so, um, that's
1149 all I remember about that one.
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1151 Q1: So if I'm following you, um, this is, uh, (Casey) and, uh, White. Um, when
1152 the car was going for, what - what were you thinking at that point in time?
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1154 A: So I thought he had hit off to (Koffi). That's why I said, "Holy shit." I mean,
1155 he was all - he was pretty desperate to get out of there. I mean, he's backed it -
1156 he - he backed in a high rate of speed, hits the car, I believe he's hitting an
1157 officer, and I see him backing again. Um, and I thought - I thought somebody
1158 else, I believe, got hit, I just don't remember who. But I know - I remember
1159 seeing (Koffi) jump. So I'm thinking he's hitting officers at that point with the
1160 car. So I knew that he was desperate to get out of there. And I kept thinking
1161 why isn't he getting out and running? He's not running. He stayed in the car.
1162 It was just odd to me. Because mostly stolen cars again, either they flee in a
1163 high rate of speed, or they get out in the car and run. And never did he - when
1164 we were tailing him...
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1166 Q1: On any event?
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1168 A: He didn't - he didn't - when he - he didn't like - and we were burned early on.
1169 I mean, it's pretty obvious. He's been doing this for a while. He's doing heavy
1170 counter during get-go. He never fled. So I just thought that was really odd. So

1171 why didn't he flee? And how come he didn't get out of the car and run? I just
1172 - that was - I mean, I've been doing this for a while. So I mean, that was the
1173 question I would ask myself. What the heck is going on in there? I don't
1174 know.

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1176 Q: Uh, but (Koffi) jumped, how did he jumped out of the way?

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1178 A: Like he - he lifted his legs up, like jumping.

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1180 Q: Straight up?

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1182 A: Yeah, like, so - and it was against the car, so I know he has been hit, pushed
1183 up against the car, um, whether he was getting out his car. But I - the way it
1184 looked to me, he's been hit by the car.

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1186 Q: So kind of a motion and everything, that it appeared that he was - had been
1187 struck by the suspect vehicle?

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1189 A: Yes, that's what I thought.

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1191 Q: And did you care for his safety at that point?

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1193 A: Oh, yeah.

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1195 Q: Okay. And then you said there was another officer you think that got hit, um,
1196 but you don't remember who it was. But, um, where - where would that kind
1197 of take place at?

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1199 A: That was with us, somewhere in between here and the second vehicle, and I
1200 just don't remember who it was. I just remember seeing another like - like a
1201 jumping motion and deliberately jumping out of the car - away from the car or
1202 jumping to avoid the car, but had been hit. But because I couldn't see the
1203 contact, I didn't know. So I thought it hit another officer. And he was moving
1204 pretty quickly at that point, so it was advancing out there. They would have
1205 had to move quickly to get away from the vehicle. So - and I first thought that
1206 this - we can send him off there, that's what was going through my mind at
1207 that time.

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1209 Q: So in your mind, you think that there's two officers...

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1211 A: Right.

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1213 Q: And this has gone from zero to bad quickly.

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1215 A: Yes.

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1217 Q: Okay. If you can just sign on that first, please.
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1219 A: I make terrible drawing, but yeah.
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1221 Q: Any questions?
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1223 Q1: I'm good, yeah.
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1225 Q: Okay. I'll give you this, just in your sleep or whatever, just don't call 3
1226 o'clock at night.
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1228 A: No.
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1230 Q: Anything pops in your head, uh, feel free to give us a call.
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1232 A: Also, no, just say hello. So we all know too, oh, she's been working same than
1233 I do.
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1235 Q: So, no, that was a great (unintelligible). I took a look over that so...
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1237 A: Really? Yeah, she - um, when she first started out, it was (unintelligible) over
1238 there. (Unintelligible) so yeah, I thought we - we got to know each other
1239 pretty good. So she's a good girl like her dad.
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1241 Q: All right. Any questions for us or...
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1243 A: Nope.
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1245 Q: Okay. Then we will conclude this interview. It is, uh, oh, god, uh, 3:37AM on
1246 the 19th. But yeah, um, good chat, so it was (unintelligible).
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1248 A: Um, I could talk that. When I go to court, I will have to...
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1250 Q: Well, yeah, (unintelligible) down here.
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1252 A: Well, you know, actually I'm okay on the air. It's when I go to court, I mean, I
1253 have - because I want to get it all out and my train of thought is going from
1254 time to time. Now, we have to - I look at the cohort.
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1256 Q: And try to keep relax.
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1258 A: Yeah. Yeah, definitely. All righty. Find out what happens when the door is
1259 closed.
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1261 Q: Hoping that (unintelligible) by then.

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1263 A: Yeah, I'm hopeful.

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1267 transcription.

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