



Joseph Lombardo, Sheriff

FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM

Lieutenant Erik Lloyd

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Sergeant Jerry MacDonald

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Detective Trever Alsup

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Detective Marc Colon

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Detective Breck Hodson

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Detective Jason Leavitt

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Detective Scott Mendoza

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Detective Joseph Patton

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

Detective Blake Penny

Office: [Redacted]
Cell: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

LEST Lara Stein

Office: [Redacted]
Email: [Redacted]

**FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING (OIS)
FATAL**

LVMPD Event: 180806-2119
Division of Occurrence: Community Policing Division
Date of Incident: 08/06/18
Time of Call: 1240 hours
Time of OIS: 1256 hours
Location of Incident: 2200 W. Bonanza Road
Las Vegas, NV 89106

Detective: Marc Colon, P# 7585
Trever Alsup, P# 5782

Involved Officer: David Stockton, P# 9989

Suspect: Spurgeon Daniels Jr., ID# 365742

Date of report: January 30, 2019

Submitted by: Detective Marc Colon, P# 7585

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Approved by: Sergeant Jerry MacDonald, P# 4660

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

TABLE OF CONTENTS

I. PERSONS INVOLVED4
 Involved Officer4
 Suspect4

II. PERSONS AT THE SCENE5

III. INCIDENT DETAILS6

IV. BODY WORN CAMERAS.....8
 Officer Brian Heist8
 Officer Brent Moore8
 Sergeant Cord Overson8
 Officer Manuel Ruvalcaba8
 Officer David Stockton8

V. HOSPITAL9

VI. SCENE WALK-THROUGHS.....9

VII. PUBLIC SAFETY STATEMENT10

VIII. OFFICER WEAPON COUNTDOWNS.....12

IX. DESCRIPTION OF THE SCENE AND VISIBLE EVIDENCE13

X. AUTOPSY16

XI. PERSONS CONTACTED17
 LVMPD Officers/Personnel17
 Civilians.....18

XII. INVESTIGATION18
 Officer David Stockton18
 Alec Morgan19
 Stephanie Huang19
 Jim Robinson20
 Officer Brian Heist20
 Officer Manuel Ruvalcaba21
 Officer Brent Moore21
 Sergeant Cord Overson22

XIII. TIMELINE23

XIV. FORENSICS REQUESTS/RESULTS.....23

XV. WITNESS CANVASS23

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119

APPENDIX A24
APPENDIX B28

I. PERSONS INVOLVED

Involved Officer

Name: **David Stockton, P# 9989**
Date of hire: [REDACTED]/07
Area of assignment: Bolden Area Command
Squad: BA24
Call sign: [REDACTED]
Vehicle: BA10587
Shift hours: 0630-1630 hours
Days off: Wednesday/Thursday/Friday
Statement given to FIT: No
Weapon
 Make: Para-Ordnance
 Model: P14-45
 Caliber: .45
 Serial number: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Suspect

Name: **Spurgeon Daniels Jr.**
DOB: [REDACTED]/55
SSN: [REDACTED]
ID number: [REDACTED]
Race: Black
Height/Weight: 5'6"/175 pounds
Hair/Eyes: Black/Brown
Address: 2200 W. Bonanza Road, Apartment B-229
Las Vegas, NV 89106

Weapon
 Make: Leatherman utility knife

Criminal charges:

- Battery with deadly weapon on a protected person
- Assault with deadly weapon on a protected person.

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119

II. PERSONS AT THE SCENE

The majority of LVMPD personnel who arrived on this event were documented on the LVMPD unit log. Refer to the unit log for a complete listing of those individual's names, personnel numbers, and call signs.

The below listed persons responded to the primary and/or secondary incident scenes of this event but were not on the LVMPD unit log.

LAW ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS GROUP

1) Assistant Sheriff Kelly P# 3807

TOURIST SAFETY DIVISION

1) Deputy Chief Jones P# 4331

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF/UNDERSHERIFF

OFFICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION (PIO)

1) Director Carla Alston P# 8004

POLICE EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (PEAP)

1) Director Annette Mullin P# 5485
2) Peer Counselor Meghan Brunner P# 14791
3) Peer Counselor Mike Springer P# 6278

CLARK COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

1) Assistant District Attorney Robert Daskas

CLARK COUNTY OFFICE OF THE CORONER/MEDICAL EXAMINER (CCOCME)

1) Investigator Jennifer Polangcus

CCOCME case: 18-08102
Date & time of death: 1337 hours on August 6, 2018
Seal: 143002

MORTUARY – HITES FUNERAL HOME & CREMATION SERVICE

1) J. Floyd
2) K. Villanueva

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING ASSOCIATIONS

LAS VEGAS POLICE MANAGERS AND SUPERVISORS ASSOCIATION (LVPMSA)

1) Representative Russell Wood P# 5266

LAS VEGAS POLICE PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION (LVPPA)

1) Representative John Abel P# 9835
2) Representative Myron Hamm P# 6675

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119

- 3) Attorney John Harper
- 4) Representative Chad Lyman

P# 8262

MEDICAL PERSONNEL

LAS VEGAS FIRE & RESCUE

- 1) Engine 10
- 2) Rescue 3

UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER OF SOUTHERN NEVADA (UMC)

- 1) Doctor Terry Lewis

III. INCIDENT DETAILS

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1240 hours, LVMPD dispatch initiated a suicidal subject event at 2200 W. Bonanza Road, apartment B-229. A welfare check was requested by the person reporting, Alec Morgan, reference Spurgeon Daniels. Morgan reported Daniels made vague comments about hurting himself and others.

According to Morgan, Daniels had ripped the lock off his front door and barricaded himself in his apartment with furniture. Also, there was information that Daniels possibly had his sink running and was flooding the apartment. Morgan observed Daniels running around the apartment complex in the nude earlier in the day before barricading himself in his apartment.

Officers arrived and attempted to make contact with Daniels. Officer Manuel Ruvalcaba, P# 16096, knocked on the door and could hear Daniels inside but he refused to answer. Additional officers arrived and made entry into the apartment where they contacted Daniels who was standing in the kitchen. Daniels was holding something in his right hand but was concealing it behind the kitchen counter.

As Daniels moved toward officers, Officer David Stockton, P# 9989, deployed his Taser which malfunctioned. Sergeant Cord Overson, P# 6035, then gave his Taser to Officer Stockton, who deployed the Taser which struck Daniels. Daniels slumped over a table inside the apartment as officers began to back out. As soon as the Taser cycle ended, Daniels swung a knife, which Officer Heist observed and attempted to block. Officer Heist was then cut by the knife on his left hand.

Daniels, redirected his attention to officers as they backed out of his apartment. As Daniels stood at the threshold of the apartment door, he was moving the knife from one hand to the other.

Officer Ruvalcaba deployed a second Taser, striking Daniels. This Taser strike did not cause full lockup and Daniels was able to turn his attention towards Officer Stockton. Officer Stockton was standing on the balcony, just west of the doorway, when Daniels moved aggressively towards him which caused him to fire two rounds, striking Daniels.

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119

Daniels fell to the ground where he was immediately taken into custody. Medical was requested to expedite and Daniels was transported to UMC Trauma Center where he expired. Daniels was pronounced deceased at 1337 hours by Doctor Lewis.

Upon arrival of investigators, Sergeant Darren Schwartz, P# 6434, conducted a briefing. The following persons were present:

- 1) Assistant Sheriff Tim Kelly, P# 3807
- 2) Deputy Chief Christopher Jones, P# 4531
- 3) Captain David Lewis, P# 4384
- 4) Captain Kelly McMahon, P# 5307
- 5) Captain Yasenia Yatomi, P# 6402
- 6) Lieutenant Hector Cintron, P# 7550
- 7) Lieutenant Grant Rogers, P# 6466
- 8) Lieutenant David Schofield, P# 4990
- 9) Sergeant Jeffrey Clark, P# 8749
- 10) Sergeant Paul Gambini, P# 5846
- 11) Sergeant Jerry MacDonald, P# 4660
- 12) Sergeant Kyle Ward, P# 9046
- 13) Detective Trever Alsup, P# 5782
- 14) Detective Marc Colon, P# 7585
- 15) Detective Cesar Garcia, P# 8913
- 16) Detective Richard Gorgart, P# 4647
- 17) Detective Breck Hodson, P# 9034
- 18) Detective Edward Jones, P# 5099
- 19) Detective Kasey Kirkegard, P# 12919
- 20) Detective Jason Leavitt, P# 5814
- 21) Detective Denise MacDonald, P# 8076
- 22) Detective Jonathon Owens, P# 13821
- 23) Detective Joseph Patton, P# 8289
- 24) Detective Blake Penny, P# 6042
- 25) Detective Tracy Smith, P# 5267
- 26) Detective Eric Toms, P# 5793
- 27) Detective Gregory Watkins, P# 5471
- 28) Officer Jim Sutton, P# 6847
- 29) Officer Aden Gomez, P# 13653
- 30) Crime Scene Investigation Manager Shannon Merges, P# 6932
- 31) Senior Crime Scene Analyst (SCSA) Tabatha Paine, P# 14793
- 32) SCSA Shelly Shrum, P# 7917
- 33) SCSA Jeffrey Smith, P# 8177
- 34) CSA Glezzelle Tapay, P# 15709

Following the briefing Detective Colon was assigned as the lead case agent and tasked with the responsibility of documenting the crime scene with crime scene analysts. Detectives Alsup, Garcia, and Hodson were assigned to interview available witnesses and conduct weapon countdowns. Detective Patton was assigned responsibilities at the hospital, which included interviewing any possible witnesses.

IV. BODY WORN CAMERAS

Officer Brian Heist

Officer Heist was wearing a body worn camera (BWC) at the time of the incident, and the camera was activated. The camera was collected by Sergeant MacDonald and secured.

Officer Brent Moore

Officer Moore was wearing a BWC at the time of the incident, and the camera was activated. The camera was collected by Sergeant MacDonald and secured.

Sergeant Cord Overson

Officer Overson was wearing a BWC at the time of the incident, and the camera was activated. The camera was collected by Sergeant Overson and secured.

Officer Manuel Ruvalcaba

Officer Ruvalcaba was wearing a BWC at the time of the incident, and the camera was activated. The camera was collected by Sergeant MacDonald and secured.

Officer David Stockton

Officer Stockton was wearing a BWC at the time of the incident, and the camera was activated. The camera was collected by Sergeant MacDonald and secured.

BWC Summary

The above listed officers had their BWCs activated during the incident. The officers were all in the same general vicinity during the incident. The footage showed the officers making contact with Daniels and him yelling back at the officers while holding a knife. The officers gave numerous orders for Daniels to drop the knife.

Daniels ignored the officers' commands and proceeded to walk toward them. A Taser was deployed and did not appear to cause neuromuscular incapacitation. Daniels walked out his front door while officers yelled to drop the knife. Daniels ran toward Officer Stockton, who fired two times at Daniels. Daniels fell to the ground.

V. HOSPITAL

Location and Description of the Body

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1526 hours, Detective Patton responded to UMC Trauma Center.

Detective Patton responded to the Negative Pressure Isolation (NGI) room located inside of UMC Trauma Center. Upon his arrival, Detective Patton made contact with Officer Luis Vidal, P# 14802, and CSA Samantha Bennick, P# 15289, who were guarding the body of Spurgeon Daniels.

Daniels' body was located alone inside of the NGI room and his body was covered with a white sheet. Coroner Investigator Polangcus arrived at the NGI room and removed the sheet from Daniels' body. His body was lying supine on top of a hospital gurney. There were signs of medical intervention on Daniels' body as well as two apparent gunshot wounds and two Taser prong impacts.

Daniels was lying on top of a brown shirt that was cut off of his body. Two Taser prongs were also located. One Taser prong was attached to his body and one prong was under his body attached to a brown shirt.

Hites Mortuary arrived and placed Daniels' body inside of a body bag. Coroner Investigator Polangcus secured a seal tag (#143002) to the outside of the body bag. Hites then transported Daniel's body to the Clark County Coroner's Office. CSA Bennick and Coroner Investigator Polangcus photographed the overall scene located at UMC Trauma Center as well as Daniels' body.

VI. SCENE WALK-THROUGHS

The purpose of the scene walk-through was to help investigators develop an understanding of the scene, including identifying officer location at the time deadly force was used, identifying potential physical evidence, and re-creating a timeline of the incident.

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1700 hours, Officer Stockton provided a walk-through of the scene in the presence of the following persons:

- 1) Sergeant MacDonald
- 2) Detective Colon
- 3) CSI Manager Merges
- 4) CSA Supervisor Jeffrey Smink, P# 6556
- 5) LVPPA representative Myron Hamm
- 6) LVPPA attorney John Harper

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119

During the walk-through, which was not video or audio recorded, Officer Stockton relayed the following information through his attorney John Harper:

Officer Stockton indicated the location where he believed he was standing when he fired shots, as well as, where he believed Daniels was located when shots were fired.

VII. PUBLIC SAFETY STATEMENT

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1426 hours, Detective Patton interviewed Sergeant Overson in reference to the Public Safety Statement (PSS) he obtained from Officer Stockton. Also present during the interview was LVPMSA representative Russell Wood. Below is the transcript of the interview.

Note: Detective Patton is designated by (JP) and Sergeant Overson is designated by (CO).

JP: Operator, this is Detective Joe Patton, P-A-T-T-O-N, P# 8289, with the Force Investigation Team, uh, conducting one witness officer interview with Sergeant Cord Overson, it's C-O-R-D O-V-E-R-S-O-N. His P# is 6035. Uh, his call sign today is [REDACTED]. This interview is taking place reference a Public Safety Statement, uh, that he conducted with Officer Dave Stockton, S-T-O-C-K-T-O-N. Uh, his P# is 9989. His call sign today was [REDACTED]. Uh, that pp...Public Safety Statement, uh, was taken reference an officer-involved shooting, uh, which occurred on August 8, 2018, at approximately 1256 hours, under LVMPD Event# 180806-2119, uh, at the Kensington Suites located at 2200 W. Bonanza. Today's date is August 6, 2018. The time of this interview is approximately 1426 hours. Uh, this interview is takin' place in my unmarked LVMPD vehicle in the west parking lot of the Kensington Suites. And also present for this interview is PMSA representative Russ Wood, P# 5...ss...266. Please state your name and P# for me, please.

CO: Cord Overson.

JP: P#?

CO: 6035.

JP: Okay. And, uh, did I get, uh, the information correct? You took the PSS from Officer Stockton, uh, reference the officer-involved shooting that he was involved in?

CO: Correct.

JP: And that occurred on, um, August 6, 20...ss....18. And do you know approximately what time you did the PSS?

CO: Approximately 1245.

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119

JP: 1245. Perfect. So, what I'm gonna have you do is, uh, read the question that you asked Officer Stockton, and then the answer verbatim that he gave to you. Um, if you get to a question, uh, that's not applicable, just read the question and then you can just say that it wasn't applicable.

CO: Okay.

JP: Go ahead.

CO: Number 1: "Did you discharged your firearm?" "Yes."
A: "If so, in what direction?" "East, center mass of suspect."
B: "Approximately where were you located when you fired?" "Second story stairwell railing of suspect's apartment."
C: "How many shots do you think you fired?" "Two."
Number 2: "Is anyone injured?" "Yes."
A: "If so, where are they located?" "En route to the hospital. Also, Officer Heist."
"Are there any outstanding suspects?" "No."
Number 4: "Is it possible the suspect fired rounds at you?" "No."
Number 5: "Do you know if any other officers discharged their firearms?" "Yes, I do know; they did not."
Number 6: "Are there any weapons or evidence that need to be secured/protected?"
"Yes."
A: "If so, where are they located?" "Second story balcony, three to five feet from the suspect."
Number 7: "Are you aware of any witnesses?" "Yes."
A: "If so, what is their location?" "Officers."

JP: Okay. Operator, this will end the interview. Same persons are present. The time is 1428 hours.

VIII. OFFICER WEAPON COUNTDOWNS

On August 6, 2018, Officer David Stockton had his duty weapon counted down at LVMPD headquarters. Officer Stockton was photographed by CSI personnel for appearance purposes and his weapon was photographed for identification purposes.

The following persons were present during the countdown:

- 1) Detective Patton
- 2) Officer Stockton
- 3) CSA Tapay
- 4) LVPPA representative Chad Lyman

Officer Stockton was dressed in a standard LVMPD long sleeve uniform. He wore LVMPD patches on each shoulder and an LVMPD badge over his left breast. Officer Stockton wore a black duty belt with attached tools and equipment as part of his position in Patrol. Officer Stockton's handgun was carried on the right side of his body and secured in a holster.

Prior to countdown Officer Stockton stated he carried 15 cartridges in the magazine loaded in his firearm and one cartridge in the chamber (15+1, 16 total).

Make	Para-Ordnance
Model	P14-45
Serial Number	██████████
Caliber	.45
Weapon Mounted Light	No
Ammunition	Speer 45 Auto
Cartridge in Chamber	1
Magazine from Weapon	Capacity: 15 cartridges
	Countdown: 14 cartridges
Spare Magazine #1	Capacity: 15 cartridges
	Countdown: 15 cartridges
Spare Magazine #2	Capacity: 15 cartridges
	Countdown: 15 cartridges

At the completion of the countdown, it was determined Officer Stockton discharged his firearm one time during the incident. However, when compared to evidence at the scene and BWC footage, detectives concluded Officer Stockton discharged his firearm two times during the incident, indicating his magazine was originally loaded with 16 rounds (16 + 1, 17 total).

IX. DESCRIPTION OF THE SCENE AND VISIBLE EVIDENCE

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1451 hours, SCSA Paine responded to 2200 W. Bonanza Road to photograph and document the scene, and photograph and collect evidence. The following are some of the photographs taken of the overall scene and items impounded as evidence. For additional information, see Appendix A to view SCSA Paine's Crime Scene Investigation Report in its entirety.



Above: Aerial view of 2200 W. Bonanza Road

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119



Above: The landing in front of Daniels' apartment.



Above: The Leatherman utility knife belonging to Daniels.

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119



Above: The view into Daniels' apartment from the doorway.



Above: The view from inside Daniels' apartment looking toward the front doorway.

X. AUTOPSY

On August 8, 2018, at approximately 0715 hours, under Clark County Office of the Coroner case 18-08102, an autopsy was performed on the body of Spurgeon Daniels at the CCOCME by Doctor Leonardo Roquero.

The following persons were in attendance:

- 1) Senior Forensic Technician Brie Kinard
- 2) Detective Colon
- 3) Detective Hodson
- 4) SCSA Heather Ubbens, P# 14792

The following items of evidence were impounded:

- 1) Buccal swab kit
- 2) White sheet bearing apparent blood
- 3) Brown short sleeve t-shirt
- 4) Two Taser probes
- 5) Two bullets and fragment

The following wounds/injuries were noted on Daniels:

- 1) Penetrating gunshot wound to the chest (GSW #1)
- 2) Penetrating gunshot wound to the abdomen (GSW #2)
- 3) Taser prong punctured injury, midline chest and abdomen
- 4) Abrasions on the lateral right elbow and right cheek
- 5) Linear diagonal laceration on the midline abdomen, above the umbilicus
- 6) Contusion on the side of the left nipple
- 7) Incised wounds on the palmar surface of the right hand and right thumb

Upon the completion of toxicology testing, the following results were noted:



After a complete autopsy, Doctor Roquero opined Daniels died as a result of multiple gunshot wounds. The manner of death was homicide.

XI. PERSONS CONTACTED

In addition to the people previously identified in Section I of this report, the following persons were contacted in reference to their knowledge of the facts and circumstances related to the incident:

LVMPD Officers/Personnel

Name: **Brian Heist, P# 15063**
Date of hire: [REDACTED] 14
Area of assignment: BAC
Squad: BA24
Call sign: [REDACTED]
Vehicle: BA10556
Shift hours: 0630-1630 hours
Days off: Wednesday/Thursday/Friday
Witness officer; provided an audio recorded interview

Name: **Brent Moore, P# 17027**
Date of hire: [REDACTED]/17
Area of assignment: BAC
Squad: BA23
Call sign: [REDACTED]
Vehicle: BA16040
Shift hours: 0630-1630 hours
Days off: Thursday/Friday/Saturday
Witness officer; provided an audio recorded interview

Name: **Cord Overson, P# 6035**
Date of hire: [REDACTED]/98
Area of assignment: BAC
Squad: BA24
Call sign: [REDACTED]
Vehicle: BA16023
Shift hours: 0630-1630 hours
Days off: Wednesday/Thursday/Friday
Witness officer; provided an audio recorded interview

Name: **Manuel Ruvalcaba, P# 16096**
Date of hire: [REDACTED]/16
Area of assignment: BAC
Squad: BA24
Call sign: [REDACTED]
Vehicle: BA10620
Shift hours: 0630-1630 hours
Days off: Wednesday/Thursday/Friday
Witness officer; provided an audio recorded interview

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FORCE INVESTIGATION TEAM REPORT
CONTINUATION

Event: 180806-2119

Civilians

Name: **Stephanie Huang**
DOB: [REDACTED]/97
Address: 2529 Joseph Canyon Drive
Las Vegas, NV 89142
Phone number: [REDACTED]
Employer: Advanced Management Group
Occupation: Assistant property manager
Shift hours: 0900-1700 hours
Days off: Tuesday/Wednesday
Witness; provided a written statement and audio recorded interview

Name: **Alec Morgan**
DOB: [REDACTED]/88
Address: 8720 Castle Ridge Avenue
Las Vegas, NV 89129
Phone number: [REDACTED]
Employer: Advanced Management Group
Occupation: Property manager
Shift hours: 0900-1700 hours
Days off: Saturday/Sunday
Witness; provided a written statement and audio recorded interview

Name: **Jim Robinson**
DOB: [REDACTED]/1976
Address: 2200 W. Bonanza Road, Apartment B-327
Las Vegas, NV 89106
Phone number: [REDACTED]
Witness

XII. INVESTIGATION

Involved Officer

Officer David Stockton

Per LVMPD Policy 6/002.04, Post Use of Force Procedures, an involved officer may provide a recorded statement to FIT investigators. If given, involved officer statements are taken at least 48 hours after the incident unless waived by the involved officer.

On August 8, 2018, at approximately 1600 hours, Officer Stockton, through his attorney, John Harper advised FIT detectives he would not provide a voluntary statement.

Witnesses

Alec Morgan

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1423 hours, Detective Alsup conducted an audio recorded interview with Alec Morgan at 2200 W. Bonanza Road. Below is a summary of the interview; for complete details refer to the interview transcript.

Morgan is the property manager for the Kensington Suites located at 2200 W. Bonanza Road. On August 5, 2018, Morgan was not working but was contacted by the assistant property manager in reference to a water leak from apartment B229 which was flooding the apartments below. Morgan was also advised the tenant of the property, Spurgeon Daniels would not open the door for the maintenance. Morgan advised Stephanie Huang, the assistant manager, to leave a 24 hour intent to enter notice.

On August 5, 2018, Morgan returned to the apartment at approximately 1215 hours to make contact with Daniels and enter the apartment for the repair. Morgan noticed the electronic locking mechanism for the door had been damaged. Morgan also noticed the inside of the apartment looked as if Daniels had barricaded. Morgan called 3-1-1 and requested officers.

After the arrival of officers, Morgan escorted them to the apartment. Several officers were standing on the landing of the second floor and one knocked on the door with no answer. The officer knocked harder on the door causing it to open. One or two officers entered the apartment and spoke with the person inside. Morgan said he thought by the sound of the voice that the officers were talking to Daniels.

According to Morgan, the officers quickly exited the apartment and then walked back in. He said this happened one more time and he then heard the officers become more excited. Morgan watched an officer run out of the apartment as other officers grabbed at their holsters. Morgan heard an officer's Taser, followed by two gunshots as he and Huang ran around the corner.

Stephanie Huang

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1522 hours, Detective Alsup conducted an audio recorded interview with Stephanie Huang at 2200 W. Bonanza Road. Below is a summary of the interview; for complete details refer to the interview transcript.

Huang is the assistant manager for the Kensington Suites at 2200 W. Bonanza Road. On August 5, 2018, Huang was notified of a water leak in Room B229 from a downstairs resident who stated water was leaking into his apartment from the ceiling. Huang requested maintenance to respond to B229 for the leak. Maintenance could not get the resident, Spurgeon Daniels, to answer the door. A short time later, maintenance and security went to the apartment and Daniels opened the door. They left to get a wet-dry vacuum and when they returned Daniels would not open the door again. Huang issued a 24 hour intent to enter notice on the door and left.

On August 6, 2018, shortly after 1200 hours, Morgan and Huang went to Room B229 so the leak could be fixed. Morgan noticed the electronic lock on the door was damaged and it appeared furniture had been moved around, possibly to prevent entry into the apartment. Morgan decided to call police for assistance.

Officers arrived and went with Morgan and Huang to Room B229. Officers knocked on the door but received no answer. They knocked a second time a little harder and the door opened. The officers immediately began talking to a person in the room and entered the room. Huang could not see the person the officers were speaking to.

After a very short period of time, Huang heard an officer say "drop the knife" several times. Huang ran around the corner and heard two gunshots.

Jim Robinson

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1545 hours, Detective Garcia conducted a non-recorded interview with Jim Robinson in front of Robinson's residence, 2200 W. Bonanza Road, apartment B-327. Robinson was uncooperative and refused to conduct a taped interview. Below is a summary of the interview.

Robinson was walking up the west stairwell with his small children when he observed officers near Daniels unit. He said that while standing at the top of the west stairwell, he observed Daniels exit the unit and struggle with officers. He observed Daniels with a knife in his hands, running away from officers, but lost sight of him and only heard the shots. Robinson went on to advise he has been living in the complex for approximately one month and knew Daniels in passing. When asked what he knew about Daniels he advised "He's Crazy." Robinson refused to provide anything further.

Officer Brian Heist

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1702 hours, Detective Garcia conducted an audio recorded interview with Officer Brian Heist at LVMPD headquarters. Below is a summary of the interview; for complete details refer to the interview transcript.

Officer Heist was assigned to a suicidal person call where the subject was barricaded inside his unit. He was second on scene and assisted Officer Ruvalcaba at the subject's unit. As he approached, he observed Daniels inside through the blinds and updated his actions over the air. Officers waited for additional units to assist before making contact. As units arrived, he continued watching Daniels through the window when the door swung open. He observed Officer Stockton, Sergeant Overson and Officer Moore enter the unit and engage Daniels in conversation. Daniels appeared agitated and was uncooperative. Daniels refused to show officers his hand which he kept hidden behind the kitchen counter. Eventually, Daniels walked into the living room area still concealing his right hand behind his back.

He observed Daniels approach officers as Officer Stockton deployed his Taser, striking Daniels, causing him to slump over a table in the living room. As the five second cycle ended, officers began backing out of the unit when Daniels swung his right arm while holding what he

described as a Gerber type knife with no point. As he saw him swinging the knife, Officer Heist blocked Daniels' hand and pushed it away from him. Daniels then sat on the floor and paused for a minute. Daniels stood up and focused his attention out of the unit as officers continued to give him commands. He observed Daniels holding the knife before he was struck with the Taser a second time. After the cycle ended, he observed Daniels turn away and begin walking towards Officer Stockton before hearing rounds fired.

He exited the unit and assisted in taking Daniels into custody where he remained until medical personnel transported him to the hospital.

Officer Manuel Ruvalcaba

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1732 hours, Detective Garcia conducted an audio recorded interview with Officer Manuel Ruvalcaba at LVMPD headquarters. Below is a summary of the interview; for complete details refer to the interview transcript.

Officer Ruvalcaba was assigned as the primary officer in a suicidal subject call. Upon his arrival he made contact with management who was outside the subject's apartment. He was speaking with management who advised him of the details as Officer Heist arrived to assist. He remained outside the unit as Officer Heist looked into the window on the opposite side of the door. He was unable to see inside but received information from Officer Heist who was watching the subject. Officers waited for additional units to arrive and assist.

As Sergeant Overson and additional units arrived he briefed them on the situation and pushed on the door to show it was locked. As he did so, the door swung open as the lock was damaged. He observed Sergeant Overson and Officer Stockton enter and followed them inside but backed out to allow Officer Moore to enter when Sergeant Overson asked for the low lethal shotgun. Soon after he heard a Taser deploy which was followed by a struggle. He observed officers exit the unit and heard Sergeant Overson call for another Taser. He approached the doorway and observed Daniels holding the knife and deployed his Taser. After the cycle ended, he observed Daniels turn away from him and quickly advance towards Officer Stockton who fired at him.

Officer Brent Moore

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1751 hours, Detective Garcia conducted an audio recorded interview with Officer Brent Moore at LVMPD headquarters. Below is a summary of the interview; for complete details refer to the interview transcript.

On this day, Officer Moore was riding with Officer Stockton since his Field Training Officer had a different officer riding with him. Upon their arrival, Officer Moore was directed to deploy the low lethal shotgun as he and Officer Stockton approached Daniels unit. He observed officers enter and remained near the doorway until he was called in to provide low lethal coverage. He observed Daniels behind the kitchen counter who was uncooperative and ignored their commands. He observed what he believed was a blade in his hand before being told to back out of the unit by Sergeant Overson. As he exited the unit, he observed Officer Stockton deploy the Taser before Officer Moore took a position of cover behind Officer Ruvalcaba.

He overheard officers giving commands as they backed out and observed Officer Ruvalcaba deploy his Taser. He observed Daniels turn away from them but lost sight as he stood behind Officer Ruvalcaba and Sergeant Overson before hearing two gunshots.

Sergeant Cord Overson

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1813 hours, Detective Garcia conducted an audio recorded interview with Sergeant Overson at LVMPD headquarters. Below is a summary of the interview; for complete details refer to the interview transcript.

Sergeant Overson responded to a suicidal subject call where the door was reportedly barricaded. Upon his arrival, he made contact with officers and management before officers approached the door to check if it was indeed barricaded. As they did so, he observed the door swing open and observed Daniels standing behind the kitchen counter hiding his right hand. He observed the apartment in disarray with Daniels in an agitated state.

As they engaged Daniels in conversation, he emerged from behind the kitchen counter holding a knife in his right hand. He observed Stockton attempt to fire his Taser which malfunctioned so he drew his own Taser and handed it to Officer Stockton as he maintained lethal coverage. As Daniels advanced on them, Officer Stockton deployed the Taser causing him to slump over a table in the living room. After the cycle, he observed Daniels swing the knife as he and Officer Stockton exited the unit.

Upon exiting the unit, he observed Daniels continue to swing the knife as he approached the doorway where he called for another Taser. Officer Ruvalcaba then deployed his Taser striking Daniels a second time. After the cycle, Daniels turned and advanced on Officer Stockton who fired at him before falling to the ground and being taken into custody.

He then called to expedite medical personnel who responded and transported him to the hospital.

XIII. TIMELINE

The below timeline is a reconstruction of events which transpired on Monday, August 6, 2018, in relation to the fatal officer-involved shooting that occurred at 2200 W. Bonanza Road.

Time (hours)	Description of Event/Action	Source
1240	Kensington Suites management called 911 and reported that earlier in the day Daniels was running around the complex naked. Daniels had then barricaded himself in his apartment and ripped the lock off the door.	Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD)
1244	Sergeant acknowledged the call and CIT was dispatched.	CAD
1247	Officers broadcasted they were knocking on Daniels' door but he was not answering.	CAD
1252	Officers deployed a low lethal shotgun.	CAD, BWC
1253	Officers waited for additional units.	CAD
1255	Officers made contact and Daniels was coming out.	CAD, BWC
1256:04	Officers broadcasted Daniels had something in his hand.	CAD, BWC
1256:50	"Shots fired!" broadcasted by officers.	CAD

XIV. FORENSICS REQUESTS/RESULTS

Firearm Examination

On August 13, 2018, an LVMPD Forensic Laboratory Request was submitted on Officer Stockton's firearm for a function test and ballistic comparison evidence.

On September 20, 2018, Forensic Scientist Glenn Davis, P# 17031, submitted the Report of Examination: Firearms. Refer to Appendix B for results.

XV. WITNESS CANVASS

On August 6, 2018, at approximately 1800 hours, FIT Detectives conducted a witness canvass at 2200 W. Bonanza Road. No additional witnesses were located.