

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 18, 2020 11:48 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fwd: AGO Voicemail (COMPLETE MESSAGE THIS TIME - SORRY)

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

[REDACTED]

**Subject: RE: AGO Voicemail (COMPLETE MESSAGE THIS TIME - SORRY)**

Yes [REDACTED]  
As this is a new and separate incident, please file a new SSIR immediately so that I can assign this to our investigator.

Thank you,  
[REDACTED]



[REDACTED]

State of Vermont Emergency Procedures Sharepoint:  
<https://vermontgov.sharepoint.com/sites/SOV-EPP?e=1%3Ae707b86ac4124ff0b1c2ac3f62467076>

<http://bgs.vermont.gov/security>  
Uniformed Security Officer 24/7: 802-828-0777

**CONFIDENTIALITY/DISCLOSURE NOTICE:**  
*Please note that this email message, along with any response or reply, may be considered public record,*

and thus, subject to disclosure under the Vermont Public Records Law ([1 V.S.A Ch. 5, Sec. 3, §§ 315-320](#)).  
Thank You.

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From: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Tuesday, August 18, 2020 11:19 AM

[REDACTED]

Subject: AGO Voicemail (COMPLETE MESSAGE THIS TIME - SORRY)  
Importance: High

**\*\*UPDATE\*\* 8-18-2020 9:25am**

[REDACTED] (he spelled his name this time) called at 9:25am extremely agitated. He said he has left messages before and has heard nothing. He is demanding to speak with [REDACTED] and wants a copy of the report [REDACTED] from [REDACTED] filed on him (he spelled the [REDACTED] name this time – I did not have it spelled correctly in my previous message, below). He claims he suffered two broken ribs and had his head kicked in. He said he was charged with (or arrested for?) violating a restraining order [REDACTED], which he claims he didn't do. [REDACTED] says he has an [REDACTED] and his [REDACTED] has told him he is entitled to a copy of his report. I explained to him that if he has an [REDACTED] he should have his [REDACTED] contact our office. He became even more agitated and said "We're about to get real personal here and it's not going to be very pretty" (or something close to that). He referred to how things are handled where he comes from, and he was threatening physical violence in his reference. He said if he doesn't get a call from [REDACTED] he's going to be sorry. He's going to show up at our building and it's not going to be pretty.

Should he contact us again, what (if anything) should I say to him other than that his message will be delivered?

I am copying [REDACTED] on this message to ask if it requires a second incidence report to be filed. [REDACTED] please let me know.

[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2020 12:25 PM  
To: [REDACTED]  
Subject: RE: AGO Voicemail

Hi, [REDACTED]

Yes, I think we better let Security know, particularly given that no outside guests are currently being received at the Pavilion.

[REDACTED] are you familiar with this case?

Thanks,

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From: [REDACTED]

Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2020 12:08 PM

Subject: AGO Voicemail

Importance: High

DATE: 7-28-2020

TIME: 11:14am

FROM: [REDACTED]

PHONE: [REDACTED]

MESSAGE: Yes, my name is [REDACTED], my phone number is [REDACTED]. I am trying to receive from my [REDACTED], an investigation that was done by [REDACTED] from the [REDACTED] Department for an assault and battery with bodily injury from [REDACTED] cops on June 8, 2019, where I received bodily injury for sitting on a sidewalk. So here's the deal you all, my friend. I don't give a shit. I want my fucking paperwork, okay? Whoever has my paperwork at the AG's office had better send it to my [REDACTED] el pronto, alright? I'm not calling again. Next time I'm going to come there and I'm getting my report. So his address is [REDACTED]. If somebody could – this is like my third request to your office – if somebody could please send this report – investigation report – to my [REDACTED], once again, I would appreciate it. Or give me a call. Or do something. I'm all for justice against these [REDACTED] cops, and if I don't get any help from the State of Vermont, or the AG's office, they're gonna have problems. (Recommending letting BGS Security know about this caller – threat?)

[REDACTED]




[REDACTED]

Whats right is right im sorry but..was fucked up by 2 X cops in St.Albans Vermont and one day ill set these 2 despicable cocksuckers on fire for breaking my fuckin ribs and beating my head into the ground on a curb minding my own business [REDACTED]

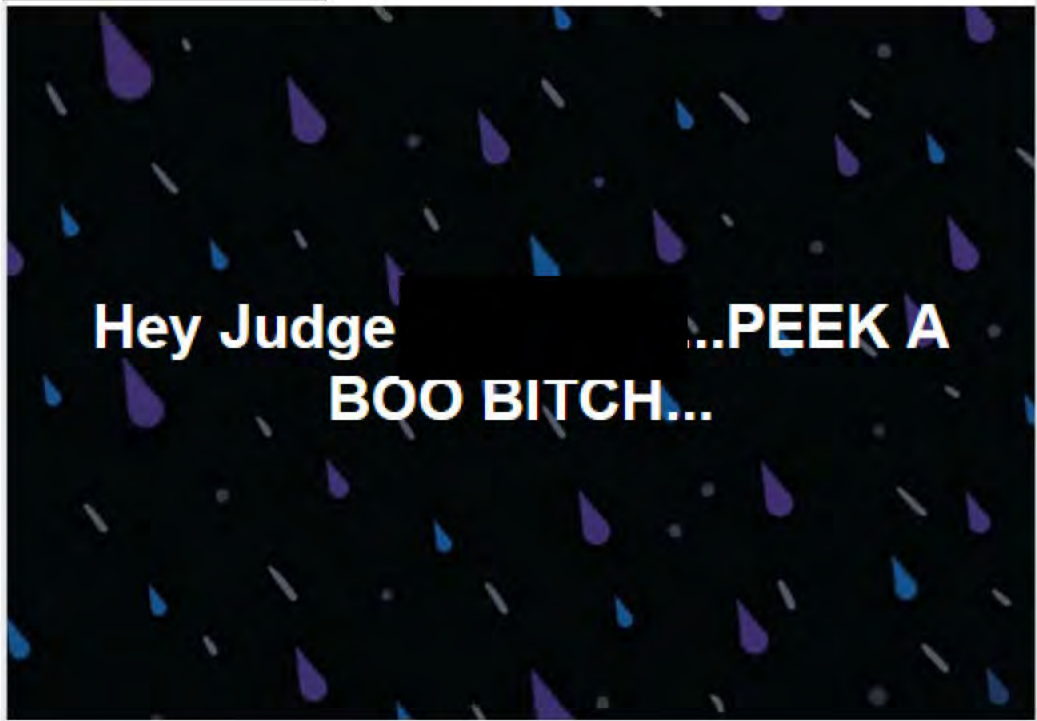
[REDACTED].death is coming for both of you.....say it aint



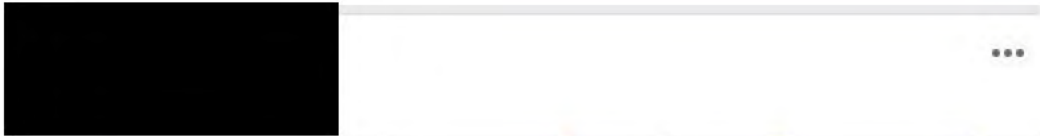


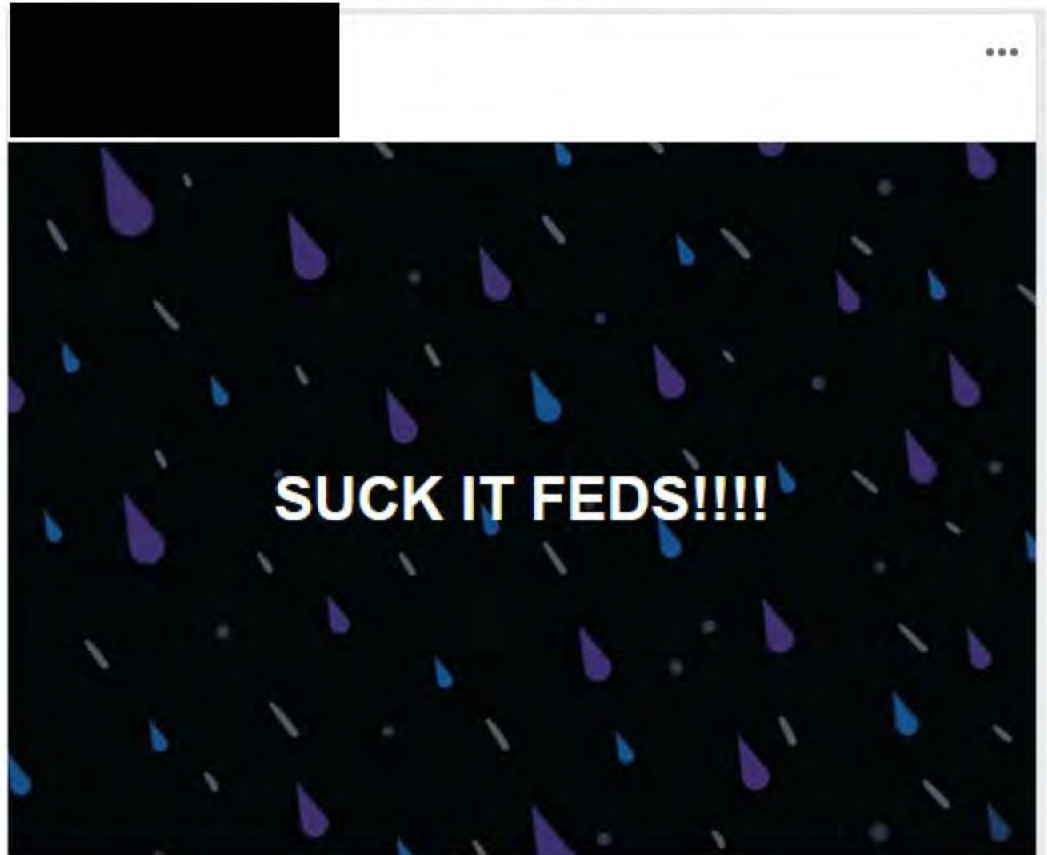
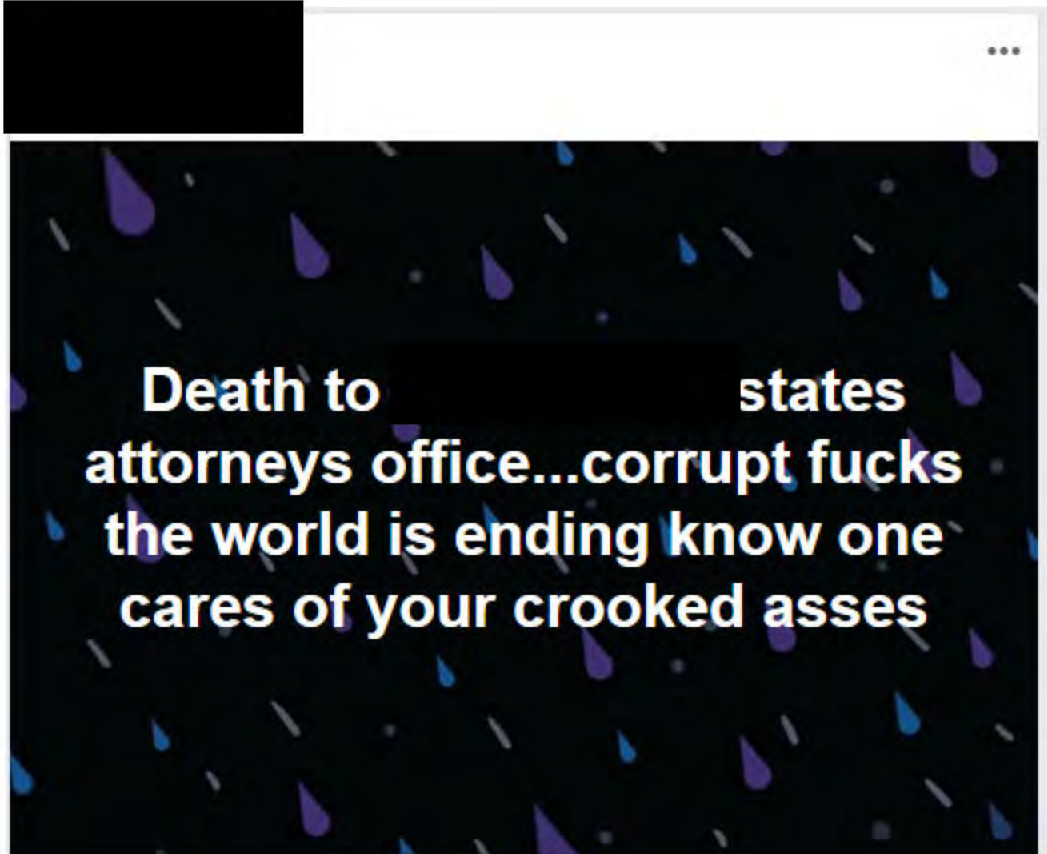
**Fuck the Government...too  
many fuckin guns up here for  
you...stay in  
suckin dick**



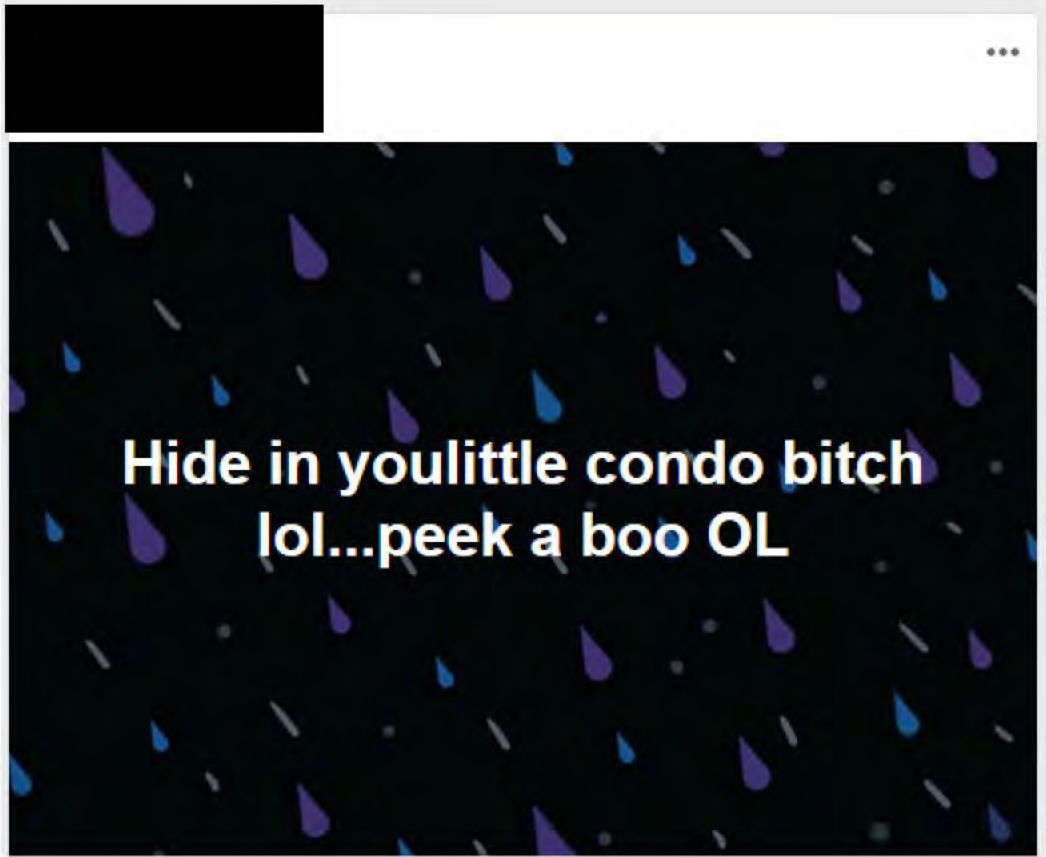




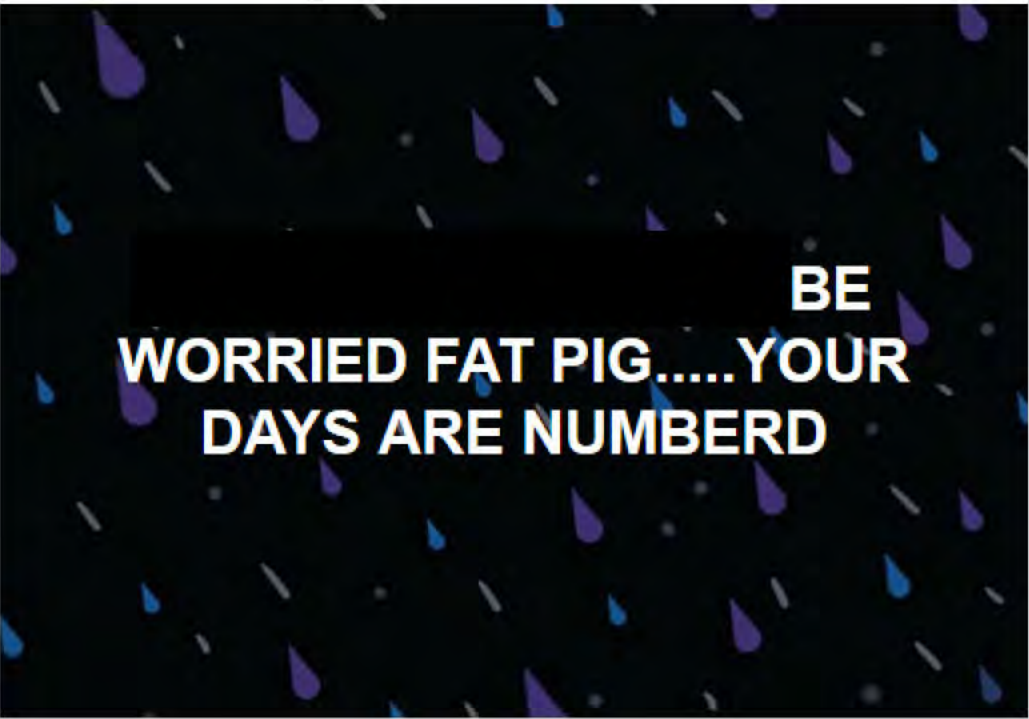




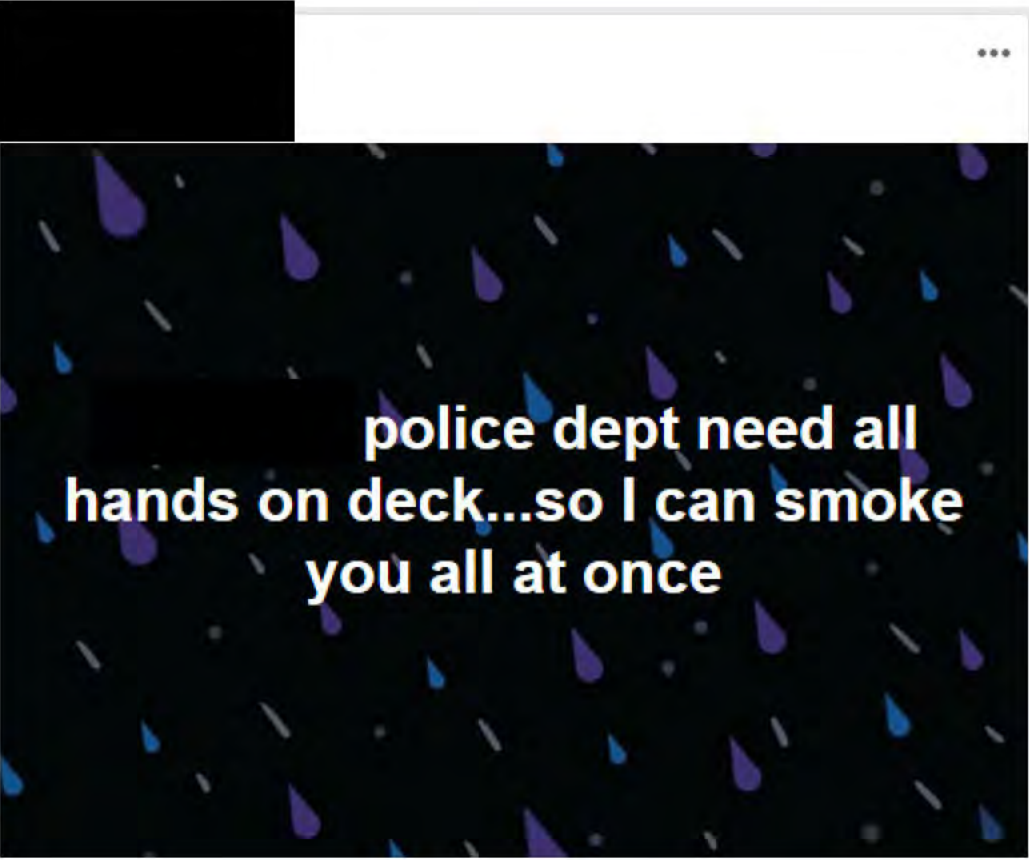




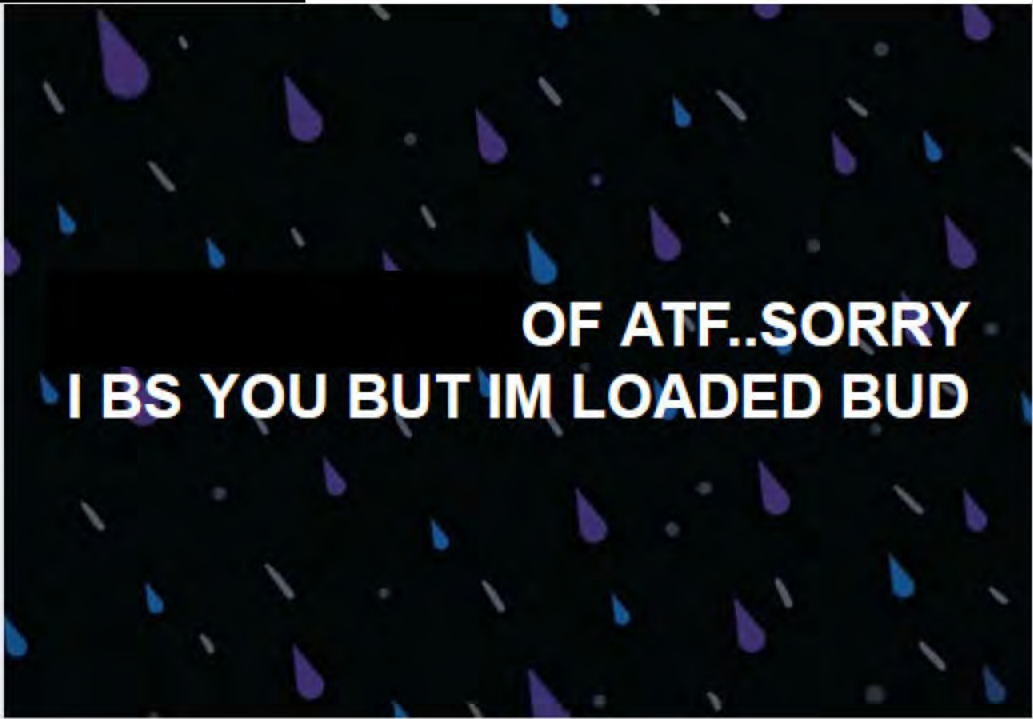
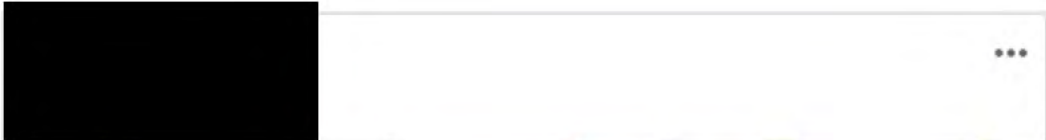
**Hide in you little condo bitch  
lol...peek a boo OL**



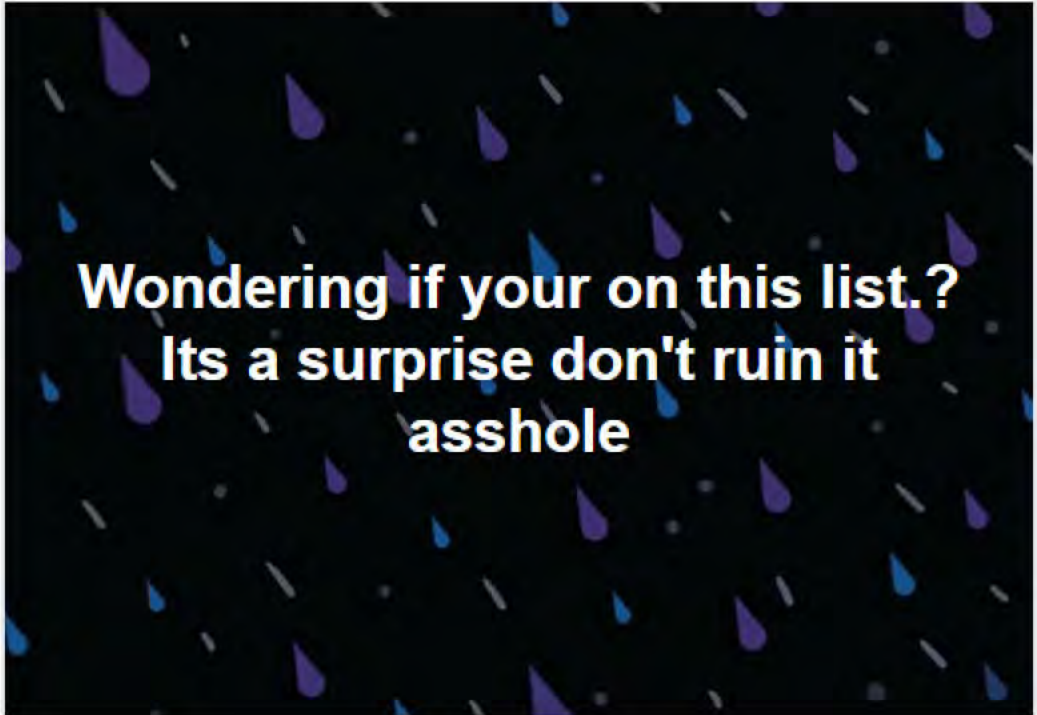
**BE  
WORRIED FAT PIG.....YOUR  
DAYS ARE NUMBERD**



**police dept need all  
hands on deck...so I can smoke  
you all at once**

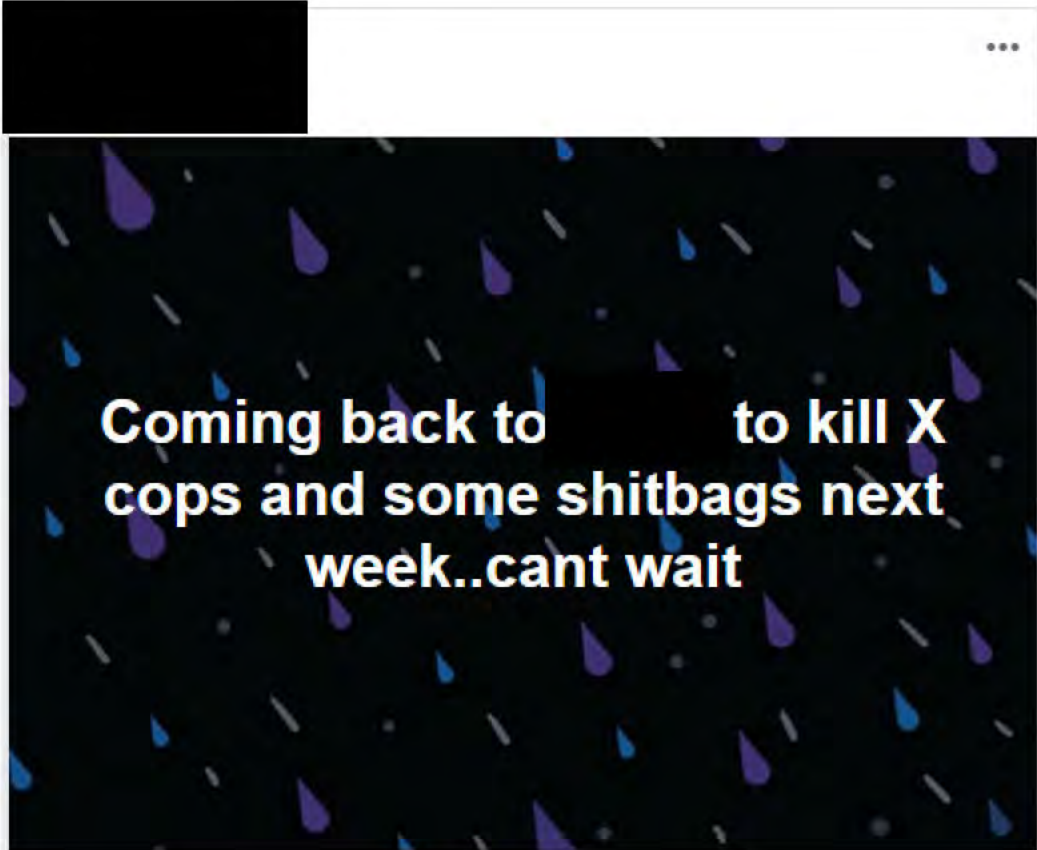


**OF ATF..SORRY  
I BS YOU BUT IM LOADED BUD**

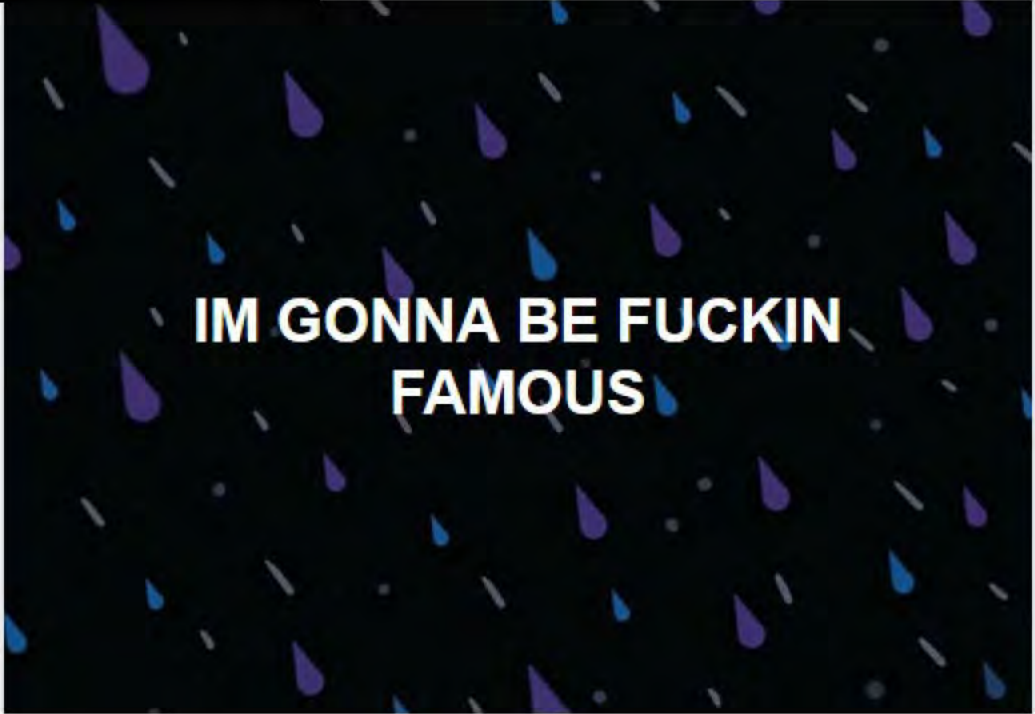


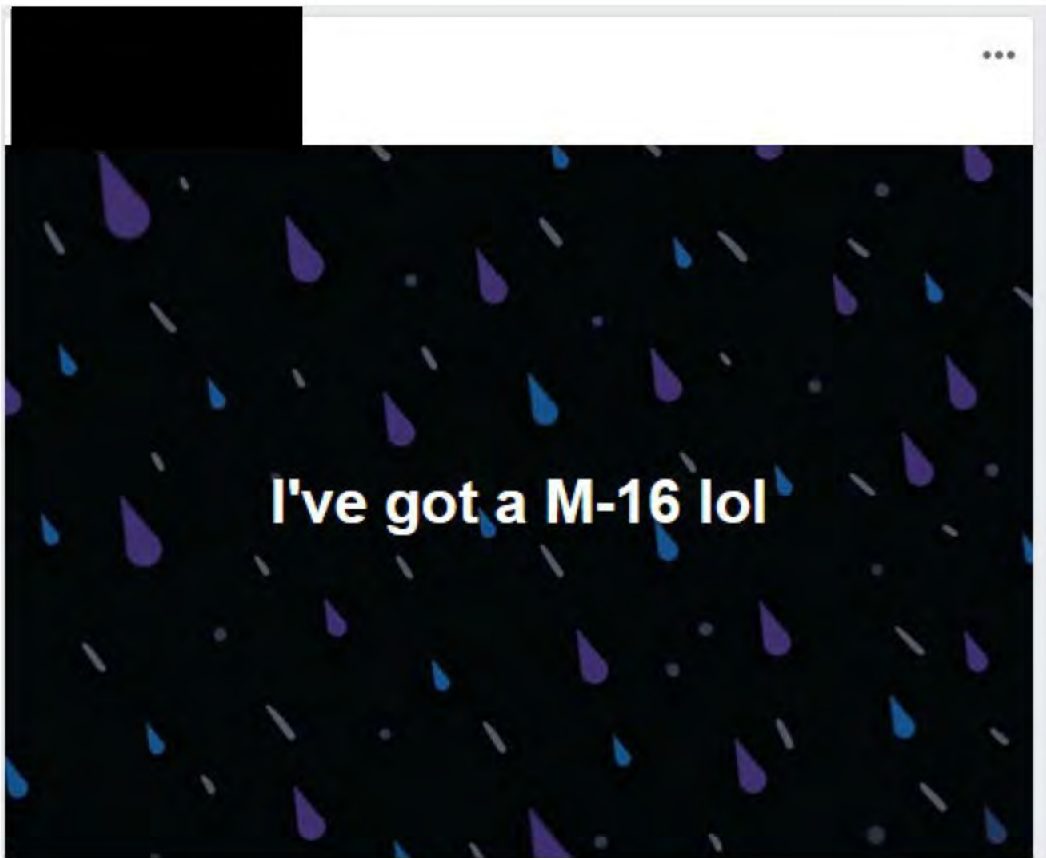
**Wondering if your on this list.?  
Its a surprise don't ruin it  
asshole**






**Coming back to to kill X  
cops and some shitbags next  
week..cant wait**

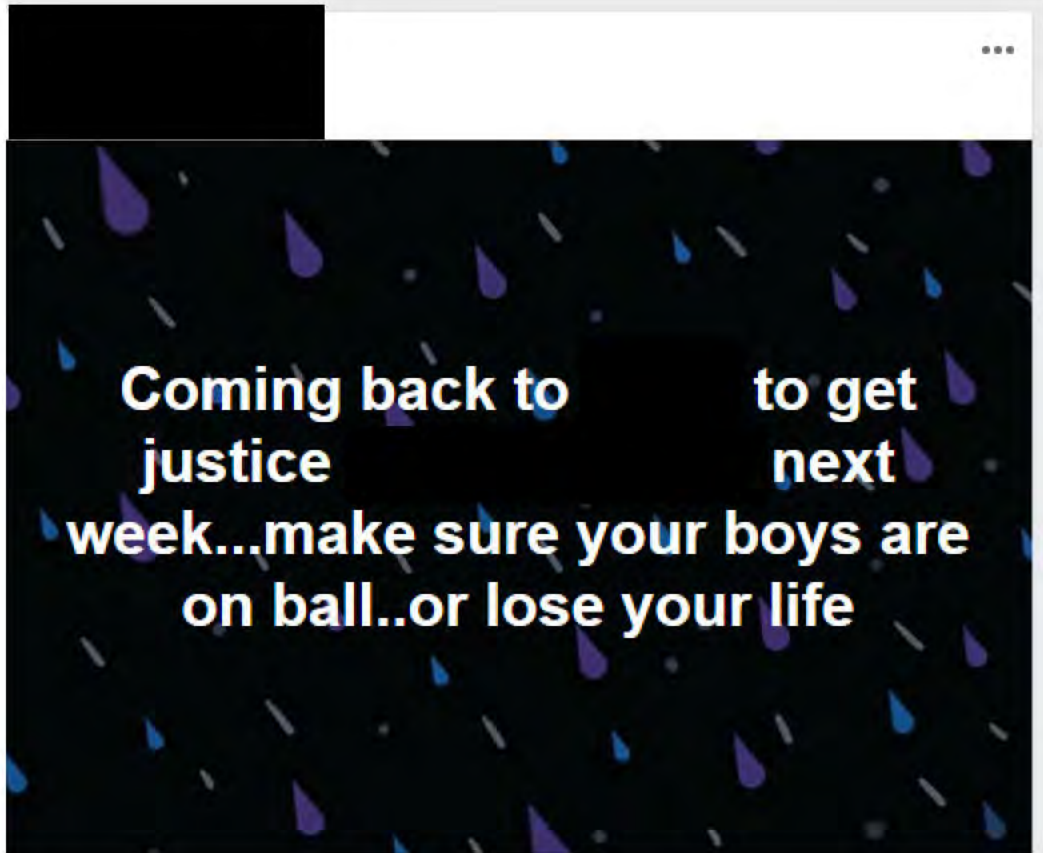




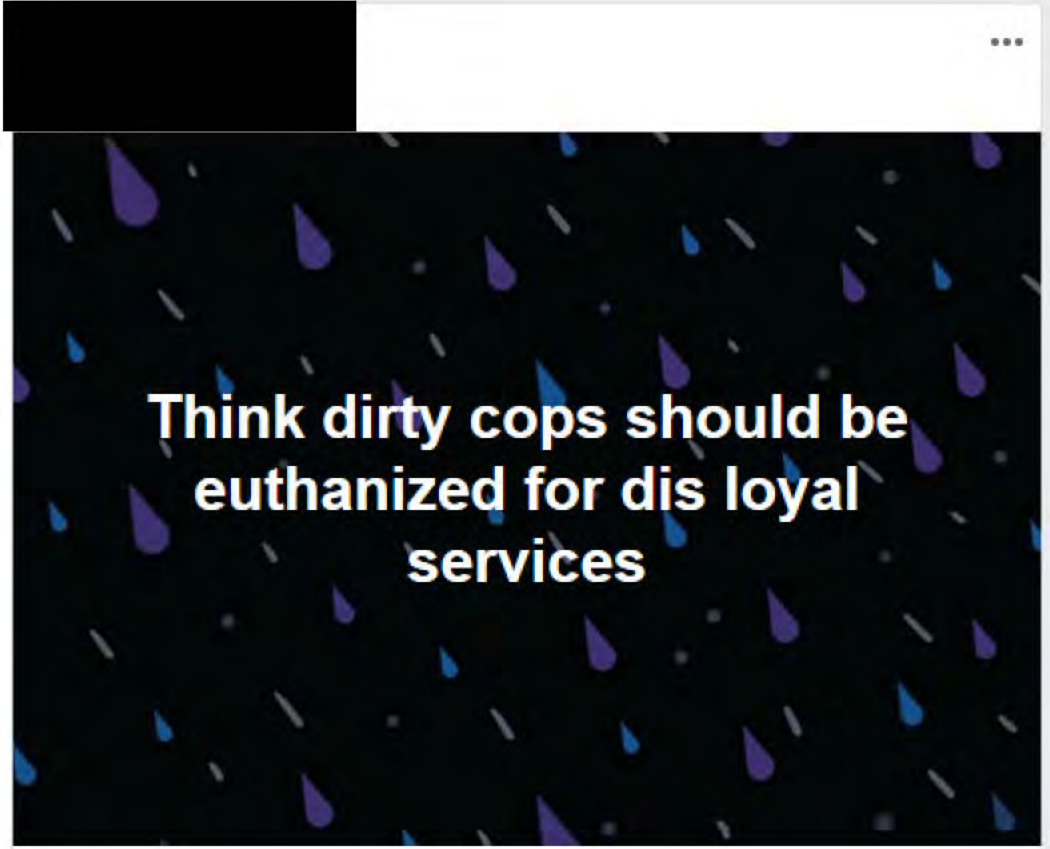
**I've got a M-16 lol**



**Hey...uncle Sam..got a back  
pack for you and  
police dept...cocksuckers are  
dust assholes**



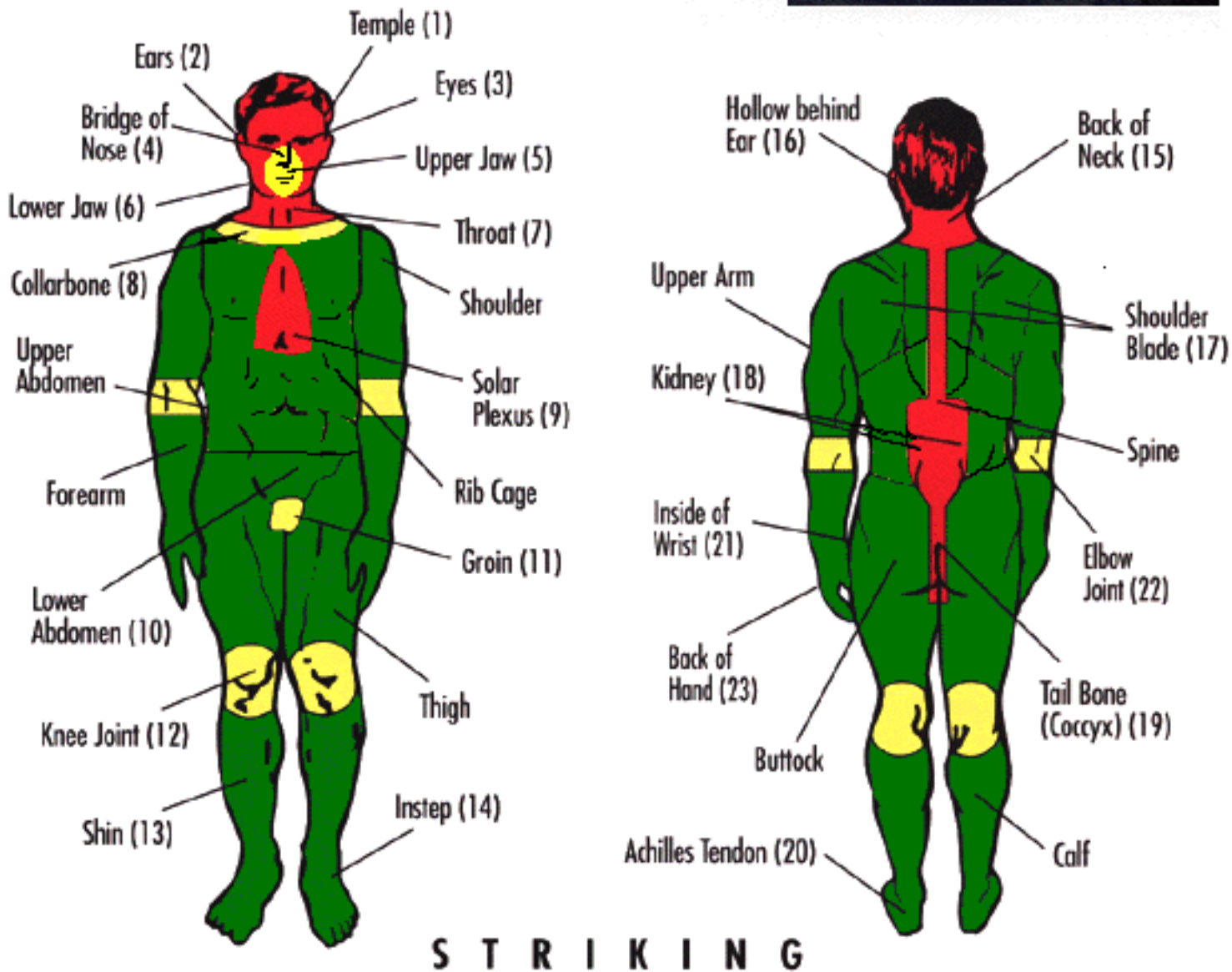
**Coming back to justice to get next week...make sure your boys are on ball..or lose your life**

A social media post with a white header bar containing a black redaction box on the left and three dots on the right. The main content area has a dark background with a pattern of purple and blue raindrops. The text is centered in white.

**Think dirty cops should be  
euthanized for dis loyal  
services**

# MONADNOCK

## Escalation Of Trauma By Vital And Vulnerable Striking Areas



### GREEN TARGET AREAS

**REASONING:** Minimal level of resultant trauma. Injury tends to be temporary rather than long-lasting, however exceptions can occur.

Except for the HEAD, NECK, and SPINE, the whole body is a Green Target Area for the application of baton blocking and restraint skills.

### YELLOW TARGET AREAS

**REASONING:** Moderate to serious level of resultant trauma. Injury tends to be more long-lasting, but may also be temporary.

### RED TARGET AREAS

**REASONING:** Highest level of resultant trauma. Injury tends to range from serious to long-lasting rather than temporary and may include unconsciousness, serious bodily injury, shock or death.

AFFIDAVIT

NOW COMES, [REDACTED] affiant(s), being duly sworn and on oath deposes and says that he has probable cause to believe that [REDACTED] has committed to offense of:

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- Assault on Law Enforcement with Bodily Fluids: 13 V.S.A. 1028(b)(1)
- [REDACTED]
- Violation of Abuse Prevention Order: 13 V.S.A. 1030
- Theft of Services: 13 V.S.A 2582

1. On 6/8/19, at approximately 0116 hours, I was on foot patrol [REDACTED] in the City of St Albans. At that time, I observed a male sitting on the sidewalk across the street from [REDACTED] which caught my attention. This male was later identified as [REDACTED]. This distance is approximately 66 feet from the bar based on GPS mapping.
2. [REDACTED] was intoxicated and started to become confrontational with me. He was clearly intoxicated but walked off prior to things escalating. I did not think too much about the encounter but soon saw [REDACTED] again.
3. Approximately twenty (20) minutes later, I observed [REDACTED] standing outside [REDACTED]. This distance is approximately 233 feet away from [REDACTED]. While standing there, I observed [REDACTED] try and start a fight with several people on the sidewalk. Those individuals walked off, but [REDACTED] then attempted to start a fight with another group of males standing outside [REDACTED].
4. I intercepted [REDACTED] as he was antagonizing the males outside. I spoke with [REDACTED] who stated he was from [REDACTED]. I tried to get him to call a taxi but he wanted to argue and chastise me. Based on his slurred words and diminished capacity, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
5. [REDACTED] was given clear orders to put his hands behind his back, and I attempted to place handcuffs on him. [REDACTED] did not comply and started to pull his arms away from both [REDACTED] and I. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] was brought to the ground for cuffing purposes. Once on the ground, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] refused to put his hands behind his back even with orders to do so being given.
6. Once [REDACTED] was eventually secured, he was placed in the back of my cruiser. In the process of buckling up [REDACTED] he leaned towards me and spit in my face. I could feel spit particles on my face and he was secured with a spit hood.
7. After giving central dispatch [REDACTED] s information, I was informed [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] were issued [REDACTED]



8. Based on [REDACTED] intoxication level, he was brought to detox. During the trip to detox, [REDACTED] started to yell [REDACTED] and variations of the two. Additionally, [REDACTED] stated on multiple occasions that he was a [REDACTED] [REDACTED] claimed to be a [REDACTED] multiple times during my encounter with him. [REDACTED]

9. After [REDACTED] was refused at detox, he was brought to corrections. After dropping off [REDACTED] I returned to [REDACTED]. Once there, [REDACTED] informed me he learned that [REDACTED] [REDACTED] informed me [REDACTED] had been on [REDACTED] and he spoke with her outside of [REDACTED]

10. During their conversation, [REDACTED] stated she observed [REDACTED] outside the bar. [REDACTED] also told [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] had made contact through a third party by trying to give her a pair of sunglasses. [REDACTED] is attached and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein. [REDACTED]

6. Defendant shall contact Plaintiff in any way, whether directly, indirectly, or through a third party with the purpose of making contact with the Plaintiff, including in writing or by telephone, e-mail, or other electronic communication, except that defendant may: NO EXCEPTIONS.

8. Defendant shall stay 300 feet away from: Plaintiff, Plaintiff's residence, Plaintiff's place of employment, Plaintiff's motor vehicle.

11. [REDACTED]

14. you must NOT have contact with: [REDACTED] This includes in person, in writing, by telephone, by e-mail or through a third person regardless of whether you are in jail or released.

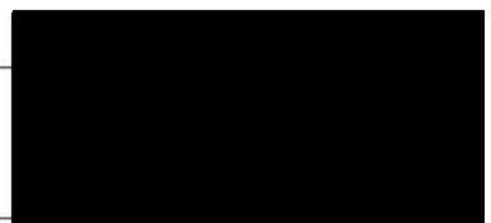
31. Def shall not be within 300ft of person's listed in #14, residence or place of employment and motor vehicle.

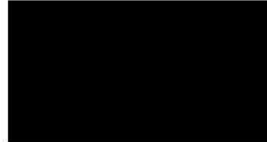
12. Based on my interactions with [REDACTED] on [REDACTED] he was well within 300 feet of [REDACTED] who was inside [REDACTED]. As aforementioned, I personally observed him to be approximately 66 feet away.

13. Lastly, once I returned to [REDACTED] I was approached by [REDACTED] from [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] informed me [REDACTED] had an \$83.50 and left without paying. [REDACTED] had given them a credit card but it had declined.

14. I spoke with [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] was lodged at the [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Subscribed and sworn before me this 8th day of Dec, 2019





Jun 8, 2019  
2:15 AM

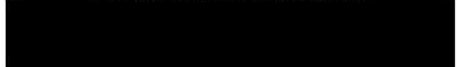


Ticket:

FOR HERE

Bottle x 3 (\$3.50 each)	\$10.50
Import x 7 (\$4.00 each)	\$28.00
\$5 Well Special x 9 (\$5.00 each)	\$45.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$83.50</b>
Tax Included, \$8.27	

Thank you for visiting! If your visit was less than perfect please email



**St Albans Police Dept**

**Incident Number:** [REDACTED]

**Date and Time of Call:** 6/8/2019 1:56:05AM

**Dispatched by:** [REDACTED]

**Primary Investigating Officer:** [REDACTED]

description

**Property Information**

**Tag#:** [REDACTED]

**Action:**

**Release**

**Owner Notified** **Owner:** [REDACTED]

**IBR-Role/Code:** Inmate/Safekeeping - 1

**Disposed** **Phone:** [REDACTED]

**IBR-Property Description:** Other- 77

**Item In Temp Evidence** **Cell:**

**IBR-Suspected Drug Type:**

**Location/Address Found:**  
[REDACTED] St Albans VT 05478

**IBR-Unit of Measure:**

**Qty:** **Color:** **Make:**  
Misc

**IBR-Value:**

**Serial Number:**

**Description:**

Jean Jacket, Black Samsung Cell Phone, Black and Silver Knife, Key Chain with 6 keys, Black Velcro Wallet, Drivers License

**Date and Time Tagged:** June 8, 2019 2:58 **Tagged By:** [REDACTED]

**Temp Evidence Location:** Locker 10



JUN 10 1 42 PM

**SUPPLEMENTAL AFFIDAVIT  
STATE OF VERMONT  
Franklin County S.S.  
St. Albans Police Department**

[REDACTED]

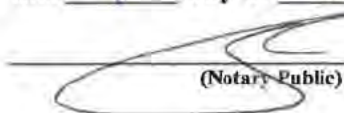
[REDACTED]

1. On June 8, 2019 at approximately 0127 hours, [REDACTED] and I were on foot patrol during bar closing. I observed a male, later identified as [REDACTED] approaching a group of males near [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was being aggressive towards them offering to fight.
2. We attempted to take [REDACTED] into protective custody, due to his intoxication. [REDACTED] was not compliant and tensed his arms up as we tried to secure them. [REDACTED] then brought his hands forward, even after being told to put his hands behind his back. [REDACTED] was taken to the ground but managed to turn his body to face us. [REDACTED] still had his hands up, and due to his already aggressive nature and active resistance to our efforts, I delivered a single distraction strike to [REDACTED] right upper jaw area. This was the only location on [REDACTED] body that was available to me at the time.
3. This had the desired effect due to [REDACTED] turning onto his stomach. We were eventually able to get him into hand cuffs. This also drew a crowd from the nearby bar. [REDACTED] continued to yell profanities during his time on [REDACTED]
4. As we got [REDACTED] into [REDACTED] cruiser, I observed [REDACTED] to spit in [REDACTED]. After this was done, I secure a spit sock on [REDACTED] head.
5. I left [REDACTED] to assist [REDACTED] if he needed it at detox. Once I arrived back to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] approached me saying that the male we had arrested was [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]
6. I located [REDACTED] as she exited [REDACTED]. She stated that she had seen [REDACTED] that night. [REDACTED] told me that one of the bar tenders [REDACTED] knew, gave her his sunglasses. [REDACTED] stated that she gave the sunglasses back telling the bar tender about the [REDACTED].

Subscribed and sworn to before me on

this 9 day of June, 20 19

[REDACTED]

  
(Notary Public)

6-9-19  
(Date)

Dear Chief of St. Abbeville PD

10/8/19

My name is [REDACTED] and on June 8, 2018 I was beaten with bodily injuries by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and my story needs to be told and heard sir.

I have a [REDACTED] and am [REDACTED] since 2007.

I am sure [REDACTED] police worked up [REDACTED] to have me beaten.

I had broken rib and face planted into sidewalk on June 8, 2018 for not doing anything illegal but since I have a [REDACTED] its being swept under the rug.

Thank you sir.

Sincerely

[REDACTED]

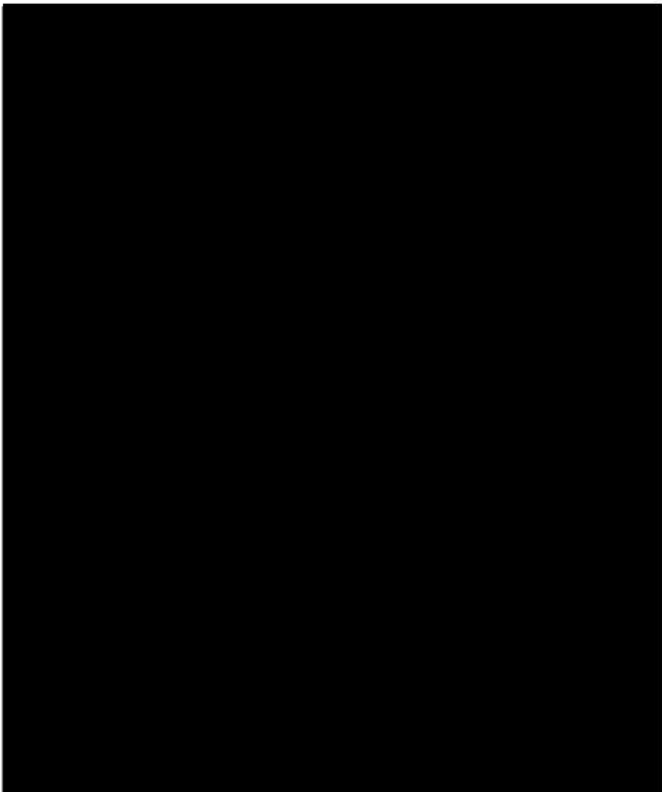
Initial Call Information - [Redacted] 06/08/19 01:56 : [Redacted] t Albans, VT

**Call Type** Disorderly Conduct  
**Call Priority** In Progress  
**Call Origin** Phone  
**Date & Time of Call** 06/08/2019 01:56  
**Location of Call** [Redacted] St Albans, VT, 05478  
**Area** City **Team** Zone 1  
**Incident Number** [Redacted]  **Flag For Roll Call**  **Call Cancelled By Complainant**  
**Common Call Type** Disorderly Conduct

**Drugs Involved**  
 Alcohol  **Opiate blocker**  **Mental Health**  **DOMV**  **Cargo theft**

Witness List

**Person Type**   
 Witness **Bus.**  
  
**Person Type**   
 Victim **Bus.**  
  
**Person Type**   
 Arrestee **Bus.**  
  
**Person Type**   
 Victim **Bus.**  
  
**Person Type**   
 Victim **Bus.**  
  
**Person Type**   
 Witness **Bus.**



Responding Officers

Officer name	Primary	Dispatched	Enroute	OnScene
[Redacted]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	06/08/19 01:56:18	06/08/19 02:02:38	06/08/19 02:02:38
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06/08/19 02:02:38				
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06/08/19 02:02:39				
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06/08/19 02:58:29				

*Dispatch Narratives*



<i>MRI#</i>	<i>NCIC NIC#</i>	<i>Narrative</i>



*Cancelled*

Incident Detail - [Court Orders, Larceny/Theft, Assault]:

Occurred From: 06/08/2019 01:56 Occurred To: 06/08/2019 01:56 Invest./Primary Officer: M1766; Schwartz, Mark

Table with 5 columns: Attachment, Description, Uploaded at, Skm, Confidential. Contains 7 rows of attachment records with dates and file names.

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Evid. Search Conducted Physical Evidence

Media/Press Summary

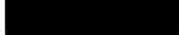




Narrative Type

Affidavit

Officer



Confidential

Narrative

See attached.

Offense Suspect



V. was LEO

Offense Victim

V was LEO Assignment

IBR Victim-Offender

Relationship Unknown - RU

Other ORI

Bias/Motivation (anti)

None - 88

LEOKA Narrative

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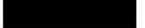
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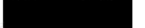
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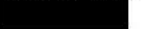
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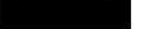
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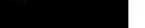
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Offense Victim



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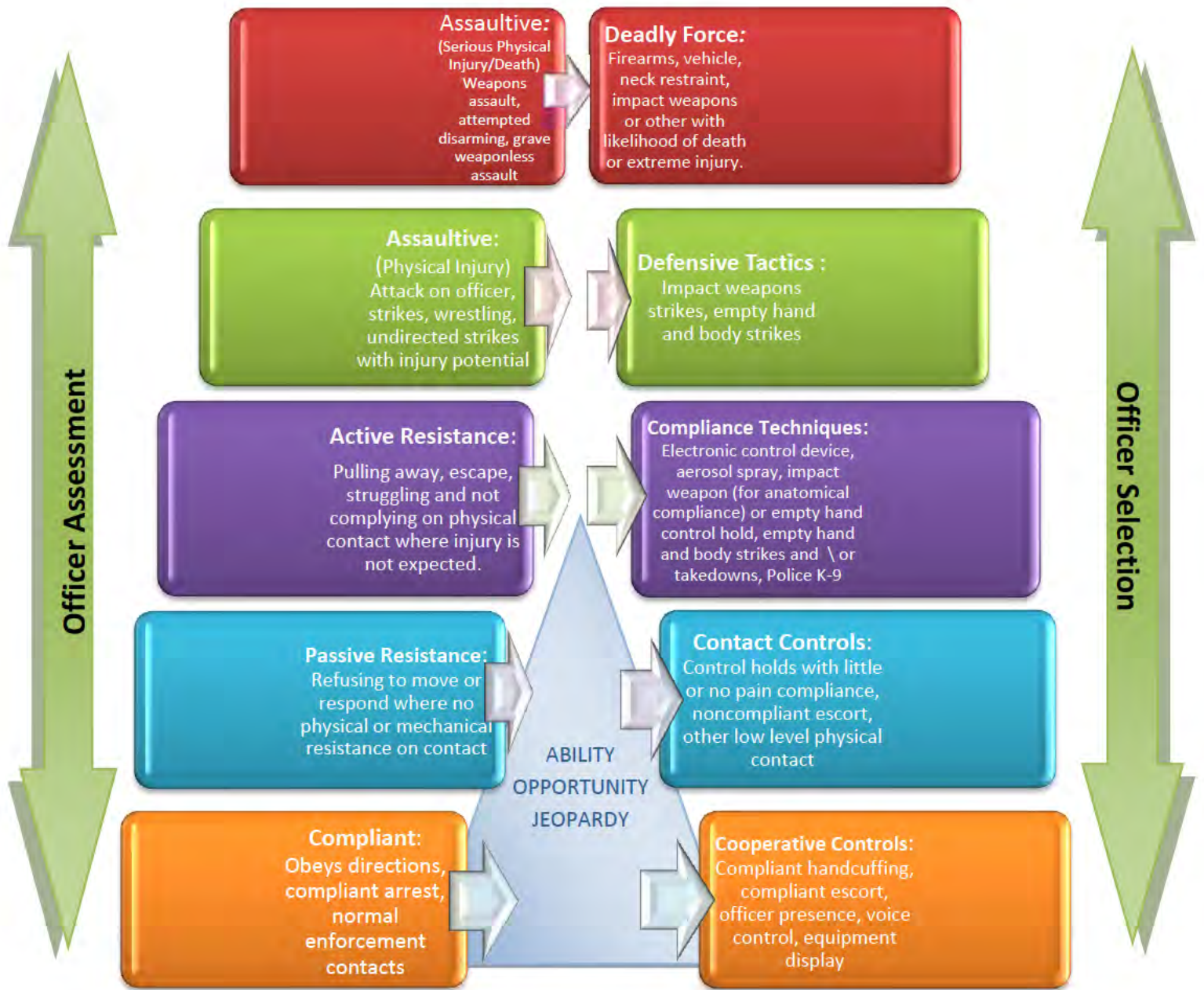
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*Other ORI*

*LEOKA Narrative*

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**VERMONT STATE POLICE**  
**Bureau of Criminal Investigation**  
**Investigative Actions Narrative**

Investigative actions taken on June 3, 2020 by [REDACTED]

Case#: [REDACTED]

Officer: [REDACTED]

Persons Interviewed:

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Exhibits:       3 - digital color photographs  
                  1 CD – sworn audio recorded statement of [REDACTED]  
                  Sworn Audio Recorded Statement Form

Narrative:

On June 3, 2020, at approximately 1028 hours, I met with [REDACTED] at his residence located at [REDACTED]. The purpose of meeting was to interview him, regarding an incident he was involved in on June 8, 2019, with members of the St. Albans Police Department.

[REDACTED] provided a sworn audio recorded statement and the following is a synopsis of the interview, for actual dialogue and statements made the reader should refer to the digital audio recording.

[REDACTED] explained that on June 8, 2019, [REDACTED] gave him a ride from Milton to St. Albans. [REDACTED] stated that he had approximately \$1000 in cash on his person and was planning on going out and having a good time. He added that he intended on getting a room at the Hampton Inn, which was around the corner from [REDACTED], which is where had been.

While at [REDACTED] explained that he went outside to have a cigarette and while doing so, he saw his [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] added that [REDACTED] has a restraining order against him, so to avoid getting into trouble, he crossed the street and was very anxious to find a ride. Due to leaving so abruptly, he had left his Key Bank card inside the bar, which had no money on it, however, he had cash. He attempted to call [REDACTED] and cab companies for a ride but was unable to contact anyone. [REDACTED] said he was then approached by two police officers [REDACTED] while he was sitting down, and they commented "You're an interesting character." [REDACTED] said he minded his own business and walked away. They had told him that he had ten minutes to find a ride or he would be "de-toxed." A short while later, [REDACTED] said he was again approached by the officers and they asked if he had found a ride. [REDACTED] said his phone was in his hand and he told them that they were "public servants" and for them to help him get a ride out of there. At that time, they grabbed his wrists and threw him to the

ground. Once on the ground, there was a knee in the back of his neck and head. [REDACTED] added that the officers were also knee striking him, specifically in the ribs. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] said that because of the knee strikes, he had been diagnosed with two broken ribs. He also explained that he had [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] as a result. [REDACTED] further explained that while he was being escorted to the police car, he could barely breath and was spitting blood from his mouth. Once in the back seat of the police car, a spit hood was placed over his head. [REDACTED] added that he did not know which officer was administering the knee strikes. [REDACTED] was unsure if any other strikes were used but knew he was not pepper sprayed, tazed, or hit with a baton.

[REDACTED] explained that he was brought to jail and was screened by the facility nurse, [REDACTED]. While meeting with the nurse, she told him to “sue the shit out of the St. Albans Police Department because they do this all the time.” [REDACTED] said that following his [REDACTED], he went to the [REDACTED] hospital, where they took x-rays but did not see any broken ribs. Within the next approximate week [REDACTED] said he went to [REDACTED], where hospital staff took X-rays as well and diagnosed him with the broken/fractured ribs and a referral to see a neurologist, due to possibly having [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] further explained that he has been having nightmares that include cops wearing all black and the beat the shit out of him. [REDACTED] also said that he suffers from [REDACTED] from a previous head injury that he sustained; however, the [REDACTED] have started occurring again since the incident with the St. Albans Police Department.

[REDACTED] stated that he wants justice through the judicial system, or he will get it himself and added that he is [REDACTED] years old and has nothing to lose and he will “put him down.” [REDACTED] informed me that he had taken picture of himself, the day he was [REDACTED], showing the injury to his face and ribs. ([REDACTED] later sent me the 3 photographs on June 9, 2020)

At the conclusion of the interview, [REDACTED] added that he felt this whole incident stemmed from a [REDACTED] Police Officer, [REDACTED]. He felt that [REDACTED] contacted the St. Albans Police Department and requested them to contact [REDACTED] after [REDACTED] posted a “selfie” on Facebook.” [REDACTED] explained that he had issues with [REDACTED] in the past. [REDACTED] requested that I tell officer [REDACTED] to “shut his fucking mouth before he loses it.”



**VERMONT STATE POLICE**  
**Bureau of Criminal Investigation**  
**Investigative Actions Narrative**

Investigative actions taken on June 5, 2020 by [REDACTED]

Case#: [REDACTED]

Officer: [REDACTED]

Persons Interviewed:

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Narrative:

On June 5, 2020, at approximately 1315 hours, I met with [REDACTED] at the New Haven barracks. The purpose of the meeting was to allow [REDACTED] to view the video(s) from the use of force incident on June 8, 2019 involving the arrest of [REDACTED]

At the conclusion of our meeting, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]



**VERMONT STATE POLICE**  
**Bureau of Criminal Investigation**  
**Investigative Actions Narrative**

Case#: [REDACTED]

Officer: [REDACTED]

Complaint: Review use of force by members of the St. Albans Police Department on June 8, 2019, during the arrest of [REDACTED]

- Exhibits:
- Supplemental Affidavit authored by [REDACTED] (1 page)
  - Affidavit authored by [REDACTED] (2 pages)
  - Incapacitation screening and disposition report (1 page)
  - [REDACTED] receipt (1 page)
  - Sworn Audio Recorded Statement Form (1 Page)
  - [REDACTED] documents (6 pages)
  - (1) CD w/ (4) AXON body camera videos
  - Letter from [REDACTED] (1 page)
  - Letter from [REDACTED] (1 page)
  - 2- Investigative Action Report (3 pages)
  - 3-Digital photographs

Narrative:

On May 14, 2020, I was informed by [REDACTED], that I was being assigned an investigation, involving a police officer from the St. Albans Police Department. I received an email from [REDACTED], providing me with (4) AXON body camera videos, Incapacitation Screening and Disposition report, [REDACTED] receipt, 2 page affidavit authored by [REDACTED], and a 1 page supplemental affidavit authored by [REDACTED].

Upon reviewing [REDACTED] affidavit of probable cause, charging [REDACTED] with [REDACTED] Assault on Law Enforcement with Bodily Fluids (T13 V.S.A. 1028(b)(1)), [REDACTED] Violation of an Abuse Prevention Order (T13 V.S.A. 1030), and Theft of Services (T13 V.S.A. 2582). I learned the following:

On June 8, 2019 at approximately 0116 hours, [REDACTED] was on duty for the St. Albans Police Department and was on foot [REDACTED] in the City of St. Albans. [REDACTED] observed a male subject sitting on a sidewalk, across the street from [REDACTED]. The male subject was identified as [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] made contact and stated "[REDACTED] was intoxicated and started to become confrontational with me. He was clearly intoxicated but walked off prior to things escalating." Approximately twenty minutes later, [REDACTED] describes seeing [REDACTED] again, specifically outside of [REDACTED], where he was trying to start a fight with several people on the sidewalk. That specific group of individuals walked away and [REDACTED] attempted to start a fight with a second group of males who were standing outside of [REDACTED].



██████████ made contact with ██████████ who advised he lived in ██████████ VT. ██████████ tried to have ██████████ call for a taxi, but instead ██████████ "...wanted to argue and chastise me." ██████████ stated that, "Based on his slurred words and diminished capacity, ██████████ was taken into custody for ██████████ and intoxication." Following ██████████ ██████████ to place his hands behind his back, ██████████ stated that ██████████ ██████████ ██████████ was brought to the ground for cuffing purposes. Eventually ██████████ was secured and placed in the back seat of ██████████ police car. While being placed in the car, ██████████ spit in ██████████ face and was subsequently placed in a "spit hood."

Due to ██████████ level of intoxication, he was brought to detox. ██████████ stated that during the trip ██████████ yelled multiple ██████████ and ██████████ to include ██████████ ██████████ also informed ██████████ that he was an agent with the ██████████ ██████████ further explained, "After ██████████ was refused at detox, he was brought to corrections.

After being dropped off at the correctional center, ██████████ met with ██████████ and learned that there was a final relief from abuse order in effect, whereas ██████████ was the defendant and ██████████ ██████████ was the plaintiff. Upon further investigation, it was learned that ██████████ had violated the order, by being within 300 feet of ██████████ and by making third party contact with her.

Upon reviewing ██████████ Supplemental Affidavit, he stated the following: He was on foot patrol with ██████████ and observed a male subject, later identified as ██████████, approach a group of males, and offer to fight. Due to ██████████ level of intoxication

Upon reviewing the (4) AXON body camera videos provided by the St. Albans Police Department, I observed the following: ██████████ makes contact with a male subject (later identified as ██████████) who was sitting on a curb smoking a cigarette, across the street from ██████████ During the contact ██████████ shows signs of intoxication (slurred speech and unsteady on his feet). ██████████ informed ██████████ that he was a ██████████ ██████████ and is now living in VT. ██████████ is seen walking away from ██████████ A short while later, ██████████ again has contact with ██████████ who is seen talking with three male subjects and is heard saying, "come over here and we will see what's up." ██████████ is heard telling ██████████ he has "outstayed his welcome." ██████████ tells ██████████ he needs to get a ride home or he is going to go to detox. ██████████ informs ██████████ that he has a half million-dollar credit card and asks multiple times "what's up?" ██████████ removes a phone from his pocket and tells ██████████ that he is a "servant" of St. Albans and wants a number for a cab company. ██████████ then tells ██████████ to put his hands behind his back and then another officer ██████████ is heard saying, "don't do it." The video is very shaky, and ██████████ and ██████████ can be seen handcuffing ██████████ ██████████ is heard saying "that was fucking stupid, I don't know who you think you are." ██████████ is told that he is under arrest ██████████ ██████████ is heard making many derogatory comments towards ██████████ and ██████████ and again states that ██████████ ██████████ ██████████ and ██████████ walk ██████████ to a cruiser and when being placed in the back seat, ██████████ leans towards ██████████ and is heard asking "what's your name" and is then seen spitting at ██████████. ██████████ pushes ██████████ back into the cruiser and ██████████ retrieves a spit hood from his car and places it over ██████████ head.

On June 3, 2020, I met with ██████████ at his residence, ██████████ The purpose of our meeting was to obtain a sworn audio recorded statement, regarding the June 8, 2019 incident with members of the St. Albans Police department. ██████████ did provide a sworn statement and a narrative was written following the interview, which is a synopsis of the interview. The reader should refer to the audio recording for actual dialogue. In summary, ██████████ stated that he had been confronted by members of the St. Albans Police Department, specifically ██████████ and ██████████, who told him he was an "interesting character." The officers informed ██████████ that he needed to find a ride home or he would be "de-toxed." ██████████ told the officers they were public servants and could help him find a ride. The officers then grabbed ██████████ wrists and threw him to the ground. While on the ground, ██████████ stated there was a knee on the back of his neck and he was receiving knee strikes. As a result of the altercation, ██████████ said he suffered two broken ribs.

On June 4, 2020, I emailed [REDACTED] and inquired about the medical records that [REDACTED] said he had given to him.

On June 5, 2020, [REDACTED] emailed me a copy of the medical records that were provided by [REDACTED]. The six (6) pages of [REDACTED] medical records are included within this case for reference. Upon reviewing the documents, I learned that [REDACTED] had visited the [REDACTED] on June 20, 2019. During his intake [REDACTED] reported that he had been assaulted two weeks prior by two police officers. He reported that his injuries consisted of left rib pain, throat pain, and loss of his voice, which was caused by “knee strikes.” The “conclusion” listed on [REDACTED] “medical records” state, “Findings may represent left lateral eighth rib fracture. Correlate with point tenderness.”

On June 5, 2020, I met with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] at the Vermont State Police barracks in New Haven, VT. [REDACTED] was able to review the video(s) from this incident and at the end of his viewing, he informed me that he would be [REDACTED]

On June 8, 2020, I learned that [REDACTED]. I contacted [REDACTED] and explained that I was investigating a use of force incident involving members of the St. Albans Police Department and [REDACTED] was one of the officers involved in the incident. [REDACTED] asked if [REDACTED] was being considered a witness or a suspect and I explained that [REDACTED] was only present at the time of one of the incidents, [REDACTED] asked if [REDACTED] had prepared any type of report or if there were any videos. I informed her that there were videos from both incidents and that [REDACTED] had prepared a supplemental report for one of the incidents. [REDACTED] informed me that she would contact [REDACTED] and discuss the incidents with him and [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

This case has been forwarded to the Vermont Attorney General’s office for review.

[REDACTED]