

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

1. Original File No. P12149530	2.	3. Off ID 0444	4. Dist.	5. Crime-Ct.	6. Crime-Ct.	7. Crime-Ct.	8. Date/Time Occurred	9. Day			
10. Date/Time Assigned	11. Date/Time Inv. Start		12. Date/Time Inv. Term.		13. Type Clr. EXC	14. Type Cont. REC	15. Additional Adults Arr.	16. Additional Juv. Arr.			
17. Address of Occurrence (Street No. - Name - City) 3750 Myers #55, Riverside CA							18. Type of Place Apartment				
For ID USE: V = Victim, I = Informant, W = Witness, O = Other											
19. ID: W1	20. Last Name - First - Middle (Firm Name if Business) Officer Bettsey Velasquez #1699					21. Race - Sex	22. DOB				
23. Residence Address			24. Business or School Address RPD			25. Home Phone	26. Bus. Phone				
27. W2	28. Last Name - First - Middle (Firm Name if Business) Sergeant Russell Stump # 133					29. Race - Sex	30. DOB				
31. Residence Address			32. Business or School Address RPD			33. Home Phone	34. Bus. Phone				
SUBJECT	35. LAST Name - First - Middle Sherron, Chaz			36. Race - Sex B-M	37. Age	38. Ht.	39. Wt.	40. Hr.	41. Eyes	42. DOB or ID 02-26-89	43. Arrested <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
	44. Address - Clothing - Other Marks or Identifying Characteristics 3750 Myers #55, Riverside CA Deceased										
SUBJECT	45. Juv. Other Disp: Juris. <input type="checkbox"/> 2		Juv. Ct. Prob. <input type="checkbox"/> 5		Within Dept. <input type="checkbox"/> 6		Detained <input type="checkbox"/> 1		Not Detained <input type="checkbox"/> 2		
	46. LAST Name - First - Middle			47. Race - Sex	48. Age	49. Ht.	50. Wt.	51. Hr.	52. Eyes	53. DOB or ID	54. Arrested <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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ORIGINALLY REPORTED DOLLAR VALUES ARE CHANGED AS SHOWN BELOW

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	Currency Notes	Jewelry Prec. Met.	Clothing Furs	Office Equip.	T.V. - Radio Cameras	Firearms	Household Goods	Consum. Goods	Livestock	Misc.
PS	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
57										
PR	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

60. Originally Reported Offenses (Code - Crime)					61. Original Offenses Changed to (Code - Crime)					58.	Stolen Auto Value ASP: \$
(1) OIS					(1)					59.	Recovered Auto Value A2 \$
(2)					(2)						Reporting Officer Det David Smith

62. Narrative of Supplemental Report
Interviews of Officer B. Velazquez and Sergeant R. Stump

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Narrative

On 10-14-12 (Sunday) at approximately 2330 hrs I was called by Sgt Russell and told to respond to an Officer Involved Shooting (OIS) at 3750 Myers in the City of Riverside. I arrived on scene at approximately 0030 hrs.

I attended a briefing with other investigators and learned that several uniformed Police Officers were involved in a shooting with a suicidal subject in apartment #55. The officers were now at the Magnolia Police Station awaiting interview and follow-up. I was assigned to conduct interviews of some of those officers.

I responded to the Magnolia Station and interviewed Officer Bettsey Velazquez #1699 and Sergeant Russell Stump #133. It was reported that neither officer had fired their weapons. Each interview was recorded. The following is a synopsis of their statements:

Officer Velazquez

Officer Velazquez was accompanied by a Riverside Police Association Attorney, Michael McCoy, since she is still in her probationary period with the Riverside Police Department.

Officer Velazquez is assigned to early swing shift (1500 hrs to 0100 hrs) and she was working alone. Her designator was C322 and she was driving marked police unit #3769. She was in full Riverside Police uniform including sam-brown gun belt, badge and police patches. Her sidearm is a 40 caliber, Glock, model 22, semi-automatic handgun and she carried (2) spare magazines. She was not carrying a back-up weapon. Officer Velazquez indicated that she had a digital recorder but she did not activate it during the incident. Her police vehicle was equipped with COBAN, however it was never activated either.

Officer Velazquez told me that she was dispatched to the call of a 5150 suicidal person at 3750 Myers. The subject was in an apartment and had a gun. When she arrived she parked out on Myers and walked to the complex. Officer Lim and Gomez were already there and they all walked together into the apartment complex.

Officer Velazquez said they walked around the complex for a while trying to locate #55. When they finally found it upstairs they did not attempt to contact the occupant/s, but waited on the landing outside, on the left hand side of the apartment door (as you are looking at the door) for more officers to arrive.

While they were waiting Officer Gomez and she switched their position to the right side of the doorway. She could see that the apartment door was slightly ajar, but not open. They had their weapons out at this point. Officer Gomez pushed the door open and it opened most of the way. A blanket or something on the floor kept it from opening all the way, but it opened enough for them to be able to see inside the apartment. Officer Gomez began making verbal announcements to the occupant/s inside to, "Come out with their hands up", and "We want to help you". They received no response. Officer Velazquez said there was a light on inside the apartment and when she looked inside she could see a little ways into the living room. She did not see or hear anyone inside.

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Sergeant Cash then arrived on scene. Sergeant Cash started to organize the officers present into a take-down team. He had them all get on the left side of the doorway, except for Officer Gomez. Officer Gomez stayed on the right side and stationed himself outside of a window to the apartment to try and look inside.

Sergeant Cash asked if any of them had a Taser. Officer Velazquez did, so she was assigned as the less lethal officer and placed third in a "stack" on the left side of the suspect's doorway. Officer Velazquez said she then holstered her pistol and took out her Taser. Officer Serrato was in front of her and another officer was in front of him (but she wasn't sure who that was). Sergeant Cash assigned Officer Gomez to make announcements and informed the officers present that they were not going to go inside. Officer Gomez began making announcements asking the occupants inside to come out, still with no response.

Officer Velazquez said she had a pretty good view inside the apartment from where she now was and she could see "deep" inside the living room. All of the sudden she saw the suspect appear from somewhere to right in the apartment and he was approaching the open doorway with his right arm straight out in front of him. Officer Velazquez said she immediately heard numerous gunshots and believed the suspect was firing a weapon at them. She didn't see a gun or any muzzle flashes but due to the circumstances she believed he was.

Officer Velazquez said at this point the stack of officers she was in began to retreat backwards and she fell down. Officer Serrato then fell on top of her. Officer Velazquez said she got up quickly, dropped her Taser and took out her pistol. She could see the suspect down on his back on the landing outside of the door. His left hand was up in front of his chest and Officer Velazquez could see a large knife clutched in it. The suspect was not moving.

Sergeant Cash designated Officer Velazquez and himself as lethal cover and told Officer Ouk to handcuff the suspect. Officer Ouk approached the suspect and took the knife out of his left hand, placing it on the landing. He then rolled the suspect over and handcuffed him.

Officer Velazquez said that they then went in and cleared the apartment. It was Sergeant Cash, two other officers and her. She wasn't sure who the other two officers were. The apartment was a one bedroom with a living room and a kitchen. The apartment was a little cluttered but there was nothing unusual. Officer Velazquez said she never saw a gun in the apartment or on the landing, but did later see one on the ground below the suspect's apartment.

Once the apartment was cleared Officer Velazquez checked with a neighboring apartment to make sure everyone inside was OK. The occupants of that apartment indicated they were fine, so Officer Velazquez stood on the landing area to the left of the suspect doorway for scene containment until she was relieved. She then drove herself to the Magnolia Police Station to await an interview.

Officer Velazquez and her attorney then informed me that Officer Velazquez had responded to a 5150 call regarding the same person about two hours earlier that evening.

Officer Velazquez said that she was dispatched to a 5150 suicidal subject at an address on Janis. When she got there the male subject that had called was gone so she contacted some females in the house there. They told Officer Velazquez that the suicidal subject was related to them and he had a history of mental health issues. He had come over to the house this evening

telling them that he felt suicidal. He didn't have any weapons. They gave him the phone and he called police. He was supposed to wait out in the front yard for them and they were surprised he took off before Officer Velazquez got there.

The ladies asked Officer Velazquez what their options were if he returned. Office Velasquez explained their options to them and asked them if he was in any kind of mental health program. They said they believed he was. Officer Velasquez asked them if there was someone associated with the program that checks on him. They told her that they had the phone number for someone at the program and they would call to have them check on him at home. The ladies told her that the subject would be on foot, so Officer Velasquez drove around in the direction of Myers, but didn't see him in the area. She then cleared the call without a report.

Officer Velazquez said that as she spoke with the female relatives of S-Sherron she asked them his name and where he lived, but she did not write any of it down since he was gone and no crime had occurred. She remembered the first name of "Chaz", and that he lived somewhere on Myers. She told me she didn't realize that the incidents were related until everything was all over.

Officer Velazquez sustained a small scrape to her left elbow during the shooting incident, probably from the stucco wall she was standing next too.

Officer Velazquez was photographed in uniform and her weapon and magazines were charted. See Detective Simon's and Evidence Tech McKay-Davis' supplemental reports for details.

Sergeant Stump

Sergeant Stump told me that he is a Patrol Supervisor on early swing shift. He was in full police uniform and driving marked police unit #3906. He was not carrying a digital recorder and he never activated his COBAN for any reason. None of the officers directly involved with this incident were on his squad.

Sergeant Stump said he was on duty and in the Central beat area because of a foot pursuit that had just occurred. He monitored the 5150 call go out on Myers and pulled up the call on his computer. He noted several units were en route to a suicidal subject with a gun. He recalled the earlier 5150 call on Janis that Officer Velazquez had gone to because he had been assigned to back her up since no one else was available. He was canceled prior to getting there because the subject was gone. He said he realized that the calls may be related so he put himself en route. While he was on his way dispatch updated them that the subject put the gun on a table and was sitting on the couch inside the apartment.

Sergeant Stump said that he arrived on Myers at about the same time as Sergeant Cash. The officers were still looking for the apartment and finally found it on the second floor. Sergeant Cash went upstairs onto the landing with Officers Lim, Serrato, Ouk and Velasquez, and they were positioned on the left side of the apartment. Sergeant Cash began assembling the officers with him into a contact team.

Sergeant Lambert arrived and Sergeant Stump and Lambert went up to the second floor from a different entryway and ended up on the right side of the apartment door. Officer Gomez was already stationed there near a window on the right side of the door and he was trying to peek

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into the apartment through the window. Sergeant Stump told me that they were still a little confused about whether there was another person inside the apartment with the subject so Sergeant Lambert was on his phone with dispatch trying to clear that up. They told Officer Gomez to get back away from the window and they asked him if anyone had tried to communicate with the person inside the apartment. Officer Gomez told him that they had, but there was no response. Sergeant Stump said he told Officer Gomez to keep trying.

Officer Gomez then began calling out to the occupant/s to come out and they would try to help them. Within a few seconds Sergeant Stump saw what he thought was an arm or hand from someone coming out of the apartment and he immediately heard gunshots. His first thought was that they were in a "huge crossfire", so he immediately began moving backwards to a little alcove behind them. Sergeant Lambert and Officer Gomez moved with him. When the shooting was over Sergeant Stump said he saw the suspect down on the landing in front of the apartment. He never noticed if anything was in the subject's hands as he was coming out of the doorway because it all happened so fast.

Sergeant Stump said he never fired his gun and he never saw who did fire. He heard some type of intense voice or commands a split second before and during the shooting, but he didn't know who it was or what was being said.

They approached the downed subject and an officer handcuffed him. Sergeant Stump was part of a group of officers that entered the apartment to make sure no one else was inside. The apartment was cleared and they began to take control of the area. They had not found a gun so Sergeant Stump began to look around with his flashlight. He noticed a large knife lying on the landing not too far from the suspect. From the upstairs landing he looked down into the grass area under the suspect's apartment and saw what looked like a black semi-auto handgun laying there. He immediately went downstairs and stood by the gun until he was relieved.

Sergeant Stump sustained a scrape to his left elbow during the incident.

Sergeant Stump was photographed and his duty weapon and magazines were charted. He was also carrying a back-up weapon in his back pocket. See Detective Simon's and Evidence Tech McKay-Davis' supplemental reports for details.

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