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REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE: Riverside Police Department File #P13133894

SUBJECT: Officer Involved Shooting Death of Hector Jimenez which occurred

on September 13, 2013

LOCATION: 2395 Tenth Street, Riverside

On September 13, 2013, around 2300, I received information that members of the Riverside Police Department had been involved in an officer involved shooting that resulted in the death of Hector Jimenez.

On September 19, 2013, I attended the Riverside Police Department Executive Summary of the shooting along with Frank Hauptmann, Manager of the Community Police Review Commission.

We were briefed by investigators regarding the circumstances surrounding the officer involved shooting, observed crime scene photographs, listened to a 911 call from Mr. Jimenez' family, listened to a COBAN audio tape which included negotiations with Mr. Jimenez and the actual shooting, and watched a YouTube video of Thalia Jimenez discussing the incident.

I was asked by Frank Hauptmann to conduct a neighborhood canvass of the location to search for potential witnesses who had not been located by Riverside Police Officers on the night of the incident. If any witnesses were identified, I was asked to conduct a thorough interview and provide a copy of my report to Riverside Police investigators.



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I responded to the location which was on the North/East corner of Tenth Street and Sedgwick Avenue. Although the location has a Tenth Street address, the front of the house actually faces Sedgwick Avenue. However, the shooting occurred on the south side of the house, facing Tenth Street.

I observed several apparent bullet strikes in the stucco, which coincided with crime scene photographs I had been shown. Since the location of the shooting was on the Tenth Street side of the house, I concentrated my search for potential witnesses from Sedgwick Avenue, east to Eucalyptus Avenue.

Although I visited all 18 houses between Sedgwick Avenue and Eucalyptus Avenue, I was unable to locate any witnesses to the shooting. However, it should be noted that while I was walking along Tenth Street, I was approached by two Hispanic young men who appeared to be gang members, and demanded to know the reason for my visit. I provided them with a CPRC business card and explained the purpose for my being there. They advised me that the neighborhood was very unhappy with the Riverside Police Department and assured me that they would locate witnesses and have them call me.

I will review the officer involved shooting death of Hector Jimenez when the Riverside Police Department provides me access to their files.



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