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Date/Time Reported: 03/31/2017 @ 0900

Report Date/Time: 04/03/2017 @ 0900 Occurred Between: 09/26/2016 @ 1430

And: 09/26/2016 @ 1600

Complaint Type: Internal Disposition: Sustained

Reporting Officer: Captain CRAIG HORTON

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#### Facts:

On 03/07/2017, I received a phone message from
been stolen, the Central Falls PD located the vehicle on 09/26/2016 and the tow company crushed his truck. I
checked our system for any stolen vehicles recovered on that date.
front of 138 Sylvian Street which was reported abandoned.
out of Providence (later determined to be East Providence).
from NCIC and a locate was sent to Providence PD.

On, or just before, 03/07/2017, a detective from the Rhode Island State Police contacted King's Towing because a part of the stolen vehicle was being sold a salvage yard and the vehicle was still listed as stolen. Jay from King's Towing gave the detective paperwork showing how they obtained the vehicle and the process they utilized in disposing of the vehicle with the salvage yard. They towed the vehicle on 09/26/2016. On 10/06/2016, they sent a certified letter to registered owner, according to the VIN. It was returned to them unclaimed on 11/03/2016. According to Rhode Island state law, King's Towing followed the proper procedure for abandonment of a vehicle at their facility. They brought the vehicle to the salvage yard and sold it. I spoke with Jay myself and he explained this all to me via telephone.

I then spoke with who was in charge the day the vehicle was towed and he is the when the vehicle was located. I asked him about the incident and asked if he could look into the situation and get back to me

On 03/13/2017, drafted a witness statement concerning this incident. He reports an error was made at the time regarding the place from which the vehicle was originally stolen. It should have been listed as East Providence not Providence. He said he attempted an inventory search but the vehicle was locked and he did not see anything in the driver's or passenger's compartment. There is no mention of why he did not ensure the vehicle was removed from NCIC and a locate sent to the proper department prior to putting that in his report.

gathered copies from King's Towing documenting their steps in the process regarding this vehicle. He had the vehicle properly removed from NCIC and a locate sent to East Providence PD. reporting of the stolen vehicle by including only one plate on the vehicle and it would not match the vehicle itself.

When returned the package to me on or about 03/31/2017, he explained he was at fault for not properly checking the report before approving and forwarding it to detectives. He did not notice the error on the report, which states it was stolen from Providence instead of East Providence. He also did not notice the vehicle had not been removed from NCIC and no locate was sent to the East Providence PD.

On 04/11/2017, I spoke with about this incident. She remembered the call in question and said she made the error of not sending the locate to East Providence. She said she knew it was no excuse, but she simply forgot to send it. She was the only dispatcher working during that shift.

## Findings:

A "suspect" SMV report was filed with the East Providence PD in August 2016. It was recovered by our department on Sylvian Street on 09/26/2016 and towed by King's Towing. King's Towing, following the State of RI protocol, sold the vehicle to a salvage yard in November 2016. In March 2017, a part of that vehicle came back stolen when the RI State Police ran a check through NCIC. Through an investigation by takes fault in not properly approving and forwarding the recovered stolen motor vehicle report and not ensuring the vehicle was removed from the NCIC computer and a locate sent to East Providence

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PD. These attachments were not part of the report he forwarded to detectives.

fault in not removing the vehicle from the NCIC computer or sending the locate to East Providence, despite the volume of additional calls for service at the time of this particular incident.

The charge of Unsatisfactory Performance (2-42-A) against substitute is SUSTAINED.

The charge of Unsatisfactory Performance (2-42-A) against is SUSTAINED.

The charge of Superior Officers (1-5-C) against is SUSTAINED.



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Date/Time Reported: 05/16/2018 @ 1130 Report Date/Time: 05/16/2018 @ 1138 Occurred Between: 05/11/2018 @ 0800 And: 05/14/2018 @ 1600

Complaint Type: Internal Disposition: Suspension

Reporting Officer: Captain CRAIG HORTON

Signature: \_\_\_\_

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EMPLOYER/SCHOOL: CENTRAL FALLS POLICE · 401-727-7411

	OTHER PROPERTIES	SUSPECT #	ORIGIN	QUANTITY	
1	GLOCK MODEL 22 Property #: 18-287-PR	1	locker	1	

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Facts:

On 05/16/2018, at approximately 1130 HRS,

a RI District Court Summons - Protection from Abuse filed by

The summons was signed by a District Court judge and had a court date of 05/24/2018 on it to
determine its necessity

who was out of state and
unavailable. Through

told me to launch an investigation into

Together for 2 years he just Recently Came Back to Work we both are police officers and he already made commets to he seen me in the Report Room And Slammed the Door at the police Station In the past he put a belt around my neck And I filed a complaint with Providence Police. Providence never went forward with the charges Now that he has Returned to work Im afraid of him he was and is still angry. He came to Home on May 10, 2017 unwanted, he began to hug me and Grab me. All this was Reported to Providence Police on 11/20/17. Police Report # 2017-00122694. Since he came back To work I do not feel Safe."

I spoke with and she briefed me on the comments made that were referenced by in her affidavit. After she told me what happened and when it occurred, I asked her to write me a memo about this interaction.

Synopsis of memorandum:

On 05/09/2018 around school dismissal time, was out at a school for dismissal and a mother came into the station requesting a police officer scare her child with the threat of being arrested. who was that day, was in the speaking with who had finished his detail and was out of uniform talking to asked who should handle this case and gave a derisive laugh and said something to the effect of 'Call in she'll be good at that". it was side but she was tied up at the schools. made additional comments such as isn't scary enough". began dispatching n to talk to the child but took the call and handled it. made no comments abou snoke to day and expressed to her it was upsetting her that as constantly hanging around the station when he wasn't on duty. told her about the comment nade not being scary enough to the boy the previous day, but she intentionally did not tell about about saying it should be o come in to scare someone because thought it would upset

had already come to me on Monday, 05/14/2018, and told me ld her the entire story including aving she should be the one to come in to scare the child. She had gone to spoke with who told him this is not the Union's job, it should go through the chain of command. called who called me and told me wished to sneak with me. When old me of this interaction told her, I informed when I saw him. When I was speaking to him about it, he already knew of it because had been approached by about a separate incident which occurred Monday 05/14/2018. came into the report room to get a detail slip, mumbled something under his breath and

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Interview:

Synopsis of

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then slammed the door as he left the room. On Wednesday, 05/16/2018, she came into the station and responded and applied for the District Court Order of Protection.) I also spoke with on 05/16/2018 about the incident 05/09/2018. remembered the mother and child coming into the station and dealing with that situation. She remembered was not happy with the mother of the child until they discovered what the child had done. emembered but she does not remembered any conversation with being in the office and they were talking, making any comments about She only remembers his presence in the room, but does not remember any derogatory comments and any comments at all. instructed me to draft a letter results of this investigation and/or the results of the hearing at District Court on May 24th 2018 between ending the At approximately 1522 HRS, I called nd left a message. He called me back at 1526 HRS and I informed him of the District Court Order and the At approximately 1612 HRS, going on. I explained the situation and I needed to serve him with the protective order from District Court and called me and asked what was inform him of the impending I asked if he was comfortable with me going by myself or did he want Union Representation with me. He said he was comfortable with me going alone. At approximately 1830 order to he signed it, and I told him not to come into work that evening and I would be back the I served the next day with When I returned to the station, I emailed the signed protective order to On 05/17/2018, at approximately 0845 HRS, I handed the signed protective order to asked she deliver it to the appropriate courtroom at District Court, which she would later acknowledge was received by the same judge who signed it. At approximately 0900 HRS, I spoke with incident on 05/09/2018. She said she remembered the mother and child coming into station and what occurred with them, but she did not hear any of the interactions between She was doing her job and was not paying attention to their conversation. At approximately 0925 HRS, I emailed At approximately 1000 HRS, I responded back to and served him with On 05/18/2018, I saw the and the and asked if they received their copies of had received it and I hand delivered copies to both of them. Neither On 05/21/2018, I spoke with to get her direct interpretation of her interaction with on Monday, 05/14/2018. She said she was in the report room completing a report when he entered the room to get a detail slip. She did not see him look at her and he did not say anything, but he was red in the face and he slammed the door as he left the room. She sees his actions as passive aggressive intimidation and interprets his actions as if he saying, "I'm still here and I got away with it." things but he doesn't, if you know what I mean." states, "He does On 05/25/2018 at approximately 0958 HRS, I emailed copies of the Notice of Interview and the Notice of Allegations to On 05/29/2018, at approximately 1800 HRS, arrived at my office for interview. Once in my office, Allegations, which he and his attorney signed, as well as his Garrity Rights, which he signed as well. The vas officially given the Notice of following is a synopsis of his interview:

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acknowledged his name, rank, years of service, time in rank and his swearing to obey all rules, regulations, policies and procedures (including the harassment policy), of Central Falls PD. Regarding the first incident which allegedly occurred on 05/09/2018 in the said he believes he was there, albeit briefly, after working a detail, just to drop off his detail sup. He does not recall any of the specifics of conversation which took place during that time. asked if he interjected his opinion of a conversation between concerning a disobedient child, as well as if he made the specific statements, ("Call in she'll be good at that" & scary enough"). His answer to each of these questions was, "I don't recall the specifics of that." He had the same answer when asked if he heard asking who should handle the call and what was the subject matter of the call. When asked why he would make such statements, if he made them, in front of close friend at the police department), said he doesn't speak to He does not talk about in front of and used to speak about in times of crisis, but not anymore. He maintains no contact with explicitly for purposes like this. Regarding the second incident which allegedly occurred in the Report Room on 05/14/2018, said he walked into the room to get his detail slip, vaguely aware was there, obtained the slip and left the room. He's been doing what he could to avoid her, but he didn't think he had to side step her that much. He did not want to make a big promotion about everything by asking others to get him a detail slip just was in a room where the detail slips are kept. He did not remember if the door was open or shut when he entered the room, but he knows it is usually open. When he exited he does not remember shutting the door and he definitely didn't slam the door. He never said anything to nor did he look at her wrong, make any facial gestures or even acknowledge her. closed with the following, "I believe that is manufacturing needless crisises in order to get me in trouble. I would not put myself in a situation where she could set me up. I believe she's grasping at straws. I've had no interaction with her except a call we went on about two weeks ago. I've avoided her and I believe she's got it out for me. I've never made any threats toward her. When I returned from my suspension, I was not angry with her and I sought to avoid her." There was a brief discussion where he said nothing happened on the call they went on together. Then he continued, "I haven't spoken about her. I've had nothing to do with her. I just, I mean with a third party interjecting themselves, I think that it's just she's looking at any way to get back at me." He believes will go to any length to get rid of him and he hopes the and everyone else can see this.

### Findings:

There are two incidents involved in the investigation. The first incident allegedly took place on 05/09/2018, whereby made comments regarding Specifically, she would be good at scaring a young child and isn't scary enough. There is no history to question credibility but there are mitigating factors surrounding the validity of her allegations. First, there were three other people present for this conversation and she is the only person who remembers anything that as said during the interaction. Second close friends with and therefore is not unbiased. Third, statement says she only told half of she alleges said during the interaction, but said told her the entire story. Lastly knows and are close friends and he denies saying anything about 111 does not deny saying anything about presence. but he does not

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remember anything either.

Ontradicts himself in regards to his conversations with

He said he maintains no contact with

State they heard

Conversation, but they didn't remember what was being said.

The second incident allegedly took place on 05/14/2018 whereby alleges slammed the door to the Report Room in an attempt at passive aggressive intimidation. Both parties are into the Report Room where was located. Both parties acknowledge nothing was said or any other gesture, remark or anything took place until the slamming the door.

#### Conclusion:

- 1. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 2 (a) OBEDIENCE TO RULES AND REGULATIONS: In which it is alleged that on May 9th, 2018, you violated the rules and regulations of the Central Falls PD when you allegedly interjected your opinion on a police matter, which did not involve you, by giving a derisive laugh and should be good at that" and sn't scary enough". Also, it is alleged that on May 14th, 2018, you violated the rules and regulations of the Central Falls PD when you allegedly slammed the door when exiting the report room to intimidate SUSTAINED
- 2. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 10 (a) HARASSMENT AND DISCRIMINATION: In which it is alleged that on May 9th, 2018, you harassed on the basis of her personal characteristics when you gave a derisive laugh and stated, should be good at that" and sisn't scary enough". UNFOUNDED
- 3. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 28 (a)(b) RELATIONS WITH DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES:
  In which it is alleged that on May 9th, 2018, you behaved disrespectfully toward another employee when you interjected your opinion on a police matter, which did not involve you, by giving a should be good at that" and isn't scary enough".
- 4. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 28 (a)(b) RELATIONS WITH DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES:
  In which it is alleged that on May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018, you slammed the door when exiting the report room to intimidate UNFOUNDED

The two sustained charges are: #1 – Obedience to Rules and Regulations and #3 – Relations with Department Employees, section B.

1. Although the charge isn't listed, he is in violation of Courtesy (II 7b), which states that one must "... perform

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their duties in a manner, which will inspire confidence and respect" and Conduct Unbecoming (II 8a) which states that "a member shall conduct themselves at all times, both on and off duty, in such a manner as to reflect most favorably on the Central Falls Police" and "... conduct that brings or may bring the department into disrepute or reflects discredit upon a member or impairs the operation or efficiency of the Central Falls Police or the member." He also violated this Rule and Regulation by violating section B of charge #3.

3. Relations with Department Employees, section B, which states that "... in their dealings with employees, all members shall act in a professional, respectful manner befitting individuals who share the common goal of safeguarding lives in the public interest." The only infraction lies with section B because he did not direct his comment(s), disrespectful or not, towards



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And: 06/20/2018 @ 0800

Reporting Officer: Captain CRAIG HORTON

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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1	UNSATISFACTORY FERFORMANCE OCCURRED: 06/19/2018	2243	С	II	42A	
2	GENERAL KNOWLEDGE AND PERFORMANCE OCCURRED: 06/19/2018	2243	С	II	76A	
3	JUVENILE OPERATIONS POLICY OCCURRED: 06/19/2018	2243	С	250.01		
4	PRISONER DETENTION/HOLDING FACILITY : OCCURRED: 06/19/2018	PLAN POLICY 2243	С	270.01		
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1	ILLINOIS ST	COMPLAINANT	M	w 👛 w	NOT AVAIL	401-616-
	Central Falls RI 02863 DOB: 1964					
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Facts:

On 06/19/2018, at approximately 2305 HRS, DOB 2001, was placed under arrest based on a warrant signed by Family Court Judge Harris in August of 2017. The arrest warrant was for her alleged involvement with a breaking and entering and conspiracy at Lincoln Avenue. had stopped a vehicle operated by sister, and when backup officers arrived on scene, recognized and thought her to have said warrant for her arrest. placed her under arrest, brought her to the police station and called mother and informed her mother would be brought to court in the morning. ended his report by stating, "was placed in the juvenile cell where she will wait to be transported to court in the morning." The OIC at the time of the report and the supervisor who approved the report was

on 06/20/2018. She asked the OIC at the time, why a juvenile was in the cell. when she arrived for work at approximately 0700 HRS referred to her being arrested on night shift prior to his taking over as OIC.

was given a meal and remained in the juvenile cell until she was transported to court by at 0850 HRS on 06/20/2018. logged a check of the logged a check of the logged another check of the logged at 0117 HRS. was monitored at all times by throughout the shift.

I spoke with about this incident. He admitted his culpability regarding remaining in our custody and not calling the On-Duty Family Court Judge or transporting her to the Training School for Girls. He was momentarily perplexed with the actions necessary according to our policies applicable in the case, Juvenile Operations (250.01) and Prisoner Detention/Holding Facility Plan (270.01). He began reading the Juvenile Operations policy but stopped reading when he thought he was covered in the custodial arrest section of the policy. After being informed of the error, he reread the policy and realized his error and took ownership of his mistakes. At the time of transfer of custody to at 0000 HRS on 06/20/2018, he thought he'd done the right thing and did not need to pass along information about the juvenile status of the prisoner.

I spoke to about this incident as well. He also admitted he was wrong in how he handled the situation and accepts responsibility for it. When he arrived for shift, he knew was there under arrest, but he assumed it was a night shift matter at the time and they were handling it. After the night shift left for the evening and he knew was still in his custody, he simply made an error in judgement by not taking her to the Training School or calling to ask any questions about her status. It wasn't until he spoke to that he realized the magnitude of his mistake of keeping her in our custody.

As of 08/07/2018, no complaint has been filed by the attorney or any connection to the Family Court or judicial system.

Conclusion:

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- 1. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 42 (a) UNSATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE: In which it is alleged that on June 19th ( ) and June 20th ( ), 2018, you failed to maintain sufficient competency to properly perform your duties and assume the responsibilities of your positions. SUSTAINED
- 2. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 76 (a) GENERAL KNOWLEDGE AND PERFORMANCE: In which it is alleged that on June 19th ( ) and June 20th ( ), 2018, you failed to familiarize yourselves with all the laws, statutes, ordinances and regulations necessary for the proficient execution of your duty as a police officer. SUSTAINED
- 3. Juvenile Operations Policy (250.01): Under section IV. (C) 8 and special NOTE: immediately following said section, the policy reads, "Juveniles held for Family Court will be transferred for a hearing as soon as practical. If court is not in session, authorization will be obtained from the on-call Family Court Judge and the juvenile will be transferred, without delay, to the R.I.T.S.Y.. NOTE: Juveniles will not be held in custody for more than six (6) hours without the expressed authorization of a Family Court Judge. The six (6) hour time limit begins when the juvenile is placed in a secure room or cell." Both and violated this policy.
- 4. Prisoner Detention/Holding Facility Plan Policy (270.01): Under section IV. I.n.(1), the policy reads, "Juvenile prisoners who have been or will be charged with a criminal offense may be placed in a temporary detention cell for processing purposes or moved to the juvenile holding cell. The juvenile may be detained in the Central Falls Police Department holding facility for up to six (6) hours." Both and violated this policy. SUSTAINED



# OFFENSE(S)

# Central Falls Police Department Investigative Report

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Case #: 18-10-IA

Date/Time Reported: 07/09/2018 @ 0900 Report Date/Time: 07/09/2018 @ 0900 Occurred Between: 07/05/2018 @ 1745

And: 07/05/2018 @ 1800

Complaint Type: Internal

Disposition: Letter of Reprimand

Reporting Officer: Captain CRAIG HORTON

Signature: \_\_\_\_

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	LOCATION TYPE: Highway/Road/Alley BROAD ST CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863	//Street Zone:	ZONE 3		il Clim	SECTION	
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2	CONDUCT UNBECOMING OCCURRED: 07/05/201	18 1745	С	II		8A	
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1				10,00	AGE	2214	PHONE
- 1	BRYANT ST		M	W			401-771-
1	CUMBERLAND RI 02864				3745E-204		
	DOB: 1984						
	CONTACT INFORMATION: Home Phone (Primary)						
	Home Phone (Primary) ETHNICITY: Not of Hispanic Origin	401-771-					
	RESIDENT STATUS: Non Resident						
	TITOTTAL DELEGATION						
_	VICTIM CONNECTED TO OFFENSE NUMBER	(S): 1 2					
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1	PERSON(S)		SEX	RACE W	AGE		
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FERSON(S)		PERSON TYPE	SEX	RACE	AGE	SSN	
CENTRAL FALLS RI 0	2863	PARTICIPANT	М	W		NOT AVAIL	PHONE 401-727-
EMPLOYER: CITY OF CONTACT INFORMATION Home Phone Work Phone	CENTRAL FALLS IN: (Primary) (Primary)	401-727-	er .				
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EMPLOYER: CENTRAL F CONTACT INFORMATION Home Phone	FALLS PD · 40 I: (Primary)	401-727-					
OFFICER(S)			SEX	RACE	AGE	SSN	PHONE
ILLINOIS ST CENTRAL FALLS RI 02 CONTACT INFORMATION Home Phone Cell Phone	863 : (Primary) (Primary)	401-727- 401-215-	F	W		NOT AVAIL	401-727
BODY: NO DOB: TO DOB: NO DOB:	OT AVAIL.	COMPLEX PLACE OF BI ETHNIC	ION: NO RTH: NO ITY: HI	T AVATI			
						EMPLOYER/SCHOOL:	CENTRAL FALLS
ILLINOIS ST CENTRAL FALLS RI 028 CONTACT INFORMATION:	363 :		F	W		NOT AVAIL	401-723-
Home Phone Work Phone Work Phone Work Phone	(Primary) (Primary) (Primary)	401-723- 401-578- 401-727- 401-663-					
BODY: NO DOB: I LICENSE NUMBER: RI	T AVAIL. /1994	COMPLEXI PLACE OF BIF ETHNICI	RTH: NO	C AVATT.	•		
					1	EMPLOYER/SCHOOL:	CFPD = 401-727

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Facts:

١	On 07/09/2018, I was assigned this investigation. On 07/05/2018, at approximately 1745 HRS,
l	stopped ME registration # , a gold 1998 Toyota Camry, operated by DOB 1988.
l	A man with the Facebook name of the property o
l	Cumberland, RI is standing on the sidewalk filming the secretary
l	Cumberland, RI, is standing on the sidewalk filming the car stop and when a backup vehicle arrives for
l	he announces the second cruiser is there for him. approaches first but dismisses
	and approaches the passenger side of the Toyota after begins confrontational rhetoric with him.
l	said he can ask questions but doesn't have to answer them and "technically" works for him.
l	allowing with and then approaches after talking with and
	allowing to deal with the vehicle stop. When asks if is with the with the doesn't approaches to deal with the vehicle stop.
l	THE COUNTY AND WELLINGS TO MAKE TO MAK
l	array out the brace and states to speak as it he is acting as a member of the proce
l	intercede and asks to move from the immediate area 10 feet or so, and world asks to move from the immediate area 10 feet or so, and
	asks him for identification and again he answers that he does not be
	20 Dack and Joing the First Amendment and their
	The providing of the law in veneral. Almost the and a not minited offer hair a calculation
	has not vacated the immediate area surrounding the vehicle stop
	Teniams in contact with the vehicle operator during this time
	also arrives on scene. does not move away from the vehicle stop and
-	walks nim back with him constantly complaining not to touch him. You can see
	hands and they do not touch him at this time. A continues to antegonize
	well as and who are following. Then walks around them and goes had
	towards the vehicle stop again. He continues recording from right hehind
	FOIGETS IIII to back again when he backs away from the right to the training to the state of the
	Cluisti. Continues to debate with
	the vehicle stop. constant rhetoric is often misguided with regards to facts of law, but and continue to debate with him. stayed with and the
1	and continue to debate with him. Stayed with stayed with and the
	moved to address the operator. Leven accuses officers of harassing the vehicle exerctor
	and himself. When keeps insisting on knowing name when he walked by near the end of
	the vehicle stop, tells the other officers to give him name because he will not and
	Salu, "It's bullshit." Inow takes offense to the word bullshit
	vehicle and stands directly behind who has resumed a back up position for He
	stays behind until
	between continue after the stopped vehicle pulls over to a parking
i	spot and drive away.
	I spoke with about this incident on 07/09/2018. He said he spotted driving the
	ME registered vehicle, which had heavy tint and no third brake light. He had a previous interaction with
ĺ	the night before, in which intentionally locked his vehicle to prevent the police from accessing it.
4	to be a violent sex offender with past arrests for our charges. When Diagraph seminded him
1	this via radio, he agreed he would like backlip for his safety. When he first approached
í	abrasive and accusatory of motives and probably cause for the stop. When began
٩	from across Decad Character and Character an
(	(Family Dollar), speak to him and give him something he could not identify. When backup units arrived, he spoke
١	with and explained the need for backup and the interaction with

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weird and he was not part of the vehicle stop and he did not know what gave gave Everything that is depicted on the video of the incident he could not hear at all and didn't see much either.

I listened to the calls over the radio and telephone concerning this incident. During the stop, calls the police station asking for the shift commander because of his displeasure with being stopped. radioed to and informed him to have come to the station if he wants to make a complaint. There are no requests via radio for the supervisor (complaint) to respond to the scene.

Later on 07/09/2018, I interviewed She signed for her Notice of Allegations and her Garrity Rights, waiving her Right to Counsel. said she arrived on scene with her partner, after 8 requested backup. went to speak with the occupants of the vehicle and she spoke with explained the suspect's background and his history with him, as well as witnessing approaching the driver during the car stop and giving the driver an unknown object. also told her was not a part of the vehicle stop. described the interactions with all of which were consistent with the video. Her thoughts during the stop were to keep the interaction positive and avoid any physical aggression. She did not call the supervisor because she thought she and the others were handling it well at the time, especially because with three different officers talking to him with different approaches that they were getting through to him. At some point during the interaction, she realized he was no longer interested in video recording the traffic stop but just wanted to provoke the police on scene. She again thought she was setting a good example and believed she and the others were handling it well at the time. She closed her statement by saying she understands the uproar better after watching the video. She feels bad about the position she put the administration and the police department in with this now viral video. She, the CSU and most of the police department work hard to create good positive feedback regarding the police department. This incident has taken a toll on her and she feels bad because of everyone who now has to deal with everything because of her actions. She passes her sincerest apologies.

On 07/10/2018, I spoke with about this incident. knew told
Dispatch he'd like backup on scene. He and were first to arrive. He approached the vehicle and
saw on the sidewalk. He asked if he was involved and told him he does not answer
questions. The ignored him and concentrated on the vehicle. He heard the discussion between
and the other officers, but he does not know what was being said for most of the traffic stop. He later walked
past again and did not engage in much conversation with him because he did not think much of
and his involvement in the traffic stop. What he did hear of the conversation, he felt the officers did a good job of
containing their collective patience and composure, but he did later wonder why

On 07/11/2018, I spoke with He felt he and the other officers dealt with the incident as best they could. He did not know handed something to the operator in the stopped vehicle, so he just thought it was a random person recording the stop. When he asked the man politely to back up a few feet and the

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man refuse the still did not arrest him because he did not feel the man was a threat at that time. He felt his interactions with were professional and acceptable given his knowledge of the situation at the time, but it might have been different had he known the man actively interfered with the traffic stop by giving something to the operator, who was a known violent felon.

On 07/17/2018, I received a Citizen Complaint Form from a concerning this incident. appears to be the same person who was filming the officers and narrating his side of the story during the course of the recording. asked in his complaint form that all correspondences be done through his email address, gmail.com. attached a typed complaint narrative to the complaint form and he did not print or sign his name to the form. Throughout the styped complaint narrative, most of the narrative is in the form of questions and retracing what is observed on the video. The only actual complaint which can be ascertained is what referred to as "bullying tactics" by

On 07/19/2018, I responded to via his requested method of correspondence. I asked him to contact me to come into my office for an interview or to reach out to me if he had any additional information or evidence. As of 08/06/2018, I have not heard from and no signed complaint has been received by an actual person. With no additional information or evidence provided to this office, the following conclusion has been reached.

### Conclusion:

Although all officers on scene did adhere to the Recording of Police Activity Policy (General Order 130.09), and and interactions did not conform to the following Rules and Regulations:

- 1. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 7 (a) COURTESY: In which it is alleged that on July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018, you engaged in argumentative discussions even in the face of extreme provocation. SUSTAINED
- 2. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 8 (a) CONDUCT UNBECOMING: In which it is alleged that on July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018, you failed to conduct yourself in such a manner as to reflect most favorably on the Central Falls Police. SUSTAINED



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Case #: 18-11-IA

Date/Time Reported: 08/29/2018 @ 1200

Report Date/Time: 08/29/2018 @ 1500 Occurred Between: 08/27/2018 @ 1200

And: 08/29/2018 @ 1200

Complaint Type: Internal Disposition: Suspension

Reporting Officer: Major DANIEL BARZYKOWSKI

Signature: \_\_\_\_

# OFFENSE(S)

A/C TITLE/CHAP SECTION

LOCATION TYPE: Commercial/Office Building

160 ILLINOIS ST

Zone: ZONE 1

CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863

1 VIOLATION OF DEPT POLICY 400.01

OCCURRED: 08/27/2018 1200 C

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OFFICER(S)

SEX SSN PHONE

NOT AVAIL

ILLINOIS ST CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863 CONTACT INFORMATION:

(Primary)

401-335-

Home Phone

Work Phone

(Primary)

401-727-

BODY: NOT AVAIL.

DOB: /1991

LICENSE NUMBER: NOT AVAIL.

COMPLEXION: NOT AVAIL. PLACE OF BIRTH: NOT AVAIL.

ETHNICITY: HISPANIC

EMPLOYER/SCHOOL: CFPD · 401-727-

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Central Falls Police Department NARRATIVE FOR MAJOR DANIEL J BARZYKOWSKI

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On 08/27/18, while working as a probationary police officer in the Fleld Training and Evaluation Program (FTEP), while working as a probationary police officer in the Fleld Training and Evaluation Program violated department policy 400.01, Cellular Telephone Policy when he answered his personal cell phone while operating a police cruiser and had a conversation that was personal in nature and not an emergency. This infraction was documented by his Field Training Officer, in his daily observation report. Acknowledged the infraction an apologized for his actions. This matter was reviewed by who suspended for without pay. A record of this was placed in his personnel folder on 08/29/18.



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Case #: 18-13-IA

Date/Time Reported: 10/01/2018 @ 0900

Report Date/Time: 10/15/2018 @ 1015 Occurred Between: 09/28/2018 @ 2130

And: 09/29/2018 @ 0130

Complaint Type: Internal Disposition: Letter of Reprimand

Reporting Officer: Captain CRAIG HORTON

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

#	OFFENSE(S)		A/C	TITLE/CHAP	SECTION	
	LOCATION TYPE: Government/Public Bu 160 ILLINOIS ST CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863	ilding Zone: Z	ZONE 1			
1	NEGLECT OF DUTY OCCURRED: 09/28/2018	2130	С	41	c	
2	REPORTING FOR DUTY OCCURRED: 09/28/2018	2130	С	72	A	
#	PERSON(S)	PERSON TYPE	SEX	RACE AGE	SSN	PHONE
1	ILLINOIS ST Central Falls RI 02863 DOB: 1964	COMPLAINANT	M	w <b>(</b> )	NOT AVAIL	401-616-
	Home Phone 4	· 401-727- 01-616- 01-727- 01-727-				
2	ILLINOIS ST CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863 DOB: 1982	WITNESS	M	W 👛	NOT AVAIL	401-727-
	EMPLOYER: CENTRAL FALLS POLICE · 4 CONTACT INFORMATION:	01-727-				
	Home Phone (Primary) 4	01-727-				
#	OFFICER(S)	YALLE YAY SALE	SEX	RACE AGE	SSN	PHONE
1		01-616- 01-727-	M	w 👛		401-616-
	HEIGHT: 600 WEIGHT BODY: NOT AVAIL. DOB: /1974 LICENSE NUMBER: NOT AVAIL.	COMPLEXI PLACE OF BIF	RTH: R	EYES: OT AVAIL. I OT HISPANIC		

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	GLASSES W
[FAMILY/EMPLOYMENT IN	NTODME TTOWN
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	MARITAL STATUS:MARRIED
	EMPLOYER/SCHOOL: CFPD, 40
	CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863
	OCCUPATION:
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On 10/01/2018, presented a memorandum with additional supporting documentation to me concerning. The following facts were ascertained through the memorandum and the supporting documentation.

#### **Facts:**

HRS,

for the detail.

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011 09/1 //2018, was the	of the night shift and therefore in charge of filling details
mar evening. While calling for details.	snoke with who agreed to went a
detail from 2130 HRS on 09/28/2018 to 010	0 HRS on 09/29/2018 A detail slip was filled out and
placed on the board in the break room and	entered into attendance in the IMC
computer system.	into attendance in the hylc
On 09/28/2018, was again wor	king the night shift as the OIC. He was covering the
uispatch desk at approximately 2220 HRS as	took a break when he received a call from the
inquiring as to the location of their detail off	icer. At 2225 HRS
and asked why he wasn't at his detail.	said he didn't remember taking a detail and as
result took a vacation day during his normal shift (0759)	HRS-1559 HRS). Casked him if he was
going to respond to his detail and said said	he was not going to respond. At approximately 2248

responded to the standard explained there was a scheduling error and assured them the detail officer would be there the next night. At approximately 2315 HRS, the night shift had to respond to the for an unwanted party and the morning shift had to return to close the bar that evening. Both of these duties should have been handled by the detail officer.

cell phone and apologized about not remembering his detail. He

he had looked in attendance on Thursday, 09/27/2018, and he didn't see himself scheduled

also noted within his memorandum two prior instances of failing to appear for a scheduled detail. During the month of February 2016, agreed to complete a DUI detail. When the month ended, the detail had not been completed and noted this in Guardian Tracker. Again on 08/31/2017, was scheduled to work a Distracted Driver detail. did not work the detail or find a replacement for said detail. This failure to work a scheduled detail was also noted in Guardian Tracker.

#### Conclusion:

- 1. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 41 (c) NEGLECT OF DUTY: In which it is alleged that on September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018, you failed to notify your Superior Officer tha you were unable to report for duty as scheduled or assigned. SUSTAINED
- 2. Rules and Regulations, Chapter II, Section 72 (a) REPORTING FOR DUTY: In which it is alleged that on September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018, you failed to report for duty and be present at the time and place specified by your Superior Officer. SUSTAINED



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Case #: 18-14-IA

Date/Time Reported: 11/01/2018 @ 0900 Report Date/Time: 11/01/2018 @ 1000 Occurred Between: 10/31/2018 @ 2017 And: 10/31/2018 @ 2040

Complaint Type: Internal

Disposition: Letter of Reprimand

Additional Cases: 18-1108-AR

Reporting Officer: CRAIG HORTON

Signature: \_\_\_

# OFFENSE(S) A/C TITLE/CHAP SECTION

LOCATION TYPE: Highway/Road/Alley/Street Zone: ZONE 1

24 FULLER AVE @ 66 GARFIELD ST

CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863

USE OF FORCE

OCCURRED: 10/31/2018 2017 C 200.03

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VICTIM(S) SEX RACE AGE PHONE

HUGHES AVE PAWTUCKET RI 02861

DOB: 1993 CONTACT INFORMATION:

Home Phone (Primary)

INJURIES: Apparent Minor Injury ETHNICITY: Not of Hispanic Origin RESIDENT STATUS: Non Resident

VICTIM CONNECTED TO OFFENSE NUMBER (S): 1

RELATION TO: RELATION TO: RELATION TO: RELATION TO:

Stranger Stranger Stranger Stranger

PERSON(S) PERSON TYPE SEX RACE AGE SSN PHONE

COMPLAINANT M NOT AVAIL ILLINOIS ST 401-616-

401-952-

Central Falls RI 02863

DOB: 1964
EMPLOYER: CENTRAL FALLS POLICE DEPT · 401-727-

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Home Phone

(Primary) Home Phone

401-6164 401-727

Work Phone (Primary)

401-7274

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CENT	FRAL FALLS RI	02863					_	
EMPL	OYER: CENTRAL	L FALLS P.D	401-727-					
Home	Phone Phone	(Primary) (Primary)	401-616- 401-727-					
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	ILLINOIS ST		ETHNIC	CITY: N	W	SPANIC	EMPLOYER/SCHOO	L:CENTRAL FALLS PD
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# OFFICER(S)

SEX RACE AGE

SSN

PHONE

BODY: NOT AVAIL.
DOB 1994

LICENSE NUMBER: MA

COMPLEXION: NOT AVAIL. PLACE OF BIRTH: NOT AVAIL.

ETHNICITY: NOT HISPANIC

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NOT AVAIL

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ILLINOIS ST CENTRAL FALLS RI 02863 CONTACT INFORMATION:

Home Phone Work Phone

(Primary)

401-714-401-727

(Primary)

BODY: NOT AVAIL. DOB: 1972 LICENSE NUMBER: RI

COMPLEXION: NOT AVAIL. PLACE OF BIRTH: NOT AVAIL. ETHNICITY: NOT HISPANIC

EMPLOYER/SCHOOL: CENTRAL FALLS POLI

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Entered: 12/04/2018 @ 1027 Entry ID: CH Modified: 01/11/2019 @ 1334 Modified ID: CH Approved: 12/17/2018 @ 1502 Approval ID: CH

On 11/01/2018, ordered an investigation into the Use of Force utilized during a car stop, which resulted in the arrest of DOP /1993.

### Facts:

narrative:	
On 10/31/2018, at approximately 2017 HRS, stopped a vehicle for excessive sunscreen time vehicle and it's owner prior to approaching it. The vehicle's owner showed gang affiliations through a cross	ł.
After speaking with the owner/operator of the vehicle, returned to his cruiser with license and the marijuana observed in plain view.  also and with K9 Hayron arrived on scene for backup.  informed bot officers of gang affiliation and returned to his cruiser to process citations for sunscreen tint and on the passenger side of the vehicle.	h
As was typing the citations, he could hear telling to remove his hands from his pockets and saying he was trying to retrieve his ID. had liD and believed was trying to access a weapon or destroy additional contraband. Once was out of the vehicle, ordering and attempting to extract from the vehicle. Could conduct a "terry pat". also told he was to be placed in hand cuffs. When said he wasn't going to be placed in hand cuffs, told him he was under arrest.  and grabbed and attempted to take him to the ground put it away but it fell to the ground while they struggled with a grabbed to take him to the ground put it away but it fell to the ground while they struggled with a grabbed to take him to the ground while they struggled with a grabbed to take him to the ground while they struggled with a grabbed to take him to the ground while they struggled with a grabbed to take him to the ground while they struggled with a grabbed to take him to the ground while they struggled with a grabbed to take him to the ground time, attempted to	e
put it away but it fell to the ground while they struggled with who was resisting their arrest orders. While was still on his feet but in a bent over position, issued 2-3 knee strikes to the officers the spray was unsecured on the ground. After resecuring the OC spray, officer continued to struggle with orders to stop resisting and to put his hands behind his back.	
issuing closed fist distractionary strikes to face area in order to allow and I to secure in hand cuffs." As tried to pull left arm out from beneath him, grabbed duty belt and crotch area of his uniform.  As the struggle continued, did get the hand cuff on the left wrist but continued to resist. I issued a "drive stun" with his Taser to lower back. The struggle continued to gain control of and secure the other hand secure the other hand.	

cuff and place him in a cruiser.

brought K9 Hayron out to conduct a narcotics sniff of the vehicle for additional contraband. K9 Hayron made a positive indication on the driver's door. K9 Hayron entered the vehicle through the driver's window and indicated on the center console, where the marijuana was previously observed and secured by and arrived on scene with transporting to the police station.

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## narrative:

was walking back to his cruiser after speaking with the operator of the vehicle. was observing the vehicle from the passenger side so he positioned himself at the driver's side to observe. The following is quoted directly from his narrative;

"As I came into contact with the operator I noticed he was talking on his cell phone with his right hand. I asked the male to place the cell phone down so I could speak with him. The male responded "I don't have to yo, I always call my girlfriend when I get arrested". As he was speaking with me his left hand reached into his left pants pocket and he started making furtive movements inside. I told the male to remove his hand from his pocket and he responded "I don't have to yo". The male then reached into the front of his waistband with a closed fist and I told him to stop and show me his hands. He refused to do and so I went to grab his hand as it was in his waistband to remove it because I was not sure if he was trying to conceal or grab some sort of contraband or narcotics or weapon. The male then grabbed my right arm and pushed it away causing the watch on my wrist to break and fall off. I told the male to step out of the vehicle and he refused to comply so I opened his driver's side door so he could get out. He still refused, therefore and I removed our OC spray from our duty belts and told him we were going to spray him if he does not exit his vehicle and show us his hands. The male refused and I placed the OC spray back into my pouch and went to grab his left arm and pull him out. His seat belt was still on and he refused to remove his seat belt so pened the passenger's front door, reached into the vehicle and unbuckled him. At this point I was able to get the male out of the vehicle and told him to place his hands on the vehicle so I could pat him down. The male stated "Na you can't search me" and refused to put his hands on the vehicle and allow me to search him. told the male he was being put in hardculfs for everyone's safety. The male stated "Na you can't do that". At this point we told the male to place his hands behind his back because he is under arrest. He did not give me his hand so I grabbed his right arm and tried to put it behind his back to apply handcuffs to him. He was not complying and kept tucking his hands in front of his body and clenching up. The male was told several times he was under arrest and to stop resisting and place his hands behind his back but he refused to. came over to assist us and after a brief struggle we ended up on the ground. On the ground the male kept tensing up and did not place his hands behind his back. noticed there was a large crowd of people yelling around us and went to speak with them. I placed my right knee on the back of the male's neck to secure his head while attempted to secure him with handcuffs. and I continued to wrestle with the male and arrived on scene. The male then flipped from on his stomach and closed fists strikes to the male's head/face. We were able to get him back onto his stomach and he continued to resist and not follow our verbal commands. deployed his taser and issued a drive-stun to his lower back. were finally able to secure handcuffs on him.

He was searched and nothing was located on his person. He was secured in the rear of cruiser #206.

arrived on scene and I escorted him into the rear of his vehicle, cruiser #205.

transported him to the Central Falls Police station. I went back to the station and assisted with processing him. During the altercation with officers, behaved in a way that led officers to believe he was attempting to conceal contraband or a weapon. After his behavior tonight and learning of a prior narcotics arrest, authorized a strip search. The search was conducted in the CFPD finger printing room by myself and witnessed by The search had negative results. I observed a small laceration in between the male's eyes that was still bleeding and asked him if he wished to have it cleaned up and he refused."

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s narrative:

"...I responded to the area of Garfield Street and Fuller Avenue after advised out with a traffic stop on RI registration as a 2003 Infiniti blue. When I arrived on scene advised me the operator /registered owner -93 has potential gang affiliations. I approached the passenger's side of the vehicle while went back to his patrol car to enter vehicle data into his department issued laptop. When I approached the passenger's side of the vehicle I could smell a strong odor of marijuana coming from inside. I observed in plain view on the passenger's side seat a clear plastic baggie with a residual amount of a green leafy substance I immediately believed to be marijuana and Dutch cigarettes which are used for smoking "blunts". Also while looking inside the vehicle in plain view I observed in the area of the center console (1) pair of scissors and (1) silver pocket knife.

arrived on scene and spoke to who was on his cell phone. advised to keep his hands where officers could see them. At that time, see laced his left hand in his left sweat pants pocket and then towards his waste band. Due to furtive movements and Safety reasons requested to exit the vehicle which he refused and continued talking on his phone. At that point, attempted to grab his left hand to remove it from his waist band. pushed a hand away from his waist band. One opened the driver's side door and attempted to forcefully removed him from the driver's seat. I opened the passengers side door and hit the seat belt release button in order to allow out of the driver's seat. Once outside the vehicle attempted to place hands on the vehicle. At that time, verbal orders were given by to place his hands behind his back to secure hand restraints on him. stated "No I dont have to do that." At that time, I ran around to the other side of the vehicle attempting to subdue as he began to fight with officers. A subdue and I took to the ground attempting to place him under arrest. Struggled with officers while he was on the ground. I landed (3) knee strikes to the side of his torso while officers attempted to place hand restraints on continued to resist and fight officers as he continued to tense his arms up and tuck them under his body towards his waist band.

Due to a crowd gathering and (2) females running towards officers yelling name I disengaged from the struggle and focused my attention on the females and the crowd gathering. I had to give several verbal commands to the females, one being girlfriend to back away from the area which they refused to do. I once again advised the females to move away from the area or they would be arrested. They moved from the area moments later. was taken into custody by officers while I dealt with the gathering crowd. was secured in patrol car 206.

Due to smell of marijuana, I removed K9 Hayron from car 210 to conduct a narcotic sniff of RI registration. Hayron arrived at the driver's side door and jumped into the open driver's side window. Hayron began an interior sniff of the vehicle, he made several positive indications for narcotic odor by scratching at the center console the clear plastic baggie I observed in plain view and underneath the passenger's side front seat. I removed K9 Hayron from the interior of the vehicle once he completed his "sniff".

I started Hayron's exterior sniff at the driver's side rear door. Hayron arrived at the front passenger's side door and jumped through the open window, he began to scratch at the passenger's side front seat where the clear plastic baggie he indicated on earlier. I removed Hayron from the interior once again. I had Hayron complete his exterior sniff, he did not make any positive indications for narcotic odor while conducting the remainder of his exterior sniff. Hayron was removed from the area and secured in car 210.

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Officers checked the areas where Hayron made his positive indication for narcotic odor, all that was located was small pieces of suspected marijuana scattered through the vehicle.

CFFD later responded to the cell block and treated for a minor laceration to his forehead. No further treatment was rendered."

#### narrative:

"...I approached I saw two police vehicles at the intersection and once I was in the intersection I saw grappling with a male in the street and taking him to the ground. I immediately exited my vehicle and ran towards them to assist in securing the suspect in handcuffs. As I approached I saw the male keep his arms away from officers and attempt to get back on his feet. As this occurred I heard officers give verbal commands to the suspect to stop fighting. He continually refused all commands and was actively resisting.

I got on top of the suspect and began to strike his head/face with my right hand with a closed fist and my right elbow in an attempt to gain compliance. The suspect attempted to shift from his side to his back and also tried to get on his knees. He yelled "I'm not fighting" but continued to keep his arms underneath him, covering his face and later spread rigidly out in front of him as officers attempted to put them behind his back.

was able to gain control and handcuff the suspect's left hand. At this time I deployed my Taser and drive-stunned him on his lower back for approximately 5 seconds. At this time officers gained control of his right arm and secured him in handcuffs. After he was secured I noticed a large crowd had gathered in the intersection. I got the suspect up and walked him over to vehicle 206. On the side walk next to the rear right door of the vehicle the male went limp and fell forward out of my grasp and onto the ground. At this time people in the crowd became more vocal. I lifted the suspect up and secured him in the rear of 206. I remained with the vehicle and suspect as officers searched the suspects vehicle, RI reg. , and addressed the crowd."

### narrative:

heard the call for service and responded to the scene after a few minutes when he discovered officers had been in a physical altercation while on scene. Once on scene, he noted the vehicle was unoccupied and smelled of marijuana, several people were gathered with some yelling and the former occupant of the vehicle was under arrest and in cruiser #206. He learned from the officers of their altercation with the occupant, and they thoughts he was trying to conceal something. He witnessed K9 Hayron "sniff" the vehicle. He spoke with and transferred him to another cruiser for transport to the station. He ordered to go to the hospital to get his hand checked. Based on the marijuana found on scene, which was negative.

#### narrative:

"Upon arrival, Officers had a male in the back of cruiser 206 placed under arrest. Officers of searching the vehicle. (Refer to personal narrative for further information). The State charge, requested for me and along with myself transferred the male, identified as (DOB: 193) into cruiser 205.	upervisor in
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PERSONNEL NARRATIVE FOR CRAIG P HORTON
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I transported the male to the police station. I then secured my weapon in a weapon's locker. I searched
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vehicle stop and arrest. and I, had strip search and the outcome was negative.
I booked and processed and the placed him in men's holding cell # 3. Not once did
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blood is seen on his forehead; however. refused complete treatment."
On November 1st, 2018, I was brought to 6th District Court by He was arraigned in that court and plead guilty/nolo contendre to Obstructing Officer in Execution of Duty, Resisting Arrest, and two counts of Simple Assault. He received one year's probation and one year's suspended sentence in lue of his plea agreement as well as the Disorderly Conduct and Weapons Other than Firearms charges being dismissed.
On November 8th, 2018, Central Falls provided copies of two rescue runs by their personnel to evaluated and/or treat According to their report, the first interaction with Rescue and
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tinted windows. Once officer made the stop three other police vehicles pulled up to the stop as well. The officer who pulled me over was still in vehicle when suddenly a rookie cop comes by aggresively and shouts for me to get off my cellphone. Then from there the officer showed tremendous agression and broke his g-shock watch. He became infuriated and then tired to threaten me with mace and resisting arrest. I refused to be jailed for a traffic stop and said officer began to subdue me agressively. The officer threw punches to the back of my head and temple. I couldn't breathe thus resistance was caused due to discomfort. While this was happening said officer then got on top of my back while I was chest down prone position and curb stomped/bashed my forehead into cement, gravel, and glass.

I seen stars and continued to be assaulted by said officer and was even tazed twice. I was then dropped walking to police cruiser. After this I witnessed the k-9 dog clawing at the side of my car and the cop neglecting to open the dog. He lifted the dog threw the window thus scratching and leaving property damage. I have

Once I got to station I was hounded and asked personal questions harrasing me about alleged drugs I have never been arrested for. Several hours then went by and I wasd not checked by rescue for a concussion. Once rescue finally came I was not checked for a concussion or other injuries. I just don't think it's fair someone can be assaulted like that by people who are supposed to protect you. I haven't gotten a good night sleep in days and I am still dealing with injuries."

lists (401-548- as witnesses to these allegations. The officers listed on the complaint form are: youngest blue eyes I have pictures,

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dept and K-9 SUV.

On November 26th, 2018, I mailed a letter of response and acknowledgement of his complaint by placing the sealed envelope in our outgoing mail tray in Dispatch.

On December 17th, 2018, I called an and left a message with his cousin who answered phone and told me just went into the store and he'd get right back to me.

As of 01/09/2019, I have not heard from The letter mailed to him did not "return to sender" and the phone number was active.

### Findings:

There were three officers involved with using force against at this time. Based on his statement, applied proper use of force to assist in gaining compliance with the issued tactical strikes to soft tissue areas of the body. At no time during physical engagement with did comply with any physical or verbal demands. He then disengaged and dealt with the growing crowd. A arrived on scene prior to disengaged and he assisted with

tried to physically place under arrest and began wrestling with him when did not comply. He did not move to any tools or strike to but when the officers had face down on the ground, used his knee on the back of the lock to secure his head as tried to put handcuffs on also noted refused to comply with all of his verbal commands and continued to struggle with all officers until after the Taser was used against him.

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He began issuing closed fist strikes to the face and head to assist the other officers in gaining compliance.

described use of force at this point as "distractionary strikes to face area". When these techniques were not working, issued drive stuns from his Taser and compliance was gained and was placed in handcuffs. noted kept saying he was not fighting, but he would not comply with any orders by keeping his arms underneath himself and making his body rigid when attempts and commands were made to put him in handcuffs.

When was secured in handcuffs and the struggle had ended, was called to the scene. was called to the scene.

lack of cooperation in this investigation has not enabled me to confirm or deny the claims he

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made against the officers involved. Additionally, he refused treatment from Rescue personnel twice, yet he was still seen by Rescue personnel that evening and in the morning. There was no mention from these trained medical personnel about any signs of a concussion.

However, based on his statement and those provided by the officers involved, some conclusions can be reached.

kneeling on the back of head are not in conjunction with approved practices when dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers physically dealing with head are not approved under the current use of force guidelines, were force type strikes to the parts of the body which are not approved under the current use of force guidelines, were strikes to the torso and head are not in conjunction with approved practices when dealing with head to the circumstances the officers themselves presented, potential lethal force type strikes to the parts of the body which are not approved under the current use of force guidelines, were guidelines and therefore acceptable uses of force. Of note, head head are not in conjunction with approved practices when dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers physically dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers when dealing with approved practices are strikes to the face and head are not in conjunction with approved practices when dealing with approved practices are strikes to the face and head are not in conjunction with approved practices when dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers physically dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers head of the face and head are not in conjunction with approved practices when dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers physically dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers physically dealing with a resistant subject in this situation. There were at least three and sometimes four officers the face and sometimes fou

There is no evidence to support claims against the K9 damaging his vehicle, as well as no evidence support any of his claims after being transported to the police station or while at the police station. He was treated by Rescue personnel twice and none of his medical claims have any evidentiary support.

#### Conclusion:

Use of Force Policy (200.03) - and and did exceed the necessary level of force set forth in this policy. did not exceed the necessary level of force set forth in this policy.