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TO: Thomas J. Sullivan, Detective Lieutenant
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FROM: Tpr Jeffrey A. Saunders #2924

SUBJECT: INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED] RE; ASHLAND POLICE SHOOTING

CS# 2013-110-0224

1. On Thursday July 18th, 2013 at 1300 hours I met with and spoke to;

[REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]-66
[REDACTED] Webster, MA

regarding the police involved shooting of Andrew Stigliano on July 2nd, 2013. [REDACTED] has a landscaping company, Plant Life, where Stigliano was employed for the last month. According to [REDACTED], Stigliano had previously worked with him about five years ago at [REDACTED]'s father's business, Perennial Connection, as a laborer, where he met Stigliano. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated Stigliano was [REDACTED] a good worker and punctual.

2. While working with Stigliano, [REDACTED] stated Stigliano would often talk about how the Ashland Police were "after him because he knew too much" and he also told [REDACTED] that the Ashland Police broke into his house and took his money and seized his antique shotgun. [REDACTED] described Stigliano as "paranoid and scared" and further stated he would always talk about conspiracy theories regarding the "establishment" and the "government." [REDACTED] stated he would make comments such as "stay home on July 4th because you don't what's going to happen." [REDACTED] stated Stigliano told him on one occasion that if they (Ashland Police) break into his house he would go up into the attic and across the other side of the attic and escape from there into his backyard

where he dug a “bunker.” ■■■ stated Stigliano dug a hole in the backyard and reinforced it with bricks and a cover.

3. On July 1st, 2013 ■■■ stated Stigliano informed him he had an appointment the next day, July 2nd, to pick up a prescription for suboxins and that he would be all set for a ride ■■■ stated Stigliano lived at 13 Metropolitan Avenue, Ashland but Stigliano said the police didn’t know he lived there. The next day, July 2nd, ■■■ stated he texted Stigliano about 9:00 a.m. asking what’s up?” and Stigliano replied the appointment took longer than expected and he was “all set ” ■■■ stated about an hour later Stigliano texted him that “cops are surrounding the house.” ■■■ replied with a “?” and Stigliano texted he was “going out with a bang, Godspeed.” Stigliano replied “Are you kidding me?” and got no response. He also texted “call me” and received no response from Stigliano. ■■■ stated he didn’t have the texts on his phone at the time of this interview and was reciting from memory the wording of the text. About half an hour later ■■■ stated he heard from his wife, ■■■, about the shooting and contacted the Ashland Police directly to inform them about the text messages from Stigliano. The interview was then concluded.