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SUBJECT: INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED]

1. On March 23, 2012, Malden Police Department Detective JP Kelly and I conducted an interview of [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] provided the following identification:

[REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]/82
[REDACTED]
Peabody, MA [REDACTED]

The interview took place on the street near 475 Broadway, Malden. [REDACTED] was visibly upset and shaken, but stated he was willing to speak to us.

2. [REDACTED] began by stating he was employed at JRM Recycling on Eastern Ave in Malden, and had been driving home at about 5:00 PM with his co-workers [REDACTED] [DOB [REDACTED] 91, [REDACTED], Peabody, MA] and [REDACTED] [DOB [REDACTED], [REDACTED], Salem, MA]. [REDACTED] was driving his wife's car, MA Registration [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] was in the front passenger seat and [REDACTED] was in the back seat. While driving northerly on Broadway, [REDACTED] heard sirens coming behind him, so he pulled over to the side of the roadway in front of 475 Broadway. At about the same time he pulled over he began hearing gunshots being fired nearby. [REDACTED] was unsure how many shots he heard, but reported hearing multiple shots. The gunfire seemed really close to his vehicle, but he was unsure where it was coming from, so he and his two passengers ducked down low in the car so they wouldn't get hit by the shots. As they were ducking down in the seats and floor area, a white male suddenly came over to the car and opened [REDACTED]'s driver's side door and ordered him to get out of the car, yelling "Get out! Get out!" [REDACTED] saw the male had a gun in his hand, and he was waving with the gun for [REDACTED] and the other occupants to exit. [REDACTED] stated he immediately complied with the armed male's orders, and exited his vehicle through the passenger side door as the male

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entered the car on the driver's side. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] also exited the vehicle at the same time. [REDACTED] stated he thought this male was going to shoot him as he exited, and that he was terrified. As soon as he exited the car, [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED] ran over to a stockade fence, and all laid face down on the ground behind the fence. [REDACTED] put his hands over his head to protect himself, and could not see anything. He continued hearing a large amount of gunfire. For a brief moment, [REDACTED] looked up at the direction of his vehicle, and saw a police officer in uniform behind the vehicle. The officer had his arms raised and a gun pointed at the rear of the car. [REDACTED] was unable to tell if this officer was firing a gun, but he continued hearing the sound of gunfire, so he again put his head down and covered it with his hands. [REDACTED] stated that at that moment he thought he was going to die. When the gunshots stopped, [REDACTED] again uncovered his head and looked up. He stated his vehicle was stopped in the street, in the same position it remained at the time of this interview. He stated that whole situation was very chaotic, and he was not sure if people were yelling. He reiterated that he was still scared for his life at this point, and that he was panicked. [REDACTED] remained on the ground until things seem to calm down, and watched as the police surrounded his car, and an ambulance arrived. Once an ambulance arrived, he noted that he saw that the male that was taken away in the ambulance was the same male whom had ordered him out of his vehicle with the gun. He stated the incident was so sudden, he really didn't remember much about the male, other than he was white.

Respectfully Submitted,

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