



North Port Police Department Response to Resistance Report

Print Form

Date: 07-16-12 Time: 1402 Charges: Baker Act/Obstruction
 Report # (Attach copy of Incident Report): 2012-07-0921
 Officer's Name (print): Michael L. Dietz ID #: 137
 Witness: Ofc. Bush Incident Location: [REDACTED]
 Subject: [REDACTED] Race: White DOB: [REDACTED] 93 Sex: Male

Resistance by Suspect (check all that apply and describe):

None

Passive Subject was hiding inside a trash can in the garage and refusing to come out.

Active Subject refused to give his hands subsequently concealing them under his body.

Aggressive

Deadly Force Resistance

Response by Officer (check all that apply):

Officer Presence: Uniformed Yes No Body Armor: Yes No Unit Type: Marked Unmarked Unit #: 71608

Physical Control (describe):

[REDACTED]

Non-lethal Weapon (describe):

Canine

Deadly Force (describe):

[REDACTED]

Special Circumstances (check all that apply):

Felony Stop

Suspect's Proximity to Weapon (describe): Unknown

Special Knowledge (subject's past behavior if known, i.e. resists arrest, assault on officer): Subject had a VOP warrant for Burglary and Resisting arrest. He was also found today tying a noose in the garage in an attempt to hang himself.

Officer Exhausted (describe):

Officer Knocked to the Ground (describe):

Officer Disabled or Injured (describe):

Imminent Danger (was suspect armed or believed armed -- describe): Unknown due to subject's mental state and subject's sister advised that she was not sure if he had any weapons in the garage with him.

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Police Tactics/Equipment Used- (check all that apply):

- Personal Weapons (hands/feet/knees)
- Flashlight
- Canine
- Firearm Pointed at Suspect -- handgun/rifle/shotgun (describe): _____
- Chemical Spray
- Non-Lethal
- Expandable Baton
- ECD Displayed
- ECD Deployed

Bite: Yes No

- Firearm Fired-- handgun/rifle/shotgun (describe): _____
- Device, i.e. spit mask, hobbles (describe): _____
- Other -- ticket book, clipboard, etc. (describe): _____

Contributing Circumstances (check all that apply and fill in any information that clarifies the Response to Resistance):

Age of Officer: 36 Hgt/Wgt of Officer: 6'1" 190 Gender of Officer: Male
 Multiple Officer: Yes No If yes, how many: 2 Age of Suspect: 18 Hgt/Wgt of Suspect: 5'7" 150
 Gender of Suspect: Male Skill of Suspect: Unknown Multiple Suspects: Yes No If yes, how many: _____

Injuries:

- Were there any injuries? Yes No Officer Suspect
- Was medical attention required? Yes No Officer Suspect
- Photographs taken of subject and injuries: Yes No Officer Suspect

Explain injuries and treatment received: Dog bite to subject's face and upper back. North Port Fire Rescue responded and transported subject to North Port ER

Narrative Summary - briefly describe the incident (continue on page 3 if needed):

On 07-16-12, I responded to [redacted] in reference to a subject who had a VOP warrant for burglary and resisting arrest. We were also advised that the subject was possibly suicidal and that his sister found a noose hanging in the garage. Upon arrival, I took a position in the back of the residence. I was then advised that the subject would not come out and that he was hiding in the garage. I then gave three loud verbal announcements to the presence of a Police K-9 at the front door of the residence. After waiting approximately 30 seconds, I entered the residence with K-9 Cammo on lead. I then took a position at the entrance to the laundry room which led into the garage while Officer Bush assisted in clearing the house. Once Officer Bush cleared the house, I gave three more verbal announcements at the garage door while it was closed. After waiting approximately 30 more seconds, I cracked open the garage door and gave another

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<u>[Signature]</u> Officer Signature	<u>137</u> ID#	<u>07-16-12</u> Date	Within Policy*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u> Supervisor Signature	<u>5167</u> ID#	<u>07-16-12</u> Date	Within Policy*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u> Lieutenant Signature	<u>081</u> ID#	<u>7/20/12</u> Date	Approve	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u> L.E. Division Commander Signature	<u>141</u> ID#	<u>7/25/12</u> Date	Approve	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u> Administrative Commander Signature	<u>055</u> ID#	<u>08/09/12</u> Date	Further Invest. Req.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u> Police Chief Signature	<u> </u> ID#	<u> </u> Date	Refer to IA	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
			Division Level	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

* Note: if not within policy, written explanation required.

announcement to the presence of a Police K-9. I still got no response, so I deployed K-9 Cammo into the garage to conduct a search. The garage was dark so we were relying on flashlights. I heard Cammo barking in the garage, so I looked in and saw him barking at the trash can and jumping up at the trash can. At that time, I recalled Cammo to me and hooked him up on lead. I then gave two more announcements for the subject to come out of the trash can. After getting no response, Officer Bush and I entered the garage. The lights were off in the garage and we were using flashlights as we entered. Officer Bush went behind the trash can and pushed it over. I observed a white male fall out of the trash can. When the trash can fell over, the subject's top half of his body was the only thing visible. The lower half of his body was still inside the trash can. I then noticed that the subject quickly concealed his hands under his body and I gave him a command to show me his hands. The subject refused to comply with my commands. Due to the subject's mental state, prior charge of resisting arrest and him concealing his hands, I used K-9 Cammo to apprehend the subject. Cammo bit the subject in the face and the left upper side of his back. Once Cammo was on the bite, the subject complied and Officer Bush was able to secure the subject in handcuffs. Once the subject was in handcuffs, I removed Cammo from the bite. While the subject was sitting in the garage, he stated [REDACTED]. The North Port Fire Department arrived on scene and transported the subject to the North Port Emergency Room. While at the hospital, the subject also stated, [REDACTED]. This concluded my involvement in this incident.

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 Officer's Name (print): Keith Bush ID #: 258
 Witness: PFC. Dietz Incident Location: [REDACTED]
 Subject: [REDACTED] Race: White DOB: [REDACTED] 93 Sex: Male

Resistance by Suspect (check all that apply and describe):

- None
- Passive Subject was hiding in trash can in the garage refusing to come out.
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- Aggressive
- Deadly Force Resistance

Response by Officer (check all that apply):

Officer Presence: Uniformed Yes No Body Armor: Yes No Unit Type: Marked Unmarked Unit #: 71161

Physical Control (describe):

I placed the subject's hands in cuffs.

Non-lethal Weapon (describe):

[REDACTED]

Deadly Force (describe):

[REDACTED]

Special Circumstances (check all that apply):

- Felony Stop
- Suspect's Proximity to Weapon (describe): Unknown
- Special Knowledge (subject's past behavior if known, i.e. resists arrest, assault on officer): Subject had a VOP warrant for Burglary and Resisting arrest. He was also found today tying a noose in the garage in an attempt to hang himself.
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Device, i.e. split mask, hobbles (describe): Handcuffs

Other -- ticket book, clipboard, etc. (describe): _____

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On 07-16-12 at approximately 1402 hours, I responded to [redacted] reference to a mentally ill person. Prior to arrival dispatch stated the complainant advised [redacted] (subject) was found in his garage tying a noose. The complainant further advised the subject had a VOP warrant for Burglary and Resisting arrest. The complainant feels he is very depressed about having the warrant. Upon arrival I could hear banging in the closed garage door. I made contact at the front door with the subject's sister who stated her brother was in the garage and she is not sure what he is doing. While speaking with the sister I observed the male subject inside the residence and then he immediately entered back into the garage upon seeing Officers. She stated she does not know if the subject has weapons. At that time K-9 Officer Dietz made K-9 announcements to anyone inside of the residence. No response was given. We then entered the residence

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<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>081</u>	<u>12/20/12</u>		
Supervisor Signature	ID#	Date	Within Policy*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>081</u>	<u>12/20/12</u>		
Lieutenant Signature	ID#	Date	Approve	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>CAPT. [Signature]</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>12/20/12</u>		
L.E. Division Commander Signature	ID#	Date	Approve	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>055</u>	<u>12/21/12</u>		
Administrative Commander Signature	ID#	Date	Further Invest. Req.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>110</u>	<u>1/25/13</u>		
Police Chief Signature	ID#	Date	Refer to IA	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			Division Level	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

and I began clearing the residence with K-9 Officer Dietz and K-9 Cammo who was on lead. The residence checked clear up until the garage area. K-9 Officer Dietz again made several canine announcements to anyone inside the garage which had no lights on and received no response. He then sent K-9 Cammo into the garage to clear it. I was advised by Dietz that K-9 Cammo alerted to the trash can within the garage. At that time Dietz made another canine announcement for the subject to exit the trash can. Again there was no response. I then pushed over the trash can and the subject emerged from inside. The subject was given verbal commands to show his hands and exit the trash can which he refused subsequently concealing his hands under his body. K-9 Cammo then bit the subject in the left side of his face and left upper back area causing the subject to comply. I secured the subject's hands and placed them in cuffs. I immediately called for Fire Rescue to respond who transported the subject to North Port ER for treatment. While waiting for Fire Rescue the subject stated [REDACTED]

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