

CSP Troop L

VICTIM/WITNESS STATEMENT

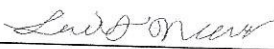
Date: 04/03/2020	Time Started: 00:40	Time Ended: 01:02	CFS #: 2000146635
Location: Department Vehicle 496WHK		Statement taken by: BARBERO, JARED M.	

I, Louis Neals Date Of Birth: 04/02/1995
of 184 Oak ST Town/City: Manchester CT

I make the following statement, without fear, threat or promise. I have been advised that any statement(s) made herein which I do not believe to be true, and which statement is intended to mislead a public servant in the performance of his/her official function, is a crime under C.G.S. section 53a-157b and is punishable by law.

I live at 184 Oak St., Manchester, I've lived here with my mom and my sister for about 4 or 5 years. Last night, April 2nd, also my birthday, at about 7:50pm, I was getting out of my car in the back of my house and saw the police with guns drawn across the street. They were pointing their guns at the front porch and the door directly across the street from me, one or two of the cops had automatic rifles. They weren't saying anything, they just had guns drawn, probably for about an hour, and said nothing. About an hour later I saw SWAT show up, they all got out, and they all drew their guns. The police that were there before backed out and parked further away when SWAT pulled in. Right after, a bigger SWAT truck showed up. Like 10 minutes later, the guy runs outside, and then they started firing, right when he came outside, all I heard was gunshots, close to 10 probably, maybe even more, and then the dude dropped to the ground. When he was running outside they were yelling his name before they shot him. Right after they shot him, they put the dog on him, I saw the dog bite him on the leg, it sounded like the guy was saying something, like, "ow" or something like he was still alive. They got the dog off of him, they dragged him to the sidewalk, and started pumping his chest. The ambulance showed up like 5 or 10 minutes later, they were still pumping his chest, then they put him in the ambulance. I made a recording on my phone and posted it on Facebook live, I then texted the video to Detective Barbero's work cell phone while giving this statement.

By affixing my signature to this statement, I acknowledge that I have read it and / or have had it read to me and it is true to the best of my knowledge & belief.

Name of Person making Statement: Neals, Louis	Signature of Person making Statement: 	Date: 04/03/2020
Parent/Guardian Name:	Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:

Personally appeared the signer of the foregoing statement and made oath before me to the truth of the matters contained therein. If notarized, endorse here:

Oath Taken By: /DET JARED M BARBERO/ 04/03/2020
Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date Signed: _____

Witness Name:	Witness Signature:	Date:
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