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DPS INCIDENT NUMBER CFS12-00704597

REPORT TYPE:

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ATTACHMENTS:

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## Vehicle Processing Report

Agency Assisted:

Connecticut State Police

Western District Major Crime Squad

452 Bantam Road

Litchfield, Connecticut 06759

860-626-7900

WDMC Case Officer: Detective Daniel Jewiss

Investigating Officer: Detective Matthew Greenstein #864

Connecticut State Police

Central District Major Crime Squad

294 Colony Road Meriden, CT 06451 203-630-5650

Date and Time of

Investigation:

On Sunday, December 16, 2012 at approximately 1330 hours, investigators of the Central District Major Crime Squad were requested by the Western District Major Crime Squad

to assist with the vehicle processing of a 2004 Honda Civic bearing Connecticut registration 144WDM, VIN#2HGES165X4H594043 which is registered to Lauren

Rousseau.

Location of

Investigation:

Connecticut State Police

Troop A – Southbury 90 Lakeside Road

Southbury, Connecticut 06488

Summary of Incident:

On December 14, 2012 at approximately 0935 hours, the Newtown Police Department and the Connecticut State Police responded to an active shooter situation at Sandy Hook

Elementary School located at 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, Connecticut. The incident involved the suspect, Adam Lanza (DOB 04/22/82), who entered the school, shot and murdered numerous victims, which ultimately ended with Adam Lanza dying of a self inflicted gunshot wound. During the investigation it was discovered that three vehicles in the parking lot of the school had sustained bullet strikes during the incident. One of the vehicles was a 2004 Honda Civic bearing Connecticut registration 144WDM.

VIN#2HGES165X4H594043, which was registered to Lauren Rousseau.

CASE STATUS:

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TYPE OF EXCEPTIONAL CLEARANCE:

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INVESTIGATOR I.D.#: 864

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Vehicle Processed:

2004 green Honda Civic

Connecticut registration 144WDM VIN#2HGES165X4H594043

Vehicle Description:

The vehicle is described as a 2004 green Honda Civic bearing Connecticut registration 144WDM, VIN#2HGES165X4H594043 with a tan interior. The exterior of the vehicle had three (3) suspected bullet strikes to the passenger side area. The vehicle had minor contact damage to the lower passenger side front bumper, lower driver side front bumper and driver side rear bumper. The interior had damage to the front passenger seat and rear passenger seat nearest the driver side door as a result of the suspected bullet strike. The vehicle's interior condition was clean and consistent with the model year and mileage.

Vehicle Owner:

Lauren Rousseau

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Evidence:

During the course of this investigation, the Connecticut State Police Central District Major Crime Squad processed the above listed vehicle and seized three (3) items of evidence. The evidence seized consisted of bullet like projectiles from various locations within the vehicle. All evidence items are detailed on a separate evidence report.

Evidence item five hundred and six (506) through five hundred and eight (508) were turned over to Detective Keith of WDMC at the conclusion of the vehicle processing on December 16, 2012 at approximately 1754 hours.

CSP CDMC Personnel and Assignments:

Sgt. James Thomas #129

CDMC Scene Supervisor Det. Matthew Greenstein #864 Case Officer / Evidence Officer Det. Patrick Meehan #377 Primary Digital Photography

Det. Christopher Fongemie #1032

Det. Matthew Gunsalus #430 Vehicle Survey / Bullet Trajectory Det. Peter Farr #1117 Secondary Digital Photography

Separate reports will be submitted by the above investigators regarding their specific assignments for this investigation.

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On Sunday, December 16, 2012, investigators of the Central District Major Crime Squad were requested by the Western District Major Crime Squad to assist with the vehicle processing of 2004 Honda Civic bearing Connecticut registration 144WDM, VIN#2HGES165X4H594043. The vehicle was processed at its original location in the Sandy Hook Elementary School parking lot. Refer to the Connecticut State Police Crash Analysis Reconstruction Squad (CARS) supplemental scene diagram for the exact location of the vehicle.

Processing consisted of investigators documenting the vehicle with video, digital photography, completing a motor vehicle survey, performing bullet trajectory and examining the interior and exterior of the vehicle for bullet projectiles. The main objective of the vehicle processing was to perform bullet trajectory and retrieve any and all bullet like projectiles from the vehicle. Processing began at approximately 1400 hours and ended at approximately 1640 hours.

During the processing of the vehicle, suspected bullet strikes (BS) were located and identified as BS2, BS3 and BS4. BS2 was located on the lower portion of the A-Pillar located on the passenger side front door. BS3 was located on the front passenger side door upper portion of the door. BS4 was located on the upper portion of the A-Pillar located on the passenger side front door. Refer to the supplemental bullet strike/trajectory report.

Investigators then conducted a systematic search of the interior of the vehicle, specifically to retrieve the suspected bullet like projectiles. Investigators retrieved bullet like projectiles from the front driver's side of the trunk area (Exhibit #506), from the front passenger's side of the trunk area (Exhibit #507) and from the passenger's side front A-Pillar (Exhibit #508). An additional cursory search of the interior of the vehicle yielded negative results for any other items of evidentiary value.

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Case status:

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