



THURSTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
INCIDENT REPORT

Year - Case Number
05-10456-10

DATE AND TIME RECEIVED
October 13, 2005

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CLOSED UNFOUNDED FELONY P.A. DOM VIOLENCE
 SUSPENDED IN CUSTODY MISD. JUV PA STATE IMPACT

REPORT-TYPE OF INCIDENT
Possible Voter fraud

DISTRICT: Adam OFFICER, Serial #: J. DeHan D2914 ID.NO: 1181 CHARGE/CITATION #/ RCW's: Information at this time.

ADDITIONAL POSSIBLE CRIMES INVOLVED WITH RCW CODES:

COMPLAINANT	SEX	DOB/AGE	ADDRESS	PHONE
McCabe, Tom S.	M	06-21-57	111 West 21 st Ave. Oly. WA. 98507	BUS 360-352-7800 HOME
VICTIM	SEX	DOB/AGE	ADDRESS	PHONE
				BUS HOME
WITNESS NO. 1	SEX	DOB/AGE	ADDRESS	PHONE
				BUS HOME
SUSPECT NO. 1	SEX	DOB/AGE	ADDRESS	PHONE
				BUS HOME

RACE HEIGHT WT. EYES HAIR AKA IDENTIFIERS (SCARS, TAT)
DRIVERS LIC. #/ST. SOCIAL SECURITY GANG AFFILIATION EMPLOYER/SCHOOL

SUSPECT VEHICLE YEAR 0000 MAKE MODEL STY COLOR LICENSE STATE WA VEHICLE IMPOUNDED Yes No

OK TO DISCLOSE? YES: C/P V W ADDITIONAL VICTIM-#'S: ADDITIONAL WITNESS-#'S:
NO: C/P V W ADDITIONAL VICTIM-#'S: ADDITIONAL WITNESS-#'S:

Person(s)/Item(s) Entered WACIC NCIC APPROVED BY:
ASSIGNED TO: INFO. ONLY: COPY TO: REFERRED TO:

- 1. Additional Victims 4. Other Suspect Info 7. Description Victim Injuries 10. Entry, where, how, tools used
- 2. Additional Witnesses 5. Description Property Taken / Value 8. Property Damage/Loss 11. Relationship Between Victim / Suspect
- 3. Additional Suspects 6. Description Physical Evidence 9. Description Premises 12. Reconstruct Incident

NARRATIVE

12. Incident: On the above date I was assigned to investigate a list of names that came to both the Thurston County Sheriff's Office as well as the Thurston County Auditors Office for alleged voter fraud. The list was generated by the Building Industry Association of Washington (BIA).

The list contained 13 names, all of whom allegedly voted twice during the 2004 general election. The list shows the individuals name, date of birth, registration date, address, and county of where they voted. To determine jurisdiction if in fact there was a violation, it was agreed upon by both the Sheriff's Office and the Auditors Office that the county with the most recent registration would be deemed the legal vote, and if a secondary vote had been cast that would be considered the illegal vote. Using this criterion of the thirteen people listed, seven of the names could be potential violations within Thurston County. From the remaining six names, four of them would fall under King County jurisdiction, and two under Grays Harbor.

King County- Of the four names that fall under King County jurisdiction, three of them appear to be potential violations, but one of would clearly not be a violation. The one voter that would not be in violation voted on a Federal Write in Ballot (FWAB) and was mailed to Thurston County in error. The person then voted on their regular ballot, which was appropriately sent back to King County. This voter falls under the Uniform and Overseas Civilian Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA) and did nothing wrong. In regards to the other three voters, I contacted King County Elections via phone as well as by sending a FAX requesting them to provide information on those names to determine if there was a violation. If King County determines a violation was made, it would be upon them to investigate.

Grays Harbor- Of the two names that fall under Grays Harbor jurisdiction, one of names was not a registered voter within Grays Harbor according to their elections department, and the other name appears to be a violation. Grays Harbor Election Department has been provided that name and it's upon their responsibility to investigate.

Thurston County- Of the remaining seven names that fall under Thurston County jurisdiction, five of the names submitted were definitely different people with similar names and same dates of birth, but in two cases, the persons have the exact same name and dates of birth. One of the names that showed up on the list, though still registered within Thurston County and moved to Kitsap County where they voted, hasn't cast a vote in Thurston County since the 2000 election. That person just needs to be removed from the voters list by the Thurston County Elections Department. The last person that we looked at was in fact a duplicate vote, but was a fraudulent signature. During the investigation, I found that the registered voter in question was actually in Thailand during the 2004 general election and admits that his mother sent him his absentee ballot in which he filled out, signed, and returned to Whitman County. I asked the person if he also was sent an absentee ballot from Thurston County from one of his roommates, in which he denied. I had the Thurston County Elections Department pull from archives the actual absentee ballot from the 2004 general election so I could examine the signature. After comparing the signatures, it was obvious that the Thurston County ballot was a forged signature by an unknown person and was mailed into the elections department for processing. As of this time, we have no suspect information or leads into the case.

Case closed.

Detective DeHan 1181

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