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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	19-1070-C	Version Type:	AMENDED
Report Date:	4/21/2020 3:16 PM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Harris County Constable Precinct 4	Agency Address:	6831 Cypresswood Dr.
Agency City:	Spring	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	77379		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Constable	Director First Name:	Mark
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Herman		
Reporter Name:	Michael Combest	Reporter Email:	michael.combest@cd4.hctx.net

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Larry

Middle Name: Dion

Last Name: Mukes

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 8/6/1974

Sex: Male

Race: Black or African American

Age At Time Of Death: 45

Date/Time of Custody (arrest, incarceration) (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 10/20/2019 9:00 PM

Date/Time of Death (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Death Date and Time: 10/20/2019 10:22 PM

Manner / Cause of Death

Has a medical examiner or coroner conducted an evaluation to determine a cause of death?

Medical Examiner/Coroner Evaluation?: Yes, results are available

What was the manner of death? (select only one)

Manner of Death: Suicide

Medical Cause of Death:

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Cause of Death as listed within Harris County Institute of Forensic Sciences Autopsy Report (ML19-3640) is Gunshot wound of the head.

Had the decedent been receiving treatment for the medical condition that caused the death after admission to your jail's jurisdiction?

Medical Treatment: No

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, who caused the death?

Who caused the death?: Decedent

If a weapon caused the death, what type of weapon caused the death? (Hold CTRL to select all that apply)

Type of weapon that caused death?: Firearm, unspecified

Was the cause of death the result of a pre-existing medical condition or did the decedent develop the condition after admission?

Pre existing medical condition?: Not Applicable; cause of death was accidental injury, intoxication, suicide or homicide

If death was an accident, homicide or suicide, what was the means of death?

Means of Death: Firearm

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address:	20007 Big Timber Drive	City:	Humble
County:	Harris	Zip:	77346

What location category best describes where the event causing the death occurred?

Location Category: Other, specify

Other Location Category:

Death occurred on the driveway of home at the referenced address.

What type of custody/facility was the Decedent in at the time of death:

Type of Custody: Police Custody (pre-booking)

Specific type of custody/facility:

Specific Type of Custody/Facility:

N/A

What was the time and date of the deceased's entry into the law enforcement facility where the death occurred (mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm AM/PM):

Entry Date Time:

Entry Date Time N/A: ☑

Where did the death occur?

Death Location: Scene of incident

General Information

Did any other law enforcement agencies respond to calls for service related to this incident?

Other Agencies Respond?: Yes

What were the most serious offense(s) with which the deceased was (or would have been) charged with at the time of death?

Offense 1:

Assault - Domestic Violence (Texas PC 22.01)

Offense 2:

Offense 3:

Were the Charges:: Not filed at time of death

What were the types of charges or reason for contact? (Hold CTRL to select all that apply)

Type of Offense: Other, specify

Type of Offense, Other:

Domestic Violence.

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent display or use a weapon?

Decedent display/use of weapons: Yes, mark all that apply

Decedent Display or Use Weapon Details: Discharged firearm

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Attempt to Injure Others?:	Yes (select all that apply)
Ways Decedent Attempted To Injure Others:	Injured civilian(s) or other inmate(s)

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs):	No	Make suicidal statements?:	Yes
Exhibit any mental health problems?:	Yes	Exhibit any medical problems?:	No

At any time during the incident and/or entry into the law enforcement facility, did the decedent:

Barricade self or initiate standoff?:	Yes	Resist being handcuffed or arrested?:	No
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	No	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	No
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	No	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	No
Attempt gain possession officer's weapon:	No		

Was the deceased under restraint in the time leading up to the death or the events causing the death?

Under Restraint:	No

Summary of Incident

Summary of How the Death Occurred: (max. 30,000 characters)

Summary:

Uniformed peace officers with this agency were dispatch and responded to the home at the address of 20007 Big Timber Drive, Humble, Texas 77346 in regards to a reported domestic disturbance. While at the residence, the peace officers learned the decedent had locked himself in his home and would not allow others to enter. He communicated with law enforcement on the scene. Following an investigation, the Harris County

District Attorney's Office was contacted and the matter of an Assault was reviewed and a criminal charge accepted on the decedent. The determination was made to an arrest warrant for the male and personnel began clearing the scene. The decedent then began making threats of taking his own life. The decedent exited the residence, walked onto the driveway area near a vehicle. Peace officers began speaking with him in an effort to have move away from the vehicle so that he could be detained. He briefly walked away from the vehicle, showing his empty hands, before returning to his position behind the vehicle. He then grabbed two handguns stored behind or under the wheel well of the vehicle and pointed at or in the direction of a peace officer before placing one to his head and discharging it. Emergency medical personnel were summoned and pronounced death at the scene.