

Rail Incident Investigation Report

Pedestrian Not at Crossing	Other (explain)	rrestie	Pedestrian at Crossing	
Public Crossing	Private Crossing	Trestle	Pedestrian at Crossing	
I. Type of Accident				
FRA Investigation: Yes N	lo	Inspector:		
Railroad Owning Track:		Railroad Op	perating on Track:	
Docket No: TR-		Report Dat	e:	

II. Time and Location of Accident

Date: Time:

Daylight

N/A

No

USDOT Crossing No.: UTC Crossing No.:

GPS Identifier: Lat: Railroad Milepost: Lon:

Number of Tracks: City: County:

Darkness

Road name, yard name, bridge:

Visibility Due to Weather:

III. Conditions Surrounding the Accident

Weather: Clear to cloudy Rain Snow Fog **Road Condition:** Dry Wet Snow Ice

Unknown

Train Type: Freight Locomotive only Cars only Passenger

Train Speed:

Remote Control: Yes N/A

Type of Haz-Mat:

Haz-Mat on Train: Yes

IV. Pedestrian, Driver, or Passenger Fatalities	Does this section apply? Yes No
Number of Fatalities:	If a vehicle accident, number of passengers:
Name: Driver: Passenger Pedestrian	Age: Gender: Male Female non-binary
Pedestrian trying to get on/off train? Yes No	Suicide: Yes No Undetermined
Alcohol: Yes No Undetermined	Information supplied by:
Drugs: Yes No Undetermined	Information supplied by:
Names of additional fatalities:	

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V. Pedestrian, Driver, or Passenger Injuries Does this section apply? Yes No

Number of people injured: If a vehicle accident, number of passengers:

Name:

Driver: Passenger: Pedestrian: Age: Gender: Male Female non-binary

Pedestrian trying to get on/off train? Yes No

Drugs: Yes No Undetermined Alcohol: Yes No Undetermined

Names of additional injured persons:

VI. Pedestrian Access (not at a Crossing)

Does this section apply? Yes

No

Obvious signs of consistent pedestrian trespass? Yes No

If yes, describe:

Pedestrian (not at a crossing) information: Accessing public area? Yes No

If yes, describe:

Deterrents at site, e.g. fence, signs, other? Yes No

If yes, describe:

Previous collisions at or near site? Yes No

If yes, describe:

VII. Crossing History Does this section apply? Yes No

Prior accidents at this crossing? Yes No How many?

Dates of prior accidents:

Description of prior accidents (fatalities, injuries, property damage)

Last inspection date?

Defects? Yes No If yes, describe:

VIII. Attachments

Railroad incident report? Yes No Local law enforcement report? Yes No

Coroner/medical examiner report? Yes No Pictures? Yes No

Death Certificate? Yes No Copy of most current inventory? Yes No

Other (describe):

Docket No: TR-		
IX. Comments		
Event Summary:		
Site Description:		
Inspector Recommendations:		

Docket No: TR-	
Rail Safety Supervisor Comments/Sign Off:	
Director of Transportation Safety Comments/Sign Off:	

BNSF Fort Worth – Network Operations Center – INCIDENT REPORT

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Cause Code: Description:

Brief Narrative of Incident:

1721CT – H VBTVAW9 10A reported fatally striking a trespasser at MP 94.6 on the Bellingham Subdivision in Bellingham, WA. This incident did not occur at a crossing. There are no injuries to the crew.

Lead Locomotive (BNSF 7642) is camera equipped.

Division personnel responding, ETA 1920CT.

Post Accident Testing (FRA):							
Did this incident meet FRA Post Accident Testing criteria?	No						
Contact MEH Dept at: (817) 352-1648 during normal business hours. (817) 352-1613 after hours, weekends and holidays. If no answer, page email Chris Kowalkowski and Julie Murphy when the following applies: -Employee/Contractor Fatality. -Damage to railroad property exceeding \$1.5 million. -Human Factor Grade-Crossing Accident? If Yes, Name of Claims Agent. -A release of hazardous material that results in an							
evacuation or a reportable injury.							
Does the NOC GDT agree with the above analysis?	Yes						
Craft being Post Accident Tested:	N/A						

Notification	o <mark>ns:</mark>		
Time:	Entity:	Person Notified:	Reminders:
1721CT	Service Interruption:	FS - DS 81	Include who notified SID.
1724CT	Resource Operations:	Emily Goodwin	
	OPR DL Cargorelated	Rpt. to distribution list.	Copy of this report
1744CT	DTM/Terminal Manager:	Jules Vanpopta	Get ETA, check Cell number.
1729CT	RFE:	Dan Hart	Get ETA, check Cell number.
1730CT	Signal Desk:	Melvin Jackson	817-593-5998
1728CT	MOW Desk:	Marty Workman	817-593-6823 Option 1
1727CT	Mechanical Desk:	Gerald Duke	817-593-9128
1727CT	NOC GDT:	Gerrad Walley	
1744CT	Div. General Manager:	Jon Gabriel	
1744CT	Div. GDT:	Jason Moyer	
1744CT	Corridor Supt:	Jan Ruby Jr	
1744CT	Div. Sup Ops / Term Sup:	Ryan Kubo	
1735CT	MDPR	Randy Busboom	817-352-1312
1734CT	Passenger Service:	Brian Thomas	Email report to Rich Wessler and
	_		Tamara Noel.
1744CT	Superintendent Safety an Operating Practices	d Scott Huston	California Chicago Red River Kansas Montana Heartland Northwest Powder River Southwest Twin Cities Coleman, Herbert T Wazny, William A Cleveland, Scott M Valencia, Randy J Mizelle, Nicholas O Musgrove, Chris E Huston, Scott T Hein, Joshua B Strot, Benjamin K. Lund, Michael E

	The following group list is for the following		Page for the following events: Major derailments or train collisions
	departments: Safety, Law, Rules,		which are expected to exceed 16 hours or \$1,000,000 in damages, 4-8 hour range after the 1st conference call.
	Workforce Management, Rules and field Support, Corporate Relations,		Derailments or collisions with evacuations, explosions, or involving
	Government Affairs, and Evidence Preservation		crude oil trains. Major Hazardous Incidents
	Major event group page list (Not MIP) Also page Region VP.		Employee Fatalities, life threatening injuries, or amputations.
	(It is located with the SID Locomotive group lists)		Add "Preliminary Report" to the subject line.
	Conference Calls:		If Conf Call is being established: Notify: NOC MECH/MOW Desk & ROC
	Hazardous Incidents: Contact East/West On-call Manager		Page for all Hazardous Incidents: Pat Brady, Piper, Justin, Reid, Clay D, Howard Horn, David C Clark, John D. Lovenburg, Allen Stegman
	ChemTrec (USA) 800-424-9300 CanuTec (Canada)		Call Emergency Number listed on the Waybill whenever a HAZ MAT car is involved in a derailment or damaged; whether leaking or not.
	888-226-8832 or 613-996-6666		Run TSS: WBCOPY & HAZ & EXCR
1943CT	NRC: 800 - 424 - 8802 (Initial SID Analysis) Examples for notifying: Passenger Train/Route \$150,000 incident Employee/Contractor Fatality	Oneill - #1232594	Obtain their Report Number and name of person who took the report.
1738CT	State:	WA Emergency Operations - Earl -	Rpt. 18-4623
	California - CUPA		
	Foreign Railroad:		
	Page "Go Team"		If appropriate notify Mark Schulze.
This Rpt.	State Corporate Relations:	Gus Melonas / Courtney Wallace	Copy of this report: Ross Richard Lane: MT, WY Matt Jones: MT, ID Joe Faust: AL, AR, LA, MS, TN, TX Lena Kent: AZ, CA Amy McBeth: MB, MN, ND, SD, WI Joe Sloan: CO, OK, NM, UT, NV Gus Melonas/Courtney Wallace: BC, ID, OR, WA And Williams: KS, MO, NE, IL, KY, IA
	Energy Desk:		Notify the Energy Desk of crude oil train derailments: OPR DL Energy Desk managers 817-867-0021

From: <u>State Emergency Operations Officer (MIL)</u>

To: Hunter, Kathy (UTC); Kenneth W. Holgard; Mark Daniels (FRA); Stacey Thompson (Fed Railroad Association Reg

8); Stacey Weller; Steven Travers; UTC DL WUTC Rail Reporting

Subject: BNSF Train vs Trespasser - Bellingham (10 Dec 2018)

Date: Monday, December 10, 2018 3:43:32 PM

Time Called in to the State EOC: 10 Dec 2018/1537 Pacific

Reporting Party Name, Position and Contact Number: Cisco, BNSF, 800-352-5452

Name of Railroad(s) involved: BNSF

Date/Time of Event: 10 Dec 2018/1521 Pacific

Milepost and/or Address of Event: At a crossing near Blvd Park or City Street

Type of Rail Car Involved: Freight Train

Number of Injuries/Fatalities: Unknown at this time

Type and Amount of HAZMAT Spilled: None

Circumstances of the Incident: Freight train struck a pedestrian at a crossing. No other information

available at this time.

Railroad Incident Number: None State EOC Incident Number: 18-4623

State Emergency Operations Officer/ERD Washington Emergency Management Division 800-258-5990 dutyofficer@mil.wa.gov

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Subject: FW: NRC#1232594 (Train vs Trespasser - Bellingham) 18-4623

Date: Monday, December 10, 2018 5:55:04 PM

Follow up incident report.

State Emergency Operations Officer/ERD Washington Emergency Management Division

----Original Message-----

From: HQS-PF-fldr-NRC@uscg.mil < HQS-PF-fldr-NRC@uscg.mil >

Sent: Monday, December 10, 2018 5:55 PM

To: DUTYOFFICER@EMD.WA.GOV; State Emergency Operations Officer (MIL) <Dutyofficer@mil.wa.gov>;

State Emergency Operations Officer (MIL) <Dutyofficer@mil.wa.gov>

Subject: NRC#1232594

NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER 1-800-424-8802

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Information released to a third party shall comply with any applicable federal and/or state Freedom of Information and Privacy Laws

Incident Report # 1232594

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

*Report taken by NRC at 20:47 on 10-DEC-18 Incident Type: RAILROAD NON-RELEASE

Incident Cause: TRESPASSER

Affected Area:

Incident occurred on 10-DEC-18 at 17:21 local incident time.

Affected Medium: RAIL REPORT (N/A)

REPORTING PARTY

Name: CISCO SANCHEZ
Organization: BNSF RAILWAY
Address: 2200 LOU MENK DRIVE
FORT WORTH, TX 76131

PRIMARY Phone: (817)3522832

Type of Organization: PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

SUSPECTED RESPONSIBLE PARTY

Name: UNKNOWN

Type of Organization: UNKNOWN

INCIDENT LOCATION

County: WHATCOM

City: BELLINGHAM State: WA

BOULEVARD PARK PEDESTRIAN CROSSING

RELEASED MATERIAL(S)

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

CALLER STATED THAT A FREIGHT TRAIN STRUCK A TRESPASSER AT A PEDESTRIAN CROSSING RESULTING IN A FATALITY.

SENSITIVE INFORMATION

INCIDENT DETAILS

Grade Crossing: NO

Location Subdivision: BELLINGHAM

Railroad Milepost: 94.6 Type of Vehicle Involved: Crossing Device Type: Device Operational: YES DOTCrossing Number:

Date and Time Service was/will be Restored:

Brake Failure: UNKNOWN

Federal Post-Accident 219.201 Sub Part C Testing Required: NO

Passenger Train Route: YES

Passenger Train Delay Expected: NO
Passenger Train Delay Handling:
---RAILROAD INFORMATION--Railroad Involved: BNSF RAILWAY
Train Number: HVBTVAW910A

Train Type: FREIGHT Train Direction: S

Train Speed: Track Speed:

Locomotives: 3 Cars: 76 Derailed:

Suspected DOT Regulation Non Compliance: NO

DERAILED CARS:

Pos. Carnumber Type Cargo

IMPACT

Fire Involved: NO Fire Extinguished: UNKNOWN

INJURIES: NO Sent to Hospital: Empl/Crew: Passenger: FATALITIES: YES Empl/Crew: Passenger: Occupant: EVACUATIONS:NO Who Evacuated: Radius/Area:

Damages: NO

Hours Direction of

Closure Type Description of Closure Closed Closure

Air: NO

Major

Road: NO Artery:NO

Waterway:NO

Track: YES MAIN TRACK 2.5 N/S

Passengers Transferred: NO

Environmental Impact: UNKNOWN

Media Interest: UNKNOWN Community Impact due to Material:

REMEDIAL ACTIONS

AWAITING CORONER

Release Secured: UNKNOWN

Release Rate:

Estimated Release Duration:

WEATHER

ADDITIONAL AGENCIES NOTIFIED

Federal:

State/Local: WA EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

State/Local On Scene: LOCAL PD State Agency Number: 18-4623

NOTIFICATIONS BY NRC

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL (GRASP)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (770)4887100

CGIS D13 FIELD OFFICE (CGIS D13 COMMAND CENTER)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (206)2207141

CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (INTEL BRANCH/BLAINE SECTOR)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (360)4107222

DHS DEFENSE THREAT REDUCTION AGENCY (CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL TECHNOLOGI

10-DEC-18 20:54 (703)7673477

NATIONAL COORDINATING CTR FOR COMMS (NCC COMM-ISAC)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (703)2355626

NTNL PROGRAMS AND PROTECTION DIR (OFC OF INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION RGN

10-DEC-18 20:54 (202)8215301

OFFICE OF INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION (WA STATE PROTECTIVE SECURITY ADVIS

10-DEC-18 20:54 (202)8053379

DOT CRISIS MANAGEMENT CENTER (MAIN OFFICE)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (202)3661863

FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMIN. (MAIN OFFICE (AUTO))

10-DEC-18 20:54 (202)4930636

FEMA REGION 10 (MAIN OFFICE)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (425)4874704

LUMMI INDIAN BUSINESS COUNCIL (NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (360)3127119

NTL ENVMTL EMERG CENTRE CANADA (MAIN OFFICE)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (514)2832333

NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE COORD CTR (MAIN OFFICE)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (202)2829201

NOAA RPTS FOR WA (MAIN OFFICE)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (206)5264911

NTSB RAIL (MAIN OFFICE)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (202)3146293

OREGON TITAN FUSION CENTER (FUSION COMMAND CENTER)

10-DEC-18 20:54 (877)6204702

WA STATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (MAIN OFFICE)

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Requested By: HALSTEAD, LORI

Agency:

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HEADER

Primary Author: REED, TYLER Appvd: 189

Location: 400 BAYVIEW DR

Date Reported: Dec 10 2018 3:30PM

Press Summary: Officers responded to a train vs. pedestrian.

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Report 1 of **Primary** Author: REED, TYLER Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 3:30PM Appvd: 189 16 W1 MCGARY, ADAM FRANCIS DOB: Jun 6 1985 Age: 33 Sex: M Race: W SSN: RCW 42.56.240.1 Ht: 511 Wt:180 Drivers Lic.: RCW 42.56.240.1 Lic. St. WA Eyes: HAZ Hair: Brown Res Address: 2407 PACIFIC ST, BELLINGHAM, WA 98229 Bus Address: , WA Res Phone: (360) 325-2146 Bus Phone: Cell Phone: (360) 325-2146

AKAs: TAYLOR, DANIEL LYMAN

Features: ; SELF CUTTING MARKS ON BOTH ARM; CHASE LEE - Shoulder, Left

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BWC activated

On 12-10-2018 at 1524 hours, officers were dispatched to a train vs. pedestrian in the Boulevard park area. Dispatch further advised the incident occurred in the area of the pedestrian crossing in the north end of the park.

Upon arrival I observed an obviously deceased female lying between the tracks underneath a stopped train car, a few feet south of the pedestrian railroad crossing. It appeared based on the various body pieces on the ground that the southbound train impacted the woman near the pedestrian crossing.

As the fire department began to establish a perimeter I was approached by ADAM MCGARY (W1). ADAM MCGARY (W1) told me just before the incident, he observed a woman he believed to be the deceased female standing near a large tree at the far north end of the park. ADAM MCGARY (W1) stated the woman was visibly upset and walked from the large tree towards the railroad tracks as he approached her. As ADAM MCGARY (W1) continued his walk he observed the woman come back to the tree and stand next to a backpack. ADAM MCGARY (W1) said he observed the woman again walk up towards the railroad tracks and look around.

I remained on scene for perimeter security as the crime team processed the scene.

Nothing further

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ASSOCIATES

Follow-Up	Report 2 of 16	Author: ROORDA, MCKENZIE	Rpt Date: Dec 10	2018 3:2	4PM Appvd: 183
V1 BOLSON	, LISA NOELLE	<i>DOB</i> : Jul 6 1963	Age: 55	Sex: F	Race: W
SSN:	RCW 42.56.240.1		Ht. 508		<i>Wt</i> :150
Drivers Lic.:	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St. WA	Eyes: GRN	I	Hair: Blond
Res Address:	2801 25 ST, BELLI	NGHAM, WA 98225			
Bus Address:	427 W HOLLY ST,	BELLINGHAM, WA 98225			
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Follow-Up Report 2 of Author: ROORDA, MCKENZIE Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 3:24PM Appvd: 183

On 12/10/18 I responded to assist with a train vs pedestrian collision. Upon arrival, Sgt James advised me that he was told a backpack and bicycle were seen near a tree near the scene. I looked in the backpack and located paperwork from Unity Care and bank slips with the name LISA BOLSON (R1) on them. I then found a wallet which contained photo ID for LISA BOLSON (R1).

The ID was given to Sgt James. I zipped up the backpack and left it in the same location.

I later took possession of a bicycle that was left at the scene.

The bike was impounded as evidence.

Nothing further.

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PROPERTY

Follow-Up Report 2 of Author: ROORDA, MCKENZIE Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 3:24PM Appvd: 183

Found / Seized Article: Bicycles

Serial #: GZ1226279 1st Color: Pink Recovered:

2nd Color: Purple Impounded: Dec 10 2018 7:17PM

Brand: SPECIALIZED

Model: HARD ROCK Value: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE

License: State: Expires:

Description: pnk/purp specialized hard rock bike

Features:

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Follow-Up Report 3 of Author. JAMES, DENNIS Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 3:24PM Appvd: 196

On 12/10/18 at about 1524 I responded to a report of a pedestrian being struck by a train at BOULEVARD PARK (R1). When I first arrived a train engine was blocking the crossing into Boulivard park on Bayview. They were in the process of moving it to allow emergency vehicles in. When the train was moved and the tracks safe fire and I entered.

At the North end of the park where the Boulivard trail enters the park and there is a pedestrian crossing, there were railroad cars stopped blocking the crossing. I approached the crossing on foot, and saw that LISA BOLSON (V1) was under the train, obviously dead. there was a foot along the side of train on the West side of the tracks. There was blood on the concrete crossing. See photos later taken by CSI. DeRuiter. I asked Officers on scene to try and speak to any witnesses who were on scene. See reports by Ofc. Serad and Reed. I was advised by the fire captain on scene that there was a bike and a backpack just N/W of the trail in the park. I asked Ofc. Roorda to check this. She said there was an ID in the bag belonging to LISA BOLSON (V1). I asked her to leave the bag where it was found and show the investigator so he could collect it. At this point there was no way to confirm the person on the track was LISA BOLSON (V1).

I contacted Lt. Cristelli advising him of the situation. I also contacted CSI DeRuiter and requested he come to the scene. The scene was cordoned off for safety and crime scene security. Traffic Officers were assigned to the incident, and took the primary investigation. Officer Yoder was arriving on scene and I requested he block the Boulivard trail just north of the park. This was later assigned to Ofc. Serad who replaced Ofc. Yoder there.

Ofc. Reed was assigned primary for the documentation.

Once the traffic unit and investigators were doing there incident investigation, Sqt. Lanham responded and took over the scene after being briefed.

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Follow-Up	Report 4 of 16	Author: DERUITER, MICHAEL	Rpt Date: Dec 10	2018 3:2	5PM <i>Appvd:</i> 189
C3 PARKE, 1	TRAVIS KAY	<i>DOB</i> : Jan 2 1992	Age: 26	Sex: M	Race: W
SSN:	RCW 42.56.240.1		<i>Ht</i> : 510		<i>Wt</i> :175
Drivers Lic.:	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St. WA	Eyes: HAZ		Hair.
Res Address:	5858 SEMIAHMOC	RD, BLAINE, WA 98230			
Bus Address:	4816 OUTRIGGER	LOOP, BLAINE, WA 98230			
Res Phone:		Bus Phone: (360) 393-996	4		
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I responded to BOULEVARD PARK (R1) for this fatal pedestrian vs. freight train collision. Ultimately, this death appeared to be a suicide and the deceased was later identified by fingerprints as LISA BOLSON (V1).

I arrived at about 1530 hours and used my department issued Nikon D7100 camera to begin documenting the scene. Initial information was that this incident occurred at the bicycle/pedestrian crossing at the north end of the park.

CSI Kingery joined me shortly thereafter. He was tasked with photodocumenting the locomotives. See his follow up reports for details.

Per BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD personnel, this crossing is designated as Boulevard Park at mile marker 94.759. The DOT identifier for this crossing is 91908C.

Pictures 33-35 show this crossing. The train had been traveling south. I later learned from Traffic Officer Leake that the train was travelling at approximately 28 miles per hour in this 30 mph zone. As seen in the photos, freight cars were still on the tracks. Once the train came to a complete stop, the locomotives were separated from the freight cars in order to open up the drive through crossing at the south or main entrance to the park.

Pictures 36 & 37 show body parts and fluids on the paved crossing. It was again later learned that the collision actually occurred approximately 60 feet north of this crossing. Later indications were that LISA BOLSON (V1) was likely carried along by the train and received the destructive trauma upon contacting the concrete portion of this crossing.

Pictures 38 & 39 show the area just south of the crossing. On the left, along side the railroad tracks is a shredded multicolored sock. A short distance further south and roughly in the center of photo 39 is a pink colored item that turned out to be LISA BOLSON (V1)'s severed left foot. Beyond the foot (and difficult to see in photo 39) is the left boot.

Pictures 40-42 again show the sock for reference. In between the railroad tracks behind the sock can be seen what is likely brain matter.

Pictures 43-46 show the severed foot, the boot, and the first glimpse of the body in between the tracks. In the background can be seen the pedestrian/bicycle crossing.

Pictures 47 shows the body in relation to the track crossing.

Pictures 48-55 were taken from the east side of the tracks. I crawled under the freight cars to access the opposite side of the tracks. Photos were taken of suspected body parts found along the way to the body, and then document how LISA BOLSON (V1) lay.

After this, I was informed by BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) that moving under the freight cars was not allowed, for safety reasons. So no investigators went to the east side of the tracks until the train was later moved.

The next group of photos show a bicycle and backpack that was found not far from this incident. Other officers had talked with potential witnesses and learned that shortly before the collision, a woman, presumably LISA BOLSON (V1), had ridden up on a bicycle. She left the bicycle and walked to a tree along the waters edge.

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Inside a backpack, found at the base of the tree, was a WA ID belonging to LISA BOLSON (V1).

Pictures 56-60 show the bicycle and back pack. These items were impounded. Much later CSI Kingery photographed the contents of the pack, which contained more items indicating LISA BOLSON (V1) as the owner.

Next, I was made aware that traffic would be conducting a FARO scan of the scene, so I began placing evidence markers. At this time, I did not yet know the collision had happened to the north of the crossing, so markers were placed, starting at the railroad crossing and proceeding south. After placing 7 markers, I learned of the initial collision site and placed marker 8 there, which was north of the crossing.

Pictures 61-66 show evidence marker 8, which was roughly one freight car length north of the crossing. The photos attempt to show what appeared to be a shoe scuff mark on a concrete railroad tie. More detailed photos of this and other marks thought to indicate where LISA BOLSON (V1) made contact were taken later, after the train was moved.

Pictures 67-72 show evidence marker 1 at the concrete crossing. Photos shows suspected blood in the north end of the concrete crossing, what appears to be a clump of LISA BOLSON (V1)'s hair on the northeast corner of the crossing platform, and more of the remains.

Pictures 73-76 show evidence marker 7, the shredded sock and surrounding area.

Pictures 77-79 focus on evidence marker 2, the severed foot.

Pictures 80-84 focus on evidence marker 3, the boot, and LISA BOLSON (V1)'s body which was nearby.

Pictures 85-87 show evidence marker 4, which marked the approximate location of what appeared to be a bone fragment that was in between the railroad tracks.

Pictures 88-90 show evidence marker 5. This marked the approximate location of what appeared to be a body part on a railroad tie, between the tracks.

Pictures 91- 93 show evidence marker 6. This showed the approximate location of what looked to be a clump of hair. I went no further south on the tracks, looking for evidence. Other officers had walked both sides of the tracks earlier, and saw nothing of value further south.

Next, I returned to the area of evidence marker 8 to show the proximity between the train tracks and where LISA BOLSON (V1)'s back pack was found. I learned from Traffic Officer Leake that train engineers saw LISA BOLSON (V1) walk on to the gravel area along the tracks from the water side. A well worn path was found between the tree and the railroad right of way.

Pictures 94-98 were taken from the area of evidence marker 8. They show the tree and path.

About this time, Traffic Officers completed the FARO scan so discussions were had regarding the best way to retrieve the body. BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD supervisors believed the safest, most practical way was to slowly move the train forward and stop it, should LISA BOLSON (V1)'s remains get caught on undercarraige. I kept watch of LISA BOLSON (V1)'s remains as the train inched forward. She did not appear to have been disturbed as the train was moved. Afterwards, we moved forward and again examined the scene.

Pictures 99-101 again show the suspected shoe print on the concrete railroad tie at

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evidence marker 8.

Pictures 102-105 show the northern face of the concrete railroad crossing and focus on the suspected blood and clump of hair found there.

Pictures 106-108 show a light blue mark or line on a concrete railroad tie. This tie was the 5th tie north of the crossing platform. It was suspected this blue line could be a rub mark from LISA BOLSON (V1) clothing.

Pictures 109-111 show another blue line on another railroad tie, 4 ties further north. My foot/shoe in photo 109 shows the previously photographed blue line. This second blue is on the 4th tie and is somewhat more brightly illuminated by a flashlight in photo 109.

Pictures 112-115 are overall photos of the concrete crossing platform.

Pictures 116 & 117 show a portion of a eyeglasses that was found between the concrete crossing platform and the northern railroad track.

Pictures 118-123 show what was found on the tracks between the concrete crossing platform and LISA BOLSON (V1)'s body.

Pictures 124-129 show BOLSON's remains and include a detail of a tattoo on the lower back.

Meanwhile, TRAVIS PARKE (C3) was following behind me and cleaning up much of the body parts and tissues. Throughout the investigation, I had kept the Medical Examiner informed. Dr. Goldfogel had dispatched PARKE to the scene for the removal. Ultimately, all the tissues, body parts, clothing items, and LISA BOLSON (V1)'s body were transported to the Medical Examiner's Office by TRAVIS PARKE (C3).

Before the body was moved, CSI Kingery used the Mobile ID in an effort to determine the deceased's identity. Results were slow, but ultimately the device indicated the deceased was LISA BOLSON (V1). This information was shared with Dr. Goldfogel. He, however, did not want the name released or Next of Kin notified until the results were more conclusive. It was agreed that Kingery would conduct an ABIS query after we cleared the scene.

Also before the body was removed, I obtained an inked impression of both thumbs from the deceased.

Pictures 130 & 131 show the suspected bone fragment at evidence marker 4.

Pictures 132 & 133 show what appears to be body tissue at evidence marker 5.

Pictures 134 & 135 show the suspected clump of hair at evidence marker 6.

After TRAVIS PARKE (C3) collected as much of the remains as he could, I helped him remove LISA BOLSON (V1)'s body. After this, scene was walked still one more time, it was turned over to Bellingham Fire Department for them to wash down. C

CSI Kingery and I cleared the scene at about 2100 hours. CSI Kingery agreed to photodocument contents of LISA BOLSON (V1)'s backpack prior to impound. Again, see his follow up.

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PROPERTY

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Found / Seized Article: Other Property (Veh Trailers, All Other Property)

Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered:

Impounded: Dec 11 2018 2:04PM

Brand:

Model: Value: Owner: License: State: Expires:

Description: Lisa N. Bolson's Inked Thumb Impressions

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ASSOCIATES

Follow-Up	Report 5 of 16	Author: SERAD, ZACKERY	Rpt Date: Dec 10	2018 3:3	1PM Appvd: 189
C4 SAMBRO	OK, BRONWIN	<i>DOB</i> : Jun 27 1979	Age: 39	Sex: F	Race: W
SSN:	RCW 42.56.240.1		Ht: 508		<i>Wt</i> :143
Drivers Lic.:	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St. WA	Eyes: BLU		Hair.
Res Address:	521 FIELDSTON RO	DAD, BELLINGHAM, WA 98225			
Bus Address:	, WA				
Res Phone:	(916) 216-2593	Bus Phone:			
Cell Phone:					
AKAs:					
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BWC ACTIVATED.

On 12/10/2018 at approximately 1531 hours, I arrived on scene with Officer Reed at BOULEVARD PARK (R1) for a train vs pedestrian collision.

Upon arrival Bellingham Traffic Division and Sergeant D James coordinated in securing the scene. I helped with some evidence tape and attempted to find witnesses.

At this point I was able to speak in depth to BRONWIN SAMBROOK (C4). She was at the park with her children. At approximately 1500 hours, BRONWIN SAMBROOK (C4) and her children were walking by the beach area where the bicycle and backpack were located. A person of unknown gender was seen sitting near the backpack smoking. As BRONWIN SAMBROOK (C4) kids got closer the person was seen attempting to hide behind the tree. BRONWIN SAMBROOK (C4) was concerned enough that she took her kids away from the area.

BRONWIN SAMBROOK (C4) did not see the collision. I also briefly spoke to a Kathy at 206 240 3614. I have not been able to talk to her in greater detail. She also stated that she did not see the collision but a female was seen near the tracks acting strange.

I stayed on scene until the investigated was nearly concluded. I provided security on the trails to the south of the train crossing during the last few hours.

Nothing further.

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ASSOCIATES

Report 6 of Follow-Up Author: LEAKE, LEWIS Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 3:45PM *Appvd:* **121** 16 C1 BABIK, BRAM MICHAEL DOB: Jun 21 1966 Race: W Age: 52 Sex: M SSN: RCW 42.56.240.1 Ht: 602 Wt:240 Drivers Lic.: RCW 42.56.240.1 Lic. St. WA Eyes: BRO Hair. Res Address: 11108 CHENNAULT BCH ROAD 914, MUKILTEO, WA 98275 Bus Address: , WA Res Phone: (425) 478-1946 Bus Phone: Cell Phone: AKAs: Features: DOB: Jan 7 1988 Age: 30 Race: W C2 WARD, SEAN MICHAEL Sex: M SSN: RCW 42.56.240.1 Ht: Wt: Drivers Lic.: RCW 42.56.240.1 Lic. St. Eyes: Hair. Res Address: 8521 105TH AV NE, LAKE STEVENS, WA 98258 Bus Address: , WA Bus Phone: Res Phone: (425) 231-8056 Cell Phone: AKAs: Features: C7 PATTISON, STEPHANIE JO DOB: Oct 29 1971 Age: 47 Sex: F Race: W SSN: RCW 42.56.240.1 Ht: 507 Wt:175 Drivers Lic.: RCW 42.56.240.1 Lic. St. WA Eyes: GRN Hair. Res Address: 1615 VALHALLA ST, BELLINGHAM, WA 98226 Bus Address: 220 UNITY ST, BELLINGHAM, WA 98225 Res Phone: Bus Phone: (360) 788-2666 Cell Phone: (360) 223-1670 AKAs: Features: DOB: Race: W C8 BEAM, GREG J Age: Sex: M SSN: RCW 42.56.240.1 Ht: Wt: Drivers Lic.: RCW 42.56.240.1 Lic. St. Eyes: Hair. Res Address: , WA Bus Address: 2900 BOND ST, Everett, WA WA

Bus Phone: (425) 330-1852

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Features:

C9 SARTAIN, DAN DOB: Age: Sex: M Race: U

 SSN: RCW 42.56.240.1
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 Drivers Lic.: RCW 42.56.240.1
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Follow-Up	Report 6 of	Author. LEAKE, LEWIS	Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 3:45PM	Appvd: 121
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- SYNOPSIS -

On 12/10/18 at approximately 1520 hours LISA BOLSON (V1) walked onto the railroad tracks directly into the path of southbound Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railroad locomotive #7642 which was pulling freight train #HVBTVAW910A and was struck and killed. At the time she was trespassing on BNSF property and was 39.7 feet north of the BOULEVARD PARK (R1) pedestrian trail at-grade crossing (DOT#919108C) when struck. She went beneath the train and was drug 80.2 feet up to and over the pedestrian crossing before coming to rest between the rails 24.5 feet south of the crossing.

- ON SCENE INVESTIGATION -

On 12/10/18 at 1525 hours I was dispatched to investigate a train striking a pedestrian on the BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) tracks at the north end of BOULEVARD PARK (R1). I arrived at 1545 hours and found a trio of BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) locomotives stationary on the south side of the Bayview Dr. at-grade vehicle crossing. The locomotives were attached in-combination and facing south. They were detached from the train consist which was stationary on the north side of the Bayview Dr. crossing. I continued to the north end of BOULEVARD PARK (R1) to the South Bay Trail at-grade pedestrian railroad crossing. The stationary train consist occupied the crossing and continued north almost to the Pine St. at-grade vehicle crossing. The railroad crossing gates were down, the bell was sounding and the red crossing signals were flashing. Multiple BPD and BFD personnel were present. The scene was secured by crime scene tape and perimeter officers.

I found the mangled body of a deceased female laying between the rails 24.5 feet south of the south edge of the trail crossing. She was prone with her head toward the south and her right leg folded beneath her torso so it was by her head. Her left leg was partially extended to the northwest. It was degloved with a bone protruding. The left foot was detached and laying shoeless and sockless 17.2 feet south of the south edge of the trail crossing. It lay on the west side of the tracks on the gravel railbed. The left sock was 10.3 feet south of the south edge of the trail crossing laying amidst body tissue along the outside of the west rail. The left shoe was 31.2 feet south of the south edge of the trail crossing laying on west of the tracks on the gravel railbed.

I spoke with Officer REED who was the first BPD officer on the scene. He recounted what witness ADAM MCGARY (W1) related. Officer REED said he had been unable to locate any other witnesses. See his report for details.

Officer ROORDA advised she located an unattended bicycle just north of the steps to the South Bay Trail and an unattended backpack by a tree further north. She checked the backpack and found a WA ID card issued to LISA BOLSON (V1). There was also a business card from therapist STEPHANIE PATTISON (C7).

I returned to the locomotive combination and spoke with the train's engineer and conductor. BRAM BABIK (C1) identified himself as the engineer and SEAN WARD (C2) identified himself as the conductor. They are the only crew on the train. I first asked them to provided information concerning the train's origin, destination, consist, and stops as well as their previous rest periods, duty hours and experience. They provided the following information. BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) train #HVBTAW910A is a mixed freight consist of 74 cars pulled by 3 locomotives (all at the front end of the train.) It is 5800 feet in length

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exclusive of the locomotives. The lead locomotive is #BNSF 7642. The train originated at Canadian National Railroad's Thornton Yards in Surrey, BC and is destined for Everett, WA with stops in Delta, BC and Ferndale, WA. They had been off duty for 23 hours and each reported having 8 hours of sleep prior to beginning duty at 0500 hours this morning (12/10/18.) BRAM BABIK (C1) has been an engineer with BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) for over 20 years. SEAN WARD (C2) has been a conductor with BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) for 7 years. On this type of locomotive the engineer occupies the cab's right seat and the conductor occupies the cab's left seat. The locomotive is equipped with a forward-facing video camera located in the upper left corner of the engineer's windshield.

I asked BRAM BABIK (C1) how the incident occurred. He stated they were proceeding southbound at 28 mph in a 30 mph zone south of the Pine St. crossing and were 40 or 50 yards north of the South Bay Trail pedestrian crossing sounding the locomotive's horn/whistle/bell when he saw a middle-aged woman on the west side of the tracks. He said she was on the gravel right-of-way walking west-to-east toward the tracks. He said at the pace she was walking he thought she was trying to cross in front of the train however, as she got closer to the track her pace slowed. He said he then thought she may be getting in position to photograph the train as that is not an uncommon practice. He said she continued to walk slowly onto the track and then stopped between the rails. He said he applied emergency braking as the train struck her. He said as they crossed the South Bay Trail crossing he noticed several people there and was surprised when I told him there were no actual witnesses to the incident other than the train crew. BRAM BABIK (C1) said the train came to a stop with the lead locomotive partially blocking the Bayview St. at-grade vehicle crossing. He said the responding fire engine was barely able to get by so they detached the locomotives from the train consist and pulled forward to clear the crossing.

I asked SEAN WARD (C2) how the incident occurred. He stated they were proceeding southbound about 40 or 50 yards north of the South Bay Trail pedestrian crossing. He said BRAM BABIK (C1) was sounding the locomotive's horn/whistle/bell. SEAN WARD (C2) said he saw an older woman appear from the edge of the gravel right-of-way on the west side of the tracks. He said she was walking west-to-east in a direct line toward the tracks and he thought she was going to try to cross in front of the train. He said that as she got to the tracks she slowed her pace. He said she stepped in between the rails, stopped and just before impact she turned her back to the locomotive and looked south. He reported the incident to BNSF dispatch.

BRAM BABIK (C1) showed me the approximate location where the front of the lead locomotive initially stopped on the crossing. I marked that spot with pavement paint on the east side of the east rail. I also marked the front the lead locomotive in its parked position using pavement marking paint with on the west side of the west rail. I marked the final resting point of the front of the first freight car of the train. I used the same pavement paint but placed the mark on the west side of the west rail.

CSI KINGREY arrived at the Bayview St. crossing. We inspected the front of the lead locomotive. There was a gray hood laying on a coupling apparatus in the center of the locomotive. We were unable to find a definitive point of contact. We looked under the locomotive and didn't find any definitive points of contact.

I returned to the South Bay Trail crossing and completed a field sketch of the scene. CSI DERUITER led me to where the backpack had been located. It was by a tree approximately 40 feet north of the park area. There is a well worn path that travels east from the tree to the railroad tracks. CSI DERUITER pointed out a fresh scuff mark on a cement railroad tie that is in a direct line from where the trail opens onto the gravel railbed. The first scuff is 39.7 feet north of the north edge of the South Bay Trail.

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I was contacted by GREG BEAM (C8), an employee of BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2). He produced a still photo on his phone that was taken from the video of the incident as captured by the camera mounted on the front of BNSF lead locomotive #7642. The photo shows an adult, white, middle-aged female clad in a dark hooded jacket and jeans standing in between the rails. She is facing east. GREG BEAM (C8) advised that when the video is processed he would arrange a viewing for me and/or the medical examiner.

After Traffic Officers ORTEGA and STEWART completed forensically mapping the scene the engines reattached to the train and it was moved to the Fairhaven siding. There it would be inspected by BNSF personnel before continuing its route.

DAN SARTAIN (C9), a BNSF Railroad Police Officer, CSI'S DERUITER and KINGREY, and I inspected the track area beneath the train. Another fresh scuff mark was found on the cement tie adjacent to and south of the tie where the first scuff was located. I walked south toward the South Bay Trail at-grade crossing and found two blue fabric scuffs on the cement ties. The first scuff was 17.7 feet north of the north edge of the crossing and the second scuff was 10 feet north of the north edge of the crossing. A broken pair of eyeglasses was found laying of on the railbed at the northwest corner of the crossing inside the west rail. Human tissue was deposited in several areas across the crossing (which is 16 feet in length from north-to-south.) What appeared to be a portion of brain was located on the railbed 5 feet south of the south edge of the crossing just west of the east rail. The body location and other evidence was documented above.

CSI DERUITER and CSI KINGREY utilized a mobile fingerprint scanner to analyze the body's fingerprints. A presumptive match was made with LISA BOLSON'S (V1) fingerprints, which are on file. CSI DERUITER advised the medical examiner requested that a notification of next-of-kin not be made until he conducted an autopsy and made positive identification of the body. TRAVIS PARKE (C3), a Whatcom County Medical Examiner, representative arrived on scene and retrieved the body and its parts. BFD then responded to the scene and washed the area down.

- FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATION -

On 12/11/18 Sgt. LANHAM contacted LAINIE BOLSON (C5), LISA BOLSON'S (V1) sister and notified her of the death. I contacted STEPHANIE PATTISON (C7) the therapist whose card wasa found in LISA BOLSON'S (V1) backpack, by phone. She confirmed that she was LISA BOLSON'S (V1) therapist. I informed STEPHANIE PATTISON (C7) of LISA BOLSON'S (V1) death. The notification upset STEPHANIE PATTISON (C7) very much and she had to end our conversation. On 12/12/18 I was contacted by GRANT GILLEY (360-296-7112, ext. 1695), who identified himself as STEPHANIE PATTISON'S (C7) supervisor at Unity Care NW. He extended their thanks for the notification and confirmed that LISA BOLSON (V1) had been an active client at Unity Care NW regarding her mental health.

On 12/12/18 I met LAINIE BOLSON (C5) at BPD. I apprised her of the investigation thus far. I asked her when was the last time she contacted LISA BOLSON (V1). LAINIE BOLSON (C5) said she spoke with LISA BOLSON (V1) by phone on Sunday evening (12/09/18.) At that time they agreed that after LAINIE BOLSON (C5) took their mother to a doctor's appointment on Tuesday (12/11/18) she would contact LISA BOLSON (V1) to advise the outcome. LAINIE BOLSON (C5) said she tried to call and text LISA BOLSON (V1) Monday evening (12/10/18) and became worried and feared the worse when there was no reply. LAINIE BOLSON (C5) said that after the doctor's appointment she went by LISA BOLSON'S (V1) workplace at HABITAT FOR HUMANITY (R4) and from there was contacted by Sgt. LANHAM.

I asked LAINIE BOLSON (C5) about LISA BOLSON'S (V1) mental health. LAINIE BOLSON (C5) explained that LISA BOLSON (V1) had been diagnosed as [Deleted as per

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70.02.005.4 & 78] and was taking medication. LISA BOLSON (V1) was also seeing STEPHANIE PATTISON (C7) regularly as well as a psychiatrist. LAINIE BOLSON (C5) said LISA BOLSON (V1) had been plagued by mental health issues for many years and had been in a downward spiral lately. LAINIE BOLSON (C5) said that after a medication change this summer LISA BOLSON (V1) came out of depression but became unnaturally vivacious. Another medication change in September resulted in LISA BOLSON (V1) sinking into a deep depression from which she never recovered.

LAINIE BOLSON (C5) had questions about the return of LISA BOLSON'S (V1) impounded property. I explained that I would notify her by phone when it would be available for release.

On 12/14/18 I met GREG BEAM (C8) at BPD to view the video of the incident taken from the locomotive cab camera of BNSF Engine #7642. The video shows LISA BOLSON (V1) appear at the west edge of the gravel railbed and walk in a direct line toward the railroad tracks as the train approach's southbound. The locomotive's whistle/horn and bell are audible in the background. LISA BOLSON (V1) continues to walk to the tracks and once there she steps between the rails and halts. Her body is facing east but she is looking north toward the oncoming train. As the train closes distance LISA BOLSON (V1) looks to the south. She then disappears from view just before being struck. The train continues traveling south through the at-grade pedestrian crossing. The crossing gates are down, the signals are flashing, and the bell is sounding at the crossing. I advised GREG BEAM (C8) that he could halt the video. I also advised that LISA BOLSON (V1) had been positively identified and her next-of-kin had been notified.

On 12/17/18 I advised Evidence and Identification Division the investigation had been completed and impounded property could be released. I then contacted LAINIE BOLSON (C5) and advised that LISA BOLSON'S (V1) property was available for retrieval.

CONCLUSION

Based on physical evidence at the scene, statements of witnesses, train crew, victim's sister and victim's mental health provider, and video of the incident, it appears LISA BOLSON (V1) purposefully trespassed on the BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) right of way, waited for a train to approach, then intentionally walked onto the tracks and stood between the rails until she was struck by the train thereby incurring fatal injuries.

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R1 BOULEV	ARD PARK,	DOB:	Age:	Sex:	Race:
SSN:	RCW 42.56.240.1		Ht.		Wt.
Drivers Lic.:	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St:	Eyes:		Hair.
Res Address:	951 MARINE DR, BELLIN	IGHAM, WA			
Bus Address:	400 BAYVIEW DR, BELL	INGHAM, WA 98225			
Res Phone:	(409) 291-9919	Bus Phone:			
Cell Phone:					
AKAs:					
Features:					
FE RAILF	STON NORTHERN SANT ROAD, 1515 W 39 ST VER WA 9866	A DOB:	Age:	Sex:	Race:
SSN:	RCW 42.56.240.1		Ht.		Wt.
Drivers Lic.:	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St:	Eyes:		Hair.
Res Address:					
Bus Address:					
Res Phone:		Bus Phone:			
Cell Phone:					
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Follow-Up Report 7 of Author: KINGERY, ERIC Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 4:20PM Appvd: 183

On 12/10/2018 at approximately 1620 hours, I responded to BOULEVARD PARK (R1) at 400 Bayview Drive to assist other officers with the investigation. I was the on-duty CSI that night.

Upon arrival, I visually examined the scene with Evidence and ID Officer DeRuiter. I assisted Evidence and ID Officer DeRuiter with processing the scene. I took photographs of the lead locomotive engine using my department issued Nikon D7000 digital camera with external flash. The lead engine was separated from the cars and was south of BOULEVARD PARK (R1). See photo tab.

I recovered LISA BOLSON (V1)'s jacket hood from the front of the lead locomotive engine. LISA BOLSON (V1)'s jacket hood had several buttons along the base of it as though it secured to her jacket with the buttons. I did not see any blood or notable evidence on the hood. I later impounded the hood into evidence. See property tab.

I did not observe or locate any blood or hair evidence on the lead locomotive engine. See photo tab.

Once the entirety of the BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILROAD (R2) train was moved southbound on the railroad tracks, I utilized the mobile ID device on the female victim. A positive hit for LISA BOLSON (V1) returned from WSP. I used the right index fingerprint scan of LISA BOLSON (V1) to submit an ABIS inquiry. A received a qualified candidate return for LISA BOLSON (V1) with a higher score than the other candidates. I completed a comparison of the right index fingerprint scan with the known right index finger of LISA BOLSON (V1). I found the two to be in agreement. I authored a BPD latent comparison report. See documents tab.

I inventoried the contents of LISA BOLSON (V1)'s backpack prior to impounding it into evidence. Inside the backpack, I located the following:

A WECU debit/credit card.

Whatcom Community College ID card.

Washington Quest card.

Unity Care NW paperwork and business card.

Three empty prescription medication bottles for LISA BOLSON (V1) from Unity Care NW. One $80 \, \text{mg}$ Latuda and two $20 \, \text{mg}$ Latuda. The bottles were prescribed/filled in either September or October of 2018.

A T-Mobile LG cell phone, powered on but locked.

A set of keys.

A wallet.

Miscellaneous receipts ranging from 10/2018 to 12/2018.

Other miscellaneous personal property.

Nothing further.

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PROPERTY

Report 7 of Follow-Up Author: KINGERY, ERIC Rpt Date: Dec 10 2018 4:20PM *Appvd*: **183** 16 Found / Seized Article: Clothes/Furs Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered: Impounded: Dec 10 2018 10:46PM Brand: Model: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE Value: License: State: Expires: Description: Jacket Hood (detached) Features: Found / Seized Article: Drugs/Narcotics Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered: Impounded: Dec 10 2018 10:46PM Brand: Model: Value: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE State: License: Expires: Description: Prescription Drug Bottles (empty) Features: Found / Seized Article: Other Property (Veh Trailers, All Other Property) Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered: Impounded: Dec 10 2018 10:47PM Brand: Model: Value: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE State: Expires: License: Description: Backpack Features: Found / Seized Article: Other Property (Veh Trailers, All Other Property) Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered: Impounded: Dec 10 2018 10:47PM Brand: Model: Value: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE License: State: Expires: Description: LG Tmobile Cell Phone Features: Found / Seized Article: Other Property (Veh Trailers, All Other Property) Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered:

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Model: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE

License: State: Expires:

Description: Whatcom CC ID Card

Features:

Found / Seized Article: Credit/Debit Cards

Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered:

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Brand:

Model: Value: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE

License: State: Expires:

Description: WECU Visa and WA Quest Card

Features:

Found / Seized Article: Purses/Handbags/Wallets

Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered:

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Brand:

Model: Value: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE

License: State: Expires:

Description: Wallet

Features:

Found / Seized Article: Other Property (Veh Trailers, All Other Property)

Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered:

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Brand:

Model: Value: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE

License: State: Expires:

Description: Keys

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At approx. 1524 hours, I responded to the scene of a pedestrian/train collision. Upon my arrival, I was asked to scan the scene using FARO. TO Ortega and I then took 8 scans of the scene along the side of the train. We were unable to scan from the opposite side of the train as it was disconnected from the engines and was therefore subject to rolling. We were advised by train personnel that we could not crawl under the train or go between the cars while it was unattached. After we were finished, we returned to the station. The SD card with the scans was impounded as evidence.

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Found / Seized Article: Computer Hardware/Software

Serial #. 1st Color: Recovered:

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Brand:

Model: Value: Owner: License: State: Expires:

Description: SD card

Features: SD card with FARO scans

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C5 BOLSON,	LAINIE CELESTE	<i>DOB</i> : May 13 1966	Age: 52	Sex: F	Race: W
SSN: R	CW 42.56.240.1		<i>Ht</i> : 510		<i>Wt</i> :150
Drivers Lic.: F	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St. WA	Eyes: BLU		<i>Hair</i> : Brown
Res Address: 2	500 30TH ST, BELLI	NGHAM, WA 98225	-		
Bus Address: 4	27 W HOLLY ST, BE	LLINGHAM, WA 98225			
Res Phone: (360) 733-8498	Bus Phone: (360) 647-006	6		
Cell Phone: (3	360) 961-7846				
AKAs:					
Features:					
C6 LAOLAGI, MELLIE	SOGIOLEMATIGI	<i>DOB</i> : Apr 7 1996	Age: 22	Sex: F	Race: I
SSN: R	CW 42.56.240.1		Ht: 503		<i>Wt</i> :150
Drivers Lic.: F	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St. WA	Eyes: BRO)	Hair.
Res Address: 3	237 ROBERTSON R	OAD, BELLINGHAM, WA 98226			
Bus Address:					
Res Phone:		Bus Phone:			
Cell Phone:					
AKAs:					
Features:					
P1 OPEL, MIC	HELLE EVONNE	DOB: Oct 9 1944	Age: 74	Sex: F	Race: W
SSN: R	CW 42.56.240.1		<i>Ht</i> : 509		<i>Wt</i> :220
Drivers Lic.: F	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St. WA	Eyes: HAZ		Hair.
Res Address: 1	510 N FOREST ST	218, BELLINGHAM, WA 98225			
Bus Address:					
Res Phone:		Bus Phone:			
Cell Phone: (3	360) 961-5697				
AKAs:					
Features:					
	ANTIQUES,	DOB:	Age:	Sex:	Race:
R3 ALADDINS					
R3 ALADDINS	CW 42.56.240.1		Ht:		Wt:
R3 ALADDINS SSN: R	CW 42.56.240.1 RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St.	Ht: Eyes:		Wt. Hair.
R3 ALADDINS SSN: R Drivers Lic.: F	RCW 42.56.240.1	Lic. St.			
R3 ALADDINS SSN: R Drivers Lic.: F Res Address: ,	RCW 42.56.240.1 WA	<i>Lic. St</i> : LLINGHAM, WA 98225			
R3 ALADDINS SSN: R Drivers Lic.: F Res Address: ,	RCW 42.56.240.1 WA		Eyes:		

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Features:

R4 HABITAT FOR HUMANITY STORE, DOB: Age: Sex: Race:

1825 CORNWALL AV

 SSN: RCW 42.56.240.1
 Ht.
 Wt.

 Drivers Lic.: RCW 42.56.240.1
 Lic. St.
 Eyes:
 Hair.

Res Address:

Bus Address: 1825 CORNWALL AV, BELLINGHAM, WA 98225

Res Phone: Bus Phone: (360) 715-9170

Cell Phone: AKAs: Features:

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Next of Kin Notification

On 12-10-2018 I heard Dispatch report the Train/Pedestrian collision near Boulevard Park.

Traffic Officer Leake and Stewart were on duty and responded to the scene. I was subsequently contacted by Lt. Almer who requested the Traffic Unit to scan the scene with the FARO Scanner.

I contacted Traffic Officer Ortega and requested he respond to the station and pick up the FARO Scanner and take it to the scene.

Traffic Officer Stewart requested some portable lights to help with the investigation. I brought the portable lights and the TOC to the scene to support the investigation.

Patrol Sgt. D. James was on scene when I arrived. He briefed me on where the investigation was and then turned the scene over to me.

TO Leake took the lead on the investigation and gathering the facts. TO Ortega and Stewart completed the FARO Scan.

CSI DeRuiter was on scene and took photos and contacted the Medical Examiner Goldfogel. Once the FARO Scan was complete, BNSF pulled the train forward so that CSI DeRuiter could take more photos and to take fingerprints to help identify the body.

The body was transported to the Medical Examiners Officer. The Bellingham Fire Department responded to spray water over the impact zone and BNSF gave the all clear for train traffic.

I notified DSO Cristelli when the train tracks were clear and Bellingham Police Personnel were clear of the scene.

On 12-11-2018 at approximately 1030 hours I was informed by CSI DeRuiter that ME Goldfogel had positively identified the body as LISA BOLSON (V1) and requested that I do the Death Notification.

He gave me a packet of information with a photo of LISA BOLSON (V1) and the next of kin as LAINIE BOLSON (C5).

I contacted the Support Officers and Tavv SHAVERS responded to the station to assist me with the Death Notification.

We first went to the ALADDINS ANTIQUES (R3) where she worked but she was not there. We then went to her residence and were told that she had taken her mother MICHELLE OPEL (P1) to the doctors office. I left a message on her phone to call me ASAP.

At approximalty 1300 hours I received a call from LAINIE BOLSON (C5) who said she was at HABITAT FOR HUMANITY (R4) because that is where her sister LISA BOLSON (V1) worked

Tavv SHAVERS and I responded to HABITAT FOR HUMANITY (R4) and contacted both LAINIE BOLSON (C5) and her mother MICHELLE OPEL (P1). I showed them a DOL photo of LISA BOLSON (V1) to confirm the relationship. I then informed them of the death of

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LAINIE BOLSON (C5) told us that her sister had mental health problems and was on medication. LISA had told the family that she was not suicidal. I gave them the phone number for Medical Examiner Goldfogel and asked them to give him a call. I also let them know we had Lisa's bike, backpack, wallet and cell phone in impound.

SHAVERS transported them home because we did not want either of them to drive due to their emotional state.

I also spoke with the HABITAT FOR HUMANITY (R4) Store Manager SOGIOLEMATIGI LAOLAGI (C6) and also informed her of the death of LISA BOLSON (V1). She told me that the staff there had noticed that she seemed down and depressed. I told her to call me if any of her staff needed support.

Nothing further.

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I uploaded the remaining 13 photographs that I took of the backpack and contents the day prior. They were labeled in this Longarm report as photographs 159-171. See photo tab.

Nothing further.

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Follow-Up Report 11 of Author: DERUITER, MICHAEL Rpt Date: Dec 11 2018 7:30AM Appvd: 189

Overnight, CSI Kingery conducted an ABIS inquery with the deceased's fingerprint scans stored in the Mobile ID unit. He conducted a side by side comparison and indicated LISA BOLSON (V1) was the deceased. I verified those results. See his follow up for details.

Independently, I searched LISA BOLSON (V1) SID number in ABIS and conducted an unofficial comparison of Bolson's known right thumb print with the right thumb print I obtained at the scene. They were in agreement.

The 'inked' impressions I obtained at the scene were impounded as evidence.

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On this day, I attended LISA BOLSON (V1)'s autopsy and used my department issued Nikon D7100 camera for documentation. Unfortunately, I did not notice that a camera setting had been moved until after the procedure and so close up photos of

Author: DERUITER, MICHAEL

Pictures 137-144 are general overview photos of the deceased.

Pictures 145-156 are mid range photos of the body.

Picture 157 shows the tattoo on LISA BOLSON (V1)'s back in full.

Picture 158 shows BOLSON's WA ID card.

LISA BOLSON (V1)'s face are out of focus.

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At the end of the procedure, my understanding was findings were consistent with a pedestrian/train collision. Drug and/or alcohol levels were awaiting lab results.

Nothing further at this time.

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At approximately 1632 hours, I responded to the scene of a pedestrian versus train collision at the North end of Boulevard Park. I was asked to scan the scene using FARO. I drove to the Police Department and grabbed FARO. TO Stewart and I then took 9 cans of the scene along the West side of the train. We were unable to scan from the opposite side of the train. We were advised not to go under or over the train as it was unsafe to do so. After we were finished, we returned to the station. OFC STEWART impounded the SD card with the scans into BPD Evidence and

On 12-12-2018, at about 1450 hrs, I went back the same location where LISA BOLSON (V1) and the train collided. The weather was overcast with clear visibility. The temperature was 39 degrees F. I walked to impact location. I stood at the shoe print on the railroad tie and measured from that location North. I used my Pro Laser, serial number LF05142, certified on 11-29-2018, to measure distances.

First measurement is from the shoe print to a tree North of the impact. The tree I measured to showed 450 feet. Sight distance beyond the tree was blocked by the tree.

OFC HORTON utilized the BPD drone. I had OFC HORTON fly the drone at the approximate height of the engineer of the train. I had OFC HORTON fly the drone North past the tree I mentioned earlier. Once out of sight, I had him begin to fly South. While I was standing near the impact, I had OFC HORTON fly until he could see me. OFC HORTON stopped his drone at 455' North of the impact area. I had the drone stay at its current location. I walked to the drone and took a measurement from the drone to my point of impact and obtained the same distance of 455'.

With the information was trying to locate the point of possible perception of the train operator to the point of impact. This distance is 450 feet + / - 5'. This does not mean LISA BOLSON (V1) was standing in or near the tracks when the train was 455' away. It simply means the engineer could see the impact location.

Nothing further at this time.

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NARRATIVE

Follow-Up Report 14 of Author: LEAKE, LEWIS Rpt Date: Feb 11 2019 8:00AM Appvd: 183

I received a copy of the attached autopsy report on LISA BOLSON (V1). Whatcom County Medical Examiner GARY GOLDFOGEL determined the cause of death [Deleted as per 68.50.105.1 & 75].

This case is closed.

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Follow-Up Report 15 of Author: KOLBY, PETER Rpt Date: Jan 29 2019 9:00AM Appvd: 155

On 1/29/2019 I collected several items from the Medical Examiner's office to include LISA BOLSON (V1) blue lighter, piece of a pink lighter, a WA DL and an arm to pink glasses. The items were impounded for safekeeping and a copy of the chain of custody from was scanned with this report.

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PROPERTY

Follow-Up Report 15 of Author. KOLBY, PETER Rpt Date: Jan 29 2019 9:00AM Appvd: 155

Found / Seized Article: Other Property (Veh Trailers, All Other Property)

Serial #: 1st Color: Recovered:

Impounded: Jan 30 2019 10:00AM

Brand:

Model: Owner: BOLSON, LISA NOELLE

License: State: Expires:

Description: DL, two lighters, arm to pink glasses

Features: Items received from ME's office.

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Follow-Up	Report 16 of	Author: BROWN, KENNETH	Rpt Date: Jun 5 2019 4:30PM	Appvd: 183
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I received an Amended Autopsy Report from the medical examiner's office. It was submitted for scanning to this case.

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Email *	lucas.koole@ucnw.org	
Phone	(360) 788-2690	
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How would you like to access records found using the records search criteria above?
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Mail CD/DVD (\$3.50 - 10.00 per disk plus shipping and handling)
Notes:
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Kelli Linville, Mayor David Doll, Chief of Police 505 Grand Avenue, Bellingham, Washington 98225 Telephone: (360) 778-8800

Fax: (360) 778-8601 Administration Fax: (360) 778-8701 Records

December 20, 2018

Requestor: Lucas Koole

Dear Sir or Madam:

RE: Acknowledgement of PDR for 18B73603

I am writing to inform you that the City has received your request and to provide a reasonable estimate of the time the City will need to respond to your request as required by RCW 42.56.520(3).

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If you are requesting a collision report you can obtain a copy directly through Buycrash.com. There is a fee but you receive a copy immediately. If you chose to go through Buycrash.com please advise this office so we can pull your initial request.

See RCW 42.56.080 and RCW 42.56.120.

Sincerely,

B. Nyhus/914 Records Supervisor

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Bellingham Police Department Outside LEA Request for Records or Evidence

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Record/Service Requested: RAP Sheet (BPD convictions only) RAP Sheet (BPD convictions and non-convictions) NCIC III Offense/Arrest Report 188-73603	
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Requested by: Whatcom County Medical Examiner MAcle 8 8 9 9 Name	
Please contact me by Phone X Fax Mail FAX (360) 922-70574	
1 understand that the Criminal History information provided by the Bellingham Police Department and released to my costody will NOT be released to my anauthorized persons pursuant to Title 28, Chapter 1, Part 20-CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION.	;4
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Whatcom County Medical Examiner's Office 1500 N. State Street

Bellingham, WA, 98225 360-738-4557 Phone 360-734-0467 Fax

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Whatcom County Medical Examiner's Office 1500 N. State Street Bellingham, WA, 98225 360-738-4557 Phone 360-734-0467 Fax

Chain of Evidence Custody Record Evidence collected from: WCME Case #_ A-124-18 BOLSON, LISA, N. DOB 7-6-63 Law enforcement: Police case # Collected 12-11-18 BPD 18873603 ID Source: Collected at: 71 Evidence collected, labeled and secured by: Person releasing custody Person / business receiving custody of of specimens (signature) specimens (signature for 0939

Hedrick, Melissa J.

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From:

Leake, Lewis L.

Sent:

Monday, December 17, 2018 1:37 PM

To:

Grp.PD.Evidence

Subject:

#18B73603 - Death Investigation

Hello All,

Please be advised the above investigation has been completed and impounded property may be released.

Buzz

Lewis L. Leake Traffic Officer Bellingham Police 505 Grand Av. Bellingham, WA 98225 360-778-8630

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LATENT PRINT REPORT

Examiner: E. Kingery 270 Date: December 10th, 2018

Requested by: E. Kingery 270

BPD Case Number: 18B73603 – Death Investigation

Evidence Description:

Item 1: Mobile ID device scan of Victim's right index finger.

Item 2: Known right index finger of Bolson, Lisa N. 07/06/1962, SID #

Examination Results: I compared Item 1 with Item 2 and found the two were in agreement, therefore, Lisa N. Bolson 07/06/1962 was identified as the victim in this investigation.

I certify under penalty of perjury:

I examined the fingerprints in question.
 This is a true and accurate report from the Bellingham Police Department.

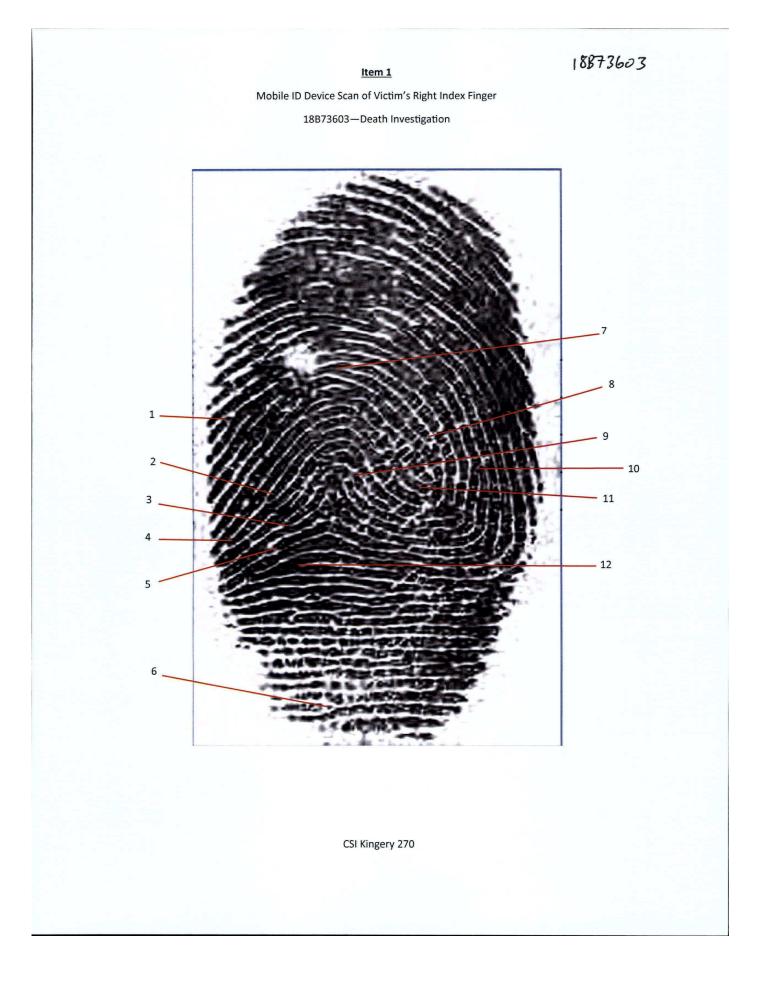
This document contains results of a comparison which I conducted. I have been a commissioned officer since 2014, a Crime Scene Investigator since 2017, and I have received training in The Science of Fingerprints, Fundamentals of Latent Fingerprint Examination, and Fingerprint and Palmprint Search Clues and Orientation.

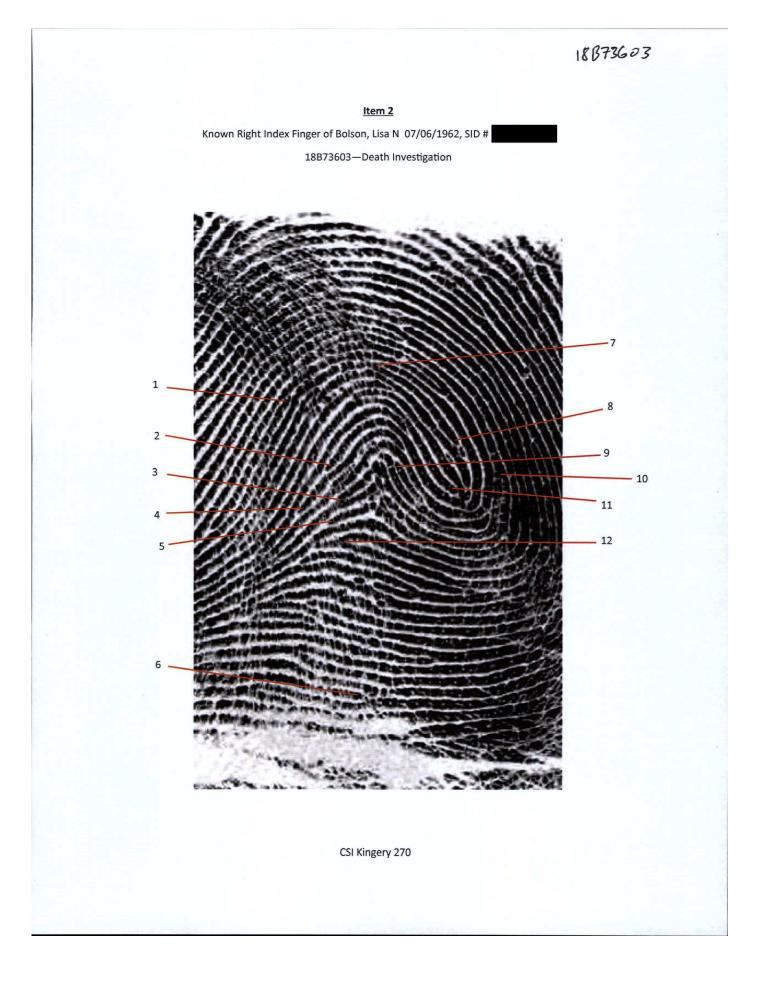
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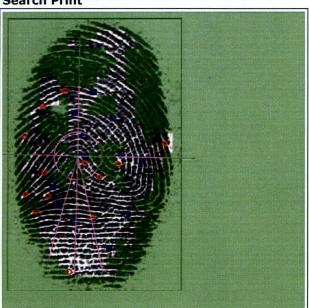




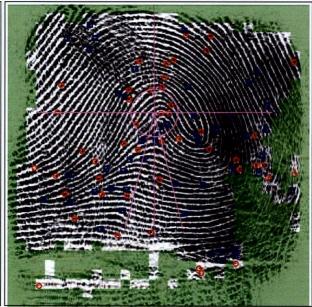
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Latent Verification Report

Search Print



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Job Information

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REQUEST FOR PUBLIC RECORDS

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Section 3 Completed by employee making notification to requester This completed form is an open public document and may be released to any requestor unless exempt by law SECTION 1: Records Request Name Of Requester: Everett To assist with record identification, please include case numbers or dates, type of incident, Request made: specific information sought, names of those involved, if known. ☑ in person I wish to ☐ inspect A receive a copy of the following specific record(s): □ by phone Keipor □ by fax □ by mail □ by email Attach request Requester Signature: A notification will be made within five business days to either (1) provide the record, (2) acknowledge the receipt of the request and establish the time it will take to release the record, or (3) deny the record. SECTION 2: Agency Response ALLOW ACCESS Charges applied for copies over 25 pages. Pgs @ \$.15 = D DELETIONS DESCRIBED IN ATTACHED RESPONSE DENY ACCESS **Postage** □ REFER TO PROSECUTOR (City 778-8290 or County 676-6784) ☐ WE DO NOT HAVE THE RECORD(S) **TOTAL DUE \$** Employee Name And Number Preparing Date: SECTION 3: Reques Name Of Person Notified: Notification Made Via: Employee Name And Number Making D PAID CASH Notification: ☐ in person ☐ phone ☐ fax □ mail D PAID CHECK ☐ UPDATE L/A POL173 REV 12/2009



Kelli Linville, Mayor Clifford R. Cook, Chief of Police 505 Grand Avenue, Bellingham, Washington 98225 Fax: (360) 778-8800 Fax: (360) 778-8701 Records

Date: December 14, 2018

Requestor: Greg Beam/BNSF Railway

Dear Sir or Madam:

RE: Acknowledgement of PDR/18B73603

I am writing to inform you that the City has received your request and to provide a reasonable estimate of the time the City will need to respond to your request as required by RCW 42.56.520(3).

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See RCW 42.56.080 and RCW 42.56.120.

Sincerely,

Erin Herschlip Records Manager

K.Lattig/979 Police Support Services Specialist

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Print Date: June 12, 2020 18B73603 - (D6) Page: 2 of 3

Powers, Karen T.

From:

Powers, Karen T.

Sent:

Wednesday, February 6, 2019 4:01 PM

To:

'greg.beam@bnsf.com' Requested report attached

Subject: Attachments:

BNSF_18B73603.pdf

Here is the case that you requested. Our response is completed.

Karen Powers

Print Date: June 12, 2020

Police Support Services Specialist Bellingham Police Department 505 Grand Avenue Bellingham WA 98225 360.778.8700 / 360.778.8701 fax

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DOCUMENT REDACTIONS

The following case documents have been redacted:

Document Date	Document Type	RCWcode	Exemption Code
12/11/2018	Teletypes	42.56.240.1	71
12/11/2018	Other Agency Documents	42.56.240.1	71
12/11/2018	Medical	68.50.105.1	75
12/11/2019	Medical	68.50.105.1	75

Case Date

City of Bellingham Police Department

Print Date

2018-24-10 15:24 **CAD Report**

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Incident History for: BP18000073603

Case Number: 18B73603

Dispatched: 12/10/2018 3:26:00 PM

Enroute: 12/10/2018 3:26:00 PM Dispatch Op ID: WC967

On Scene: 12/10/2018 3:46:00 PM Final Type:

Closed: 12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM Officer: BP144

Initial Type: MVAPEC

Disposition: R

Police Block: BP8220

Location: 400 BAYVIEW DR

Name: LISA

Address:

Phone: (800) 832-5452

June 12, 2020 Page: 2 of 4

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Incident History for: BP18000073603

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12/10/2018 3:25:00 PM	WC921	ENTRY		2ND TO RP FROM TRAIN / SB TRAIN VS PEDESTRIAN /
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12/10/2018 3:32:00 PM	WC737	SUPP		BF15552:E2 NORTH END OF PARK GOING IN TO INVESTIGATE
12/10/2018 3:33:00 PM	WC737	SUPP		BF15552:E2 CD GRN ALL INCOMING M1 AND E2 CAN HANDLE
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12/10/2018 3:43:00 PM WC967	DISP K11	#BP172 DERUITER, MICHAEL
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12/10/2018 3:43:00 PM WC967	DISPER K11	#BP172 DERUITER, MICHAEL
12/10/2018 3:44:00 PM WC737	SUPP	BF15553:SUPPORT EN ROUTE ETA ABOUT 5
12/10/2018 3:46:00 PM WC967	ONSCN 1P58 E	#BP144 LEAKE, LEWIS
12/10/2018 3:49:00 PM WC967	SUPP	1P52 SPECIAL AGENT SARTAIN ENROUTE 40 MINS //360-303-1926
12/10/2018 3:49:00 PM WC967	ONSCN K3 E	#BP256 YODER, JEFFERY
12/10/2018 4:01:00 PM WC724	SUPP	BF15552:PER A REQU FROM E2,PUBLIC WORKS SENDING A CREW OUT TO ASSIST WITH SIGNAGE
12/10/2018 4:02:00 PM WC737	SUPP	BF15552:E2 REQ'ING CITY CREW FOR BARRICADES AND TRAFFIC CONTROL IN BOULEVARD
12/10/2018 4:06:00 PM WC737	SUPP	BF15552:E2 ALSO REQ'ING LIGHTING TO BRING TO SCENE
12/10/2018 4:20:00 PM WC737	SUPP	BF15552:SPOKE TO GREG W/AFTER HRS POST POINT WHO ADVSED HE WOULD ATTEMPT TO REACH CREW ON RADIO REF LIGHTING
12/10/2018 4:24:00 PM BP270	DISP 3P31	#BP270 KINGERY, ERIC
12/10/2018 4:24:00 PM BP270	DISPER 3P31	#BP270 KINGERY, ERIC
12/10/2018 4:29:00 PM BP277	CLEAR 2P15	#BP277 ROORDA, MCKENZIE
12/10/2018 4:40:00 PM WC921	ONSCN 3P31 E	#BP270 KINGERY, ERIC
12/10/2018 5:25:00 PM WC967	ONSCN 1P50 E	#BP121 LANHAM, CARR
12/10/2018 6:13:00 PM WC967	ONSCN 1P50 E	#BP121 LANHAM, CARR

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12/10/2018 6:37:00 PM BP189	CLEAR	2P22	#BP189 JAMES, DENNIS
12/10/2018 7:31:00 PM BP277	DISP	2P15	#BP277 ROORDA, MCKENZIE
12/10/2018 7:31:00 PM BP277	DISPER	2P15	#BP277 ROORDA, MCKENZIE
12/10/2018 7:54:00 PM WC967	SUPP		1P50 TRAIN IS CLEAR
12/10/2018 7:59:00 PM BP277	CLEAR	2P15	#BP277 ROORDA, MCKENZIE
12/10/2018 8:13:00 PM WC729	SUPP		BF15553:3P31 REQUESTING FIRE RETURN TO WASH DOWN TRACKS
12/10/2018 8:27:00 PM WC967	CLEAR	1P52	#BP227 STEWART, SCOTT
12/10/2018 8:49:00 PM WC967	CLEAR	2P18	#BP304 REED, TYLER #BP250 SERAD, ZACKERY
12/10/2018 9:00:00 PM WC967	CLEAR	K11	#BP172 DERUITER, MICHAEL
12/10/2018 9:00:00 PM WC967	DISPER	3P31	#BP270 KINGERY, ERIC
12/10/2018 9:13:00 PM BP270	ONSCN E	3P31	#BP270 KINGERY, ERIC
12/10/2018 9:38:00 PM WC967	CLEAR	1P50	#BP121 LANHAM, CARR
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CHANG E		Call was CLEARED:
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CHANG E		Reporting Officer:CHANGED TO:BPBP144
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CHANG E		Cleared by:CHANGED TO:R
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CLEAR	1P58	#BP144 LEAKE, LEWIS
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CLEAR	K3	#BP256 YODER, JEFFERY
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	DISPER	3P31	#BP270 KINGERY, ERIC
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CLEAR	3P31	#BP270 KINGERY, ERIC
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CHANG E		Call was REOPENED/REQUEUED:REOPENED CALL
12/10/2018 9:39:00 PM WC967	CHANG E		Call was CLEARED:

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Statutory References

Reference	Descripton
42.56.240.1 & 71	Effective Law Enforcement - Protection of Privacy
	Specific intelligence information and specific investigative records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, and penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement or for the protection of any person's right to privacy;
68.50.105.1 & 75	Autopsies Protected Autopsies, post mortems-Reports and records confidential.
70.02.005.4 & 78	Medical Records Held By Other Agencies Cannot Be Disclosed Persons other than health care providers obtain, use, and disclose health record information in many different contexts and for many different purposes. It is the public policy of this state that a patient's interest in the proper use and disclosure of the patient's health care information survives even when the information is held by persons other than health care providers.