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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	17-371-UF	Version Type:	ORIGINAL VERSION
Report Date:	7/14/2017 4:43 PM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Laredo Police Dept.	Agency Address:	4712 Maher Avenue
Agency City:	Laredo	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	78041		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Chief	Director First Name:	Claudio
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Trevino, Jr.		
Reporter Name:	Lt. Ricardo Gonzalez	Reporter Email:	rgonzalez3@ci.laredo.tx.us

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Antonio

Middle Name: Gerardo

Last Name: Rodriguez

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 9/28/1961 Sex: Male

Race: Hispanic or Latino

Age At Time Of Death: 55

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 6/2/2017 5:00 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 6/2/2017 5:37 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 pending

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

Manner of Death: Pending autopsy results

Medical Cause of Death:

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Medical Examiner's autopsy report is pending.

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

Medical Treatment:	Not Applicable

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

Who caused the death?:	Unknown person(s) caused the injury

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?:	Handgun

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:	5300 McPherson Rd.	City:	Laredo
County:	Webb	Zip:	78041

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

Location Category: Business

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

Type of Custody: Pre-Custodial Use of Force

Specific type of custody/facility:

Specific Type of Custody/Facility:

Custody of Law Enforcement Personnel during/fleeing arrest

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: Medical facility

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:

Murder F/1

Offense 2:

Attempted Capital Murder F/1

Offense 3:

Aggravated Assault Against Public Servant F/1

Were the Charges::	Filed

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

Type of Offense:	Violent Crime Against Persons

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 law enforcement personnel; Attempted to injure

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):	Unknown	Make suicidal statements?:	No
Exhibit any mental health problems?:	No	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?:	Yes
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	Yes	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	Yes
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	Yes	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	Yes
Attempt gain possession officer's weapon:	Yes		

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:

On June 2, 2017, at approximately 5:00 pm, LPD Officers located a murder suspect vehicle inside a parking lot to a convenience store. Upon approach, the decedent exited the vehicle, firing a handgun at the two officers. One officer was struck on the upper torso area and the second one was struck on the face. The decedent then disarmed one of the injured officers and engaged other officers as they arrived on the scene to assist. A third officer was shot on the leg and a fourth officer received shrapnel injury to the arm as a result of decedent's gunfire. Ultimately, the decedent suffered multiple gunshot wounds from officers' gunfire and a self-inflected shot to the chest. The decedent was transported to a near-by hospital for further medical treatment, but was pronounced dead at the medical facility by the attending physician.