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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	17-569-UF	Version Type:	ORIGINAL VERSION
Report Date:	10/31/2017 3:15 PM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Rockwall Police Dept.	Agency Address:	205 W. Rusk
Agency City:	Rockwall	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	75087		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Chief	Director First Name:	Kirk
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Riggs		
Reporter Name:	Edward Fowler	Reporter Email:	efowler@rockwall.com

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Felix

Middle Name:

Last Name: Reyes

Suffix: Jr.

Date of Birth: 5/22/1979 Sex: Male

Race: Hispanic or Latino

Age At Time Of Death: 38

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 9/21/2017 12:01 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 9/21/2017 12:39 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)

Homicide (includes

Manner of Death:	Justifiable Homicide)

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:
Gunshot Wound of the Back

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?:	Law enforcement/correctional personnel

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:	325 Lake Meadows Drive	City:	Rockwall
County:	Rockwall	Zip:	75087

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

Location Category: Parking lot/garage

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:

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: 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:

Attempted Capital Murder of Peace Officer

Offense 2:

Aggravated Assault Causes Serious Bodily Injury-Family Member

Offense 3:

Evading Arrest/Detention

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: 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: Used vehicle as weapon

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:	Attempted to injure law enforcement personnel

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

Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs):	Yes	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:	No
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	No	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	Yes
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:

On Thursday, September 21, 2017, at approximately 10:44am the Rockwall Police Department received a call of a female victim being assaulted in an apartment located at 325 Lake Meadows Drive, Rockwall, Texas. The suspect, Felix Reyes, attempted to leave the scene and subsequently fled from responding officers in a motor vehicle. The victim, Mr. Reyes' wife, was subsequently hospitalized due to the injuries she had sustained during the assault by her husband. At approximately 12:01pm Mr. Reyes returned to the apartment

complex parking lot. Officers were notified that Mr. Reyes was back at the location and attempted to take him into custody for the Aggravated Assault Serious Bodily Injury-Family Member, an existing warrant for Assault-Continual Family Violence and Evading Detention-Motor Vehicle; However, Mr. Reyes began violently ramming his SUV into an officer's squad car endangering numerous officers on the scene. Officers at the scene attempted to stop Mr. Reyes' assaultive actions by utilizing a less than lethal shotgun and beanbag rounds, but these failed to stop him from ramming the squad car. Mr. Reyes was shot by an officer on the scene due to the assault against all officers and the fact he was about to escape and posed an immediate and direct threat to all officers and civilians.