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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	18-533-CJ	Version Type:	ORIGINAL VERSION
Report Date:	6/20/2018 7:50 AM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Jasper County Sheriff's Dept.	Agency Address:	101 Burch Street
Agency City:	Jasper	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	75951		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Sheriff	Director First Name:	Mitchel
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	Newman		
Reporter Name:	Glenn Blank	Reporter Email:	glenn.blank@co.jasper.tx.us

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Joel

Middle Name: Christian

Last Name: Parker

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 4/28/2018 Sex: Male

Race: Anglo or White

Age At Time Of Death: 0

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 6/6/2018 10:32 AM

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

Death Date and Time: 6/7/2018 11:00 AM

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:

Medical Cause of Death:

Unknown at this time

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?:	Not applicable

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?:	Not Applicable

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:	Other, specify
Means of Death Other:	Possible Heat Stroke/Exhaustion

Location / Custody Information

Where did the event causing the death occur?

Street Address: 0000 CR 792
City: Buna
County: Jasper
Zip: 77612

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

Location Category: Roadway/highway/street/sidewalk

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

Type of Custody: County Jail

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: 3/27/2018 6:19 PM

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?: No

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:

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Offense 2:

Credit Card or Debit Card Abuse

Offense 3:

Were the Charges:: A probation/parole violation

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

Type of Offense: Crime Against Property

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: No

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

Attempt to Injure Others?: No

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?: No

Exhibit any mental health problems?: No

Exhibit any medical problems?: Yes

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

Barricade self or initiate standoff?:	No	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:

On June 6, 2018 at approximately 10:30 or 11:00 AM, Inmate Parker became incoherent while volunteering to work as a member that picks up trash on the side of the road. An ambulance was contacted and Inmate Parker was transported by EMS to Baptist Hospital in Beaumont for possible heat exhaustion/stroke. On June 7, 2018 at approximately 10:30 AM, Sheriff Newman was contacted by the Jail Administrator, Maurice Villasana and notified that Inmate Parker had passed away. An autopsy was ordered as the death occurred in Jefferson County without having to be requested by our agency. Texas Rangers have been notified and are conduding an investigation.