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ATTORNEY GENERAL of TEXAS

CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number:	22-1554-UF	Version Type:	AMENDED
Report Date:	6/5/2023 12:30 PM	Status:	Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name:	Wood County Sheriff's Dept.	Agency Address:	PO BOX 307
Agency City:	Quitman	Agency State:	TX
Agency Zip:	75783		

Director Information

Director Salutation:	Sheriff	Director First Name:	tom
Director Middle Name:			
Director Last Name:	castloo		
Reporter Name:	Michael Chilson	Reporter Email:	mchilson@mywoodcounty.com

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Timothy

Middle Name: Wayne

Last Name: Hodges

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 7/22/1990 Sex: Male

Race: Anglo or White

Age At Time Of Death: 32

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

Date/Time of Custody or Incident: 11/4/2022 6:54 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 11/4/2022 6:54 PM

Manner / Cause of Death

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

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

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

Manner of Death: Homicide (includes Justifiable Homicide)

Medical Cause of Death:

Medical Cause of Death:

Preliminary Cause of Death: Multiple Gunshot wounds
FINAL AUTOPSY RESULTS: MANNER OF DEATH MULTIPLE GUNSHOT WOUNDS/ HOMICIDE

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?: 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:	FM 852 at FM 2088	City:	Winnsboro
County:	Wood	Zip:	75494

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: 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: Scene of incident

General Information

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

Other Agencies Respond?:	Yes

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

	Offense 1:
Aggravated Assault of Public Servant	
	Offense 2:
	Offense 3:
Were the Charges::	Not filed at time of death

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

Type of Offense:	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:	Displayed firearm without discharge

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; Injured civilian(s) or other inmate(s)

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

Appear intoxicated (alcohol or drugs):	Yes	Make suicidal statements?:	Yes
Exhibit any mental health problems?:	Yes	Exhibit any medical problems?:	Unknown

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

Barricade self or initiate standoff?:	Yes	Resist being handcuffed or arrested?:	No
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	Yes	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	No
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	Unknown	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	Unknown
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 11/4/2022 at approximately 5:40pm, Texas DPS was dispatched to a “vehicle rollover with a possibly intoxicated male driver trying to flee on foot.” DPS requested assistance from a closer unit. Deputies arrived on scene, located a male driver and directed him to the ambulance to be treated by EMS. The male driver ran out of the ambulance and retrieved a firearm from his vehicle. The male driver held the firearm to his head and stated to Deputies to kill him or he would do it. Deputies attempted to de-escalate the situation. During this time, a less-lethal Taser device was deployed at the subject. The less-lethal device was not effective in getting the subject to drop his weapon. The subject sat down and continued to point the weapon at his own head. Deputies continued to give verbal commands to the subject to put his weapon down. The subject pointed the firearm at a Deputy. The Deputy fired his weapon in order to protect his own life, as well as the lives of the other Emergency Services Personnel in the immediate area, injuring the subject. The Deputy continued to give verbal commands to the subject and the subject reached for the weapon, causing the

Deputy to have to fire again. After the subject stopped reaching for the firearm, the Deputies rushed in, detained the subject and yelled for Paramedics to come to the aid of the subject. The subject was taken to the hospital where he was pronounced deceased.