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CFS NO 1200704559	INCIDENT DATE 12/14/2012	TIME 09:41	INCIDENT DATE 12/14/2012	TIME	PRIMARY OFFICER JEWISS, DANIEL E.	BADGE NO 0336	INVESTIGATING OFFICER PETERS, ALISON A.	BADGE NO 0816
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SANDY HOOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SHOOTING TIMELINE

ACTION TAKEN: During this investigation, Det Downs and I compiled a timeline for the events of the Sandy Hook Elementary School Shooting that took place on 12-14-12. This timeline was put together utilizing the following information: Newtown 911 and routine telephone calls, State Police 911 and routine telephone calls, Newtown and State Police radio transmissions, and the statements of the first responders and witnesses. The timeline report was completed as a word document. See attached timeline report.

After each entry, I noted the reference material from which the information was obtained. At times, the information was obtained from more than one source and that was noted also. The times depicted for the State Police dash cameras is correct on the timeline and different from the actual dash cam report. (Refer to supplemental report regarding this discrepancy)

CASE STATUS: This case will remain active pending further investigation.

THE UNDERSIGNED, AN INVESTIGATOR HAVING BEEN DULY SWORN, DEPOSES AND SAYS THAT: I AM THE WRITER OF THE ATTACHED POLICE REPORT PERTAINING TO THIS INCIDENT NUMBER. THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED THEREIN WAS SECURED AS A RESULT OF (1) MY PERSONAL OBSERVATION AND KNOWLEDGE; OR (2) INFORMATION RELAYED TO ME BY OTHER MEMBERS OF MY POLICE DEPARTMENT OR OF ANOTHER POLICE DEPARTMENT; OR (3) INFORMATION SECURED BY MYSELF OR ANOTHER MEMBER OF A POLICE DEPARTMENT FROM THE PERSON OR PERSONS NAMED OR IDENTIFIED THEREIN, AS INDICATED IN THE ATTACHED REPORT. THAT THE REPORT IS AN ACCURATE STATEMENT OF THE INFORMATION SO RECEIVED BY ME.

INVESTIGATOR SIGNATURE: <b>/TFC ALISON A PETERS/</b> <i>Alison A Peters</i>	INVESTIGATOR I.D.#: 0816	REPORT DATE: 08/27/2013 03:40 pm 02412	SUPERVISOR SIGNATURE: <i>Sgt. [Signature]</i>	SUPERVISOR I.D.#: 130
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# Connecticut State Police-Western District Major Crime Squad



Black=Newtown "911" Calls

Purple=CSP Centralized Dispatch "911" Calls

Blue=Newtown PD Dash Cams (operator)

Red= CSP Dash Cam (operator)

Green=Newtown PD Radio Transmissions

Orange=CSP Radio Transmissions and Routine Phone Calls (not "911")

Olive= Statements

*\*\*The following is only intended to be a summary of the events that occurred on December 14, 2012, including excerpts of conversations contained on "911" calls and radio transmissions. This summary is not inclusive of every word recorded.*

*The following summary also includes descriptions of some images retrieved from mobile video recorders that were deemed to be pertinent to this investigation, and images described in this timeline are not inclusive of every image seen on the videos.*

*The programmed times on several mobile video recorders were found to have been set incorrectly. For the purpose of this summary, those times have been corrected to reflect the actual time as determined by utilizing accurately documented communications from the dispatch center and now correlate with the times of the dispatch centers and properly set mobile video recorders.*

09:30:00 The front door at Sandy Hook Elementary, hereinafter referred to as SHES, is locked. Entry to SHES is made by being buzzed in by the main office personnel. ( 04 's Statement)

09:30:00 Parent 01 02, 04 arrives at SHES for the gingerbread house event and has to be buzzed into SHES. At around 9:34, 01 02, 04 hears gunfire, reports approx 15 shots. (01 02, 04 Statement)

09:35:00 Parent 01 02, 04 arrives at SHES. While walking from the parking lot, he notices nine (9) children (room 10) running down the sidewalk in front of SHES. He recognizes one of the children. (01 02, 04 's Statement)

9:35:39 –First call received to Newtown Police on 911 from 04, 03 : Caller ( 04 ) reports she saw the shooter. 04 makes the call from the nurse's office after the shooter left the office. ( 04 Statement)

04 : "They're still running ...still shooting Sandy Hook school please.....ohhhh." – call lasts 24 seconds.

**09:35:43 Rick Thorne- Custodian – First 911 call to the CSP Centralized Dispatch (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911 call)**

09:35:56 Newtown Police Officers inside the police department are informed of the shooting at SHES and immediately leave the police department. (Newtown PD surveillance video)

09:36:00 As 01 02, 04 arrives to the covered patio at the front of SHES, he hears gunfire inside the school and notices that the front entrance window is shot out. He calls 911 and runs down the sidewalk in the front of the school toward the playscape (east side) of school to 01 02, 04 's classroom. 04 ) (No record of 911 call connecting) ( 01 02, 04 's Statement)

**09:36:06 Newtown Police Dispatch broadcasts that there is a shooting at SHES. (Newtown radio)**

9:36:06 Dispatcher Nute: " 67 (Officer McGowan) Sandy Hook School caller is indicating she thinks there is someone shooting in building."

**9:36:13 – Rick Thorne's 911 call is transferred to Newtown Police. (Newtown 911 calls)**

9:36:25 Officer Seabrook hears the broadcast and is enroute to SHES from the Newtown/Monroe line. (Officer Seabrook's video)

**9:36:38 Newtown Sgt Kullgren hears broadcast and is enroute to SHES: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6, I am enroute."

04 arrives at SHES and sees the 9 children running from the school. At the time that she saw the children, she was at the stop sign of Dickinson Drive and the school parking lot. ( 04 Statement)

04 walks to the front door of SHES and sees that the front window is shot out. She hears gunfire in the school. ( 04 Statement)

04 arrives at SHES shortly after 04 . She also sees the children running near the stop sign. Both women meet at the front door and upon hearing gunfire, run to the dumpsters on the west side of the school to hide. ( 04 s Statement)

09:36:48 04 are behind the dumpsters. 04 calls 911 to report the shooting. 04 Statement and CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

**09:36:48 Newtown Police responding are informed that possible entry was made to SHES through the front: (Newtown radio)**

9:36:48 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Units responding, units responding to Sandy Hook school, the front glass has been broken out of the school. They are unsure why."

**9:36:49 Rick Thorne reports that SHES is in lockdown and he is hearing gunshots. (Newtown 911 call)**



Thorne: *"It's still happening."*

09:37:14 Thorne: *"Yes, I'm not in the front... I'm actually down the other part, but I'm close."*

09:37:21 Nute: *"Ok do you see anything or hear anything more?"*

09:37:23 Thorne: *"I keep hearing shooting, I can't...I keep hearing popping."*

**9:37:27 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: *"All units, the individual that I have on the phone is continuing to hear what he believes to be gunfire."* (Newtown radio)**

**9:37:38 CSP personnel dispatched to SHES: (CSP Radio)**

*CSP Dispatcher Brennan: "Troop A to all A cars Troop A to all A cars, be advised Newtown has an active shooter ...active shooting... the Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown."*

9:37:39 Officer Chapman is traveling on Church Hill Rd enroute to SHES from the police department. Newtown Sgt Kullgren is the lead car in the black SUV. Officer McGowan is driving directly in front of Officer Chapman. (Officer Chapman's video)

Officer Smith is traveling behind Officer Chapman. Upon arrival to SHES, he enters the parking lot on the right. He meets up with Officer Chapman in the front of SHES. (Officer Smith's Statement)

**9:37:40 Newtown Sgt Kullgren gives instructions to Newtown officers responding to the scene: (Newtown radio)**

*Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6 to 95( Officer Seabrook) , 67 (Officer McGowan) if you come up the rear of the school, on that Crestwood the back road, the other units will take a staging point in the driveway."*

**09:38:00 [REDACTED] 04 calls 911. Telephone call received at centralized dispatch by CSP Sgt Roach. [REDACTED] 04 tells Sgt Roach that she is at Sandy Hook School and someone is shooting guns. She tells Sgt Roach that she is injured in the foot. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)**

**9:38:07 Rick Thorne reports that he is still hearing gunshots: (Newtown 911)**

Thorne: *"Something is happening."*

**9:38:23 Rick Thorne reports that he no longer hears shooting: (Newtown 911)**

Thorne: *"Yea, uh...now it's silent."*

09:38:24 Sgt Bahamonde is driving on Church Hill Rd enroute to SHES from the police department. The cruiser in front is Officer Penna. (Sgt Bahamonde's video)

**9:38:40 CSP Sgt Cario gives instructions to responding CSP personnel to the scene. (CSP radio)**

*CSP Sgt Cario: "Start all our western patrols that way. Patrol one (1) slide down to the highway and the eastern patrols cover the rest."*

09:38:43 01 02, 04 – parent in conference room #9, calls 911 and it is answered by CSP Dispatcher LaPrade. 01 02, 04 tells Dispatcher LaPrade that she is in a conference room with five (5) adults and one has been shot twice. 01 02, 04 tells Dispatcher LaPrade that she believes that the shooter is right outside the door and that the shooter has already shot a hundred times. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

09:38:44 01 02, 04 still on the telephone with CSP Dispatcher (LaPrade) and reports that she believes the shooter is right outside the door. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

**9:38:50 State Police are informed that SHES is in lockdown by Newtown. (CSP radio)**

CSP Dispatcher Brennan: *"Okay school is now in lockdown."*

**9:38:53 Newtown Police Officer McGowan calls he is out on Crestwood. (Newtown radio)**

9:38:53 Officer McGowan: *"67 to S6 (Sgt Kullgren) I am going up Crestwood."*

9:39:00 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"Roger that, we will stage up here in the front and we will go from there."*

**9:38:57 Rick Thorne reports about someone seeing shadows outside SHES:**

Thorne: *"Ok, the gym teacher told me they saw shadows going past the gym."*

**The shadows are believed to be the teachers in conference room #20 (west hallway), who escaped out the window and ran to the Subway Restaurant on Church Hill Rd. (Newtown 911)**

**09:39:00 Newtown Officer McGowan arrives behind SHES on Crestwood. (Newtown radio)**

09:39:12 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: *"67 you're on Crestwood, Crestwood?"*

9:39:16 Officer McGowan: *"Roger."*

9:39:13 Newtown Sgt Kullgren and Officer Chapman arrive at SHES and park on the driveway near the ball field. Gunshots are heard in the background. (Officer Chapman's video) Both officers report that they hear gunshots upon arrival in their statements. Officer McGowan, when approaching SHES from the rear, reported hearing numerous gunshots. Officer Smith also reported hearing gunshots upon arrival. (Sgt Kullgren's and Officer Chapman's Statements)

9:39:22 01 02, 04 is still on the telephone with CSP Dispatcher LaPrade and gunshots are heard in the background of the telephone call. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

09:39:32 01 02, 04 *"I'm here...he's outside the door."*

9:39:23 04 is still on the telephone with CSP Sgt Roach and gunshots are heard in the background. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

04 *"Oh gosh, I can still hear shooting."*



**04** : *"Oh my god...he's still shooting...whoever it is...is still shooting."*

**9:39:24** Rick Thorne is still on the telephone with Newtown Dispatcher Nute. Gunshots are heard in the background. (Newtown 911)

Thorne: *"There is still shooting going on... please."*

**09:39:34** Officer McGowan encounters **01 02, 04** running along the east side of SHES. (Newtown radio)

Officer McGowan: *"Yea we got him... they're coming at me down Crestwood."*

**9:39:40** The grouping of gunshots heard (on both **01 02, 04**s and **04** s telephone call) ends. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

**09:39:59** **04** is still on the telephone with Sgt Roach and a single gunshot is heard in the background. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

**09:39:59** **01 02, 04** is still on the telephone with CSP Dispatcher LaPrade and a single gunshot is heard in the background. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

**9:40:00** Rick Thorne reports that he still hears gunshots: (Newtown 911)

Thorne: *"It's still, it's still going on."*

**09:40:00** **04** saw children running on Riverside Rd. near the northern edge of the property line of the firehouse. Several vehicles were pulled over at the edge of the property. **04** 's Statement)

**09:40:00** **04**, stops children at the end of Eugene Rosen's driveway. **01 02, 04** ) Five children continue to run further north on Riverside Rd. ( **04** 's Statement)

**09:40:03** **04, 01 02** is still on the telephone with CSP and a second single gunshot is heard in the background. This is believed to be the final suicide shot from the shooter, who is in room 10, Ms. Soto's room. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)

CSP Dispatcher LaPrade (to someone in the dispatch room, while on the phone with **04, 01 02**):  
*"Room nine..He's right outside their door right now. They have a person that was shot with them."*

**09:40:04** **04** is parked at the stop sign on Dickinson Drive prior to the SHES driveway (Sgt Bahamonde's video ) and calls her husband to report what is going on ( **04** s Statement ).

**09:40:05** Officer Penna arrives at SHES and parks his cruiser on Dickinson Drive, behind **04** . He runs through the woods to the front of the building. (Sgt Bahamonde's video) (Officer Penna's Statement)

9:40:15 Newtown Sgt Bahamonde arrives in the driveway of SHES and parks behind Newtown Sgt Kullgren's SUV and to the right of Officer Chapman's cruiser. Newtown Sgt Bahamonde runs to the front of SHES. He later meets up with Newtown Lt Vanghele and Officer Penna in the front of SHES. (Sgt Bahamonde's video and Statement)

**9:40:46 First indication that Officer McGowan has 04, 01 02 in custody on the east side of the school near the playground. (Newtown radio)**

Officer McGowan: "67 to S6, do you know if this guy I got here is involved?"

**9:40:51 State Police personnel responding to SHES shooting are accounted for: (CSP radio)**

CSP Sgt Cario: "149 Troop A cars responding ...sound off."

TFC McGeever: "837 exit 10."

TFC Kick: "811."

TPR Katrenya: "555 from exit 5."

TFC Cipriano: "1383 en route."

TFC Benecchi: "1413."

TFC Blumenthal: "690 en route."

TFC Gregg: "701."

TFC Poach: "668, what's the location there?"

CSP Sgt Roach: "Number twelve Dickerson Drive Newtown, twelve Dickerson Drive Newtown, it's an elementary school."

TFC Zullo: "842 I'll be responding."

01 02

09:41:00 04 finds the schoolchildren at the corner of Cherry Street and Riverside Drive. ( 04, 01 02 ) 04 helps her calm the children down. ( 04 s Statement)

09:41:05 Officer Seabrook , enroute to SHES, meets up with Newtown Lt Vanghele (driving a department SUV) at the intersection of Church Hill Rd and Connors/Wire Rd. (Officer Seabrook's video)

**9:41:07 Information is relayed as to the possible location of the shooting within SHES: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"Responding units , last known gunshots were in the front of the building."*

9:41:47 CSP Deskman Loomis: *"Any cars still responding, the shooter is apparently still in the main office area."* (CSP radio)

9:41:24 Officer McGowan has [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 prone out on the playground of SHES. First time that information is relayed that there is possibly a second shooter: (Newtown radio)

09:41:24 Officer McGowan: *"I need a unit up here, on the playground side, to secure this party."*

9:41:30 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"Do you have that person yes, no?"*

9:41:34 Officer McGowan: *"I don't know, I've got a party on the side, I have him prone out now."*

9:41:39 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"Roger that, units be aware that we could have a secondary unit."*

Officer McGowan's transmission draws the attention of the Newtown officers on scene. Officers Chapman and Smith respond from the south side (rear) of the school. Newtown Sgt Kullgren responds from the north side (front) of the school. Newtown Chief Kehoe and Newtown Captain Rios respond from Crestwood Drive. Officer Seabrook responds to the east side of the school upon arrival. (Dash videos and Statements of the officers)

9:41:54 Information is relayed that Newtown Police Department is requesting any available assistance to SHES: (CSP radio)

CSP Sgt Deltorto: *"101 troop L."*

9:41:57 CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"101."*

9:42:00 CSP Sgt Deltorto: *"Are they requesting any additional units down that way.... heading that way?"*

9:42:30 CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"Yeah roger. I need any available cars."*

09:42:27 Officer Seabrook enters Dickinson Drive. (Officer Seabrook's video)

9:42:27 Information is relayed again as to the possible location of the shooting within SHES: (Newtown radio)

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"Responding units again, be advised last known shots were in the front of the school... maybe the roof."*

9:42:39 Officer Penna calls out the license plate on shooter's vehicle as he runs past the vehicle toward the dumpster: (Newtown radio)

Officer Penna: *"D5, eight seven two Yellow Echo October may be suspect's vehicle."*



9:42:47 Newtown Lt Vanghele and Officer Seabrook arrive at SHES. Newtown Lt Vanghele drives towards front door and Officer Seabrook parks adjacent to second row of cars facing the northwest portion of SHES. (Officer Chapman's and Officer Seabrook's video)

09:42:47 Newtown Sgt Kullgren handcuffs 04, 01 02 . (Officer Seabrook's Statement)

**9:42:50 State Police requests information from Newtown regarding what is happening at SHES: (CSP radio)**

CSP Sgt Cario: *"Troop A do we know how..what.. Newtown has on scene... are they engaged with the shooter yet?"*

9:42:55 CSP Deskman Loomis: *"We don't have uh Newtown on the line yet sarge."*

9:43:02 CSP Sgt Cario: *"Get Newtown on the line, begin coordinating with them. They may just want us to establish a perimeter or whatever."*

**9:43:16 Additional State Police Personnel are en route to SHES: (CSP radio)**

CSP Sgt Roden: *"174 I'll be en route."*

TFC Cournoyer: *"1315 I'll be enroute. I get off exit 10 you said take a right?"*

TFC Dragon: *"705 A ,I'll also be en route."*

CSP Sgt Deltorto: *"101...channel 8...Troop L*

09:44:33 Activity is observed at the front door of SHES believed to be Newtown Officers (persons are indistinguishable). (Officer Seabrook's video)

9:44:33 Officer Chapman and Officer Smith complete a check of the perimeter (west and south side) of the school. Officer Smith stated that he and Officer Chapman made eye contact with Officer McGowan at the rear of the school, where Officer McGowan had 04, 01 02 prone out on the ground. Upon realizing that 04, 01 02 was not a threat, they both returned back to the front door: (Statements of Officers Chapman and Smith)

09:44:33 Officer Chapman: *"Myself and 92 (Officer Smith) checked the perimeter of the school. That party in custody 4901(Newtown police radio code for unfounded)...we will continue checking."* (Newtown radio)

**9:44:47 Rick Thorne, standing in the west hallway, is still on the telephone with Newtown 911. (Newtown 911)**

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: *"Alright, do hear any police officers at this time Rick?"*

Thorne: *"I am hearing talking, but I am not seeing anybody, but I'm hearing talking."*

The talking Thorne hears is most likely Newtown Officers Lt Vanghele, Sgt Bahamonde, and Officer Penna coming through the boiler room of SHES, having entered through a west side door. They make their way through the boiler room, kitchen, and cafeteria and enter into the lobby of the school.  
(Officers' Statements)

**9:44:50 Newtown Sgt Kullgren, Officer Seabrook, and Officer McGowan are entering a door on the south east side of the SHES, after breaking a window to get in. Per their Statements, they travel down the rear (south) hallway of SHES to the west hallway. (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"S6... we have a team of 3 entering the south east portion of the school."*

**At this time, Officer McGowan has turned over custody of 04, 01 02 to Newtown Captain Rios. (Newtown radio)**

**\*\* Newtown Chief Kehoe and Newtown Captain Rios had previously arrived, in one vehicle, parked on Crestwood, no documented time of arrival\*\***

**9:45:02 Rick Thorne, standing in the west hallway outside the custodian's office, sees Newtown officers enter the lobby of SHES. They made entry into the school through the boiler room doors on the west side of the school. The officers went through the boiler room and the kitchen. Thorne is still on the 911 call with Newtown. (Newtown 911)**

Thorne: *"Custodian, Custodian!"*

**9:45:10 Newtown Lt Vanghele, Sgt Bahamonde, and Officer Penna, verbally engage with Thorne. (Newtown 911)**

Newtown Officer: *"Who are you?"*

Thorne: *"Custodian."*

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: *"Alright tell them you are on the phone with me."*

Thorne: *"I am on the phone with dispatch."*

**9:45:16 Rick Thorne still engaged with Newtown officers in the lobby of SHES: (Newtown 911)**

Newtown Officer: *"Tell them I have victims in the building."*

Thorne: *"Victims in the building."*

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: *"How many?"*

Thorne: *"How many?"*

Newtown Officer: *"Two down."*

Thorne: *"Two down."*

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: *"Ok is it safe?"*

Newtown Officer: "Did you see anybody, anybody at all?"

Thorne: "Saw nobody."

**9:45:17 Officer Chapman and Officer Smith completed their perimeter search of SHES and are standing by the front door of the school: (Newtown radio)**

Officer Chapman: "98 to S6."

9:45:29 Officer Chapman: "Would you like us to begin checking the inside of the school as well?"

9:45:43 Officer McGowan: "98 standby, we are doing that now."

09:45:20 Newtown Lt. Vanghele tells a female student to get back into classroom (room 8) as she comes out into the north hallway. (Statements of Newtown Officers and Rick Thorne's 911 call to Newtown)

**09:45:43 [REDACTED] 04 calls 911 to report that she found the children running in the roadway and they are telling her that a man is shooting at them at SHES. She is told to take them to the police department by CSP Sgt Roach. (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911)**

**09:45:51 Newtown Officers radio in two victims found in the lobby/hallway: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Bahamonde: "ok, I need units in the front of the school. I've got bodies here. Let's uh get ambulances."

**9:46:18 Rick Thorne still engaged with Newtown officers in the lobby of SHES: (Newtown 911)**

Thorne: "I didn't see anybody go in there."

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Alright Rick, Rick, I am going to let you, you go with them."

Newtown Officer: "Call the state police."

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "They (State Police) have been notified."

Thorne: "They have been notified."

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Rick I am actually going to keep you with me."

Thorne: "Ok."

Newtown Officer: "Did you hear shooting?"

Thorne: "I heard shooting.... not now."

Newtown Officer: "How long ago?"

Thorne: "5 minutes ago"

**9:46:23 CSP Lt Hofbauer, CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis, and CSP Sgt Cario arrive at SHES (Lt Davis' video).**



09:46:31 Officer Hull arrives from his HCP assignment near Botsford Hill. Officer Hull parks perpendicular to the front of Officer Seabrook's vehicle, adjacent to the second and third row of parked vehicles in the parking lot, facing the front of SHES. Officer Hull runs toward the front entrance and stays with the two women behind the dumpster. (Officer Seabrook's video)

9:46:48 CSP Sgt Cario running toward the front entrance of SHES, shortly followed by CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis. (Lt Davis' video) Both immediately enter SHES through the broken window. (CSP and Newtown Officers' Statements)

09:46:52 CSP Lt Hofbauer is seen running to the left of Officer Hull's vehicle between the first and second row of cars toward the front entrance of SHES. (Officer Seabrook's video) Lt Hofbauer immediately enters SHES through the broken window. (Lt Hofbauer and Newtown PD Officers' Statements)

09:47:01 TFC Kick arrives on scene (CSP radio)

TFC Kick: "Get off 10 make a left...go straight through the light at the bottom of the hill and you're going to see Dickerson on your right..811, thirty one."

9:47:11 CSP Sgt Wagnblas (#278): "278 thirty one."

9:47:17 CSP Sgt Salmeri (#207): "207 thirty one."

9:47:51 TFC Kick: "Cars coming in set up a four corner perimeter around the building ok? Unknown where the shooter is...unknown where the shooter is, set up a four corner perimeter around the building."

09:48:00 [REDACTED] 04 is on Riverside Drive, putting the five schoolchildren into minivan to take them to Newtown police department. (TFC McGeever's video)

9:48:02 Rick Thorne still engaged with Newtown officers in the lobby of SHES: (Newtown 911)

Newtown Officer: "Is this the main office right here?"

Thorne: "Yes."

Thorne answers questions by Newtown Police regarding SHES being a square, the location of the portable classrooms, and that the shooting was in the front lobby. You can hear the Newtown officers talking with others (possibly CSP at this time) about Thorne...*"says he hears gunfire 5 minutes ago."*

Thorne hears the group of Newtown officers approaching him from the south hallway: (Newtown 911)

9:49:52 Thorne: "Hey, hey, that's a police officer coming?"

9:49:56 Thorne: "Ok."

09:48:36 CSP Sgt Salmeri and CSP Sgt Wagnblas arrive on school grounds. (Officer Chapman's video)

09:48:40 Newtown Captain Rios with [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 (parent) in custody walking from the playground area. (Officer Seabrook's video)

9:48:50 TFC McGeever arrives and parks his cruiser in the third row of parked cars in the SHES parking lot. (Lt Davis' video)

9:49:01 Newtown Captain Rios approaches the rear driver's side of TFC McGeever's vehicle with [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 (parent) in handcuffs. Newtown Captain Rios walks [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 back to the front of TFC McGeever's vehicle. (Lt Davis' video)

9:49:06 Oxford Constable Ramirez arrives on scene: (CSP radio)

Constable Ramirez: "AC35 A, I'm thirty one."

09:49:16 While in the lobby of SHES, CSP Sgt Cario heard a discussion of reports of a possible suspect near the playscape area. Newtown Sgt Bahamonde, TFC Kick, and CSP Sgt Cario are seen running east, along the front of the school, looking for the playscape area. CSP Sgt Cario and TFC Kick return to the lobby of the school. Newtown Sgt Bahamonde continued to the playscape area. (Officer Seabrook's video) (Officers' Statements)

9:49:46 As a result of the portable radios not transmitting properly, TFC Kick was instructed to transmit information and instructions from the front patio: (CSP radio)

TFC Kick: "Cars coming in, do a sweep of the outer perimeter...do a sweep of the outer perimeter."

9:49:50 Newtown Sgt Kullgren's team comes up the southwest portion of the hallway and encounters Thorne. Thorne is still on the telephone with Newtown. Yelling is heard in the background: (Newtown 911)

Thorne: "Custodian Custodian.", continued yelling by Newtown Sgt Kullgren's team "get on the ground, keep your hands up"

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Communications, communications...hello?"

The team of Newtown (Chief Kehoe, Sgt Kullgren, Officer McGowan, and Officer Seabrook) Officers prone out Thorne and the phone call becomes disconnected. Thorne is handcuffed by Officer McGowan. (Statements of Officers' and Thorne)

09:49:58 CSP Dispatcher LaPrade is still on the telephone with [REDACTED] 04, 01 02, conference room #9, and yelling is heard in the background. CSP Sgt Cario, Officer Smith, Officer Chapman, and Lt (MSGT) Davis, in active shooter formation, are moving down the north hallway and enter conference room #9: (CSP Centralized Dispatch 911 and Officers' Statements)

CSP Dispatcher LaPrade: "Who's that? Is that [REDACTED] 04 ?"

[REDACTED] 04 : "Oh thank you ..thank you... police officers just came in."



**9:49:59 Additional CSP Personnel arrive on scene: (CSP radio)**

TFC Benecchi: "1413 thirty one."

9:50:07 TPR Katrenya: "(unintelligible) ...thirty one."

09:50:20 Newtown Captain Rios turns custody of [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 over to Oxford Constable Ramirez. (Officer Seabrook's video)

9:50:29 Newtown Police Detectives McAnaspie and Joudy arrive on scene. They take cover behind the trees, by the playscape area. (Lt Davis' video)

9:51:28 CSP Det Dragon arrives on scene, runs to the front entrance of SHES with his medical bag. (Lt Davis' video)

09:51:31 TPR Katrenya is seen on foot in the parking lot, moving in the direction of the school. (Sgt Bahamonde's video)

**9:51:31 The Active shooter formation of CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis, CSP Sgt Cario, Officer Chapman, and Officer Smith enters room 10: (Newtown radio)**

Officer Smith: "92, We've got one suspect down."

Officer Smith finds [REDACTED] 01 02 03 12 hiding in the bathroom of room 10. He tells them to stay and that he will be back for them when it is safe. (Smith's Statement)

09:51:31 Officer Penna enters room 8 and finds [REDACTED] 01 02 03 12. Officer Penna tells the student to stay in the room while he goes to room 10 to make sure the hallway is secure. (Officer Penna's Statement)

9:51:35 Oxford Constable Ramirez is seen taking handcuffs off [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 (TFC McGeever's video)

9:51:51 Oxford Constable Ramirez escorts [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 toward the Sandy Hook firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)

**9:52:42 Additional CSP personnel arrive: (CSP radio)**

CSP Sgt Roden: "174 L thirty one."

9:52:47 TFC Blumenthal: "690 thirty one."

**9:52:50 TPR Katrenya notifies CSP that suspect is down: (CSP radio)**

TPR Katrenya: "555 Troop A, Newtown's reporting one suspect down, the building has not been cleared."



9:53:06 TFC C. Guerra (#420): *"Troop A, I'll be responding also from Superior Court to Newtown."*

9:53:12 Additional CSP personnel arrive on scene:

09:53:12 CSP SGT Roden arrives on scene, runs to the front entrance of SHES. (Davis' video)

9:53:18 TFC Blumenthal arrives on scene, runs to the front entrance of SHES. (Davis' video)

9:53:57 TFC Zullo arrives on scene and runs to the front entrance of SHES. (Davis video)

9:54:20 CSP Sgt O'Donnell calls centralized dispatch and speaks with CSP Sgt Roach: (CSP radio)

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: *"Hey it's 272 just mark me 31 there."*

CSP Sgt Roach: *"O'Donnell 31 roger."*

9:55:28 Officer Penna, in room 10, provides information on the types of weapons involved in shooting: (Newtown radio)

Officer Penna: *"D5 ... be advised we should have multiple weapons including long rifles and shotgun."*

9:56:16 Officer Chapman carries [REDACTED] 01 02 03 12, across parking lot toward triage station. Officer Chapman was assisted by Newtown Lt Vanghele (white shirt. (Lt Davis' video)

9:56:38 CSP Lt. Perry arrives on scene: (CSP radio)

CSP Lt. Perry (#046): *"Troop A I'll be on scene...we have plain clothes people here make sure everybody has their raid gear on."*

9:57:08 CSP Lt (Msgt) Davis requests EMS and instructs where to have them stage at the scene. Injured parties are being evacuated from the scene: (CSP radio)

CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis: *"098 troop A, do we have CMED anywhere near us?..."*  
(transmission breaks off)

9:57:24 CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis: *"Have them come to the base of the school, not..once..I'll be here right at the base..get the injured parties out ... start getting 'em out."*

9:57:32 CSP Deskman Loomis: *"Roger 98 extricating the people out of the school."*

Officer Penna brings [REDACTED] 01 02 03 12 and hands her off to TFC McGeever in the front lobby. ( Officer Penna's Statement)

9:57:40 TFC McGeever runs with [REDACTED] 01 02 03 12 across the parking lot toward the Sandy Hook firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)

9:58:13 TFC Keane arrives on scene and assists with the evacuation of the students and teachers from SHES to the firehouse: (CSP radio)

TFC Keane: "401 thirty one."

9:58:35 Officer Smith carries [REDACTED] 01 02 03 12, to the parking lot. Officer Smith puts them down and then runs with them to the Sandy Hook firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)

9:59:48 TFC Kick drives Natalie Hammond, teacher and gunshot victim, room 9, in his cruiser, to the triage station. (Lt Davis' video)

10:00:45 Teachers 04 [REDACTED], and student run across parking lot with TFC Keane #401, to the Sandy Hook firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)

10:01:33 CSP Detective Mudry meets with CSP SGT O'Donnell in parking lot. This also marks Det Mudry's arrival on scene. (Lt Davis' video)

10:01:42 CSP Det Van Ness arrives on scene and assists TFC Keane with the evacuation of the students and teachers from SHES to the firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)

10:02:10 A black SUV being driven by Newtown Lt Vanghele with CSP Sgt Cario is seen leaving the front of SHES to bring [REDACTED] 01 02 03 12 to the triage station. (Sgt Bahamonde's video) (Officer Chapman's video)

10:02:41 Officer Penna escorts Rick Thorne (custodian) in handcuffs, across the parking lot toward the firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)

10:03:29 TFC Benecchi escorts [REDACTED] 04 from SHES, across the parking lot to Detective Van Ness. The children were taken to the Sandy Hook firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)

10:03:00 CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "272 A, 1413's leading a group of uh young kids out the front" (CSP radio)

10:03:52 CSP Sgt O'Donnell informs CSP personnel where to bring the students and staff: (CSP radio)

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "Ok we have a staging area for the students, personnel and the parents outside near the street...401 and Detective Rachael Van Ness are leading that area."

10:04:55 CSP Sgt O'Donnell requests information on possible suspect vehicle: (CSP radio)

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "272 A with a 15 on a possible suspect."

CSP Deskman Loomis: "272 go with your 15."

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "Connecticut eight, seven, two, Y- Yankee, E- Echo, O- Oscar...872YEO...possible suspect vehicle."



10:05:28 TFC Guerra arrives on scene: (CSP radio)

TFC Guerra: "420 A thirty one."

10:05:47 Children are escorted from the front of SHES. (CSP radio)

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "272 A... another large group coming out"

10:05:50 Newtown Officer Smith and Officer Seabrook check the roof of SHES: (Newtown radio)

Officer Smith: "92, we're going to be on the roof checking that area."

10:06:08 Children are escorted out of the building from the Northeast corner of SHES. (TFC McGeever's video)

10:06:02 Black SUV driven by Newtown Lt. Vanghele and TFC Kick's vehicle return to the front of SHES (Officer Chapman's video) (Lt Davis' video)

10:06:31 CSP Tpr Katrenya escorts children from the northeast corner of SHES. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:06:46 [REDACTED] 04 and the women who were in the PPT meeting in the conference room #9 [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 ) meet up with TFC Keane in the parking lot and he escorts them across parking lot to Detective Van Ness, who takes them to the firehouse. They were escorted from SHES by TFC Benecchi. (Lt Davis' video and parent [REDACTED] 04, 01 02 video)

10:07:07 TFC Cournoyer escorts [REDACTED] 04 ) from SHES, across the parking lot to the triage station. (Lt Davis' video)

10:07:13 Children are escorted out of the building from the Northeast corner of SHES. (TFC McGeever's video)

10:07:47 Children are escorted from the northeast corner of SHES. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:08:19 Children are escorted out of the building from the northeast corner of SHES. (TFC McGeever's video)

10:08:43 Children are escorted from the northeast corner of SHES. Lt (MSGT) Davis is present. (Sgt Bahamonde's video) (Officer Chapman's video)

10:08:37 TFC Keane requests that the entrance to the parking lot of the school be closed off. Parents of students are coming into the parking lot at this time (Officers' dash cameras) (CSP radio)

TFC Keane: "Troop A, have the F.D. close down the road... we don't have any police personnel to do that."

CSP Deskman Loomis: "Roger 401 we're talking about Dickinson and Riverside?"



*TFC Keane: "Dickinson ...we don't need any more people in here we're just trying to set up a safe perimeter and remove all the students."*

10:08:49 TFC Faughnan and TFC Poach, two members of Emergency Services Unit (ESU), arrive and meet with Lt (MSGT) Davis. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:08:52 Sandy Hook Fire Department arrives and stages in the northeast portion of the SHES parking lot. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:09:26 TFC Bell arrives to SHES (Lt. Davis' video)

10:09:29 Students are escorted from SHES: (CSP radio)

*CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "272 A another large group coming out."*

10:10:05 CSP Sgt O'Donnell calls CSP centralized dispatch, on a cellular telephone because the portable radios were not working properly to relay information from the scene. Sgt O'Donnell tells Dispatcher LaPrade that the school is being evacuated and that the children and staff are being brought out to TFC Keane and Det Van Ness, who are stationed at the perimeter of the school out front. Sgt O'Donnell also informs Dispatcher LaPrade that they need multiple ambulances and that there are multiple "KIA's" in the school. Dispatcher LaPrade has been gathering information from the teachers (calling in on 911) from inside the school regarding where they are located and how many students they have with them. Dispatcher LaPrade relays information to CSP Sgt O'Donnell that there are children locked in rooms 24, 23, and that there is an injured teacher in the kindergarten class

04 . (CSP telephone)

*CSP Dispatcher LaPrade: "04 it's at the back of the music room..they're locked in the closet ...and in room 23..two teachers and 16 kids..they're ok and in the kindergarten class...04 ..I cannot get a hold of her now though."*

CSP Sgt O'Donnell then informs Deskman Loomis that they are still searching the school and clearing the classrooms. CSP Sgt O'Donnell informs Deskman Loomis that one suspect is deceased and that there is possibly a second shooter: (CSP telephone)

*CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "Uh. Timmy ...we're still searching."*

*CSP Deskman Loomis: (interrupts) "... you're the only one I could get contact with down there."*

*CSP Sgt O'Donnell: "I hear ya, I hear ya..I'm in and out of the building, we have uh, we have uh multiple in the double digits of death here...so it's not good ..we have..were still clearing rooms..we have one suspect..one suspect down..deceased..but we think there is a second shooter were not sure..there's multiple casings and magazine clips and weapons all around the building here."*

10:10:30 TFC Keane heads to the northeast corner of the SHES building to assist with escorting children to the firehouse. (Officer Seabrook's video)

10:10:31 CSP Det Van Ness and unidentified DEEP (ENCON) Officers are escorting children from the northeast corner of SHES. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:10:24 CSP Det Lukienchuk #573 arrives on scene. (Lt Davis' video)

10:10:36 The initial search of the roof is completed by Newtown: (Newtown radio)

Officer Seabrook: *"If you could advise all units please, the roof is clear."*

10:11:17 CSP Det Van Ness escorts children from the northeast corner of SHES. (Sgt Bahamonde's video)

10:11:24 Newtown Det Frank arrives on scene: (Newtown radio)

10:11:24 Officer McGowan: *"67 to any unit near State Police, let them know I have Detective Frank with me, he is in civvies, green striped shirt and an AR-15."*

10:11:48 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"S6 to D2 (Frank) If you can stand out front and assist with security. We have plenty of uh... Newtown and CSP."*

10:12:32 Det Van Ness escorts children across the parking lot toward the SH firehouse. The classroom could possibly be the students in the gym. (Lt Davis' video)

10:13:15 CSP SGT Deltorto arrives on scene. (Lt Davis' video)

10:13:20 Additional CSP Personnel responding to the scene: (CSP radio)

CSP Lt. C. Brown (#039): *"039 Troop A."*

10:13:27 CSP Lt Brown: *"Coming up on 16, I'll be enroute."*

10:13:32 Sgt Bartolotta arrives on scene: (CSP radio)

CSP Sgt Bartolotta (#161): *"161 A thirty one."*

10:14:59 CSP Det. Rachael Van Ness escorts children from SHES to the firehouse. (Officer Seabrook's video)

10:14:44 Children being escorted out of the building from the Northeast corner of SHES. (McGeever video)

10:15:20 CSP Sgt O'Donnell calls centralized dispatch, on a cellular telephone because the portable radios were not working properly to relay information from the scene. CSP Sgt O'Donnell informs TFC Binkowski that they were clearing rooms 23 and 24 at that time. (CSP telephone)

10:15:40 State's Attorney's Office is en route to SHES: (CSP radio)

Investigator Don Brown (#SA2241): *"SA 2241 Troop A."*



10:15:46 CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"Go ahead."*

10:15:49 Investigator Don Brown: *"I got uh State's Attorney Murray with me..uh is there an area we can report to?"*

10:15:58 CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"Have them go to the P.D."*

10:16:03 Investigator Don Brown: *"Roger."*

10:15:48 Children are being escorted from the northeast corner of SHES. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:16:08 Children are being escorted out of the building from the Northeast corner of the SHES building. (TFC McGeever's video)

10:16:26 Children are being escorted out of the building from the Northeast corner of the SHES building. (TFC McGeever's video) (subsequently seen on Officer Chapman's video at 10:16:36)

10:16:51 Children are being escorted out of the building from the Northeast corner of the SHES building. (TFC McGeever's video)

10:17:26 CSP Sgt O'Donnell calls centralized dispatch, on a cellular telephone because the portable radios were not working properly to relay information from the scene. CSP Sgt O'Donnell informs CSP Dispatcher Nadeau that they were searching the back side of the building. (CSP telephone)

10:17:40 Children are being escorted out of the building from the Northeast corner of the SHES building. (TFC McGeever's video) (subsequently seen on Officer Chapman's video at 10:17:43)

10:18:05 Children are being escorted from the northeast corner of SHES. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:19:35 Members of Statewide Narcotics Task Force Northwest Office (SGT Thomas Bennett, Det Brian Marino, Officer Thomas Bean, Detective Scott Flockhart, Officer Michael McPadden, and Officer Jared Turner) arrive on scene. Also present, but not seen here is Tpr Janice Warkoski and Officer Leonard Greene. (Lt Davis' video)

10:20:14 CSP Lt Hofbauer requests that the CSP Public Information Office (PIO) be notified of event: (CSP radio)

CSP Lt Hofbauer: *"040 Troop A."*

10:20:21 CSP LtHofbauer: *"Be aware but make sure that PIO knows something is going on here."*

10:20:26 CSP Dispatcher Brennan: *"Been advised already."*

10:21:08 Information put out regarding second shooter and suspect vehicle: (CSP radio)



CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis *"...just be advised we may have two shooters and we may have a suspect vehicle that they might have pulled up in..CT eight-seven-two- Yankee-echo- Oscar..black Honda."*

**10:21:47 Instructions are given regarding additional personnel to respond to the scene: (CSP radio)**

CSP MSGT Rafferty: *"Roger, do you need uh extra CSP personnel on scene?"*

10:21:50 CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis: *"We're all set with CSP personnel perimeter and inside..if any other people are coming we just need them for the mess outside with the parents and the uh kids."*

**10:21:59 Troopers from Troop G Bridgeport are responding to the scene: (CSP radio)**

CSP MSGT Mingo (#081): *"81 Troop A we got assistance coming."*

**10:22:17 Det Van Ness escorts [REDACTED] 04 [REDACTED] from SHES to the firehouse. (Lt Davis' video)**

**10:22:13 CSP Lt. Brown arrives at the scene: (CSP radio)**

CSP Lt. Brown: *"039 thirty one in the area."*

**10:22:44 The scene is still not secured: (CSP radio)**

CSP Deskman Loomis: *"A cars responding to the scene..it's still active ..A cars responding still active...check in with 272 or 040...upon arriving at the scene."*

10:23:14 CSP Lt Delvecchia (#034): *"034 to uh Troop A, we got the area cordoned off so no vehicle can get out as well?"*

10:23:22 CSP Deskman Loomis: *"Roger 034."*

**10:23:58 SHES children are being escorted from the scene: (CSP radio)**

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: *"Large group coming out ...we should have a large group coming out"*

**10:24:44 Additional CSP personnel are being directed to the scene: (CSP radio)**

CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"Troop L to 315."*

10:24:49 TFC Arbour (#315): *"315."*

10:25:00 CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"315 could you respond to Newtown for the active shooting?"*

10:25:06 TFC Arbour: *"Roger en route, would you like 517 (L. Deltorto) to respond as well?"*

10:25:11 CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"Roger...453?"*

10:28:41 TFC Binkowski: *"yeah 453?"*

10:29:02 TFC D'Elia (#453): *"453."*

10:29:05 TFC Binkowski: *"Roger suit up..start heading down to Newtown... 12 Dickerson Rd..I'll throw it in your CAD."*

10:29:06 CSP Dispatcher Brennan: *"518, you callin?"*

10:29:10 TFC Roy (#518): *"Roger were looking for some guidance ..direction off of 84, exit?"*

10:24:58 Newtown Lt Vanghele (white shirt) escorting Kaitlin Roig's class ( room 12) from the northeast corner of SHES. Det. Van Ness takes a child from Officer Chapman. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:26:02 CSP Sgt Covello requests that all WDMC personnel respond to scene: (CSP radio)

10:26:02 CSP Sgt. Covello (#167): *"167 A."*

10:26:07 CSP Dispatcher Nadeau: *"167 come in."*

10:26:10 CSP Sgt Covello: *"Can you please rebroadcast all....?"* (echo drowns out transmission)

10:26:19 CSP Dispatcher Brennan: *"167 there's too much echo in the background...try it again."*

10:26:22 CSP Sgt Covello: *"Roger can you please rebroadcast all Western District Major Crime personnel to go to the scene?"*

10:26:33 CSP Deskman Loomis: *"Roger 167 we're gonna switch over to channel two or channel eight. This is still an active scene..keep the air clean."*

10:26:55 New Haven FBI en route to the scene: (CSP radio)

FBI 20: *"New Haven FBI 20 to Troop A on channel 2."*

10:27:10 CSP Dispatcher Brennan: (cut off) *"FBI car."*

10:27:13 FBI 20: *"20 inbound at our location with uh UCONN ER support...uh is there a link up point?"*

10:27:24 CSP Dispatcher Brennan: *"Stand by one let me find out where the uh staging area is."*

10:27:29 FBI 20: *"Roger we also have some tactical outfits available if needed."*

10:27:36 CSP Dispatcher Brennan: *"Roger."*

**10:27:47 CSP Deskman Loomis speaking with CSP Sgt O'Donnell about location of SHES personnel: (CSP radio)**

CSP Deskman Loomis: *"Roger...a closet in the kitchen...it has some victims...let us know, we'll call the number so they know you're comin'."*

**10:29:17 CSP Sgt O'Donnell calls CSP centralized dispatch, on a cellular telephone because the portable radios were not working properly to relay information from the scene. CSP Sgt O'Donnell informs Dispatcher LaPrade that they completed the first search and are now conducting a thorough second search: (CSP telephone)**

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: *"..got the cleaner's set of keys... we're going through unlocked closets looking for young children that might be in there..secure."*

CSP Dispatcher LaPrade: *"Ok."*

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: *"So we're doing that right now and then we are going back around we're going to do another whole perimeter and we're gonna do another search of the entire building systematically again."*

CSP Dispatcher LaPrade: *"There's a kitchen too that there was somebody...10 or 12 people in the kitchen area."*

**10:29:05 Fire Department establishes a perimeter of cones to keep bystanders back. (Officer Chapman's video)**

**10:30:13 ESU arrives at the SHES: (CSP radio)**

CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis: *"2 uh...098 Troop A."*

10:30:16 CSP Sgt Roach: *"098 come in."*

10:30:20 CSP Lt (MSGT) Davis: *"ESU arrived we're forming up to do a double check of the building."*

10:30:27 CSP Sgt Roach: *"Ok roger... one of the places is in the kitchen...there's a teacher and eighteen kids there."*

**10:31:33 CSP Sgt O'Donnell calls centralized dispatch, on a cellular telephone because the portable radios were not working properly to relay information from the scene. CSP Sgt O'Donnell informs Dispatcher LaPrade that he removed the children and teachers from the library: (CSP telephone)**

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: *"Karen it's me again...we just got 18..18 kids out with some uh, some adults out of this closet."*



CSP Dispatcher LaPrade : *"Out of which closet?"*

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: *"Out of the library closet...library closet."*

CSP Sgt O'Donnell O'Donnell: (still talking) *"18 kids and about four adults."*

CSP Dispatcher LaPrade: *"Rear of the kitchen...there's a closet."*

CSP Dispatcher LaPrade: *"Teacher's in there with 18 students."*

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: (talking to someone in the room) *"Yup behind the kitchen...teacher there with 8 or 10 kids...in the kitchen ok?"*

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: (to Karen) *"Ok we'll do that right now."*

CSP Sgt O'Donnell: *"We're going through the kitchen now with the tact team.."*

**10:32:10 Newtown Police reports that there is no active shooting: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"S6 to HQ."*

10:32:16 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: *"72 (Newtown radio code for a telephone call) the State troop, advise them at this point there is no active shooting."*

10:32:33 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: *"Received."*

**10:32:22 CSP Sgt Cario calls centralized dispatch, on a cellular telephone because the portable radios were not working properly to relay information from the scene:. CSP Sgt Cario informs TFC Binkowski that there is no active shooting at this time: (CSP telephone)**

CSP Sgt Cario: *"Pu...put out on the air that the...there's...there's no active shooting ...but personnel can continue this way cause we're going to need help with crowd control."*

TFC Binkowski: *"Ok , no longer active."*

CSP Sgt Cario Cario: *"Reduce your speed."*

TFC Binkowski: *"No longer active...reduce your speed...but continue?"*

CSP Sgt Cario Cario: *"Right."*

**10:32:59 Children are being escorted out of the building from the northeast corner of the SHES building. (TFC McGeever's video)**

**10:33:07 Transmission that there is no longer an active shooter situation: (CSP radio)**

CSP Dispatcher Brennan: *"Troop A to all units...Troop A to all units..Newtown PD commanding officer at the scene is stating that there's no active shooting at this time...no active shooting at this time."*

10:33:03 Small group of children are being escorted from the northeast corner of the SHES. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:33:24 Children are being escorted out of the building from the northeast corner of the SHES building. (TFC McGeever's video)

10:33:39 Children are being escorted by Officer Pisani from the northeast corner of the SHES. (Officer Chapman's video)

10:35:31 Information regarding the black Honda parked in the front of SHES is relayed: (Newtown radio)

10:35:31 Officer Penna: "D5 to HQ."

10:35:34 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "D5 (Officer Penna)."

10:35:35 Officer Penna: "I need the address of the residence of this Connecticut reg. It's gonna be the same one I gave you before, Connecticut Passenger eight –seven- two- Yankee –echo- October (YEO)."

10:35:46 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Roger eight-seven-two (872)-yankee–echo- October (YEO), standby."

10:36:05 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "D5 (Officer Penna) it's thirty six (36) Yogananda Street."

10:36:11 Officer Penna: "Roger, give me a last name."

10:36:14 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Lanza."

10:36:18 Officer Penna: "Roger thank you."

10:36:20 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Roger."

10:41:06 CSP Sgt. O'Donnell, assisted by Officer Seabrook, calls in the serial numbers on guns to CSP Centralized Dispatch. (CSP telephone) (Officer Seabrook's Statement)

10:49:12 Staging area for the parents is proposed: (Newtown radio)

Officer Penna: "5H, I'm sorry 4 HQ (Lt Vanghele)."

10:49:18 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6, go ahead for 4 HQ (Lt Vanghele)."

10:49:22 Officer Penna: "We want to set up a staging area for the parents to go there rather than here, we were thinking Fairfield Hills, is that acceptable?"

10:49:34 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Roger, how about the firehouse?"

10:49:39 Officer Penna: "We have gridlock here, we are trying to get them out from where the SHES scene is."

10:50:51 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Roger, S6 (Sgt Kullgren) to D...D6( OfficerFlynn)...D5(Officer Penna) we are going to use the firehouse for now."

10:50:58 Officer Penna: "Roger firehouse."

**10:49:46 Area K9 units are requested to perform a search: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "S6 (Sgt Kullgren) be advised, Monroe's K9 is in the area. Do you have a specific location you want them to go?"

10:49:55 Sgt Kullgren: "Have them respond to the front of the school, we have State Police with their team."

10:50:00 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Received."

**10:50:06 Officer Figol, who is working a private duty job near the Newtown Monroe line, informs Newtown PD that she is in town with her canine: (Newtown radio)**

Officer Figol: "81 (Figol) to S6 (Sgt Kullgren),"

10:50:17 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "81 (Figol) are you calling?"

10:50:19 Officer Figol: "Let S6 (Sgt Kullgren) know I am in town too on a road job if he needs me."

10:50:24 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Roger, S6 (Sgt Kullgren) you copy?"

10:50:27 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Negative, what do we have?"

10:50:29 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "81 (Figol) is in town as well if you need her...just advise."

10:50:38 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Go again please."

10:50:43 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "S6 (Sgt Kullgren), just be advised 81(Figol) is in town if you need her."

**10:51:17 A team of officers is formed to go to 36 Yogananda Street, Newtown. (Newtown radio)**

Officer McGowan: "67 to HQ."

10:51:20 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "67 (Officer McGowan) go ahead."



10:51:25 Officer McGowan: "Be advised... I will be taking a team to the location on that thirty ten (3010 registration check)."

10:51:32 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Received."

10:51:38 Officer McGowan: "To confirm that's number three six (36) correct? Three six?"

10:51:42 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "That's affirmative... three six (36) Yogananda Street, three six."

**10:51:59 Command Post is set up at the Sandy Hook Firehouse: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Chief Kehoe: "1 HQ."

10:50:00 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "1 HQ ( Chief Kehoe.)"

10:50:03 Newtown Chief Kehoe: "—advised we will be setting up command.. the command post at uh ..Sandy Hook firehouse."

10:52:08 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Received command post Sandy Hook firehouse, ten fifty two (10:52)."

**10:52:15 Newtown Sgt Kullgren requests a floor plan of SHES for a complete search: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6 can we get a uh floor plan of the school please?"

10:52:23 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "S6 (Sgt Kullgren), I copy... we are working on it."

**10:52:58 Information that schools in the area are in lockdown: (Newtown radio)**

10:53:30 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Looking for confirmation that all other schools in town are in lock down."

10:53:35 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "All schools as far as I am aware are in lock down, they were advised."

**10:55:50 Additional Newtown officers arrive at Police Department: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Be advise at this time I have 99 (Hayes) and 94 (Greco) here at HQ. I have two Weston Officers going down to Sandy Hook school to meet with Janet Robinson to work with the parents at that location."

10:56:13 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "I am going to maintain 99 (Officer Hayes) and 94 (Officer Greco) here unless you need them there."

10:56:21 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Negative, that's good keep them there we have enough in the school and on the property at this time."

10:56:28 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Received."

10:56:30 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "S6 (Sgt Kullgren) be advised S2 (Officer Froehlich) and 823 (Officer Haas) also called in, if you need them to come in just advise."

10:56:48 Officer Silver: "63, I also just got here."

10:56:53 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Roger."

**10:58:19 Additional searches of SHES and area are being coordinated. Officer Figol responds to SHES at this time from a private duty job at the Monroe/Newtown line: (Newtown radio)**

10:58:19 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6 to HQ."

10:58:22 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "S6 (Sgt Kullgren)."

10:58:24 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "I am working with CSP now to coordinate additional searches... can you have the Monroe canine and 81 (Officer Figol) respond to the front of the school please."

10:58:35 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Received...81 (Officer Figol)?"

10:58:39 Officer Figol: "81 I copy."

**11:01:58 Officer McGowan and a team of officers are at Yogananda Street: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Lt Vanghele: "4 (Lt Vanghele) to 67 (Officer McGowan)."

11:02:02 Officer McGowan: "Go ahead."

11:02:06 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "What's your status at that uh residence?"

11:02:11 Officer McGowan: "We are evacuating either side and across the street and then securing."

11:02:18 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "Now there were people inside?"

11:02:21 Officer McGowan: "We do not know at this time, we just arrived on scene and are evacuating each side."

11:02:29 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "Roger... just uh keep me informed."

11:02:33 Officer McGowan: "Roger."

**11:03:32 Officer Greco has interviewed the surviving children from room 10, who were brought to the PD, and obtained a possible description of the shooter: (Newtown radio)**

Officer Greco: "94 to S6 (Sgt Kullgren)."



11:03:35 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Go ahead."

11:03:37 Officer Greco: "Do you have a description?"

11:03:47 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "Of what?"

11:04:31 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "We have a witness here at the PD, what is your pleasure?"

11:04:39 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "99 (Hayes) take their information ...and standby."

11:04:47 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Roger, they say they have a description of the individual."

11:06:31 Officer Greco: "94, do you need a description of the perpetrator?"

11:06:54 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6 to 94 (Officer Greco) give me a 72 (Newtown radio code for phone call)."

11:07:00 Officer Greco: "Roger."

**11:16:17 Area of Yogananda is evacuated and a perimeter around the Lanza home has been set up for ESU: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Lt Vanghele: "4 ( Lt Vanghele) to uh 67 (Officer McGowan)."

11:16:21 Officer McGowan: "Go ahead."

11:16:26 Newtown Lt Vanghele : "Update?"

11:16:27 Officer McGowan: "Homes around are evacuated, perimeter is up."

**11:25:27 Efforts are being made to create a plan of accountability among the students, teachers, and parents: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "CSP is inquiring if we have the principal, assistant principal accounted for, and if they can assist as a liaison at the command center at the firehouse. "

11:25:45 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "S6 (Sgt Kullgren) at this time the superintendent of schools has set up an office at the firehouse, the assistant superintendent is also en route to that location as far as I know."

11:26:09 Newtown Chief Kehoe: "1 HQ."

11:26:13 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Go ahead 1."

11:26:16 Newtown Chief Kehoe: "I have the superintendent here, what would you like us to do?"

11:26:29 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6 to 1 HQ (Chief Kehoe), CSP is just requesting that they assist as a liaison at the command center for parents."

**11:28:36 Area towns are offering police assistance to Newtown: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "New Canaan has offered their assistance, do you want me to pull two from them?"

11:28:45 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "I have two Redding Officers here they are going to check with 4 HQ (Lt Vanghele) whether they assist with town calls, check with 4 HQ (LtVanghele)."

**11:30:23 SHES is not deemed to be clear: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Chief Kehoe: "1 HQ to HQ."

11:30:33 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Go ahead 1 HQ (Chief Kehoe)."

11:30:36 Newtown Chief Kehoe: "Have we cleared the building yet?"

11:30:40 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "S6 (Sgt Kullgren)."

11:30:49 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "S6 to HQ, State Police SWAT team is searching school inch by inch right now, we have canine assisting."

11:31:06 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "1 HQ (Kehoe) did you copy?"

11:31:10 Newtown Chief Kehoe: "Roger that."

11:31:15 Newtown Sgt Bahamonde: "S4 to HQ."

11:31:16 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "S4 (Sgt Bahamonde)."

11:31:19 Newtown Sgt Bahamonde: "I am in the school and can confirm that the school has been checked three times over, and they are doing a fourth."

11:31:27 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "1 HQ (Kehoe) did you copy?"

**11:31:42 State's Attorney arrives at Newtown PD: (Newtown radio)**

Officer Silver: "63 we are out with the State's Attorney."

11:31:46 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "63 your message?"

11:31:50 Officer Silver: "State's Attorney is at headquarters."



11:36:15 Newtown Lt Sinko responds to SHES from his private duty assignment at the Monroe/Newtown line on Rt 25. (Lt Sinko's dash cam)

Newtown Lt Sinko: "3 HQ to 1 (Chief Kehoe), I'm on Church Hill, I'll be there shortly."

**11:37:37 Decisions are being made regarding the location of the Command Post: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "S3 to 3 HQ (Lt Sinko)."

11:37:43 Newtown Lt Sinko: "3 HQ."

11:37:46 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "Where is the Command Post?"

11:37:50 Newtown Lt Sinko: "Sandy Hook fire."

11:37:58 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "Can we move it out a little bit more so that we... so that other agencies can get in there, or what?"

11:38:05 Newtown Lt Sinko: "I am just arriving, so I will advise. I have to be briefed."

11:38:11 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "Roger."

**11:39:08 Building plans for SHES have been found and are brought to the school: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "When you get a chance can you get some portable radio batteries down to the school please?"

11:39:14 Newtown Dispatcher Nute: "Received, confirm for me that you have the building plans."

11:39:20 Newtown Sgt Kullgren: "I do roger, thank you."

**11:40:39 A Second Command Post is set up at Fairfield Hills: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "S3 to 3 HQ ( Lt Sinko)."

11:40:43 Newtown Lt Sinko: "3 go ahead."

11:40:47 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "Alright, the staging area, we are going to move to the EOC at Fairfield Hills. We have other agencies that are showing up with personnel that are not going to fit down there."

11:40:59 Newtown Lt Sinko: "Roger I am just meeting up with 1 HQ ( Chief Kehoe) to coordinate."

11:41:06 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "Roger, just let him know, because they are flowing in now and we are not going to have room so I'm going to send them up there."

11:41:12 Newtown Lt Sinko: "Ok."

**11:41:40 Additional assistance from area towns is received for patrol coverage: (Newtown radio)**

11:41:58 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "4 HQ to HQ."

11:42:00 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "4 ( Lt Vanghele) go ahead."

11:42:04 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "There are approximately three Bethel officers that are going to be coming to the.. uh.. headquarters. If you can use them for calls for service, starting with seven Washington Avenue, if there are any other calls backed up."

11:42:18 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Roger, do those Bethel Officers have our frequency?"

11:42:25 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "They do not have our frequency, there should be some spare radios in the classroom."

11:42:31 Newtown Dispatcher Barocsi: "Received."

**11:43:48 ESU is en route to Yogananda Street: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Lt Vanghele: "67 (Officer McGowan)."

11:43:51 Officer McGowan: "67."

11:43:54 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "Who do you have there from SP?"

11:43:59 Officer McGowan: "I've got four (4) CSP on scene as well as 91 (Officer McCluskey)"

11:44:07 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "Are they uniform or SRT?"

11:44:11 Officer McGowan: "I came up with all uniform."

11:44:16 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "Roger, is that number thirty six?"

11:44:19 Officer McGowan: "Roger thirty six."

11:45:03 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "4 HQ to 67 (Officer McGowan)."

11:45:07 Officer McGowan: "Go ahead 4 HQ (Lt Vanghele)."

11:45:11 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "SP uh, SRT team will be on their way there. They should be there in 10 minutes."

11:45:19 Officer McGowan: "Roger when they get there, they will have their CSP out in front."

11:45:25 Newtown Lt Vanghele: "Roger."

**11:45:36 Arrangements are made to set up PIO at Treadwell Park: (Newtown radio)**

Newtown Lt Sinko: "3 HQ to S3 ( Sgt Wisentaner)."

11:45:44 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "S3 headquarters."

11:45:47 Newtown Lt Sinko: "Alright we are going to set up PIO at Treadwell park we are in the process of coordinating that now, I am with CSP and we will be there shortly."

11:46:00 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "Roger."

**11:46:14 Information relayed that SHES does not have security cameras: (Newtown radio)**

Officer Penna: "See if you can get a hold of S7 (Officer Santucci) or 4 HQ ( Lt Vanghele). They were inquiring about video cameras at Sandy Hook School. There are no video cameras that record. The only camera they have is to let people in with the call button, which does not record."

11:46:29 Newtown Sgt Wisentaner: "Roger."

11:46:58 Newtown Sgt. Kullgren: "S6 to D5 (Officer Penna), I copy that transmission, thank you."