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CUSTODIAL DEATH REPORT

Agency Information

CDR Number: 17-99-C

Version Type: AMENDED

Report Date: 3/6/2017 2:53 PM

Status: Submitted

Agency/Facility Information

Agency Name: Wichita Falls Police
Dept.

Agency Address: 610 Holliday St.

Agency City: Wichita Falls

Agency State: TX

Agency Zip: 76301

Director Information

Director Salutation: Chief

Director First Name: Manuel

Director Middle Name:

Director Last Name: Borrego

Reporter Name: Ginger Gilmore

Reporter Email: ginger.gilmore@wfpd.net

Decedent Information

Identity of Deceased

First Name: Miguel

Middle Name: Angel

Last Name: Silva

Suffix:

Date of Birth: 5/8/1998

Sex: Male

Race: Hispanic or Latino

Age At Time Of Death: 18

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

Date/Time of Custody or
Incident: 2/2/2017 10:04 PM

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

Death Date and Time: 2/2/2017 10:57 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:

Gunshot wound of the head

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?: Rifle/shotgun

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: 2601 Kemp Blvd

City: Wichita Falls

County: Wichita

Zip: 76309

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: Police Custody
(pre-booking)

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: Scene of incident

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:

Aggravated Robbery

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;
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: 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?:	Yes
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?:	N/A
Physically attempt/assault officer(s):	No	Gain possession of officer's weapon:	N/A
Verbally threaten other(s) including law:	Yes	Escape or attempt to escape/flee custody:	No
Attempt gain possession officer's weapon:	N/A		

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 2-2-17 at approx. 2205 hours, officers were dispatched to the corner of Kemp and Kell in reference to an armed suspect, later identified as Miguel Angel Silva. Silva approached Garrison's Food Mart at 2601 Kemp Blvd. on foot. He fired at least two rounds at the exterior of the store, then entered the store. He took the female clerk and a female customer hostage. He had the clerk call police. He told dispatch he was upset about being barred from the store. He made verbal threats to kill the hostages. Approximately 24 minutes after entering the store and taking the hostages, he allowed the female customer to leave. About 30 minutes after that, he told dispatch he and the clerk were going to exit the store. Silva had the clerk exit the store in front of him. Silva had a shotgun in his hands, which he began to point at the clerk as they were exiting the store. A WFPD sniper fired one round at Silva, which struck him in the head and killed him.