

Status Approved
Report Type Incident
Primary Officer Charlie Roberts
Investigator Noel Poisson
Reported At 12/17/16 23:56
Incident Date 12/17/16 23:50 - 12/18/16 02:00
Incident Code 10 : Fight
Location DAHLONEGA
Premise Type Commercial
Zone District 1

Disposition Closed by Arrest
Disposition Date/Time 12/18/16 01:38
Review for Gang Activity None

Asst Officers

770 - Craig, Jeremy; 718 - Hughes, Frank; 709 - Proctor, Logan; 750 - Sanford, Ashton

Stranger to Stranger Yes
Weapon Hand / Fist / Etc.
Theft Date
Theft Location
Recovery Location
Government Property

Offense Information

Offense Battery
Statute 16-5-23.1
UCR Offense/Arrest Code 1313 - Simple Assault/Battery
Counts 1
Offense Details Misdemeanor
Date 12/18/16
Location
How Cleared Cleared (Non-juvenile)
Date Cleared 12/18/16

Victim

Offender

DOLES, CHESTER JAMES - Age 56

16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

Arrestee

DOLES, CHESTER JAMES - Age 56 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

Witness

BROWN, GABRIEL J - Age 20 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

DOLES, TERESA ANN - Age 47 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

DOLES, ZANE SHAWN - Age 31 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

DUNSON, KAREN DENISE - Age 41 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

DUNSON, SHAWN CHRISTOPHER - Age 37 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

GAUGHENBAUGH, PETER MITCHELL - Age 35 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

REEVES, JASON CHANCE - Age 43 16-5-23.1 - Battery - Misdemeanor

Unspecified

DOLES, CHESTER JAMES - Age 56

Primary Narrative By Charlie Roberts

AT APPROXIMATELY 2357 ON 17 DEC 2016 I RESPONDED TO JOHNNY B'S, LOCATED AT 438 MAIN STREET WEST, REGARDING A CALL OF A FIGHT IN PROGRESS INVOLVING MULTIPLE PEOPLE. WHEN I ARRIVED, DEPUTY HUGHES WAS ALREADY ON SCENE AND WAS KEEPING TWO GROUPS OF PEOPLE SEPARATED, A TOTAL OF ABOUT 15 OR 16 INDIVIDUALS. IT WAS EVIDENT THAT A FIGHT HAD TAKEN PLACE, AND ABOUT SEVEN PEOPLE DISPLAYED FACIAL BRUISES AND BLEEDING.

SERGEANT PROCTOR AND DEPUTIES CRAIG AND SANFORD ALSO RESPONDED TO THE CALL.

AFTER INTERVIEWING ALL THE PARTIES INVOLVED, ALONG WITH OTHER WITNESSES, CHESTER DOLES, SAID TO BE THE LEADER OF A WHITE SUPREMACIST GROUP KNOWN AS THE HAMMERSKINS, WAS IDENTIFIED AS THE PRIMARY ANTAGONIST IN THE MELEE. HE WAS NOT PRESENT WHEN WE ARRIVED, BUT SGT PROCTOR AND DEPUTY CRAIG SOON LOCATED HIM AND BROUGHT HIM BACK TO THE PARKING LOT OF JOHNNY B'S. AT THAT TIME, [REDACTED] BOTH IMMEDIATELY IDENTIFIED HIM AS THE PERSON WHO HAD CAUSED THEIR INJURIES.

[REDACTED] AN EMPLOYEE OF JOHNNY B'S, STATED THAT THE INCIDENT BEGAN WHEN JASON REEVES

WAS TALKING TO AN UNIDENTIFIED BLACK WOMAN, ONE OF THE HAMMERSKINS GROUP PUT HIS ARM AROUND JASON'S NECK AND BEGAN CHOKING HIM. AT THAT TIME ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE SAME GROUP BEGAN STRIKING JASON IN THE FACE AND BEGAN PULLING [REDACTED]'S HAIR. [REDACTED] SAID THAT HE BEGAN TO PULL THEM OFF J [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]. HE SAID THAT CHESTER THEN ENTERED AND [REDACTED] TOLD HIM THAT ONE OF HIS GROUP HAD JUMPED [REDACTED] FRIEND J [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] SAID THAT CHESTER WAS BEGINNING TO CHASTISE HIS GROUP MEMBERS WHEN ONE OF [REDACTED]'S PARTY SAID SOMETHING ABOUT HATING SKINHEADS. [REDACTED] STATED THAT CHESTER THEN WENT WILD AND BEGAN STRIKING PEOPLE INDISCRIMINATELY, POSSIBLY INCLUDING ONE OF HIS OWN GROUP. AT THAT TIME, MULTIPLE PEOPLE FROM BOTH GROUPS BEGAN FIGHTING. [REDACTED] SAID THAT HE THEN PLACED A 9-1-1 CALL AND DEPUTIES RESPONDED TO CALM THE SITUATION.

THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE SAID THAT THEY WERE STRUCK DURING THE FIGHT: [REDACTED] JASON REEVES, [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]. ONLY [REDACTED] WISHED TO MAKE STATEMENTS AND PRESS CHARGES.

MEMBERS OF BOTH OF THE GROUPS INVOLVED IN THE FIGHT CLAIMED THAT PARTIES ON THE OTHER SIDE HAD BEEN MAKING INFLAMMATORY REMARKS ALL EVENING.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT HE WAS STRUCK FOUR TIMES BY FOUR DIFFERENT PEOPLE, BUT ONLY SAW THE ONE WHO STRUCK HIM IN THE MOUTH. [REDACTED] LATER IDENTIFIED THE ONE WHO STRUCK HIM IN THE MOUTH AS CHESTER DOLES. [REDACTED] FURTHER STATED THAT AFTER BEING BROUGHT BACK TO THE SCENE, CHESTER TOLD HIM, "WHEN WE GO TO COURT I WILL HAVE YOUR ADDRESS AND WE WILL COME GET YOU." [REDACTED] DISPLAYED FACIAL BRUISING AND LACERATIONS.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT THE "MAIN MAN", WHOM SHE LATER IDENTIFIED AS CHESTER DOLES, CALLED HER "A STUPID FUCKING WHITE BITCH" AND SLAMMED HER AGAINST THE WALL, CAUSING BRUISING AND SWELLING TO HER LEFT TEMPLE AREA. [REDACTED] ALSO SAID THAT CHESTER TOLD HER THAT IF THE CASE GOES TO COURT, HE HAD HER ADDRESS AND WILL FIND HER.

NONE OF THE PARTIES INVOLVED DESIRED MEDICAL TREATMENT.

I THEN PLACED CHESTER DOLES UNDER ARREST FOR BATTERY. I HANDCUFFED HIS HANDS BEHIND HIS BACK, USING TWO SETS OF HANDCUFFS LINKED TOGETHER, SIZED AND DOUBLE-LOCKED, AND PLACED HIM IN THE BACK SEAT OF MY PATROL CAR. I TRANSPORTED HIM TO THE LUMPKIN COUNTY DETENTION CENTER, WHERE HE WAS RELEASED TO THE CUSTODY OF DETENTION OFFICERS. I CONDUCTED A CHECK OF MY BACK SEAT FOR CONTRABAND AND FOUND NONE.

WARRANTS ARE BEING SOUGHT IN THIS CASE.

[REDACTED]

NOTHING FURTHER AT THIS TIME.

Supporting Narrative By Frank Hughes

ON 12-17-16 AT APPROXIMATELY 11:57 PM I RESPONDED TO 438 MAIN STREET WEST, JOHNNY B'S, REFERENCE A FIGHT THAT WAS IN PROGRESS INVOLVING MULTIPLE PEOPLE. WHEN I ARRIVED I OBSERVED TWO LARGE GROUPS OF PEOPLE THAT WERE STILL VERBALLY YELLING AT EACH OTHER. THE WHITE SUPREMACY GROUP WAS TO THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE BUILDING, THEY WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE PATCHES THAT WERE VISIBLE ON THE FRONT OF THEIR JACKETS, WHILE THE OTHER PARTY WAS KEPT TO THE LEFT SIDE OF THE RESTAURANT. I KEPT THE TWO GROUPS SEPARATED UNTIL OTHER UNITS ARRIVED.

ONCE ADDITIONAL UNITS ARRIVED ONE OF JOHNNY B'S STAFF MEMBERS POINTED AND YELLED OUT THAT TWO WHITE MALES THAT WERE WITH THE WHITE SUPREMACY GROUP WERE RUNNING TOWARD THE COLLEGE. DEPUTY GRAIG WENT WITH SGT PROCTOR TO LOCATE THE TWO SUSPECTS THAT LEFT THE SCENE. THE STAFF MEMBER TOLD ME THAT THE PERSON WHO WAS FIGHTING AND HAD JUST RUN OFF WAS CHESTER DOLES. I PUT THE SUSPECTS NAME OUT OVER THE RADIO TO HELP ASSISTING UNITS IN THE AREA TO IDENTIFY THE SUSPECT.

IT WAS EVIDENT THAT A FIGHT HAD TAKEN PLACE DUE THE VISIBLE INJURIES ON NUMEROUS PEOPLE FROM BOTH SEPARATED PARTIES. ONCE SOME TYPE OF ORDER WAS RESTORED THE INJURED PARTIES WERE ASK IF THEY WANTED TO HAVE EMS IN ROUTE AND ALL PARTIES REFUSED. DUE TO THE FACT THAT THERE COULD BE ANOTHER OUTBREAK I CONDUCTED CROWD CONTROL. ONCE SGT PROCTOR AND DEPUTY GRAIG ARRIVED WITH CHESTER I ASSISTED DEPUTY ROBERTS IN GETTING STATEMENTS FROM WITNESSES AND PERSONS IN THE TWO PARTIES THAT WERE INVOLVED IN THE FIGHT.

PERSONS THAT WANTED TO PROVIDE A WRITTEN STATEMENT AND / OR WANTED TO FILE CHARGES WERE SEPARATED FROM THE REST OF THE PERSONS THAT WERE ON SCENE. ONCE THEIR STATEMENTS WERE COMPLETED I GATHERED THEM UP AND TOOK PICTURES OF THE INJURIES TO [REDACTED] [REDACTED] THE STATMENT FORMS AND CAMERA WERE RETURNED TO DEPUTY ROBERTS AND I WAS RELEASED FROM THE SCENE.

[REDACTED]

NOTHING FOLLOWS.

CID Investigative Narrative By Noel Poisson

ON JANUARY 3, 2017 I WENT TO JOHNNY B'S TO FOLLOW UP ON THE CASE. THEY WERE UNABLE TO PRODUCE VIDEO SURVEILLANCE OF THE INCIDENT. PATROL HAS ALREADY CLOSED THIS CASE BY ARREST.