

**WEST VALLEY CITY POLICE
INVESTIGATIONS
OPERATIONAL PLAN
DATE: 01-04-10 thru 01-14-10**



TYPE OF OPERATION									
	SURVEILLANCE		KNOCK AND TALK		DEVICE INSTALL		AGENCY ASSIST	X	Area / Mine Shaft Camera Search
	SEARCH WARRANT		ARREST		TRANSPORT		MONITOR TRACKING DEVICE		

GENERAL INFORMATION	
LEAD DETECTIVE: D. Greco	CO-CASE DETECTIVE : M. Cook
CASE NUMBER: 09I054602	RADIO CHANNEL: Zone 1/A 8 (Secure Spec Ops)
NARRATIVE: On 12-07-09 Susan Powell was reported missing by her mother-in-law when she failed to show up at her work. Mrs. Powell's residence was checked and she was not located there. Mrs. Powell's husband Joshua was interviewed and made statements that were suspicious. Mrs. Powell was last seen on 12-06-09 and as of today's date is still missing. Evidence and information have been located to suggest that Mr. Powell may have injured or killed Mrs. Powell at which time he drove her out to the West Desert near Dugway Proving Grounds to dispose of her body in one of the many mine shafts located in that area.	

OPERATION LOCATIONS			
	ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION	MISC. INFO.
STAGING LOCATION	Dugway Military Base		
OP LOCATION	Multiple mine shaft locations within the west desert near Dugway		

SUSPECTS		
NAME	INFORMATION	CRIMINAL HISTORY
Joshua Powell	(see attachment)	N/A

SUSPECT VEHICLES				
LICENSE	MAKE	MODEL	COLOR	YEAR
[REDACTED]	CHRYSLER	TOWN & COUNTRY	Light blue	2005

PERSONNEL ASSIGNMENTS				
Name	IBM	CELL/DIRECT	UNIT	ASSIGNMENT
Detective D. Greco (WVDP)	8193	[REDACTED] B	D-54	Lead
Sgt. R. Bobrowski (WVDP)	8312	[REDACTED] O	D-50	Supervisor (will remain in WVC)
Detective M. Cook (WVDP)	8121	[REDACTED] I	D-76	Tech Support
[REDACTED] (Division of Natural Resources)	n/a	[REDACTED] 7	n/a	Mine shaft camera operator, mine shaft and area expert.
[REDACTED] t (Division of Natural Resources)	n/a	[REDACTED] O	n/a	Mine shaft camera operator, mine shaft and area expert.
TOTAL PERSONNEL	5			

EQUIPMENT										
Van		Air		Entry Tools		Shield		Ram		Canine
	X	Camera (mine shaft camera from DNR)		Safety Equipment: Helmets Nylon ropes Harnesses First aid kit Tool Kit (Detective Greco)	X	Evidence Kit to include bags, evidence logs, camera and markers	X	Other: Cold weather gear, water and food. 2 Generators (Detectives Greco and Cook) Laptop computer w/air card (WVPD) Satellite phone (WVPD) Hand Held GPS (WVPD)	X	VEHICLES: Dually Truck (WVPD) Narc lab truck with winch. (WVPD) 2 four wheelers (WVPD) 1 Rino (off road vehicle WVPD) Tow trailer ()

INSTRUCTIONS

NARRATIVE:

The objective of this operation is to visually inspect mineshafts with a borehole camera in the West Desert near Dugway Proving Grounds for victim Susan Powell's body. The operation will start on January 04, 2010 and will go for two weeks until January 14, 2010. Individuals assigned to this operation will be staying in barracks at the Dugway Proving Grounds Military Base. Prior to each days searches, a map will be emailed to Sgt. Bobrowski with the location of the mines that will be searched that day. Everyday at 1200 hrs and 1700 hrs Sgt. Bobrowski will be contacted by phone with an update/status report.

While inspecting the mineshafts with the borehole camera, personnel will wear a body safety harness that will be tied off to a secure structure or vehicle away from the mineshaft opening. Training on this safety equipment will be conducted by the members of the Department of Natural Resources prior to the operation starting.

As many mineshafts as possible will be checked during the two week period. At the end of the two week period this operation will be re-evaluated by WVPD administration who will decide if the operation will continue further.

EVIDENCE RECOVERY PLAN DISCUSSED

YES

SEE BELOW

EVIDENCE RECOVERY PLAN

During this operation the general concept will be to operate as "low key" as possible to avoid alerting Josh Powell, media or others not involved in the operation or case. In the event Susan Powell is located the following will occur:

1. Site detectives and DNR personnel will immediately video record the area/scene and will not enter the scene.
2. Notification will be made to Sgt. Bobrowski via satellite phone by Detective Greco.
3. One site detective will depart the scene with DVD video and deliver the DVD directly to Sgt. Bobrowski.
4. Remaining site personnel will remain at the scene until relieved by scene security provided by WVCPCD.
5. After review and confirmation:
 - a. Detectives Maxwell and Cook will immediately travel to Puyallup, Wa. to coordinate with Pierce COSO in anticipation of arrest warrant, subsequent search warrants and notification to Cox family.
 - b. Detectives Marx and Dain will contact Deputy D.A. Sandra Johnson and begin screening process and obtain information/arrest warrant.
 - c. Detectives Davis, Waelty and Peterson will return to scene with site detective and begin a scene security schedule (minimum two detectives).
 - d. Sgt. Bobrowski will make in person contact with OME with video of site.
6. Sgt. Bobrowski will notify mine rescue personnel through DNR command.

7. Mine rescue team will conduct recovery of evidence if within mine shaft if evidence is above ground and not within an immediate area of mine WVC PD/OME will recover evidence.
8. OME personnel will assume custody of human remains.

LAW ENFORCEMENT/HOSPITAL/MEDICAL INFORMATION		
AGENCY	PHONE	ADDRESS
IMC	ER-507-6600	5121 South Cottonwood St. (75 West)

MEDICAL		
MEDICAL NOTIFIED	PHONE/CONTACT INFO	STAGED AT

HOSPITAL		
HOSPITAL	PHONE	ADDRESS

ATTACHMENTS		
PHOTOS	MAPS	SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

NOTIFICATIONS			
WATCH COMMANDER	SWAT COMMANDER	X	OTHER Assistant Chief Black Capt. Schwemmer Lt. Vanroosendaal Sgt. Bobrowski

PREPARED BY: Detective D. Greco 8193

DATE: 12-31-09

APPROVAL:

 12/31/09

Assistant Chief Craig Black

DATE: 12/31/09



Sgt. Robert Bobrowski

DATE: 12/31/09