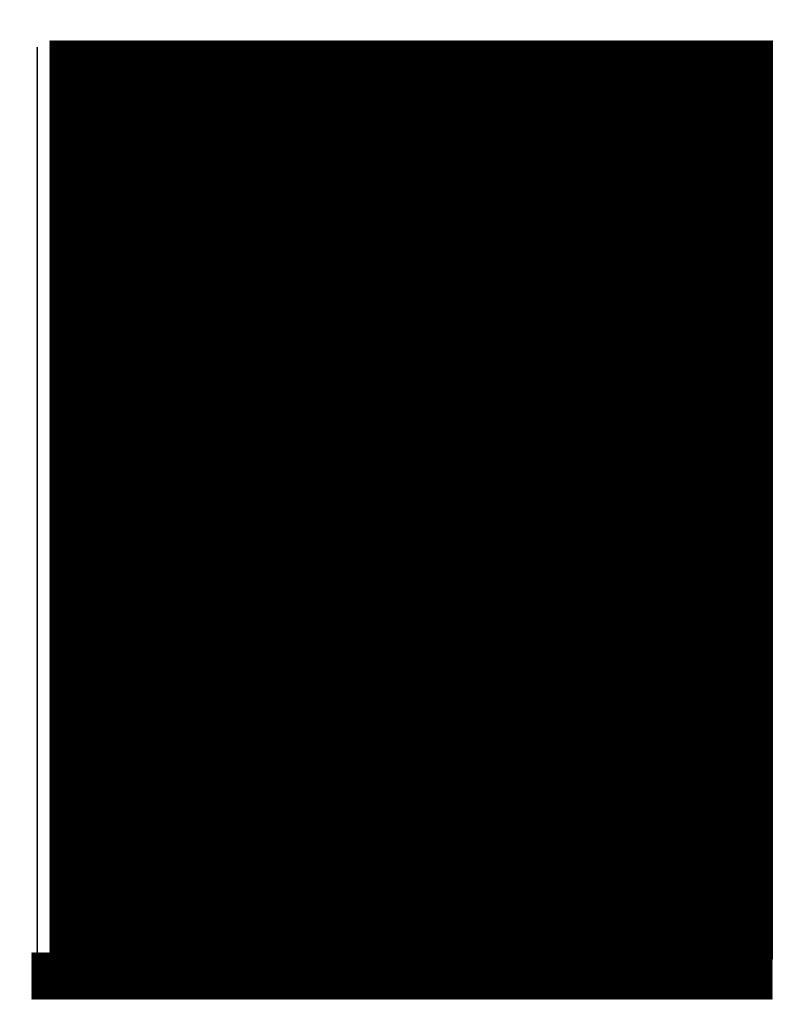
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CHP INCIDENT STATUS - SITUATION STATUS REPORT # 18

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OPI 029		INCIDENT TYPE:		Protests						
1. DATE AND TIME:		2. OPERATIONAL PERIOR FROM:	OD: TO:	3. INCIDENT NAME / SPEC	CIAL CODE:					
06/02/2020 @	1600	0600	1800	George Floyd Protests	<u> </u>					
4. DIVISION:			4b. AREAS INVO							
	Northern		Ukiah, Mt. Sh	nasta, Redding, Dunsr	nuir CVEF					
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NAME:	Chief Eliza	beth Barkley	NAME:	Sergeant Coady Cor	rrigan					
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There are currently	no active p	rotests in Northern [Division. The n	ext protest is schedule	ed for 1630 in Ft. Bragg					
(Ukiah Area), follov	ved by Mt. S	hasta. All protests a	are expected to	be peaceful.						
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9. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION (INCLUDE ARRESTS / DETAINED, AGENCY RESOURCES, EQUIPMENT S	STATUS):
Northern Division Air Operations:	
• the George Floyd protests	ıll fully staffed to support
Evacuations:	
There are no evacuations in place for these George Floyd protests	
Arrests:	
No arrests have been made by CHP personnel	
Freeway Closures:	
• None	
Allied Agency information:	
• None	
Number of Mutual Aid Requests:	
• None	
<u>Curfew:</u>	
• None	
Additional Information:	



10. ROADWAY STATUS:

The following closures are in place:

- none

***No state buildings or properties have been impacted at this time.

11. PERSONNEL RESC	TOTAL:	115							
OFFICERS:	98	SERGEANTS:	12	LIEUTENANTS: 5	CAPTAIN:	0			
12. PERSONNEL INJUF	RIES STATUS (INJU	JRIES / FATALITIES):							
DEPARTMENTAL	INJURIES:	1	FATALITIES:	0	TOTAL:	0			
13. WEATHER:									
Reddin	g:	Ft. Bragg:		Mt. Shasta:					
Degrees 87		59		77					
Precipitation 0%		5%		0%					
Wind 6MPH	S	8 MPH SI	Ξ	2 MPH NE					
14. PREPARED BY AND	DATE/TIME:		15. APPROVED	BY AND DATE/TIME:					
Officer B. Gamble	, ID 21331 06/	02/2020 @ 1600	Sergeant C.	Corrigan, ID 18177 06	s/02/2020 @ 16	00			

Barr, Stacy@CHP From: To: Cox, Wayne

<u>Bill Dobberstein; Bret Smith; Gunther, Thomas@Parks; Honsal, William; Ron Waters; Bolton, AJ@Wildlife;</u> Cc:

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Dykman, Timothy J. (SF) (FBI); Troy, Stephen; Salata, William@Parks; Knudson, Matthew; Mike Downey

Subject: CHP placed on Tactical Alert Date: Friday, May 29, 2020 1:39:30 PM

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Sent from my iPhone

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<policechief@ci.ferndale.ca.us>, "Gunther, Thomas@Parks"

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Stephens Brian; Steve Watson; Honsal, William; Braud, Justin Humboldt Area Ops Plan Floyd - 5-31-20.doc To:

Subject:

Date: Sunday, May 31, 2020 2:19:16 PM

Attachments:

<u>A1100001.txt</u>

All -

Copy of our ops plan. Not all inclusive.

Thanks -

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From:

Moore, Conan Honsal, William; Braud, Justin; Williams, Samuel; Quenell, Bryan; Sopoaga, Shawn; SO Dispatch 6-1-2020 protest op Monday, June 1, 2020 6:58:24 PM To:

Subject:

Date:

Attachments:

From: Honsal, William

To: Sheriff Administration; Sheriff Patrol; SO Dispatch
Cc: Sheriff Correctional Deputies; Sheriff Non Sworn

Subject: FW: Situational Awareness **Date:** Monday, June 1, 2020 4:44:25 PM

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To: Barkley, Elizabeth@CHP < EBarkley@chp.ca.gov>

Subject:



movewithkatie 4m

If you choose to be apart of protests that is your constitutional right.

BE AWARE

I have heard, from a reliable source, that ANTIFA buses with close to 200 people (doemstic terrorists) are planning to infiltrate Redding and possibly cause distraction and destruction. They were in Klamath Falls, OR yesterday and are touring around.

I sincerely hope this isn't true.

This is meant to inform and not to spread fear. I believe this is a paid organization designed to create chaos.

Do not engage in violence.

Do not be apart of the problem by getting caught up in the moment with instigators.

!!SHASTA / TEHAMA!!



Send Message



This is one of the vans that came into Klamath Falls couple days ago. and, lo and behold, we had a protest in Klamath Falls tonite and were told 2 buses were coming from Portland and were going to riot and burn. Word got out and the populace of the area showed up in town armed to the teeth. Never seen so many AR-15s. Buses did in fact show up, but there was no rioting or burning as they decided to move on. Anyway, I said that to say this. Redding is the next large community south of here. The van was seen going thru the Ag Station in Dorris headed south. Might want to keep an eye out for it.



From: Honsal, William

To: Sheriff Administration; Sheriff Patrol; SO Dispatch
Cc: Sheriff Correctional Deputies; Sheriff Non Sworn

Subject: RE: Situational Awareness
Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 9:29:33 AM

Confirmed with CHP that the bus is currently in Redding. They have surveillance team assigned to monitor the activity. If they head west, they will let us know.

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From: Gomes, Jennifer E.

To: clofthouse@humboldt.edu

Subject: Fwd: Situational Awareness

Date: Monday, June 1, 2020 5:19:39 PM

This was in my county email from the Sheriff. In case you don't already have it.

Here ya go...

Jen

Get Outlook for Android

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Subject: Re: Situational Awareness

Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 9:43:45 AM

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Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 9:57:24 AM

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From: Lost Coast Outpost
To: Karges, Samantha

Subject: Re: REMINDER: Sheriff Honsal Media Availability Today

Date: Thursday, June 4, 2020 12:31:07 PM

Attachments: <u>image003.png</u>

- 1. Is the Sheriff's Office contemplating any new sorts of mandatory training in light of the events of the last two weeks? Will you be contemplating any changes to policy or procedures?
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On Thu, Jun 4, 2020 at 11:56 AM Karges, Samantha < skarges 1@co.humboldt.ca.us > wrote:

Hi all,

This is a friendly reminder that Sheriff Honsal has a media availability today. As we have only received one question, we will be extending the deadline to submit your questions to 12:30 pm.

Thank you,



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Humboldt County Joint Information Center

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 From:
 Hank Sims

 To:
 Karges, Samantha

 Subject:
 Follow-Up!

Date: Thursday, June 4, 2020 4:06:16 PM

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From: Karges, Samantha
To: Honsal, William
Subject: FW: Follow-Up!

Date: Thursday, June 4, 2020 4:08:00 PM

Attachments: <u>image001.png</u>

Do you mind answering these follow up questions regarding Antifa?



SAMANTHA KARGES

Public Information Specialist Humboldt County Sheriff's Office (707) 496-3741

From: Hank Sims <hanksims@gmail.com> Sent: Thursday, June 04, 2020 4:06 PM

To: Karges, Samantha <skarges1@co.humboldt.ca.us>

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To: Honsal, William

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Date: Friday, June 5, 2020 10:29:42 AM

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To: Honsal, William

Subject: FW: Show us the evidence. We have a right to know.

Date: Friday, June 5, 2020 1:24:06 PM

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Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 10:26 AM

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Date: Sunday, June 7, 2020 7:59:52 AM

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Date: Friday, June 5, 2020 10:07:49 AM

Attachments: <u>image003.png</u> <u>image004.png</u>

Samantha, Billy:

Frankly, we are finding this very difficult to believe. Other local police agencies around the West saw through the "Antifa Bus" scare, and there has been a lot of very credible reporting that the rumors of such originated from a fake Twitter account created by a white nationalist group. Twitter itself confirms that the account was fake, and was created by Identity Europa. I sent Sam a couple of stories about this yesterday. Here's another:

https://www.businessinsider.com/white-nationalist-identity-evropa-twitter-antifa-looting-2020-6

Can I politely ask you for more details about this California Highway Patrol report you received? When, where, in what form, from which office did you receive it? And what were the verified police reports on these buses from Oregon?

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Date: Friday, June 5, 2020 10:11:17 AM

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Monday, June 8, 2020 9:25:44 AM Date:

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By AMANDA SEITZ, Associated Press June 2, 2020 Updated: June 4, 2020 2:07 a.m.

From:
To: Honsal, William

Subject: Re: From last weeks reporting **Date:** Tuesday, June 9, 2020 2:49:15 PM

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Subject: Antifa response

Date: Monday, June 8, 2020 11:54:00 AM

Attachments: <u>image001.pnq</u>

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To: Karges, Samantha
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Date: Monday, June 8, 2020 12:58:09 PM

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Follow up question below:

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From: Richard Salzman
To: Honsal, William

Subject: From last weeks reporting

Date: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 11:04:29 AM

https://www.sfchronicle.com/news/article/False-claims-of-antifa-protesters-plague-small-15312433.php?

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False claims of antifa protesters plague small U.S. cities

By AMANDA SEITZ, Associated Press June 2, 2020 Updated: June 4, 2020 2:07 a.m.

From: Mejia, Brittny
To: Karges, Samantha

Subject: Los Angeles Times reporter

Date: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 1:59:36 PM

Hello,

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Brittny

From: <u>Karges, Samantha</u>
To: <u>Honsal, William</u>

Subject: Update to LOCO from Stacy Barr

Date: Thursday, June 11, 2020 8:40:24 AM

Attachments: <u>image001.png</u>

SECOND UPDATE, June 10, 4:54 p.m.:

This afternoon the *Outpost* received a call from Captain Stacy Barr, commander of the California Highway Patrol's Arcata office. She said Sheriff Honsal had asked her to reach out to us and relay that her office did receive information "regarding buses coming down from Oregon."

This information came via the CHP's Northern Division office in Redding, Barr said, and it prompted local CHP personnel to notify the county's Emergency Operations Center.

"[We] shared the information about busses coming out of Redding with screenshots from posts online," Barr told the *Outpost*.

We have since submitted a request under the California Public Records Act for copies of those screenshots, along with any other communication about alleged antifa buses. We'll update readers when we hear back.

As of this morning a PRA has not been submitted to the Sheriff's Office.



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To: Karges, Samantha

Subject: Re: Los Angeles Times reporter

Date: Thursday, June 11, 2020 11:43:19 AM

Attachments: <u>image001.png</u>

Hi Samantha! Could you share the statement he's given other news outlets regarding Antifa? I've seen it reported elsewhere

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 11, 2020, at 11:42 AM, Karges, Samantha <skarges1@co.humboldt.ca.us> wrote:

EXTERNAL SOURCE

Hi Brittny,

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From: Paris, Melva
To: Dan Paris
Subject: RE: Lunch

Date: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 9:01:00 AM

That must by why Bryan Q is in a good mood. ")

From: Dan Paris <dannoparis@sbcglobal.net>

Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 9:01 AM

To: Paris, Melva < MParis@co.humboldt.ca.us>

Subject: Re: Lunch

He's taking some heat from everybody over it.

On Tuesday, June 9, 2020, 08:58:20 AM PDT, Paris, Melva <mparis@co.humboldt.ca.us> wrote:

I didn't think they were here, the last even by his email they were in Redding. Stop spreading rumors, did some just say something that wasn't true – I should ask "OK, are you sure you didn't give permission to sign your name, 100 percent sure" or are you sure "were you trying to start vicious rumors to get ANTIFA to come here

From: Dan Paris < dannoparis@sbcglobal.net>

Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 8:54 AM

To: Paris, Melva < MParis@co.humboldt.ca.us >

Subject: Re: Lunch

ok Keep your hands away from her! I see the boss walked back his comments on Antifa being here. OOPS!!

On Tuesday, June 9, 2020, 08:51:21 AM PDT, Paris, Melva <mparis@co.humboldt.ca.us> wrote:

Yes, but you got me snack ritz Crackers and I'm trying to be good with spending and eating. Your friend needed some meds this morning, I guess you will have to apply when I get home

From: Dan Paris <<u>dannoparis@sbcglobal.net</u>>
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 8:50 AM

To: Paris, Melva < MParis@co.humboldt.ca.us >

Subject: Re: Lunch

ok do you have money so you can buy food?

On Tuesday, June 9, 2020, 08:48:14 AM PDT, Paris, Melva <mparis@co.humboldt.ca.us> wrote:

No, I will eat crackers. Hey the blue berries are clean if you want some they are in the lunch box. I think taking them down behind Sears until the grass is cut is a good idea. I haven't found a lot of fleas on them. It's only if you can refrain yourself from disobeying my suggestion. ")

From: Dan Paris < dannoparis@sbcglobal.net >

Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 8:46 AM

To: Paris, Melva < MParis@co.humboldt.ca.us >

Subject: Re: Lunch

Yes you did. Do you want us to bring it to you?

On Tuesday, June 9, 2020, 07:57:46 AM PDT, Paris, Melva <mparis@co.humboldt.ca.us> wrote:



Hey Sweetie,

Did I leave my lunch there?

Good Morning, I didn't feed anyone, I wanted to get the fishy dishes done and the garbage out. I love you very much ")

Melva Paris

Legal Office Services Manager

Records Division

707-268-3604

mparis@co.humboldt.ca.us

From: <u>Davey Alba</u>
To: <u>Honsal, William</u>

Subject: Inquiry from New York Times

Date: Monday, June 15, 2020 1:51:23 PM

Hello,

I'm a reporter for the New York Times, where I'm writing about an incident in which Antifa allegedly came to Humboldt County, CA during the George Floyd protests a couple of weekends ago. We have seen a briefing in which you've stated, "Antifa was here this weekend" -- but I just wanted to ask whether you have substantiated this, and whether you have more to add in a statement for us about the incident?

Thank you, Davey

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Davey Alba | Technology Reporter | @daveyalba | @daveyalba | 620 Eighth Avenue, 3rd Floor, New York, NY 10018

From:
To: Honsal, William

Subject: Recent comment re: Antifa

Date: Monday, June 29, 2020 3:34:23 PM

Sheriff Honsal:

I am writing to you to express my disapproval of your recent claim that a group of people supposedly associated with Antifa had been on their way to Humboldt County. I thought it was very reckless and irresponsible for you to make this unsubstantiated claim (the CHP stated that they had no indication that such an event was going to happen). This public announcement of an unfounded rumor had the potential, particularly in these times of heightened fear of the "other," to encourage right-wing groups, especially armed groups, to come out of the woodwork and confront innocent citizens, especially peaceful "Black Lives Matters" protesters, which has apparently happened in other rural towns (e.g., Klamath Falls).

I think you should resign because of your conduct or, at the very least, issue a public apology.

Thanks for your time,