



Massachusetts State Police  
**ASSISTANCE RENDERED 2022-IMT-10**

Report Date: 02/23/2022

**Primary Information**

Description: Deerfield bail out/wanted subject with firearm  
Dissemination Code: report respect the security of its associated case  
Reporting LEO: Doak, Brian (MSP 3241 / UAV Squad / Massachusetts State Police)  
Backup LEO: Tiberi, Jarred (MSP Drone Unit)  
Report Status: Approved  
Report Status Date: 02/24/2022  
Approved By: George, Michael A (msp2998 / Massachusetts State Police)

**Synopsis**

On 02/23/2022 at approximately 2120 hours BHQ Duty Officer McCarthy-Johnson requested MSP drone Unit to assist with an active search for a wanted person, Airwing unavailable.

On the above date and time Troopers Doak and Tiberi responded to the area of Lower Rd in the town of Deerfield to search wooded areas along route 91 (40.8 mm) in the towns of Deerfield and Greenfield. Upon arrival Troopers Doak and Tiberi met with members of the Deerfield and Greenfield Police Department, as well as MSP K-9 units. Bill Kimball, Greenfield Fire Department, was on scene utilizing a DJI Matrice 200 Drone to conduct searches for the wanted suspect on Lower Rd. Operations were then moved to Franklin County Fairgrounds to cover a wider search area. Upon arrival Kimball advised that he had conducted a search of the area on Lower Rd and that they have grounded their drone, due to complications with the wind. MSP Drone Unit began operations with the Matrice 300.

Flight operations were conducted in class G airspace and remained at or below 400'AGL. The weather was clear and cold, approximately 26 degrees. A copy of the flights are attached to this report.

Troopers Doak and Tiberi conducted searches along route 91 as well as areas along River Rd and Laurel Street in the town of Greenfield. The above mentioned areas were searched utilizing infra red cameras to identify areas of interest for the wanted suspect. Upon conducting flight operations, no identifiable observations were made. BHQ Duty Office later released all MSP assets.

No photos or videos were taken or stored.

Respectfully submitted,

Trooper Brian R. Doak #3241  
UAS Section

SAM:  
2/23/2022 8:37:00 PM

Related Addresses:

LOCATION OCCURED - 91 NB 37.8 Mile Marker, Deerfield, MA

Gist:

2037 hrs: Cr. 1758T advises that Cr. 1800 is in pursuit of a vehicle that Cr. 1758T pulled over, MA (c) privacy. He believed it was a MV of interest from a shooting in Boston. He made contact with the operator for a marked lanes violation and the operator took off while they were at the side of the MV. NB at the 37.8. Speed at 112. Left lane. Traffic is light. No erratic operation. Lt. McCarthy-Johnson announces a CD1 for B-2 and assumes command and control of the pursuit.

2038 hrs: Speed of 105. Light traffic, no erratic operation in the left lane. Cr. 1800 requests that Greenfield be notified to set up sticks at the off ramps. Cr. 2079 is set up with sticks at the 41 mile marker. NB at the 39.3, right lane. TDO attempts to confirm why the subject is wanted. Station B is confirming that the subject is wanted for a shooting in Boston. It was in the CJIS remarks.



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2039 hrs: Cr. 1800 advises Tpr. Savinski that the MV is in the left lane and it is a (c) privacy MA PC (c) privacy. He is now in the right lane. TDO inquires if any occupants and any descriptors. There is a (c) privacy Operator looked like a (c) privacy  
Cr. 1800 advises that it looks like the MV is stopping at the 40.8 mile marker. Cr. 1800 confirms that the MV is stopped at the 40.8 mile marker and he has something in his hand. TDO attempts to confirm backup. Cr. 1087 out with Cr. 1800 and Cr. 1758T is a mile and a half out. Subject fled. Cr. 1800 advises that it looked like he had something in his hand that he tucked behind his back in his waistband. Subject ran into the wood line and Cr. 1800 no longer has a visual on him. (c) privacy dark pants, grey sweater with a hat.

2040 hrs: TDO attempts to locate a K-9 as one MSP K-9 is in route to Agawam for a missing person and another is in route from C-Troop. TDO attempts to determine CD6 of C-Troop K-9. Cr. 1032K advises that 1380K to divert to the SP Shelburne area and Cr. 1032 will continue to Agawam. Perimeter being set up. Female passenger is detained.

2043 hrs: TDO requests Station B check the availability of the Airwing. TDO secures from CD1.

2046 hrs: Airwing unavailable due to wind.

2047 hrs: Operator was wanted for the shooting but canceled on the 21st. Unsure why.

2057 hrs: Lt. Palmer of the Watch Center calls with information on the suspect from the shooting. Information passed on to patrols on scene. Lt. Palmer to check on the availability of the drone.

2101 hrs: Brady with the Watch Center advises Boston PD (a) CORI. Patrols advising that he has (a) CORI

2109 hrs: 1758T and Cr. 674 begin track with K-9.

2126 hrs: Greenfield unable to fly drone due to wind (B-2 had been in contact with them). Cr. 674 requests that Greenfield respond to assess weather. Lt. George Michael of IMAT advises that Crs. 1070 and 1072 will be responding. Lt. Michael updated regarding the Greenfield concerns. MSP drones about an hour and a half out.

2135 hrs: Greenfield will assess weather.

2138 hrs: Station B is trying to ping the suspect's phone.

2215 hrs: Greenfield launching drone.

2303 hrs: MSP drone unit preparing to launch drone.

MSP continues to look for suspect.

Lt. TM McCarthy-Johnson #3311

Troop B Headquarters

Agencies/Units Involved:

[B-2 State Police Shelburne Falls], [B-Hq Sp Northampton Headquarters], [K-9 - West], [Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Section], [Hampshire/Franklin Narcotics Squad], [Imat], [Greenfield Police Department], [Hatfield Police Department]

Related Subjects Involved:

Submitted by:

McCarthy-Johnson, Talitha M (LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIAL)



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**SAM ID:**

2022-36394 (SAM B - Pursuit)

**Address #1 - RELEVANT TO CASE (SEE REPORT) #1 - 91 S/B 40.8 MM Greenfield**

**Primary Information**

Address: 91 S/B 40.8 MM Greenfield, Greenfield, MASSACHUSETTS UNITED STATES