

Saturday, August 9, 2014
4:00 p.m.
Detective _____,
St. Louis County Police Department
DSN _____

Detective _____ = Det. _____

DET. _____ : Today's date is Saturday, August 9, 2014. The time is approximately 4:00 p.m. My name is Detective _____ DSN _____. This interview is in reference to St. Louis County Police Report 14-43984, which documents an officer-involved shooting resulting in a fatality. A, the person being interviewed in this interview in taking place at _____ what is the street name here _____ ?

DET. _____ : The person being interviewed is _____ date of birth _____ A, _____ we spoke, a, earlier reference what you saw reference this incident. Can you kinda explain in your own words what you saw and what you were doing?

_____ : Well, I was going down the steps to go around the back to empty my trash and then I saw these two young guys walking on the street and then I saw the police car and I'm not sure if he was headed toward West Florissant or what but then I saw him, I don't know what was said. I didn't hear it. I saw him kinda cut them off caddy corner with his car and then I kept on walkin' and then I heard two shots.

DET. _____ : When you said you were walkin' you said you walked behind the building. Is that correct?

_____ : I kept on walking going to the trash can...

DET. _____ : Okay,
...behind the building.

DET. _____ : Which is behind the building, okay.

Yes it was. But then I heard two shots and then I..."Oh my God" I kinda stopped and then I started back around the corner of the building and then I hear about five or six more shots and I ran and I hid behind some cars back there 'cause I didn't know if it was a gun fight or what, ya know. So, that's about the best I could, I could tell ya.

DET. : Okay, and did you hear anything that was being said?

: That's what I said. I couldn't hear what was being said.

DET. Okay. And you said afterwards when you finally came out from behind the cars, um, you came out and you saw the young man laying in the street.

: Laying in the street.

DET. Um, but you don't remember where the officer was or where he was approximately.

: I'm not sure. I don't know exactly where the officer was right then.

DET. Okay. And, you said you didn't recognize either of these two young men?

I don't know the young men. I don't know these young folks in this area. I-I don't even know where he live back there or up the street or what. I-I did not know the young man.

DET. Okay. Is there anything else you want to add to that?

That I'm just upset and heartbroken.

DET. I understand.

To lose another body, lo-lose another black man.

DET. Yes

I just, just upset that's all.

DET. Okay. That'll conclude the interview. The time is approximately 4:02 p.m.