Wisconsin DOJ Division of Criminal Investigation ACISS Investigative 05-1776/10

Report Date: 11/09/2005

Primary Information

Description:

Evidence Transfer: Bones from burn pit on Avery property

Dissemination Code:

Agency

Reporting LEO:

Freymiller, Dorinda M (Madison Public Integrity DCI / Wisconsin Department of Justice DCI)

Approval Status:

Approved

Approved Date:

12/20/2005

Approved By:

Kelly, Carolyn S (Madison Arson DCI)

Synopsis

Two Property Receipts issued: One for bones, one for other items found with bones.

| Related Subjects | | | | | | | |
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| Name | Type | Sex | Race | DOB | Relationship | | |
| BENNETT, KENNETH A | Person | Male | White | | Mentioned | | |
| Cravens, Debbie | Person | Female | White | | Mentioned | | |
| Eisenberg, Leslie | Person | Female | White | | Mentioned | | |
| Avery, Steven Allen Sr | Person | Male | White | 07/09/1962 | Person of Interest | | |

| Property | | | |
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| Status | Quantity | Description | |
| Other Agency | 1 | Numerous charred bone fragments | |
| Inventory | 1 | Zipper slider with pull tab attached | |
| Inventory | 6 | Six round metal grommets | |
| Inventory | 1 | Fabric - small piece, frayed | |
| Inventory | 1 | Metal object 1 1/4 " x 1/2" with small metal spring | |
| Inventory | 1 | 2" long squeeze tube container | |
| Inventory | 1 | 1" x 1" triangular metal object | |
| Inventory | 1 | 1"x1/2" electronic component with metal prongs | |
| Inventory | 1 | 1/2"x1/4" hollow rectangular item with copper wire | |

Record Status Information

Record Origination Operator:

Freymiller, Dorinda M (Madison Public Integrity DCI / Wisconsin Department of Justice DCI)

Record Origination Date:

11/09/2005 18:03

Last Update Operator:

Kelly, Carolyn S (Wisconsin Statewide Intelligence Center DCI)

Last Update Date: 12/20/2005 16:01

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Narrative begins on the following page.

On 11/09/2005 S/A Dorinda M. Freymiller received a white box from Madison State Crime Lab employee Fran Lutz. The box contained numerous bone fragments and other items. The following was written on the box: "contents sifted from burn pit near Steve's residence/garage, 11-8-05, JRE". The box had a red Calument County Sheriff's Department evidence label on it indicating it was sticker #8318. The box also had a yellow Madison Crime Lab evidence label on it with the item # M05-2467 #AI.

S/A Freymiller assigned the box to DCI Property Receipt C10987.

S/A Freymiller then transported the box to the residence of Dr. Ken Bennett, anthropologist. S/A Freymiller observed Bennett as he completed a cursory review of the contents of the box. During his review, Bennett concluded that the box contained human bone fragments. He identified fragments of an ilium, scapula, cervical vertebrae, temporal, humerus, parietal, frontal, femur, radius and two zygomatic bones. Based on his observation of the ilium, Bennett concluded that bone was from a fully developed female. In addition, Bennett concluded, "There are no distinctive animal bones presented. All remains are very likely human, and there is no evidence to suggest that more than one individual is present."

In addition to the bones, these additional items were discovered among the bones: One zipper slider with a pull tab attached, six small round metal grommets, one small piece of frayed fabric, a metal object approximately 1 ½" long by ½" wide with a small metal spring attached to it, a 2" long squeeze tube container, a metal object approximately 1" wide and 1" long and triangular in shape, one electronic component 1" by ½" surrounded with small metal prongs, a ½" by ½" hollow rectangular item wrapped with copper wire.

These items were removed from the bone fragments and packaged in a separate evidence bag. S/A Freymiller assigned these items to DCI Property Receipt C10988.

On the same date, S/A Freymiller transported the bone fragments listed on Property Receipt C10987 to the Wisconsin State Historical Society and signed them over to the custody of Debbie Cravens who received them in Forensic Anthropologist Leslie Eisenberg's absence.