

Wisconsin DOJ Division of Criminal Investigation

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Report Date: 11/16/2005

Primary Information

Description: TERESA MARIE HALBACH: Interview/Gordon Kudick
 Occurrence From: 11/15/2005 13:30
 Occurrence To: 11/15/2005 14:00
 Dissemination Code: Agency
 Reporting LEO: Sturdivant, Thomas A (Wausau Narcotics DCI)
 Approval Status: Approved
 Approved Date: 11/28/2005
 Approved By: Kelly, Carolyn S (Madison Arson DCI)

Related Addresses

Address	Relationship
137 W Main St, Mishicot, Wisconsin	Interview Location

Related Subjects

Name	Type	Sex	Race	DOB	Relationship
Avery's Auto Salvage	Business	---	---	---	Subject of Interest
Mishicot Auto Sales	Organization	---	---	---	Mentioned
Kudick, Gordon F	Person	Male	White	03/25/1937	Interviewed
Avery, Charles Earl	Person	Male	White	07/13/1954	Mentioned
Avery, Earl Kevin	Person	Male	White	06/10/1970	Mentioned
Avery, Steven Allen Sr	Person	Male	White	07/09/1962	Mentioned
Eells, James	Person	Male	White	06/08/1957	Mentioned
Halbach, Teresa Marie	Person	Female	White	03/22/1980	Victim

Record Status Information

Record Origination Operator: Knutson, Andrea L (DCI Appleton Field Office / Wisconsin Department of Justice DCI)
 Record Origination Date: 11/21/2005 14:02
 Last Update Operator: Kelly, Carolyn S (Wisconsin Statewide Intelligence Center DCI)
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Reporting LEO	Date	Supervisor	Date
Sturdivant, Thomas A (Wausau Narcotics DCI)		Kelly, Carolyn S (Madison Arson DCI)	9/12/2016

Narrative begins on the following page.

On Tuesday, November 15, 2005, at approximately 1:30 p.m., S/A Thomas A. Sturdivant arrived at Mishicot Auto Sales, 137 W. Main Street, Mishicot, WI 54227, 920-755-4833. S/A Sturdivant made contact with the manager, James Eells, W/M, DOB 06/08/1957, and the owner/ operator Gordon Kudick, W/M, DOB 03/25/1937. For the purpose of this report, once the Averys are mentioned they will be referred to by their first name.

S/A Sturdivant advised Eells and Kudick that he was conducting follow-up regarding the Teresa Halbach investigation. S/A Sturdivant informed Eells and Kudick that a bill of sale dated 11/04/2005, with the Mishicot Auto Sales name on it, was located at the business of Avery Auto Salvage, and S/A Sturdivant was interested in the details surrounding that transaction.

Kudick stated he had called Avery Auto Salvage on Tuesday morning, which he believed was 11/01/2005, regarding several vehicles and various motor vehicle parts that Kudick wanted sell (junk) to the Avery salvage yard. Kudick stated that on Friday, 11/04/2005, Chuck Avery came to Mishicot Auto Sales and looked at the vehicles and parts that Kudick was interested in selling. Kudick believed that Chuck was at Mishicot Auto Sales around 9:00 a.m. to view the items to be scrapped.

Kudick stated Earl Avery then picked up six vehicles from Mishicot Auto Sales between late morning and early afternoon, using the old flatbed truck the Averys own. Kudick believed the last vehicle that Earl picked up from Mishicot Auto Sales was around 3:00 p.m. on Friday, 11/04/2005.

Kudick also mentioned that it was around 1980 that Steven Avery had broken into Kudick's garage in the Town of Stephenson stole numerous items, for which Steven was convicted in Marinette County Circuit Court. Kudick added that his cabin in the Town of Stephenson is not that far from the Averys' cabin.

The interview was concluded at 2:00 p.m.