



City of Takoma Park  
**Takoma Park Police Department**

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Redacted Text of Incoming Call for Service on June 1, 2020

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Dispatcher (D): Takoma Park Police Department, Dispatcher Keys, this line's recorded, how may I help you?

Caller (C): Hi there, yes, my name is XXXXX-XXXXX. I was just walking my dog and I just thought that this was something that you all might want to know. Um, there is somebody that has been walking on our street apparently, and hanging signs from the telephone poles. Um, they're apparently trying to, um, gather people together for the cause, but their words are very inflammatory, and...

D: OK, um, all right give me a second ma'am.

C: (unintelligible) you know about that?

D: Give me a second, ma'am, we'll put you on hold. You have a caller in front of you. It's a Prince Georges County officer, I just want to get some information from him real quick, OK?

C: Uh huh.

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D: Yes, hello ma'am?

C: Uh, huh?

D: You said XXXXXXXX?

C: Yes, uh huh

D: Uh, what's the exact address?

C: It's number X.

D: X XXXXX.

C: Uh, huh.

D: And approximately how many people did you see?

C: Ok, I didn't go up the street. I just walked down the street, and there were 2 telephone poles that I pulled the signs off of just so that, um, if you wanted to know. There's a text number, um, but they said different things.

D: (unintelligible) a flyer..

C: "Killer cops will not go free" and "a man was lynched by the police, what are you going to do about it?" Um, and it's something that, um. I mean, I obviously support people's protest, but I don't know what this has to do with, you know, with your..

D: I understand that ma'am.

C: Your police. You know, I just don't know who is circulating it, and..

D: Did you see exact location where this might be happening?

C: As I said, I just went out to walk my dog, and at the bottom of the court was the first sign and I pulled that one off, and as I went down the street I found the second one. Um, at that point, I turned around because I was coming back home anyway. I haven't walked the whole...

D: OK, and they were just posters that said that...they didn't say anything about like, um, a place to meet up to protest?

C: No, it doesn't. It says actually, in large words, it says "text Floyd to 55156," and it says, one of them says "Do not live in ignorance (unintelligible)."

D: So, those were for the George Floyd cause?

C: Yes, it is, uh huh.

D: OK, I'll put in a call and have, I'll have units aware of the situation.

C: Yeah, 'cause I just, because I don't know what their thinking is, you know, for the police, and I thought you'd want to know that's happening.

D: Ok. Okay ma'am, what's your phone number?

C: Yes, XXX-XXX-X

D: Can you repeat that? XXX

C: XXX

D: XXX

C: XXXX

D: XXXX. And your name?

C: XXXXX

D: XXXXX

C: Last name is XXXXX. That's X as in XXXXX, X-X-X-X-X.

D: OK Ma'am, thank you.

C: OK, you're welcome, buh-bye

D: Bye.