

Case No. 14-2209

SWORN STATEMENT

Full name of person giving statement: Brian A Rayl

Date of Birth: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED]

Home Phone: [REDACTED] Work Phone: [REDACTED] Cell: [REDACTED]

Date of Incident: 23 May 2014 Date of Statement: 23 May 2014

Time Statement Started: 4:45 Time Statement Ended: 4:55

Location where statement made: 347 Shea Road Waitsburg Washington

STATEMENT:

Helicopter lifted off as normal Busty winds Went
inside shop heard accident went outside ~~that~~
came back in to dial 911 went + helicopter 10m
was getting out ran back for ladder. end of statement

[REDACTED]
Signature of Declarant

Initials of Witness

I declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington, that the following are true and correct:

Check the box that applies to this statement:

☒ I wrote this statement in my own handwriting.

☐ I orally provided the officer with this statement and the officer wrote down what I said.

☐ I orally provided the officer with this statement and the officer made a tape recording of what I said. I gave the officer permission to tape record the statement.

I have read, or have had read to me, each page of this statement. I have signed each page of this statement and placed my initials next to any corrections I have made. I understand that this statement may be used in a court of law and may be used by a judge in determining the existence of probable cause for any charges that may be filed as a result of the described incident. This statement is truthful and accurate; and was made voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, without any threats or promises of any kind.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Dated this 23rd day of May, 202014



Signature of Declarant

Check all that apply:

☐ I have witnessed the writing of this document.

☐ I wrote this document at the Declarant's request and have read it to the Declarant in full prior to signature by the Declarant.

☐ The Declarant stated to me that the Declarant read the statement above prior to signature.

☐ I have read the statement above out loud to the Declarant prior to Declarant's signature.

Signature of Witness to Statement

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Full name of person giving statement: Richard Alan Irwin

Date of Birth: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED]

Home Phone: [REDACTED] Work Phone: [REDACTED] Cell: [REDACTED]

Date of Incident: 5-23-14 Date of Statement: 5-23-14

Time Statement Started: 4:45 pm Time Statement Ended: 4:56 pm

Location where statement made: Hogeye Ranch 347 Shea Rd Watzburg WA

STATEMENT:

Helicopter Lifted up For Take off. Heading
North. There was alot of dust in the Air making
Helicopter Barely Visible. It looked like it started to bounce
a little bit then appeared to Roll over & Crash. The Helicopter
Was No longer visible But I heard the crash. We ran over
& Helped Tam out of Helicopter. It was Laying on its Side
completely demolished.

[Signature]
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Full name of person giving statement: John Stubbs

Date of Birth: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED]

Home Phone: No Phone Work Phone: [REDACTED] Cell: ✓

Date of Incident: 5-23-2014 Date of Statement: 5-23-2014

Time Statement Started: 4:45 Time Statement Ended: 4:57

Location where statement made: SHEA RD

STATEMENT:

HELICOPTER WAS OUT SIDE OF SHOP
CLEAR OF ALL VEHICLES, BUILDINGS, STARTED
HELICOPTER ~~PI~~ DID WALK AROUND AND AND BRYAN
GAVE OK FOR TAKE OFF.

I WAS STANDING ON DRIVEWAY OF TOM'S HOUSE AND
HELICOPTER RAISED OFF GROUND LIKE NORMAL AND
Got ABOUT 25 TO 30 FEET IN AIR, AND HELICOPTER
took A HARD RIGHT AND CRASHED. I RAN OVER
AND HELPED TOM OUT OF HELICOPTER.

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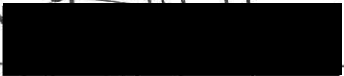
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Dated this 5-23-2014 day of MAY, 20 14.



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Full name of person giving statement: Carol Lyn Archer

Date of Birth: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED]

Home Phone: [REDACTED] Work Phone: [REDACTED] Cell: [REDACTED]

Date of Incident: 5/23/14 Date of Statement: 5/23/14

Time Statement Started: 3:45^{CA} pm Time Statement Ended : _____
4:45

Location where statement made: 347 Shea Rd Witsburg WA 99361

STATEMENT:

Approximately 3:45 pm I heard helicopter take off and seconds later I looked out the kitchen window and saw alot of dust. I ran out of the house and an employee told me to call 911 but I don't remember what (who) employee it was,

It took several minutes to see crashed helicopter due to dust. While being on the phone with 911, I saw that Tom Archer (my husband) was out of the helicopter.

[REDACTED]
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