

On Sunday, September 7, 2014, at approximately 11:45 P.M., a uniformed patrol officer was working with a plainclothes Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Special Agent, and was conducting surveillance in an unmarked vehicle in the parking lot of the Knights Inn Hotel located at 1550 Empire Central. During this surveillance for a felony fugitive, the officer saw what he believed to be a hand to hand narcotics transaction. The officer exited from the vehicle and approached the W/M/34 suspect who had entered the suspect vehicle. As the officer walked in front of the suspect vehicle, the suspect accelerated and struck the officer throwing him onto the hood of the vehicle. The officer fired his weapon at the suspect while being carried on the hood as the suspect continued to flee. The suspect was struck once.

The suspect was pronounced deceased at Parkland Hospital several days later.

Suspect weapon was a motor vehicle.

The officer was injured.

One officer fired 7 rounds. Involved Officer: W/M 6 years, 2 months service.