



City of Ferndale Police Department

Longarm Case Report

Investigator:  
GRANT, ERIC

20F02677 TRAFFIC STOP (Violation)

HEADER

Primary

Author: GRANT, ERIC

Appvd: 117

Location: 1678 MAIN ST Apt Unit No:

Incident Date: Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM

Date Reported: Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM

Case Offenses:

46.61.500 - Reckless Driving

9A.76.020 - Obstructing a Law Enforcement Officer

Press Summary:

TRAFFIC STOP (VIOLATION)



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### ASSOCIATES

Primary Author: GRANT, ERIC Rpt Date: Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM Appvd: 117

**C1 COOK, TROY EUGENE** DOB: Jul 18, 1970 Age: 49 Sex: Race: W Ht: 600 Wt: 200  
**RCW 42.56.230(5) Driver's License** M  
Drivers: [REDACTED] Lic. St: WA Eyes: BRO Hair: Brown  
Res Address: 7111 ENTERPRISE RD, FERNDAL, WA 98248  
Bus Address: , WA  
Res Phone: (360) 384-3228 Bus Phone:  
Cell Phone: Ethnicity: Not Of Hispanic Origin  
Arrest Type: Armed with:

**R1 PILOT TRAVEL CENTER, 1678** DOB: Age: Sex: Race: Ht: Wt:  
**MAIN ST 5670 BARRETT RD**  
Drivers: Lic. St: Eyes: Hair:  
Res Address:  
Bus Address: , FERNDAL, WA 98248  
Res Phone: Bus Phone: (360) 312-1822  
Cell Phone: Ethnicity:  
Arrest Type: Armed with:

**R2 MCDONALDS RESTAURANT, 1688** DOB: Age: Sex: Race: Ht: 0 Wt:  
**MAIN ST**  
Drivers: Lic. St: Eyes: Hair:  
Res Address:  
Bus Address: 3323 NORTHWEST AVE , BELLINGHAM, WA 98226  
Res Phone: Bus Phone: (360) 380-5727  
Cell Phone: Ethnicity:  
Arrest Type: Armed with:

**S1 STURGEON, WILFORD HOWARD** DOB: Dec 18, 1968 Age: 51 Sex: Race: I Ht: 603 Wt: 260  
**RCW 42.56.230(5) Driver's License** M  
Drivers: [REDACTED] Lic. St: WA Eyes: BRO Hair: Black  
Res Address: 6472 MISSION RD, EVERSON, WA 98244  
Bus Address:  
Res Phone: Bus Phone:  
Cell Phone: Ethnicity: Not Of Hispanic Origin  
Arrest Type: Summoned or Cited an Armed with:

**W1 ZELENSKIY, JACOB A** DOB: Aug 04, 2001 Age: 18 Sex: Race: W Ht: 509 Wt: 160  
**RCW 42.56.230(5) Driver's License** M  
Drivers: [REDACTED] Lic. St: WA Eyes: BLU Hair: Brown  
Res Address: 6431 PORTAL COMMONS PL, FERNDAL, WA 98248  
Bus Address:  
Res Phone: (360) 312-0884 Bus Phone:



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*Investigator:*  
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*Cell Phone:* (360) 812-1893

*Ethnicity:* Not Of Hispanic Origin

*Arrest Type:*

*Armed with:*

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#### Charges:

STURGEON, WILFORD HOWARD      Dec 18, 1968      1 count 9A.76.020      Obstructing a Law Enforcement Officer

#### Probable Cause:

On 03/19/20 at approximately 2310 hours WILFRED STURGEON (S1) was contacted in the driver's seat of a gray Dodge Durango bearing Washington License #BRR5791. The vehicle was parked at 5670 Barrett Road, PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1). The vehicle was a subject of a DUI watch for from Northwest Road and Axton Road.

Upon contacting the vehicle, I recognized the driver to be WILFRED STURGEON (S1) from previous Law Enforcement contacts. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) while being in the driver's seat of the vehicle with the seatbelt on refused to provide his name and information. He also refused to roll the window down or open his door so we could speak. While attempting to speak with WILFRED STURGEON (S1) through his closed window and door, he began furtive movements. He began to reach into his pockets and waist area.

Once other Officers arrived and attempted to speak with WILFRED STURGEON (S1), he started the vehicle and drove from the area at a fast rate. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) drove over a curbed planting area at a high rate of speed which caused the gray Dodge Durango to almost roll onto it's side. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) then fled the area onto Barrett Road. While doing so, WILFRED STURGEON (S1) drove in a reckless manner and high rate of speed as he fled the area and failed to stop for Officers.

Based on the above, probable cause exists to charge and arrest WILFRED STURGEON (S1) for RCW 9A.76.020 Obstructing, for failing to provide his information while being the driver of the vehicle, fleeing from the area and failing to stop for Officers. Probable cause also exists to charge and arrest WILFRED STURGEON (S1) for RCW 46.61.500 Reckless Driving for driving over the curbed planter area at a high rate of speed and fleeing from Officers.

#### Narrative:

On 03/19/20 at approximately 2308 hours I was working uniformed patrol in my marked patrol vehicle when I heard Dispatch air a DUI "watch for" in the area of Northwest Road and Axton Road. The reporting party stated the vehicle was a gray Dodge Durango bearing Washington License #BRR5791, almost drove into a ditch. The reporting party was following the vehicle as it continued to travel West into Ferndale. Vehicle was then seen pulling into 1678 Main Street, PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1).

I was traveling West in the 1800 block of Main Street and turned around to respond to the PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1) in an attempt to locate the DUI watch for vehicle.

Upon arriving, I noticed the gray Dodge Durango that was bearing Washington License #BRR5791 was parked in a parking space between the PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1) and MCDONALDS RESTAURANT (R2). I noticed the vehicle was occupied by two males.

Upon contacting the vehicle, I recognized the male driver to be WILFRED STURGEON (S1) from previous Law Enforcement contacts. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) while being in the driver's seat of the vehicle with the seatbelt on, refused to provide his name



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and information. He also refused to roll the window down or open his door so we could speak. While attempting to speak with WILFRED STURGEON (S1) through his closed window and door, he began furtive movements. He began to reach into his pockets and waist area, which appeared and that I feared he was looking for a weapon.

Due to the fact that WILFRED STURGEON (S1) was not cooperating and due to the furtive movements fear that WILFRED STURGEON (S1) had a weapon I called for another Officer to respond.

The passenger, who I recognized as being TROY COOK (C1) from previous Law Enforcement contacts exited the vehicle from the front passenger seat. I requested that TROY COOK (C1) stand near the driver's back tire of the Dodge Durango so I could maintain visual on both WILFRED STURGEON (S1) and TROY COOK (C1).

I knew that both WILFRED STURGEON (S1) and TROY COOK (C1) were listed as Officer Safety and have a history of violence against Law Enforcement.

Once other Officers arrived and attempted to speak with WILFRED STURGEON (S1), he started the vehicle and drove from the area at a fast rate. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) drove over a curbed planting area at a high rate of speed which caused the gray Dodge Durango to almost roll onto it's side. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) then fled the area onto Barrett Road. While doing so, WILFRED STURGEON (S1) drove in a reckless manner and high rate of speed as he fled the area and failed to stop for Officers.

Officer Langton and I then followed after WILFRED STURGEON (S1) in an attempt to stop him with our patrol vehicle's emergency lights and sirens activated. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) refused to stop and continued to drive in a reckless manner through the parking lot and high rate of speed, as he turned North onto Barrett Road. Officer Langton and I discontinued attempting to stop WILFRED STURGEON (S1) as he continued to flee onto Paradise Road.

Based on the above, probable cause exists to charge and arrest WILFRED STURGEON (S1) for RCW 9A.76.020 Obstructing, for failing to provide his information while being the driver of the vehicle, fleeing from the area and failing to stop for Officers. Probable cause also exists to charge and arrest WILFRED STURGEON (S1) for RCW 46.61.500 Reckless Driving for driving over the curbed planter area at a high rate of speed and fleeing from Officers.

A check of the vehicle's registration on my MDT showed TROY COOK (C1) as the registered owner.

I conducted a check of WILFRED STURGEON (S1) through Dispatch for wants and driver's. The return showed his driver's as being not licensed, eligible. The return also showed a Felony warrant for his arrest out of DOC for escape community custody. The return also showed WILFRED STURGEON (S1) as being flagged as Officer Safety.

A check of TROY COOK (C1) through Dispatch for wants returned no wants and clear drivers. The return also showed TROY COOK (C1) as being flagged as Officer Safety.

I then returned to the PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1) where I was contacted by JACOB ZELENSKIY (W1). He advised that he video recorded WILFRED STURGEON (S1) fleeing on his cellphone. JACOB ZELENSKIY (W1) provided me with a copy of the video footage which has been saved onto a USB Storage device and placed into evidence.

I then made contact with the original reporting party from the DUI "watch for", RYAN JOHNSON. He advised that he followed the gray Dodge Durango to the PILOT TRAVEL



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CENTER (R1). He said that once the vehicle was parked no one got out of or into the vehicle prior to Law Enforcement arriving. RYAN JOHNSON said he was willing to provide a written statement as to what he witnessed. I then email RYAN JOHNSON a voluntary statement form. I will add the statement to the case file when I receive it from RYAN JOHNSON.

I then issued WILFRED STURGEON (S1) a Criminal Citations #XZ0347549 and #XZ0347550 to be sent to WILFRED STURGEON (S1) via summons at his last known address. I was unable to print a copy of the Citations for the case file due to a problem with my vehicle's printer.

Please forward to Ferndale Municipal Court to send Criminal Citation to WILFRED STURGEON (S1)'s last known address.

Nothing further.

Officer Eric Grant  
4F119

Citations #XZ0347549 and #XZ0347550.



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### 20F02677 TRAFFIC STOP (Violation)

### PROPERTY

Primary

Author: GRANT, ERIC

Rpt Date: Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM

Appvd: 117

#### Recovered

Article: Recordings-Audio Visual (Records/DVD/Tapes)

Description: USB storage Device with Video

Serial #:

1st Color:

Recovered: Mar 19 2020 11:30 PM

Impounded: Mar 20 2020 9:57 AM

Brand:

Notified:

Model:

Value: \$10.00

Owner: ZELENSKIY, JACOB A

Location: 322

Features: USB Storage Device containing cellphone video of incident.



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### VEHICLES

Primary

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Rpt Date: Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM

Appvd: 117

#### Reference Only

Description:

License Plate: BRR5791(WA)

VIN: 1D4HS58N73F517987

Year: 2003

Make: DODGE

Model: DURANGO

Style: UT

#### Vehicles-Automobiles

Recovered:

Primary Color: Silver-toned

Impounded:

Owner Notified:

Owner: COOK, TROY EUGENE

Value: \$0.00

Features:





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**Follow-Up**

*Author:* **LANGTON, MICHAEL**

*Appvd:* **117**

*Location:* **1678 MAIN ST** *Apt Unit No:*

*Incident Date:* **Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM**

*Date Reported:* **Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM**

*Case Offenses:*

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STURGEON, WILFORD HOWARD

Dec 18, 1968

1 count 9A.76.020

Obstructing a Law Enforcement  
Officer

On 03-19-20 at approximately 2310 hours, I responded to assist Officer Grant with a DUI watch for traffic stop at the PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1). Officer Grant initially requested a CODE 1 response because the occupants were getting agitated but shortly later I responded CODE 2 because the situation was escalating.

Upon my arrival, Officer Grant asked me to watch the driver WILFRED STURGEON (S1) of a silver Dodge Durango while he spoke to passenger TROY COOK (C1). I asked TROY COOK (C1) to keep his hands where I could see them but he refused to comply. The Dodge Durango's driver's side door was locked and the driver's side window was rolled-up.

I continued to order WILFRED STURGEON (S1) to show me his hands but he kept reaching into the right side of his jacket. I also noticed WILFRED STURGEON (S1) reached forward towards his right leg and his hand would disappear out of sight. WILFRED STURGEON'S (S1) eyes were wide, his movements were jittery and he appeared to be under the influence of a controlled substance.

Due to the fact WILFRED STURGEON (S1) was reaching for something, the fact he wasn't obeying my orders to show me his hands and due to the fact he appeared to be under the influence of a controlled substance, I decided to order him to exit the vehicle. In a loud voice I ordered WILFRED STURGEON (S1) to exit the vehicle. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) replied "why the fuck should I". WILFRED STURGEON (S1) then started the Dodge Durango's engine, he put the transmission in gear and he drove forward over a traffic island. The Dodge Durango spun-out in the traffic island's bark mulch center which caused dirt to spray into the parking lot. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) continued driving through the parking lot at a high rate of speed and he entered traffic northbound on Barrett Road.

I ran to my patrol vehicle and I pursued after the Dodge Durango with my emergency lights & sirens activated. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) failed to stop / yield for my emergency equipment as he recklessly drove northbound on Barrett Road. WILFRED STURGEON (S1) maneuvered the Dodge Durango in the middle of the road at approximately 45 mph in a 35 mph speed zone while. I continued following after the Dodge Durango until Sergeant Card advised me to terminate the pursuit.

I followed the Dodge Durango without my emergency equipment activated until I lost sight of it on Northwest Road at Piper Road.

See Officer Grant's narrative for further detail's

End of report.



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*Location:* **1678 MAIN ST**    *Apt Unit No:*

*Incident Date:* **Mar 19, 2020 11:10 PM**

*Date Reported:* **Mar 21, 2020 7:00 PM**

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### ASSOCIATES

Follow-Up	Author: GRANT, ERIC	Rpt Date: Mar 21, 2020 7:00 PM	Appvd: 117
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W2 JOHNSON, RYAN ANDERS	DOB: Jan 05, 1990	Age: 30	Sex: Race: W Ht: 602 Wt: 160
RCW 42.56.230(5) Driver's License			M
Drivers: [REDACTED]	Lic. St: WA	Eyes: BLU	Hair: Brown
Res Address: 5524 NORTHWEST DR, BELLINGHAM, WA 98226			
Bus Address: , WA			
Res Phone: (360) 820-2045	Bus Phone:		
Cell Phone:	Ethnicity: Not Of Hispanic Origin		
Arrest Type:	Armed with:		



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On 03/21/20 at approximately 1900 hours I received a written statement from the reporting party, RYAN JOHNSON (W2). A copy of the written statement has been included in the case file.

RYAN JOHNSON (W2) also provided video footage of the incident that he recorded on his cellphone. In the video footage you can see WILFRED STURGEON (S1) in the driver's seat of the vehicle. He can also see WILFRED STURGEON (S1) fleeing from Officers as he recklessly drives over the curb and through the parking lot. A copy of the video footage has been placed on a USB storage device and placed into evidence.

Nothing further.

Officer Eric Grant  
4F119



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**1st Color:**

**Recovered:** Mar 21 2020 7:00 PM

**Impounded:** Mar 21 2020 7:06 PM

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**Notified:**

**Model:**

**Value:** \$10.00

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**Location:** 322

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Photo Log

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Obstructing a Law Enforcement  
Officer

#### Photo Log:

All pictures were taken by E. Grant 4F119.

1. Parking lot at PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1), showing planter curb area facing towards MCDONALDS RESTAURANT (R2).
2. Parking lot at PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1), showing planter curb area facing towards MCDONALDS RESTAURANT (R2).
3. Parking lot at PILOT TRAVEL CENTER (R1), showing planter curb area facing towards MCDONALDS RESTAURANT (R2).





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## CAD Report

Entered: Mar 19, 2020 11:10:00PM

Dispatched: Mar 19, 2020 11:10:00PM

Enroute: Mar 19, 2020 11:10:00PM

On Scene: Mar 19, 2020 11:10:00PM

Closed: Mar 19, 2020 11:49:00PM

Incident Op ID: WC952

Dispatch Op ID: WC952

Initial Type: T

Disposition: R

Police Block: FP0300

Final Type:

Officer: FP119

Location: 5670 BARRETT RD

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Time	Operator	Type	Unit	Text
11:10:01PM	WC952	ENTRY		BRR5791
11:10:01PM	WC952	DISP	3G3	#FP119
11:10:01PM	WC952	DISPER	3G3	#FP119
11:10:01PM	WC952	ONSCNE	3G3	#FP119
11:10:45PM	WC952	SUPP		CODE 1
11:10:45PM	WC952	SUPP		,
11:12:03PM	WC952	SUPP		3G3 !STURGEON.WILLIAM.BRIAN.111658
11:12:45PM	WC952	CHANGE		Related Call:ADDED TO PRIME:AP20-10238
11:12:47PM	WC952	SUPP		CODE 2
11:12:48PM	WC952	SUPP		,
11:13:06PM	WC952	DISP	2G22	#FP117
11:13:06PM	WC952	DISPER	2G22	#FP117
11:13:36PM	WC952	SUPP		3G3 HE IS AGITATED AND NOT COOPERATIVE
11:14:15PM	WC952	SUPP		3G3 OFS SAFETY,HX OF VIOLENCE
11:14:26PM	WC952	ONSCNE	2G22	#FP117
11:23:39PM	WC952	DISPER	3G8	#FP112
11:23:39PM	WC952	ONSCNE	3G8	#FP112
11:23:39PM	WC952	DISP	3G8	#FP112
11:25:09PM	WC1002	SUPP		AP10238:BROADCASTED TO UNITS
11:27:33PM	WC952	SUPP		2G22 PC FOR NON BOOKABLE CRIMES SO AT THIS POINT WE ARE GOING TO CITE
11:31:12PM	WC952	SUPP		(3G6) RESUME NORMAL RADIO TRAFFIC



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11:32:10PM	WC952	CLEAR	2G22	#FP117
11:35:15PM	FP112	CLEAR	3G8	#FP112
11:36:52PM	WC952	CLEAR	3G6	#FP108
11:42:45PM	WC952	DISPER	3G6	#FP108
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11:42:45PM	WC952	ONSCNE	3G6	#FP108
11:42:45PM	WC952	DISP	3G6	#FP108
11:42:45PM	WC952	ONSCNE	3G6	#FP108
11:42:57PM	WC952	CHANGE		Related Call:MERGED FROM FP20-2678
11:43:05PM	WC952	CLEAR	3G6	#FP108
11:49:08PM	WC952	CHANGE		Call was CLEARED:
11:49:08PM	WC952	CHANGE		Reporting Officer:CHANGED TO:FPFP119
11:49:08PM	WC952	CHANGE		Cleared by:CHANGED TO:R
11:49:08PM	WC952	CLEAR	3G3	#FP119