

## **Middlesex DA identifies man shot dead by cop in - Boston Herald (MA) - February 10, 2018 - page 9**

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Authorities investigating an officer-involved shooting in Reading last weekend have released the name of the man who was shot and killed.

The man shot Saturday afternoon while fleeing from police officers was **Alan Greenough**, 43, of Reading, a spokeswoman for Middlesex District Attorney Marian T. Ryan said yesterday.

"This remains an open and active investigation being conducted by the Middlesex District Attorney's Office, Massachusetts State Police assigned to the Middlesex District Attorney's Office and Reading Police," said spokeswoman Meghan Kelly, who indicated a full report on the incident would be released.

Greenough was born in New Hampshire but raised in North Reading, which is where he lived until he moved to Reading five years ago, according to his online obituary.

The obituary made no mention of the incident leading to his death other than to say he "died unexpectedly" on Feb. 3.

"Alan was his own person with love for the simple life," the obituary read. "He was kind, thoughtful and sensitive. Alan had a great love for animals. He loved his family and would put anyone before himself. Alan loved to fish and enjoyed taking long walks through Harold Parker with his beloved dog Buddy. He had a heart of gold and will be missed but never forgotten by all."

The obituary said Greenough is survived by his parents, two siblings and a host of other relatives. His funeral was held yesterday at St. Theresa's Church in North Reading, where Greenough was a member, according to the obituary.

A relative of Greenough reached in New Hampshire said family members were unavailable for comment.

Greenough was shot by a Reading cop after police say he evaded officers who went to his Main Street home to investigate a past assault involving a household member.

He was sent to Lahey Hospital, where he was pronounced dead. The name of the officer who shot Greenough has not been released.

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