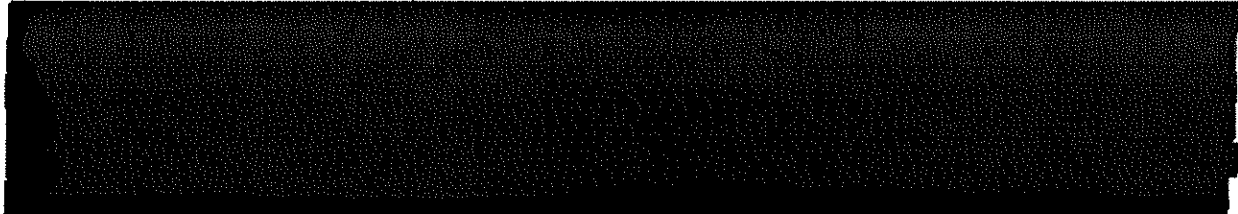


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INVESTIGATIVE REPORT**

This case is in reference to the receipt of White Supremacist Hate Group intelligence in the Orlando Regional Operations Center (OROC) area. This Investigative Report will specifically reference intelligence regarding Fruitland Park Police Department (FPPD) Officers having a history of membership in the United Northern and Southern Knights (UNSK) Chapter of the Ku Klux Klan (KKK).



Specifically, the SOI stated that FPPD Corporal George Hunnewell and his wife Anne Hunnewell (FPPD secretary) were KKK members as well as Deputy Chief (then Sergeant) David Borst. The SOI did not know if these individuals were current members and had not been able to update the information.

SA Mead conducted an open source check to determine if these individuals were listed as employees of the FPPD. The research revealed pictures of David Borst, listed as the FPPD Deputy Chief and George Hunnewell, listed as a FPPD Corporal; no picture or information was observed relative to Ann Hunnewell.

During the week of March 10th, 2014, SA Mead requested and received information relative to the current employment status of Borst. Records showed Borst had been employed with the FPPD since May 22nd, 2002. SA Mead also requested and received information relative to the current employment status of George Hunnewell. Records showed George Hunnewell had been employed with the FPPD since February 5th, 2008.



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Author: Mead, Josh Carlton	Office: Orlando
Activity Start Date: 03/03/2014	Activity End Date:03/10/2014
Approved By: Cook, Jason David	

Description:Fruitland Park Police allegations of involvement w/ KKK

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This case is in reference to the receipt of White Supremacist Hate Group intelligence in the Orlando Regional Operations Center (OROC) area. This Investigative Report will specifically reference a corroborative statement regarding Fruitland Park Police Department (FPPD) Officers having a history of membership in the United Northern and Southern Knights (UNSK) Chapter of the Ku Klux Klan (KKK).

On April 30th, 2014, Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) Special Agent (SA) Josh Mead and SA Jason Cook spoke to Pamela Ellingsworth regarding her knowledge of FPPD officers having an association with the UNSK Chapter of the KKK. The following is a synopsis of that interview.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

SA Mead presented driver's license photographs of other individuals to Ellingsworth who immediately recognized George Hunnewell, Ann Hunnewell and David Borst. When asked how Ellingsworth knew these individuals, she stated that they all worked at the Fruitland Park Police Department [REDACTED]. George Hunnewell was a FPPD reserve officer (now Corporal), Anne Hunnewell was the FPPD Secretary (no longer there) and David Borst was a FPPD Sergeant (now Deputy Chief).

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Author: Mead, Josh Carlton	Office: Orlando
Activity Start Date: 04/30/2014	Activity End Date: 04/30/2014
Approved By: Cook, Jason David	

Description: Interview with Ellingsworth re: Fruitland Park P.D. involvement with KKK

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Ellingsworth reported that George Hunnewell was a sworn member of the KKK; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Ellingsworth reported that Borst and others in the FPPD had knowledge of Hunnewell's membership in the KKK but did nothing to address the issue.

[REDACTED]
The only known inconsistency between the SOI's previous interview and that of Ellingsworth was whether Borst was sworn in as a KKK member or not. Copies of the aforementioned photographs and certificates were maintained as an electronic Related Item with this Investigative Report.

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This Investigative Report will reference the interview with Ann Hunnewell, former secretary for the Fruitland Park Police Department (FPPD). The purpose of the interview was to validate information received relative to FPPD members having an association with the United Northern and Southern Knights (UNSK) Chapter of the Ku Klux Klan (KKK).

On June 11th, 2014, Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) Special Agent (SA) Josh Mead and SA Jason Cook spoke to Ann Hunnewell regarding her knowledge of FPPD officers having an association with the UNSK Chapter of the KKK. The following is a synopsis of that interview.

Ann Hunnewell stated she was married to (now divorced from) George Hunnewell, currently employed as a sergeant with the FPPD. She also confirmed that she was previously employed as a secretary with the FPPD and left the department in October 2010. Ann Hunnewell said in 2008 through 2009, she and her ex-husband successfully infiltrated the UNSK chapter of the KKK in an undercover capacity. She explained that Mark Isom (then police chief at Fruitland Park) received allegations that James Elkins, a FPPD officer, was suspected of being a KKK member. Chief Isom assigned George and Ann Hunnewell to follow up with the matter.

The Hunnewells decided their plan of action would be to befriend Elkins and his wife, Pam Elkins, in an effort to investigate the allegations. The Hunnewells began to exercise with the Elkins' and also had dinner together several times. After several months, James Elkins asked George Hunnewell if he would consider joining the KKK. Ann Hunnewell stated her ex-husband did not share the KKK ideology but agreed to join in the spirit of the undercover investigation. Additionally, Ann Hunnewell stated that James Elkins recruited individuals blindly and without precipitation.

The Hunnewells were sworn into the UNSK chapter of the KKK at the Elkins' residence sometime in 2008 or 2009. Ann stated that she and George, along with six to eight other recruits, were summoned to Elkin's house and escorted to a room. Once in the room, a pillow case was placed over their heads. As the ceremony began, they were led into the living room and told to kneel. After a reading, their pillow cases were removed from their heads and the ceremony was complete.

SA Mead provided a photograph of four men pictured in KKK regalia. Ann said the picture appeared to be taken in Elkins' living room and she believed the man wearing the green robe

Case Number: FC-48-0028	Serial #: 9
Author: Mead, Josh Carlton	Office: Orlando
Activity Start Date: 06/11/2014	Activity End Date:06/11/2014
Approved By: Saldanha, Julio C	

Description: Interview with Ann Hunnewell

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was Elkins. Additionally, the man in the striped shirt was the leader of the group; however, Ann could not recall his name.

After the ceremony, the Hunnewells reported to Chief Isom that they were sworn into the group and confirmed Elkins' membership and status with the KKK. However, Pam Elkins, now Pam Ellingsworth, uncovered the story about her husband to the community and media before the FPPD was able to address the issue. Ann Hunnewell recalled that Elkins was subsequently given the option to resign or face an internal affairs investigation; Elkins elected to resign.

The Hunnewells never paid their member dues, did not attend any meetings and did not witness criminal activity committed on behalf of the UNSK. The only activity Ann Hunnewell was aware of within the group was KKK flyer distributions. Ann Hunnewell said there was no documentation of their undercover operation and she did not have paperwork from the KKK/UNSK. She remembered completing a KKK application prior to joining but never obtained a copy. Ann Hunnewell also remembered receiving one KKK newsletter but did not keep it. The Hunnewells never told anyone else about the operation but Mark Isom would corroborate the aforementioned story.

SA Mead provided a recent driver's license photograph of a man to Ann Hunnewell; she immediately recognized the person as David Borst. Ann Hunnewell said that Borst was an Interim Chief of Police for the FPPD after Mark Isom left the position; Borst still works at the FPPD and is in a command position. Ann also said that Borst was the Public Safety Director, meaning he was (and possibly still is) in charge of the Fruitland Park Fire Department (FPPD). Borst was also believed to be a member of the KKK. When asked to explain, Ann Hunnewell said that James Elkins had conversations with Borst which led Elkins to believe that Borst was a member. Ann Hunnewell had no independent knowledge of Borst's KKK affiliation.

This concluded the interview with Ann Hunnewell. A copy of the KKK picture will be maintained as a Related Item with this Investigative Report.