

## INCIDENT REPORT

Riverside County Sheriff

INCIDENT DETAILS						
FILE NUMBER T-240270046		REPORT TYPE INITIAL		DATE PREPARED 01/31/2024		
DATE/TIME REPORTED 01/27/2024 15:45	DATE/TIME ASSIGNED 01/27/2024 15:45	DATE/TIME INV. START 01/27/2024 15:57	DATE/TIME INV. TERM 01/27/2024 16:39	ADULT ARR 0	JUV ARR 0	
OCCURRED ON-DATE 01/27/2024		TIME 15:45	OR BETWEEN-DATE		TIME	
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE 73300 FRED WARING DRIVE				CITY PALM DESERT		STATE CA
BUSINESS NAME PALM DESERT LIBRARY				BUSINESS PHONE 760-346-6552	WAS THIS INCIDENT RELATED TO MARIJUANA? NO	
MISCELLANEOUS				BWC VIDEO? YES	UPLOADED TO EVIDENCE.COM? YES	
CASE STATUS/CLEARANCE OPN/CO-2						
REP. DIST 36Q3						

REPORTING OFFICER ZANERCIK	OFFICER ID 5334	REVIEWED BY / DATE SGT. R. CONTRERAS #4127 <i>1/31/24</i>	ENTERED BY / DATE N7885 2/2/24	ENTERED BY / DATE N7885 2/2/24
COPIES TO INVESTIGATOR HICKOCK # 5241 (PALM DESERT) <i>2/2</i>		APR SENT	APR CANCELLED	DOJ-NCIC ENTERED
DOJ-NCIC CANCELLED				

OFFENSES				
1	CODE SECTION PC242=F-13B (COMPLETED)	CRIME BATTERY	COUNTS 1	EDP CODE 13E2M

VICTIMS/REPORTING PARTIES/WITNESSES/OTHERS												
1	INVL VIC	NAME KINNAMON, JOEL LEE	SEX M	RACE W	DOB 06/15/1961	AGE 62	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR	EYES	SKIN	
RESIDENCE ADDRESS 2 CALLE NAVARROS		CITY RANCHO MIRAGE	STATE CA	ZIP 92270	EMAIL ADDRESS			RES PHONE 925-963-6833				
BUSINESS ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP	EMAIL ADDRESS			BUS PHONE				

2	INVL WIT	NAME [REDACTED]	SEX [REDACTED]	RACE [REDACTED]	DOB [REDACTED]	AGE 56	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR	EYES	SKIN	
RESIDENCE ADDRESS [REDACTED]		CITY [REDACTED]	STATE [REDACTED]	ZIP [REDACTED]	EMAIL ADDRESS [REDACTED]			RES PHONE [REDACTED]				
BUSINESS ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP	EMAIL ADDRESS			BUS PHONE				

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<b>SUSPECTS</b>									
1 [REDACTED]									
NAME [REDACTED]	SEX [REDACTED]	RACE [REDACTED]	DOB [REDACTED]	AGE 52	HEIGHT [REDACTED]	WEIGHT [REDACTED]	HAIR [REDACTED]	EYES [REDACTED]	SKIN [REDACTED]
DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER/ID NUMBER [REDACTED]	STATE [REDACTED]	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER [REDACTED]			MNI NUMBER [REDACTED]		CII NUMBER [REDACTED]		
RESIDENCE ADDRESS [REDACTED]	CITY [REDACTED]		ZIP [REDACTED]	EMAIL ADDRESS [REDACTED]			RES PHONE [REDACTED]		
BUSINESS ADDRESS [REDACTED]	CITY [REDACTED]		ZIP [REDACTED]	EMAIL ADDRESS [REDACTED]			BUS PHONE [REDACTED]		

<b>MODUS OPERANDI</b>		
Important Assault	Physical Evidence PH – Photos	Means Of Attack S – Simple Assault / Battery e.g. minor scrapes, cuts bruises, injuries needing only minor 1st aid or no injuries.
Extent Of Injury C – Complaint of Pain	Point Of Entry ON – Already On Premise	Entry Location F – Front
Type Of Premises 69 – Public Building		



1 [REDACTED]

2 [REDACTED]

3 [REDACTED]

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5 [REDACTED]

6 [REDACTED]

7 [REDACTED]

8 [REDACTED]

9 [REDACTED]

10 [REDACTED]

11 [REDACTED]

12 [REDACTED]

13 [REDACTED]

14 [REDACTED]

15 [REDACTED]

16 [REDACTED]

**INJURIES:**

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18 The victim, Joel Kinnamon, stated he was experiencing pain in his chest and back areas. He

19 declined medical attention and stated he would possibly visit a medical facility the following day

20 to be evaluated. I did not observe any injuries on Joel's person. However, in the area of his lower

21 left back, there was possibly bruising. [REDACTED]

22 [REDACTED]

23 [REDACTED]

24 [REDACTED]

25 [REDACTED]

26 [REDACTED]

**DETAILS:**

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29 On Saturday, January 27, 2024, approximately 1545 hours, while working uniformed patrol for

30 the City of Palm Desert, County of Riverside, I was dispatched to 73300 Fred Waring Drive (Palm

31 Desert Library) Palm Desert, Ca., in regards to an alleged recent battery. Upon arrival, I spoke

32 with the victim, Joel Kinnamon. Joel related the following:

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34 Along with numerous other patrons and political influencers, he was attending a Democratic Party

35 "meet and greet" of sorts. Guest speakers had been scheduled to speak to the audience about issues

36 pertaining to the upcoming election and its respective candidates. One of these speakers was

37 [REDACTED] President of the United Food and Commercial Workers Union (UFCW).

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39 After [REDACTED]'s speech had concluded, the attendees of the event were socializing and discussing

40 the issues brought forth during the event. Per Joel, [REDACTED] had not taken kindly to a question he

41 had asked. [REDACTED]'s displeasure had carried over to this socializing time. [REDACTED]

42 [REDACTED]

43 [REDACTED]

44 [REDACTED]

1 Joel was standing nearby while this was occurring and told [redacted] it was his question; there was  
2 no reason for him ([redacted]) to become upset at somebody else. Joel asked [redacted] why as the  
3 president of the UFCW, he was endorsing candidates that would vote contrary to the union  
4 members' interests. [redacted] became irate and stated, "You want to take this on right here, right  
5 now!"

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7 [redacted] suddenly lunged at him and struck him in the chest with both of his fists. Joel stated [redacted]  
8 used the back of his fists to pound/push him in both sides of his chest approximately five to six  
9 times. The impact caused him to fall backwards onto a plastic table that had been set up for the  
10 event.

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12 Joel recalled laying on his back on the table when [redacted] struck him again in the same manner.  
13 For unknown reasons, possibly because somebody had yelled for the police to be called, [redacted]  
14 stopped the assault and left the area.

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16 Joel desired prosecution for the alleged assault and signed a Private Person's Arrest form  
17 indicating such. [redacted]

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19 [redacted]  
20 [redacted]  
21 [redacted]  
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24 [redacted]  
25 [redacted]  
26 [redacted]

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28 [redacted]  
29 [redacted]  
30 [redacted]

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32 [redacted]  
33 [redacted]

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35 On Monday, 01-29-2024, Investigator Hickock # 5241 of the Palm Desert Sheriff's Station called  
36 me. Investigator Hickock stated he would be conducting further follow up investigation into the  
37 alleged assault, including obtaining a statement from [redacted]

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39 At his request, I am requesting a copy of this report be forwarded to Investigator Hickock.

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41 **CASE STATUS:**

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43 OPN/CO-2.