IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR PINELLAS COUNTY

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

Case No.: 2023-02935-CF

TOMASZ KOSOWSKI,

Defendant.

VIRTUAL DEPOSITION OF Bobby Moore

DATE TAKEN: SEPTEMBER 12, 2023

TIME:

12:36 p.m. - 2:58 p.m.

Examination of the witness taken virtually before:

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               THE COURT REPORTER: Would you raise your
          right hand, please. Do you swear or affirm the
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          testimony you shall give in this cause shall be
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          the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the
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          truth?
               THE WITNESS:
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               BOBBY MOORE, called as a witness by the
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          Defendant, having been virtually duly sworn,
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          testified as follows:
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                      DIRECT EXAMINATION
     BY MS. TUOMEY:
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               All right, good afternoon, sir.
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     please state your full legal name for the record.
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               Yes. My full name is Bobby Lance Moore.
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               And how are you employed?
               As a detective the Largo Police Department.
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               All right. You have been listed as a witness
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     in the State of Florida versus Tomasz Kosowski,
     2023-02935. This is my opportunity to ask you
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     questions about what you know, what you don't know,
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     what you did in this investigation. Okay?
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               Did you write a report in this case or
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- 1 supplement?
- 2 A Yes.
- 3 Q And did you review that supplement or those
- 4 supplements prior to your deposition here today?
- 5 A Yes.
- 6 Q Did you find any mistakes or omissions?
- 7 A Not that I could see, no.
- 8 Q All right. So you said you were with the
- 9 Largo Police Department?
- 10 A Correct.
- 11 Q And how long have you been so employed?
- 12 A For 19 years.
- 13 Q Any prior law enforcement experience?
- 14 A No.
- 15 Q All right. So kind of tell me, start off how
- 16 you got involved and kind of go from there.
- 17 A Just one second. I'm trying to adjust my
- 18 settings to get better audio from you because it seems
- 19 very low on my side. I don't see any other options.
- 20 It's as high as it will go, so we'll go with it.
- I apologize. Can you ask that again.
- 22 Q No reason to apologize. I speak low as it
- 23 is. But it's loud in my mind, so, or in my head.
- Just kind of start with how you got involved,
- 25 what day you got involved, and what you did in your

- 1 investigation.
- 2 A I became involved on the date of the initial
- 3 call which was March the 21st, 2023. I responded at
- 4 approximately 1625 hours to the location at 1501 South
- 5 Belcher Road.
- 6 Q All right. And when you responded, you said
- 7 you responded about 4:25 you said in the afternoon?
- 8 A That's about the time that I believe I
- 9 arrived.
- 10 Q And when you arrived, approximately how many
- 11 other law enforcement personnel, detectives or what
- 12 have you, were there?
- 13 A Maybe approximately six, six to eight or ten
- 14 people I believe.
- 15 Q Six to eight to ten people?
- 16 A I don't have an exact count. I didn't, I
- 17 didn't count everyone that was there. Sorry. But I
- 18 know that there were multiple people there.
- 19 Q Was there a large presence of law
- 20 enforcement?
- 21 A I wouldn't say large. Again, I would
- 22 probably go with that number of, of maybe eight or so
- 23 officers and detectives.
- 24 Q And how is it that you were called out to go
- 25 to that scene?

- 1 A Just asked to respond to help assist as
- 2 initially we had a missing person. It was unknown
- 3 where the person, which is Mr. Cozzi, might have gone
- 4 to. And we had information that he had left pretty
- 5 much all of his items and valuables, phone, wallet,
- 6 his computer was up and running, and had left to go to
- 7 the restroom and never returned.
- 8 Q And when you responded to the location, who
- 9 did you meet with first?
- 10 A When I arrived I believe I met with, might
- 11 have been Detective Bolton and Detective Hunt.
- 12 Q And where were they located when you arrived?
- 13 Were they inside, were they outside?
- 14 A I think initially they were inside. Might
- 15 have been in the -- I believe there was a marketing
- 16 company that was inside the building, that they were
- 17 speaking with other employees there.
- 18 Q So you met with the other detectives. I'm
- 19 assuming that there was some kind of conversation or
- 20 communication between you guys, right?
- 21 A Correct. We just had a brief meeting and
- 22 they were more or less filling those of us that had
- 23 just shown up on the information that they had
- 24 received.
- 25 Q All right. And from after that point, what

- 1 did you do?
- 2 A After that point my main task was just to
- 3 try and start looking through surveillance video to
- 4 see if there was anything noticeable that might assist
- 5 in trying to find Mr. Cozzi.
- 6 Q And when you say surveillance video, can you
- 7 be more specific.
- 8 A Yes. There's surveillance video from the
- 9 Tampa Bay Veterinary business and there's exterior
- 10 cameras that were pointed toward -- basically pointed
- 11 westbound from the corner of the building. And that
- 12 camera was facing the main entrance as one would walk
- 13 into -- in order to gain entry into the Blanchard Law
- 14 Firm.
- 15 Q All right, let's talk about the first one
- that you referenced, the Tampa Bay Veterinary
- 17 Specialists Clinic. How did you obtain access to that
- 18 video surveillance?
- 19 A Well, Officer Bure was already inside the --
- 20 I think it was the administrative office. So she was
- 21 already there and she had already began the process of
- 22 looking through the surveillance video.
- 23 So I more or less just kind of took over
- 24 for her and relieved her.
- 25 Q So you relieved her of reviewing the office

- 1 surveillance video?
- 2 A Correct.
- 3 Q Approximately -- was anybody else with you
- 4 when you were reviewing this video surveillance?
- 5 A I don't recall. I don't recall if any other
- 6 employees from the Tampa Bay Veterinary office was
- 7 there or not.
- 8 Q And do you recall what kind of video
- 9 surveillance system this was?
- 10 A I do not.
- 11 Q Do you know whether or not the timestamp on
- 12 the video surveillance was accurate?
- 13 A The timestamp was later viewed as a, you
- 14 know, a live view and it was confirmed to be true and
- 15 accurate with the actual time.
- Okay. Did you do that or did someone else do
- 17 that?
- 18 A I did that.
- 19 Q And was that the same day or a different day?
- 20 A That might have been a different day. It
- 21 might have been the following day. There was multiple
- 22 time spent reviewing the video from the evening of the
- 23 21st and then also the morning of the 22nd.
- 24 Q Now, you talked about video surveillance
- 25 cameras that were on the outside of the buildings?

- 1 A Yes.
- 2 Q Did you access the video surveillance footage
- 3 on the exterior of the entire building? Does that make
- 4 sense?
- 5 A Are you referring to different cameras,
- 6 different views of different cameras that were
- 7 installed on the building? Is that what you're
- 8 asking?
- 9 Q Yes, sir. Thank you.
- 10 A From my recollection, there were -- we had
- 11 limited camera angles that we could work with in large
- 12 part because, if I recall correctly, I think there was
- one or two that might not have been working properly.
- 14 So the, the limited cameras that we
- 15 actually did have was the main one that was used
- 16 which did later show the silver truck. And that
- 17 was kind of positioned over an overhang, like a
- 18 soffit of the building. And, again, that was
- 19 pointed facing a west direction toward the main
- 20 entrance for the Blanchard Law Firm.
- 21 Q And was that outside video on the same system
- 22 as the video surveillance on the inside of those
- 23 buildings? Of those offices I should say.
- 24 A Yes. From what I recall, it was all on one
- 25 system.

- 1 Q Do you know how many people had access to the
- 2 inside or the interior video surveillance to that
- 3 building?
- 4 A I do not know how many people had access to
- 5 that, no.
- 6 Q So, for example, the Blanchard Law Firm and
- 7 then the veterinary clinic, the, the video surveillance
- 8 in your testimony is all available and accessible
- 9 through one system?
- 10 A From my recollection, yes, it was one
- 11 system, there were multiple cameras. As I could
- 12 recall seeing different cameras obviously for the --
- 13 that were installed.
- But, yes, it all appeared to be on -- they
- 15 all appeared to be coming from one system. Meaning
- 16 that there weren't multiple brands or types or
- 17 manufacturers.
- 18 Q And were these, were these videos, if you
- 19 know -- let me ask you this. How is the video
- 20 surveillance on the inside and the outside, or interior
- 21 and exterior of that building stored?
- 22 A I believe it was Cloud-based storage.
- 23 Because we had to essentially request a clip of the
- 24 timeframe that we needed and then that was downloaded
- 25 and that's how we obtained the video.

- 1 Q Okay. So it's Cloud-based storage. So who
- 2 would have given you access to that Cloud-based
- 3 storage?
- 4 A I don't know if I received the name. But it
- 5 would have been, you know, one of the managers or
- 6 administrators on site.
- 7 Q And then the clip that you requested, how did
- 8 you obtain that? You said you -- it was downloaded,
- 9 right?
- 10 A Correct.
- 11 Q Do you know when it was downloaded?
- 12 A I believe the video clip was downloaded on
- 13 the 22nd, I believe.
- 14 Q Did you do that or did someone else?
- 15 A I had obtained the clip, yes.
- 16 Q You obtained the clip. Okay. So tell --
- 17 walk me through how you did that.
- 18 A So once we had an idea of the timeframe of
- 19 completion from when we finally were able to determine
- 20 the arrival of the Toyota Tundra truck and then the
- 21 departure of the truck, we were able to place those
- 22 times in and then request a download.
- And once we had that downloaded to the
- 24 computer there in the office, we were able to move
- 25 that onto a USB drive and in which it was uploaded

- 1 to our evidence.com.
- 3 also provided to you to open those video clips or is it
- 4 something that you can view on some kind of standard
- 5 player or what have you?
- A I don't believe it had any form of Codex
- 7 requiring, like, a physical, like, a separate player.
- 8 I think it was just a standard clip that you could
- 9 view.
- 10 Q Do you know how long this video surveillance
- 11 keeps the footage for? If that makes sense.
- 12 A It does. And I was -- I'm trying to recall
- 13 what I was told from the office. I want to say it
- 14 might have been approximately -- I want to say it was
- 15 between two weeks to a month I believe. Actually I
- 16 want to say it was more of 30 days of timeframe and
- 17 then it would start to kind of rewrite over itself.
- 18 Q All right. So in order to preserve any video
- 19 surveillance of that office both inside -- or that
- 20 location I should say both inside and outside, it would
- 21 have had to have been done within 30 days?
- 22 A From my recollection, yes. And when you
- 23 refer to inside, I don't really recall any
- 24 surveillance being inside as far as the foverway or
- 25 the Blanchard Law Firm as far as in that specific

- 1 area.
- Interior camera views, again, going off my
- 3 recollection were more based as far as the vet
- 4 clinic as that was a separate building.
- 5 Q Did you or someone else review all of the
- 6 footage going back as far as you possibly could go
- 7 inside and outside of that building?
- 8 A Again, there wasn't -- my recollection
- 9 viewing the cameras, there was not any interior that
- 10 would have been around the Blanchard Law Firm. So
- 11 there was nothing to review as far as that goes.
- 12 Q Okay. But there's -- there are videos --
- there are cameras inside that building, correct?
- 14 A I can't speak to that because I didn't, I
- 15 didn't see any cameras inside of that south building I
- 16 quess I could say. Which is where the location of the
- 17 Blanchard Law Firm was at.
- 18 Again, from my memory the interior cameras
- 19 were mainly on the vet clinic side.
- 20 Q All right. How many specific clips did you
- 21 request to be downloaded from this server, from this
- 22 iCloud server or Cloud-based server?
- 23 A I believe it was the two clips. One of
- 24 which is obviously on the 21st and then the second was
- 25 related to a previous incident. I was trying to find

- 1 that date for you. I believe that would have been on
- 2 March the 14th.
- 4 that may have been captured previous to or prior to
- 5 March 14th of 2023?
- 6 A No, I did not. I was just reviewing the
- 7 video based information that we had. So we knew that
- 8 there was an incident that took place on the 14th in
- 9 that morning so I reviewed, I reviewed the video at
- 10 that time.
- 11 Again, video's kind of playing, you know,
- 12 almost second by second. So I was going off the
- information that we had to try to get video that was
- 14 needed for, for this investigation.
- 15 Q Okay. So, as we sit here today, we would not
- 16 have the ability to obtain any other potentially
- 17 relevant video clips from either the interior or the
- 18 exterior of that building because those would not be
- 19 preserved?
- 20 A Based on what I was told, from my review,
- 21 unless the terms have changed afterwards with their
- 22 Cloud services or their system, then, yes, correct, we
- 23 would not be able to view anything from that system
- 24 today related to in March.
- 25 Q All right. So you went to the video footage.

- 1 What's the next thing that you did?
- 2 A So aside from reviewing the video, my next
- 3 involvement probably would have came on March the
- 4 22nd. I had received information from Detective Wedin
- 5 that a PSTA, public bus cameras, had obtained images
- 6 of a vehicle, same vehicle description that we had
- 7 observed leaving the parking lot and I had been given
- 8 that information.
- 9 Q And who did you get that information from?
- 10 A Detective Wedin, W-e-d-i-n.
- 11 Q You had said that. I apologize. And then
- 12 what did you do?
- 13 A There's a lot of different things. I mean
- 14 obviously I can go on.
- 15 O Sure.
- 16 A I spoke -- I received a message from Denise
- 17 Cruz --
- 18 Q Okay.
- 19 A -- who was a friend Stephen Cozzi's. She
- 20 had requested to speak with me. So I called her to
- 21 see if she had any information that might assist with
- 22 the case.
- 23 She was just a personal friend, kind of
- 24 just wanted to indicate that she had, had been with
- 25 Stephen I believe over that weekend prior to the

- 1 incident. I had asked her if there was anyone that
- 2 would have caused harm or caused Stephen's
- 3 disappearance and to her knowledge there was no one.
- 4 Q Do you know how Ms. Cruz obtained your
- 5 contact information?
- 6 A I don't know how she obtained mine. I know
- 7 that I received a notification from a Detective
- 8 Clement, C-l-e-m-e-n-t, of the Pinellas County
- 9 Sheriff's Department. That's who I had received the
- 10 information from. And then I contacted her at the
- 11 phone number that was provided to me.
- 12 Q And when you initially -- so this is by
- 13 telephone, correct?
- 14 A Correct. It was all, all my telephone.
- 15 Q Did you record your conversation with her?
- 16 A I did not.
- 17 Q Did you go interview her in person?
- 18 A No, I did not interview her in person. It
- 19 was just by phone.
- 20 Q And what did she say to you?
- 21 A Based on my supplements that I had written
- 22 of our interaction, I had questioned her about
- 23 Stephen's relationship with his husband. Denise
- 24 described the relationship as healthy, no indications
- 25 of infidelity. Denise indicated that Stephen and his

- 1 husband had married in the fall of 2020, had been
- 2 together for a period time before their marriage.
- 3 Denise did not have any knowledge or
- 4 reason that would explain Stephen's disappearance
- 5 during our discussion and she indicated that
- 6 Stephen's phone number and provided his phone number
- 7 as (804)304-3081.
- 8 Q I appreciate this, that you wrote a long
- 9 report and I see that you're reading from your report
- 10 and I appreciate that. I've read that information.
- 11 But other than what's been written in your
- 12 report, do you recall what else she communicated with
- 13 you? First and foremost, why was she contacting law
- 14 enforcement? Do you know who put her in contact with
- 15 you guys? Was it because of the press? I mean what
- 16 was it that led her to contact you guys?
- 17 A I don't know other than she may have heard,
- 18 you know, through third-hand account or from a
- 19 possible friend. I'm not sure.
- 20 Q Do you know how she's related -- except being
- 21 a friend to Cozzi, do you know whether or not -- what
- 22 her relationship is to Michael Montgomery?
- 23 A No.
- 24 Q Do you know how long she's been friends with
- 25 Cozzi?

- 1 A I do not.
- 2 Q Did you get an address for her?
- 3 A I did not, no. I don't believe I obtained
- 4 an address for her.
- 5 Q Did you also recover some electronic devices
- 6 that were left behind or left in Stephen Cozzi's office
- 7 at Blanchard Law Office?
- 8 A Yes.
- 9 Q Did you seize those or did someone provide
- 10 those to you or kind of, like, how did that happen?
- 11 A So, again, going to my supplement. I wrote
- 12 that I attempted to recover electronic devices left
- 13 behind by Stephen Cozzi.
- 14 Based on those -- that information from
- 15 the call notes and information that we had been
- 16 provided during our briefing, again, was that he had
- 17 left his work laptop up and running, his cell phone
- 18 had been left on his desk. I think he also had a
- 19 tablet that was left there as well. And all those
- 20 items had remained on his, his office desk.
- 21 So those items I did request the PCSO
- 22 forensic specialist to photograph that office and
- 23 that desk area before we then proceeded to take
- 24 those items and try to keep those powered on and
- 25 brought them back to the Largo Police Department.

- 1 Q How was Mr. Cozzi's iPhone seized? Meaning
- 2 when you took it in your possession, what did you do
- 3 with it other than look at it and realize that you
- 4 can't -- you couldn't open it? What did you do at that
- 5 point?
- 6 A Well, it was placed into our cyber lab and
- 7 connected to a charger. We -- again, we're trying to
- 8 keep that powered on since it was already on in the
- 9 event that, that Cozzi's husband or someone that might
- 10 be of a close relationship to him might have a
- 11 passcode that we can use to be able to get into that
- 12 device.
- 2 So when you take the device, the --
- 14 specifically the iPhone from the Blanchard Law Office,
- 15 how did you transport it to the cyber lab?
- 16 A I physically transported it in my vehicle.
- 17 Q In a bag, in your hand? What?
- 18 A I believe it was in -- I believe the
- 19 forensics specialist might have provided a -- one of
- 20 their bags and it was placed into that.
- 21 Q One of their bags. Is it a special kind of
- 22 bag or just an Evidence bag or something different?
- 23 A Just an Evidence bag I believe.
- 24 Q Okay. So the iPhone was transported in an
- 25 Evidence bag to your cyber lab?

- 1 A From what I recall, yes.
- 2 Q And when you say cyber lab, is this a --
- 3 when -- you said I think the iPhone was kept powered
- 4 on?
- 5 A Right.
- 6 Q Do you know whether or not your cyber lab --
- 7 A Sorry, is your audio breaking up?
- 8 Q No, I'm -- no.
- 9 A Apologies.
- 10 Q No, my apologies. I'm trying to think of how
- 11 to word this. So can you describe your cyber lab for
- 12 me.
- 13 A So it's basically two -- you have to go
- 14 through two key card access to get into our lab. It's
- 15 a fairly small room. Both Detective Wedin and I work
- 16 out of that room. We have our computers that we use
- for our investigations inside of that room.
- 18 Q And the items -- your computers, cell phones,
- 19 what have you, if they're in that cyber lab do they
- 20 have access or are they able to access any Internet
- 21 capabilities if that makes sense?
- 22 A Yes.
- 23 Q Yes you said? Yes.
- 24 A Yes, yes, they can access the Internet.
- 25 Q So it's not like a big faraday room, if you

- 1 will?
- 2 A No.
- 3 Q And you said the phone was plugged in and
- 4 came on?
- 5 A Right.
- 6 Q All right. And is there a reason why you
- 7 were not able to obtain the passcode from Mr. Cozzi's
- 8 husband or someone else?
- 9 A From, from speaking to Detective Bolton,
- 10 there was, I think, passcodes that he thought might be
- 11 it. However, we were never able to get access into
- 12 the device. No one had the passcode that was used.
- 13 Q And it appears that your agency did not have
- 14 the ability to jailbreak and/or enter that iPhone. Is
- 15 that also correct?
- 16 A So at the time that obviously this
- 17 investigation was going on I do -- I don't believe
- 18 that that device was currently supported by those
- 19 companies that have that capability.
- 21 since attempted to do that?
- 22 A I know I personally have not. So I don't --
- 23 I can't speak for anyone else, but I know I have not
- 24 been requested to do that.
- And, again, it all goes based upon when

- 1 the companies have updated to support those phone
- 2 models and what operating systems they might have
- 3 been running. And sometimes that can take months or
- 4 years.
- 5 Q So the passcode, was it a four-digit passcode
- 6 or a longer passcode? Or do you know?
- 7 A I don't recall.
- 8 Q In your report it looks like you conducted a
- 9 search on ZetX.com?
- 10 A And actually if I can go back to answer your
- 11 question. I did just look back in the report and it
- 12 says Stephen's iPhone was secured with a six-digit
- 13 passcode.
- 14 Q Six-digit passcode.
- 15 A Correct.
- 16 Q Thank you. So the search on the ZetX.com,
- 17 how did you do that? How did you conduct the search?
- 18 A ZetX.com is a website that's accessible,
- 19 anyone to my knowledge can access it. You can type in
- 20 a phone number and it provides a -- information as far
- 21 as -- if a name is provided or if it's a known name
- 22 attached to that phone number, it will provide that.
- 23 If it's unknown, it will just typically say the
- 24 carrier name.
- 25 So it's more or less just trying to

- 1 identify what carrier is tied to that phone number.
- 2 Q And it looks like you searched for a specific
- 3 cell phone number or a phone number?
- 4 A I recall doing it. I'm just trying to get
- 5 caught up with which one you're referring to.
- 6 Can you quide me as far as what you're
- 7 referring to?
- 8 Q Yes. It's the (321)663-0128.
- 9 A Yes. From memory, I believe that was
- 10 Mr. Kosowski's phone. Okay, I see it here. I see it
- 11 in the supplement.
- 12 Yes, the (321)663-0128 which was used by
- 13 Tomasz Kosowski during the teleconference.
- 14 Q So where did you conduct that search at?
- 15 A The ZetX.com search?
- 16 Q Yeah, like physically. Were you at the
- 17 Blanchard Law Firm, were you somewhere else, or?
- 18 A No, I probably was at my desk in the cyber
- 19 lab.
- 21 computer in the cyber lab?
- 22 A Yes.
- 23 Q How many other searches did you do on that
- 24 specific website?
- 25 A I don't recall.

- 1 Q What other searches on the website did you
- 2 conduct in relation to this investigation?
- A I would have to look back through all of my
- 4 supplements to see other times that I might have
- 5 mentioned ZetX. I believe there might have been a
- 6 search for another phone number that I think was
- 7 provided by a neighbor with a belief that it was
- 8 Mr. Kosowski's phone number only to -- for us to later
- 9 learn that that might have been an older number.
- 10 So aside from searching those numbers, I
- 11 might have searched the phone number for Mr. Cozzi.
- 12 But I don't recall off the top of my head any
- 13 others.
- 14 Q Are those searches preserved, to your
- 15 knowledge?
- 16 A I do not know. I don't know if a screenshot
- 17 was captured at that time or not. I can't answer.
- 18 Q And can you conduct -- I think you had
- 19 already said this. But you can conduct a search by
- 20 phone or you can conduct a search by name or word?
- 21 A No. ZetX.com is only a search by phone
- 22 number.
- 23 Q Okay. So let's jump to March 22nd. I think
- 24 previously started to testify about your assisting
- 25 Detective Wedin in obtaining and/or looking, reviewing

- 1 video surveillance in the surrounding areas I guess for
- 2 a specific vehicle.
- 3 A On that date I had received information
- 4 from Detective Wedin based on my supplement that
- 5 surveillance video from the Circle-K at 1499 South
- 6 Belcher Road and also showed a PSTA bus and the
- 7 vehicle. And that's when we start getting information
- 8 as far as the PSTA bus images of the, the Toyota
- 9 Tundra.
- 10 Q All right. And were you heavily involved in
- 11 attempting to find and/or track and locate this
- 12 specific vehicle, I guess it was a Toyota Tundra on
- 13 March 22nd?
- 14 A I think my involvement as far as trying to
- 15 locate video and images came more on the 23rd. That
- 16 was when my involvement was trying to get any
- 17 surveillance images that appears to have taken place.
- 18 Q All right. Let me jump to the 511 Seaview
- 19 neighborhood canvass. Were you involved in that?
- 20 A As far as canvass to talk with neighbors?
- 21 Is that what you're referring to?
- 22 Q Yes.
- 23 A No, I was not involved with that.
- 24 Q So you did not participate in the 511 Seaview
- 25 neighborhood canvass on March 22nd?

- 1 A No. No, I wasn't part of any neighborhood
- 2 canvass on the 22nd.
- 3 Q Did you go to the 511 Seaview residence or
- 4 address prior to March 23rd?
- 5 A Not that I can recall, no.
- 6 Q When did you determine that the Toyota Tundra
- 7 belonged to Dr. Kosowski?
- 8 A When did I determine that it belonged to
- 9 him? I'm just trying to make sure that I'm
- 10 understanding your exact terms. Because belong
- 11 meaning registered or own. That's how I would --
- 12 that's what, to my knowledge, what that belong means.
- 2 So just because something's not registered
- 14 doesn't mean you don't own it or it doesn't belong to
- 15 you and just because, vice versa, something may be
- 16 registered in your name doesn't necessarily mean that
- 17 you own it or it belongs to you either.
- So my question is when did you determine that
- 19 the Toyota Tundra belonged to Dr. Kosowski?
- 20 A I guess if we're going with those terms, it
- 21 would have been on the -- I believe it would have been
- 22 on the 23rd I believe. Because that would have been
- 23 when Detective Compton had viewed surveillance video
- 24 from 503 Seaview Drive which essentially placed the
- 25 vehicle going to 511 and I believe some of the

- 1 detectives I think had made contact with neighbors who
- 2 said that they had recently observed Mr. Kosowski, I
- 3 believe, driving that vehicle.
- 4 Q And were you present for the search warrant
- 5 that was executed on the 511 Seaview Drive residence?
- 6 A Yes, I was present.
- 7 Q And what time did you first arrive?
- 8 A That was a very long day. I think as that
- 9 day progressed we were working as a team, as a group,
- 10 working on our way northbound through different
- 11 locations with surveillance video and then the
- 12 progressing our way through the neighborhood
- 13 eventually leading us to Seaview and I want to say
- 14 that might have -- at that point in time we were --
- 15 had finally placed that truck at 511 Seaview, it might
- 16 have been approximately 2:00, 3:00 in the afternoon
- maybe.
- So most of us were kind of just standing
- 19 by at that scene and standing by in the neighborhood
- 20 there until, until the search warrant was completed
- 21 and signed off, which I want to say might have been
- 22 approximately 8:00 or 9:00 that night.
- 23 Q Okay. So my question was -- I don't know if
- 24 you answered it or not -- but what time did you arrive
- 25 at that, that residence?

- 1 A Again, we were outside in the roadway area,
- 2 again that would have been probably about 2:00 or 3:00
- 3 in the afternoon, and remained -- I had remained in
- 4 that area that entire time.
- 5 Q And during the entire time you said you were
- 6 in the roadway in that area that you arrived until you
- 7 left or -- I shouldn't say left -- until the time that
- 8 search warrant was executed, what specifically were you
- 9 doing?
- 10 A Primarily just being there at the residence
- 11 to see if there was any other persons that would
- 12 either leave from the home or show up at the home.
- 13 Q How many other law enforcement officers,
- 14 deputies, what have you, were present with you at any
- 15 given time during the time that you were there?
- 16 A Maybe four or five others.
- 17 Q Prior to an -- a search warrant being
- 18 obtained for that residence, did you go on the property
- 19 at all?
- 20 A Not that I can recall, no. I believe I had
- 21 originally parked my unmarked vehicle in the driveway.
- 22 Well, not in the driveway but on that roadway kind of
- 23 blocking the driveway. I know I did not walk up to
- 24 the front door or the sides of the home. But I don't
- 25 recall stepping onto the property I guess you could

- 1 say.
- 3 on the property, if you recall?
- 4 A I don't believe he was there in the early
- 5 afternoon time, at like 2:00 or 3:00. I don't believe
- 6 he was there at that point in time.
- 7 Q So did he come later or was he there before?
- 8 Or do you know?
- 9 A He arrived later and I met with him as he
- 10 was obtaining the search warrant.
- 11 Q And you had indicated that you -- when you
- 12 arrived you parked your vehicle in the roadway more or
- 13 less blocking the driveway of that residence, the 511
- 14 Seaview.
- 15 A Correct.
- 16 Q Did you at any point in time during the time
- 17 that you were there move your vehicle?
- 18 A Yes. I mean during that time I, I had moved
- 19 my vehicle. I didn't create a log of where. But,
- 20 yes, I did move my vehicle.
- 21 Eventually I had left to go meet with
- 22 Tarpon Springs Police Department, their SWAT team as
- 23 they were planning to execute the search warrant.
- 24 So, yes, I did leave at some point.
- 25 Q Prior to leaving, did you move your vehicle

- 1 for any other reason?
- 2 A I don't believe so. I can't recall
- 3 completely, but I don't believe so.
- 4 Q Did you take any photographs of the, of the
- 5 house?
- 6 A Not that I recall.
- 7 Q Did you look into the garage?
- 8 A No.
- 9 Q Did you see any other law enforcement
- 10 officers, deputies, or otherwise look into or inside
- 11 the garage?
- 12 A No.
- 13 Q Did you see any other law enforcement
- 14 officers, deputies, or otherwise, take any photographs
- of the house, the front, the side, any area of that
- 16 property?
- 17 A No.
- 18 Q So you indicated in your LPD report that when
- 19 the garage to the 511 Seaview was open and a Toyota
- 20 Tundra became visible you spotted a Florida license
- 21 plate that belonged to Marc Otto on it.
- 22 A Yes. And then that supplement -- and there
- 23 was a couple of supplements that I wrote as well.
- Again, these supplements were generated
- 25 when we finally had a chance to kind of sit down and

- 1 be able to type. But I had erroneously placed the
- 2 tag as KXQE61 in my supplement. That should have
- 3 been 70ANQU.
- 4 Q Okay. So that's something that's incorrect?
- 5 Meaning the license plate tag number is incorrect but
- 6 also that it belonged to Marc Otto when you -- when the
- 7 garage door is open you see the Tundra and you see the
- 8 tag that you automatically associated that tag with
- 9 Marc Otto, that's incorrect or it's a different
- 10 timeframe or something different?
- 11 A So as far as Marc Otto, that tag, KXQE61,
- 12 that tag itself didn't link with Marc Otto who was the
- 13 previous owner of the vehicle. I was just notating,
- 14 as I had mentioned in a later supplement, that I had
- 15 erred when I first put that, that tag in there as
- 16 being affixed to the back of the truck when the garage
- 17 door raised.
- 18 Q Okay. Did you run any of the license plate
- 19 numbers that evening?
- 20 A I don't believe so. I think Detective Sinni
- 21 did most of that research.
- 22 Q All right. So you did not run, it would have
- 23 been Sinni that would have run any of the license plate
- 24 numbers that were -- numbers, letters, what have you,
- 25 that were found?

- 1 A Correct. Or VIN.
- 2 Q Did you run the VIN number on the, on the
- 3 truck after the search warrant was executed?
- 4 A After the search warrant was executed, I --
- 5 probably pretty certain that I did run that through
- 6 DAVID.
- 7 Q And when you say you're pretty certain, is
- 8 that notated in your report somewhere?
- 9 A It's not notated in my report but from
- 10 recollection.
- 11 Q Recollection you recall running the VIN on
- 12 that?
- 13 A Yes.
- 14 Q All right. Was there any prior knowledge
- among your agency or law enforcement for that, for that
- 16 matter that Dr. Kosowski owned a Toyota Tundra prior to
- 17 the 511 Seaview search warrant being executed?
- 18 A No, there is no known information because
- 19 the database that we would access that through, which
- 20 is DAVID, did not show a Toyota Tundra as being
- 21 registered by Mr. Kosowski at that time.
- 23 Dr. Kosowski?
- 24 A I recall writing something about that. Oh,
- 25 I see here in the earlier portion of that.

- 1 It was the 2020 Toyota Corolla. And I
- 2 also had observed a vehicle trailer and a
- 3 motorcycle.
- 4 Q Do you know whether or not there's any BOLOs
- 5 put out for the motorcycle, motorcycle?
- 6 A Not that I can recall. You know, and I
- 7 would, I would probably answer a follow-up question
- 8 with that. Because we did not -- through the
- 9 surveillance video that was obtained by other
- 10 investigators, we did not see any involvement or use
- 11 of the motorcycle.
- 12 Q From the time that you viewed the
- 13 surveillance of this -- of a Toyota Tundra leaving the
- 14 South Belcher Road location until it was located,
- 15 whether or not it's the same vehicle or not, a similar
- 16 vehicle that was located near Kosowski's --
- 17 Dr. Kosowski's residence, how much of a timespan are we
- 18 talking about?
- 19 A Well, you're referring to basically
- 20 March the 21st at -- I believe it was last seen
- 21 leaving the parking lot at approximately 11- -- I
- 22 would say 11:15 approximately.
- So from that point in time until the time
- 24 that the search warrant was executed and, you know,
- 25 we viewed the truck in the garage of the home on

- 1 March the 23rd, that might have been 9:30, 10:00. I
- 2 don't have an exact time, but it would have been
- 3 9:30, 10:00 roughly that night on the 23rd. So you
- 4 have that timeframe.
- 5 Q So we can conservatively say over 24 hours?
- 6 A Yes.
- 7 Q So you entered the -- when the search warrant
- 8 was executed the 511 Seaview, you entered the
- 9 residence?
- 10 A I did.
- 11 Q How long did you stay inside the residence?
- 12 A It was -- my supplement indicates that I
- 13 entered with Detective Miller of the Tarpon Springs
- 14 Police Department at approximately 0250 hours on
- 15 March 24th and that it appears I left the scene at
- 16 approximately 0630 on that same date, on March the
- 17 24th.
- 18 Q So what did you do while you were inside the
- 19 residence?
- 20 A I was paired with Detective Miller and
- 21 Detective Miller was, was the primary person. Well, I
- 22 can't say primary person. But the -- we were informed
- 23 that Tarpon Springs Police Department officers and
- 24 personnel were the only ones that could search the
- 25 residence. And I more or less just stood by as he was

- 1 conducting his search.
- 2 Q Stood by doing what?
- 3 A Just watching him, observing him.
- 4 Q How many other individuals were just kind of
- 5 standing by observing other law enforcement personnel
- 6 inside the residence would you say?
- 7 A I can't give you an exact number. There
- 8 might have been, there might have been two or three
- 9 other persons that were paired up with other Tarpon
- 10 Springs personnel which would have brought a total to
- 11 maybe six, six or eight of us.
- 12 Q So when you say six or eight of us, is it six
- or eight from Largo Police Department?
- 14 A No, no, no. No. At that time there might
- 15 have been maybe three or four Largo P.D. personnel
- 16 paired with three or four Tarpon Springs personnel.
- 17 Q Did you go through the clothes in the closet?
- 18 A I did not physically search anything, no.
- 19 Q Did you see anyone go through the clothes in
- 20 the closet?
- 21 A I can't answer that.
- 22 Q Fair enough. Did you handle any of the guns?
- 23 A No.
- Q Did you see anybody handle any of the guns?
- 25 A Detective Miller, who I was paired with, I

- 1 did see him remove multiple hard plastic cases from --
- 2 not sure if it was a guest bedroom or not but he had
- 3 removed and unopened the cases. I observed multiple
- 4 handguns inside of the case, or each case.
- 5 Going off of recollection, that's, that's
- 6 as good as I can kind of answer on that.
- 7 Q Did you handle any of the guitars?
- 8 A No. Again, I didn't handle anything inside
- 9 of the home.
- 10 Q Did you see anyone handle any of the guitars?
- 11 A Not that I can recall.
- 12 Q To your memory, what differentiated the, the
- 13 casings that some of the guns were in from the guitars?
- 14 Like, how did you know the difference?
- 15 A Well, the casings that the guns were in that
- 16 I recall from being pulled out from under the bed were
- 17 square shaped. So they definitely were not, you know,
- 18 in a quitar-like case.
- 19 Q Okay. And did you take any photographs while
- 20 you were inside the residence?
- 21 A No.
- 23 encloser trailer in the garage?
- 24 A I can't answer that. I don't recall.
- 25 Q Did you wear a body camera?

- 1 A No.
- 2 Q Are you guys equipped with body cameras?
- 3 A We had just began receiving those. I'm not
- 4 sure if we had received the training for those at that
- 5 point in time or not. But, no, I did not have that on
- 6 at the time, no.
- 7 Q If you had a body camera, would you have
- 8 turned it off during the time you were inside the
- 9 residence?
- 10 A No, there would have been no reason to turn
- 11 it off if I had had one. No.
- 12 Q What would be a reason according to your
- 13 policies and procedures that you're able to turn off
- 14 your body camera?
- 15 A You're going to the restroom, if you're
- 16 viewing personal information I believe would be. I
- 17 mean as far as this goes, again, if you had one
- 18 there's -- there would have been no reason to, to have
- 19 turned it off. Everything was very standard and you
- 20 would have kept it on while you were doing your
- 21 search.
- 22 Q What about muting it, what are the policies
- 23 and procedures on muting the audio from the body cam?
- 24 A Again, I don't use it on a day-to-day basis,
- 25 so I can't speak with certainty as far as the full

- 1 policy. But if, if we were discussing something maybe
- 2 tactically or discussing something of personal
- 3 information, then it could be muted at that point in
- 4 time.
- 5 Again, I didn't have one, so it's hard to
- 6 answer your question on the body-cam related
- 7 content.
- 8 Q Oh, I appreciate that. Was the garage door
- 9 at 511 Seaview open prior to the warrant being read?
- 10 A No.
- 11 Q Do you know who opened the garage door?
- 12 A I can't attest who opened it. I know that
- 13 the Tarpon Springs, their SWAT team made entry through
- 14 the front door of the residence and I just recall
- 15 seeing the garage door open after they had made entry
- 16 and had searched the residence. And by search,
- 17 meaning they had cleared the residence.
- 18 Q All right. Is there anything else you did
- 19 while at the residence on that specific day the search
- 20 warrant was executed investigative-wise, or?
- 21 A No, nothing else that I can think of. It
- 22 was kind of a lot of sitting and waiting
- 23 unfortunately.
- 24 Q So that's what I've been told. All right.
- 25 So I want to skip to the -- backtrack or forward I

- 1 should say, to the Corolla search warrant. What were
- 2 your instructions for searching the Corolla when it was
- 3 pulled over at 34 Orange Street?
- 4 A To help speed things up with you on that
- 5 one, I was not on scene when the Corolla was stopped
- 6 nor did I take part in any searches of the Corolla.
- 7 Q So you weren't on scene when the Corolla was
- 8 stopped. Did you ever show up to that area of that
- 9 scene?
- 10 A The only time I showed up to that area of
- 11 the traffic stop was extremely later that night when I
- 12 had obtained a search warrant for, I believe it was
- 13 for, like, videos of Mr. Kosowski, DNA samples. That
- 14 was the only time that I had shown up and that was to
- 15 provide the copies of the warrant to Detective Bolton
- 16 and Detective Hunt.
- 17 Q Okay. So you weren't, you weren't -- so am I
- 18 correct in stating that when you arrived on scene where
- 19 the Corolla was at Dr. Kosowski was not there?
- 20 A I didn't see him, so I can't answer that at
- 21 that point and time.
- 22 Q Did you see them searching the vehicle, the
- 23 Toyota Corolla?
- 24 A I don't believe -- I can't recall if the car
- 25 was still there or not. I can't answer that question,

- 1 so.
- 2 Q So then you can't answer what, if anything,
- 3 you saw in the trunk or inside of the vehicle either?
- 4 A No, information like that was provided to me
- 5 by Detective Bolton and obviously we had pictures that
- 6 PCSO crime scene processing had taken. So I viewed
- 7 those, yes. But aside from giving you personal
- 8 knowledge of me physically looking into it, I was not
- 9 there to tell you that.
- 10 Q So then what did you do while you were at 34
- 11 Orange Street?
- 12 A Again, it was just as I refer in a later
- 13 supplement for the March 25th actions, I drafted a
- 14 search warrant for DNA and personal items pertaining
- 15 to Tomasz and I then brought that to Detective Hunt
- 16 and Bolton at 34 West Orange Street.
- 17 Q So you drafted the search warrant is what
- 18 you're saying?
- 19 A I did.
- 20 Q And you brought it to that location?
- 21 A Yes.
- 23 in that search warrant, or the affidavit and the search
- 24 warrant?
- A As far as telling me, what do you mean what

- 1 to put in it?
- 2 O Information.
- 3 A Well, Detective Bolton, Detective Hunt had
- 4 shared a lot of the information. But, again, I mean
- 5 this is -- was an ongoing team effort.
- 6 So I was obtaining information as things
- 7 would be learned and we were all sharing information
- 8 either in briefings or as it was obtained. So
- 9 multiple sources were being provided as information
- 10 that was used to place into those search warrants.
- 11 Q At what point did you develop sufficient
- 12 probable cause for a body warrant?
- 13 A Well, the warrant was signed by Honorable
- 14 Judge Matthey on March 25th at approximately 2350
- 15 hours. So it was read through and determined that we
- 16 had the probable cause for that at that point in time.
- 17 Q At what point did you or your agency develop
- 18 or feel like it could develop sufficient probable cause
- 19 for a body warrant?
- 20 A Well, it was being drafted, you know, hours
- 21 earlier. I mean, as you know as an attorney, one can
- 22 draft a warrant but it's completely up to a judge to
- 23 read that and make that determination of probable
- 24 cause to sign on that warrant.
- 25 Q Right. But you have to in good faith believe

- 1 that you have probable cause to even submit that
- 2 warrant. So my question again to you is at what point
- 3 in time did you or any one of the officers within your
- 4 agency develop sufficient probable cause for a body
- 5 warrant?
- 6 A Well, you would have to refer that to
- 7 Detective Bolton. Because my job primarily was just
- 8 to them as they were occupied there at the scene. I
- 9 was asked to draft that warrant to assist them, which
- 10 is what I did.
- 11 Q What information or otherwise were you given
- in order to draft the search warrant?
- 13 A It was basically all of the information we
- 14 had worked together as a group that led to the case.
- 15 I mean I don't have the search warrant in front of me
- 16 per se. I'd have to refer back to all that, but that
- 17 basically is a culmination of our investigation into
- 18 words.
- 19 O And I understand that. But the information
- 20 within the affidavit and the search warrant itself, I
- 21 mean obviously you didn't commit all that information
- 22 into memory. So which begs the question of what did
- 23 you use in order to draft the search warrant?
- 24 A Well, we had surveillance video of the
- 25 truck. We had multiple surveillance -- and actually I

- 1 shouldn't say surveillance, video showing Mr. Kosowki
- 2 pulling a large wagon from the main entrance to the --
- 3 where you would access the law firm.
- 4 We had phone call that was made for the
- 5 telephone hearing. We had information that put
- 6 Mr. Kosowski's phone in the area of the Blanchard
- 7 Law Firm when the, the hearing was, was held.
- 8 Then after the hearing was held, we were
- 9 able to see what appeared to be Mr. Kosowski again
- 10 outside involved with the wagon, involved with kind
- 11 of looking back toward the entrance of the Blanchard
- 12 Law Firm.
- We, through a team effort, worked our way
- 14 north on Belcher as we went through city by city
- 15 until we reached that same truck with that same
- 16 wagon with that same large item that was in the back
- 17 of that truck that had left the parking lot from the
- 18 law firm parking lot.
- So we had that same vehicle, same item in
- 20 the back driving northbound on Seaview. And then we
- 21 had the car, Toyota Corolla, leaving from the
- 22 direction of Mr. Kosowski's home.
- 23 We had information showing it driving down
- 24 to the Miami area until it had returned on the date,
- 25 where it was eventually stopped.

- 1 Q I appreciate that information. What
- 2 information did you use, documents or otherwise, to
- 3 draft the search warrant and the affidavit to the
- 4 search warrant?
- 5 A I'm sorry if I'm not able to answer your
- 6 question or whatever, I mean the answer that you're
- 7 seeking. I mean, again, I'm using the information
- 8 that we had obtained up to that point to draft that.
- 9 So I'm not -- sorry if I can't answer it
- 10 any more clear than what I provided.
- 11 Q Did you access any -- strike that.
- 12 What was the reason for the prolonged
- 13 detainment of Dr. Kosowski at --
- 14 A I can't answer that as I was not there,
- 15 wasn't a part of that.
- 16 Q So you're not aware of whether or not
- 17 Dr. Kosowski asked for an attorney while he was being
- 18 detained?
- 19 A I was told that there was an attempt to
- 20 interview him and that he did ask for an attorney. As
- 21 far as the minutes and the events that happened after
- 22 that, I can't answer that as I wasn't there.
- 24 interview Dr. Kosowski? Is that what you're telling
- 25 me?

- 1 A Yes. I believe Detective Bolton had made an
- 2 attempt to interview him to get his statements.
- 3 Q Do you know why he was not given access to an
- 4 attorney?
- 5 A I can't answer that. I was not there or I
- 6 don't have any knowledge of that.
- 7 Q Did you collect a wallet as part of the
- 8 Corolla search warrant?
- 9 A I did not. I didn't collect any items from
- 10 the Corolla. I wasn't a part of that. I wasn't on
- 11 scene for that search.
- 12 Q Were personal items such as a wallet or
- 13 otherwise a part? Meaning a part of the Corolla
- 14 warrant?
- 15 A I don't recall if that was obtained or not.
- 16 Q Do you know whether or not a wallet was part
- of the body warrant that you wrote?
- 18 A I would have to review back to determine if
- 19 it would have covered a wallet. I think it primarily
- 20 related to photographs and video of Mr. Kosowski,
- 21 buccal swabs, hair, follicle samples, fingernail
- 22 scrapings, fingernail swabs, fingerprints, clothing,
- 23 shoes, and I see here it encompasses a wallet.
- So, yes, it would have been part of that
- 25 as well.

- 1 Q Do you know what probable cause was
- 2 established that led to Dr. Kosowski being arrested?
- A I do not. You'd have to refer that to the
- 4 lead investigator, Detective Bolton.
- 5 Q Were you also working with the State
- 6 Attorney's Office in drafting the body warrant?
- 7 A Yes.
- 8 Q Who did you work with?
- 9 A Mr. Vonderheide.
- 10 Q And when did you begin writing the search
- 11 warrant for the body warrant?
- 12 A I don't recall the exact time I began
- 13 working on it.
- 14 Q Do you recall whether or not you used the, I
- 15 quess it's called CloudGavel?
- 16 A From my recollection, the CloudGavel was not
- 17 used for this warrant because that template had not
- 18 yet been generated within CloudGavel which forced us
- 19 to kind of go the old-fashioned way and write it out
- 20 and walk it through with the judge.
- 21 Q Were you present when the warrant was
- 22 submitted to the judge?
- 23 A Yes, I was there at the judge's house when
- 24 he signed the warrant.
- 25 Q That was going to be my next question as to

- 1 you were at the judge's house. Okay.
- 2 Do you recall the timeframe between your
- 3 writing the search warrant and then submitting it or
- 4 getting it to the judge being signed? Does that -- I
- 5 hope that makes sense to you. What's the timespan
- 6 between that, those two?
- 7 A Well, from my memory, warrants are never
- 8 easy to get -- it's not a simple process to go
- 9 through. I think, you know, there might have been
- 10 possibly a couple of edits but it might have taken the
- 11 course of -- sorry. Apologies.
- 12 It probably would have been a couple of
- 13 hours time before that was kind of drafted, read
- 14 through, Mr. Vonderheide would have read through it
- 15 and contact with the Honorable Judge Matthey setting
- 16 up time to come to his home and meet with him.
- 17 So it would have taken, it would have
- 18 taken at least a couple of hours to do that. And as
- 19 I mentioned in my supplement, it appears it was
- 20 signed at approximately 2350 on the night of
- 21 March 25th.
- 22 Q All right. You said there was a couple edits
- 23 so which begs the question are you communicating with
- 24 the state attorney via email and the state attorney
- 25 saying, hey, change this or this is incorrect or what

- 1 have you?
- 2 A I don't recall how we communicated back and
- 3 forth. I can't answer that. I don't recall.
- 4 Q Do you recall what edits were done to the
- 5 search warrant? And when I say search warrant, I mean
- 6 the search warrant and the affidavit.
- 7 A Yeah, honestly I don't recall what edits or
- 8 changes were made at that point in time either.
- 10 A I -- probably certain that there probably
- 11 was. I don't recall how many versions or what was
- 12 changed. You know, we were all going on very small
- 13 amounts of sleep over the course of several days. So
- 14 I -- sorry, I can't answer any better than that.
- 15 Q When you draft a search warrant in your
- 16 agency, is it stored somewhere?
- 17 A No. We don't have any kind of central
- 18 server or central storage that stores all search
- 19 warrants written by investigator or officers.
- 20 Q Then what do you have?
- 21 A Well, essentially it's -- we have our own.
- 22 I mean we -- I know I can just speak for myself. So
- 23 any of the search warrants that I write and get
- 24 finalized and signed copies of those are placed into
- 25 evidence if they're physical copy or now we have the

- 1 option with CloudGavel if it's an electronic warrant
- 2 that that can be get uploaded to evidence.com.
- 3 So it's always -- a copy's always
- 4 submitted as evidence. That's how it's preserved.
- 5 Q So there's no way as you sit here the way
- 6 that you're describing that this search warrant was
- 7 drafted and executed and whatnot, there's no way to go
- 8 back in time and figure out what edits were made to the
- 9 search warrant.
- 10 A Not that I recall, no.
- 11 Q All right. On March 24th, I'm looking at
- 12 your Largo Police department report, you wrote that you
- 13 conducted a cell site request for two phone numbers
- 14 belonging to Kosowski by submitting them to Pinellas
- 15 County State Attorney's Office electronic
- 16 investigative -- or investigation unit, excuse me.
- 17 And my question for you is how did you make
- 18 that request?
- 19 A I believe that request would have been
- 20 through electronic means such as filling out a cell
- 21 site request form, that is a standard form that they
- 22 have, and we place the phone numbers on that form such
- 23 as -- and also the carrier and submit that form to the
- 24 electronic crimes unit who then generates the court
- 25 order or the warrant for that content.

- 1 Q And to whom specifically did you make that
- 2 request? Is there, is there a name or it's just a
- 3 general form or request that you make or you're able to
- 4 make?
- 5 A It's typically just through the general
- 6 electronic crimes unit.
- 8 A Yes.
- 9 Q And the request that you made for these two
- 10 phone numbers, what were the requests seeking?
- 11 A Cell site data. So it would have been, you
- 12 know, history of the phone calls or phone logs, text
- 13 messages, and like cell site data. So that would also
- 14 show cell locations that the device would have been
- 15 accessing depending on movement.
- 16 Q And when you initiate this request, how long
- does it take for you to get a response?
- 18 A This one I think took longer than I had
- 19 hoped. But I believe it was a couple of days period.
- 20 I'm trying to refer back to -- if I can see when I
- 21 discussed that.
- 22 I know I had received some that originally
- 23 only went to the 21st in which we had to submit an
- 24 additional request for dates that encompassed after
- 25 the 21st which I would have went to March 26th.

- 1 It looks like in one of my later
- 2 supplements I wrote that I had received that on
- 3 March the 30th.
- 4 Q Of those two requests, you received both of
- 5 them on March the 30th or something different? I
- 6 apologize.
- 7 A No. We received the first one on a
- 8 different date. It looks like that first request was
- 9 only for March the 14th through the 21st is what we
- 10 were provided or what I was provided and that was
- 11 received on March 29th it appears based on my
- 12 supplement.
- 13 Q Okay. Go ahead.
- 14 A I was just going to say at that point in
- 15 time obviously seeing the cut-off date of the 21st
- 16 that's when we submitted an additional request to
- 17 extend that date to the 26th.
- 18 Q So you extended that request from March 21st
- 19 to the 26th or something different?
- 20 A Yes. We extended it, we extended an
- 21 additional request to extend the information to the
- 22 26th.
- 23 Q All right. And what information or files
- 24 were you requesting? Because obviously -- this is not
- 25 real time cell site information, right?

- 1 A Correct. We weren't doing a ping or we
- 2 weren't doing real time tracking of the device. This
- 3 was historical cell site data.
- 4 So it was just showing the, again, the
- 5 call logs, cell towers that the phone would have
- 6 been using either when data activations are being
- 7 done or calls are made.
- 8 Q Do you know whether or not there was any real
- 9 time cell site information that was sought on any cell
- 10 phone in this investigation?
- 11 A No. We -- I was the one that primarily did
- 12 these requests and I did not issue or ask for any real
- 13 time tracking.
- 14 Q Have you ever attempted to receive in any of
- 15 your investigations real time tracking of a cell phone?
- 16 A So typically with a lot of these cases I
- 17 have assisted in seeking -- I've assisted on cases
- 18 where we have sought out that data in the past. But
- 19 we -- in those events that request is typically turned
- 20 over to a special unit at the Pinellas County
- 21 Sheriff's Office and they're the ones that we
- 22 essentially say here's a PIN register and they then
- 23 use that information on their own.
- 24 So we, we as an agency don't -- or I have
- 25 not taken part in that, no.

- 1 Q Do you know if that was done in this
- 2 investigation either by your agency -- obviously you
- 3 said no with regards to you but -- or your agency but
- 4 or any other agency?
- 5 A No. No. There was no real time tracking.
- 6 For any cell phone activity that was done on this
- 7 device or this incident.
- 8 Q Do you know why that was not done?
- 9 A No, I can't attest to that on why it was not
- 10 done.
- 11 Q All right. So when you received the response
- 12 to your request, is it by email or how do you get the
- 13 request back? Or the response, excuse me, back.
- 14 A The requests are typically provided by email
- 15 from the -- someone within the electronic crimes unit
- 16 and those -- that data that is provided to me is
- 17 then -- in this case I believe it was uploaded right
- 18 away to evidence.com.
- 20 any subpoenas that were submitted for this information?
- 21 A To my knowledge, I don't think the subpoenas
- 22 were. It was just the cell site court-ordered
- 23 request.
- 24 Q Did you give a specific date -- I think you
- 25 already testified to this, but I want to make sure.

- 1 Did you give a specific date and time range regarding
- 2 the data that you were looking for?
- A Again, I would, I would probably have to try
- 4 to refer back to the court order to give you an exact
- 5 date. I can only attest to what I received and that
- 6 was originally the 14th through the 21st and then the
- 7 second set of records was the 21st through the 26th.
- 8 Q So then based upon your testimony, you can't
- 9 give me or can you give me the last time entry on
- 10 March 21st?
- 11 A I'm confused by when you say the last time
- 12 entry.
- 13 Q The last time entry on the cell site data
- 14 that you received from your initial request.
- 15 A I can't nor would I want to give you an
- 16 exact time without looking at that call record, that
- 17 call log record but I believe it encompassed up until,
- 18 like, probably 2359 hours. It would have encompassed
- 19 that entire day. Just not into the 22nd.
- 20 O Did the information or data that you were
- 21 provided provide location data for the telephone calls?
- 22 A Yes. You can see the cell tower that was
- 23 used when phone calls were made.
- 24 Q And does the data also provide information
- 25 regarding the location for text messages?

- 1 A Text messages, I don't recall, that might
- 2 have encompassed with the data section. It does
- 3 provide information which is like a time distance of
- 4 arrival. It's a separate file, separate dataset that
- 5 is provided with those records. It is a -- kind of an
- 6 estimate mapping of kind of the location of the device
- 7 away from a cell phone, if that makes sense.
- 8 Q It does. Does this dataset provide location
- 9 data for other cell phone applications?
- 10 A No, it does not encompass any applications.
- 11 It's just the device itself from T-Mobile.
- 12 Q Does this dataset provide location
- information of the cell phone in any other way to your
- 14 knowledge?
- 15 A I'm kind of confused by what you mean by any
- 16 other way. Again, it's -- this dataset that I'm
- 17 referring to is -- not to say it again, but it's just
- 18 an estimate based on the location of the device, on
- 19 how far it is from that various cell phone.
- 20 Q Okay.
- 21 A If that makes sense. But that's, that's the
- 22 information provided by T-Mobile.
- 23 Q Yes, thank you. Now, you unloaded this
- 24 dataset from T-Mobile, which is the CDR, the call
- 25 detail records --

- 1 A Yes.
- 2 Q -- analytics program called TRAX.
- 3 A TRAX, T-R-A-X.
- 4 Q Does TRAX modify the data that's unloaded?
- 5 A The only modification of the data that was
- 6 uploaded was when I had requested the time conversion
- 7 be changed from UTC which is what -- it's a uniform
- 8 time which is what was sent from T-Mobile to Eastern
- 9 Standard Time just to make it obviously easier to view
- 10 and current time.
- 11 Q Do you know if anything -- any information
- 12 is -- do you know if any information when you make that
- 13 modification is lost or altered in any fashion?
- 14 A No, it's -- the program is essentially just
- 15 taking that data from -- that dataset from those XL
- 16 files provided by T-Mobile and it's essentially just
- 17 plotting it for you. So you can save a whole lot of
- 18 time and view it into an easy format.
- 19 Q Okay. So do you know whether or not when
- 20 that -- whether or not when you modify, when you
- 21 convert that file, that specific file into another
- 22 file, whether or not the data is altered or modified in
- 23 any fashion?
- 24 A No, I did not see it as being altered in any
- 25 fashion when I, when I compared what I was seeing on

- 1 Google Earth Pro versus what I was seeing with the
- 2 datasets that were provided by T-Mobile.
- 3 Q And is TRAX, is that a software program
- 4 that's purchased by LPD?
- 5 A Yes.
- 6 Q And what version of it do you have?
- 7 A I don't know if it has a version. It's just
- 8 provided by the company.
- 9 Q Do you know how long has your agency been
- 10 using it?
- 11 A We have been using that program since
- 12 approximately 2016 I think. I would have to obviously
- 13 look back, but I know it's been a long time.
- 14 Q And do you know whether or not there's been
- 15 any software updates based upon any bugs or what have
- 16 you within that software program?
- 17 A I don't know of that. It is, it is
- 18 basically a online platform where you can upload the
- 19 CDRs and -- the call detail records and then you can
- 20 download, you know, the KMZ, which is the Google Earth
- 21 profiles and you can review the results as they are
- 22 mapped. But it's not something to where it's a
- 23 software per se that's installed on the computer.
- 24 Q So you mentioned KMZ and you also mentioned
- 25 comparing it to Google Earth which kind of begs my

- 1 question.
- 2 You just utilized KMZ and Google Earth kind
- 3 of synonymously to mean the same thing. So is KMZ
- 4 something different than when you did your search to
- 5 Google Earth to make sure that there was no, I guess,
- 6 modification or lost information when this conversion
- 7 was done?
- 8 A Yes. So it's when you generate those
- 9 records, again, you look when you get them, you have
- 10 call logs would be its own dataset, TDOA is its own
- 11 dataset. So you can map those individually, you can
- 12 map them together. It's just going to populate more
- 13 data points on that map.
- But if you were just wanting to look at
- 15 call logs and you generated a KMZ file sad for that,
- 16 the KMZ file is the file format that Google Earth
- 17 Pro uses to map that.
- So once you request that KMZ file from the
- 19 CDRs, you can view that. And then, you know, what
- 20 is always suggested would be to have, you know,
- 21 another screen or another box open with those call
- 22 detail records in which plots of interest you're
- 23 able to kind of see and compare the times and make
- 24 sure that what you're seeing on that Google Earth
- 25 Pro is identical to what you're seeing with those

- 1 records.
- 2 Q And the KMZ files are able to be uploaded to
- 3 Google Earth? Which I think you just testified to?
- 4 A Yes; you can open Google Earth Pro and then,
- 5 you know, file open and then open those KMZ files with
- 6 that, yes.
- 7 Q All right. And you use the CDR file, the KMZ
- 8 file, and Google Earth to track the whereabouts of a
- 9 cell phone?
- 10 A I didn't -- there was no tracking. I don't
- 11 want to construe words. There was no tracking that
- 12 was done. It's more of a observing information,
- 13 historical information that was provided.
- 14 Q Do you know whether or not the IMEI number
- 15 from this data that you received from this request
- 16 matched the iPhone device that was seized from the
- 17 Corolla?
- 18 A Yes, it did.
- 19 Q Do you know where this specific device was on
- 20 the morning of March 14th?
- 21 A Oh, on the morning of March the 14th?
- 22 Q Yes, sir.
- 23 A I would probably have to go back and review
- 24 the records for that as far as the location on the
- 25 14th.

- 1 And, I'm sorry, I don't know if there's
- 2 something that you can trigger my mind as far as
- 3 the, you know, the potential --
- 4 O I can't. I don't have that information for
- 5 you.
- 6 A I mean there was the incident of the truck
- 7 being at the clinic on the 14th.
- 8 Q My question was do you know where this
- 9 specific device was the morning of March 14th of 2023?
- 10 A I don't recall exactly. I can tell you that
- 11 obviously the records that you get are going to work
- 12 off of the device being powered on obviously having
- 13 connection with cell towers.
- So if the device is powered off, then it
- is not going to relay that information and you're
- 16 going to see a gap within the datasets.
- 17 Q Do you know where the device was on
- 18 March 21st, the morning of March 21st?
- 19 A Yes. The device originated in the area of
- 20 Mr. Kosowski's residence in Tarpon Springs.
- 21 Q Do you know how many cell phone towers are in
- 22 the location of Dr. Kosowski's residence?
- A No, I do not.
- Q Do you know how many cell phone towers are
- 25 located in the area of the South Belcher Blanchard Law

- 1 Office?
- 2 A I don't know how many are located in that
- 3 area. I do know that the cell records that we
- 4 received provided coordinates that mapped back to a
- 5 few hundred feet away from Blanchard Law Firm.
- 7 located near, around the Blanchard Law Firm or South
- 8 Belcher Road?
- 9 A I know of one and that was the other one
- 10 that I was -- that mapped back from -- that was
- 11 provided by T-Mobile. And I also visually saw it as I
- 12 was sitting reviewing surveillance video outside the
- 13 window. You could see the cell tower that is there
- 14 near Granada Avenue.
- 15 Q So you know of one but you don't know of any
- 16 others. So the answer to my question is you don't
- 17 know?
- 18 A Correct. If that's your answer as far as
- 19 how many or exactly all of them, correct.
- 20 Q From where was the last location datapoint
- 21 provided for the device on the 21st?
- 22 A The, the last location for the dataset that
- 23 I recall seeing on the 21st I believe would have been
- 24 in the Miami area.
- 25 Q Were there any other times that the device

- 1 was in the vicinity of Blanchard Law?
- 2 A Yes. In reviewing the datasets there are
- 3 plots on Google Earth.
- 4 Q Sorry, I appreciate you trying to respond to
- 5 my question but I wanted to give you a specific
- 6 timeframe. Between March 14th and March 21st.
- 7 A I know the evening of the 21st the device
- 8 appeared to have been in the general vicinity of the
- 9 Blanchard Law Firm as it was going southbound.
- 10 Q Okay. So just one other time?
- 11 A Based upon quick review of my supplements
- 12 and reviewing those call records, it appears that it
- 13 was primarily that one time.
- I mean it was there also the morning of
- 15 the 21st because when the phone call was made in the
- 16 hearing it utilized that cell tower that was mapped
- 17 back to near the law firm. So you had the morning
- 18 time on the 21st and you also had the evening of the
- 19 21st.
- 21 information that you have, how long the device was at
- 22 Loop Road on Monroe Station on March 23rd?
- 23 A It was a short timeframe. I mean it
- 24 appeared to, appeared to be passing by that location.
- 25 So I don't -- I can't speak for certainty for the

- 1 exact amount of time it was at that location.
- 2 Q Can you give me in minutes or seconds or
- 3 anything other than it appeared to be passing by?
- 4 A At that point in time, I can't speak to give
- 5 you any set time. There's -- based on my own personal
- 6 knowledge of being down in that area and having been
- 7 there during this investigation, I can tell you that
- 8 cell coverage is not the best.
- 9 And obviously if you were to lose coverage
- 10 you're not getting additional data. So it's kind of
- 11 hindering what we might receive as well.
- 12 It's more or less of trying to use some of
- 13 the, some of the known events which are the license
- 14 plate readers and then comparing those with the
- 15 datasets that we had to kind of show that timeframe.
- 16 Q Fair enough. Let me jump to the Apple
- 17 preservation request that you submitted and the search
- 18 warrant.
- 19 You submitted a preservation request to
- 20 Apple. Is that right?
- 21 A Yes.
- 22 Q And the preservation request, how did you do
- 23 that? Online or something different?
- 24 A I believe it was through their preservation
- 25 request made online, yes.

- 1 Q Did you obtain or do you have a copy of that
- 2 Apple request, preservation request?
- 3 A I'm not sure if it was attached to the
- 4 report or not. I would have to refer back to it and
- 5 see if it has been.
- 6 Q What did this letter request Apple to do?
- 7 A Essentially just requesting to preserve the
- 8 contents of the iCloud, contents related to the email
- 9 address both for Mr. Cozzi and for Mr. Kosowski.
- 10 Q And what was the reasoning you gave to
- 11 preserve this information or this data?
- 12 A I think it was just because it was an
- 13 ongoing investigation, you know, involving a missing
- 14 person. Again, I would have to refer back to that.
- 15 Q And how long did it take you to get a
- 16 response?
- 17 A Well, as far as the response, we had to
- 18 author a search warrant to then send to Apple and we
- 19 then had to wait for them to send that return.
- 21 they responded to you saying get a search warrant? Is
- 22 that what you're saying?
- 23 A I already knew we would have to obtain a
- 24 search warrant. I wasn't seeking any content from
- 25 Apple aside from doing that. It was more or less just

- 1 preserve the electronic data that was there to try to
- 2 prevent anyone from, you know, remotely wiping or
- 3 trying to get rid of or delete any content.
- 4 Q Did you give a specific timeframe or just a
- 5 general blanket preserve all of the information or data
- 6 that you have associated with this iCloud account?
- 7 A I can't answer honestly as far as the
- 8 timeframe, not without looking.
- 9 Q All right. And then you submitted a search
- 10 warrant for the iPhone seized from the Corolla?
- 11 A Yes, there was a search warrant that was
- 12 submitted for the Corolla.
- 13 Q And that would have been submitted on March
- 14 27th I believe?
- 15 A Yes. It appears that on March 27th 1535
- 16 hours I received notification of the electronic search
- 17 warrants, that they had been signed by Honorable Judge
- 18 Matthey.
- 19 Q And what information did you seek from the
- 20 iPhone with this warrant?
- 21 A Originally we were able to see the call
- 22 logs, power events, WiFi connections I believe were
- 23 also a part of that, for that content, in addition to,
- 24 you know, text messages.
- 25 Q Did you have any information such as call

- 1 logs and the locations from which they were placed from
- 2 this device prior to seeking and obtaining the search
- 3 warrant for the iPhone?
- 4 A I'm sorry, what was the question as far as
- 5 prior to?
- 6 Q Did you, did you have any information --
- 7 sorry, my voice. Did you have any information such as
- 8 call logs and the locations from which they were placed
- 9 from this device prior to the search warrant?
- 10 A The only call information that we would have
- 11 had prior to would have been provided by T-Mobile.
- 12 That would have been the only other information that
- 13 we had related to the phone.
- 14 Q And when you took possession of the iPhone
- and the TracFone on March 27th from the LPD cyber lab,
- 16 were both of the devices turned on?
- 17 A I believe the TracFone was off. The iPhone
- 18 I believe was still powered on.
- 19 Q Was it in airplane mode?
- 20 A Just referring back to my supplement.
- I don't see here any notification of
- 22 being -- if it was in airplane mode or not.
- 23 Q And TracFones, are they able to be placed in
- 24 airplane mode? Do you know?
- 25 A I can't speak with certainty. There's

- 1 different models, different types. But typically in
- 2 most circumstances cell phones can be placed in
- 3 airplane mode.
- 4 Q So this particular TracFone, do you know
- 5 whether or not it was in airplane mode when you took
- 6 possession of it?
- 7 A According to my supplement, due to it being
- 8 powered off and not knowing whenever I was obtaining
- 9 the data extraction, I had removed the SIM card from
- 10 the device, powered it on, and then placed it into
- 11 airplane mode.
- So then to answer your question, based on
- 13 what I'm reading is, no, it was not in airplane mode
- 14 previously.
- 15 Q All right. This specific iPhone, do you know
- 16 whether or not it had a SIM card or not?
- 17 A It did. To my knowledge, yes, it did.
- 18 O Was that SIM card removed?
- 19 A I did not recall removing it myself. So it
- 20 does not appear that it was removed.
- 21 Q Was the iPnone packaged and marked as
- 22 evidence when you picked it up from the cyber lab?
- 23 A Yes. It had already been submitted as
- 24 evidence on the morning of March 27th when I came --
- 25 when I arrived at work.

- 1 And once I went downstairs, I submitted it
- 2 in to property and evidence from the cyber lab, I
- 3 then immediately signed both items back out. That
- 4 was done in order to keep the iPhone in the powered
- 5 on state while awaiting for the search warrant to be
- 6 obtained.
- 7 Q And my same question for the TracFone. Was
- 8 the TracFone packaged and marked as evidence as well?
- 9 A Yes.
- 11 were first packaged and marked as evidence? I think
- 12 you said March 27th for the iPhone. But is that a
- 13 specific date that you recall it being marked and
- 14 packaged? Or do you know?
- 15 A Yes. Based on my -- my recollection is
- 16 Detective Wedin had transported the -- both phones,
- 17 both devices. He had placed them within the cyber
- 18 lab. The iPhone had been connected to a power source
- 19 when they -- when the device had been previously
- 20 seized on March 25th and then again as I came in on
- 21 March 27th, that Monday morning, that's when I had
- 22 packaged the devices and submitted them to our
- 23 property and evidence.
- 24 Q All right. So does that also apply, what you
- 25 just testified to, for the TracFone as well?

- 1 A Yes, both devices.
- 2 Q Okay. So then the date would have been March
- 3 27th I think you said, right?
- 4 A Yes.
- 5 Q I think you said that twice. All right.
- 6 When were the, the iPhone and TracFone first submitted
- 7 to LPD property and evidence?
- 8 A Again, that would have been on March 27th,
- 9 both devices, the TracFone and the iPhone.
- 10 Q So essentially the two cell phones we're
- 11 talking about were unmarked and powered on from March
- 12 25th until March 27th in the LPD cyber lab. Is that
- 13 correct?
- 14 A The TracFone was, was kind of in the form of
- 15 a packaging. I mean obviously it wasn't just a random
- 16 unknown phone that was just there. It was known that
- 17 that was the device that had been seized. It was kind
- 18 of in a separate package that had the report number on
- 19 it from what I recall.
- It was, as I mentioned earlier, powered
- 21 off. The iPhone was in a, you know, separate its
- 22 own packaging, but it was connected to the power
- 23 source.
- Q Okay. So then my question, the TracFone was
- 25 in a separate package. Describe for me how it was

- 1 packaged then.
- 2 A I think it was just placed in, like, one of
- 3 our clear plastic bags just in order to kind of help
- 4 differentiate the item, you know, as is own. It
- 5 wasn't until I came in on that Monday morning that,
- 6 that everything was formally packaged, evidence label
- 7 was created, and then it was submitted in property and
- 8 evidence.
- 9 Q When did you receive a response regarding the
- 10 iPhone search warrant?
- 11 A What do you mean by response?
- 12 Q From iPhone. From Apple.
- 13 A You're referring to the iCloud?
- 14 O Yes.
- 15 A Looking back, it looks like I received the
- 16 iCloud return for Mr. Kosowski's account on April the
- 17 21st.
- 18 Q And what information or data was provided to
- 19 you by Apple?
- 20 A Well, in reviewing that, essentially it's a
- 21 lot of the data that you as a user may have chosen to
- 22 save or to back up to an iCloud. So as was viewed in
- 23 this case, photos, web searches were kind of the
- 24 primary things that were observed and identified.
- 25 Q Was any of the information that you received

- 1 germane to this investigation?
- 2 A Yes. There were images from what appear to
- 3 be Mr. Cozzi's residence. I think it was of his
- 4 husband's vehicle. There was, from what I'm
- 5 recalling, a video. It almost, I believe looked like
- 6 it was upside when reviewing it. It appeared to be
- 7 from the parking lot where we're showing Mr. Cozzi's
- 8 vehicle at the law firm based on viewing it.
- 9 In addition, there was Internet searches
- 10 that I had observed during a preview of the iCloud
- 11 return that were provided that showed web searches
- 12 that were done on March the 20th for succinylcholine
- 13 and dosage amounts and searches for the information
- 14 related to that.
- 15 Q Do you know whether the power on and power
- 16 off activity was provided for the cell phone, for the
- 17 iPhone?
- 18 A That information would have, would have been
- 19 provided as well, yes, and it was reviewed.
- 20 Q What about WiFi connection activity?
- 21 A Yes, that information was also provided.
- 22 Which kind of helped to show additional dates that the
- 23 device was connected to the Blanchard Law WiFi.
- 24 Q Did you -- what, if any, information or data
- 25 did you tell Apple not to provide you?

- 1 A I don't recall -- I'd have to review back to
- 2 the search warrant. But I don't recall anything of
- 3 what not to provide.
- 4 Q So you wanted everything that Apple had to
- 5 provide, right?
- A Again, I would have to refer back to that
- 7 search warrant which would then list and indicate
- 8 those items. But, yeah, I mean I would have to refer
- 9 back to that. Sorry, I can't really differentiate one
- 10 item or another.
- 11 Q So, as you sit here, you can't specifically
- 12 tell me what items or what data you requested Apple not
- 13 to provide you, right?
- 14 A I don't recall asking them to keep anything
- 15 out of their return, no.
- 16 Q What was the probable cause for the iPhone
- 17 Cloud search warrant?
- 18 A I recall the warrant containing essentially
- 19 the same information from the investigation that I had
- 20 mentioned beforehand. I believe -- again, I would
- 21 have to refer back. I don't want to speak without
- 22 looking back to that and I don't have it on my hand or
- 23 person and --
- 24 Q So are you --
- 25 A Pardon?

- 1 Q So are you deferring to the affidavit in
- 2 support of the search warrant? Is that what you're
- 3 telling me?
- 4 A Yes. I honestly would want to refer back to
- 5 that before answering that question, yes. I
- 6 apologize.
- 7 Q No worries. Prior to you seeking and then
- 8 obtaining a search warrant for iCloud, the iPhone for
- 9 the iCloud associated with the iPhone, did you know
- 10 what specific information you were looking for?
- 11 A I'm not sure what the question means there.
- 12 Q Well, when you sought out to obtain
- information from iCloud, from Apple, what information
- were you looking for specifically?
- 15 A Well, in regards to the iCloud, it could
- 16 potentially be anything that would have been stored
- on, on the iCloud that could have been, you know,
- deleted or erased from the device itself and depending
- 19 on the time that the device had been backed up again
- 20 to the iCloud, there could potentially be data that
- 21 was on the iCloud that we weren't potentially seeing
- 22 on the phone. You know, an example of that would have
- 23 been the succinylcholine web searches that were
- 24 identified and found.
- 25 Q But am I correct in stating that but for

- 1 seeking all of the information from Apple, you would
- 2 have been none the wiser about that specific search?
- A Based on my preview of -- from the iPhone
- 4 device itself, I do not recall seeing that immediate
- 5 result as a web search as opposed to whenever we had
- 6 the iCloud return. If that -- I think that might
- 7 answer your question as far as --
- 8 Q That answers my question. As you sit here,
- 9 based upon your information regarding this
- 10 investigation, do you know how that search is relevant?
- 11 A It's relevant because that was a medication
- or drug that was found and photographed by forensics
- 13 specialists from Mr. Kosowski's Corolla. It was a --
- 14 based on my knowledge now, is it is a paralyzing,
- 15 paralytic agent.
- 16 So seeing the searches and then, you know,
- 17 the drug being found in the car, you know, there
- 18 appeared to be a connection between that as far as,
- 19 you know, searching the dosage effects and
- 20 essentially how much I think that you can provide
- 21 someone.
- 23 this specific substance was a paralytic agent? This
- 24 was information that, I'm assuming, it seems like you
- 25 learned about after -- you authored the search warrant

- 1 after the information was provided based upon the
- 2 search warrant. So when did you realize?
- A It probably would have been around the time
- 4 the, the item was located and found in the Corolla.
- 5 Q But you don't know?
- 6 A I can't speak like on this exact date and
- 7 this exact time, no. But being that the item was
- 8 found there in the Corolla at that time, it was a
- 9 medication, a drug, that I had not had any prior
- 10 knowledge of or any association with.
- 11 Q What day did you submit the search warrant to
- iCloud and when did you get a reply?
- 13 A I have to refer back. So it appears that I
- 14 submitted the search warrant on April the 5th for the
- 15 iCloud accounts and warrants for -- and Honorable
- 16 Judge Helinger had authorized and signed those.
- 17 As far as the return, I think that was --
- 18 I think I mentioned that earlier. I believe that
- 19 was April the 21st. Yeah, April the 21st was
- 20 whenever I received that.
- 21 Q Okay. So April 5th you submitted it and then
- 22 you received a reply on April 2- -- I'm sorry, did you
- 23 say 21st?
- 24 A Correct, 21st.
- MS. TUOMEY: If you can just go on -- off

- 1 the record for a second.
- 2 (Pause in proceedings.)
- 3 DIRECT EXAMINATION
- 4 BY MS. RAMOS WICKS:
- 5 Q So we're just going to continue on. I wanted
- 6 to ask you about, like, going back to March 22nd and
- 7 your involvement with the investigation, the premises
- 8 of 1501 South Belcher. Are you with me?
- 9 A Yes. Are you referring to March 21st?
- 10 Q March 22nd.
- 11 A Okay.
- 12 Q Okay.
- 13 A For today?
- 14 Q Yes. So on March 22nd you indicated in that
- 15 portion of your report that you relieved Detective
- 16 Allred while Pinellas County Sheriff's Office forensics
- 17 was processing the scene.
- 18 A Correct.
- 19 Q Does that ring a bell?
- Okay. Did you enter the men's bathroom, that
- 21 particular restroom that was being processed at that
- 22 time?
- 23 A No, ma'am. I never entered the men's
- 24 restroom.
- 25 Q All right. So you didn't enter the men's

- 1 restroom at any point while you were on the premises on
- 2 March 22nd?
- 3 A No.
- 4 Q Okay. So when you say that you relieved
- 5 Detective Allred, what were you -- what did you do at
- 6 1501 South Belcher in relieving Detective Allred?
- 7 A Primarily just being a point of contact in
- 8 case the forensics specialists, if they had any
- 9 questions I as a detective could reach out to the
- 10 other detectives or contact Detective Bolton or Hunt
- 11 in case the specialists had any questions as they were
- 12 processing.
- Okay. And were there any questions while
- 14 Pinellas County Sheriff's Office forensics was
- 15 processing the bathroom?
- 16 A Not that I recall. I mean obviously they
- 17 had been there for significant amount of time. So
- 18 they pretty much had already known, you know, as far
- 19 as what evidence was supposed to be requested or
- 20 sought as they had spoken with Detective Bolton about
- 21 that.
- 22 Q To your knowledge, what other law enforcement
- 23 personnel went inside the bathroom?
- 24 A To my knowledge, none.
- 25 Q All right. And while you were on scene, you

- 1 didn't see any other law enforcement personnel from
- 2 Largo Police Department enter the bathroom?
- A No. I mean I know that Detective Bolton had
- 4 done a visual of the bathroom. You know, he had
- 5 provided me information on his observations. But
- 6 aside from that, I can't speak to other personnel
- 7 other than obviously the forensics specialists.
- 8 Q All right. While the -- while you were on
- 9 scene standing by while Pinellas County Sheriff's
- 10 office forensics processed the crime scene, did
- 11 personnel from the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office
- 12 wear shoe covers while they were present in the
- 13 bathroom?
- 14 A I can't attest to that because I don't
- 15 recall being inside of the building with them at that
- 16 point in time.
- 17 Q Okay, thank you for the clarification. So
- 18 you were actually standing outside of the building
- 19 standing by, you weren't actually in the building as
- 20 they were processing the crime scene?
- 21 A Correct. I was not anywhere near the
- 22 bathroom facility or the law firm while they were
- 23 processing.
- 24 Q Okay. So then you wouldn't know if
- 25 Specialist King specifically wore shoe covers as she

- 1 was engaging in her processing of the crime scene?
- 2 A I cannot testify to that, no.
- 4 A Um-hum.
- 5 Q I want to fast forward to your involvement in
- 6 the investigation that took place in Collier County.
- 7 A Okay.
- 8 Q So specifically I wanted to ask you about
- 9 Monroe station. Are you familiar with that location?
- 10 A I am now.
- 11 Q All right. That's fair. So as far as Monroe
- 12 station is concerned, did you search Monroe station in
- the area of the waste management dumpster on March 30th
- 14 and March 31st?
- 15 A So March the 30th, that was the time that I
- 16 had left Largo Police Department, drove down to that
- 17 location. Sergeant Vegenski had also driven
- 18 separately. We arrived there, parked our vehicles
- 19 there. Again, in full honesty, not knowing what to
- 20 expect or find or see.
- 21 So we were just more or less walking
- 22 around the area trying to see if we could find
- 23 anything related or pertaining to Mr. Cozzi that
- 24 might help explain why it appeared Mr. Kosowski had
- 25 returned to that area. Which is an extreme rural

- 1 area.
- 2 Q All right. So you were at that location then
- 3 on March 30th and March 31st?
- 4 A Yes. March 30th would have been -- I
- 5 arrived at approximately 2200 hours. I think we were
- 6 there for maybe an hour, if that. And then I came
- 7 back -- or we both came back and we had the, kind of
- 8 the larger more coordinated briefing and search on the
- 9 31st.
- 10 Q All right. So as you walked the property
- 11 specifically on March 30th of 2023, again, you know,
- 12 you said that you weren't really expecting -- like, you
- didn't know what to expect, you weren't really
- 14 anticipating what you were going to find there. So did
- 15 you and Sergeant -- I don't want to say his name wrong.
- 16 A Vegenski.
- 17 Q Vegenski. Okay. For the record, that's
- V-e-q-e-n-s-k-i?
- 19 A Correct.
- 20 Q Did you-all walk the area --
- 21 A We did.
- 22 Q -- generally just to get a layout of the
- 23 area?
- 24 A It was a layout of the area. But it was
- 25 also for me having looked at those, those cell data

- 1 points and seeing that Mr. Kosowski's device had been
- 2 in the area on an evening time, it allowed me to kind
- 3 of get a feeling of what the view would be like at
- 4 nighttime when the sun was not present.
- 5 So it allowed me to get a glimpse of that
- 6 and it was a very, very dark area. I don't recall
- 7 there being any lighting in the area other than
- 8 across the street where it appeared there was a --
- 9 kind of a small village of homes.
- 10 But in that area itself it was very dark,
- 11 very isolated.
- 12 Q All right. And did you-all have flashlights
- 13 and were just searching the area generally for any
- 14 signs of Mr. Cozzi?
- 15 A Yes, we had flashlights and we were just
- 16 kind of walking through that area.
- 17 Q All right. Did you record this walk-through
- 18 in any way, like with a body-worn camera or with an
- 19 outside camera, like a cell phone camera?
- 20 A No.
- 21 Q All right. And so then did you return to the
- 22 area, like immediately the following day on March 31st
- 23 of 2023?
- 24 A Yes.
- 25 Q Okay. So what law enforcement personnel

- 1 searched the area around the waste management dumpster?
- 2 A So the -- no one -- I can't really say that
- 3 there's any law enforcement personnel that searched
- 4 the area around the dumpster. That personnel, from my
- 5 recollection, began a larger search of the area, more
- 6 of an area search down the long stretch of Loop Road.
- 7 And so the command bus was in the parking.
- 8 Lot, but it was more just kind of a decision and
- 9 maybe a hunch that Sergeant Vegenski and I had when
- 10 we discussed of, of, you know, bringing out a
- 11 cadaver dog and trying to do -- to see if the dog
- 12 would alert on the dumpster.
- 13 Q All right. So there was no specific law
- 14 enforcement personnel that did a search around the
- dumpster or in the area of the dumpster?
- 16 A No. The, the only personnel that would have
- 17 been around the dumpster that I had any knowledge of
- 18 was whenever Sergeant Vegenski and I had arrived there
- 19 the night before. So there was other personnel that
- 20 was directed to search the dumpster or be there.
- 21 Q You mentioned a cadaver dog. So you had a
- 22 cadaver dog deployed to inspect the area around the
- 23 dumpster and also the dumpster itself?
- 24 A Sergeant Vegenski had made that request,
- 25 yes.

- 1 Q All right. And so who was deployed with the
- 2 cadaver dog?
- 3 A I, I can't give you the name. I don't know
- 4 the name of who was deployed as far as, you know, what
- 5 officer showed up or arrived with the cadaver dog.
- 6 Q All right.
- 7 A I wasn't on scene at the time whenever they
- 8 arrived.
- 9 Q As far as the dumpster is concerned, did you
- 10 find any evidence in the vicinity of the dumpster on
- 11 March 30th of 2023?
- 12 A I don't recall. I know it was -- I mean I
- 13 didn't write anything as far as anything being found.
- 14 Q And did you find any evidence or any items of
- interest in the vicinity of the dumpster on March 31st
- of 2023, the following day?
- 17 A Again, I don't have any notes or any
- information that's listed other than being informed by
- 19 Sergeant Vegenski that the cadaver dog alerted on the
- 20 dumpster.
- 21 Q All right. So besides the alert by the
- 22 cadaver dog on the dumpster, was anything of
- 23 evidentiary value found near the dumpster to your
- 24 knowledge?
- 25 A To my knowledge, I can't speak to that, no.

- Okay. Anything found by any personnel from
- 2 Largo Police Department in the area of the dumpster to
- 3 your knowledge?
- 4 A No.
- 5 Q You mentioned in your report -- and I'm
- 6 referring specifically to your involvement on
- 7 March 31st of 2023. So we're with -- you know, so
- 8 you're with me -- that you spoke with Kristen Adams, a
- 9 civilian investigator for the Collier County Sheriff's
- 10 Office.
- 11 A Correct.
- 12 Q Right. So where did she get the information
- 13 as far as when the waste from the dumpster at Monroe
- 14 station was picked up by waste management and
- transported to the Collier County Landfill?
- 16 A To my knowledge, I believe she had made
- 17 contact with the waste management company and she's
- 18 the one that spoke with them and obtained that
- 19 information.
- 20 Q To your knowledge, did Ms. Adams document her
- 21 involvement in the investigation in a written report?
- 22 A I can't speak to that. I haven't seen a
- 23 report from her. So I'm not sure if she did or she
- 24 did not.
- 25 Q Your report documenting your involvement on

- 1 March 31st of 2023 also indicates that Detective Bolton
- 2 was able to obtain video footage from a camera that was
- 3 mounted on the dump truck.
- 4 A Yes.
- 5 Q Did you have the opportunity to review the
- 6 footage that was obtained from the dump truck?
- 7 A Yes, I was with him.
- 8 Q At some point -- or strike that.
- 9 At any point were you present while a
- 10 civilian witness, George Villanti, reviewed video from
- 11 this particular dumpster?
- 12 A No, I wasn't present when, when George
- 13 viewed any video of the dump truck. I don't have any
- 14 knowledge that he did view it.
- 15 Q So you don't even -- as you sit here today,
- 16 you have no knowledge that he reviewed this video?
- 17 A I don't recall him reviewing it. I recall
- 18 the information that he as a driver provided to
- 19 Detective Wedin.
- 20 Q All right. And, to your knowledge, who
- 21 reviewed the video that was obtained from the dumpster?
- 22 You mentioned Detective Bolton, you had the opportunity
- 23 to review it. Who else from Largo P.D. reviewed it?
- 24 A I can't attest to who else or who all
- 25 reviewed it. Yeah, I don't know. I don't want to

- 1 throw names out that may or may not have reviewed it.
- 2 Q And as it pertains to the pick-up schedule of
- 3 this particular dump truck, to your knowledge, where
- 4 did Detective Bolton obtain that information?
- 5 A I don't know the name of the personnel. But
- 6 while we were at the office when he was obtaining the
- 7 video, from my recollection they were able to provide
- 8 pick-up dates.
- 9 Q You also mentioned in your report that you
- 10 returned to Monroe station with Detective Bolton and
- 11 observed Collier County Sheriff's Officer forensics
- 12 specialists processing the green dumpster at that
- 13 location?
- 14 A Correct.
- 15 Q So, like, did you witness the processing of
- 16 the actual dumpster take place?
- 17 A I did observe their forensics specialists as
- 18 they were processing the dumpster.
- 19 Q So were you there for the entire duration of
- 20 the processing of the dumpster?
- 21 A Not the entire duration. I showed up closer
- 22 toward the -- I guess the middle or end, but it wasn't
- 23 the entire.
- 24 Q Were there any other areas in addition to the
- 25 green dumpster that were processed by Collier County

- 1 Sheriff's Office forensic specialists while you were
- 2 present?
- 3 A Not that I recall.
- 4 Q So in continuing your involvement in the
- 5 investigation, you indicated that on April 1st of 2023
- 6 you respond to the Collier County Landfill where you
- 7 took part in the search with the Largo Police
- 8 Department and the Collier County Sheriff's Office. Do
- 9 you remember that?
- 10 A Yes, ma'am, very much.
- 11 Q Okay. Can you walk me through the process
- 12 that was involved in conducting that search at that
- 13 particular location, which in this case is the Collier
- 14 County Landfill.
- 15 A So the process that was involved was
- 16 Sergeant Vegenski had made contact with the -- I guess
- 17 you can probably call them the coordinator of the
- 18 landfill. As I recall the conversations that I was
- 19 overhearing, he essentially is responsible for every
- 20 square inch of that landfill. They try to get the
- 21 most waste into that one specific area as possible.
- 22 So he was able to attest to an approximate
- 23 area based upon the date that we were able to give
- 24 him as far as being on that Thursday, which I
- 25 believe was the 25th, the pick-up time. It's just

- 1 unfortunate that we were, you know, almost a week
- 2 behind.
- 3 So he told us from the get-go that it
- 4 would be a very difficult process being that we were
- 5 so far, so many days removed and so many other
- 6 trucks had been in that area.
- 7 But he, he knew an approximate location
- 8 and he was -- said we could try and, you know,
- 9 we're, I want to say, like maybe 16 feet high, you
- 10 know, in waste.
- 11 And, but it was a very slow process where
- 12 multiple officers, investigators were there and
- 13 essentially just trying to closely look and see if
- 14 there were any items that might be representative of
- 15 a body as they were trying to kind of carefully
- 16 remove items from the top and go layer by layer.
- 17 Q Did you, yourself, participate in a search of
- 18 a specific area of the landfill or multiple areas of
- 19 the landfill?
- 20 A It would have been to that area that we were
- 21 designated.
- 22 Q All right. And you said, you know, an
- 23 approximate area or location I believe is what you
- 24 said.
- Where did, where did that information come

- 1 from as far as the approximate location that y'all
- 2 would be searching and the area where you-all believed
- 3 there may be evidence related to Mr. Cozzi's
- 4 disappearance?
- 5 A Again, I don't have the -- from what I see,
- 6 I don't have his name listed here within my
- 7 supplement, but it would have been that coordinator.
- 8 And I could probably definitely assure you that
- 9 Sergeant Vegenski has that information and would have
- 10 documented that since he was the one that essentially
- 11 organized the search.
- 12 Q All right. And moving to your, your
- 13 affidavit that you filed in preparation for the Arthur
- 14 hearing that was held in this case. Do you recall
- 15 that?
- 16 A I do.
- 17 Q Okay. In your affidavit you didn't mention a
- 18 cell site subpoena but only that you submitted search
- 19 warrants, and this is a quote, "Submitted search
- 20 warrants for the location information of Defendant
- 21 Kosowski's cellular phone utilizing number
- 22 (321)663-0128." That's a direct quote from the
- 23 affidavit that filed.
- 24 Is the location information used to track
- 25 Kosowski's phone, Dr. Kosowski's phone, solely, solely

- 1 the information that was contained in the warrants?
- 2 A Trying to understand your questioning. I
- 3 mean there was no tracking that was done. When I
- 4 think of tracking, I think of live real time tracking.
- 5 There was no tracking that was, that was done in this
- 6 case using the electronic data from T-Mobile.
- 7 When I refer to -- and this is kind of how
- 8 I always refer to the cell site locations, which are
- 9 obtained through court-ordered search warrants, it
- 10 is essentially exculpatory evidence. So it assists
- 11 us in proving or disproving device -- the location
- of a device at the time of an incident such as this,
- 13 which would have been the 21st, and showing
- 14 locations and -- that had took place.
- Okay, thank you. One moment.
- 16 A Yes.
- 17 MS. RAMOS WICKS: All right, I don't have
- any further questions. I'd like to check in
- 19 with Ms. Tuomey if she's here to see if she has
- any follow-up questions.
- MS. TUOMEY: Thank you, Ms. Ramos.
- 22 I don't have any follow-up questions for
- you. I don't know if the prosecutor has any
- questions for you. Then you are going to have
- 25 to decide whether you want to read or waive.

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