

## **JSL notes on phone summary by Sita-Lauren on interview of Jesse Escochea on 2/11/05**

Jesse is for death penalty. Even if someone is innocent of this, he is probably guilty of something else. But- Willing to help.

Will burn the tape onto CD for us

Jesse runs Street Heat Production Company.

Used to be employed by LAPD.

Production— reality TV shows on cops and firemen to foreigners

Also an actor Guest spots on TV shows

He thought we might be serving him. Once we told him not there to serve them, then very nice. Spent 3 hours with us.

Describes himself as right wing.

Looked for tape; couldn't find it; 1 other place. He found it. Pulled out the tape 2/4/83 homicide. That kind of guy; on call she's murdered; sensationalist.

Played tape a couple of times— at least the 1<sup>st</sup> part.

No 911 at time. They didn't have emergency calls. Instead, 2 people monitoring all calls— no emergency and emergency calls. He wasn't supposed to be answering calls – He was dispatched. It was very busy so he happened to answer this flashing light – “divine intervention” that it was he that answered it was he who answered it.

“Why a miracle?” because JE could dispatch car quickly and that allows police to catch the bad guy.

Notes re: info that needed to be broadcasts were put on conveyer belts and sent to dispatchers to put out on radio calls to cops.

He recalls that at same time he was on phone with Wanda, he had already dispatched a unit; this was before she was stabbed. He gave a note to Cheryl. He told her while he's on phone to get a car over there.

Glenda Pugylas (still in CC 7 years ago) was answering the phone. She banged on glass and told me someone called saw guy under the truck. Cheryl Roberts married a police officer. She was other phone person.

[JSL Note KEY POINT Escochea wouldn't have received or known about first call, because he didn't normally answer the phone.]

Buttons kept lighting up and phone people weren't picking up so he picked up.(But 1<sup>st</sup>

call probably wouldn't have come to him.)

Jesse: she called in; she had a little bit of an attitude, he said. [JSL: was this attitude? Or was it her assumption that they already gotten 1<sup>st</sup> call from her.]

Lauren remembers, maybe, JE saying at first he thought W.L. wasn't saying anything serious, at first at least.

One of JE's friends knew either Wanda or her 1<sup>st</sup> husband. She had child with husband before she was married.

JE said he would call that person.

Jesse said off hand—CCPD not very professional; didn't keep evidence really well.

### Radio calls

When he listens to it, Jesse interprets it. When 1<sup>st</sup> responded though shooting numbers for who's there, for squad cars. His

JE said, "Well this sounds like ?? store for documentary

Maybe as much as 90 minutes on tape Wanda call; and cope and neighborhood call in traffic.

1<sup>st</sup> call—grey sweatshirt

Later—flannel shirt

[Sita/Lauren: Jesse believed there was 1 suspect, so he combined info as if that were true.]

In Unit #127 Bob Loa in vicinity Ayers & SPID— travels west to east wrong way on service road to Shamrock. Is this Fowler's partner?

Unit #143 travels west bound on same service road from opposite direction.

Unit #127 arrives, Fowler sees WL and sees blood and says, "There was a shooting"

Unit #140 (may mean lieutenant is now on scene)

Unit #143 comes in with description: Hispanic male, grey sweatshirt, north bound on foot besides building.

[JE doesn't know who but probably Mejia.]

Jesse repeats that info over radio and he broadcasts it.

#153 can't hear

#140 not clear

#127 Adam. Another description: Hispanic male, 5'9" Flannel shirt [this is probably

from Baker]

Jesse repeats this over radio again; again as if there is only 1 guy; Hispanic male 5'9"  
flannel shirt, gray sweatshirt; northbound on foot.

More calls

#127 witness saw suspect 4900 Dodd; White untucked t-shirt. "don't know if this guy or  
another suspect." Long sleeved t-shirt untucked.

[So they recognize possibility of 2 guys.]

Jesse broadcasts: Hispanic male, 5'9", gray sweatshirt, solid shirt

Later, 2<sup>nd</sup> side of tape Teresa Banera sees someone under my truck.

JE: He said he would try to do it internally to copy tape. Exchanged emails.

From tape: .85 cents

Thank you – [isn't CH]

After that

[no male voice on tape.]

Lauren: When V says, "I'll give it to you, I'll give it to you" and screams, "it" is not the  
money but the phone receiver; not re: \$

JE mentioned that Wanda had accent. He remembers her say I'm not doing nothing or  
he's not doing nothing— bad grammar

Then she screams and phone goes dead—JE kept line open. Then assailant hung up.

Screams 15 seconds after...

So fight is about the phone. He has right to take phone from her. Once other guys leave,  
now she's busted. You're going to get me caught. Maybe there never was a robbery.

They told him execute innocent. Told him about Hernandez.