

wrist to get his right wrist Hanson immediately began to pull his left hand under his body. He continued to ignore my requests to put his hands behind his back and not to put them under his body. Hanson's movements continued to be resistive but were slow and sluggish and I was able to handcuff him. Once handcuffed Hanson grew stronger and was twisting his body away from me. I placed my right knee on Hanson's back near his left kidney/hip area. I exerted slight pressure with my knee to assist in controlling him but did not have to use much weight. I glanced up at Ofc. Schuster to see where he was and if the Taser cartridge was still attached to the Taser and Ofc. Wesel warned me that he was reaching into his pocket. I looked back down at Hanson's hands and he had reached into his left hip pocket with his hands clasped. I pulled his hands out of his pockets and did a cursory search of his pockets and at the small of his back. I removed several items from his pockets but nothing that could have been used as a weapon. *what items? what was he looking for?*

During the handcuffing process I warned Hanson several times that if he did not comply with my requests and allow himself to be handcuffed he would be Tased again. Upon being reminded of being Tased Hanson would briefly become more cooperative and then he would start to struggle against me again.

While I was handcuffing Hanson I observed his cell phone lying open next to him. I picked up the cell phone and handed it to Sgt. Williams who had entered the apartment. Sgt. Williams talked to the subject, later identified as Ron Hanson, Hanson's father. Ron Hanson had apparently been on the phone when we took Hanson into custody.

I searched Hanson's left hip pocket and cargo pocket first. Hanson was lying mostly face down and slightly on his right hip. Hanson's knees were bent slightly up to his chest. I maintained control of Hanson by grabbing the sweatshirt on his left arm and holding him in place. I asked Hanson to roll onto his left side so that I could search his right pockets. Hanson continued to moan and mumble and did not comply with my request.

I grabbed the right arm of Hanson's sweatshirt with my right hand and rolled him toward me onto his stomach and then slightly onto his left hip to search his right pockets. Once I had rocked him toward me I placed my knee on his left kidney area to keep him from squirming away. As I searched Hanson I gave him continual verbal commands to hold still and not resist. Hanson's movements were growing stronger and more combative. He continued to moan and was now yelling at us asking why we "Tased" him and did not shoot him. He repeatedly stated that he wanted to die and that he wanted us to shoot him.

Once Hanson was handcuffed Ofc. Schuster requested AFR to respond to the scene. Officer Schuster made a second request for the paramedics to come into the scene "code 3." Officer Schuster then requested to do a more thorough search for weapons. Ofc. Schuster was still in possession of the Taser and the expended cartridge was still attached. Maintaining the Taser in this position allowed Ofc. Schuster to pull the trigger and shock Hanson again if necessary. Ofc. Schuster asked me if he should leave the cartridge attached to the Taser and I stated that he should. He handed the Taser to Ofc. Wesel and took control of Hanson on the ground. I stood up and moved aside so Ofc. Schuster had room to conduct a more thorough search of Hanson. AFR paramedics arrived on scene at this point.