Press Release Report

Floyd, George Perry  
Case No: 2020-3700

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Decedent: Floyd, George Perry, also known as Perry, Floyd
Age: 46 years
Race: Black
Sex: Male
Address: 3502 Glenhurst Ave
City: St Louis Park  
State: MN  
Zip: 55416

Date & Time of Injury: 05/25/2020
Location of Injury: 3759 Chicago Ave
in front of Cup Foods
Minneapolis, MN 55407

Date of Death: 05/25/2020
Time of Death: 9:25PM
Location of Death: Hennepin Healthcare - ER
701 Park Avenue (Hennepin Healthcare - ER)
Minneapolis, MN 55415

Cause of death: Cardiopulmonary arrest complicating law enforcement subdual, restraint, and neck compression

Manner of death: Homicide

How injury occurred: Decedent experienced a cardiopulmonary arrest while being restrained by law enforcement officer(s)

Other significant conditions: Arteriosclerotic and hypertensive heart disease; fentanyl intoxication; recent methamphetamine use

Please direct any media inquiries to Carolyn Marinan, Hennepin County Communications at carolyn.marinan@hennepin.us.

Comments:

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