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Yuba COUNTY

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

**Report on the Investigation into the Death of
Rick David Oliver on March 26, 2025**

Investigation & Review of Officer-Involved Shootings

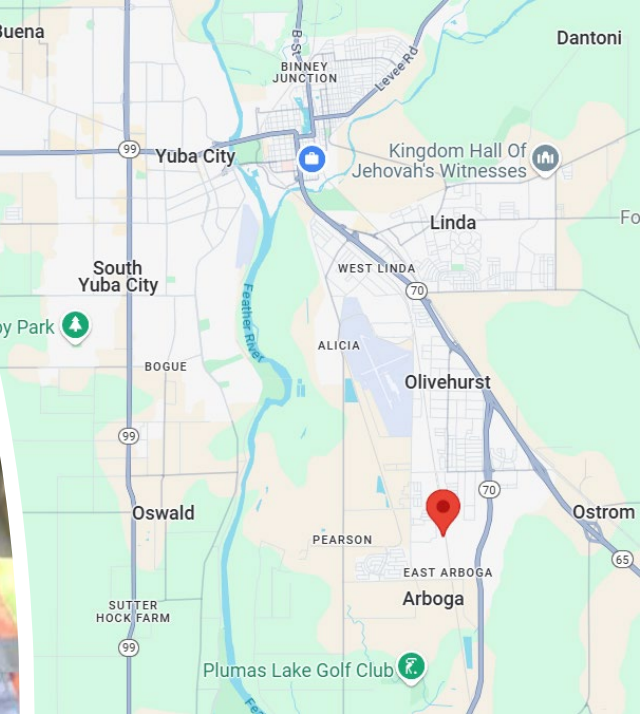


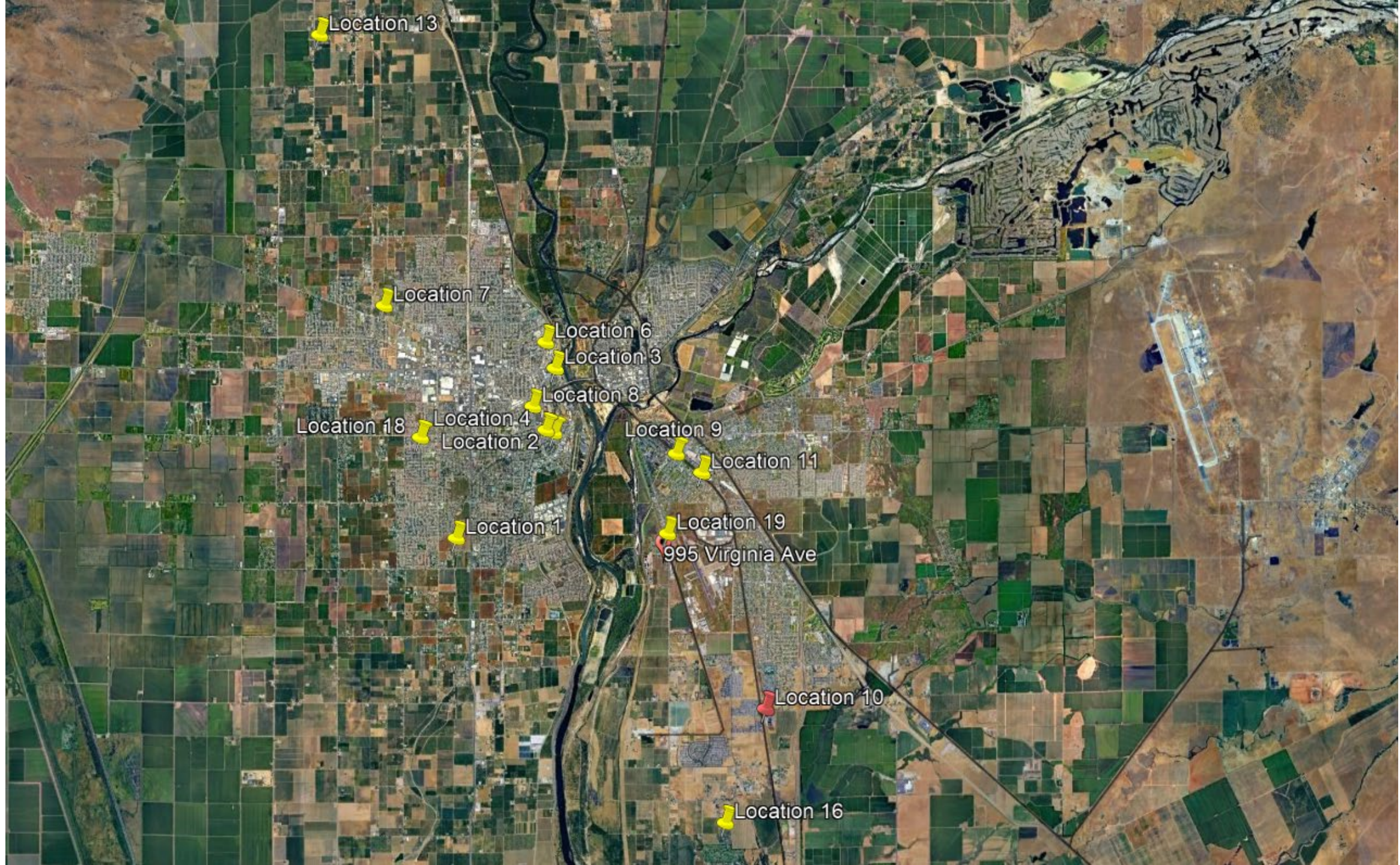
The Drug Trafficking Investigation

- Multi-Year Investigation
- March 26, 2025
 - 20 Law Enforcement Agencies
 - 125+ Personnel
 - 20 Search Warrants
 - 15 Search Warrants in Yuba-Sutter



1720 Kestrel Court





Location 13

Location 7

Location 6

Location 3

Location 8

Location 18

Location 4

Location 2

Location 9

Location 11

Location 1

Location 19

995 Virginia Ave

Location 10

Location 16

Task Organization

- 15 Entry/Search Teams
- 3 Tactical Teams
- 2 Command Posts



Tac 2

- 8 Law Enforcement Officers
- 2 Firefighter/EMTs
- 1 Crisis Negotiator



2025-03-26 07:47:53 -0700
AXON BODY 4 D01A1099U





LENSLOCK

7:49:05 a.m.

Tac 2 Arrived

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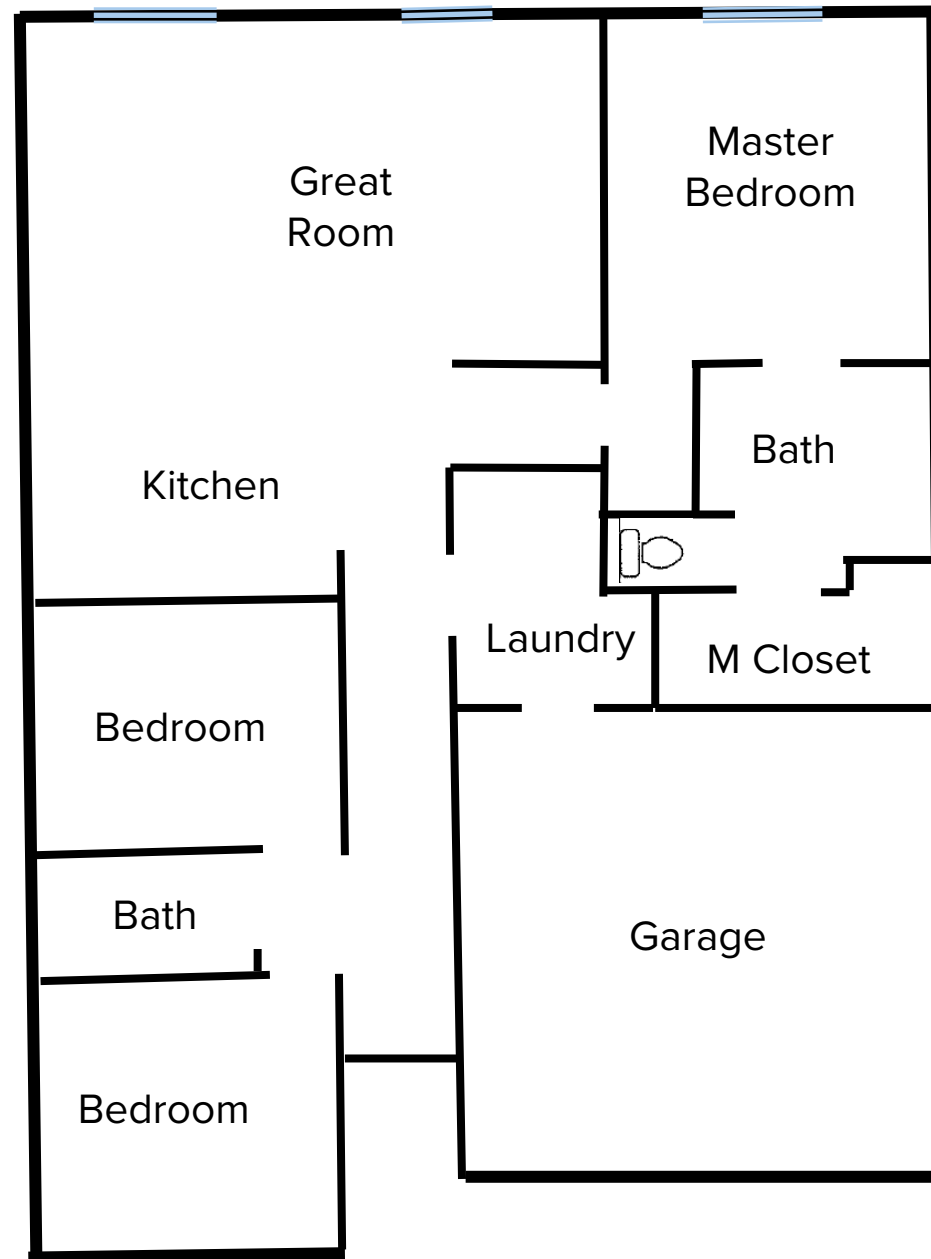


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Entry Into House



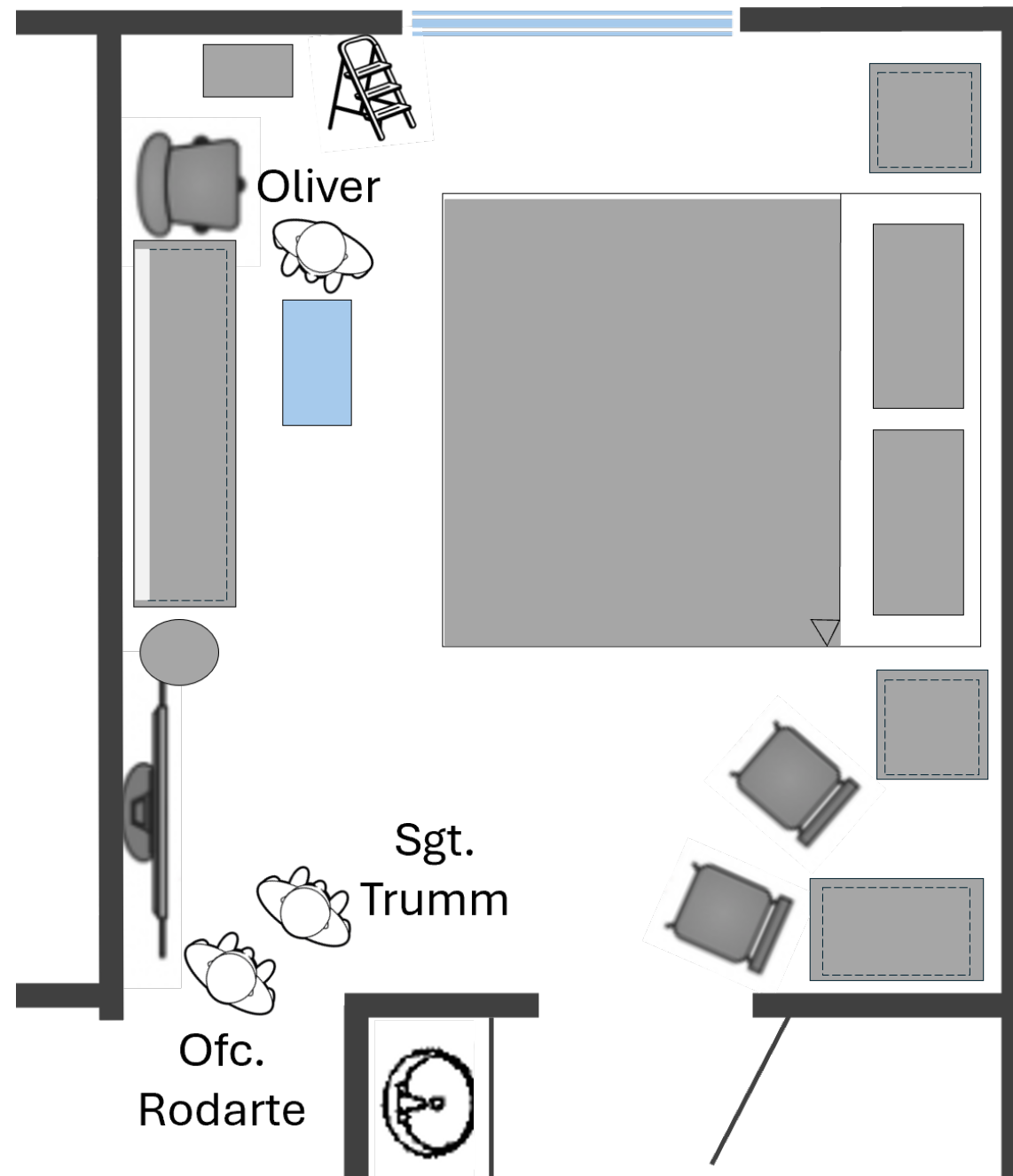
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7:49:53 a.m.

Rick Oliver: Don't do it, don't do it.

OFC. RODARTE BODY CAM



7:49:54 a.m.

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Sgt. Trumm: Sheriff's Office!

OFC. RODARTE BODY CAM

7:49:55 a.m.

Rick Oliver: Don't do it!

OFC. RODARTE BODY CAM

7:49:56 a.m.

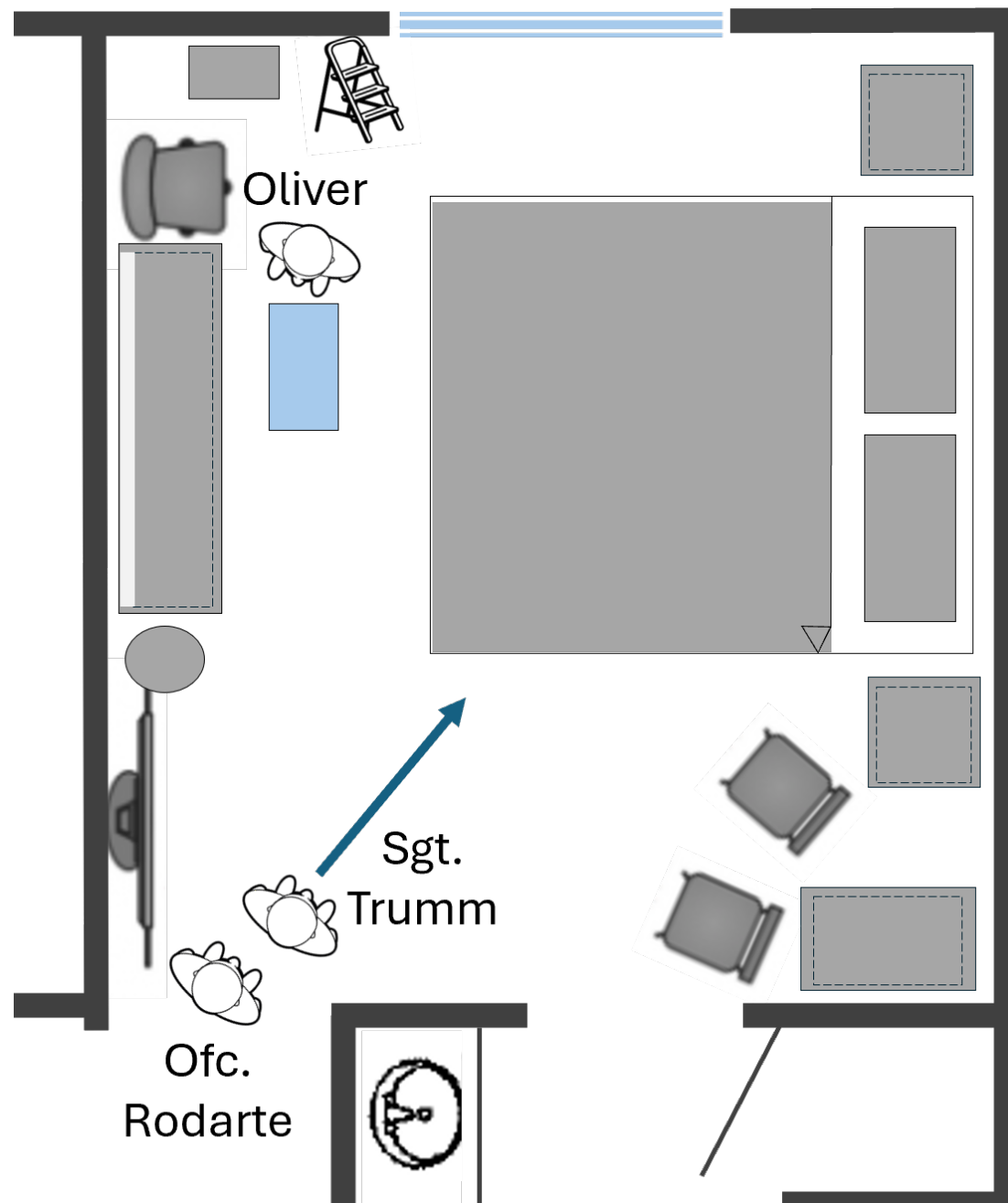
Sgt. Trumm: Get your hands!

OFC. RODARTE BODY CAM

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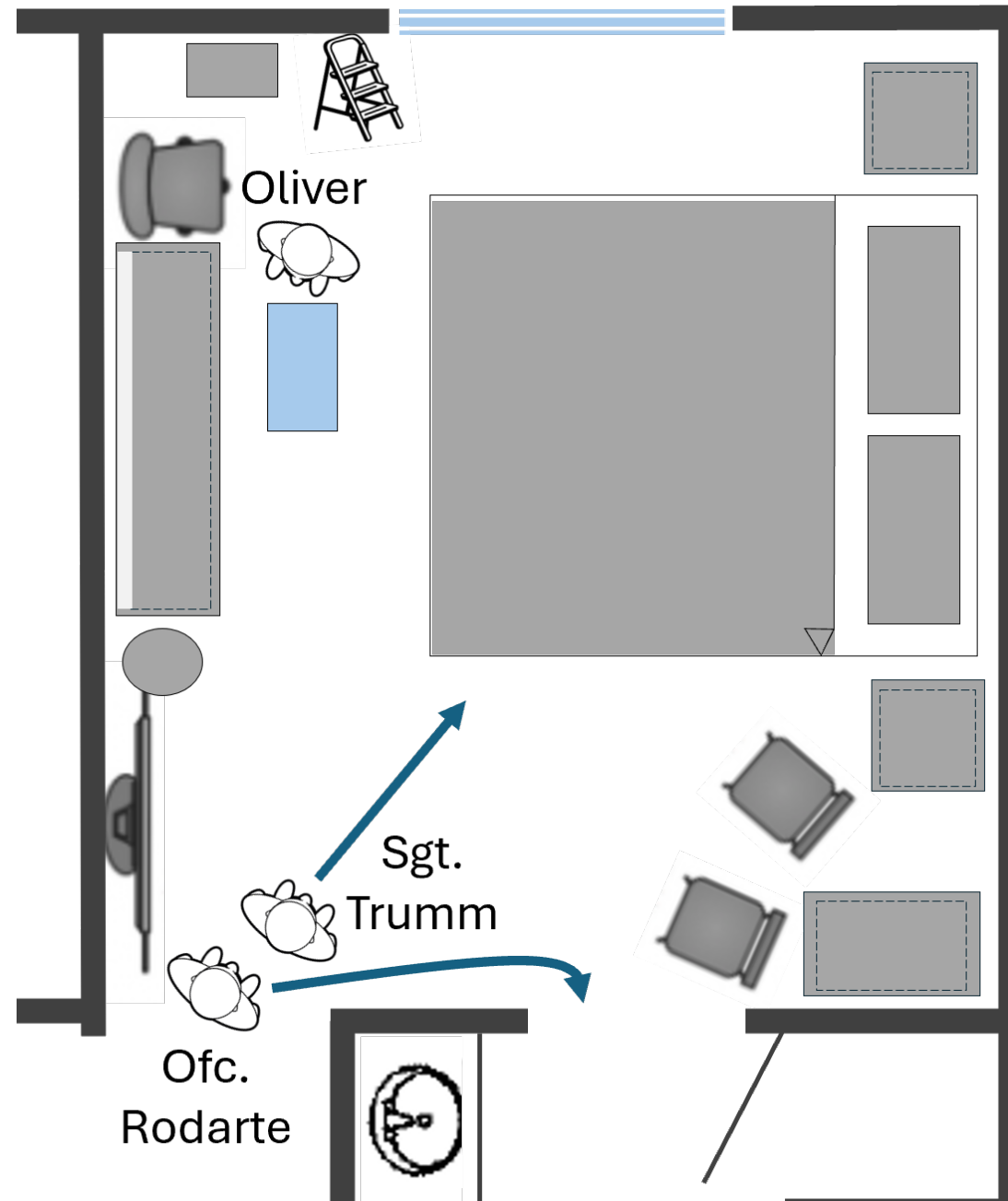
Ofc. Rodarte: Let me see your hands!

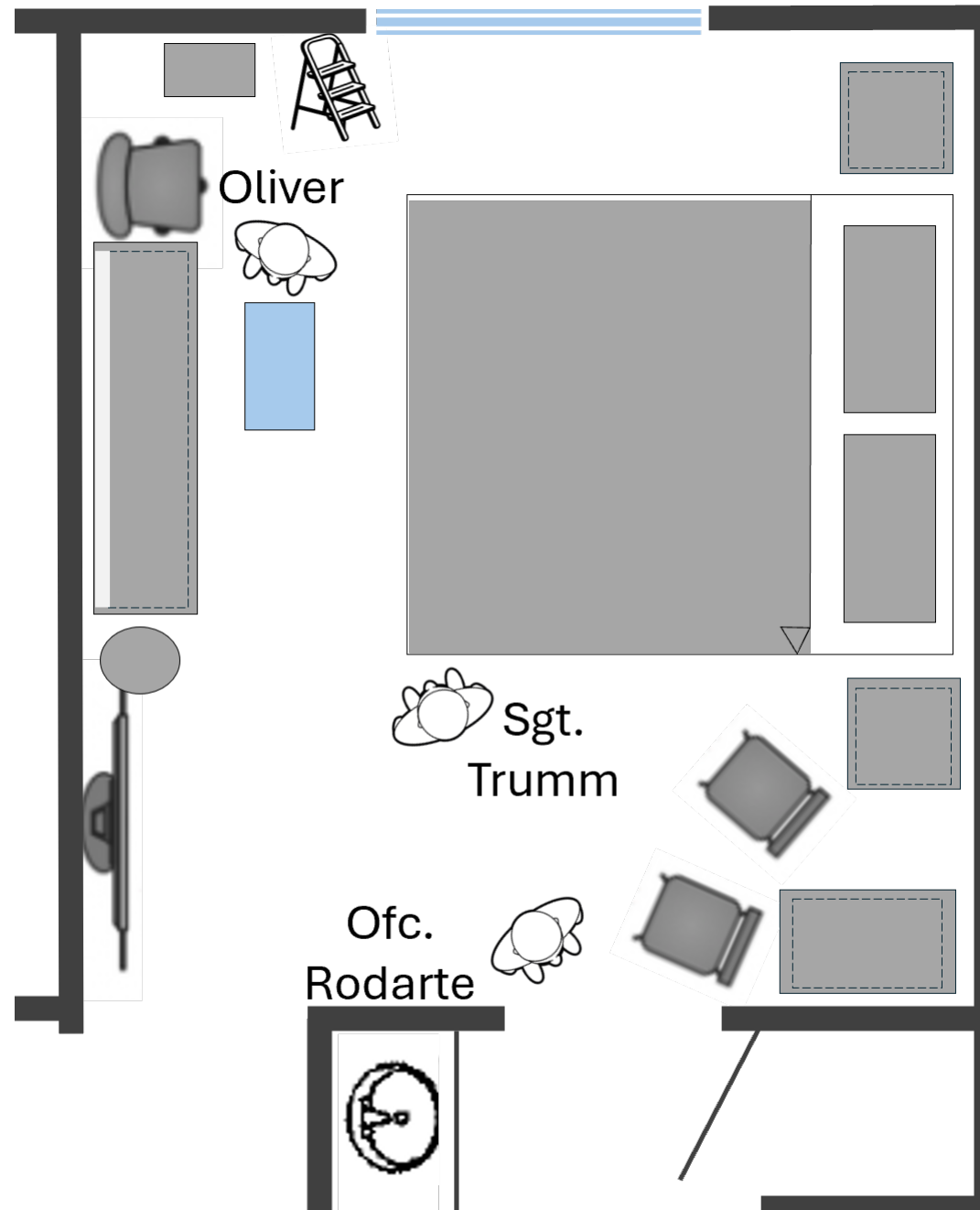
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Ofc. Rodarte: I Got your back.



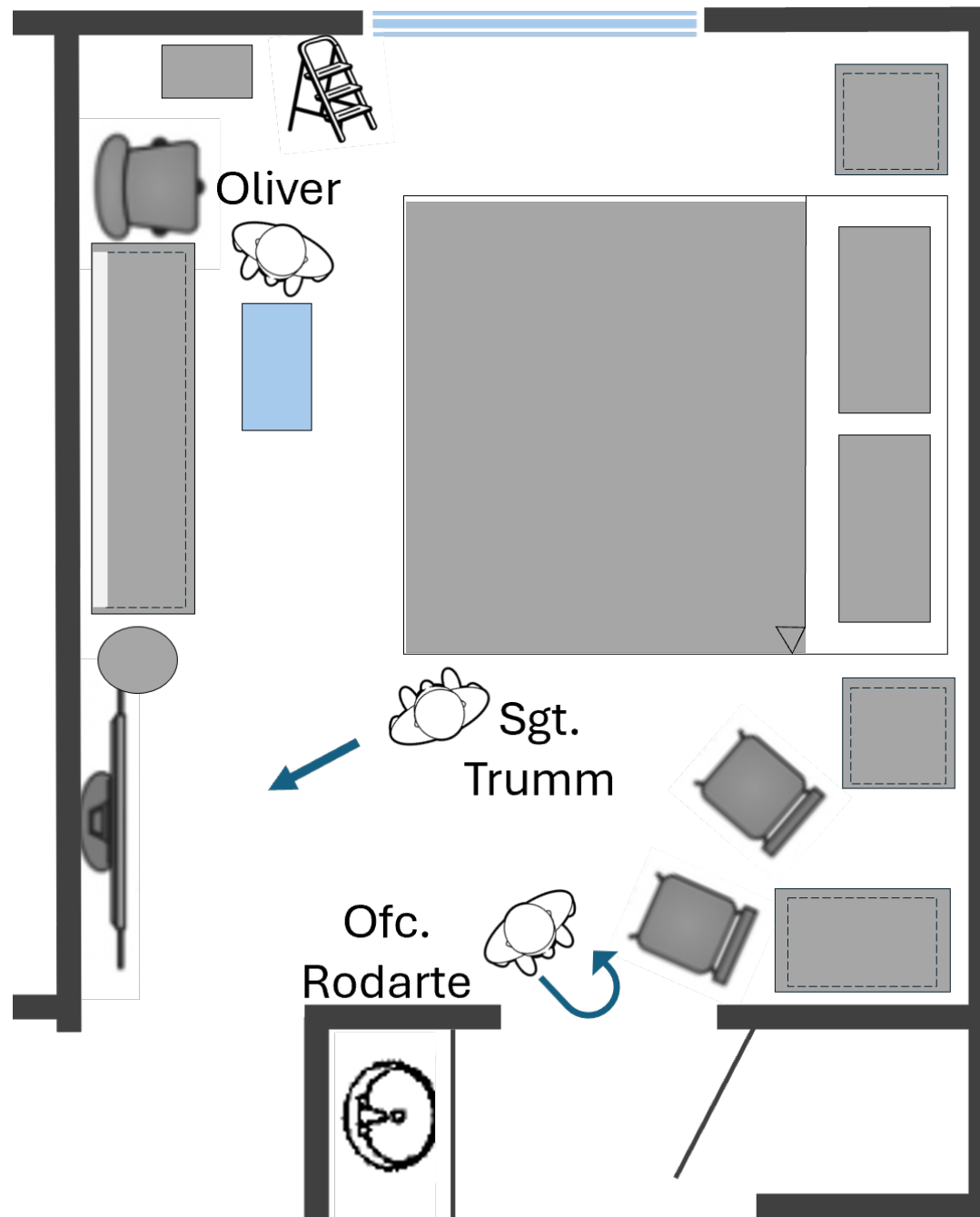


7:49:59 a.m.

Sgt. Trumm: Show me your hands now!

7:50:00 a.m.

Sgt. Trumm: He's got a gun! Got a gun!



7:50:01 a.m.

7:50:02 a.m.

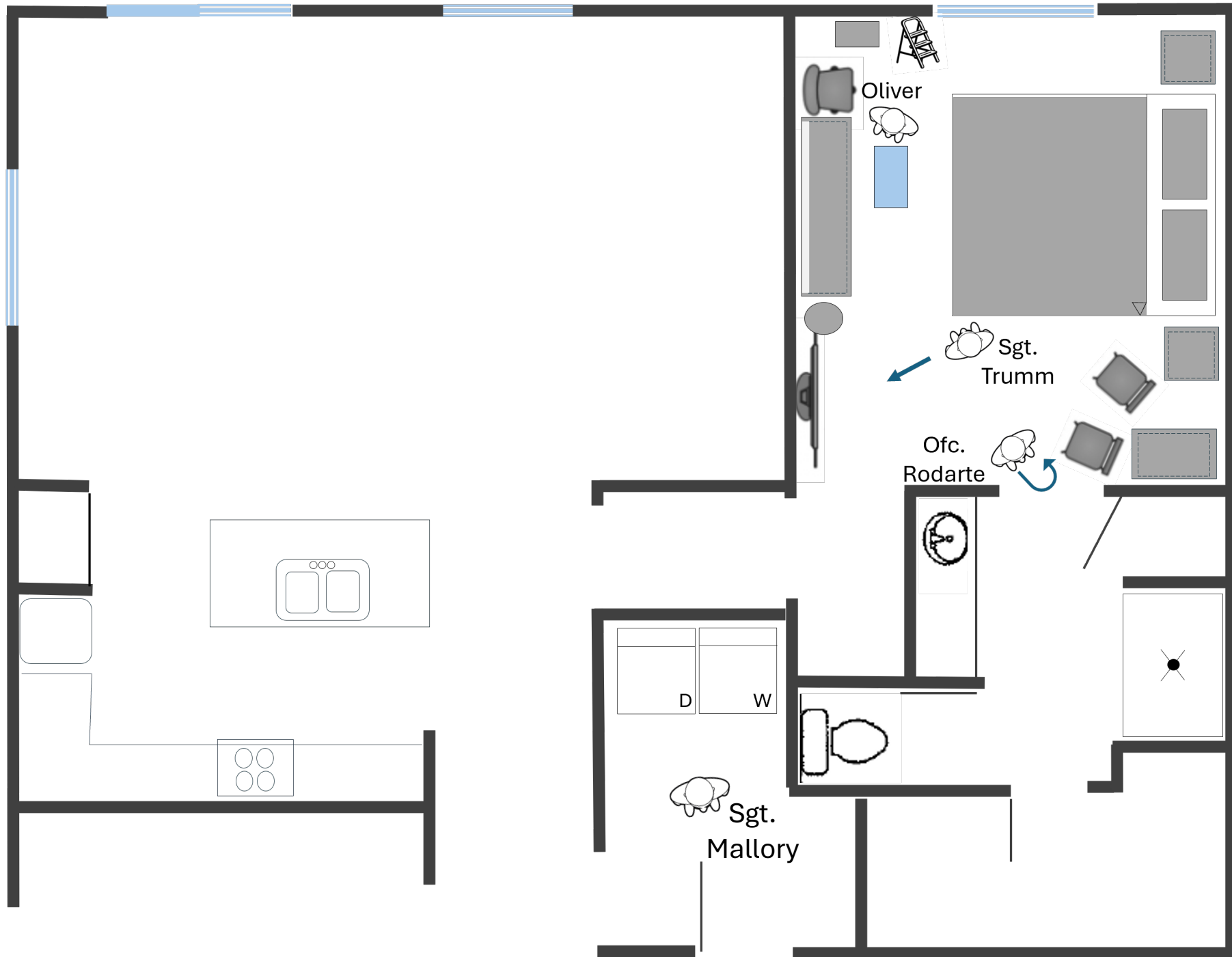
[Gunshots Start]

*Image obscured to
protect the privacy
of Ofc. Rodarte*

7:50:03 a.m.

[Gunshots End]

OFC. RODARTE BODY CAM



7:50:07 a.m.

SGT. MALLORY BWC

Sgt. Mallory: Whata you got? Whata you got?

7:50:11 a.m.

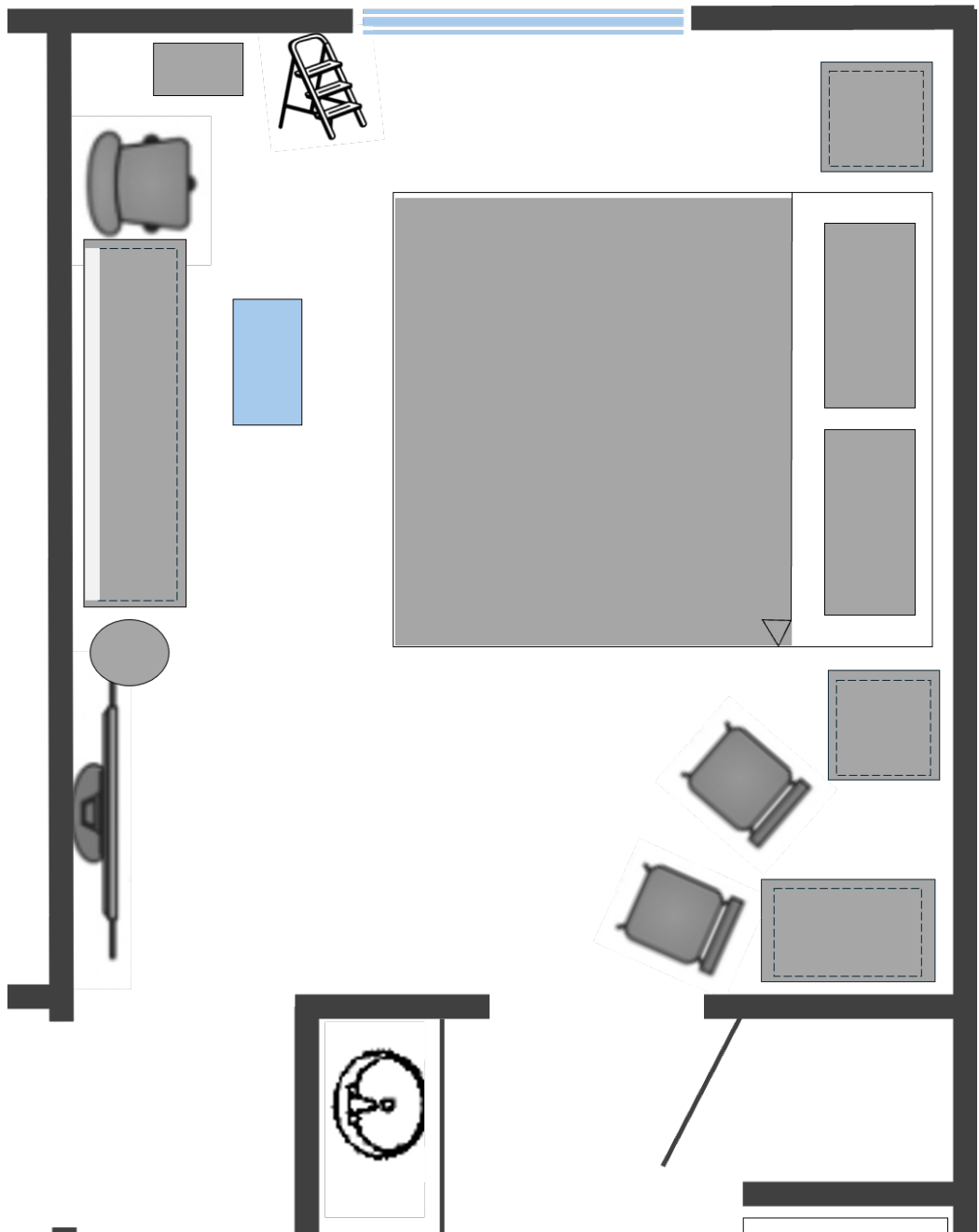


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The Investigation



Yuba-Sutter Officer Involved Shooting & Critical Incident Investigation Team

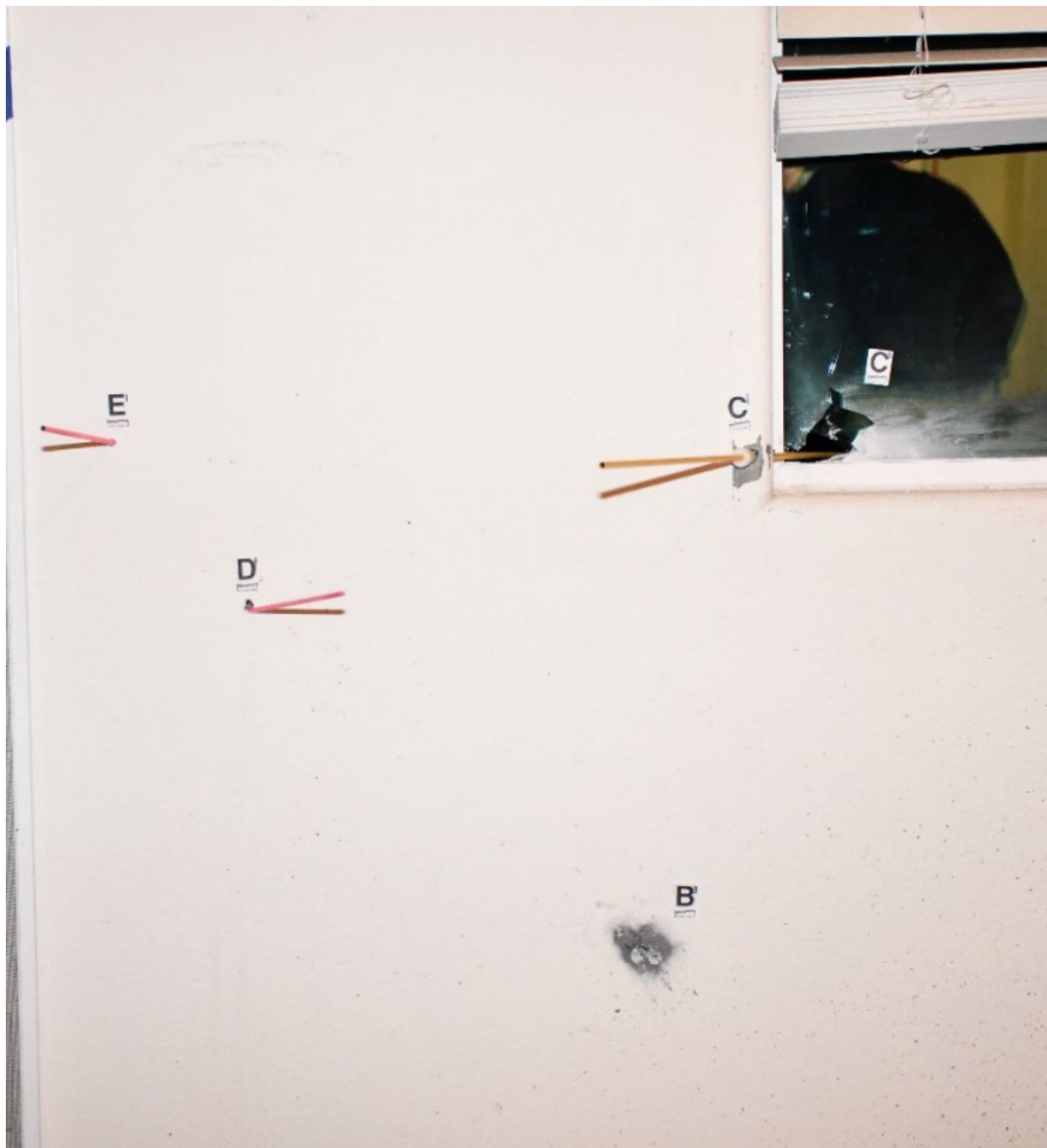


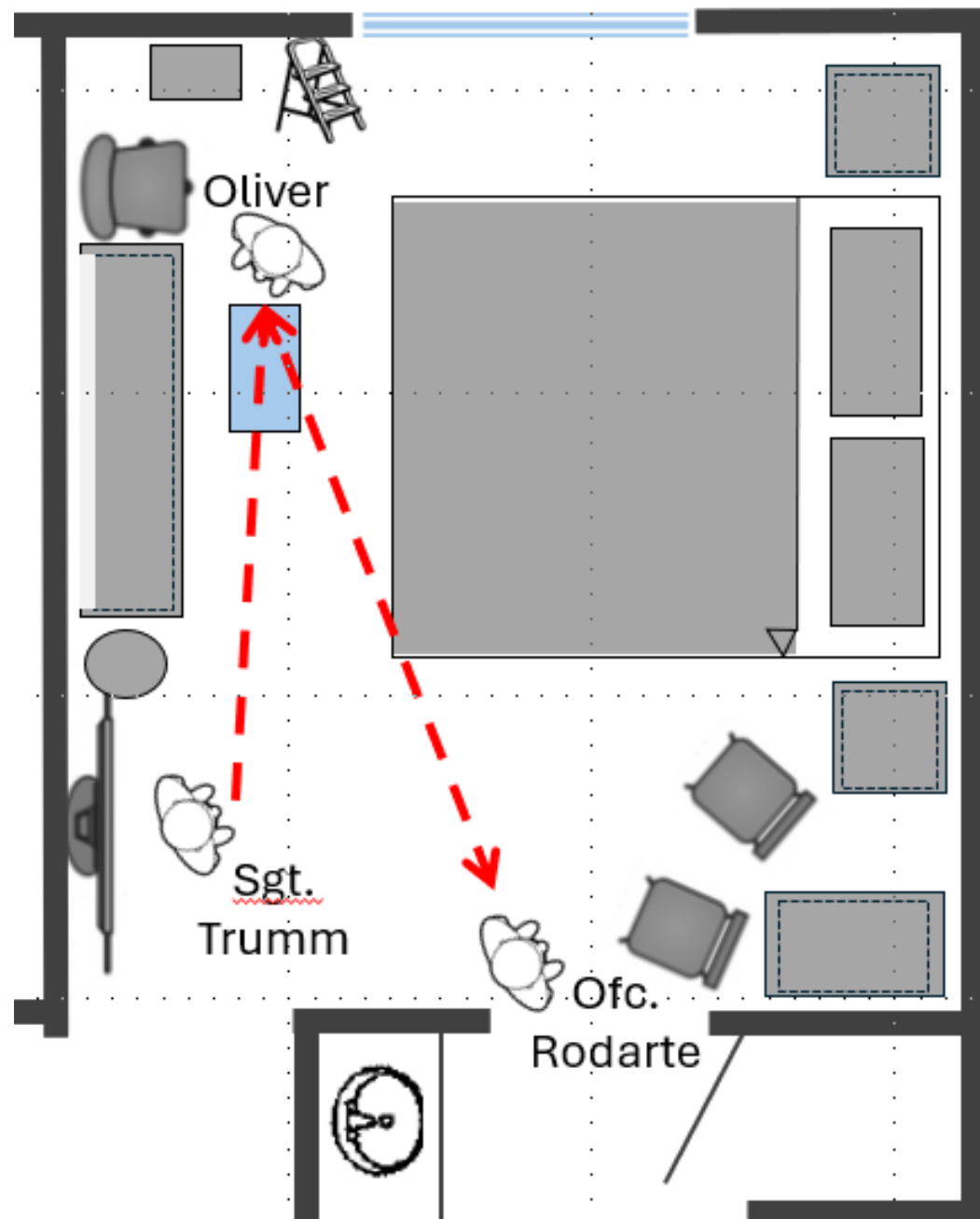


- 5.56 NATO Cartridge Casings
 - Trumm fired 6
 - Rodarte fired 4









Rick Oliver

- 7 GSW
- Including wounds to heart and lungs
- Died within “seconds”
- 11+ projectile fragments

Positive Findings:

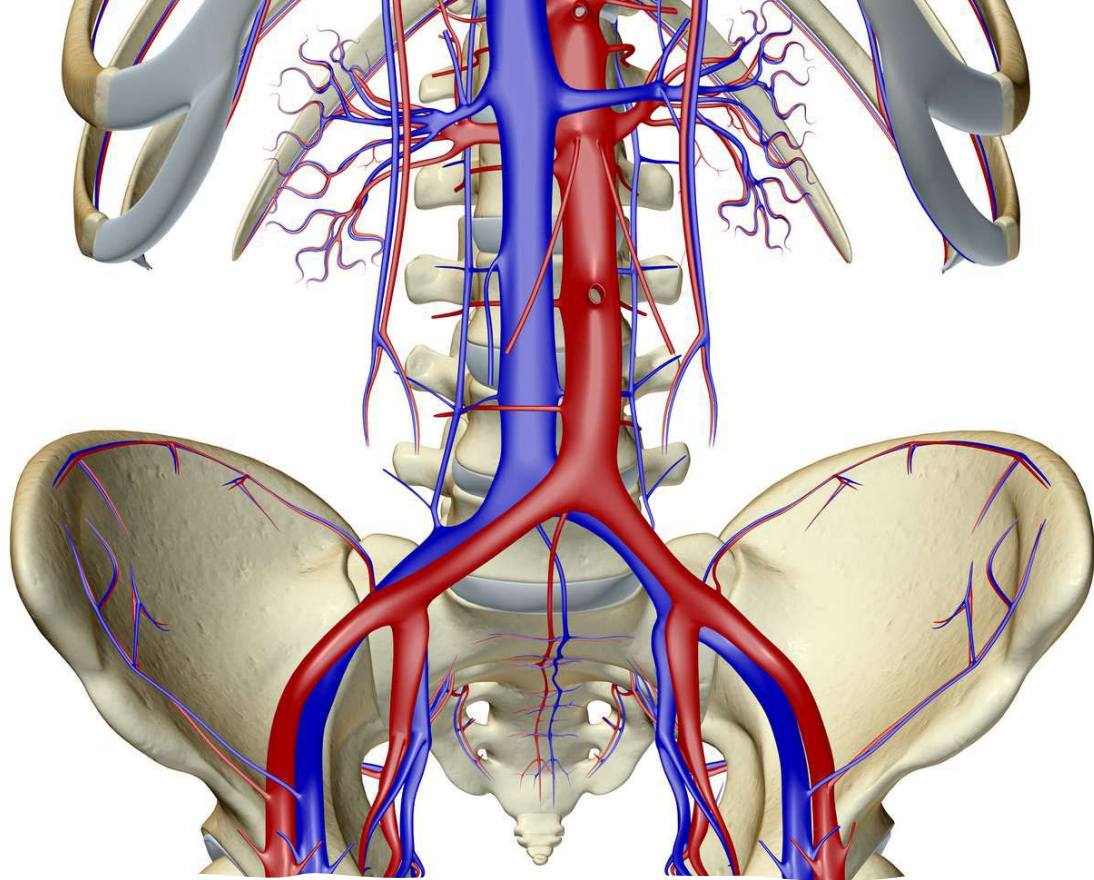
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A peak blood concentration of methamphetamine of 20 ng/mL was reported at 2.5 hr after an oral dosage of 12.5 mg. Blood levels of 200-600 ng/mL have been reported in methamphetamine abusers who exhibited violent and irrational behavior. High doses of methamphetamine can also elicit restlessness, confusion, hallucinations, circulatory collapse and convulsions.





Officer Rodarte

- .357 Magnum Hollow Point
- GSW to lower left abdomen that passed through portions of the bowel and an artery in the pelvis (left iliac artery)
- Died within “minutes”

Legal Analysis

Homicide

Legal Analysis

Self-Defense

An officer may use deadly force only when the officer “reasonably believes, based on the totality of the circumstances, that such force is necessary . . . to defend against an imminent threat of death or serious bodily injury to the officer or to another person.”

Legal Analysis

Self Defense

- Oliver's Duty to Refrain from Using Force
- Necessity of Deadly Force
 - Subjective Belief
 - Objectively Reasonable Belief

Conclusion

Yuba County Sheriff's Sergeant Daniel Trumm and Marysville Police Officer Osmar Rodarte acted in self-defense or defense of others and were legally justified in using deadly force on Rick David Oliver on March 26, 2025.

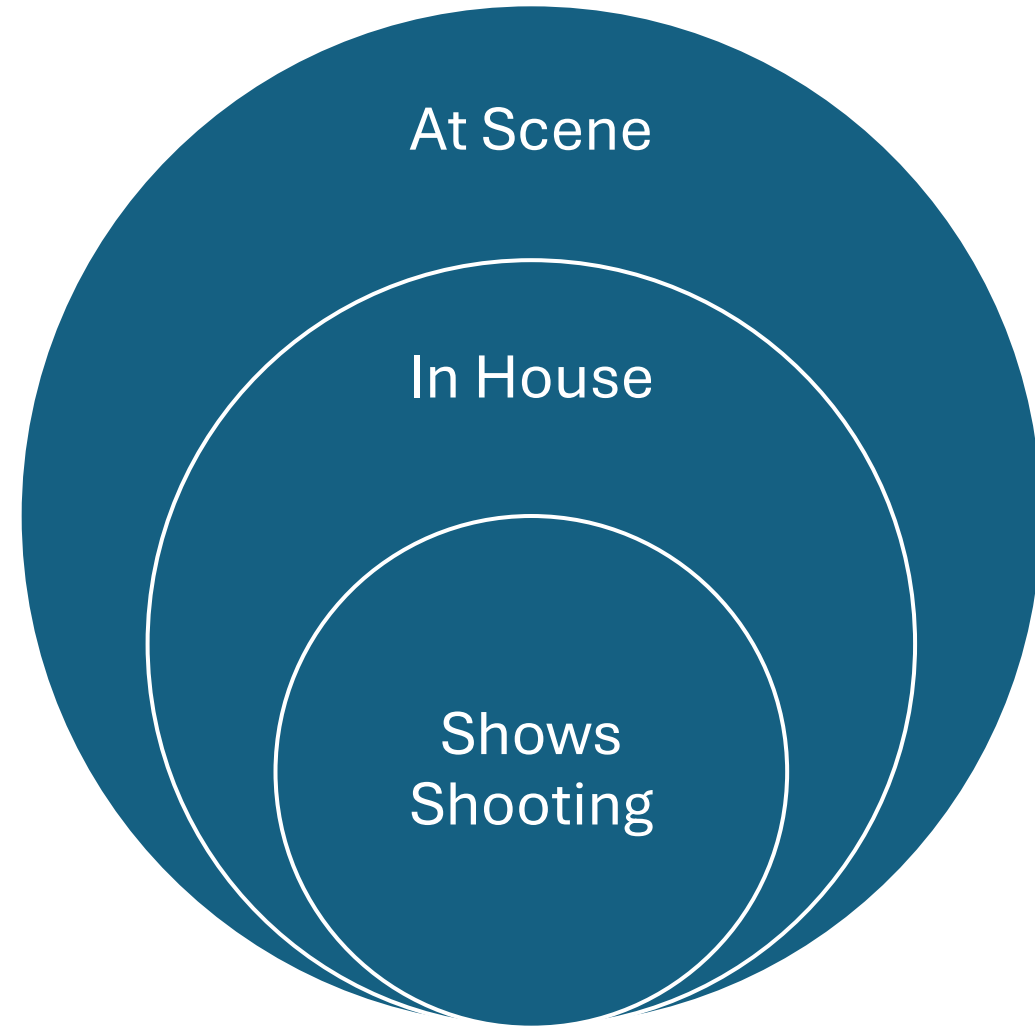
PRA for OIS Video

Shows Shooting

- MPD Rodarte
- YCSO Tennigkeit

In the House

- MPD Souza
- YCPD Ernst
- YCPD Zavala
- YCSO Mallory
- YCSO Larue



PRA for OIS Video



Arrival on Scene



Shooting



Post-Shooting