



LATE MATERIAL

Item # 13a

Meeting Date: 01/07/21

Report of Inmate Death

*Per: NRS 211.020 and NRS 211.030,
as amended by sections 5 and 6 of Assembly Bill No. 301 (2019)*

Synopsis:

This report is to advise of an inmate death in the Carson City Jail which occurred on August 23, 2020. A deputy noticed an inmate who appeared to be ill. The inmate was immediately moved to an observation cell and the medical team was notified. When the medical team arrived, they found that the inmate was in cardiac arrest and started life saving measures. CPR was successful and the inmate was transported to the hospital; however, he succumbed three days later. The incident was investigated by the Carson City Sheriff's Office Investigations Division, Coroner, The Washoe County Medical Examiner's Office as well as investigators from the Douglas County Sheriff's Office. An autopsy was performed; the immediate cause of death was determined to be, "Complications of Chronic Ethanol Abuse".

Inmate information:

Name:	Michael Scott McElfish	Inmate Number:	P-9289
Age:	42	Date of Admission to Jail:	08/19/2020
Gender:	Male	Date/Time of Death:	08/23/2020 - 0240
Race:	White	Location of Inmate Death:	Carson Tahoe Hospital
Ethnicity:	Not Hispanic	City of Residence:	Carson City, Nevada
Charges:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Violation Domestic Violence TPO• False Statement/Obstructing Public Officer		

Cause of Death: Complications of Chronic Ethanol Abuse

Additional information:

Next of Kin Notified:	Yes 08/20/2020 @ 1709 by Sheriff Furlong
Arrest Agency:	Carson City Sheriff's Office ~20-4763
Death Investigation Agency and Case Number:	Carson City Sheriff's Office ~ 20-4781 Douglas County Sheriff's Office ~ 20SO24131



Carson City Sheriff's Office



Sheriff Ken Furlong

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November 2020	Month to Month Comparison			Year to Year Comparison					
	Nov 2020	Oct 2020	% Change	2020 YTD	2019 YTD	% Change	2020 YTD	2018 YTD	% Change
Inmate Incidents									
Argument	1	0	100%	11	13	-15%	11	14	-21%
Arrest	0	2	-100%	8	0	800%	8	0	800%
Assault on Officer	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---
Attempted Suicide	0	3	-100%	9	6	50%	9	4	125%
Battery on Officer	0	1	-100%	1	1	---	1	1	---
Cell Extraction	0	0	---	0	2	-100%	0	1	-100%
Contraband - General	2	1	100%	22	24	-8%	22	22	---
Contraband - Drug	2	0	200%	7	8	-13%	7	4	75%
Contraband - Weapon	0	0	---	1	5	-80%	1	9	-89%
Criminal Offense	0	2	-100%	8	6	33%	8	0	800%
Damage to Jail Property	3	1	200%	14	5	180%	14	7	100%
Escape	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---
Incident	10	16	-38%	96	109	-12%	96	194	-51%
Inmate Grievance	0	0	---	3	1	200%	3	1	200%
Inmate vs. Inmate	1	2	-50%	11	11	---	11	8	38%
Medical	7	8	-13%	112	123	-9%	112	52	115%
Rule Violation	16	17	-6%	152	157	-3%	152	166	-8%
Strip Search	0	1	-100%	2	16	-88%	2	40	-95%
Use of Force	0	2	-100%	3	5	-40%	3	9	-67%
Total	42	56	-25%	460	492	-7%	460	532	-14%
Searches Conducted	86	121	-29%	1,188	1,595	-26%	1,188	1,307	-9%
Medical Activity									
Consultation	43	71	-39%	956	1,019	-6%	956	1,172	-18%
Sick Call Requests	357	494	-28%	4,802	4,262	13%	4,802	4,078	18%
Sick Calls Seen	308	368	-16%	4,068	3,629	12%	4,068	3,681	11%
Medical Emergency	2	5	-60%	45	77	-42%	45	53	-15%
Total	710	938	-24%	9,871	8,987	10%	9,871	8,984	10%